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OF THE WORLD.**

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B. THE COMMERCIAL CABLE COMPANY
C. WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY
D. COMPAGNIE FRANÇAISE D'ÉLECTRICITÉ
E. BRAZILIAN SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH COMPANY
F. EASTERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY
G. EASTERN AND SOUTH AFRICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY
H. EASTERN EXTENSION, AUSTRALASIA, AND CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY
I. GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY
J. WEST INDIA AND PANAMA TELEGRAPH COMPANY
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GROUPS.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
IMPORTS.								
FREE OF DUTY:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
Articles of food, and live animals	7,491,819	33.88	7,445,549	28.24	59,945,274	35.35	42,158,525	27.97
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	12,267,569	55.47	15,703,668	59.55	89,855,149	53.03	90,352,514	59.29
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	1,087,861	4.92	1,418,762	5.40	9,756,231	5.76	9,711,083	6.44
For consumption.....	558,736	2.53	1,647,836	6.26	6,425,635	3.79	6,150,074	4.08
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	710,664	3.20	146,938	.55	3,492,523	2.07	2,318,748	2.22
TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.....	22,116,649	100.00	26,362,783	100.00	169,474,812	100.00	150,690,944	100.00
DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	4,701,629	16.38	8,775,249	27.53	34,063,054	19.90	62,582,199	28.94
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	4,438,789	15.52	3,891,670	12.21	25,384,725	14.83	24,649,170	11.39
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	4,580,860	15.96	2,593,039	8.13	28,807,579	16.84	22,593,400	10.45
For consumption.....	7,345,854	25.59	8,510,176	26.08	40,991,862	23.95	56,978,453	26.16
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	7,623,933	26.55	8,076,853	26.05	41,894,468	24.48	49,499,214	23.06
TOTAL DUTIABLE.....	28,711,065	100.00	31,876,987	100.00	171,141,718	100.00	216,252,436	100.00
FREE AND DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	12,193,448	23.99	16,220,798	27.85	94,008,328	27.59	104,740,724	28.54
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	16,726,358	32.91	19,595,338	33.65	115,239,874	33.81	115,001,684	31.34
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	5,668,721	11.15	4,011,801	6.89	38,563,810	11.32	32,304,483	8.80
For consumption.....	7,934,590	15.55	10,188,012	17.49	47,417,497	13.86	63,128,527	17.20
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	8,334,597	16.40	8,223,821	14.12	45,387,021	13.42	51,767,962	14.12
TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....	50,827,714	100.00	58,239,770	100.00	340,616,530	100.00	366,943,380	100.00
PER CENT OF FREE		43.12		45.26		49.76		41.07
DUTIES COLLECTED	14,269,492		17,991,741		77,011,033		114,037,581	
REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE at the end of the month.....	24,934,285		33,966,537					
EXPORTS.								
DOMESTIC:								
Products of—Agriculture.....	78,990,228	74.04	82,180,090	72.18	507,660,026	71.88	508,673,904	69.02
Manufactures.....	22,998,808	21.55	25,806,870	22.66	159,541,949	22.58	182,336,503	24.74
Mining.....	1,444,632	1.35	1,870,818	1.64	11,816,661	1.67	16,561,517	2.25
Forest.....	2,617,925	2.46	3,258,868	2.87	21,664,140	3.06	23,435,211	3.19
Fisheries.....	277,176	.26	363,663	.32	4,075,371	.56	4,495,065	.61
Miscellaneous.....	369,882	.34	379,835	.33	1,727,591	.25	1,440,358	.19
TOTAL DOMESTIC	106,698,651	100.00	113,860,144	100.00	706,514,838	100.00	736,942,558	100.00
FOREIGN:								
Free of duty	857,617	49.63	613,603	35.43	4,563,434	38.59	5,105,655	40.50
Dutiable.....	870,406	50.37	1,119,080	64.57	7,289,135	61.41	7,501,125	59.50
TOTAL FOREIGN	1,728,023	100.00	1,732,683	100.00	11,852,569	100.00	12,606,780	100.00
TOTAL EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE	108,426,674		115,592,827		718,367,407		749,549,348	
EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS.....	57,598,960		57,353,057		377,750,877		382,605,958	

GOLD AND SILVER.

TONNAGE.

GOLD AND SILVER.	January—		Seven Months ending January—		VESSELS.	January—		Seven Months ending January—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899		1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Gold—Imports.....	6,493,414	6,392,344	34,288,092	71,959,300	Entered—Sailing	275,291	252,809	2,784,370	2,565,769
Exports.....	2,658,603	1,755,451	11,838,862	11,724,213	Steam	1,614,583	1,675,367	12,432,804	13,239,358
Silver—Imports.....	2,535,461	3,128,852	20,570,203	19,367,193	Cleared—Sailing.....	310,950	261,218	2,904,066	2,581,245
Exports.....	4,201,820	5,380,806	34,809,062	34,579,913	Steam.....	1,534,708	1,678,015	12,417,420	13,257,338

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Agricultural implements.....free..						5,167				
Animals (number):										
Cattle.....free..	26	4,831	19	2,475	43	6,237	267	33,634	298	46,613
Do.....dut..	14,703	135,433	5,947	77,290	77,865	527,604	146,455	1,507,240	107,898	1,251,421
Horses.....free..	44	1,765	40	2,620	391	44,712	432	74,434	566	205,949
Do.....dut..	94	9,234	85	9,090	2,815	158,413	1,427	158,545	923	134,677
Sheep.....free..	90	1,747	153	2,623	1,745	24,443	2,763	38,659	693	33,570
Do.....dut..	4,029	17,518	6,069	25,823	365,262	933,332	368,520	1,033,326	340,208	1,128,484
All other, including fowls free..		9,897		14,325		107,359		105,919		112,132
All other, including live poultry										
.....dut..		8,906		5,166		43,718		51,411		48,285
Total.....{free..		18,240		22,043		182,751		252,646		398,264
.....{dut..		171,091		117,369		1,663,067		2,750,522		2,562,867
Total.....		189,331		139,412		1,845,818		3,003,168		2,961,131
HORSES (free, number), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....			2	1,047	3	427	25	38,104	63	108,742
British North America.....	36	1,545	38	1,573	363	39,433	399	36,110	377	30,970
Other countries.....	8	220			25	4,852	8	220	126	66,237
Total.....	44	1,765	40	2,620	391	44,712	432	74,434	566	205,949
HORSES (dutiabie, number), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....			1	1,217	12	9,757	21	15,683	41	18,183
British North America.....	94	9,234	84	7,873	2,055	138,947	1,188	140,646	878	115,899
Other countries.....					748	9,709	218	2,216	4	595
Total.....	94	9,234	85	9,090	2,815	158,413	1,427	158,545	923	134,677
Antimony ore (pounds).....free..	331,646	6,273	265,782	2,650	1,995,514	89,061	3,131,713	50,370	1,431,481	18,493
Antimony, as regulus or metal										
(pounds).....dut..	10,514	674					1,157,210	47,629	960,927	69,748
Articles the growth, product, and										
manufacture of the United States,										
returned.....free..		222,869		158,114		2,023,405		2,665,160		2,130,345
ART WORKS.....free..		13,669		45,327		2,901,699		641,892		312,758
Do.....dut..		187,322		100,851		30		1,096,572		1,462,075
ART WORKS (free), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....		1,653		18,006		726,390		163,293		116,046
France.....		11,229		20,527		1,058,096		343,454		172,654
Germany.....				357		176,207		19,343		5,583
Italy.....		291		4,433		168,093		53,377		12,081
Other Europe.....		496		2,004		93,962		23,847		5,179
British North America.....						74,835		35,538		109
Other countries.....						4,116		3,040		1,106
Total.....		13,669		45,327		2,901,699		641,892		312,758
ART WORKS (dutiabie), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....		127,185		6,252				579,054		411,736
France.....		28,959		80,416				290,640		884,884
Germany.....		12,254		4,640				103,392		86,569
Italy.....		13,636		5,940				76,598		40,831
Other Europe.....		3,969		3,150				39,711		27,770
British North America.....		645		110				4,419		4,370
Other countries.....		674		343				2,758		5,915
Total.....		187,322		100,851				1,066,572		1,462,075

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude (tons)		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
..... free					57,452	183,516	12,440	34,157		
Do. (tons) dut.	3,556	8,587	2,011	6,184			49,487	171,208	46,593	110,492
Bark hemlock (cords) free	2,221	9,101	1,222	4,329	15,126	70,167	14,685	61,845	8,165	27,942
Bolting cloths free		13,735		16,627		101,990		105,715		124,800
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured free		46,739		83,078				243,078		392,409
Bones and horns, manufactures of dut.		22,545		14,582				79,070		105,535
Books:										
Music, maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. free		113,523		122,869		1,029,508		948,780		1,029,162
Maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. dut.		78,890		82,697		851,815		829,419		838,992
BOOKS, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom free		50,604		47,141		387,631		402,466		470,680
France free		8,816		17,308		113,831		95,403		106,068
Germany free		43,780		46,293		393,489		348,091		336,060
Other Europe free		7,876		10,241		101,693		78,683		90,148
British North America free		1,577		1,534		19,935		18,874		18,056
Other countries free		870		352		12,929		5,263		8,150
Total free		113,523		122,869		1,029,508		948,780		1,029,162
BOOKS, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom dut.		57,226		55,666		580,134		595,061		598,083
France dut.		3,372		7,993		28,823		38,067		37,872
Germany dut.		11,416		12,292		172,497		133,219		141,249
Other Europe dut.		2,824		3,576		27,506		31,079		35,844
British North America dut.		2,558		2,301		11,846		14,927		13,613
China dut.		107		288		1,277		2,444		2,472
Japan dut.		1,151		432		26,785		9,921		7,593
Other countries dut.		236		149		2,947		4,701		1,666
Total dut.		78,890		82,697		851,815		829,419		838,992
Brass, and manufactures of dut.		848		4,228		90,035		22,904		15,799
Breadstuffs:										
Barley (bushels) dut.	16,030	5,320	6,943	3,251	721,440	236,761	124,695	43,794	96,093	47,204
Corn (bushels) dut.	63	32	84	43	4,303	1,390	2,706	1,075	3,447	1,136
Oats (bushels) dut.	1,713	548	1,301	405	31,795	7,795	4,166	1,404	2,631	898
Oatmeal (pounds) dut.	3,470	143	21,228	1,086	1,457,886	28,882	213,490	11,767	222,909	14,176
Rye (bushels) dut.	79	276			70	168	32,935	13,321	387	962
Wheat (bushels) dut.	35,768	35,805	87,258	65,446	949,481	709,616	1,931,710	1,801,460	1,684,210	1,267,414
Wheat flour (barrels) dut.	347	1,122	12	39	1,663	6,307	1,247	5,066	715	3,286
Farinaceous substances, etc., n. e. s. free		11,402		3,681		136,095		129,514		114,583
All other, and preparations of, etc., n. e. s. dut.		85,816		83,364		478,250		523,683		470,940
Total free		140,464		157,315		1,605,294		2,531,084		1,920,599
Bristles (pounds):										
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared free					376	268	135	43	12,771	6,437
Sorted, bunched, or prepared dut.	95,328	75,058	156,032	119,349	900,655	830,583	1,041,780	882,156	1,205,115	916,525
Total free	95,328	75,058	156,032	119,349	901,031	830,851	1,041,915	882,199	1,217,886	922,962
Brushes dut.		71,894		92,651		414,497		411,022		522,048
Buttons and button forms dut.		48,969		53,168		440,570		264,117		256,791
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. (pounds) dut.	48,158,588	153,944	55,982,555	171,893	605,776,270	1,939,403	517,782,713	1,690,723	533,485,616	1,754,618
CEMENT (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom dut.	13,848,907	45,740	8,373,834	33,212	143,919,659	467,068	102,527,817	340,507	77,753,179	281,625
Belgium dut.	10,847,974	31,623	21,711,304	66,461	165,895,167	484,834	134,580,073	410,608	173,642,705	531,667
France dut.	148,800	599			8,727,561	24,172	11,115,716	31,878	4,823,600	14,431
Germany dut.	21,850,575	70,974	19,478,749	67,184	276,612,838	913,265	257,298,467	866,571	260,706,160	889,401

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cement, Roman, etc.—Continued.										
CEMENT, etc.—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other Europe	1,462,332	4,998	6,416,668	5,027	7,714,645	28,825	10,956,391	34,952	15,512,852	32,756
British North America					2,102,300	8,368	1,304,249	6,007	1,043,120	4,729
Other countries			2,000	9	804,100	3,871			2,000	9
Total	48,158,588	153,944	55,982,555	171,893	605,776,270	1,930,403	517,782,713	1,690,723	533,485,616	1,754,618
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. e. s.:										
Alizarin, and alizarin colors or dyes, etc. (pounds)	286,861	41,396	510,799	57,339	2,742,523	456,934	3,627,868	562,393	3,163,882	425,193
Argal, or argol, or crude tartar (pounds)					9,778,248	850,094	741,150	65,154		
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)										
.....dut..	2,229,602	195,223	1,136,961	95,710			10,362,166	846,942	13,775,212	1,099,773
Barks, cinchona, or other, etc. (pounds)	163,199	18,224	5,346	407	1,363,160	71,291	1,393,157	140,174	1,812,653	145,500
Coal-tar colors and dyes		238,117		347,000		1,328,739		1,880,490		2,070,226
Cochineal (pounds)	14,774	4,719	606	114	80,157	25,025	88,644	26,145	54,986	14,104
DYEWOODS—										
Logwood (tons)	6,380	98,217	2,143	34,547	17,369	326,733	24,762	401,860	25,128	383,620
All other		23,246		4,990		66,591		107,493		147,431
Extracts and decoctions of (pounds)	354,995	25,386	283,053	20,144	2,482,067	134,021	2,726,557	159,063	2,116,235	150,976
Total		146,849		59,681		527,345		668,416		682,027
LOGWOOD (tons), imported from—										
Central America					336	7,535			50	1,570
Mexico			131	1,578	338	8,525	718	20,130	751	13,886
British West Indies	4,012	65,246	389	5,672	3,186	57,018	10,923	179,130	9,820	151,084
Cuba										
Other West Indies	2,368	32,971	1,623	27,297	15,695	238,208	13,082	201,787	14,207	206,918
Other countries					814	15,447	39	813	500	8,162
Total	6,380	98,217	2,143	34,547	17,369	326,733	24,762	401,860	25,128	383,620
DYEWOODS, EXTRACTS OF (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	139,988	9,125	86,845	5,147	548,227	32,661	981,596	61,060	669,806	41,263
France	142,510	9,331	61,185	3,811	603,102	40,752	573,422	36,470	421,764	28,991
Germany	7,921	797	14,201	1,500	766,183	28,418	334,120	13,933	55,758	4,930
Switzerland	27,603	3,182	43,709	3,560	197,101	18,593	163,223	15,711	151,073	12,257
Other countries	36,973	2,951	77,113	6,126	367,454	13,597	674,196	31,889	817,834	63,535
Total	354,995	25,386	283,053	20,144	2,482,067	134,021	2,726,557	159,063	2,116,235	150,976
Glycerin (pounds)	1,480,754	91,073	1,144,730	77,055	9,293,241	832,313	7,681,063	508,037	63,281,471	619,214
GUMS (pounds)—										
Arabic	63,682	5,699	53,462	5,370	314,771	40,536	494,267	57,873	379,262	47,395
Camphor, crude	159,919	36,235	29,436	5,935	619,487	152,579	1,081,728	196,745	825,601	139,312
Chicle			396,565	54,395					1,251,291	190,096
Copal, cowrie, and damar			464,526	45,971					10,660,158	976,068
Gambier, or terrajaponica	2,074,908	42,540	2,128,233	43,523	15,815,278	510,060	24,578,416	629,140	21,891,034	422,621
Shellac	782,913	111,064	544,885	72,942	3,178,007	521,082	3,759,186	470,399	4,373,288	614,754
All other		146,968		81,795		1,639,882		1,361,512		602,978
Total		343,406		309,931		2,864,139		2,715,669		2,993,424
Indigo (pounds)	125,626	62,955	130,149	79,035	596,357	270,786	517,734	308,639	570,705	330,735
Licorice root (pounds)	10,898,772	180,148	8,978,295	136,577	39,012,713	645,830	43,288,254	730,332	56,300,923	895,843
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder (pounds)					55,297,555	780,367	6,720,638	92,487		
Do. (pounds)	9,567,798	118,081	7,723,462	88,681			59,750,087	775,036	58,856,639	646,181
Mineral waters, all not artificial (gallons)					1,370,848	330,716	73,505	17,463		
Mineral waters (gallons)	42,303	12,674	59,858	19,269			822,876	257,732	906,433	357,414

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Cont'd.										
OPIUM (pounds)—										
Crude, or unmanufactured free.....		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	466,334	968,200	14,414	32,340		
Do.....dut..	2,617	5,816	28,751	69,972			31,925	63,125	363,945	890,826
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut..	75	401	82	433	69,255	509,153	42,052	281,050	61,560	399,124
OPIUM, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			9,163	25,094	51,739	118,068	12,728	29,400	54,005	151,655
Other Europe.....	2,617	5,816	8,541	23,146	143,739	301,620	17,461	30,618	131,286	323,310
Asia and Oceania.....			11,044	24,732	270,856	548,512	1,736	3,107	178,654	415,861
Other countries.....										
Total.....	2,617	5,816	28,751	69,972	466,334	968,200	31,925	63,125	363,945	890,826
OPIUM, PREPARED (pounds), imported from—										
China.....					66,019	494,962	41,902	280,167	61,131	396,817
Other countries.....	75	401	82	433	3,245	14,191	150	883	429	2,307
Total.....	75	401	82	433	69,255	509,153	42,052	281,050	61,560	399,124
POTASH (pounds)—										
Chlorate of.....free..					1,991,856	165,967	630,340	45,026		
Do.....dut..	52,899	3,364	139,668	8,589			1,671,169	107,811	2,276,713	138,569
Muriate of.....free..	6,427,230	102,159	14,376,969	213,670	65,512,688	1,033,972	76,990,466	1,198,670	71,152,602	1,113,680
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free..	301,961	7,018	7,034,454	73,770	10,993,871	237,729	7,396,008	140,758	12,669,338	218,723
All other.....free..	3,229,756	84,834	2,638,116	63,999	16,457,121	378,058	22,647,057	544,825	5,348,473	549,548
Total.....	10,011,837	196,375	24,489,207	365,028	94,955,536	1,815,726	109,335,040	2,037,690	91,447,126	2,020,520
Quinia, sulphate of, etc. (ounces)										
.....free..	457,632	110,495	256,540	45,726	1,796,221	319,056	2,575,715	504,597	1,895,667	356,482
SODA—										
Caustic (pounds).....dut..	3,059,320	47,438	1,288,594	15,257	30,092,949	529,441	19,325,813	328,345	12,839,775	175,442
Nitrate of (tons).....free..	11,331	160,447	6,406	91,053	53,041	1,672,061	67,598	1,746,657	85,036	1,225,753
Sal soda (pounds).....dut..	524,098	2,390	142,033	1,111	9,603,439	43,413	6,451,117	28,139	2,308,809	11,736
Soda ash (pounds).....dut..	9,032,673	59,110	2,198,196	16,024	81,793,859	637,175	54,662,467	383,907	27,993,110	173,084
All other salts of (pounds).....dut..	3,198,229	26,400	2,206,624	25,534	2,789,366	46,070	10,414,851	112,509	11,658,461	148,771
Total.....		315,785		150,019		2,928,160		2,599,557		1,734,786
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude (tons).....free..	14,495	263,046	8,975	154,855	80,019	1,297,107	86,993	1,526,610	63,874	1,301,865
Sumac, ground (pounds).....dut..	853,713	13,226	1,523,887	19,146	5,472,926	76,794	4,512,767	61,528	8,070,132	107,127
Vanilla beans (pounds).....free..	11	32	18,104	62,194	77,170	420,918	52,486	241,219	139,935	602,609
All other.....free..		401,117		407,510		3,132,691		2,895,841		2,733,128
Do.....dut..		513,030		331,828		2,474,787		2,863,575		2,705,324
Total chemicals, free, drugs, and dyes.....dut..		1,926,459		1,606,322		16,314,265		13,200,574		13,247,542
Total.....		1,351,780		1,251,201		6,611,906		8,657,289		9,883,883
Total.....		3,278,248		2,937,523		22,926,171		21,857,863		23,131,425
Chicory root, raw, unground (pounds).....free..					3,410,484	43,071	176,210	2,137		
Do.....dut..	3,055	53					113,995	2,740	4,409	99
Chicory root, roasted, ground or prepared (pounds).....dut..			7,820	340					94,588	3,132
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not including confectionery) (pounds).....dut..	47,109	7,902	54,340	8,586			445,884	67,431	676,856	108,277
Clays or earths of all kinds (tons).....dut..	10,248	69,596	8,291	54,281	53,304	385,806	59,977	415,166	65,031	440,523
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):										
Clocks, and parts of.....		14,223		14,740		299,360		204,617		192,177
Watches, and parts of.....		52,953		70,599		576,574		417,850		648,777

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Coal:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Anthracite (tons) free..	2,528	5,808	22	84	.....	.....	5,809	14,528	601	2,684
Bituminous (tons) dut..	105,774	291,917	89,174	262,357	774,470	2,093,317	740,594	1,872,070	721,270	2,010,781
COAL, BITUMINOUS (tons), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	15,260	\$4,781	12,831	28,909	42,485	114,868	106,961	258,806	79,826	195,973
Other Europe.....	.....	.....	10	40	1,650	4,784	1,878	3,880	2,376	5,097
British North America.....	71,975	222,732	62,200	205,812	491,606	1,514,556	387,634	1,162,509	457,753	1,472,443
Mexico.....	8,179	15,371	11,064	22,823	51,293	111,802	60,317	113,585	68,572	147,512
Japan.....	86	313	.....	.....	1,398	3,457	2,601	7,865	860	2,430
Other Asia and Oceania.....	9,456	16,793	2,458	4,730	184,613	337,967	178,089	318,824	111,711	186,977
Other countries.....	818	1,927	11	34	1,425	5,885	3,114	6,601	172	349
Total.....	105,774	291,917	89,174	262,357	774,470	2,093,317	740,594	1,872,070	721,270	2,010,781
Cocoa or cacao, crude, etc. (pounds)										
..... free..	3,357,407	474,463	3,104,626	458,368	18,241,785	1,689,562	14,317,134	1,835,922	16,702,440	2,411,536
Prepared, etc. (pounds) dut..	42,780	14,037	103,847	29,684	.....	.....	284,577	89,666	456,975	137,055
COCOA, ETC. (pounds), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....	367,058	59,146	76,076	12,966	1,392,920	171,108	1,685,046	257,410	833,253	146,014
Netherlands.....	106,473	15,858	93,755	12,544	540,895	60,741	510,135	77,686	327,911	51,608
Other Europe.....	1,211	493	79,919	11,011	221,403	25,928	353,829	53,503	445,542	66,982
Central America.....	.....	.....	10,614	803	42,905	4,224	.....	.....	68,488	8,591
British West Indies.....	1,992,428	290,230	1,431,925	228,220	6,263,306	576,186	4,158,222	626,814	5,107,916	774,925
Other West Indies.....	.....	.....	489,705	73,155	215,619	14,708	799,235	105,588	843,286	138,966
Brazil.....	154,322	16,245	203,515	27,100	3,259,104	247,600	855,959	100,081	3,320,546	469,490
Other South America.....	700,915	87,253	663,061	86,046	6,275,401	583,413	5,912,878	607,861	5,646,489	740,925
East Indies.....	.....	.....	4,144	622	30,232	3,654	.....	.....	41,486	5,117
Other countries.....	35,000	5,238	51,912	5,901	.....	.....	41,830	6,979	67,518	8,918
Total.....	3,357,407	474,463	3,104,626	458,368	18,241,785	1,687,562	14,317,134	1,835,922	16,702,440	2,411,536
Coffee (pounds)..... free..	79,979,037	5,471,163	85,373,605	5,496,437	395,057,589	45,014,364	479,839,106	37,513,103	418,971,167	26,123,262
COFFEE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	66,639	70,066	570,151	61,366	2,415,199	391,596	1,166,377	191,688	2,794,416	317,000
France.....	.....	.....	16,368	1,184	464,227	69,404	261,308	14,203	17,780	1,378
Germany.....	282,439	10,674	30,000	3,356	4,292,377	593,617	3,156,521	288,654	847,460	85,927
Netherlands.....	134,822	22,925	601,070	53,267	1,667,944	312,851	1,284,916	206,971	1,575,933	183,541
Other Europe.....	25,982	845	.....	.....	1,287,709	127,428	1,171,482	69,921	23,680	3,180
Central America.....	1,509,183	177,299	2,484,920	329,317	6,029,104	1,037,281	8,087,756	1,121,197	9,312,047	1,129,029
Mexico.....	3,298,238	378,455	3,086,657	261,399	5,397,647	929,506	12,202,969	1,439,002	8,100,291	733,447
West Indies.....	757,338	69,317	2,327,260	196,450	4,514,074	595,668	2,844,128	298,934	6,078,041	493,275
Brazil.....	68,065,020	4,138,441	70,211,822	3,992,851	310,828,604	32,259,273	389,509,565	26,352,977	338,490,779	18,404,359
Other South America.....	4,845,411	471,101	5,509,858	506,999	46,093,324	6,517,767	46,893,876	5,286,250	43,252,814	3,559,025
East Indies.....	743,762	95,200	30,889	3,469	8,974,339	1,650,738	10,189,162	1,787,425	5,946,437	826,055
Other Asia and Oceania.....	61,519	8,626	250,053	45,767	2,860,862	488,321	2,108,146	307,577	1,547,510	254,133
Africa.....	.....	.....	21,285	2,157	36,636	6,170	28,650	4,485	75,607	6,906
Other countries.....	188,684	28,214	233,272	38,855	195,343	34,744	934,250	143,822	907,772	126,007
Total.....	79,979,037	5,471,163	85,373,605	5,496,437	395,057,589	45,014,364	479,839,106	37,513,103	418,971,167	26,123,262
Copper, and manufactures of:										
Ore and regulus (tons) free..	488	112,135	568	99,553	1,800	256,091	3,803	578,564	2,298	471,891
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc. (lbs.) free..	3,790,629	285,876	3,393,497	341,851	6,507,198	548,783	14,743,166	1,204,454	27,789,556	2,303,274
Manufactures of..... dut..	.....	5,384	.....	1,799	.....	49,590	.....	31,894	.....	25,046
Total, not including ore.....	.....	291,260	.....	343,650	.....	598,373	.....	1,236,348	.....	2,328,320
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanu-										
factured..... free..	.....	55,634	.....	115,467	.....	649,517	.....	569,992	.....	610,517
Cork, manufactures of..... dut..	.....	30,272	.....	30,077	.....	.....	.....	121,403	.....	193,142
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured (pounds) free..	4,521,754	416,026	5,395,811	539,573	19,526,917	2,289,266	22,402,160	2,302,787	21,269,129	2,019,216
Waste or flocks (pounds) free..	902,070	31,705	3,181,429	111,056

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED (lbs.), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	791,823	79,093	512,991	60,194	4,372,686	519,271	6,897,005	730,085	4,771,322	581,795
Other Europe.....	26,039	1,963			300	29	26,039	1,963		
South America.....	235,890	21,533	159,692	17,630	529,387	55,114	391,213	37,946	725,705	69,102
East Indies.....			11,004	864	7,265	750	12,975	836	133,421	9,929
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	18,411	2,240	6,970	848	84,707	7,208	123,562	11,890	37,278	3,700
Africa (Egypt).....	3,449,591	311,197	4,705,154	460,037	14,512,910	1,705,299	15,935,996	1,519,155	15,597,933	1,354,357
Other countries.....					19,662	1,595	15,370	912	3,470	333
Total.....	4,521,754	416,026	5,395,811	530,573	19,526,917	2,280,266	23,402,160	2,302,787	21,269,129	2,019,216
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
CLOTH (square yards)—										
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	125,899	9,721	179,343	14,783	2,126,856	182,578	972,489	79,674	810,941	67,623
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	7,095,715	882,134	7,230,511	945,975	19,012,045	2,389,015	24,886,180	2,983,620	26,843,612	3,445,062
Total.....	7,221,614	891,855	7,409,854	960,758	21,138,901	2,571,593	25,858,669	3,063,294	27,654,553	3,512,685
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		74,886		94,337		1,429,745		645,375		552,359
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		553,824		561,981		2,161,616		1,594,397		2,176,560
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		1,597,011		1,825,616		6,883,687		6,864,596		8,279,391
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc. (pounds).....	123,335	53,826	205,784	74,209	715,317	284,453	731,076	303,033	1,135,539	401,788
All other.....		376,448		339,838		3,602,846		2,573,063		2,562,456
Total manufactures.....		3,547,850		3,856,739		16,933,940		15,043,758		17,485,239
CLOTHS, ETC. (square yards), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5,429,458	644,072	5,571,972	715,174	15,072,195	1,761,347	20,605,235	2,347,030	21,395,855	2,698,931
France.....	827,836	107,178	719,780	95,590	2,342,026	305,567	2,335,530	309,919	2,169,298	304,680
Germany.....	791,579	120,063	651,676	93,217	1,695,892	263,224	2,093,274	301,467	2,695,634	342,787
Switzerland.....	145,880	15,867	369,394	48,716	1,971,100	236,424	697,173	91,203	1,127,769	142,085
Other Europe.....	18,209	3,473	27,805	4,087	20,996	2,504	60,818	8,061	161,919	17,167
Japan.....	7,933	540	8,080	711	32,900	1,907	58,134	4,509	38,836	3,173
Other countries.....	719	62	61,147	3,263	3,792	620	8,505	1,105	65,242	3,862
Total.....	7,221,614	891,855	7,409,854	960,758	21,138,901	2,571,593	25,858,669	3,063,294	27,654,553	3,512,685
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF COTTON, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		718,091		728,179		5,050,215		3,625,243		3,806,279
Belgium.....		29,772		29,359		253,581		202,489		170,900
France.....		438,650		436,168		1,598,483		1,790,653		2,045,924
Germany.....		924,311		853,610		3,554,229		3,300,832		4,629,386
Switzerland.....		527,491		830,821		3,782,847		2,978,502		3,198,293
Other Europe.....		8,929		7,068		39,652		45,305		52,925
China.....		2,103		2,282		17,042		18,998		20,716
Japan.....		4,017		3,103		41,985		18,248		14,128
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		1,051		3,292		17,848		12,606		15,912
Other countries.....		1,580		2,099		6,465		17,588		18,091
Total.....		2,655,995		2,895,981		14,362,347		11,980,464		13,972,554
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):										
CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, AND BISQUE—										
Not decorated or ornamented.....		57,715		59,885		683,258		454,252		552,401
Decorated or ornamented.....		354,552		323,125		4,887,266		3,628,294		4,029,472
All other.....		41,703		10,572		227,512		164,358		190,754
Total.....		453,970		393,582		5,798,036		4,246,904		4,772,627
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		170,506		162,997		2,083,897		1,479,900		1,579,958
Austria-Hungary.....		39,933		23,406		437,605		335,480		340,943
France.....		75,391		100,023		970,167		750,567		1,012,793

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable)—Continued.										
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Germany.....		121,044		83,825		1,864,000		1,368,644		1,513,038
Other Europe.....		12,504		5,661		78,064		70,269		97,524
Japan.....		20,584		14,133		314,226		210,622		191,830
Other countries.....		5,008		3,537		50,077		31,422		36,541
Total.....		453,970		303,582		5,798,036		4,246,904		4,772,627
Eggs (dozen).....dut.	20,279	922	51,623	6,198	501,301	43,885	110,499	5,430	105,235	9,159
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed.....free						1,009,028		145,448		
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut		93,758		64,312				1,151,590		875,522
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut		6,838		3,028		483,479		525,146		621,635
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial.....dut		418,240		307,806		1,122,166		1,399,972		969,391
Total.....		518,836		375,146		2,614,673		3,222,156		2,466,548
Fertilizers (free, tons):										
Guano.....	337	5,505	195	1,836	5,264	75,727	3,429	44,851	3,983	41,309
Phosphates, crude.....	781	4,026	20,791	90,758	6,465	33,911	4,904	35,819	81,203	366,500
All other.....		100,305		101,794		686,786		986,147		778,748
Total.....		109,836		191,428		790,424		1,066,817		1,186,557
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of, n. e. s.:										
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—										
Flax, and tow of.....free					2,908	462,763	1,779	245,012		
Flax.....dut	288	74,082	353	84,255	648	258,211	1,455	414,378	3,815	682,492
Hemp, and tow of.....free					2,315	283,050	299	43,729		
Hemp.....dut	562	76,704	407	50,430	8	2,586	1,602	218,346	1,967	245,759
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free	154	8,869	292	17,784	4,799	259,369	1,795	91,498	3,762	303,545
Jute and jute butts.....free	18,013	405,667	3,132	106,784	19,761	481,429	48,848	1,111,879	35,306	960,888
Manila.....free	1,824	118,445	5,662	679,924	18,242	1,384,637	25,639	1,621,402	27,545	3,107,879
Sisal grass.....free	5,353	308,237	7,598	779,779	34,320	2,108,533	39,269	2,337,949	41,991	5,238,737
All other.....free	295	18,488	443	21,052	3,193	258,305	5,431	361,757	3,541	220,059
Total unmanufactured.....	25,639	859,706	17,127	1,608,323	85,538	5,238,095	123,060	5,813,226	112,145	9,831,108
tured.....dut	850	150,786	760	134,685	656	260,797	3,057	632,724	5,782	928,251
Total.....	26,489	1,010,492	17,887	1,743,008	86,194	5,498,892	126,117	6,445,950	117,927	10,759,359
FLAX (free and dutiable, tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	174	50,954	137	37,867	925	287,338	1,445	371,839	886	258,201
Other Europe.....	114	23,128	178	41,207	2,021	361,972	1,442	244,884	2,662	385,401
British North America.....			38	5,181	594	70,647	347	42,667	267	38,890
Other countries.....					16	1,017				
Total.....	288	74,082	353	84,255	3,556	720,974	3,234	659,390	3,815	682,492
JUTE (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	365	13,674	140	11,310	821	53,591	1,113	55,278	2,758	142,523
East Indies.....	17,525	385,686	2,992	95,474	18,940	427,838	47,520	1,046,153	32,442	812,857
Other countries.....	123	6,307					215	10,448	106	5,568
Total.....	18,013	405,667	3,132	106,784	19,761	481,429	48,848	1,111,879	35,306	960,888
MANILA (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	467	36,966	2,808	430,075	5,650	519,369	1,154	94,889	9,708	1,507,129
Philippine Islands.....	1,353	81,202	2,735	230,281	12,401	850,585	24,440	1,523,094	16,069	1,378,042
Other countries.....	4	277	119	10,568	191	14,683	36	2,519	1,768	222,708
Total.....	1,824	118,445	5,662	679,924	18,242	1,384,637	25,639	1,621,402	27,545	3,107,879
SISAL GRASS (tons), imported from—										
Mexico.....	5,327	306,230	7,598	769,582	34,156	2,098,361	38,926	2,317,603	40,589	5,060,605
Other countries.....	26	2,007	90	10,197	164	10,172	343	20,346	1,402	178,132
Total.....	5,353	308,237	7,598	779,779	34,320	2,108,533	39,269	2,337,949	41,991	5,238,737

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. free.....						172, 472		24, 907		
Do.....dut.....		4, 543		2, 732				147, 318		397, 620
Bags for grain made of burlaps free.....						728, 328		320, 201		
Bags of jute.....dut.....		23, 620		37, 956				100, 161		278, 055
Burlaps.....free.....						3, 915, 896		489, 412		
Do.....dut.....		385, 818						2, 431, 357		
Cables, cordage, threads, and twine, n. e. s. (pounds).....dut.....	31, 166	7, 561	20, 512	4, 839	123, 645	11, 962	406, 524	49, 456	368, 517	46, 963
Coir yarn (pounds).....free.....	28, 774	1, 088	110, 780	4, 504	2, 210, 264	56, 894	778, 978	22, 541	928, 749	33, 621
Twine, binding (pounds).....free.....			1, 000	82	97, 800	4, 530	51, 660	3, 402	405, 417	31, 091
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut.....			41, 462	10, 120					151, 288	46, 348
Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn.....dut.....				517, 759						4, 472, 991
Handkerchiefs.....dut.....				80, 944						1, 123, 318
Oilcloths (square yards).....dut.....			35, 264	18, 555					164, 708	93, 883
Yarns (pounds).....dut.....	241, 560	34, 064	86, 493	27, 831	996, 249	273, 216	1, 172, 812	216, 999	980, 794	221, 354
All other.....dut.....		1, 568, 946		1, 177, 456		9, 448, 815		7, 408, 467		7, 367, 527
Total manufactures.....		2, 025, 640		1, 882, 778		14, 612, 113		11, 214, 241		14, 112, 711
Fish (pounds):										
FRESH—										
Lobsters, canned or uncanned.....free.....	476, 796	20, 294	387, 110	23, 522			1, 511, 415	188, 069	2, 533, 861	357, 303
Salmon.....free.....					921, 130	76, 760	160, 083	16, 379		
Do.....dut.....	20, 807	2, 165	10, 383	1, 161			233, 027	20, 803	517, 676	47, 725
All other.....free.....						985, 764		252, 771		
Do.....dut.....		131, 838		126, 001		98, 014		512, 259		540, 297
CURED OR PRESERVED—										
Anchovies and sardines, etc.....dut.....		61, 727		71, 403		653, 339		819, 452		845, 260
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....dut.....	1, 080, 955	33, 153	1, 739, 421	65, 049	10, 953, 374	341, 925	14, 132, 650	466, 129	9, 071, 247	337, 710
Herring—										
Dried or smoked.....dut.....	961, 893	21, 430	302, 533	7, 329	1, 683, 151	33, 704	4, 056, 091	74, 873	1, 739, 790	46, 297
Pickled or salted.....dut.....	2, 952, 450	110, 109	3, 462, 268	119, 407	20, 469, 452	746, 699	23, 409, 038	902, 894	26, 621, 584	962, 566
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....dut.....	1, 358, 241	88, 049	773, 422	52, 317	16, 577, 655	976, 289	12, 382, 641	752, 680	10, 080, 899	844, 689
Salmon, pickled or salted.....dut.....	8, 350	724	18, 450	1, 426	837, 834	57, 009	778, 835	55, 573	424, 783	32, 346
All other.....dut.....		20, 386		31, 810		252, 862		200, 896		228, 934
Total.....		469, 875		499, 425		4, 222, 365		4, 262, 778		4, 183, 127
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):										
FRUITS—										
Bananas.....free.....		174, 009		274, 724		1, 888, 876		2, 087, 200		2, 314, 763
Currants.....free.....					77, 191	3, 599				
Do.....dut.....	2, 452, 937	90, 074	1, 381, 844	38, 202	26, 911, 883	536, 686	20, 428, 511	652, 929	28, 432, 214	747, 575
Dates.....dut.....	2, 686, 720	65, 334	2, 375, 211	70, 589	11, 114, 731	266, 447	12, 716, 681	351, 767	10, 180, 204	271, 026
Figs.....dut.....	708, 632	28, 598	370, 711	11, 539	8, 579, 237	517, 883	8, 962, 904	484, 813	6, 989, 111	341, 536
Lemons.....dut.....		113, 325	9, 948, 146	195, 707		1, 958, 904		1, 382, 862		2, 033, 242
Oranges.....dut.....		80, 173	7, 672, 735	95, 332		1, 435, 664		672, 936		735, 280
Plums and prunes.....dut.....	39, 130	2, 944	74, 635	9, 413	607, 083	66, 172	204, 452	33, 147	549, 852	60, 266
Raisins.....dut.....	159, 711	9, 309	70, 350	4, 998	12, 093, 355	538, 751	6, 106, 835	359, 361	4, 809, 808	272, 635
Prepared or preserved fruits.....dut.....		58, 633		157, 417		485, 589		509, 389		591, 656
All other fruits.....free.....		18, 618		25, 581		430, 070		233, 848		243, 879
Do.....dut.....		10, 275		13, 511		619, 347		645, 270		640, 492
Total fruits.....		651, 292		897, 073		8, 747, 988		7, 413, 522		8, 252, 350

a Included in "Fabrics, plain, woven, etc.," since July, 1898.

b Included in "All other manufactures of fibers" prior to July, 1898.

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)— Continued.										
BANANAS, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....		4,653		4,100		50,526		46,865		39,961
Central American States.....		64,589		116,651		700,759		751,720		974,986
British West Indies.....		59,828		99,713		637,289		903,700		953,517
Cuba.....				382		141,790				648
South America.....		36,545		40,692		298,795		298,459		239,402
Hawaiian Islands.....		4,459		5,496		44,045		28,987		24,706
Other countries.....		3,935		7,750		15,672		57,469		81,543
Total.....		174,009		274,784		1,888,876		2,087,200		2,314,763
LEMONS (pounds) imported from—										
Italy.....		113,322	9,944,829	195,664		1,530,053		1,364,602		2,012,984
British North America.....		3		43		41,976		1,870		
Other countries.....			3,317			386,875		16,390		20,248
Total.....		113,325	9,948,146	195,707		1,958,904		1,382,862		2,033,242
ORANGES (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		7,537	1,791,390	16,959		208,813		18,061		41,525
Italy.....		2,690	181,890	2,523		129,401		155,884		63,968
Mexico.....		234	18,415	370		250,961		134,198		136,088
British West Indies.....		66,613	5,538,498	74,234		711,518		347,376		481,603
Cuba.....		46	6,122	87		7,353		1,991		468
Japan.....		2,187	74,845	659		11,119		9,110		4,609
Other countries.....		666	61,575	500		116,499		6,376		7,019
Total.....		80,173	7,672,735	95,332		1,435,664		672,936		735,280
NUTS:										
Almonds.....dut..	193,266	24,520	286,158	49,299		584,572	3,676,452	434,679	7,651,379	867,354
Cocoanuts.....free..		40,922		32,022				330,868		393,665
Do.....dut..						298,028		21,874		
All other.....dut..		32,906		37,101		663,186		726,098		609,660
Total fruits and nuts.....		749,640		1,015,495		10,293,774		8,927,041		10,123,029
FURS:										
Furs and fur skins, undressed										
free.....		270,253		321,103		1,284,713		2,013,308		2,489,301
Furs, and manufactures of...dut..		240,771		221,308		1,787,274		2,133,419		2,575,971
FURS AND FUR SKINS, ETC., im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....		103,540		80,235		300,156		544,557		584,711
France.....		33,014		54,263		181,376		221,896		367,561
Germany.....		56,036		80,441		343,141		634,822		775,943
Other Europe.....		20,934		9,777		30,796		115,381		148,605
British North America.....		37,204		62,656		110,454		143,513		202,859
South America.....		1,154				16,066		31,973		63,978
Japan.....						933		15		24
Other countries.....		18,371		33,731		202,791		321,151		345,620
Total.....		270,253		321,103		1,284,713		2,013,308		2,489,301
FURS, AND MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		127,581		36,788		623,527		685,376		668,393
Belgium.....		15,074		16,043		93,780		129,450		215,061
France.....		67,313		61,839		629,157		748,684		899,117
Germany.....		27,743		28,003		405,221		473,548		531,840
Other Europe.....		99		5,568		5,571		8,309		25,775
China.....		1,729		58,023		13,052		74,781		210,526
Other countries.....		1,232		5,042		16,966		13,271		25,259
Total.....		240,771		221,308		1,787,274		2,133,419		2,575,971
Ginger ale or ginger beer (dozen pints).....dut..	5,273	3,953	18,684	13,857			58,456	41,853	180,601	131,509

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware (dutiable):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bottles, etc., empty or filled		25,429		27,052		275,362		187,159		195,942
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished, pounds.....	3,943,905	95,836	3,175,469	87,029	31,111,297	646,006	22,319,611	511,462	29,546,098	758,098
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—										
Unsilvered.....	378,386	74,003	210,833	41,488	531,047	135,710	1,353,476	285,502	1,745,303	343,189
Silvered.....			711	357	1,269,578	397,371	240,441	66,081	826	533
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—										
Fluted, rolled, or rough.....	20,484	1,957			233,938	10,178	103,610	6,295	152,837	6,379
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	56,024	13,910	81,250	19,682	694,442	180,545	523,908	127,965	454,618	112,681
Cast, polished, silvered.....	20	15	19	33	27,406	10,610	131	243	197	140
All other.....		101,859		98,063		1,435,553		984,165		1,142,105
Total.....		313,000		273,704		3,091,335		2,168,872		2,559,067
GLASS, CYLINDER, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	398,478	21,606	348,533	16,693	2,119,847	102,476	1,279,674	67,640	2,176,705	111,100
Belgium.....	3,539,016	72,315	2,821,021	69,295	28,610,574	521,911	20,865,886	425,081	27,060,643	621,598
France.....	128	31	1,323	168	174,484	7,819	77,494	2,900	82,297	2,991
Germany.....	5,465	1,854	3,436	775	175,531	12,789	73,736	15,065	170,698	20,801
Other Europe.....					2,250	77	200	11	23,036	354
Other countries.....	818	30	1,156	98	28,611	934	22,621	765	32,719	1,254
Total.....	3,943,905	95,836	3,175,469	87,029	31,111,297	646,006	22,319,611	511,462	29,546,098	758,098
Glue (pounds).....dut.	282,153	32,757	420,657	43,902			1,915,985	205,012	2,523,008	263,186
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free.		34,566		53,699		460,006		268,034		236,752
Grease, n. e. s.....dut.		15,518		21,156				62,907		150,539
Hair:										
Unmanufactured.....free.		180,276		130,933		693,904		1,260,661		980,288
Manufactures of.....dut.		21,362		6,766		402,369		170,501		89,681
Total.....		201,638		137,699		1,096,273		1,431,162		1,069,969
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc.....free.						1,039,424		36,308		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.		107,950		82,504				262,164		298,171
Materials for.....dut.		206,307		220,677				918,685		918,749
Total.....		314,257		303,181		1,039,424		1,217,157		1,216,920
Hay (tons).....dut.	86	784	386	1,856	68,510	606,274	2,983	25,547	1,380	7,594
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):										
Goatskins.....free..	5,164,711	1,256,646	3,029,584	1,045,931	24,961,108	5,604,961	34,669,876	8,244,753	33,757,832	9,111,867
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free..	3,644,302	526,199	3,650,496	581,119	68,655,654	7,020,883	30,806,389	4,038,267	33,964,197	5,170,395
Hides of cattle.....dut.	11,562,710	1,162,462	9,846,329	1,008,841			62,253,953	6,306,014	68,084,429	6,834,797
Total.....	20,371,723	2,945,307	17,126,409	2,635,891	93,616,762	12,625,844	127,730,218	18,589,034	135,806,458	21,117,059
HIDES AND SKINS (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	2,861,874	359,989	2,713,960	352,363	14,617,611	2,006,279	23,380,685	2,793,900	28,647,628	3,523,947
France.....	2,245,129	373,682	1,802,308	374,210	3,607,493	743,668	11,021,107	2,019,114	10,782,122	1,991,159
Germany.....	1,408,969	182,072	1,631,729	203,956	2,964,154	555,281	6,061,089	1,232,119	8,309,287	1,331,289
Other Europe.....	2,064,681	323,065	2,341,727	337,886	6,470,020	1,018,956	9,975,799	1,769,164	13,534,413	2,033,284
British North America.....	1,276,884	100,654	1,459,791	119,470	11,855,467	893,466	8,121,213	605,111	7,444,993	629,532
Central American States.....	138,270	13,748	119,973	17,395	1,133,816	149,341	1,057,875	114,484	1,387,505	160,933
Mexico.....	1,499,046	264,424	1,262,857	240,825	6,257,167	772,305	7,690,641	934,171	6,494,887	983,114
West Indies.....	311,160	27,216	186,787	22,929	4,130,418	339,654	3,709,137	340,529	1,639,004	236,706
South America.....	5,246,440	823,423	4,091,876	681,963	27,342,685	4,093,916	31,407,748	4,874,792	31,381,019	5,348,534
East Indies.....	1,433,518	218,835	479,112	85,582	6,846,045	911,006	11,411,922	1,767,510	12,322,498	2,261,494
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	997,077	143,895	604,761	125,918	6,377,635	956,171	4,945,005	860,262	10,246,210	1,908,120
Africa.....	700,374	106,219	431,240	73,549	2,014,251	275,781	3,723,332	598,852	3,616,504	708,922
Other countries.....	88,301	8,085	288	25			5,224,665	679,026	288	25
Total.....	20,371,723	2,945,307	17,126,409	2,635,891	93,616,762	12,625,844	127,730,218	18,589,034	135,806,458	21,117,059

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Hops (pounds).....dut..	333,246	101,815	245,039	109,870	2,059,919	420,948	1,774,569	466,728	1,038,106	422,718
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		119,205		1,263,559		1,367,364		1,190,919		2,227,490
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, lbs.)—										
Gutta-percha.....	5,381	3,589	25,442	9,510	768,791	42,259	480,697	103,381	231,550	81,941
India rubber.....	4,528,485	2,401,376	5,998,178	3,808,031	18,283,156	8,726,309	26,529,085	14,014,927	26,181,151	15,972,696
Total unmanufactured...	4,533,866	2,404,965	6,023,620	3,817,541	19,051,947	8,769,568	27,009,782	14,118,308	26,412,701	16,054,637
INDIA RUBBER, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	734,421	379,991	1,011,281	649,772	3,344,972	1,532,243	4,344,091	2,659,552	6,472,705	4,159,820
Germany.....	92,143	44,743	154,388	100,099	576,370	209,451	921,131	352,197	1,008,214	527,372
Other Europe.....	272,221	144,046	895,336	609,294	1,379,754	652,755	2,791,451	1,470,981	3,257,163	2,298,372
Central America.....	171,482	73,263	216,075	124,504	650,685	273,755	610,083	253,484	887,535	473,457
Mexico.....	9,560	3,701	19,201	6,963	51,955	16,273	57,552	17,623	122,441	48,483
West Indies.....	3,368	592			44,346	14,216	5,743	1,459	27,235	8,190
Brazil.....	3,090,945	1,696,029	3,477,075	2,218,189	11,198,030	5,664,073	16,597,426	8,826,546	12,700,741	7,724,556
Other South America.....	152,649	58,342	188,570	86,239	774,767	302,933	966,984	377,887	1,168,586	554,485
East Indies.....			36,252	12,971	253,758	57,694	220,985	50,635	511,561	165,513
Africa.....					1,394	555	6,200	1,860	2,523	869
Other countries.....	1,696	669			7,125	2,361	7,439	2,703	22,387	11,579
Total.....	4,528,485	2,401,376	5,998,178	3,808,031	18,283,156	8,726,309	26,529,085	14,014,927	26,181,151	15,972,696
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gutta-percha.....		8,591		12,632		44,205		91,080		63,866
India rubber.....		17,754		23,026		148,969		165,222		198,308
Total manufactures.....		26,345		37,658		193,174		256,302		262,204
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore (tons).....dut..	22,151	30,708	26,221	35,592	316,009	448,711	243,651	322,525	82,474	112,868
Pig iron (tons).....dut..	1,723	44,267	2,795	80,900	17,233	363,616	13,418	346,810	13,985	411,389
Scrap iron and steel, etc. (tons).....dut..	209	2,709	1,288	27,220	3,227	70,384	1,171	8,602	2,531	51,512
Bar iron (pounds).....dut..	4,595,274	86,098	4,061,773	78,775	22,667,892	443,501	23,420,303	461,056	31,717,119	617,667
Bars, railway, of iron or steel (tons).....dut..	140	3,479			7,755	207,661	479	17,420	10	298
Hoop, band, or scroll (pounds).....dut..					5,584	1,930	61,916	2,873		
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. (pounds).....dut..	2,993,523	107,395	2,764,244	110,495	21,256,995	831,520	20,586,234	775,815	13,404,482	585,220
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel (pounds).....dut..	431,163	16,066	107,142	6,948	7,146,776	156,470	3,393,084	106,213	2,254,450	94,714
Ties for baling cotton (pounds).....free.....					16,265,142	239,490				
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin (pounds).....dut..	21,856,511	475,930	4,778,417	109,741	133,578,402	3,043,157	94,850,715	2,121,887	55,686,801	1,258,208
Wire rods (pounds).....dut..	3,149,490	65,653	2,486,446	52,638	20,874,200	415,200	23,896,216	497,561	18,938,992	407,614
Wire, and articles made from (pounds).....dut..	521,273	39,812	549,147	31,258	4,171,047	246,561	3,444,226	210,658	2,671,668	171,833
MANUFACTURES—										
Anvils (pounds).....dut..	89,478	5,000	23,833	1,610	448,008	26,638	421,571	24,962	269,236	16,941
Chains (pounds).....dut..	9,508	626	54,369	2,794	319,195	25,707	117,218	7,776	248,815	14,482
Cutlery.....dut..		83,600		117,086		1,021,368		510,519		659,485
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut..		5,064		917		28,450		21,436		22,437
Firearms.....dut..		13,099		39,374		398,934		260,456		489,561
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free.....		27,575		35,095		156,685		191,790		216,131
Machinery.....dut..		196,557		114,539		789,657		1,010,866		986,510

a Included in "All other articles" prior to July, 1898.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Shotgun barrels, in single tubes, forged, rough bored . . . free		4,222		9,449		13,219		22,692		70,925
All other dut		93,850		88,684		834,777		643,905		625,460
Total, not including ore		1,271,002		907,523		9,340,925		7,246,297		6,730,357
TEN PLATES, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	21,853,663	475,773	4,777,254	109,660	133,448,150	3,039,829	94,549,469	2,113,463	55,626,124	1,255,241
British North America	2,848	157	1,163	81	129,974	3,312	291,656	8,084	60,677	2,967
Other countries					278	16	9,590	340		
Total	21,856,511	475,930	4,778,417	109,741	133,578,402	3,043,157	94,850,715	2,121,887	55,686,801	1,258,208
Ivory (free, pounds):										
Animal	253	743	4,114	11,003	53,246	154,747	94,568	204,607	151,418	322,547
Vegetable	1,073,035	11,998	391,553	4,341	2,212,047	22,798	9,900,967	101,994	5,162,628	53,109
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:										
Diamonds, uncut, including miners, etc., not set . . . free		608,028		1,693		29,267		2,000,111		1,398,495
Diamonds, cut, but not set . . . dut		503,498		864,346		1,633,383		3,372,633		5,035,552
Other precious stones, rough or uncut free		3,017		7,513				11,669		20,961
Other precious stones, cut, but not set dut		66,931		71,616		408,904		1,509,750		1,179,973
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver dut		68,416		229,410		569,756		721,298		1,495,661
Total		1,249,890		1,174,578		2,641,310		7,615,470		9,130,642
PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom		378,824		7,654		5,018		945,911		722,405
France		483		302		1,062		98,534		43,020
Netherlands		226,388				450		899,277		647,399
Other Europe		4,600				21,937		64,576		3,932
Brazil		20				797		1,303		
Other countries		730		1,250		3		2,179		2,700
Total		611,045		9,206		29,267		2,011,780		1,419,456
JEWELRY, AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		166,759		180,225		899,221		1,464,234		2,097,894
France		205,043		263,361		700,752		1,661,050		2,430,567
Germany		24,370		60,600		201,661		336,909		522,994
Netherlands		180,474		609,619		424,952		1,659,606		2,141,064
Other Europe		69,736		50,610		371,978		382,591		494,997
British North America		685		509		3,011		91,135		1,919
Mexico		353		358		1,757		4,256		2,585
East Indies						2,230		878		7,122
Other countries		425		90		6,481		3,031		12,334
Total		638,845		1,165,372		2,612,043		5,603,690		7,711,186
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):										
Lead in ore, etc.	18,599,367	249,603	24,026,320	305,279			114,371,244	1,621,873	117,458,420	1,677,835
Pigs, bars, and old	222,939	3,951	159	2			2,764,291	68,279	102,482	2,887
Pigs, bars, old, and other in ore					97,248,094	1,067,028				
Manufactures of		428		554		2,464		3,171		7,376
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom					3,036,831	15,269	388,072	11,064	2,070,527	50,277
Germany							336,053	8,944		
Other Europe					222,080	4,222	1,120,528	28,938		
British North America	4,091,065	86,453	2,333,847	65,074	10,014,294	197,544	30,230,151	664,807	21,458,379	499,408

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Lead, and manufactures of (duti- able, pounds)—Continued.										
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC.—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	14,802,348	165,233	22,535,779	239,481	82,779,496	835,316	84,853,246	974,135	94,780,006	1,127,554
Other countries.....	18,913	1,868	56,853	726	1,195,303	14,677	209,485	2,264	251,999	3,473
Total.....	18,822,326	253,554	24,926,479	305,281	97,248,004	1,067,028	117,135,535	1,600,152	117,560,908	1,680,712
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER (dutiabie)—										
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		27,896		3,784		91,676		101,959		27,911
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		10,174		17,086		48,826		80,655		189,233
Skins for morocco.....		135,919		104,496		2,055,508		1,997,011		1,336,473
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		142,142		172,550		1,148,910		1,149,272		1,368,091
Total leather.....		316,131		297,916		3,344,920		3,328,897		2,921,708
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiabie)—										
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		370,739		366,847		3,215,195		3,152,409		3,447,516
All other.....		22,611		27,015		256,930		247,458		274,527
Total manufactures.....		393,350		393,862		3,472,125		3,399,867		3,722,043
GLOVES, imported from—										
Belgium.....		18,634		32,621		154,655		185,627		163,315
France.....		114,437		132,327		1,101,541		897,957		1,304,501
Germany.....		172,974		153,158		1,317,431		1,553,234		1,484,425
Other Europe.....		64,636		48,614		641,434		515,352		494,688
Other countries.....		38		127		134		239		587
Total.....		370,739		366,847		3,215,195		3,152,409		3,447,516
Malt, barley (bushels).....dut.			800	650	8,099	6,798	2,769	2,630	3,463	3,118
Malt liquors (dutiabie, gallons):										
In bottles or jugs.....	66,590	62,156	43,422	42,451	490,904	478,333	418,974	390,824	509,125	507,031
In other coverings.....	146,325	41,914	194,903	61,103	1,099,981	306,325	1,001,652	275,372	1,068,497	325,230
Total.....	212,915	104,070	238,325	103,554	1,590,885	784,658	1,420,626	666,196	1,577,622	832,261
Manganese, ore and oxide of (tons)										
.....free..	2,085	19,202	13,567	94,851			41,659	360,147	70,706	495,453
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiabie):										
Marble, and manufactures of.....		52,743		45,233		384,927		383,225		412,605
Stone, and manufactures of, in- cluding slate.....		14,447		12,617		210,866		150,176		128,752
Total.....		67,190		57,850		595,793		533,401		541,357
Matting for floors (rolls).....free..					361,313	1,145,870	20,804	61,899		
Matting and mats for floors, etc. (square yards).....dut..	1,040,264	90,392	5,749,846	343,612			1,865,191	164,682	13,340,765	891,383
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (dutiabie):										
Bronze manufactures.....		47,804		52,241		279,268		293,408		326,378
All other.....		271,514		230,917		2,038,645		2,021,656		2,119,493
Total.....		319,318		283,158		2,317,913		2,315,064		2,445,871
Musical instruments, and parts of.....dut..		62,339		80,347		670,821		540,949		634,466
Oils (gallons):										
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—										
Whale and fish.....dut..	105,458	30,606	74,952	24,008	98,427	120,238	576,128	178,686	450,301	161,066
Other.....dut..	75	45	3	10	6,811	1,245	13,059	3,053	1,194	2,254
Mineral.....free..	169,755	10,093	105,833	6,456	2,318	2,243	788,030	55,625	1,367,218	98,798
Do.....dut..					39,124	4,146	11,710	1,811	4,704	348
VEGETABLE—										
Fixed or expressed.....free..		106,374		94,815		976,646		1,113,493		864,726
Do.....dut..		40,514		58,464		341,739		278,508		347,309
Olive.....dut..	66,087	90,895	76,212	90,575	437,529	507,668	405,858	500,197	464,058	565,520

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils (gallons)—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
Volatile, or essential, and dis-		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
tilled.....free.....		84,089		163,516		660,672		556,635		696,984
Do.....dut.....		35,476		28,110		126,359		201,217		165,388
Total.....		398,092		467,984		2,740,956		2,880,225		2,902,393
Paints, pigments, and colors...free..						52,959		8,470		
Do.....dut.....		89,461		82,893		596,190		576,765		654,546
Paper stock, crude (free) (see also										
Wood pulp):										
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs..	2,861,313	51,567	3,059,321	46,587	25,153,112	330,537	28,690,521	418,033	31,950,504	455,260
All other.....		169,832		147,594		1,273,323		1,259,960		1,144,048
Total.....		221,399		194,181		1,603,860		1,677,993		1,599,308
PAPER STOCK, crude, imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....		71,860		71,380		611,569		593,952		587,933
Belgium.....		19,125		18,588		161,858		169,387		168,658
France.....		19,178		13,591		108,273		112,452		109,016
Germany.....		41,003		41,098		231,378		321,851		381,813
Italy.....		34,631		33,341		107,178		145,040		155,888
Other Europe.....		10,462		6,015		62,617		90,437		71,563
British North America.....		4,960		6,984		297,433		172,789		44,210
East Indies.....		659				5,657		7,173		9,051
Japan.....		19,358				12,415		41,464		36,299
Other countries.....		163		3,184		5,482		18,448		34,877
Total.....		221,399		194,181		1,603,860		1,677,993		1,599,308
Paper, and manufactures of (duti-										
able):										
Lithographic labels and prints,				56,059						524,559
n. e. s.....				1,126						30,336
Parchment papers.....lbs..			17,069						404,364	
All other.....		217,803		166,316		1,733,675		1,665,299		1,299,325
Total.....		217,803		223,501		1,733,675		1,665,299		1,854,220
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		40,938		42,395		322,057		291,639		465,675
Belgium.....		4,482		3,538		38,685		31,560		27,232
France.....		19,926		13,777		107,811		130,858		136,542
Germany.....		125,084		136,711		1,101,957		1,055,204		1,051,379
Other Europe.....		3,846		4,916		30,147		29,621		46,071
Japan.....		22,440		18,097		116,987		105,465		103,503
Other countries.....		1,087		4,067		16,031		20,952		23,618
Total.....		217,803		223,501		1,733,675		1,665,299		1,854,220
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....dut..		28,279		38,531		337,020		258,536		300,971
Pipes and smokers' articles.....dut..		19,538		18,897		199,895		131,140		147,717
Plants, shrubs, and vines.....dut..				35,702						660,348
Platinum.....free.....lbs..	374	64,813	641	142,790	3,636	586,709	2,715	462,594	3,906	686,521
Plumbago.....free.....tons..	640	31,454	829	50,578	9,413	237,074	5,208	187,539	7,694	478,082
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products (dutyable):										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
Meat and meat extracts.....		16,011		25,755		294,542		276,600		117,096
All other.....		6,261		6,346		40,891		45,038		74,841
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
Butter.....lbs..	1,586	271	2,871	535	25,178	4,079	24,442	4,073	17,687	2,918
Cheese.....lbs..	692,111	98,236	594,585	84,284	7,357,272	996,148	6,019,847	797,586	6,800,208	897,656
Milk.....		6,975		394		39,334		38,861		24,755
Total.....		127,754		117,314		1,374,994		1,162,158		1,117,266

a Included in "All other manufactures of paper" prior to July, 1898.

b Included in "All other articles" prior to July, 1898.

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, etc.—Cont'd.										
CHEESE (pounds) imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	28,480	3,879	13,164	1,774	60,904	11,650	111,171	16,976	99,418	16,007
France.....	122,072	19,683	135,276	26,431	622,004	101,259	565,159	90,030	616,879	109,886
Germany.....	21,912	3,033	14,897	1,653	231,966	29,158	207,532	26,919	211,844	26,873
Italy.....	155,436	20,988	239,578	37,838	2,141,197	313,417	1,832,048	245,952	2,271,468	284,475
Netherlands.....	61,788	7,473	81,791	8,269	659,872	72,350	673,848	74,046	778,458	80,518
Switzerland.....	270,981	39,063	25,754	3,792	3,386,003	434,244	2,469,896	323,672	2,597,519	350,192
Other Europe.....	29,974	3,954	30,246	3,936	230,035	26,913	145,465	17,896	201,432	23,236
British North America.....	1,275	204	3,686	570	10,328	2,523	10,421	1,582	21,506	5,404
Other countries.....	187	10	193	21	5,063	634	4,337	513	1,684	465
Total.....	662,111	98,236	594,585	84,284	7,357,272	996,148	6,019,847	797,586	6,800,208	897,656
Rice (pounds):										
Rice.....dut..	7,993,592	150,074	12,244,720	255,764	49,316,981	960,862	38,972,630	758,642	53,309,812	1,181,839
Rice, free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands..	392,000	17,867	334,500	18,575	3,771,000	147,936	3,723,100	160,545	2,341,000	125,693
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....dut..	6,961,076	100,896	3,157,552	50,794	31,292,527	473,369	38,210,017	614,129	31,669,279	489,142
Total.....	15,349,668	277,837	15,806,772	325,132	87,380,508	1,522,827	80,905,747	1,533,316	87,320,091	1,796,674
Salt (pounds).....free..					320,617,658	417,642	26,053,890	34,168		
Do.....dut..	32,884,702	54,675	27,056,023	49,978	7,154,137	9,612	162,035,605	252,278	214,316,940	345,036
Sausage casings.....free..		79,833		22,609				279,839		294,798
Seeds (bushels):										
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut..	29,170	30,649	60	57	56,428	55,748	60,029	73,930	45,983	36,624
Seeds, n. e. s.....free..		124,541		107,657		495,370		445,422		382,197
Do.....dut..		63,611		67,381		319,217		270,138		238,317
Total.....		221,801		175,095		870,335		789,490		657,138
Shells, unmanufactured.....free..		42,435		42,679				570,773		582,068
Silk, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—										
Cocoons.....			9,419	1,595			2,610	690	13,503	2,272
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	896,400	2,863,222	1,108,814	3,486,934	3,137,486	9,171,589	7,008,450	20,834,324	5,345,326	16,591,042
Waste.....	176,725	52,613	159,874	78,740	596,506	167,510	1,212,162	429,556	912,376	391,613
Total unmanufactured.....		2,915,835		3,567,269		9,339,099		21,264,570		16,984,927
SILK, RAW (pounds), imported from—										
France.....	24,669	92,727	33,621	130,080	97,400	306,236	179,688	628,361	175,323	648,453
Italy.....	104,168	383,615	194,833	756,012	436,362	1,524,887	902,126	3,143,323	1,154,489	4,399,143
China.....	8,833	22,402	197,341	482,433	607,967	1,507,685	1,800,507	4,397,312	1,322,157	3,106,905
Japan.....	562,685	1,805,847	615,568	1,930,131	1,832,620	5,417,947	3,928,329	12,100,989	2,596,050	8,220,211
Other countries.....	196,045	558,631	67,446	188,278	163,137	414,834	197,800	564,339	97,307	216,330
Total.....	896,400	2,863,222	1,108,814	3,486,934	3,137,486	9,171,589	7,008,450	20,834,324	5,345,326	16,591,042
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Clothing, ready-made, and other wearing apparel.....		134,511		112,549		1,152,148		1,162,461		876,928
Dress and piece goods.....		1,263,506		1,396,495		3,583,966		5,007,061		7,234,354
Laces and embroideries.....		542,751		432,134		1,114,976		1,801,020		1,600,643
Ribbons.....		323,473		267,642		520,853		1,217,707		1,076,658
Spun silks, in skeins, cops, warps, or on beams.....lbs..			129,000	153,399					939,892	1,038,694
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs..			33,474	110,692					95,444	1,032,775
All other.....		451,282		157,582		5,555,505		3,479,011		1,425,842
Total manufactures.....		2,715,523		2,630,403		11,924,448		12,667,260		11,345,894

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Silk, and manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....		183,193		183,353		1,047,282		1,051,701		1,799,556
Austria-Hungary.....		10,213		15,019		83,174		67,325		109,407
Belgium.....		2,492		7,980		14,968		20,174		30,798
France.....		1,326,158		1,275,257		5,166,724		5,998,124		5,781,129
Germany.....		461,257		409,171		2,702,644		2,532,418		2,643,426
Italy.....		25,833		25,486		175,199		215,937		225,701
Switzerland.....		423,570		388,288		1,463,845		1,830,910		2,100,151
Other Europe.....		3,974		3,376		15,634		27,597		26,661
China.....		9,797		14,321		162,260		78,439		92,710
Japan.....		264,269		299,773		1,097,407		816,516		1,497,180
Other countries.....		3,767		8,419		55,311		28,119		39,175
Total.....		2,715,523		2,630,403		11,924,448		12,667,260		14,345,894
Soap (dutyable):										
Fancy, perfumed, etc..... lbs.	46,707	17,348	37,627	14,562	489,795	155,151	279,168	129,517	427,450	176,336
All other.....		24,783		15,281		200,438		136,695		131,849
Total.....		42,131		29,843		355,589		266,212		308,185
Spices:										
UNGROUND (pounds)—										
Nutmegs..... free..	62,449	17,148	107,610	22,979	834,092	230,567	820,212	233,421	850,778	210,683
Pepper, black or white.... free..	519,980	30,904	225,918	26,992	7,377,503	328,663	8,633,901	474,802	6,239,025	527,975
All other..... free..	562,199	25,155	887,960	53,157	10,138,500	495,823	8,312,906	546,062	8,087,466	594,911
Do..... dut..	246,620	20,720	391,019	21,378	1,217,703	157,959	1,563,534	146,613	2,221,573	188,319
Total.....		103,927		124,566		1,213,012		1,400,898		1,521,688
NUTMEGS, PEPPER, ETC. (free, pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	187,240	12,212	264,280	24,316	3,293,600	169,026	4,569,448	282,118	2,308,524	195,669
Netherlands.....	80,305	8,924	59,304	12,361	2,329,789	170,996	1,002,641	130,841	501,152	77,384
Other Europe.....					118,359	5,957	211,087	11,066	74,360	6,645
British North America.....					10,225	1,860	2,500	162	100	29
British West Indies.....	116,292	9,948	199,842	17,752	2,488,648	99,777	1,331,518	80,883	2,388,506	167,491
China.....	120,868	5,136	378,459	19,868	1,941,027	88,833	1,502,320	96,366	1,471,182	90,754
East Indies.....	469,045	39,417	126,192	20,126	6,730,628	442,678	7,370,109	562,539	6,606,927	656,598
Other Asia and Oceania.....	39,069	2,432	133,733	7,675	543,884	46,901	219,489	35,450	1,050,482	91,167
Africa.....	114,400	4,817	34,800	830	885,900	28,956	1,493,617	53,065	748,483	46,763
Other countries.....	5,869	321	4,878	200	2,945	69	42,690	1,195	27,493	1,069
Total.....	1,144,628	83,207	1,221,488	103,128	18,359,095	1,055,053	17,776,019	1,254,285	15,177,269	1,333,569
SPICES, ALL OTHER (dutyable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		12,627		9,264		121,016		93,759		125,865
Other Europe.....		2,801		3,030		10,986		19,846		20,462
Mexico.....		1,722		663		21,765		20,639		29,561
Other countries.....		3,570		8,421		4,192		12,369		12,490
Total.....		20,720		21,378		157,959		146,613		188,319
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax)..... free..	69,379	57,082	82,312	71,373	611,962	567,024	549,359	474,310	517,895	425,923
Brandy..... dut..	11,839	29,946	17,296	45,652	129,482	353,427	71,487	291,495	123,163	355,108
All other..... dut..	90,664	86,420	89,106	133,651	792,063	844,776	399,076	565,646	693,243	866,765
Total.....	141,873	173,448	188,714	250,676	1,447,507	1,765,227	1,010,922	1,181,361	1,334,211	1,687,636
SPIRITS (not of domestic manufacture, proof gallons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	28,013	42,311	39,881	61,711	285,872	373,055	180,448	260,263	336,143	472,745
Belgium.....	2,807	3,808	4,670	5,753	16,184	16,186	17,396	21,049	14,953	22,860
France.....	14,332	38,111	29,497	57,456	148,624	415,482	84,453	242,179	152,176	428,282
Germany.....	3,767	2,157	2,407	2,548	46,022	40,342	22,855	14,062	40,095	26,006
Italy.....	259	509	1,388	2,888	11,895	18,775	2,350	4,100	10,003	17,613
Netherlands.....	8,306	3,953	11,833	6,718	113,360	55,443	53,451	28,022	67,215	48,150
Other Europe.....	490	1,197	5,627	9,313	12,308	21,131	3,252	5,573	16,847	26,309
British North America.....	9,431	18,349	12,912	28,483	99,893	191,429	48,858	84,651	78,835	153,898

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons)— Continued.										
SPIRITS (not of domestic manu- facture, etc.)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
West Indies	1,165	4,679	736	1,655	19,436	40,561	13,013	37,999	12,571	36,645
China	1,555	448	3,403	1,282	48,788	10,870	18,619	4,013	50,096	15,067
Other Asia and Oceania	2,140	691	3,308	1,470	28,000	11,137	14,983	3,804	15,540	9,416
Other countries	229	153	340	226	2,163	3,792	1,885	1,331	1,932	2,722
Total	72,503	116,366	106,402	179,503	832,545	1,198,203	461,563	707,051	816,406	1,261,713
Sponges		30,769		48,846		251,185		216,457		193,753
Straw and grass, manufactures of				21,671						143,742
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:										
Molasses (gallons)	free		7,450	149	206,123	13,397	49,275	2,346	15,300	542
Molasses (gallons)	dut	374	90	17,498	3,391	1,012,582	165,792	542,153	73,262	3,106,838
SUGAR (pounds):										
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard, in color—										
Beet	dut	220	4	111,681,059	2,383,932	584,745,573	11,225,359	17,309,577	331,344	407,330,261
Cane	free	18,043,839	656,511	24,629,072	922,527	189,186,773	6,171,657	263,964,612	8,034,597	211,919,431
Cane and other	dut	127,090,240	2,508,432	159,251,627	3,390,615	1,018,975,056	20,446,985	651,724,734	11,978,721	1,224,893,363
Above No. 16 Dutch standard	dut	6,269,324	155,526	2,351,041	60,635	81,132,923	2,104,709	66,270,977	1,589,574	38,975,316
Total sugar	free	18,043,839	656,511	24,629,072	922,527	189,186,773	6,171,657	263,964,612	8,034,597	211,919,431
.....	dut	133,359,784	2,663,962	273,283,727	5,835,182	1,684,853,552	33,777,053	735,305,288	13,899,639	1,671,198,940
Total		151,403,623	3,320,473	297,912,799	6,757,709	1,874,040,325	39,948,710	999,269,900	21,934,236	1,883,118,371
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom		3,907,477	93,203	5,612,141	143,758	20,157,292	379,112	6,733,165	152,934	10,630,981
Austria-Hungary				11,353,580	225,233	24,591,917	460,239	715,500	17,639	12,211,390
Belgium						24,465,315	452,810			
Germany			100,327,002	2,158,690	519,457,980	10,013,007	15,214,489	278,854	494,056,333	8,152,109
Netherlands					2,320,274	45,735	2,177,883	54,642		
Other Europe									1,996,400	41,070
British North America					627,160	50,565	309,622	11,306	27,803	1,260
Central America			752,004	16,032					1,748,393	38,705
Mexico		182,233	3,135	82,986	1,763	697,515	10,749	436,959	7,076	459,821
West Indies:										
British		2,183,139	46,261	1,431,532	33,782	94,513,421	1,720,498	42,920,213	782,278	75,517,884
Cuba		24,722,358	596,476	7,919,757	180,490	60,589,876	1,200,631	28,949,956	681,545	157,048,441
Other West Indies		7,342,677	142,218	7,813,382	167,263	108,333,000	2,201,816	27,142,688	559,664	48,110,192
Brazil		28,951,658	441,443	4,095,099	81,525	63,861,573	965,904	38,312,347	456,517	11,016,384
Other South America		38,311,120	851,011	32,173,663	783,870	152,826,103	3,102,028	110,255,098	2,151,278	156,795,326
China		87,587	1,403	75,450	993	177,162	3,889	219,219	3,435	145,230
East Indies		15,454,269	263,005	84,196,980	1,706,261	467,363,569	9,948,110	376,579,185	6,959,120	564,710,606
Hawaiian Islands		18,043,839	656,511	24,629,072	922,527	189,186,773	6,171,653	263,964,612	8,004,240	207,419,431
Philippine Islands		5,936,000	70,063	7,306,880	110,575	56,050,540	874,725	18,536,000	223,591	51,625,280
Other Asia and Oceania		11,942	218	10,931	210	10,744	95,879	20,899	387	3,385,773
Africa				7,781,299	164,102	7,676,896	146,641			47,237,387
Other countries						292	10	11,083	156	
Total		145,134,299	3,164,947	295,561,758	6,697,074	1,792,907,402	37,844,001	932,998,923	20,344,662	1,844,143,055
Above No. 16 Dutch standard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom		56,000	1,680			11,363,109	284,415	4,543,529	110,752	1,585,307
Austria-Hungary				67,110	2,029	5,123,338	119,380	36,837	1,238	567,210
France				3,306	194	11,297	535	1,843	52	15,144
Germany		2,248,490	54,431	68,676	2,105	32,004,435	784,148	17,695,201	419,427	11,740,263
Netherlands		2,600,000	66,732			24,807,130	686,437	29,181,497	715,380	6,584,734
China		1,335,806	32,026	38,946	1,032	6,638,180	194,209	3,759,123	93,207	3,984,647
Other countries		29,028	657	2,173,003	55,275	1,185,434	35,585	11,052,947	249,518	14,498,011
Total		6,269,324	155,526	2,351,041	60,635	81,132,923	2,104,709	66,270,977	1,589,574	38,975,316
Confectionery	dut		1,650		3,046		15,886		16,688	
Sulphur ore (tons)	free			24,872	89,251					196,743
										633,416

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Tea (pounds).....free..	2,760,339	367,550			73,209,878	9,312,263	50,672,419	6,935,987		
Do.....dut..			6,464,819	764,267					51,223,994	6,823,516
TEA (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	118,304	28,515	193,589	44,423	3,034,297	550,706	1,104,973	230,783	706,649	173,062
British North America.....	23,872	3,123	29,706	5,516	488,875	84,735	435,595	69,794	358,147	56,209
China.....	1,517,675	203,744	4,037,893	466,033	38,300,978	5,130,395	28,013,506	4,217,908	21,523,787	2,734,448
East Indies.....	293,270	40,663	109,370	13,010	1,253,270	163,452	1,305,871	164,527	844,627	156,762
Japan.....	696,292	79,959	2,053,232	231,534	29,808,504	3,337,487	19,560,634	2,225,866	26,607,980	3,673,863
Other Asia and Oceania.....	110,608	11,463	19,861	2,817	277,334	37,989	250,189	26,629	1,173,683	26,188
Other countries.....	318	83	1,168	934	46,620	7,499	1,651	480	9,121	2,984
Total.....	2,760,339	367,550	6,464,819	764,267	73,209,878	9,312,263	50,672,419	6,935,987	51,223,994	6,823,516
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc. (pounds).....free..	4,073,216	527,140	6,244,931	1,115,408	28,497,895	3,681,095	34,288,916	4,711,895	35,270,141	5,294,233
TIN IN BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	236,146	32,219	1,625,477	316,594	13,767,869	1,779,645	9,973,213	1,470,722	5,102,344	879,883
Netherlands.....	273,612	37,765	577,623	106,319	1,515,600	203,278	2,591,148	363,063	1,528,725	259,960
East Indies.....	3,239,610	413,546	4,041,831	692,495	11,153,174	1,432,806	20,541,901	2,719,525	26,937,951	4,051,007
Other Asia and Oceania.....	323,343	43,540			1,207,729	156,629	1,055,200	141,319	675,559	100,605
Other countries.....	505	70			853,523	108,737	127,454	17,266	25,562	2,778
Total.....	4,073,216	527,140	6,244,931	1,115,408	28,497,895	3,681,095	34,288,916	4,711,895	35,270,141	5,294,233
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
LEAF (dutiable, pounds)—										
Suitable for cigar wrappers....	93,628	81,308	127,843	195,593	2,221,563	1,847,356	1,040,587	954,009	2,151,238	2,236,359
Other.....	1,271,680	805,179	899,341	549,286	4,282,466	1,971,117	4,602,918	2,511,246	3,983,869	2,178,842
Total leaf.....	1,365,308	886,487	1,027,184	744,879	6,504,029	3,818,473	5,643,505	3,465,255	6,135,107	4,415,201
Imported from (pounds)—										
Germany.....	46,568	22,037	11,600	7,563	477,075	269,034	319,179	171,730	149,711	87,754
Netherlands.....	60,070	53,404	106,817	117,113	1,849,475	1,503,869	863,838	759,693	1,933,499	1,910,606
Other Europe.....	28,354	16,781	41,187	22,737	344,114	101,373	422,128	125,733	405,459	143,561
British North America.....	48,656	33,550	61,076	64,437	345,094	290,191	185,040	131,892	271,730	223,455
Mexico.....	29,112	9,899	1,845	443	428,927	179,879	345,128	188,079	543,079	205,251
Cuba.....	1,124,121	743,964	785,555	528,212	3,001,198	1,459,003	3,088,534	1,962,134	2,550,291	1,752,231
Other countries.....	28,427	6,852	18,444	4,374	58,146	15,124	419,658	125,994	281,338	90,343
Total.....	1,365,308	886,487	1,027,184	744,879	6,504,029	3,818,473	5,643,505	3,465,255	6,135,107	4,415,201
MANUFACTURES OF (dut., lbs.)—										
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	30,133	143,664	33,095	156,787	262,667	1,165,484	208,462	966,152	230,320	1,160,082
All other.....		3,431		2,709		27,515		32,160		37,874
Total manufactures.....		147,095		159,496		1,192,999		998,312		1,197,956
Toys.....dut..		80,763		60,391		2,087,731		1,548,642		1,679,424
Toys, imported from—										
France.....		4,348		2,588		123,463		62,553		70,560
Germany.....		70,276		49,334		1,893,824		1,419,593		1,550,977
Other Europe.....		3,240		2,227		52,652		53,047		40,645
Other countries.....		2,899		6,242		17,792		13,449		17,242
Total.....		80,763		60,391		2,087,731		1,548,642		1,679,424
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):										
Beans and dried pease.....	25,179	22,487	19,977	14,188	310,620	329,151	93,996	92,159	111,170	93,282
Onions.....	1,750	1,926	946	1,662	75,229	34,115	67,232	34,218	148,013	77,623
Potatoes.....	75,235	26,347	7,706	5,785	77,040	30,685	474,904	151,704	44,633	29,119
Pickles and sauces.....		12,960		12,914		168,681		120,662		222,966
All other—										
In their natural state.....		30,351		32,049		176,467		177,350		190,445
Prepared or preserved.....		31,730		22,596		381,700		302,308		358,885
Total.....		125,801		89,194		1,120,799		878,401		972,320
Wines (dutiable):										
Champagne, and other sparkling (dozen).....	18,926	266,877	22,707	316,298	139,923	2,065,623	134,810	1,973,417	156,713	2,123,921
STILL WINES—										
In casks (gallons).....	102,177	69,920	111,396	78,839	1,213,092	838,647	863,522	621,419	1,169,161	798,153
In other coverings (dozen).....	15,317	73,471	14,611	65,328	151,007	725,466	139,664	691,122	149,987	715,724
Total.....		410,268		460,465		3,629,736		3,285,958		3,637,798

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wines (dutyable)—Continued—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Wines, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		13,289		22,265		115,132		147,517		118,710
France.....		304,004		322,038		2,373,195		2,199,850		2,411,825
Germany.....		26,518		34,276		604,319		451,070		558,043
Italy.....		22,225		11,623		138,003		129,035		127,369
Other Europe.....		42,718		68,215		379,373		348,859		302,925
Other countries.....		1,514		1,993		19,709		9,627		18,896
Total.....		410,268		460,465		3,629,736		3,285,958		3,537,798
Wood, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (M feet)—										
Cabinet woods—										
Mahogany.....free..	1,099	48,042	2,666	129,827	7,984	328,833	9,898	496,390	14,918	708,837
All other.....free..		80,075		75,826		281,031		516,613		516,254
Logs and round timbers.....free..	1,684	15,322	641	4,440	201,242	1,600,252	169,593	1,475,630	165,116	1,497,102
Timber, hewn, etc.....free..					2,016	29,459		815		22,416
Timber, hewn, etc. (cu. ft.).....dut..	3,400	536	16,783	2,654		395		72,002		19,436
Lumber (M feet)—										
Boards, planks, etc.....free..					438,601	4,623,669		107,953		1,055,126
Do.....dut..	11,285	120,109	12,526	110,877	16	414		111,709		1,159,719
Shingles.....dut..	16,277	28,565	17,479	31,882				251,731		443,387
Other lumber.....dut..		32,705		31,863		8,599		442,252		536,197
All other unmanufact'd.....free..		111,229		199,039		2,683,797		1,475,143		1,075,058
Do.....dut..		221		219		9		11,227		15,591
MANUFACTURES OF (dutyable)—										
Cabinet ware or house furniture.....		12,858		16,851		192,007		193,656		213,820
Wood pulp (tons).....	1,485	31,983	2,670	59,281	30,198	545,626	14,876	286,071	20,694	395,785
All other.....		101,690		107,885		992,834		836,483		908,426
Total wood, and mfrs. of.....		583,735		761,704				8,424,589		8,604,816
MAHOGANY (M feet), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	89	17,187	331	33,218	200	55,506	614	134,151	2,423	179,206
Central America.....	515	16,782	1,000	50,000	2,289	74,109	3,484	104,168	4,855	256,880
Mexico.....	373	12,308	1,101	37,930	4,776	174,632	4,482	206,215	6,433	208,882
Cuba.....					17	753	21	833	97	7,200
Other West Indies.....	15	892	149	7,115	162	8,129	122	8,630	696	87,878
South America.....	13	579	84	1,482	508	15,426	1,618	38,879	293	8,691
Other countries.....	4	294	1	82	2	173	67	3,514	121	10,100
Total.....	1,009	48,042	2,666	129,827	7,984	328,833	9,898	496,390	14,918	708,837
BOARDS, PLANKS, ETC. (M feet) imported from—										
British North America.....	11,285	120,109	12,526	110,877	438,614	4,629,016	219,595	2,213,319	216,637	2,169,749
Other countries.....					3	97		1,526		3,507
Total.....	11,285	120,109	12,526	110,877	438,617	4,629,113	219,662	2,214,845	220,144	2,213,627
WOOD PULP (tons), imported from—										
Germany.....	19	1,253	118	6,962	1,272	61,833	423	26,957	311	18,671
Other Europe.....	221	9,241	465	18,294	3,313	128,439	1,639	72,843	2,511	108,769
British North America.....	1,245	21,489	2,087	34,025	25,613	355,354	12,814	186,271	17,872	268,345
Other countries.....										
Total.....	1,485	31,983	2,670	59,281	30,198	545,626	14,876	286,071	20,694	395,785
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Class 1—clothing—										
In the grease.....free..					25,780,249	4,038,876	10,902,270	1,841,523		
Do.....dut..	2,281,987	312,311	1,541,451	205,870			8,693,107	1,376,043	2,927,510	416,615
Scoured.....free..					5,157,366	1,357,015	2,274,045	643,069		
Do.....dut..	9,781	895	175	12			197,570	23,701	175	12
Class 2—combing—										
In the grease.....free..					5,416,636	1,128,533	3,197,646	631,929		
Do.....dut..	27,016	6,573	148,192	45,084			533,115	105,227	751,894	220,609
Scoured.....free..					91,874	17,972	15,310	3,218		
Do.....dut..									2	14
Class 3—carpet—										
In the grease.....free..					41,948,651	4,303,170	5,186,116	473,820		
Do.....dut..	8,751,342	857,686	6,115,265	576,896			44,013,771	4,403,332	35,036,410	3,288,075
Scoured.....free..					258,982	42,851	2,197	208		
Do.....dut..							1,354	101	669	133
Total.....free..					78,653,758	10,888,422	21,577,584	3,593,767		
Total.....dut..	11,070,126	1,207,465	7,805,083	827,862			5,348,917	5,908,410	38,716,660	3,925,458
Total.....	11,070,126	1,207,465	7,805,083	827,862	78,653,758	10,888,422	27,926,501	9,502,177	38,716,660	3,925,458

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
Wools (lbs.), imported from—										
Class 1—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	859,575	149,588	924,085	125,265	16,553,649	2,893,309	14,972,086	1,829,263	1,366,061	203,046
France.....	6,396	705	13,071	1,430	3,130,524	835,885	1,150,014	297,797	114,169	13,483
South America.....	820,458	102,831	128,253	13,985	4,443,365	611,069	3,262,081	423,144	346,333	35,235
Asia and Oceania.....	337,411	58,855	133,778	20,901	3,847,265	623,816	611,653	1,041,239	666,502	111,716
Other countries.....	267,928	31,227	342,439	44,301	2,962,812	431,812	1,981,158	292,899	434,620	53,147
Total.....	2,291,768	343,206	1,541,626	205,882	30,937,615	5,395,891	21,976,992	3,884,342	2,927,685	416,627
Class 2—										
United Kingdom.....	18,484	4,304	124,472	36,820	2,515,028	531,246	2,689,334	552,595	673,117	193,814
Other Europe.....			18,463	6,645	262,497	78,174	6,920	1,185	67,758	24,295
British North America.....	7,615	2,198	4,742	1,563	2,708,531	533,451	968,336	177,132	5,857	1,719
South America.....							80,504	9,391	1,485	106
Asia and Oceania.....					22,454	3,639				
Other countries.....	917	71	515	56			917	71	3,679	689
Total.....	27,016	6,573	148,192	45,084	5,508,510	1,146,510	3,746,071	740,374	751,896	220,623
Class 3—										
United Kingdom.....	2,791,310	305,010	1,692,336	170,070	14,427,198	1,733,841	14,927,838	1,783,317	9,966,441	1,037,413
France.....	175,642	19,101	131,397	12,233	1,815,728	216,421	1,614,008	178,376	876,911	88,337
Germany.....	256,985	27,296	205	14	672,957	71,581	781,258	82,758	258,619	26,602
Other Europe.....	2,350,033	230,929	990,917	99,651	8,268,991	974,247	12,717,199	1,315,949	8,220,052	820,937
British North America.....	1,411	72			8,504	604	29,198	1,693		
South America.....	520,212	43,743	741,874	60,832	3,754,635	328,761	2,618,332	217,843	3,075,888	230,010
China.....	1,715,624	140,225	1,760,758	151,541	10,103,992	717,854	12,218,044	870,570	9,751,970	794,578
Other Asia and Oceania.....	940,052	91,307	752,471	77,745	3,150,076	299,805	4,023,539	404,296	2,640,720	266,793
Other countries.....	73	3	45,307	4,810	5,552	2,907	274,022	22,659	246,478	23,538
Total.....	8,751,342	857,686	6,115,265	576,896	42,207,633	4,346,021	49,203,438	4,877,461	35,037,079	3,288,208
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....	71,213	216,659	50,843	151,904	231,491	350,133	288,241	816,801	378,476	997,750
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit fabrics.....		31,505		35,339		614,985		519,055		566,960
Cloths (pounds).....	563,648	548,208	458,849	469,352	9,863,768	6,598,106	3,472,417	2,531,760	2,443,208	2,363,940
Dress goods, women's and children's (square yards).....	5,563,317	1,212,505	3,705,458	822,947	29,585,346	6,869,921	16,178,964	3,395,482	18,367,028	3,671,126
Knit fabrics.....		23,716		14,936		1,309,391		232,029		454,619
Rags, noils, and wastes (pounds).....					10,425,051	1,228,382	1,724,489	253,779		
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc. (pounds).....	21,775	4,827	9,230	2,508	455,231	152,252	1,292,233	387,787	164,293	34,228
Shawls.....		3,061		2,055		229,342		29,823		36,279
Yarns (pounds).....	30,080	18,136	6,271	4,100	515,225	277,215	167,119	102,021	103,786	64,609
All other.....		75,022		64,232		1,225,514		675,417		362,950
Total manufactures.....		2,133,689		1,567,373		18,655,241		8,934,954		8,752,551
CARPETS (sq. yds.), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	27,898	95,786	23,526	64,381	177,720	268,669	124,754	325,126	147,956	341,391
Other Europe.....	25,156	67,867	17,622	61,224	36,481	47,957	80,186	243,315	157,470	449,658
Japan.....	2,596	2,373	140	330	852	975	7,259	7,296	6,370	8,717
Other Asia and Oceania.....	12,041	36,499	5,120	12,734	15,709	32,195	61,404	195,300	45,279	127,218
Other countries.....	3,522	13,134	4,435	13,235	729	337	14,638	45,764	21,401	70,766
Total.....	71,213	216,659	50,843	151,904	231,491	350,133	288,241	816,801	378,476	997,750
CLOTH (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	458,341	446,857	339,618	355,364	7,959,975	4,769,786	2,904,505	1,990,909	1,596,167	1,567,761
Austria-Hungary.....	7,121	6,306	3,093	3,064	61,185	54,737	25,340	22,497	48,121	41,140
Belgium.....	535	594	14,005	13,239	220,714	199,758	70,165	58,068	81,550	74,494
France.....	6,005	5,708	13,102	14,506	195,166	218,389	57,063	66,038	145,885	156,139
Germany.....	90,150	87,425	86,572	81,068	1,410,591	1,143,086	407,652	387,675	561,469	515,754
Other Europe.....	1,016	962	1,366	1,174	6,916	4,741	1,891	1,655	5,316	4,171
Other countries.....	460	416	1,093	937	9,221	7,609	5,201	4,918	4,700	4,881
Total.....	563,648	548,208	458,849	469,352	9,863,768	6,398,106	3,472,417	2,531,760	2,443,208	2,363,940

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
DRESS GOODS (square yards), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	1,929,005	332,604	1,583,598	288,779	2,593,917	1,852,596	7,454,806	1,324,526	8,140,828	1,451,497
France.....	1,300,350	347,327	1,045,146	279,302	2,463,033	2,101,682	3,054,668	812,562	4,970,830	1,228,679
Germany.....	2,319,537	528,507	1,047,443	247,629	3,331,605	2,853,549	5,561,498	1,230,859	5,178,363	1,170,043
Other Europe.....	14,321	4,027	29,215	7,216	63,816	61,570	107,394	27,229	76,497	17,743
Other countries.....	104	40	56	21	585	524	598	306	510	164
Total.....	5,563,317	1,212,505	3,705,458	822,947	8,452,956	6,869,921	16,178,064	5,395,482	18,367,028	3,871,126
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..	444,827	18,295	136,404	5,918	619,995	19,103	1,858,142	72,880	1,240,115	43,096
Manufactures of.....		383		2,313		11,888		6,198		9,881
Total.....		18,678		8,231		30,991		79,078		52,977
All other articles.....free.....		577,360		421,227		5,481,366		4,035,237		3,212,202
Do.....dut.....		470,754		501,367		4,002,777		3,418,510		2,938,458
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		22,116,649		26,262,783		179,307,149		169,474,812		150,690,944
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIALE.....		28,711,065		31,876,987		183,970,868		171,141,718		210,252,436
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....		50,827,714		58,239,770		363,278,017		340,616,530		366,943,380
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES.....		47,675,612		54,695,255		341,568,658		320,758,603		342,701,740
IMPORTED THROUGH EXTERIOR PORTS, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT.....		3,152,102		3,544,515		21,709,359		19,857,927		24,181,640
ENTERED FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.....		44,039,199		49,882,826		310,045,475		297,796,848		306,628,485
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSE.....		6,788,515		8,356,944		53,232,542		42,819,682		60,314,895
BROUGHT IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		2,020,290		2,261,072		18,060,453		18,025,747		19,545,600
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....		6,887,139		6,136,597		34,695,861		39,949,367		20,773,573
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:										
Belgian.....		1,438,441		1,598,318				11,503,636		12,052,642
British.....		24,525,602		28,995,361				162,889,129		185,406,414
Dutch.....		1,385,267		1,424,516				11,315,786		12,092,130
French.....		3,885,869		4,329,562				21,304,103		29,765,869
German.....		5,502,409		6,584,761				36,012,537		46,111,339
Italian.....		6,600		36,476				118,986		372,525
Norwegian.....		970,451		1,545,231				5,717,485		9,181,685
All other.....		1,655,108		2,417,115				5,787,234		7,195,871
Total foreign steam.....		38,769,747		46,931,340		279,862,109		234,648,896		302,178,475
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS.....		1,829,557		1,635,857		15,382,087		13,257,277		11,079,046
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....								8		
British.....		1,021,211		883,430				9,153,649		8,775,342
Dutch.....								161,048		557,736
French.....		9,085						105,230		154,712
German.....		40,733		22,651				1,230,064		751,196
Italian.....		164,993		205,524				1,603,983		1,453,936
Norwegian.....		80,628		10,497				1,397,930		285,380
All other.....		4,331		152,802				1,083,331		1,388,334
Total foreign sailing.....		1,320,981		1,274,904		15,277,507		14,735,243		13,366,686

NOTE.—The value of merchandise exported in January, 1899, in the shipping of each of the leading merchant marines of the world, is given on page 1580.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Agricultural implements:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mowers and reapers, and parts of.....		132,543		281,526		777,778		862,015		2,062,074
Plows and cultivators, and parts of.....		106,215		219,971		324,518		405,046		717,622
All other, and parts of.....		101,545		94,949		417,746		460,411		667,571
Total.....		340,303		596,446		1,520,042		1,727,472		3,447,267
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		35,393		52,731		124,419		176,951		285,700
France.....		70,876		59,268		48,179		125,117		157,504
Germany.....		35,986		89,051		54,112		112,195		180,036
Other Europe.....		37,202		74,800		64,670		100,724		163,994
British North America.....		25,838		36,822		176,036		285,889		596,746
Central American States and British Honduras.....		208		69		22,912		13,637		5,245
Mexico.....		19,333		14,639		61,535		67,462		92,205
Santo Domingo.....		12		57		625		825		223
Cuba.....		1,096		1,484		1,032		6,845		7,595
Porto Rico.....		90		455		2,894		2,168		876
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		265		877		3,934		3,524		5,555
Argentina.....		52,273		161,315		296,237		263,561		1,158,674
Brazil.....		1,884		6,609		13,548		12,642		18,906
Colombia.....		91		41		2,146		1,844		1,271
Other South America.....		13,343		27,738		108,685		119,580		208,501
East Indies—British.....		32		1,326		2,774		4,220		2,828
British Australasia.....		32,371		27,912		218,135		290,045		374,926
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,277		1,888		13,157		12,170		15,968
Africa.....		11,733		39,355		305,002		127,750		170,514
Other countries.....								323		
Total.....		340,303		596,446		1,520,042		1,727,472		3,447,267
Aluminum, and manufactures of..				25,724		(a)		(a)		265,721
Animals:										
CATTLE (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	33,430	3,074,537	21,262	1,943,290	206,832	19,457,172	223,275	20,964,997	174,840	16,071,195
Other Europe.....					1,510	127,100				
British North America.....	1,175	77,154	40	723	754	49,595	12,151	859,381	2,398	174,532
Central American States and British Honduras.....	4	950			130	8,650	95	7,018	51	3,320
Mexico.....	268	11,261	407	20,695	407	15,171	686	34,100	1,372	59,538
West Indies and Bermuda.....	3,707	133,494	6,611	126,765	1,122	72,822	33,229	915,317	38,756	885,889
South America.....			4	130	33	2,737	16	2,500	219	2,943
Asia and Oceania.....	4	330	1	75	132	6,945	22	1,575	139	7,300
Other countries.....					1	350			60	9,890
Total.....	38,588	3,297,726	28,325	2,091,678	210,926	19,740,542	269,474	22,784,888	217,835	17,214,607
HOGS (number)—										
United Kingdom.....					65	439	100	600		
British North America.....	2,965	18,353	6	26	1,928	6,933	3,025	18,651	591	3,685
Mexico.....	113	1,159	130	1,265	18,343	220,927	3,588	41,098	2,813	32,751
West Indies and Bermuda.....	252	1,679	2,093	11,726	9	92	1,079	8,001	5,500	30,061
South America.....	6	96					12	216	9	153
Asia and Oceania.....	303	909	902	5,258	1,199	5,357	3,142	16,273	3,992	21,165
Other countries.....	105	1,680			93	391	122	1,816	18	318
Total.....	3,744	23,876	3,131	18,295	21,637	234,189	11,068	86,655	12,923	88,133

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals—Continued.										
HORSES (number)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	2,048	285,045	1,544	203,280	7,003	900,487	9,965	1,400,803	9,151	1,508,655
Franco.....					23	8,500	72	9,000		
Germany.....	1,019	152,850	691	103,800	2,034	373,500	4,317	616,850	3,261	454,515
Other Europe.....	605	66,700	130	14,800	2,113	232,065	3,378	345,945	2,308	234,900
British North America.....	196	9,373	497	23,094	2,121	244,962	4,425	448,540	4,810	351,530
Central American States and British Honduras.....	20	2,000			393	32,712	87	7,600	72	4,470
Mexico.....	305	15,500	121	5,880	996	49,602	591	39,604	843	52,254
West Indies and Bermuda.....	479	28,532	288	38,963	2,091	117,182	1,839	122,888	521	74,725
South America.....	2	800			169	10,455	14	4,650	13	2,439
Asia and Oceania.....	5	1,340	32	3,905	199	20,935	260	25,780	375	37,063
Africa.....			24	2,400	1	400	73	10,985	82	10,280
Total.....	4,679	562,140	3,327	396,122	17,143	1,990,800	25,021	3,062,645	21,436	2,730,831
Mules (number).....	700	56,523	538	43,389	4,395	334,843	4,834	431,732	3,570	268,378
SHEEP (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	14,679	104,016	15,271	108,539	67,368	506,759	46,829	327,782	28,027	199,205
Other Europe.....					3,751	34,406				
British North America.....	2,986	9,601	995	2,017	28,721	51,245	28,982	61,447	22,816	44,522
Mexico.....	348	2,235	315	975	4,317	10,387	2,043	8,168	2,830	9,365
West Indies and Bermuda.....	398	3,257	446	3,150	3,005	21,117	2,994	21,895	2,593	17,893
South America.....	105	854	92	655	735	5,243	836	7,210	702	5,255
Other countries.....					92	6,730	93	9,090	220	11,775
Total.....	18,516	119,993	17,119	115,336	107,989	635,887	81,777	435,592	57,188	288,015
All other, including fowls.....		22,093		17,986		31,197		169,017		141,382
Total animals.....		4,082,351		2,682,806		22,967,458		26,970,529		20,731,346
Art works: Paintings and statuary.....		15,123		12,250		143,175		137,377		112,832
Bark, and extract of, for tanning.....		15,724		22,995		149,505		192,688		186,009
Beeswax..... lbs.....	14,561	3,715	11,624	2,769	(a)	(a)	a 93,175	25,687	63,937	16,871
Blacking:										
Stove polish.....		47,441		35,009				226,020		227,537
All other.....		20,873		25,966		235,773		210,354		231,010
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....		15,902		25,240		163,146		97,590		117,889
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
United Kingdom.....		74,476		66,153		547,891		520,895		449,293
Franco.....		2,930		1,640		18,299		20,096		22,294
Germany.....		10,692		6,294		63,309		62,861		59,435
Other Europe.....		4,279		5,918		20,678		40,100		37,750
British North America.....		54,849		60,015		387,569		433,331		520,331
Central American States and British Honduras.....		4,908		2,330		47,956		28,428		20,570
Mexico.....		9,924		3,446		127,359		87,925		30,248
Santo Domingo.....		106		181		975		394		5,011
Cuba.....		683		3,286		178,050		20,455		12,954
Porto Rico.....		99		895		2,749		1,076		6,877
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,678		1,723		15,141		13,004		18,126
Argentina.....		1,649		1,761		9,931		14,461		10,619
Brazil.....		6,853		6,158		34,924		133,048		32,285
Colombia.....		1,265		8,871		60,826		14,298		24,675
Other South America.....		3,808		19,461		32,758		23,276		105,085
China.....		548		1,262		8,861		11,294		18,111
East Indies—British.....		1,110		2,861		5,555		10,346		15,734
Japan.....		2,609		708		15,859		19,068		15,756
British Australasia.....		7,559		8,069		40,193		54,334		89,012
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,184		6,178		23,436		21,226		28,963
Africa.....		1,440		7,681		18,804		22,913		43,798
Other countries.....										15
Total.....		193,658		214,891		1,661,123		1,552,829		1,566,942
Brass, and manufactures of.....		109,304		89,204		608,473		778,101		677,935

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Barley.....bush..	908,802	419,982	339,436	235,178	14,136,388	5,580,745	8,850,143	4,379,236	1,584,655	971,321
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.....tons.	8,114	125,617	12,414	205,697	(a)	(a)	a 67,621	965,947	64,910	981,948
Bread and biscuit.....lbs.	1,307,440	62,338	1,343,803	60,837	9,260,200	409,890	9,272,335	433,825	9,485,695	455,766
Buckwheat.....bush..	110,992	46,202	90,559	54,121	6,903,348	370,413	791,619	334,112	972,338	486,471
CORN (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	7,092,363	2,649,598	7,330,744	3,087,560	38,147,749	11,825,614	43,825,030	14,955,770	36,335,490	14,192,392
France.....	1,583,445	525,901	341,968	135,959	2,424,393	745,615	5,360,477	1,766,173	1,894,167	713,841
Germany.....	3,127,239	1,096,849	1,629,421	686,085	14,599,359	4,665,502	17,006,275	5,810,923	18,341,873	7,095,086
Other Europe.....	5,624,631	1,953,400	4,274,702	1,758,235	18,277,468	5,465,310	25,879,893	8,810,539	26,637,388	10,384,162
British North America.....	307,668	94,651	433,666	168,896	6,344,089	1,714,786	9,613,495	2,909,103	12,537,399	4,396,210
Central American States and British Honduras.....	11,073	5,731	3,864	2,225	41,253	17,535	71,280	39,242	37,729	19,000
Mexico.....	1,700	577	6,208	2,794	6,349,688	2,366,949	112,486	38,358	44,812	18,569
Santo Domingo.....	20	9			267	111	279	114	4	2
Cuba.....	97,496	37,222	88,057	40,076	392,705	139,467	654,754	255,010	232,495	100,998
Porto Rico.....					200	75	200	80		
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	52,818	22,120	48,080	23,935	402,853	159,450	394,347	159,726	391,494	173,644
South America.....	5,286	2,200	4,759	2,360	21,566	7,809	80,121	31,328	29,183	13,173
Asia and Oceania.....	1,107	659	13,410	6,079	141,594	47,805	8,718	5,790	240,243	96,408
Africa.....	102,535	38,497	217,807	101,473	1,599,602	624,261	235,445	88,819	869,112	374,284
Other countries.....			330	157	3,670	1,149	3,330	1,209	3,818	1,674
Total.....	18,608,381	6,427,414	14,393,016	6,015,834	88,746,461	27,781,469	103,240,130	34,872,184	197,595,207	37,579,443
Corn meal.....bbls.	62,107	124,062	116,588	270,101	219,257	442,463	483,765	988,967	564,843	1,255,484
Oats.....bush..	4,623,021	1,363,308	1,219,110	423,369	21,710,693	5,364,689	41,133,449	11,276,911	18,519,116	5,750,946
Oatmeal.....lbs.	7,149,302	153,393	6,258,397	138,117	27,300,131	664,748	42,431,767	871,312	37,758,045	816,464
Rye.....bush..	1,689,313	937,113	1,053,290	673,405	4,643,665	1,968,756	8,047,884	4,188,949	7,588,857	4,280,641
Rye flour.....bbls.	433	1,442	192	633	1,211	3,570	1,771	5,500	3,258	9,774
WHEAT (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	5,574,979	4,887,687	7,364,874	5,439,728	43,459,440	32,206,793	51,444,924	46,946,237	51,840,565	38,159,196
France.....	2,588,674	2,510,391	204,018	149,822	195,634	130,122	16,551,215	15,904,512	1,639,095	1,201,197
Germany.....	56,090	53,490	1,424,184	1,058,844	2,381,623	1,507,316	2,314,534	2,162,214	7,820,643	5,788,141
Other Europe.....	913,512	859,782	4,708,165	3,553,837	5,910,530	4,182,324	16,221,861	15,128,753	30,179,572	22,901,131
British North America.....	1,560	986	589	284	3,813,625	2,541,140	4,042,321	3,883,348	6,699,394	4,917,509
Central American States and British Honduras.....	2,000	2,145	4,500	3,868	61,628	51,956	24,507	24,669	27,991	24,247
Mexico.....			615	509	36	29	45	41	6,912	5,036
West Indies and Bermuda.....			24	22	838	631	716	746	498	445
South America.....	65	78	18,915	17,027	163,262	152,301	1,427,667	1,310,618	178,139	140,719
British Australasia.....					1,705,783	1,421,316	102,316	85,395		
Other Asia and Oceania.....	949	854	1,878	1,446	990,591	764,157	15,372	15,100	13,327	10,648
Africa.....	964,424	835,301	71,910	60,008	2,540,127	2,180,440	3,688,993	3,215,839	2,140,271	1,631,119
Total.....	10,102,163	9,150,714	13,790,672	10,285,386	61,223,117	44,938,525	95,834,474	88,686,472	100,546,407	74,779,388
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,013,173	4,427,156	1,310,732	5,345,663	5,760,660	21,030,353	5,636,834	24,803,410	6,127,242	25,412,821
France.....	100	509	1,100	3,940			602	3,258	3,162	14,245
Germany.....	13,864	62,765	34,673	138,745	115,597	400,159	100,247	494,624	283,519	1,170,192
Other Europe.....	73,611	307,471	234,758	896,704	575,715	1,921,813	714,044	2,617,793	1,083,875	4,189,802
British North America.....	35,790	154,489	14,583	56,980	624,198	2,392,830	378,259	1,735,005	627,331	2,956,019
Central American States and British Honduras.....	22,403	100,589	24,604	93,271	159,460	632,301	128,435	599,467	139,580	574,744
Mexico.....	609	2,090	4,472	16,745	14,864	56,938	9,231	39,786	18,746	76,877
Santo Domingo.....	2,871	15,201	3,060	12,821	20,077	88,972	18,395	94,902	14,708	66,597
Cuba.....	54,527	254,813	47,573	182,257	105,912	438,996	169,705	801,983	224,892	909,457
Porto Rico.....	11,061	51,989	6,430	24,106	65,264	252,634	66,492	326,061	53,251	211,572
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	55,001	268,761	64,915	240,427	532,728	2,133,618	428,145	2,029,220	210,895	1,703,104
Brazil.....	71,807	328,142	83,912	336,320	431,749	1,859,703	427,225	2,148,346	519,531	2,161,893
Colombia.....	5,032	24,721	7,942	33,871	24,217	356,351	79,718	357,600	40,046	199,615
Other South America.....	31,287	144,462	25,768	127,198	228,561	861,174	223,311	1,030,337	204,583	781,403

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs—Continued.										
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
China.....	1,753	7,758	1,795	6,240	9,083	31,057	9,967	46,791	13,586	52,499
East Indies: British.....	1,600	6,920			6,891	26,018	1,601	6,925	2,397	10,131
Hongkong.....	68,826	261,044	92,901	293,232	(a)	(a)	485,805	1,985,926	594,976	2,090,515
Japan.....	9,172	33,089	1,489	4,688	153,040	479,052	84,957	333,265	169,333	553,020
British Australasia.....	500	2,009	18,400	74,892	240,442	959,437	9,967	40,046	75,842	282,974
Other Asia and Oceania.....	6,729	28,823	9,670	35,405	674,087	2,291,742	52,266	234,084	89,352	325,986
Africa.....	22,072	95,110	45,664	182,023	141,485	618,715	142,892	644,621	217,818	891,748
Other countries.....			1,150	3,925	6,922	26,967	5,059	23,454	12,119	43,541
Total.....	1,501,788	6,581,485	2,045,006	8,119,353	9,951,352	36,859,030	9,184,005	40,337,614	10,947,784	44,678,257
Preparations of, for table food.....		120,398		195,386				1,039,282		1,349,549
All other.....		128,966		106,116		2,486,606		953,432		1,062,017
Total breadstuffs.....		25,642,434		26,783,533		126,870,964		189,333,743		174,457,460
Bricks:										
Building.....M.	99	674	490	3,078	2,697	16,804	2,418	16,058	3,149	20,765
Fire.....		4,695		17,781		74,134		66,068		98,538
Total.....		5,369		20,859		90,938		82,146		119,303
Broomcorn.....		14,833		11,668		82,907		92,758		108,922
Brooms and brushes.....		12,289		16,085		98,631		95,865		103,420
Candles.....lbs.	200,668	14,682	220,353	17,072	1,491,959	125,632	1,425,536	109,618	1,717,077	126,652
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
For steam railways.....		153,361		109,619		464,946		697,889		709,695
For other railways.....		6,815		27,704				133,774		415,073
All other carriages, and parts of, except cycles.....		148,750		129,837		1,095,967		980,887		1,080,142
Total.....		398,926		258,190		1,560,913		1,812,550		2,204,910
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		54,128		64,710		321,683		328,910		468,608
France.....		1,017		4,035		10,337		31,732		41,902
Germany.....		5,338		1,134		30,057		42,497		42,797
Other Europe.....		2,295		2,008		20,055		21,818		39,402
British North America.....		4,963		21,318		58,730		104,007		155,077
Central American States and British Honduras.....		1,024		3,764		90,996		23,077		29,519
Mexico.....		16,144		45,396		240,349		430,633		237,389
Santo Domingo.....		6,968		7,518		11,760		21,156		18,338
Cuba.....		285		16,253		3,370		4,980		71,531
Porto Rico.....		13		571		6,071		4,405		1,384
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		8,168		9,191		66,927		43,672		47,634
Argentina.....		27,081		13,920		99,137		96,534		417,540
Brazil.....		93,206		20,389		60,412		137,429		60,985
Colombia.....		1,405		1,003		38,362		18,507		19,144
Other South America.....		2,244		2,641		28,679		36,252		36,659
China.....		8,200				1,437		19,810		10,533
East Indies: British.....		163		323		5,975		6,280		8,846
Japan.....				400		407		9,539		4,914
British Australasia.....		46,495		16,236		190,839		219,766		184,046
Other Asia and Oceania.....		3,231		8,886		29,560		36,357		135,268
Africa.....		26,618		18,494		245,762		172,279		173,394
Other countries.....						8				
Total.....		308,926		258,190		1,560,913		1,812,550		2,204,910

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		181,505		58,409		859,133		658,434		382,290
France.....		47,360		76,253		64,326		121,620		185,016
Germany.....		226,593		97,285		240,481		751,236		533,731
Other Europe.....		99,544		65,857		440,794		314,861		693,871
British North America.....		24,244		69,517		152,051		143,839		183,304
Central American States and British Honduras.....		945		275		41,943		5,610		3,764
Mexico.....		5,017		3,335		42,156		37,492		25,735
Santo Domingo.....		15		96		1,823		680		221
Cuba.....		763		425		1,098		6,632		2,366
Porto Rico.....		157		190		2,927		2,310		1,615
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		6,268		4,596		64,838		50,918		37,317
Argentina.....		8,290		28,584		20,883		38,648		100,337
Brazil.....		10,973		2,538		13,573		48,435		40,750
Colombia.....		1,021		152		16,092		13,301		4,734
Other South America.....		8,021		5,402		39,455		30,565		33,084
China.....		1,869		581		9,342		18,584		17,710
East Indies: British.....		6,307		23,357		9,666		28,242		110,169
Hongkong.....		165		144		(a)		2,328		4,036
Japan.....		5,433		1,738		24,648		56,394		92,546
British Australasia.....		21,691		14,957		489,191		227,649		159,055
Other Asia and Oceania.....		5,464		7,745		24,205		34,112		42,031
Africa.....		12,472		13,292		64,188		120,816		105,275
Other countries.....								545		574
Total.....		674,117		474,728		2,622,723		2,713,261		2,759,540
Total carriages, cars, etc.....		983,043		732,918		4,183,636		4,525,811		4,964,450
Celluloid, and manufactures of.....		9,510		8,664		(b)		b 72,137		102,473
Cement.....bbls.	2,378	4,186	2,521	5,044	18,224	33,415	31,921	53,729	19,960	42,217
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines (pounds):										
Acids.....		12,370		17,209		53,464		64,023		143,719
Ashes, pot and pearl.....	107,307	3,998	127,467	5,129	257,015	11,693	362,850	13,889	499,651	19,775
Copper, sulphate of.....	1,509,323	49,407	2,296,574	81,438	(c)	(c)	c 4,398,434	147,231	4,978,778	169,789
Dyes and dyestuffs.....		29,725		25,170		279,615		242,629		277,210
Ginseng.....	9,604	33,971	22,785	87,933	140,487	650,631	133,472	506,005	167,905	639,087
Lime, acetate of.....	2,903,456	40,655	3,172,632	45,095	(c)	(c)	c 10,573,309	292,973	26,064,089	374,187
Medicines, patent or proprietary.....		159,477		237,131		1,250,638		1,472,025		1,395,850
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s.....		6,270		7,550		107,147		79,193		114,628
All other.....		418,909		466,512		3,178,189		2,497,204		2,690,293
Total.....		754,782		973,167		5,536,377		5,315,182		5,824,538
Cider.....galls.	37,166	4,992	114,964	14,750	(b)	(b)	b 88,403	11,329	177,364	22,253
Clocks and watches:										
Clocks, and parts of.....		74,022		56,777		581,060		569,705		563,993
Watches, and parts of.....		69,835		57,641		425,814		430,969		539,752
Total.....		143,857		114,418		1,006,874		991,674		1,103,745
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		43,918		42,981		332,764		366,187		358,245
France.....		7,866		250		10,095		10,259		1,288
Germany.....		877		211		8,273		6,531		7,827
Other Europe.....		5,361		2,494		19,657		23,161		20,313
British North America.....		21,676		27,435		183,772		163,180		240,609
Central American States and British Honduras.....		490		82		6,832		3,564		1,593
Mexico.....		1,118		2,052		16,592		10,731		15,284
West Indies and Bermuda.....		977		1,173		8,316		6,393		5,832
Argentina.....		7,709		625		25,227		19,355		13,340
Brazil.....		2,313		4,668		47,407		25,123		46,658

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other South America		10,803		7,985		57,609		52,255		62,507
China		1,385		230		14,210		12,504		8,713
East Indies: British		4,301		3,405		24,800		29,860		40,384
Japan		15,380		4,224		99,333		93,865		121,058
British Australasia		10,448		5,892		99,590		101,106		106,881
Other Asia and Oceania		3,459		2,466		14,846		17,009		14,879
Africa		5,776		8,245		37,556		50,339		38,265
Other countries						85		247		9
Total		143,857		114,418		1,006,874		991,674		1,103,745
Coal and coke:										
COAL (tons)—										
Anthracite	70,959	328,763	84,818	343,588	887,294	3,959,831	918,028	4,160,915	956,253	3,982,554
Bituminous	267,324	491,129	266,921	539,482	1,400,425	3,148,004	1,490,184	3,216,240	1,959,824	4,186,263
Total coal	338,283	819,892	351,739	883,070	2,287,719	7,107,835	2,408,212	7,377,155	2,916,077	8,168,817
Exported to (tons)—										
United Kingdom					1	60	53	550	7,845	30,349
France			10	100	779	3,985	2,057	11,322	10	100
Germany					198	470	37	156	27	158
Other Europe					3,627	26,153	3,798	24,705	17,121	41,304
British North America	262,016	617,514	236,500	597,608	1,937,182	6,083,534	2,000,748	6,247,774	2,150,273	6,340,988
Central American States and										
British Honduras	224	738	408	1,586	5,355	20,033	4,713	16,095	3,041	7,662
Mexico	23,436	77,414	41,320	115,350	100,963	318,290	158,086	484,016	206,884	624,086
Santo Domingo	315	1,078	377	1,203	3,070	14,146	2,232	7,599	2,979	8,150
Cuba	30,977	64,475	38,756	86,112	131,914	343,460	132,509	300,781	176,820	354,893
Porto Rico	1,059	2,485	3,852	6,723	11,886	31,280	8,204	17,470	11,333	21,237
Other West Indies and Bermuda	14,457	33,096	18,607	37,901	74,869	194,070	70,654	171,376	117,960	247,712
Brazil	3,504	19,265	3,505	19,278	8,163	43,006	8,514	46,062	32,979	106,650
Colombia	1,467	2,699	4,890	8,940	5,464	12,746	9,080	26,737	6,675	12,365
Other South America	90	427	3,359	8,006	3,588	12,597	3,288	10,486	64,798	137,096
Asia and Oceania	138	701	65	263	188	1,608	3,771	10,160	65,828	143,060
Other countries					472	1,797	468	1,866	51,504	93,007
Total coal	338,283	819,892	351,739	883,070	2,287,719	7,107,835	2,408,212	7,377,155	2,916,077	8,168,817
Coke	16,166	46,586	14,792	42,436	92,436	323,637	115,823	331,181	101,990	319,178
Coffee and cocoa, ground or pre-										
pared, and chocolate		7,007		15,880		58,367		79,438		103,912
Copper, and manufactures of:										
ORE (tons)—										
United Kingdom	1,051	119,369	99	9,210	10,317	1,305,939	3,188	343,352	1,248	131,627
Germany										
Other countries			144	15,770	960	155,645	773	84,276	2,853	132,890
Total	1,051	119,369	243	24,980	11,277	1,461,584	3,961	427,628	4,101	264,517
INGOTS, BARS, PLATES, AND OLD										
(pounds)—										
United Kingdom	6,752,986	774,729	4,380,712	546,771	43,763,606	4,750,619	33,421,325	3,690,326	47,136,647	5,518,266
France	9,395,401	1,018,766	6,326,168	856,312	32,286,134	3,541,430	40,569,531	4,480,522	23,752,450	3,766,164
Germany	2,060,204	225,795	2,165,568	276,425	14,945,537	1,644,852	16,875,468	1,819,482	26,773,155	3,191,837
Other Europe	9,490,638	1,039,526	6,020,604	792,486	67,600,801	7,296,372	72,627,121	8,004,142	62,474,661	7,411,272
British North America	69,106	7,375	116,253	14,786	260,936	28,104	546,308	58,317	719,000	85,766
Mexico	12,202	1,163	12,040	1,594	65,829	7,440	44,086	5,172	113,356	14,409
Other countries			349	38	15,163	1,792	29,355	3,563	135,913	18,101
Total	27,778,535	3,067,354	18,972,299	2,488,412	158,347,866	17,270,609	163,913,134	18,061,524	168,106,162	20,005,815
Manufactures of		104,229		155,515		567,523		617,044		754,033
Total copper and manufac-										
tures of, not including ore		3,171,583		2,643,927		17,778,132		18,678,568		20,759,848
Cork, manufactures of		5,974		2,504		(a)		a 29,241		38,181

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Sea Island.....	bales .. 6,260		5,208		37,898		23,580		23,177	
	lbs..... 2,452,023	428,302	2,039,391	334,311	14,854,226	2,695,185	9,216,955	1,517,217	9,120,893	1,500,008
Upland and other.....	bales .. 939,781		1,000,965		4,463,109		4,927,069		5,576,280	
	lbs..... 478,589,656	27,242,680	511,084,322	28,618,467	2,250,454,518	166,812,593	2,504,190,065	149,129,456	2,864,180,593	152,754,450
Total.....	bales .. 946,041		1,036,173		4,501,007		4,950,649		5,599,457	
	lbs..... 481,041,679	27,670,982	513,123,713	28,952,778	2,265,308,744	169,507,778	2,513,407,020	150,646,673	2,873,301,486	154,254,458
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	bales .. 470,252		465,142		2,449,643		2,263,615		2,826,592	
	lbs..... 241,429,311	13,743,182	240,424,165	13,569,079	1,234,769,976	92,886,732	1,155,735,191	69,163,704	1,464,562,851	78,444,671
France.....	bales .. 97,992		96,892		505,178		616,073		587,309	
	lbs..... 49,890,916	2,789,200	49,401,096	2,741,645	237,724,625	18,866,136	316,266,206	18,445,624	303,762,083	16,017,375
Germany.....	bales .. 212,640		210,978		963,345		1,258,449		1,340,764	
	lbs..... 106,723,220	6,114,984	106,783,340	5,923,618	481,894,052	37,712,903	631,482,766	37,478,965	679,423,254	36,265,028
Other Europe.....	bales .. 112,763		176,239		468,072		599,337		694,147	
	lbs..... 55,768,044	3,258,386	87,052,890	4,910,601	232,066,737	17,439,014	293,512,074	18,194,884	347,547,467	18,807,418
British North Amer- ica.....	bales .. 22,560		25,407		52,986		90,093		79,348	
	lbs..... 11,334,039	716,539	12,718,893	789,285	26,580,755	2,115,501	45,219,243	2,980,962	35,183,412	2,130,909
Mexico.....	bales .. 8,200		4,557		24,216		30,088		25,896	
	lbs..... 4,382,604	254,276	2,447,123	150,747	12,312,635	1,016,060	16,192,479	1,014,418	13,823,374	783,251
South America.....	bales ..				40					
	lbs.....				19,020	1,497				
Japan.....	bales .. 19,512		26,888		37,261		88,058		52,819	
	lbs..... 10,295,037	719,406	14,241,206	862,503	19,794,429	1,429,610	46,444,912	3,185,744	28,155,022	1,740,320
Other Asia and Ocean- ica.....	bales .. 2,122		100		250		4,922		1,582	
	lbs..... 1,118,508	75,006	55,000	3,300	139,178	9,742	2,547,422	181,856	814,023	55,486
Other countries.....	bales ..				16		14			
	lbs.....				7,337	583	6,727	516		
Total unmanufac- tured.....	bales .. 946,041		1,036,173		4,501,007		4,950,649		5,599,457	
	lbs..... 481,041,679	27,670,982	513,123,713	28,952,778	2,265,308,744	169,507,778	2,513,407,020	150,646,673	2,873,301,486	154,254,458
Waste.....	lbs..... 1,036,971	41,945	1,420,390	52,661	(a)	(a)	5,032,770	227,263	7,897,728	282,282
MANUFACTURES OF—										
CLOTHS (yards)—										
Colored.....	5,051,909	270,018	8,746,088	406,485	44,552,678	2,824,243	44,541,739	2,384,493	63,877,542	3,008,004
Uncolored.....	14,363,959	693,379	24,638,465	1,125,125	138,065,032	7,760,941	97,532,934	4,903,052	151,489,965	7,063,307
Total.....	19,415,868	963,397	33,384,553	1,531,610	182,617,710	10,585,184	142,074,673	7,287,545	215,367,507	10,071,311
Exported to (yards)—										
United Kingdom.....	542,530	44,354	994,504	53,853	7,605,638	552,896	5,731,414	410,883	6,686,721	406,927
France.....					198,660	10,249	136,386	5,875	11,807	1,110
Germany.....	8,370	1,191	15,868	1,772	845,466	47,841	279,595	22,308	93,866	11,030
Other Europe.....	57,043	4,637	64,345	4,455	326,307	32,214	574,307	43,627	588,690	38,045
British North America Central American States and British Honduras.....	2,409,855	142,339	1,538,137	78,174	23,286,621	1,398,157	7,133,196	408,866	10,371,019	519,923
Mexico.....	689,568	30,968	790,215	29,801	6,806,215	363,975	4,390,150	216,828	7,284,869	303,741
Santo Domingo.....	682,833	39,053	872,262	48,392	2,910,035	195,034	3,475,693	222,095	4,428,278	264,600
Cuba.....	176,961	8,232	331,817	14,547	1,298,196	64,716	1,300,199	60,459	2,043,158	82,094
Porto Rico.....	14,750	1,509	861,983	40,595	159,893	14,179	86,436	7,984	1,967,436	99,325
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	3,320	227	107,993	5,323	61,002	4,437	16,663	1,410	222,445	11,068
Argentina.....	832,595	48,623	1,477,295	76,092	8,158,406	482,239	8,874,051	525,203	11,115,928	562,516
Brazil.....	224,089	15,453	341,813	15,170	2,721,176	230,042	1,680,987	120,762	2,019,266	133,892
Colombia.....	783,767	43,768	296,738	16,073	5,031,360	367,498	4,809,561	313,896	6,009,994	353,410
Other South America.....	419,568	19,612	592,825	30,394	4,165,162	224,506	3,363,312	171,336	4,633,388	220,042
China.....	3,101,225	134,319	3,006,411	134,251	15,781,903	840,927	12,180,398	599,428	20,681,184	874,528
East Indies: British.....	5,355,142	228,676	19,246,220	855,528	75,045,044	4,331,790	56,374,587	2,637,553	111,087,023	5,033,080
Hongkong.....	1,022,645	49,403	571,183	25,126	2,038,369	112,186	10,404,901	489,398	4,401,346	200,415
Japan.....	18,038	1,341	2,627	370	(b)	(b)	179,372	17,257	356,969	29,969
	21,447	4,001	22,593	1,448	316,632	26,057	171,480	20,091	215,293	16,202

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

b Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1898.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CLOTHS, colored and uncolored—Continued.										
Exported to (yards)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia	85, 871	12, 059	65, 532	5, 053	361, 470	37, 164	554, 190	62, 551	1, 065, 996	95, 661
Other Asia and Oceania	1, 329, 311	68, 501	1, 012, 954	76, 219	19, 176, 673	928, 813	10, 888, 114	511, 422	16, 265, 591	645, 776
Africa	1, 628, 940	64, 533	271, 238	13, 034	6, 303, 465	312, 989	9, 408, 925	396, 345	3, 682, 050	151, 467
Other countries					19, 816	1, 185	40, 746	1, 968	25, 199	1, 460
Total cloths	19, 415, 868	963, 397	33, 384, 553	1, 531, 610	182, 617, 710	10, 585, 184	142, 074, 673	7, 287, 545	215, 367, 507	10, 071, 311
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—										
Wearing apparel		63, 537		104, 924		450, 435		470, 314		667, 240
Waste, cop and mill	626, 358	24, 785	468, 561	18, 960			3, 769, 389	155, 359	3, 325, 927	147, 210
All other		229, 148		226, 725		1, 600, 314		1, 355, 986		1, 555, 183
Total		317, 470		350, 609		2, 050, 749		1, 981, 659		2, 369, 633
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		29, 546		36, 558		238, 606		194, 762		236, 699
France		124		108		4, 441		2, 979		6, 616
Germany		13, 676		10, 600		81, 501		106, 495		107, 852
Other Europe		10, 290		4, 837		31, 820		40, 529		49, 711
British North America		148, 942		126, 368		690, 900		872, 622		946, 844
Central American States and										
British Honduras		15, 980		21, 435		145, 046		102, 379		110, 081
Mexico		29, 372		38, 230		213, 480		178, 771		212, 819
Santo Domingo		2, 757		6, 351		17, 400		11, 479		20, 191
Cuba		893		12, 482		33, 033		4, 784		30, 054
Porto Rico		21		1, 144		3, 130		953		4, 531
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda		5, 388		11, 434		53, 160		55, 224		67, 901
Argentina		3, 829		11, 722		42, 170		19, 596		49, 660
Brazil		6, 377		1, 335		44, 114		34, 182		27, 837
Colombia		2, 226		2, 068		32, 557		25, 467		29, 449
Other South America		3, 451		6, 204		32, 074		19, 545		28, 976
China		379		125		7, 354		3, 643		13, 411
East Indies: British		271		300		3, 256		883		1, 861
Hongkong		1, 075		706		(a)		4, 514		11, 874
British Australasia		12, 392		8, 337		101, 909		88, 939		111, 915
Other Asia and Oceania		26, 246		30, 336		232, 868		186, 268		229, 534
Africa		4, 235		18, 856		34, 861		24, 587		68, 654
Other countries				1, 073		7, 069		3, 058		2, 933
Total other manufac-										
tures of		317, 470		350, 609		2, 050, 749		1, 981, 659		2, 369, 633
Total manufactures of		1, 280, 867		1, 882, 219		12, 635, 933		9, 269, 204		12, 440, 944
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
Earthen and stone ware		18, 970		24, 057		88, 790		121, 799		146, 321
China ware		1, 813		2, 244		14, 814		19, 561		19, 386
Total		20, 783		26, 301		103, 604		141, 360		165, 707
Eggs	163, 068 doz.	31, 680	284, 199	60, 473	242, 678	44, 815	1, 769, 306	307, 115	1, 492, 701	282, 520
Feathers		15, 881		24, 807		(b)		66, 353		90, 004
Fertilizers (tons):										
Phosphates, crude			54, 216	356, 773					409, 378	3, 030, 529
All other	18, 594	172, 453	1, 699	42, 258	264, 639	2, 475, 336	277, 038	2, 533, 580	18, 413	485, 235
Total	18, 594	172, 453	55, 915	399, 031	264, 639	2, 475, 336	277, 038	2, 533, 580	427, 791	3, 515, 764
Exported to—										
United Kingdom	5, 086	40, 176	17, 488	138, 517	84, 964	535, 475	70, 975	581, 986	91, 468	605, 472
France			12, 285	47, 775	15, 812	145, 545	8, 429	49, 805	48, 921	342, 789
Germany	4, 747	47, 468	12, 444	83, 231	89, 195	877, 779	105, 564	1, 012, 991	131, 473	1, 208, 835
Other Europe	7, 647	57, 345	8, 371	73, 802	64, 071	641, 742	72, 521	562, 901	124, 933	946, 108
British North America	579	11, 743	354	9, 115	1, 723	36, 983	1, 894	44, 106	2, 271	43, 942
Central American States and										
British Honduras					3	100				

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fertilizers—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico					5	141	1	40	26	905
West Indies and Bermuda	93	2,877	2,506	28,970	2,621	54,966	1,701	32,712	3,737	60,885
South America					88	1,268	73	3,242	3	144
Asia and Oceania	442	12,844	2,467	17,615	6,073	179,411	15,830	245,110	24,724	302,903
Other countries					84	1,926	50	687	235	3,781
Total	18,594	172,453	55,915	399,031	264,639	2,475,336	277,032	2,533,580	427,791	3,515,764
Fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses, manufactures of:										
Bags		43,020		42,637		271,159		303,279		274,699
Cordage	648,741	36,622	914,584	71,699	5,715,111	319,773	5,913,504	309,520	3,984,075	338,350
Twine		88,809		22,664		522,434		595,188		655,364
All other		15,463		31,316		206,507		160,443		189,546
Total		183,914		168,316		1,319,873		1,368,430		1,457,959
Fish:										
Fresh, other than salmon .. lbs..	53,133	2,360	106,422	3,160	472,241	30,341	627,227	29,725	493,304	20,819
DRIED, SMOKED, OR CURED—										
Cod, haddock, hake, and pollock .. lbs..	691,664	28,605	885,240	34,534	6,591,911	244,489	4,804,299	183,967	5,038,444	200,727
Herring	302,697	6,776	345,307	8,177	3,320,806	65,564	2,344,738	44,188	1,674,018	35,238
Other	30,415	1,751	46,722	1,784	400,613	22,093	784,744	34,374	478,295	24,076
PICKLED—										
Mackerel	131	1,388	85	996	1,307	14,151	847	8,868	554	6,970
Other	2,568	9,107	1,753	6,808	16,248	58,066	14,883	56,461	7,776	34,132
SALMON—										
Canned	567,017	51,526	1,170,150	110,574	33,060,370	3,008,881	24,412,114	2,300,213	28,008,202	2,709,026
Other, fresh or cured		19,809		25,977		197,955		242,315		207,641
Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish		9,616		15,286		121,517		92,884		71,584
Caviare		1,329		4,480		(a)		53,697		113,626
SHELLFISH—										
Oysters		74,661		91,711		287,386		279,545		368,155
Other		17,742		15,082		175,123		178,785		147,706
All other fish and fish products ..		1,538		734		(a)		8,892		6,890
Total		226,208		319,303		4,225,566		3,513,914		3,946,090
Fruits and nuts:										
Apples, dried	5,234,673	343,464	2,585,250	163,234	18,231,061	833,057	19,629,592	1,186,035	16,047,262	1,039,939
Apples, green or ripe	59,721	186,176	32,441	124,920	1,180,257	1,851,905	509,748	1,365,795	329,854	1,033,325
Oranges		20,224		11,878		(b)		64,479		115,116
Peaches	1,278,643	85,202	465,312	33,749	(b)	(b)	13,312,839	863,346	4,723,704	327,633
Raisins	206,607	10,262	275,681	15,544	(b)	(b)	1,834,581	104,136	3,321,200	165,331
All other, green, ripe, or dried ..		132,728		158,771		1,474,113		1,432,616		1,509,484
FRUITS, PRESERVED—										
Canned		45,840		61,734		1,492,761		1,265,147		2,085,399
Other		4,442		13,375		33,285		42,638		49,920
Nuts		8,442		7,580		59,280		81,304		84,244
Total		836,780		590,794		5,744,491		6,405,496		6,410,391
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		241,419		205,411		3,079,108		2,633,217		2,987,554
France		139,407		84,972		192,612		465,017		585,009
Germany		241,081		83,204		718,736		1,322,162		748,354
Other Europe		119,717		105,824		687,213		802,758		811,686
British North America		45,701		41,078		479,880		619,101		644,136
Central American States and British Honduras		3,091		2,431		35,163		23,838		16,378
Mexico		5,160		7,705		50,222		35,544		48,985
Santo Domingo		92		140		2,066		1,300		1,590
Cuba		3,972		4,566		37,404		31,536		44,115
Porto Rico		122		555		2,958		2,183		2,710

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other green, ripe, or dried fruit" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other West Indies and Bermuda		3,212		5,969		38,415		36,947		36,763
Argentina		105		1,298		2,629		5,265		5,499
Brazil		454		1,018		8,995		9,644		13,166
Colombia		1,033		590		5,078		7,025		4,252
Other South America		1,915		1,654		24,162		17,493		14,945
China		1,394		929		9,728		18,190		15,219
East Indies: British		1,294		1,164		9,949		7,637		7,076
Hongkong		2,876		5,173		(a)		28,012		51,777
British Australasia		11,436		10,540		237,151		233,395		220,276
Other Asia and Oceania		5,008		11,204		73,881		52,747		87,310
Africa		8,291		15,369		48,346		51,753		62,645
Other countries						195		732		946
Total fruits and nuts		836,780		590,794		5,744,491		6,405,496		6,410,391
Furniture of metal		2,872		19,493		(b)		11,070		77,003
Furs and fur skins:										
United Kingdom		190,056		168,701		1,261,609		1,063,467		941,324
France		6,121		25,000		150		8,232		25,390
Germany		77,756		86,960		186,040		173,669		199,374
Other Europe				1,432		1,927		5,415		4,988
British North America		61,226		87,955		114,982		186,151		179,159
Other countries		1,338		29		6,238		11,083		3,943
Total		336,497		370,087		1,570,946		1,448,017		1,354,178
Glass and glassware:										
Window glass		1,275		2,654		7,594		13,530		15,432
All other		89,197		118,292		654,412		686,805		794,212
Total		90,472		120,946		662,006		700,335		809,644
Glucose or grape sugar	20,800,434	319,243	13,291,218	210,041	94,032,756	1,258,361	91,265,803	1,300,699	110,891,737	1,695,874
Glucose	195,332	16,800	233,966	21,150	889,374	85,917	1,213,235	155,332	1,404,010	129,505
Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock		139,176		231,229		1,170,544		1,030,418		1,403,758
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
Gunpowder	162,679	16,561	103,128	10,113	493,217	53,726	823,746	89,472	709,307	85,684
Cartridges and other		98,853		133,041		827,828		731,066		759,399
Total		115,414		143,154		881,554		820,538		845,083
Hair, and manufactures of		152,577		59,982		312,654		348,388		292,969
Hay	6,748	94,210	4,392	54,106	33,803	462,260	42,405	595,731	38,382	494,206
Hides and skins, other than furs (pounds):										
United Kingdom	11,300	1,213	18,950	1,587	1,818,851	127,875	266,915	24,626	136,361	14,863
France	6,750	567	7,080	2,124	3,468,470	283,163	373,214	34,378	181,564	18,366
Germany	531,650	41,886	190,219	19,870	4,817,241	373,431	2,544,200	201,684	2,855,817	241,676
Other Europe	62,256	8,369			1,461,083	136,935	186,631	32,593	404,535	58,528
British North America	468,688	43,065	441,787	40,958	8,219,007	553,705	3,830,884	342,617	3,088,951	276,984
Central American States and British Honduras					8,635	868				
Mexico			800	40	249,935	25,240	8,747	1,022	5,604	1,045
West Indies and Bermuda	375	53	369	65	3,076	467	472	73	2,303	298
Japan					25,058	1,667				
Other Asia and Oceania					7,500	485				
Africa					74,600	4,750	23,980	1,740		
Other countries	2,500	256					3,750	391		
Total	1,083,519	95,400	659,205	64,644	20,153,456	1,508,586	7,238,793	639,124	6,075,535	611,760
Honey		1,009		5,355		17,361		70,811		47,954

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not enumerated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hops (pounds):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	5,259,524	827,232	3,041,825	521,351	7,648,091	896,453	12,224,919	1,921,229	13,869,529	2,403,048
Other Europe.....			31,008	4,780			575	80	594,701	105,894
British North America.....	11,786	1,585	37,653	5,853	266,372	21,978	206,321	25,716	412,883	53,801
Central American States and British Honduras.....	6,726	1,141	716	117	9,826	989	14,991	2,278	13,871	1,915
Mexico.....	2,712	388	991	165	333,206	39,971	254,218	25,673	14,992	1,920
Santo Domingo.....			30	5	2,910	287	22	3	263	38
Cuba.....			3,939	913	1,362	153	2,747	343	4,479	1,027
Porto Rico.....			244	39	1,605	185	240	27	574	81
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	149	22	339	46	4,999	509	4,033	440	1,950	217
South America.....	1,101	161	136	17	4,391	514	4,552	635	5,493	851
East Indies: British.....			9,340	1,300	36,160	2,824	16,502	2,285	82,706	10,997
British Australasia.....	87,870	11,075	77,880	12,408	389,663	29,713	375,033	49,881	714,603	108,161
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,277	137	9,732	1,328	21,008	1,795	16,138	2,083	26,797	3,909
Other countries.....	400	44	1,000	90			1,570	166	1,492	153
Total.....	5,371,545	841,785	3,214,833	548,412	8,719,593	995,371	13,121,861	2,030,848	15,744,333	2,692,012
Ice..... tons..	765	1,122	1,294	2,088	14,052	31,456	14,330	25,179	16,362	30,383
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:										
Boots and shoes.....pairs..	23,583	18,456	36,669	18,020	231,333	137,361	320,625	175,583	342,848	175,176
All other.....		114,057		113,276		985,491		855,197		795,751
Total.....		132,513		131,296		1,122,852		1,030,780		970,927
India rubber, scrap and old.....		12,857		25,546		(a)		143,325		194,589
Ink:										
Printers'.....		12,517		7,181				72,941		55,075
Other.....		3,907		4,117		102,538		54,209		61,014
Total.....		16,514		11,298		102,538		127,150		116,089
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
United Kingdom.....		40,033		74,173		230,365		271,127		509,193
France.....		34,800		20,505		119,823		81,239		140,500
Germany.....		11,703		25,611		130,521		124,484		198,419
Other Europe.....		13,951		28,938		166,842		141,662		139,594
British North America.....		23,812		23,999		164,504		192,397		234,024
Central American States and British Honduras.....		11,949		11,100		41,982		35,442		59,432
Mexico.....		31,155		60,155		164,709		168,804		243,500
West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,199		15,356		51,882		54,690		87,715
Argentina.....				15,142		62,059		49,332		127,228
Brazil.....		8,322		10,333		60,112		72,397		71,038
Other South America.....		8,339		9,747		149,320		73,440		63,139
China.....		1,534		913		1,666		8,930		20,172
Japan.....		18,156		7,787		110,020		145,984		132,022
British Australasia.....		5,670		9,289		12,977		32,464		70,001
Other Asia and Oceania.....		3,844		9,133		43,631		56,056		105,191
Africa.....		6,567		3,949		71,672		81,220		36,582
Other countries.....								114		305
Total.....		225,034		326,130		1,582,085		1,589,782		2,238,055
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore..... tons..			428	1,730	9,770	34,168	7,583	24,612	28,053	59,666
Pig iron (tons)—										
Ferromanganese.....	750	31,940					5,935	241,235	482	19,851
All other.....	12,640	130,311	37,509	386,707	57,172	870,245	148,232	1,562,406	193,993	1,980,802
Scrap and old, fit only for re- manufacture..... tons..	1,294	13,506	5,424	59,566	1,072	14,788	28,172	301,330	45,952	486,646

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bar iron.....lbs..	829,530	13,383	1,643,694	23,516	3,058,537	59,085	5,644,033	87,006	11,619,988	175,377
Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.....lbs..	3,541,679	52,008	5,185,169	70,142	32,815,570	438,000	15,173,951	209,506	33,237,911	433,101
Bars or rails for railways, iron.....tons..	642	8,002	2,206	25,893	214	5,741	2,062	29,044	11,722	161,974
STEEL (tons)—										
Europe.....	191	2,616	137	2,590	(a)	(a)	2,654	60,801	12,414	225,926
British North America.....	104	1,969	764	16,312			50,132	914,034	73,792	1,355,342
Central American States and British Honduras.....			171	3,548			531	10,179	1,199	28,140
Mexico.....	596	10,832	1,400	27,120			8,275	165,662	16,539	331,074
West Indies and Bermuda.....	602	13,091	1,090	20,917			2,185	50,683	4,926	105,042
South America.....	845	20,064	1,019	28,642			2,281	52,237	8,053	193,825
Japan.....	2,580	64,504					14,932	351,154	7,852	177,697
Asia and Oceania.....	3,615	72,619	3,336	66,873			15,405	299,539	18,054	365,577
Africa.....			6,051	111,107			2,313	44,882	22,679	433,160
Total, steel, etc.....	8,533	185,605	14,028	277,109	63,169	1,489,817	98,758	1,949,171	165,508	3,214,683
Billets, ingots, and blooms.....tons..	519	9,260	6,375	128,574	(b)	(b)	6,875	117,593	25,231	488,851
Hoop, band, and scroll.....lbs..	74,442	1,267	199,796	2,656	373,729	8,161	2,677,096	35,146	2,895,860	47,939
Rods, wire, of steel.....lbs..	1,314,560	13,940	2,520,568	28,690	(b)	(b)	24,799,529	254,677	35,058,609	329,549
SHEETS AND PLATES (pounds)—										
Iron.....	365,676	6,937	1,049,364	21,234	1,316,956	33,993	6,174,175	118,209	7,774,695	153,867
Steel.....	1,769,560	22,892	5,719,290	151,171	3,808,365	80,877	10,871,064	150,580	48,107,524	711,525
Tin plates, terno plates, and taggers tin.....	3,548	142	33,326	1,390	(c)	(c)	(c) 7,692	318	120,627	6,114
Structural iron and steel.....tons..	2,200	77,286	4,131	140,617	(b)	(b)	17,272	681,025	22,655	816,925
Wire.....lbs..	10,492,634	214,006	17,080,241	306,261	57,974,043	1,199,380	71,145,140	1,350,585	107,928,935	1,886,352
Car wheels.....No..	887	5,142	1,407	10,259	8,301	49,812	11,254	71,464	11,589	71,204
Castings, not elsewhere specified.....		72,250		63,829		601,023		494,749		462,183
CUTLERY—										
Table.....		2,709		2,028				19,260		18,679
All other.....		10,933		13,011		103,689		72,725		91,157
Firearms.....		50,431		49,155		396,216		404,542		372,048
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, AND SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.....		314,825		356,002		2,313,048		2,160,567		2,512,747
Saws.....		13,027		14,575				102,339		129,183
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....		183,343		218,852		1,381,921		1,197,113		1,413,212
Total.....		511,195		589,429		3,694,969		3,460,019		4,053,142
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		119,763		137,289		835,560		786,470		981,812
France.....		7,321		19,464		115,116		87,669		112,108
Germany.....		68,232		58,147		287,161		394,797		441,984
Other Europe.....		51,096		57,619		194,948		284,867		366,508
British North America.....		38,852		65,665		294,704		351,192		455,785
Central American States and British Honduras.....		8,109		7,405		87,081		51,187		46,973
Mexico.....		23,720		28,493		392,106		263,226		171,725
Santo Domingo.....		1,011		1,055		5,815		8,630		6,425
Cuba.....		5,502		40,252		53,781		38,439		104,221
Porto Rico.....		1,444		572		9,235		7,229		3,493
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		3,800		6,318		45,800		33,843		59,010
Argentina.....		21,749		16,805		134,407		87,098		141,655
Brazil.....		18,232		15,093		153,102		100,226		127,665
Colombia.....		9,992		15,028		74,355		57,129		65,905
Other South America.....		13,535		14,785		148,931		124,922		129,364
China.....		1,433		2,871		17,284		11,703		32,244

a Not reported in detail prior to July, 1897. b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897. c Not separately stated prior to December, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of.—Continued.										
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.—C'td.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
East Indies—British.....		1,096		1,193		17,501		9,040		10,265
Japan.....		6,288		19,425		29,228		42,382		58,551
British Australasia.....		85,833		42,990		576,033		548,358		525,015
Other Asia and Oceania.....		10,052		14,729		23,826		44,753		67,812
Africa.....		14,135		24,165		147,166		125,309		156,027
Other countries.....				66		2,329		1,550		1,060
Total builders' hardware, etc.....		511,195		589,429		3,694,969		3,460,019		4,055,142
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Electrical.....		172,791		304,515		(a)		1,090,244		1,692,048
Metal-working.....		394,979		598,946		(a)		2,435,867		3,762,901
Printing presses, and parts of.....		79,635		40,534		380,600		498,656		428,728
Pumps and pumping machinery.....		162,628		207,600		(a)		1,117,962		1,440,711
SEWING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		68,801		65,323		626,304		464,014		473,540
France.....		1,735		7,556		50,506		61,398		53,527
Germany.....		45,834		41,281		322,856		435,213		375,359
Other Europe.....		5,575		18,511		101,085		98,812		64,334
British North America.....		7,579		10,129		54,212		69,639		77,645
Central American States and British Honduras.....		2,982		1,760		53,993		20,389		13,604
Mexico.....		20,854		24,777		107,052		113,910		117,859
Santo Domingo.....		190		95		722		875		1,177
Cuba.....		12		1,916		2,483		2,770		2,738
Porto Rico.....		308		368		1,291		2,378		1,181
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		2,128		823		10,090		8,527		9,338
Argentina.....		1,297		8,006		62,760		44,160		69,194
Brazil.....		7,678		7,504		82,738		50,318		49,168
Colombia.....		4,316				70,816		49,248		36,222
Other South America.....		11,583		8,374		75,812		64,748		76,923
China.....		601		534		7,557		2,082		2,348
East Indies—British.....				971		1,918		2,550		4,009
Japan.....		120		187		4,441		3,247		4,410
British Australasia.....		18,744		24,205		154,478		143,068		150,671
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,412		4,524		13,240		16,352		21,613
Africa.....		1,564		306		9,989		6,183		7,014
Other countries.....						30		133		25
Total.....		204,313		227,150		1,814,373		1,666,014		1,614,958
Shoemachinery.....		89,311		53,503		(a)		494,563		507,038
Steam engines, and parts of (number)—										
Fire.....	1	200			2	6,790	4	1,369	1	260
Locomotive.....	52	562,805	38	322,683	176	1,659,656	221	1,882,198	319	2,949,130
Stationary.....	30	22,512	40	31,122	189	171,763	319	208,817	286	171,525
Parts of, and boilers.....		93,093		80,650		466,331		501,363		706,885
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		81,846		76,140		404,714		465,781		497,743
France.....		14,327		17,315		47,101		45,970		77,132
Germany.....		31,498		36,791		127,915		192,427		238,180
Other Europe.....		16,247		44,128		83,639		117,553		184,802
British North America.....		5,307		4,490		16,616		26,427		31,366
Central American States and British Honduras.....				149		6,554		1,829		1,597
Mexico.....		3,670		3,786		14,832		14,907		10,962
Santo Domingo.....				50		142		90		130
Cuba.....		159		1,687		1,199		907		6,534

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico.....				370		590		65		2,331
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		216		362		3,747		1,727		2,896
Argentina.....		1,137		3,339		8,524		6,355		16,289
Brazil.....		80		191		3,157		2,608		2,510
Colombia.....		503		100		1,940		3,337		2,284
Other South America.....		702		768		5,669		8,029		9,293
China.....				1,027		2,695		1,682		3,424
East Indies: British.....		400		357		5,916		4,926		4,784
Japan.....		229		683		1,799		2,481		4,072
British Australasia.....		4,267		4,590		47,124		43,593		39,851
Other Asia and Oceania.....		530		935		2,470		4,978		7,968
Africa.....		800		1,060		13,101		15,987		22,933
Other countries.....										75
Total.....		161,918		198,318		799,444		961,659		1,173,156
All other machinery, etc.....		1,041,199		1,458,697		11,237,812		7,063,607		10,558,068
NAILS AND SPIKES (pounds)—										
Cut.....	2,240,106	36,818	2,143,668	33,870	13,659,992	261,189	21,157,440	408,991	23,997,869	435,588
Wire.....	2,242,815	55,025	3,196,766	58,667	7,241,362	236,783	15,219,494	310,568	23,998,311	430,332
All other, including tacks.....	308,092	18,543	623,018	40,932			2,110,272	133,931	2,807,890	174,888
Pipes and fittings.....		221,951		538,178		(a)		1,474,203		3,293,865
Safes (number).....	56	4,648	266	12,614	(a)	(a)	762	51,117	1,165	77,554
Scales and balances.....		19,715		28,717		238,919		214,730		209,472
Stoves, ranges, and parts of.....		25,890		22,548		191,231		220,326		283,011
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....		709,920		738,152		4,888,261		5,111,666		5,767,913
Total iron and steel, etc., not including ore.....		5,511,639		7,347,042		31,398,978		37,456,941		51,659,009
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....		35,370		43,623		393,874		337,028		388,275
Other manufactures of gold and silver.....		9,274		9,344				105,979		144,395
Total.....		44,644		52,967		393,874		443,007		532,670
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.										
		54,949		65,696		438,678		387,697		431,239
Lead, and manufactures of:										
Pigs, bars, and old (pounds).....	3,458	141	117,655	3,137	11,176,388	289,308	16,723	764	349,379	10,709
Type (pounds).....	18,672	6,402	12,024	4,277			169,145	56,218	125,571	47,551
All other.....		5,956		10,434		107,227		73,726		70,018
Total.....		12,499		17,848		396,535		130,708		128,278
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER, SOLE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,711,504	472,362	3,263,353	499,867	17,571,689	2,844,770	15,883,885	2,685,288	16,318,943	2,696,278
Germany.....	2,140	524	32,251	7,685	120,927	23,881	141,161	27,523	230,183	46,925
Other Europe.....	481,092	91,402	212,212	40,321	3,651,636	662,400	2,404,792	419,981	1,713,550	314,842
British North America.....	85,471	18,520	96,354	17,773	313,445	50,182	675,540	133,470	409,416	75,814
West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,863	616	1,197	251	28,023	5,470	27,049	5,611	16,665	3,733
South America.....	350	72			10,758	2,123	14,130	2,821	5,484	1,791
Japan.....	99,987	19,851			591,400	118,049	853,338	180,082	485,841	105,361
British Australasia.....	10,615	2,252	10,769	2,549	136,241	28,240	101,515	21,267	78,159	16,846
Other Asia and Oceania.....	8,650	1,782	21,610	4,666	151,652	30,398	100,560	21,001	151,673	32,063
Africa.....	28,694	6,597	21,972	5,143	89,595	17,715	119,135	25,433	75,973	15,880
Other countries.....	5,045	1,016	2,057	443	81,796	16,522	15,212	3,103	25,808	5,763
Total.....	3,436,411	614,994	3,661,775	578,698	22,747,182	3,799,759	20,336,317	3,555,580	19,511,695	3,315,306

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

b Part of this is foreign lead, returned by collectors of customs by mistake as domestic lead prior to July 1, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Leather, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEATHER, OTHER—										
Upper leather—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Kid, glazed.....		23,537		51,939				156,792		276,912
Patent or enameled.....		4,627		3,169		215,631		42,998		48,237
Splits, buff, grain, and all other upper leather.....		947,965		1,190,791		4,546,178		5,344,884		6,548,946
Other leather.....		90,917		105,681		485,654		470,985		516,515
Total.....		1,067,046		1,351,580		5,247,463		6,015,659		7,390,610
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		813,697		1,069,776		4,062,939		4,311,350		5,426,826
France.....		13,621		24,102		78,399		147,788		164,582
Germany.....		31,601		73,646		153,722		314,862		531,470
Other Europe.....		93,821		109,652		431,496		648,410		590,204
British North America.....		72,462		50,059		342,027		380,972		387,505
Central American States and British Honduras.....		459		2,156		2,781		2,437		8,285
Mexico.....		965		12		10,842		6,623		3,946
Santo Domingo.....				190		430		489		1,157
Cuba.....				2,135		1,034		731		3,206
Porto Rico.....		109		314		688		795		2,872
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		771		2,441		8,534		8,233		13,750
Argentina.....		1,879		272		3,393		2,451		14,830
Brazil.....		3,821		4,935		10,942		24,016		24,196
Colombia.....		4		26		1,528		1,965		1,126
Other South America.....		2,318		3,287		10,767		7,926		16,602
British Australasia.....		30,145		6,799		101,345		137,975		159,529
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		740		311		10,939		6,072		28,643
Africa.....		633		1,467		15,637		12,452		11,804
Other countries.....						20		112		77
Total.....		1,067,046		1,351,580		5,247,463		6,015,659		7,390,610
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Boots and shoes—										
United Kingdom.....		15,889		32,000		123,999		140,755		153,141
France.....		3,028		29		4,459		11,837		14,560
Germany.....		1,608		6,381		6,429		20,762		24,389
Other Europe.....		2,042		4,469		13,926		15,143		21,017
British North America.....		15,858		30,066		135,175		151,262		226,528
Central American States and British Honduras.....		7,489		8,144		57,516		53,713		50,342
Mexico.....		7,768		11,313		25,618		42,796		74,771
West Indies and Bermuda.....		20,380		41,052		181,768		168,159		176,867
Colombia.....		2,712		4,024		21,955		24,817		20,726
Other South America.....		2,511		1,411		17,121		15,464		26,098
British Australasia.....		22,992		9,153		257,533		138,883		214,094
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		15,769		11,663		75,385		120,602		84,934
Africa.....		4,121		13,394		54,729		51,734		50,614
Other countries.....						110		988		662
Total.....		122,167		173,099		975,723		959,906		1,138,721
Harness and saddles.....		19,198		17,427		139,842		127,090		123,349
All other.....		136,803		70,173		444,069		732,528		456,726
Total leather, and manu- factures of.....		1,960,208		2,190,977		10,606,847		11,390,763		12,424,714
Lime..... bbls..	7,604	6,297	3,098	3,669	55,613	53,061	32,453	26,943	33,143	81,256
Malt..... bush..	30,738	22,036	16,424	13,027	(a)	(a)	196,773	132,626	227,203	166,192

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Malt liquors:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
In bottles.....doz..	27,737	34,817	139,588	153,255	291,907	343,531	235,131	286,194	741,888	810,151
In other coverings.....galls..	23,188	5,526	31,272	8,636	205,780	46,610	246,401	55,626	278,380	70,999
Total		40,343		161,891		390,141		341,820		881,150
Marble and stone, and manufac- tures of:										
Unmanufactured		7,968		1,513		40,409		65,490		36,715
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....		106,834		79,129		365,262		798,580		763,940
All other.....		30,787		27,484		338,041		224,074		203,697
Total		145,593		108,126		741,712		1,088,144		1,004,362
Matches		6,537		10,864		40,334		53,920		52,755
Musical instruments (number):										
Organs.....	1,192	69,230	1,398	74,462	8,500	483,991	8,387	460,339	9,968	551,069
Pianofortes.....	98	20,824	57	12,792	495	124,995	571	137,429	576	128,353
All other, and parts of.....		39,101		34,571		157,225		200,008		321,776
Total		129,155		121,825		766,211		797,776		1,001,198
Naval stores:										
ROSIN, TAR, TURPENTINE, AND PITCH (barrels)—										
Rosin.....	216,076	358,193	227,896	311,945	1,400,665	2,684,857	1,339,218	2,251,642	1,411,530	2,038,416
Tar.....	1,905	2,537	4,906	15,563	5,086	12,850	6,586	12,179	15,150	43,393
Turpentine and pitch.....	1,379	3,068	1,092	2,932	8,768	21,356	9,985	27,593	11,009	27,087
Total	219,360	364,398	233,894	330,440	1,415,119	2,719,063	1,355,789	2,291,414	1,437,689	2,108,896
Exported to (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	21,814	30,515	79,668	116,424	506,311	1,040,531	367,500	664,048	489,512	721,983
Germany.....	82,094	138,124	40,019	48,593	317,937	570,563	334,157	533,589	275,044	361,046
Other Europe.....	89,165	138,659	70,656	89,772	318,952	576,254	392,825	617,340	397,006	534,709
British North America.....	1,414	3,057	1,212	2,551	30,740	68,790	22,656	54,330	29,938	68,909
Central American States and British Honduras.....	147	486	412	1,212	6,071	15,463	2,464	7,597	3,063	8,838
Mexico.....	534	1,000	1,016	2,128	1,440	4,165	2,445	5,495	2,243	5,752
Santo Domingo.....	4	8	354	773	1,166	3,026	1,569	3,070	883	1,926
Cuba.....	548	1,085	607	953	3,670	7,155	3,261	6,080	2,201	3,931
Porto Rico.....	13	25	35	74	267	518	285	558	389	768
Other West Indies and Bermuda	480	945	399	858	5,144	11,367	4,039	8,305	2,540	5,388
Argentina.....	33	61	19,191	31,435	19,599	41,832	29,581	54,446	39,049	68,838
Brazil.....	4,657	8,627	15,508	22,634	91,353	169,904	77,624	130,309	70,747	118,010
Colombia.....	614	1,562	419	1,447	5,558	11,061	3,136	6,675	3,436	7,594
Other South America.....	6,303	11,786	2,250	4,045	29,567	60,310	34,150	63,987	31,379	55,423
China.....			225	422	1,545	3,032	1,081	2,434	1,833	3,591
Japan.....	615	1,757			4,098	9,680	5,501	12,919	4,779	8,387
British Australasia.....	1,145	3,013	1,317	6,073	38,174	73,452	41,877	74,927	49,890	91,862
Other Asia and Oceania.....	9,730	14,596	427	712	32,694	50,115	31,063	44,127	32,917	40,377
Africa.....	50	92	179	334	893	1,845	575	1,178	700	1,544
Total rosin, tar, etc.....	219,360	364,398	233,894	330,440	1,415,119	2,719,063	1,355,789	2,291,414	1,437,689	2,108,896
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—										
United Kingdom.....	50,117	16,430	773,155	336,907	5,869,030	1,442,266	4,502,823	1,300,080	6,064,265	1,883,674
Germany.....	62,871	20,450	148,620	64,649	1,597,773	402,618	1,620,406	470,906	1,574,807	479,602
Other Europe.....	316,210	105,217	286,819	131,934	3,628,576	918,438	3,773,881	1,074,122	2,753,848	870,006
British North America.....	29,016	10,625	25,132	9,962	214,616	55,373	307,546	94,492	332,462	102,780
Central American States and British Honduras.....	673	301	528	232	8,199	2,562	4,198	1,660	4,720	1,875
Mexico.....	423	172	636	331	3,206	1,063	3,851	1,431	6,002	2,232
Santo Domingo.....	91	38	143	73	484	157	694	294	811	325
Cuba.....	6,725	2,215	12,009	5,267	42,524	12,450	37,449	11,872	33,904	12,348
Porto Rico.....	351	124	772	356	7,859	2,484	3,476	1,189	3,462	1,408
Other West Indies and Bermuda	2,081	770	1,389	709	16,796	5,199	12,988	4,481	10,662	4,262

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Naval stores—Continued.										
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina	37,940	15,494	3,840	1,837	146,800	43,323	165,220	60,914	73,896	24,967
Brazil	10,250	4,212	12,663	3,830	74,601	22,115	98,122	35,397	90,629	30,951
Colombia	921	372	882	461	9,826	3,511	7,156	2,609	7,720	3,417
Other South America	11,807	4,677	8,013	3,999	75,314	23,279	67,511	24,455	54,260	20,650
China					5,750	1,794	3,705	1,350	14,250	5,440
Japan					23,650	7,290	7,000	2,259	10,500	3,896
British Australasia	13,968	5,689	1,488	697	214,402	69,670	157,277	53,421	190,583	66,729
Other Asia and Oceania	1,100	413	12,400	5,505	8,200	2,431	6,950	2,314	22,346	8,942
Africa	3,884	1,785	10,076	5,059	42,640	16,601	35,415	14,127	47,144	20,838
Other countries					51	18	51	22	50	23
Total	548,428	188,984	1,299,165	571,808	11,990,297	3,032,642	10,815,719	3,157,895	11,296,321	3,544,365
Total naval stores		553,382		902,248		5,751,705		5,448,809		5,653,261
Nickel, nickeloxyde, and matte lbs.	425,122	105,546	484,682	99,817	1,590,472	356,933	2,937,242	712,493	2,955,312	663,570
Nursery stock		19,328		22,258		(a)		68,668		94,754
Oil cake and oil-cake meal (pounds):										
Cotton seed	86,753,019	734,189	151,093,657	1,286,229	389,248,272	3,484,390	491,198,810	4,307,546	660,204,205	5,597,567
Flaxseed or linseed	51,070,341	541,934	54,416,503	617,297	255,941,131	2,412,917	280,385,543	2,866,515	281,763,250	3,042,234
Total	137,823,360	1,276,123	205,510,160	1,903,526	645,189,403	5,897,307	771,584,353	7,174,061	941,967,455	8,639,801
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	32,985,965	303,994	50,923,473	459,323	220,314,810	1,978,696	198,274,004	1,861,953	180,187,689	1,677,557
France	8,665,627	77,274	11,006,277	104,296	21,642,678	173,736	56,833,951	529,080	54,709,045	543,063
Germany	38,844,513	329,538	59,282,612	505,291	180,994,109	1,678,211	199,527,487	1,756,588	483,015,560	2,433,649
Other Europe	55,942,567	546,630	83,172,481	819,259	213,092,174	1,980,893	309,672,262	2,936,710	413,100,937	3,660,829
British North America	159,100	1,506	236,000	2,427	498,532	4,936	661,224	7,439	5,075,746	41,536
West Indies and Bermuda	1,210,554	16,991	835,422	12,264	7,708,767	77,318	6,309,883	78,929	5,638,586	80,020
South America	7,034	100	24,895	335	282,003	2,907	192,722	2,278	173,712	2,339
Other countries	8,000	90	29,000	331	56,330	610	92,820	1,084	66,180	802
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal	137,823,360	1,276,123	205,510,160	1,903,526	645,189,403	5,897,307	771,584,353	7,174,061	941,967,455	8,639,801
Oilcloths:										
For floors		1,979		2,400		(b)		14,168		14,311
Other		10,753		6,796		(b)		57,471		51,890
Total		12,732		9,196		(b)		71,639		66,201
Oils:										
ANIMAL (gallons)—										
Fish	234	81	1,458	592	783,109	150,720	582,168	106,798	925,685	186,109
Lard	51,240	20,494	93,011	43,091	654,332	294,017	417,935	162,278	440,765	204,065
Whale	18,001	9,159	10,644	4,277	28,888	10,943	41,549	18,963	65,037	30,571
Other	9,734	4,860	17,658	5,759	56,292	23,288	65,205	27,705	98,372	37,513
Total animal	79,209	34,594	122,771	53,719	1,522,721	478,968	1,106,857	315,744	1,529,859	458,258
MINERAL, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity (gallons)—										
France	5,441,395	190,055	4,342,231	203,155	58,837,889	2,847,739	47,971,596	1,801,473	54,870,985	2,461,972
Other Europe	1,841,706	63,985	2,126,980	94,659	9,653,186	461,527	11,169,702	373,051	12,409,837	517,679
British North America					5,897	442			20,270	1,408
Mexico	653,749	25,265	651,762	32,944	4,127,910	206,687	4,716,757	190,833	3,919,194	187,900
Cuba	780,717	40,210	346,740	27,493	3,139,387	196,232	3,114,388	170,717	2,008,555	111,293
Porto Rico	118,350	10,497			494,838	47,518	485,490	42,828		
Other countries					841,140	85,000	500	50		
Total	8,835,917	330,012	7,467,713	358,242	77,100,247	3,845,145	67,458,433	2,578,952	73,228,841	3,280,252

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....	1,001,041	Dollars. 63,408	1,486,984	Dollars. 110,514	9,315,712	Dollars. 759,891	9,591,592	Dollars. 695,153	10,992,249	Dollars. 732,387
Illuminating.....	68,108,588	2,976,766	46,589,624	2,740,619	452,495,450	29,144,915	505,301,905	27,387,119	424,179,666	23,123,521
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	5,395,345	601,481	4,820,437	603,938	31,004,353	4,035,646	34,222,314	4,150,637	38,874,390	4,539,783
Total.....	74,594,974	3,641,655	52,897,045	3,455,071	492,815,524	33,940,452	549,115,811	32,232,909	474,046,205	28,395,691
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	24,551,700	1,048,949	14,647,676	937,587	139,482,904	8,670,742	138,270,129	7,678,963	122,157,303	6,678,286
France.....	480,554	64,284	945,250	100,164	6,934,214	657,960	9,624,503	823,400	7,838,494	729,970
Germany.....	12,056,118	403,209	5,567,664	292,211	68,767,394	3,698,182	87,575,682	3,984,085	77,966,695	3,854,007
Other Europe.....	18,307,676	738,918	22,882,470	1,278,099	141,190,756	8,451,823	162,527,698	8,164,555	151,246,775	7,823,953
British North America.....	1,068,984	61,795	860,418	62,591	7,317,853	513,685	8,071,257	528,579	7,242,440	483,085
Central American States and British Honduras.....	103,166	10,445	100,292	13,463	794,102	92,076	559,874	61,256	656,741	75,379
Mexico.....	92,622	15,156	104,993	14,899	479,992	99,409	618,707	101,710	577,677	86,255
Santo Domingo.....	95,131	8,229	1,962	569	154,747	18,157	293,237	26,721	191,108	23,084
Cuba.....	47,505	7,265	94,373	15,164	53,685	6,730	129,830	17,628	498,926	63,265
Porto Rico.....	9,500	985	175,806	15,633	189,377	22,825	122,584	14,052	405,724	42,715
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	320,152	25,728	471,130	45,925	2,585,225	250,908	2,266,985	185,113	2,174,703	201,747
Argentina.....	882,690	77,461	287,778	33,849	7,593,748	769,647	6,395,691	576,673	3,757,609	398,687
Brazil.....	2,180,794	152,844	1,316,166	110,241	9,272,283	803,457	11,857,532	889,813	10,818,504	937,963
Colombia.....	67,937	6,242	67,667	8,366	755,962	75,867	520,211	52,176	697,861	69,115
Other South America.....	1,026,760	83,200	1,001,123	98,328	5,735,694	588,615	5,006,180	439,092	4,104,898	389,123
China.....	5,362,968	322,025			18,518,282	1,623,973	25,916,919	1,657,214	11,361,074	892,427
East Indies—British.....	1,640,319	107,881	738,499	69,839	13,013,965	1,192,326	25,998,310	1,902,827	18,436,882	1,302,392
Hongkong.....	597,093	43,725	945,000	77,018	(a)	(a)	8,863,266	543,182	7,934,620	587,101
Japan.....	2,080,743	133,123	853,083	75,412	29,535,604	2,635,451	25,941,080	2,075,514	27,673,821	1,971,203
British Australasia.....	2,521,623	233,523	361,570	39,360	9,233,050	1,064,619	11,427,760	1,172,953	8,081,725	823,131
Other Asia and Oceania.....	496,690	39,525	368,049	41,143	24,133,503	1,974,852	8,097,940	542,905	4,950,167	366,551
Africa.....	604,229	57,143	1,105,076	125,120	7,030,813	726,836	9,018,345	789,933	5,225,388	560,749
Other countries.....			1,000	90	29,368	2,612	18,091	1,565	17,057	1,503
Total mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum.....	74,594,974	3,641,655	52,897,045	3,455,071	492,815,524	33,940,452	549,115,811	32,232,909	474,046,205	28,395,691
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled..... bbls..	74,477	95,514	70,102	88,807	9,502	19,930	232,959	274,334	477,634	543,362
Total refined or manufactured, including residuum.....		3,737,169		3,543,878		33,960,382		32,507,243		28,939,053
VEGETABLE—										
Corn..... galls..	270,619	57,603	101,988	26,252	(b)	(b)	1,295,536	284,372	1,099,361	264,365
COTTON SEED (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	261,212	56,260	992,183	215,415	678,225	173,406	1,201,645	304,609	2,835,440	636,143
France.....	1,090,207	290,800	3,766,744	895,606	3,804,151	950,026	8,144,236	2,087,218	12,742,416	3,064,511
Germany.....	283,422	59,934	216,327	58,844	993,465	252,700	1,263,787	299,646	1,912,057	492,056
Other Europe.....	2,388,333	594,219	2,753,338	640,736	6,005,232	1,592,898	8,002,358	2,088,372	10,500,446	2,582,965
British North America.....	40,584	10,008	49,486	11,940	156,821	35,594	246,382	61,884	285,044	62,597
Central American States and British Honduras.....	412	152	1,432	508	12,989	3,550	3,319	1,183	6,220	2,347
Mexico.....	349,440	68,478	232,350	39,010	945,260	188,910	1,312,326	245,695	1,508,316	267,193
Santo Domingo.....	6,471	2,301	5,153	1,552	21,210	7,091	37,177	12,691	48,311	15,117
Cuba.....			6,566	1,671	600	164	6,753	1,923	18,497	4,876

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1893		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
COTTON-SEED—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Porto Rico.....							100	30	1,016	402
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	37,473	9,272	80,465	19,490	415,594	111,882	400,469	100,136	370,573	91,421
Argentina.....	2,526	728	22,314	6,669	29,162	9,312	7,534	2,218	45,440	13,986
Brazil.....	119,444	29,747	37,818	8,978	273,595	75,275	416,345	110,865	506,914	117,274
Other South America.....	38,033	12,084	38,109	11,648	138,003	44,334	157,646	50,447	151,393	45,891
British Australasia.....	6,909	2,131	3,850	1,155	39,953	12,817	28,326	8,813	28,763	8,914
Other Asia and Oceania.....	300	100			2,800	860	300	100	300	100
Africa.....	162,996	39,735	183,452	42,285	322,616	87,303	490,132	129,079	858,744	208,497
Total.....	4,787,762	1,175,949	9,389,487	1,955,507	13,839,676	3,546,128	21,718,835	5,504,909	31,819,890	7,612,205
Linseed.....galls.	6,527	2,834	13,488	5,805	52,830	21,158	49,737	20,145	55,300	21,688
VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL—										
Peppermint.....lbs.	7,561	8,031	9,525	9,162	117,271	190,962	75,219	102,656	68,989	71,773
Other.....		12,103		9,234		112,819		127,320		72,980
All other.....		61,712		64,553		619,137		341,701		692,832
Total vegetable.....		1,318,232		2,070,513		4,490,204		6,351,106		8,648,243
Paints, pigments, and colors:										
Carbon black, gas black, and										
lampblack.....		18,057		20,344				96,460		101,359
Zinc, oxide of.....lbs.	350,745	10,413	689,902	21,265	(a)	(a)	4,069,252	114,553	5,117,366	166,309
All other.....		50,574		97,715		497,320		391,330		468,494
Total.....		79,044		139,324		497,320		602,343		736,153
Paper, and manufactures of:										
Paper hangings.....		23,959		8,665		38,135		87,398		58,113
Printing paper.....lbs.	11,082,215	283,869	4,804,845	129,536			62,735,820	1,611,096	56,997,690	1,362,283
Writing paper and envelopes.....		12,818		12,229		59,865		104,010		83,219
All other.....		191,933		214,270		1,577,103		1,824,617		1,557,645
Total.....		512,579		364,700		1,675,103		3,127,121		3,666,282
Paraffin and paraffin wax (pounds):										
United Kingdom.....	10,470,735	389,234	11,047,858	462,459	53,570,052	2,055,722	60,563,184	2,286,136	62,995,413	2,300,425
France.....	316,553	13,265	218,139	9,489	345,138	14,753	1,531,636	68,501	2,183,583	87,577
Germany.....	487,693	16,339	263,690	12,100	10,762,699	439,121	13,409,744	536,533	16,182,122	639,652
Other Europe.....	1,587,968	62,012	2,732,870	113,027	7,791,601	322,489	11,834,281	481,525	17,729,903	709,099
British North America.....	7,499	344	3,417	142	16,854	745	46,266	2,049	34,584	1,440
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	50,588	2,509	14,037	773	270,710	16,618	247,787	12,263	345,705	16,299
Mexico.....	326,805	14,055	393,262	18,871	1,982,567	102,821	2,357,157	103,959	2,774,639	123,871
West Indies and Bermuda.....	200	10	2,511	207	26,296	1,490	23,148	876	19,968	930
Brazil.....	8,549	398	20,735	994	170,345	10,031	130,940	6,414	176,449	8,208
Other South America.....	22,064	1,023	1,370	76	61,821	2,849	82,410	4,076	77,238	3,755
Japan.....	484,793	17,972	144,262	5,775	2,242,986	94,752	1,192,022	40,461	1,716,691	64,648
British Australasia.....	88,178	3,300	358	18	585,368	25,424	1,166,916	50,222	867,321	37,348
Other Asia and Oceania.....							27,517	1,015	23,997	943
Africa.....	32,000	1,280	92,027	3,611	739,295	30,914	311,136	14,389	585,108	22,603
Total.....	13,833,625	521,742	14,933,936	597,542	78,565,732	3,117,699	92,924,138	3,608,419	105,712,721	4,619,798
Perfumery and cosmetics.....		31,531		17,311		196,096		181,741		166,281
Plated ware.....		19,895		22,159		217,450		265,867		261,110
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products:										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
BEEF PRODUCTS—										
BEEF CANNED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,885,953	262,515	1,989,783	181,085	22,637,914	1,984,649	14,765,848	1,283,004	15,478,825	1,428,349
France.....	67,370	5,518	44,750	3,706	939,878	75,200	295,643	24,398	216,370	18,850
Germany.....	233,265	19,502	98,700	9,000	3,277,370	264,560	3,883,438	347,780	2,642,941	234,345
Other Europe.....	202,428	15,975	206,387	19,734	2,331,954	209,372	2,089,034	175,698	1,464,526	139,481

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
BEEF PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CANNED (pounds)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British North America.....	14,419	1,317	22,460	1,570	1,061,785	81,000	375,381	27,598	1,375,485	119,741
Central American States and British Honduras.....	18,419	2,028	14,885	1,542	152,685	18,364	157,851	17,039	110,410	11,073
Mexico.....	9,032	1,338	11,983	1,543	78,150	9,640	64,653	8,342	67,215	9,316
Santo Domingo.....	22	2	146	11	674	51	334	29	498	43
Cuba.....	5,328	424	37,018	3,692	21,528	1,652	63,238	4,983	81,328	7,659
Porto Rico.....					384	28	384	30	96	8
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	31,008	2,953	29,643	3,041	203,745	16,977	247,279	22,377	193,923	19,126
Argentina.....	720	67			400	30	3,000	357	3,220	326
Brazil.....	28,544	2,724	8,800	834	181,200	14,499	55,455	5,241	95,068	9,925
Colombia.....	9,528	832	7,284	520	45,645	3,729	49,127	4,188	28,408	2,413
Other South America.....	9,120	887	11,424	1,129	86,205	7,063	79,260	7,390	66,008	6,274
China.....	10,220	1,426	7,100	1,024	66,494	9,571	116,398	16,626	69,545	9,803
East Indies—British.....	600	88	600	46	3,375	294	3,000	368	2,128	276
Hongkong.....	10,700	1,609	10,000	1,431	(a)	(a)	89,050	13,144	69,150	10,179
Japan.....	21,700	3,336	7,400	1,061	624,065	43,095	179,572	26,398	230,840	27,854
British Australasia.....	3,940	339	4,800	315	54,790	4,802	51,365	5,243	20,100	2,006
Other Asia and Oceania.....	23,340	3,418	38,690	5,711	343,855	43,159	241,030	35,094	279,955	40,879
Africa.....	430,726	34,633	1,007,184	85,679	4,924,998	382,486	2,511,222	201,719	3,175,820	270,546
Other countries.....					400	34				
Total.....	3,966,382	360,931	3,559,637	322,674	37,007,503	3,180,261	25,321,562	2,228,146	25,671,879	2,358,472
FRESH (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	24,239,411	2,059,764	20,128,128	1,700,586	170,249,541	13,217,221	160,012,844	13,153,111	148,132,224	12,433,952
British North America.....	290	24			18,138	1,002	3,697	236	477,339	38,601
West Indies and Bermuda.....	153,131	11,431	85,000	6,339	155,609	9,936	245,888	18,507	163,415	12,439
Other countries.....									579	52
Total.....	24,392,832	2,071,219	20,213,128	1,706,925	170,423,288	13,228,159	160,262,429	13,171,854	148,773,557	12,485,044
SALTED OR PICKLED, AND OTHER CURED (pounds)—										
Salted or pickled.....	2,964,644	159,641	2,889,311	159,200	51,370,071	2,688,442	25,519,517	1,284,944	28,627,945	1,534,441
Other cured.....	139,818	17,000	403,449	37,923	548,662	51,166	966,181	95,173	867,313	84,944
Total.....	3,104,462	176,641	3,292,760	197,123	51,918,733	2,739,608	26,485,698	1,380,117	29,495,258	1,619,385
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,625,129	99,595	1,587,148	104,742	30,563,982	1,711,795	9,956,733	562,562	12,041,301	691,509
France.....			1,000	60	174,366	8,220	95,000	4,342	82,400	4,954
Germany.....	363,000	19,962	293,430	16,761	3,540,465	180,673	3,043,250	160,482	4,078,247	224,008
Other Europe.....	202,900	10,778	498,616	27,160	5,560,797	289,132	3,759,649	192,983	5,285,171	275,206
British North America.....	172,221	8,421	74,275	3,611	4,268,449	188,497	2,120,891	91,277	2,097,425	103,759
Central American States and British Honduras.....	54,765	2,640	43,585	2,260	340,665	16,002	447,015	21,631	349,828	18,818
Mexico.....	600	29	4,158	231	1,300	63	5,461	337	6,554	338
Santo Domingo.....	4,900	247	10,400	550	41,050	1,832	22,550	1,068	40,900	2,131
Cuba.....	30,400	1,593	58,190	2,997	21,000	872	255,789	12,466	312,697	16,261
Porto Rico.....			1,200	64	40,900	1,908	16,300	839	11,500	576
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	360,809	17,150	346,570	19,033	4,120,881	193,049	3,191,288	156,493	2,469,814	132,569
Brazil.....	1,600	68	6,300	398	65,500	2,776	13,900	699	30,400	1,874
Colombia.....	15,200	777	31,238	1,638	138,754	5,994	128,300	6,415	134,716	7,182
Other South America.....	261,338	14,748	315,050	16,423	2,624,261	118,318	1,887,272	98,078	2,194,205	119,113
Asia and Oceania.....	6,000	316			179,100	9,503	1,046,400	46,359	231,000	13,715
Africa.....	5,600	317	21,600	1,195	230,463	10,704	492,900	23,948	123,900	7,172
Other countries.....					6,800	270	3,000	138	5,200	260
Total beef, salted, etc....	3,104,462	176,641	3,292,760	197,123	51,918,733	2,739,608	26,485,698	1,380,117	29,495,258	1,619,385

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
TALLOW (pounds)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	2,623,333	107,360	3,441,637	145,262	15,998,902	578,644	14,109,484	513,718	18,326,783	712,362
France.....	1,132,665	45,903	2,336,329	87,137	15,057,735	548,127	6,619,131	236,240	9,699,694	379,429
Germany.....	826,464	31,299	915,986	37,881	6,000,093	219,761	4,376,089	163,375	11,720,465	447,342
Other Europe.....	1,171,227	42,659	2,842,636	103,982	9,707,494	359,305	5,403,717	184,591	19,936,566	783,536
British North America.....	300	19	400	22	72,338	2,280	88,281	2,838	499,672	13,226
Central American States and British Honduras.....	128,195	6,169	189,928	8,740	1,784,712	77,720	1,179,474	51,340	1,164,499	51,709
Mexico.....	15,641	692	44,093	1,966	753,761	27,265	444,698	16,697	527,655	21,149
Santo Domingo.....	639	35	29,235	1,116	342,793	13,779	395,748	14,437	144,342	5,454
Cuba.....			16,972	782	419,086	14,716	175,217	6,089	484,583	18,362
Porto Rico.....			1,445	75	4,565	256	2,412	111	5,745	303
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	82,846	3,727	87,625	3,191	1,130,408	54,977	1,296,563	52,582	733,035	30,101
Brazil.....	6,300	397	105,745	5,681	99,660	4,097	558,319	24,387	569,101	30,331
Colombia.....	34,814	1,678	25,703	1,284	79,429	4,657	299,575	12,768	109,015	4,707
Other South America.....	10,680	428	12,388	373	181,325	7,657	139,689	6,095	265,070	12,071
Asia and Oceania.....	937	45			19,035	718	22,537	858	18,304	910
Other countries.....			3,500	150			2,400	120	3,867	167
Total.....	6,033,541	240,471	10,033,622	397,642	51,651,336	1,913,949	35,113,334	1,286,246	64,207,796	2,511,159
HOG PRODUCTS—										
BACON (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	45,121,138	3,322,378	38,382,898	2,857,948	210,849,348	15,382,011	268,572,349	19,465,174	238,431,497	18,414,910
France.....	242,210	17,111	1,202,286	86,019	1,672,850	112,575	926,310	58,773	5,449,763	385,292
Germany.....	5,067,570	325,841	2,921,602	195,057	18,327,145	1,071,885	30,430,229	1,933,156	20,971,726	1,447,169
Other Europe.....	8,857,320	561,666	14,359,333	970,932	26,378,150	1,559,438	48,939,622	3,097,090	56,452,141	3,878,735
British North America.....	437,099	30,153	198,204	12,384	7,408,987	359,018	11,365,419	669,510	8,636,316	324,752
Central American States and British Honduras....	9,904	788	14,816	1,108	151,690	10,086	141,299	10,821	154,346	10,834
Mexico.....	10,056	1,051	7,325	739	60,641	5,864	58,900	5,848	87,287	8,399
Santo Domingo.....	854	63	2,520	146	27,374	1,536	14,218	953	15,208	945
Cuba.....	1,993,540	115,893	944,020	51,618	5,567,579	295,164	7,295,201	463,207	4,060,183	251,641
Porto Rico.....	54,250	3,716	92,673	6,412	335,258	17,748	270,870	17,857	549,243	36,755
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	28,925	2,182	40,117	3,574	274,792	20,319	323,004	24,563	423,090	29,242
Brazil.....	863,382	52,868	404,628	28,403	7,109,349	426,572	6,159,601	386,973	4,767,466	331,221
Colombia.....	2,582	159	879	59	18,643	990	12,987	931	12,111	849
Other South America.....	19,367	1,356	22,524	1,573	170,572	10,702	248,850	19,187	128,831	9,332
China.....	3,330	424	4,960	654	13,002	1,694	19,025	2,490	37,720	4,980
Other Asia and Oceania....	5,618	725	13,350	1,684	48,163	6,226	85,738	11,009	150,587	18,631
Africa.....			6,520	432	56,097	3,404	18,693	1,301	38,072	2,607
Total.....	62,717,245	4,436,374	58,627,655	4,218,742	278,469,640	19,285,232	374,881,715	26,168,843	340,366,427	25,356,338
HAMS (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	11,045,961	1,044,496	15,034,512	1,365,892	76,061,311	7,336,647	82,879,187	7,956,188	97,707,333	8,925,045
France.....	36,179	3,266	141,077	13,279	274,080	26,089	812,513	81,504	452,810	43,298
Germany.....	1,196,198	108,846	1,388,368	130,949	1,690,387	156,480	4,446,012	399,530	6,649,607	600,793
Other Europe.....	833,072	68,650	1,501,430	135,133	9,618,667	948,330	7,220,651	695,109	13,218,780	1,226,632
British North America.....	149,178	12,430	149,812	11,653	1,803,396	178,782	2,947,598	263,742	5,193,026	444,684
Central American States and British Honduras....	21,149	2,183	17,039	1,659	174,374	18,657	170,528	17,703	138,767	13,213
Mexico.....	21,761	2,423	22,360	2,449	173,648	19,053	114,840	12,746	165,778	18,512
Santo Domingo.....	4,326	462	9,172	987	35,790	4,115	29,706	3,385	39,343	4,225
Cuba.....	391,561	40,072	714,178	68,741	2,014,311	237,727	2,427,851	250,670	2,810,323	269,718
Porto Rico.....	40,361	3,765	4,070	356	472,390	42,863	500,776	43,328	60,567	5,739
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	105,445	10,163	126,860	10,978	801,605	79,927	789,607	76,146	907,657	73,188
Brazil.....	7,659	589	3,802	427	4,212	433	19,540	1,772	23,507	2,555
Colombia.....	14,710	1,398	12,044	1,037	92,726	7,877	86,326	7,994	86,022	7,621

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HAMS (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America.....	74,844	7,553	57,263	5,937	530,077	58,068	536,590	58,719	476,130	49,807
China	3,970	504	8,250	1,064	34,538	4,642	42,259	5,420	61,540	8,011
British Australasia	450	60	2,032	251	6,760	890	1,276	172	25,608	2,800
Other Asia and Oceania....	25,346	3,152	62,610	7,611	165,367	22,152	203,448	23,992	313,471	39,288
Africa.....	10,886	1,122	23,130	2,284	58,935	6,136	118,232	14,626	127,209	13,677
Other countries					2,771	299	5,630	569	15,954	1,297
Total.....	13,983,056	1,311,164	19,278,029	1,760,687	94,615,354	9,149,167	103,352,570	9,918,315	128,473,432	11,764,963
PORK (pounds)—										
Fresh	1,385,610	86,285	5,659,196	348,675	58,066	3,023	4,320,332	283,618	26,834,149	1,758,498
Salted or pickled	9,583,554	518,167	14,125,688	823,889	40,131,607	1,917,034	44,633,191	2,352,067	78,107,825	4,554,876
Total.....	10,969,164	604,452	19,784,884	1,172,564	40,189,673	1,920,057	49,153,523	2,635,685	104,941,974	6,313,374
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	3,724,436	223,460	12,680,019	781,496	8,359,923	470,558	13,603,202	819,687	52,770,792	3,388,522
France	16,000	800	12,000	655	80,600	4,568	75,200	3,605	103,175	5,768
Germany	1,664,504	86,060	1,279,644	69,362	1,306,801	65,384	3,461,496	187,427	6,377,657	350,568
Other Europe.....	1,111,791	63,889	2,377,551	138,814	1,261,355	71,028	4,672,926	271,753	17,427,278	1,025,461
British North America...	1,624,100	89,925	949,461	51,716	9,568,014	424,843	9,635,723	494,694	12,763,373	715,404
Central American States and British Honduras..	186,663	8,874	124,760	5,911	755,770	32,409	803,512	37,739	747,819	37,116
Santo Domingo.....	3,900	201	9,500	502	60,400	2,696	30,700	1,536	53,700	3,018
Cuba	23,400	1,238	81,539	4,410	169,800	7,631	170,000	8,762	310,679	15,579
Porto Rico.....	292,000	14,541	152,400	8,121	1,608,200	70,240	2,526,500	121,809	1,439,400	77,175
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,806,600	89,077	1,755,400	91,467	13,938,185	631,559	11,272,740	542,317	9,835,962	517,062
Brazil			2,500	165	64,900	3,107	9,100	437	88,000	5,709
Colombia	9,950	553	15,800	866	66,000	3,320	78,105	4,362	73,504	4,196
Other South America....	483,400	24,441	320,000	17,645	2,759,800	121,946	2,638,050	130,497	2,643,200	143,463
Asia and Oceania.....	12,420	838	7,900	563	91,625	6,044	62,690	4,163	80,440	5,913
Africa.....	7,000	404	6,600	375	55,900	2,717	83,800	5,203	55,000	3,267
Other countries	3,000	142	9,810	496	42,400	2,007	29,779	1,694	171,995	9,113
Total.....	10,969,164	604,452	10,784,834	1,172,564	40,189,673	1,920,057	49,153,523	2,635,685	104,941,974	6,313,374
LARD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	22,123,859	1,204,728	18,419,819	1,133,175	102,584,918	5,398,440	124,162,680	6,694,282	110,906,281	6,680,807
France	4,113,169	223,975	2,118,997	118,988	13,201,329	653,216	15,534,365	798,547	17,832,144	1,001,992
Germany	15,931,223	881,856	17,725,925	1,059,979	96,447,098	4,906,974	141,093,543	7,416,192	148,623,837	8,808,852
Other Europe	13,776,431	825,832	16,842,300	1,007,038	54,705,414	2,812,418	74,907,207	3,952,086	99,681,412	5,859,228
British North America....	59,430	3,277	26,932	1,713	3,660,089	171,237	2,543,065	127,144	6,722,455	355,493
Central American States and British Honduras....	165,429	9,189	170,955	9,980	1,071,169	57,309	1,231,140	66,414	1,399,084	80,939
Mexico	395,589	20,315	491,604	27,225	4,044,736	186,166	2,501,400	110,266	1,761,949	92,600
Santo Domingo.....	27,942	1,574	32,956	2,056	203,453	11,134	218,742	12,449	262,428	15,394
Cuba	2,486,374	134,908	3,130,862	183,200	16,828,825	846,045	12,916,925	643,381	13,312,004	722,071
Porto Rico.....	348,150	17,040	162,527	9,873	2,248,895	112,268	2,300,072	122,043	2,547,393	135,625
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	432,649	27,481	518,167	35,081	4,368,041	255,669	3,425,594	269,103	3,260,817	214,462
Argentina.....	11,160	700	8,345	527	54,787	2,912	16,740	1,072	22,014	1,421
Brazil	1,599,286	99,123	1,158,432	80,380	4,410,565	262,716	10,188,568	614,576	11,086,900	768,202
Colombia	89,255	4,958	107,524	6,026	1,843,666	92,619	1,299,106	72,792	812,368	46,698
Other South America	667,594	40,769	757,892	47,681	6,999,738	395,673	6,169,449	367,706	5,171,671	338,223
Asia and Oceania	52,785	3,324	150,811	9,044	235,970	16,916	353,201	23,989	712,265	45,056
Africa.....	169,798	11,455	392,662	25,937	804,964	49,832	1,088,766	75,087	1,693,632	121,404
Other countries					10,896	654	31,800	1,807	35,252	2,022
Total.....	61,450,123	3,510,504	62,216,719	3,757,903	313,730,553	16,232,198	400,882,363	21,317,936	425,843,906	25,290,585

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
LARD (pounds)—Continued.										
Lard compounds, and substitutes for (cottonseed, lardine, etc.).....lbs..	1,775,310	Dollars. 86,420	1,782,619	Dollars. 87,311	10,167,444	Dollars. 550,066	9,889,539	Dollars. 511,327	12,376,776	Dollars. 684,812
Casings for sausages.....		102,026		95,732		911,751		1,081,637		1,016,255
Mutton.....lbs..	9,519	879	35,092	2,638	166,202	12,645	274,347	23,809	256,278	19,954
OLEO AND OLEOMARGARINE (pounds)—										
Oleo, the oil.....	8,582,788	498,704	9,012,969	574,707	66,295,506	3,972,285	72,401,019	4,307,821	76,755,391	4,632,112
Oleomargarine, imitation butter.....	161,445	16,215	305,247	31,751	3,159,503	308,490	1,936,078	179,887	3,520,215	311,146
Total.....	8,744,233	514,919	9,318,216	606,458	69,455,009	4,280,775	74,337,097	4,487,708	80,275,606	4,943,258
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	879,759	54,021	339,984	21,634	4,690,129	293,822	5,058,814	307,988	4,249,046	246,743
Germany.....	1,938,438	112,553	1,536,064	95,623	15,467,090	902,147	18,556,572	1,085,273	17,979,461	1,138,665
Netherlands.....	5,046,261	292,061	6,246,552	398,869	39,322,536	2,443,194	42,515,875	2,568,751	46,525,112	2,790,385
Other Europe.....	544,052	30,945	834,731	55,946	7,082,382	394,288	6,418,745	370,171	9,492,111	586,193
British North America.....	183,851	10,128	63,878	3,559	897,696	44,976	581,016	36,097	530,911	31,071
Central American States and British Honduras....	540	62	3,450	384	80	10	2,560	249	8,833	1,012
Mexico.....	1,500	156	1,288	116	4,550	498	3,260	348	4,744	440
Porto Rico.....			30,335	3,541					84,865	9,219
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	108,415	11,117	216,254	22,114	1,637,228	166,144	867,178	82,994	1,106,810	108,938
Colombia.....	11,190	990	8,940	804	59,236	4,933	50,310	4,445	55,852	5,053
Other South America.....	7,800	676	17,900	2,044	199,415	20,984	108,256	11,155	98,812	10,484
Asia and Oceanica.....	12,769	1,217	16,000	1,600	44,402	4,817	112,421	12,912	109,635	12,150
Other countries.....	9,748	993	2,240	224	50,265	4,962	62,090	7,325	20,414	2,896
Total.....	8,744,233	514,919	9,318,216	606,458	69,455,009	4,280,775	74,337,097	4,487,708	80,275,606	4,943,258
Poultry and game.....		5,027		18,146		32,512		29,283		48,482
All other meat products.....		365,613		482,802		1,754,573		2,136,882		3,251,540
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
BUTTER (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	190,250	35,052	2,212,811	383,967	15,163,497	2,318,007	11,771,852	1,791,416	5,840,631	995,791
Germany.....	7,026	1,213	45,310	7,105	1,924,588	227,667	1,203,978	136,119	464,758	65,319
Other Europe.....	32,767	5,320	165,514	23,821	1,959,847	220,833	638,915	74,513	384,414	55,803
British North America.....	9,283	1,999	150,850	25,184	1,170,306	180,295	2,975,382	437,992	1,124,322	187,583
Central American States and British Honduras.....	19,770	3,977	21,061	3,589	154,921	26,826	163,042	28,280	146,731	27,142
Mexico.....	22,921	4,262	34,077	5,736	121,966	20,866	131,888	23,101	153,396	27,385
Santo Domingo.....	3,420	526	4,200	683	28,838	3,999	27,408	3,784	47,641	6,561
Cuba.....	2,827	631	98,747	16,638	29,436	5,238	29,696	5,499	242,572	42,072
Porto Rico.....	2,340	392	2,685	565	1,170	152	18,800	2,379	27,530	4,854
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	142,277	22,865	160,400	27,856	1,153,533	166,864	1,090,198	163,555	1,136,527	184,225
Brazil.....	103,285	12,810	184,651	22,126	151,564	20,428	388,021	47,291	734,600	95,001
Colombia.....	7,853	1,319	4,954	901	66,584	8,943	87,881	12,325	42,270	7,746
Other South America.....	43,534	6,083	71,090	11,134	381,990	49,949	343,809	46,391	444,126	67,982
China.....	860	218	1,974	408	10,596	1,930	18,010	3,855	14,067	3,293
Japan.....	3,018	606	3,175	598	53,435	9,722	66,017	13,162	71,270	14,112
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	12,844	3,453	20,147	4,379	75,334	14,380	108,217	24,275	118,979	26,778
Africa.....	2,814	706	3,420	548	9,894	1,782	13,342	2,513	12,257	2,220
Other countries.....			3,420	513	640	85	2,671	501	4,558	701
Total.....	607,128	101,432	3,194,486	535,751	22,458,238	3,277,966	19,079,127	2,816,951	11,010,619	1,814,648
CHEESE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,083,273	183,597	846,467	81,269	23,827,086	2,099,288	27,203,710	2,359,334	13,233,815	1,129,404
Germany.....					320	36	105	9		
British North America.....	874	115	37,767	3,609	4,776,207	405,573	10,276,110	865,333	10,158,210	785,589

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CHEESE (pounds)—Continued.										
Central American States and		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British Honduras	14,187	1,611	9,092	1,057	95,809	10,513	92,530	10,479	86,417	9,770
Mexico	11,503	1,466	13,241	2,062	78,544	9,323	69,956	8,235	83,003	9,844
Santo Domingo	2,533	302	4,257	529	20,451	2,281	14,755	1,808	22,282	2,682
Cuba	14,741	1,801	71,151	8,848	27,228	5,100	128,985	15,163	341,969	43,212
Porto Rico	2,620	308	13,205	1,562	9,646	1,069	7,086	873	48,021	5,927
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda	63,783	7,593	66,011	8,022	483,564	56,218	430,787	51,714	395,687	46,299
Brazil			984	122	745	80	1,679	182	5,150	568
Colombia	7,070	857	5,405	694	51,133	6,143	56,080	6,873	37,808	4,602
Other South America	15,048	1,923	12,593	1,581	77,046	9,126	79,261	9,947	76,775	9,010
China	3,700	402	4,350	474	26,620	2,935	31,819	3,451	84,700	9,241
Japan	1,890	196	2,900	310	33,725	3,668	19,169	2,105	33,820	3,760
Other Asia and Oceania	19,850	2,008	32,570	3,696	113,328	12,917	145,060	15,660	181,718	20,115
Other countries	1,827	200	300	34	9,324	1,053	8,232	917	9,979	1,074
Total	2,242,899	202,379	1,120,293	113,869	29,630,776	2,625,343	38,565,224	3,352,113	24,799,302	2,081,097
Milk		84,192		158,082		324,025		440,386		535,531
Total provisions, etc.		14,174,443		15,645,049		81,418,887		92,987,238		102,094,897
Quicksilver	35,840	15,001	69,706	32,381	687,007	269,162	467,446	182,324	509,349	225,353
Rice	31,350	1,617	95,940	4,633	(a)	(a)	321,481	14,367	450,865	18,936
Rice bran, meal, and polish .lbs.	227,800	1,409	603,820	3,995	2,351,296	12,998	2,302,655	14,969	8,681,581	44,274
Salt	630,287	3,759	853,740	3,309	(a)	(a)	5,023,869	28,571	5,454,301	25,594
Seeds:										
Clover	4,386,540	260,224	2,360,775	147,735	8,764,050	671,569	18,178,637	1,146,117	11,691,523	735,936
Cotton	8,067,461	55,339	9,670,439	54,663	19,808,662	132,710	20,964,388	127,186	19,534,010	122,463
Flaxseed or linseed			18,492	20,248	3,978,607	3,232,019	257,165	231,170	2,787,289	2,766,363
Timothy	1,116,993	35,118	1,309,171	39,443	8,378,530	305,557	4,433,328	138,045	8,194,197	265,061
Other grass seeds		8,546		11,833				123,185		122,433
All other		20,169		27,181		330,091		91,379		86,283
Total		379,396		301,103		4,671,946		1,857,082		4,098,539
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		140,354		125,872		2,464,320		782,204		625,055
France		1,332		3,658		108,997		19,664		44,137
Germany		93,082		62,616		561,062		503,480		651,648
Other Europe		64,559		49,980		1,271,798		296,728		1,591,960
British North America		56,727		48,306		212,673		199,125		1,128,493
Central American States and										
British Honduras		437		452		7,021		1,876		1,840
Mexico		10,214		2,654		11,407		16,524		8,404
Santo Domingo		4		17		237		542		78
Cuba		69		216		2,856		2,055		2,827
Porto Rico				33		199		19		89
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda		161		332		3,143		2,375		3,110
Argentina				2,368		379		132		2,432
Brazil				23		575		413		596
Colombia		2		207		1,159		1,207		932
Other South America		95		91		4,104		1,143		1,172
China						417		291		137
British Australasia		11,981		3,153		17,264		25,426		30,557
Other Asia and Oceania		368		985		2,855		3,237		3,984
Africa		8		140		1,480		641		1,088
Total seeds		379,396		301,103		4,671,946		1,857,082		4,098,539
Shells		12,020		7,509		(a)		70,416		65,596
Silk, manufactures of		18,208		27,652		122,599		140,827		161,257

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Soap:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Toilet or fancy		17,935		14,978		105,149		128,059		182,067
Other.....lbs..	1,562,939	54,480	3,261,951	100,437	14,011,377	535,954	15,079,258	564,847	15,695,028	497,466
Total.....		72,415		115,415		641,103		692,906		680,433
Spermaceti and spermaceti wax										
.....lbs..	20,507	7,435	4,335	1,164	144,061	46,146	118,069	35,311	110,624	30,494
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
ALCOHOL—										
Wood.....	15,979	11,570	42,747	25,916			275,100	143,605	299,073	161,001
Other, including pure, neutral, or cologne spirits.....	89,794	44,113	1,828	801	260,250	85,221	155,404	67,227	931,486	263,645
Brandy.....	295	323	972	1,192	6,988	6,651	14,691	21,369	14,883	22,159
Rum.....	4,877	6,600	54,009	74,547	451,580	615,408	268,910	368,063	455,846	635,080
WHISKY—										
Douglas.....	14,572	15,333	71,436	67,285	254,187	201,786	118,624	101,431	154,296	166,857
Rye.....	1,371	2,817	11,163	15,765	8,692	16,576	6,725	13,573	37,296	57,490
All other.....	335	814	1,106	1,470	304,169	123,721	22,690	20,955	11,623	12,525
Total.....	127,273	81,570	183,261	186,976	1,285,866	1,049,363	862,144	736,223	1,904,503	1,318,757
Starch.....lbs..	5,362,000	102,788	15,646,089	317,440	30,647,566	672,330	37,726,621	649,135	64,538,889	1,324,813
Stationery, except of paper.....		67,137		83,994		509,195		562,522		632,245
Stereotype and electrotype plates.....		5,509		5,571		44,626		40,719		37,617
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of.....		26,541		22,700		98,050		107,458		114,343
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....galls..	123,262	11,174	700,428	61,283	4,536,427	411,932	2,621,449	163,259	4,391,630	337,122
Sirup.....galls..	434,746	58,261	592,494	93,803			4,670,592	405,028	4,782,414	670,168
Sugar, brown.....lbs..	226,138	8,405	2,500	79	979,776	30,923	352,663	13,294	88,134	3,518
SUGAR, REFINED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....			50,000	2,890	462,500	18,575	50,432	2,523	308,967	15,051
Germany.....			100	5	9,490	475	2,075	98	100	5
Other Europe.....			350	15	200	9	4,919	262	1,000	45
British North America.....	2,600	173	51,870	1,478	19,571	1,326	37,133	2,320	199,880	9,517
Central American States and British Honduras.....	133,435	6,607	19,283	942	813,126	37,671	700,943	34,249	219,568	10,623
Mexico.....	5,960	300	69,175	2,751	363,983	18,159	203,129	9,848	189,529	7,757
Santo Domingo.....	2,897	213	2,659	144	26,378	1,273	24,717	1,320	15,406	833
Other West Indies and Bermuda	120,958	6,952	331,852	14,801	1,622,574	78,869	1,049,951	56,582	1,315,120	68,649
Colombia.....	42,430	2,043	41,332	1,922	631,882	30,671	367,605	18,672	164,105	8,107
Other South America.....	887	50	1,962	114	22,130	1,119	70,459	3,956	21,080	1,148
Other Asia and Oceania.....	51,370	2,442	217,616	8,111	498,927	23,641	718,527	34,414	2,123,178	81,158
Africa.....	59,880	3,067			290,154	14,923	259,828	13,238	194,086	10,430
Total.....	421,477	21,847	792,199	33,083	4,763,915	226,711	3,489,718	177,482	4,752,019	213,328
Candy and confectionery.....		46,070		25,673		303,904		390,997		349,298
Total sugar and molasses.....		145,757		213,921		973,470		1,150,060		1,573,434
Tin, manufactures of.....		20,173		25,862		167,097		145,897		170,015
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Leaf.....	17,513,293	1,387,253	14,445,179	1,306,480	206,778,775	16,900,937	177,292,552	15,307,352	180,173,200	16,821,012
Stems and trimmings.....	616,394	20,713	254,482	5,889	13,460,361	647,147	5,513,198	108,499	6,179,143	124,531
Total.....	18,129,687	1,407,966	14,699,661	1,312,369	220,239,136	17,548,084	182,805,750	15,415,851	186,352,343	16,945,543
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,067,573	631,667	6,803,871	631,083	66,225,428	5,962,663	58,551,813	5,748,593	54,035,304	5,106,588
France.....	1,618,555	142,795	410,375	33,280	21,151,868	1,616,202	17,476,001	1,358,303	22,424,890	1,805,319
Germany.....	2,878,177	161,047	1,745,525	148,070	47,861,099	3,354,905	43,078,293	3,053,246	35,961,144	2,907,454
Other Europe.....	5,630,813	283,602	3,876,151	323,301	71,507,074	5,266,673	52,558,469	4,156,347	53,510,546	5,102,263
British North America.....	726,610	64,247	805,696	78,776	6,829,749	702,735	3,697,931	372,432	5,720,087	578,572
Central American States and British Honduras.....	35,618	5,730	4,780	434	98,642	12,377	131,421	19,412	69,957	10,598

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Tobacco, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEAF, STEMS AND TRIMMINGS—										
Continued.										
Exported to (pounds)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	161,886	12,649	49,850	3,412	797,895	64,903	1,143,035	83,069	959,498	80,800
West Indies and Bermuda...	177,346	19,134	301,268	27,747	1,750,186	164,530	1,649,800	162,881	1,528,020	150,896
Argentina.....	950	70	53,508	5,150	56,990	4,055	16,315	565	192,897	12,455
Colombia.....	7,478	1,052	5,483	816	15,293	2,093	28,603	4,052	25,384	3,501
Other South America.....	104,254	8,329	62,476	5,878	748,269	60,572	652,416	55,530	600,562	55,338
Japan.....	163,426	8,565	54,840	0,326	264,324	15,167	835,366	57,534	7,908,164	759,472
British Australasia.....	288,531	39,078	137,085	12,750	1,028,934	168,398	1,093,941	158,519	1,214,366	174,864
Other Asia and Oceania.....	26,435	3,734	.....	.....	192,023	15,273	114,838	10,680	486,656	36,211
Africa.....	241,996	26,267	388,753	35,366	1,702,142	137,314	1,807,628	174,697	1,675,298	161,641
Other countries.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	220	24	.....	.....	600	71
Total unmanufactured...	18,129,687	1,407,966	14,699,661	1,312,369	220,239,136	17,548,084	182,835,750	15,415,851	186,352,343	16,945,543
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars.....M.	53	749	395	5,724	924	22,678	850	21,113	1,665	27,781
Cigarettes.....M.	62,153	111,870	66,782	135,453	539,093	1,124,566	546,346	1,118,026	771,028	1,432,574
Plug.....lbs.	583,137	135,462	415,717	87,978	.....	1,706,102	5,631,406	1,245,283	4,941,170	1,150,319
All other.....	.....	42,853	.....	47,963	.....	.....	.....	376,027	.....	452,930
Total.....	.....	290,934	.....	277,118	.....	2,853,346	.....	2,760,449	.....	3,063,604
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	.....	78,095	.....	44,371	.....	900,081	.....	793,352	.....	467,243
France.....	.....	289	.....	.....	.....	9,109	.....	13,929	.....	8,925
Germany.....	.....	5,338	.....	6,138	.....	126,125	.....	79,978	.....	54,310
Other Europe.....	.....	11,201	.....	16,719	.....	170,027	.....	173,547	.....	236,460
British North America.....	.....	3,293	.....	6,186	.....	33,915	.....	34,652	.....	35,119
Central American States and British Honduras.....	.....	1,558	.....	4,890	.....	37,547	.....	21,298	.....	31,603
Mexico.....	.....	497	.....	755	.....	10,943	.....	6,324	.....	7,832
Cuba.....	.....	6,579	.....	14,583	.....	30,899	.....	77,588	.....	59,453
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	.....	7,209	.....	15,669	.....	110,982	.....	82,812	.....	73,358
Argentina.....	.....	331	.....	1,275	.....	45,305	.....	1,783	.....	3,983
Brazil.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,355	.....	10	.....	509
Colombia.....	.....	280	.....	121	.....	1,066	.....	942	.....	2,868
Other South America.....	.....	4,353	.....	5,037	.....	37,163	.....	45,418	.....	59,471
China.....	.....	21,960	.....	21,460	.....	142,002	.....	178,801	.....	164,806
East Indies: British.....	.....	6,689	.....	29,453	.....	81,086	.....	82,972	.....	120,680
Hongkong.....	.....	2,012	.....	1,458	.....	(a)	.....	16,488	.....	37,489
Japan.....	.....	34,853	.....	.....	.....	238,249	.....	249,611	.....	456,948
British Australasia.....	.....	81,536	.....	60,322	.....	555,695	.....	692,065	.....	934,455
Other Asia and Oceania.....	.....	13,948	.....	21,295	.....	135,217	.....	114,921	.....	150,515
Africa.....	.....	10,913	.....	21,386	.....	185,908	.....	91,284	.....	165,932
Other countries.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	672	.....	2,674	.....	656
Total manufactures of...	.....	290,934	.....	277,118	.....	2,853,346	.....	2,760,449	.....	3,063,604
Toys.....	.....	4,530	.....	7,202	.....	94,834	.....	81,947	.....	93,521
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.....	.....	6,249	.....	12,564	.....	51,000	.....	54,441	.....	67,702
Varnish.....galls.	22,937	23,764	30,610	39,786	209,919	228,115	209,990	219,249	227,895	240,493
Vegetables:										
Beans and pease.....bush..	63,271	80,138	61,113	88,274	527,406	635,471	568,572	711,358	589,365	849,980
Onions.....do...	4,276	4,674	7,722	6,752	54,005	37,780	77,152	64,715	132,297	104,553
Potatoes.....do...	47,638	39,122	55,408	43,752	642,780	360,072	461,296	358,370	408,446	312,351
Vegetables, canned.....	.....	19,925	.....	27,434	.....	258,766	.....	256,485	.....	401,127
All other, including pickles and sauces.....	.....	20,119	.....	18,042	.....	122,894	.....	181,960	.....	190,123
Total.....	.....	163,978	.....	184,254	.....	1,414,983	.....	1,572,888	.....	1,853,134
Vessels sold to foreigners (tons):										
Steamers.....	13	3,600	49	15,680	441	89,068	296	80,679	89	26,690
Sailing vessels.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78	1,600	2	300	1,363	15,800
Total.....	13	3,600	49	15,680	519	90,668	298	80,979	1,452	42,490

(a) Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1907.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Vinegar.....galls.	6,097	830	6,225	747	45,249	5,891	57,728	6,913	58,649	8,196
Whalebone.....lbs.	3,892	13,752	10,328	26,467	58,453	207,334	88,400	262,252	72,702	205,402
Wine:										
In bottles.....doz.	818	3,873	900	4,063	8,053	33,552	4,841	20,855	6,700	33,582
In other coverings.....galls.	139,935	73,258	146,717	65,757	851,709	393,911	667,470	297,996	916,334	377,087
Total.....		77,131		69,820		427,463		318,851		410,669
Wood, and manufactures of:										
TIMBER AND UNMANUFACTURED										
WOOD—										
Sawed.....M feet.	23,434	247,948	24,161	240,978	131,781	1,471,986	166,130	1,750,858	200,900	2,015,475
Hewn.....cubic feet.	116,602	19,583	77,760	8,340	1,710,441	333,552	2,920,175	639,487	2,214,400	392,531
Logs and other.....		253,240		244,414		2,097,322		1,738,146		1,886,671
Total.....		520,771		493,732		3,902,860		4,128,491		4,294,677
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		217,280		155,266		1,706,877		1,515,925		1,515,640
France.....		33,823		35,490		93,195		163,780		201,072
Germany.....		87,173		126,050		649,213		799,886		626,813
Other Europe.....		106,237		80,437		435,575		600,312		777,378
British North America.....		28,181		8,449		404,478		654,233		613,767
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		5,114		9,081		112,361		40,426		20,684
Mexico.....		27,444		19,995		176,107		114,749		202,417
Cuba.....		940		1,848		5,573		3,120		18,263
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		368		1,204		15,332		3,689		4,143
Argentina.....		342		1,323		25,254		6,349		12,306
Brazil.....		75				9,694		7,278		4,284
Colombia.....		1,238		6,461		6,936		12,597		20,026
Other South America.....				240		6,262		30,614		14,100
British Australasia.....		4,396		11,770		161,588		112,105		128,868
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		4,110		19,382		27,388		36,411		53,070
Africa.....		4,050		16,731		67,087		27,077		81,846
Total.....		520,771		493,732		3,902,860		4,128,491		4,294,677
LUMBER (M feet)—										
Boards, deals, and planks.....	58,440	916,026	74,291	1,165,666	464,055	6,902,494	451,117	6,893,682	519,907	8,051,767
Joists and scantling.....	4,721	53,435	4,203	44,182	18,366	220,189	21,085	238,771	16,703	185,417
Total.....	63,161	969,461	78,494	1,209,848	482,421	7,122,683	472,202	7,042,453	536,610	8,237,184
Exported to (M feet)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,300	184,931	8,410	212,623	63,366	1,582,982	71,475	1,620,916	84,230	1,924,471
France.....	2,070	33,034	1,105	18,450	9,560	150,592	15,730	221,681	16,286	232,594
Germany.....	2,958	60,788	4,587	102,879	11,475	271,574	19,397	447,243	25,201	569,887
Other Europe.....	5,890	107,432	10,991	221,612	41,202	647,522	56,340	968,106	67,368	1,315,495
British North America.....	4,389	69,239	5,241	84,230	31,210	433,830	41,370	564,953	54,579	773,957
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	393	3,473	168	2,673	6,159	71,815	2,197	25,095	2,653	33,486
Mexico.....	4,673	50,991	7,900	79,629	32,886	462,134	35,228	486,671	37,894	405,432
Santo Domingo.....	235	4,067	184	3,030	1,531	27,880	1,761	24,366	878	14,476
Cuba.....	3,206	36,582	7,596	83,270	15,698	171,567	16,423	189,581	26,729	312,548
Porto Rico.....	639	7,798	506	6,445	6,093	80,528	3,168	39,703	1,041	12,946
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	5,583	77,357	7,289	98,900	34,885	505,650	22,265	315,638	26,730	375,666
Argentina.....	8,589	103,101	9,323	93,514	60,742	729,893	45,900	523,210	55,975	612,487
Brazil.....	6,752	83,134	2,450	30,329	35,220	442,755	28,428	363,224	19,291	258,777
Colombia.....	453	5,783	218	3,880	1,918	28,074	3,039	38,658	1,757	25,006
Other South America.....	3,022	41,713	3,810	58,592	35,596	440,378	22,201	261,324	23,905	291,435
China.....				906	4,218	35,864	12,666	85,201	8,902	77,174
Hongkong.....				811	8,625	(a)	619	8,101	1,613	11,731
Japan.....				10	165	9,555	6,087	44,103	1,083	11,016

(a) Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.										
LUMBER (M feet)—Continued.										
Exported to (M feet)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....	4,250	41,368	1,076	7,529	37,522	374,585	28,020	299,039	28,536	321,337
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	2,002	19,314	4,437	46,164	17,104	182,765	24,795	232,380	28,691	279,487
Africa.....	2,407	39,356	1,407	39,535	25,921	397,280	15,015	281,665	23,137	332,601
Other countries.....					251	4,908	75	1,395	101	1,515
Total boards, deals, etc..	63,161	969,461	78,494	1,209,848	482,421	7,122,683	472,202	7,042,453	536,610	8,237,184
Shingles.....M.	3,215	11,391	7,617	12,042	32,059	59,462	24,860	56,738	43,792	74,624
Shooks—										
Box.....		30,013		43,642		358,913		331,111		247,858
Other.....No..	61,072	81,732	66,111	77,631	524,245	407,062	384,554	379,231	454,276	397,439
Staves.....No..	3,309,935	223,454	3,127,526	256,833		2,085,120	81,350,380	2,109,481	29,978,157	2,381,572
Heading.....		10,135		17,708				129,708		128,718
All other.....		201,862		222,189		1,686,970		1,845,430		1,832,969
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds.....		65,969		132,564		311,171		419,697		679,705
FURNITURE, N. E. S.—										
United Kingdom.....		47,273		102,009		493,159		541,357		592,752
France.....		12,515		4,880		108,941		152,095		39,418
Germany.....		16,201		9,825		112,229		171,631		108,552
Other Europe.....		19,550		33,785		119,171		153,410		131,211
British North America.....		18,576		19,016		343,202		309,876		260,283
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,925		3,506		93,942		56,929		23,980
Mexico.....		17,178		21,479		106,301		96,610		120,931
Santo Domingo.....		1,748		767		8,018		8,061		3,784
Cuba.....		2,478		7,289		18,820		17,281		18,366
Porto Rico.....		600		2,111		12,139		4,185		5,937
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		9,915		10,315		91,749		72,755		60,192
Argentina.....		3,950		3,962		55,947		43,160		34,619
Brazil.....		2,660		1,716		29,812		26,186		18,241
Colombia.....		2,788		3,212		23,776		21,713		15,463
Other South America.....		10,554		6,184		70,982		47,362		40,762
China.....		1,596		112		17,177		15,482		6,667
East Indies: British.....		1,490		689		14,977		12,997		5,413
Japan.....		1,610		128		14,612		21,350		10,798
British Australasia.....		12,815		16,697		106,485		111,908		142,402
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		9,453		17,689		59,299		86,455		116,468
Africa.....		34,563		41,155		189,204		208,100		212,711
Other countries.....				50		668		2,115		1,364
Total furniture, n. e. s....		233,438		306,576		2,090,610		2,181,028		1,970,314
Hogsheads and barrels, empty.....		24,982		17,549		148,850		149,443		129,265
Trimmings, moldings, and other house finishings.....		25,484		20,879		110,313		167,726		225,792
Wooden ware.....		41,747		45,189		309,867		251,254		358,266
Wood pulp.....lbs..	7,825,572	60,256	4,144,624	55,338	(a)	(a)	28,002,636	302,442	32,421,807	346,414
All other.....		254,644		224,220		1,831,615		1,641,804		1,665,550
Total.....		2,755,359		3,135,940		20,425,496		21,136,037		22,970,347
Wool, and manufactures of:										
Wool, raw.....	9,140	1,387			4,731,032	551,766	104,869	16,390	65,129	11,338
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets.....yards..	30,907	28,449	1,550	1,228	106,138	81,720	141,842	120,329	32,505	25,772
Dress goods.....yards..	29,049	4,951	3,050	2,281	(a)	(a)	48,559	22,461	16,201	10,268
Flannels and blankets.....		2,926		1,191		31,617		27,431		26,855
Wearing apparel.....		25,352		59,193		236,904		239,593		300,938
All other manufactures of.....		55,497		19,551		189,343		280,697		224,125
Total manufactures.....		117,175		83,444		539,584		690,511		587,958

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Zinc, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ore tons..	117	4,087	1,464	43,950	2,935	64,100	5,121	139,272	5,678	165,635
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets										
..... lbs..	4,919,261	240,667	2,868,217	135,958	17,876,304	893,055	15,403,118	733,058	8,458,266	411,062
All other manufactures of.....		4,697		14,098		43,644		39,049		98,193
Total, not including ore.....		245,364		150,056		936,699		772,107		509,255
ALL OTHER ARTICLES		285,069		435,073		2,522,929		2,257,348		3,020,306
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE		106,698,651		113,860,144		614,463,776		706,514,838		736,942,558
CARRIED IN—										
CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES		5,268,183		5,973,213		36,226,772		38,146,122		41,868,709
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS		3,765,484		4,306,822		31,600,554		29,180,216		28,373,565
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Belgian.....	1,375,315		1,417,654				11,399,879		9,943,898	
British.....	69,850,617		77,306,720				449,077,795		479,254,540	
Dutch.....	1,217,189		2,198,166				11,417,553		15,914,755	
French.....	1,893,717		1,344,756				9,778,074		8,575,770	
German.....	7,684,982	89,865,704	6,987,813	98,058,305		6515,718,362	51,543,884	571,816,035	63,482,190	618,111,304
Italian.....			251,495				897,234		1,104,399	
Norwegian.....	2,895,049		2,282,092				12,781,742		14,880,550	
All other.....	4,948,835		6,269,809				24,919,924		24,955,196	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS		1,367,536		1,781,822		14,628,014		11,863,856		11,437,086
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....									2,889	
British.....	3,966,084		1,845,292				39,329,374		22,661,403	
Dutch.....			131,318				314,695		542,704	
French.....	329,697	6,431,744	131,199	3,739,732		646,290,074	1,035,739	55,506,550	628,237	37,229,894
German.....	764,012		457,935				5,258,340		4,758,694	
Italian.....	491,449		319,218				2,949,846		2,416,930	
Norwegian.....	651,385		583,510				4,397,331		3,935,585	
All other.....	288,067		241,210				2,221,234		2,283,452	

NOTE.—The value of merchandise exported in January, 1899, in the shipping of each of the leading merchant marines of the world, is given on page 1530.

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Animals (number):								
Cattle.....dwt.....			1, 172	14, 868	23	1, 230	3, 847	56, 444
Horses.....free.....					8	2, 550	3	102
Do.....dwt.....	3	1, 500	1	300	142	70, 998	144	47, 610
Sheep.....dwt.....					67	390	61	875
All other, including fowls.....free.....						156		9, 028
Do.....dwt.....		2, 193		55		4, 978		3, 212
Total.....		3, 693		15, 223		80, 302		117, 271
Antimony ore.....free..lbs.							32, 075	627
Antimony ore, as regulus or metal.....dwt..lbs.					4, 089	287		
Articles, the growth, produce, and manufacture of the United States, returned, n. e. s.....free.....				50		135		76
Articles for the use of the United States, etc. free.....						144		
Art works.....free.....		3, 500		461		34, 831		10, 143
Do.....dwt.....		14, 212		1, 072		39, 005		97, 309
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude.....dwt..tons..	13	449	1	27	40	1, 032	956	18, 760
Bolting cloths.....free.....								1, 000
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured.....free.....		35				3, 442		2, 616
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dwt.....		87		29		1, 829		423
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....free.....		2, 548		1, 406		16, 723		13, 399
Do.....dwt.....		568		1, 399		12, 822		15, 951
Brass, and manufactures of.....dwt.....				62		1, 310		1, 109
Breadstuffs:								
Barley.....dwt..bush.....							86	29
Corn.....dwt..bush.....							1, 480	463
Wheat.....dwt..bush.....	35, 667	35, 689	187, 044	145, 274	1, 762, 388	1, 666, 512	1, 786, 701	1, 340, 269
Wheat flour.....dwt..bbls.....	240	642			540	1, 595	1, 044	3, 898
All other, and preparations of, etc.....free.....		146		17		5, 808		1, 316
Do.....dwt.....		191		970		2, 666		2, 420
Total.....		36, 668		146, 261		1, 676, 581		1, 348, 395
Bristles (pounds):								
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....	40	18			40	18	1, 771	1, 210
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dwt.....	1, 214	767	4, 872	2, 436	16, 315	14, 040	33, 827	14, 132
Total.....	1, 254	785	4, 872	2, 436	16, 355	14, 058	35, 598	15, 342
Brushes.....dwt.....		23		3		1, 696		174
Buttons and button forms.....dwt.....		106		90		1, 667		644
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....dwt..lbs.....	770, 891	3, 545	618, 900	2, 044	2, 379, 262	9, 374	4, 858, 527	17, 447
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:								
Alizarin and alizarin colors or dyes, etc.....free..lbs.			854	102	4, 467	645	20, 640	3, 307
Argols, or wine lees.....dwt..lbs.....	75	4	92	5	375	19	250	13
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....dwt.....		15, 381		4, 529		31, 290		21, 375
Cochineal.....free..lbs.....					404	113		
DYEWOODS—								
Logwood.....free..tons.....	16	324	7	148	16	324	60	1, 490
All other.....free.....		192		221		6, 640		1, 162
Extracts and decoctions of.....dwt..lbs.....	2, 744	214	5, 162	376	21, 275	1, 613	110, 634	17, 124
Total.....		730		745		7, 977		19, 776
Glycerin.....dwt..lbs.....					54, 519	4, 692		
Gums (pounds)—								
Arabic.....free.....	200	58	7, 543	1, 353	5, 602	1, 439	24, 421	4, 458
Camphor, crude.....free.....					100	15	908	294
Chicle.....dwt.....			12, 500	2, 118			95, 134	17, 127
Copal, cowrie, and dammar.....free.....			23, 285	2, 310			152, 217	16, 656
Gambier, or terra japonica.....free.....			27, 744	816	126, 299	4, 623	170, 683	5, 834
Shellac.....free.....	5, 000	1, 000	1, 912	416	27, 019	5, 827	33, 517	6, 748
All other.....free.....		15, 587		12, 281		89, 548		55, 826
Total.....		16, 645		19, 294		101, 452		106, 943

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Indigo.....free..lbs..	9,843	7,973	3,100	2,330	42,489	33,007	40,308	31,268
Licorice root.....free..lbs..							245	23
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....free..lbs..					24,660	393		
Do.....dut..lbs..	22,145	250			28,009	352	110	3
Mineral waters, all not artificial.....free..galls..					155	114		
Mineral waters.....dut..galls..	600	202	966	393	2,428	754	4,422	1,742
OPIUM (pounds)—								
Crude or unmanufactured.....free..					50	100		
Do.....dut.....	2,047	4,130	10,227	29,261	2,474	4,722	32,328	82,352
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.....					3	25	4	60
POTASH (pounds)—								
Chlorate of.....free..					1,108	99		
Do.....dut.....			4,479	280	9,161	801	20,374	1,669
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free..					12,180	220		
All other.....free..			520	26	41,615	2,074	28,334	744
Total.....				306		3,194		2,413
Quinia, sulphate of, etc.....free..ozs..					200	55		
SODA—								
Caustic.....dut..lbs..	62,879	1,208	64,873	1,542	863,633	15,929	623,081	11,314
Nitrate of.....free..tons..	72	2,697			647	24,141	424	13,695
Soda ash.....dut..lbs..	47,748	214	1,012,044	3,328	1,335,714	5,380	4,351,508	14,248
All other salts of.....dut..lbs..	560	8	15,233	168	5,376	68	29,972	331
Total.....		4,127		5,038		45,573		39,588
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude.....free..tons..	174	3,085			368	7,067	934	21,500
Sumac, ground.....dut..lbs..					23,359	334	24,055	375
Vanilla beans.....free..lbs..	1,499	7,380	1,410	3,992	5,946	27,068	24,147	86,204
All other.....free..		23,945		13,120		191,032		134,066
Do.....dut.....		19,020		3,595		82,120		64,741
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....		108,872		82,710		542,043		615,740
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....dut..lbs..			12	2	384	84	13,516	1,406
Clays or earths of all kinds.....dut..tons..	1	6	25	95	1	14	124	310
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):								
Clocks, and parts of.....		75				508		217
Watches, and watch materials, etc.....		122				1,237		195
Coal, bituminous.....dut..tons..			174	173	4,906	5,062	2,938	2,559
Cocoa, or cacao, crude, etc.....free..lbs..	42,479	7,122	774,951	70,288	664,279	88,494	1,392,240	165,084
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....dut..lbs..			99	17	689	181	373	91
Coffee.....free..lbs..	2,276,933	291,910	2,258,272	201,687	10,649,860	1,355,203	15,052,394	1,504,574
Copper, and manufactures of:								
Ore and regulus.....free..tons..					593	85,170	3,328	536,391
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc.....free..lbs..					214,132	15,501	1,487,933	71,768
Manufactures of.....dut.....		123		316		2,849		1,549
Total, not including ore.....		123		316		18,350		73,317
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanufactured.....free.....		6,700		2,244		43,128		40,281
Cork, manufactures of.....dut.....		156		113		4,152		777
Cotton, and manufactures of:								
Unmanufactured.....free..lbs..	16,875	1,350	10,746	700	298,191	23,641	70,618	6,395
Waste or flock.....free..lbs..							10,960	274
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cloth (square yards)—								
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....			3,455	256			10,837	569
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	63,354	5,435	24,712	1,384	764,142	59,415	98,507	8,606
Total.....	63,354	5,435	28,167	1,640	764,142	59,415	109,344	9,175
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		913		251		12,619		7,516
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		119		770		4,744		3,995
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		368		1,978		9,935		7,140
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs..			3,302	1,122	3,140	1,241	3,602	1,244
All other.....		7,957		6,046		96,554		60,907
Total manufactures.....		14,792		11,807		184,508		89,977

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ARTICLES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):								
CHINA, PORCELAIN, FAIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Not decorated or ornamented.....		70		1,118		1,073		5,397
Decorated or ornamented.....		607		1,604		3,840		12,129
All other.....		73		399		9,177		2,060
Total.....		749		3,121		14,090		19,586
Eggs..... doz. dut.								3
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc. dut.				2,838		252		18,963
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc. dut.						4,986		5,570
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, for millinery use. dut.		70		93		9,677		403
Fertilizers (free, tons):								
Phosphates, crude or native.....					65	1,782		
All other.....				2,298		794		15,797
Total.....				2,298		2,576		15,797
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—								
Flax, hackled..... dut.					25	2,129		
Hemp, and tow of..... free.					57	5,117		
Hemp, hackled..... dut.			74	11,975	196	16,348	75	12,210
Istle or Tampico fiber..... free.	31	2,198	120	12,529	469	32,849	803	64,147
Manila..... free.	8	505	90	12,319	255	23,153	159	23,732
Sisal grass..... free.	21	1,650	15	2,016	1,119	82,506	322	47,345
All other..... free.	4	287		46	74	11,799	71	8,114
Total unmanufactured.....		4,730		38,885		173,901		155,548
MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—								
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. dut.						471		55
Bags for grain, made of burlaps..... free.						350		
Bags of jute..... dut.		1,957		6,708		9,443		13,086
Burlaps..... free.						24		
Do..... dut.		719				5,390		
Cables, cordage, and twine, n. e. s. dut.	144	55			4,689	425	586	93
Coir yarn..... free.					29,000	870	31,245	1,273
Carpets and carpeting..... sq. yds. dut.							4,389	1,354
Fabrics, plain, woven of single jute yarn. dut.				2,670				5,486
Handkerchiefs..... dut.								40
Twine, binding..... free.			1,000	82			1,125	124
Yarns or threads..... dut.					3,750	1,457		
All other..... dut.		5,743		5,763		30,817		23,345
Total manufactures.....		8,474		15,223		49,247		44,856
Fish (pounds):								
FRESH—								
Lobsters, canned or uncanned..... free.	30	6			5,114	999	14,630	2,329
All other..... dut.		22				22		
CURED OR PRESERVED (dutiable)—								
Anchovies and sardines, etc.		81		1,839		9,031		7,025
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.	1,010,955	32,189	1,090,095	43,855	6,270,836	200,807	4,139,157	149,401
Herring—								
Dried or smoked.....	489,419	8,644	174,019	3,731	3,163,341	52,087	975,653	23,199
Pickled or salted.....			440	22	24,860	730	61,075	1,691
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....					19,400	1,177	7,400	351
Salmon, pickled or salted.....	5,200	250			18,800	1,182	150,508	23,785
All other.....		2,332		10,765		7,713		45,603
Total.....		43,524		60,212		273,748		253,384
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):								
Bananas..... free.		589		558		166,862		138,954
Currants..... dut.	11,556	357	13,723	498	907,733	28,703	332,073	9,812
Dates..... dut.	10,258	409	19,423	365	113,924	3,845	131,068	2,546
Figs..... dut.	110	11	7,927	338	33,689	1,880	53,871	3,111
Lemons..... dut.		125		383		7,073		4,328

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	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Oranges.....dut.....		612		849		9,032		10,315
Plums and prunes.....dut.....	750	58			1,775	168		
Raisins.....dut.....	48,459	2,112	19,785	1,242	441,449	19,712	177,771	9,079
Prepared or preserved.....dut.....		1,374		2,166		15,849		5,963
All other.....free.....		1,205				24,910		
Do.....dut.....		2,003		2,434		39,003		48,194
Total fruits.....		8,855		8,833		317,037		233,302
NUTS—								
Almonds.....dut.....	15,269	1,115	28,045	1,898	53,962	4,349	117,068	8,134
Cocanuts.....free.....		920				1,113		2,486
Do.....dut.....						2,667		
All other.....free.....				358				6,022
Do.....dut.....		1,629		1,857		13,897		11,000
Total fruits and nuts.....		12,519		12,946		339,063		260,944
Furs:								
Furs and fur skins, undressed.....free.....		7,200		7,718		53,583		98,323
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.....		6,424		12,041		84,342		52,158
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....dut...doz..	455	387	10	7	1,059	771	638	460
Glass and glassware (dutiable):								
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		102		40		657		1,299
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs..					59,944	1,009	17,752	464
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, silvered...sq. ft..	22	7			22	7		
Plate glass, cast, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft..					900	215		
All other.....		1,060		723		8,615		3,856
Total.....		1,169		763		10,593		5,619
Glue.....dut.....lbs..			2,615	235	16,087	2,261	3,035	279
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free.....						279		2,111
Grease, n. e. s.....dut.....		24		25		709		2,246
Hair:								
Unmanufactured.....free.....				1,484		1,197		3,493
Manufactures of.....dut.....		312		14		1,054		1,005
Total.....		312		1,498		2,251		4,498
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc., free.....						9,622		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.....		3,482		236		16,097		4,786
Materials for, etc.....dut.....		11,947		6,991		37,815		50,935
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):								
Goatskins.....free.....	12,135	4,854	31,808	11,587	204,288	64,709	82,450	25,302
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free.....	29,920	3,611	7,316	2,279	450,929	42,452	300,737	51,282
Hides of cattle.....dut.....	705,833	61,639	387,055	46,533	5,827,916	550,009	2,104,304	256,060
Total.....	747,888	70,104	429,179	60,399	6,489,133	657,170	2,487,491	332,644
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....				1,812				2,107
Hops.....dut.....lbs..	5,306	1,308	4,243	1,441	21,933	4,191	18,431	4,768
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		13,182		240		34,909		4,796
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Gutta-percha.....	3,821	1,320	79	55	11,853	8,320	60,228	41,176
India rubber.....	337,129	203,797	245,297	144,273	1,720,713	840,061	1,780,727	1,138,429
Total unmanufactured.....	390,950	205,117	245,376	144,328	1,732,566	848,381	1,840,955	1,179,605
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
India rubber.....		68,510		186		98,917		9,846
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Pig iron.....dut.....tons..	65	748	219	2,698	111	1,286	470	5,832
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....dut.....tons..					57	313	54	198
Bar iron.....dut.....lbs..	5,916	209	86	5	33,467	1,185	22,130	753
Bars, railway, of iron or steel.....dut.....tons..	140	3,479			402	15,400		
Hoop, band, or scroll.....dut.....lbs..							145	25
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc.....lbs..	953	91	124	53	15,252	1,550	81,301	2,163
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....dut.....lbs..	42,021	1,110	4,550	114	1,661,037	45,756	235,371	5,665
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin.....dut.....lbs..			175,084	5,250	194,630	5,269	401,493	11,618
Wire rods.....dut.....lbs..					293,250	5,865		
Wire, and articles made from.....dut.....lbs..	3,330	232	40,000	140	21,858	2,144	163,794	3,323

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	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Anvils.....dut..lbs..					5,855	191		
Chains.....dut..lbs..							600	50
Cutlery.....dut.....		683		940		9,823		4,742
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.....						17		132
Firearms.....dut.....				1,377		6,806		14,003
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free.....				12		2		129
Machinery.....dut.....		1,569		6,593		17,987		125,209
Shotgun barrels, forged, rough-bored, free.....						728		
All other.....dut.....		21,616		36,442		76,374		95,353
Total, not including ore.....		29,737		53,624		190,696		269,201
Ivory (free, pounds):								
Animal.....	179	353	595	1,650	1,880	4,308	2,310	6,113
Vegetable.....	1,130	15	41,966	743	193,881	4,412	571,547	8,221
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:								
Diamonds, n. e. s., not set.....dut.....				948		9		39,415
Other precious stones, rough or uncut.....free.....								405
Other precious stones and imitations of, not set.....dut.....						7,214		
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....dut.....		2,317		1,323		7,597		10,330
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
Lead in ore and base bullion.....	10,583,022	192,576	12,451,962	193,105	71,839,347	1,322,565	91,139,486	1,395,271
Manufactures of.....		19		12		23,562		47
Leather, and manufactures of:								
LEATHER (dutiable)—								
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		871		270		7,629		4,370
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		539				956		2,197
Skins for morocco.....								737
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		987				4,022		27,593
Total leather.....		2,397		270		12,607		34,897
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....				2,781		2,402		8,404
All other.....		2,258		1,580		22,625		7,986
Total manufactures.....		2,258		4,361		25,027		16,390
Malt liquors (dutiable, gallons):								
In bottles or jugs.....	590	493	471	423	5,197	4,019	7,700	4,643
In other coverings.....			9	4			160	94
Total.....	590	493	489	427	5,197	4,019	7,860	4,737
Manganese ore or oxide.....free.....tons..					15	85	31	243
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
Marble, and manufactures of.....		1,401				2,291		190
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		19		166		826		830
Total.....		1,420		166		3,117		1,020
Matting for floors.....free.....rolls..					60	204		
Matting and mats for floors.....dut..sq. yds..	2,642	481	300	34	27,726	4,316	38,300	3,600
Metals, metal compositions, and manuf's of (dut.):								
Bronze manufactures.....						671		1,000
All other.....		3,031		712		24,805		40,600
Total.....		3,031		712		25,476		41,600
Musical instruments.....dut.....		612		40		5,596		3,586
Oils (gallons):								
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—								
Whale and fish.....dut.....	420	260	3,915	1,295	2,917	1,572	23,464	6,874
Other.....dut.....							1	1
MINERAL.....free.....							90	10
Do.....dut.....							1,090	141
VEGETABLE—								
Fixed or expressed—								
Olive.....dut.....	267	440	156	198	978	1,235	2,744	2,672
Other.....free.....		6,539		1,343		18,515		7,559
Do.....dut.....		2,090		3,141		16,040		18,900
Volatile or essential and distilled.....free.....		10,000		1,430		31,178		13,700
Do.....dut.....		1,731		782		5,700		4,690
Total.....		21,080		8,189		74,240		54,547

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	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Paints, pigments, and colors..... free								
Do..... dut.		746		2,609		7,163		12,312
Paper stock, crude (free: see also Wood pulp):								
Rags, other than woolen..... lbs.	16,250	325			25,115	450	9,404	189
All other.....						578		120
Total.....		325				1,028		309
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s. dut.								185
Parchment papers..... dut. lbs.			4,748	187			9,543	571
All other paper..... dut.		1,048		3,523		12,967		10,993
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc..... dut.		607		761		2,971		3,282
Pipes and smokers' articles..... dut.		24		62		895		5,374
Plants, trees, shrubs, and vines..... dut.				1,087				5,373
Plumb go..... free..... tons.	3	135			3	147	160	11,388
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (dut.):								
MEAT PRODUCTS—								
Meat and meat extracts.....		468		481		1,138		860
All other.....		8		605		245		53,911
DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—								
Butter.....	973	129			2,594	541	1,816	397
Cheese.....	9,394	1,441	17,486	2,516	60,897	8,662	175,144	17,214
Milk, condensed.....		297		389		543		1,162
Total.....		2,343		3,991		11,120		75,544
Rice..... dut. lbs.	554,826	10,555	1,493,481	28,658	5,840,180	104,396	14,202,945	315,772
Salt..... free..... lbs.					67,200	66		
Do..... dut. lbs.			95,800	140	1,136,875	1,325	992,442	1,950
Total.....			95,800	140	1,204,075	1,401	992,442	1,950
Sausage casings..... free.....				167		150		16,794
Seeds (bushels):								
Linseed or flaxseed..... dut.					2,167	1,369		
All other..... free.....		199		2,011		3,362		6,058
Do..... dut.		177		3		7,267		1,001
Total.....		376		2,014		11,998		7,059
Shells, unmanufactured..... free.....		925		4,281		13,884		29,608
Silk, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	692	2,669	9,729	29,407	50,900	141,713	31,530	101,078
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....				799		7,694		19,325
Dress and piece goods.....		338		11,101		2,926		55,726
Laces and embroideries.....		16		4,413		4,494		5,524
Ribbons.....						283		1,197
Spun silk, in skeins, etc..... lbs.			2,642	8,434			7,611	25,294
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics..... lbs.			143	404			1,231	3,427
All other.....		7,209		14,982		40,431		53,231
Total manufactures.....		7,563		40,133		55,878		168,724
Soap (dutiable, pounds):								
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....			275	66	425	103	845	135
All other.....		262		12		4,554		3,936
Total.....		262		78		4,657		4,071
Spices:								
UNGROUND (pounds)—								
Nutmegs..... free.....	250	97	971	232	8,582	1,825	10,857	6,121
Pepper, black or white..... free.....	47,661	3,743	39,980	4,082	662,907	46,227	551,810	53,295
All other..... free.....	108,091	9,688	33,350	3,719	386,930	42,761	1,004,882	89,657
Do..... dut.....	1,397	58	2,348	58	56,635	2,189	113,172	4,450
Total.....	157,369	13,586	76,654	8,091	1,115,144	93,002	1,668,721	175,463

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	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free.....	38	25	15,107	15,607	515	441	20,570	20,957
Brandy.....dut.....	413	529	22	37	5,827	6,833	1,245	2,473
All other.....dut.....	1,767	3,585	3,511	7,637	15,670	21,733	24,100	42,061
Total.....	2,218	4,139	18,640	23,281	22,012	29,007	45,915	65,491
Sponges.....dut.....		4,510		8,747		39,476		58,141
Straw and grasses, manufactures of.....dut.....								1,524
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:								
Molasses.....free.....galls.....					4,009	922		
Molasses above 40° polariscopic test.....dut.....galls.....	15,921	2,570			56,204	10,277	165,405	25,046
SUGAR (pounds)—								
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet.....dut.....							28,000	650
Cane and other.....dut.....	383,451	7,921			6,441,887	114,739	478,758	9,160
Above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet, cane, and other.....dut.....	1,102,683	25,310	412,773	10,469	3,652,186	93,756	2,642,544	66,087
Total sugar.....	1,486,134	33,231	412,773	10,469	10,094,073	208,495	3,149,302	75,897
Confectionery.....dut.....		48		60		1,627		524
Tea.....free.....lbs.....	824,261	122,551			1,571,579	238,604	170	50
Do.....dut.....lbs.....			52,015	7,152			639,468	86,513
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.....free.....lbs.....	69,495	12,427	24,093	4,025	689,628	96,417	336,561	53,117
Tobacco, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
LEAF—								
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	89,151	94,583	93,890	88,557	590,670	585,501	534,485	486,789
Other.....	126,642	68,210	178,852	101,307	739,510	229,796	808,071	435,761
Total leaf.....	215,793	162,823	272,742	189,864	1,330,180	815,297	1,342,556	922,550
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	596	1,088	1,584	3,028	17,291	23,244	8,812	12,487
All other.....		164		157		459		940
Total manufactures.....		1,252		3,185		23,703		13,427
Toys.....dut.....		79		5		4,097		1,977
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):								
Beans and dried pease.....	809	378	10	10	36,783	35,726	15,277	22,504
Onions.....							118	157
Potatoes.....	40	41			40	41		
Pickles and sauces.....		36		12		1,216		1,067
All other—								
In their natural state.....		3		225		362		4,264
Prepared or preserved.....		911		561		2,816		9,933
Total.....		1,369		808		40,161		37,925
Wines (dutiable):								
Champagne, and other sparkling.....doz.....	105	1,391	326	4,001	1,155	14,967	1,799	20,815
STILL WINES—								
In casks.....galls.....	1,895	976	3,287	1,423	19,257	8,399	10,539	5,297
In other coverings.....doz.....	207	560	89	337	2,154	7,512	1,346	4,192
Total.....		2,927		5,761		30,878		30,304
Wood, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED—								
Cabinet woods—								
Mahogany.....free.....M feet.....	18	1,035	266	21,360	1,020	69,693	1,978	151,291
All other.....free.....		8,976		4,343		37,348		19,379
Logs and round timber.....free.....M feet.....			6	637			7	647
Timber, hewn, etc.....dut.....cub. ft.....			4,242	515	27,365	3,928	4,532	557
Lumber—								
Boards, planks, etc.....free.....M feet.....					4,874	132,809		
Do.....dut.....M feet.....	1,509	25,887	2,971	31,007	9,866	158,395	15,748	146,406
Shingles.....dut.....M.....					1,523	1,523		
Other lumber.....dut.....		554				1,057		536
All other unmanufactured.....free.....		29,040		2,066		78,052		51,250
Do.....dut.....		292		32		292		684

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ARTICLES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiabie)—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Cabinet ware or house furniture		791		2, 186		3, 556		3, 711
Wood pulp.....tons.....							321	3, 497
All other.....		10, 181		8, 387		63, 723		78, 216
Total wood, and manufactures of.....		76, 756		70, 533		559, 296		456, 174
Wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—								
Class 1—Clothing: In the grease.....free.....					13, 084	2, 355		
Do.....dut.....	3, 435	686	370, 093	53, 515	705, 372	97, 232	3, 450, 947	438, 890
Scoured.....dut.....			11, 637	1, 189	17, 572	4, 070	22, 215	2, 291
Class 2—Combing: In the grease.....free.....					3, 581	895		
Do.....dut.....			142	28	272, 327	55, 057	2, 266	328
Class 3—Carpet: In the grease.....dut.....	7, 708	732	111, 790	12, 326	187, 816	19, 963	311, 313	37, 918
Scoured.....dut.....					17, 269	975		
Total unmanufactured.....	11, 143	1, 418	493, 662	67, 058	1, 217, 021	189, 547	3, 786, 741	479, 430
MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—								
Carpets and carpeting.....dut.sq.yds.....	390	3, 220	508	198	2, 188	5, 121	3, 116	9, 259
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit goods.....dut.....		2, 130		200		23, 794		12, 181
Cloths.....dut.....lbs.....	1, 138	817	11, 968	7, 219	112, 282	63, 997	20, 706	12, 750
Dressgoods, women's and children's.....dut.sq.yds.....	585	85	2, 965	1, 851	201, 796	31, 515	154, 690	25, 693
Knit fabrics.....dut.....						768		170
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc.....dut.....lbs.....	71, 860	3, 634	2, 126	600	995, 401	89, 041	29, 107	5, 505
Shawls.....dut.....						2, 419		748
Yarns.....dut.....lbs.....					7	1	464	250
All other.....dut.....		1, 102		902		38, 302		33, 329
Total manufactures.....		10, 988		10, 970		254, 958		99, 885
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiabie):								
In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs.....	12, 512	507			33, 815	1, 066	11, 627	374
Manufactures of.....		24		15		241		128
Total.....		531		15		1, 307		502
All other articles.....free.....		25, 886		2, 863		118, 154		31, 435
Do.....dut.....		9, 898		21, 940		53, 472		113, 877
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		857, 617		613, 603		4, 563, 434		5, 105, 655
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		870, 406		1, 119, 080		7, 289, 135		7, 501, 125
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.....		1, 728, 023		1, 732, 683		11, 852, 569		12, 606, 780
FROM WAREHOUSE.....		743, 310		1, 037, 897		6, 032, 660		7, 171, 276
NOT FROM WAREHOUSE.....		984, 713		694, 786		5, 819, 909		5, 435, 504
CARRIED IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		656, 179		689, 912		3, 751, 504		3, 740, 476
CARRIED IN AMERICAN VESSELS: Steam.....		62, 982		187, 757		1, 849, 607		1, 691, 048
Sailing.....		57, 855		41, 515		591, 322		475, 618
CARRIED IN FOREIGN VESSELS: Steam.....		945, 111		809, 029		5, 518, 987		6, 614, 477
Sailing.....		5, 896		7, 470		141, 149		125, 161

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON JANUARY 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

JANUARY—					JANUARY—				
ARTICLES.	1898		1899		ARTICLES.	1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals (number):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Earthen, stone, and china ware:				
Horses	11	3,850	12	6,450	CHINA, PORCELAIN, FARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
All other, including fowls		775			Not decorated or ornamented		37,514		49,057
Total		4,625		6,450	Decorated or ornamented		140,093		187,178
Art works		93,899		187,067	All other		6,331		7,793
Asphaltum, or bitumen, crude .. tons ..	357	5,084	174	1,515	Total		183,938		244,028
Bones and horns, manufactures of		6,799		4,086	Eggs			50	2
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.		34,672		33,592	Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc		18,461		45,967
Brass, manufactures of		892		1,394	Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc		45,204		23,136
Breadstuffs:					Feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., artificial		43,459		49,513
Oatmeal	3,360	139	2,688	115	Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:				
All other, and preparations of, etc.		40,501		14,556	UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—				
Total		40,640		14,671	Hemp	25	5,241	25	5,269
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared					MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—				
Brushes	104,604	75,017	133,497	67,717	Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.		8,232		34,259
Buttons and button forms		14,146		17,025	Bags, of jute		6,545		14,936
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. lbs. .	5,482,690	16,986	3,025,699	8,940	Burlaps, except for bagging for cotton		526,794		
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:					Cables, cordage, and twine .. lbs. .	11,090	2,105	8,029	1,488
Coal-tar colors and dyes		166,025		247,173	Carpets and carpeting .. sq. yds. .			25,260	7,193
Glycerin	151,832	13,341	158,877	10,534	Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn				128,914
Gum chicle			540,315	79,922	Handkerchiefs			6,553	3,907
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder			185,600	1,946	Oilcloths, sq. yds.				3,907
Logwood and other dyewoods, extracts and decoctions of .. lbs. .	156,779	11,789	497,487	31,390	Yarns or threads	13,768	4,263	37,942	8,429
Mineral waters	24,785	6,335	72,792	15,755	All other		508,385		1,322,706
OPIUM—					Total manufactures		1,056,324		1,536,524
Crude, or unmanufactured .. lbs. .	25,666	50,763	163,047	379,807	Fish (pounds):				
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc. lbs. .	16,950	108,757	14,310	96,289	FRESH—				
Potash, chlorate of	32,580	2,158	32,030	1,527	All other				6
SODA—					CURED OR PRESERVED—				
Caustic	1,438,089	24,724	1,179,047	15,973	Anchovies and sardines, etc.		180,848		230,427
Soda ash	413,930	2,068	92,361	746	Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.	4,127,424	137,158	3,110,557	107,634
All other salts of	137,933	1,138	67,390	486	Herring—				
Sumac, ground	581,147	7,985	123,590	830	Dried or smoked	1,221,188	24,449	895,318	21,354
All other		277,497		291,986	Pickled or salted	644,147	20,561	448,665	13,578
Total		672,580		1,174,364	Mackerel, pickled or salted	56,421	3,129	25,314	2,183
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery)					Salmon, pickled or salted	43,700	2,605	43,100	2,583
Clays or earths of all kinds	152	866	1,936	14,944	All other		51,028		34,566
Clocks and watches, and parts of:					Total		419,778		412,331
Clocks, and parts of		38,736		38,181	Fruits, including nuts (pounds):				
Watches, and parts of, etc.		24,569		25,478	Currants	1,140,884	38,612	6,155,017	136,172
Total		63,305		63,659	Dates	2,776,853	72,914	1,732,099	48,069
Coal, bituminous					Figs	454,292	22,645	1,747,558	54,059
Cocoa, prepared, etc	9,440	1,857	2,941	703	Plums and prunes	3,896	658	1,930	291
Copper, manufactures of		4,181		1,228	Raisins	362,783	21,733	752,619	23,116
Cork, manufactures of		15,248		8,608	Prepared or preserved		36,463		25,492
Cotton, manufactures of:					All other		1,116		920
CLOTHS (square yards)—					Total fruits		194,141		288,119
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	162,323	12,924	35,005	3,809	NUTS—				
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	2,054,497	244,701	693,420	125,381	Almonds	571,611	84,468	1,419,066	185,697
Total	2,216,820	257,625	728,425	129,190	All other		73,648		84,965
Clothing, ready made, etc.					Total fruits and nuts		352,257		558,781
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.		28,845		33,382	Furs, and manufactures of		144,033		59,400
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.		318,950		382,416	Ginger ale or ginger beer	6,775	4,950	5,417	3,793
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.		109,320		86,566					
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc. lbs. .	35,593	8,442	118,310	31,581					
All other		167,633		351,524					
Total manufactures		890,815		1,014,659					

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON JANUARY 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY—Continued.

JANUARY—					JANUARY—				
ARTICLES.	1898		1899		ARTICLES.	1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Leather, and manufactures of:				
Bottles, vials, etc., empty or filled.....		35,270		37,715	LEATHER—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....					Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		14,670		54,862
.....lbs..	1,064,079	18,195	1,211,459	30,638	Skins for morocco.....		187,360		125,462
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—					Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		51,319		45
Unsilvered.....	14,340	3,076	2,001	385	Total leather.....		253,355		180,399
Silvered.....	30,806	7,440	14,199	1,749	MANUFACTURES OF—				
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—					Gloves, of kid or other leather..		301,088		219,650
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	29,432	6,081	18,290	3,280	All other.....		54,118		56,823
Cast, polished, silvered.....	21,482	9,465	67	103	Total manufactures.....		355,206		276,473
All other.....		185,521		199,491	Malt liquors (gallons):				
Total.....		265,048		273,361	In bottles or jugs.....	74,493	70,353	48,663	56,373
Glue.....lbs..	155,861	18,721	112,460	11,071	In other coverings.....	240	92	2,445	990
Grease, not elsewhere specified.....		2,915		3,402	Total.....	74,733	70,445	51,108	51,363
Hair, manufactures of.....		19,784		19,785	Marble and stone, and manufactures of:				
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....		17,625		28,120	Marble, and manufactures of.....		35,936		29,912
Materials for, etc.....		165,144		246,036	Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		2,188		8,622
Hides of cattle.....lbs..	3,072,885	273,991	4,024,084	521,137	Total.....		38,124		38,534
Hops.....lbs..	89,244	18,986	46,200	27,451	Matting and mats for floors...sq. yds..	284,825	29,627	4,347,802	269,627
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:					Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of:				
Gutta-percha.....		3,192		1,589	Bronze manufactures.....		18,294		38,514
India rubber.....		20,880		16,231	All other.....		41,621		88,893
Total manufactures.....		24,072		17,820	Total.....		59,915		127,407
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:					Musical instruments.....		65,358		61,468
Pig iron.....tons..	558	6,552	364	3,811	Oils (gallons):				
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....tons..	107	858	80	1,769	ANIMAL OR RENDERED—				
Bar iron.....lbs..	7,866,533	187,500	7,562,294	189,175	Whale and fish.....	21,261	14,537	66,460	28,206
Bars, railway, of iron or steel, etc.....tons..	2,126	47,478			Other.....	6,979	1,655	2,050	885
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, etc.....lbs..	4,325,085	127,815	762,511	19,672	Mineral.....	1,251	436	1,251	436
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....lbs..	529,142	11,002	501,953	11,895	VEGETABLE—				
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin.....lbs..	6,332,828	141,730	3,351,103	74,995	Fixed or expressed—				
Wire rods.....lbs..	347,265	4,799	365,598	6,409	Olive.....	20,604	23,495	9,710	12,908
Wire, and articles made from...lbs..	513,703	27,774	382,462	21,083	Other.....		23,451		26,230
MANUFACTURES OF—					Volatilor essential and distilled.....		13,486		8,577
Chains.....lbs..	6,347	908	6,353	908	Total.....		77,060		77,242
Cutlery.....		21,398		12,567	Paints, pigments, and colors.....		12,341		16,453
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....		18		2,252	Paper, and manufactures of:				
Firearms.....		2,441		5,999	Lithographic labels and prints.....				3,518
Machinery.....		71,866		82,244	All other.....		53,870		66,213
All other.....		123,013		25,105	Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....		19,138		16,600
Total.....		780,152		457,834	Pipes and smokers' articles.....		3,654		4,659
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:					Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:				
Other precious stones, cut, but not set.....		2,938		3,292	MEAT PRODUCTS—				
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....		18,229		25,747	Meat and meat extracts.....		35,724		38,765
Lead, and manufactures of:					All other.....		1,236		276
Lead in ore and base bullion...lbs..	17,211,951	291,431	18,483,661	287,765	DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—				
Pigs, bars, and old.....lbs..	6,262	131	7,834	167	Butter.....	290	30	60	8
Manufactures of.....		14,394		14,558	Cheese.....	123,065	16,343	42,909	6,201
					Total.....		53,385		45,359
					Rice (pounds):				
					Rice.....	3,631,397	70,197	10,115,371	216,985
					Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....	283,986	8,673	417,887	8,617
					Total.....	4,215,293	78,162	10,523,258	224,692

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON DECEMBER 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JANUARY—				ARTICLES.	JANUARY—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>					
Salt.....lbs..	10,915,274	9,831	9,454,044	8,929	Wines:				
Seeds.....		10,415		28,256	Champagne, and other sparkling		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Silk, manufactures of:					.....doz..	27,224	418,476	31,365	401,619
Clothing, ready-made, and other					STILL WINES—				
wearing apparel.....		84,526		96,256	In casks.....galls..	252,235	166,731	281,022	196,164
Dress and piece goods.....		382,893		757,666	In other coverings.....doz..	18,225	89,192	21,937	95,160
Laces and embroideries.....		53,799		86,229	Total.....		674,399		692,943
Ribbons.....		92,480		122,156	Wood, n. e. s., and manufactures of:				
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs..			26,842	32,863	LUMBER—				
All other.....		448,160		388,242	Boards, planks, etc.....M feet..	7,169	85,398	18,811	194,360
Total.....		1,061,858		1,483,412	Shingles.....M.....			308	412
Soap:					Other lumber.....				1,462
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	6,758	3,160	9,665	3,490	MANUFACTURES OF—				
All other.....		648		892	Cabinet ware or house furni-				
Total.....		3,808		4,382	ture.....		23,433		31,443
Spices, n. e. s.....lbs..	371,612	14,402	414,335	19,445	All other.....		16,813		9,704
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):					Total.....		125,644		237,381
Of domestic manufacture, returned					Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca,				
(subject to internal-revenue tax).....	728,415	794,331	583,543	634,319	etc., and manufactures of:				
Brandy.....	41,667	90,937	61,929	155,589	UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—				
All other.....	139,044	124,693	147,659	124,110	Class 1, clothing—				
Total.....	909,126	1,018,961	793,131	914,018	In the grease.....	6,032,698	967,558	20,325,183	3,565,335
Sponges.....		42,151		25,175	Scoured.....	61,246	11,114	60,297	10,946
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				735	Class 2, combing—In the				
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:					grease.....	858	52	42,583	8,948
Molasses above 40° polariscopic					Class 3, carpet—In the grease.....	23,959,522	2,459,618	36,911,358	3,528,384
test.....galls..	173,478	22,163	148,186	20,046	Total unmanufactured.....	30,054,324	3,438,342	57,349,421	7,113,613
SUGAR (pounds)—					MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—				
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand-					Carpets and carpeting				
ard—					.....sq. yds..	134,006	349,562	179,125	492,273
Beet sugar.....	22,387,695	487,070	24,745,480	523,870	Clothing, ready-made, etc.,				
Cane and other.....	221,837,251	3,990,455	38,255,880	983,060	except shawls and knit				
Above No. 16 Dutch standard..	5,243,657	134,192	11,186,456	261,781	goods.....		21,514		29,137
Total sugar.....	249,468,603	4,611,717	74,187,216	1,768,711	Cloths.....lbs..	390,684	245,142	539,604	340,106
Confectionery.....		1,090		956	Dress goods, women's and				
Tea.....lbs..			29,828,525	3,767,389	children's.....sq. yds..	2,221,169	512,437	4,705,243	745,197
Tobacco, and manufactures of:					Knit fabrics.....		101,853		88,497
LEAF (pounds)—					Mungo, flocks, shoddy, etc.				
Suitable for cigar wrappers....	1,103,413	1,004,372	3,272,960	3,327,633	.....lbs..	143,094	46,248	132,253	41,473
Other.....	6,374,729	3,244,870	5,244,516	2,684,306	Shawls.....		554		625
Total leaf.....	7,478,142	4,249,242	8,517,506	6,011,939	Yarns.....lbs..	75,658	38,131	80,495	43,756
MANUFACTURES OF—					All other.....		410,354		414,796
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....lbs..	9,560	39,673	6,826	34,312	Total manufactures.....		1,725,795		2,195,859
All other.....		5,814		15,525	Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of:				
Total manufactures.....		45,487		49,837	In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..			4,409	207
Toys.....		6,553		8,160	Manufactures of.....		1,167		1,100
Vegetables:					Total.....		1,167		1,307
Beans and dried pease.....bush..	1,030	1,156	7,093	5,914	All other articles.....free..		439,732		551,808
Pickles and sauces.....		4,906		6,469	All other articles.....dut..		94,618		57,948
ALL OTHER—					Total value of merchandise				
In their natural state.....		2,235		8	FREE OF DUTY.....		1,234,063		1,186,127
Prepared or preserved.....		20,921		21,928	Total value of merchandise				
Total.....		29,218		34,319	DUTIABLE.....		23,700,222		32,780,430
					Total value of imports of				
					merchandise REMAINING				
					IN WAREHOUSE.....		24,934,285		33,966,557

WAREHOUSE TRANSACTIONS, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	IN WAREHOUSE AT COMMENCEMENT OF MONTH.	WAREHOUSED DURING MONTH—		ADDITIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	TOTAL REMAINING IN, AND ENTERED, WAREHOUSE.	WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE DURING THE MONTH—								DEDUCTIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE AT CLOSE OF MONTH.
		Direct importation.	From other districts.			For exportation—				For transportation.	For consumption.				
						To adjacent British provinces.	To Mexico.	To other foreign countries.	Total.						
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1894—July	44,882,579	13,868,752	1,062,880	102,094	59,916,305	78,998	5,710	388,057	472,765	520,533	6,668,110	962,178	51,292,719		
August	51,292,719	16,310,684	1,488,412	410,599	69,502,414	123,921	5,772	473,935	608,628	821,052	20,042,001	825,832	47,204,901		
September	47,204,901	5,558,127	1,023,072	1,434,690	55,220,790	115,400	6,073	329,705	451,178	845,958	18,624,120	1,763,015	33,536,519		
October	33,536,519	7,624,625	1,125,414	771,955	43,058,513	71,138	6,471	475,181	552,790	1,007,049	8,549,232	1,259,609	31,689,833		
November	31,689,833	7,303,944	968,172	463,658	40,443,607	167,054	7,526	247,920	422,500	689,587	5,912,432	819,875	32,599,213		
December	32,599,213	9,985,710	1,228,525	422,857	44,236,305	146,454	8,863	465,485	620,802	445,038	6,156,104	1,036,270	35,978,091		
1895—January	35,978,091	8,120,144	955,730	711,313	45,765,278	96,033	3,422	280,406	379,861	530,261	11,482,648	1,147,544	32,224,964		
February	32,224,964	6,039,140	780,684	683,636	39,728,424	106,189	10,966	202,986	320,141	442,247	6,410,830	1,051,507	31,503,699		
March	31,503,699	8,290,505	1,197,887	713,545	41,705,636	186,167	11,888	354,817	552,872	465,787	8,031,743	1,224,700	31,430,534		
April	31,430,534	9,436,104	1,204,219	663,610	42,734,467	80,482	6,659	351,424	438,565	394,340	6,219,506	1,258,223	34,423,833		
May	34,423,833	11,073,751	721,474	832,455	47,051,513	297,096	27,960	257,316	582,372	462,586	7,760,620	1,112,143	37,133,792		
June	37,133,792	9,883,507	677,504	650,242	48,345,045	276,574	44,973	240,768	562,315	400,558	6,852,528	816,882	39,712,762		
July	39,712,762	11,253,930	1,041,677	735,644	52,744,013	213,506	23,559	402,583	639,648	501,027	8,025,409	1,094,809	42,483,120		
August	42,483,120	9,005,593	970,624	773,715	53,233,052	180,076	35,028	309,326	521,430	604,024	9,790,619	1,083,007	41,230,972		
September	41,230,972	9,144,223	772,558	940,332	52,088,085	225,587	46,495	379,938	652,020	660,444	10,035,354	1,013,033	39,727,234		
October	39,727,234	11,218,379	787,644	699,867	52,343,124	376,491	46,783	734,366	1,157,640	663,312	9,253,061	786,987	40,482,124		
November	40,482,124	8,811,935	1,248,942	467,574	51,010,575	523,150	51,159	869,698	1,444,007	766,302	6,849,868	1,019,163	40,931,235		
December	40,931,235	9,175,807	1,332,257	396,189	51,835,488	227,858	43,686	491,487	763,031	682,725	8,083,877	760,379	41,545,476		
1896—January	41,545,476	9,466,098	1,241,533	697,197	52,950,304	146,027	45,074	386,728	577,829	398,049	10,264,199	1,052,615	40,657,612		
February	40,657,612	8,974,632	856,198	733,361	51,221,803	95,406	23,354	396,597	515,357	543,973	8,615,265	1,064,494	40,482,714		
March	40,482,714	10,325,929	820,902	754,055	52,383,600	172,850	34,153	339,335	546,338	615,749	7,821,668	909,520	42,490,325		
April	42,490,325	9,811,316	977,521	1,002,051	54,281,213	109,902	30,087	372,214	512,203	543,601	8,530,049	1,362,973	43,332,387		
May	43,332,387	12,457,105	834,267	653,118	57,276,877	276,522	41,826	608,443	926,791	553,406	7,284,658	913,039	47,598,983		
June	47,598,983	11,867,773	1,003,044	671,741	61,141,541	315,172	57,473	447,859	820,504	902,943	7,153,257	810,495	51,454,342		
July	51,454,342	9,218,544	906,877	1,140,745	62,720,508	303,540	26,112	509,258	838,910	762,222	7,990,075	1,088,193	52,041,108		
August	52,041,108	7,608,876	575,906	940,474	61,166,454	225,638	28,297	591,437	845,372	551,274	8,435,757	1,060,429	50,273,622		
September	50,273,622	8,265,443	472,529	847,929	59,859,523	76,967	28,933	449,976	555,876	483,583	9,087,057	826,766	48,906,241		
October	48,906,241	8,677,983	548,095	716,753	58,849,072	326,658	40,108	353,497	726,263	563,137	9,203,652	907,165	47,448,855		
November	47,448,855	6,342,498	647,308	74,734	54,513,395	136,026	31,166	530,236	697,422	520,006	9,141,684	473,911	43,680,372		
December	43,680,372	7,411,054	643,422	94,881	51,929,729	176,290	27,005	335,934	539,322	608,004	6,856,639	344,217	43,480,947		
1897—January	43,480,947	5,708,144	612,362	139,322	49,940,775	188,507	17,192	414,658	620,357	786,398	7,421,592	288,303	40,824,125		
February	49,824,125	5,648,020	694,940	191,146	47,358,231	322,527	11,213	525,157	858,897	415,781	6,942,467	198,303	38,942,783		
March	38,942,783	7,486,989	756,754	599,851	47,756,377	360,967	15,416	530,152	906,535	774,205	24,330,634	624,318	21,120,685		
April	21,120,685	13,443,307	543,508	599,366	35,706,866	245,315	18,091	271,752	535,158	427,325	16,215,000	312,949	18,216,434		
May	18,216,434	15,169,909	453,962	36,184	33,876,489	399,116	22,464	412,251	833,831	471,116	6,000,612	82,688	25,888,242		
June	25,888,242	12,024,945	413,165	761,639	39,087,991	97,142	33,120	428,950	550,212	475,870	10,284,520	632,666	18,135,723		
July	18,135,723	3,772,463	499,110	1,132,449	23,539,745	81,061	15,537	443,560	540,158	468,645	10,199,988	648,574	11,682,380		
August	11,682,380	4,218,947	352,105	171,952	16,425,384	98,355	17,276	465,974	581,005	355,533	1,820,558	96,404	13,571,284		
September	13,571,284	5,361,482	421,153	148,787	19,502,706	130,572	16,991	635,201	782,761	531,483	2,588,561	135,818	15,464,090		
October	15,464,090	7,435,478	467,150	31,354	23,398,072	180,144	16,296	1,205,956	1,402,396	624,463	3,099,132	53,468	18,218,613		
November	18,218,613	7,171,571	651,409	143,214	26,184,807	291,880	28,633	1,071,471	1,391,984	583,478	3,290,007	77,109	20,842,229		
December	20,842,229	8,071,225	643,884	100,459	29,657,797	112,929	35,779	441,735	590,443	530,405	4,206,761	168,046	24,162,142		
1898—January	24,162,142	6,788,515	545,379	75,157	31,571,193	189,936	10,673	542,701	743,310	621,001	5,168,343	104,254	24,934,285		
February	24,934,285	8,114,135	727,532	73,110	32,849,062	107,843	18,550	762,368	888,761	477,076	5,649,363	70,682	26,763,180		
March	26,763,180	11,527,973	649,357	71,374	39,011,884	150,804	29,850	700,756	881,410	557,988	6,165,171	106,135	31,301,180		
April	31,301,180	11,370,513	597,121	72,837	43,341,651	212,228	23,947	466,122	702,297	405,237	6,366,573	143,407	35,724,137		
May	35,724,137	9,465,432	500,659	63,254	45,753,482	210,564	32,272	403,390	646,226	601,056	7,125,815	88,000	37,292,385		
June	37,292,385	9,371,937	987,892	50,567	47,702,781	236,890	13,023	824,422	1,074,335	678,546	8,065,410	157,526	37,726,964		
July	37,726,964	9,600,498	576,516	28,121	47,932,099	191,347	8,708	415,125	615,180	705,872	6,917,202	96,981	39,596,864		
August	39,596,864	7,312,925	689,229	39,430	47,638,448	160,267	14,231	468,649	643,147	742,394	8,448,496	40,987	37,764,324		
September	37,764,324	7,181,298	498,895	77,892	45,522,349	187,765	79,885	363,835	631,485	653,127	8,950,022	80,281	35,207,434		
October	35,207,434	9,893,310	678,663	112,710	45,892,117	632,815	9,747	685,131	1,327,693	810,738	7,776,906	1,329,927	34,646,853		
November	34,646,853	8,253,449	1,013,486	185,475	44,129,263	506,572	24,581	958,488	1,489,641	676,265	7,303,894	157,196	34,502,267		
December	34,502,267	9,716,618	791,831	97,158	45,107,874	358,262	18,486	1,040,246	1,416,994	808,445	7,251,008	124,287	35,507,140		
1899—January	35,507,140	8,356,904	720,825	92,469	44,677,338	346,644	27,190	664,063	1,037,897	754,053	8,814,558	104,273	33,966,557		

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Alexandria, Va.					8,603	2,811	1,863			
Aroostook, Me.	10,865	5,695			73,240	65,270	81,403			180
Baltimore, Md. (a)	890,436	957,478	11,409,354	10,212,155	5,487,709	5,230,807	4,597,495	50,822,254	69,316,106	65,132,870
Bangor, Me. (a)	86,744	79,662	199,861	733,017	711,068	500,845	474,787	824,518	1,083,836	1,961,092
Barnstable, Mass.					2,712	3,563	709			
Bath, Me. (a)	530	1,971			29,431	33,831	51,187	656		4,338
Beaufort, N. C.			160,933							
Beaufort, S. C.		85		127,156	96,919	62,960	39,139	2,576,745	1,842,451	827,744
Belfast, Me.	45				10,523	6,024	5,620	881	1,027	895
Boston and Charlestown, Mass. (a)	3,177,083	5,646,218	9,062,558	12,324,004	32,700,696	26,777,443	26,583,108	59,876,214	63,651,164	74,245,494
Bridgeton, N. J.						71,222	61,340	28,993		
Bristol and Warren, R. I.					3,468	3,653	2,608			
Brunswick, Ga.	1,842	24,916	1,400,666	1,642,332	7,811	26,164	45,922	4,368,752	6,461,918	8,098,230
Castine, Me.	1,020		22,026	6,354	2,748	7,604	347	10,154	22,026	6,354
Charleston, S. C. (a)	209,783	126,703	934,840	806,187	601,530	963,794	787,560	9,690,594	9,185,905	7,399,610
Delaware (a)	8,271	3,529	335,350	384,849	54,266	155,664	123,260	2,835,835	2,508,434	2,112,863
Edgartown, Mass.						1,583				210
Fairfield, Conn.	19,808	14,070			118,924	121,169	192,349	1,927		
Fall River, Mass.					44,395	19,649	3,416			
Fernandina, Fla. (a)		25,354	112,287	152,774	26,100	395	25,364	502,204	924,002	1,179,972
Frenchman Bay, Me.	270				1,298	1,137	450			
Georgetown, D. C.	21,184	17,020			126,206	92,604	125,595			
Georgetown, S. C.								5,919	231	
Gloucester, Mass.					32,019	25,904	24,981	1,561	1,160	
Hartford, Conn.	25,266	15,071			259,479	141,110	132,629			
Machias, Me.					1,293	615	852	1,840	1,831	313
Marblehead, Mass.					28,157	15,566	1,344			
Newark, N. J.	13,554	41,453	94,819	80,527	80,113	314,412	249,506	298,594	489,095	375,803
New Bedford, Mass.					46,713	16,693	2,154	4,889	7,038	5,834
Newburyport, Mass.					4,272		617	15		
New Haven, Conn.	9,460	7,925			99,419	83,328	66,759			
New London, Conn.					18,908	14,530	32,804			
Newport, R. I.		2,677			21,398	12,746	5,629			
Newport News, Va. (a)	89,913	117,568	2,929,128	2,844,153	503,935	652,622	698,167	11,128,817	15,359,806	17,457,657
New York, N. Y. (a)	34,633,613	39,095,477	36,918,858	38,149,104	236,477,382	222,619,930	244,492,863	226,693,125	243,213,878	268,823,702
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. (a)	4,326	11,771	1,684,911	1,038,292	74,292	185,534	172,254	12,259,800	9,205,195	7,885,243
Pamlico, N. C.	253			2,323	1,076	253	116	937	1,565	3,855
Passamaquoddy, Me.	35,580	18,411	63,020	45,177	344,164	262,711	211,167	198,155	268,586	209,447
Perth Amboy, N. J.		13,050	52,967	83,488	32,406	29,797	200,005	469,723	505,740	513,521
Petersburg, Va.					681		327			
Philadelphia, Pa. (a)	2,034,162	2,546,874	4,600,926	5,672,776	19,719,214	14,979,307	21,589,642	27,254,800	32,980,678	37,317,410
Plymouth, Mass.					11,699	3,886	4,100			
Portland and Falmouth, Me. (a)	62,502	20,049	1,211,141	1,640,823	270,361	139,502	293,701	2,045,550	2,968,602	4,093,821
Portsmouth, N. H.	1,651				19,134	10,520	16,150			
Providence, R. I.	67,903	61,609	1,191		440,581	392,892	425,300	1,646	1,291	255
Richmond, Va.	1,412	1,219			56,986	21,282	38,877		4,000	
Sag Harbor, N. Y.						6,751	2,892			
St. Augustine, Fla.	96				834	207	8,963	1,820	300	
St. Johns, Fla.	2,037	1,549	15,982	35,082	11,049	13,806	34,787	57,125	80,060	99,991
St. Marys, Ga.			3,148	5,305				26,237	30,124	16,837
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	2,653	3,656			28,032	20,004	11,130	25		
Savannah, Ga. (a)	792	78,787	3,020,500	3,141,784	259,596	246,481	295,667	17,388,932	20,663,059	18,189,068
Stonington, Conn.	331				23,745	11,527	5,245			
Waldoboro, Me.	1,071	229			31,257	32,206	26,925			
Wilmington, N. C.		25,162	1,079,095	288,994	127,941	144,188	123,126	7,759,796	8,378,959	7,252,211
Wiscasset, Me.					78	962	316	1,102	3,190	8,773
Total.	41,414,396	48,965,238	75,322,561	79,416,656	299,133,861	274,547,464	302,373,517	437,140,165	489,161,267	523,223,598
GULF PORTS.										
Apalachicola, Fla.		1,294	35,949	34,782	2,845		1,366	156,972	153,002	218,985
Brownsville, Tex.	15,063	3,129	13,448	15,079	50,964	79,164	43,759	99,183	111,104	113,675
Corpus Christi, Tex.	93,151	99,937	440,967	460,485	490,058	611,694	597,542	3,267,812	2,528,206	3,691,879

a Ports through which merchandise can be received for transportation to interior ports without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
GULF PORTS—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Galveston, Tex. (a).....	108,778	117,794	6,448,445	10,357,163	464,976	375,281	1,316,574	46,495,537	48,721,863	61,091,389
Key West, Fla. (a).....	41,453	17,678	15,340	140,016	393,307	382,143	112,697	279,726	448,656	821,011
Mobile, Ala. (a).....	145,840	161,878	1,186,133	896,042	424,478	640,819	791,792	7,028,438	4,545,471	5,459,063
New Orleans, La. (a).....	1,046,359	563,785	13,006,831	12,916,243	7,961,037	5,437,026	4,781,331	66,433,785	65,938,874	54,383,712
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	106,651	73,943	179,282	369,356	795,783	732,801	490,325	3,289,391	2,477,459	2,614,723
Pearl River, Miss.....	163	245	66,449	136,874	4,117	484	365	628,892	718,947	879,901
Pensacola, Fla. (a).....	109	137	687,750	1,693,282	163,359	158,753	40,793	4,740,590	5,254,217	8,048,209
St. Marks, Fla.....					266	21				3,666
Saluria, Tex.....	63,919	98,263	203,873	242,145	281,739	363,183	485,092	923,427	991,285	1,399,901
Tampa, Fla. (a).....	28,229	102,073	21,257	100,901	237,450	246,596	335,940	526,173	436,196	490,279
Teche, La.....			1,857			125	2		1,857	
Total.....	1,659,715	1,240,156	22,307,581	27,362,968	11,320,379	9,028,090	8,997,578	133,869,926	132,327,137	130,216,393
PACIFIC PORTS.										
Alaska.....		8,906	511	91	63,073	50,350	119,929	16,586	5,454	37,930
Arizona.....	259,568	27,299	103,566	151,694	301,181	597,215	1,061,971	582,325	515,432	717,065
Humboldt, Cal.....		720	3,878	6,254	1,177		780	103,130	107,025	114,270
Los Angeles, Cal. (a).....	22,671	58,170	1,233		297,254	235,800	415,842		106,458	3,399
Oregon, Oreg.....		2,895	59,100	9,970	259,194	78,876	17,218	380,937	271,859	110,858
Puget Sound, Wash. (a).....	627,413	1,611,480	1,544,112	1,593,433	3,042,620	3,530,784	4,426,348	8,208,824	11,023,931	8,804,138
San Diego, Cal. (a).....	26,840	43,208	5,431	10,759	127,609	129,966	197,297	158,679	402,701	61,818
San Francisco, Cal. (a).....	3,917,259	2,612,027	3,040,672	2,153,876	16,207,424	21,362,760	15,325,534	29,288,083	28,700,327	18,597,577
Southern Oregon, Oreg.....					1			16,833	6,166	
Willamette, Oreg. (a).....	63,744	47,479	1,491,605	574,350	747,436	894,607	972,777	5,609,707	8,310,646	6,311,878
Total.....	4,917,495	4,442,184	6,252,108	4,500,427	21,046,978	29,880,358	23,537,696	44,371,104	49,458,999	34,759,533
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.										
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	174,519	176,675	652,869	630,698	2,264,095	2,610,674	2,603,894	3,035,320	4,253,856	4,210,451
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....	2,910	7,251	3,713	3,762	149,431	120,963	123,417	47,392	213,265	119,335
Champlain, N. Y.....	88,886	98,734	353,549	408,259	2,581,018	1,657,516	1,628,491	2,771,848	3,442,907	3,644,239
Chicago, Ill. (a).....	757,162	823,633	7,142	4,470	6,744,922	5,388,877	7,121,141	1,585,744	2,609,785	5,220,995
Cuyahoga, Ohio (a).....	67,447	117,169	32,334	25,377	761,878	564,689	751,577	966,524	963,605	1,560,645
Detroit, Mich. (a).....	132,125	129,718	1,109,570	1,117,729	2,009,189	1,440,523	1,279,006	7,056,642	8,023,953	7,594,816
Duluth, Minn. (a).....	36,322	70,302	35,891	68,690	781,236	1,635,916	1,169,943	2,729,234	3,277,593	3,168,659
Dunkirk, N. Y.....		2,417			3,079	136	6,541			
Erie, Pa.....	165				14,302	5,385	2,392	11,638	3,341	928
Genesee, N. Y. (a).....	81,081	84,675			375,542	317,568	386,872	559,893	479,701	719,604
Huron, Mich. (a).....	28,989	38,852	320,277	530,537	1,521,979	1,545,835	1,618,353	4,236,722	4,418,235	3,969,601
Memphremagog, Vt. (a).....	105,362	144,489	207,174	170,952		591,789	1,111,658		814,824	1,301,045
Miami, Ohio (a).....	2,640	1,696			218,178	36,098	139,783	310,029	638,924	555,775
Michigan, Mich. (a).....		19			261,040	120,475	277,815	2,555	6,677	
Milwaukee, Wis.....	50,722	24,171		278	332,796	396,765	375,527	2,761		748
Minnesota, Minn.....	76,123	162,516	167		714,700	352,672	847,708	57,628	10,390	234,597
Montana and Idaho.....	11,371	19,006	1,481	2,483	119,175	107,816	145,545	27,376	75,257	67,855
Niagara, N. Y.....	112,506	115,491	627,554	402,760	1,566,728	1,062,701	938,279	3,310,378	4,250,824	3,783,656
North and South Dakota.....	55,789	62,943	273,565	202,614	269,745	465,832	408,058	1,108,236	2,049,510	3,368,758
Oswegatchie, N. Y. (a).....	285,657	625,506	136,262	150,315	2,620,446	2,703,991	4,825,928	2,311,718	3,535,269	2,204,117
Oswego, N. Y.....					521,066	440,941	346,035	1,156,329	1,325,880	1,159,898
Sandusky, Ohio.....					40,705	59,500	38,678	8,673	18,350	99,294
Superior, Mich. (a).....	9,228	15,124	119,348	50,330	226,690	179,979	218,846	3,357,050	2,379,503	5,018,719
Vermont, Vt.....	144,719	174,880	663,533	543,091	3,344,256	1,720,887	1,099,397	5,142,109	4,628,355	4,140,493
Total.....	2,223,723	2,895,267	4,544,424	4,312,350	27,445,196	23,596,653	27,464,884	39,795,790	47,420,004	52,124,228
INTERIOR PORTS. (b)										
Albany, N. Y.....	15,373	11,716			67,800	43,162	66,988	133		
Atlanta, Ga.....	212	986			13,636	6,225	9,272			1,550
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	80,439	121,544			659,108	552,011	692,394			
Columbus, Ohio.....	13,633	15,139			51,379	39,934	69,912			
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....		2,355			4,621	7,970	12,775			
Denver, Colo.....	6,404	7,435			50,982	43,752	70,306			145,896
Des Moines, Iowa.....	1,329	669			19,175	13,191	19,899			
Dubuque, Iowa.....	25	1,973			23,315	8,066	39,788			

a Ports through which merchandise can be received for transportation to interior ports without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

b Interior ports to which merchandise can be transported without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS (a)— Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Evansville, Ind.....	198	17			5,758	2,515	7,203			
Grand Rapids, Mich.....	2,199	15,164			75,804	43,545	120,112			
Indianapolis, Ind.....	20,739	24,403			176,765	148,264	182,501			
Kansas City, Mo.....	13,865	15,855			259,442	199,768	176,304			1,143
Lincoln, Nebr.....	1,387	1,581			10,688	14,697	14,710			
Louisville, Ky.....	22,740	19,841			273,126	147,285	124,720			
Memphis, Tenn.....	6,358	6,011			54,249	24,227	27,276			
Nashville, Tenn.....	1,004	1,442			21,337	35,700	12,231			
Omaha, Nebr.....	49,056	24,865		156	135,911	189,963	281,809			76,727
Pittsburg, Pa.....	32,112	42,721			693,158	466,098	611,130			
St. Joseph, Mo.....	18,990	14,183			59,447	57,999	86,000			
St. Louis, Mo.....	308,892	337,174			1,525,272	1,398,549	1,774,142			
Sioux City, Iowa.....	155	2,015			24,481	3,872	24,527			
Springfield, Mass.....	9,511	10,041			78,141	48,029	45,942			
Vicksburg, Miss.....	7,764	18,795			44,988	59,143	99,764			
Total	612,385	696,925		156	4,331,603	3,553,965	4,569,705	133		225,316
Grand total	50,827,714	58,239,770	108,426,674	115,592,557	363,278,017	340,606,530	366,948,380	655,177,127	718,367,407	749,549,068
RECAPITULATION.										
Atlantic ports.....	41,414,396	48,965,238	75,322,561	79,416,656	299,133,861	274,547,464	302,373,517	437,140,165	489,161,267	523,223,598
Gulf ports.....	1,659,715	1,240,156	22,307,581	27,362,968	11,320,379	9,029,090	8,997,678	133,869,926	132,327,137	139,216,393
Pacific ports.....	4,917,495	4,442,184	6,252,108	4,500,427	21,046,978	29,880,358	23,537,696	44,371,104	49,458,990	34,759,533
Northern border and lake ports	2,223,723	2,895,267	4,544,424	4,312,350	27,445,196	23,596,653	27,464,884	39,795,799	47,420,004	52,124,228
Interior ports.....	612,385	696,925		156	4,331,603	3,553,965	4,569,705	133		225,316

CALENDAR YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893	642,017,157	33,768,411	44,189,129	48,742,000	7,532,227	776,248,924	642,798,894	141,228,982	39,235,963	52,844,942		876,108,781
1894	561,917,691	22,508,038	42,484,822	43,116,293	6,286,097	676,312,941	616,964,745	127,344,562	32,471,417	48,321,524		825,102,248
1895	666,525,645	21,247,048	46,783,477	58,640,532	8,472,645	801,669,347	596,244,559	128,889,576	42,191,386	57,534,615		824,860,136
1896	564,591,938	19,698,471	43,104,332	46,965,529	7,219,286	681,579,556	701,114,790	182,499,856	59,140,338	63,081,720	537	1,005,837,241
1897	616,303,353	21,270,085	51,809,056	46,733,790	6,478,947	742,595,229	772,210,869	192,582,294	64,707,374	70,208,508		1,099,709,045
1898	522,452,423	16,728,827	46,124,398	42,688,007	6,964,874	634,958,229	892,299,004	214,613,277	62,429,076	85,916,958	236,039	1,255,494,358

a Interior ports to which merchandise can be transported without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
EUROPE.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary	483,212	623,228	814,318	1,021,731	3,870,403	2,791,669	3,153,401	2,018,036	3,281,270	4,542,597
Azores, and Madeira Islands ..	916	453	48,440	53,330	4,922	13,053	4,033	97,879	262,977	206,075
Belgium	599,214	716,813	3,461,295	4,054,920	5,597,388	5,293,021	5,918,682	20,180,498	29,248,435	28,740,604
Denmark	36,204	28,379	1,076,506	1,428,146	149,905	126,186	114,009	5,013,229	6,377,360	9,835,483
France	5,167,772	6,742,555	9,338,850	6,729,068	31,607,534	31,286,820	35,845,244	36,409,987	56,603,684	38,688,878
Germany	6,123,211	7,964,969	13,491,277	13,549,283	52,505,199	38,757,293	48,578,967	77,376,602	90,657,746	99,452,403
Gibraltar	7	3,655	62,135	63,911	9,834	24,446	7,816	193,989	169,713	453,260
Greece	94,759	62,106	51,859	69,915	591,660	647,913	799,763	47,943	121,026	144,045
Greenland, Iceland, etc.					40,056	135,234	78,408		225	
Italy	1,527,662	1,868,237	2,134,274	3,362,870	9,373,493	10,620,685	12,533,434	13,055,141	13,318,948	15,828,802
Malta, Gozo, etc.	686		4,879	47,020	6,579	11,327	7,917	18,084	32,030	87,902
Netherlands	870,055	1,210,830	4,927,234	7,547,712	5,085,419	7,014,870	8,136,620	28,374,285	37,930,991	49,048,830
Portugal	130,817	528,312	162,844	397,005	1,125,897	1,192,213	1,511,144	1,405,672	933,890	1,819,426
Roumania								18,820	3,994	15,091
Russia, Baltic, etc.	238,569	116,074	187,756	722,731	1,077,528	1,583,968	1,761,736	2,954,921	2,188,124	4,301,603
Russia, Black Sea	159,236	70,845	36,387	23,040	694,465	1,030,302	796,720	934,571	304,511	498,936
Servia					8,696					
Spain	218,757	314,044	1,352,961	1,417,082	2,214,215	2,173,164	2,299,194	6,339,610	6,931,142	4,817,193
Sweden and Norway	250,297	234,630	487,905	1,498,420	1,662,708	1,813,843	1,741,210	3,253,170	3,530,399	7,325,372
Switzerland	1,200,220	1,485,100	17,439	18,740	7,588,506	6,558,156	8,796,264	43,084	160,063	162,652
Turkey in Europe	175,708	239,467	5,313	141,787	1,288,464	1,630,726	1,412,421	16,132	80,014	261,082
United Kingdom	9,811,399	9,719,349	50,760,151	51,986,662	71,941,506	62,629,944	64,947,429	315,976,693	319,861,760	318,809,453
Total Europe	27,088,761	31,929,046	88,424,853	94,138,373	197,134,437	174,757,943	198,444,412	513,728,316	571,098,302	585,039,687
NORTH AMERICA.										
Bermuda	7,178	6,723	80,495	114,661	98,161	72,218	61,699	479,934	553,700	580,239
British Honduras	9,951	6,250	57,423	33,246	132,178	94,192	96,007	317,007	340,688	295,463
British North America:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	261,690	234,364	391,459	484,543	3,674,632	2,728,441	2,231,145	2,393,357	2,691,447	2,509,912
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	999,796	1,207,530	4,463,173	4,450,633	16,682,272	15,030,865	14,378,345	34,166,738	42,618,902	49,300,865
British Columbia	420,398	321,583	237,453	285,243	1,916,216	2,681,382	2,501,944	1,991,238	2,155,792	2,524,478
Newfoundland and Labrador	26,254	28,431	91,763	73,117	327,602	350,648	317,013	754,754	756,538	916,890
Total British North America	1,708,138	1,791,908	5,183,848	5,293,536	22,600,812	20,791,336	19,428,447	39,306,087	48,222,679	55,252,145
Central American States:										
Costa Rica	135,994	225,871	86,086	129,686	685,636	554,339	1,137,191	717,439	908,425	757,742
Guatemala	44,394	187,899	133,529	108,835	524,395	705,734	593,232	1,803,491	638,492	639,363
Honduras	37,103	49,660	73,166	48,940	442,841	404,460	556,642	408,061	395,914	406,619
Nicaragua	99,595	171,747	89,991	91,219	589,264	678,235	834,515	755,281	601,588	654,078
Salvador	43,643	41,027	66,126	44,426	137,798	208,366	155,176	986,415	448,461	328,302
Total Central American States	360,729	676,204	445,898	423,156	2,379,934	2,551,134	3,276,756	4,670,687	3,042,880	2,786,104
Mexico	1,724,560	1,973,180	1,843,161	2,172,923	7,981,451	9,228,799	12,139,055	13,892,086	11,551,949	13,789,916
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	4,484	13,611	502	6,844	122,669	158,271	79,557	73,741	97,597	107,555
West Indies:										
British	680,661	682,486	682,551	772,887	5,432,544	3,601,163	5,214,081	4,874,453	4,318,663	4,975,982
Danish	72	6,629	48,109	34,867	166,836	105,600	173,225	315,847	340,608	264,483
Dutch	11,341	6,607	36,386	40,071	60,434	68,242	68,619	389,621	304,026	262,353
French	5	72	91,509	202,843	621	219	3,395	1,126,924	880,873	903,846
Haiti	55,501	151,638	255,823	272,399	579,284	495,655	554,364	2,287,902	1,948,651	1,600,955
Santo Domingo	153,900	218,609	99,011	102,885	572,963	400,611	943,690	636,515	650,833	592,642
Cuba	1,559,398	994,220	1,223,166	1,980,982	5,967,466	4,353,299	6,870,837	4,793,754	6,522,579	8,472,393
Porto Rico	6,733	63,471	166,157	224,150	667,820	436,718	461,270	1,126,732	1,102,993	1,459,044
Total West Indies	2,467,614	2,123,722	2,604,303	3,631,084	13,447,968	9,769,968	14,289,481	15,551,718	16,069,231	18,134,608
Total North America	6,262,654	6,591,668	10,215,630	11,675,450	46,764,164	42,665,918	49,371,092	74,293,260	79,878,524	99,946,031

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
SOUTH AMERICA.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	527,579	231,648	560,349	800,662	2,837,181	2,818,659	2,176,691	4,222,985	3,952,218	5,770,076
Bolivia.....			617	837				6,007	4,768	20,321
Brazil.....	6,535,173	6,598,726	1,520,274	1,047,770	40,113,343	37,242,366	28,930,193	6,722,158	8,369,508	7,790,927
Chile.....	268,380	143,339	238,362	225,497	2,227,888	2,351,700	1,555,333	1,537,933	1,247,079	1,144,862
Colombia.....	302,350	372,830	191,059	283,081	2,625,543	3,034,787	2,732,149	2,265,464	1,949,947	1,688,116
Ecuador.....	71,198	64,449	42,084	75,068	311,285	448,841	741,069	405,289	473,430	470,893
Falkland Islands.....								800	440	
Guanas:										
British.....	773,971	660,314	205,549	153,179	2,212,415	1,609,337	2,811,262	1,012,417	1,038,967	1,036,998
Dutch.....	123,729	95,909	13,810	35,245	568,141	675,569	764,709	231,613	253,707	248,224
French.....		13,135	11,962	33,715	4,050	12,510	37,929	61,983	82,898	99,372
Paraguay.....									699	
Peru.....	96,699	171,536	95,911	86,811	461,928	300,060	781,614	647,420	647,185	719,270
Uruguay.....	225,001	147,191	94,073	132,854	1,138,252	972,721	609,934	854,121	555,092	772,390
Venezuela.....	467,905	487,922	200,736	206,318	5,567,210	4,410,955	3,318,327	2,073,789	1,630,433	1,626,480
Total South America.....	9,388,994	8,987,029	3,174,786	3,081,637	58,070,236	53,877,454	44,459,210	20,041,979	20,206,380	21,393,938
ASIA.										
Aden.....	49,368	89,024	3,087	33,175	649,229	689,319	1,045,525	729,126	267,357	448,612
China.....	1,227,861	1,536,370	840,404	975,810	10,751,771	12,624,852	9,996,115	6,501,613	5,344,948	7,742,089
East Indies:										
British.....	1,934,601	1,556,208	290,974	265,511	9,121,859	13,065,184	14,620,152	2,574,556	3,236,307	2,593,978
Dutch.....	368,452	1,733,797	38,699	19,776	11,859,607	8,760,439	14,015,276	1,199,410	528,163	530,111
French.....			19,400	492				42,040	90,900	6,373
Portuguese.....					519					
Hongkong.....	35,657	430,774	381,297	606,149	402,654	393,579	1,037,495	3,798,531	3,507,274	4,145,840
Japan.....	2,523,116	2,840,846	1,478,983	1,168,844	12,025,629	16,761,818	15,117,096	7,153,414	10,013,901	9,034,307
Korea.....				12,349				495	68,060	132,387
Russia, Asiatic.....			8,066	16,161	201,421	111,050	113,537	29,748	74,739	857,051
Turkey in Asia.....	257,180	280,586	13,875	11,936	2,353,896	1,779,057	2,057,711	30,053	115,640	111,845
All other Asia.....	6,664	4,865	29,284	150	58,848	66,202	48,056	238,827	148,792	37,690
Total Asia.....	6,402,899	8,478,470	3,107,060	3,110,362	47,416,433	54,251,500	58,050,873	22,355,811	23,396,086	25,640,313
OCEANICA.										
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....		17,970					284,089	16,942		5,892
British Australasia.....	237,846	126,576	1,348,935	906,805	2,336,424	1,911,170	1,889,410	11,007,940	8,894,790	10,406,014
French Oceanica.....	30,641	40,702	39,867	23,820	204,014	119,953	150,867	192,665	193,972	144,359
German Oceanica.....			3,714	1,810				2,495	4,549	20,093
Hawaiian Islands.....	702,465	996,583	394,633	720,510	6,518,719	8,400,132	8,094,187	25,597	3,508,016	4,754,586
Spanish Oceanica.....						8,811		2,548,929	4,503	6,883
Tonga, Samon, etc.....	4,444	30	2,366	4,631	6,737	44,138	24,967		20,524	24,627
Philippine Islands.....	169,488	348,019	5,260	15,362	1,899,239	1,916,531	2,364,172	88,091	67,328	97,492
Total Oceanica.....	1,144,884	1,529,880	1,794,835	1,672,958	10,965,133	12,400,735	12,807,692	13,882,650	12,693,682	15,549,946
AFRICA.										
British Africa.....	103,772	193,627	879,509	1,562,575	585,591	312,706	467,029	8,324,739	6,640,450	9,037,926
Canary Islands.....	4,193	2,674		24,889	40,726	16,875	20,714	150,349	233,443	75,233
French Africa.....	42,126	13,542	245,795	89,186	111,791	265,560	361,032	209,556	470,284	335,691
German Africa.....					93			320	1,506	
Liberia.....		2,157		2,919	6,170	5,187	7,195	6,565	6,764	13,837
Madagascar.....	1,356		16,067		8,651	10,732	1,475	124,068	175,238	50
Portuguese Africa.....	5,456		510,439	173,559	12,772	11,061	7,068	1,566,413	2,076,697	892,660
Spanish Africa.....								4,740	29,674	
Turkey in Africa:										
Egypt.....	306,802	464,376	6,199	23,554	1,832,613	1,602,367	2,477,548	164,965	180,195	274,584
Tripoli.....					47,205	44,188	52,827			
All other Africa.....	55,877	47,361	51,582	37,365	281,996	394,304	415,303	323,326	380,082	329,443
Total Africa.....	519,582	723,737	1,709,501	1,914,047	2,927,614	2,662,980	3,810,191	10,875,042	10,194,433	10,979,424
Grand total.....	50,827,714	58,230,770	108,426,674	115,592,827	363,278,017	340,616,530	366,943,380	655,177,127	718,367,407	749,549,338

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	JANUARY—				SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JANUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
RECAPITULATION.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe.....	27,088,701	31,929,046	88,424,853	94,138,373	197,134,437	174,757,943	198,444,412	513,728,346	571,998,302	585,039,687
North America.....	6,282,654	6,591,608	10,215,630	11,675,450	46,764,164	42,665,918	49,371,002	74,293,290	79,878,524	90,946,030
South America.....	9,388,994	8,987,029	3,174,786	3,081,637	58,070,236	53,877,454	44,459,210	20,041,979	20,206,380	21,393,938
Asia.....	6,402,899	8,478,470	3,107,069	3,110,362	47,416,433	54,251,500	58,050,873	22,355,811	23,396,086	25,640,313
Oceania.....	1,144,984	1,529,880	1,794,835	1,672,958	10,965,133	12,400,735	12,807,692	13,882,659	12,693,682	15,549,946
Africa.....	519,552	723,737	1,709,501	1,914,047	2,927,614	2,662,980	3,810,191	10,875,042	10,194,433	10,979,424

CALENDAR YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceania.	Africa and other countries.	Total.	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceania.	Africa and other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	392,161,248	170,874,163	192,540,689	107,371,016	2,394,817	776,248,924	670,616,353	125,283,901	34,322,834	36,332,769	552,924	876,108,781
1894.....	317,511,443	169,681,965	103,856,505	88,696,826	6,166,262	676,312,941	642,025,857	111,009,647	34,626,296	30,729,262	6,711,186	825,102,248
1895.....	401,539,466	138,923,253	117,406,577	105,252,034	8,547,987	801,663,347	634,386,087	114,225,264	34,171,572	33,073,633	9,003,580	824,860,136
1896.....	369,212,449	105,490,055	99,785,611	105,529,093	9,651,438	681,579,556	778,105,762	120,640,196	34,235,923	55,822,854	17,032,506	1,005,837,241
1897.....	407,970,232	191,762,584	103,442,125	119,884,603	9,535,585	742,595,229	858,049,510	129,468,932	33,506,140	62,005,036	16,679,427	1,099,709,045
1898.....	324,784,891	97,767,782	87,075,415	121,193,623	8,136,575	634,958,223	981,134,119	149,223,094	35,102,408	71,931,883	18,102,863	1,255,494,358

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY MONTHS.

MERCHANDISE.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Per cent of free.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	32,815,769	40,209,877	73,025,646	44.9	55,156,878	1,384,711	56,541,589	16,484,057	.....
August.....	35,650,550	35,461,393	71,111,943	50.1	54,821,159	1,159,460	55,980,619	15,131,324	.....
September.....	30,568,563	34,736,757	65,305,320	46.8	57,063,808	1,476,255	58,540,063	6,765,257	.....
October.....	37,765,403	37,314,941	75,080,344	50.3	85,089,206	2,001,766	87,090,972	.....	12,010,628
November.....	32,559,971	30,784,846	63,344,817	51.4	85,152,500	2,100,081	87,312,581	.....	23,967,764
December.....	29,452,767	32,748,280	62,201,047	47.3	91,076,350	1,452,767	92,529,117	.....	30,328,070
1896—January.....	32,900,589	35,747,011	68,647,600	47.9	85,543,304	1,426,724	86,970,028	.....	18,322,428
February.....	28,513,192	33,964,924	62,478,116	45.6	76,378,143	1,323,761	77,701,904	.....	15,223,788
March.....	31,016,387	35,439,276	66,455,663	46.7	74,000,616	1,573,568	75,574,184	.....	9,118,521
April.....	28,595,639	30,053,940	58,649,579	48.8	69,402,585	1,689,162	71,091,747	.....	12,442,163
May.....	24,788,242	32,472,617	57,260,859	43.3	64,587,491	1,980,772	66,568,263	.....	9,307,404
June.....	25,130,398	31,033,342	56,163,740	44.7	64,928,447	1,777,424	66,705,871	.....	10,542,131
Total, 12 months.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	861,200,487	19,406,451	882,603,938	.....	102,882,264
July.....	22,674,353	29,434,199	52,108,552	43.5	65,686,419	2,031,870	67,717,789	.....	15,609,237
August.....	20,645,161	28,823,029	49,468,190	41.7	66,689,981	1,311,025	68,001,006	.....	19,132,816
September.....	23,955,772	26,900,218	50,855,990	47.1	83,746,362	1,384,736	85,131,098	.....	34,275,108
October.....	24,013,430	26,453,889	50,467,319	47.6	111,957,796	1,558,790	113,516,586	.....	63,049,267
November.....	27,819,906	22,223,382	50,043,288	55.6	107,821,778	1,251,061	109,072,839	.....	59,029,551
December.....	32,899,388	26,081,272	58,980,660	55.8	116,087,158	1,098,768	117,185,926	.....	58,205,266
1897—January.....	27,299,139	24,054,879	51,354,018	53.2	92,474,282	1,477,601	93,951,883	.....	42,597,865
February.....	32,764,969	26,472,408	59,237,377	55.3	77,842,500	1,978,586	79,821,086	.....	20,533,709
March.....	41,114,784	35,236,600	76,351,444	53.8	85,420,041	1,862,206	87,282,247	.....	10,930,803
April.....	50,889,374	50,433,032	101,322,406	50.3	76,098,128	1,550,658	77,648,786	23,673,620	.....
May.....	36,702,676	42,655,471	79,358,147	46.3	76,295,675	1,575,601	77,871,276	1,486,871	.....
June.....	41,159,291	44,023,730	85,183,021	48.3	71,887,483	1,305,551	73,193,034	11,989,987	.....
Total, 12 months.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,935,953	1,050,993,556	.....	283,263,144
July.....	29,271,389	24,403,370	53,674,759	54.5	69,911,444	1,192,524	71,103,968	.....	17,429,209
August.....	21,182,871	18,661,734	39,844,605	53.1	79,481,695	1,343,355	80,825,050	.....	40,980,445
September.....	22,059,214	20,369,912	42,429,126	52	103,097,617	1,443,295	104,540,912	.....	62,111,786
October.....	24,332,909	25,646,803	49,979,712	48.7	109,527,345	2,217,172	111,744,517	.....	61,764,805
November.....	26,383,165	25,971,486	52,354,651	50.4	114,645,003	2,027,322	116,672,325	.....	64,317,674
December.....	24,128,615	27,377,348	51,505,963	46.8	123,153,083	1,900,878	125,053,961	.....	73,547,998
1898—January.....	22,116,649	28,711,065	50,827,714	43.5	106,698,051	1,728,023	108,426,074	.....	57,598,960
February.....	22,588,894	30,485,755	53,074,649	42.6	93,234,932	1,632,521	94,917,453	.....	41,842,804
March.....	26,642,887	34,919,296	61,562,183	43.3	110,750,861	1,869,635	112,620,496	.....	51,058,313
April.....	24,443,855	31,502,555	55,946,410	43.6	98,013,579	1,301,237	99,314,816	.....	43,368,405
May.....	25,343,291	28,241,360	53,584,651	47.3	108,715,406	2,568,029	111,283,435	.....	57,698,784
June.....	22,920,436	28,344,795	51,265,231	44.7	93,012,297	1,966,426	94,978,723	.....	43,713,402
Total, 12 months.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
July.....	19,575,833	31,408,548	50,984,381	38.4	71,250,815	1,274,204	72,525,019	.....	21,540,663
August.....	21,304,444	28,372,905	49,677,349	42.9	83,157,397	1,408,164	84,565,561	.....	34,888,212
September.....	19,658,433	28,797,954	48,456,387	40.6	89,304,830	1,341,057	90,645,937	.....	42,189,550
October.....	20,163,538	32,185,988	52,349,526	38.3	116,416,821	2,202,742	118,619,563	.....	66,270,037
November.....	22,125,620	29,971,208	52,096,828	42.3	127,474,112	2,294,113	129,768,225	.....	77,671,397
December.....	21,500,293	33,638,846	55,139,139	39	135,473,259	1,353,817	136,827,076	.....	82,693,037
1899—January.....	26,362,783	31,876,987	58,239,770	45.2	113,860,144	1,732,683	115,592,827	.....	57,353,057
Total, 7 months.....	150,690,944	216,252,436	366,943,380	41	736,942,558	12,606,780	749,549,338	.....	382,605,958
Twelve months ending June 30—									
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	33.5	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	43.3	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	360,402,804	827,402,462	53.4	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	51.3	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,686	654,994,622	58	860,204,937	22,935,635	882,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	49.6	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,603,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,935,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

GOLD ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
July.....	171,683	571,451	743,134	.....	3,490,845	.....	376,673	3,867,518	.....	3,124,384
August.....	129,500	1,534,086	1,663,586	3,240	15,428,861	.....	1,238,400	16,670,501	.....	15,006,915
September.....	173,935	749,456	923,391	5,884	17,348,088	.....	75,977	17,429,949	.....	16,506,558
October.....	214,019	1,797,040	2,011,059	13,810	881,978	.....	991,919	1,887,707	123,352	.....
November.....	227,308	591,309	818,617	14,760	14,045,981	.....	13,516	14,074,257	.....	13,255,640
December.....	110,217	1,310,448	1,420,665	7,156	14,211,410	.....	1,269,937	15,488,503	.....	14,067,838
1896.										
January.....	179,012	10,307,940	10,546,952	5,002	10,566,327	.....	199	10,571,528	.....	24,576
February.....	100,008	11,559,089	11,659,097	7,101	1,361,850	.....	821,850	2,190,801	9,468,296	.....
March.....	78,883	677,733	756,616	17,940	384,080	.....	.....	402,020	354,596	.....
April.....	155,400	1,119,768	1,275,168	5,426	3,210,734	.....	571,532	3,787,692	.....	2,512,524
May.....	107,276	604,498	711,774	7,022	19,038,188	.....	65,725	19,110,935	.....	18,399,161
June.....	157,337	837,609	995,006	13,470	6,865,183	.....	49,883	6,928,536	.....	5,933,530
Total, 12 months.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525	.....	5,475,611	112,409,947	.....	78,884,882
1897.										
July.....	162,058	1,505,928	1,667,986	23,295	11,391,141	.....	517,000	11,931,436	.....	10,263,450
August.....	232,437	4,057,101	4,289,538	2,440	1,951,104	.....	19,000	1,972,544	2,316,994	.....
September.....	187,879	34,159,130	34,347,009	32,505	59,750	.....	1,300	93,555	34,253,454	.....
October.....	232,686	27,961,083	28,193,769	24,839	343,168	.....	.....	363,007	27,825,762	.....
November.....	143,072	7,344,228	7,487,300	44,611	423,399	.....	.....	468,010	7,019,290	.....
December.....	233,929	2,567,115	2,801,044	25,970	404,416	.....	1,440	431,826	2,369,218	.....
1897.										
January.....	386,685	556,621	943,306	70,411	371,944	.....	.....	442,355	500,951	.....
February.....	285,480	544,700	830,180	16,450	153,266	.....	183,431	353,147	477,033	.....
March.....	555,273	884,166	1,439,439	3,137	173,418	.....	398,650	575,205	864,234	.....
April.....	352,054	619,452	971,506	1,800	6,622,002	10	7,400	6,631,216	.....	5,659,710
May.....	389,849	561,666	951,515	1,260	9,389,682	.....	77,529	9,468,471	.....	8,516,956
June.....	441,845	650,343	1,092,188	130	7,622,384	.....	3,294	7,625,808	.....	6,593,620
Total, 12 months.....	3,603,217	81,411,533	85,014,750	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	.....
1898.										
July.....	346,734	592,197	938,931	2,750	5,459,110	.....	1,000	5,462,869	.....	4,523,918
August.....	344,174	4,376,395	4,720,569	.....	1,983,588	.....	.....	1,983,588	2,736,981	.....
September.....	433,758	4,289,423	4,723,181	.....	142,922	.....	.....	142,922	4,580,259	.....
October.....	423,717	11,251,766	11,775,483	1,640	281,667	.....	30,004	313,311	11,462,172	.....
November.....	509,071	2,545,018	3,054,089	173	694,138	.....	5,202	699,513	2,354,576	.....
December.....	472,392	2,110,013	2,582,405	4,458	573,233	.....	305	577,906	2,004,409	.....
1898.										
January.....	776,638	5,716,776	6,493,414	2,468	205,945	.....	2,450,250	2,658,663	3,834,751	.....
February.....	833,572	5,329,109	6,162,681	.....	151,896	.....	878,516	1,030,412	5,132,269	.....
March.....	493,575	30,214,745	30,708,320	69,873	322,788	.....	336,046	728,707	29,979,613	.....
April.....	234,720	32,345,138	32,579,858	100	97,068	.....	1,226,556	1,323,724	31,256,134	.....
May.....	203,477	13,118,634	13,322,111	.....	103,016	.....	141	109,157	13,212,954	.....
June.....	145,838	3,184,774	3,330,612	.....	367,529	.....	8,000	375,529	2,955,083	.....
Total, 12 months.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909	.....	4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	.....
1899.										
July.....	149,437	2,492,231	2,641,668	3,200	1,490,582	.....	3,231	1,497,013	1,144,655	.....
August.....	226,475	15,070,336	15,296,811	.....	1,449,712	.....	506,196	1,955,908	13,340,903	.....
September.....	318,922	16,489,419	16,808,341	3,245	202,783	.....	2,896,782	3,102,810	13,705,531	.....
October.....	435,896	16,302,457	16,738,353	100	356,596	.....	923,230	1,279,926	15,458,427	.....
November.....	697,864	4,716,737	5,414,601	2,710	302,003	.....	608,754	913,467	4,411,134	.....
December.....	591,379	8,165,803	8,757,182	.....	159,138	.....	1,060,500	1,219,638	7,537,544	.....
1899.										
January.....	549,237	5,843,107	6,392,344	.....	1,280,053	.....	475,398	1,755,451	4,636,893	.....
Total, 7 months.....	2,879,210	69,080,090	71,959,300	9,255	5,240,867	.....	6,474,091	11,724,213	60,235,067	.....
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1899.....	91,679	12,943,342	13,035,021	a 1,973,976	13,403,632	1,952	3,870,859	19,250,419	.....	6,215,398
1891.....	214,803	18,232,567	18,447,370	a 34,542	84,939,551	269	1,423,103	86,397,405	.....	67,950,035
1892.....	249,304	49,699,454	49,948,758	a 39,325	43,321,351	13,004	6,873,976	50,247,656	.....	298,898
1893.....	894,989	21,174,381	22,069,360	a 225,524	102,068,153	16,607	6,612,691	108,922,975	.....	86,853,595
1894.....	510,444	72,449,119	72,989,563	a 146,779	64,487,354	17,069	12,490,707	77,141,909	.....	4,152,346
1895.....	1,238,026	35,146,734	36,384,760	328,012	55,890,295	9,286	10,240,888	66,468,481	.....	30,083,721
1896.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525	.....	5,475,611	112,409,947	.....	78,884,882
1897.....	3,603,217	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	.....
1898.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909	4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283

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SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July	955,085	772,363	1,727,448		4,420,201		393,890	4,814,091		3,086,643
August	1,112,598	1,114,677	2,227,275	25,778	4,200,615		353,083	4,579,476		2,352,201
September	992,997	1,781,193	2,764,190	38,065	4,067,753		1,331,641	5,437,459		2,673,269
October	1,178,995	1,391,831	2,570,826	99,840	3,679,888		914,559	4,694,287		2,123,461
November	1,092,377	1,030,023	2,122,400	72,295	4,587,416		827,143	5,486,854		3,364,454
December	1,687,485	883,489	2,570,974	105,813	4,646,741		512,796	5,205,350		2,694,376
1896.										
January	1,433,622	1,057,597	2,491,219	84,670	4,547,372	730	355,927	4,988,699		2,497,480
February	1,388,938	1,411,967	2,800,905	38,115	4,549,684		812,635	5,400,434		2,599,529
March	1,408,100	1,353,526	2,821,626	67,568	4,125,859		888,867	5,082,204		2,260,608
April	1,574,353	569,301	2,143,654	14,665	4,936,598		203,470	5,154,643		3,010,929
May	1,386,140	564,332	1,950,472	35,807	4,941,159		217,971	5,194,937		3,244,465
June	1,598,538	987,659	2,586,197	95,368	3,815,379		532,399	4,443,146		1,856,949
Total, 12 months	15,850,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670		31,764,484
July	1,804,206	839,155	2,643,361	33,652	5,373,937		364,717	5,771,406		3,128,045
August	1,350,066	929,422	2,279,488	25,387	4,808,737		467,210	5,301,334		3,021,846
September	1,237,622	741,678	1,979,300	168,880	5,337,641		196,469	5,702,990		3,723,690
October	1,489,353	993,440	2,482,793	179,046	4,492,814		301,525	4,973,385		2,490,592
November	1,338,333	1,776,699	3,115,032	148,232	4,340,865		633,546	5,122,643		2,007,611
December	1,705,892	1,270,801	2,986,693	101,285	5,062,996		1,756,540	6,920,830		3,935,137
1897.										
January	1,907,479	877,067	2,784,546	156,903	3,742,415		255,339	4,154,657		1,370,111
February	1,568,369	763,563	2,331,932	66,158	4,208,097		451,665	4,726,520		2,394,588
March	1,518,765	489,170	1,998,935	23,639	4,681,238		234,446	4,939,323		2,940,368
April	1,604,104	578,124	2,182,228	250	4,807,377		89,518	4,897,145		2,714,917
May	1,984,320	766,704	2,751,024	12,200	4,148,920		188,422	4,349,542		1,598,518
June	2,044,013	954,882	2,998,895		4,621,454		465,409	5,086,863		2,067,968
Total, 12 months	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191		5,404,815	61,946,638		31,413,411
July	1,681,473	1,012,391	2,693,864	180	4,068,884		636,090	4,705,154		2,011,290
August	1,563,457	1,491,752	3,055,209		4,317,093		817,899	5,164,992		2,109,789
September	2,228,231	856,393	3,084,624		3,625,600		956,878	4,582,478		1,497,854
October	1,591,762	1,691,661	3,283,423	95	3,939,347		1,285,995	5,225,437		1,942,014
November	1,540,145	1,610,691	3,150,836	1,334	3,939,895		1,039,422	4,980,651		1,829,815
December	1,703,434	1,063,352	2,766,786	48,259	4,661,185		1,139,086	5,848,530		3,081,744
1898.										
January	1,990,631	544,830	2,535,461	39,424	3,841,239		421,157	4,301,820		1,766,369
February	1,703,601	382,034	2,085,635	6,820	3,631,065		122,086	3,759,971		1,674,336
March	2,120,018	457,577	2,577,595	7,695	3,974,363		113,905	4,095,963		1,518,368
April	1,601,909	489,157	2,091,066	58,860	3,880,402		159,899	4,099,161		2,008,095
May	1,083,811	490,668	1,574,479		4,006,265		178,167	4,184,432		2,609,953
June	1,229,048	799,755	2,028,803		3,751,640		403,010	4,156,650		2,127,847
Total, 12 months	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978		7,275,594	55,105,239		24,177,458
July	1,350,588	1,303,158	2,653,746	150	3,643,118		1,241,654	4,884,922		2,231,176
August	2,003,589	1,458,154	3,551,743		3,837,786		960,692	4,798,478		1,246,735
September	1,031,302	969,394	2,000,696	860	4,157,422		993,821	5,152,103		3,151,407
October	1,722,767	830,677	2,553,444		4,248,479		264,348	4,512,827		1,959,383
November	1,422,381	846,878	2,269,259	165	3,586,013		436,901	4,023,079		1,753,820
December	2,209,425	1,000,028	3,209,453	9,525	5,288,326		529,847	5,827,698		2,618,245
1899.										
January	2,469,092	659,760	3,128,852	4,520	5,206,007		170,279	5,380,806		2,251,954
Total, 7 months	12,299,144	7,068,049	19,367,193	15,220	29,967,151		4,597,542	34,579,913		15,212,720
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1899	7,748,572	21,032,984	28,781,556		22,378,557	75,673	12,495,372	34,949,602		6,168,046
1891	8,953,698	18,026,880	26,980,488		14,033,714	104,175	8,537,274	22,695,163	4,285,325	
1892	9,656,761	19,955,086	29,611,847		10,765,067	332,336	16,045,492	33,142,895		3,531,048
1893	11,100,747	23,193,252	34,293,999		23,559,254	144,338	17,178,065	40,881,637		6,587,658
1894	6,679,161	13,286,552	19,965,713		39,069,087	69,015	11,382,178	50,520,280		30,554,567
1895	10,658,659	9,552,520	20,211,179	46,206	40,073,222	21,763	7,154,095	47,295,286		27,081,107
1896	15,850,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670		31,764,484
1897	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191		5,404,815	61,946,638		31,413,411
1898	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978		7,275,594	55,105,239		24,177,458

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.

IMPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	January—		Seven months ending January—		January—		Seven months ending January—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....	19,335	11,305	167,826	151,243	959	298	8,321	11,436
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	17,850	4,790	62,595	36,940				
Newark, N. J.....		82,609		180,600		45,065		95,677
New York, N. Y.....	3,162,080	2,560,239	15,300,973	32,161,573	1,253,485	2,154,222	8,370,189	8,272,488
Perth Amboy, N. J.....				28,801				1,055,436
Philadelphia, Pa.....			10		1,136		2,560	
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....					2,300		11,220	3,565
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	31,623	87,371	317,864	574,343	67,993	87,371	672,832	1,269,986
Galveston, Tex.....			2,220					
Mobile, Ala.....	1,910	4,036	5,033	9,341		2,189	10,672	5,461
New Orleans, La.....	25,995	30,178	149,416	154,167	10,288	30,661	171,349	193,775
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	124,906	10,717	566,848	127,149	637,604	290,293	5,892,748	4,331,883
Pensacola, Fla.....								1,500
Saluria, Tex.....	34,182		263,435	137,944	54,741	19,080	919,228	352,090
Alaska.....			50	9,065,000				100
Arizona.....	130,733	186,017	948,787	1,083,395	94,083	157,540	605,300	757,356
Puget Sound, Wash.....	586,967	74,231	2,028,359	765,918	246,664	142,807	1,504,119	873,310
San Diego, Cal.....	7,188	7,945	52,230	28,688				
San Francisco, Cal.....	922,821	3,145,411	12,268,389	25,176,423	122,572	216,027	1,582,509	1,476,093
Champlain, N. Y.....	783,140	38,500	1,431,888	1,831,593	3,224	2,211	30,987	22,640
Chicago, Ill.....				1,278	1,677	4,300	1,677	75,287
Detroit, Mich.....	90		90	3,031		90	300	11,337
Huron, Mich.....			85	900		300		800
Minnesota, Minn.....					2,269		8,589	
Montana and Idaho.....	274		735	234	2,524		84,663	52,718
Niagara, N. Y.....	644,320	11,115	713,074	42,494	2,515	1,263	17,240	88,131
North and South Dakota.....			40					
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....		137,880		347,240		13,148		29,711
Vermont, Vt.....				1,000				
Kansas City, Mo.....			7,365				182,381	
Omaha, Nebr.....			720		31,427	11,987	493,319	386,443
Total.....	6,493,414	6,392,344	34,288,092	71,959,300	2,535,461	3,128,852	20,570,203	19,367,193

IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	January—		Seven months ending January—		January—		Seven months ending January—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....	2,450,504	220,828	4,956,514	7,415,919	21,000		21,986	1,175
Germany.....	180	185,046	180	185,046	120		1,290	1,940
United Kingdom.....	495,001	1,992,806	5,876,777	22,972,109	548	14,364	14,519	66,393
Other Europe.....		2,548	508,273	9,774		27	975	73
British Honduras.....	7,622	7,820	10,450	19,225	10,391	30,741	130,812	160,268
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,335,230	187,495	2,053,257	11,268,698	4,901	17,012	47,689	78,251
British Columbia.....	700,473	175,628	2,371,555	1,307,068	297,163	200,588	2,287,350	1,529,689
Central American States.....	56,461	139,385	329,350	395,441	73,342	32,312	521,695	435,896
Mexico.....	403,713	567,579	2,937,698	3,491,736	2,037,294	2,654,327	16,589,132	16,354,117
West Indies:								
Cuba.....		7,859	2,137,415	72,814	1,470	1,751	2,027	10,431
British.....	1,101	3,768	70,240	21,800	701	11,975	16,111	31,443
Other West Indies.....	32,607	10,884	401,500	188,073	36,976	27,857	468,507	87,646
Other North America.....	37,385	16,005	231,229	188,717	959	298	8,321	13,349
Colombia.....	10,655	25,128	166,859	132,346	4,624	86,159	106,628	230,406
Venezuela.....	67,466	1,100	575,190	194,583	17		417	3,809
Other South America.....	3,870		14,364	458,248	45,955	51,441	351,047	337,578
China.....		150,100		244,235			45	
Japan.....	6,500	259,025	6,500	5,006,604				18,000
British Australasia.....	778,640	2,433,250	11,539,864	18,336,864				6,786
Other Asia and Oceania.....	100,000		100,850	50,000			1,652	
Total.....	6,493,414	6,392,344	34,288,092	71,959,300	2,535,461	3,128,852	20,570,203	19,367,193
Ore and bullion.....	1,198,145	3,112,117	7,512,393	31,118,878	2,209,233	2,903,999	14,049,815	15,000,038
Coin.....	5,295,269	3,280,227	26,775,699	40,840,422	326,228	224,853	6,520,388	4,367,155

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	January—		Seven months ending January—		January—		Seven months ending January—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....		4,972	773	4,972		705	2,956	1,705
Bangor, Me.....	21		75,207		219	151	1,455	933
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			8,100	5				8,000
New York, N. Y.....	2,602,183	1,484,074	8,525,462	7,618,437	3,685,688	4,663,993	27,061,462	31,060,682
Philadelphia, Pa.....							1,063	
Mobile, Ala.....			5,000					
New Orleans, La.....				1,896				
Paso del Norte, Tex.....								5,000
Saluria, Tex.....			7,978		14,359		65,596	12,409
Alaska.....			1,055					
Puget Sound, Wash.....	24,340	10,050	54,546	49,550	278	1,900	12,807	17,060
San Diego, Cal.....							1,150	
San Francisco, Cal.....	14,130	232,055	1,015,607	847,068	589,318	702,829	7,569,529	3,385,218
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....			578			120	697	8,202
Champlain, N. Y.....	5,785	3,300	1,907,565	2,914,983	9,158	5,655	58,776	42,857
Detroit, Mich.....						67		602
Memphremagog, Vt.....				10		200		827
Niagara, N. Y.....	12,204	1,000	236,906	286,489	2,800	5,180	33,551	34,599
Vermont, Vt.....			85	203			20	1,819
Total.....	2,658,663	1,755,451	11,838,862	11,724,213	4,301,820	5,380,806	34,809,062	34,579,913

EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	January—		Seven months ending January—		January—		Seven months ending January—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....			4,008,535		131,000	239,450	339,000	632,172
Germany.....	1,900	4,050	1,259,190	13,200	150	955	845	52,612
United Kingdom.....	63,468		371,726	27,105	3,448,465	4,234,895	26,337,584	29,799,332
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	17,989	4,300	2,145,134	3,201,685	11,958	11,222	93,044	88,906
British Columbia.....	24,340	10,050	55,601	49,550	278	1,906	12,807	17,060
Central American States.....	14,060		104,670	20,550	51,890	8,650	171,194	16,883
Mexico.....		700	10,978	9,700	14,359	7,400	71,371	24,309
West Indies:								
Cuba.....	2,440,480	1,410,833	2,440,480	7,141,000		153,500		224,680
Haiti.....	66,000	27,476	242,115	162,396			960	
Santo Domingo.....	11,865	7,465	88,094	59,125	64,000	26,000	185,620	266,500
Other West Indies.....			3,045	46,400	2,223	1,248	11,330	18,427
Other North America.....	21		93,307	35,896	219	151	1,455	8,933
Colombia.....		5,922	13,100	13,922			24,775	2,035
Venezuela.....	6,700	32,000	38,800	108,441				
Other South America.....	9,770	600	12,940	975	4,300		39,813	48,346
China.....					28,300	380,304	701,180	380,304
East Indies: British.....					53,000		1,079,188	
Hongkong.....	2,070	2,055	46,007	57,268	485,678	315,125	5,649,991	2,862,310
Japan.....							60,530	
Hawaiian Islands.....		250,000	905,140	777,000			28,000	135,204
All other countries.....							375	1,400
Total.....	2,658,663	1,755,451	11,838,862	11,724,213	4,301,820	5,380,806	34,809,062	34,579,913
Ore and bullion.....	77,293	4,050	1,978,275	66,167	3,880,385	5,054,671	28,465,146	29,621,459
Coin.....	2,581,370	1,751,401	9,860,587	11,658,046	421,435	326,135	6,343,916	4,958,454

**IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN DURING MONTH OF
JANUARY, 1899.**

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.					SILVER.						TOTAL GOLD AND SILVER, INCLUDING ORE.
	Ore.	Bullion.	Coin.		Total gold, including ore.	Ore.	Bullion.		Coin.		Total sil- ver, includ- ing ore.	
			United States.	Foreign.			United States.	Foreign.				
IMPORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Ounces.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....		11,285		20	11,305				288	10	298	11,603
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		4,790			4,790							4,790
Newark, N. J.....	82,609				82,609	45,065					45,065	127,674
New York, N. Y.....	114,549	2,196,561	14,040	235,089	2,560,239	1,929,486	189,023	108,014	4,519	112,203	2,154,222	4,714,461
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	10,148	59,063	18,160		87,371	17,328	20,573	12,411		7,632	37,371	124,742
Mobile, Ala.....			4,036		4,036				8	2,181	2,189	6,225
New Orleans, La.....		24,894	5,284		30,178				4,000	26,661	30,661	60,839
Pasodel Norte, Tex.....	7,272	3,445			10,717	170,358	187,709	103,240	16,695		290,293	301,010
Saluria, Tex.....										19,080	19,080	19,080
Arizona.....	30,214	155,803			186,017	107,577	86,141	49,963			157,540	343,557
Puget Sound, Wash.....	74,231				74,231	142,807					142,807	217,038
San Diego, Cal.....	1,655	6,200			7,945							7,945
San Francisco, Cal.....	90,679	89,634	117,773	2,817,325	3,145,411	27,036	217,210	159,626		29,365	216,027	3,361,438
Champlain, N. Y.....				38,500	38,500				2,211		2,211	40,711
Chicago, Ill.....						4,300					4,300	4,300
Detroit, Mich.....							140	90			90	90
Huron, Mich.....							1,122	300			300	300
Niagara, N. Y.....		11,115			11,115		2,095	1,263			1,263	12,378
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	137,880				137,880	13,148					13,148	151,028
Omaha, Nebr.....						11,987					11,987	11,987
Total imports.....	549,237	2,562,880	159,293	3,120,934	6,392,344	2,469,092	695,013	434,907	27,721	197,132	3,128,852	9,521,196
EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC.							Scrap silver					
Baltimore, Md.....		4,050	922		4,972		1,175	705			705	5,677
Bangor, Me.....							25	17			17	17
New York, N. Y.....			1,008,676		1,008,676	4,520	7,416,249	4,424,325	153,759		4,582,595	5,591,271
Puget Sound, Wash.....			10,050		10,050				1,906		1,906	11,956
San Francisco, Cal.....			252,055		252,055		1,062,371	619,804			619,804	871,859
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....							199	120			120	120
Champlain, N. Y.....			3,200		3,200							3,200
Memphremagog, Vt.....									200		200	200
Niagara, N. Y.....			1,000		1,000		9,010	5,180			5,180	6,180
Total domestic exports.....		4,050	1,276,003		1,280,053	4,520	8,489,029	5,050,151	153,856		5,210,527	6,490,580
EXPORTS OF FOREIGN.												
Bangor, Me.....										134	134	134
New York, N. Y.....				475,398	475,398					81,398	81,398	556,796
San Francisco, Cal.....										83,025	83,025	83,025
Champlain, N. Y.....										5,655	5,655	5,655
Detroit, Mich.....										67	67	67
Total foreign exports.....				475,398	475,398					170,279	170,279	645,677

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM 1835 TO 1898—(Specie values).

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
September 30—								
1835.....	64,809,046	71,955,249	136,764,295	100,459,481	14,756,321	115,215,802	21,548,493	.....
1836.....	78,655,600	97,923,554	176,579,154	106,570,942	17,767,762	124,338,704	52,240,450	.....
1837.....	58,733,617	71,739,186	130,472,803	94,280,895	17,162,232	111,443,127	19,029,676	.....
1838.....	43,112,889	52,857,399	95,970,288	95,560,880	9,417,690	104,978,570	.....	9,008,282
1839.....	70,806,616	85,690,340	156,496,956	101,625,533	10,626,140	112,251,673	44,245,283	.....
1840.....	48,313,391	49,945,315	98,258,706	111,660,561	12,008,271	123,668,932	.....	25,410,226
1841.....	61,031,098	61,926,446	122,957,544	103,636,236	8,181,235	111,817,471	11,140,073	.....
1842.....	26,540,470	66,534,601	96,075,071	91,799,242	8,078,753	99,877,995	.....	3,802,024
June 30—								
1843 (9 months).....	13,254,249	29,179,215	42,433,461	77,686,354	5,139,335	82,825,689	.....	40,392,225
1844.....	18,936,452	83,668,154	102,604,606	99,531,774	6,214,058	105,745,832	.....	3,141,226
1845.....	18,077,598	95,106,724	113,184,322	98,455,330	7,584,781	106,040,111	7,144,211	.....
1846.....	20,990,007	96,924,058	117,914,065	101,718,042	7,865,206	109,583,248	8,330,817	.....
1847.....	17,651,347	104,773,002	122,424,349	150,574,844	6,166,754	156,741,598	.....	34,317,249
1848.....	16,356,319	132,282,325	148,638,644	150,203,709	7,986,866	158,190,515	19,448,129	.....
1849.....	15,726,425	125,479,774	141,206,199	131,710,081	8,041,091	140,351,172	855,027	.....
1850.....	18,081,590	155,427,936	173,509,526	134,900,233	9,475,493	144,375,726	29,133,800	.....
1851.....	19,653,084	191,118,345	210,771,429	178,620,138	10,295,121	188,915,259	21,856,170	.....
1852.....	24,187,890	183,252,508	207,440,398	154,931,147	12,053,084	166,984,231	40,456,167	.....
1853.....	27,182,152	236,595,113	263,777,265	189,869,162	13,620,120	203,489,282	60,287,983	.....
1854.....	25,760,447	272,043,347	297,803,794	215,328,300	21,715,464	237,043,764	60,760,030	.....
1855.....	36,430,524	221,378,184	257,808,708	192,751,135	26,158,368	218,909,503	38,893,205	.....
1856.....	52,748,074	257,684,236	310,432,310	266,438,051	14,781,372	281,219,423	29,212,887	.....
1857.....	54,267,507	294,160,835	348,428,342	278,906,713	14,917,047	293,823,760	54,604,582	.....
1858.....	61,044,779	202,293,875	263,338,651	251,351,033	20,669,241	272,011,274	.....	8,672,620
1859.....	72,286,327	259,047,014	331,333,341	278,392,080	14,509,971	292,902,051	38,431,290	.....
1860.....	73,741,479	279,874,640	353,616,119	316,242,423	17,333,634	333,576,057	20,040,062	.....
1861.....	71,130,351	218,180,191	289,310,542	204,899,616	14,654,217	219,553,833	69,756,709	.....
1862.....	52,721,653	136,635,024	189,356,677	179,644,024	11,026,477	190,670,501	.....	1,313,824
1863.....	35,241,924	208,093,891	243,335,815	186,003,912	17,960,535	203,964,447	39,371,368	.....
1864.....	41,126,332	275,320,951	316,447,283	143,504,027	15,333,961	158,837,988	157,609,295	.....
1865.....	44,519,516	194,226,064	238,745,580	136,940,248	29,089,055	166,029,303	72,716,277	.....
1866.....	59,028,526	375,783,540	434,812,066	337,518,102	11,341,420	348,859,522	85,952,544	.....
1867.....	23,133,495	372,627,601	395,761,096	279,786,809	14,719,332	294,506,141	101,254,955	.....
1868.....	15,190,781	342,245,659	357,436,440	269,389,900	12,562,999	281,952,899	75,483,541	.....
1869.....	21,646,692	395,859,687	417,506,379	275,166,697	10,951,000	286,117,697	131,388,682	.....
1870.....	20,140,786	415,817,622	435,958,408	376,616,473	16,155,295	392,771,768	43,186,640	.....
1871.....	36,587,737	483,635,947	520,223,684	428,398,908	14,421,270	442,820,178	77,403,506	.....
1872.....	47,267,213	579,327,861	626,595,077	428,487,131	15,690,455	444,177,586	182,417,491	.....
1873.....	144,815,884	497,320,326	642,136,210	505,033,439	17,446,483	522,479,922	119,656,288	.....
1874.....	151,481,762	415,924,580	567,406,342	569,433,421	16,849,619	586,283,040	.....	18,876,698
1875.....	146,279,927	386,725,509	533,005,436	499,284,100	14,158,611	513,442,711	19,562,725	.....
1876.....	140,361,913	320,379,277	460,741,190	525,562,247	14,802,424	540,364,671	.....	79,643,481
1877.....	140,788,452	310,534,674	451,323,126	589,670,224	12,804,996	602,475,220	.....	151,152,004
1878.....	141,278,265	295,773,267	437,051,532	680,709,268	14,150,498	694,865,766	.....	257,814,234
1879.....	142,681,505	303,096,270	445,777,775	698,340,790	12,098,651	710,439,441	.....	264,661,666
1880.....	208,301,863	459,652,883	667,954,746	823,946,353	11,692,305	835,638,658	.....	167,683,912
1881.....	202,491,547	440,173,081	642,664,628	883,925,947	18,451,399	902,377,346	.....	259,712,718
1882.....	210,579,007	514,060,567	724,639,574	733,239,732	17,302,525	750,542,257	.....	25,902,639
1883.....	207,504,718	515,676,196	723,180,914	804,223,632	19,615,770	823,839,402	.....	100,658,488
1884.....	209,884,184	457,813,509	667,697,693	724,964,852	15,548,757	740,513,609	.....	72,815,916
1885.....	193,213,624	384,313,705	577,527,329	726,682,946	15,506,809	742,189,755	.....	164,662,426
1886.....	212,159,296	423,276,840	635,436,136	665,964,529	13,560,301	679,524,830	.....	44,088,694
1887.....	234,221,131	458,098,637	692,319,768	703,022,923	13,160,288	716,183,211	.....	23,863,443
1888.....	244,071,615	479,885,499	723,957,114	683,862,104	12,092,403	695,954,507	28,002,607	.....
1889.....	256,487,078	488,044,574	744,531,652	730,282,609	12,118,766	742,401,375	2,730,277	.....
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,086
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	831,030,785	16,634,469	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,636	275,199,086	654,994,722	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	1,032,007,603	18,983,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION FROM 1835 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	GOLD.				SILVER.		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of—		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports over imports.
			Imports over exports.	Exports over imports.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—							
1835.....	2,325,196	1,355,280			10,806,251	5,122,495	
1836.....	7,231,862	647,455			6,169,019	3,676,881	
1837.....	2,431,814	3,213,735			8,084,600	2,762,514	
1838.....	11,674,883	1,213,204			6,072,233	2,294,842	
1839.....	1,164,580	4,800,668			4,430,596	3,976,075	
1840.....	3,085,157	3,793,373			5,797,656	4,713,611	
1841.....	1,269,449	3,589,669			3,719,184	6,444,463	
1842.....	757,294	2,304,756			3,329,722	2,508,783	
June 30—							
1843 (nine months).....	17,066,437	407,687			5,253,898	1,113,104	
1844.....	1,612,304	1,366,521			4,217,125	4,087,693	
1845.....	818,850	3,055,425			3,251,392	5,551,070	
1846.....	910,413	2,058,199			2,867,319	1,852,069	
1847.....	21,574,931	1,037,921			2,546,358	869,103	
1848.....	3,408,755	11,071,197			2,951,529	4,770,419	
1849.....	4,068,647	1,972,233			2,582,593	3,432,415	
1850.....	1,776,706	4,560,627			2,852,086	2,962,367	
1851.....	3,569,090	22,829,913			1,884,413	6,635,839	
1852.....	3,658,059	40,073,979			1,846,985	2,000,156	
1853.....	2,427,356	25,442,858			1,774,026	2,044,017	
1854.....	3,031,964	40,470,260			3,726,623	727,040	
1855.....	1,092,802	55,109,215			2,567,010	1,138,128	
1856.....	990,305	45,000,977			3,217,327	744,508	
1857.....	6,654,636	63,232,653			5,807,163	3,904,269	
1858.....	11,566,068	50,002,894			7,708,428	2,630,343	
1859.....	2,125,397	61,108,053			5,306,392	2,770,358	
1860.....	2,508,786	58,446,039			6,041,349	8,100,200	
1861.....	42,291,930	27,423,973			4,047,681	2,367,107	
1862.....	13,907,011	35,439,903			2,508,041	1,447,737	
1863.....	5,530,538	62,162,838			4,053,567	1,993,773	
1864.....	11,176,769	100,661,634		89,484,865	1,938,843	4,734,907	2,796,064
1865.....	6,498,298	58,381,033		51,882,805	3,311,844	9,262,193	5,950,349
1866.....	8,196,261	71,197,309		63,001,048	2,503,831	14,846,762	12,342,931
1867.....	17,024,866	39,026,627		22,001,761	5,045,609	21,841,745	16,796,136
1868.....	8,737,443	72,396,344		63,658,901	5,450,925	21,387,758	15,936,833
1869.....	14,132,568	36,003,498		21,870,930	5,675,308	21,134,882	15,459,574
1870.....	12,056,950	33,635,962		21,579,012	14,362,220	24,519,704	10,157,475
1871.....	6,883,561	66,686,208		59,802,647	14,386,463	31,755,780	17,369,317
1872.....	8,717,458	49,548,760		40,831,302	5,026,231	30,328,774	25,302,543
1873.....	8,682,447	44,856,715		36,174,268	12,798,490	39,751,859	26,953,369
1874.....	19,503,137	34,042,420		14,539,283	8,951,709	32,587,985	23,636,216
1875.....	13,696,793	66,980,977		53,284,184	7,203,924	25,151,165	17,947,241
1876.....	7,992,709	31,177,050		23,184,341	7,943,972	25,329,252	17,385,280
1877.....	26,246,234	26,590,374		344,140	14,528,180	29,571,863	15,043,683
1878.....	13,330,215	9,204,445	4,125,760		16,491,099	24,535,670	8,044,571
1879.....	5,624,948	4,587,614	1,037,334		14,671,052	20,409,827	5,738,775
1880.....	80,758,396	3,639,025	77,119,371		12,275,914	13,503,894	1,227,980
1881.....	100,031,259	2,565,132	97,466,127		10,544,238	16,841,715	6,297,477
1882.....	34,377,054	32,587,880	1,789,174		8,095,336	16,829,599	8,734,263
1883.....	17,734,149	11,600,888	6,133,261		10,755,242	20,219,445	9,464,203
1884.....	22,831,317	41,081,957		18,250,640	14,594,945	26,051,426	11,456,481
1885.....	26,691,696	8,477,892	18,213,804		16,550,627	33,753,633	17,203,006
1886.....	20,743,349	42,952,191		22,208,842	17,850,307	29,511,219	11,660,912
1887.....	42,910,601	9,701,187	33,209,414		17,260,191	26,296,504	9,036,313
1888.....	43,954,317	18,376,234	25,578,083		15,403,669	28,037,949	12,634,280
1889.....	10,284,858	59,952,285		49,667,427	18,678,215	36,689,248	18,011,033
1890.....	12,943,342	17,274,491		4,331,149	21,032,984	34,873,929	13,840,945
1891.....	18,232,567	86,362,651		68,130,087	18,026,880	22,590,988	4,564,108
1892.....	49,699,454	50,195,327		495,873	19,955,086	32,810,559	12,855,473
1893.....	21,174,381	108,680,844		87,506,463	23,193,252	40,737,319	17,544,067
1894 <i>a</i>	72,449,119	76,978,061		4,528,942	13,286,552	50,451,265	37,164,713
1895 <i>a</i>	36,384,760	66,468,481		30,083,721	20,211,179	47,295,266	27,084,107
1896 <i>a</i>	33,525,065	112,409,947		78,884,882	28,777,186	60,541,670	31,764,484
1897 <i>a</i>	85,014,780	40,361,580	44,653,200		30,533,227	61,946,638	31,413,411
1898 <i>a</i>	120,391,674	15,406,391	104,985,283		30,927,781	55,105,239	24,177,458

a Includes gold and silver in ore.

NOTE.—Gold and silver can not be separately stated in domestic exports before 1864, but it is probable that the greater portion of the exports was gold.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Aroostook, Me. Imports..	10,865	5,695										
Baltimore, Md. Imports..		1,808	185,038	341,081	270	845	558,003	439,213	336	4	585	5,091
Baltimore, Md. Exports..			101,633	108,899			8,670,282	9,119,355				
Bangor, Me. Imports..	86,744	79,662										
Bangor, Me. Exports..	194,928	732,134										
Bath, Me. Imports..	530	784						1,187				
Beaufort, S. C. Imports..												85
Beaufort, S. C. Exports..							160,933	104,108				8,750
Belfast, Me. Imports..							45					
Boston and Charles- Imports..	96	2,693	130,535	152,291	2,097	10,214	2,886,672	4,598,844	463	20,363	17,325	23,377
town, Mass. Exports..			64,793	25,132			8,775,555	12,090,929				5,309
Brunswick, Ga. Imports..							1,842	24,916				
Brunswick, Ga. Exports..			15,621	8,050			1,040,957	1,430,607				
Castine, Me. Imports..			1,020									
Castine, Me. Exports..				6,354			22,026					
Charleston, S. C. Imports..			6,874	3,052			180,797	118,417				
Charleston, S. C. Exports..			6,800	2,430			826,305	662,152				
Delaware Imports..			2				5,441	2,770		4		
Delaware Exports..				5,520			229,672	203,655				42,535
Fairfield, Conn. Imports..			10,307	502		3,132	4,468	7,120				
Fernandina, Fla. Imports..								18,500				
Fernandina, Fla. Exports..			10,108	18,018			79,179	87,756				
Frenchman Bay, Me. Imports..			270									
Georgetown, D. C. Imports..			719				1,172	6,863			2,505	2,630
Hartford, Conn. Imports..			755	1,866	1,418	2,119	13,724	6,087		489	4,045	86
Newark, N. J. Imports..		39,162	561		1,040	320	10,378	1,549			459	137
Newark, N. J. Exports..				474			868	9,083				
New Haven, Conn. Imports..			666	1,845	125	135	5,933	1,641		310	667	1,681
Newport, R. I. Imports..								2,677				
Newport News, Va. Imports..							88,388	107,781				
Newport News, Va. Exports..			22,549	4,410			2,487,863	2,328,599				
New York, N. Y. Imports..	101,408	148,368	6,175,856	4,871,684	946,948	1,121,194	16,894,016	20,809,963	1,291,549	1,324,271	3,296,199	3,970,335
New York, N. Y. Exports..			3,343,819	3,440,443	757,552	703,243	22,252,894	23,526,499	1,188,692	2,078,529	1,547,115	1,069,021
Norfolk and Ports- Imports..					3,805			11,732				
mouth, Va. Exports..			17,300	8,479			1,651,611	955,545				
Pamlico, N. C. Imports..			253									
Pamlico, N. C. Exports..				2,323								
Passamaquoddy, Me. Imports..	3,773	882	29,638	16,571			2,169	958				
Passamaquoddy, Me. Exports..	15,769		47,251	44,497								
Perth Amboy, N. J. Imports..				13,050								
Perth Amboy, N. J. Exports..				1,202			6,953	1,895				
Philadelphia, Pa. Imports..			109,148	114,057	353,295	336,101	1,269,012	1,626,735	21,369	14,553	50,244	69,722
Philadelphia, Pa. Exports..			35,057	21,626	617,763	585,891	2,846,671	3,309,304	68,497	250,952	42,321	
Portland and Fal- Imports..	57	10					56,279	20,039				
mouth, Me. Exports..			38,957	39,874			1,039,899	1,402,138				
Portsmouth, N. H. Imports..							1,651					

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS.
										10,865	5,695	Imports.....Aroostook, Me.
116,057	118,393	20,184	36,584	3,631	7	6,272	14,452	705,398	614,589	890,436	957,478	Imports.....Baltimore, Md.
2,066,026	616,842			306,285	156,254	257,624	189,403	11,300,217	10,081,854	11,401,850	10,190,753	Exports.....Bangor, Me.
										86,744	79,662	Imports.....Bath, Me.
										194,928	732,134	Exports.....Beaufort, S. C.
									1,187	530	1,971	Imports.....Belfast, Me.
							14,298	160,933	127,156	160,933	127,156	Imports.....Boston & Charles-
								45		45		Exports.....town, Mass.
137,198	259,891				444,822	2,697	133,723	3,046,452	5,491,234	3,177,083	5,646,218	Imports.....Brunswick, Ga.
48,630				74,525			88,706	8,898,710	12,184,944	8,963,503	12,210,076	Exports.....Castine, Me.
								1,842	24,916	1,842	24,916	Imports.....Charleston, S. C.
	76,546	24,981	4,815	90,512	57,997	237,595	64,317	1,394,045	1,634,282	1,409,666	1,642,332	Exports.....Delaware.
										1,020		Imports.....Fairfield, Conn.
								22,026		22,026	6,354	Exports.....Fernandina, Fla.
21,446	20			666	1,915		3,299	202,909	123,651	209,783	126,703	Imports.....Frenchman Bay,
101,735	100,085				41,520			928,040	803,757	934,840	806,187	Exports.....Georgetown, D. C.
29				2,799	755			8,269	3,529	8,271	3,529	Imports.....Hartford, Conn.
81,023	123,139					24,655		335,350	379,329	335,350	384,849	Exports.....Newark, N. J.
5,033	3,310							9,501	13,568	19,808	14,070	Imports.....New Haven, Conn.
							6,854		25,354		25,354	Imports.....Newport, R. I.
				23,000	23,000		24,000	102,179	134,756	112,287	152,774	Exports.....Newport News,
										270		Exports.....Va.
1,349	6,101	236	747			15,203	679	20,465	17,020	21,184	17,020	Imports.....New York, N. Y.
5,324	4,424							24,511	13,205	25,266	15,071	Exports.....Norfolk and Ports-
1,116	285							12,993	2,291	13,554	41,453	Imports.....mouth, Va.
								868	9,083	868	9,557	Exports.....Pamlico, N. C.
2,060	2,313							8,794	6,080	9,460	7,925	Imports.....Passamaquoddy,
									2,677		2,677	Exports.....Me.
1,525	1,575				8,212			89,913	117,568	89,913	117,568	Imports.....Perth Amboy, N. J.
156,777	199,862			145,348	204,284	116,591	106,563	2,906,579	2,839,308	2,929,128	2,843,718	Exports.....Philadelphia, Pa.
4,610,992	5,322,701	94,614	150,805	741,295	660,065	481,636	716,091	28,356,349	34,075,425	34,633,613	39,095,477	Imports.....Portland and Fal-
4,306,293	5,036,614	190,577	59,601	1,476,956	291,324	973,403	1,086,624	32,693,452	33,851,455	36,037,271	37,291,898	Exports.....mouth, Me.
521	39							4,326	11,771	4,326	11,771	Imports.....Portsmouth, N. H.
		16,000					74,268	1,667,611	1,029,813	1,684,911	1,038,292	
										253		Imports.....
											2,323	Exports.....
								2,169	958	35,580	18,411	Imports.....
										63,020	44,497	Exports.....
								6,953	1,895	6,953	3,097	Imports.....
129,302	312,073	46,214	12,275	53,316	57,278	2,202	4,080	1,924,954	2,432,817	2,034,102	2,546,874	Imports.....
521,978	310,483	41,832	2,406	373,623	1,067,747	49,840	122,012	4,562,825	5,648,885	4,597,882	5,670,511	Exports.....
6,166								62,445	20,030	62,502	20,049	Imports.....
139,195	102,000							1,170,094	1,504,138	1,203,051	1,544,012	Exports.....
								1,651		1,551		Imports.....

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.												
Providence, R. I.	Imports..		4,303	2,884	2,454	167	27,138	26,394			15,342	15,467
	Exports..						1,191					
Richmond, Va.	Imports..		20	269			902	905	2	16	196	
St. Augustine, Fla.	Imports..		96									
St. Johns, Fla.	Imports..			11			1,947	1,365				
	Exports..		7,025	15,203			8,912	9,321				
St. Marys, Ga.	Exports..						5,305					
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	Imports..	8	2	3,653			2,645					
Savannah, Ga.	Imports..			190		7,430	97	54,530			30	
	Exports..			13,981		128,520	2,583,862	2,251,877				
Stonington, Conn.	Imports..		331									
Waldoboro, Me.	Imports..		666				405	229				
Wilmington, N. C.	Imports..							25,162				
	Exports..		13,062	7,590			1,054,448	261,232				
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla.	Imports..											
	Exports..			1,853			3,000	5,060				
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.	Imports..		15,063	3,129								
	Exports..		10,973	11,699								
Corpus Christi, Tex.	Imports..	93,151	99,937									
	Exports..	433,995	459,592									
Galveston, Tex.	Imports..		2,360				51,047	15,460				
	Exports..		6,245	21,312			4,835,029	8,179,196				
Key West, Fla.	Imports..		40,617	17,644			836	34				
	Exports..		14,967	153,043			11	973				
Mobile, Ala.	Imports..		2,935	836			1,226	70,155				
	Exports..		7,637	19,331			1,013,644	690,638				
New Orleans, La.	Imports..	365	365	28,187	38,930	753	504,832	224,004		1,913	402,574	137,343
	Exports..			245,641	108,207		10,607,577	10,238,521			341,102	224,450
Paso del Norte, Tex.	Imports..	103,651	73,943									
	Exports..	176,028	342,149									
Pearl River, Miss.	Imports..						163	245				
	Exports..			24,864	33,875		12,120	49,924				
Pensacola, Fla.	Imports..						11	6				
	Exports..				12,193		13,442	855,484			6,576	
Saluria, Tex.	Imports..	63,348	98,015	500	38					46		
	Exports..	199,318	235,209									
Tampa, Fla.	Imports..			38,015	101,727		214	346				
	Exports..			1,627	11,823		19,630	53,531				
Teche, La.	Exports..			1,857								
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska	Imports..			8,497				409				
	Exports..			511				91				
Arizona	Imports..	259,568	27,299									
	Exports..	78,225	126,134									
Humboldt, Cal.	Imports..			720								
	Exports..			3,878	6,524							
Los Angeles, Cal.	Imports..			9,363	940		2,433	2,626	149			
	Exports..			1,215								

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars. 17,572	Dollars. 16,694	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars. 94	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars. 3	Dollars. 63,600	Dollars. 58,725	Dollars. 67,903	Dollars. 61,609	ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,191	.....	1,191	.....	Imports... Providence, R. I.
292	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,392	950	1,412	1,219	Imports... Richmond, Va.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	96	.....	Imports... St. Augustine, Fla.
90	173	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,037	1,538	2,037	1,549	Imports... St. Johns, Fla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,883	.....	5,675	8,912	19,879	15,937	35,082	Exports... St. Johns, Fla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,148	.....	.....	.....	3,148	5,305	3,148	5,305	Exports... St. Marys, Ga.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,645	.....	2,653	3,656	Imports... Salem and Beverly, Mass.
647	13,516	.....	14	18	.....	.....	3,107	792	78,597	792	78,787	Imports... Savannah, Ga.
180,603	148,716	32,388	30,371	190,722	235,632	26,925	332,687	3,020,500	3,127,803	3,020,500	3,141,784	Exports... Savannah, Ga.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	331	.....	Imports... Stonington, Conn.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	405	229	1,071	229	Imports... Waldoboro, Me.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,162	.....	25,162	Imports... Wilmington, N. C.
.....	.....	.....	.....	11,585	20,172	.....	.....	1,066,033	281,404	1,079,095	288,994	Exports... Wilmington, N. C.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,294	.....	.....	.....	1,294	.....	1,294	Imports... Apalachicola, Fla.
.....	4,349	.....	.....	20,218	22,433	10,878	2,940	34,096	34,782	35,949	34,782	Exports... Apalachicola, Fla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,063	3,129	Imports... Brazos de Santi-
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,973	11,699	Exports... ago, Tex.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93,151	99,937	Imports... Corpus Christi,
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	433,995	459,592	Exports... Tex.
51,982	440	10	.....	.....	100,249	3,379	1,645	106,418	117,794	108,778	117,794	Imports... Galveston, Tex.
409,121	324,669	12,016	.....	414,612	347,209	726,515	1,480,440	6,397,293	10,331,514	6,403,538	10,352,826	Exports... Galveston, Tex.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	836	34	41,453	17,678	Imports... Key West, Fla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	973	14,978	140,016	Exports... Key West, Fla.
4	6	.....	.....	141,670	90,881	5	.....	142,905	161,042	145,840	161,878	Imports... Mobile, Ala.
.....	.....	6,360	19,731	149,041	155,085	8,683	11,086	1,177,731	870,540	1,185,368	895,871	Exports... Mobile, Ala.
31,801	21,907	4,515	28,855	72,248	110,408	1,084	.....	1,011,807	524,490	1,046,359	563,785	Imports... New Orleans, La.
243,534	95,866	8,500	322,220	96,611	63,230	1,480,650	1,832,992	12,782,794	12,777,279	13,028,435	12,885,486	Exports... New Orleans, La.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106,651	73,943	Imports... Paso del Norte,
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	176,028	342,149	Exports... Tex.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163	245	163	245	Imports... Pearl River, Miss.
.....	.....	.....	.....	29,565	45,942	.....	1,133	41,585	96,999	66,449	136,874	Exports... Pearl River, Miss.
.....	.....	19	105	29	18	50	8	109	137	109	137	Imports... Pensacola, Fla.
5,073	46,695	42,665	69,629	92,145	50,540	526,840	638,755	687,750	1,681,083	687,750	1,693,282	Exports... Pensacola, Fla.
71	164	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71	210	63,919	98,263	Imports... Saluria, Tex.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	199,348	235,209	Exports... Saluria, Tex.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	214	346	38,229	102,073	Imports... Tampa, Fla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,250	.....	22,291	19,630	89,072	21,257	100,901	Exports... Tampa, Fla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,857	.....	Exports... Teche, La.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	409	.....	8,906	PACIFIC PORTS.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	91	511	91	Imports... Alaska.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	259,568	27,299	Imports... Arizona.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78,225	126,134	Exports... Arizona.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	720	Imports... Humboldt, Cal.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,878	6,524	Exports... Humboldt, Cal.
712	1,592	.....	.....	.....	20,078	10,014	32,934	13,308	57,230	22,671	58,170	Imports... Los Angeles, Cal.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,215	.....	Exports... Los Angeles, Cal.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
PACIFIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Oregon, Oreg.	{ Imports..			6,693				2,895				
	{ Exports..						56,100	3,277				
Puget Sound, Wash.	{ Imports..	154,400	76,192	6,168	300,696		17,529	251		92		
	{ Exports..	135,956	128,482	156,827	665,147		1,006,835	443,570				
San Diego, Cal.	{ Imports..	3,150	924	424	1,371		5,550	40,913				
	{ Exports..	443	2,329	1,478	785			7,369				
San Francisco, Cal.	{ Imports..	100		1,694,403	1,495,464	2,485	2,361	2,038,817	711,259	1,801	2,150	37,346
	{ Exports..			883,504	1,212,249			1,252,574	428,204			287,300
Willamette, Oreg.	{ Imports..			2,617	1,019			60,725	36,112	111		
	{ Exports..				3,840			1,236,944	435,872			
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	{ Imports..	144,639	140,870	1,614	1,303	106	5,730	9,995	11,756	3,486	5,190	7,993
	{ Exports..	645,434	626,579	1,998	1,393							3,850
Cape Vincent, N. Y.	{ Imports..	633	7,037	36				2,241	214			
	{ Exports..	2,249	2,820					1,464	942			
Champlain, N. Y.	{ Imports..	88,886	98,734									
	{ Exports..	334,256	346,105									
Chicago, Ill.	{ Imports..	27,815	13,194	152,133	172,338	85,823	72,996	306,313	321,723	50,792	30,801	12,577
	{ Exports..			61	34,204		1,137	49,389	64,687		853	4,051
Cuyahoga, Ohio.	{ Imports..			32,334	25,377							4,574
	{ Exports..											
Detroit, Mich.	{ Imports..	65,032	82,628	19,203	19,636			32,322	21,594	3,753	3,262	2,315
	{ Exports..	1,075,720	1,080,075	28,024	25,851			4,660				123
Duluth, Minn.	{ Imports..	35,690	65,277					632	4,431		565	
Dunkirk, N. Y.	{ Imports..			2,417								
Erie, Pa.	{ Imports..			100								
Genesee, N. Y.	{ Imports..			6,392	1,276	5,498		20,523	19,820	493		14,443
	{ Exports..											20,699
Huron, Mich.	{ Imports..	28,687	38,345	302	494							
	{ Exports..	320,187	529,002		590							
Memphremagog, Vt.	{ Imports..	105,362	144,489									
	{ Exports..	110,365	126,623									
Miami, Ohio.	{ Imports..		236	33	31			412	879		1,466	
Michigan, Mich.	{ Imports..											19
Milwaukee, Wis.	{ Imports..		456	1,754	1,214	12,875	398	24,604	15,212	797	3,637	4,688
Minnesota, Minn.	{ Imports..	3,929	3,908	135	3,837			42,406	96,940	4,089	3,824	1,031
	{ Exports..											1,265
Montana and Idaho	{ Imports..	11,371	19,006									
	{ Exports..	1,481	2,488									
Niagara, N. Y.	{ Imports..	112,506	115,491									
	{ Exports..	552,453	389,395									
North and South Dakota.	{ Imports..	55,789	62,943									
	{ Exports..	273,296	201,958									
Oswegatchie, N. Y.	{ Imports..	282,391	617,868	3,157	7,291			109	335			
	{ Exports..	126,678	146,759	6,136	2,195							
Superior, Mich.	{ Imports..	9,219	15,124	3				7				
	{ Exports..	119,348	50,330									
Vermont, Vt.	{ Imports..	144,719	174,880									
	{ Exports..	471,963	445,050									

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.					
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899		
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	PACIFIC PORTS—Continued.	
									2,895		2,895	Imports... Oregon, Ore.	
								56,100	3,277	56,100	9,970	Exports... Puget Sound	
	115,765			99		449,217	1,234,249	466,845	1,234,592	627,413	1,611,480	Imports... Wash.	
				46,453		196,436	203,960	1,249,724	763,295	1,542,507	1,556,924	Exports... San Diego, Cal.	
				17,418		298		23,266	40,913	26,840	43,208	Imports... San Francisco, Cal.	
						3,360		3,360	7,369	5,281	10,483	Exports... Willamette, Ore.	
62,096	53,752		5,741	17,580	19,240	60,638	325,437	2,220,763	1,146,563	3,915,266	2,642,027	Imports... Willamette, Ore.	
3,714		56,180	71,940	862	65,100	531,857	208,869	2,132,487	900,003	3,015,991	2,112,252	Exports... NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.	
291	6,842						3,506	61,127	46,460	63,744	47,479	Imports... Buffalo Creek,	
194,322	134,150					69,241		1,491,507	570,022	1,491,507	573,862	Exports... N. Y.	
6,686	7,502		474					28,206	34,502	174,519	176,675	Imports... Cape Vincent, N. Y.	
										647,432	627,972	Exports... Champlain, N. Y.	
								2,241	214	2,910	7,251	Imports... Chicago, Ill.	
								1,464	942	3,713	3,762	Imports... Cuyahoga, Ohio.	
										88,886	98,734	Imports... Detroit, Mich.	
										334,256	346,105	Exports... Duluth, Minn.	
110,616	106,330	1,481	154		40,347	9,612	39,672	577,214	638,101	757,162	823,633	Imports... Dunkirk, N. Y.	
13,946	11,714							67,386	82,965	67,447	117,169	Imports... Erie, Pa.	
										32,334	25,377	Imports... Genesee, N. Y.	
9,500	2,469				6			47,890	27,454	132,125	129,718	Imports... Huron, Mich.	
								4,666		1,108,404	1,105,926	Exports... Memphis, Tenn.	
	29							632	5,025	36,322	70,302	Imports... Miami, Ohio.	
											2,417	Imports... Michigan, Mich.	
65								65		165		Imports... Milwaukee, Wis.	
32,418	42,880					1,314		74,689	83,399	81,081	84,675	Imports... Minnesota, Minn.	
			13								13	Imports... Montana and Idaho.	
											28,929	38,852	Imports... Niagara, N. Y.
											320,187	529,592	Exports... North and South Dakota.
											105,362	144,489	Imports... Oswegatchie, N. Y.
											110,365	126,623	Exports... Superior, Mich.
731	548							2,640	1,427	2,640	1,696	Imports... Vermont, Vt.	
									19		19		
5,789	2,818					215	436	48,968	22,501	50,722	24,171	Imports...	
10,037	14,711					14,496	38,031	72,059	154,771	76,123	162,516	Imports...	
										11,371	19,006	Imports...	
										1,481	2,488	Exports...	
											112,506	115,491	Imports...
											532,453	389,395	Exports...
										55,789	62,943	Imports...	
										273,296	201,958	Exports...	
	12							109	347	285,657	625,506	Imports...	
										132,814	148,954	Exports...	
								7		9,228	15,124	Imports...	
										119,348	50,330	Exports...	
										144,719	174,880	Imports...	
										471,963	445,050	Exports...	

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Albany, N. Y.....Imports..				706	844	519	4,717	3,612	297	603	2,152	3,846
Atlanta, Ga.....Imports..			167	406			45	580				
Cincinnati, Ohio.....Imports..			5,680	6,831	9,995	23,814	41,366	28,332	2,383	4,084	3,902	598
Columbus, Ohio.....Imports..			1,500	580	2,253	8,125	2,746	2,085			212	
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....Imports..								3,355				
Denver, Colo.....Imports..	958						2,960	2,380			1,683	290
Des Moines, Iowa.....Imports..			446				109	212				
Dubuque, Iowa.....Imports..								1,068				
Evansville, Ind.....Imports..							192					
Grand Rapids, Mich.....Imports..				85			1,454	14,690	653	197		
Indianapolis, Ind.....Imports..	52		1,376	995			15,042	18,481			1,220	339
Kansas City, Mo.....Imports..	303	2	574				12,021	12,710	155		136	822
Lincoln, Nebr.....Imports..								507				181
Louisville, Ky.....Imports..	187		73	7,670	1,268		11,381	9,282	47	123	155	243
Memphis, Tenn.....Imports..			135				677	251				
Nashville, Tenn.....Imports..				341			999	691				
Omaha, Nebr.....Imports..	18,672	4,799		32			30,020	8,932			10	4,249
Pittsburg, Pa.....Imports..			5,312	5,071		1,581	14,510	20,347	415	355	2,300	3,575
St. Joseph, Mo.....Imports..			1,103				11,065	14,154			1,242	
St. Louis, Mo.....Imports..	111	43	10,342	11,394	7,863		202,107	133,608	2,100	6,559	4,150	5,107
Sionx City, Iowa.....Imports..								2,015				
Springfield, Mass.....Imports..			2,186				2,992	8,106			883	257
Syracuse, N. Y.....Imports..	2,293		99	283			3,092	14,610	27	252	819	870
Total.....Imports..	2,023,457	2,261,072	8,711,593	7,772,454	1,442,246	1,598,318	25,542,951	29,878,791	1,385,267	1,424,516	3,894,954	4,320,562
Exports..	5,268,122	5,973,213	5,155,544	6,088,644	1,375,315	1,417,654	73,809,111	79,152,012	1,257,189	2,329,481	2,224,414	1,475,955

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Atlantic ports.....Imports..	203,481	279,067	6,657,058	5,523,006	1,312,452	1,481,657	22,013,124	27,915,577	1,313,719	1,360,010	3,387,597	4,088,611
Exports..	210,697	732,134	3,723,975	3,774,505	1,375,315	1,417,654	53,746,081	57,759,360	1,257,189	2,329,481	1,589,436	1,125,615
Gulf ports.....Imports..	263,515	272,260	127,677	162,304	753		558,329	310,250		1,959	402,754	137,343
Exports..	809,371	1,036,950	315,664	363,495			16,504,453	20,073,327			347,648	224,450
Pacific ports.....Imports..	417,218	104,415	1,712,975	1,808,707	2,485	2,361	2,125,054	794,465	2,061	2,242	37,346	26,623
Exports..	214,624	256,945	1,047,413	1,895,238			3,552,453	1,318,383			287,300	125,890
Northern border and lake ports.....Imports..	1,116,607	1,600,486	184,890	244,043	104,333	80,261	488,953	557,591	63,410	48,132	48,564	56,608
Exports..	4,033,430	3,947,184	68,492	55,406			6,124	942				
Interior ports.....Imports..	22,576	4,844	28,993	34,394	22,223	34,039	357,491	300,968	6,077	12,173	18,873	20,377

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BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	INTERIOR PORTS.
6,934	2,430					429		15,373	11,010	15,373	11,716	Imports... Albany, N. Y.
								45	580	212	986	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
17,113	50,314		6,233				1,338	74,759	114,713	80,439	121,544	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
6,792	3,769					130	580	12,133	14,559	13,633	15,139	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
									3,355		3,355	Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.
767	4,765					36		5,446	7,435	6,404	7,435	Imports... Denver, Colo.
718	457			56				883	669	1,329	669	Imports... Des Moines, Iowa.
25	5							25	1,973	25	1,973	Imports... Dubuque, Iowa.
6	17							198	17	198	17	Imports... Evansville, Ind.
96	192							2,199	15,079	2,199	15,164	Imports... Grand Rapids, Mich.
3,049	4,581				7			19,311	23,408	20,739	24,403	Imports... Indianapolis, Ind.
672	2,321					4		12,988	15,853	13,865	15,855	Imports... Kansas City, Mo.
1,387	893							1,387	1,581	1,387	1,581	Imports... Lincoln, Nebr.
9,529	2,523			100				22,480	12,171	22,740	19,841	Imports... Louisville, Ky.
5,546	5,760							6,223	6,011	6,358	6,011	Imports... Memphis, Tenn.
5	324				86			1,004	1,101	1,004	1,442	Imports... Nashville, Tenn.
354	996						5,947	30,384	20,034	49,056	24,865	Imports... Omaha, Nebr.
9,212	11,792					363		26,800	37,650	32,112	42,721	Imports... Pittsburg, Pa.
5,580	29							17,887	14,183	18,990	14,183	Imports... St. Joseph, Mo.
77,840	176,723	4,320				50	3,740	298,439	325,737	308,892	337,174	Imports... St. Louis, Mo.
155								155	2,015	155	2,015	Imports... Sioux City, Iowa.
3,450	1,678							7,325	10,041	9,511	10,041	Imports... Springfield, Mass.
1,339	2,674					95	106	5,372	18,512	7,764	18,795	Imports... Syracuse, N. Y.
5,543,142	6,607,412	171,593	242,000	1,051,079	1,555,728	1,059,439	2,569,917	40,099,671	48,206,244	50,825,721	58,239,770	Imports... } Total.
8,448,994	7,445,751	431,499	600,813	3,546,434	2,865,602	5,236,902	6,511,019	96,329,858	101,798,287	106,753,524	113,860,144	Exports... }

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5,055,828	6,061,543	161,248	200,425	801,879	1,173,054	508,010	882,288	34,553,857	43,163,165	41,414,396	48,965,238	Imports... } Atlantic ports.
7,593,230	6,724,287	305,778	97,283	2,696,004	2,102,813	1,686,633	2,108,553	70,249,666	73,665,046	74,184,338	78,171,685	Exports... }
83,858	22,517	4,544	28,960	213,947	302,910	4,518	1,053	1,268,523	805,592	1,659,715	1,240,156	Imports... } Gulf ports.
657,728	471,549	69,541	431,590	803,115	697,689	2,758,375	3,989,637	21,140,890	25,888,242	22,265,925	27,288,687	Exports... }
63,099	62,186		5,741	35,997	39,318	520,167	1,596,126	2,785,309	2,529,062	4,915,502	4,442,184	Imports... } Pacific ports.
198,026	249,915	56,180	71,940	47,315	65,100	791,894	412,829	4,933,178	2,244,057	6,195,215	4,396,240	Exports... }
189,788	189,013	1,481	641		40,353	25,637	78,139	922,166	1,050,738	2,223,723	2,895,267	Imports... } Northern border
								6,124	942	4,103,046	4,003,532	Exports... } and lake ports.
150,569	272,153	4,320	6,233	156	93	1,107	11,711	560,816	657,687	612,385	696,925	Imports... Interior ports.

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
EUROPE.												
Austria-Hungary	Imports..		1,684		5,710	3,217	93,157	307,565	32,512	8,852	2,352	
	Exports..						299,226	352,421				
Azores, and Madeira Islands	Imports..						757	147				
	Exports..											
Belgium	Imports..		4,791	1,125	136,590	193,867	453,047	388,423	277		1,836	1,719
	Exports..		156	108,900	480,751	782,458	2,664,656	2,338,286	72,210	158,434		
Denmark	Imports..						12,679					
	Exports..						410,053	555,612				
France	Imports..	12	1,626,085	1,472,708	109,274	120,472	998,793	2,243,718	4,316	4,503	2,202,349	2,674,682
	Exports..		4,653	13,211	22,860	1,320	6,891,832	5,038,371			1,856,330	1,270,560
Germany	Imports..	188	2,970	74,532	62,966	431,550	525,432	1,416,294	1,973,542	573,039	583,352	44,843
	Exports..	281		50		5,230	7,666	6,341,910	8,370,280	16,925	94,238	32
Gibraltar	Imports..						7	3,650				
	Exports..			14,240			43,027	48,051				
Greece	Imports..		200				94,548	55,447		1,764	11	
	Exports..						2,974	1,786				
Italy	Imports..	6	216	16,642	9,142	102,939	896,381	944,051	2		105,715	4,268
	Exports..			6,354			1,355,471	1,453,476			54,548	300
Malta, Gozo, etc.	Imports..						686					
	Exports..						4,879	47,020				
Netherlands	Imports..		69,280		1,600	14,718	117,215	131,324	582,400	508,954	96,322	550,704
	Exports..						3,011,175	4,072,434	1,070,113	1,841,953		
Portugal	Imports..		1,471	3,690		757	24,614	37,928				
	Exports..							186,901				
Russia	Imports..		1,641		3,906		285,824	112,839	22,922			
	Exports..		8				144,682	700,856				
Spain	Imports..	10	13,743	3,767		1,352	158,321	301,108			36,133	1,287
	Exports..						675,914	465,820			190	61,305
Sweden and Norway	Imports..				2,382		139,624	114,395	49,191	22,529		
	Exports..						253,568	1,023,774		9,611		
Switzerland	Imports..	1	189,548	145,619	142,916	189,056	157,432	92,949	10,439	43,823	648,024	880,062
	Exports..				1,329	3,999	14,080	7,007	1,040	1,526	795	97
Turkey in Europe	Imports..	1					158,536	212,322		1,190	10,580	15
	Exports..						5,313	80,112				
United Kingdom	Imports..	5,606	1,284	969,730	917,208	358,979	293,375	8,432,439	8,394,673	5,255	12,808	16,690
	Exports..	60,085	466,661	1,266,053	903,622	585,222	526,694	45,424,937	47,147,710	41,200	198,350	125,890
NORTH AMERICA.												
Bermuda	Imports..						7,178	6,723				
	Exports..		2,365	4,117			76,349	107,640				
British Honduras	Imports..		3,625	3,958			128	205				
	Exports..		10,982	10,446			27,284	10,112				
British North Amer- ica	Imports..	1,267,418	1,371,000	149,873	116,551		174,055	217,684				
	Exports..	4,148,536	4,245,673	262,958	222,636		139,426	246,853				
Central American States	Imports..		116,035	261,610			169,210	300,593				
	Exports..		282,033	249,674			71,734	94,494				
Mexico	Imports..	525,808	299,858	636,890	552,714		191,892	524,566				
	Exports..	882,039	1,165,413	555,901	378,228		107,365	137,049				
Miquelon, etc.	Imports..							5,724			4,484	7,887
	Exports..		8	1,502				25				5,309

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BY COUNTRIES.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	EUROPE.
314,204	303,375			11,442	97	17,151	122	431,528	623,228	483,212	623,228	Imports... Austria-Hungary.
21,035	45,199	48,618	10,071			426,880	605,539	795,759	1,013,230	795,759	1,013,230	Exports... ..
						159	306	916	453	916	453	Imports... Azores, and M.
	22					48,410	53,293	48,440	53,315	48,440	53,315	Exports... deira Islands.
2,673	125,512		14		6,153			594,423	715,688	599,214	716,813	Imports... ..
160,415	464,153			70,464	157,080	2,971	16,510	3,451,470	3,916,921	3,451,626	4,025,821	Exports... ..
1,809	70			56		21,660	28,303	36,204	28,379	36,204	28,379	Imports... ..
78,538	4,094			59,113	110,640	528,124	757,800	1,075,828	1,428,146	1,075,828	1,428,146	Exports... ..
154,865	224,935	2,409	869	69,530	466	91		3,511,687	5,269,735	5,167,772	6,742,555	Imports... ..
	223,201	25,132	53,015	751,338		71,839	3,826	9,119,331	6,590,293	9,123,984	6,603,504	Exports... ..
3,514,938	4,181,723			46,442	366,266	21,385	224,109	6,048,491	7,898,033	6,123,211	7,964,969	Imports... ..
6,544,732	4,640,888	24,981		286,310	47,211	88,022	271,125	13,308,110	13,431,440	13,308,441	13,431,440	Exports... ..
	5							7	3,655	7	3,655	Imports... ..
7,893	1,620	11,245						62,165	49,671	62,165	63,911	Exports... ..
							4,895	94,559	62,106	94,759	62,106	Imports... ..
				51,885	68,129			54,859	69,915	54,859	69,915	Exports... ..
412,199	761,220	64,617	37,325			39,390	1,786	1,527,446	1,851,589	1,527,662	1,868,237	Imports... ..
278,028	444,802	77,138	350,179			353,888	1,029,390	2,119,073	3,351,841	2,119,073	3,358,195	Exports... ..
								686		686		Imports... ..
								4,879	47,020	4,879	47,020	Exports... ..
2,205	5,130					1,033		800,775	1,210,830	870,055	1,210,830	Imports... ..
320,976	443,788			321,382	1,077,282	121,047	83,006	4,844,693	7,518,463	4,844,693	7,518,463	Exports... ..
						104,732	485,937	129,346	524,622	130,817	528,312	Imports... ..
		18,420				162,844	191,684	162,844	397,005	162,844	397,005	Exports... ..
83,512	47,140				16,215		10,725	396,164	186,919	397,805	186,919	Imports... ..
27,779	34,402	10,153		25,896	7,061	13,425	8,452	221,935	750,771	221,943	750,771	Exports... ..
8,713	2,734					1,847	3,786	205,014	310,267	218,757	314,044	Imports... ..
		8,500	39,025	8,000		660,288	850,932	1,352,892	1,417,082	1,352,892	1,417,082	Exports... ..
22,511	25,538			94	20,001	36,495	52,167	250,297	234,630	250,297	234,630	Imports... ..
19,436	87,452			94,963	41,520	119,584	336,039	487,551	1,498,396	487,551	1,498,396	Exports... way.
51,861	133,251				339			1,010,672	1,339,480	1,290,220	1,485,100	Imports... ..
195	6,111							17,439	18,740	17,439	18,740	Exports... ..
6,592	25,939							175,708	239,466	175,708	239,467	Imports... ..
					61,675			5,313	141,787	5,313	141,787	Exports... ..
17,289	79,453		5,741	10,514	3,817	4,034	1,653	8,836,063	8,800,857	9,811,399	9,719,349	Imports... ..
492,319	431,161	56,180	80,165	656,779	552,583	1,710,385	1,277,563	49,124,172	50,182,966	50,450,310	51,553,249	Exports... ..
												NORTH AMERICA.
								7,178	6,723	7,178	6,723	Imports... ..
								76,349	107,640	78,714	111,757	Exports... ..
				6,198	2,087			6,326	2,292	9,951	6,250	Imports... ..
				17,073	12,597			44,357	22,709	55,339	33,155	Exports... ..
				44,147	38,303	70,652	48,374	288,854	304,361	1,706,145	1,791,908	Imports... ..
				44,184		960	1,468	184,570	248,321	4,596,061	4,716,630	Exports... ..
				75,484	114,001			244,694	414,534	360,729	676,201	Imports... ..
				57,370	63,072			129,104	157,566	411,137	407,240	Exports... ..
14,203	220,921			306,197	375,121	49,570		561,862	1,120,608	1,724,560	1,973,180	Imports... ..
	234,077			187,106	150,701	47,190	12,346	341,661	534,173	1,779,601	2,077,814	Exports... ..
								4,484	13,611	4,484	13,611	Imports... ..
									5,334		6,844	Exports... ..

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTH AMERICA—continued.												
West Indies:	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
British.....	{ Imports.....		257,165	117,008			391,243	469,246			38,583	
	{ Exports.....	13	211,583	255,483			411,460	460,927	465		1,839	
Danish.....	{ Imports.....			5,561			54	834				
	{ Exports.....		8,311	8,795			39,413	25,782				
Dutch.....	{ Imports.....		10,229	1,252			1,000	2,471	115		2,884	
	{ Exports.....		22,273	25,890			13,594	11,213	407		2,390	
French.....	{ Imports.....							72				
	{ Exports.....		24,400	63,392			68,428	126,930				
Haiti.....	{ Imports.....		17,230	10,979			19,122	108,999	1,750		23,153	
	{ Exports.....		49,929	100,394			51,557	48,731	71,390		76,698	
Santo Domingo.....	{ Imports.....		149,827	210,859			323					
	{ Exports.....		81,782	87,732			4,523	10,207				
Cuba.....	{ Imports.....		1,693,151	886,605			188,591	44,255				
	{ Exports.....		927,543	1,231,128			58,789	54,119				
Porto Rico.....	{ Imports.....		20	60,933			6,713					
	{ Exports.....		66,823	215,547			95,450					
SOUTH AMERICA.												
Argentina.....	{ Imports.....		248,844	8,418			262,397	200,675				
	{ Exports.....		30,367	6,150			399,790	665,340				
Bolivia.....	{ Exports.....			261			617	576				
Brazil.....	{ Imports.....		232,626	318,813	240,197	153,133	4,753,595	5,745,019			702,831	137,158
	{ Exports.....		129,121	154,400	279,249	94,559	755,517	711,690				
Chile.....	{ Imports.....		61,092	68,454			207,288	53,405				
	{ Exports.....		10,851	31,413			126,854	193,966				
Colombia.....	{ Imports.....		72,532	46,512			175,144	285,265			8,267	
	{ Exports.....		93,619	128,984			73,112	137,412				
Ecuador.....	{ Imports.....		71,198	64,449								
	{ Exports.....		36,584	34,740				40,732			5,500	
Guianas.....	{ Imports.....		190,446	161,968			350,736	269,692	87,220		73,050	85
	{ Exports.....		28,624	63,599			112,302	47,585	12,467		9,286	
Peru.....	{ Imports.....		33,992	50,311			61,681	121,225	26			
	{ Exports.....		20,222	30,228			49,792	55,815				
Uruguay.....	{ Imports.....						225,001	135,729				
	{ Exports.....		4,959	47,615			71,490	83,766				
Venezuela.....	{ Imports.....		443,759	419,439			14,085	10,888	10,061		57,595	
	{ Exports.....		162,145	176,153			7,094	8,428	11,505		17,174	
ASIA.												
Aden.....	{ Imports.....						47,646	87,285			5,722	
	{ Exports.....						3,087	33,175				
China.....	{ Imports.....	50,433	226,711	256,957	182,809		820,053	1,045,845				
	{ Exports.....	28,008	4,017	84,538	212,582		464,312	694,110				
East Indies:												
British.....	{ Imports.....		63	105,000	17,057		1,609,926	1,519,992				
	{ Exports.....			2,064	6,895	671	958	257,110	255,529			
Dutch.....	{ Imports.....	297		22,255			277,666	1,381,918	10,997		19,873	
	{ Exports.....			240			23,096	19,739	667			
French.....	{ Exports.....						19,400	425				67
Hongkong.....	{ Imports.....	3,197	3,462	2,656	239,097		22,680	181,400				
	{ Exports.....	42,472	44,141	90,559	119,735		180,514	313,990				
Japan.....	{ Imports.....	163,385	330,002	657,909	289,845		1,242,908	723,317				3,146
	{ Exports.....	71,343	11,301	110,911	186,198		542,239	295,026				
Korea.....	{ Exports.....				11,678			10				
Russia, Asiatic.....	{ Exports.....						403	1,650				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	NORTH AMERICA—continued.
	50	10		29,272	59,807	2,971	8,792	423,496	565,478	680,661	682,486	West Indies:
8,517				39,333	43,748		2,442	459,775	508,956	671,358	764,452	Imports..}.....British.
				18	234			72	1,068	72	6,029	Imports..}.....Danish.
								39,413	25,782	47,724	34,577	Exports..}.....Dutch.
					481			1,115	5,355	11,344	6,607	Imports..}.....French.
						5		14,001	14,084	36,274	39,944	Exports..}.....Haiti.
					9,280			5	72	5	72	Imports..}.....Santo Domingo.
								68,428	136,210	92,828	199,602	Exports..}.....Cuba.
17,390	8,507							38,262	140,659	55,501	151,638	Imports..}.....Porto Rico.
42,490	17,183			6,688		6,055	6,282	178,180	148,894	228,119	249,288	Exports..}.....
				3,750	7,750			4,073	7,750	153,900	218,609	Imports..}.....
				8,770	209			13,293	10,407	95,075	98,139	Exports..}.....
	63,343			153,303	17	124,353		466,247	107,615	1,559,398	994,220	Imports..}.....
	229,556			100,336	191,617	118,349	141,477	277,474	616,769	1,205,017	1,847,897	Exports..}.....
					2,538			6,713	2,538	6,733	63,471	Imports..}.....
				2,847				98,297		165,120	215,547	Exports..}.....
												SOUTH AMERICA.
191		16,147	22,555					278,735	223,230	527,579	231,648	Imports..}.....
	10,170	31,385	22,227	52,584	79,644	4,595		488,354	777,381	518,721	783,531	Exports..}.....
								617	576	617	837	Exports.....
576,136	215,920			29,788	28,674			6,302,547	6,279,913	6,535,173	6,598,726	Imports..}.....
286,358	78,526	8,500		55,401				1,385,025	884,775	1,514,146	1,039,175	Exports..}.....
			21,180				300	207,288	74,885	268,380	143,339	Imports..}.....
				100,557				227,411	193,966	238,262	225,379	Exports..}.....
1,195	3,283			29,492	29,532	23,996		229,827	326,347	302,359	372,860	Imports..}.....
	928			15,603	11,734	4,325		93,040	150,074	186,659	279,058	Exports..}.....
										71,198	64,440	Imports..}.....
								5,500	40,732	42,084	75,472	Exports..}.....
34,879				231,419	273,563			704,254	607,390	894,700	769,358	Imports..}.....
				39,652	93,225			194,421	150,096	222,445	213,695	Exports..}.....
								62,707	121,225	96,699	171,536	Imports..}.....
				25,166				74,958	55,815	95,180	86,043	Exports..}.....
			11,452		10			225,001	147,191	225,001	147,191	Imports..}.....
		7,208		6,664				85,362	83,756	90,321	131,371	Exports..}.....
						697	17,900	24,146	68,483	467,905	487,922	Imports..}.....
								36,409	26,299	198,554	202,452	Exports..}.....
	1,738							49,368	89,024	49,368	89,024	Imports..}.....
								3,087	33,175	3,087	33,175	Exports..}.....
15,639	7,587			3,673		81,106	73,418	920,471	1,126,850	1,227,861	1,536,370	Imports..}.....
				254,062		9,484	57,626	727,858	751,736	840,404	968,235	Exports..}.....
219,675	12,088		5,006				2,002	1,829,601	1,539,088	1,934,601	1,556,208	Imports..}.....
	48	25,400		200		5,498	2,081	288,879	258,616	290,943	265,511	Exports..}.....
57,237	128,327				201,442		2,237	345,900	1,733,797	368,452	1,733,797	Imports..}.....
				14,696				38,459	19,739	38,699	19,739	Exports..}.....
								19,400	492	19,400	492	Exports.....
6,583						541	6,815	29,804	188,215	35,657	430,774	Imports..}.....
509				8,133		62,024	100,760	251,180	414,750	384,211	578,626	Exports..}.....
719				132		458,963	1,494,536	1,701,822	2,220,999	2,523,116	2,840,846	Imports..}.....
29,830				146,733		576,596	670,099	1,295,407	965,725	1,477,661	1,163,224	Exports..}.....
							461		471		12,349	Exports.....
7,063							14,511	8,066	16,161	8,066	16,161	Exports..
												Russia, Asiatic.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.								
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
ASIA—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Turkey in Asia.....	{Imports..		158	533			165,365	118,385		22,799	3,171	980	
	{Exports..						11,149	11,084			357	252	
All other Asia.....	{Imports..						6,664	4,865					
	{Exports..						29,179	150					
OCEANICA.													
Auckland, Fiji, etc....	Imports..			50				17,920					
British Australasia.....	{Imports..	7,125	25,654	82,729	56,083		143,037	24,289					
	{Exports..	34,543	26,119	80,121	198,373		1,016,735	593,101		75,132			
French Oceanica.....	{Imports..			30,641	40,702								
	{Exports..			32,162	22,206								
German Oceanica.....	Exports..												
Tonga, Samoa, etc....	{Imports..		4,444	30									
	{Exports..			4,631			2,366						
Hawaiian Islands.....	{Imports..		701,954	874,444			511	2,491					
	{Exports..	815	8,377	310,266	675,955		5,928	22,901					
Philippine Islands.....	{Imports..		34	74,568	69,567		94,463	272,594					
	{Exports..		1,490	3,654			3,988	3,947					
AFRICA.													
British Africa.....	{Imports..		30,678	11,121			73,033	182,506					
	{Exports..		150,968	35,518			639,911	1,510,931			83,450	128	
Canary Islands.....	{Imports..						4,164	2,400					
	{Exports..			20,680				575					
French Africa.....	{Imports..						27,652	8,524			14,466	2,518	
	{Exports..			15,535			211,134	75			8,894	12,015	
Liberia.....	{Imports..							2,157					
	{Exports..							2,787					
Madagascar.....	{Imports..						1,356						
	{Exports..		10				57				16,000		
Portuguese Africa.....	{Imports..						5,456						
	{Exports..						505,514	167,139					
Turkey in Africa.....	{Imports..		4				306,191	462,431					
	{Exports..						5,860	18,404					
All other Africa.....	{Imports..		180				52,390	31,820			3,307	4,852	
	{Exports..						51,582	37,365					
Total.....	{Imports..	2,023,457	2,261,072	8,711,593	7,772,454	1,442,246	1,598,318	25,542,951	29,878,791	1,385,267	1,424,516	3,894,954	4,329,562
	{Exports..	5,268,122	5,973,213	5,155,544	6,088,644	1,375,315	1,417,654	73,809,111	79,152,012	1,257,189	2,329,481	2,224,414	1,475,955

RECAPITULATION.

Europe.....	Imports..	5,794	4,284	2,952,921	2,624,725	1,202,049	1,445,185	13,445,354	15,314,381	1,275,098	1,180,312	3,160,973	4,172,936
	Exports..	60,366	466,661	1,270,920	1,046,327	1,095,395	1,322,137	67,043,697	71,889,917	1,160,288	2,146,962	2,110,213	1,458,184
North America.....	Imports..	1,793,226	1,670,858	2,434,054	2,228,030			1,149,509	1,681,372	1,865	62,620	4,484	7,887
	Exports..	5,030,575	5,411,107	2,506,893	2,854,934			1,165,372	1,334,082	72,262	80,927		5,309
South America.....	Imports..			1,354,489	1,138,361	240,197	153,133	6,050,927	6,812,898	97,307	138,912	702,831	137,243
	Exports..			515,892	673,543	279,249	94,559	1,626,478	1,945,300	23,972	26,460	5,500	
Asia.....	Imports..	217,312	560,238	1,044,935	729,341			4,188,908	5,063,008	10,997	42,672	8,893	4,126
	Exports..	141,823	59,459	288,312	537,288	671	958	1,530,489	1,625,488	667		357	319
Oceanica.....	Imports..	7,125	25,688	894,336	1,040,876			238,011	317,294				
	Exports..	35,358	35,986	422,549	904,819			1,029,017	619,946		75,132		
Africa.....	Imports..		4	30,858	11,121			470,242	689,838			17,774	7,370
	Exports..			150,978	71,733			1,414,058	1,737,279			108,441	12,143

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	ASIA—continued.
664	6,031	88,331	137,858			155		257,022	286,053	257,180	286,586	Imports...}
						1,705		13,875	11,936	13,875	11,936	Exports...}
								6,664	4,865	6,664	4,865	Imports...}
105								29,284	150	29,284	150	Exports...}
									17,920		17,970	OCEANICA.
4,856	2,355			99	18,195			147,092	44,839	237,846	126,576	Imports...Auckland, Fiji, etc.
116,041	4,165	71,292		27,341			4,628	1,231,409	677,026	1,346,073	901,518	Imports...}..British Austral-
												Exports...}..asia.
						6,287		6,287		30,641	40,702	Imports...}..French Oceanica.
3,714	1,810							3,714	1,810	38,449	22,206	Exports...}..German Oceanica.
										4,444	30	Imports...}..Tonga, Samoa, etc.
								2,366		2,366	4,631	Exports...}
						119,648		511	122,139	702,465	996,583	Exports...}..Hawaiian Islands.
						68,124		74,052	22,901	385,133	707,233	Imports...}
457	5,824							94,920	278,418	169,488	348,019	Imports...}..Philippine Isl'ds.
1,272	97						6,194	5,260	10,238	5,260	15,382	Exports...}
		11				50		73,094	182,506	103,772	193,627	Imports...}..AFRICA.
				5,180	11,731			728,541	1,522,790	879,509	1,558,308	Exports...}..British Africa.
	274			29				4,193	2,674	4,193	2,674	Imports...}..Canary Islands.
							1,641		2,216		22,896	Exports...}
	2,500	8						42,126	13,542	42,126	13,542	Imports...}..French Africa.
	39,000	25,767	22,561					245,795	73,651	245,795	89,186	Exports...}
										2,157	2,157	Imports...}..Liberia.
	122									2,909	2,909	Exports...}
								1,356		1,356		Imports...}..Madagascar.
								16,037		16,067		Exports...}
								5,456		5,456		Imports...}..Portuguese Af-
227	3,176			4,625		73	3,244	510,439	173,559	510,439	173,559	Exports...}..rica.
611	1,941							306,802	464,372	306,802	464,376	Imports...}..Turkey in Africa.
249			5,150					6,109	23,554	6,109	23,554	Exports...}
	10,689							55,697	47,361	55,877	47,361	Imports...}..All other Africa.
								51,582	37,365	51,582	37,365	Exports...}
5,543,142	6,607,412	171,593	242,000	1,051,079	1,555,728	1,059,439	2,569,917	40,090,671	48,206,244	50,825,721	58,239,770	Imports...}..Total.
8,448,994	7,445,751	431,499	600,813	3,546,434	2,865,602	5,236,902	6,511,019	96,329,858	101,798,287	160,753,524	113,860,144	Exports...}

RECAPITULATION.

4,593,371	5,916,025	67,086	43,919	138,078	413,454	247,977	813,795	24,129,986	29,300,037	27,088,701	31,929,046	Imports..}..Europe.
7,951,346	6,826,893	261,947	550,875	2,326,130	2,196,875	4,307,737	5,485,159	86,256,753	91,877,002	87,588,039	93,389,990	Exports..}
31,593	292,821	10		618,369	590,858	247,551	57,166	2,053,381	2,692,724	6,280,661	6,591,612	Imports..}..North America.
51,007	480,816			463,707	471,696	172,554	104,015	1,924,902	2,536,845	9,462,370	10,802,886	Exports..}
612,401	219,212	16,147	55,187	290,699	331,779	23,996	300	8,034,505	7,818,664	9,388,994	8,987,023	Imports..}..South America.
286,358	89,624	47,093	22,227	295,627	185,300	26,823		2,591,097	2,363,470	3,106,989	3,037,013	Exports..}
299,853	155,771	88,331	142,864	3,605	201,442	539,865	1,579,008	5,140,632	7,188,891	6,402,899	8,478,470	Imports..}..Asia.
38,780	48	25,400		423,824		655,307	846,138	2,675,495	2,472,951	3,105,630	3,069,698	Exports..}
5,313	8,179			99	18,195		119,648	243,423	463,316	1,144,884	1,529,880	Imports..}..Oceanica.
121,027	6,072	71,292		27,341		74,411	10,822	1,323,038	711,972	1,780,995	1,652,777	Exports..}
611	15,404	19		29		50		488,724	712,612	519,582	723,737	Imports..}..Africa.
476	42,298	25,767	27,711	9,805	11,731	73	4,885	1,553,523	1,836,047	1,703,501	1,907,780	Exports..}

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES, FOR JANUARY, 1899.

DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane and other.					
DISTRICTS.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.			477	9			1,395,940	34,526	1,396,417	34,535
Boston, Mass.			19,728,304	421,865	19,956,047	450,571	15,949	612	39,700,300	873,048
New York, N. Y.	2,653,184	104,973	48,406,594	1,020,230	128,298,550	2,726,019	68,763	2,092	179,427,091	3,853,314
Passamaquoddy, Me.							6,048	175	6,048	175
Philadelphia, Pa.			43,545,684	941,828	10,083,350	195,176	120	3	53,629,154	1,137,007
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.					5,100	97			5,100	97
Corpus Christi, Tex.					53,252	1,085			53,252	1,085
New Orleans, La.							56,000	1,654	56,000	1,654
Paso del Norte, Tex.					17,774	424			17,774	424
Saluria, Tex.					2,835	63			2,835	63
Alaska							12	1	12	1
Arizona					4,025	94			4,025	94
Puget Sound, Wash.					460	8	315	5	835	13
San Diego, Cal.							200,000	5,880	200,000	5,880
San Francisco, Cal.	21,975,888	817,554			827,454	17,025	435,143	11,276	23,238,485	845,855
Willamette, Oreg.					2,780	53	150,672	3,395	153,452	3,448
Chicago, Ill.							20,558	925	20,558	925
Detroit, Mich.							1,436	86	1,436	86
Oswegatchie, N. Y.							55	5	55	5
Total	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709
COUNTRIES.										
Austria-Hungary			11,353,580	225,233			67,110	2,029	11,420,690	227,262
France							3,306	194	3,306	194
Germany			100,327,002	2,158,690			68,676	2,105	100,395,678	2,160,795
Russia, Baltic Sea.							1,395,940	34,526	1,395,940	34,526
United Kingdom					5,612,141	143,758			5,612,141	143,758
Dominion of Canada:										
Nova Scotia							6,048	175	6,048	175
Quebec, Ontario, etc.							22,049	1,016	22,049	1,016
British Columbia							12	1	12	1
Guatemala					752,004	16,032	29,000	632	781,004	16,664
Nicaragua							80,000	2,790	80,000	2,790
Salvador							287,197	6,822	287,197	6,822
Mexico					82,986	1,763			82,986	1,763
West Indies:										
British					1,431,532	33,782			1,431,532	33,782
Danish					141,503	2,660			141,503	2,660
Santo Domingo					7,319,606	155,850			7,319,606	155,850
Spanish—Cuba					7,919,757	180,490			7,919,757	180,490
Porto Rico					352,273	8,753			352,273	8,753
Brazil					4,095,099	81,525			4,095,099	81,525
Guianas:										
British					26,006,536	659,069			26,006,536	659,069
Dutch					2,009,712	49,614			2,009,712	49,614
Peru					4,157,415	75,187			4,157,415	75,187
China					75,450	993	38,946	1,032	114,396	2,025
East Indies—Dutch					84,196,980	1,706,261			84,196,980	1,706,261
Hongkong			477	9	10,454	201	352,757	9,313	363,688	9,523
Hawaiian Islands	24,629,072	922,527							24,629,072	922,527
Philippine Islands					7,306,880	110,575			7,306,880	110,575
British Africa					7,731,299	164,102			7,731,299	164,102
Total	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709

IMPORTS OF SUGAR, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane.					
1895.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
January	15,099,372	434,990	92,367,162	1,662,634	79,208,400	1,379,367	2,526,886	65,063	189,201,829	3,542,059
February	39,730,222	1,099,618	31,319,975	508,429	161,291,283	2,927,178	3,117,125	74,477	235,488,605	4,609,702
March	36,605,359	976,428	6,899,701	122,719	347,940,355	6,236,740	4,574,839	102,841	396,020,254	7,438,728
April	33,686,680	858,390	3,999,603	57,526	335,594,151	5,946,794	4,656,846	113,510	377,937,230	6,976,220
May	45,374,104	1,153,050	1,651,638	25,076	485,620,203	9,162,322	6,018,965	143,782	538,684,910	10,484,230
June	31,085,554	796,086	15,384,879	250,595	334,408,000	6,515,080	7,930,215	198,380	388,808,648	7,760,751
July	28,977,905	781,195	41,091,194	775,758	282,068,349	5,332,334	12,665,220	322,673	364,712,668	7,211,960
August	15,725,350	416,699	3,015,472	52,365	221,438,138	3,977,136	16,599,428	440,903	256,778,328	4,887,103
September	6,421,165	179,750	531,974	9,735	183,552,342	3,577,552	9,014,503	233,249	204,519,984	4,000,296
October	27,908,040	717,813	1,260,740	22,744	247,230,260	4,726,432	9,164,095	243,996	285,563,135	5,711,630
November	6,627,464	188,479	56,128	1,230	145,650,731	3,011,063	7,323,819	205,572	159,658,142	3,406,344
December	2,978,139	85,117	6,083,963	122,835	165,621,681	3,320,457	7,782,128	211,651	182,470,911	3,739,460
1896.										
January	16,135,501	449,307	35,377,666	751,785	203,371,778	4,445,265	9,110,184	250,821	263,995,120	5,897,173
February	38,515,917	1,221,550	104,872,111	2,352,915	179,391,305	3,881,040	15,233,327	429,936	337,992,660	7,885,441
March	40,532,132	1,658,124	116,958,698	2,820,212	258,254,407	6,011,454	10,756,615	318,805	435,501,882	10,807,738
April	49,676,539	1,773,366	60,471,717	1,436,517	250,361,810	6,210,436	18,871,764	571,557	383,381,830	9,991,876
May	49,044,692	1,743,775	134,676,241	3,332,471	323,892,483	7,629,611	36,493,036	1,111,020	544,106,452	13,817,477
June	60,632,425	2,121,621	100,376,081	2,370,347	277,182,334	6,357,875	34,446,536	1,013,225	472,637,376	11,863,068
July	47,490,421	1,660,666	86,129,647	1,770,513	171,359,487	3,488,579	15,195,736	444,321	320,175,291	7,364,079
August	35,319,387	1,172,769	111,009,299	2,211,428	135,067,599	2,671,593	10,421,169	285,751	292,507,454	6,341,541
September	45,036,651	1,408,448	143,135,512	2,746,813	186,909,188	3,840,207	12,666,545	330,173	387,747,896	8,383,641
October	18,504,923	574,390	61,389,479	1,089,619	216,200,222	4,551,527	12,599,775	309,368	308,694,369	6,524,904
November	17,631,371	551,250	41,795,607	781,991	103,680,551	2,072,371	9,204,489	219,568	172,312,018	3,625,180
December	11,360,104	332,275	65,506,946	1,238,430	94,909,006	1,831,992	12,345,858	306,735	184,122,514	3,709,432
1897.										
January	13,953,295	415,931	75,089,083	1,366,565	110,843,403	1,990,720	8,589,972	205,621	208,480,753	3,997,937
February	36,124,491	1,060,405	130,054,470	2,394,358	114,017,832	2,021,901	6,408,657	156,849	286,605,450	5,633,513
March	53,532,407	1,545,084	167,653,100	2,918,836	248,127,014	4,556,941	16,213,469	393,049	485,525,990	9,413,910
April	40,932,737	1,191,799	325,858,788	5,699,356	373,322,520	7,444,939	33,413,432	789,315	773,527,477	15,125,409
May	43,730,125	1,248,942	400,368,077	6,961,874	316,054,212	6,138,524	30,501,581	703,437	790,653,995	15,034,777
June	67,694,447	1,946,492	264,166,562	4,652,045	345,229,389	6,512,534	31,466,107	778,791	708,552,496	13,889,882
July	65,541,110	1,898,191	16,156,314	303,277	75,137,465	1,464,299	22,135,496	513,711	173,970,355	4,179,478
August	77,428,884	2,287,474	161,531	2,469	18,804,080	348,493	14,180,818	318,118	110,515,313	2,956,554
September	35,795,014	1,101,708	335,922	7,946	61,658,118	1,119,510	9,325,983	203,499	110,115,037	2,432,663
October	26,426,128	643,539	380,591	9,388	149,474,394	2,619,088	6,717,832	171,538	182,998,945	3,643,613
November	35,626,044	1,080,325	180	5	118,249,590	2,142,963	5,129,082	132,438	159,004,896	3,355,731
December	5,103,593	166,789	334,819	8,255	98,310,454	1,775,926	2,466,308	62,740	106,215,174	2,013,710
1898.										
January	18,043,839	656,511	220	4	127,090,240	2,508,432	6,269,324	155,526	151,403,623	3,329,473
February	25,054,849	927,103			211,462,662	4,490,307	3,290,573	84,296	239,808,084	5,501,766
March	43,787,235	1,563,175			313,991,691	6,415,958	8,866,473	214,373	366,645,299	8,194,596
April	42,102,485	1,588,276	5,336,175	79,200	354,607,352	7,473,758	4,407,690	106,409	406,453,702	9,247,643
May	62,972,404	2,345,690	17,276,714	270,718	260,373,703	5,220,973	7,063,566	179,518	437,686,447	8,016,899
June	60,885,153	2,201,268	100,719,010	2,036,693	156,263,763	3,080,047	11,098,587	260,705	328,966,522	7,578,713
July	48,207,929	1,809,218	127,558,185	2,597,963	121,578,520	2,560,734	5,824,337	146,779	303,169,021	7,114,684
August	50,574,174	1,856,794	20,309,152	370,579	124,769,323	2,502,875	11,226,046	270,150	202,878,695	5,000,398
September	35,723,373	1,280,369	35,555,484	723,651	169,312,859	3,563,090	6,589,584	169,115	247,181,300	5,736,225
October	22,191,810	794,661	30,337,483	621,143	263,334,493	5,539,807	6,203,147	163,521	328,066,933	7,119,132
November	27,026,057	956,369	2,194,459	45,049	170,688,236	3,508,770	3,010,145	83,472	203,518,857	4,534,290
December	2,967,016	105,480	79,694,439	1,670,420	213,957,823	4,634,355	3,735,911	91,985	360,355,189	6,508,240
1899.										
January	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709

WOOL, RAW, IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING JANUARY, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
Austria-Hungary	Austria-Hungary			49,352	49,352
Iceland	Denmark			25,108	25,108
Germany	Germany			205	205
Italy	Italy			1,325	1,325
Russia, Baltic	Russia, Baltic			8,666	8,666
Russia, Black Sea	Russia, Black Sea			449,136	529,030
	France			79,894	
Russia, not specified	Russia, Baltic			122,048	295,436
	England			173,388	
Spain	France	13,071			13,071
Turkey in Europe	France		152		152
England	England		13,043	162,970	359,361
	Australasia	183,348			
Scotland	Scotland			632,641	871,008
	England			238,367	
Argentina	Argentina			723,537	1,061,780
	Belgium	334,704			
	England	3,539			18,154
Brazil	Brazil				
Chile	Chile	121,499			121,499
Peru	Peru	762			6,343
	England		5,581		
Uruguay	Uruguay	5,092			140,520
	England	140,528			
Venezuela	Venezuela			183	183
China	China			1,760,758	1,760,758
British East Indies	British East Indies			45,307	175,230
	England			129,923	
Russia, Asiatic	England			11,233	11,233
	Turkey in Asia			665,418	903,457
Turkey in Asia	France			51,503	
	Turkey in Europe		18,311		75,290
	England		92,935		
	Russia, Baltic			113,252	209,760
	Russia, Black Sea				
All other Asia	Turkey in Europe			12,270	527,574
	England			105,239	
	Turkey in Asia			87,052	730,448
British Australasia	British Australasia	133,778			
	England	596,670			515
British Africa	British Africa		515		515
Total		1,533,891	130,537	5,951,980	7,616,408
Imported into	Boston	1,081,338	116,827	1,399,857	2,598,022
	New York	150,756	13,710	4,358,237	4,522,703
	Philadelphia	301,797		193,886	495,683

WOOL, RAW, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND
PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

BY COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

MONTHS.	Russia.	Turkey.	United Kingdom.	Argentina.	Uruguay.	China.	British East Indies.	British Australasia.	All other countries.	TOTAL.
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1895—January	1,291,349	1,582,817	634,418	831,420	7,392	2,067,127	229,572	2,963,682	1,178,768	10,786,545
February	279,402	1,858,878	486,946	1,864,876	2,819	870,365	639,029	7,773,343	659,683	14,435,341
March	698,013	1,321,825	935,436	2,543,670	3,186,484	5,598,160	99,466	5,037,213	1,401,471	20,821,738
April	710,412	2,028,664	729,640	6,374,584	1,636,144	2,197,809	836,000	12,420,792	2,107,522	29,041,576
May	738,517	696,185	1,072,037	6,254,059	1,264,509	667,292	453,248	5,415,629	1,965,010	18,526,466
June	142,182	726,245	1,052,464	4,906,523	82,827	516,156	1,754,867	6,918,884	3,246,317	12,346,467
July	364,918	2,562,529	1,698,127	2,181,481	719,522	1,443,955	494,589	10,303,769	1,674,155	21,443,045
August	385,242	2,093,858	1,806,290	4,004,278	2,697,327	2,432,945	1,839,463	17,032,579	3,125,520	35,417,502
September	639,975	2,516,781	1,341,858	1,053,941	1,676,863	916,059	360,845	2,535,472	3,223,390	14,265,184
October	1,851,408	2,507,714	2,185,722	1,253,956	189,919	2,414,609	861,985	3,140,508	2,246,635	16,652,456
November	2,167,790	2,490,156	1,356,149	1,752,179	.....	300,644	886,711	1,915,205	2,642,085	13,510,919
December	3,222,793	2,846,323	1,046,835	2,088,648	201,912	5,428,510	1,779,506	4,722,947	2,534,562	23,872,036
1896—January	2,201,636	1,604,048	1,762,177	2,713,789	251,438	4,375,258	261,477	7,421,236	2,752,665	23,343,724
February	1,177,142	714,321	1,369,561	2,705,824	824,616	5,119,457	1,880,064	10,816,767	4,406,793	29,014,545
March	407,019	470,552	321,722	2,443,134	2,377,075	1,267,902	4,368	8,910,947	1,281,360	17,484,079
April	132,645	353,617	572,631	5,617,857	72,145	465,397	785,068	1,569,822	2,610,623	12,179,805
May	197,614	66,844	434,114	4,573,104	15,463	1,729,954	5,400	3,894,769	2,521,530	13,438,842
June	400,327	71,430	333,873	1,893,150	22,070	189,542	738,055	731,069	936,669	5,316,185
July	28,676	250,905	477,397	848,117	.....	1,053,519	.....	806,366	782,677	4,247,657
August	222,518	160,004	359,278	216,253	20,000	1,186,974	1,087,400	617,004	850,347	4,719,778
September	904,024	569,123	593,766	751,345	.....	962,473	39,397	74,107	887,060	4,781,295
October	190,425	1,988,369	128,097	107,796	10,439	1,266,411	932,940	942,852	435,299	6,002,628
November	1,352,459	467,580	783,831	1,856,304	14,958	323,281	433,942	2,517,615	1,630,672	9,384,642
December	2,432,582	1,784,391	3,807,169	1,588,090	13,702	1,757,134	1,124,785	9,389,215	3,502,457	25,399,525
1897—January	2,572,372	1,383,008	1,556,858	2,175,508	1,730,000	3,861,605	49,390	3,842,512	3,091,734	20,262,987
February	1,411,816	2,000,110	1,592,694	3,602,254	400,611	4,392,283	2,434,912	9,866,878	4,335,137	29,946,895
March	3,220,004	2,910,302	5,365,531	9,831,689	3,483,976	1,723,911	637,247	22,331,931	5,172,241	54,676,832
April	5,002,237	4,261,876	6,917,932	17,763,421	4,381,529	1,696,639	2,414,084	41,968,292	11,133,923	95,559,933
May	1,272,264	2,471,190	2,662,826	19,579,999	1,545,072	975,561	6,696	9,346,050	6,084,027	43,943,685
June	1,007,072	2,002,688	3,601,840	6,648,780	3,403,970	2,259,687	1,829,187	8,210,029	4,514,932	33,569,185
July	320,450	480,029	2,413,986	3,748,806	.....	2,933,917	305,840	9,345,020	1,937,661	21,485,709
August	62,386	63,087	599,591	148,493	.....	655,531	139,574	986,373	220,864	2,875,899
September	190,370	89,121	328,822	1,638,168	.....	127,684	25,660	.....	30,048	2,420,873
October	821,113	1,462,392	1,541,063	1,153,694	.....	411,579	1,088,564	342,592	303,234	7,124,231
November	3,531,564	1,471,130	1,579,534	93,604	9,262	1,976,263	209,065	440,149	800,742	10,161,313
December	4,434,765	2,250,227	2,088,570	201,332	96,874	3,989,963	1,569,416	938,272	1,508,208	17,768,627
1898—January	2,123,333	1,355,205	1,603,657	859,194	225,939	1,715,624	29,762	1,159,728	1,939,647	11,017,089
February	1,482,288	281,863	360,299	57	29,705	5,040,311	415,797	6,458,797	1,733,664	15,802,781
March	2,253,496	678,217	345,221	156,257	334,660	1,204,978	68,848	4,232,126	2,544,889	11,818,692
April	400,175	171,766	787,221	3,557,321	610,276	576,658	1,398,850	3,293,410	2,237,441	13,023,118
May	1,004,381	954,230	164,264	2,547,560	.....	729,183	123,932	1,370,675	967,469	7,861,694
June	276,281	67,877	67,922	2,530,486	3,258	1,016,603	961,483	3,310,110	479,966	8,713,980
July	137,113	189,797	293,509	131,628	.....	3,927,862	87,083	137,293	878,557	5,773,842
August	263,397	37,215	1,020,545	435,680	.....	2,244,707	616,672	328,463	530,313	5,476,992
September	547,524	445,317	686,263	1,675	.....	474,747	19,608	29,816	65,618	2,270,568
October	1,385,122	433,960	862,719	1,101,177	.....	506,353	699,369	8,312	700,200	5,697,212
November	3,420,476	1,293,178	483,011	.....	.....	403,792	166,371	4,201	729,821	6,500,850
December	683,682	419,033	790,807	154,574	3,053	440,648	990,001	237,628	898,496	4,617,922
1899—January	814,265	903,609	1,230,569	1,061,780	146,520	1,760,758	175,230	730,448	763,329	7,616,408
Years ending June 30—										
1890.....	15,602,337	15,858,245	17,035,103	13,699,451	228,808	8,742,541	6,642,153	11,950,158	13,150,672	102,918,764
1891.....	23,772,189	15,426,451	14,668,940	14,099,835	1,042,102	11,080,814	3,889,519	26,576,276	13,890,232	124,446,373
1892.....	32,578,873	17,960,052	8,267,335	14,217,037	4,944,465	14,742,851	1,553,284	39,764,079	12,125,179	146,453,155
1893.....	32,067,247	22,041,320	15,893,343	13,930,262	708,940	21,135,791	5,849,878	37,389,843	15,901,916	164,918,540
1894.....	9,298,030	7,379,686	4,130,118	9,035,568	247,797	10,339,859	2,359,023	8,488,583	4,308,224	55,586,888
1895.....	13,133,691	21,530,410	8,874,609	31,773,290	11,495,380	26,119,599	8,087,982	53,226,432	16,825,046	191,066,439
1896.....	13,150,509	17,987,753	14,229,068	32,281,341	9,048,350	26,084,232	9,897,531	72,995,090	30,264,448	225,938,322
1897.....	19,706,449	20,239,717	27,759,419	64,969,550	15,094,257	21,461,478	10,989,980	109,912,851	42,451,335	332,495,042
1898.....	16,999,224	9,282,762	12,434,332	16,734,279	1,309,974	20,369,294	6,445,063	31,877,252	14,630,832	130,083,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

WOOL, RAW, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND CLASSES.

BY PORTS AND CLASSES.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.			NEW YORK.			PHILADELPHIA.			TOTAL.
	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	
1895—January	2,634,883	401,800	588,905	732,054	89,479	4,603,380	266,181	289,793	1,180,070	10,786,545
February	7,564,709	542,728	1,769,584	1,226,219	29,212	2,028,319	217,027	125,802	931,741	14,435,341
March	3,730,670	303,914	919,499	5,366,957	124,170	7,375,054	1,397,360	234,140	1,309,974	20,821,738
April	12,630,922	550,041	4,386,786	4,663,039	128,324	3,822,776	921,187	268,884	1,609,617	29,041,570
May	6,614,699	858,804	3,775,202	2,785,373	25,827	2,463,451	445,354	88,703	1,469,073	18,526,486
June	8,186,692	547,295	3,195,594	2,352,414	90,772	3,483,595	13,743	48,301	1,428,061	19,346,467
July	11,110,320	1,271,708	2,459,897	1,737,119	105,916	1,447,709	616,921	236,008	2,457,357	21,443,045
August	17,181,391	2,000,501	4,160,775	5,514,665	77,392	4,371,191	593,007	188,029	1,330,551	35,417,502
September	4,216,822	817,675	1,760,158	2,341,646	107,469	2,347,089	485,821	522,903	1,665,601	14,265,184
October	3,473,217	497,103	2,764,098	2,374,000	39,423	5,535,402	263,729	271,496	1,433,898	16,652,456
November	2,201,670	665,026	3,138,419	1,412,372	184	3,493,655	479,941	364,856	1,754,796	13,510,919
December	5,200,570	330,581	2,356,845	2,472,829	1,910	10,632,962	674,371	23,139	2,178,829	23,872,036
1896—January	7,408,645	610,796	2,060,498	2,396,039	68,568	8,158,260	1,437,956	50,228	1,152,734	23,343,724
February	10,555,134	489,170	963,215	5,290,182	56,622	8,552,296	1,738,351	70,151	1,299,424	29,014,545
March	10,671,770	1,239,815	884,959	1,401,547	10,768	1,980,111	998,040	6,278	290,782	17,484,079
April	2,004,339	1,039,962	3,219,830	1,070,660	24,467	2,427,429	812,884	85,892	894,342	12,179,805
May	3,666,983	372,500	4,247,408	1,948,639	41,104	2,225,209	125,555	233,974	377,470	13,433,842
June	507,251	205,044	2,309,571	379,995	9,529	1,593,121	74,694	17,654	219,326	5,316,185
July	838,377	149,289	1,042,268	280,140	64,514	1,483,763	.....	6,235	383,071	4,247,657
August	518,895	205,257	371,267	267,578	25,516	2,449,710	.....	30,870	841,685	4,719,778
September	143,709	31,897	1,776,481	556,740	14,794	1,809,190	76,567	.....	371,917	4,781,295
October	1,028,045	135,111	1,263,111	140,562	.....	3,260,379	23,341	.....	152,080	6,002,628
November	3,124,766	397,597	2,317,145	920,944	101,780	1,821,876	245,297	102,344	352,891	9,384,642
December	11,144,566	596,658	4,234,074	1,635,224	288,676	5,547,437	170,512	138,342	1,644,036	23,399,525
1897—January	4,323,049	462,665	1,412,746	4,020,903	25,620	7,637,930	463,140	22,454	1,894,480	20,262,987
February	11,338,017	1,556,474	2,388,117	4,002,408	188,251	9,099,483	582,258	30,709	761,178	29,946,895
March	23,715,532	3,331,523	2,673,890	12,755,340	667,129	9,178,465	1,403,553	398,550	552,850	54,676,832
April	48,107,356	7,352,542	6,435,949	15,271,603	198,327	9,612,394	4,633,186	548,844	3,399,732	95,550,933
May	21,026,656	4,413,636	6,316,502	4,424,901	211,986	4,594,715	1,413,523	152,701	1,389,065	43,943,685
June	11,912,488	4,524,194	3,190,179	4,151,671	585,011	6,027,219	873,548	371,349	1,933,526	33,569,185
July	11,016,229	1,936,068	281,957	2,412,256	388,252	5,095,792	224,538	49	130,568	21,485,709
August	986,373	171,026	10,156	77,150	3,421	1,535,245	.....	.....	92,528	2,875,899
September	1,638,168	35	61,859	341	.....	599,599	.....	3,752	126,119	2,429,873
October	419,755	10,852	1,964,632	6,595	13,075	3,590,210	.....	.....	1,110,112	7,124,231
November	240,066	.....	1,725,185	114,391	.....	6,461,008	213,853	.....	1,386,810	10,161,313
December	1,097,198	53,441	3,993,654	583,154	4,300	10,370,808	.....	.....	1,666,072	17,768,627
1898—January	1,087,065	3,113	2,349,339	752,363	13,361	5,042,022	411,329	.....	1,357,897	11,017,085
February	6,284,750	3,505	740,571	370,896	504	6,686,657	369,834	1,700	1,344,364	15,802,781
March	4,187,017	297,139	1,841,946	503,324	5,020	3,810,283	384,027	745	789,191	11,818,692
April	4,693,453	7,856	3,848,550	711,896	6,685	2,681,567	288,877	5,943	778,291	13,023,118
May	1,349,159	28,076	3,158,208	245,942	10,450	2,195,777	374,954	.....	499,128	7,861,694
June	3,206,479	161,002	2,847,060	87,608	13,664	1,973,431	38,601	5,316	380,805	8,713,986
July	137,250	39,648	299,786	97,015	50,635	4,849,433	4,151	4,923	291,001	5,773,842
August	331,244	52,793	924,302	45,926	2,504	3,770,247	47,549	12,394	290,033	5,476,992
September	2,218	111,182	170,563	687	2,485	1,716,281	27,598	20,872	218,682	2,279,568
October	115,845	58,880	1,566,042	11,487	21,885	2,776,029	37,915	5,644	1,103,485	5,697,212
November	2,920	77,830	738,877	54,541	8,235	5,219,451	4,266	1,858	392,872	6,500,850
December	28,368	109,643	1,532,860	113,882	.....	2,409,492	237,860	6,900	173,917	4,617,922
1899—January	1,081,338	116,827	1,399,857	150,756	13,710	4,358,237	301,797	.....	193,886	7,616,408
Years ending June 30—										
1890	11,154,247	5,196,059	29,277,163	2,716,348	1,178,465	39,413,896	1,621,512	899,649	11,461,395	102,918,704
1891	23,574,857	4,060,718	26,878,778	4,748,593	675,697	46,402,122	2,415,568	987,922	14,702,618	124,446,373
1892	35,389,751	2,139,084	32,631,164	9,205,840	686,577	50,889,755	4,140,263	2,122,551	9,188,170	146,453,155
1893	33,258,891	2,756,142	41,160,922	6,958,992	763,265	58,176,039	1,846,961	1,930,577	18,066,760	164,918,540
1894	7,602,884	969,432	11,463,487	2,292,895	224,905	26,657,324	569,747	266,850	5,539,355	55,586,888
1895	55,992,782	5,017,210	29,840,260	24,823,191	814,650	55,510,709	3,594,566	1,397,276	14,078,795	191,066,439
1896	78,398,112	9,539,881	30,325,673	28,939,693	543,352	52,764,614	8,301,279	2,070,008	15,055,110	225,938,322
1897	137,221,457	23,156,843	33,421,729	48,428,014	2,371,604	62,622,561	9,884,925	1,811,398	13,676,511	332,495,042
1898	36,205,712	2,672,113	22,823,137	5,865,916	458,732	50,071,808	2,306,013	17,595	9,661,885	130,083,012

VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, JANUARY, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	AMERICAN.				FOREIGN.			
	Entered.		Cleared.		Entered.		Cleared.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Baltimore, Md.....	5,839		5,256		1,155	137,348		144,177
Barnstable, Mass.....					154		154	
Bath, Me.....					530			
Beaufort, S. C.....						3,450		6,130
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	1,619	8,107	4,181	5,342	6,801	159,783	1,998	141,296
Brunswick, Ga.....	3,632		862		8,812	9,824	13,300	13,736
Castine, Me.....			353					
Charleston, S. C.....		6,160	208	5,919	131	15,701	1,015	7,147
Delaware.....			347			14,453		12,027
Fairfield, Conn.....					124		124	
Fernandina, Fla.....	1,854		1,707			8,958	816	5,793
Frenchman Bay, Me.....	167				191			
Gloucester, Mass.....	3,600		630		81		81	
Machias, Me.....	1,192		63					
Newark, N. J.....			174				1,328	723
New Haven, Conn.....	152				179			
Newport, R. I.....	276				366		90	
Newport News, Va.....			828			40,659		49,134
New York, N. Y.....	4,798	53,829	15,043	80,201	24,483	522,815	20,294	463,901
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.....		1,185	2,917		149	18,556		27,022
Pamlico, N. C.....			248					
Passamaquoddy, Me.....	257	4,256	851	5,320	377	2,958	377	2,958
Port Amboy, N. J.....	1,029						600	
Philadelphia, Pa.....	1,810	6,075	6,297	5,340	1,952	112,417	5,577	123,268
Portland and Falmouth, Me.....			5,025		660	46,765	629	40,351
Providence, R. I.....	98							
St. Johns, Fla.....	1,712	51	1,334		639		1,976	
St. Marys, Ga.....							679	
Salem and Beverly, Mass.....	538		241					
Savannah, Ga.....			1,447		14,271	19,820	10,811	25,347
Waldoboro, Me.....					259		163	
Wilmington, N. C.....	320		565		2,035	1,218	1,644	1,613
Wiscasset, Me.....	89							
GULF PORTS.								
Apalachicola, Fla.....	398				6,387		3,234	
Galveston, Tex.....	1,001		1,868		1,618	86,731	2,802	112,271
Key West, Fla.....	2,255	33,244	2,029	36,168	140	1,442	221	59
Mobile, Ala.....	1,820		2,185		18,439	18,409	10,419	14,871
New Orleans, La.....	5,880	12,303	117	6,363	3,715	132,885	3,163	161,434
Pearl River, Miss.....	5,377		4,135		9,364	1,459	9,393	1,923
Pensacola, Fla.....	7,747	68	3,274	83	28,503	18,878	27,048	23,688
St. Marks, Fla.....	383							
Tampa, Fla.....	3,493	1,596	910		557	8,063	117	7,099
PACIFIC PORTS.								
Ala-ka.....	918	5,953		3,186		1,840		1,602
Humboldt, Cal.....	486		495		1,392			
Los Angeles, Cal.....			23			6,232		4,241
Oregon, Oreg.....			642		12,740	2,361	1,938	
Puget Sound, Wash.....	10,543	56,971	19,613	60,530	6,797	5,477	17,500	7,962
San Di go, Cal.....	217		157		1,983	3,982	1,812	
San Francisco, Cal.....	8,056	32,195	13,464	27,507	19,365	19,135	12,105	19,135
Willamette, Oreg.....			339			2,361	11,991	

VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, JANUARY, 1899—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	AMERICAN.				FOREIGN.			
	Entered.		Cleared.		Entered.		Cleared.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Cuyahoga, Ohio.....		18,480		19,800				
Detroit, Mich.....	290	2,521		1,631		1,647		995
Huron, Mich.....		1,143		32				
Grand total.....	78,451	249,740	97,834	257,422	174,858	1,425,627	163,414	1,420,593
RECAPITULATION.								
Atlantic ports.....	28,982	85,266	48,583	102,122	63,349	1,114,725	61,071	1,065,223
Gulf ports.....	28,959	47,211	14,518	42,614	68,723	267,867	56,397	321,345
Pacific ports.....	20,220	95,119	34,733	91,223	42,286	41,388	45,346	33,030
Northern border and lake ports.....	290	22,144		21,463		1,647		995

NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED IN THE UNITED STATES, BY SEX AND NATIONALITY, DURING THE MONTHS OF OCTOBER, NOVEMBER, AND DECEMBER, 1898.

[Compiled by the Bureau of Immigration, Treasury Department.]

OCTOBER.

NATIONALITY.	SEX.			AGES.			DEBARRED.			Returned in one year after landing.	Relieved in hospital.	ILLITERACY, 14 YEARS AND OVER.		IMMIGRANTS BRINGING —		Total amount of money shown.	Have been in the United States before.	
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Under 14 years.	14 to 45 years.	45 years and over.	Paupers, or likely to become public charges.	Contract laborers.	For other reasons.			Total.	Can read, but can not write.	Can neither read nor write.	\$30 or over.			Less than \$30.
																	Dollars.	
African (black).....	2		2			2								2			61	
Armenian.....	43	33	76	12	59	5	5			5	2		11	16	30	1,543	1	
Austrian.....	10	5	15	2	12	1							2		40	80		
South American.....	3		3		3									3		260	2	
Central American.....	1		1		1									1		80		
Bohemian and Moravian.....	83	107	190	30	143	17							5	32	85	8,031	30	
Chinese.....	141	2	143	1	137	5											20	
Croatian and Slovenian.....	550	109	659	26	601	32	9			9		3	191	115	388	9,170	85	
Cuban.....	95	8	103	4	82	17							3	59	44	11,465	67	
Dalmatian, Bosnian, and Herzegovinian.....	28	9	37	2	31	4							12	10	23	1,481	5	
Dutch and Flemish.....	77	45	122	40	76	6	6			6			8	23	35	2,351	27	
East Indian.....	1		1		1							3	18	1		206		
English.....	601	512	1,113	174	818	121	17			17	4	3	6	8	267	328	49,246	391
Finnish.....	254	252	506	65	420	21							9	40	314	5,098	89	
French.....	211	184	395	55	306	34	5			5		1	4	47	148	134	17,390	116
German.....	1,236	1,356	2,592	400	1,977	215	11	11	2	24	2	6	92	615	1,043	104,940	487	
Greek.....	366	7	373	44	325	4	6	1		7		3		1	39	274	6,730	33
Hawaiian.....	4		4		4								1	2	2	106		
Hebrew.....	940	714	1,654	434	1,123	97	15	1		16		3	4	283	138	582	20,524	65
Hungarian.....	23	8	31	16	13	2							3	2	21	195		
Irish.....	978	2,482	3,460	132	3,169	159	12			12	5	8	14	104	402	2,235	59,192	1,094
Italian (northern).....	713	383	1,096	140	888	68	5	2		7		2		119	355	504	24,808	185
Italian (southern).....	4,519	2,208	6,727	1,443	4,501	783	115	11	4	130	10	29	1	3,344	465	4,229	53,390	819
Japanese.....	173	17	190	4	179	7	3		6	9			1	161	16	7,201	11	
Lithuanian.....	116	58	174	16	155	3	1			1			2	42	9	114	1,260	9
Magyar.....	163	137	300	36	251	13	1			1		2	2	30	23	192	4,121	54
Mexican.....	11	2	13	1	11	1							2	4	8	425		
Polish.....	612	555	1,167	161	980	26	8	5	1	14		1	19	288	60	582	10,751	91
Portuguese.....	107	77	184	38	135	11	2			2			2	101	18	87	5,027	29
Romanian.....	5		5		5		3			3					2	2	657	2
Russian.....	49	27	76	8	65	3							1	15	7	41	880	4
Ruthenian (Rusniak).....	22	15	37	5	32			1		1				18	1	30	308	5
Scandinavian (Norwegians, Danes, and Swedes).....	856	1,533	2,389	209	2,033	147	1			1	1	2	9	4	431	1,528	44,341	908
Scotch.....	95	88	183	30	129	24	2			2				1	39	69	5,542	83
Serbian.....	2		2		2										1	1	64	
Slovak.....	457	345	802	100	676	26	4	3		7		6	4	227	74	505	7,802	125
Spanish.....	62	5	67		57	10	2			2			14	35	31	5,863	39	
Syrian.....	197	124	321	75	223	17	12	5	2	19		2		156	73	94	7,385	21
Welsh.....	93	71	164	48	109	7							6	41	39	2,403	33	
West Indian.....	38	29	67	10	50	7	2			2			2	18	3	61	523	34
Australian.....	11	4	15	1	14									9	1	820		
Total.....	13,948	11,511	25,459	3,762	19,202	1,895	247	40	15	332	22	70	76	5,183	3,724	13,686	482,320	4,964

NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED IN THE UNITED STATES, BY SEX AND NATIONALITY, ETC.—Continued.

NOVEMBER.

NATIONALITY.	SEX.			AGES.			DEBARRED.			Returned in one year after landing.	Relieved in hospital.	ILLITERACY, 14 YEARS AND OVER.		IMMIGRANTS BRINGING—		Total amount of money shown.	Have been in the United States before.	
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Under 14 years.	14 to 45 years.	45 years and over.	Paupers, or likely to become public charges.	Contract laborers.	Other reasons.			Total.	Can read but can not write.	Can neither read nor write.	\$30 or over.			Less than \$30.
																Dollars.		
African (black).....	27	34	61	11	42	8						1	12	4	57	320	35	
Armenian.....	84	50	134	37	88	9	3			3	1		16	15	41	2,122	0	
Australian.....	7	9	16	5	10	1								11		600	1	
Austrian.....	6		6		5	1								5	1	165	4	
Central American.....	6	3	9	4	5									5		1,350		
South American.....	3		3		3									3		260	1	
Bohemian and Moravian.....	185	178	363	123	202	38					6	1	15	49	154	16,023	20	
Chinese.....	100		100		95	5									100	1,000	100	
Korean.....	1		1		1									1		57		
Croatian and Slovenian.....	421	140	561	38	500	23	1			1		5	111	97	414	7,059	69	
Cuban.....	117	25	142	26	103	13							2	57	80	11,252	96	
Dalmatian, Bosnian, and Herzegovinian.....	17	17	34	3	30	1							5	6	8	347	3	
Dutch and Flemish.....	56	30	86	28	45	13						1	10	16	26	2,650	9	
English.....	467	307	774	103	570	101	16			16	1	3	7	238	229	36,227	259	
Finnish.....	171	127	298	16	271	11						1	5	1	16	220	39	
French.....	115	74	189	14	160	15	2			2		1		4	84	63	9,323	56
German.....	1,557	1,380	2,937	819	1,887	231	11	2		13		30	8	93	515	802	131,373	325
Greek.....	139	5	144	12	127	5	18			18		1		25	19	82	1,086	11
Hawaiian.....	9	17	26	4	18	4									17		2,320	3
Hebrew.....	2,180	1,649	3,829	816	2,772	211	24	1	1	26	1	20	24	682	216	1,470	32,777	106
Hungarian.....	119	44	163	20	137	6								5	119	1,328		
Irish.....	469	659	1,128	97	965	66	2		2	4	2	8	8	43	143	639	15,762	312
Italian (northern).....	645	338	983	140	739	44	2	1	1	4		7	1	66	344	385	24,543	239
Italian (southern).....	2,638	1,885	4,523	1,215	2,873	435	64	18	1	83	3	36	7	1,679	239	1,077	31,671	487
Japanese.....	131	45	176	6	159	11		1		1					149	5	10,568	47
Lithuanian.....	202	88	290	23	265	2						2	1	62	11	177	1,912	7
Magyar.....	211	174	385	45	327	13	3			3			1	47	29	301	4,055	75
Mexican.....	7	6	13	4	8	1								2	7	1	290	
Montenegrin.....		1	1		1													
Polish.....	797	725	1,522	259	1,208	55	4	7		11		3	25	580	81	965	15,930	106
Portuguese.....	36	29	65	7	55	3	1			1				31	12	43	1,113	5
Roumanian.....	5		5	1	3	1								1	1	4	177	1
Russian.....	136	67	203	45	150	8						1		14	14	113	3,662	8
Ruthenian (Russniak).....	12	5	17	1	16									7		17	135	2
Scandinavian (Norwegians, Danes, and Swedes).....	591	777	1,368	123	1,171	74	1			1		1	5	3	194	923	21,251	341
Scotch.....	70	60	130	16	97	17	3			3					34	53	26,516	55
Servian.....	1		1		1									1		1	8	
Slovak.....	649	508	1,157	114	1,006	37	2	9		11		11	4	283	106	844	14,460	213
Spanish.....	65	18	83	6	70	7							12	45	29	19,740	39	
Syrian.....	430	209	639	123	480	36	19		2	21		9		218	145	267	12,320	52
Welsh.....	68	81	149	54	87	8							1	1	28	41	1,970	23
West Indian.....	2		2		2		1			1								
Not specified.....	1	1	2		2										2		33	
Total.....	12,953	9,765	22,718	4,388	16,816	1,514	177	39	7	223	7	141	100	4,033	2,961	9,654	517,925	3,195

NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED IN THE UNITED STATES, BY SEX AND NATIONALITY, ETC.—Continued.

DECEMBER.

NATIONALITY.	SEX.			AGES.			DEBARRED.				Returned in one year after landing.	Relieved in hospital.	ILLITERACY, 14 YEARS AND OVER.		IMMIGRANTS BRINGING—		Total amount of money shown.	Have been in the United States before.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Under 14 years.	14 to 45 years.	45 years and over.	Paupers, or likely to become public charges.	Contract laborers.	Other reasons.	Total.			Can read but can not write.	Can neither read nor write.	\$30 or over.	Less than \$30.		
																	Dollars.	
African (black).....	16	12	28	4	23	1							7	5	23	113	14	
Armenian.....	38	17	55	16	36	3	3	1	4				10	10	21	1,021	5	
Australian.....	7	5	12	2	7	3								9		930	1	
Austrian.....	5		5		5									1	4	213		
South American.....	3	3	6	2	4									2	1	365		
Central American.....	2	5	7	2	5									5		220		
Bohemian and Moravian.....	75	57	132	32	86	14							3	16	98	3,759	10	
Chinese.....	95		95	1	94				1	1					82	820	95	
Croatian and Slovenian.....	287	77	364	19	329	16	5		5			2	79	70	256	5,313	49	
Cuban.....	76	50	126	27	87	12								59	67	5,957	81	
Dalmatian, Bosnian, and Herzegovinian.....	18	5	23	2	20	1							3	10	11	602	3	
Dutch and Flemish.....	41	30	71	20	45	6	1		1				2	16	30	3,225	14	
English.....	353	176	529	57	398	74	7		7	1	2	1	9	180	174	30,601	215	
Finnish.....	187	105	292	25	252	15					1	7	11	47	215	4,918	97	
French.....	130	49	179	25	144	10	3		3		1		9	59	58	4,523	36	
German.....	720	516	1,236	211	934	91	19	2	1	22	1	28	8	40	260	514	54,942	165
Greek.....	129	9	138	15	115	8	6	1	7				23	16	90	2,265	10	
Hawaiian.....	3		3		3									3		90	1	
Hebrew.....	1,600	1,189	2,789	669	1,968	152	49	2	1	52	8	32	23	467	131	994	20,814	74
Hungarian.....	83	27	110	9	96	5							3	11	77	1,173	20	
Irish.....	232	201	433	62	333	38	3		3	3	9	1	21	55	210	6,429	82	
Italian (northern).....	762	284	1,046	119	873	54	17	13	30		3		110	306	486	21,013	159	
Italian (southern).....	3,071	2,225	5,296	1,393	3,417	486	85	16	101	1	60	2	1,945	222	2,492	33,772	505	
Japanese.....	206	32	238	4	220	14	1	12	13				27	194	27	10,693	56	
Korean.....	9		9		5	4								9		1,125	1	
Lithuanian.....	151	63	214	20	188	6	1		1			4	48	4	151	1,136	6	
Magyar.....	217	168	385	46	328	11	8		8		2		37	20	297	3,096	54	
Mexican.....	7	6	13	2	9	2								5	2	215	1	
Polish.....	765	597	1,362	165	1,152	45	9	2	1	12		13	23	69	915	12,918	129	
Portuguese.....	71	41	112	27	81	4							52	10	51	2,194	29	
Romanian.....	4		4		4								4	2	1	150		
Russian.....	115	51	166	27	130	9	1		1		3		9	13	105	1,583	4	
Ruthenian (Russniak).....	27	11	38	9	29						6		24	1	35	427	5	
Scandinavian (Norwegians, Danes, and Swedes).....	336	301	637	54	545	38	1		1	3	5	3	6	80	426	9,198	86	
Scotch.....	38	22	60	4	51	5	1		1			1		17	14	11,071	17	
Servian.....	3		3		3										2	19		
Slovak.....	682	421	1,103	103	967	33	8	17	25			3	310	113	826	14,061	215	
Spanish.....	97	14	111	1	104	6	1		1				3	64	44	6,845	67	
Syrian.....	212	125	337	52	255	30	46		46				165	40	179	5,473	46	
Transylvanian (Seibenburg-er).....	2		2		2													
Turkish.....	2	2	4	2	2									2	2	100	1	
Welsh.....	34	21	55	14	38	3					4	1	3	17	15	1,183	14	
West Indian.....	3	2	5		5									3	1	555	2	
Total.....	10,914	6,919	17,833	3,242	13,392	1,199	275	54	16	345	17	169	79	3,742	2,056	8,996	284,517	2,399

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TABLE I.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.					COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)		
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Bullion value of a United States silver dollar at average price of silver exchange at par.	Commer- cial ratio of silver to gold.		Middle weights.					
		With exchange at per (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.				Oak.	Union.	Hemlock nonacid.			
1898.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.		
March 5.....	25½	.55025	.55350	.43163	37.04	6½	32	28@29	21	93		
March 12.....	25½	.55214	.54913			6	32	28@29	21	93		
March 19.....	25½	.55936	.55759			5½	32	28@29	21	93		
March 26.....	25½	.55936	.55702			5½	32	28@29	21	92		
April 2.....	25½	.56310	.55974	.43989	36.34	6½	32	28@29	21	93		
April 9.....	No quotations.					6½	31 @32	28@29	21	94		
April 16.....	25½	.56721	.56353			6½	31 @32	28@29	21	92		
April 23.....	25½	.56721	.56441			6½	31 @32	28@29	21	92		
April 30.....	26½	.57080	.57365	.44615	35.83	7	31 @32	28@29	21	92		
May 7.....	25½	.56858	.56577			6½	31 @32	28@29	21	92½		
May 14.....	26½	.57543	.57436			6½	31 @32	28@29	21	92		
May 21.....	26½	.58001	.58073			6½	32	28@29	21	93		
May 28.....	26½	.58639	.58621	.45936	34.80	6½	32	28@29	21	94		
June 4.....	27½	.60283	.60233			6½	32 @33	28@29	21@22	94		
June 11.....	26½	.58630	.58530			6½	32 @33	28@29	21@22	94		
June 18.....	26½	.58502	.58393			6½	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	93		
June 25.....	27½	.59872	.59730	.46320	34.51	6½	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	95½		
July 2.....	27½	.59461	.59351			6½	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	95½		
July 9.....	27½	.59461	.59381			6½	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	97		
July 16.....	27½	.59872	.59794			6	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	98 @ 99		
July 23.....	27½	.61165	.60960	.46596	34.31	6	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	102		
July 30.....	27½	.59735	.59153			6	32½ @33	28@29	21@22	103		
August 6.....	27½	.59735	.59593			6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	104		
August 13.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	101@102		
August 20.....	27½	.60009	.59836	.47531	33.62	6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	100@102		
August 27.....	27½	.60831	.60656			6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	98 @ 100		
September 3.....	27½	.60831	.60625			6½	32 @33	29	21@22	98 @ 100		
September 10.....	27½	.61242	.60971			6½	32 @33	29	21@22	94 @ 95		
September 17.....	28½	.61653	.61317	.49305	33.79	6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	92 @ 93		
September 24.....	28½	.61790	.61453			6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	86 @ 88		
October 1.....	28½	.61790	.61485			6½	32½ @33	29	21@22	86		
October 8.....	28½	.61516	.61212			6	32½ @33	28	21@22	91		
October 15.....	27½	.60694	.60394	.47359	33.75	6½	32 @32½	28	21@22	93		
October 22.....	27½	.61231	.61055			6½	32 @32½	28	21@22	95		
October 29.....	28½	.61790	.61676			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	92		
November 5.....	28½	.61653	.61539			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	92		
November 12.....	28½	.61516	.61370	.46519	34.37	6½	32 @32½	28	21@22	92		
November 19.....	27½	.61231	.61097			6½	32 @32½	28	21@22	93		
November 26.....	27½	.60557	.60351			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	95 @ 96		
December 3.....	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	95 @ 96		
December 10.....	27½	.60283	.60017	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94		
December 17.....	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	93		
December 24.....	27½	.60009	.59744			7	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94 @ 95		
December 31.....	27½	.59872	.59607			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94 @ 100		
1899.												
January 7.....	27½	.59872	.59607	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94 @ 95		
January 14.....	27½	.60283	.60047			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94		
January 21.....	27½	.60420	.60184			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	93		
January 28.....	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94 @ 95		
February 4.....	27½	.60009	.59836	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	94 @ 100		
February 11.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	31 @32	27@28	21@22	101		
February 18.....	27½	.60283	.60233			6½	31 @32	29@30	21@22	98		
February 25.....	27½	.60009	.59990			6½	31 @32	29 @30	21@22	98		

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE II.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
March 7.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
March 14.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
March 21.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
March 23.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
April 4.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
April 11.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
April 18.....	5½	5½	5½	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
April 25.....	5½	5½	5½	5	4½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 2.....	5½	6	6	5	5½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 9.....	5½	6	6	6½	5½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 16.....	5½	6	6	6½	5½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 23.....	5½	6	6	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 30.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	8½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 6.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 13.....	5½	6	6	8½	11	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 20.....	5½	6	6	8½	10½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 27.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
July 4.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	10	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
July 11.....	5½	6	6	7½	8	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
July 18.....	5½	6	6	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
July 25.....	5½	6	6	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
August 1.....	5½	5½	5	7½	7 @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 8.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 15.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½ @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 22.....	6	(b)	5½	7½ @ 7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 29.....	5½	(b)	5	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 5.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 12.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 19.....	5½	5½	5	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 26.....	5½	5	5	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
October 10.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 17.....	5½	5	5	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 24.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 31.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 7.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 14.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 21.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 23.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 5.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6 @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 12.....	5½	4½	4½	6	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 19.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 26.....	5½	5	5½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2½
1899.							
January 2.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	5½ @ 6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 9.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 16.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 23.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
January 30.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 6.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 13.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 20.....				7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 27.....				7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

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TABLE III.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.			COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.		
	Pig—			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Bars.	Billets. (b)	Rails. (d)	Furnace.	Crude Pennsylvania (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)	Refined. (e)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	Southern No. 2, foundry. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
	Per ton. (f)				Per pound.	Per 100 lbs.	Per ton. (f)			Per ton.	Per gall.
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
March 2.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.15@1.20	1.00@1.05	15.25@15.50	19.00@20.00	1.75	82	6.20	6.85
March 9.....	10.40@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	g 1.00	1.00@1.05	15.50	19.00	1.75	79	5.90	6.55
March 16.....	10.40@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.00	1.00@1.05	15.65	18.00	1.75	78	5.80	6.45
March 23.....	10.40@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.25@15.50	18.00	1.75	77	5.75	6.40
March 30.....	10.40@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.25@15.50	18.00	1.75	77	5.75	6.40
April 6.....	10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.50@15.75	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	5.70	6.35
April 13.....	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.25@15.50	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	5.70	6.35
April 20.....	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.25@15.50	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	5.70	6.35
April 27.....	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00@18.50	1.75	71	5.60	6.25
May 4.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00@19.00	1.75	71	5.60	6.25
May 11.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25		1.75	83	6.00	6.65
May 18.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00	1.75	82	5.95	6.60
May 25.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25		1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 1.....	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00		1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 8.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 15.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	85	6.15	6.80
June 22.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 29.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 6.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 13.....	10.30@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.60	94	6.25	6.90
July 20.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	93	6.30	6.95
July 27.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.30	6.95
August 3.....	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 10.....	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@15.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 17.....	10.50@10.65	9.15@ 9.25	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	97	6.49	7.05
August 24.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
August 31.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25@16.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 7.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 14.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 21.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	102	6.65	7.30
September 28.....	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	106	6.85	7.50
October 5.....	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00		107	6.85	7.50
October 12.....	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00		110	7.10	7.85
October 19.....	10.40@10.50	9.40@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00		115	7.30	8.05
October 26.....	10.35@10.50	9.25@ 9.40	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.75	18.00		118	7.40	8.15
November 2.....	10.25@10.40	9.25@ 9.35	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.50	18.00		118	7.40	8.15
November 9.....	10.10@10.25		7.50@7.75			15.00@15.25			118	7.40	8.15
November 16.....	10.10@10.25		7.50@7.75	1.20	1.00	17.25@17.50			118	7.40	8.15
November 23.....	10.00@10.25		7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.00	18.00		115	7.30	8.05
November 30.....	10.00@10.25		7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.25	18.00		115	7.30	8.05
December 7.....	10.65			1.00	1.00	15.75@16.00	18.00		115	7.40	8.15
December 14.....	10.75		7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00		117	7.40	8.15
December 21.....	10.75@11.00		7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00		119	7.50	8.25
December 28.....	10.85@11.00		8.00	1.00	1.00	16.25@16.50	18.00		119	7.50	8.25
1899.											
January 4.....	10.85@11.00		8.00	1.05	1.07½	16.50@16.75	18.00		119	7.50	8.25
January 11.....	10.85@11.00		8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00		119	7.50	8.25
January 18.....	11.00		8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00		116	7.40	8.15
January 25.....	11.00		8.50	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00		116	7.40	8.15
February 1.....	11.15		8.50@9.00	1.07½	1.07½	17.25	18.00		115	7.40	8.15
February 8.....	11.50@11.65		9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	18.00@19.00		115	7.40	8.15
February 15.....	11.50@11.65		9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	20.00		115	7.40	8.15
February 22.....	12.65		9.50@10.00	1.10	1.10	20.50@21.00	20.00		115	7.40	8.15

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburgh, for cash.

c At Birmingham, Ala.

d Eastern mills f. o. b.

e Prices at New York.

f Long ton.

g Iron bars after March 2, 1898.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IV.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleo- stea- rine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89 ² polariza- tion.	Centrif- gals, 96 ² polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.				Per pound.		
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	L.	H.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cts.	Cts.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
March 3	106½	107½	35½	36½	31½	31½	5.52½	5.52½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	11.75	3.69	4.19	4.99
March 10	105	105½	35½	36	31½	31½	5.45	5.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.50	10.75	11.00	11.75	3.63	4.13	4.84
March 17	103	104½	34½	35½	30½	31	5.40	5.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	11.00	11.75	3.50	4.06	4.84
March 24	101	102½	34½	34½	31	31	5.27½	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.25	9.75	11.00	11.75	3.50	4.00	4.84
March 31	98½	98½	34½	34½	30	30	5.35	5.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.50	11.50	3.56	4.12	4.84
April 7	100	100½	34½	35½	30½	30½	5.47½	5.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
April 14	105½	107	35½	35½	30½	31	5.40	5.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.90
April 21	107½	109½	36½	37	31½	31½	5.80	5.85	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
April 28	119	124	39½	40½	33½	33½	5.90	5.92½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	12.00	3.75	4.25	5.15
May 5	130	145	38½	39½	35	35	6.25	6.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.19	5.15
May 12	150	177	41½	41½	35½	35½	6.90	7.00	5½	6	3½	3½	11.25	11.75	12.50	13.00	3.63	4.19	5.08
May 19	151½	155	39½	40	34½	34½	6.80	6.80	6½	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	12.50	13.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
May 26	143	156	37½	38½	33½	33½	6.45	6.50	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.75	12.00	12.50	13.00	3.75	4.31	5.09
June 2	110	118	37½	37½	31	31½	6.40	6.40	6	6	4	4½	11.00	11.50	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 9	110	111	36½	36½	29½	30	6.27½	6.35	5½	6	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 16	92	93	37½	38½	30½	30½	6.10	6.10	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 23	83	86	36½	36½	29	29	5.90	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08
June 30	83	84	35½	36½	26	26	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08
July 7	89	90	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.70	5.75	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.09
July 14	85½	86	36	36	27	27	5.87½	5.87½	4½	4½	3½	3½	12.25	10.50	11.00	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 21	83	83	37	37½	27	27½	5.85	5.85	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 28	72	75½	37½	38½	27½	28	5.55	5.55	5	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 4	72	73½	36½	36½	27½	28	5.50	5.50	4½	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 11	76	77	36½	37½	29	29	5.70	5.70	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.09
August 18	76	77	35½	36½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
August 25	73	73	35½	35½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.31	5.08
September 1	70	70	35	35½	26	26	5.37½	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.37	5.15
September 8	67½	67½	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.35	5.35	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.37	5.21
September 15	69½	72½	34	34½	25	25	5.15	5.17½	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21
September 22	72½	75	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.10	5.10	5	5	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.21
September 29	72½	74½	34½	34½	26	26	5.10	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
October 6	70½	70½	34½	34½	26½	26½	5.15	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	8.75	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.22	4.71
October 13	70½	72½	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.22½	5.22½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.13	4.72
October 20	75½	77½	38½	38½	29	29	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.25	4.72
October 27	74½	75½	38	38½	29	29½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	4.78
November 3	73	74½	38	38½	29½	29½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
November 10	72	73½	37½	38	29	29½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.31	4.31	4.72
November 17	73½	74½	38	38½	30	30	5.12½	5.12½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
November 24	74½	77½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.96
December 1	72½	75½	39	39½	32	32	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.44	4.96
December 8	71½	74½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.41	4.96
December 15	74½	77½	39½	40½	31½	32	5.40	5.40	5	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.84
December 22	75	77½	41½	42½	32½	33	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
December 29	77	79½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
1899.																			
January 5	78	78½	41½	42½	33	33	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	4½	4	9.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 12	78½	78½	42½	42½	33½	33½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4	4	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 19	78	78½	42	42½	34	34	5.87½	5.87½	5½	6	4	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	3.25	4.72
January 26	81½	81½	43½	45½	35	35	5.95	6.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	4.25	4.72
February 2	79½	81	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.90	5.90	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.84
February 9	80½	82½	43½	43½	34½	34½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 16	82½	84½	43½	43½	35½	35½	5.70	5.70	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 23	83	84½	44½	45	35½	35½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE V.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Territorial fine medium (scoured basis). (b)	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton, re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1-2 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 1-2 blood.	Good staple.	Ordinary staple.
Per pound.											
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
March 4	5½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.75 @4.00	3.50@4.00	2.10@2.25	29	31	22	53	49
March 11	5½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	29	30	22	50	47
March 12	5½	6½	3.30@3.80	3.80 @3.85	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	29	30	22	50	47
March 25	5½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	29	29½	22	48	46
April 1	5½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	29	29½	22	48	46
April 8	5½	6½	3.85@3.90	3.75 @3.80	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28½	29½	22	48	45
April 15	5½	6½	3.85@3.90	3.75 @3.80	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28½	29½	22	48	45
April 22	5½	6½	3.85@3.90	3.75 @3.80	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21½	48	44
April 29	5½	6½	3.85@3.90	3.75 @3.80	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21½	48	44
May 6	5½	6½	3.85@3.90	3.75 @3.80	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21½	48	44
May 13	5½	6½	3.75@3.80	3.65 @3.70	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21½	48	44
May 20	5½	6½	3.75@3.80	3.65 @3.70	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21½	48	44
May 27	6½	6½	3.75@3.80	3.65 @3.70	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21½	48	44
June 3	6½	6½	3.73@3.80	3.65 @3.70	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29½	21	47	44
June 10	6½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00@4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
June 17	6½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00@4.05	2.00@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
June 24	6½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.95	4.00@4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
July 1	5½	6½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00@4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
July 8	5½	6½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
July 15	5½	6½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
July 22	5½	6½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22	47	44
July 29	5½	6½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29½	22½	48	44
August 5	5½	6½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	29½	22½	48	44
August 12	5½	6½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	48	46
August 19	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
August 26	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.70 @3.75	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 2	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 9	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 16	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 23	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 30	4½	5½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.20@4.25	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
October 7	5	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
October 14	4½	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
October 21	4½	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	48	45
October 28	4½	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	48	45
November 4	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
November 11	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
November 18	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
November 25	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
December 2	5	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	28½	21½	46½	42½
December 9	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½@3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	28½	21½	46½	42½
December 16	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½@3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27	29	21½	46½	42½
December 23	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½@3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
December 30	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½@3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
1899.											
January 6	5½	5½	3.95@4.15	3.67½@3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
January 13	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½@3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
January 20	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½@3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
January 27	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½@3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 3	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½@3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 10	5½	6½	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 17	6	6½	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 24	6	6½	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½

a Prices at New York.

b Territorial wools embrace Dakota, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Kansas, and Nebraska.

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TABLE VI.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1898.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
March 4	6.82½	11.92½	14.22½	3.77½	4.22½	3.85	4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
March 11	6.80	11.95	14.35	3.76	4.22½	3.85	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
March 18	6.80	11.95	14.25	3.71	4.22½	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
March 25	6.82½	11.95	14.35	3.75	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
April 1	6.75	11.95	14.35	3.75	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
April 8	6.75	12.02½	14.40	3.68½	4.30	3.85	4.80½ @ 4.81½	4.79½ @ 4.79½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
April 15	6.75	12.07½	14.35	3.61	4.30	3.85	4.80½ @ 4.81	4.79 @ 4.79½	5.25½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
April 22	6.65	12.12½	14.45	3.60	4.20	3.85	4.80½ @ 4.81	4.79½ @ 4.79½	5.25½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
April 29	6.75	12.20	14.67½	3.72½	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
May 6	6.75	12.15	14.60	3.74	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
May 13	6.72½	12.07½	14.50	3.64	4.19	3.85	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
May 20	6.80	12.05	14.60	3.62½	4.26	3.85	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.22½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½
May 27	6.85	12.05	14.82½	3.70	4.30	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 3	6.80	12.00	14.85	3.80	4.35	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 10	6.67½	11.95	15.05	3.75	4.55	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
June 17	6.57½	11.87½	15.12½	3.91½	5.12½	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 24	6.60	11.85	15.20	3.97½	5.12½	3.85	4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 1	6.57½	11.77½	15.37½	3.98	5.00	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
July 8	6.57½	11.75	15.70	4.02½	4.85	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
July 15	6.55	11.82½	15.65	4.00	4.62½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
July 22	6.70	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.52½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 29	6.60	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 5	6.62½	11.50	15.80	3.93½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 12	6.87½	11.75	16.22½	4.02½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 19	6.92½	12.00	16.25	4.07½	4.62½	3.85	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 26	6.80	12.20	16.10	4.10	4.75	3.95	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
September 2	7.00	12.30	15.95	4.07½	4.77½	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
September 9	6.90	12.32½	16.12½	4.01½	4.80	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.23½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½
September 16	6.95	12.32½	16.12½	4.02½	4.82½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
September 23	6.95	12.30	16.15	3.99	4.85½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
September 30	7.05	12.30	16.15	3.93½	4.86½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
October 7	7.20	12.32½	16.47½	3.90	4.87½	3.95	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
October 14	7.12½	12.37½	17.00	3.87½	4.95	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
October 21	7.05	12.50	17.75	3.78½	5.00	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
October 28	7.10	12.50	17.95	3.65	5.17½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
November 4	7.10	12.62½	18.25	3.71	5.20	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½
November 11	7.15	12.82½	18.27½	3.72½	5.22½	3.95	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
November 18	7.25	12.92½	17.92½	3.71	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
November 25	7.15	12.87½	17.95	3.67½	5.22½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 40
December 2	7.15	12.87½	18.25	3.66½	5.32½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 9	7.20	12.75	18.05	3.60	5.30	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 16	7.30	12.82½	17.95	3.72½	5.30	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 23	7.50	12.92½	18.22½	3.80	5.25	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½
December 30	7.75	13.00	18.72½	3.87½	5.12½	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
1899.										
January 6	7.87½	13.37½	20.45	3.97½	5.17½	4.2.92½	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 39½
January 13	8.00	13.87½	21.95	4.07½	5.27½	3.97½	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.22½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
January 20	8.25	14.62½	22.30	4.22½	5.37½	3.05	4.82½ @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
January 27	8.50	15.87½	24.25	4.35	5.60	3.20	4.83½	4.83½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
February 3	8.50	17.10	24.75	4.60	5.80	3.25	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
February 10	8.50	17.95	24.00	4.50	6.05	3.30	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40 @ 40½
February 17	8.75	18.10	23.80	4.52½	6.25	3.37½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
February 24	9.25	17.87½	24.57½	4.40	6.55	3.50	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½

a Average prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

d American f. o. b., mill, after December 30, 1893.

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RECEIPTS AND PRICES OF CATTLE AND HIDES AT CHICAGO.

TABLE VII.

[Furnished by the editor of the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review.]

SATURDAY.	CATTLE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.		TOP PRICE PER 100 POUNDS FOR CATTLE ON THE HOOF FOR EACH WEEK.			HIDES.														
	Receipts.	Slaughter.	Native steers.	Texas steers.	Cows and heifers.	No. 1 packers' native steers.	No. 1 packers' Texas steers.		No. 1 packers' Colorado steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy butt. branded steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy native cows.	No. 1 packers' light native cows.	No. 1 packers' branded cows.	Packers' native bulls.	No. 1 country buff.	No. 1 extreme light hides.	No. 1 country native steers.	No. 1 country heavy cows.	No. 1 country calf skins.	No. 1 kips.
							Heavy.	Light.												
1898.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
March 5	46,097	28,195	5.75	4.75	4.00	11½	10	9½	9	10	10½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10	13	11
March 12	46,040	27,226	5.75	4.75	4.00	11	10	9½	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9	10	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
March 19	48,523	29,060	5.50	5.40	4.15	11	10	9½	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
March 26	46,013	28,764	5.75	5.20	4.00	11	10	9½	8½	9½	10	10½	9½	8½	9½	10	10	9½	12	11
April 2	48,081	30,902	5.50	4.55	4.10	11	9½	9½	8½	9½	9½	10	9½	8½	9	10	10	9	11	11
April 9	44,412	28,774	5.40	4.50	4.25	10½	9½	9½	8½	9½	9½	10	9½	8½	9	9½	9½	8½	11½	11
April 16	48,087	31,819	5.50	4.50	4.25	10½	10	10	8½	9½	9½	10	9½	8½	9	9½	9½	8½	11½	10½
April 23	36,613	23,149	5.25	4.60	4.25	11	10½	10½	8½	9½	10½	11	9½	9	9	9½	9½	8½	11½	10½
April 30	38,366	24,198	5.25	4.50	4.15	11½	10½	10½	9	9½	10½	11	9½	9	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
May 7	50,236	32,395	5.25	4.40	4.15	11½	11	11	9½	10½	11	11½	7½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	10
May 14	46,065	29,197	5.25	4.30	4.20	12	12	11½	10	10½	11½	12	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10	13	10½
May 21	46,824	30,626	5.25	4.65	4.25	12½	12½	11½	10½	11	11½	12	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	13	10½
May 28	50,675	33,764	5.20	4.40	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	11½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	13½	10½
June 4	42,670	28,743	5.50	4.65	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11
June 11	42,207	28,109	5.20	4.75	4.10	13	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	10½
June 18	48,312	32,198	5.35	4.60	4.00	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	10½
June 25	52,271	33,962	5.25	4.50	4.20	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	10½	12	11
July 2	50,182	32,717	5.35	4.60	4.10	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 9	36,488	22,568	5.35	4.65	4.05	12½	11½	11½	10	10½	11	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 16	50,603	34,048	5.50	4.80	4.25	12½	11½	11½	9½	10½	11	11½	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 23	53,336	37,760	5.40	5.00	4.35	12	11½	11	9½	10½	11	11	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 30	49,980	32,836	5.65	4.85	4.25	12	11½	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 6	42,157	26,232	5.60	4.55	4.20	12	11	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 13	45,266	29,637	5.65	4.50	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 20	50,471	33,166	5.75	4.05	4.75	12	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 27	58,816	36,819	5.70	4.20	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 3	56,851	35,389	4.65	3.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 10	53,733	32,340	5.70	3.75	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 17	46,719	29,881	5.70	3.90	4.25	12	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 24	56,177	36,550	5.85	3.90	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 1	56,145	34,254	5.85	3.90	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 8	54,256	34,253	5.85	3.87½	3.90	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 15	44,442	28,229	5.80	4.00	4.30	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 22	54,017	36,308	5.90	4.25	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	11½
October 29	58,187	38,382	5.85	3.80	4.35	11½	10½	10½	8½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 5	40,946	28,208	5.90	3.90	4.00	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 12	46,362	32,232	5.70	3.85	3.85	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 19	43,164	14,808	5.75	4.10	4.15	11½	10½	10	8½	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11½
November 26	38,847	26,554	5.80	4.35	4.00	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 3	52,273	38,775	5.90	4.40	4.60	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 10	54,060	38,253	5.50	4.60	4.15	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 17	38,408	27,487	6.10	4.70	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 24	32,592	23,235	5.95	5.00	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
December 31	35,806	24,873	5.95	4.80	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
1899.																				
January 7	33,017	23,098	5.95	5.20	4.35	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
January 14	42,527	31,284	6.00	5.25	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 21	44,977	33,489	6.10	5.25	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 28	52,666	37,027	6.30	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	9½	10	10½	10	9½	13	12
February 4	43,824	28,155	6.25	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	9½	10	9½	10½	10	9½	13	11
February 11	38,892	27,666	6.15	4.70	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	10	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10½
February 18	47,400	22,646	6.10	4.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
February 25	44,815	29,658	5.85	4.95	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½

a Cows only after April 2, 1898.

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TABLE VIII.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.			COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			New fine Para.
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.		Oak.	Union.	Hemlock, nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.			Per pound.				
1894.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	31½	.69599	.69506	18½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	69 @ 70
February 3.....	30⅞	.66722	.66736	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66½
March 3.....	27	.59187	.59281	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66
April 7.....	28⅞	.61790	.62025	17½	32 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	66 @ 67
May 5.....	29	.63571	.63845	16½	31 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	65 @ 66
June 2.....	28½	.62476	.62744	15½	31 @ 33	22 @ 23	17½ @ 18	65
July 7.....	28½	.62886	.63060	16½	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	66½ @ 67½
August 4.....	28½	.61653	.63400	16½	28 @ 30	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	65 @ 67
September 1.....	30½	.66291	.66257	16½	28 @ 30	23 @ 24	16 @ 16½	67 @ 69
October 6.....	29⅞	.64256	.64269	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 26	16 @ 16½	68 @ 71
November 3.....	29½	.64119	.64264	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 25	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
December 1.....	28½	.62475	.62617	15½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
1895.								
January 5.....	27⅞	.60146	.60405	16	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	73 @ 75
February 2.....	27½	.60283	.60512	16½		25 @ 26		74 @ 76
March 2.....	27½	.60556	.60849	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	70 @ 70½
April 6.....	29½	.65626	.66010	16½	28 @ 30	27½ @ 28	16½ @ 17	72 @ 73
May 4.....	30½	.67133	.67457	16	32	32 @ 33	20	71 @ 72½
June 1.....	30½	.67270	.67526	16	36 @ 37	34 @ 35	21½ @ 22	74 @ 75
July 6.....	30½	.67133	.67571	15½	38 @ 40	37	23	72½ @ 74
August 3.....	30⅞	.66448	.66974	16½	38 @ 40	37	23	70 @ 72
September 7.....	30⅞	.66722	.67182	15½	38 @ 40	37	24	73 @ 74
October 5.....	30½	.67270	.67422	16½	35 @ 37	36	24	75 @ 77
November 2.....	30½	.67818	.68110	15½	35	32	24	80
December 7.....	30⅞	.66996	.67320	14½	32	28 @ 30	23	74 @ 77
1896.								
January 4.....	30½	.66859	.67216	14½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	20 @ 21	77
February 1.....	30½	.67407	.67663	13½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	72
March 7.....	31½	.70010	.70204	13½	29 @ 30	26	18 @ 19	74
April 4.....	31½	.68229	.68559	13½	29 @ 30	28	18 @ 19	74
May 2.....	31⅞	.68092	.68386	13½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	17 @ 18	81
June 6.....	31½	.68778	.69039	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	84 @ 88
July 3.....	31½	.68778	.68968	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	80 @ 85
August 1.....	31½	.68778	.69109	11½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	18 @ 19	83 @ 87
September 5.....	30½	.67133	.66802	10½	28 @ 29	24 @ 25	18 @ 18½	78 @ 83
October 3.....	30⅞	.68620	.66257	10½	28 @ 29	25	18 @ 18½	81 @ 84
November 7.....	30	.65763	.65641	10½	29 @ 30	30	20 @ 21	81 @ 83
December 5.....	29½	.65489	.65502	9½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	82½ @ 83
1897.								
January 2.....	29½	.65352	.65298	10½	31 @ 32	28 @ 30	19 @ 20	80
February 6.....	29½	.65215	.65196	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	19 @ 20	80 @ 81
March 6.....	29⅞	.64256	.64323	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	80½ @ 81
April 3.....	28½	.62201	.62278	7½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	81 @ 82
May 1.....	28⅞	.61790	.61898	7½	29 @ 31	27 @ 28	20 @ 22	84
June 5.....	27⅞	.60420	.60463	7½	28	26 @ 27	19 @ 21	83
July 3.....	27⅞	.60420	.60463	7½	28 @ 30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	83
August 7.....	26	.56995	.56948	7½	30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	84
September 4.....	24½	.53980	.53396	6½	31	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	87
October 2.....	26½	.57543	.57318	7½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 22	86
November 6.....	26½	.58091	.57982	6½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 21	84½
December 4.....	27⅞	.60420	.60308	6½	32 @ 34	30	20 @ 21	83 @ 84
1898.								
January 8.....	26⅞	.57909	.57817	6½	32 @ 34	28 @ 29	21	82 @ 83
February 5.....	26½	.57543	.57377	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	88

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IX.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 1.....	4½	3½	3½	5½ @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
February 5.....	4½	4½	4	5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
March 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5 @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
April 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
May 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 4.....	5	4½	4½	4½ @ 5	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
July 2.....	5	4½	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
August 6.....	5	(b)	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
September 3.....	5	5	4½	6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
October 1.....	4½	4½	4½	5½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
November 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5½ @ 5½	3 @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
December 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 2½	(b)
1895.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 7.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
February 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
March 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2 @ 3½	1½
May 6.....	4½	4	4	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 5.....	4½	4½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 3.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 7.....	4½	4	4	4½	4 @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	1½ @ 1½
November 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 2.....	3½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1896.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
February 3.....	4½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
March 2.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 6.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
August 3.....	5	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
September 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½
October 5.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
November 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
1897.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4½	1½
February 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 4½	1½ @ 1½
March 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 5.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
May 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
June 7.....	4½	4½	4	3½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	5	4½	4½	3½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 2.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 6.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
November 1.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½ @ 4	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
February 7.....	5	4½	4½	4½	1	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE X.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.		COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.			
	Fig.			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Billets. (b)	Rails. (c)	Furnace.	Crude (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)		Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	No. 1 X. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
	Per ton. (d)			Per pound.	Per ton. (d)		Per ton.	Lowest.	Highest.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	10.75@11.00	10.00	13.25@14.25	1.35@1.40	15.90	24.80	1.05	80½	80½	5.15	6.25
February 7.....	10.75	9.75@10.00	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	24.80	.90@1.00	80½	81	5.15	6.25
March 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.60@ 9.75	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.50	24.00@27.00	.90	81½	82½	5.15	6.25
April 4.....	10.35@10.50	9.35@ 9.60	12.75@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.75	23.50@26.00	.85@ .90	82½	82½	5.15	6.25
May 2.....	11.00@11.50	9.40@ 9.50	12.50@13.25	1.25@1.30	16.75@17.00	22.00@24.00	(e)	85½	85½	5.15	6.25
June 6.....	13.00@13.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	19.00@19.50	22.00@24.00	(e)	87½	87½	5.15	6.25
July 5.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	18.50	.....	(e)	83½	84	5.15	6.35
August 1.....	12.25@12.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	17.00@17.25	.....	(e)	79½	79½	5.15	6.35
September 5.....	11.50@12.00	10.00@10.25	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	18.00	.....	.....	82½	83	5.15	6.35
October 3.....	11.00@11.25	10.00	12.50@13.00	1.05@1.20	16.75@17.00	.....	1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
November 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.25@ 9.50	.....	1.10@1.15	15.45	.....	1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
December 5.....	10.25@10.35	9.25@ 9.50	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.50	22.75	1.00	87½	90	5.15	6.55
1895.											
January 2.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.90	94½	95½	5.70	6.00
February 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	1.00	103	103½	5.80	7.13
March 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.....	105	105½	6.30	7.40
April 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.60	22.75	.....	113	114	7.35	7.70
May 1.....	10.75@10.85	9.50@ 9.75	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.50@15.75	22.75	1.15	183½	185	8.50	9.65
June 5.....	12.00@12.25	10.40@10.50	12.25@12.50	1.20@1.25	17.75@18.00	22.75	.....	147	147	7.85	8.50
July 3.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	9.25	1.25@1.30	20.50@20.75	24.00	.....	149	149	7.80	8.15
August 7.....	15.40@15.50	11.50@11.75	9.25	1.35@1.40	21.50@22.00	.....	1.35	126	126	7.10	7.50
September 4.....	17.25@17.50	12.75@13.00	10.00	1.40@1.45	.....	.....	.....	124½	125½	7.10	7.50
October 2.....	16.75@17.00	12.00@12.75	10.00	1.45@1.50	24.00@24.25	28.00	1.35@1.60	123	123	7.10	7.50
November 6.....	16.00@16.25	12.50@12.75	10.00	1.40@1.50	21.00@21.50	.....	1.60	133	136	7.10	7.50
December 4.....	12.75@13.00	12.00@12.25	9.50@10.00	1.40@1.50	18.00@18.50	.....	.....	134	135	7.50	8.50
1896.											
January 1.....	11.00@11.25	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.75	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	.....	2.00	148	149	7.75	8.30
February 5.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	8.15@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	18.25@18.50	.....	2.00	143	143	7.60	8.50
March 4.....	12.00@12.50	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	17.00	.....	2.00	128	128	7.10	8.00
April 1.....	13.00@13.50	10.75@11.00	7.50	1.20@1.25	20.00	.....	2.00	129	129	7.20	8.10
May 6.....	13.00@13.25	10.75@11.00	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	125	125	6.95	7.85
June 3.....	12.25@12.75	10.75@11.00	7.50@ 7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	109	109	6.55	7.45
July 1.....	12.25@12.50	10.50@11.75	6.90@ 7.20	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	115	115	6.90	7.30
August 5.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	6.40@ 6.60	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	106	106	6.65	7.55
September 2.....	10.50@11.00	11.50@11.75	6.50	1.20@1.25	20.50	.....	2.00	108	108	6.70	7.60
October 7.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	7.00@ 7.25	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	116	116	6.90	7.85
November 4.....	12.00@12.75	10.00@11.25	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	117	117	7.00	7.95
December 2.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	7.50@ 7.75	1.25@1.30	20.25	.....	2.00	105	105	6.70	7.55
1897.											
January 6.....	10.50@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.25@1.30	16.00	25.00	2.00	90	90	6.20	6.90
February 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.50@ 9.75	7.00@ 7.50	1.20@1.25	15.50	25.00	1.75	90	90	6.00	6.70
March 3.....	10.75@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	6.75@ 7.00	1.20@1.25	15.50@16.00	e18.00@20.00	1.75	91	91	6.30	7.00
April 7.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	6.50@ 7.00	1.05	15.25	20.00	1.60	88	88	6.20	6.66
May 5.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.50@ 8.75	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.75	19.00@20.00	1.50	86	86	6.05	6.50
June 2.....	9.75@10.00	8.25@ 8.50	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.25@14.50	19.00@20.00	1.50	87	87	6.15	6.69
July 7.....	9.25@ 9.50	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.00@14.25	18.00@20.00	1.50	80	80	6.00	6.45
August 4.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.20
September 1.....	9.75@10.00	8.50@ 8.75	6.75@ 7.00	90@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.15
October 6.....	10.50@10.75	9.75@10.00	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.50	19.00@19.50	1.50@1.75	70	70	5.80	6.15
November 3.....	10.35@10.50	9.00@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.25@16.50	19.00@19.50	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
December 1.....	10.15@10.25	9.25@ 9.40	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
1898.											
January.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@ 1.20	15.00@15.25	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
February 2.....	9.75@10.00	9.00@10.00	7.15@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash;

c Prices at New York.

d Long ton.

e Strike.

f Foundry No. 2 at Birmingham, Ala., after June 5, 1895.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XI.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)												SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleostearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89° polariza- tion.	Centrif- gals, 96° polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.		
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.								
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Per pound.				
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.		
January 4	66	67½	41½	42½	34	34½	8.30	8.35	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.75	14.50	14.00	15.50	2.50	2.75	3.74		
February 1	65½	66	42½	42½	34	34	7.95	8.00	7½	7½	5½	5½	14.25	14.75	14.00	15.00	2.69	3.06	3.98		
March 1	62½	62½	41½	42½	37	37	7.65	7.65	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.81	3.18	4.17		
April 5	66½	68½	44½	45	36	36½	7.65	7.65	6½	7	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.50	2.87	3.98		
May 3	60½	61	43½	43½	40	40½	7.85	7.85	7½	7½	5	5½	13.75	14.00	12.00	13.00	2.37	2.84	3.88		
June 7	59½	60½	44½	44½	48	48	7.00	7.00	7	7	4½	4½	13.25	13.50	10.50	12.00	2.50	3.87	3.80		
July 5	59½	60½	45½	46	50	50½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.00	14.25	9.50	11.00	2.69	3.12	3.98		
August 2	56½	56½	55½	55½	41	41	7.35	7.35	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	4.35		
September 6	58	58½	65	65	34	34½	9.00	9.00	9	9	4½	4½	15.50	15.75	10.50	12.00	3.12	3.81	4.72		
October 4	54½	55½	55½	56½	32½	32½	8.10	8.10	9½	9½	4½	4½	14.75	15.50	10.00	12.00	3.12	3.75	4.35		
November 1	55	55½	60	60	32½	32½	7.35	7.40	6½	6½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.98		
December 6	60½	61	56½	57	34½	34½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.50	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.88		
1895.																					
January 3	60½	60½	51	51½	34½	34½	7.10	7.10	7½	7½	4½	4½	12.75	13.25	10.50	12.50	2.63	3.00	3.74		
February 7	57½	57½	48½	49	33½	33½	6.95	7.00	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.25	12.00	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	3.98		
March 7	58½	58½	49½	49½	33	33	6.72½	6.75	7½	7½	4½	4½	11.75	12.25	10.50	12.00	2.69	3.00	3.80		
April 4	60	60½	56	56	33½	33½	7.20	7.20	9	9	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.00	2.69	3.00	3.80		
May 2	68½	69½			32½	32½	7.00	7.00	8	8	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.50	2.75	3.09	3.91		
June 6	80	82½	56	57½	33½	34	6.75	6.80	7½	8	4½	4½	13.75	14.50	11.50	13.00	2.94	3.37	4.35		
July 4	73½	73½	49½	50½	28	28½	6.65	6.70	6½	7	4½	4½	13.25	14.00	10.50	13.50	2.87	3.25	4.35		
August 1	72½	74½	48½	49½	28	28	6.45	6.47½	6	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	11.00	12.50	2.94	3.25	4.35		
September 5	62½	63½	38½	39½	23½	24	6.25	6.25	6	6	4½	4½	10.25	10.75	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.25	4.16		
October 3	66	68	37	37½	23½	23½	6.22½	6.22½	6	6	4½	4½	10.00	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.56	4.47		
November 7	67½	68½	36½	36½	23½	23½	5.95	5.95	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.37	4.24		
December 5	60½	70	35½	35½	22½	22½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.50	4.25		
1896.																					
January 2	69	69½	34½	34½	23½	23½	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	12.00	3.37	3.75	4.50		
February 6	81½	82	36½	37	25½	25½	5.87	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	10.00	12.00	3.50	3.87	4.58		
March 5	81½	81½	38	39	26	26	5.60	5.65	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.12	4.72		
April 2	79½	80	37½	37½	25	25	5.30	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.18	4.89		
May 7	72	73½	35½	35½	25	25	5.05	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	10.00	9.50	11.00	3.63	4.25	4.08		
June 4	69½	71½	33½	33½	22½	23	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	3.37	3.75	4.72		
July 2	64½	65½	33½	33½	21	21½	4.20	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.75	7.50	8.50	3.00	3.50	4.60		
August 6	66½	68	30½	30½	23	23½	3.50	3.50	4½	4½	3	3	8.00	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.13	3.50	4.60		
September 3	67½	68	26	26	19½	19½	3.70	3.70	4	4½	3½	3½	7.50	8.25	8.00	9.00	2.87	3.25	4.47		
October 1	78½	79½	28	29½	22	22	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.50	8.00	9.00	2.69	3.06	4.22		
November 5	85½	87½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.55	4.55	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.50	8.00	10.00	2.87	3.25	3.98		
December 3	104½	106	29½	29½	23	23½	4.20	4.20	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.87	3.25	4.10		
1897.																					
January 7	103½	104½	29½	29½	22½	22½	4.05	4.07½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.81	3.18	4.10		
February 4	96½	98½	28½	29	21½	21½	4.00	4.00	4	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.18	3.98		
March 4	93½	94½	27	28½	21½	21½	4.32½	4.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.25	3.98		
April 1	95½	96½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.45	4.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.00	3.37	3.47		
May 6	95½	98½	29½	29½	22½	23	4.25	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.00	10.00	2.75	3.31	4.23		
June 3	81½	82½	29	29½	22	22½	3.80	3.80	4½	4½	3	3	8.50	9.00	8.50	9.50	2.75	3.31	4.23		
July 1	81½	82	28½	28½	21½	21½	4.25	4.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.50	3.00	3.50	4.47		
August 5	84	86½	32½	32½	22	22	4.70	4.70	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.25	3.75	4.72		
September 2	100½	103½	36½	37½	24	24½	5.27½	5.27½	6	6	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	9.00	10.00	3.25	3.78	4.72		
October 7	97½	98½	32½	32½	23½	23½	4.60	4.70	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.31	3.87	4.85		
November 4	100½	102	30½	30½	24½	24½	4.60	4.60	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.25	9.00	10.50	3.31	3.82	4.72		
December 2	96	97½	31½	32½	26½	26½	4.47½	4.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.00	3.37	3.94	4.72		
1898.																					
January 6	98½	99	33½	33½	28½	28½	5.00	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.50	11.50	3.50	4.19	4.96		
February 3	100½	101½	34½	34½	29	29½	5.15	5.15	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.00	10.25	10.00	11.00	3.56	4.06	4.84		

a Prices at New York.

NOTE.—Prior to July 6, 1893, quotations of prices of provisions are for the first business day of the month.

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TABLE XII.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best flature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Un-washed.	Fine medium (scoured basis).	
					Shanghai, best flature.	Canton re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1-2 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 1-2 blood.	Montana.	Wyoming and Utah.
Per pound.											
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 5	7 ⁷ / ₈	8 ¹ / ₈	4.15 @ 4.25	3.87 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	23	24	19	35	33
February 2	7 ⁷ / ₈	7 ⁷ / ₈	3.95 @ 4.10	3.87 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	22 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	19	35	33
March 2	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.75 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.50	2.62 ¹ / ₂	21	23	19	35	33
April 6	7 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₈	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	21	23	19	35	33
May 4	6 ⁷ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₈	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	22	24	20	35	33
June 1	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.60 @ 3.70	3.40 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	21	22	18	34	32
July 6	6 ⁷ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₈	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	20	17	33	31
August 3	6 ⁵ / ₈	6 ⁷ / ₈	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	22	19	35	33
September 7	6 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	3.90 @ 4.00	3.70 @ 3.85	3.15	2.60	20	22	19	35	33
October 5	5 ³ / ₈	6 ⁵ / ₈	3.80 @ 3.90	3.50 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	18 ¹ / ₂	21	18	34 ¹ / ₂	32 ¹ / ₂
November 2	5 ³ / ₈	5 ³ / ₈	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18 ¹ / ₂	20	18	34	32
December 7	5 ¹ / ₂	5 ³ / ₈	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18	20	18	33	31
1895.											
January 4	5 ¹ / ₈	5 ¹ / ₈	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	17 ¹ / ₂	20	17	32	31
February 1	5	5 ⁵ / ₈	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	17	20	17	32	31
March 1	5 ¹ / ₈	5 ⁵ / ₈	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	16 ¹ / ₂	20	17	32	31
April 5	5 ³ / ₈	6 ¹ / ₈	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 ¹ / ₂	20	17	30	28
May 3	6 ⁵ / ₈	6 ¹ / ₈	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 ¹ / ₂	20	17	30	28
June 7	7	7 ¹ / ₂	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16	18	16 ¹ / ₂	30	28
July 5	6 ¹ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	4.15 @ 4.25	4.00 @ 4.25	3.30 @ 3.45	2.60	18	21	19	33 ¹ / ₂	32
August 2	6 ⁵ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	4.20 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.12 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.37 ¹ / ₂	2.45	18	21	19	34	32
September 6	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ¹ / ₈	4.00 @ 4.25	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	19	34	32
October 4	8 ¹ / ₈	9 ¹ / ₈	4.40 @ 4.60	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.00 @ 3.50	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	19	35	33
November 1	8 ⁵ / ₈	9	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	19	34 ¹ / ₂	33
December 6	8	8 ⁵ / ₈	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	17 ¹ / ₂	34	32
1896.											
January 3	7 ¹ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	19	21	17 ¹ / ₂	35	32
February 7	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ¹ / ₈	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 ¹ / ₂	18	36	33
March 6	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 ¹ / ₂	17 ¹ / ₂	36	33
April 3	7 ³ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	19	21	17	35	31
May 1	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	4.25 @ 4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	17 ¹ / ₂	19	15 ¹ / ₂	31 ¹ / ₂	30
June 5	7 ³ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	31	29
July 3	6 ¹ / ₂	7 ⁵ / ₈	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	31	29
August 7	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	31	28
September 4	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	29	26
October 2	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	18	19	15	29	27
November 6	7 ⁵ / ₈	8 ⁵ / ₈	3.65 @ 3.75	3.40 @ 3.65	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	19	21	16	33	31
December 4	7 ³ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.65 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.70	3.65 @ 3.90	2.05 @ 2.20	19	21	17	33	31
1897.											
January 1	6 ⁷ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.50 @ 3.55	3.25 @ 3.50	3.60 @ 3.75	2.05 @ 2.20	19	20	17	33	30
February 5	6 ¹ / ₂	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.60 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.15	19	21	17 ¹ / ₂	34	31
March 5	7	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.40 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 ¹ / ₂	19 ¹ / ₂	21 ¹ / ₂	17 ¹ / ₂	34	31
April 2	7	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.30 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 ¹ / ₂	21	22 ¹ / ₂	20	38	36
May 7	7 ³ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	3.75	3.37 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 ¹ / ₂	2.15	21 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	19	38	36
June 4	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.75	3.37 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 ¹ / ₂	2.15	21 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	17 ¹ / ₂	37	34
July 2	7 ¹ / ₂	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.20 @ 3.55	2.00 @ 2.10	21 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	20	40	38
August 6	6 ¹ / ₂	8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.40 @ 3.70	3.45 @ 3.80	2.00 @ 2.10	23 ¹ / ₂	25 ¹ / ₂	21	46	44
September 3	7 ⁵ / ₈	7 ⁵ / ₈	3.65 @ 3.75	3.37 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	24 ¹ / ₂	27 ¹ / ₂	22	47	45
October 1	6	6 ⁵ / ₈	3.65 @ 3.75	3.55 @ 3.90	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	27	29	23	51	47
November 5	5 ⁵ / ₈	6	3.75 @ 3.90	3.80 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	23	55	52
December 3	5 ¹ / ₂	5 ¹ / ₂	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	27 ¹ / ₂	30	23	54	49
1898.											
January 7	5 ⁵ / ₈	5 ¹ / ₂	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	22	53	50
February 4	5 ¹ / ₂	5 ¹ / ₂	3.90 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	29	31	22	54	50

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XIII.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel 1C 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1894.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
January 5.....	11.69	10.07½	20.50	3.15	3.50	4.87½	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
February 2.....	11.25	9.75	19.87½	3.27½	3.62½	4.85	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
March 2.....	11.13	9.55	18.75	3.20	3.75	4.85	4.87½	4.86 @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 6.....	11.00	9.50	19.35	3.35	3.70	4.80	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 4.....	10.75	9.35	19.95	3.40	3.55	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 1.....	10.75	9.25	19.85	3.30	3.40	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 6.....	11.00	9.05	19.30	3.42½	3.47½	4.72½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 3.....	10.75	9.05	18.70	3.60	3.45	4.72½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 7.....	10.75	9.15	18.12½	3.22½	3.42½	4.77½	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
October 5.....	10.75	9.65	15.80	3.17½	3.42½	3.85	4.86½ @ 4.87½	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 2.....	10.75	9.55	14.75	3.15	3.37½	3.75	4.87½	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
December 7.....	10.75	9.55	13.60	3.12½	3.30	3.65	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1895.										
January 4.....	10.50	9.90	13.40	3.05	3.27½	3.60	4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
February 1.....	10.50	9.87½	14.30	3.11½	3.20	3.57½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
March 1.....	10.50	9.62½	13.07½	3.08½	3.10	3.50	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 5.....	10.63	9.37½	13.93	3.11	3.21	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89½	4.88 @ 4.88½	5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 3.....	10.75	9.86	14.21	3.07½	3.17½	3.52½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 7.....	11.50	10.56	14.19	3.29	3.71	3.52½	4.89	4.87½ @ 4.88	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
July 5.....	12.50	10.55	14.12½	3.30	3.61	3.65	4.89 @ 4.89½	4.86½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
August 2.....	12.50	11.79	14.35	3.52	3.84	3.75	4.90	4.88½ @ 4.89	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 6.....	13.13	12.25	14.36	3.45	4.17	3.65	4.89 @ 4.90	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
October 4.....	13.25	12.15	14.54	3.36	4.16	3.65	4.87 @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 1.....	13.00	11.68	14.62	3.29	3.93	3.65	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
December 6.....	12.25	10.77	14.08	3.30	3.53	3.60	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1896.										
January 3.....	12.25	10.00	13.08	3.12	3.57½	3.60	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
February 7.....	12.00	10.15	13.42	3.10½	4.03	3.52½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 6.....	11.88	11.10	13.33	3.20	4.08	3.45	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	39½ @ 40
April 3.....	10.63	10.30	13.40	3.07½	4.12½	3.42½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 1.....	10.63	10.75	13.37	3.06	4.04	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 5.....	10.75	11.50	13.43	3.02½	4.05	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 3.....	10.25	11.50	13.51	3.01	4.07½	3.47½	4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 7.....	10.25	11.08	13.37	2.83½	3.89	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 4.....	10.00	10.77½	13.31	2.72½	3.66	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
October 2.....	10.25	10.70	12.90	2.78	3.62½	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 39½
November 6.....	10.50	10.85	12.95	2.89½	3.88	3.65	4.82½ @ 4.83½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
December 4.....	11.00	11.37½	12.95	3.03½	4.25	3.70	4.84½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
1897.										
January 1.....	11.00	11.43	12.97½	3.05	4.09	3.75	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
February 5.....	6.87	12.00	13.50	3.18	4.00	3.80	4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 5.....	6.87	11.92	13.52	3.38½	4.08½	3.75	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
April 2.....	6.60	11.77½	13.17	3.39	4.09	3.60	4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
May 7.....	6.35	11.00	13.22½	3.26	4.12½	3.70	4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 4.....	6.40	11.00	13.50	3.27½	4.25	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 2.....	6.50	11.20	14.05	3.61	4.30	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 6.....	6.37½	11.00	13.77½	3.77½	4.30	3.70	4.86 @ 4.87	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
September 3.....	6.70	11.25	13.61	4.21	4.25	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
October 1.....	7.05	11.25	13.63	4.32½	4.25	3.70	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 40
November 5.....	6.95	10.90	13.72½	3.92½	4.15	3.90	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
December 3.....	6.70	10.80	13.72½	3.77½	4.00	3.70	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
1898.										
January 7.....	6.65	10.90	13.82½	3.66	3.95	3.80	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
February 4.....	6.55	10.95	13.87½	3.60	4.00	3.85	4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½

a Prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their values in the foreign markets.

IMPORT PRICES.

IMPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1899.												
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	Janu-ary.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Coal, bituminous.....	Ton	2.71	2.84	2.97	2.87	2.95	2.70	2.81	2.70	2.58	2.99	2.80	2.78	2.91
Coffee	Pound ..	.068	.072	.075	.071	.064	.072	.064	.064	.061	.067	.056	.062	.064
Cotton cloth:														
Not bleached, etc.....	Sq. yd....	.077	.091	.076	.052	.073	.074	.085	.077	.076	.093	.089	.099	.082
Bleached, etc.....	do .....	.124	.127	.126	.124	.127	.133	.137	.126	.121	.124	.128	.128	.131
Fibers, vegetable, etc:														
Unmanufactured—														
Flax.....	Ton.....	257.22	278.57	295.66	239.15	209.43	186.96	142.35	170.97	176.34	174.82	283.44	214.44	238.68
Hemp.....	do	136.84	158.90	138.41	139.06	138.18	128.34	126.40	129.53	122.75	98.71	124.90	122.45	123.91
Jute and jute butts.....	do	22.52	25.38	24.98	19.61	18.99	22.57	22.91	21.25	18.46	28.00	47.01	35.22	34.60
Manila.....	do	64.94	54.06	60.64	71.30	75.63	76.43	120.90	114.64	100.08	99.37	119.96	114.13	120.09
Sisal grass.....	do	57.59	54.84	84.47	78.04	92.50	151.70	175.40	107.68	120.23	124.88	120.11	91.75	102.63
Fish:														
Pickled—														
Herring.....	Pound ..	.037	.037	.031	.033	.027	.027	.032	.039	.037	.027	.036	.033	.034
Mackerel.....	do .....	.065	.064	.065	.068	.060	.057	.058	.053	.063	.077	.073	.072	.068
Glass: Cylinder, etc., un- polished.....	do .....	.024	.028	.028	.028	.025	.026	.023	.023	.026	.027	.026	.032	.027
India rubber, crude.....	do .....	.530	.563	.586	.597	.604	.560	.606	.636	.608	.586	.588	.597	.635
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron (a).....	Ton.....	25.69	27.83	25.80	30.77	24.26	30.44	28.91	27.43	31.04	29.94	29.70	31.13	28.23
Sheet, plate, and tag- gers iron.....	Pound ..	.037	.031	.030	.033	.025	.037	.041	.039	.040	.051	.052	.032	.040
Tin plates.....	do .....	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.023	.023	.023	.023
Molasses..... dut.	Gallon ..	.241	.233	.191	.167	.115	.178	.160	.181	.138	.160	.199	.210	.194
Provisions:														
Cheese.....	Pound ..	.142	.141	.135	.138	.137	.134	.131	.130	.126	.142	.128	.133	.142
Rice.....	do .....	.019	.021	.020	.020	.021	.024	.025	.027	.022	.021	.023	.021	.022
Salt.....	100 lbs..	.164	.162	.155	.187	.122	.156	.156	.132	.165	.178	.122	.189	.185
Silk, raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	Pound ..	3.20	3.09	3.26	3.28	3.27	3.18	3.03	2.99	3.14	3.00	3.12	3.12	3.14
Sugar not above No. 16 Dutch standard:														
Beet.....	do .....	.018			.015	.016	.020	.020	.018	.020	.020	.021	.022	.021
Cane, and all other.....	do .....	.022	.023	.022	.021	.023	.024	.026	.025	.024	.022	.021	.021	.023
Tea.....	do .....	.124	.135	.140	.188	.139	.187	.148	.142	.138	.129	.119	.128	.118
Tin: Bars, block, and pig.....	do .....	.129	.132	.135	.135	.140	.138	.138	.139	.145	.143	.138	.166	.179
Tobacco, leaf:														
Suitable for wrappers.....	do .....	.867	.866	.980	.963	1.03	1.02	.956	1.02	.963	1.03	1.05	1.14	1.53
Other.....	do .....	.633	.638	.632	.541	.476	.367	.295	.476	.459	.554	.637	.565	.611
Wines:														
Still wines—														
Incasks.....	Gallon ..	.684	.663	.719	.689	.765	.748	.724	.683	.556	.695	.687	.710	.708
Wools, etc., and manufac- tures of:														
Raw—														
Class 1.....	Pound ..	.150	.187	.169	.164	.155	.185	.142	.176	.134	.114	.086	.161	.134
Class 2.....	do .....	.243	.204	.234	.247	.214	.152	.200	.314	.315	.281	.317	.312	.304
Class 3.....	do .....	.098	.087	.093	.095	.091	.091	.087	.091	.099	.096	.097	.095	.094
Manufactures—														
Carpets and car- peting.....	Sq. yd....	2.90	3.51	2.68	3.17	3.03	3.93	2.67	2.40	2.46	2.50	3.01	2.43	2.99
Cloths.....	Pound ..	.973	.941	.869	.857	.888	.919	.953	.959	.994	.992	.923	.918	1.02
Dress goods.....	Sq. yd....	.218	.215	.209	.192	.166	.191	.206	.224	.211	.183	.176	.219	.222

a Mostly spiegeleisen and ferro-manganese.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—Cont'd.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their market value at the time of exportation.

DOMESTIC EXPORT PRICES.

EXPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.													1899
		1898													
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.		
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Breadstuffs:															
Corn.....	Bushel..	.345	.356	.357	.361	.397	.384	.377	.380	.357	.359	.382	.405	.418	
Wheat.....	do....	.906	.929	.939	1.01	1.34	1.10	.882	.769	.723	.719	.725	.728	.745	
Wheat flour.....	Barrel..	4.38	4.41	4.47	4.54	5.22	5.02	4.58	4.39	4.13	3.93	4.02	3.93	3.97	
Coal:															
Anthracite.....	Ton.....	4.63	4.60	4.52	4.37	4.24	4.05	4.14	4.42	4.17	4.07	4.10	4.15	4.05	
Bituminous.....	do....	1.84	1.90	2.06	2.17	2.24	2.33	2.18	2.15	2.19	2.20	2.09	2.10	2.02	
Copper, ingots, bars, and old...	Pound..	.110	.109	.110	.111	.117	.118	.117	.114	.117	.118	.118	.121	.131	
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	do....	.058	.059	.059	.059	.061	.062	.061	.060	.053	.052	.051	.054	.056	
Cloths:															
Colored.....	Yard...	.053	.049	.052	.051	.049	.050	.047	.048	.047	.046	.048	.048	.046	
Uncolored.....	do....	.048	.045	.045	.045	.046	.046	.049	.048	.047	.048	.046	.042	.046	
Hay.....	Ton.....	13.96	14.40	13.82	14.23	13.50	14.44	13.80	12.73	12.34	12.77	12.78	12.79	12.34	
Hops.....	Pound..	.157	.163	.140	.152	.137	.147	.140	.126	.115	.156	.175	.181	.171	
Iron and steel:															
Pig iron.....	Ton.....	12.12	10.86	11.74	11.12	13.18	11.54	10.81	10.42	10.41	10.15	10.14	10.26	10.31	
Nails and spikes, cut.....	Pound..	.016	.019	.018	.018	.018	.017	.019	.018	.019	.019	.019	.017	.016	
Leather, sole.....	do....	.179	.174	.181	.183	.177	.171	.182	.185	.165	.168	.178	.170	.158	
Naval stores:															
Rosin.....	Barrel..	1.66	1.60	1.81	1.74	1.56	1.55	1.48	1.42	1.42	1.54	1.45	1.50	1.37	
Turpentine, spirits of.....	Gallon..	.345	.339	.350	.286	.285	.286	.272	.271	.290	.315	.306	.386	.440	
Oil cake and oil-cake meal.....	Pound..	.009	.009	.009	.010	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	
Oils:															
Mineral—crude, etc.....	Gallon..	.037	.038	.040	.037	.039	.038	.039	.043	.046	.047	.047	.046	.048	
Refined—illuminating.....	do....	.044	.044	.047	.049	.050	.052	.051	.050	.052	.058	.056	.062	.059	
Vegetable—cotton-seed.....	do....	.246	.245	.252	.247	.249	.259	.258	.233	.235	.236	.240	.249	.233	
Paraffin and paraffin wax.....	Pound..	.038	.039	.041	.039	.039	.037	.039	.039	.039	.039	.033	.038	.040	
Provisions:															
Beef—															
Fresh.....	do....	.085	.085	.083	.084	.088	.087	.083	.085	.086	.084	.083	.082	.084	
Salted or pickled.....	do....	.054	.057	.057	.057	.056	.062	.057	.054	.053	.052	.053	.054	.055	
Tallow.....	do....	.040	.039	.039	.038	.041	.041	.039	.038	.039	.040	.041	.038	.040	
Bacon.....	do....	.071	.073	.074	.070	.077	.073	.074	.075	.074	.074	.074	.078	.072	
Hams.....	do....	.094	.096	.093	.095	.092	.092	.093	.093	.090	.090	.091	.091	.091	
Pork, pickled.....	do....	.054	.057	.058	.059	.061	.060	.061	.058	.059	.057	.058	.059	.058	
Lard.....	do....	.054	.056	.057	.059	.064	.064	.061	.060	.059	.059	.058	.059	.060	
Oleomargarine—the oil.....	do....	.058	.057	.059	.060	.061	.060	.058	.058	.059	.063	.062	.062	.064	
Butter.....	do....	.167	.160	.168	.171	.150	.152	.150	.165	.161	.170	.161	.167	.168	
Cheese.....	do....	.090	.090	.090	.088	.089	.075	.075	.079	.082	.091	.092	.099	.102	
Seeds:															
Clover.....	do....	.059	.058	.058	.054	.061	.060	.060	.059	.059	.060	.063	.066	.063	
Cotton.....	do....	.007	.006	.006	.005	.006	.006	.005	.005	.010	.007	.006	.007	.006	
Starch.....	do....	.019	.016	.019	.023	.023	.019	.020	.020	.018	.021	.022	.021	.020	
Sugar, refined.....	do....	.052	.052	.047	.048	.053	.045	.044	.051	.048	.048	.051	.041	.042	
Tobacco, leaf.....	do....	.079	.090	.087	.088	.086	.089	.087	.093	.096	.100	.096	.089	.090	
Wood: Boards, deals, and planks	M feet..	15.59	15.33	15.88	16.55	14.74	15.43	16.41	14.68	15.40	16.37	14.96	14.88	15.69	

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

[From the Economist.]

I.—MINERALS.

DATE.	IRON.			COALS.	COPPER.	TIN.	LEAD.	SALTPETER.
	Scotch pig.	Cleveland bars.	Steel rails.	Best Wallsend London.	Chile bars.	Straits.	English pig.	English, refined.
	Per ton.							Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January 4.....	2 1 8½	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 9	40 15 0	60 6 3	9 14 6	1 2 9
February 1.....	2 1 2	4 17 6	3 12 6	14 6	40 1 3	60 15 0	9 13 6	1 2 9
March 1.....	2 2 1	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 0	39 2 6	60 5 0	9 13 9	1 2 9
April 4.....	2 1 9	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	39 6 3	63 8 6	10 2 6	1 3 0
May 3.....	2 3 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	41 3 9	64 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6
June 1.....	2 3 3	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 0 0	64 7 6	10 11 3	1 2 6
July 5.....	2 4 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 8 9	63 15 0	10 10 0	1 2 6
August 2.....	2 5 5½	4 15 0	3 15 0	14 0	43 15 0	64 13 9	11 3 0	1 3 0
September 1.....	2 7 2½	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	46 17 6	64 15 0	11 3 0	1 3 6
October 4.....	2 8 3	4 17 6	4 5 6	14 6	47 6 3	66 12 6	11 5 0	1 3 0
November 1.....	2 8 10	5 0 0	4 10 0	15 6	45 2 6	66 3 0	11 11 3	1 2 0
December 1.....	2 7 1	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 5 0	63 15 0	11 17 6	1 2 0
1896.								
January 1.....	2 5 3	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	41 5 0	58 0 0	11 8 0	1 1 9
February 1.....	2 7 4	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 18 9	60 5 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
March 1.....	2 7 5	5 0 0	4 15 0	14 6	46 6 3	60 2 6	11 12 6	1 1 9
April 2.....	2 6 8	5 0 0	4 15 0	13 6	45 2 6	60 7 6	11 6 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 6 4½	5 0 0	4 12 6	13 6	45 6 3	59 15 0	11 6 3	1 1 9
June 5.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	60 8 9	11 6 3	1 2 3
July 3.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	49 9 3	61 3 9	11 5 0	1 2 0
August 1.....	2 6 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	12 6	48 10 0	60 2 6	11 3 9	1 2 0
September 4.....	2 5 11	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	59 8 9	11 5 0	1 1 9
October 2.....	2 6 6	5 2 6	4 10 0	14 6	47 16 3	57 8 0	11 10 0	1 1 9
November 6.....	2 8 3	5 2 6	4 10 0	16 0	48 13 9	58 7 6	11 10 0	1 1 9
December 4.....	2 8 5½	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	48 12 0	58 4 6	11 15 0	1 1 9
1897.								
January 1.....	2 8 9	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	49 8 9	58 8 9	11 16 3	1 1 9
February 5.....	2 7 8½	5 7 6	4 12 6	17 0	51 11 3	61 17 6	11 17 6	1 1 9
March 5.....	2 5 7½	5 7 6	4 12 6	15 6	50 13 9	60 6 3	11 18 9	1 1 0
April 2.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 14 6	59 12 6	11 16 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 3 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 2 6	60 7 6	11 18 9	1 1 9
June 4.....	2 5 1	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 14 3	61 16 3	12 1 3	1 0 6
July 2.....	2 4 11	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 16 3	62 12 6	12 6 3	1 0 6
August 6.....	2 4 2	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	47 16 3	61 5 0	12 13 9	1 0 0
September 3.....	2 4 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 17 6	61 3 9	13 13 9	1 1 6
October 1.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	15 0	49 2 6	62 2 0	13 18 9	1 1 9
November 5.....	2 5 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 0	47 15 0	62 6 3	13 12 6	1 1 9
December 3.....	2 5 2½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 0 0	62 13 9	13 3 9	1 0 0
1898.								
January 1.....	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 5 0	62 19 3	12 9 3	1 0 0
February 4.....	2 5 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	49 5 0	63 5 0	12 11 3	1 0 0
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March 4.....	2 6 7½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	50 5 0	64 16 3	12 13 9	1 0 0
April 1.....	2 6 0½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	50 18 3	65 5 0	12 17 6	1 0 0
May 6.....	2 6 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	51 9 3	65 14 3	14 3 9	1 0 6
June 3.....	2 6 1	5 10 0	4 10 0	15 6	50 19 0	67 12 0	13 15 0	1 0 0
July 1.....	2 5 11	5 7 0	4 10 0	15 6	49 19 3	70 14 3	13 11 3	1 0 0
August 5.....	2 6 5½	5 7 6	4 12 6	16 6	50 7 0	71 10 0	12 17 0	1 0 0
September 2.....	2 7 2½	5 15 0	4 12 6	16 6	51 18 9	73 3 0	13 0 0	1 0 0
October 7.....	2 9 3	5 12 6	4 12 6	16 6	52 18 0	76 0 0	13 3 9	1 0 0
November 4.....	2 9 6	6 0 0	4 12 6	16 6	54 13 9	83 5 0	13 6 3	1 0 0
December 2.....	2 9 4	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	56 16 3	82 6 3	13 6 3	1 0 0
1899.								
January 6.....	2 10 3½	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	18 3 9	91 2 6	13 8 0	1 1 0
February 3.....	2 15 8	6 5 0	4 15 10	17 0	70 5 10	112 10 0	15 5 0	1 1 0

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

[From the Economist.]

II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

DATE.	COTTON.		WOOL.			SILK.	FLAX.	HEMP.	JUTE.
	Raw, mid- dling upland.	Yarn, 40-mule twist.	Southdown hogs.	Lincoln hogs.	New South Wales greasy, average.		Riga ZK.	Manila.	Good marks.
	Per pound.						Per ton.		
	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
1894.						Blue elephant			
May 1.....	4½	7½	11½	10½	6½	11 1½	55 0	20 10	15 10
June 1.....	4½	7	10½	0 10	6½	11 0	33 10	22 5	15 0
July 1.....	4	7	10½	0 10½	6½	11 0	33 0	23 15	15 0
August 3.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 9	32 0	23 10	15 0
September 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	31 0	23 10	15 0
October 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	31 0	23 10	13 10
November 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	30 0	20 15	12 0
December 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10	6½	9 9	28 0	19 15	14 10
1895.						Cossimbuzar.			
January 4.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10	6½	9 9	28 0	17 7½	14 10
February 1.....	2½	6½	10½	0 9½	6½	9 9	27 5	17 12½	11 10
March 1.....	3	6	10	0 9½	6½	9 4½	27 0	17 12½	11 0
April 4.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	7½	9 3	27 5	17 5	12 10
May 3.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	6½	11 3	27 10	17 15	12 10
June 1.....	3½	7	10	0 10	6½	9 3	27 10	19 5	12 10
July 5.....	3½	7	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	27 10	18 5	12 10
August 2.....	3½	6½	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	28 0	19 15	12 10
September 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 3½	7½	9 9	27 15	19 10	13 10
October 3.....	4½	7½	11½	1 11	8½	11 9	27 0	21 5	13 10
November 1.....	4½	7½	11½	1 4	8½	9 9	27 10	21 0	12 10
December 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	7½	9 9	28 0	18 10	12 0
1896.									
January 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	8	9 10½	27 15	17 5	12 0
February 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3	8½	11 10½	27 15	18 5	12 0
March 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2½	8½	9 10½	28 10	17 17½	12 0
April 2.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	9	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
May 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	8½	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
June 5.....	3½	7½	10½	1 0	8	9 9	27 0	17 15	12 0
July 3.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	16 17½	12 0
August 1.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	17 0	12 0
September 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	7½	9 6	27 10	18 1½	12 0
October 2.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	6½	11 11	27 10	18 8½	12 10
November 6.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	6½	8 10½	27 10	18 10	13 10
December 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	8 10½	27 17½	18 5	13 10
1897.									
January 1.....	4	7	10½	11	7½	8 10½	27 10	17 7½	13 10
February 5.....	3½	7	10½	0 10½	7½	9 4½	26 10	16 5	13 10
March 5.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7	9 4½	26 10	16 15	14 0
April 2.....	4	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 4½	26 10	16 0	14 10
May 1.....	4½	7	10½	0 10	6½	11 7½	27 0	15 17½	14 0
June 4.....	4½	7	10½	0 9½	7	9 6	26 5	15 5	13 0
July 2.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7	9 4½	25 15	14 15	13 0
August 6.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 5	15 12½	13 13
September 3.....	4½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 1½	25 5	15 6	13 13
October 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	11 3	25 5	15 15	13 13
November 5.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8	9 4½	26 0	15 17½	12 0
December 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	26 0	17 0	12 0
1898.									
January 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	11 4½	25 10	17 0	12 0
February 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 4½	25 5	18 15	11 0
March 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9	8½	10 9	24 10	18 15	11 0
April 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 0	18 17½	11 0
May 6.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8	10 9	24 10	25 10	11 0
June 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8	10 9	25 0	25 0	12 0
July 1.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	25 0	33 10	12 0
August 5.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	30 10	12 0
September 2.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	30 10	12 0
October 7.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	31 10	13 0
November 4.....	3	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 15	26 10	13 0
December 2.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	23 15	13 0
1899.									
January 6.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
February 3.....	3½	6½	9½	8½	8½	12 11	23 15	24 5	13 0

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III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

DATE.	AMERICAN WHEAT, RED WINTER.	GAZETTE AVERAGES (ENGLISH GRAIN).			FLOUR.	BEEF.		MUTTON.	POTATOES.	RICE.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Town-made, seconds.	Inferior.	Prime.	Prime.	Good Eng- lish.	Rangoon.
		Per quarter.			Per 280 lbs.	Per 8 pounds.			Per ton.	Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 4.....	1 3 9	1 0 5	1 0 10	0 13 9	0 19 0	2 8	4 4	6 4	3 15 0	5 8½
February 1.....	1 3 3	1 0 2	1 1 11	0 13 10	0 19 0	2 8	4 2	6 2	4 5 0	5 8½
March 1.....	1 3 2	0 19 10	1 2 2	0 13 9	0 18 9	2 8	4 4	6 0	5 0 0	5 6
April 4.....	1 4 3	1 0 3	1 0 10	0 14 0	0 18 9	2 8	4 6	6 6	4 17 6	5 6
May 3.....	1 4 3	1 0 9	1 0 8	0 14 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 10½
June 1.....	1 9 0	1 3 5	1 0 1	0 15 9	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	3 15 0	6 1½
July 5.....	1 8 0	1 6 1	1 0 3	0 16 7	1 2 6	2 8	4 6	5 6	3 0 0	5 1½
August 2.....	1 6 0	1 4 2	0 18 2	0 15 2	1 1 9	2 8	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 3½
September 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 10	1 3 5	0 14 5	1 1 3	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	5 3½
October 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 0	1 4 8	0 13 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 4	5 10	3 0 0	5 3
November 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 5	1 5 4	0 13 7	0 19 7½	2 8	4 2	5 10	2 15 0	5 6½
December 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 7	1 5 1	0 14 4	0 19 10½	2 4	4 4	5 10	2 15 0	5 4
1896.										
January 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 0	1 3 11	0 13 10	0 19 4½	2 6	4 4	5 10	2 10 0	5 2½
February 1.....	1 7 0	1 6 1	1 3 7	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 0	5 8	2 10 0	5 5½
March 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 5	1 1 10	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	2 5 0	5 7½
April 2.....	1 8 3	1 4 10	1 1 4	0 13 4	1 1 3	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 0 0	5 6½
May 1.....	1 7 3	1 5 6	1 1 0	0 13 11	1 1 0	2 4	4 4	5 0	2 0 0	5 7½
June 5.....	1 7 0	1 5 4	1 1 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 2	5 4	1 5 0	5 9
July 2.....	1 7 0	1 4 10	1 19 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 0	5 4	0 0 0	5 6
August 1.....	1 6 3	1 4 0	0 19 8	0 15 0	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 2	0 0 0	5 9
September 4.....	1 5 6	1 2 5	1 1 10	0 13 7	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 6	3 0 0	5 9
October 2.....		1 4 4	1 6 3	0 14 1	1 2 0	2 4	4 2	5 8	1 15 0	5 9
November 6.....	1 16 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	0 17 3	1 6 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 0 0	7 6
December 4.....	1 17 0	1 13 4	1 6 9	0 17 7	1 7 3	2 4	4 4	5 4	3 0 0	7 2½
1897.										
January 1.....	1 15 6	1 10 9	1 4 1	0 16 1	1 6 2	2 8	4 8	5 11	3 5 0	6 9
February 5.....	1 15 9	1 11 3	1 4 7	0 16 8	1 6 6	2 6	4 2	5 4	3 10 0	6 11
March 5.....	1 14 9	1 8 2	1 3 8	0 16 3	1 5 9	2 4	4 8	6 0	3 10 6	6 7½
April 2.....	1 12 6	1 7 9	1 2 5	0 16 3	1 4 3	2 6	4 4	6 2	3 10 0	6 6
May 1.....	1 11 9	1 6 6	1 0 7	0 16 7	1 4 0	2 6	4 6	5 6	3 5 0	6 6
June 4.....	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 1 3	0 17 10	1 5 0	2 4	4 6	5 8	3 0 0	6 10½
July 2.....	1 9 3	1 7 0	0 19 9	0 18 6	1 3 9	2 4	4 8	5 10	0 0 0	7 0
August 6.....	1 12 0	1 8 10	0 17 10	0 19 0	1 4 0	2 4	4 6	5 6	0 0 0	7 4½
September 3.....	1 16 6	1 11 8	1 2 5	0 17 1	1 11 6	2 4	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 3
October 1.....	1 18 5	1 13 11	1 9 7	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 5 0	7 7½
November 5.....	1 18 6	1 12 10	1 7 5	0 16 0	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
December 3.....	1 17 0	1 13 8	1 5 9	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 8	3 15 0	6 7½
1898.										
January 1.....	1 17 9	1 14 6	1 7 3	0 17 1	1 10 6	2 8	4 4	5 8	4 5 0	5 9
February 4.....	1 18 3	1 14 10	1 8 0	0 17 6	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 5 0	5 9
March 4.....	2 0 6	1 15 10	1 8 0	0 17 11	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 0 0	6 3
April 1.....	1 18 3	1 15 3	1 7 11	0 17 10	1 11 0	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 10 0	6 10½
May 6.....	2 10 0	2 2 4	1 7 8	1 0 4	1 15 6	2 4	4 2	5 0	5 10 0	8 0
Town house- holds.										
June 3.....	2 6 6	2 6 3	1 6 10	1 1 0	1 17 6	2 4	4 2	5 2	5 10 0	8 0
July 1.....	1 16 6	1 18 3	1 3 4	1 0 5	1 14 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	0 0 0	7 10
August 5.....	1 14 6	1 15 7	1 6 11	1 0 7	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	0 0 0	7 4
September 2.....	1 9 6	1 10 7	1 7 6	0 19 3	1 7 0	2 0	3 10	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
October 7.....	1 9 6	1 5 9	1 7 0	0 16 7	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 2
November 4.....	1 12 6	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 17 2	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 3
December 2.....	1 11 6	1 7 7	1 8 6	0 17 1	1 4 6	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 10 0	.....
1899.										
January 1.....	1 11 6	1 7 6	1 8 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 8	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 1
February 3.....	1 11 6	1 6 6	1 7 2	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 6	4 4	5 4	3 10 0	7 7½

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IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

DATE.	SUGAR.		TEA, CONGOU.		COFFEE.	OILS.		TALLOW.	Quarterly and monthly index number.
	Manila, low brown.	West India, refining, sirups.	Common.	Good.	Ceylon, plantation low mid-dling.	Petroleum.	Olive, Spanish.	Town.	
	Per cwt.		Per pound.		Per cwt.	Per gallon.	Per tun.	Per cwt.	
1894.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
October 1	7 4½	11 6	4	1 1	5 3 0	3½	34 0 0	1 1 11	
November 1	7 3	11 3	4	1 1	5 3 0	4	35 10 0	1 1 6	
December 1	6 10½	9 0	4	1 1	5 3 0	4½	37 5 0	1 3 0	1952
1895.									
January 4	6 9	9 3	4	1 1	5 3 0	4½	37 5 0	1 3 0	1925
February 1	6 9	9 6	4½	1 1	5 4 0	4½	37 0 0	1 3 0	
March 1	6 9	9 3	4½	1 1	5 5 0	4½	37 0 0	1 3 9	
April 4	6 9	9 3	3½	1 0	5 1 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 6	1921
May 3	6 9	10 0	3½	1 0	4 19 11	7½	37 10 0	1 3 9	
June 1	7 3	10 9	3½	0 10	4 19 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 9	
July 5	6 10½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 18 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 9	1931
August 2	7 1½	10 0	3½	0 10	4 19 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 0	
September 1	7 1½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 18 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 0	
October 3		11 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	36 0 0	1 3 0	2003
November 1	7 1½	11 6	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	34 10 0	1 3 0	
December 1	7 3	11 0	3½	0 10	4 16 0	6½	34 0 0	1 3 0	
1896.									
January 1	7 4½	10 6	3½	0 10	4 15 0	6½	33 0 0	1 3 0	1939
February 1	8 0	11 3	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	32 0 0	1 3 0	1990
March 1	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 16 0	5½	31 0 0	1 3 0	1992
April 2	0 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	30 10 0	1 1 6	1983
May 1	0 3	11 6	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1959
June 5	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1966
	Manila low tael.								
July 3	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1947
August 1	7 1½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	29 0 0	0 19 3	1925
September 4	7 1½	10 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	0 18 6	
October 2	7 0	10 3	3½	0 10	4 18 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1953
November 6	7 0	10 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 9	
December 4	7 1½	10 3	3½	0 9½	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 9	
1897.									
January 1	7 7½	10 3	3½	0 9½	4 16 0	5	29 10 0	1 0 9	1950
February 5		10 3	3½	0 9½	4 18 0	5½	29 0 0	1 0 9	
March 5		10 3	4	0 9½	5 3 0	4½	30 0 0	1 0 9	
April 2	7 6	10 3	4	0 9½	5 3 0	4½	30 0 0	1 0 9	1942
May 1	7 4½	10 3	4	0 9½	5 2 0	4½	30 0 0	1 0 9	
June 4	7 3½	10 6	4	0 9½	5 2 0	4½	30 0 0	0 19 3	
July 2	7 1½	11 0	4	0 9½	5 0 0	4½	30 0 0	0 19 3	1885
August 6		10 3	3½	0 10	4 16 0	5½	30 10 0	0 19 3	
September 3	6 9	9 6	3½	0 10	4 18 0	4½	31 10 0	0 19 11	1890
October 1		9 6	3½	0 10	4 18 0	4½	31 10 0	1 0 0	
November 5		9 6	3½	0 10	4 18 0	4½	31 10 0	1 0 0	
	Beet.								
December 3	9 0½	10 0	3½	0 10	4 13 0	4½	31 10 0	1 0 0	1891
1898.									
January 1	9 7½	9 9	3½	0 10	4 15 0	4½	31 10 0	1 1 6	
February 4	9 1½	9 6	3½	0 10	5 0 0	4½	33 5 0	1 1 11	1990
March 4	9 3½	9 6	3½	0 10	4 13 0	4½	33 0 0	1 1 6	
April 1	9 2½	9 3	3½	0 10	5 0 0	4½	33 0 0	1 1 6	1885
May 6	9 4½	10 9	3½	0 10	4 15 0	4½	33 0 0	1 3 0	
June 3	9 10½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 15 0	4½	33 0 0	1 4 6	
July 1	9 7	11 0	3½	0 10	4 5 0	4½	33 0 0	1 3 0	1915
August 5	9 4½	11 0	4	1 1	4 12 0	4½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
September 2	0 0	10 6	7	1 1	4 18 0	5	30 10 0	1 1 6	1905
October 7	9 8½	10 9	6	1 1	4 18 0	5½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
November 4	9 8½	10 9	6	1 1	5 0 0	5½	30 10 0	1 1 11	
December 2	10 1½	12 6	6	1 1	5 0 0	5½	30 19 0	1 1 6	1918
1899.									
January 6	9 5½	12 0	5	1 1	5 0 0	6½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
February 3	9 10½	12 0	5	1 1	4 15 0	6½	30 10 0	1 3 9	.....

TREASURY FINANCIAL TABLES.

PUBLIC DEBT AND THE CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1899.
INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Title of loan.	Authorizing act.	Rate.	When redeemable.	Amount issued.	Outstanding January 31, 1899.			Outstanding March 1, 1885.	Outstanding March 1, 1889.	Outstanding March 1, 1893.
					Registered.	Coupon.	Total.			
				<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Loan of July 12, 1882.	July 12, 1882.	3 per cent.	Option U. S.	305,529,000				194,190,500		
Funded loan of 1891.	July 14, 1870, and Jan. 20, 1871.	$\frac{4}{2}$ per cent.	Sept. 1, 1891.	250,000,000	25,364,500		25,364,500	250,000,000	162,842,200	
		Continued at 2 per cent.	Option U. S.							25,364,500
Funded loan of 1907.	do.	4 per cent.	July 1, 1907.	740,911,750	491,231,700	68,418,700	559,650,400	737,707,200	681,138,000	559,595,900
Refunding certificates.	Feb. 26, 1879.	do.		40,012,750			38,970	251,350	126,020	73,860
Loan of 1904.	Jan. 14, 1875.	5 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1904.	100,000,000	66,558,450	33,441,550	100,000,000			
Loan of 1925.	do.	4 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1925.	162,315,400	113,079,700	49,235,700	162,315,400			
Ten-twenties of 1898.	June 13, 1898.	3 per cent.	After Aug. 1, 1908.	193,192,760	83,985,460	109,207,300	193,192,760			
Aggregate of interest-bearing debt.				1,791,961,660	780,219,810	260,303,250	1,040,562,030	1,182,149,050	844,106,220	585,034,260

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

Funded loan of 1891, matured Sept. 2, 1891.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old debt matured at various dates prior to Jan. 1, 1861, and other items of debt matured at various dates subsequent to Jan. 1, 1861.	117,459.00
Aggregate of debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,119,700.26
Bonds issued to Pacific railroads matured but not yet presented: Union Pacific, \$84,000; Central Pacific, \$176,000; Western Pacific, \$13,000; Kansas Pacific, \$11,000; Sioux City and Pacific, \$1,000; total.	1,237,150.26
	285,000.00

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

United States notes.	Feb. 25, 1862; July 11, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old-demand notes.	July 17, 1861; Feb. 12, 1862.	346,681,016.00
National bank notes:		53,997.50
Redemption account.	July 14, 1890.	31,792,003.00
Fractional currency.	July 17, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863; June 30, 1864, less \$8,375,934, estimated as lost or destroyed, act of June 21, 1879.	6,883,229.14
Aggregate of debt bearing no interest.		385,410,245.64

CERTIFICATES AND NOTES ISSUED ON DEPOSITS OF COIN AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES AND PURCHASES OF SILVER BULLION.

Classification.		In Treasury.	In circulation.	Amount issued.
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold certificates.	Mar. 3, 1863; July 12, 1882.	1,630,060.00	33,039,939.00	34,669,999.00
Silver certificates.	Feb. 28, 1878; Aug. 4, 1886; Mar. 3, 1887.	7,293,820.00	392,337,684.00	399,631,504.00
Certificates of deposit.	June 8, 1872.	400,000.00	22,170,000.00	22,570,000.00
Treasury notes of 1890.	July 14, 1890.	1,988,527.00	93,993,753.00	95,982,280.00
Aggregate of certificates and Treasury notes offset by cash in the Treasury.		11,312,407.00	541,541,376.00	552,853,783.00

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	January 31, 1899.	December 31, 1898.	Increase.	Decrease.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Interest-bearing debt.	1,040,562,030.00	1,040,215,980.00	346,050.00	
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,237,150.26	1,237,200.26		50.00
Debt bearing no interest.	385,410,245.64	382,487,801.64	2,922,444.00	
Aggregate of interest and noninterest bearing debt.	1,427,209,425.90	1,423,940,981.90	3,268,494.00	50.00
Certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury.	552,853,783.00	553,447,783.00		594,000.00
Aggregate of debt, including certificates and Treasury notes.	1,980,063,208.90	1,977,388,764.90	3,268,494.00	594,050.00

CASH IN THE TREASURY.

AMOUNTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND CERTIFICATES, UNITED STATES NOTES, AND NATIONAL-BANK
NOTES IN CIRCULATION FEBRUARY 1, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

Population of the United States February 1, 1898, estimated at 73,857,000; circulation per capita, \$23.42.
February 1, 1899, population estimated at 75,465,000; circulation per capita, \$25.42.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION ON JANUARY 1 AND FEBRUARY 1, 1898 AND 1899, AND THE CHANGES IN CIRCULATION DURING JANUARY, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	In circulation—				From January 1, 1899.	
	Jan. 1, 1898.	Feb. 1, 1898.	Jan. 1, 1899.	Feb. 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin	547,568,360	551,584,924	667,796,579	696,987,400	.....	29,190,821
Silver, standard dollars.....	61,491,073	59,478,293	65,183,553	63,429,088	1,754,465	.....
Subsidiary	65,720,308	64,955,943	70,627,818	69,083,516	1,544,302	.....
Notes, United States.....	282,480,927	273,722,410	312,415,738	309,643,158	2,772,580	.....
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890.....	103,443,936	100,797,666	94,942,741	93,093,753	948,988	.....
National bank.....	223,827,755	220,366,293	238,337,729	237,576,019	761,710	.....
Certificates, gold.....	36,557,689	36,494,759	35,200,259	33,039,939	2,160,320	.....
silver.....	376,095,592	373,515,940	392,331,995	392,337,684	.....	5,689
currency.....	43,315,000	49,075,000	20,465,000	22,170,030	.....	1,705,000
Total	1,721,100,649	1,729,991,228	1,897,301,412	1,918,260,557	.....	20,959,148

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MONEY AND BULLION IN TREASURY DURING JANUARY,
1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.**

CLASSIFICATION.	In Treasury—				From January 1, 1899.	
	Jan. 1, 1898.	Feb. 1, 1898.	Jan. 1, 1899.	Feb. 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin.....	151,910,176	151,266,475	139,654,545	127,505,746	12,148,799	.....
Standard silver dollars.....	294,327,049	397,589,829	405,061,304	408,351,769	.....	3,290,465
Subsidiary silver.....	10,679,899	11,707,173	5,959,343	6,931,831	.....	972,488
Treasury notes, act July 14, 1890.....	2,904,344	4,733,614	1,580,539	1,988,527	.....	407,988
United States notes.....	84,200,089	72,958,606	34,265,278	37,037,858	.....	2,772,580
National bank notes.....	5,186,886	6,162,923	5,480,141	5,748,207	.....	268,066
Total.....	649,208,443	644,418,620	592,001,150	587,563,938	12,148,799	7,711,587
Gold bullion.....	45,559,060	49,465,077	142,074,889	134,186,534	7,888,355	.....
Silver bullion.....	102,284,736	101,379,158	92,192,207	91,228,953	963,254	.....
Total.....	797,052,239	795,262,855	826,268,246	812,979,425	13,288,821	.....

PAPER CURRENCY OF EACH DENOMINATION OUTSTANDING JANUARY 31, 1899.

DENOMINATION.	United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National bank notes.	Gold certificates.	Silver certificates.	Total.	Currency certificates. (a)
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
One dollar.....	2,307,163	13,822,856	349,177	.....	37,329,782	53,808,972	.....
Two dollars.....	1,900,868	11,002,690	168,202	.....	20,319,886	33,391,646	.....
Five dollars.....	73,436,082	31,479,030	74,698,030	.....	107,848,115	287,461,257	.....
Ten dollars.....	92,510,031	27,506,710	75,995,720	.....	125,248,056	321,260,517	.....
Twenty dollars.....	77,620,372	8,354,350	56,637,780	4,552,894	79,557,210	226,722,606	.....
Fifty dollars.....	13,962,800	167,750	11,668,800	2,580,105	22,529,985	50,909,440	.....
One hundred dollars.....	24,309,700	1,708,900	23,638,400	3,537,500	6,487,970	59,682,470	.....
Five hundred dollars.....	12,836,000	.....	109,000	3,326,000	126,500	16,397,500	.....
One thousand dollars.....	48,773,000	1,940,000	23,000	5,408,500	184,000	56,333,500	.....
Five thousand dollars.....	15,000	.....	.....	4,825,000	.....	4,840,000	550,000
Ten thousand dollars.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,440,000	.....	10,450,000	22,020,000
Fractional parts.....	.....	.....	31,117	.....	.....	31,117	.....
Total.....	347,681,016	95,982,280	243,324,226	34,669,999	399,631,504	1,120,289,025	22,570,000
Unknown, destroyed.....	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000,000	.....
Net.....	346,681,016	95,982,280	243,324,226	34,669,999	399,631,504	1,120,289,025	22,570,000

^a Issued under act of June 8, 1872, and representing United States notes deposited in the Treasury.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Warrant Division, Secretary's office.]

RECEIPTS.

SOURCE OF REVENUE AND OBJECT OF EXPENDITURE.	January—		Seven months ending January—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Customs.....	14,269,492.08	17,991,741.40	77,011,033.00	114,037,580.73
Internal revenue.....	12,443,199.73	20,982,056.80	98,815,870.88	159,376,396.46
Miscellaneous.....	10,620,936.58	2,801,132.00	70,158,698.55	14,322,842.89
Total.....	37,333,628.39	41,774,930.20	245,985,602.43	287,736,820.08

EXPENDITURES.

Civil and miscellaneous.....	8,966,127.38	9,814,421.24	64,451,443.05	60,319,635.72
War.....	4,946,098.41	18,656,554.96	39,956,562.34	164,879,813.10
Navy.....	3,230,106.51	5,226,653.74	20,394,768.68	41,622,378.03
Indians.....	1,040,429.36	950,676.41	5,986,166.23	6,624,851.73
Pensions.....	12,375,223.33	10,967,015.51	88,860,073.52	82,476,538.93
Interest.....	6,138,726.07	5,507,448.89	25,239,556.31	24,681,585.30
Total.....	36,696,711.06	51,122,770.75	244,888,570.13	380,604,802.81

GOLD IN THE TREASURY AND REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD.

[Prepared in the office of the Treasurer of the United States.]

MONTHS.	GOLD AND GOLD BULLION IN TREASURY, AND GOLD CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.				REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD DURING EACH MONTH.		
	Total gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	Gold certificates in Treasury.	Gold certificates in circulation.	Net gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	United States notes. (a)	Treasury notes of 1890. (b)	Total.
1893.							
July	Dollars. 186,813,962.98	Dollars. 93,710	Dollars. 87,611,029	Dollars. 99,202,933.98	Dollars. 771,935	Dollars. 264,080	Dollars. 1,036,015
August	176,423,272.44	565,370	80,414,049	96,009,123.44	1,189,757	1,158,465	2,348,222
September	173,209,771.16	120,220	79,627,599	93,582,172.16	143,592	197,135	340,727
October	163,274,171.26	115,860	78,889,309	84,384,862.26	262,512	432,880	695,392
November	161,122,128.09	149,090	78,163,079	82,959,049.09	299,252	217,120	516,372
December	158,303,779.13	75,590	77,412,179	80,891,600.13	295,523	221,895	517,418
1894.							
January	142,665,594.37	78,350	77,015,419	65,650,175.37	118,841	237,515	356,356
February	177,462,797.49	106,490	70,935,729	106,527,068.49	10,982,624	8,210,730	19,193,354
March	170,456,044.63	137,310	70,306,909	106,149,135.63	2,266,426	1,194,766	3,461,192
April	170,192,457.63	102,770	63,990,449	100,202,008.63	6,072,042	1,594,085	7,666,127
May	148,067,816.58	41,650	69,374,549	78,693,267.58	25,131,412	1,409,670	26,541,082
June	131,217,433.55	43,490	66,344,409	64,873,024.55	20,708,492	1,461,401	22,169,893
July	120,922,836.41	103,470	65,917,229	54,975,607.41	13,367,804	555,511	13,923,375
August	120,885,869.49	34,730	65,668,969	55,216,900.49	4,209,853	531,560	4,741,413
September	123,665,756.92	55,260	64,790,439	58,875,317.92	636,031	300,487	936,518
October	125,613,895.73	56,280	64,252,069	61,361,826.73	2,542,719	505,171	3,047,890
November	164,350,468.01	751,370	58,925,899	105,424,569.01	7,085,133	714,614	7,799,747
December	139,606,354.05	58,960	53,361,909	86,244,445.05	30,819,622	1,087,599	31,907,221
1895.							
January	97,353,770.27	897,060	52,647,809	44,705,967.27	43,415,283	1,702,455	45,117,738
February	138,593,280.14	80,100	51,507,769	87,085,511.14	4,784,907	776,045	5,560,952
March	139,486,496.08	84,660	48,843,189	90,643,307.08	809,495	279,590	1,089,085
April	139,998,153.35	63,640	48,751,009	91,247,144.35	733,525	284,046	1,017,571
May	147,690,977.53	102,390	48,539,569	99,151,408.53	734,747	431,745	1,166,492
June	155,893,931.46	88,300	48,381,569	107,512,362.46	644,621	401,575	1,046,196
July	155,354,065.79	219,330	48,117,579	107,236,486.79	3,122,620	704,175	3,826,795
August	149,410,926.27	209,820	49,081,089	100,329,837.27	16,218,815	345,252	16,564,067
September	143,557,512.75	103,370	50,645,539	92,911,973.75	17,119,814	257,670	17,377,484
October	143,360,838.92	168,230	50,417,659	92,943,179.92	1,849,018	317,865	2,166,883
November	129,567,945.32	107,910	50,233,979	79,333,966.32	15,616,190	418,400	16,034,590
December	113,198,707.67	163,450	49,936,439	63,262,268.67	19,787,951	424,744	20,212,695
1896.							
January	99,693,356.57	131,140	49,847,849	49,845,507.57	15,686,024	762,484	16,448,508
February	167,695,998.46	651,470	43,733,019	123,962,979.46	21,080,551	656,325	21,736,876
March	171,885,709.86	583,220	43,239,249	128,646,460.86	6,381,296	475,250	6,856,546
April	168,446,459.31	764,910	43,052,550	125,393,900.31	6,754,718	375,900	7,130,618
May	151,307,142.91	687,280	42,961,909	108,345,233.91	21,726,600	312,947	22,039,547
June	144,020,363.91	497,430	42,320,759	101,699,604.91	7,963,994	297,353	8,261,347
July	150,012,224.72	1,393,710	39,293,479	110,718,745.72	16,275,406	1,009,672	17,285,078
August	139,825,200.09	1,618,550	38,867,639	100,957,561.09	11,388,806	980,919	12,369,725
September	162,771,311.21	1,591,900	38,736,639	124,034,672.21	3,436,733	1,224,713	4,661,446
October	155,323,832.63	1,390,830	38,197,209	117,126,523.63	9,906,832	2,167,003	12,073,835
November	169,527,101.34	1,416,390	38,016,749	131,510,352.34	3,137,149	925,261	4,062,410
December	175,203,982.52	1,392,250	37,887,439	137,316,543.52	858,444	273,402	1,131,846
1897.							
January	182,387,121.93	1,460,160	37,586,629	144,800,492.93	594,412	351,566	946,068
February	186,206,028.43	1,501,970	37,544,819	148,661,209.43	521,355	402,769	924,124
March	189,242,803.04	1,483,350	37,456,339	152,786,464.04	679,382	569,947	1,249,329
April	190,762,888.81	1,517,690	37,421,999	153,340,889.81	6,934,575	567,433	7,502,008
May	181,707,391.74	1,455,340	37,387,829	144,319,562.74	8,044,965	837,635	8,882,600
June	178,076,656.79	1,496,250	37,285,919	140,790,737.79	6,594,864	518,581	7,113,445
July	178,044,577.73	1,473,290	37,226,879	140,817,698.73	5,072,208	202,935	5,275,143
August	181,234,165.59	1,509,380	37,017,789	144,216,376.59	2,875,606	240,670	3,116,276
September	184,561,664.39	1,535,010	36,898,559	147,663,105.39	2,598,140	144,033	2,742,173
October	190,387,256.36	1,534,060	36,814,109	153,573,147.36	2,505,376	190,925	2,696,301
November	194,089,260.35	1,548,740	36,725,409	157,363,851.35	1,786,711	323,705	2,110,416
December	197,460,235.88	1,570,460	36,557,689	160,911,546.88	1,815,734	203,665	2,019,399
1898.							
January	200,731,551.98	1,567,390	36,494,759	164,236,792.98	1,106,548	103,368	1,209,916
February	204,063,971.24	1,574,360	36,440,789	167,623,182.24	1,407,273	228,540	1,635,813
March	210,903,334.51	1,607,950	36,319,199	174,584,115.51	1,329,038	254,732	1,583,770
April	217,190,135.89	1,603,150	35,951,999	181,238,136.89	1,779,668	376,239	1,155,907
May	207,701,263.97	1,602,940	35,883,209	171,818,054.97	268,041	280,956	548,997
June	202,825,048.56	1,599,510	35,820,639	167,004,409.56	167,367	146,485	313,852
July	225,138,393.10	1,593,470	35,693,679	189,444,714.10	3,860,995	230,072	4,091,067
August	253,377,493.83	1,646,146	35,473,009	217,904,484.83	552,111	61,651	613,762
September	278,691,452.19	1,596,890	35,393,909	243,297,543.19	381,082	62,789	443,871
October	275,224,071.48	1,601,240	35,338,000	239,885,162.48	313,242	34,336	347,578
November	276,944,092.75	1,620,400	35,280,649	241,663,443.75	501,398	151,855	653,253
December	281,729,434.78	1,608,740	35,200,259	246,529,175.78	1,740,945	933,809	2,674,754
1899.							
January	261,692,279.72	1,630,060	33,039,939	228,652,340.72	2,556,940	1,680,782	4,237,722

a Legal-tender notes commonly called "greenbacks."

b Notes issued in payment of silver bullion also a full legal tender.

SILVER COINAGE AND CIRCULATION.

STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS COINED, IN THE TREASURY, AND IN CIRCULATION; SILVER BULLION IN THE TREASURY; TREASURY NOTES OF 1890 OUTSTANDING; AND SILVER CERTIFICATES IN THE TREASURY AND IN CIRCULATION, AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

MONTHS.	Estimated dollars in country.	Bullion in Treasury.	Dollars in Treasury.	Dollars in circulation.	Treasury notes of 1890 outstanding.	Certificates in Treasury.	Certificates in circulation.	Net silver in Treasury.	Standard silver dollars coined.
1893.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
July	419,332,450	199,277,735	363,108,461	56,223,989	148,286,348	2,843,114	330,188,390	3,911,458	.....
August	419,332,450	122,200,760	357,677,820	61,654,630	149,881,958	2,882,168	326,206,336	3,799,286	.....
September	419,332,550	124,242,787	360,469,882	58,832,668	151,319,040	5,909,370	324,955,134	8,466,495	100
October	419,332,550	126,261,553	360,696,732	58,725,818	152,735,188	7,727,272	325,717,232	8,415,865	.....
November	419,332,550	127,262,207	360,966,628	58,425,922	153,453,629	5,716,507	328,421,997	6,293,269	.....
December	419,332,777	127,207,874	361,463,188	57,869,589	153,160,151	5,038,854	329,545,650	5,965,261	227
1894.									
January	419,332,777	127,215,171	363,597,057	55,735,720	153,070,908	6,758,196	330,161,308	7,580,012	.....
February	419,332,777	127,216,957	364,758,231	54,574,546	153,001,184	6,942,257	331,119,247	7,854,757	.....
March	419,333,029	127,220,207	365,867,734	53,525,295	152,900,317	8,755,240	329,447,264	10,680,360	252
April	419,333,029	127,228,437	366,677,908	52,655,121	152,813,072	9,367,524	330,305,980	10,787,293	.....
May	419,333,029	127,231,643	367,380,338	51,952,691	152,679,742	9,702,545	329,959,959	11,972,280	.....
June	419,333,208	127,267,317	368,141,831	51,191,377	152,584,417	10,054,123	327,094,381	15,790,380	179
July	419,756,208	127,113,753	368,796,668	50,959,540	152,447,126	12,027,766	324,491,738	18,971,557	423,000
August	422,594,208	126,454,771	368,991,724	51,512,184	152,151,369	13,492,527	325,217,977	18,507,631	748,000
September	421,176,408	126,104,475	366,900,165	54,276,243	151,699,267	9,155,785	330,520,719	10,874,654	672,200
October	421,776,408	125,291,863	365,392,738	56,413,670	151,140,568	6,569,203	331,143,301	8,310,732	609,000
November	422,176,408	125,351,323	364,726,543	57,449,865	150,979,070	5,312,420	332,317,084	6,781,912	400,000
December	422,426,749	125,014,161	364,537,659	57,889,090	150,823,731	5,846,720	331,077,784	7,650,305	250,341
1895.									
January	422,626,749	124,852,679	366,753,119	55,873,630	150,751,541	7,329,232	326,407,272	14,386,985	200,000
February	422,826,749	124,551,374	368,177,389	54,649,360	150,705,157	7,291,089	325,816,415	16,207,191	200,000
March	422,927,039	124,673,187	369,009,182	53,917,857	150,390,089	7,374,748	323,746,756	19,605,524	100,290
April	423,127,039	124,583,685	369,713,330	53,413,709	149,584,471	7,699,233	323,215,271	21,497,273	200,000
May	423,277,219	124,528,559	370,464,649	52,812,570	148,044,280	6,692,333	321,553,171	25,395,757	150,180
June	423,289,219	124,479,840	371,306,057	51,983,162	146,088,400	9,162,752	319,731,752	29,965,751	12,000
July	423,289,219	124,670,701	371,542,513	51,746,706	145,499,280	10,577,386	320,355,118	30,367,816	.....
August	423,289,219	124,687,226	370,704,370	52,584,843	144,495,280	7,741,243	323,772,261	27,124,061	.....
September	423,289,399	124,652,466	368,142,782	55,146,527	143,666,280	7,862,667	320,434,837	18,694,071	90
October	423,289,399	124,751,501	364,935,217	58,354,092	141,092,280	8,959,268	333,456,236	15,108,202	.....
November	423,289,399	124,603,759	364,528,596	58,760,713	139,583,280	8,471,611	335,855,893	13,693,182	.....
December	423,289,629	124,612,532	364,083,702	59,205,927	137,771,280	9,625,856	337,076,648	13,257,061	320
1896.									
January	423,289,629	124,575,129	366,659,953	56,629,676	137,324,280	14,330,165	331,614,339	22,296,463	.....
February	424,789,629	123,171,286	369,273,688	55,515,911	136,719,280	11,831,561	332,545,943	23,179,751	1,500,000
March	426,289,916	122,187,296	371,497,164	54,792,752	136,081,280	11,290,078	337,032,426	20,570,661	1,500,287
April	427,789,916	120,959,560	374,187,554	53,602,362	133,669,280	11,578,091	338,834,413	23,223,421	1,500,000
May	429,289,916	119,989,914	376,572,499	52,717,417	131,385,280	10,629,424	336,313,080	28,864,053	1,500,000
June	430,790,041	119,059,695	378,613,013	52,175,998	129,683,280	11,359,995	331,259,569	36,724,949	1,500,125
July	431,852,041	118,753,758	379,852,244	51,999,797	128,343,280	12,375,833	331,656,671	38,606,051	1,062,000
August	434,592,041	116,681,740	381,056,160	53,445,881	126,741,280	11,461,610	345,739,894	25,256,726	2,650,000
September	437,202,141	114,829,399	380,688,963	56,513,178	125,004,280	10,045,030	354,431,474	11,082,608	2,700,100
October	439,552,141	113,064,557	381,361,339	58,190,802	123,220,280	8,686,282	357,777,122	13,419,494	2,350,000
November	441,466,141	112,387,954	382,972,296	58,493,815	121,677,280	11,591,383	356,312,121	17,120,849	1,914,000
December	443,166,391	110,815,247	384,584,572	58,581,819	119,816,280	14,227,704	356,655,800	18,927,729	1,700,250
1897.									
January	444,973,391	109,704,519	388,617,255	56,361,136	118,398,280	11,678,971	361,336,533	18,586,953	1,812,000
February	446,318,391	108,914,614	390,939,629	55,378,762	117,550,280	9,876,003	363,709,501	18,594,462	1,340,000
March	447,718,611	107,862,463	393,211,322	54,507,319	117,131,280	12,535,351	364,026,153	19,916,351	1,400,250
April	449,118,641	106,990,150	395,342,193	53,776,448	116,696,289	13,777,565	363,753,939	21,882,124	1,400,000
May	450,518,641	106,042,462	397,511,546	53,607,095	115,782,280	11,576,696	362,768,868	25,002,950	1,400,000
June	451,993,742	104,591,039	399,992,540	52,001,202	114,867,280	17,143,136	358,336,368	31,379,931	1,475,101
July	451,993,742	105,399,480	400,338,020	51,655,722	113,914,280	14,465,854	357,938,659	33,594,550	.....
August	451,993,742	105,125,123	398,908,078	53,085,664	112,672,280	11,249,167	367,863,337	23,497,584	.....
September	452,093,792	105,078,560	394,948,022	57,145,770	111,334,280	10,532,205	374,620,299	14,071,993	100,050
October	452,713,792	104,852,852	392,517,014	60,396,778	109,313,280	11,331,585	372,838,919	15,218,667	620,000
November	454,243,792	103,531,722	392,933,031	61,230,761	107,793,280	11,664,537	373,298,967	15,372,506	1,500,000
December	455,818,122	102,284,736	394,327,049	61,483,073	106,348,280	11,229,912	376,695,592	13,567,913	1,604,330
1898.									
January	457,068,122	101,370,158	397,589,829	59,478,293	105,531,280	14,959,564	373,515,940	19,921,767	1,250,000
February	458,109,347	100,819,300	399,679,443	59,029,900	104,669,280	11,621,077	380,287,427	14,942,036	1,032,225
March	459,200,422	99,829,432	400,637,825	58,622,597	103,615,280	6,859,606	387,770,698	9,081,079	1,100,073
April	459,884,422	99,551,902	401,323,414	58,561,008	102,691,280	3,638,930	392,686,574	5,497,462	684,000
May	461,180,422	98,443,952	403,583,999	57,596,423	101,981,280	6,507,239	391,225,265	8,821,406	1,296,000
June	461,996,522	98,105,494	404,736,731	57,255,791	101,267,280	7,807,424	393,425,080	11,065,865	816,100
July	462,306,522	97,871,696	405,013,186	57,293,336	100,213,280	9,803,068	389,119,436	13,552,166	310,000
August	464,004,522	96,141,237	406,266,209	57,738,312	99,269,280	8,117,131	392,990,373	10,156,793	1,698,000
September	464,834,597	96,066,097	404,045,769	60,783,828	98,549,280	6,636,769	393,425,735	8,136,362	836,075
October	466,836,597	94,675,773	403,399,342	63,437,255	97,833,280	7,575,929	391,177,575	9,064,260	2,002,000
November	468,228,597	93,559,250	404,258,264	63,980,333	97,193,280	6,345,358	392,818,146	7,606,088	1,402,000
December	470,244,857	92,192,207	405,061,304	65,183,553	96,523,280	7,098,599	392,331,995	8,398,236	2,006,280
1899.									
January	471,780,857	91,228,953	408,351,769	63,429,088	95,982,280	7,293,820	392,337,684	11,260,758	1,536,000

PAPER MONEY AND SUBSIDIARY COIN IN THE TREASURY, CASH BALANCE, CIRCULATION, AND PER CAPITA CIRCULATION, BY MONTHS.

AT THE END OF MONTH OF—	POPULATION.	CIRCULATION.	PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.	IN THE TREASURY.				
				Net United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Subsidiary coin.	Cash balance.
1893.		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
July	67,086,000	1,611,099,017	24.02	14,431,612	4,512,210	3,620,150	12,556,749	117,887,568
August	67,186,000	1,680,562,671	25.01	9,437,956	4,461,749	3,157,587	12,700,829	107,283,911
September	67,306,000	1,701,939,918	25.29	6,252,110	2,494,841	7,815,481	13,496,416	106,875,633
October	67,426,000	1,718,544,682	25.49	2,463,988	1,916,606	11,566,766	12,667,195	102,294,292
November	67,547,000	1,726,994,290	25.57	2,207,344	2,683,223	12,808,547	11,418,708	95,199,617
December	67,668,000	1,729,018,266	25.55	5,084,202	1,194,884	12,357,824	11,039,467	90,375,553
1894.								
January	67,789,000	1,739,783,511	25.66	2,367,190	2,315,506	14,520,887	15,932,847	84,082,100
February	67,910,000	1,695,765,152	24.90	5,265,488	11,962,418	12,640,479	10,594,888	138,662,365
March	68,032,000	1,690,714,808	24.85	3,360,660	11,583,462	10,758,809	17,073,268	133,950,025
April	68,153,000	1,691,793,990	24.82	4,967,323	11,786,958	8,750,430	17,502,120	125,097,786
May	68,275,000	1,675,669,401	24.54	16,840,927	12,605,052	7,520,998	17,582,973	117,854,336
June	68,397,000	1,664,061,232	24.33	18,973,645	17,722,408	6,598,893	17,889,531	117,584,436
July	68,519,000	1,657,574,239	24.19	20,421,791	22,523,599	4,895,465	17,970,261	119,065,352
August	68,642,000	1,646,671,481	23.99	24,840,913	27,598,929	5,567,162	17,720,835	127,148,097
September	68,764,000	1,655,038,982	24.07	23,642,535	39,113,893	5,017,748	16,809,713	119,919,719
October	68,887,000	1,672,093,422	24.27	12,161,311	28,425,172	4,970,188	15,424,113	107,340,146
November	69,010,000	1,637,226,451	23.72	12,635,527	26,404,164	4,160,283	14,724,392	144,507,606
December	69,134,000	1,626,568,622	23.52	34,914,158	28,369,950	4,769,972	14,483,636	153,337,580
1895.								
January	69,257,000	1,613,657,515	23.30	52,056,673	33,571,316	6,333,175	15,481,586	144,603,304
February	69,381,000	1,574,534,557	22.69	47,767,758	36,455,457	5,154,293	16,131,145	178,197,586
March	69,505,000	1,584,184,424	22.79	52,920,257	28,872,489	4,449,893	16,577,511	187,917,261
April	69,629,000	1,599,434,154	22.97	41,992,111	27,743,971	4,959,625	16,516,550	180,817,916
May	69,753,000	1,606,179,556	23.02	31,497,984	30,089,473	4,899,226	16,580,443	185,370,100
June	69,878,000	1,604,131,968	22.96	26,166,560	30,109,692	4,643,489	16,552,845	195,240,154
July	70,002,000	1,614,533,786	23.06	18,411,899	31,485,689	5,642,488	16,532,936	187,149,531
August	70,127,000	1,603,583,028	22.87	22,589,263	35,058,618	7,600,591	16,055,743	184,039,156
September	70,253,000	1,585,593,509	22.57	42,476,600	36,630,845	6,018,775	14,882,336	185,405,363
October	70,378,000	1,598,859,319	22.72	50,954,735	26,565,611	6,523,602	13,426,421	179,947,998
November	70,504,000	1,594,195,476	22.61	65,833,519	24,322,958	6,391,740	13,032,387	177,406,387
December	70,630,000	1,579,206,724	22.36	83,220,143	22,044,511	7,063,137	12,764,321	178,027,201
1896.								
January	70,756,000	1,589,720,607	22.47	72,010,176	27,103,095	10,409,650	14,186,737	171,591,778
February	70,882,000	1,528,742,057	21.59	73,397,443	30,644,730	8,630,533	14,820,486	262,707,007
March	71,009,000	1,528,629,463	21.53	79,932,534	32,352,314	7,110,998	15,246,374	271,041,748
April	71,136,000	1,540,007,082	21.65	76,401,635	32,148,255	7,587,158	15,459,003	270,090,661
May	71,263,000	1,521,584,283	21.35	87,688,261	33,304,774	10,002,385	15,637,424	267,193,211
June	71,390,000	1,509,725,200	21.15	89,389,658	34,465,919	10,668,620	15,730,976	267,432,097
July	71,518,000	1,514,903,142	21.18	67,730,478	34,394,748	11,933,422	16,004,145	256,158,472
August	71,645,000	1,539,169,634	21.48	76,321,282	35,478,756	13,815,370	15,900,801	243,346,401
September	71,774,000	1,582,302,289	22.05	62,828,716	36,040,233	12,834,494	15,126,483	241,154,455
October	71,902,000	1,627,055,614	22.63	57,265,090	39,269,516	12,981,868	14,632,846	234,572,762
November	72,030,000	1,646,444,746	22.86	33,505,533	41,529,379	13,063,471	14,570,200	225,357,098
December	72,159,000	1,650,223,400	22.87	34,983,258	35,645,059	14,278,970	14,215,766	228,320,380
1897.								
January	72,288,000	1,665,977,688	23.05	12,844,780	35,664,898	17,328,389	15,414,575	215,362,421
February	72,418,000	1,675,694,953	23.14	9,421,400	32,003,659	15,005,984	15,805,023	212,837,256
March	72,547,000	1,669,000,694	23.01	23,707,376	26,886,470	11,374,958	15,974,428	222,045,606
April	72,677,000	1,666,560,383	22.93	29,037,880	24,442,650	8,676,050	16,163,767	228,090,511
May	72,807,000	1,659,733,895	22.80	32,047,213	29,140,874	7,109,698	16,210,920	230,113,813
June	72,937,000	1,646,028,246	22.57	36,967,438	30,962,083	5,030,919	16,210,344	240,137,627
July	73,068,000	1,646,471,139	22.53	31,956,064	32,350,393	5,668,791	16,226,660	233,016,457
August	73,199,000	1,665,680,098	22.76	28,973,702	29,526,968	4,517,847	15,335,285	218,561,207
September	73,330,000	1,678,840,538	22.89	42,060,472	21,518,217	3,814,835	13,455,175	215,102,787
October	73,461,000	1,706,782,904	23.23	39,399,018	7,553,325	4,998,012	11,981,078	207,756,100
November	73,593,000	1,721,084,538	23.39	35,853,016	3,116,882	4,678,007	11,191,630	220,663,560
December	73,725,000	1,721,100,640	23.34	40,885,089	2,904,344	5,186,886	10,679,899	235,474,769
1898.								
January	73,857,000	1,729,991,228	23.42	23,883,606	4,733,614	6,162,923	11,707,173	223,671,786
February	73,990,000	1,726,376,639	23.33	34,086,830	6,204,850	3,417,842	11,960,092	225,564,204
March	74,122,000	1,756,058,645	23.69	41,475,429	3,905,848	2,739,491	11,965,278	226,166,944
April	74,255,000	1,806,761,442	24.33	31,717,698	3,102,810	2,728,961	12,018,967	215,810,622
May	74,389,000	1,839,698,256	24.73	29,938,029	1,754,425	3,080,734	12,044,089	195,754,815
June	74,522,000	1,843,435,749	24.74	34,063,687	2,541,700	4,770,471	12,097,682	205,657,571
July	74,656,000	1,809,198,344	24.23	46,621,829	4,477,727	4,723,423	11,995,083	254,844,215
August	74,790,000	1,792,036,545	23.96	54,005,435	4,339,626	4,415,724	10,993,448	294,487,085
September	74,925,000	1,816,596,392	24.24	37,385,651	1,814,097	3,689,265	9,196,708	307,557,504
October	75,059,000	1,866,575,782	24.87	20,324,396	1,265,500	7,854,660	300,238,275	300,238,275
November	75,194,000	1,886,879,504	25.09	14,754,970	1,411,798	4,675,744	6,673,204	292,378,780
December	75,330,000	1,897,361,412	25.19	13,800,268	1,580,529	5,480,141	5,959,343	294,761,695
1899.								
January	75,465,000	1,918,261,557	25.42	11,867,853	1,988,527	5,748,207	6,931,831	274,584,676

RECEIPTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CUSTOMS.	INTERNAL REVENUE.					MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTAL.
		Spirits.	Tobacco.	Fermented liquors.	Other sources.	Total.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	14,076,984.39	6,425,496.35	2,621,675.78	3,667,785.90	183,447.22	12,898,405.25	2,094,308.25	29,069,697.89
August.....	15,639,047.10	5,645,032.93	2,777,802.58	3,632,792.06	116,477.39	12,172,104.96	1,141,544.64	28,952,096.70
September.....	14,653,967.45	6,367,542.50	2,676,066.69	3,088,522.26	127,877.28	12,260,008.73	635,701.87	27,540,678.05
October.....	13,773,055.12	7,491,978.27	2,960,814.10	2,575,511.91	188,278.89	13,216,583.17	912,109.87	27,901,748.16
November.....	11,455,314.76	7,850,891.32	2,577,687.71	2,457,446.11	154,059.73	13,040,084.87	1,491,103.37	25,986,503.00
December.....	12,169,172.51	7,908,125.09	2,311,907.15	2,368,874.62	161,864.51	12,750,771.37	1,368,993.99	26,288,937.87
1896—January.....	16,380,796.30	6,340,157.58	2,539,340.65	2,014,711.75	147,191.34	11,041,401.32	1,815,472.59	20,237,670.21
February.....	13,906,393.38	6,383,119.63	2,260,057.27	2,042,781.61	120,794.01	10,806,752.72	1,346,082.32	26,059,228.42
March.....	13,344,215.85	6,656,415.50	2,532,155.33	2,211,310.60	136,383.22	11,536,264.65	1,160,668.56	26,041,149.06
April.....	11,815,731.20	5,884,154.02	2,372,095.20	2,851,673.99	117,053.92	11,255,577.13	1,241,584.76	24,282,893.09
May.....	10,949,793.79	5,711,203.97	2,500,105.67	3,255,169.70	83,629.72	11,550,109.06	2,143,814.96	24,643,717.81
June.....	11,351,803.65	7,026,121.58	2,581,320.98	3,617,653.97	127,620.53	13,352,717.06	3,089,698.74	27,794,219.45
Total, 12 months.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	169,921,751.67					146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,209.38
July.....	12,157,330.70	7,795,306.80	2,458,443.64	3,890,347.62	158,434.09	14,302,532.15	2,569,346.48	29,029,209.33
August.....	12,329,493.55	6,091,702.08	2,378,555.76	3,412,556.57	78,523.94	11,961,338.35	1,271,262.61	25,562,096.51
September.....	11,374,116.28	6,205,756.85	2,533,408.25	2,830,667.53	109,304.39	11,679,136.93	1,530,991.36	24,584,244.57
October.....	11,105,493.12	7,996,696.16	2,633,167.34	2,597,599.12	135,493.68	13,363,156.30	1,814,180.51	26,282,829.93
November.....	9,930,385.61	8,260,662.47	2,411,325.53	2,318,144.02	114,696.13	13,104,828.15	2,175,482.34	25,210,696.30
December.....	10,779,412.67	8,301,378.12	2,421,874.63	2,328,195.90	147,549.77	13,198,998.42	1,878,703.15	25,857,114.24
1897—January.....	11,276,874.15	6,701,616.93	2,432,249.15	1,785,324.00	112,649.89	11,031,839.97	2,008,279.93	24,316,994.05
February.....	11,587,260.37	6,504,421.64	2,355,402.66	1,908,429.20	120,168.45	10,888,421.95	1,925,315.06	24,400,997.38
March.....	22,833,856.46	6,794,420.89	2,680,903.44	2,309,188.51	141,181.46	11,925,694.30	1,458,111.32	36,217,662.03
April.....	24,454,351.74	6,142,290.08	2,570,146.25	2,620,932.07	113,844.64	11,447,213.04	1,910,570.26	37,812,125.04
May.....	16,845,011.55	4,964,522.68	2,735,302.94	2,883,618.63	89,567.53	10,673,011.83	2,239,367.21	29,797,590.59
June.....	21,569,152.36	6,088,952.53	3,099,411.24	3,586,733.77	111,988.06	12,887,085.60	2,137,470.29	36,584,708.25
Total, 12 months.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65					146,688,774.29	21,479,001.22	347,721,905.16
July.....	16,966,801.65	8,432,767.40	2,445,515.20	8,758,798.80	130,750.58	19,767,831.98	2,292,730.62	39,027,364.25
August.....	6,987,702.84	6,723,185.14	2,742,403.91	1,634,801.08	92,804.76	11,193,194.89	842,717.24	19,023,614.97
September.....	7,943,100.28	7,287,568.96	3,026,453.68	2,277,545.89	110,407.24	12,701,975.77	1,288,022.39	21,933,098.44
October.....	9,713,494.62	7,852,696.73	3,088,652.52	2,510,301.34	163,222.21	13,614,872.80	1,063,047.84	24,391,415.26
November.....	9,830,025.00	8,243,332.40	2,849,997.82	2,249,062.55	188,256.71	13,530,649.48	2,002,930.81	43,363,605.29
December.....	11,600,788.74	9,113,764.48	2,615,101.12	2,431,319.57	182,743.80	14,342,928.97	2,334,980.64	59,646,698.35
1898—January.....	14,263,492.08	7,572,290.21	2,613,176.94	2,111,936.82	145,795.76	12,443,199.73	2,020,936.58	37,333,628.39
February.....	15,040,680.74	7,007,035.66	2,661,754.35	2,162,277.65	172,251.24	12,003,318.90	1,528,358.69	28,572,358.33
March.....	15,450,431.94	7,021,296.21	2,941,139.46	2,777,774.03	148,024.33	12,888,234.03	2,620,084.53	32,958,750.50
April.....	14,193,976.99	7,208,232.27	4,207,200.02	3,248,735.73	154,860.02	14,819,037.04	2,999,228.99	33,012,943.02
May.....	13,466,534.17	7,490,551.27	3,754,062.82	3,131,505.92	116,088.69	14,492,208.70	2,116,075.41	30,074,818.28
June.....	14,555,729.11	6,206,082.07	3,285,055.53	6,221,361.76	970,866.44	16,683,365.80	2,270,218.82	33,509,313.23
Total, 12 months.....	150,078,758.16					168,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,698.31
July.....	15,169,680.96	6,660,377.23	3,444,877.67	7,352,821.23	8,712,621.16	26,170,697.29	2,506,730.33	43,847,108.58
August.....	16,240,699.00	8,331,945.03	4,111,128.00	7,053,661.39	4,519,200.50	24,015,934.98	1,517,073.81	41,782,707.79
September.....	16,759,574.06	7,504,130.09	4,229,028.84	6,448,178.73	3,373,950.88	21,555,288.54	1,463,207.44	39,778,070.04
October.....	15,555,234.17	9,372,250.20	4,319,480.60	5,327,075.82	3,337,096.25	22,356,511.87	1,718,205.01	39,630,051.08
November.....	15,335,200.88	8,470,798.74	4,337,018.81	4,814,022.75	3,714,903.28	21,336,743.58	2,228,970.95	38,900,915.41
December.....	16,764,324.82	10,397,753.61	3,830,432.15	4,649,733.73	73,743,399.21	22,621,318.70	2,019,150.02	41,404,793.54
1899—January.....	17,391,741.40	8,292,801.02	4,313,505.44	3,881,704.80	4,494,045.54	20,982,056.80	2,801,132.00	41,774,930.29
February.....	16,921,572.48					19,242,299.69	1,815,460.55	37,909,332.72
Total, 8 months.....	130,747,027.77					178,280,851.45	16,070,030.14	325,097,909.36
Twelve months ending—								
June 30, 1892.....	177,336,944.84	90,068,757.28	31,000,493.07	30,037,452.77	1,508,956.36	152,615,659.48	20,120,411.34	350,073,015.66
1892 <i>a</i>	177,452,964.15					153,971,072.57	23,518,747.52	354,937,784.24
1893.....	203,142,670.81	93,744,446.80	31,889,711.74	32,548,983.07	1,846,034.31	160,020,175.92	18,392,902.71	381,564,749.44
1893 <i>a</i>	203,355,916.73					161,027,623.93	21,436,988.12	385,819,628.78
1894.....	131,807,758.89	84,813,592.06	28,617,898.62	31,414,788.04	1,876,481.45	146,722,760.17	15,133,841.84	293,664,360.89
1894 <i>a</i>	131,818,530.62					147,111,232.81	18,792,255.82	297,722,019.25
1895.....	151,907,588.94	80,186,767.84	29,704,910.63	31,640,017.53	2,037,914.55	143,570,210.55	14,085,577.23	309,563,376.72
1895 <i>a</i>	152,158,617.45					143,421,672.02	17,889,785.64	313,390,075.11
1896.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
1896 <i>a</i>	160,021,751.67					146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,209.38
1897.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
1897 <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65					146,688,774.29	21,479,001.22	347,721,905.16
1898.....	150,078,758.16					168,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	462,847,698.31

a Corrected figures.*b* Includes \$18,194,618.26 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*c* Includes \$31,715,204.14 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*d* Includes \$8,538,401.35 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*e* Includes \$3,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*f* Includes \$2,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*g* Includes \$6,133,695.03 from documentary and proprietary stamps.*h* Includes \$3,067,514.98 from documentary and proprietary stamps.*i* Includes \$2,822,027.45 from documentary and proprietary stamps.*j* Includes \$2,968,247.49 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*k* Includes \$3,217,698.20 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*l* Includes \$3,344,877.41 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*m* Includes \$4,035,072.98 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.

EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS.	WAR.	NAVY.	INDIANS.	PENSIONS.	INTEREST.	TOTAL.	EXCESS OF—	
								Receipts.	Expenditures.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	10,047,562.11	5,378,939.67	2,389,486.94	677,874.53	12,755,427.42	7,307,773.14	38,548,063.81	.....	9,478,300
August	7,758,621.49	6,551,124.55	2,341,435.71	1,785,610.49	12,302,349.48	1,849,043.25	32,588,184.97	.....	3,635,488
September	4,918,899.66	5,745,339.32	1,855,477.02	790,508.84	10,707,909.14	296,347.99	24,320,481.97	3,229,196	.....
October	0,964,099.90	4,444,914.04	2,322,992.94	712,511.97	11,890,475.06	5,168,431.32	34,503,425.23	.....	6,001,677
November	6,138,883.49	3,822,488.39	2,136,186.60	764,794.54	12,235,039.26	2,098,890.94	27,199,283.42	.....	1,212,780
December	6,106,797.88	4,553,113.52	2,512,895.43	952,671.28	11,366,825.71	322,013.42	25,814,317.24	474,621	.....
1896—January	8,643,635.72	3,607,816.50	2,488,229.32	841,126.13	9,965,237.21	6,983,285.77	32,529,340.65	.....	3,291,070
February	5,819,461.68	3,029,772.12	2,232,231.60	1,082,720.93	12,317,467.48	2,268,302.64	26,749,956.45	.....	690,728
March	6,782,825.05	3,477,914.14	2,305,774.20	2,326,141.16	11,709,996.83	672,342.57	27,274,993.95	.....	1,233,845
April	7,520,508.90	3,278,732.20	2,288,478.72	680,886.38	10,077,392.98	5,141,382.40	28,987,381.58	.....	4,704,488
May	6,691,440.00	3,453,332.64	1,820,864.70	837,149.22	12,893,666.37	2,820,109.65	28,426,592.58	.....	3,782,875
June	6,898,052.06	3,587,040.63	2,475,241.09	726,825.78	11,299,615.98	458,013.76	25,444,789.30	2,349,430	.....
Total, 12 months ..	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
Total, 12 months a ..	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,434,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
July	12,343,931.46	5,225,425.33	3,756,250.99	951,582.22	13,100,774.51	6,710,503.54	42,088,468.05	.....	13,059,259
August	11,907,121.21	4,512,522.35	2,216,720.17	1,731,155.29	12,396,341.04	2,937,816.59	35,701,676.05	.....	10,139,580
September	5,972,532.70	4,848,095.54	3,139,471.95	711,076.81	11,485,675.15	422,682.88	26,579,535.03	.....	1,995,290
October	10,352,715.23	4,148,470.28	3,377,090.89	721,025.76	10,316,052.29	5,032,923.04	33,978,277.49	.....	7,695,448
November	8,452,859.26	4,877,976.24	2,456,108.26	1,098,282.58	13,178,930.96	3,196,562.84	33,260,720.14	.....	8,050,024
December	4,481,720.37	3,887,275.70	2,542,238.88	982,139.02	11,431,331.16	487,959.73	23,812,664.86	2,044,449	.....
1897—January	4,940,484.03	3,842,874.49	3,187,993.52	999,245.07	10,534,740.78	6,764,051.40	30,269,389.29	.....	5,952,395
February	6,159,172.15	3,128,621.39	2,374,674.69	967,127.31	13,208,413.69	2,958,047.43	28,796,056.66	.....	4,395,059
March	5,929,795.97	3,046,103.81	2,694,834.97	2,918,751.93	12,166,775.60	456,735.56	27,212,997.84	9,004,064	.....
April	8,101,335.64	4,287,020.47	2,744,078.93	573,820.93	10,763,090.76	5,602,750.74	32,072,097.47	5,740,038	.....
May	6,419,410.97	4,214,955.76	2,537,576.03	470,406.29	12,393,334.35	3,073,575.77	29,109,259.17	688,131	.....
June	5,405,764.79	2,886,016.91	3,563,922.73	894,870.72	10,039,147.44	144,971.96	22,934,694.55	13,650,014	.....
Total, 12 months ..	90,466,843.78	48,905,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,044,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
Total, 12 months a ..	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
July	13,977,446.41	10,736,758.90	2,998,809.47	769,238.53	14,958,378.20	6,660,277.33	50,100,908.84	.....	11,073,545
August	7,597,311.96	5,622,852.65	2,672,691.83	976,595.91	13,792,376.34	2,926,218.72	33,568,047.41	.....	14,564,432
September	6,201,757.29	4,276,022.16	2,787,253.20	723,857.33	10,992,078.37	387,847.36	25,368,815.71	.....	3,435,718
October	8,746,118.06	5,268,718.99	2,988,575.75	600,954.14	10,885,319.63	5,211,825.54	33,701,512.11	.....	9,310,097
November	11,794,983.19	5,376,080.29	2,736,454.83	1,236,658.28	13,049,843.72	3,016,818.55	37,810,838.86	5,552,766	.....
December	7,179,796.08	3,728,420.73	2,984,538.81	638,166.07	12,205,327.64	897,842.74	27,634,092.07	32,012,606	.....
1898—January	8,966,127.38	4,946,098.41	3,230,106.51	1,040,429.36	12,375,223.33	6,138,726.07	36,696,711.06	636,917	.....
February	5,065,112.80	3,780,749.78	2,056,766.56	735,985.28	11,978,924.88	2,981,716.56	28,599,255.86	1,973,102	.....
March	6,118,243.17	5,159,571.11	5,241,442.99	2,716,526.47	12,290,628.25	256,032.46	31,882,444.45	1,076,366	.....
April	9,024,995.14	6,223,814.48	12,556,932.74	592,599.28	10,867,716.66	5,108,003.75	44,314,062.05	.....	11,301,119
May	5,706,900.11	17,098,595.86	9,093,577.20	566,437.67	12,382,085.55	3,007,313.06	47,849,909.45	.....	17,775,091
June	6,213,628.59	19,723,804.77	9,506,021.10	448,372.98	11,068,020.12	892,434.09	47,852,281.65	.....	14,343,968
Total, 12 months ..	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
July	12,061,387.26	34,774,153.27	8,514,279.61	689,868.55	12,687,894.50	5,585,892.25	74,263,475.44	.....	30,416,367
August	7,782,314.74	25,163,235.94	6,386,277.49	766,084.26	13,081,735.14	3,078,070.30	56,260,717.87	.....	14,478,010
September	6,393,964.28	24,643,374.99	7,231,219.89	1,162,509.97	10,937,670.22	3,855,181.79	54,223,921.14	.....	14,444,851
October	10,931,234.64	22,895,029.54	5,314,567.82	937,969.74	9,565,960.26	3,877,464.68	53,982,276.68	.....	14,352,226
November	6,905,766.22	20,391,876.06	4,676,181.03	1,225,483.56	13,688,918.66	2,202,755.20	49,090,980.73	.....	10,190,065
December	6,663,466.77	18,184,676.06	4,373,729.90	897,254.51	11,171,893.17	573,787.15	41,864,807.56	.....	460,014
1899—January	9,814,421.24	18,656,554.96	5,226,653.74	950,676.41	10,967,015.51	5,507,448.89	51,122,770.75	.....	9,347,841
February	6,299,421.19	15,132,098.65	4,430,215.87	1,084,874.15	12,791,491.82	4,180,823.41	43,918,929.49	.....	5,939,597
Total, 8 months ..	66,911,026.34	179,840,998.87	46,153,125.35	7,694,721.15	95,265,579.28	28,861,428.67	424,727,879.66	.....	99,629,971
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892	100,077,639.63	46,908,851.31	29,214,672.13	11,100,063.59	134,097,755.97	23,379,550.97	344,773,532.60	5,299,482	.....
1892 a	99,841,988.61	46,895,456.30	29,174,138.98	11,150,577.67	134,583,052.79	23,378,116.23	345,023,330.58	.....	9,919,454
1893	103,605,015.02	49,046,517.55	30,138,207.72	13,330,072.60	159,347,202.31	27,264,728.18	383,331,743.58	.....	1,766,994
1893 a	103,732,799.27	49,641,773.47	30,136,084.43	13,345,347.27	159,357,557.87	27,264,392.18	383,477,954.49	.....	2,341,674
1894	100,960,010.70	54,325,614.35	31,383,463.16	10,282,279.56	141,169,383.42	27,869,027.56	365,989,808.75	.....	72,325,448
1894 a	101,943,884.07	54,567,929.85	31,701,293.79	10,293,481.52	141,177,284.96	27,841,405.64	367,525,279.83	.....	69,803,261
1895	93,262,213.09	51,810,373.10	28,812,287.67	9,922,267.74	141,386,902.86	30,928,236.37	356,122,285.83	.....	46,558,909
1895 a	93,279,730.14	51,804,759.13	28,797,795.73	9,939,754.21	141,395,228.87	30,978,030.21	356,195,298.29	.....	42,805,223
1896	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
1896 a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,434,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
1897	90,466,843.78	48,905,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,044,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
1897 a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
1898	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21

a Corrected figures.

b Includes \$4,549,368.26 on account of sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

NATIONAL-BANK STATISTICS.

[From Report of Comptroller of the Currency.]

DATE, FIRST OF EACH MONTH.	No. of banks.	Authorized capital stock.	SPECIE HELD.		U. S. bonds on deposit to secure circulation.	Circulation secured by U. S. bonds.	Lawful money on deposit to redeem circulation.	Total national bank notes outstanding.
			Gold.	Silver.				
1893.			Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
April.....		695,949,665			172,229,050	153,860,416	22,234,128	176,094,544
May.....	3,830	695,554,665	168,862,942	38,359,200	173,258,800	155,142,318	21,723,296	176,865,614
June.....		698,454,665			174,539,050	156,028,010	21,136,245	177,164,255
July.....		698,824,665			176,588,250	151,900,919	20,812,773	178,713,692
August.....	3,807	699,034,665	150,634,962	36,126,212	182,617,850	163,221,204	20,553,854	183,755,148
September.....		697,963,165			204,096,200	178,636,718	20,343,650	198,980,368
October.....	3,781	698,128,165	182,342,948	42,360,912	209,407,100	187,864,985	20,825,595	208,690,580
November.....		695,953,165			209,416,350	188,016,228	21,295,765	209,311,993
December.....		695,703,165			208,942,100	187,697,826	21,250,279	208,948,100
1894.								
January.....	3,787	693,353,165	203,508,089	47,745,559	205,961,600	185,194,522	23,344,322	208,538,844
February.....		691,893,165			203,594,500	182,887,853	24,974,254	207,862,107
March.....	3,777	684,090,165	199,185,936	56,980,649	202,052,350	181,148,710	26,330,810	207,479,520
April.....		682,538,165			202,933,850	181,666,268	26,209,427	207,875,695
May.....	3,774	680,438,165	204,829,488	55,112,435	201,330,250	180,601,247	27,231,785	207,833,032
June.....		678,998,165			201,251,500	180,613,585	26,631,434	207,245,019
July.....		678,023,165			201,691,750	180,662,521	26,690,723	207,353,244
August.....	3,770	677,258,165	199,635,167	51,035,485	202,268,500	181,149,511	26,389,555	207,539,066
September.....		676,568,165			202,276,950	181,309,217	26,211,998	207,592,215
October.....	3,755	674,866,365	196,927,230	40,323,424	200,953,700	180,251,065	27,220,463	207,471,501
November.....		672,671,365			199,706,200	179,401,364	28,071,239	207,472,603
December.....		671,471,365			197,349,700	177,073,359	29,612,978	206,686,337
1895.								
January.....	3,737	670,906,365	175,794,767	42,246,456	196,707,700	176,667,467	29,938,243	206,605,710
February.....		669,156,365			195,826,100	175,674,250	29,623,321	205,297,571
March.....	3,728	668,146,365	178,160,435	42,771,206	197,116,700	176,485,063	28,558,588	205,043,651
April.....		667,193,265			201,176,200	179,847,383	27,693,828	207,541,211
May.....	3,711	665,893,265	177,264,387	41,382,213	204,356,800	182,534,324	27,185,526	209,719,850
June.....		665,123,265			206,652,300	184,969,578	28,509,138	211,478,716
July.....	3,715	666,363,265	171,217,437	43,209,757	207,680,800	186,062,098	25,628,937	211,691,035
August.....		664,659,265			207,832,800	186,577,433	24,794,612	211,372,045
September.....		664,855,265			209,447,550	187,990,343	24,348,857	212,339,200
October.....	3,712	664,425,265	162,925,290	33,312,021	210,196,550	188,596,877	24,255,057	212,851,934
November.....		664,136,915			211,717,800	190,180,961	23,706,669	213,887,630
December.....	3,706	664,091,915	168,244,431	38,467,979	212,048,950	190,469,526	23,491,072	213,960,598
1896.								
January.....	3,711	664,076,915			212,495,100	190,616,160	23,100,813	213,716,973
February.....		663,851,915			212,655,300	190,929,637	22,506,910	213,496,547
March.....	3,699	661,946,915	155,804,031	39,123,429	217,944,950	195,048,955	22,132,963	217,181,917
April.....		661,431,915			222,998,800	199,723,005	21,593,022	221,316,027
May.....	3,694	660,496,915	157,761,800	44,611,646	226,478,550	203,403,239	20,786,098	224,189,337
June.....		659,951,915			228,651,800	205,215,839	20,072,096	225,287,935
July.....	3,689	659,106,915	161,853,560	41,981,889	228,915,950	205,538,929	20,461,618	226,000,547
August.....		658,376,915			229,544,450	206,103,504	19,926,538	226,030,040
September.....		658,126,915			235,078,700	210,293,574	19,320,322	229,613,896
October.....	3,676	658,126,915	160,723,890	40,084,742	238,773,200	214,667,694	18,971,663	233,699,357
November.....		658,304,915			241,103,350	216,510,014	18,474,430	234,984,444
December.....	3,661	657,900,915	181,020,260	44,520,449	241,272,150	216,609,684	18,789,206	235,398,890
1897.								
January.....	3,667	655,334,715			240,236,150	215,850,307	19,812,811	235,663,118
February.....		654,174,915			237,190,100	213,186,711	21,907,951	235,094,662
March.....	3,634	653,719,895	188,304,756	45,644,107	234,797,800	210,915,415	23,320,912	234,236,327
April.....		651,658,395			233,693,350	209,767,702	24,027,439	233,795,141
May.....	3,614	648,613,395	190,396,251	45,680,132	232,749,300	208,768,549	24,119,435	232,887,984
June.....	3,620	646,788,395			230,915,550	207,139,381	24,736,460	231,875,841
July.....	3,619	643,933,395	193,686,596	47,236,006	230,471,550	206,775,898	24,665,788	231,441,686
August.....	3,617	641,229,395			230,111,300	205,944,175	24,322,499	230,266,734
September.....	3,614	639,488,295			229,471,100	207,100,170	24,752,547	229,908,497
October.....	3,614	638,903,295	195,895,108	43,492,594	229,348,550	205,604,781	25,120,710	230,193,900
November.....	3,617	637,915,295			227,742,550	203,926,950	26,120,685	230,047,635
December.....	3,615	636,310,295	207,693,145	45,070,408	225,359,300	201,735,572	27,814,135	229,549,707
1898.								
January.....	3,611	639,440,295			218,992,950	196,146,090	32,784,100	228,930,280
February.....	3,602	637,527,295	222,855,517	48,522,409	215,487,650	192,724,299	33,720,607	226,444,906
March.....	3,596	638,385,295			213,414,650	191,056,818	33,774,253	224,831,071
April.....	3,594	635,060,295			214,365,400	191,611,600	32,786,419	224,398,019
May.....	3,590	631,635,295	267,644,954	49,537,819	217,162,650	194,138,732	31,891,404	226,030,136
June.....	3,588	631,035,295			219,377,900	196,155,935	31,456,910	227,612,845
July.....	3,590	630,025,295	284,021,377	50,755,754	220,201,400	197,078,092	30,738,610	227,816,702
August.....	3,589	629,315,295			218,525,650	195,692,685	31,004,185	226,696,870
September.....	3,589	629,151,295	250,670,426	43,203,732	220,496,160	196,775,704	30,402,911	227,178,615
October.....	3,592	625,256,295			229,960,120	205,056,063	30,300,887	235,356,950
November.....	3,598	624,652,195			235,618,470	210,045,456	29,500,825	239,546,281
December.....	3,594	625,967,195	281,475,196	47,125,515	239,349,130	213,918,643	28,783,395	242,702,038
1899.								
January.....	3,590	622,482,195			239,943,050	214,016,088	29,719,017	243,735,105
February.....	3,585	613,076,895			236,479,840	211,041,299	32,200,202	243,241,501

VALUES OF FOREIGN COINS, 1889-1899.

[Prepared by the Director of the Mint.]

COUNTRY.	Standard.	Monetary unit.	Value January 1—										Jan. 1—
			1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899
Argentina.....	Gold and silver.	Peso.....	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5
Austria-Hungary.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3
Belgium.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Bolivia.....	Silver.....	Boliviano.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9
Brazil.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6
British Possessions, N. A. (except Newfoundland).	do.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
British Honduras.....	do.....	do.....											1.00, 0
Central American States:													
Costa Rica.....	Gold.....	Colon.....										.46, 5	.46, 5
Do.....	Silver.....	Peso.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4		
Guatemala.....													
Honduras.....	do.....	do.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9
Nicaragua.....													
Salvador.....													
Chile.....	Gold and silver.....	do.....	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	c. 36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5
China.....	Silver.....	Tael	Amoy.....								.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0
			Canton.....								.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8
			Chefoo.....						.70, 4	.75, 9	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9
			Chin Kiang.....								.74, 9	.68, 9	.69, 3
			Fuchau.....								.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6
			Haikwan (customs).....	1.14, 8	1.27, 0	1.13, 7	1.01, 0	.84, 9	.74, 9	.80, 8	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2
			Hankow.....								.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4
			Hongkong.....								(a)	(a)	(a)
			Niuchwang.....								.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5
			Ningpo.....								.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2
			Shanghai.....	1.00, 5	1.03, 1	1.13, 9	1.02, 1	.90, 6	.76, 2	.67, 3	.72, 5	.70, 0	.62, 6
			Swatow.....								.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5
			Takao.....								.77, 2	.69, 0	.71, 4
			Tien-Tsin.....						.71, 4	.76, 9	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8
Colombia.....	do.....	Peso.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9
Cuba.....	Gold and silver.....	do.....	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6
Denmark.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Ecuador.....	Silver.....	Sucro.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9
Egypt.....	Gold.....	Pound (100 piasters).....	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3
Finland.....	do.....	Mark.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
France.....	Gold and silver.....	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
German Empire.....	Gold.....	Mark.....	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8
Great Britain.....	do.....	Pound sterling.....	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½
Greece.....	Gold and silver.....	Drachma.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Haiti.....	do.....	Gourde.....	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5
India.....	Silver.....	Rupee (a).....	.32, 3	.33, 2	.36, 6	.32, 8	.29, 2	.24, 5	.21, 6	.23, 3	.22, 5	.20, 1	.20, 8
Italy.....	Gold and silver.....	Lira.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Japan.....	do.....	Yen {Gold.....	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7
		{Silver.....	.73, 4	.75, 2	.83, 1	.74, 5	.66, 1	.55, 6	.49, 1	.52, 9	.51, 1		
Liberia.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Mexico.....	Silver.....	do.....	.73, 9	.75, 8	.83, 7	.75, 0	.66, 6	.56, 0	.49, 5	.53, 8	.51, 5	.46, 0	.47, 7
Netherlands.....	Gold and silver.....	Florin.....	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2
Newfoundland.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4
Norway.....	do.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Persia.....	Silver.....	Kran.....								.09, 0	.08, 7	.07, 8	.08, 1
Peru.....	do.....	Sol.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.48, 6	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9
Portugal.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0
Rusia.....	do.....	Ruble (c) {Gold.....	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.51, 5
		{Silver.....	.54, 4	.55, 8	.61, 7	.55, 3	.49, 1	.41, 3	.36, 4	.39, 3	.37, 9		
Spain.....	Gold and silver.....	Peseta.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Sweden.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Switzerland.....	Gold and silver.....	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Tripoli.....	Silver.....	Mahbub of 20 piasters.....	.61, 4	.62, 9	.69, 5	.62, 3	.55, 3	.46, 5	.41, 1	.44, 3			
Turkey.....	Gold.....	Piaster.....	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4
Uruguay.....	do.....	Peso.....									1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4
Venezuela.....	Gold and silver.....	Bolivar.....	b. 15, 6	b. 14, 0	b. 15, 4	b. 13, 8	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3

a The "British dollar" has the same legal value as the Mexican dollar in Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and Labuan.

b Value of the silver bolivar.

c The law of February 11, 1895, introduced the gold standard, with an ideal gold peso weighing .599 grams as the monetary unit.

d Value of the rupee to be determined by consular certificate.

e By Imperial ukase January 3-15, 1897, 1½ paper rubles = 1 gold ruble.

BANKING AND CLEARING-HOUSE STATISTICS, NEW YORK AND LONDON.

MONTHS.	CLEARING-HOUSE RETURNS.			ASSOCIATED BANKS OF NEW YORK. (b)	BANK OF ENGLAND. (b)		
	New York City. (a)	Outside of New York. (a)	London. (a)	Specie.	Coin and bul- lion.	Reserve.	Circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1893.							
August	1,958,039,036	1,402,797,948	2,514,802,807	55,884,800	133,941,492	81,821,700	132,173,629
September	1,841,195,799	1,493,885,237	2,385,616,698	66,860,500	127,859,000	80,550,000	127,302,943
October	2,229,354,959	1,807,114,992	2,519,956,431	84,372,700	130,256,700	81,049,000	129,261,540
November	2,256,847,962	1,844,734,652	2,506,232,901	97,116,500	126,416,000	78,487,350	127,752,205
December	2,215,434,676	1,861,423,709	2,516,924,988	104,368,800	124,961,400	81,786,800	123,228,515
1894.							
January	2,165,564,056	1,888,002,030	2,842,357,189	111,073,400	121,417,200	75,681,200	125,303,177
February	1,724,039,790	1,482,614,610	2,518,214,224	129,558,900	138,439,500	99,440,100	119,053,277
March	2,018,811,551	1,705,763,757	2,661,888,770	97,526,300	147,594,100	111,409,400	117,941,817
April	2,018,318,188	1,704,410,893	2,675,324,310	99,623,000	150,361,200	109,616,300	122,502,117
May	2,093,135,412	1,801,476,972	2,507,601,438	100,082,100	155,436,594	113,075,974	124,117,820
June	1,898,580,234	1,703,067,084	2,503,755,852	99,018,600	180,355,361	140,589,949	121,522,613
July	1,843,418,776	1,671,682,872	2,610,250,338	91,223,000	189,313,454	142,590,917	128,479,737
August	1,871,609,351	1,693,598,268	2,394,614,851	90,546,900	186,831,550	140,893,074	127,695,476
September	1,865,031,613	1,660,111,815	2,272,711,268	91,187,800	193,754,233	150,346,517	125,164,921
October	2,281,509,977	2,007,489,621	2,581,639,318	92,215,100	182,274,899	135,735,294	123,296,805
November	2,241,483,312	1,931,581,376	2,510,776,370	93,755,600	171,071,199	128,690,821	124,137,578
December	2,336,304,760	1,977,583,869	2,702,253,935	76,527,600	166,415,919	125,259,588	122,913,531
1895.							
January	2,394,672,415	2,007,996,504	2,961,128,988	75,867,000	161,037,736	116,661,217	126,133,719
February	1,864,441,227	1,546,705,226	2,743,426,111	81,555,500	179,095,960	138,607,240	122,245,921
March	2,240,741,015	1,797,494,058	2,911,360,026	69,592,500	180,969,708	140,718,352	122,008,557
April	2,373,478,979	1,886,085,068	2,863,633,527	64,471,200	183,681,273	138,307,171	127,131,302
May	2,833,846,640	2,030,511,248	3,149,350,609	69,728,200	180,237,013	134,303,701	127,690,512
June	2,480,839,052	1,923,480,085	2,762,994,807	70,641,000	180,166,960	134,977,444	126,946,717
July	2,527,267,496	2,012,828,904	3,453,516,592	64,406,500	184,605,023	138,325,396	128,036,740
August	2,316,812,044	1,830,241,274	3,210,196,458	65,474,800	185,394,447	136,925,859	130,225,789
September	2,372,980,009	1,808,379,604	2,974,599,460	64,427,100	202,507,956	155,028,849	133,588,273
October	2,933,618,760	2,311,092,416	3,572,896,703	60,937,900	208,151,471	157,963,135	131,945,537
November	2,593,205,250	2,152,394,884	3,318,892,139	64,208,800	199,052,717	153,127,533	127,682,385
December	2,909,892,035	2,169,407,592	3,028,865,802	67,371,900	215,774,000	171,902,908	125,628,892
1896.							
January	2,562,413,708	2,046,320,782	3,182,019,423	68,954,700	218,798,113	171,746,723	128,808,590
February	2,372,901,630	1,728,770,777	3,029,250,255	76,845,900	236,490,921	194,400,927	123,847,194
March	2,316,256,054	1,811,813,648	3,042,214,611	61,538,100	238,249,966	190,524,644	123,482,523
April	2,393,455,325	1,895,399,642	2,856,100,185	59,251,600	229,030,605	180,690,542	130,097,362
May	2,340,091,793	1,886,793,797	3,115,134,247	59,324,000	229,328,260	183,313,799	127,771,661
June	2,414,383,739	1,879,465,515	3,220,445,307	61,808,500	232,791,700	186,270,402	128,278,507
July	2,480,389,690	1,882,869,393	3,393,755,972	61,866,300	235,953,499	181,630,000	136,080,699
August	1,971,162,101	1,580,390,199	2,856,679,299	46,254,700	229,422,125	175,789,788	135,389,607
September	2,063,034,193	1,638,933,015	2,771,072,697	49,196,900	214,341,503	171,159,946	133,938,757
October	2,613,816,577	1,981,164,613	3,299,089,789	55,801,100	192,292,171	136,963,229	137,086,142
November	2,686,840,544	1,920,616,048	2,985,563,685	63,702,600	174,255,773	123,933,585	132,059,383
December	2,655,939,099	2,051,632,108	3,120,696,655	75,676,900	173,157,409	127,625,292	127,289,318
1897.							
January	2,589,347,332	1,919,870,148	3,101,619,977	76,342,300	167,982,295	120,430,507	129,309,135
February	2,045,130,179	1,646,078,618	2,889,927,227	79,684,600	181,559,373	137,451,582	125,864,991
March	2,387,110,544	1,830,313,900	3,107,963,893	85,061,700	189,937,432	144,802,661	126,891,968
April	2,249,763,759	1,861,834,318	2,818,642,735	85,988,300	186,856,723	134,222,484	134,387,440
May	2,315,157,306	1,858,145,811	2,958,277,219	87,329,800	176,423,705	123,945,400	134,259,969
June	2,561,546,708	1,905,041,273	2,807,868,304	89,310,900	175,321,633	122,861,318	134,217,535
July	2,823,918,896	1,978,735,980	3,175,415,583	90,496,600	178,696,674	122,925,440	137,528,494
August	2,936,856,960	1,969,390,044	3,035,289,582	92,129,800	175,127,368	118,211,777	133,672,792
September	3,452,329,044	2,113,369,296	2,827,217,507	92,423,400	174,088,025	119,563,296	136,281,928
October	3,336,060,361	2,296,614,664	3,287,491,078	92,365,100	161,548,860	105,032,832	138,273,228
November	3,121,440,430	2,271,452,109	3,140,556,843	102,176,000	153,267,989	100,811,694	134,212,496
December	3,588,561,052	2,382,327,130	3,306,047,038	104,150,500	157,364,472	106,257,740	133,063,931
1898.							
January	3,600,282,724	2,321,724,811	3,407,217,762	106,588,500	151,942,116	96,770,387	136,928,930
February	3,516,257,710	2,036,091,681	3,146,927,092	114,088,200	160,274,221	110,830,043	131,201,375
March	3,418,019,443	2,222,720,082	3,410,029,548	120,125,960	164,694,392	114,876,891	131,574,612
April	2,868,945,026	2,103,431,502	3,205,602,482	141,556,200	146,160,228	89,394,884	187,282,410
May	3,145,411,658	2,191,088,998	3,245,074,664	159,791,500	164,662,937	110,565,601	135,254,537
June	3,265,851,790	2,233,533,405	3,176,354,817	175,502,100	180,178,978	126,754,188	135,176,990
July	2,977,035,218	2,039,810,281	3,349,573,018	186,070,200	180,562,003	123,145,892	139,173,311
August	3,511,768,971	2,080,547,676	3,033,858,831	168,988,000	167,792,531	111,308,013	138,241,721
September	3,418,988,661	2,082,656,049	3,074,844,494	148,378,300	169,120,856	115,778,902	135,099,102
October	3,534,241,280	2,304,923,013	3,368,523,169	136,314,400	154,496,493	99,211,082	137,042,611
November	3,972,632,792	2,501,101,963	3,249,726,038	157,428,800	153,107,750	102,681,479	134,182,472
December	4,652,357,561	2,704,859,800	3,647,733,740	158,462,300	152,081,741	101,560,828	140,221,628
1899.							
January	5,690,749,776	2,801,939,029	.....	173,442,100	147,653,625	94,355,975	135,051,841
February .....	.....	.....	.....	197,207,800	160,462,322	111,784,230	130,455,025

a Entire months.

b First week of month.

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	BANK OF FRANCE.			AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN BANK.			IMPERIAL GERMAN BANK.	
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.								
August.....	334,481,520	248,600,200	679,144,408	51,760,000	79,737,600	226,194,920	196,489,800	210,597,788
September.....	328,960,800	247,845,900	663,659,205	51,949,800	79,650,000	237,752,858	194,178,200	228,389,712
October.....	330,104,400	247,305,700	675,051,681	51,833,000	79,260,600	247,821,646	179,997,200	258,362,485
November.....	330,620,200	246,429,800	689,943,171	51,954,400	78,910,290	241,860,184	189,238,700	245,519,792
December.....	333,043,700	247,407,900	673,071,016	51,643,200	78,878,200	237,928,052	201,774,800	231,552,037
1894.								
January.....	330,625,100	245,120,700	703,121,653	51,730,800	79,489,400	242,964,879	196,801,200	261,004,995
February.....	331,282,000	245,510,000	702,343,013	49,482,500	79,080,600	208,690,120	216,223,400	227,007,026
March.....	333,437,900	246,789,900	686,585,280	50,027,600	79,027,100	202,096,012	222,267,700	221,080,229
April.....	336,163,200	247,719,400	680,711,815	50,095,800	79,406,700	212,325,395	207,113,400	253,573,249
May.....	342,650,265	248,191,500	697,924,231	49,365,776	79,674,338	220,379,453	213,376,559	240,804,153
June.....	346,421,803	248,945,808	669,104,818	50,134,683	79,528,343	210,772,932	227,606,205	224,574,376
July.....	352,762,852	248,512,689	675,616,195	51,268,578	79,786,268	219,956,067	218,622,646	257,890,435
August.....	362,865,706	247,310,664	671,659,731	61,400,631	77,518,479	231,280,413	225,980,794	238,526,631
September.....	371,075,492	246,278,966	654,573,440	63,332,031	75,367,486	233,484,937	230,801,093	234,780,159
October.....	370,024,323	244,113,373	672,589,232	67,907,141	72,647,112	244,780,084	221,201,891	271,531,234
November.....	370,486,645	241,217,806	686,901,009	72,797,974	70,515,585	249,276,730	242,668,023	258,571,746
December.....	390,380,897	241,402,733	678,745,223	73,347,888	69,094,567	238,682,359	260,649,740	253,267,260
1895.								
January.....	402,795,339	240,521,896	716,197,939	74,228,725	67,941,207	237,339,205	249,369,193	283,240,033
February.....	416,849,791	240,585,161	707,000,254	74,330,921	66,831,645	218,768,641	267,209,782	249,184,266
March.....	418,207,544	241,120,476	701,656,837	83,582,138	66,744,048	226,920,029	264,664,003	238,658,027
April.....	406,347,884	241,344,335	707,370,108	86,594,501	66,573,720	239,110,011	251,807,310	275,005,915
May.....	400,527,550	240,463,498	705,710,631	95,232,539	65,989,740	245,840,981	259,253,055	201,404,048
June.....	398,795,076	243,529,293	684,585,155	98,424,963	65,619,886	244,152,305	261,457,579	255,033,790
July.....	397,622,240	243,373,663	685,475,424	101,763,382	65,172,168	257,017,911	244,093,907	288,095,380
August.....	398,843,741	245,344,598	676,107,712	104,450,190	64,583,822	259,545,545	247,690,231	286,193,939
September.....	398,702,612	245,091,540	656,841,238	103,646,717	64,082,072	274,640,928	238,784,556	258,299,221
October.....	390,405,230	243,154,673	678,623,692	106,547,151	63,308,299	287,542,019	219,065,498	302,925,026
November.....	381,071,283	239,519,397	687,524,521	110,401,419	62,729,185	299,065,891	221,883,201	282,631,721
December.....	381,509,268	240,132,576	682,166,504	114,670,073	62,334,990	284,656,185	218,719,976	266,134,288
1896.								
January.....	379,640,532	240,332,103	709,944,486	118,835,064	62,116,000	288,067,601	211,463,491	298,608,440
February.....	376,959,090	241,538,095	708,873,856	120,810,863	62,257,135	268,455,606	229,610,402	253,724,711
March.....	379,932,522	242,400,363	706,727,730	123,117,715	61,838,616	267,589,369	229,148,886	212,755,620
April.....	379,776,794	242,731,287	710,698,794	127,842,955	62,047,875	272,455,869	211,916,609	287,907,007
May.....	381,903,454	242,702,083	710,075,882	131,074,311	62,247,402	279,424,697	219,868,470	264,557,540
June.....	391,519,658	244,497,827	703,846,762	133,006,312	62,636,722	288,325,526	222,992,200	247,329,500
July.....	397,344,859	244,687,620	708,875,961	132,918,715	62,909,216	292,865,970	211,403,491	282,982,109
August.....	403,685,908	244,424,829	690,337,358	135,634,222	62,918,979	291,702,877	220,467,050	253,092,368
September.....	398,279,227	244,162,038	688,400,491	141,240,439	63,143,656	301,757,066	216,753,910	253,510,585
October.....	384,599,495	242,122,975	693,099,425	141,634,618	62,286,334	318,741,151	195,677,099	293,717,608
November.....	375,771,604	239,295,538	715,565,294	110,552,281	62,656,118	298,472,178	202,509,665	268,664,866
December.....	375,980,924	240,176,375	718,339,190	111,603,445	62,709,719	282,276,466	208,169,404	253,447,320
1897.								
January.....	371,474,545	238,677,493	734,345,117	147,430,618	61,220,570	310,852,554	200,674,994	286,802,311
February.....	372,404,993	239,587,828	732,924,099	148,703,641	61,527,160	291,887,894	215,508,086	245,748,517
March.....	372,724,369	239,553,463	717,015,511	150,661,974	61,629,356	286,262,130	222,856,501	239,071,679
April.....	373,435,744	238,813,751	720,641,053	126,833,390	51,112,850	244,551,358	208,201,067	280,485,594
May.....	375,596,470	238,112,979	720,762,716	132,806,785	51,122,563	249,485,989	218,953,568	263,307,983
June.....	386,984,080	239,451,266	721,667,885	140,048,137	51,219,913	245,111,066	222,569,378	249,456,796
July.....	390,250,235	239,893,785	714,591,994	191,895,828	51,351,308	259,186,765	209,381,163	282,237,034
August.....	393,660,918	238,434,168	708,475,303	152,530,710	51,093,384	252,775,743	210,880,045	256,007,099
September.....	394,974,873	237,626,329	703,978,157	154,042,771	50,859,792	269,063,919	207,541,626	259,574,244
October.....	386,460,100	235,553,200	721,580,285	155,718,267	50,499,671	280,408,230	182,050,899	302,233,983
November.....	381,154,013	235,008,152	729,235,292	151,197,289	50,144,416	286,286,462	197,570,167	277,594,893
December.....	381,475,202	235,485,060	726,602,516	152,769,168	50,193,081	271,794,025	211,683,017	293,301,683
1898.								
January.....	377,820,461	234,881,023	751,698,583	147,760,406	50,027,620	275,619,091	206,451,530	300,030,191
February.....	375,095,221	235,446,137	751,270,804	147,688,542	50,343,943	254,075,099	225,382,215	257,082,596
March.....	373,898,062	236,341,573	740,715,366	149,660,208	50,621,333	252,590,816	233,538,469	248,473,757
April.....	361,673,414	236,960,351	731,551,746	148,897,837	50,850,059	257,194,525	210,573,455	295,381,951
May.....	362,315,792	237,159,145	729,498,083	143,406,022	50,829,860	258,231,090	208,038,009	274,733,391
June.....	363,420,487	239,164,143	723,624,218	141,264,762	51,020,386	251,544,519	212,155,068	255,895,170
July.....	365,143,228	241,008,546	710,212,144	141,255,029	51,224,779	259,671,574	196,776,928	308,025,118
August.....	365,785,606	241,835,851	720,825,080	141,853,609	51,156,648	264,839,797	208,490,593	267,730,629
September.....	366,865,969	242,643,690	689,378,657	142,184,531	51,195,580	271,331,708	209,055,107	253,805,337
October.....	361,683,147	240,843,085	711,832,688	142,379,191	50,805,260	289,331,556	176,683,149	314,774,953
November.....	356,850,712	237,898,853	742,000,122	143,454,687	50,528,870	297,401,548	177,461,789	288,573,717
December.....	356,130,470	235,923,054	737,392,080	143,289,226	50,709,537	283,979,741	192,577,138	271,789,158
1899.								
January.....	352,636,323	232,652,766	767,651,443	174,829,013	60,305,668	345,589,631	189,754,568	304,355,777
February.....	354,171,004	233,178,348	763,417,588	145,133,630	50,465,605	270,241,612	203,125,606	260,649,740

SPECIE II., AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	NATIONAL BANK, BELGIUM.		NETHERLANDS BANK.			BANK OF SPAIN.		
	Coin and bul- lion.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.
1893.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
August.....	26,026,000	77,596,343	13,708,900	33,953,500	79,903,064	38,523,200	31,140,700	181,165,196
September.....	19,865,000	79,483,812	11,470,300	32,851,300	75,893,068	38,528,000	30,985,000	179,272,127
October.....	19,826,000	78,263,053	11,689,300	33,447,400	77,713,139	38,528,000	30,936,300	180,951,070
November.....	19,918,500	80,487,044	13,923,000	34,189,500	80,126,923	38,536,900	31,588,400	181,642,113
December.....	19,675,200	83,703,800	16,546,100	33,695,600	79,445,613	38,532,900	33,150,500	178,814,676
1894.								
January.....	22,541,600	85,188,083	18,711,600	33,041,100	84,750,098	38,532,900	34,479,100	181,802,707
February.....	24,751,000	84,170,984	20,585,200	34,123,800	83,917,926	38,532,900	35,262,600	182,907,403
March.....	25,354,500	81,766,933	20,857,800	34,172,600	81,217,019	38,532,900	37,233,600	180,571,483
April.....	22,843,351	82,092,988	21,096,277	34,445,087	82,915,427	38,532,947	39,720,373	183,046,032
May.....	20,960,000	83,061,422	21,631,593	33,900,039	86,570,169	38,532,947	40,795,870	182,469,418
June.....	22,454,031	77,917,532	21,967,381	34,201,762	83,153,886	38,532,947	42,508,878	180,118,898
July.....	21,899,250	81,470,077	22,006,313	33,924,372	84,112,586	38,532,947	44,810,732	183,291,856
August.....	21,724,056	74,827,304	22,030,645	33,593,449	83,095,487	38,581,612	44,708,536	183,476,783
September.....	21,169,275	77,907,799	22,035,512	33,530,185	81,601,472	38,654,610	45,423,911	181,549,649
October.....	23,733,921	76,423,516	19,801,789	33,019,203	82,516,374	38,951,466	47,000,657	183,038,798
November.....	23,412,732	80,603,840	19,816,388	32,819,676	84,375,377	38,951,466	47,681,967	181,427,987
December.....	24,376,209	81,489,543	19,855,320	33,238,193	83,528,606	38,951,466	51,263,711	177,826,777
1895.								
January.....	26,074,707	88,701,696	19,903,985	33,311,193	85,304,879	38,951,466	54,154,412	177,890,041
February.....	25,583,190	93,212,941	19,991,582	33,525,318	84,691,700	38,951,466	56,115,612	179,938,838
March.....	25,500,460	86,356,043	21,539,129	34,031,435	85,368,143	38,951,466	57,891,884	177,145,467
April.....	24,865,145	87,538,602	20,809,154	34,211,495	84,278,047	38,951,466	60,227,804	180,342,753
May.....	23,252,137	87,207,680	20,857,819	34,265,027	88,142,048	38,951,466	60,607,391	181,384,188
June.....	21,310,404	85,742,864	20,891,885	34,323,425	85,217,282	38,951,466	60,631,724	181,510,717
July.....	20,390,635	86,823,093	20,838,353	34,192,029	85,105,352	38,951,466	60,038,012	185,725,100
August.....	20,268,993	86,652,890	20,848,086	33,875,707	85,139,418	38,951,466	58,977,114	187,436,779
September.....	21,237,406	83,202,551	20,852,953	33,544,785	82,365,513	38,933,946	57,429,567	187,623,041
October.....	21,709,457	83,898,460	20,794,555	33,145,732	85,373,010	38,951,466	56,281,073	190,085,490
November.....	21,062,212	86,784,295	20,789,668	32,912,140	88,122,582	38,951,466	53,930,553	191,438,377
December.....	20,176,509	85,703,932	18,083,914	33,189,530	83,333,946	38,951,466	51,945,021	192,445,743
1896.								
January.....	20,113,245	89,903,721	17,115,481	33,243,032	88,200,446	38,951,466	49,210,048	196,149,149
February.....	20,069,446	86,813,494	15,115,349	33,330,659	87,986,320	38,951,466	49,648,033	197,735,028
March.....	19,393,003	85,519,005	12,764,830	33,544,785	81,090,490	38,951,466	50,392,608	197,803,759
April.....	19,397,869	86,214,014	12,764,830	33,681,047	81,148,888	38,951,466	50,538,603	197,944,888
May.....	19,646,061	87,621,233	12,784,296	33,865,974	85,275,080	40,747,205	52,329,475	202,378,269
June.....	20,103,512	85,630,934	12,823,228	34,046,034	80,068,525	40,907,799	52,825,858	203,721,423
July.....	20,098,645	86,102,985	12,818,361	33,890,306	82,024,858	40,902,933	55,964,750	205,025,645
August.....	19,738,524	85,986,189	12,818,361	33,651,848	81,319,215	40,907,799	55,093,647	207,527,028
September.....	20,361,436	83,776,798	12,818,361	33,350,125	79,051,426	41,501,512	50,640,799	207,329,696
October.....	19,723,925	86,273,312	12,818,361	33,009,470	81,338,681	41,501,512	50,519,137	207,517,293
November.....	20,147,310	86,283,045	12,818,361	32,610,417	85,119,952	41,501,512	47,784,164	211,756,015
December.....	20,259,240	87,246,612	12,818,361	32,941,339	82,565,039	41,501,512	49,633,434	209,110,480
1897.								
January.....	20,405,235	93,480,599	12,818,861	33,369,591	84,292,647	41,501,512	49,346,310	201,356,304
February.....	20,823,754	91,801,656	12,813,495	33,306,326	81,737,734	41,501,512	50,913,323	207,867,681
March.....	20,930,817	88,735,761	12,813,495	33,681,047	80,472,444	41,501,512	51,242,825	207,478,361
April.....	21,154,676	91,071,681	12,808,628	33,194,397	82,195,185	41,501,512	52,543,601	208,797,183
May.....	21,140,076	91,777,324	12,798,895	33,204,130	86,166,249	41,559,910	51,020,386	211,400,780
June.....	20,755,623	89,558,200	12,701,565	32,079,968	81,460,344	42,460,213	49,847,560	214,203,864
July.....	19,354,071	92,682,493	12,798,895	34,021,702	84,190,450	43,472,446	52,436,538	217,931,603
August.....	20,916,217	90,706,94	12,807,623	33,554,518	81,421,412	43,856,898	50,777,061	220,175,064
September.....	21,203,341	89,903,721	12,808,628	33,367,457	81,328,948	43,929,896	51,726,289	220,958,560
October.....	20,434,434	91,816,256	12,794,029	32,990,004	84,268,314	43,929,896	51,667,631	224,399,182
November.....	20,930,817	92,059,581	12,789,162	32,342,759	86,716,164	44,903,196	52,514,402	231,445,874
December.....	20,643,693	92,731,158	12,789,162	32,732,079	84,136,919	45,039,458	53,658,029	231,484,806
1898.								
January.....	20,882,152	95,106,010	12,794,029	33,038,669	86,735,630	45,895,962	50,193,081	236,098,248
February.....	21,519,663	93,480,599	12,789,162	33,281,994	84,399,710	46,297,418	51,195,580	242,875,083
March.....	21,115,744	91,976,850	13,324,477	33,535,052	82,321,714	46,523,740	52,918,321	244,273,968
April.....	20,118,110	93,891,788	13,451,006	33,676,180	83,080,888	46,869,262	52,144,548	248,551,621
May.....	21,368,802	95,033,012	13,884,125	33,612,916	87,601,867	47,852,295	52,528,557	254,479,018
June.....	21,558,595	93,164,276	13,913,324	33,846,508	84,477,574	47,852,295	52,483,099	255,744,308
July.....	20,838,353	93,660,659	14,857,425	34,011,969	84,823,095	48,431,408	21,977,114	262,839,666
August.....	22,123,109	93,261,006	20,887,018	33,880,573	84,023,856	50,407,207	25,797,317	272,694,328
September.....	21,295,804	95,539,128	20,984,348	33,973,037	83,163,619	51,526,502	27,194,002	272,329,340
October.....	20,887,018	95,422,332	20,989,215	32,848,875	86,604,234	52,923,188	26,045,508	274,757,724
November.....	21,320,137	96,969,879	20,998,948	32,221,097	89,699,328	53,833,223	26,648,954	283,726,683
December.....	22,434,565	97,475,995	20,994,081	32,629,882	88,005,786	53,833,223	31,914,374	279,755,619
1899.								
January.....	23,505,199	102,280,204	20,994,081	32,839,142	92,054,714	53,833,223	39,696,041	282,101,272
February.....	23,607,392	102,408,223	20,994,081	33,014,306	89,407,338	53,833,223	42,499,145	286,724,447

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From L'Économiste Européen.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	ITALY. (a)						RUSSIA. (a)		
	National bank.			Institutions of issue.			Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.			
1893.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
August	41,591,500	6,716,400	120,161,800	36,303,300	5,172,400	112,827,800	291,275,600	3,358,200	749,631,300
September	45,490,100	4,747,800	109,990,700	32,057,300	4,709,200	85,553,300	296,255,000	3,223,100	763,778,200
October	45,200,600	4,574,100	138,824,900	32,057,300	4,458,300	83,472,500	297,799,000	3,261,700	783,773,000
November	43,232,000	4,540,800	141,295,300	32,076,600	4,458,300	84,109,400	306,580,500	2,605,500	792,265,000
December	43,733,800	4,593,400	147,780,100	31,845,000	4,381,100	84,109,400	290,272,000	2,682,700	783,194,000
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January (b)	52,167,900	8,048,100	174,742,200	—	—	—	293,495,100	2,605,500	786,436,440
February	54,792,700	12,506,400	182,192,000	—	—	—	294,228,500	2,740,600	775,837,100
March	55,391,000	12,332,700	173,449,100	—	—	—	317,928,900	2,856,400	764,666,000
April	55,661,200	9,302,600	166,037,900	—	—	—	282,281,800	2,895,000	755,884,500
May	57,880,700	8,569,200	161,869,100	—	—	—	293,263,500	2,972,200	760,670,900
June	57,784,200	8,492,000	159,688,200	—	—	—	294,421,500	3,088,000	760,265,600
July	57,726,300	10,036,000	167,717,000	24,781,200	2,316,000	58,150,900	288,650,800	2,779,200	740,830,500
August	58,922,900	10,788,700	165,323,800	24,897,000	2,296,700	58,691,300	289,114,000	3,377,500	742,123,600
September	59,579,100	10,808,000	158,086,300	26,055,000	2,316,000	55,854,200	290,272,000	3,281,000	749,264,600
October	59,482,600	10,962,400	161,541,000	26,711,200	2,316,000	55,777,000	290,947,500	3,126,000	764,801,100
November	58,601,300	11,888,800	162,506,000	26,769,100	2,316,000	54,773,400	293,302,100	3,088,000	760,458,600
December	56,433,200	13,413,500	159,398,700	26,769,100	2,316,000	55,120,800	292,302,100	3,030,100	755,730,100
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	56,491,100	13,317,000	156,947,600	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,185,900	300,539,600	2,856,400	830,710,600
February	58,150,900	14,745,200	150,269,800	27,155,100	2,316,000	58,286,000	300,308,000	3,088,000	818,320,000
March	57,900,000	11,580,000	143,341,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	52,631,100	300,925,600	3,242,400	810,349,100
April	57,977,200	11,541,400	144,711,400	27,155,100	2,316,000	54,831,300	301,427,400	3,088,000	821,253,600
May	57,842,100	10,537,800	137,493,200	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,869,900	302,469,600	3,242,400	820,829,000
June	58,073,700	11,058,900	140,484,700	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,889,200	299,343,000	3,319,000	829,417,500
July	58,266,700	11,078,200	154,728,100	27,174,400	2,296,700	58,942,200	378,318,600	2,637,600	830,421,100
August	58,421,100	11,522,100	151,582,200	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,413,900	377,894,000	2,605,500	829,900,000
September	57,029,800	9,707,900	148,513,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	378,473,000	4,979,400	839,357,000
October	57,571,900	9,804,400	156,021,200	27,193,700	2,277,400	55,931,400	375,095,500	4,439,000	856,669,100
November	57,514,000	9,920,200	150,501,400	27,174,400	2,296,700	55,912,100	372,876,000	3,705,600	850,203,600
December	57,764,900	10,286,900	147,876,600	27,174,400	2,296,700	56,413,900	371,389,900	3,667,000	836,172,500
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	57,957,900	10,422,000	151,176,900	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,538,900	368,861,000	4,303,900	829,571,900
February	59,212,400	10,576,400	147,741,500	27,174,400	2,354,000	57,049,100	368,089,600	4,767,100	818,049,800
March	57,957,900	10,808,000	150,424,200	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,919,300	308,445,900	5,751,400	813,340,600
April	60,312,500	10,827,300	152,605,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	56,915,700	417,266,000	5,539,100	820,944,800
May	59,135,200	10,692,200	143,263,900	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,224,500	424,194,700	7,777,900	823,338,000
June	58,555,200	10,692,200	139,925,000	27,155,100	2,316,000	59,386,100	436,257,200	9,399,100	812,877,400
July	58,479,000	10,904,500	151,929,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,549,000	434,365,800	8,935,900	813,417,800
August	59,231,700	11,271,200	150,636,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,668,400	432,262,100	8,472,700	808,322,600
September	59,405,400	11,811,600	144,576,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,645,500	428,151,200	7,083,100	817,702,400
October	58,942,200	12,506,400	152,643,700	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	433,748,200	5,597,000	843,796,000
November	57,822,800	12,161,100	149,131,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,440,400	442,992,900	5,365,400	843,892,500
December	57,687,700	12,294,100	148,185,400	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,710,600	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	58,787,800	12,409,900	151,157,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,857,800	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
February	59,637,000	12,023,900	146,815,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	54,059,300	461,424,400	10,537,800	386,144,364
March	58,382,500	12,139,700	141,025,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	53,210,100	446,717,800	11,348,400	516,757,500
April	58,517,600	12,101,100	144,769,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,399,500	467,330,200	18,005,200	489,023,400
May	57,919,300	12,120,400	141,777,800	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,938,300	461,270,000	19,435,100	492,323,700
June	58,566,500	11,078,200	141,700,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,218,600	458,452,200	21,172,100	494,388,800
July	69,607,200	13,124,000	152,894,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,666,100	461,231,400	23,603,900	490,374,400
August	60,582,700	13,934,600	152,701,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,527,400	463,315,800	24,221,500	493,366,000
September	59,945,800	12,583,600	148,610,000	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,438,100	459,841,800	24,221,500	515,117,000
October	59,251,000	12,506,400	154,496,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,173,700	580,640,500	21,715,500	506,509,200
November	57,822,800	11,020,300	150,443,500	18,624,500	2,316,000	55,584,000	588,765,800	20,168,500	491,185,000
December	57,957,900	10,788,700	150,559,300	18,682,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	587,434,100	20,072,000	478,948,800
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	57,900,000	10,943,100	153,801,700	18,682,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	598,917,600	19,608,800	461,810,400
February	57,957,900	11,116,800	148,841,600	18,682,400	2,316,000	53,904,900	592,432,800	21,210,700	450,693,600
March	58,170,200	9,688,600	144,904,400	18,614,500	2,316,000	51,839,800	585,272,500	21,886,200	442,143,700
April	58,324,600	9,707,900	147,799,400	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,496,000	575,912,000	21,924,800	435,099,200
May	58,556,200	10,171,100	140,446,100	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,592,500	567,149,800	23,835,500	435,562,400
June	58,073,700	10,209,700	138,998,600	18,817,500	2,316,000	53,268,000	567,420,600	23,005,600	429,386,400
July	58,614,100	10,904,500	156,523,000	18,875,400	2,316,000	56,836,500	557,982,300	22,561,700	417,555,500
August	59,135,200	11,348,400	154,554,400	18,856,100	2,316,000	55,159,400	553,273,700	23,044,200	409,217,900
September	58,768,500	11,541,400	148,320,500	18,875,400	2,316,000	54,734,800	536,636,500	21,820,300	407,558,100
October	58,421,100	11,908,100	156,272,100	19,010,500	2,316,000	56,838,500	507,976,000	18,875,400	391,499,500
November	58,363,200	11,985,300	156,021,200	19,009,500	2,316,000	57,880,700	500,835,000	18,470,100	375,597,300
December	58,556,200	12,216,900	154,361,400	19,010,500	2,316,000	58,228,100	503,440,500	20,844,000	355,621,800
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	—	—	—	—	—	—	510,292,000	21,519,500	340,760,800

a From L'Économiste Européen, Paris.

b By a law of August 10, 1893, the Banca Nazionale del Regno d'Italia combined with two Tuscan banks and became the Banca d'Italia. This bank and the banks of Naples and of Sicily alone enjoy the privilege of issuing circulating notes.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, AND BANK RATES IN LEADING FINANCIAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.

[From New York Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY.	MONEY MARKET.		BANK RATES.						
	New York.		London.	Paris.	Berlin.	Ham- burg.	Amster- dam.	Vienna.	St. Pe- tersburg.
	Call.	Primo com- mercial.							
1898.									
January 7	2 @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	5	5	3	4	6
January 14	2½ @ 3	3½ @ 4	3	2	5	5	3	4	6
January 21	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	6
January 28	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
February 4	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
February 11	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
February 18	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
February 25	2 @ 3	3½ @ 4	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 4	2 @ 2½	4 @ 4½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 11	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 18	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 25	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 1	2½ @ 5	5 @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 8	2½ @ 2½	5½ @ 6	4	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 15	2½ @ 3½	5½ @ 6	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 22	1½ @ 3	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 29	2½ @ 3½	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 6	2½ @ 3	5½ @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 13	1½ @ 2½	5 @ 6½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 20	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 27	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 3	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 10	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 17	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 24	1 @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 1	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 8	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 15	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 22	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 29	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 5	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 12	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 19	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 26	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
September 2	2½ @ 3	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 9	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 16	3½ @ 5	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	4	4	5½
September 23	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 30	3 @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 7	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 14	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	2	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 21	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 28	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 4	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 11	1½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 18	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 25	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 2	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 9	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 16	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 23	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 30	2 @ 4	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
1899.									
January 6	2½ @ 6	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 13	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 20	2 @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
January 27	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 3	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 10	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 17	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4							
February 24	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4							

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING MARCH.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails	20	26	31	55	527,500	2,265,095	1,414,345	1,048,347	26,375	87,119	45,824	15,080
Machinery and tools	63	43	36	20	2,022,619	1,695,952	1,961,404	1,125,573	32,105	39,441	54,483	56,279
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	11	15	16	9	341,610	558,500	1,351,200	137,145	31,055	37,233	84,450	15,238
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	7	20	10	9	464,800	476,000	905,824	169,700	66,400	23,800	90,582	18,855
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers	97	115	146	90	2,623,529	2,515,547	4,719,449	1,211,731	27,328	21,874	32,325	13,325
Clothing and millinery	56	58	94	64	467,205	747,834	1,125,266	804,538	8,342	12,894	11,971	12,571
Hats, gloves, and furs	11	9	16	12	190,400	47,484	383,396	433,685	17,309	5,276	23,962	36,140
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	30	35	30	25	2,355,253	403,452	788,974	355,783	37,639	11,527	26,325	14,231
Printing and engraving	41	53	51	26	200,367	941,105	1,161,426	278,300	4,887	17,757	22,773	10,731
Milling and baking	45	34	54	42	277,722	941,910	970,022	527,332	6,171	27,703	17,963	12,555
Leather, shoes, and harness	46	52	47	44	606,588	1,238,482	1,248,740	542,337	13,197	23,817	26,569	12,326
Liquors and tobacco	33	45	52	33	598,637	2,217,998	2,228,821	5,146,435	18,140	49,288	42,862	135,432
Glass, earthenware, and brick	23	22	20	18	383,276	945,866	467,059	530,754	16,664	42,994	23,253	29,486
All other	205	251	232	199	2,586,660	7,416,919	4,781,400	7,912,331	12,618	29,547	29,609	39,716
Total manufacturing	687	778	835	651	13,046,156	22,412,144	23,507,326	20,223,991	18,399	28,897	28,152	31,066
TRADERS.												
General stores	484	505	494	598	2,652,033	2,696,485	3,880,772	4,111,578	5,479	5,329	7,855	6,875
Groceries, meats, and fish	775	646	666	703	2,356,035	2,674,297	3,809,447	2,546,003	3,040	4,139	5,720	3,621
Hotels and restaurants	89	106	97	95	515,092	757,116	562,219	603,918	5,794	7,142	5,796	6,495
Liquors and tobacco	247	286	262	276	971,972	1,464,068	1,604,387	2,515,145	3,935	5,119	6,124	9,113
Clothing and furnishing	213	222	224	221	1,694,273	1,983,363	3,318,062	2,001,737	7,954	8,934	14,813	9,058
Dry goods and carpets	175	207	236	173	1,737,642	2,664,525	4,739,372	4,082,964	9,357	12,872	20,082	23,601
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	148	167	174	172	864,944	1,680,752	3,269,648	1,330,601	5,844	10,065	18,791	7,736
Furniture and crockery	98	107	91	73	806,532	945,497	939,502	930,380	8,230	8,896	10,323	12,744
Hardware, stoves, and tools	99	175	156	108	1,082,038	1,518,884	1,299,508	727,525	10,929	8,679	8,330	6,736
Drugs and paints	145	149	153	110	618,509	795,644	818,902	739,101	4,265	5,339	5,352	6,719
Jewelry and clocks	60	88	103	80	459,618	1,656,862	916,645	889,371	7,660	18,828	8,890	11,117
Books and papers	36	58	56	45	372,546	448,536	680,997	392,256	10,348	7,733	12,161	8,717
Hats, furs, and gloves	19	21	31	26	920,154	117,475	222,872	301,301	48,429	5,594	7,190	15,050
All other	329	336	375	429	2,418,827	4,643,100	5,361,979	4,228,549	7,352	13,819	14,300	9,857
Total trading	2,917	3,073	3,118	3,107	17,470,815	24,046,604	31,424,312	25,490,429	5,969	7,825	10,078	8,206
Brokers and transporters	83	81	78	44	1,829,594	1,549,163	2,493,497	2,099,263	22,043	19,125	31,711	47,710
Total commercial	3,687	3,932	4,031	3,802	32,946,565	48,007,911	57,425,135	47,813,683	8,936	12,209	14,246	12,576

NOTE.—Iron, woollens, and cottons include all the branches of those manufactures; machinery includes implements and tools; lumber includes saw, planing, and door mills, carpenters, and coopers; clothing includes millinery and furnishings; hats include furs and gloves; chemicals include drugs, fertilizers, paints, and oils; printing and books include engraving and maps; milling includes baking; leather and shoes include makers of harness, saddlery, trunks, and rubber goods; liquors include tobacco, wine, brewers, and beer; glass includes earthenware, pottery, brick, lime, and cement; groceries include meats and fish; hotels include restaurants; dry goods include carpets and curtains; furniture includes crockery; hardware includes stoves and tools, and jewelry includes clocks and watches; brokers include all real-estate, note, insurance, or produce dealers whose main business is not the handling of actual products, with mortgage and other loan concerns, and transporters include all except incorporated railway companies.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING JUNE.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895
MANUFACTURERS.												
Iron, foundries and nails	12	31	27	54	<i>Dollars.</i> 366,569	<i>Dollars.</i> 2,931,856	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,161,480	<i>Dollars.</i> 611,813	<i>Dollars.</i> 30,547	<i>Dollars.</i> 94,576	<i>Dollars.</i> 43,017	<i>Dollars.</i> 11,329
Machinery and tools	72	30	27	15	2,181,927	766,103	1,295,681	443,020	30,305	25,536	47,988	20,534
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	11	10	27	6	1,325,000	367,300	2,878,906	230,500	120,455	36,730	106,626	38,425
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	6	20	23	17	326,750	8,769,534	353,500	700,949	54,458	438,476	15,369	4,123
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers	110	80	121	77	1,760,348	1,255,895	2,765,617	1,039,965	16,003	15,698	22,856	13,506
Clothing and millinery	69	72	83	65	1,035,866	465,659	1,124,014	558,855	15,013	5,634	13,542	8,597
Hats, gloves, and furs	9	8	10	9	112,433	101,700	140,058	581,050	12,493	12,712	14,005	64,561
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	14	14	20	30	117,626	111,525	576,681	710,949	8,402	7,966	28,834	23,638
Printing and engraving	51	49	51	22	1,555,050	545,967	774,654	223,257	30,491	11,142	15,189	10,148
Milling and bakers	30	34	44	33	170,001	1,370,289	710,834	940,827	5,667	40,302	16,155	28,512
Leather, shoes, and harness	28	44	38	37	888,782	1,103,737	891,934	513,179	31,742	25,684	23,471	13,869
Liquors and tobacco	17	39	34	32	576,484	674,436	804,721	881,700	33,911	17,293	23,663	27,553
Glass, earthenware, and brick	20	17	20	11	347,810	411,200	212,148	322,578	17,391	24,188	10,607	29,325
All other	207	200	277	195	6,357,342	4,587,633	5,796,505	12,319,216	30,712	21,950	20,926	63,175
Total manufacturing	656	657	802	603	17,121,988	23,402,834	19,486,733	20,077,958	26,101	35,620	24,297	33,296
TRADERS.												
General stores	312	275	313	318	1,669,657	1,734,417	2,041,238	3,276,321	5,351	6,307	6,521	10,302
Groceries, meats, and fish	569	465	443	415	2,348,003	1,634,862	2,078,388	2,200,075	4,127	3,515	4,691	5,301
Hotels and restaurants	96	109	76	100	590,803	585,138	1,047,784	480,490	6,154	5,368	13,786	4,804
Liquors and tobacco	245	218	197	215	985,942	1,447,414	1,540,772	1,424,938	4,024	6,630	7,821	6,627
Clothing and furnishing	218	197	177	174	2,173,102	1,881,827	1,873,374	1,540,406	9,968	9,552	10,584	8,852
Dry goods and carpets	122	119	129	150	1,535,558	2,000,745	2,363,507	2,672,431	12,587	16,729	18,324	17,816
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	132	111	96	129	1,047,451	847,524	1,103,490	857,797	7,935	7,635	11,494	6,649
Furniture and crockery	72	93	66	34	359,331	1,058,783	476,070	406,350	4,991	11,363	7,213	11,951
Hardware, stoves, and tools	75	85	103	107	546,122	1,125,029	896,477	765,961	7,282	13,235	8,703	7,154
Drugs and paints	95	107	114	96	416,880	526,877	976,235	390,486	4,388	4,924	8,563	4,067
Jewelry and clocks	49	44	62	51	528,101	310,959	693,210	530,350	10,778	7,067	11,180	10,399
Books and papers	18	27	34	61	63,256	249,169	242,664	335,652	3,515	9,230	7,137	5,502
Hats, furs, and gloves	12	9	12	16	162,578	85,143	375,479	519,673	13,548	9,460	31,289	3,247
All other	277	297	316	362	3,059,027	3,742,752	4,240,610	4,289,006	11,043	12,602	13,419	11,848
Total trading	2,292	2,156	2,138	2,228	15,485,811	17,230,639	19,949,298	19,689,936	6,756	7,992	9,330	8,837
Brokers and transporters	83	76	55	24	1,890,275	3,051,403	1,008,516	1,258,367	22,774	40,150	18,336	52,431
Total commercial	3,031	2,889	2,995	2,855	34,498,074	43,684,876	40,444,547	41,026,261	11,382	15,121	13,504	14,370
Banking	24	42	35	27	2,104,178	4,724,757	4,000,199	3,170,739	87,674	112,494	114,291	117,435

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BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING SEPTEMBER.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	13	33	31	43	425,309	512,069	1,649,500	338,193	32,716	15,517	53,210	7,864
Machinery and tools.....	45	57	35	22	1,529,200	945,614	1,231,558	779,319	33,982	16,589	35,187	35,423
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	8	7	25	7	143,000	303,060	1,217,800	257,381	17,888	43,294	48,712	36,768
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	6	12	17	12	1,121,500	377,982	904,600	96,627	186,917	31,499	53,212	8,052
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	57	91	128	45	684,449	1,120,612	6,562,818	969,510	12,008	12,314	51,272	21,544
Clothing and millinery.....	53	55	82	70	271,052	448,584	768,102	1,533,309	5,114	8,156	9,366	21,904
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	4	10	12	17	31,200	63,900	122,300	141,800	7,800	6,390	10,192	8,341
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	11	14	28	24	116,007	110,500	793,108	123,550	10,546	7,893	28,325	5,147
Printing and engraving.....	42	35	48	34	331,319	484,036	971,845	961,485	7,202	13,829	20,247	28,278
Milling and bakers.....	34	39	40	28	478,591	288,498	1,012,193	245,976	14,076	7,397	25,305	8,784
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	31	49	48	28	488,463	741,323	1,566,181	263,944	15,757	15,129	32,625	9,426
Liquors and tobacco.....	20	34	34	36	249,092	471,934	2,059,075	529,606	12,454	13,880	60,561	14,711
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	18	14	24	18	457,500	325,062	947,617	218,663	25,417	23,219	39,484	12,147
All other.....	200	201	381	203	3,781,415	3,253,650	12,672,499	5,745,752	18,907	16,187	33,261	28,304
Total manufacturing.....	542	651	933	587	10,108,097	9,446,824	32,479,196	12,205,115	18,649	14,511	34,811	20,792
TRADEERS.												
General stores.....	205	257	327	253	1,085,831	1,424,175	2,250,350	1,547,052	5,296	5,541	6,882	6,114
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	514	525	605	468	1,420,238	1,308,424	2,236,349	1,437,157	2,763	2,402	3,696	3,070
Hotels and restaurants.....	77	104	99	77	507,630	754,985	725,549	1,310,348	6,593	7,259	7,329	17,017
Liquors and tobacco.....	258	230	258	201	925,717	1,092,999	1,886,532	602,934	3,588	4,752	7,312	2,999
Clothing and furnishing.....	114	140	164	178	606,626	1,315,559	2,049,908	1,827,524	5,321	9,397	12,499	10,266
Dry goods and carpets.....	96	119	168	127	1,156,231	1,264,839	5,862,187	2,149,166	12,044	10,629	34,900	17,080
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	113	110	149	105	1,376,657	1,030,721	1,146,245	493,686	12,183	9,370	7,693	4,701
Furniture and crockery.....	46	65	76	24	484,377	513,019	1,631,033	241,860	10,529	7,892	21,761	10,077
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	86	98	156	114	775,165	909,782	1,393,793	1,156,216	9,013	9,283	8,935	10,142
Drugs and paints.....	88	123	150	113	334,454	488,598	671,888	1,290,755	3,801	3,972	4,479	11,422
Jewelry and clocks.....	20	33	60	47	163,625	222,147	1,264,001	381,203	8,181	6,732	21,066	8,110
Books and papers.....	26	29	41	49	87,613	300,222	529,753	350,573	3,369	10,352	12,862	7,154
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	11	11	16	13	344,337	42,976	95,594	184,500	31,303	3,907	5,975	14,192
All other.....	271	330	466	390	2,326,921	2,163,682	6,995,035	5,457,173	8,586	6,556	15,018	13,992
Total trading.....	1,925	2,174	2,735	2,159	11,595,422	12,832,128	28,738,217	18,430,147	6,023	5,902	10,507	8,536
Brokers and transporters.....	73	56	89	46	3,401,259	3,322,236	12,067,236	1,531,917	46,592	59,325	135,587	33,283
Total commercial.....	2,540	2,881	3,757	2,792	25,104,778	25,601,188	73,284,649	32,167,179	9,883	8,886	19,506	11,521

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BUSINESS.	OCTOBER.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails	2	4	8	19	65,000	25,000	193,700	863,432	32,500	6,250	24,212	45,443
Machinery and tools	14	18	16	5	822,000	134,368	328,322	75,085	58,714	7,465	20,520	15,017
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	9	1	3	3	1,987,600	5,000	2,075,000	1,290,000	220,844	5,000	691,666	430,000
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	4	1	8	3	70,123	28,000	81,800	240,000	17,531	28,000	10,225	80,000
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers	28	33	27	29	555,715	321,918	731,634	1,576,220	19,847	9,755	27,097	54,352
Clothing and millinery	18	21	28	37	195,380	364,390	691,840	1,064,042	10,854	17,352	24,708	28,757
Hats, gloves, and furs	3	4	2	7	15,500	31,500	28,000	109,500	5,167	7,875	14,000	15,642
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	5	6	8	12	61,670	94,600	150,900	150,632	12,334	15,766	18,862	12,552
Printing and engraving	9	15	21	11	21,248	155,100	173,360	71,700	2,361	10,340	8,254	7,966
Milling and baking	6	11	15	9	49,000	80,880	216,411	93,300	8,167	7,353	14,427	10,366
Leather, shoes, and harness	14	9	16	12	1,312,801	62,560	182,972	53,329	93,771	6,951	11,435	4,444
Liquors and tobacco	11	7	11	12	159,800	443,500	450,932	244,200	17,755	63,357	40,993	20,350
Glass, earthenware, and brick	3	9	3	6	28,500	142,011	47,500	213,200	9,500	15,779	15,833	35,533
All other	52	50	83	89	1,802,373	990,015	1,584,023	857,301	34,661	19,800	19,084	9,632
Total manufacturing	176	189	249	252	7,146,710	2,378,842	6,936,394	6,901,941	40,606	15,232	27,857	27,383
TRADERS.												
General stores	116	97	169	156	676,559	590,153	1,031,454	1,401,725	5,832	6,084	6,103	8,985
Groceries, meats, and fish	145	148	202	192	434,849	355,612	691,201	623,063	2,999	2,403	3,421	3,215
Hotels and restaurants	22	31	39	25	116,543	126,112	274,286	383,155	5,298	4,068	7,032	15,326
Liquors and tobacco	61	60	75	72	241,451	457,959	345,719	531,549	3,958	7,632	4,609	7,332
Clothing and furnishing	43	53	81	99	324,806	343,873	1,074,360	1,487,622	7,553	6,488	13,263	15,026
Dry goods and carpets	39	47	77	62	1,967,302	1,484,993	1,641,331	892,765	50,444	31,595	21,315	14,399
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	29	42	55	47	403,904	262,769	379,636	743,166	13,928	6,256	6,902	15,812
Furniture and crockery	14	18	15	11	58,794	60,075	149,574	127,160	4,199	3,337	9,971	11,560
Hardware, stoves, and tools	31	30	68	52	269,499	268,525	434,710	428,550	8,693	8,950	6,333	8,241
Drugs and paints	32	39	50	45	168,480	169,503	151,799	215,868	5,265	4,346	3,035	4,797
Jewelry and clocks	7	7	18	8	22,400	30,500	150,640	147,000	3,200	4,357	8,368	18,375
Books and papers	4	6	14	14	11,200	17,800	94,676	74,315	2,800	2,966	6,762	5,308
Hats, furs, and gloves	2	3	5	6	3,560	200,000	74,500	48,012	1,780	69,666	14,900	8,002
All other	60	83	111	132	393,186	567,483	922,936	1,176,238	6,636	6,861	8,314	8,910
Total trading	605	664	979	921	5,097,533	4,944,357	7,416,822	8,280,188	8,426	7,446	7,575	8,990
Brokers and transporters	19	22	26	16	1,882,511	1,754,552	527,050	204,621	99,079	79,752	20,271	12,788
Total commercial	800	875	1,254	1,189	14,126,754	9,577,751	14,880,266	15,386,750	17,658	10,946	11,866	12,940

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BUSINESS.	NOVEMBER.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries and nails.....	5	3	4	17	215,635	82,900	69,275	135,906	43,127	27,633	17,318	7,994
Machinery and tools.....	9	12	12	6	188,900	185,050	544,000	541,728	20,989	15,421	45,323	90,288
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	3	.....	6	7	35,500	.....	154,000	180,800	11,833	.....	25,666	25,828
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	1	4	7	2	600	121,700	277,615	50,000	600	30,425	39,659	25,600
Lumber, carpenters and coopers.....	18	36	27	28	254,449	1,008,987	560,228	503,524	14,136	44,694	20,749	17,983
Clothing and millinery.....	18	31	27	34	268,216	264,400	519,428	343,622	14,901	8,529	19,238	10,106
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	5	12	6	11	68,177	94,800	69,844	127,750	13,635	7,900	11,640	11,613
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	2	4	9	8	21,500	66,000	103,700	322,500	10,750	16,500	11,522	40,312
Printing and engraving.....	7	12	16	6	62,700	880,100	179,929	55,995	8,957	73,382	11,245	9,332
Milling and bakers.....	4	9	11	13	5,050	47,085	98,811	39,150	1,262	5,232	8,982	3,011
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	5	15	9	11	7,230	232,928	141,188	199,725	1,446	15,528	15,687	18,156
Liquors and tobacco.....	2	8	6	14	86,350	147,304	237,200	215,800	43,175	18,413	39,533	15,414
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	1	2	4	5	12,800	7,468	41,071	227,577	12,800	3,734	10,267	45,515
All other.....	42	61	88	88	1,996,506	592,658	1,663,426	1,303,906	47,536	9,716	18,962	14,817
Total manufacturing.....	122	209	232	250	3,223,613	4,331,360	4,659,615	4,247,983	26,423	20,719	20,684	16,991
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	118	149	162	145	790,930	1,045,647	1,354,665	1,335,960	6,703	7,018	8,362	9,213
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	177	171	154	169	502,077	471,266	508,883	526,702	2,836	2,756	3,304	3,116
Hotels and restaurants.....	30	37	23	23	141,399	353,598	195,059	94,481	4,713	9,557	8,480	4,107
Liquors and tobacco.....	42	58	73	62	153,709	218,831	345,693	305,718	3,660	3,773	4,735	4,930
Clothing and furnishing.....	49	93	104	122	732,299	729,390	1,728,262	1,229,832	14,945	7,843	16,617	10,080
Dry goods and carpets.....	31	78	68	57	323,931	1,147,001	1,160,621	996,533	10,449	14,705	17,067	17,483
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	24	32	34	43	72,364	168,122	224,065	214,375	3,015	5,254	6,590	4,985
Furniture and crockery.....	21	13	26	11	276,685	93,705	262,299	95,484	13,175	7,208	10,088	8,680
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	22	29	52	49	157,616	307,551	397,138	417,597	7,167	10,605	7,637	8,522
Drugs and paints.....	33	44	37	33	119,351	165,980	165,100	145,918	3,617	3,772	4,462	4,421
Jewelry and clocks.....	9	15	13	14	69,673	143,905	93,680	79,548	7,741	9,593	7,206	5,682
Books and papers.....	6	8	6	12	105,178	61,000	6,700	77,218	17,529	7,625	1,116	6,434
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	5	9	3	7	21,000	64,050	19,800	152,900	4,200	7,116	6,600	21,842
All other.....	65	74	107	103	510,839	482,550	1,018,273	1,314,777	7,850	6,521	9,516	12,764
Total trading.....	632	810	862	850	3,977,051	5,452,596	7,480,238	6,987,043	6,293	6,731	8,677	8,220
Brokers and transporters.....	24	22	26	22	909,811	1,826,219	561,003	915,303	37,909	83,010	21,577	41,604
Total commercial.....	778	1,041	1,120	1,122	8,110,475	11,610,195	12,700,856	12,150,329	10,425	11,153	11,340	10,829

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BUSINESS.	DECEMBER.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895	1898	1897	1896	1895
MANUFACTURERS.												
Iron, foundries and nails	5	11	13	21	<i>Dollars.</i> 506,176	<i>Dollars.</i> 128,914	<i>Dollars.</i> 582,860	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,116,593	<i>Dollars.</i> 168,725	<i>Dollars.</i> 11,719	<i>Dollars.</i> 44,835	<i>Dollars.</i> 53,171
Machinery and tools	13	17	13	15	541,743	987,230	392,420	401,300	41,673	58,072	30,186	26,753
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	4	6	8	4	2,596,000	253,000	687,292	204,000	649,000	43,000	85,911	51,000
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	2	2	2	5	32,800	27,500	126,000	58,000	16,400	13,750	63,000	11,600
Lumber, carpenters and coopers	53	33	44	29	455,955	581,131	974,786	783,325	8,603	17,610	22,154	27,011
Clothing and millinery	22	32	40	35	189,225	251,979	369,568	438,700	8,601	7,874	9,239	12,534
Hats, gloves, and furs	2	16	9	13	87,500	362,270	348,004	509,263	43,750	22,642	38,667	39,174
Chemicals, drugs and paints	4	5	7	9	161,300	34,000	239,753	43,609	40,325	6,800	34,250	4,815
Printing and engraving	11	18	27	16	93,413	203,531	274,231	200,100	8,492	11,641	10,156	12,503
Milling and bakers	16	23	21	11	139,200	140,814	1,012,741	19,950	8,700	6,122	48,225	1,513
Leather, shoes, and harness	14	10	22	13	292,586	145,710	496,770	130,472	20,899	14,571	22,580	10,036
Liquors and tobacco	20	18	21	9	180,455	581,268	2,535,579	74,100	9,022	32,292	119,313	8,233
Glass, earthenware, and brick	10	7	9	8	176,194	153,000	340,200	59,500	17,619	21,943	37,800	7,437
All other	58	94	131	104	845,250	1,531,117	3,044,383	6,224,168	14,573	16,288	23,239	59,847
Total manufacturing	232	292	367	292	6,297,797	5,393,064	11,394,587	10,263,085	27,146	18,469	31,047	35,147
TRADERS.												
General stores	270	267	245	199	1,646,351	1,729,846	1,843,347	1,574,703	6,097	6,479	7,523	7,913
Groceries, meats, and fish	234	301	325	241	1,510,329	1,286,989	1,485,925	811,909	6,454	4,276	4,572	3,368
Hotels and restaurants	35	41	53	31	507,271	241,816	385,302	660,390	14,493	5,898	7,269	21,302
Liquors and tobacco	83	90	110	77	302,174	431,795	704,727	633,665	3,041	4,797	6,406	8,229
Clothing and furnishing	106	140	151	153	937,647	1,064,514	1,753,015	1,663,279	8,846	7,694	11,609	10,871
Dry goods and carpets	82	105	140	88	978,905	1,490,337	2,963,977	1,445,850	11,938	14,193	21,171	16,430
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	34	70	64	65	284,721	584,896	1,436,765	443,559	8,374	8,355	22,449	6,823
Furniture and crockery	24	37	55	25	300,167	310,100	422,213	275,300	12,507	8,381	7,676	11,012
Hardware, stoves, and tools	30	72	83	68	211,285	793,572	709,878	521,478	7,042	11,022	8,552	7,668
Drugs and paints	43	55	67	45	169,085	236,779	337,128	233,680	3,932	4,305	5,031	5,192
Jewelry and clocks	17	26	38	39	83,979	342,670	482,100	479,200	4,940	13,179	12,686	12,287
Books and papers	5	28	13	14	39,325	184,964	56,300	78,950	4,915	6,006	4,330	5,639
Hats, furs, and gloves	3	13	10	19	44,000	88,020	120,964	158,350	14,666	6,770	12,056	8,334
All other	105	172	166	52	1,276,181	1,207,286	1,336,092	4,848,366	12,154	7,019	8,048	93,237
Total trading	1,074	1,417	1,520	1,110	8,291,420	9,993,584	14,037,733	13,828,679	7,720	7,052	9,235	12,391
Brokers and transporters	44	24	44	29	1,287,036	463,502	1,929,061	560,094	29,251	19,312	43,842	19,313
Total commercial	1,350	1,733	1,931	1,437	15,876,253	15,850,150	27,361,381	24,651,858	10,760	9,146	14,169	17,155

See note on page 1638.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	JANUARY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.												
Iron, foundries and nails.....	1	8	11	12	<i>Dollars.</i> 30,000	<i>Dollars.</i> 334,500	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,549,500	<i>Dollars.</i> 536,500	<i>Dollars.</i> 30,000	<i>Dollars.</i> 41,812	<i>Dollars.</i> 140,864	<i>Dollars.</i> 44,708
Machinery and tools.....	6	18	15	20	134,177	301,601	488,200	733,415	22,363	17,009	32,547	36,655
Woolen, carpets, and knit goods.....	2		4	7	143,000		125,500	190,500	71,500		31,375	27,214
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	1	3	4	3		56,800	23,500	10,000		18,033	5,875	3,333
Lumber, carpenters and coopers.....	29	34	36	47	259,511	771,263	761,743	1,263,617	9,949	22,684	21,243	20,885
Clothing and millinery.....	17	29	27	30	267,656	95,911	172,776	376,139	15,744	4,796	0,399	12,537
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	1	2	4	■	20,000	52,319	22,229	175,000	20,000	26,159	5,557	21,875
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	4	8	11	10	83,000	41,702	90,302	118,624	20,750	5,588	8,209	11,862
Printing and engraving.....	16	11	14	24	175,765	41,498	195,523	333,827	10,985	3,772	13,966	13,909
Milling and bakers.....	7	21	9	22	7,777	104,622	362,900	222,972	1,111	4,082	40,322	10,135
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	9	17	18	20	93,824	243,338	453,622	805,250	10,425	14,314	25,201	40,262
Liquors and tobacco.....	5	11	19	26	305,656	187,300	1,948,241	1,455,550	61,131	17,027	102,539	55,062
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	7	9	10	9	142,500	198,976	285,913	107,136	20,357	22,108	28,591	11,904
All other.....	55	71	84	80	546,702	621,225	2,089,997	2,257,166	9,940	8,750	24,681	28,214
Total manufacturing.....	160	233	266	318	2,209,568	3,054,055	8,572,946	8,585,696	13,810	13,108	32,229	26,999
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	185	199	222	216	1,269,747	1,003,659	1,109,147	1,473,307	6,863	5,043	4,996	6,820
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	181	265	279	298	510,798	778,617	875,014	1,678,256	2,822	2,938	3,136	5,631
Hotels and restaurants.....	27	38	45	35	147,548	357,317	321,135	151,629	5,465	9,403	7,136	4,332
Liquors and tobacco.....	75	85	103	101	391,181	471,107	536,326	665,798	5,216	5,542	5,207	6,592
Clothing and furnishing.....	60	83	99	98	484,413	858,554	761,859	1,353,208	8,073	10,356	7,095	13,808
Dry goods and carpets.....	61	70	82	111	975,432	439,028	1,091,510	1,373,115	15,991	6,272	11,864	12,370
Shoes, rubbers and trunks.....	35	56	68	69	225,242	356,403	623,932	2,054,004	6,435	6,365	9,264	29,776
Furniture and crockery.....	21	35	41	37	150,992	323,462	239,439	247,758	7,190	9,385	5,840	6,696
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	33	34	62	45	134,091	303,292	528,092	334,183	4,063	8,920	8,517	7,426
Drugs and paints.....	28	54	61	74	199,113	269,098	299,408	484,516	7,111	4,983	4,908	6,549
Jewelry and clocks.....	28	30	49	56	192,575	165,785	1,127,099	389,557	6,877	5,526	23,002	6,956
Books and papers.....	4	15	36	30	7,683	91,964	228,736	409,578	1,921	6,131	6,354	13,652
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	4	11	6	15	51,640	836,600	34,533	100,150	12,910	76,055	5,755	6,676
All other.....	95	118	160	157	529,837	761,128	1,604,727	1,426,970	5,577	6,450	10,029	9,088
Total trading.....	837	1,093	1,323	1,342	5,270,292	7,022,014	9,386,957	12,142,629	6,297	6,424	7,095	9,048
Brokers and transporters.....	22	29	32	25	242,037	375,444	399,682	1,007,418	11,010	12,946	12,490	40,296
Total commercial.....	1,019	1,355	1,621	1,685	7,721,837	10,451,513	18,359,585	21,735,743	7,572	7,713	11,326	12,899

See note on page 1638.

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	MANUFACTURERS.														
	Iron, foundries and rails.	Machinery and tools.	Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.	Cottons, lace, and hosiery.	Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.	Clothing and millinery.	Hats, gloves, and furs.	Chemicals, drugs, and paints.	Printing and engraving.	Milling and baking.	Leather, shoes, and harness.	Liquors and tobacco.	Glass, earthenware, and brick.	All other.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—January	180,000	80,000	30,000	50,000	240,000	110,000	70,000	30,000	80,000	230,000	280,000	80,000	240,000	1,590,000	3,310,000
February	360,000	50,000	100,000	60,000	480,000	250,000	190,000	40,000	60,000	90,000	90,000	110,000	270,000	1,710,000	3,900,000
March	510,000	990,000	.....	60,000	490,000	430,000	160,000	280,000	130,000	200,000	170,000	4,960,000	20,000	4,610,000	13,010,000
April	290,000	130,000	10,000	560,000	370,000	160,000	210,000	180,000	70,000	589,000	210,000	400,000	110,000	1,160,000	4,520,000
May	140,000	40,000	90,000	30,000	340,000	70,000	370,000	50,000	80,000	180,000	120,000	140,000	170,000	1,580,000	3,400,000
June	180,000	210,000	130,000	100,000	320,000	320,000	.....	480,000	70,000	180,000	190,000	340,000	40,000	9,580,000	12,160,000
July	60,000	150,000	120,000	40,000	120,000	320,000	.....	30,000	70,000	140,000	30,000	140,000	40,000	1,690,000	2,870,000
August	190,000	510,000	50,000	10,000	123,000	190,000	50,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	80,000	90,000	100,000	2,510,000	4,130,000
September	90,000	120,000	90,000	40,000	720,000	1,110,000	90,000	70,000	760,000	40,000	150,000	290,000	80,000	1,550,000	5,210,000
October	860,000	80,000	1,290,000	240,000	1,580,000	1,060,000	110,000	130,000	70,000	90,000	50,000	24,000	210,000	860,000	6,900,000
November	140,000	540,000	180,000	50,000	500,000	340,000	130,000	320,000	60,000	40,000	200,000	22,000	230,000	1,300,000	4,250,000
December	1,120,000	400,000	200,000	60,000	780,000	440,000	510,000	40,000	200,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	60,000	6,220,000	10,260,000
	4,120,000	3,360,000	2,290,000	1,300,000	6,060,000	4,720,000	1,890,000	1,630,000	1,780,000	1,860,000	1,700,000	7,080,000	1,570,000	34,260,000	73,920,000
1896—January	530,000	730,000	190,000	10,000	1,260,000	370,000	170,000	120,000	330,000	220,000	800,000	1,450,000	110,000	2,260,000	8,580,000
February	240,000	100,000	70,000	820,000	620,000	220,000	30,000	60,000	430,000	70,000	390,000	530,000	180,000	1,820,000	5,500,000
March	630,000	1,130,000	1,090,000	70,000	2,840,000	530,000	180,000	610,000	390,000	680,000	140,000	240,000	180,000	700,000	9,420,000
April	670,000	30,000	940,000	210,000	1,560,000	460,000	40,000	210,000	160,000	230,000	190,000	670,000	110,000	1,160,000	6,650,000
May	120,000	580,000	450,000	90,000	500,000	280,000	100,000	220,000	390,000	30,000	280,000	90,000	20,000	1,350,000	4,620,000
June	380,000	680,000	1,480,000	60,000	700,000	280,000	.....	150,000	220,000	410,000	420,000	40,000	90,000	3,280,000	8,210,000
July	700,000	280,000	460,000	60,000	1,460,000	320,000	50,000	570,000	850,000	130,000	80,000	230,000	730,000	1,630,000	7,570,000
August	600,000	370,000	160,000	120,000	3,790,000	110,000	20,000	50,000	40,000	650,000	60,000	230,000	190,000	6,160,000	13,100,000
September	350,000	580,000	600,000	720,000	1,310,000	330,000	50,000	170,000	80,000	230,000	880,000	1,600,000	20,000	4,890,000	11,810,000
October	190,000	330,000	2,070,000	80,000	730,000	690,000	30,000	150,000	170,000	220,000	180,000	450,000	50,000	1,580,000	6,940,000
November	70,000	540,000	150,000	280,000	560,000	520,000	70,000	100,000	180,000	100,000	140,000	210,000	40,000	1,660,000	4,660,000
December	580,000	390,000	690,000	130,000	970,000	370,000	350,000	240,000	270,000	1,010,000	500,000	2,510,000	340,000	3,040,000	11,390,000
	5,000,000	5,740,000	8,350,000	2,650,000	18,390,000	4,580,000	1,990,000	2,650,000	3,510,000	4,010,000	3,970,000	8,280,000	2,060,000	29,530,000	98,450,000
1897—January	1,550,000	490,000	120,000	20,000	760,000	170,000	20,000	90,000	190,000	390,000	450,000	1,950,000	280,000	2,090,000	8,570,000
February	520,000	640,000	290,000	300,000	820,000	470,000	.....	170,000	190,000	130,000	230,000	150,000	540,000	2,530,000	7,110,000
March	190,000	570,000	140,000	150,000	910,000	100,000	20,000	130,000	560,000	450,000	550,000	120,000	120,000	2,690,000	6,730,000
April	760,000	40,000	260,000	8,540,000	500,000	100,000	.....	.....	90,000	850,000	80,000	200,000	40,000	1,260,000	12,140,000
May	680,000	90,000	80,000	520,000	290,000	130,000	70,000	40,000	100,000	170,000	740,000	250,000	220,000	1,210,000	4,600,000
June	1,490,000	630,000	120,000	10,000	460,000	170,000	30,000	70,000	360,000	350,000	280,000	220,000	150,000	2,120,000	6,360,000
July	20,000	190,000	250,000	110,000	190,000	190,000	30,000	20,000	50,000	110,000	40,000	20,000	160,000	1,150,000	2,550,000
August	120,000	350,000	10,000	220,000	420,000	120,000	10,000	30,000	220,000	110,000	240,000	260,000	50,000	1,430,000	3,580,000
September	380,000	410,000	40,000	40,000	510,000	140,000	30,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	460,000	180,000	110,000	680,000	3,320,000
October	20,000	130,000	10,000	30,000	320,000	360,000	30,000	90,000	160,000	80,000	60,000	440,000	140,000	990,000	2,880,000
November	80,000	180,000	.....	120,000	1,610,000	260,000	90,000	70,000	880,000	50,000	230,000	150,000	10,000	590,000	4,330,000
December	130,000	990,000	260,000	30,000	580,000	250,000	360,000	30,000	210,000	210,000	150,000	580,000	150,000	1,530,000	5,340,000
	5,940,000	4,710,000	1,580,000	10,090,000	7,380,000	2,460,000	490,000	820,000	2,220,000	2,940,000	3,510,000	4,530,000	1,970,000	18,370,000	68,510,000
1898—January	330,000	300,000	.....	60,000	770,000	90,000	50,000	40,000	40,000	100,000	240,000	190,000	200,000	620,000	3,050,000
February	10,000	1,110,000	310,000	40,000	640,000	220,000	70,000	140,000	40,000	90,000	160,000	100,000	110,000	590,000	3,640,000
March	180,000	607,156	26,800	370,000	1,215,475	154,312	62,781	2,173,644	122,266	79,900	199,600	307,334	73,358	1,374,136	6,952,762
April	23,000	564,648	168,000	255,000	468,363	403,398	750	1,700	80,602	76,433	263,800	44,000	144,687	2,539,787	5,034,708
May	75,000	634,354	1,117,000	50,000	697,710	145,759	83,505	76,775	339,100	70,768	525,282	258,392	52,356	1,191,700	5,287,701
June	268,569	982,925	40,000	21,750	594,275	486,169	28,178	39,151	1,135,348	52,800	99,700	274,092	150,767	2,625,855	6,799,579
July	301,000	824,400	53,500	25,000	259,000	52,943	.....	52,000	153,100	361,559	184,913	148,392	186,900	1,700,958	4,303,665
August	2,600	195,100	89,500	12,200	105,136	80,755	700	47,300	20,695	71,200	176,500	88,300	152,600	838,647	1,881,233
September	121,709	509,700	.....	1,084,300	320,313	137,354	30,500	16,707	157,524	45,832	127,050	12,400	118,000	1,241,810	3,923,199
October	65,000	822,000	1,987,600	70,123	555,715	195,380	15,500	61,670	21,248	49,000	1,312,801	159,800	28,500	1,802,373	7,146,710
November	215,635	188,900	35,500	600	254,449	268,216	68,177	21,500	62,700	5,050	7,230	86,350	12,800	1,996,506	3,223,613
December	506,176	541,743	2,596,000	32,800	455,955	189,225	87,500	161,300	93,413	139,200	292,586	180,453	176,194	845,250	6,297,797
	2,100,000	7,300,000	6,400,000	2,000,000	6,300,000	2,400,000	500,000	2,800	2,300	1,100,000	3,600,000	1,800,000	1,400,000	17,400,000	57,500,000
1899—January	30,000	134,177	143,000	.....	259,511	267,656	20,000	83,000	175,765	7,777	93,824	305,656	142,500	546,702	2,209,568
Twelve months ending June 30—															
1895	3,770,000	2,590,000	1,730,000	2,340,000	3,790,000	2,660,000	1,760,000	1,560,000	1,020,000	2,020,000	2,280,000	6,940,000	1,440,000	32,110,000	66,130,000
1896	5,030,000	5,050,000	6,150,000	1,800,000	11,300,000	5,610,000	1,410,000	2,000,000	3,210,000	2,070,000	2,770,000	4,070,000	1,410,000	24,700,000	76,600,000
1897	7,680,000	4,950,000	5,140,000	10,930,000	12,570,000	3,480,000	710,000	1,800,000	3,080,000	4,650,000	4,170,000	8,150,000	2,720,000	30,9,000	100,980,000
1898	1,644,069	6,454,546	2,236,800	1,341,550	8,013,877	2,823,071	852,833	2,772,879	3,485,417	1,077,723	2,675,370	2,815,121	1,351,066	15,314,002	52,768,144

NOTE.—The discrepancy in the totals is caused by dropping the odd thousands.

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	TRADERS.														
	General stores.	Groceries, meats, and fish.	Hotels and restaurants.	Liquors and tobacco.	Clothing and furnishing.	Dry goods and carpets.	Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.	Furniture and crockery.	Hardware, stoves, and tools.	Drugs and paints.	Jewelry and clocks.	Books and papers.	Hats, furs, and gloves.	All other.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—January	2,110,000	1,060,000	190,000	710,000	630,000	2,070,000	490,000	320,000	370,000	350,000	490,000	180,000	310,000	1,870,000	11,220,000
February	1,030,000	1,000,000	180,000	1,060,000	540,000	1,160,000	480,000	230,000	140,000	250,000	130,000	110,000	40,000	1,040,000	7,430,000
March	970,000	480,000	230,000	740,000	780,000	840,000	350,000	370,000	210,000	130,000	260,000	100,000	40,000	1,320,000	6,830,000
April	1,650,000	800,000	130,000	380,000	510,000	630,000	240,000	190,000	280,000	170,000	230,000	130,000	30,000	910,000	6,320,000
May	1,110,000	660,000	220,000	490,000	460,000	430,000	310,000	110,000	340,000	80,000	20,000	100,000	270,000	1,550,000	6,140,000
June	520,000	730,000	130,000	550,000	570,000	1,610,000	300,000	100,000	140,000	140,000	260,000	100,000	220,000	1,830,000	7,230,000
July	440,000	410,000	500,000	180,000	520,000	790,000	170,000	90,000	230,000	130,000	70,000	160,000	150,000	2,870,000	6,700,000
August	490,000	520,000	540,000	250,000	820,000	1,090,000	170,000	50,000	680,000	210,000	90,000	110,000	30,000	1,220,000	6,270,000
September ..	620,000	510,000	270,000	170,000	490,000	270,000	150,000	100,000	250,000	950,000	220,000	80,000	-----	1,360,000	5,460,000
October	1,400,000	620,000	380,000	530,000	1,490,000	890,000	740,000	130,000	430,000	220,000	150,000	70,000	50,000	1,180,000	8,280,000
November ..	1,340,000	530,000	90,000	310,000	1,230,000	1,000,000	210,000	100,000	420,000	150,000	80,000	80,000	150,000	1,310,000	6,990,000
December ..	1,570,000	810,000	660,000	630,000	1,660,000	1,450,000	440,000	280,000	520,000	230,000	480,000	80,000	160,000	4,850,000	13,830,000
	13,250,000	8,130,000	3,520,000	6,000,000	9,750,000	12,230,000	4,050,000	2,070,000	4,010,000	3,010,000	2,480,000	1,300,000	1,450,000	21,310,000	92,700,000
1896—January	1,470,000	1,680,000	150,000	660,000	1,350,000	1,370,000	2,050,000	250,000	330,000	480,000	390,000	410,000	100,000	1,430,000	12,140,000
February	1,120,000	910,000	190,000	490,000	370,000	600,000	510,000	140,000	590,000	90,000	230,000	90,000	60,000	1,170,000	6,610,000
March	1,280,000	1,220,000	210,000	440,000	1,590,000	2,760,000	700,000	540,000	370,000	240,000	290,000	170,000	60,000	2,770,000	12,670,000
April	850,000	550,000	200,000	460,000	470,000	550,000	390,000	210,000	200,000	480,000	240,000	100,000	-----	830,000	5,530,000
May	500,000	950,000	680,000	400,000	520,000	930,000	250,000	90,000	360,000	330,000	170,000	100,000	330,000	1,490,000	7,090,000
June	690,000	580,000	160,000	680,000	830,000	880,000	470,000	180,000	340,000	170,000	290,000	40,000	40,000	1,920,000	7,320,000
July	690,000	700,000	80,000	730,000	240,000	760,000	210,000	150,000	350,000	180,000	100,000	240,000	30,000	2,460,000	6,910,000
August	460,000	620,000	160,000	340,000	870,000	2,470,000	450,000	600,000	320,000	100,000	700,000	20,000	50,000	1,880,000	9,060,000
September ..	1,110,000	920,000	480,000	820,000	930,000	2,630,000	490,000	880,000	720,000	390,000	470,000	270,000	20,000	2,650,000	12,780,000
October	1,030,000	690,000	270,000	350,000	1,070,000	1,640,000	380,000	150,000	430,000	150,000	150,000	90,000	70,000	920,000	7,420,000
November ..	1,350,000	510,000	200,000	350,000	1,730,000	1,160,000	220,000	260,000	400,000	170,000	90,000	10,000	20,000	1,020,000	7,480,000
December ..	1,840,000	1,490,000	390,000	700,000	1,750,000	2,960,000	1,440,000	420,000	710,000	340,000	480,000	60,000	120,000	1,340,000	14,040,000
	12,390,000	10,820,000	3,170,000	6,420,000	11,780,000	18,710,000	7,560,000	3,870,000	5,120,000	3,120,000	3,600,000	1,610,000	900,000	19,880,000	109,050,000
1897—January	1,110,000	870,000	320,000	540,000	760,000	1,090,000	630,000	240,000	530,000	300,000	1,130,000	230,000	30,000	1,600,000	9,390,000
February	810,000	660,000	340,000	400,000	540,000	740,000	520,000	290,000	470,000	190,000	130,000	50,000	60,000	930,000	6,130,000
March	780,000	1,140,000	90,000	530,000	680,000	830,000	530,000	420,000	520,000	300,000	400,000	170,000	30,000	2,110,000	8,530,000
April	730,000	540,000	110,000	270,000	330,000	600,000	290,000	200,000	190,000	190,000	60,000	120,000	-----	1,000,000	4,660,000
May	330,000	470,000	160,000	490,000	690,000	700,000	140,000	230,000	490,000	160,000	110,000	50,000	20,000	790,000	4,840,000
June	670,000	620,000	320,000	680,000	860,000	700,000	410,000	620,000	450,000	170,000	140,000	80,000	60,000	1,930,000	7,730,000
July	420,000	380,000	470,000	310,000	460,000	510,000	160,000	280,000	200,000	120,000	50,000	70,000	20,000	690,000	4,140,000
August	430,000	410,000	150,000	510,000	340,000	350,000	340,000	80,000	430,000	180,000	110,000	170,000	10,000	660,000	4,180,000
September ..	580,000	520,000	140,000	270,000	510,000	400,000	530,000	160,000	280,000	180,000	70,000	50,000	10,000	810,000	4,510,000
October	590,000	360,000	130,000	460,000	340,000	1,480,000	260,000	60,000	270,000	170,000	30,000	20,000	210,000	570,000	4,940,000
November ..	1,050,000	470,000	350,000	220,000	730,000	1,150,000	170,000	90,000	310,000	170,000	140,000	60,000	60,000	480,000	5,450,000
December ..	1,730,000	1,230,000	240,000	430,000	1,060,000	1,490,000	580,000	310,000	790,000	240,000	340,000	180,000	90,000	1,210,000	9,990,000
	9,230,000	7,670,000	2,820,000	5,110,000	7,300,000	10,040,000	4,510,000	2,980,000	4,930,000	2,370,000	2,710,000	1,250,000	610,000	12,780,000	74,490,000
1898—January	1,000,000	780,000	360,000	470,000	860,000	440,000	360,000	330,000	300,000	270,000	170,000	90,000	840,000	760,000	7,020,000
February	680,000	720,000	60,000	210,000	310,000	830,000	300,000	210,000	400,000	170,000	140,000	220,000	10,000	880,000	5,150,000
March	969,333	861,367	102,925	291,586	520,817	467,802	204,244	270,970	377,508	177,095	151,064	57,200	68,700	780,158	5,300,769
April	361,548	737,963	186,491	113,373	422,041	468,350	242,253	132,580	256,414	80,081	49,442	22,500	28,842	885,589	3,987,467
May	568,942	685,717	127,562	464,972	873,711	291,558	315,971	80,420	163,162	182,511	328,271	17,600	32,000	955,658	5,087,995
June	739,167	924,323	276,810	407,597	877,350	775,650	489,227	146,331	126,546	154,288	150,388	23,156	101,736	1,217,780	6,410,349
July	326,090	471,346	216,113	333,724	135,611	366,085	222,525	118,084	111,806	126,884	56,124	11,700	15,000	860,322	3,371,414
August	268,439	374,883	50,467	338,459	265,295	438,034	917,265	31,353	215,409	77,465	25,127	46,286	158,500	612,174	3,819,156
September ..	491,302	574,009	241,050	253,534	205,720	352,112	236,867	334,940	447,950	130,105	82,374	29,627	170,837	854,425	4,404,852
October	676,559	434,849	116,543	241,451	324,806	1,967,302	403,904	58,794	269,499	168,480	22,400	11,200	3,560	398,186	5,097,533
November ..	793,930	502,077	141,399	153,709	732,299	323,931	72,364	276,685	157,616	119,351	69,673	105,178	21,000	510,839	3,977,051
December ..	1,646,351	1,510,329	507,271	302,174	937,647	978,905	284,721	300,167	211,285	169,085	83,979	39,325	44,000	1,276,181	8,201,420
	8,500,000	8,600,000	2,400,000	3,600,000	6,500,										

NOTE.—The discrepancy in the totals is caused by dropping the odd thousands.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

QUARTERLY STATEMENTS OF FAILURES AND AVERAGE OF LIABILITIES, 1875-1898.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR THE YEAR.		
	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabilities.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabilities.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabilities.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabilities.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabilities.
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1875.....	1,962	43,173,000	21,782	1,582	33,667,000	21,295	1,771	54,328,000	30,676	2,405	70,888,000	29,475	7,740	201,060,333	25,960
1876.....	2,806	64,644,000	23,039	1,794	43,771,000	24,398	2,450	47,857,371	19,533	2,042	34,844,893	17,064	9,092	191,117,786	21,020
1877.....	2,869	54,538,074	19,010	1,880	45,068,097	23,972	1,816	42,346,085	23,318	2,307	48,717,680	21,117	8,872	190,669,936	21,491
1878.....	3,355	82,078,826	24,464	2,470	48,753,940	19,738	2,853	66,378,363	23,266	1,800	37,172,003	20,651	10,478	234,383,132	22,369
1879.....	2,524	43,112,665	17,081	1,534	22,666,725	14,776	1,262	15,275,550	12,104	1,338	17,094,113	12,775	6,658	98,149,053	14,741
1880.....	1,432	12,777,074	8,922	1,065	20,111,689	18,884	979	12,121,422	12,381	1,259	20,741,815	16,474	4,735	65,752,009	13,886
1881.....	1,761	24,447,250	13,900	1,105	16,499,395	14,931	1,024	10,112,365	9,875	1,692	30,096,922	17,600	5,582	81,155,932	14,530
1882.....	2,127	33,338,271	15,670	1,470	17,242,649	11,722	1,300	18,942,893	14,571	1,841	32,023,751	17,394	6,738	101,547,564	15,070
1883.....	2,821	38,372,643	13,602	1,816	27,816,391	15,317	1,893	52,072,884	28,881	2,744	54,612,254	19,902	9,184	172,874,172	18,823
1884.....	3,296	40,186,978	12,193	2,214	84,204,304	37,998	2,346	56,627,821	24,138	3,112	45,324,324	14,547	10,968	226,343,427	20,632
1885.....	3,658	46,121,051	12,608	2,346	28,601,304	12,091	2,173	23,874,391	10,986	2,460	25,623,575	10,416	10,637	124,220,321	11,678
1886.....	3,203	29,681,726	9,266	1,953	20,752,734	15,746	1,932	27,227,630	14,090	2,746	36,982,029	13,467	9,834	114,644,119	11,651
1887.....	3,007	32,161,762	10,695	1,905	22,976,330	12,061	1,938	73,022,556	37,674	2,784	39,400,296	14,152	9,634	167,560,944	17,392
1888.....	2,948	38,884,789	13,190	2,241	29,229,370	13,043	2,361	22,114,254	9,366	3,129	33,601,560	10,738	10,679	123,829,973	11,593
1889.....	3,311	42,972,516	12,979	2,292	22,856,337	9,972	2,276	39,227,045	17,235	3,003	43,728,439	14,561	10,882	148,784,337	13,672
1890.....	3,223	37,852,968	11,747	2,162	27,466,416	12,704	2,196	35,452,436	16,144	3,326	89,085,144	26,784	10,907	189,856,964	17,406
1891.....	3,545	42,167,631	11,894	2,529	50,248,636	19,868	2,754	44,302,494	16,086	3,445	53,149,877	15,428	12,273	189,868,633	15,471
1892.....	3,384	39,284,349	11,609	2,119	22,989,331	10,849	1,984	18,659,235	9,405	2,867	33,111,252	11,549	10,344	114,044,167	11,025
1893.....	3,202	47,338,300	14,784	3,199	121,541,239	37,984	4,015	82,469,821	20,402	4,826	95,430,529	19,770	15,242	346,779,889	22,751
1894.....	4,304	64,137,333	14,900	2,734	37,595,973	13,751	2,868	29,411,196	10,028	3,979	41,848,354	10,172	13,885	172,992,856	12,458
1895.....	3,802	47,813,683	12,577	2,855	41,026,261	14,370	2,792	32,167,179	11,528	3,748	52,188,737	13,924	13,197	173,196,060	13,124
1896.....	4,031	57,425,135	14,246	2,995	40,444,547	13,504	3,757	73,285,349	19,507	4,305	54,941,803	12,762	15,088	226,096,834	14,992
1897.....	3,932	48,007,911	12,210	2,889	43,684,876	15,121	2,881	25,601,188	8,886	3,649	37,038,096	10,150	13,351	154,332,071	11,559
1898.....	3,687	32,946,565	8,936	3,031	34,498,074	11,381	2,540	25,104,778	9,886	2,928	38,113,482	13,017	12,186	130,662,899	10,722

FAILURES AND AGGREGATE LIABILITIES, 1879-1898.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.	CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.
				Dollars.					Dollars.
1879.....	6,658	702,157	.95	98,149,053	1889.....	10,882	1,051,140	1.04	148,784,337
1880.....	4,735	746,823	.63	65,752,000	1890.....	10,907	1,110,590	.98	189,856,964
1881.....	5,582	781,689	.71	81,155,932	1891.....	12,273	1,142,951	1.07	189,868,638
1882.....	6,738	822,256	.82	101,547,546	1892.....	10,344	1,172,705	.88	114,044,167
1883.....	9,184	863,993	1.06	172,874,172	1893.....	15,242	1,193,113	1.28	346,779,889
1884.....	10,968	904,759	1.21	226,343,427	1894.....	13,885	1,114,174	1.25	172,992,856
1885.....	10,637	919,990	1.16	124,220,321	1895.....	13,197	1,209,282	1.09	173,196,060
1886.....	9,834	969,841	1.01	114,644,119	1896.....	15,088	1,151,579	1.31	226,096,834
1887.....	9,634	994,281	.90	167,560,944	1897.....	13,351	1,058,521	1.26	154,332,071
1888.....	10,679	1,046,662	1.02	123,829,973	1898.....	12,186	1,005,830	1.10	130,662,899

MISCELLANEOUS TABLES.

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RECEIPTS FROM WAR-REVENUE ACT.

FROM JUNE 13, 1898, TO JANUARY 1, 1899.

[Prepared in the Office of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Treasury Department.]

Documentary and proprietary stamps	\$22,348,367.16
Special taxes	4,500,068.75
Excise tax on gross receipts	280,537.65
Legacies	134,899.63
Mixed flour	5,189.95
Barrel tax on beer	18,102,569.85
Snuff	330,638.90
Tobacco	6,468,194.88
Cigars	1,443,339.73
Cigarettes	748,315.89
Total	54,362,122.39

NOTE.—There have also been additional taxes collected on articles relating to tobacco, manufactured, imported and removed from factory or custom-house, act of June 13, 1898, amounting to \$763,185.06, and additional collections on fermented liquors stored in warehouse amounting to \$161,524.60.

COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1897, 1898, AND 1899.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.			VALUES.		
	Month ending January 31—			Month ending January 31—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Animals, living (for food):				£	£	£
Cattle.....No..	32,372	35,851	22,003	564,833	615,676	376,671
Sheep and lambs.....No..	18,000	17,407	22,043	25,639	26,232	33,332
Corn:						
Wheat, meal, and flour—						
On the Atlantic.....cwt..	1,874,700	2,705,300	4,537,170	682,458	1,137,232	1,570,346
On the Pacific.....cwt..	502,400	827,000	109,700	194,670	343,814	38,205
Meal and flour.....cwt..	1,442,200	1,945,800	2,199,450	699,904	1,066,354	1,081,709
Oats.....cwt..	677,260	699,300	347,100	163,382	189,158	98,352
Indian corn or maize.....cwt..	3,443,400	3,572,400	4,088,400	590,125	653,697	903,355
Bacon.....cwt..	332,758	434,272	449,680	486,690	661,601	708,291
Beef:						
Salted.....cwt..	11,745	14,605	16,789	14,511	17,924	22,212
Fresh.....cwt..	169,472	183,283	197,803	348,615	384,275	403,940
Hams.....cwt..	97,536	127,426	142,086	203,395	253,554	281,962
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh.....cwt..	5,009	6,914	9,764	6,537	11,328	16,754
Pork, salted (not hams).....cwt..	12,220	20,424	24,107	16,144	25,938	30,205
Butter.....cwt..	28,701	3,670	19,768	124,121	16,367	88,493
Cheese.....cwt..	63,338	56,475	93,040	151,108	119,565	209,176
Fish, cured or salted.....cwt..	14,046	21,650	11,854	38,273	41,693	29,604
Hops.....cwt..	12,212	53,213	34,482	38,649	210,404	178,162
Lard.....cwt..	89,014	190,383	158,640	103,408	235,512	222,315
Sugar, refined, and candy.....cwt..	301	1,004	173	485	1,233	152
Copper, ore.....tons..	367	140	.....	2,726	3,486	6
Regulus and precipitate.....tons..	1,603	1,260	1,440	44,499	34,386	44,019
Unwrought and part unwrought.....tons..	2,378	1,738	2,405	119,707	86,389	139,336
Iron and steel: Iron, pig and puddled.....tons..	9,022	8,871	14,621	21,152	19,216	34,386
Lead, pig and sheet.....tons..	2,008	2,180	2,558	22,896	25,993	33,824
Oils: Petroleum.....galls..	10,970,713	17,490,123	13,339,763	217,680	285,139	265,979
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	2,152,574	1,821,001	2,979,253	4,690,749	3,184,201	4,939,892
Pulp of wood:						
Chemical.....tons..	.....	657	1,160	.....	3,797	6,737
Mechanical.....tons..	.....	1,425	38	.....	8,253	224
Tallow and stearine.....cwt..	16,664	41,369	60,685	15,626	36,883	61,167
Wood and timber:						
Hewn.....loads..	7,709	9,085	15,639	43,017	41,452	65,681
Sawn or split, planed or dressed.....loads..	24,342	29,843	24,018	76,293	80,639	69,802
Clocks and parts of.....cwt..	.....	.....	.....	5,446	5,916	7,479
Leather.....cwt..	28,834	53,039	68,068	156,596	282,685	349,279
Paper:						
Unprinted.....cwt..	18,570	73,840	25,119	15,424	49,029	21,351
Printed.....cwt..	1,135	2,057	665	1,478	3,712	1,484
Animals: Horses.....No..	1,683	2,109	1,405	48,457	63,563	45,535
Flaxseed or linseed.....qrs..	34,824	20	1,270	55,279	30	2,298
Cast and wrought iron and all other manufacturers unenumerated (except ordnance).....tons..	59	130	83	1,435	2,650	2,356
Old, for remanufacture.....tons..	12	.....	35	.....	.....	.....
Steel, unwrought.....tons..	1,073	1,207	623	19,830	21,468	14,968
Black plates for tinning (iron and steel).....tons..	10	47	50	105	450	550
Manufactures of steel, or of steel and iron combined.....tons..	40	48	33	6,034	5,642	7,232
Lead:						
Pig, and manufactures of.....tons..	9	.....	2	159	.....	48
Tin, unwrought.....tons..	.....	142	200	.....	461	874
Machinery and millwork, or parts thereof:						
Steam engines—						
Agricultural.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000
Other descriptions.....	.....	.....	.....	1,239	207	251
Not steam engines—						
Agricultural.....	.....	.....	.....	52	160	.....
Textile.....	.....	.....	.....	14,569	25,029	19,096
Other descriptions.....	.....	.....	.....	2,477	2,631	4,233

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1897, 1898, AND 1899—Continued.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.			VALUES.		
	Month ending January 31—			Month ending January 31—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Apparel and articles of personal use:				£	£	£
Apparel and slops				1,533	1,468	2,412
Haberdashery and millinery, including embroidery and needlework.....				4,417	4,472	3,644
Chemicals, and chemical and medicinal preparations:						
Alkali.....cwt..	177,239	109,537	35,077	38,266	21,313	7,836
Bleaching materials or preparations.....cwt..	63,613	63,059	67,589	20,452	17,979	16,372
All other articles:						
Bags and sacks, empty, for packing merchandise.....doz..	3,755	2,083	7,883	603	214	804
Cement.....tons..	1,804	892	899	2,862	1,567	2,225
Earthen and china ware:						
Earthenware, chinaware, parian, and porcelain				39,158	38,849	37,013
Paper:						
Writing or printing, and envelopes.....cwt..	1,070	1,503	350	2,277	2,225	809
All other descriptions.....cwt..	652	520	553	2,365	1,747	1,856
Saddlery and harness				1,866	1,509	2,228
Skins and furs of all sorts				28,575	59,245	49,653
Stationery, other than paper.....				2,597	4,824	4,300

EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES.

Beer and ale	bbls..	4,349	2,467	4,481	20,619	14,627	10,316
Salt, rock and white	tons..	11,203	9,593	6,950	11,244	9,074	7,947
Spirits, British and Irish	proof galls..	28,689	20,076	30,878	11,608	9,681	13,991
Wool, sheep and lambs'	lbs..	1,021,400	1,261,200	641,600	35,854	32,486	13,927
Cotton manufactures:							
Piece goods, gray or unbleached	yds..	399,900	243,800	528,300	6,562	4,529	8,098
Piece goods, bleached	yds..	2,532,000	1,574,800	2,305,400	45,088	31,561	48,634
Piece goods, printed	yds..	946,400	654,700	504,700	21,794	13,990	12,006
Piece goods, dyed or manufactured of dyed yarn.....	yds..	2,879,400	4,040,900	5,302,100	81,979	99,860	129,282
Total piece goods of all kinds.....	yds..	6,757,700	6,514,200	8,675,200	155,422	149,940	198,770
Jute yarn	lbs..			38,600			383
Jute manufactures:							
Piece goods of all kinds	yds..	11,206,600	6,507,100	5,561,700	92,554	55,871	47,972
Linen yarn	lbs..	85,300	132,600	77,300	4,689	3,407	2,373
Linen manufactures:							
Piece goods of all kinds	yds..	10,253,400	9,883,400	8,651,700	189,344	174,606	176,345
Silk:							
Thrown, twist, and yarn	lbs..	22,633	43,192	66,367	6,250	11,495	14,265
Manufactures:							
Wholly of silk—							
Broad stuffs of silk or satin	yds..	18,662	13,762	25,771	2,099	1,448	3,127
Lace					7,187	6,497	4,534
Other articles, of silk only					882	1,381	603
Of silk and other materials.....					7,796	9,287	8,707
Woolen yarn	lbs..	2,300	300	500	219	44	88
Worsted yarn	lbs..	29,800	21,000	9,900	3,860	1,890	1,271
Woolen and worsted manufactures:							
Woolen tissues	yds..	752,800	213,600	281,400	86,587	39,401	43,515
Worsted tissues	yds..	3,213,800	2,117,500	1,877,500	191,346	121,961	108,472
Carpets, not being rugs.....	yds..	21,700	29,900	29,700	2,835	5,030	5,837
Metals, and articles manufactured therefrom, except machinery:							
Hardware and cutlery unenumerated					12,421	7,718	9,317
Iron and steel:							
Iron, pig	tons..	1,133	1,857	1,927	5,695	9,499	12,188
Bar, angle, bolt and rod	tons..	151	226	331	2,485	3,631	5,004
Wire of iron or steel and manufactures of (except telegraph wires) ..	tons..	149	83	131	2,746	2,134	2,751
Hoops, sheets, and boiler and armor plates.....	tons..	133	24	2	1,075	216	40
Tin plates and sheets	tons..	8,810	8,883	2,428	101,729	91,672	25,889

SUBMARINE AND LAND TELEGRAPHS OF THE WORLD,

SHOWING

LOCATION, NUMBER, LENGTH OF LINES, SERVICE PERFORMED,
COST OF CONSTRUCTION, AND HISTORY OF SYSTEM;

WITH

ADDITIONAL DATA REGARDING THE LAND TELEGRAPH LINES OF THE WORLD AND THEIR SERVICE.

SUBMARINE TELEGRAPHS.

The submarine telegraphs of the world number 1,500. Their aggregate length is 170,000 miles; their total cost is estimated at \$250,000,000, and the number of messages annually transmitted over them 6,000,000. ^a All the grand divisions of the earth are now connected by their wires, and from country to country and island to island the thoughts and words of mankind are instantaneously transmitted. Beneath all oceans save the Pacific the universal language which this system has created flows uninterruptedly, and man talks as face to face with his fellow-man at the antipodes. Darkest Africa now converses daily with enlightened Europe or America, and the great events of the morning are known in the evening throughout the inhabited world. Adding to the submarine lines the land-telegraph systems by which they are connected and through which they bring interior points of the various continents into instantaneous communication, the total length of telegraph lines of the world is 835,000 miles, the length of their single wires or conductors 3,500,000 miles, and the total number of messages annually sent over them 365,000,000, or an average of 1,000,000 messages each day.

In the short half century since the practicability of submarine telegraphy was demonstrated, the electric wires have invaded every ocean except the Pacific. Nearly a score of wires have been laid across the Atlantic, of which no less than thirteen now successfully operate between the United States and Europe, while three others span the comparatively short distance between South America and the African and south European coast lines. Throughout the Indian Ocean, lines connect the far East with Europe and America by way of the Red Sea, the Mediterranean, the western coast of Europe, and the great trans-Atlantic lines. The Mediterranean is crossed and recrossed in its entire length and breadth by numerous cable lines, and the "Mediterranean of America," the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean Sea, is traversed in all directions by lines which bring its islands and colonies into speaking relations with each other and with South America, Central America, the United States, and thence with Europe, Africa, Asia—the whole world. Along the eastern coast of Asia, cable lines loop from port to port and island to island, receiving messages overland from eastern Europe by way of the Russia-Siberian land lines and forwarding them to Japan, China, Australia, New Zealand, the Straits Settlements, Hongkong, and the Philippines, and receiving others in return. South America is skirted with cable lines along its entire border save the extreme south, where they are brought into intercommunication by land lines. Along the entire coast of Africa, cables loop from place to place and from colony to colony, stretching along the entire circumference and penetrating the interior by land lines at various points.

Every body of water lying between the inhabited portions of the earth, with the single exception of the Pacific Ocean, has been crossed and recrossed by submarine telegraph lines. Even that vast expanse of water has been invaded along its margin, submarine wires stretching along its western border from Siberia to Australia, while its eastern borders are skirted with lines which stretch along the western coasts of the two Americas. Several adventurous pioneers in Pacific telegraphy have ventured to considerable distances and depths in that great ocean, one cable line running from Australia to New Zealand, a distance of over 1,000 miles, and another extending from Australia to the French colony of New Caledonia, 800 miles seaward.

The chief obstacle in the past to the construction of a grand trans-Pacific cable was found in the fact that midocean resting places could not be satisfactorily obtained or arranged for, no single government controlling a sufficient number of suitable landing places to make this seem practicable, in view of the belief that the distance through which messages could be sent and cables controlled was limited. With landing places at Hawaii, Wake Island, Guam, and the Philippines, however, no section of a cable stretching from the United States to Asia and touching at these points would have a length equal to that now in daily operation between France and the United States. The length of the French cable from Brest, France, to Cape Cod, Mass., is 3,250 miles, while the greatest distance from land to land on the proposed Pacific route would be that from San Francisco to Hawaii, 2,089 miles, that from Hawaii to Wake Island being 2,040 miles, from Wake Island to Guam 1,290 miles, from Guam to Manila 1,520 miles, and from Manila to the Asiatic coast 630 miles. While the depth of the Pacific is somewhat greater than that at which any cable has been laid, the difference between its depth and the greatest reached by

^a Of this total about 150,000 miles belong to 35 companies operating the commercial cables, which number about 320; the remainder are mostly short lines controlled by governments, and connecting forts, batteries, signal stations, light-houses, etc., the aggregate of governmental lines being about 1,150 and their total length about 20,000 miles. In addition to this the governments of the world hold about 80,000 miles of cable in stock for war purposes, ready to be laid at a moment's notice.

cables in the Atlantic would be very slight, the cable recently laid from Haiti to the Windward Islands being in 18,000 feet of water, while the greatest depth between San Francisco and Hawaii is 18,300 feet, and the greatest depth between Hawaii and Manila is estimated at 19,600 feet, though this estimate is yet to be verified by detailed soundings. Otto Krummel, who was the first to discuss the bathymetric data and calculate the area and volume of the various oceanic basins, puts the mean depth of the Pacific at 2,160 fathoms, against 2,040 for the Atlantic, in which cables have already been so successfully laid, and later researches and actual soundings, while they have developed extreme depths at certain points in the Pacific, have not, in the opinion of experts, been such as to warrant the belief that the depths along the proposed line would be considerably greater than those in which cables have been already successfully laid and operated.

The developments in the construction, laying, and operating of submarine cables and in their availability for general public use have quite kept pace with their extension throughout the civilized world. From a mere gutta-percha-coated wire, the submarine conductor of electricity has developed in a half century into a great cable having a central copper core surrounded by numerous layers of nonconducting material and protected by steel wire wound spirally about it, and in turn further protected by waterproof and insect-proof wrappings. From a steamer-towed open barge, the facilities for laying have developed to a fleet of nearly fifty steam vessels, with every facility for laying, picking up, splicing, and repairing the cable lines. From a speed rate of three words per minute, which was made on the first trans-Atlantic cables, the speed of transmission has been accelerated to fifty words per minute, and even more than that with the automatic transmitters now coming into use with cable lines, while by the duplexing of the cables their carrying capacity is doubled. From a cost to the sender of \$100 per message, which was originally charged on the first trans-Atlantic cables, the rate from New York to London and the great cities on the continent of Europe has fallen to 25 cents per word. From several hours required for the transmission of a message and receipt of a response, the time has been so reduced that messages from the Executive Mansion to the battlefield at Santiago were sent and a response received within 12 minutes, while a message sent from the House of Representatives in Washington to the House of Parliament in London in the chess match of 1898, was transmitted and the reply received in 13½ seconds.

The effect of this ready and inexpensive method of transmitting thoughts and words from continent to continent throughout the civilized world is shown in the rapid development of international commerce since it began. The first successful cable lines between the United States and Europe were put into operation in 1866. In that year our commerce with Europe amounted to \$652,232,289; in 1876, to \$728,959,053; in 1886, to \$898,911,504; in 1896, to \$1,091,682,874, and in 1898, to \$1,279,739,936, while our commerce with the whole world, which in 1866 amounted to \$783,671,588, had by 1898 reached the enormous sum of \$1,847,531,984.

With this evidence of the advantage of prompt communication between commercial centers desiring an interchange of their products, it may not be improper to call attention to the fact that the United States now obtains but a small proportion of the commerce of Asia, which it is at present only able to reach through the long and devious submarine and land telegraph lines across the Atlantic, the continent of Europe, the Mediterranean, the Red Sea or the Persian Gulf, the Indian Ocean, land lines across India, cable lines again by way of the Straits Settlements, and thence along the Asiatic coast and among the islands of Oceanica. The commerce of the countries of Asia and Oceanica lying commercially adjacent to the Philippine Islands amounts to more than \$2,000,000,000 annually, their imports alone averaging \$100,000,000 a month, or \$1,200,000,000 per annum. Of this enormous market the United States at present obtains less than 6 per cent, despite the fact that the imports into the countries in question are largely composed of the classes of articles produced in the United States and offered for sale by her manufacturers and merchants. With a direct cable communication across the Pacific, direct water communication through a Nicaraguan canal, and an increase in the number and capacity of American steamships, it seems not improper to suppose that a material addition might be made to the share obtained by the United States in the trade of that part of the world.

The table which follows shows the total imports into and exports from the countries of that part of the world now least accessible to the United States by these methods of communication.

COMMERCE OF ASIA AND OCEANICA.

POPULATION, AREA, AND COMMERCE OF THE COUNTRIES OF ASIA AND OCEANICA, AND THE SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THEIR COMMERCE.

COUNTRIES.	POPULATION. (a)		AREA. (a)	COMMERCE.										
	Year.	Number.		Square miles.	Year.	Imports into.			Exports from.			Imports and exports.		
						Total.	From United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	To United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	Part of United States.	Per cent of United States.
ASIA.					Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		
Ceylon.....	1897	3,008,466	25,365	1896	20,722,243	59,546	0.29	14,640,700	841,077	5.74	35,362,943	900,623	2.55	
China.....	(c)	402,680,000	4,218,401	1896	170,991,384	9,639,440	5.61	105,914,256	8,988,192	8.49	276,905,640	18,627,632	6.73	
British India and East Indies.....	1897	257,223,431	1,800,258	1897	179,786,742	3,667,370	2.04	259,785,742	12,046,245	4.64	439,572,484	15,713,615	3.60	
Dutch East Indies...	1895	34,090,000	736,400	1895	66,458,540	61,147,315	1.73	80,080,812	67,727,282	9.63	146,539,352	8,874,597	6.08	
French East Indies..	1896	21,821,910	272,147	1895	790,583	669,136	8.74	3,088,181	.....	.....	3,879,069	69,136	1.78
Hongkong.....	1897	261,258	30	1897	No data.	66,060,039	.....	No data.	6923,842	.....	.....	6,983,831	.....
Japan.....	1895	42,270,620	147,665	1897	111,262,694	13,812,605	12.42	83,862,024	26,795,002	32.16	194,624,718	40,607,607	20.87	
Korea.....	1897	10,528,937	82,000	1895	8,088,123	.....	.....	2,481,808	6100	.....	10,569,931	100	.....
Persia.....	1897	9,000,000	628,000	1894	25,476,000	.....	.....	15,054,000	.....	.....	40,530,000	.....	.....
Russia Asiatic.....	1897	23,051,972	6,564,778	1894	21,578,829	6163,855	.76	29,456,479	6355,476	1.21	51,035,308	519,331	1.02	
Siam.....	(c)	5,000,000	200,000	1895	19,384,000	.....	.....	25,280,000	.....	.....	44,664,000	.....	.....
Straits Settlements..	1897	558,935	1,472	1896	112,248,947	.....	.....	97,821,926	.....	.....	210,070,873	.....	.....
OCEANICA.														
Philippine Islands...	1897	7,670,000	114,326	1896	28,815,075	6162,446	.55	33,481,484	64,982,857	14.90	62,296,559	5,145,303	8.30	
British Australasia..	1897	4,793,900	3,173,558	1896	277,879,067	16,199,328	5.83	278,708,484	13,074,611	4.69	556,587,551	29,273,939	5.26	
Mauritius.....	1896	374,942	765	1896	15,910,560	203,879	1.91	15,651,905	883,411	5.65	31,562,465	1,187,290	3.77	
Hawaiian Islands....	1896	109,020	6,640	1896	7,164,561	5,464,208	76.27	15,436,037	15,408,197	99.79	22,600,598	20,872,405	92.35	
Total Asia and Oceanica.....	.....	852,443,391	17,971,745	.....	1,066,557,653	56,749,167	5.32	1,060,243,838	92,026,272	8.65	2,126,801,491	148,775,459	7.00

a From Statesman's Year-Book, 1898.

b From United States reports.

c Latest estimates.

CHRONOLOGY

OF SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH CONSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF SUBMARINE TELEGRAPHY.

[Compiled from Submarine Telegraphs, by Charles Bright, F. R. S. E., England (1898); Encyclopædia Britannica; American Cyclopædia; Johnson's Cyclopædia, etc.]

- 1795. Submarine telegraphy suggested by Salva, a Spaniard, before the Barcelona Academy of Sciences.
- 1797. Salva proposed submarine communication between Barcelona and the island of Majorca.
- 1803. Aldini, nephew of Galvani, performed experiments in the transmission of electric signals under the sea near Calais, France.
- 1812. Schilling ignited gunpowder by electricity transmitted through a subaqueous conducting wire under the Neva River near St. Petersburg.
- 1813. Electric signals transmitted through 7 miles of insulated subaqueous wire by John Robert Sharpe, of England.
- 1838. Practical telegraphy under water demonstrated by actual experiment by Colonel Pasley, of the Royal Engineers, at Chatterton, England.
- 1839. Dr. O'Shaughnessy, director of the East India Company's telegraph system, transmitted telegraphic signals through insulated wires under the river Hugli, in India.
- 1840. Prof. Charles Wheatstone, of England, suggested the practicability of connecting Dover, England, and Calais, France, by a submarine telegraph.
- 1842. Prof. Samuel F. B. Morse, of the United States, transmitted electric currents and signals through an insulated copper wire laid for that purpose between Castle Garden and Governors Island, in New York Harbor, demonstrating the practicability of submarine telegraphy.
- 1843. Professor Morse suggested submarine electric communication between the United States and Europe. Samuel Colt, of the United States, operated a submarine telegraph between New York City, Coney Island, and Fire Island.

1845. Ezra Cornell, of the United States, laid and successfully operated 12 miles of submarine copper wires in the Hudson River, between New York and Fort Lee, continuing its use several months until its destruction by ice. These wires were insulated with cotton and inclosed in a leaden pipe.
1846. Charles West granted permission by the British Government to establish telegraphic communication between Dover, England, and Calais, France.
1847. J. J. Craven, of the United States, a resident of New Jersey, demonstrated the practicability of submarine telegraphic service by conducting a section of the New York and Washington telegraph line through the waters of a small creek by a wire insulated with gutta percha without interfering with the service of the line of which it thus formed an intermediate section.
1848. Armstrong proposed, in the New York Journal of Commerce, a submarine telegraph across the Atlantic.
1849. Telegrams exchanged over [a combination of aerial and submarine wires between London and Folkestone, England.
1850. Submarine telegraph lines laid across the English Channel and signals exchanged, but soon ceased to operate, the insulation proving insufficient.
1851. A cable containing four copper wires, insulated with gutta percha and surrounded by tarred hemp and protected by 10 galvanized iron wires wound spirally about it, laid across the English Channel by a company of English and French capitalists. This line worked successfully and was opened for public telegraph business November 13, 1851, being the first successful submarine telegraph and continuing in constant use many years. Its weight was 7 tons to the mile; length, 25 miles; depth of water, about 120 feet; it was laid from an oblong coil on a ponton hull or barge towed by two steamers.
1853. Six submarine telegraph cables laid, connecting England with Ireland, Scotland, and the continent of Europe, the longest being about 100 nautical miles, and all proving successful.
1854. Five additional cables laid in European waters, the longest being 64 miles.
1856. Several additional cables laid in deeper waters than on former occasions; one from Newfoundland to Cape Breton, and one from Spezia, Italy, to Corsica at a depth of 600 feet, weight 8 tons per mile.
1857. First attempt to lay a submarine telegraphic cable across the Atlantic Ocean, the enterprise being headed by Cyrus W. Field, of New York, and Charles Bright, J. W. Brett and others, of England. The cable was to extend from Valentia, Ireland, to Newfoundland, the length of cable necessary being estimated at 2,500 miles. The construction of this cable was similar to that across the English Channel, already described. After 255 miles had been laid from Valentia westward, the cable broke and the work was abandoned.
1858. Renewal by Mr. Field and his associates of the attempt to lay a submarine telegraphic cable across the Atlantic. The United States naval vessel *Niagara*, and the British naval vessel *Agamemnon*, carrying each one-half of the cable, proceeded to mid ocean, and after joining the ends of their respective sections, on July 29th, proceeded westward and eastward, paying out the cable and reaching their respective destinations, Newfoundland and Valentia, on the same day, August 5, 1858, when electrical connection between the continents was at once established over the 2,050 nautical miles of cable which they had thus laid. Congratulatory messages were exchanged between the President of the United States and the Queen of England, and there were public rejoicings in both countries over what was pronounced the great event of the century. After less than one month of operation, however, the cable ceased working and it was never operated further, nor was any part of it ever recovered. During the time of its operation, 730 messages of about 10,000 words were passed over it. Its total cost was \$1,256,250.
1859. A submarine telegraphic cable to connect England with British India was laid through the Red Sea and Arabian Sea to Kurrachee, India, having a total length of 3,043 nautical miles, but with several intermediate landings. Some portions of the line worked satisfactorily for thirty days, but few if any messages were ever sent through the entire line, and it soon proved a complete failure.
1860. Elaborate study of the entire subject of submarine telegraphs and the construction of cables was made by a committee appointed by the British Board of Trade, resulting in an expression of the belief that submarine telegraphy might, despite past failures, become successful and profitable if sufficient care were exercised in constructing, laying, and managing the cable.
1861. A submarine telegraphic cable, which had been manufactured with great care, was laid across the Mediterranean from Malta to Alexandria, Egypt, with intermediate landing places at Tripoli and Benghazi. The cable consisted of seven copper wires stranded together, covered with several coatings of gutta percha alternated with other nonconducting and waterproof material, and in turn covered and protected by eighteen iron wires wound spirally about this core. This cable proved a permanent success and went into general operation shortly after its construction. The speed of transmission, which on the Atlantic cable and the shorter submarine lines had been three words per minute, was brought up to

ten words per minute on each separate section, but was only three words per minute when all the sections were united and operated as a single line of 1,331 miles.

1862. A submarine cable which had been laid across the Mediterranean Sea between France and Algeria in 1861 proved a complete failure after a few months of experiment.
1864. Construction of a cable line to connect India with England undertaken by the Indian Government, the line to be laid through the Arabian Sea and Persian Gulf to connect with land lines, thence to Calais and by the short submarine line under the British Channel to England. The submerged line in the Arabian Sea and the Persian Gulf had a total length of 1,450 miles, but with three intermediate landing places. This line consisted of a copper core surrounded by layers of gutta percha, alternated with other nonconducting and waterproof material, being protected by an outer sheathing of 12 galvanized iron wires wound spirally about it, which in turn were protected by double wrappings of tarred hemp yarn. All of these materials and the various sections of the cable were constantly and thoroughly tested electrically and otherwise during its construction. The line when laid proved a complete success, becoming the first successful telegraphic connection between England and India.
1865. Another attempt made by Cyrus W. Field, of the United States, and his associates in the United States and England to lay a submarine telegraph cable from Valentia, Ireland, to Newfoundland and the United States. The cable, for which the contract price was \$3,000,000, partly in cash and partly in shares of the company, consisted of 7 copper wires surrounded by numerous coatings of gutta percha and other waterproof nonconductors. This was in turn surrounded with 10 Bessemer steel wires, this being the first use of steel wires for cable protection, each wire being separately wound with pitch-soaked hemp yarn, the shore ends being also further protected by 36 heavy iron wires wound spirally about the completed cable. The steamer *Great Eastern*, then the largest steamship afloat, was specially fitted up for laying this cable. Great care was exercised in every particular, but after 1,186 miles had been laid westward from Valentia the cable broke in water over 11,000 feet deep, and the attempts to recover it were unsuccessful.
1866. Mr. Field and his associates renewed their efforts to lay a cable across the Atlantic. A new company with \$3,000,000 capital was formed with the double purpose of attempting to find the end of the cable partially laid in 1865 and complete the line, and also to lay another cable parallel with, and near to it. The cable manufactured for the proposed new line was similar to that of 1865, but with the shore ends also protected by wrappings of tarred hemp outside the 36 iron wires which surrounded the cable proper. The *Great Eastern* was remodeled to further meet the requirements of the work, and left Valentia, Ireland, July 13, 1866, paying out the cable in a line about 25 miles north of that followed on the preceding year. She arrived safely at Newfoundland in fourteen days from the date of leaving Valentia, and electrical communication was immediately established between the United States and England, which has never since been more than temporarily interrupted. The *Great Eastern* then returned to the spot where the cable was lost in 1865 and after eighteen days' work succeeded in bringing the end on board from a depth of over 11,000 feet, the tests immediately made showing it to be in perfect working connection with the Valentia end. A splice was made and the laying of the line toward Newfoundland resumed and on September 8 the cable was landed at that point and the second successful line of communication between the United States and Europe thus completed, Newfoundland being already in submarine telegraphic communication with the mainland and telegraph systems of the United States. The length between Trinity Bay, Newfoundland, and Valentia, Ireland, is given by the American Cyclopædia at 2,134 miles. The rate of speed in transmission over these cables was at the beginning 8 words per minute, but increased to 15 words per minute.
1868. A second Anglo-Mediterranean line, laid from Malta to Alexandria, proving a complete success.
1869. First French Atlantic cable laid from Brest, France, to Nova Scotia, proving successful on completion. A line from Suez to Bombay, India, also successfully laid by the British Indian Submarine Telegraph Company.
1871. Cables laid by the Great Northern Telegraph Company along the eastern coast of Asia connecting Hongkong, Shanghai, and Nagasaki with the terminus of an overland telegraph line running from St. Petersburg through Russia and Siberia to Possiet Bay near Vladivostok, Siberia. This transcontinental land line had been constructed after the failure of the Atlantic cable in 1858 with the purpose of obtaining land telegraphic communication between Europe and America by way of Russia and Siberia, with a short cable across Bering Straits and a line thence through Alaska and British North America to the United States. The project was, however, abandoned on the success of the Atlantic cable in 1866, and the line from St. Petersburg to the eastern coast of Siberia was utilized to connect the European telegraphic system with the newly laid cable lines along the eastern coast of Asia, stretching southward from Vladivostok by way of Nagasaki and Shanghai to Hongkong, Straits Settlements, and Australia.

1872. Amoy, China, connected with the cable system of the Great Northern China-Japan line by tapping their main cable directly opposite that point.
1873. Cable laid between Brazil and the British West India Islands, connecting there with a cable line to New York and thence to Europe. Cable also laid between Lisbon and Madeira.
1874. The duplex system applied to submarine telegraph lines, nearly doubling the capacity of the cable systems to which it is applied. Over 50 per cent of the cable lines of the world are now duplexed.
1875. New Atlantic cable between Ireland and the United States completed. Also lines laid between Jamaica and Porto Rico, Constantinople and Odessa, and elsewhere.
1876. Cable lines laid along the west coast of Africa; also along the western coast of South America.
1878. Port Natal, Africa, and the Cape of Good Hope connected by cable; also lines extended along the eastern coast of Africa.
1879. New French cable laid connecting France and the United States; further extension of lines along the eastern coast of Africa.
1880. Company formed to lay cable lines across the Gulf of Mexico, connecting with an overland line at the Isthmus of Panama; thence connecting with cable lines on the western coast of South America, giving direct communication between that coast, the United States, and Europe.
1881. New trans-Atlantic line laid by the American Telegraph and Cable Company, headed by Jay Gould.
1882. Another Atlantic cable laid by the same company. Lines also laid on the west coast of South America.
1883. Spanish National Telegraph Company organized to construct a cable line from Spain to the Canaries.
1884. Two trans-Atlantic cables laid by the Commercial Cable Company organized in the United States, headed by J. W. Mackey and James Gordon Bennett.
1885. Additional cables laid on the west coast of Africa.
1886. Cable lines laid in the Mediterranean, to connect Italy with various adjacent islands.
1887. French colonies in the West Indies connected by cable with French Guiana and La Guayra Venezuela.
1889. Cable line authorized by the British Government, to connect Halifax and the Bermudas. This line passes through water 17,000 feet deep.
1891. The French Government contracted for lines from Marseilles to Oran and Tunis, to be constructed exclusively by French workmen and of French material where practicable.
1892. Cable laid across the South Atlantic from west coast of Africa to Pernambuco, Brazil, by the South American Cable Company.
1893. Cable line laid from Australia to the French colony of New Caledonia, 800 miles distant.—Lines laid under direction of the Portuguese Government, to connect the Azores with Lisbon, Portugal.
1894. Two additional trans-Atlantic lines laid by the Commercial Company and one by the Anglo-American Company. These consisted of a very large copper wire weighing from 500 to 650 pounds per mile, surrounded by 12 smaller wires. These were heavily insulated and again surrounded by a sheathing of steel wires, which in turn were surrounded by a heavy waterproof protection. The object of adopting the very heavy copper wire was to facilitate the use of automatic sending machines, by which the speed of transmission is greatly increased.
1896. Cable laid from New York to Cape Haitien, Haiti, with connection thence to Santiago, Cuba, and a southern line to the Windward Islands and South America, with a depth at places of 18,000 feet, the greatest depth at which cables have been laid. It was over this line that the chief telegraphic communication between the United States and its representatives at Santiago, and in the West Indies generally, was conducted during the war between the United States and Spain, the cable lines by way of Havana being under control of the Spanish authorities in Cuba. Messages from the Executive Mansion and War and Navy Departments passed from Washington to New York by land line, were there transferred to the cable, thence to Cape Haitien where they were transferred to the cable line running to Santiago, which had been cut near by the United States Signal Corps, and landed at Caimanera, which was controlled by the United States forces. There the messages were transferred from the cable to the land line reaching to the battlefield in front of Santiago. Messages from the War Department and Executive Mansion reached the battlefield in from 10 to 15 minutes, and on one occasion during the progress of the battle a message was sent and reply received within 12 minutes.
1897. The Halifax-Bermuda cable line extended from Bermuda to Kingston, Jamaica, by way of Turks Islands.
1898. An additional trans-Atlantic cable laid by the French Company between France and the United States.

SUBMARINE CABLE LINES OF THE WORLD.

SHOWING LENGTH, POINTS BETWEEN WHICH OPERATED, COMPANY OPERATING, ETC., ALSO THE LINES OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS.

[From Report of International Bureau of Telegraph Administration.]

COMPANIES.	Number of cables.	Length of cables in nautical miles.	COMPANIES.	Number of cables.	Length of cables in nautical miles.
Anglo-American Telegraph Co.:			Compagnie Allemande des Câbles Télégraphique.....	1	1,114
Trans-Atlantic system—Valentia (Ireland), to Hearts Content (Newfoundland).....	4	7,510	Compania Telegrafico-Telefonica del Plata.....	1	28
Minon, near Brest (France), to St. Pierre-Miquelon....	1	2,718	Compania Telegrafico del Rio de la Plata.....	1	28
Communication on American coasts.....	9	1,964	Cuba Submarine Telegraph Co.....	4	1,048
European communication.....	1	101	Direct Spanish Telegraph Co.....	4	710
Total.....	15	12,293	Direct West India Cable Co.:		
Commercial Cable Co.:			Bermuda-Turks Islands, and Turks Islands-Tamari-que.....	2	(a)
Trans-Atlantic system—Waterville (Ireland) to Canso, (Nova Scotia).....	3	6,893	Eastern and South African Telegraph Co.....	13	8,832
Canso, Nova Scotia, to New York.....	1	826	Eastern Extension Australasia and China Telegraph Co..	27	17,359
Canso, Nova Scotia, to Rockport, Mass.....	1	511	Eastern Telegraph Co.:		
Communication in Europe.....	2	839	Anglo-Spanish-Portuguese system.....	12	4,185
Total.....	7	9,069	System west of Malta.....	17	4,603
Direct United States Cable Co.:			Italo-Greek system.....	2	253
Ballinskelligs Bay (Ireland) to Halifax (Nova Scotia)..	1	2,564	Austro-Greek system.....	1	503
Halifax, Nova Scotia, to Rye Beach, N. H.....	1	535	Greek system.....	12	699
Total.....	2	3,099	Turko-Greek system.....	4	578
Western Union Telegraph Co.:			Turkish system.....	15	842
Trans-Atlantic system—Sennen Cove, near Penzance, England, to Dover Bay, near Canso, Nova Scotia....	2	5,107	Egypto-European system.....	4	2,530
Dover Bay, Nova Scotia, to New York.....	2	1,776	Egyptian system.....	1	155
Gulf of Mexico system.....	8	459	Egypto-Indian system.....	13	11,805
Total.....	12	7,342	Total.....	81	26,153
Compagnie Française du Télégraphe de Paris à New York:			Europe and Azores Telegraph Co.....	2	1,053
Brest (France) to St. Pierre-Miquelon.....	1	2,282	Great Northern Telegraph Co.:		
St. Pierre to Cap Cod, Massachusetts.....	1	828	Cables in Europe and Asia.....	24	6,982
Other branch lines.....	2	422	Halifax and Bermuda Cable Co.....	1	850
Total.....	4	3,532	Indo-European Telegraph Co.....	2	14
Compagnie Française des Câbles Télégraphiques:			India Rubber, Gutta-Percha, and Telegraph Works Co....	3	145
Brest (France) to Cape Cod, Massachusetts.....	1	3,250	Mexican Telegraph Co.....	3	1,527
African Direct Telegraph Co.....	8	2,938	River Plate Telegraph Co.....	1	32
Black Sea Telegraph Co.....	1	337	Société Française des Télégraphes Sous-Marins.....	19	4,720
Brazilian Submarine Telegraph Co.:			South American Cable Co.....	2	2,048
Carcavellos, near Lisbon (Portugal), to Madeira, to St. Vincent (Cape Verde Island), to Pernambuco (Brazil)..	6	7,375	United States and Haiti Telegraph and Cable Co.....	1	1,389
Central and South American Telegraph Co.....	15	7,500	West African Telegraph Co.....	11	2,977
			West Coast of America Telegraph Co.....	8	1,964
			Western and Brazilian Telegraph Co.....	16	6,154
			West India and Panama Telegraph Co.....	22	4,557
			Total.....	318	146,419

a Official figures not announced when this list was revised.

CABLES OWNED BY NATIONS.

Austria.....	41	214	Turkey.....	23	344
Belgium.....	2	55	Argentine Republic and Brazil.....	49	119
Denmark.....	73	235	Australia and New Zealand.....	31	345
France.....	54	5,035	Bahama Islands.....	1	213
Germany.....	58	2,225	British America.....	1	200
Great Britain and Ireland.....	135	1,989	British India (Indo-European Telegraph Department)...	111	1,919
Greece.....	47	55	China.....	2	113
Holland.....	24	62	Cochin China and Tonquin.....	2	774
Italy.....	39	1,061	Japan.....	70	1,598
Norway.....	325	324	Macao.....	1	2
Portugal.....	4	115	Novelle Calédonie.....	1	1
Russia.....	9	231	Netherlands Indies.....	7	891
Spain.....	15	1,744	Senegal, Africa-Dakar to Gorée Island.....	1	3
Sweden.....	14	96	Total.....	1,142	19,880
Switzerland.....	2	10			

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION PERTAINING TO SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH LINES, THEIR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION.

Length of first successful cable	miles..	25
Length of first successful Atlantic cable	do..	2,134
Length of direct United States cable (Ballinskelligs Bay to Halifax, Nova Scotia).....	do..	2,564
Length of French cable (Brest, France, to Cape Cod, Massachusetts).....	do..	3,250
Distance from San Francisco to Hawaii (proposed line).....	do..	2,089
Distance from Hawaii to Wake Island (proposed line).....	do..	2,040
Distance from Wake Island to Guam (proposed line).....	do..	1,290
Distance from Guam to Manila (proposed line)	do..	1,520
Distance from Manila to Asiatic coast	do..	630
Depth of water in which first successful cable was laid.....	feet..	120
Depth of Atlantic cable lines.....	do..	14,000
Greatest depth at which cable has been laid, Haiti to Windward Islands.....	do..	18,000
Greatest depth between San Francisco and Hawaii.....	do..	18,300
Greatest depth between Hawaii and Manila (estimated).....	do..	19,600
Capital of first Atlantic cable company.....		\$1,750,000
Contract price of cable for first Atlantic line.....		\$1,125,000
Contract price of cable for first successful Atlantic cable line.....		\$3,000,000
Present cost per mile of cable (estimate by Bright).....		\$750
Cost of laying per mile, average.....		\$375
Number of words per minute sent on first line.....		3
Number of words per minute on first successful Atlantic cable line at beginning.....		8
Number of words per minute on first successful Atlantic cable line, after experimental stage.....		15
Present rate of speed (without duplex).....		25
Present rate by automatic system (without duplex)		50
Increased use of wire by duplexing.....	per cent..	90
Number of cables laid across the North Atlantic.....		16
Number now working.....		13
Average life of cable.....	years..	25
Original rates for messages, first Atlantic lines (minimum, 20 words or less).....		\$100
On first reduction (minimum, 20 words or less).....		50
Original word rate, without minimum.....		\$1
Present word rate, without minimum.....		\$0.25
Length of telegraph cables of the world (1898).....	miles..	170,000
Length of land lines of the world (1898) (estimate by Bright).....	do..	662,000
Cost of cable lines of the world (estimate by Bright).....		\$250,000,000
Cost of land lines of the world (estimate by Bright).....		\$310,000,000
Total length of telegraph wires, land and cable (estimate by Bright).....	miles..	2,300,000
Number of cable messages sent annually (estimate by Bright).....		6,000,000
Per cent of world's lines built by Governments.....		10
Per cent built by private enterprise.....		90
Time of message and answer, Washington to Santiago battlefield and return	minutes..	12
Time of message, Washington to London and reply in chess match of 1898.....	seconds..	13½
Number of cables owned by nations.....		1,142
Length of cables owned by nations.....	miles..	20,000
Number of cables owned by private companies.....		320
Length of cables owned by private companies.....	miles..	150,000
Longest single line without intermediate landing	do..	3,250
Present route of telegrams from Washington to Manila: to New York by land; to Valentia, Ireland, by cable; to Brighton, England, cable and land; to Havre, France, cable; to Marseilles, land; to Alexandria, Egypt, cable; to Suez, Egypt, land; to Aden, Arabia, cable; to Bombay, India, cable; to Madras, land; to Singapore, Malayan Peninsula, cable; to Saigon, Cochin China, cable; to Hongkong, cable; to Bolinao, Philippine Islands (Luzon) cable; to Manila, land. Distance.....	miles..	14,000

INTERNATIONAL RULES

GOVERNING THE TRANSMISSION OF CABLE MESSAGES; PREPARED BY TELEGRAPH AUTHORITIES OF EUROPE.

THE RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH GOVERN THE TREATMENT OF "CABLE" MESSAGES ARE PREPARED BY THE TELEGRAPH AUTHORITIES OF EUROPE FOR THEIR GUIDANCE IN INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC. THE MAXIMUM LENGTH OF A CHARGEABLE WORD, THE USE OF "CODE" WORDS, "CIPHER COMBINATIONS," "FIGURES," AND "LETTERS," AND THE LANGUAGES FROM WHICH CODES MAY BE COMPILED, WITH OTHER REQUIREMENTS, ARE FIXED BY THESE RULES; AND TO THESE THE COMPANIES WHICH TRANSMIT CABLE MESSAGES TO AND FROM AMERICA (THOSE TO AND FROM MEXICO EXCEPTED) MUST NECESSARILY CONFORM.

1. Every address must contain at least two words, and must be sufficient to secure delivery.
2. All that the sender of a message writes for transmission to his correspondent is counted and charged for.
3. Messages may be written in any language that can be expressed in Roman letters. They may be in plain or secret language. Secret language may be subdivided, if desired, into code or cipher language, and each of these—i. e., plain, code, and cipher—may be employed alone or conjointly in the same message.
4. Plain language is that which is composed of words forming intelligible phrases, in one or more of the languages authorized for international telegraphic correspondence.
5. Code language is that which is composed of words not forming intelligible phrases. Code words must not be longer than ten letters each. They may be taken from one or more of the following languages, viz: English, German, Spanish, French, Dutch, Italian, Portuguese, and Latin. Code words taken from other languages are not allowed.
6. Cipher language is that which is formed of groups or of a series of figures having a secret meaning. The employment (except as commercial signs) of single letters, or groups of letters, to convey secret meaning is not allowed.
7. Combinations or alterations of words contrary to the usage of a language are not allowed.
8. In plain messages—i. e., words containing neither code words nor cipher groups of figures—words of fifteen letters, or less, are each counted as a word. Words of over fifteen letters are counted at the rate of fifteen letters to a word, plus one for any excess.
9. In messages composed entirely of code words, each word is counted at the rate of ten letters to a word.
10. In messages composed only of cipher groups of figures, each five is counted as a word, plus one for any excess.
11. Plain words used in code messages are counted the same as code words.
12. Plain words used in cipher messages are counted at the rate of fifteen letters to a word.
13. In messages made up of plain and code words with cipher groups of figures, the plain and the code words are counted at the rate of ten letters to a word.
14. In commercial signs or trade-marks, figures and letters are counted at the rate of five to a word; but if both letters and figures are used, the letters and figures must be counted separately. Example: A5C counts as three words.
15. A sender of a message may pay for a reply up to thirty words. The indication "R. P. 7" or "R. P." (any number up to 30) is counted as one word.
16. A sender of a message may secure its repetition by paying one-quarter more than the regular tolls.

**SUBMARINE AND LAND TELEGRAPH RATES FROM NEW YORK TO PRINCIPAL AND OTHER CITIES OF THE
WORLD, GROUPED BY GRAND DIVISIONS.**

EUROPE, ASIA, AUSTRALASIA, ETC.

[Word rates from New York to points named.]

Alboran Island.....	\$0.40	Cape Verde Islands:	
Annam:		St. Jago (San Thiago)	\$1.09
Via Eastern or Indo—		St. Vincent .....	.86
Hué, Thuan-An, and all offices	1.54	Via Cadiz—	
Via Northern (Siberia)—		St. Jago (San Thiago).....	1.23
Hué, Thuan-An, and all offices via Haiphong.....	1.90	St. Vincent	1.11
Hué, Thuan-An, and all offices via Saigon.....	2.33	Via Aden—	
Annatom Island—Telegrams can be posted at Sydney.		St. Jago (San Thiago).....	4.91
Arabia:		St. Vincent	5.11
Aden and Perim Island.....	1.17	Celebes Island (Dutch East Indies) Macassar:	
Djedda, Mecca (Mokke), and all Hedjaz (secret lan-		Via Eastern or Indo	1.58
guage prohibited)	1.17	Northern (Siberia)	2.39
Muscat—Telegrams can be posted from Jask in Persia.		Ceylon—Via Eastern or Indo	1.25
Insert before the address and charge for the words		Channel Islands (same as to Great Britain).	
“Post Jask.” Telegrams can also be sent by		China:	
special boat from Jask. Insert before the address		Via Eastern, Indo or Northern (Siberia), or Northern	
and charge for the words “Express paid Jask.”		Helampo—	
Extra charge for boat hire, \$17.63 in addition to		Macao	1.66
the rate to Jask.		All other offices, including Pescadore Islands	1.60
Yemen—Hodeida and Sheik Seyd, via Perim	1.31	Cochin China:	
Ascension Island—Telegrams can be posted at Madeira, Lis-		Via Eastern or Indo.....	1.35
bon, Dakar, or Cape Town.		Northern (Siberia)	2.15
Australia and Tasmania:		Comoro Islands—Telegrams can be posted at Aden, Delagoa	
Via Eastern or Indo—		Bay, Durban, Mozambique, or Zanzibar.	
New South Wales	1.45	Corea:	
Queensland	1.50	Via Northern (Siberia) and Chinese land lines or Fusan.	1.96
South Australia and Western Australia	1.41	Eastern or Indo and Fusan or Chinese land lines...	2.80
Tasmania	1.58	A supplementary charge of \$1.06 per message must be	
Victoria	1.43	collected for telegrams addressed to vessels in the	
Via Northern (Siberia)—		roadstead of Chemulpo.	
New South Wales	2.64	Corsica (same as to France).	
Queensland	3.13	Cyprus .....	.56
South Australia and Western Australia	2.62	Via Eastern.....	.64
Tasmania	2.76	Denmark .....	.35
Victoria	2.64	England .....	.25
Austria .....	.34	Falkland Islands—Telegrams can be posted at Monte Video.	
Azores—Fayal, Graciosa, Pico, St. George, St. Michael, and		Fiji Islands—Telegrams can be posted at Auckland or Sydney.	
Terceira .....	.51	Formosa Island	1.84
Balearic Islands .....	.40	France .....	.25
Bali Island—(Dutch East Indies), Boeleleng:		Germany.....	.25
Via Eastern or Indo	1.58	Gibraltar .....	.43
Northern (Siberia)	2.09	Greece and islands .....	.38
Belgium .....	.25	Via Eastern.....	.43
Beloochistan:		Heligoland (same as to Germany).	
(South)—Gwadur and offices on coast.....	1.13	Herzegovina (secret language prohibited).....	.36
(North)	1.23	Holland.....	.25
(South)—Gwadur and offices on coast—Via Bombay....	1.33	Hungary.....	.31
Bokhara .....	.72	Iceland—Telegrams can be posted at Leith, Scotland.	
Borneo:		India—Via Eastern or Indo.....	1.23
Via Eastern or Indo—		Ireland .....	.25
Labuan Island	1.47	Italy, Sardinia, and Sicily .....	.32
All other offices	1.54	Via Eastern .....	.47
Via Northern (Siberia)—		Japan:	
Labuan Island	1.99	Via Northern (Siberia)	1.76
Bosnia (secret language prohibited).....	.36	Eastern or Indo	2.15
Bulgaria and Eastern Roumelia (secret language prohib-		Java:	
ited) .....	.38	Via Eastern or Indo	1.47
Burmah (Upper and Lower), Mandalay, Rangoon, and all		Northern (Siberia)	2.39
offices east of Chittagong—Via Eastern or Indo.....	1.27	Labuan Island (Borneo):	
Canary Islands:		Via Eastern or Indo	1.47
Grand Canary, Palma, and Teneriffe.....	.54	Northern (Siberia)	1.99
Via Lisbon	1.46	Luxemburg .....	.30
Via Aden	4.02	Macassar (see Celebes Island).	

Madagascar—Majunga:

Via Aden	\$1.64
Lisbon or Cadiz, and West Coast Africa	2.13
Madeira Island .....	.54
Via Cadiz	1.46
Aden	4.17
Madura Island (Dutch East Indies):	
Via Eastern or Indo	1.58
Northern (Siberia)	2.39
Malay Peninsula:	
Jebeu, via Eastern or Indo, \$1.10; via Northern (Siberia)	2.21
Malacca, via Eastern or Indo, 1.10; via Northern (Siberia)	2.21
Pahang, via Eastern or Indo, 1.10; via Northern (Siberia)	2.21
Perak, via Eastern or Indo, 1.10; via Northern (Siberia)	2.21
Selangor, via Eastern or Indo, 1.10; via Northern (Siberia)	1.21
Sungie-Ujong, via Eastern or Indo, 1.10; via Northern (Siberia)	1.21
Malta .....	.36
Via Eastern .....	.43
Mauritius Island—Port Louis:	
Via Aden	1.48
Lisbon or Cadiz, and West Coast Africa	1.97
Mayotta Island—Telegrams can be posted at Aden, Delagoa Bay, Durban, Mozambique, or Zanzibar.	
Montenegro (secret language prohibited) .....	.36
New Caledonia:	
Via Eastern or Indo	1.66
Northern (Siberia)	3.39
New Hebrides—Telegrams can be posted at Sydney, Australia.	
New Zealand:	
Via Eastern or Indo	1.52
Northern (Siberia)	2.70
Norway	\$0.35
Nossi-bé Island—Telegrams can be posted at Aden, Delagoa Bay, Durban, Mozambique, or Zanzibar	3.00
Penang:	
Via Eastern or Indo	1.35
Northern (Siberia)	2.21
Perim Island (Red Sea)	1.17
Persia:	
Bushire (Persian Gulf) .....	.68
Jask (Persian Gulf)	1.13
All other offices .....	.62
All offices on Persian Gulf—Via Bombay	1.33
Bassidore, Bunder Abbas, Lingah—Telegrams to these places can be sent by special boat from Jask. Insert before the address and charge for the words "Express paid Jask." Extra charge for boat hire in addition to rate to Jask is \$8.82.	
Code and cipher may be accepted to Bushire, Chiraz, Ispahan, Kirkmanschah, Salmas, Tauris, and Teheran. To all other places telegrams must be written in French and in plain language. They will be translated at Teheran and forwarded to their destination in Persian.	
Pescadore Islands—Makong (same as China)	1.60
Philippine Islands—Luzon, Manila, and all offices, via Eastern, Indo or Northern (Siberia)	2.35
Portugal .....	.39
Messages relating to deeds or crimes of anarchists will not be transmitted or delivered by Portugal.	

Raratonga Island—Telegrams can be posted at Auckland.

Réunion Island (Bourbon)—Telegrams can be posted at Aden, Delagoa Bay, Durban, Mozambique, Zanzibar, Mauritius, or Seychelles.

Rodriguez Island—Telegrams can be posted at Aden, Mozambique, or Zanzibar.

Roumania (secret language prohibited) \$0.36 |

Russia in Asia (Siberia):

First region west of Werkhne Oudinsk50 |

Second region east of Werkhne Oudinsk56 |

Russia in Asia—Wladiwostock, via Eastern or Indo 2.21 |

Russia in Caucasus43 |

Russia in Europe43 |

St. Helena Island—Telegrams can be posted at Madeira or Cape Town.

St. Marie Island—Telegrams can be posted at Aden, Delagoa Bay, Durban, Mozambique, or Zanzibar.

Samoa Island—Telegrams can be posted at Auckland or Sydney.

Sardinia32 |

Scotland25 |

Servia (secret language prohibited)36 |

Seychelle Islands—Mahé:

Via Aden 1.48 |

Lisbon or Cadiz, and West Coast Africa 1.97 |

Siam—Via Eastern or Indo:

Bangkok and all offices—

Via Moulmein 1.19 |

Saigon 1.48 |

Siam—Via Northern (Siberia) 2.27 |

Sicily (same as Italy)32 |

Singapore:

Via Eastern or Indo 1.35 |

Northern (Siberia) 2.14 |

Spain:

Provinces of Barcelona, Gerona, Lerida and Tarragona, via France and Marseilles cable38 |

All other offices, including Balearic Islands—Via Eastern or Direct Spanish40 |

Messages to Spain in secret language are subject to Government censorship.

Sumatra:

Via Eastern or Indo 1.58 |

Northern (Siberia) 2.39 |

Sweden39 |

Switzerland30 |

Tahiti Island—Telegrams can be posted at Auckland.

Tonga Island—Telegrams can be posted at Auckland or Sydney.

Tonquin:

Via Eastern or Indo, Haiphong, and all offices 1.60 |

Northern (Siberia)—All offices, via Haiphong 1.80 |

Northern (Siberia)—All offices, via Saigon 2.41 |

Turkey in Europe (secret language prohibited)37 |

Via Eastern (secret language prohibited)43 |

Indo and Odessa (secret language prohibited)57 |

Turkey in Asia and Islands (secret language prohibited)47 |

Via Eastern (secret language prohibited)54 |

Indo and Odessa (secret language prohibited)68 |

Turkey in Asia—Via Indo and Bushire (secret language prohibited)91 |

Wales25 |

NORTH AFRICA.

Algeria	\$0.32	Egypt—Continued:	
Via Eastern .....	.52	Via Eastern—Continued:	
Assab, Red Sea (secret language prohibited)	1.19	Offices south of Wady Halfa (third region)	\$0.80
Benghazi—Telegrams can be posted at Malta.		Massowah, Red Sea (secret language prohibited)	1.21
Chafarinas, Zafrin Islands .....	.40	Morocco:	
Djibouti, Red Sea	1.23	Alhucemas .....	.40
Egypt:		Ceuta .....	.40
Alexandria .....	.56	Melilla .....	.40
Suakin (Souakim), Red Sea .....	.78	Penon de la Gomera .....	.40
Cairo, Port Said, Suez Canal stations, and Lower Egypt.		Tangier (Tanger) .....	.45
(first region) .....	.61	Telegrams for other places can be posted at Tangier or	
Wady Halfa, and offices between Wady Halfa and Cairo		Spanish seaports.	
(second region) .....	.66	Obock (Obok), Red Sea	1.19
Offices south of Wady Halfa (third region) .....	.71	Tripoli (secret language prohibited):	
Via Eastern:		Tripoli .....	.51
Alexandria .....	.64	Other offices .....	.54
Suakin (Souakim), Red Sea .....	.86	Via Eastern (secret language prohibited):	
Cairo, Port Said, Suez Canal stations, and Lower		Tripoli .....	.60
Egypt (first region) .....	.70	Other offices .....	.62
Wady Halfa, and offices between Wady Halfa and		Tunis .....	.32
Cairo (second region) .....	.74	Via Eastern .....	.52

SOUTH AFRICA.

[Via Aden and East Coast, or Lisbon or Cadiz, and West Coast.]

British Bechuanaland:		British South Africa Company's Territory and Bechuanaland	
Mafeking	\$1.52	Protectorate—Continued:	
Maribogo	1.52	Tuli	\$1.58
Taungs	1.52	Umtali	1.58
Taungs Siding	1.52	Victoria	1.58
Vryburg	1.52	Offices beyond British South Africa Company's Territory,	
British South Africa Company's Territory and Bechuanaland		South of the Zambesi River:	
Protectorate:		Beira	1.58
Buluwayo	1.58	Fontesville	1.58
Charter	1.58	(Telegrams to Beira are only accepted at sender's risk.)	
Gaberones	1.58	North of the Zambesi River (telegrams are only accepted at	
Gwelo	1.58	sender's risk):	
Iron Mine	1.58	Blantyre	1.64
Kopje	1.58	Tshikwawa	1.64
Maccloutsie	1.58	Cape Colony and Griqualand West:	
Mafeteng	1.58	Cape Town	1.48
Mazoe	1.58	All other offices	1.52
Mochuli	1.58	Natal:	
Palapye	1.58	Durban	1.48
Palla	1.58	All other offices	1.52
Salisbury	1.58	Orange Free State	1.52
Tati	1.58	South African Republic (Transvaal)	1.52

EAST COAST OF AFRICA.

	Via Aden.	Via West Coast.		Via Aden.	Via West Coast.
British East Africa:			German East Africa—Continued.		
Lamu	\$1.58	\$2.07	Kilwa	\$1.52	\$2.01
Malindi	1.58	2.07	Mohorro	1.52	2.01
Mombassa	1.48	1.97	Pangani	1.52	2.01
Witu	1.58	2.07	Saadani	1.52	2.01
Delagoa Bay (Lourenço Marques)	1.50	1.99	Tanga	1.52	2.01
German East Africa:			Mozambique	1.50	1.99
Bagamoyo	1.52	2.01	Zanzibar	1.48	1.97
Dar-es-Salaam	1.52	2.01			

WEST COAST OF AFRICA.

	Via Cadiz or Lisbon.	Via Aden.		Via Cadiz or Lisbon.	Via Aden.
Accra	\$1.78	\$3.54	Gaboon (Libreville)	\$1.98	\$3.48
Addah	1.82	3.58	Grand Bassam	1.56	3.76
Adjuah	1.82	3.58	Grand Popo	1.86	3.18
Agoué	1.86	3.48	Jacqueville	1.60	3.80
Akuse	1.82	3.58	Lagos	1.99	3.82
Appam	1.82	3.58	Lahou	1.60	3.80
Assinie	1.60	3.80	Loanda, St. Paulde	2.41	2.84
Axim	1.82	3.58	Mossamedes	2.96	2.96
Bathurst	1.37	4.23	Porto Novo—Kotonou	1.87	3.48
Benguela	2.74	2.84	Pram Pram	1.82	3.58
Bissao	1.43	4.31	Principe, Island of	2.07	3.48
Bolama	1.43	4.31	Quittah	1.82	3.58
Bonny	2.27	3.54	San Thomas (San Thomé), Island of	1.92	3.33
Brass	2.17	3.82	Salt Pond	1.82	3.58
Cameroons (Kamerun)	2.31	3.58	Senegal .....	.....	3.86
Cape Coast Castle	1.82	3.58	Via Cadiz .....	.72	.....
Chama	1.82	3.58	Via Lisbon	1.29	.....
Conakry	1.45	3.93	Sierra Leone (Freetown)	1.58	3.82
Dixcove	1.82	3.58	Togoland (Lome)	1.92	3.54
Dogba	1.86	3.48	Winnabah	1.82	3.58
Elmina	1.82	3.58	Wydah	1.86	3.48

WEST COAST OF AFRICA.

[By mail from nearest telegraph station.]

By mail from—		By mail from—	
Ajuda	Porto Novo	Eloby	Gaboon
Akassa	Gaboon, Lagos or Loanda	Fernando Po.	Gaboon, Lagos or Loanda
Ambriz	San Thomas or Loanda	Forcadas	Gaboon, Lagos or Loanda
Ambrizette	San Thomas or Loanda	French Congo	Gaboon
Apobo	Bonny	Kinsembo	San Thomas or Loanda
Banana	San Thomas or Loanda	Landana	Gaboon, Lagos or Loanda
Black Point	Gaboon, Lagos or Loanda	Liberia	Sierra Leone
Boma	San Thomas or Loanda	Loango	Gaboon, Lagos or Loanda
Cabinda	San Thomas or Loanda	Mayumba	Gaboon
Cape Lopez	Gaboon	Old Calabar	Bonny
Congo District	San Thomas or Loanda	Spanish Colonies	Gaboon
Degama	Bonny	Zaire	San Thomas or Loanda

MEXICO.

	Ten words or additional less (a).	Each word.		Ten words or additional less (a).	Each word.
Coatzacoalcos	\$1.85	\$0.16	Salina Cruz	\$1.85	\$0.16
Mexico City	1.85	.16	Vera Cruz	1.85	.16
Tampico	1.85	.16			

WEST INDIES.

Antigua	\$1.39	Cuba—Continued.	
Bahama Islands .....	.35	Camerones	\$0.45
Barbados	1.49	Cardenas .....	.29
Cuba:		Casilda .....	.50
Aguada de Pasajeros .....	.45	Canto Embarcadero (b) .....	.70
Bahia Honda .....	.29	Ciego de Avila .....	.60
Baracoa (b) .....	.75	Cienfuegos .....	.45
Batabano .....	.29	Cobre .....	.75
Bayamo (c) .....	.70	Colon .....	.45
Bejuical .....	.29	Condado .....	.50
Cabañas .....	.29	Consolacion del Sur .....	.29
Caibarien .....	.45	Cristo .....	.75
Caimanera .....	.79	Dominguez .....	.60
Camajuani .....	.45	Encrucijada .....	.45

a Exclusive of date, address, and signature.

b Messages posted at Santiago.

c Messages posted at Manzanillo.

Cuba—Continued.

Fray Benito (a)	\$0.75
Gibara (a) .....	.75
Guamo (b) .....	.70
Guanabacoa .....	.29
Guanajay .....	.29
Guano .....	.29
Guantanamo .....	.79
Guines .....	.29
Hato Nuevo .....	.29
Havana .....	.25
Holguin (a) .....	.75
Isabela de Sagua .....	.45
Jaruco .....	.29
Jovellanos .....	.29
Jucaro .....	.60
Las Cruces .....	.45
Las Lajas .....	.45
Las Vueltas .....	.45
Los Abreus .....	.45
Macagua .....	.45
Mantua .....	.29
Manzanillo .....	.70
Marianao .....	.29
Mariel .....	.29
Matanzas .....	.29
Mayari Abajo (a) .....	.75
Minas (a) .....	.65
Moron .....	.60
Neuvitas .....	.65
Palma Soriano .....	.75
Piedras .....	.60
Pinar del Rio .....	.29
Placetas .....	.45
Puerto Padre (a) .....	.70
Puerto Principe (a) .....	.65
Regla .....	.29
Remedios .....	.45
Rodas .....	.45
Sagua de Tanamo (a) .....	.75
Sagua la Grande .....	.45
San Andres (a) .....	.70
San Antonio de los Banos .....	.29
San Augustin (a) .....	.70
San Cristobal .....	.29

Cuba—Continued.

Sancti Spiritus	\$0.55
San Felipe .....	.29
San Juan y Martinez .....	.29
San Luis de Enramadas .....	.75
San Miguel (a) .....	.65
Santa Clara .....	.45
Santa Cruz del Sur .....	.65
Santo Domingo .....	.45
Santiago (or Santiago de Cuba, or St. Jago, Cuba) .....	.75
Songo .....	.75
Trinidad de Cuba .....	.50
Tunas de Zaza .....	.55
Union de Reyes .....	.29
Veguita (b) .....	.70
Yaguaramas .....	.45
Curaçao (island of)	1.23
Dominica	1.35
Grenada	1.47
Guadaloupe	1.17
Haiti:	
Cape Haitien .....	.90
Mole St. Nicholas .....	.90
Port au Prince .....	.90
Other offices	1.40
To other places not reached by telegraph, charge 25 cents additional for postage.	
Jamaica:	
Kingston and Holland Bay .....	.99
Other offices	1.02
Marie Galante	1.29
Martinique	1.17
Porto Rico:	
San Juan	1.70
Other offices	1.70
St. Christopher or St. Kitts	1.47
St. Croix	1.60
St. Kitts (see St. Christopher)	
St. Lucia	1.43
St. Thomas	1.54
St. Vincent	1.44
San Domingo	1.17
Trinidad:	
Port of Spain	1.56
Other offices	1.56

CENTRAL AMERICA.

[Rates beyond Galveston.]

Costa Rica	\$0.71
Guatemala:	
San Jose .....	.46
Other offices .....	.51
Honduras .....	.61
Nicaragua:	
San Juan del Sur .....	.66

Nicaragua—Continued.

Other offices	\$0.71
Salvador:	
La Libertad .....	.56
Other offices .....	.61

SOUTH AMERICA.

[Rates beyond Galveston.]

Argentina:	
Buenos Ayres	\$0.96
Other offices .....	.96
Bolivia:	
La Paz	1.21
Other offices	1.21

Brazil:

Alemquer	\$1.57
Aracaju	1.31
Bahia	1.31
Breves	1.42
Cameta	1.37

a Messages posted at Santiago.*b* Messages posted at Manzanillo.

Brazil—Continued.

Chaves	\$1.53
Fortaleza (Ceara)	1.31
Gurupa	1.42
Itacatiara	1.68
Macapa	1.53
Manaos	1.83
Maranhã	1.31
Maroim	1.31
Monte Alegre	1.53
Mosqueiro	1.37
Natal	1.31
Obidos	1.57
Para	1.31
Parahyba	1.31
Parintins	1.63
Pernambuco	1.31
Pelotas	1.31
Pinheiros	1.37
Rio de Janeiro	1.31
Rio Grande do Sul	1.31
Santa Catarina (Destero)	1.31
Santarem	1.43
Santos	1.31
Sergipe	1.31
Soure	1.37
Other stations north of Rio de Janeiro	1.31
Other stations south of Rio de Janeiro	1.31
British Guiana:	
Demerara	4.00
Georgetown	4.00
Berbice	4.00
Chile:	
Antofagasta	1.21
Arica	1.21
Caldera	1.21
Iquique	1.21
Santiago	1.21
Serena	1.21
Valparaiso	1.21

Chile—Continued.

Other offices	\$1.21
Dutch Guiana	3.66
Ecuador:	
Guayaquil	1.21
Santa Elena	1.21
Ballenita	1.21
Other offices	1.21
French Guiana:	
Cayenne	4.06
Other offices	4.06
Paraguay .....	.96
Peru:	
Arequipa	1.21
Callao	1.21
Catacoas	1.21
Chorrillos	1.21
Ilo	1.21
Islay	1.21
Lima	1.21
Mollendo	1.21
Moquega	1.21
Payta	1.21
Piura	1.21
Puno	1.21
Other offices	1.21
United States of Colombia:	
Buenaventura	1.05
Colon (Aspinwall) .....	.93
Panama .....	.93
Other offices	1.10
Uruguay:	
Montevideo .....	.96
Other offices .....	.96
Venezuela:	
Caracas	4.07
La Guayra	4.07
Puerto Cabello	4.07
Other offices	4.07

LAND TELEGRAPH SYSTEMS OF THE WORLD.

STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF OFFICES, LENGTH OF LINE, MILES OF WIRE, AND MESSAGES DELIVERED IN EACH COUNTRY OF THE WORLD; ALSO THE AREA AND POPULATION OF EACH COUNTRY AND THE NUMBER OF MESSAGES PER CAPITA.

[Compiled from Statesman's Year-Book, 1898, and American Cyclopaedia, 1897.]

COUNTRIES.	Number of offices.	Length of lines.	Miles of wire.	Messages delivered.	Population.	Messages per capita.	Area.
		<i>Miles.</i>					
United Kingdom.....	10,183	41,393	279,933	79,422,556	38,104,975	2.09	120,979
United States.....	24,811	214,394	1,017,710	77,580,767	75,194,000	1.03	3,557,000
France.....	11,553	58,267	197,307	44,793,860	38,517,975	1.16	204,092
Germany.....	21,455	84,379	320,825	38,392,224	52,279,915	.73	208,830
Austria-Hungary.....	7,320	46,010	131,239	20,730,132	41,231,342	.50	240,922
Russia.....	4,623	78,396	157,397	14,546,753	126,683,312	.11	8,516,139
Japan.....	1,114	11,729	37,661	10,978,153	42,270,620	.26	147,655
Anstralia.....	3,063	48,783	104,273	8,002,957	3,252,913	2.46	2,946,691
Italy.....	<i>a</i> 3,500	24,716	95,675	7,322,703	31,290,490	.23	110,646
Belgium.....	1,002	3,955	39,000	8,068,117	6,069,321	1.43	11,373
Spain.....	1,421	23,626	59,247	5,962,839	17,565,632	.34	197,670
Argentina.....	1,237	25,345	59,060	4,953,887	3,954,911	1.25	1,778,105
India.....	1,461	46,375	112,946	4,738,734	<i>b</i> 222,000,000	.02	1,068,314
Netherlands.....	533	<i>c</i> 3,539	12,571	4,563,798	4,928,658	.93	12,648
Mexico.....	<i>a</i> 800	40,950	78,000	<i>a</i> 4,300,000	12,578,861	.34	767,005
Canada.....	2,556	31,735	68,923	3,945,794	5,250,090	.75	3,316,000
Switzerland.....	1,866	5,493	19,978	3,182,564	2,986,848	1.06	15,976
Turkey.....	168	3,164	6,500	2,677,702	24,128,690	.11	1,115,067
Egypt.....	148	2,263	8,450	2,339,934	9,734,405	.25	<i>d</i> 400,000
Roumania.....	503	4,250	10,150	2,373,391	5,800,000	.41	48,307
Cape Colony.....	385	6,405	<i>a</i> 11,000	2,229,663	1,527,224	1.46	221,311
Sweden.....	1,385	8,282	25,150	2,177,477	4,919,260	.44	172,876
Denmark.....	172	3,349	9,375	1,911,754	2,185,335	.88	15,289
Norway.....	454	6,313	14,966	1,902,281	2,000,917	.95	124,445
Portugal.....	366	3,985	8,839	1,354,827	5,049,729	.27	36,038
Brazil.....	289	10,143	21,936	1,283,695	14,332,530	.09	3,209,878
Chile.....	205	6,965	8,330	1,159,553	2,712,145	.43	293,970
Greece.....	230	5,665	6,000	941,785	2,433,806	.39	25,014
Servia.....	134	1,990	4,170	803,430	2,314,153	.35	19,050
Guatemala.....	155	2,980	<i>a</i> 4,500	755,687	1,364,678	.55	63,400
Cuba.....	153	2,300	<i>a</i> 4,000	357,914	1,631,687	.22	41,655
Uruguay.....	97	4,380	<i>a</i> 6,000	322,477	818,843	.39	72,110
Colombia.....	319	6,835	<i>a</i> 9,000	320,071	3,878,600	.08	513,938
Persia.....	95	4,490	6,670	142,646	9,000,000	.015	628,000
Peru.....	41	1,491	<i>a</i> 2,500	88,326	2,621,844	.03	463,747
Paraguay.....	<i>a</i> 35	360	<i>a</i> 520	46,075	<i>a</i> 600,000	.07	98,000

a Estimated.

b Exclusive of feudatory States.

c State lines only.

d Populated area.

MILEAGE OF LINES AND WIRES, NUMBER OF OFFICES, AND TRAFFIC IN THE UNITED STATES OF THE
WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY FROM 1866 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Miles of line.	Miles of wire.	Number of offices.	Number of messages sent.	Receipts.	Expenses.	Profits.	AVERAGE PER MESSAGE.	
								Toll.	Cost.
					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.
1866.....	37,380	75,686	2,250						
1867.....	46,270	85,291	2,565	5,879,282	6,568,925	3,944,006	2,624,920		
1868.....	50,183	97,594	3,219	6,404,595	7,004,500	4,362,849	2,641,711	104.7	63.4
1869.....	52,099	104,584	3,607	7,934,933	7,316,918	4,568,117	2,748,801	89.3	54.2
1870.....	54,109	112,191	3,972	9,157,646	7,138,738	4,910,772	2,227,966	75.5	51.2
1871.....	56,032	121,151	4,606	10,646,077	7,637,449	5,104,787	2,532,662	69.5	45.7
1872.....	62,033	137,190	5,237	12,444,499	8,457,096	5,666,863	2,790,233	60.2	43.8
1873.....	65,757	154,472	5,740	14,456,832	9,333,019	6,575,056	2,757,963	62.5	43.4
1874.....	71,585	175,735	6,188	16,329,256	9,262,654	6,755,734	2,506,920	54.9	39.5
1875.....	72,833	179,496	6,565	17,153,710	9,564,575	6,335,415	3,229,158	51.0	35.2
1876.....	73,532	183,832	7,072	18,729,567	10,034,984	6,635,474	3,399,510	50.9	33.5
1877.....	76,555	194,323	7,500	21,158,941	9,812,353	6,672,225	3,140,128	43.6	29.8
1878.....	81,002	206,202	8,014	23,913,894	9,861,355	6,309,813	3,551,543	38.9	25.0
1879.....	82,987	211,566	8,534	25,070,106	10,960,640	6,160,200	4,800,440	38.6	25.2
1880.....	85,645	233,534	9,077	29,215,509	12,782,895	6,948,957	5,833,938	38.5	25.4
1881.....	110,340	327,171	10,737	32,500,000	14,393,544	8,485,264	5,908,280	38.4	25.6
1882.....	131,060	374,368	12,068	38,842,247	17,114,166	9,996,096	7,118,070	38.2	25.8
1883.....	144,594	432,726	12,917	41,181,177	19,454,903	11,794,553	7,660,350	38.0	26.0
1884.....	145,037	450,571	13,761	42,076,226	19,632,940	13,022,504	6,610,436	36.5	25.2
1885.....	147,500	462,283	14,184	42,096,583	17,706,834	12,005,910	5,700,924	32.1	24.9
1886.....	151,832	489,607	15,142	43,289,807	16,298,639	12,378,783	3,919,855	31.3	23.4
1887.....	156,814	524,641	15,658	47,394,530	17,191,910	13,154,629	4,037,281	30.4	23.0
1888.....	171,375	616,218	17,241	51,463,955	19,711,164	14,640,592	5,070,572	31.2	23.2
1889.....	178,754	647,697	18,470	54,108,326	20,783,194	14,565,153	6,218,041	31.2	22.4
1890.....	183,917	678,997	19,382	55,878,762	22,387,029	15,074,304	7,312,725	32.4	22.7
1891.....	187,981	715,591	20,098	59,148,343	23,034,327	16,428,742	6,605,585	32.5	23.2
1892.....	189,576	739,105	20,700	62,387,298	23,706,405	16,307,857	7,398,548	31.6	22.3
1893.....	189,936	769,201	21,078	66,591,853	24,978,443	17,482,406	7,496,037	31.2	22.7
1894.....	190,393	790,792	21,166	58,632,237	21,852,655	16,060,170	5,792,485	30.5	23.3
1895.....	189,714	802,651	21,360	58,307,315	22,218,019	16,076,630	6,141,389	30.7	23.3
1896.....	189,918	826,929	21,725	58,760,444	22,612,736	16,714,756	5,897,980	30.9	24.0
1897.....	190,614	841,002	21,769	58,151,684	22,638,850	16,906,656	5,732,203	30.5	24.3
1898.....	189,847	874,420	22,210	62,173,749	23,915,703	17,825,582	6,090,151	30.1	24.7

NOTE.—The greatly increased mileage since 1880 is principally due to the fact that in 1881 the Western Union Telegraph Company absorbed by purchase all the lines of the American Union, and the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph companies, the former having previously in operation over 12,000 miles of line and the latter 8,706 miles.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH CABLE COMPANY.

The following table exhibits the mileage of lines operated, number of messages sent, and number of offices:

YEAR.	Miles poles and cable.	Miles of wire.	Offices.	Messages.	YEAR.	Miles poles and cable.	Miles of wire.	Offices.	Messages.
1885.....	2,811	23,587	260	1,428,690	1892.....	13,363	88,646	1,412	9,335,291
1886.....	4,391	36,960	411	3,055,922	1893.....	16,201	101,807	1,605	10,251,194
1887.....	5,653	38,412	568	4,199,585	1894.....	17,715	108,695	1,759	10,965,509
1888.....	7,102	40,811	690	4,983,452	1895.....	19,477	117,344	2,067	12,493,892
1889.....	8,554	51,016	808	6,078,361	1896.....	20,165	126,483	2,101	13,461,452
1890.....	11,142	67,751	1,050	7,380,000	1897.....	21,098	130,449	2,133	13,628,064
1891.....	12,739	76,365	1,187	8,271,768	1898.....	24,547	143,290	2,601	15,407,018

STATISTICS OF THE AMERICAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY ON JANUARY 1 FROM 1892 TO 1898.

IN THE UNITED STATES.	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Exchanges	788	812	838	867	927	967	1,025
Branch offices	509	539	571	572	686	832	937
Miles of wire on poles	180,139	201,259	214,676	232,008	260,324	286,632	327,315
Miles of wire on buildings	14,954	14,980	16,492	14,525	12,861	12,594	13,776
Miles of wire under ground	70,334	90,216	120,675	148,285	184,515	234,801	282,634
Miles of wire submarine	1,029	1,336	1,637	1,856	2,028	2,818	2,675
Total miles of exchange service wire	266,456	307,791	353,480	396,674	459,728	536,845	626,400
Total circuits	186,462	201,322	205,891	212,074	237,837	264,645	295,904
Total employees	8,376	9,970	10,421	11,094	11,930	14,425	16,682
Total subscribers	216,017	232,140	237,186	243,432	281,695	325,244	384,230

EFFECT OF SUBMARINE TELEGRAPHY ON THE WORLD'S PROGRESS.

[From Submarine Telegraphs, by Charles Bright, F. R. S. E., England.]

The great revolution which submarine telegraphy has effected in the world's progress may be regarded from two great standpoints—the political and commercial. Let us begin with the former. In the first place it has accelerated even more perhaps than the improvement in locomotion by land and sea what may be called the practical shrinkage of the globe. The nations and people of the globe, being in continual contact with each other through the telegraph and its powerful ally, the press, know one another and understand one another's actions and thoughts and national aspirations infinitely better than they did fifty years ago. The effect of the better knowledge and insight upon their mutual relations may not always be in every instance a happy one, * * * but if the whole world gains, as it undoubtedly does by closer contact and by the lessons which one nation is thereby induced to learn from another, we should not take to heart any relative and maybe quite temporary decrease of ascendancy in certain departments of our national activities. * * *

One political result of this great development of the world's electric wires which Englishmen may safely regard with unusual satisfaction and pleasure is the much closer relation which has thereby been rendered possible between the mother country, the United Kingdom, and the daughter nations, English-speaking, English-modeled as to their institutions, and in the main British and Irish stock, which have sprung up in the most distant parts of the world. The "little England" idea, so fondly cherished by the old Manchester school of economists and politicians (who would gladly have seen all our young and vigorous Anglo-Celtic brood chased as young birds from the parent nest almost before they could fly), is practically as dead as a door nail. In its place we hear on all sides * * * of federation or customs unions between the United Kingdom and its self-governing colonies and India; and grander, if less practicable, than all these, we hear of negotiations for the establishment of a permanent arbitration tribunal for settling peacefully all future differences between the two main divisions of the English-speaking world. * * *

Another department in which the submarine cables have produced a notable political effect is the diplomatic. If the peoples have been brought more in touch with each other, so have the rulers and statesmen. An entirely new and materially improved method of conducting the diplomatic relations between one country and another has come into use with the telegraphic wire and the cable. The facility and rapidity with which one Government is now enabled to know the mind, at least the professed mind, of another, has often been the means of averting diplomatic ruptures and consequent wars during the last few decades. * * *

Let us now turn to the commercial results of this great development of submarine telegraphy. These have been partly anticipated in discussing certain improvements in prices of service and speed of transmission, and altogether the subject is so vast, so complicated, and so far-reaching that to attempt a detailed or systematic account of it within the compass of a work like the present would be but presumptuous. The fact is the methods of conducting business between merchants and financiers in the different countries have been completely revolutionized by the telegraph cable, which places the business man in touch with the new markets of the world. This is so patent to the generation of older business men now living that the younger ones only need reminding of it. Fifty years ago it took a London or Liverpool merchant six months to get an answer to a letter addressed to a correspondent at Calcutta and complete a business transaction. Nowadays, by means of the telegraph, the same transaction can be effected within six hours. Another result of the change and conditions brought about by the wire and cable is the partial elimination of middlemen in some departments of international commerce. * * *

Upon the progress of submarine telegraphy in the future as in the past a great deal of the world's commerce and industrial progress must depend, and not only the progress of the world collectively, but the relative

importance and united relationship of certain parts of it. The constant extension and duplication of the cable and land lines themselves, the fact that the communications have been effected chiefly by Englishmen and retained for the most part in British and American hands, the great reduction made in telegraph tariffs, the improvement in speed and volume of telegraphic traffic may be continued and supplemented by others in the near future. But how and by whom this is to be done, especially whether by men of our race and institutions and in the interests of, or at least not to the detriment of, the continued growth of harmony and union of the English-speaking world, all this depends upon the enterprise as well as the political wisdom and decision of purpose of the present generation. * * *

How soon the greatest gap of all, namely, that across the Pacific Ocean, will be spanned by telegraph cable would be out of place to predict. If, however, the present peace between the great powers of the world is not broken, there is no reason in the nature of things why this great enterprise should be much longer delayed. It is difficult to foresee any insurmountable engineering difficulties in its way, albeit the ground has been only partly sounded over at present. Along one or two of the proposed routes it is true that depths have been found which exceeded by some 700 fathoms those in which any cable has hitherto been laid. This, of course, would necessitate the construction of a well-adapted type of cable as well as of suitable machinery for paying out and (in view of what must be called the usual eventualities) for picking up the same. But such matters will certainly not daunt any telegraph engineer or contractor worth his salt. On the electrical side, again, it has been asserted that if the Pacific line were laid it would not work satisfactorily. This suggestion, however, is not in agreement with the facts, though it is true that the maximum speed on the length of the Australian-British routes (say 3,500 nautical miles) with quite a large core would be low, as compared with that attained on the Atlantic cables, which are of necessity kept heavily burdened with traffic more or less continuously. Still, with a core of the same proportions as that adopted by the "Anglo Company's" last cable, a speed could be attained well up to that required by the Canadian government in 1894. The foregoing would be by ordinary manual transmission, whereas all the latest improvements in the machine transmission would naturally be applied, with something like 30 per cent increase in speed, quite apart from the application of the duplex system. The more doubtful question is, whether the line could be made a commercial success, whether, in fact, even in the next quarter of a century, much more the next ten years, such an expensive enterprise could be made to pay.

Although upon these commercial, as well as what may be called quasi-political, considerations its fate depends, rather than upon any advances in the art of submarine telegraph engineering, some account of what has been said and done in the matter may not be amiss here. The scheme has been considered and discussed by many able authorities for a long time. Thus it is near twenty-seven years since, in 1870, a devious sort of trans-Pacific cable was first proposed by the late Cyrus Field and other American capitalists, who endeavored to negotiate financial arrangements for the purpose. Their plans were to connect California with China by way of Alaska and Japan, but they had to be abandoned.

Since that time the Pacific idea has been further developed in this country (England), and from a national rather than a private or commercial point. The various routes which have found most favor in the English mind are those which provide in the first place for communication between the British colonies and America, with resting places at one or another of the groups of islands in mid-ocean. Her Majesty's Government and the colonial governments most concerned have been urged from time to time to consider the latter in its strategic aspect. Two colonial conferences (in 1887 and 1894) were largely occupied with this subject, as may be gathered from a perusal of the bulky blue books which record their proceedings. The Dominion government took the matter up quite strenuously in 1893-94, and invited the various contracting firms to send in estimates for construction and laying, under condition of forming a company for making and maintaining the cable. Subsequently Lord Jersey, in the course of a long report on the Ottawa conference, strongly recommended the home government to take further steps and to order a series of soundings on the various suggested routes. The proposed telegraph rate from England to Australia by the projected Pacific cable was 3 shillings per word. In view, however, of the loss said to have resulted from the recent reduction of rates on the existing cable systems, some authorities have expressed doubts whether such a comparatively low tariff could be rendered profitable.

There is one other contingency, and a very serious one, in which an extremely undesirable eventuality might occur. In the event of a great war between this country (England) and another naval power or powers, it is quite conceivable that more than one of our Mediterranean cables (if no others) might be ruthlessly cut by the enemy and our communications with Egypt, India, and other eastern and Australian stations entirely broken off. Not only can a cable be cut in the shallow water near the coast by any small steamer with purchase gear that will raise an anchor, but lengths can be removed in a way that would tax the resources of a repairing vessel to replace even if on the spot at the moment. There are also several ways in which a cable can be readily (and at first sight innocently) interrupted at and near the water's edge, to wit, by bonfires on the beach, by fishermen, etc., supposed to be employed on ordinary avocations. Several cables have already been interrupted by bonfires. The

international telegraph convention recognizes, it is true, the principle of protection by government, but the effect of this recognition of responsibility is seriously qualified, perhaps practically annulled, by the following clause: "It is understood that the stipulations of the present convention do not in any way restrict the freedom of belligerents." If the view of said convention be correct, the argument that cables are as safe in times of war as in times of peace falls to the ground.

An additional and entirely independent line of communication between North America, Australasia, and the East, such as the Pacific scheme will afford, becomes therefore a matter of greater moment than the ordinary commercial mind is able to appreciate. It would not only act as a spare string to our bow, but would, for obvious reasons, be less at the mercy of an enemy than the others. Thus, if the ordinary line of communication between England and Alexandria were broken, through the Mediterranean cables being cut, we should be still able to speak to the East, provided the Atlantico-Pacifico-India route around the globe remained intact; and, except in the deplorable and, let us devoutly hope, not very likely event of war with our American cousins, the chances of that route being also interrupted by an enemy's hand are not particularly serious. The standpoint, therefore, from which any early necessity of laying a trans-Pacific cable is likely to be determined is the national, intercolonial, and Anglo-American one, rather than the purely commercial. For their mutual benefit the great English-speaking and English-governed countries, the pan-Britannic Oceania, living here under the "Union Jack," there under the "Stars and Stripes," may decide sooner than either the telegraphic or financial world could hope for or anticipate that they must and will have their Pacific cable.

THE TELEGRAPH THE HIGHEST HOPE OF THE PROGRESS OF MANKIND.

[By Elisé Reclus: 1888.]

Among the material achievements of modern science, that which gives us the highest hope in respect to the future progress of mankind is the electric telegraph. By this invention man ceases to be connected merely with that part of the globe on which he treads so lightly; his liberty is set free from the obstacles imposed by space, and he becomes, as it were, personally present at all the points of space which the conducting wire brings into relation with his thoughts. To the power of his machinery, which might be compared to muscular force, he adds the nervous forces afforded by fibers stretching in every direction; news, transmitted from cell to cell, reaches the brain of man from all the ends of the earth, and his expressed wishes are flashed across continents so as to be transformed into actions on the other side of the globe.

The construction of electric telegraphs did not commence until about ten years after the completion of the earliest railways; but owing to the comparative simplicity of the world's requisite for the establishment of electric wires, the total length of telegraph wires already much exceeds that of the iron roads. For an expense of about 40,000,000 pounds sterling we have been able to set up more than 1,500,000 miles of wire, a length which would reach nearly 650,000,000 miles if we were to reckon all the double and multiple wires of importance. The new wires unrolled every year would be sufficient completely to girdle the whole circumference of the planet; it is the far-reaching stretch of the human will which is thus extended so far over the domain which it has made its own by its skill and energy.

Not only on the surface of the mainland, but also in the depths of the sea, does the electric fluid transmit the thoughts of man all round the globe. By about fifteen wires which rest on the bed of the Channel or of the North Sea, Great Britain is connected with the coasts of France, Belgium, and Holland; Sweden and Norway are directly joined with Germany with wires across the Baltic; Sicily and Sardinia have, in spite of the Mediterranean, become portions of the Italian mainland. We can still recollect with what emotion we greeted the first interchange of thought flashed from one side of the Atlantic to the other, passing under the immense body of water 2,200 fathoms deep and as broad as an eighth part of the circumference of the globe. These first words which the Old World thus sent to the New were words of peace and good will; it was understood by all that the great fraternity of man had thus asserted its existence in a most solemn manner; in spite of all the obstacles nature could offer, in spite of continents, seas, and space, widely distant nations were beginning to be sensible of one common soul. After transmitting these words of peace and scrawling some indistinct syllables, the trans-Atlantic cable, as if exhausted by its first effort, and, as it were, ceasing to live, refused to respond to the learned electricians who were soliciting it on both sides of the ocean; silence had resumed its empire across the broad tract of water. But the persevering Anglo-Saxons did not succumb to the blow of this defeat; they again manufactured thousands of miles of fresh wire, and commissioned their engineers and their most skillful mariners to lay it down in the bed of the ocean. Then, with an anxiety as great as that experienced on the eve of a decisive battle, they witnessed the departure of their finest ship, unrolling as it went the cable which was to unite them to their American brethren. Fresh misfortunes followed, the wire broke in the open sea. No matter; they laid down a third, and the mighty *Great Eastern* made the voyage across the Atlantic without ceasing for one instant to keep up a communication with

the coast of Ireland, just as if she had left in her wake a long electric furrow. At the present time (1888) eleven electric telegraphs connect the two opposite continents, including those now completed between Brest and New York, Havre and Portland, Lisbon and Pernambuco, and Mr. Jay Gould's cable laid down in 1885. Lines, however, of no very great length, especially that from France to Algeria by way of the Balearic Islands, have not been successfully established in a permanent way, the cables having often been broken; the cables also in the Eastern Mediterranean, the Red Sea, and the Indian Ocean have been frequently injured. A total length of 90,000 miles of telegraphic wires, distributed among 600 separate cables, has been laid down in the bed of the sea between various parts of the world, its islands and peninsulas; but there does not at present exist any one continuous line which belts around the whole circumference of the planet, passing across the continental masses and the depths of the ocean. The longest line, that between California and New Zealand, passing through New York, London, Vienna, Constantinople, Bagdad, Calcutta, Singapore, and Sydney, is not less than 20,000 miles in length.

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A REPORT ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, MARITIME, AND TRAFFIC INTERESTS IN GERMANY, 1871 TO 1898, BY MR. GASTRELL, COMMERCIAL ATTACHÉ TO HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S EMBASSY AT BERLIN.

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Part I.—A.—GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE DEVELOPMENT.

A short account of the general lines of development and expansion of the German Empire since its foundation in 1871, and tracing the leading features of its commercial, industrial, maritime, and traffic interests up to 1898, may be of interest to the British public at the present time, when Great Britain and Germany are endeavoring to obtain, by a new treaty of commerce and navigation, a continuity of the friendly international relations which had previously existed during twenty-seven years under the old commercial treaty with the "Zollverein" of May 30, 1865, and under the treaty of navigation with Prussia, concluded a few months later.

IMPORTANT EFFECT OF GROWTH OF FOREIGN INDUSTRIES ON THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE OF BRITISH TRADE.

It is of the greatest importance at the present time that, in the interests of our national progress, all classes of the population in the United Kingdom should devote a closer attention than hitherto to commercial and industrial development abroad, which tends every year to more seriously affect the material growth of British trade. Such expansion in foreign countries is not by any means altogether detrimental to English commerce, as some people affect to believe. On the contrary, it brings with it certain substantial benefits. But with powerful industrial rivals in the field, of whom Germany is now one of the most important, it is essential that every effort be made to maintain, as far as possible, that superiority in special industries which has characterized our staple manufactured products during this century, and which has led to a partial monopoly of certain classes of goods, but which must necessarily diminish as other progressive industrial states arise and produce commodities similar to those which were once only to be purchased in our own country. Under these circumstances it is most deplorable to see any portion, however small, of British trade diverted to foreign competing nations, as has recently been the case through strikes among our population, which react not only on those taking part in them, but on the whole country. In these days of keen competition, it is impossible to realize the amount of the indirect losses to commerce caused by unfortunate and protracted disputes between employers and workmen, which gratuitously hand over portions of trade to the eager foreigner, all too ready to grasp them. If the disputants would but remember this point, they would be less prone to hasty action in such questions.

DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON BRITISH EXPORT TRADE OF HIGH RATES OF FREIGHT BY LAND AND SEA RULING IN GREAT BRITAIN.

It is needless to say that the development of foreign industry and commerce is equally important to all the industrial and commercial classes of Great Britain, and in order that there may be a continued and satisfactory expansion of British trade, it can not be too greatly impressed upon the British public that in the United Kingdom it is especially to traffic interests both by land and sea that particular attention must now be paid. It is most regrettable to find that instead of granting greater facilities for our own export trade, whereby the development of our national, commercial, and industrial interests abroad would be considerably furthered, many British railway and shipping companies have formed various combinations by which the British exporter finds himself compelled to pay far higher rates of freight, both by land and sea, for goods sent by him to many foreign countries than have to be paid to the same countries by his industrial and commercial competitors on the Continent and in the United States. Hence it is of the greatest importance that in Great Britain the export trade generally—and that of our staple products more particularly—should be more than ever facilitated in every possible way in order to be able to allow British industry and commerce to take full advantage of old and new markets on at least a *perfect equality with foreign competing nations*. Fresh evidence of this disadvantage under which our merchants unfortunately labor when endeavoring to combat keen foreign competition, has just been afforded by the report of the special commissioner, recently appointed by the board of trade to inquire into the prospects and conditions of British trade in South America, in which he says that one of the causes of the nonexpansion of our commerce in that part of the world is the fact that such cheaper shipping freights are granted from foreign ports.

EFFECT OF THE FOUNDATION OF THE EMPIRE ON COMMERCIAL PROGRESS.

Financial and agricultural interests are not included here, for they have been extensively dealt with in many reports issued by the foreign office in late years. Moreover, they are not subjects which to-day so directly concern and affect the English nation as do the remarkable progress and untiring rivalry of the Germans in the daily extending and sometimes conflicting spheres of the commercial, industrial, maritime, and traffic interests of both countries. A cursory study of these four subjects only will afford ample insight into the actual *status* of the German Empire as a new but powerful mercantile State, for it is, comparatively speaking, a new commercial nation since 1871. Previous to that time the want of united action, commercially even more than politically, did not allow of rapid expansion. But when in that year the numerous German States were merged more closely into a united Empire, under the German Emperor, an immense political work was accomplished. The immediate effects, however, on the possibilities of national development, especially as regards commercial and industrial progress, were, perhaps, greater still.

BISMARCK'S COMMERCIAL WORK HELPED BY THE DISPOSITION OF THE PEOPLE.

After completing his famous political work, Prince Bismarck devoted himself to direct the national energies of the people to peaceful and commercial aims. He tried to instil into a united and regenerated Germany the commercial spirit and the vigorous energy of the old Hanse Towns, and he achieved a success beyond his most sanguine hopes. It may well be said that he completed his political work of consolidating the Empire by his indefatigable exertions in paving the way for a great commercial and industrial future. To-day is seen on all sides a prosperity hardly dreamed of by the most enthusiastic patriots twenty years ago.

Putting entirely on one side, however, all that German statesmen have done to aid and direct the nation in its ambition to become a great commercial State, in addition to being a great political Power, nothing would have availed them in their laudable objects had it not been for the national and ingrained character of the German himself, which is so eminently suited to commercial enterprise, and which may be briefly described in one word "thoroughness." It is, undoubtedly, in the first instance to this "thoroughness" of methods in every department pertaining to commerce that the Germans have attained the position of a first-class merchant Power. This most valuable characteristic has permeated all classes of the people, and its effects can be seen in the manner of carrying out every private or national enterprise. No details are too insignificant to be considered in attaining a given end. No trouble is too great to take in mastering *minutiae*. There is no doubt whatever that in competing with other nations it has been rather in consequence of a mass of small innovations than by great changes that they have succeeded in their national aspirations of becoming the most important commercial power on the Continent and inferior only in the whole world to Great Britain and the United States. It may also be incidentally mentioned here that, with regard to her whole merchant fleet of steamers and sailing ships, Germany similarly holds a third place. The combination of these two single facts will, perhaps, carry more weight of proof than anything else could to those skeptical English persons who still affect to believe that the alleged prosperity and consequent rivalry of Germany in commercial matters is purely relative and insignificant and not in the least positive and important, especially when considering the future of some of our staple industries, such as the metal and cotton trades. When it is more widely realized that in 1897 the value of German exports of domestic produce was £176,030,200, or only £58,189,508 less than the £234,219,708 worth of similar exports of British origin, and that the proportion thereof per head of the population is tending to rise in Germany and to fall in England, perhaps the British public will begin to devote closer attention to commercial and industrial development on the Continent. The actual value per head last year for the Germans was nearly £3 6s., as compared with £5 17s. for us, the populations being respectively 53,500,000 and 40,000,000 in 1897.

Another factor that is considered to have helped the development both of home industries and foreign trade is the great extension in Germany of the principle of association or cooperation among the commercial classes for every kind of mercantile enterprise. The smaller people, who are unable to incur great expense individually, combine for common ends to an extent not known in England. This system is often a marked contrast to the characteristic *individual efforts* of the Englishmen in commerce. Both have advantages and disadvantages. But in the present days of keen competition there is a great deal to be said for more extensive cooperation where the individual effort is insufficient for its immediate purposes. An instance of this principle is to be found in the remarkably well organized "export unions" in the German Empire, which have done so much with their extensive organization to further foreign trade in all parts of the world. The tendency to form industrial combinations has, in late years, had a great influence on the development of the country.

CHANGES IN COMMERCIAL POLICY.

The industrial expansion of the country has necessitated a gradual change of commercial policy, as is explained later. The policy, begun in 1891 and since maintained, has as its basis the general principle of securing by tariff treaties wider foreign markets for German manufacturers, while admitting from abroad most raw materials for the

home industries free of all duty, and food stuffs for the people at reduced customs rates. How best to attain this end is now the main object of Germany's foreign policy. Her future position as a leading mercantile nation will depend very much on the attitude she may be able to assume on January 1, 1904, when the seven tariff treaties with Austria-Hungary, Belgium, Italy, Roumania, Russia, Servia, and Switzerland will have expired, and when she can also be free of almost all other existing commercial treaties of whatever nature by giving the notice stipulated for in each as to their expiration. On that date the German Government will therefore be free to negotiate afresh with nearly all the world on the basis of the masses of valuable information which they began to collect last year with the object of having reliable data to work upon when negotiating the new treaties to come in existence in 1904. The nature of this work and the progress made is noted hereafter more fully, but it may be briefly stated here that a new "autonomous" tariff is now considered desirable, both on commercial grounds and because of technical deficiencies as regards the present classification of goods, which does not sufficiently specialize imported commodities. This is said to place the Empire at a disadvantage when dealing with the more highly specialized tariffs of other Governments.

CONFLICTING INTERESTS OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY.

One great difficulty that existed when the present seven tariff treaties were made under General Caprivi, which has indeed always existed, and which will continue to exist in 1904, is the changing relative importance of agriculture and of industry as economic factors in national development. An account of this subject during the twenty-seven years of the existence of the Empire would form a history in itself. It must suffice to state here that whereas the agricultural interest in 1871 were paramount, it is the industrial interests that have undoubtedly predominated in recent years. Moreover, the future of industry is assured, and will go on increasing year by year, whereas that of agriculture seems less promising, and will doubtless, for many reasons, remain comparatively more or less stationary, as in England.

This new state of things has naturally brought about a great tension between the classes whose interests lie in the old-established agricultural occupations, and those whose interests are derived from the comparatively new-born industries. A sharp line divides the two and makes it difficult for the state to reconcile, either politically or commercially, their divergent interests. Statistics taken in 1882 and 1895 show that the number of persons out of every 1,000 supported by agriculture in the former year was 425, whereas by the latter it had fallen to 357, and that meanwhile the contrary movement had taken place in industry, for in 1882 355 persons out of every 1,000 were supported by industry, which figures had risen to 391 by 1895. The number of people supported by commerce had also increased from 100 to 115 in every 1,000 of the total population of the Empire. Such facts need no comments, and mark well the progress of events.

At the present time the agricultural party are dissatisfied with the working of the tariff treaties, which, they say, unfairly benefit the industrialists at their expense by admitting foreign grains at specially low duties in order to secure better markets abroad for industrial produce. They have even gone so far as to demand that these treaties should be canceled. It is now, however, quite understood that their claims will be fully recognized in the new commercial treaties of 1904; and the Government has practically pledged itself to promote all interests alike, whether industrial or agricultural. The maintenance of home agriculture is also, from a military point of view, most necessary to the state in order not to be entirely dependent on foreign food supplies.

FUTURE COMMERCIAL WARFARE AND THE PARIS EXHIBITION IN 1900.

During the past two years, 1897 and 1898, two subjects have been prominently before the German public in connection with commercial questions of the future. One is the work being done in preparation for the 1904 treaties, as mentioned above, and the other is the action being taken with regard to the Paris Exhibition of 1900. Both are intimately connected with the future *status* of German trade in the next decade. The twentieth century will certainly be one in which commercial warfare will assume an importance never known before. Questions connected with trade are every day becoming more prominent, and they occasionally even throw political ones into the shade. The competition for the world's markets must necessarily become keener as the struggle for existence becomes more severe.

In Germany no effort will be spared, either on behalf of the Government or of private persons, to avail themselves of every possible means to establish the commercial relations of the German Empire on a firmer and more impregnable basis than ever. The means to this end have been most carefully considered by the State and are already being carried out with method and zeal on all sides. It must be considered as a most fortunate circumstance for the Germans that, at the Paris Exhibition of 1900, it will be possible for them to exhibit to the world—just three years before negotiating the new commercial treaties—the range and wealth of all their present productive power. The importance of impressing other countries as to their twentieth century possibilities in every branch

of industrial production is evident, especially if they can, on that occasion, satisfactorily demonstrate to them their equality if not superiority to Great Britain in some directions. In any case it will be clearly shown at Paris—for the first time on a very large scale—how remarkable is the similarity of the bulk of German and British products, particularly in textiles and in the metal industries.

The German Government has voted a sum of £250,000 for the expenses of the German exhibits at the Paris Exhibition, while the British Government has granted a much smaller sum toward the expenses of the British section. In England, unfortunately, the immense value of such international exhibitions is not realized as it should be, and many British manufacturers are even opposed to exhibiting on such occasions. Such an attitude will be bitterly regretted some day when the folly of having lost such an opportunity is at last realized.

If, at this coming Paris Exhibition, the British exhibits are allowed to be in any way inferior to the German, either in range or quality—instead of being, as they ought to be, far superior—there will most certainly result some injury to British trade. And this injury is all the more likely to ensue from the important fact that at this exhibition, for the first time, the same kinds of products from different countries will be shown alongside one another, so that any deficiencies in British exhibits will be all the more marked in the eyes of foreign customers. This new departure of not exhibiting *en masse* the whole of one country's products in a separate section makes it all the more incumbent upon British merchants to strain every nerve to show their very best commodities of all kinds. Great Britain can no longer afford not to make every effort to maintain in the eyes of her foreign customers a "graphic" representation—such as that available at the Paris Exhibition—of her twentieth-century capabilities of production, which are greater than the German, and which ought to be forcibly driven home to some minds that are beginning to doubt the fact. If this is not done in 1900 at Paris, such a splendid and public opportunity of doing it effectually will not soon occur again, and ground once lost is not easily regained.

ANGLO-GERMAN COMMERCIAL RELATIONS.

Though the general commercial relations of Germany with foreign powers is too large a subject to include here, it is necessary to explain shortly the position in which the United Kingdom (including her colonies and possessions) now stands as regards the German Empire. The commercial relations of the two countries had been governed ever since 1865 by the commercial treaty with the "Zollverein," dated May 30 of that year. Another treaty of navigation with Prussia of August 16, 1865, ran concurrently with it, as was provided for by a special clause.

It was not until July 30, 1897, that Her Majesty's Government notified the German Government (in accordance with the clause allowing of termination at one year's notice on either side) of their decision to cancel the commercial treaty at the expiration of one year from that date. As is well known this step was taken in order to enable Canada, and any other British colonies so disposed, to grant preferential customs treatment to Great Britain. By the two commercial treaties then existing with Germany and Belgium it was impossible to do this, as both those countries, under the said treaties, could claim an equally privileged treatment for their imports into British colonies. The notice to terminate the 1865 treaty entailed the similar cessation of the treaty of navigation with Prussia. Both, therefore, expired concurrently on July 30, 1898. The tariff treatment enjoyed by British goods at the present moment is founded on the law dated May 11, 1898, which the Reichstag passed just before the end of their session, empowering the Federal Council (Bundesrath) at its discretion to grant up to July 30, 1899, to the subjects and products of the United Kingdom and of British colonies and possessions those advantages which should be conferred by the German Empire on the subjects and products of the most favored nation.

This law was necessary in order to enable the Government to deal temporarily with the Anglo-German commercial relations during the long interval of probably six months before the reassembling of the Reichstag in the late autumn of 1898. This power could not be obtained constitutionally without the authority of that legislative body in the form of a law; and had it not passed the relations of the two countries would have remained, after July 30, 1898, unregulated by treaty in matters of commerce and navigation generally. Such a state of affairs could not, under any circumstances, have been altered until the Reichstag had reassembled. But the Bundesrath decided, in view of the immense importance of the international trade of the two countries, to make use of their power. On June 11, 1898, they therefore issued an official notice (*Bekanntmachung*) which announced that they had resolved "to accord from July 30, 1897, and 'until further notice,' to the subjects and products of the United Kingdom and of all her colonies and possessions—with the one exception of Canada—those advantages which are granted by the German Empire to the subjects and products of the most favored nation."

By this arrangement—which it will be noticed can be terminated at the discretion of the Bundesrath at any time, and which can not (under the law of May 11, 1898) be prolonged beyond July 30, 1899—a prolongation of our old rights to most-favored-nation treatment (under the 1865 treaty) is temporarily secured. Meanwhile, negotiations between the two Governments for a new treaty are proceeding.

RECENT GERMAN LEGISLATION.

In quite recent years much has been done by legislation to unify the laws of the different federated States, such as the new civil and commercial codes. Many other laws of importance for the consolidation or commercial development of the Empire have been passed, which can not be dealt with here. Such are the laws regulating the organization, powers, elections, etc., of chambers of commerce, land registration, the organization of handicrafts, etc., all passed in 1897.

QUESTIONS UNTOUCHED IN THIS REPORT.

In the present report only the general and broad indications of development are dealt with. No single trades or industries, with the one exception of shipbuilding, are touched upon, as such subjects would too widely extend its limits; but it may be remarked that in most of them the development has been quite exceptional, especially in all branches of electrical work and in the chemical industries.

The great questions of technical education, of comparative wages, of the methods of British trade as compared with those of Germany, of the comparative cost of production, etc., are omitted here for want of space.

Finally, before passing to a review of the special spheres of development treated of here, it may be stated that, from a financial point of view, the state of the Empire is and has been most satisfactory, as may be seen by a perusal of the many diplomatic reports published in late years, and it seems probable that this prosperity will steadily continue.

B.—COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL INTERESTS.

CAUSES OF COMMERCIAL PROGRESS.

The rise of Germany as a commercial and industrial nation has been rapid, and it has been due not only to wonderful private activity but also to the public care of the state for every form of development of national interests. Both have played an important part in the attainment of the country's present prosperity; together they have now brought the Empire to the very foremost rank of commercial powers. Many circumstances have helped to bring about this advantageous result. But none have had a greater influence than the uninterrupted period of more than twenty-seven years of peace which have now gone by since the signing of the preliminaries of peace with France at Versailles in February, 1871. Moreover, the economic development of Germany had been long delayed by the want of a union of German states, which would carry with it also a consolidation of commercial, industrial, and traffic interests. This difficulty was eliminated from the impediments to national progress by the foundation of the German Empire.

In spite of the burden entailed on the nation by the enormous expense of the maintenance of a large standing army the progress made in all directions has been extraordinary. A great impetus was also given to the development of trade by the final inclusion in 1889 of the state of Hamburg (which, however, still keeps a "free harbor" district for customs purposes) in the "Zollverein" as an integral commercial part of the Empire from which it had held apart up to that year. It is true it had joined the North German Confederation in 1866, and the Empire in 1871 politically; but it had then retained all its privileges as a free port, which were not given up till seventeen years later. Bremen was also admitted in 1888. Thus as regards commercial absorption into the "Zollverein," the last two of the famous Hanse Towns joined the new Imperial Federation of German States, as the others had already done. It may therefore be said that the commercial unity of the Empire was completed in 1888, even as its political unity had been consummated in 1871. There are still, as is well known, a few "Zollauschlüsse," that is, territories outside the customs union limits of the Empire; but they are unimportant, except the free harbor district at Hamburg. The rest consists of docks and tidal basins at Bremen, Cuxhafen, Bremerhafen, and Geestemünde, of certain small parts of Baden, and of Heligoland. A free harbor district at Stettin must be included from October, 1898. Brake and Nordenhamm have only bonded warehouses, which are regarded as "Zollauschlüsse" for customs purposes.

TARIFF POLICY SINCE 1871.

German commercial policy has altered with the various disturbing influences of this century. Since the original "Zollverein," or Customs Union, was founded by Prussia in 1818, and gradually joined by nearly all the then German states, except Austria, a determined attempt was made to adopt so-called "free-trade" principles, which meant, however, real free trade only between German states in the Union, and a greatly facilitated commerce with other countries by mutual tariff concessions, effected by treaties. In 1862 Bismarck effected a considerable change in the Prussian tariff in the direction of such "free trade" by the commercial treaty with France. In 1873 he pushed the principle farther; and he actually suggested that the number of dutiable imports should be limited to 10 to 15, being a smaller number than there are now in England. He eventually obtained, on January 1, 1877, the

suspension of the duties on imported iron, and thereby brought free-trade principles to the highest point they have ever reached in Germany. The nearest approach was thus made to the English principle of levying duties merely for revenue and not for protective purposes.

But very soon afterwards a complete change of policy was suddenly made in consequence of a general European economic crisis, and of the overwhelming importation of foreign grains, the evil effects of which on home growers were ascribed to the adoption of the too "free-trade" principles of former years. Bismarck, himself, on December 15, 1878, informed the Federal Council (Bundesrath) of the intended complete change in customs policy, which would, he said, on account of financial considerations, for the future be directed to fostering German products by protective duties on nearly all imports, but which would also admit, free of duty, all raw materials necessary to the home industries. This newly adopted principle was called the "autonomous" system, and it has been in operation ever since.

The fact was that both agriculture and industry had been suffering severely from foreign competition, and their representatives jointly prevailed upon the Government to espouse their cause, which, at that time, was a common one, though, since then, it has become more and more divergent through the completely altered conditions which have necessarily arisen from the daily increasing preponderance of industrial over agricultural interests.

The new customs tariff of July 15, 1879, exhibited the following characteristics: An increase of the existing duties and the introduction of new protective duties in the interests of industrial and agricultural products.

The present German tariff is moderate, very simply constructed in comparison with those of some other continental powers, but is well able to accomplish its object of conferring upon national industries and undertakings sufficient protection from foreign competition where it is thought necessary. At the same time it merely gives the producer a small advantage in the home markets, and does not appear to any appreciable extent to impair his natural activity in competition, nor to prevent his using every effort to keep down the cost of production and every other expense incidental to a keen struggle for the markets of the world. But this protection also affords him the following substantial advantage in competing abroad with a country like Great Britain, which does not by protective duties afford to home industries both "initial" and continuous protection as Germany does. In consequence of the higher price, rendered possible at home from the protective duty, the German manufacturer can afford to sell abroad the surplus of his output at a lower price than he could otherwise do. His average profit on his whole output is made up of two parts: Firstly, of a rather high profit on the sales in Germany; and, secondly, of a rather low profit on the sales abroad. The net average profit is, however, only an ordinary one; but the larger total quantity sold (which he could not dispose of without the foreign market, combined with the extra low price of sale abroad) enables him to produce the commodity in the larger quantities at a lower cost of production than he otherwise could if he had only the German market to manufacture for. He thereby obtains abroad, when selling against an Englishman, an indirect advantage from his home protection, which stands him in good stead and is equivalent to a small indirect benefit (which the Englishman has not) on his foreign sales, which is, however, paid for by the German consumer through the higher sale price at home.

The customs tariff now in force provides one general or "autonomous" rate of duty for all countries, from which deviations only exist for such nations as have tariff treaties or treaties containing the most-favored-nation clause. Such deviations are "treaty" or "conventional" duties. At the present moment treaties of one kind or another exist with most European powers (excepting Great Britain, Spain, and Portugal) and with the majority of extra-European countries. So that, with few exceptions, the German Empire may now be said to trade with the world on the basis of the lower "conventional" or "treaty" tariff.

Should, however, any nation neither have a tariff treaty with Germany nor a most-favored-nation right, and should it treat "German ships or products less favorably than those of other states," then the imports from such a country may be charged with a surtax which may amount to 100 per cent of the "autonomous" tariff rate; and, in addition, those imports free of all duty under the "autonomous" tariff may be charged with a duty not exceeding 20 per cent ad valorem. This law is dated May 18, 1895. Hence the danger of any country not having with Germany either a tariff or a most-favored-nation treaty.

THE TARIFF TREATIES OF THE NINETIES.

After the introduction of the 1879 custom duties, tariff treaties with foreign countries were not general until the much later period of the nineties. There were at that time usually only treaties containing a most-favored-nation right, three exceptions being those with Italy, Spain, and Greece. But most of the tariff treaties existing in Europe expired early in 1892, whereupon many countries prepared higher customs tariffs in order to be prepared to grant certain concessions reciprocally when negotiating for the new treaties. Germany, therefore, under the auspices of General Caprivi, set to work to make a series of special tariff treaties with Belgium, Italy, Austria-Hungary, and Switzerland, which were all dated December 6, 1891. Later additions of the same class were those with Servia in 1892, with Roumania in 1893, and with Russia in 1894.

Perhaps almost the greatest benefit conferred upon the country by these seven tariff treaties was the fact of their all being made for a long period of years and not terminable in any event before December 31, 1903. This secured for the mercantile classes the inestimable benefit of a fixed tariff for most of the important commodities of commerce over a long period of time—a very valuable factor in trade, which has in this case greatly assisted the development of commerce.

The reductions in Germany granted by these treaties were not great except on imported grains, and those in the various foreign countries were not very considerable either. But the whole of the negotiations were based on the necessity of finding larger markets for the rapid increase of industrial products, which had taken place at home and for which there was no longer in the country itself a sufficiently extended market. The chief compensation given to foreign nations was found in a reduction of the German duties on grain, which at the same time benefited the masses of the working people by affording them cheaper breadstuffs. On the whole, these treaties seem to have satisfactorily effected their purpose of disposing abroad of the surplus products of the greatly increased activity of all commercial and industrial undertakings.

It is contended that these commercial treaties, the work of General Caprivi and Baron von Marschall, can hardly be called strictly protective, inasmuch as their main object was to secure cheaply as imports the necessities of life and of the raw materials for industries, in return for which concessions foreign markets were secured for certain classes of German exported industrial products. A policy embracing these principles is still considered to be necessary to the German Empire in order to support its rapidly growing population, which is now increasing at the rate of 600,000 a year.

PROSPERITY OF GERMAN COMMERCE.

The prosperity of commercial and industrial interests has been great, and may be said to be the direct and joint achievement of the eminently satisfactory condition in Germany of the methods of education, of production, and of distribution. It would seem as if the success of the Germans in competing in trade and industry with foreign nations must be largely attributed to a distinct superiority in special points under these three heads, although the general economic conditions of the world and long periods of international peace and amity have undoubtedly helped to elevate Germany to its present prominent position.

Her commerce, like that of other countries, has passed through occasional years of depression; but, unlike that of other nations, it was never as seriously affected. As I was recently able to point out in a comparison of the trade of the chief nations of the world from 1885 to 1895, the position of German commerce during that period was in an incomparably better position than that of Great Britain and of most other European powers. And it was there pointed out how that trade, even from 1890 to 1895, and, therefore, covering some years of general depression, had been much more prosperous than British trade, especially to extra-European states.

Particular attention should also be paid to the rapidly increasing amount of German capital invested abroad. The financial interests of the Empire, especially in South America, are immense; but it is not possible to satisfactorily estimate the total amounts. In banking circles foreign loans, such as those to China and Denmark, and even to Bosnia, have been much in favor; and large sums have been sent to Russia, Hungary, and Roumania. In some quarters it is thought that German capital has lately been too freely granted to foreign countries at low interest, and the fact that the interest charged to the Chinese Government has, in late years, been reduced from 6 to 4½ per cent is much commented upon.

The new departure of Germany in acquiring Kiaochao Bay a year ago, now made a free port, is an important fact commercially for the development of trade with the East, which has lately been a special subject of care to the Government. They, two years ago, sent out a commercial mission to China and Japan, which recently brought back valuable information and samples regarding suitable goods for sale there. These data and sample collection are being kept secret for the especial benefit of the German manufacturers producing such commodities. The minister of commerce has also recently communicated to the interested classes a lengthy memorandum, which deals with German exportation to China. It gives the results of a detailed examination of Chinese statistics, made with the view of placing before German merchants lists of all the chief imports into China which could be supplied from Germany; and it contains many valuable hints and suggestions, derived from authoritative sources, which are likely to assist the public in obtaining reliable information on the conditions of the markets in that part of the world. In connection with it, a collection of Chinese sample goods is now being exhibited to manufacturers.

ACTUAL DEVELOPMENT OF TRADE, 1889-1897.

On turning to the actual figures for commerce since the foundation of the Empire, a notable expansion is seen. In 1872 the total "special" trade was valued at £279,131,000, being £163,100,000 for imports and £116,031,000 for exports; but it must be remembered the trade of Hamburg and Bremen was not included at that date. And, owing to various breaks in the continuity of statistics (as is explained in the body of this report, in Part II), the

longest period of consecutive and strictly comparable years is that from 1889 to 1896, from a statement illustrating the nation's progress in recent years.

In 1889 the total "special" trade was £359,090,000, being £200,755,000 for imports for home consumption and £158,335,000 for exports of domestic produce. By 1896 it had become a total of £405,483,550, being £229,453,350 for imports and £176,030,200 for exports. A marked feature of this development was the decrease in value of imported foreign manufactured articles from £49,635,000 to £46,960,000, while the exportation of German manufactures rose from £104,935,000 to £115,060,000. Statistics do not show, in addition, the value of German manufactured products consumed at home by the population, which had, during that period, grown by about £4,000,000. The great increase in imports was mainly in food stuffs, drawn chiefly from the United States, Russia, and Austria-Hungary—all important grain-growing countries. The largest decreases in imports were from the leading industrial and manufacturing nations. With regard to Great Britain, the loss in value of her imports into Germany during the seven years was £5,696,200. As regards Germany's exports, there were only three small reductions in that period, namely, to Italy, to the United States, and to France; whereas the value of the increase of exports stands at £15,779,500—chiefly to Austria-Hungary, Switzerland, Great Britain, and Russia.

German trade with all the British colonies and possessions in 1889 was valued at £11,182,900, being £7,518,600 for imports from and £3,664,300 for exports to them. In 1896 it stood at £20,801,750, being £15,276,700 for imports from and £5,525,050 for exports to them. The imports from the colonies consist almost entirely of raw materials necessary to German industries.

In 1896, according to German statistics, the value of the international "special" trade of the two Empires with one another—that is, of Great Britain and her colonies and possessions on the one side and Germany on the other—was almost the same, the difference being merely one of £1,677,500. The imports from the British Empire amounted to £42,842,350, as against a value of £41,164,850 for exports to it from the German Empire.

A comparison of the total "special" trade of the United Kingdom and Germany in the three years 1895–1897 (after due allowance for the changes in statistics on January 1, 1897) shows the following results: For England there are in 1896 and 1897 rises in the value of imports of £28,827,954 and £6,063,265, and in exports an increase of £14,255,535 in the former year and a decrease of £5,925,843 in the latter. For the Germans are found, in those years, increased imports of £9,324,706 and £14,095,194, and for exports a rise of £10,361,500 in 1896, but a slight fall of £226,300 in 1897. The net results of this comparison of the total exports of the two countries is, therefore, in 1897, a balance of £5,699,543 (being £5,925,843 as compared with £226,300) in favor of Germany on that year's transactions. But this was owing almost entirely to the English loss of £5,248,000 in "cotton and cotton goods" in that year, a very large part of which was caused by the severe fall in price for the enormous British exports of that commodity.

C.—MARITIME INTERESTS.

THE RISE OF MARITIME INTERESTS.

Among the many directions in which the German Empire has been pushing its economic expansion as a powerful European State in recent years, none is more remarkable than the line of development of its maritime interests, in the broad sense of the term, which includes shipbuilding, carrying power, and oversea commerce, together with its necessary protection as represented by a navy. Sea interests and sea power are the natural correlaries of trade interests and industrial power; and they to-day take a leading place in German politics, whereas up to quite recent times they were of very secondary importance to politicians, and still less to the nation at large.

DEVELOPMENT OF SHIPBUILDING AND STATE AID.

It is, however, only since 1881 that, moved by national considerations, the German Government decided to foster the growth of shipbuilding; but the intention to do so did not take practical shape until the first subsidy bill of 1885. By this action they afforded material support to the colonial and commercial aspirations of the Empire. Though the principle then laid down has since been extended, it is almost entirely due to the energy of private individuals that such a high level of efficiency in this direction has been attained, that at the present time the German shipbuilding yards have been offered more orders than they can possibly carry out.

There are now being constructed for the Hamburg-American Steamship Company fourteen new large ships of 144,980 tons, and a further nine of a tonnage of 78,380 tons are building for the North-German Lloyd. Together, therefore, the immense total of 223,360 tons of shipbuilding are now being built for these two companies, of which all but four ships of 34,360 tons are laid down in German yards. And it is not only magnificent merchant shipping that has been and is being constructed, but also large numbers of men-of-war, both for the German navy and for foreign nations. In 1897 as many as eight were launched.

The German Government has not, however, largely subsidized or assisted the construction of ships, as has been the case in other countries. They have merely followed out their usual policy of affording a very moderate amount of protection to the young or struggling home industry, in order to enable it to have a fair chance of com-

peting with already existing foreign competitors. The most important form of subsidy is by postal contracts for mail services by quick steamers, though it is frankly acknowledged that other important objects are kept in view throughout, such as the indirect advantages that would accrue to German trade, the gain to the Empire by the increase of material for forming an efficient naval reserve, the utilization of the fast steamers as cruisers in time of war, and last, but not least, the coveted means of favoring home industries. Conformity with admiralty requirements, the use of German materials and products as far as possible (including coal), and the construction of the new vessels in the shipbuilding yards of the Empire, are among the chief conditions of contract.

BRITISH AND GERMAN MAIL SUBSIDIES COMPARED.

These subsidies, which are only enjoyed by two steamship lines—the North-German Lloyd and the East-African Line—amount at the present time to £324,560 a year for direct postal subsidies and to £19,250 for other separate payments for carriage of mail bags chiefly, to North America, by lines other than the two above mentioned. The total expenditure is, therefore, £343,750 a year in Germany; whereas the similar postal subsidies paid to British companies amount to £653,276 this year, and the sum expended by Her Majesty's Government for the right to use certain fast steamers as cruisers, in case of naval warfare, amounts to an additional £48,600 yearly. No such payments are made by the German Government to any of their lines of steamers, even when the ships are built on admiralty lines. But they can be requisitioned under the law of June 13, 1873, for war purposes. To other German shipping companies, of which there are many, nothing is paid to assist their development, but they may occasionally receive payment for single mail bags carried out of the above-mentioned small sum.

“PREFERENTIAL” RAILWAY RATES FOR MATERIALS FOR SHIPBUILDING.

There are, however, two other forms of assistance given, of which “preferential,” or “special,” railway freights for certain German materials for shipbuilding are the most important, inasmuch as their direct object is to oust the products of rival industrial countries. This principle has been recently further extended in consequence of a direct combination of the leading shipbuilders and iron and steel works owners, who have obtained from the State railways still further freight concessions for such materials. The other form of aid is that certain specified articles and requisites for the fitting out of ships are admitted duty free under various decrees. These at present benefit the foreigner.

A small indirect bounty on shipping is also afforded by the very low combined freight rates by rail and sea from inland parts of the Empire, via Hamburg, to ports in the Levant and East Africa, which induces shipment by two German steamer lines in preference to transport by other lines.

THE FUTURE OF SHIPBUILDING.

But, independently of this artificial stimulus, the progress of shipbuilding is yearly receiving greater encouragement from the daily increasing improvement in methods of production and from the gradually extending facilities of carriage, which are the natural results of the industrial and commercial prosperity. The new Dortmund-Ems Canal will enable a cheaper transport of Westphalian coal and iron to the seaports, and it will thereby benefit the employment of home products, to the exclusion of foreign goods, in the construction of ships. And the further projected extension of the already extensive network of canals, at a cost, it is said, of perhaps £20,000,000, for a midland and other branch canals, joining from east to west the chief rivers of Germany, will certainly add to the possibilities of providing at a cheaper price the materials necessary for shipbuilding, now one of the most important national industries. The immense development of this industry is, be it noticed, almost entirely confined to steam tonnage. The large falling off in the sailing tonnage of the German mercantile marine is considered to be unsatisfactory from the point of view of training crews for sea service, and it is partly on account of this consideration that the Government now do a great deal to develop the fishing fleets of the Baltic and North Sea.

The iron and steel industries have now attained great proficiency in every kind of production, and are daily advancing further their standard of work. Aided by the Government, they will, probably, soon reach the point at which they can supply all the materials which are still coming from the United Kingdom for the construction of ships. A characteristic sign of the times is the fact that Krupp, the famous maker of ordnance, has recently acquired the “Germania” shipbuilding yard at Kiel, whereby he will be able to turn out men-of-war, complete throughout with fittings and armaments, all “made in Germany.”

BRITISH PROSPECTS OF CONTINUING TO SUPPLY MATERIALS FOR SHIPBUILDING TO GERMAN YARDS.

Though the position of shipbuilding in Germany is most satisfactory, and has received an unexpected impetus from the passing of the naval bill in the spring of 1898, which authorized an expenditure of large sums on new men-of-war during the next six years, yet the Germans themselves acknowledge that they are still behind Great

Britain in some respects, and must not, on any account, rest on the laurels already won. Therefore a keener competition than ever must be expected by the British public in every branch of trade connected with shipbuilding, as, indeed, in all the metal trades. One of the advantages that has hitherto told in favor of the English manufacturers of some materials required in the construction of ships is the more rapid delivery orders and the cheaper price. The great struggle on the German side has been to equal this promptness in the execution of orders and to bring down the price. These objects are, no doubt, being yearly more nearly attained. Consequently it is of vital importance that English manufacturers should take far more care than ever before to maintain these two gradually diminishing advantages in competing with similar German products.

There is also a general conviction among Germans, which will have far-reaching and decidedly disadvantageous results in the course of years to English competition, that the condition of shipbuilding will only become quite satisfactory when the materials employed are exclusively of German production and manufacture.

In conclusion, it will be instructive to submit here two recent proofs of the very high standard of production now obtaining in the German Empire:

First, during October of this year, the "Schichau" Yard at Elbing (near Danzig) achieved the feat of building several torpedo destroyers of 280 tons and of 6,000 horsepower, which, it is reported, on their trial trips gave a speed of $40\frac{1}{2}$ miles (or 65 kilometers) an hour, a speed, it is believed, hitherto unequalled.

Secondly, an instance of good workmanship is afforded by the fact that, also during October, 1898, at a trial range near Washington, it was proved, on the occasion of trials of heavy armor plates to be used for new United States men-of-war, that those manufactured by Krupp's new method were superior to Harvey's, with which the ironclads of the United States are now armed. Projectiles which pierced a harveyized 6-inch plate failed to penetrate Krupp's plate. And the opinion was expressed that a Krupp 12-inch plate was equal to any other armor plate of $13\frac{1}{2}$ inches in thickness.

THE NAVY BILL OF 1898, AND REASONS FOR ITS INTRODUCTION.

One of the most important economic movements now taking place in Germany is the development of her maritime interests. The mercantile marine and "over-sea" interests had developed to such an extent that recently the Government obtained the consent of the nation to add largely to its navy.

During the year 1897 continuous efforts had been made to bring this question prominently before the public, and to point out the absolute necessity of a large increase of the navy in order to adequately protect Germany's growing maritime interests. The introductory statement of the bill presented to the Reichstag in November gave great prominence to the following considerations of general interest in connection with the new programme, namely, that during the last twenty years the increase of imports and exports, the rapid investment of capital abroad, the acquisition of colonies, the flourishing fisheries, and the rapidly-increasing population had greatly added to German "over-sea" interests, but that at the same time this expansion had brought with it the danger of a conflict with the interests of foreign nations, which must be provided against by an increase of the navy, for any injury to these maritime interests would entail serious consequences on the whole country.

THE FINANCIAL EXPENDITURE SANCTIONED FOR THE INCREASE OF THE NAVY.

The bill, as eventually passed on April 10, 1898, provided that the nonrecurring expenditure should not exceed £20,445,000, of which £17,835,000 was to be devoted to the construction of ships and their armaments. The German fleet will then be brought up to a total strength of 17 battle ships of the line, 8 coast-defense vessels, 9 large and 26 small cruisers, besides a variety of torpedo and other small craft. It is thought and hoped that, in consequence of the favorable state of the revenues of the Empire, a total sum of £5,876,274 a year can easily be devoted exclusively to the annual naval budget of the next six years, by which time the additions to the fleet are to be completed.

THE MATERIAL BENEFITS TO THE NATION BY THE INCREASE OF THE NAVY.

At the end of 1903 some £35,000,000 will probably have been expended; but in return it is contended that Germany will be in the strong position of being able to prevent any effective blockade of its coasts, which, by excluding neutral ships, would be disastrous to the nation in time of warfare. And in times of peace there will be a very material addition of naval power, which can be exerted in different parts of the world in extending German influence and in protecting German interests.

It must also be remembered that, with a population increasing at the rate of 600,000 a year, it is absolutely necessary, from a German point of view, to provide security in the future for uninterrupted importation and exportation, for that increase in numbers can only be supported by the productiveness of industries for the very existence of which continuous imports of food and of raw material, as well as regular exports of manufactures, are absolutely essential in order to uphold the vitality of the nation.

D.—TRAFFIC INTERESTS.

DEVELOPMENT AND CAPABILITIES OF TRAFFIC.

The growth of traffic by land and sea has been remarkable since 1871, and nothing affords a better insight into German development. Probably few countries have shown such a rapid development of carrying power. The capabilities of inland traffic in Germany may be gathered from the statement that the country possesses 28,566 miles of broad-gauge railways and 8,647 of navigable, natural, and artificial waterways. Both these branches of traffic have been energetically developed by the Government, especially since the political union of the German States in 1866, under the leadership of Prussia. Previous to that date there was no mutually worked-out scheme either of waterways or railways. Each State of the old Germanic Confederation had worked more or less independently in these matters; and with the foundation of the German Empire in 1871 still further facilities for a uniform development of means of transport were secured.

The German Government has systematically tried to establish in the country a combined network of waterways and railways; and they have recognized the practicability of both working well together, the canals taking the bulky part of the heavy traffic which does not require rapid transport. As a result of these endeavors it is now specially claimed that nearly all the waterways of Germany have been rendered available for steamers, which is a most important point for modern traffic requirements. Without it canals are nowadays comparatively of little use.

CANALS AND RAILWAYS IN GERMANY ARE BOTH STATE UNDERTAKINGS.

There is a striking contrast, which is most characteristic of the two countries, between the way in which the network of canals arose in Great Britain and in Germany. In the former it was the result of purely private or individual efforts, whereas in the latter it has throughout been the outcome of State or public enterprise. And the same may be said of the railways since 1879.

In the German Empire both are equally great State undertakings; and it is a recognized principle that their care and development is one of the most important functions of both the Imperial and of the Federated State Governments, who, working in unison, devote to these special objects all their energies and, what is more to the point, enormous sums of public moneys.

On consulting the map of Germany one is much struck by the great facilities of water carriage with which she is favored. There is a very long seacoast, and a river and canal length of about 8,647 miles, of which one half consists of canals or canalized streams. In the United Kingdom there is also a large canal system of long standing, but with this great difference, that few of the canals are available for steamers, while the contrary is the case in Germany. Statistics (latest returns, 1888) allot to England 3,827 miles of canals.

DEVELOPMENT OF WATERWAYS—EXPENDITURE ON CANALS.

In the past immense sums have been spent on the German canals and on the canalization of rivers, and it seems likely that still larger amounts will be expended in the near future on extending the waterways. The sums allotted by Prussia for the creation of new or for the improvement of existing water communications during the period 1850-81 to 1892-93 amounted to £17,875,350, some of which has not yet been actually expended. There are other large sums involved since that date in incompleting canals.

PROJECTED NEW CANALS.

Of new projects there are many, of which the Dortmund-Rhine Canal and the Great Midland Canal (joining from the east to west the rivers Elbe, Weser, and Rhine) are the most important. The first involves an expenditure of over £8,000,000 altogether, and the second is variously estimated at from £10,000,000 to £20,000,000, according to its eventual scope. The latter is intended to amalgamate the eastern and western waterways of the nation and to join the Dortmund-Ems Canal *a* to the Rhine system, in order to give the latter river an outlet to the sea via a German port, instead of only through ports in the Netherlands. It will also place the Rhine-Main-Danube connection in direct communication with all the streams of North Germany.

Indications are not wanting to show that a greater effort than ever before will soon be made to further extend the waterways of Germany, among which may be mentioned the declaration of the minister of agriculture that the building of canals forms a part of his policy and the statement of the minister of public works that the assistance of the canals was absolutely necessary to the railways in order to be able to deal satisfactorily with the enormously increasing traffic.

a This canal has been building for some time, and it is hoped that its entire length (650 kiloms.) will be open for navigation in the spring or summer of 1899.

IDEA OF A MID-EUROPEAN CANAL JOINING RHINE, ELBE, AND ODER TO THE DANUBE.

A far-reaching scheme of international importance is also advocated by an "Austro-German Society of Inland Waterways," and consists in the construction of a mid-European canal, which is intended to connect, by good, navigable canals, the Rhine, Elbe, and Oder with the Danube, and with perhaps a branch to join the Russian canal system. It is pointed out that the opening of the Iron Gates to shipping removed the great impediment which formerly existed to an extensive mid-European system of through water traffic. The vista thus opened up of future possibilities to the advantage of central Europe is immense, and is a marked contrast to the idea that canals are rather things of the past than effective factors in the future for the quickening of a country's economic development.

ATTITUDE OF AGRICULTURISTS AND INDUSTRIALISTS TOWARD CANALS.

The attitude adopted by the partisans of agriculture and industry, as regards canals, has been widely divergent. The agricultural party, generally, are opposed to the extension of the waterways on the ground that, although directly benefiting grain growers in the country by a cheaper carriage, it must in most cases also cheapen the transport of the inevitably large imports of foreign corn which enter the German Empire, thereby lowering the home prices to the general detriment of the home producers. And it must be remembered that, at any rate until the expiration, at the end of 1903, of the principal tariff treaties of the Empire with foreign Powers, the German Government could not raise the import duties on grains so as in any way to compensate the agriculturists for any loss incurred.

The much larger number of persons, however, whose interests lie in the great industries are naturally strongly in favor of improved and extended waterways, for such improved communications would further lower the cost of transport from the coast inland of the raw materials required for the industries and also the outward transport of the finished products of those industries. Moreover, they have not to face the same danger as the agriculturists; for such raw materials as come from abroad are, as a recognized principle, usually admitted duty free, and of finished manufactures, the exactly similar foreign imports are not so very numerous, and those that are have to pay, on entry, a duty high enough to protect the German industries effectively from any serious competition.

Such an extension of the radius of cheaper water communications in Germany will also further facilitate the exportation of industrial and mining products, principally coal, which will inevitably result in still keener competition with British similar commodities both in Germany and abroad in the markets of the world.

THE INTRODUCTION OF STATE RAILWAYS ON THE CONTINENT.

In view of the very important part played by German State railways and on account of the amount of attention that this question has recently received in England, a somewhat detailed account of its adoption, working, and results is given in Part II of this report.

It was in 1879, three years subsequent to the completion of Bismarck's imperial railway scheme, that Prussia finally adopted the system of State railways as now understood by that term; and by doing so she set an example that was soon followed by other countries. The continental nations, like Great Britain, began with private railway companies; but, unlike her, they have mostly altered their views for various reasons.

REASONS FOR ESTABLISHING STATE RAILWAYS.

In Germany the change to State lines was not only brought about by political and, especially, by strategical reasons, but also by the firm conviction that such a system was absolutely needed in order to give full scope to the aspirations of a new commercial and industrial German Empire. And it must be said that Bismarck's railway policy, during the twenty years of its existence, has had an enormous success both as regards the development of the network of the lines themselves and with respect to the marvelous effect that they, in conjunction with other economic factors, have had on the expansion of commerce and industries.

The State railway system has this great advantage over private companies in developing the country's resources, that those places which would be left without means of transport by the latter system are not so left by the former; for the paying portion of the lines worked by the Government compensate for the nonremunerative sections, and the public generally benefit considerably. One of the principal objects aimed at was a simplification of freights, together with greater uniformity and cheapness.

A monopoly of the magnitude of the German State railways, extending over 29,384 miles of lines, has an immense power over the destinies of a country from many points of view. And when one also considers the State ownership of 8,647 miles of canals and other inland waterways, the power that can effectively be wielded for the common good of the nation can be to some extent realized.

SO-CALLED "PREFERENTIAL" RAILWAY RATES AND THE REASONS FOR THEIR INTRODUCTION.

One very useful application of this power is to be found in the so-called "preferential," but better termed "exceptional" or "differential," railway tariffs, which imply specially reduced rates for particular kinds of goods with often certain limitations as to destination. The Prussian minister of public works, in October, 1884, stated that the objects of such reduced freight had been and in the future would be the following:

1. To assist agriculture and industries by granting low rates of transport for raw materials or "subsidiary" materials.
2. To assist German manufacturers in competition with foreign importers at home, and to assist German export trade abroad.
3. To assist German ports in competition with foreign ports.
4. To look after the interests of German railways and waterways in competition with those of foreign nations.

Moreover, he added that these "exceptional" tariffs would only be granted to foreign goods if no injury could thereby result to a home competing industry or enterprise, or if, by being so admitted and yet causing some injury, there were nevertheless some compensating advantages on the German side. Under the latter head were included the "interests of German shipping, those of the home consumer, and those of the railways themselves."

This power has been widely used in all the directions indicated to promote the productive power of the Empire, as well as its maritime and commercial interests.

RESULTS OF THE WORKING OF THE STATE RAILWAYS.

It is but fair to add, however, that up to the present time Germany has worked the State railways generally (apart, perhaps, from some "preferential" rates) on strictly business lines, and many people hold the opinion that extreme "preferential" rates would not be granted to any kind of goods if they involved a serious reduction in income, for it should be remembered that the surplus yield of these railways is one of the chief sources of revenue to the German State which, from a financial point of view, effected an excellent piece of business by converting the railways into State lines, as also by subsequently reducing the rate of interest on the railway loans from $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent to 4 per cent and to $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. The actual capital expended on the broad-gauge system up to 1896-97 was £580,186,600, or about £20,310 per mile. In 1897 the gross receipts were £79,399,850, the working expenses stood at £44,209,500, and the excess of the former over the total expenditure was £35,190,350, or a return of $6\frac{3}{4}$ per cent on the invested capital. The Prussian railway debt for purchasing private lines in order to establish the State system had been £351,183,539 altogether.

Notwithstanding the many concessions already made by the state railways administration, it appears that some leading commercial and industrial men are of opinion that the general railway rates are not yet low enough to give full play to the productive powers of the country, and that even with further reductions the profits might be still larger from the increased commercial and industrial activity that would probably ensue. And, in conclusion, it must be said that in Germany the system of state railways has been a great success.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF LIGHT RAILWAYS.

In contradistinction to the broad-gauge railways, which almost entirely now belong to the state, the light railways have always been and remain private enterprises, strongly supported by the agricultural party in Germany. That their efforts have been successful is shown by the fact that there are now 818½ miles of such lines in the Empire laid down at a total cost of £3,823,050, or about £4,670 per mile. None of these are state railways.

Under the Prussian laws they were expected to be built solely by private capital and with pecuniary assistance from various municipal associations ("Kommunalverbände"), though eventually in 1895 the Government came to their aid with funds from the railway budget because these "municipal" contributions were so small.

Up to the present £1,050,000 has been allotted by the Prussian state to further the construction of light railways where they are necessary, but only on condition of there being no reasonable prospect of private companies obtaining a fair return on the capital to be invested.

VIEWS OF THE AGRICULTURAL PARTY ON LIGHT RAILWAYS.

The agricultural party contend that these narrow-gauge lines are very necessary in developing the agricultural resources of the country, and should form an important part of home politics. They urge that to a great extent industries follow the broad-gauge railways, which is not possible in the case of agriculture, the products of which must be carried by light railways in order to quicken the latent possibilities of agriculture. They point out that the Government should well be able with such a profitable system of state lines to afford them assistance, although the yield of narrow gauges are small. They also contend that as the strategical interests are now fully secured by

the present extent of the broad-gauge system, a strong opposition should be directed by the agrarians against any further development in that direction; but that every effort, on the other hand, should be made by them to obtain an increase of the network of light railways through state assistance.

Part II.—1. COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL INTERESTS.

DEVELOPMENT OF COMMERCIAL INTERESTS.

Aided by the state and protected by a moderate tariff from severe foreign competition, German industries and commercial enterprises of all kinds came into existence, developed, and flourished. This took place much more rapidly than in most other countries, partly because when the opportunity came the Germans benefited by the knowledge and experience of older industrial states which they took care to study closely, and upon which they often improved.

PROTECTIVE TARIFF OF 1879, AND LATER HISTORY.

After a period of so-called "free-trade" principles, protection was again adopted in Germany with the introduction of the 1879 tariff, which effected many sweeping changes at the instance of both the agricultural and industrial parties. The grain and wood duties, abolished in 1864, were reintroduced, and a new petroleum duty was adopted. Those on coffee, wine, rice, tea, tobacco, cattle, and textiles were raised. Those on iron were restored; and others were placed on many new articles formerly admitted free. In 1885 the tariff was again revised, especially in the direction of trebling the grain and of doubling the wood duties. Those on cattle, brandy, etc., were raised at the same time. The year 1887 saw another general rise of duties. But, on the other hand, some reductions in the tariff for most-favored nations came about in 1883 and in 1889 in consequence of the tariff treaties made with Switzerland and Spain. Other reductions were made by the four tariff treaties of 1891 with Belgium, Italy, Austria-Hungary, and Switzerland, and again in 1892 and 1893, when like treaties were respectively made with Servia and Roumania. Increases in some duties took place in 1894 and 1895, such as those on cotton seeds, perfumes, ether, and honey.

Such, briefly, has been the history of the present tariff, which has, generally speaking, become more and more protective while making, in certain special cases, some reductions in consequence of the above-mentioned tariff treaties, which had also to be extended, by virtue of existing most-favored-nation treaties, also to most European and to many extra-European countries.

Difficulties often arise in individual states of the Empire as to the application of the general customs tariff. Each state has still full power to interpret its application, and divergent decisions may easily arise as to the duty applicable to any article not specifically described therein. It was partly on this account that, in February, 1898, new custom-house regulations were issued as to information to be given beforehand as to duties chargeable at each custom-house. This measure was adopted by the German Government as a palliative, as it was fully recognized that it was not possible to entirely abolish "customs anomalies," as they were called during a debate in the Reichstag, in which it was also stated that a wish had been expressed that questions arising from customs duties should be submitted for settlement to the law courts. This the Federated States could not allow, as it would only lead to still more divergent decisions. And it was stated that one single supreme court for the Empire, having jurisdiction in such cases, would be most desirable, but that so long as the present constitution held good each state had complete control over the collection of duties and the interpretation of the customs tariff. The only appeal against such decisions lies to the Bundesrath, or federal council, at which the representatives of each state sit. Negotiations have been attempted for the purpose of obtaining a supreme customs court for the Empire, but so far without success.

CONSTRUCTION OF PRESENT GERMAN TARIFF.

It will be well to describe shortly here the German tariff. It is not an excessive tariff; on the contrary, it is a moderate one, but effective enough in affording to the home producer ample protection against foreign competition, though this is not acknowledged by the agricultural section of the community. The principles of the present tariff have, as was mentioned above, been in force since 1879, since when, however, it has often been altered. The whole of it did not come into force at once, but only that part referring to certain classifications, such as iron, tools, etc. Special dates were fixed on which certain other parts were to be applied; and it was not until January 1, 1880, that the whole of the remainder became effective. A gradual transition was thus brought about from the former "free-trade" principles to protection.

All the duties are on imports; there are none on exports. The German tariff is an extremely simple one as compared with those of other countries on the Continent. There are 43 sections, and under each of these there are found a moderate number of subdivisions. Nearly all duties are calculated by weight; that is to say, at so

much per 100 kilos., gross or net, certain tare allowances being made for some goods, according to the nature of the packing. These allowances are placed opposite the duties in the tariff and are so much per cent of the gross weight.

"AUTONOMOUS" AND "TREATY" TARIFF DUTIES.

There is one fixed rate of duty, known as the "autonomous" or general tariff, for all countries, except for those which have direct tariff treaties with Germany, or which, by virtue of a most-favored-nation clause, indirectly enjoy the same privileged lower rates as those granted to tariff treaty countries. These lower duties, noted in the official tariff in italics, both for the article and the duty, form, however, a lower "treaty" or "conventional" tariff. Thus, though there is, properly speaking, no maximum and minimum tariff, it practically amounts to that as regards all goods mentioned in the tariff treaties, which only exist with the following countries: Greece (July 9, 1884); Belgium, Italy, and Austria-Hungary (all dated December 6, 1891); Switzerland (December 10, 1891); Servia (August 21, 1892); Roumania (October 21, 1893), and Russia (February 10, 1894). There is also a tariff treaty with Japan of April 4, 1896, which comes into force on January 1, 1899, for a period of twelve years certain, but in it no concessions are made by Germany.

But most-favored-nation treaties exist with all the other European countries, (a) except Great Britain (since July 30, 1898), Spain (since May, 1894), and Portugal (since February, 1892). With many extra-European countries most-favored-nation treaties also exist.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE 1904 NEW COMMERCIAL TREATIES.

The preparations for the negotiation of the new commercial treaties which are to replace those which expire on January 1, 1904, were begun in Germany as early as 1897. Immense trouble has been and is being taken by the Government to obtain thoroughly reliable data on which to work, as they were by no means content merely to elaborate a new tariff on the wide experience already gained from the working of the seven commercial treaties of 1891 to 1893. The steps taken to effect this end were as follows:

A special committee was established at the Treasury to draw up a freshly classified tariff so as to enable the Government, when negotiating with foreign countries for tariff treaties, to handle separately many of the articles now grouped under one single rate of duty. This preliminary work was partly completed in the last days of September, 1898; and the newly drawn up classifications were then sent out to the Federated States for their approval and suggestions before being submitted to the representatives of trade, industry, and agriculture for their views. No altered rates of duty whatever differing from the present tariff were then inserted, for they can not be fixed or even discussed until much later, when the Imperial Government shall be in possession of all the new material they are now collecting.

This committee consisted of 30 members, of whom 15 were nominated by the imperial chancellor and 5 each by the central corporations of German commerce, industry, and agriculture. One of their chief duties is to examine the possibilities of developing exportation and of substituting home products for imported articles, while according due regard to the ultimate effects economically, especially as regards the workman's necessities of life. Other special work for the use of this committee is also being carried out, such as a compilation of the commercial and navigation treaties from 1872 to 1897 (a volume of such treaties from 1851 to 1872 had already been published), a detailed comparison of German trade with other countries from 1880 to 1896, and a systematic compilation of the customs tariffs of all nations. Complete statistics on production in Germany, a work hitherto unaccomplished, are also being obtained for all branches of trade, and some of these seem to be approaching completion at the present time.

A private commercial information bureau in Berlin (called the "Centralstelle," for preparing data for the new treaties) has also started an organized system of collecting statistics, etc., with the object of assisting the Government. It published pamphlets written by able economists and others on different subjects connected with this work of drawing up the new treaties of 1904.

DEVELOPMENT OF GERMAN COMMERCE, 1871 TO 1896.

The development of German commerce since the foundation of the Empire in 1871 is now traced. The alterations that have taken place in statistics are explained in this account of trade as they occur in date. Total "general" trade is not dealt with, as it is thought more satisfactory to treat only of "special" commerce.

The total value of German trade in 1872 (i. e., of the Zollverein, but not at that date including Bremen and the greater part of the State of Hamburg and some other small portions of territory outside the customs union) was £279,131,000, or £163,100,000 for "special" imports and £116,031,000 for "special" exports. An earlier date can not be given for values, as prior to 1872 only quantities by weight of importation and exportation were given.

^a See Appendix, Annex No. 1, for complete statement of all treaties.

It will be remembered that "special" means, in the first case, imports for home consumption, and, in the second case, exports of domestic produce. In German statistics they include bullion and specie, which have been deducted in all figures quoted in this report in order to make them comparable with English statistics.

By 1887 "special" trade had risen to a total of £312,000,000, being £156,235,000 for imports and £155,765,000 for exports. It must, however, be noted that in 1880 considerable changes in the method of collecting statistics of imports and exports were made, so that exact comparisons with the early years of the Empire are not possible.

It is only since 1889, after the incorporation of Bremen and the greater part of the state of Hamburg into the "Zollverein," that correct comparisons can be made with trade in late years—that is, up to the end of 1896 only, for 1888 and 1897 form complete breaks in continuity.

In 1889 the total "special" trade was £359,090,000, being £200,755,000 for imports and £158,335,000 for exports. By 1896 it had become £371,930,000, or £206,035,000 for imports and £165,895,000 for exports.

Another complete break in continuity unfortunately occurs on January 1, 1897, on which date, for the first time, a large portion of "improvement" traffic was added to "special" trade returns, which had formerly not been included in it, so that for any years before and after that date no correct comparisons can be made (as fully explained in Foreign Office Report No. 2040, Annual Series, 1898).

The German imperial statistical office published in June, 1898, a statement comparing 1896 and 1897 trade as a whole and for each class of goods, but not for trade with each foreign country, in which all the newly included "improvement" traffic for inland account was allowed for. But the lately issued complete statistical volume on trade with each foreign country has no comparative table on this subject, except for enabling a comparison of the total trade in imports and exports with each country in 1896 and 1897, but not for different classes of goods to each. Nor is any further comparison, I believe, to be issued, so that for the coming years one can not even compare farther back than the year 1897—a very unfortunate circumstance to those interested in the statistics of the development of trade in Germany.

In 1897, after making due allowance for the above-mentioned change in statistics, the total "special" trade was £405,483,550, being £229,453,350 for imports and £176,030,200 for exports. The differences involved by this change amounted to large sums. There was thereby arbitrarily added to the total "special" imports £4,482,950 and to total "special" exports £5,316,500. After allowing for these differences the result of trade in 1897, as compared with 1896, was an increase for Germany of £14,095,194 for imports, but a decrease of £226,300 for exports.

The above figures give an idea of the immense general development of foreign commerce since 1871 and up to the present time.

DEVELOPMENT OF TRADE IN RAW MATERIALS AND IN MANUFACTURES, 1889 TO 1896.

The figures for "special" trade in raw materials and manufactures during the seven years 1889–1896, which are strictly comparable, are most interesting. The value of imported raw materials for industrial purposes was in the former year £88,375,000, weighing 20,862,272 metric tons, and in the latter £94,300,000, weighing 27,482,332 tons. Meanwhile the value of exported raw materials of German origin was £33,245,000, weighing 15,284,035 tons, and £38,660,000, weighing 21,404,520 tons. This shows that both the importation of foreign raw materials necessary to the home industries and the exportation of German raw products required by foreign industries had immensely developed.

Turning to manufactured articles, the value of imports fell from £49,635,000 in 1889 to £46,960,000 in 1896, while that of exports rose from £104,935,000 to £115,060,000 in the same period.

There is in the above two comparisons ample demonstration of the satisfactory state of manufacturing industries, which have of course not only developed an increased export value of about £10,000,000 during that time (when prices for manufactures generally have been falling), but they have also to an enormous extent replaced the formerly imported foreign manufactured goods, which latter, even supposing a like population in 1889 and 1896, fell by over £2,000,000 in the nine years. But as a matter of fact the increase in population in that period was about 4,000,000, whose wants in manufactured articles had evidently also been supplied by the German home industries, and their value must have been immense.

The increase in imports of food, including cattle and other articles of consumption, was from £61,465,000 in 1889 to £74,100,000 in 1896, while the exports of a similar nature rose from £20,060,000 to £25,780,000.

MOVEMENT IN EXPORTATION OF LEADING GROUPS OF GERMAN INDUSTRIES, 1889 TO 1896.

It is well worth mentioning here also the movement in exportation of certain large groups of German industrial products between the same two years. The figures were for the textile, felt, and clothing trades £8,530,000 and £7,775,000 respectively for raw materials and £45,710,000 and £40,100,000 for manufactures; for machines, tools, and other instruments, £7,505,000 and £10,420,000 respectively; for all metal industries (excepting only the

preceding category and precious metals): for ores, £720,000 and £575,000; for rough "nonprecious" metals, also coined (in this are included pig iron, broken and scrap iron, iron loops or blooms, rough rails, and ingots), £2,945,000 and £2,715,000; for roughly worked-up articles (in this are included bar and fashioned iron, wheel tires, plowshare iron, wire, plates, sheets, and rolled, etc., of zinc, lead, tin), £4,370,000 and £6,335,000; and for manufactured metal articles £9,050,000 and £11,885,000; for food and other articles of consumption, £4,295,000 and £3,895,000 respectively for raw materials and £14,170,000 and £17,445,000 for manufactured products; for the chemical and pharmaceutical industries, £1,620,000 and £1,815,000 respectively for raw materials and £11,335,000 and £16,220,000 for manufactured articles; for the products of the glass, clay, stone, and asbestos industries, £1,550,000 and £2,115,000 respectively for raw materials and £3,580,000 and £5,635,000 for manufactures; for the products of the leather, oilcloth, and hide industries, £1,670,000 and £2,165,000 respectively for raw materials and £10,185,000 and £8,665,000 for manufactures; for ornamental articles, millinery, and toys, £4,250,000 and £5,045,000; and for literary work and art productions, £3,950,000 and £6,035,000.

On studying the chief changes in imports and exports of the Empire from and to all countries we find the following results:

For value of imports the principal increases were £8,642,850 (+2,505,549 metric tons) for grain, flour, potatoes, etc.; £2,081,050 (+138,548 tons) for timber and wood of all kinds; £1,638,000 for tobacco; £1,766,400 for eggs; £1,420,450 for copper; £1,358,700 for linseed; and £1,264,450 for skins and hides. The chief decreases of value were: £2,997,300 (but +23 tons) for silk of all kinds; £2,130,950 (but +30,372 tons) for raw wool; £2,059,400 (but +48,182 tons) for cotton, raw and waste; and £1,077,550 (but +227,974 tons) for petroleum.

For value of exports the principal increases are: £3,675,500 (+466,672 tons) for all kinds of sugar; £2,264,600 for machinery of all kinds; £2,002,650 for books, maps, engravings, etc.; £1,954,450 for fine iron and steel wares; £1,528,550 for dyes; £1,322,300 for coals; £1,051,300 for coke; £995,300 for rough ironware; £700,000 for paper; £569,100 for leather; £427,000 for cotton (raw and waste); and £306,750 for glass and wares thereof.

The chief decreases of value consist of £3,744,750 in silk manufactures; £1,279,950 for leather wares (except gloves); £624,550 for wearing apparel; £585,100 for woolen manufactures; and £378,650 for all kinds of spirits.

VALUE OF GERMAN TRADE TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES FROM 1889 TO 1896.

During this same seven-year period, 1889-1896, "special" trade stood as follows with the countries mentioned below:

COUNTRY.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.	
	1889	1896	1889	1896
	£	£	£	£
Great Britain.....	33,261,850	27,565,650	32,336,850	35,639,800
Russia.....	26,006,550	31,410,050	8,710,500	11,579,700
Austria-Hungary.....	26,492,350	27,342,600	15,950,300	19,984,200
United States.....	15,873,450	26,415,200	19,751,800	19,102,500
France (a).....	13,569,950	11,476,750	10,467,350	10,066,550
Belgium.....	16,786,050	8,660,300	6,859,950	8,396,850
Holland.....	14,218,000	7,946,800	12,451,300	13,082,000
Switzerland.....	9,019,300	6,927,550	8,521,450	11,927,300
Italy.....	7,427,850	6,599,950	5,075,600	4,179,200

a Includes Tunis and Algiers.

For German "special" trade with British colonies and possessions the figures were in the same years:

COUNTRY.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.	
	1889	1896	1889	1896
	£	£	£	£
British East Indies.....	4,763,700	8,558,150	1,325,100	2,458,950
British Australasia.....	1,722,900	5,160,200	1,062,750	1,462,350
Cape Colony and Natal (a).....	681,050	1,055,950	375,950	782,250
British West Indies.....	299,550	554,700	82,750	56,400
British North America.....	51,400	147,700	817,750	765,100

a Includes Bechuanaland, Basutoland, etc.

RESULTS OF TRADE WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES, 1889 TO 1896.

We thus see that German trade, during the above period and with the above-mentioned European countries, was most satisfactory. On analyzing these figures we find that, as regards imports, the increases were only from the United States, with £10,541,750; from Russia, with £5,403,500, and from Austria-Hungary, with £850,250, all three being countries producing on a large scale grain and other food stuffs, and making a total of £16,795,500, chiefly of imported food for the growing German population. From the other six countries there is a total decrease of a value of £25,106,000; and, be it noticed, this reduction is all from nations whose chief imports into Germany are manufactures, clearly thereby showing the great development of German similar industrial products. That sum total consists of the following reductions: Of £8,125,750 from Belgium; of £6,271,200 from Holland; of £5,696,200 from Great Britain; of £2,093,200 from France; of £2,091,750 from Switzerland; and of £827,900 from Italy. The very large falling off from Belgium and Holland is, no doubt, also due to less transit trade from other nations (Great Britain, for instance) via those two countries, as well as to less imported goods from Belgium and Holland themselves.

TRADE OF GERMANY WITH GREAT BRITAIN, 1889 TO 1896.

Great Britain's loss of imports into Germany, valued at £5,696,200, from 1889 to 1896 is to be accounted for by the following reductions: £921,550 for wool and wares thereof; £897,900 for groceries and other articles of consumption; £861,650 in cotton and cotton goods; £765,250 in drugs, pharmaceutical necessities, and paints; £600,750 for copper and wares thereof; £394,950 in oils and fats (excluding petroleum); £233,850 for caoutchouc and india-rubber goods (but the quantity increased by 495 tons); £223,100 in skins and hides; £222,600 for corn and other agricultural produce, and £201,900 for coals, lignite, coke, etc. (but the quantity had increased by 905,326 tons).

The only imports that had risen much from Great Britain were £289,850; for tar, pitch, resin, and asphalt; £164,950 for linen and wares thereof, and £126,300 for machines and vehicles.

As regards exports we find, on the one hand, merely three reductions, namely, of £896,400 to Italy, of £589,300 to the United States, and of £400,800 to France, or a total of only £1,886,500; while, on the other hand, the value of the sum total of increased exports is £15,779,500, consisting of £4,033,900 to Austria-Hungary, of £3,405,850 to Switzerland, of £3,302,950 to Great Britain, of £2,869,200 to Russia, of £1,536,900 to Belgium, and £630,700 to Holland.

The bulk of this increase is, of course, of the manufactures and products of all the new industries that have developed so widely in late years. It is remarkable that the movement is especially marked to those nations which are themselves great industrial countries.

The increases in German exports to Great Britain in the period under review consisted chiefly of £1,595,400 in groceries, of £1,118,950 in hardware and ironmongery, of £601,100 in drugs, apothecary's wares, and paints, of £568,650 in iron and wares thereof, of £344,450 in paper and cardboard, of £332,500 in fats and oils, of £326,000 in clay wares, of £218,050 in clothes and underlinen, of £179,050 in brush wares, of £172,300 in cotton goods, of £163,850 in glassware. There is only one great decreased export to England, and that is of £1,491,000 for silk goods; but there are also reductions of £250,000 for zinc goods, of £230,150 for cattle, of £189,650 for woollen goods (though the quantity increased by 1,244 tons), and of £177,800 for wooden articles (though 18,001 more tons in weight).

GERMAN TRADE WITH BRITISH COLONIES AND POSSESSIONS, 1889 TO 1896.

On turning to German commerce with British colonies and possessions in the same seven-year period, we note the following points: From all of them the imports had increased by a value of £7,758,100, consisting of £3,794,450 from the British East Indies, of £3,437,300 from British Australasia (which includes New Zealand, Tasmania, etc.), of £374,900 from the Cape and Natal, of £96,300 from British North America, and of £55,150 from the British West Indies. For exports to them, the increases were three—£1,133,850 to the East Indies, £406,300 to the Cape and Natal, and of £399,600 to British Australasia, or a total of £1,939,750; and the decreases were two—£52,650 to British North America, and £26,350 to the West Indies, or a total of £79,000.

Here is clearly seen the preponderating importance of British colonial imports into Germany over German exports to the colonies, though the latter are still increasing. This is explained by the importation from them of the immense and yearly increasing quantities of raw materials, such as wool, hides, etc., absolutely necessary to the industries of the German Empire, which they could not possibly do without. This being its chief character, it is also admitted duty free. That small part which does not consist of such raw materials, and which is subject to duty, is of little importance to the colonies.

COMPARISON OF TRADE OF BRITISH AND GERMAN EMPIRES IN 1889 AND 1896.

Now, on comparing the trade of the two Empires together in 1889 and 1896—that is to say, of the Empire of the Federated States of Germany on the one side, and of the British Empire, consisting of the United Kingdom and all her colonies and possessions, on the other—we obtain the following comparison:

The value of German imports from the British Empire in 1889 was £40,780,450, being £33,261,850 from the United Kingdom and £7,518,600 from all the colonies; by 1896 it had become £42,842,350, being £27,565,650 from the former and £15,276,700 from the latter.

The value of German exports to the British Empire in 1889 was £36,001,150, being £32,336,850 to the United Kingdom and £3,664,300 to all the colonies; by 1896 it had become £41,164,850, being £35,639,800 to the former and £5,525,050 to the latter.

It will therefore be observed that though the imports from the British Empire as a whole have risen by £2,061,900 from 1889 to 1896, the imports from the United Kingdom (chiefly manufactures) have diminished (—£5,696,200), while those from the colonies (chiefly raw materials) have increased rapidly (+£7,758,100), and that the total German exports to the British Empire (chiefly manufactures) have risen by £5,163,700, those to the United Kingdom having increased considerably (+£3,302,950), and those to the colonies having also developed (+£1,860,750), but very much more than the former in proportion to the total trade involved.

Another point to notice is that the international “special” trade between the British and German Empires had up to 1896 approximated more and more to the same total value. In 1889 the difference was £4,779,300 in favor of the former, the figures being £40,780,450 on the British side, and £36,001,150 on the German side. But by 1896 this difference had been reduced to £1,677,500, still on our side, the figures being £42,842,350 for imports from the British Empire, less £41,164,850 for exports to it from the German Empire. The actual value, therefore, of the German and British commercial interests involved in their international trade in 1896 was almost identical, the difference being merely one of £1,677,500.

This difference for the year 1897 has, however, been increased to one of £2,501,750 in favor of the British Empire.

COMPARISON OF TOTAL IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FOR GERMANY AND ENGLAND, 1895 TO 1897.

It is instructive to compare (excluding, of course, precious metals) the total imports for home consumption and the total exports of domestic produce for Great Britain and Germany in recent years. The results (after duly allowing for the change in statistics on January 1, 1897) are these: For Great Britain the figures given for imports for home consumption (which do not exist in English statistics) are total imports less reexports, so as to get them approximately in order to compare with German “special” imports.

For imports for home consumption we have, then, for 1895, 1896, and 1897, respectively, for Great Britain, £356,747,287, £385,575,241, and £391,638,506, and for the German Empire £206,033,450, £215,358,156, and £229,453,350.

For exports in domestic produce we then have in the same three years: For Great Britain, £225,890,016, £240,145,551, and £234,219,708, and for Germany, £165,895,000, £176,256,500, and £176,030,200.

The net results are, therefore, the following:

1. During 1896, for imports, an increase of £28,827,954 for Great Britain, and of £9,324,706 for the German Empire, and for exports a rise of £14,255,535 for Great Britain, and one of £10,361,500 for Germany.

2. During 1897, for imports, an increase of £6,063,265 for Great Britain, and one of £14,095,194 for the German Empire, and for exports a decrease of £5,925,843 for Great Britain, and one of only £226,300 for Germany.

The loss to us of £5,925,843 in 1897 was, it will be remembered, largely due to a reduction in value of £5,248,000 for cotton and cotton goods, partly owing to fall in prices. The German values given here in this comparison are, of course, founded, as in Great Britain, on the prices of 1897. The net difference in favor of Germany over Great Britain for 1897 as regards exportation from both was £5,699,543 (being —£5,925,843 versus —£226,300).

TRADE OF BRITISH AND GERMAN EMPIRES IN 1897.

The detailed figures for the trade of the British and German Empires in 1897 are the following (after making due allowance for the change of statistics on January 1, 1897):

Imports from the British Empire are £42,067,000, being £27,689,400 from the United Kingdom, and £8,587,900 from the British East Indies, £4,283,050 from British Australasia, £871,500 from the Cape and Natal, £426,450 from the West Indies, and £208,700 from British North America.

Exports to the British Empire are £39,565,250, being £34,262,400 to the United Kingdom, £2,232,650 to the British East Indies, £1,533,900 to British Australasia, £836,950 to British North America, £636,350 to the Cape and Natal, and £63,000 to the West Indies.

During 1897 the total imports from Great Britain had risen by £123,750, but exports to Great Britain had fallen by £1,377,400, while imports from the British colonies had decreased by £899,100, and the exports to them had also diminished by £222,200.

GERMAN TRADE WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES IN 1897.

The leading characteristics of German trade in 1897 with Great Britain and her colonies have been given above, and the figures for commerce with the other chief foreign countries are now added.

The total "special" trade with all nations for imports was valued at £229,453,350, or £14,095,194 more than in 1896, and for exports the figures were £176,030,200, or £226,300 less than in the former year.

The value of "special" trade was as follows for the countries mentioned below:

COUNTRY.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.	
	1897	1896	1897	1896
	£	£	£	£
Russia.....	34,314,000	31,410,050	11,504,000	11,579,700
Austria-Hungary.....	29,000,750	27,342,600	19,951,750	19,984,200
United States.....	32,581,250	26,415,200	19,341,650	19,162,500
France.....	12,066,500	11,476,750	10,323,550	10,066,550
Belgium.....	9,058,350	8,660,300	9,250,450	8,396,850
Holland.....	8,979,500	7,940,800	13,009,600	13,082,000
Switzerland.....	7,156,400	6,927,550	12,270,150	11,927,300
Italy.....	7,288,650	6,599,950	4,296,300	4,179,200

In 1897 the large increase of £14,095,194 in imports is mainly accounted for by a rise of £6,166,050 in importation from the United States, of £2,903,950 from Russia, of £1,658,150 from Austria-Hungary, of £1,032,700 from Holland, and of £688,700 from Italy.

The value of exports in 1897 to all countries remained as a whole extraordinarily stationary, as is shown by the net result of a decrease of £226,300 over 1896. The only important exceptions are an increase of £853,600 to Belgium, and a decrease of £1,377,400 to Great Britain.

IMPORTANCE TO TRADE STATISTICS OF CHANGE MADE IN DRAWING THEM UP IN GERMANY IN 1897.

It is much to be regretted, as mentioned before, that no comparisons with 1896, other than those given above for the whole trade to and from each country, can be made, as the complete official volume of imperial statistics (issued in October, 1898) does not, under the figures for each nation, distinguish the value or quantity of each customs classification, or of each article included for the first time in 1897 in "special" trade, and which had previously been excluded from it. The figures that are given for 1897 include all the new additions in "improvement" trade. They are, therefore, not given here, as it affords no standard of comparison whatever with all the statistics of previous years. The only other information on this subject was issued in June, 1898, for the whole trade of Germany as regards classes of goods, but without distinguishing the amount of trade with each individual country, the substance of which was published in the Foreign Office Report No. 2138, Annual Series, 1898.

That such a complete break in statistics should occur is most unfortunate, especially as it prevents any detailed comparisons in different kinds of goods of England's trade with Germany, as between points before and after January 1, 1897. For the future, therefore, in reports on Anglo-German commerce, comparisons can only be carried back to the year 1897, and not to 1896, nor to any previous year. And in consequence of this said change the total trade of Germany with each foreign country, both for imports and exports, will have been arbitrarily and permanently enlarged, not by increased commerce but by this alteration in collecting statistics, a point that will always have to be carefully borne in mind when reading reports on trade since 1897.

VALUES OF INDUSTRIAL SHARES.

In order to show the flourishing state of industries in the last 14 years, I have appended in the Appendix, Annex No. 6, page 72, a table of the chief industrial shares quoted on the Berlin Stock Exchange. Their price in 1885, 1890, 1895, 1896, 1897, and 1898 are there given in December of each of those years. The highest and lowest

quotations during that month are stated. It will there be clearly seen what a remarkable advance has been made from 1885 to 1898, and the table contains much valuable information to all those interested in the material progress of the German Empire.

2. MARITIME INTERESTS.

HISTORY AND DETAILS OF POSTAL SUBSIDIES TO GERMAN STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.

The question of subsidizing German steamship companies for the purpose of carrying mails has only come up in recent years with the growth of the mercantile marine. A sum of £324,500 a year is now paid for postal subsidies, being £279,500 to the North German Lloyd Company and £45,000 to the Hamburg East African Company. Mail bags sent by other lines are paid for separately; but such payments only amounted to £19,250 in 1897.

The first subsidy bill was not passed until March, 1885, and it became law on April 6 of that year. The object of this subsidy was distinctly stated to be "for the starting and maintenance of regular postal service" between Germany and East Asia. And in presenting this bill it was forcibly represented that English and other foreign steamer companies, already running to the East, were heavily subsidized for mail purposes. A sum of £220,000 was then granted, during 15 years, to the North German Lloyd Company for fast postal services: to East Asia, £85,000; to Australia, £115,000, and to a branch Mediterranean line, £20,000, which sums have been estimated to be equal to a subsidy of 18 per cent for the Asiatic and to one of 6 per cent for the Australian line on the value of the German exports carried to those places at that date.

The proposed subsidies for lines to West and East Africa were then rejected. But on January 21, 1890, a grant of £45,000 a year was sanctioned for the Hamburg East African Company for a period of 10 years for a postal service to Delagoa Bay via Suez, Aden, Zanzibar, and Mozambique.

One of the special conditions of the 1885 contract with the Lloyd Company was that the new ships must be built in the country, and materials produced in Germany were to be used as far as possible. Only German coal was to be burnt, unless with the special sanction of the imperial chancellor. Repairs to vessels were also to be executed in home yards when possible. The plans of the new ships were to be approved by the chancellor. In case of the mobilization of the navy the Chancellor was empowered to use the ships on the subsidized lines on certain payments, or to buy them outright for full value, under the "war services" or "Kriegsleistungen" law of June 13, 1873. No vessel could be sold to a foreign power without special permission from the Government. These conditions have all been maintained in later contracts. And, though it appears not to be expressly stated in them, it is to be presumed that all the new ships have been built in conformity with admiralty requirements. The only official declaration on the subject would appear to have been one made by the representative of the admiralty (before the commission of the Reichstag, which met early in 1898 to consider the new subsidy bill for a fortnightly service to China), who then stated that "the managers of the North German Lloyd had undertaken in writing to carry out, as regards new ships and crews, all the admiralty requirements, and also, as far as possible, when reconstructing vessels." So that there seems to be some uncertainty as to whether this was also the case prior to the year 1898.

In 1896 there was further agitation for a subsidy of £75,000 a year to establish a fortnightly service to China; but this project was not carried through until April 13, 1898. This bill also empowered the chancellor to continue the former subsidies to the North German Lloyd, conjointly with this new one, for a further period of 15 years. So that the present contract runs to the year 1913.

In the first 1896 draft bill for the last granted subsidy it was fully acknowledged that the indirect advantages therefrom to the nation would be as great as the direct, and it was pointed out that the success of German shipbuilding and the transfer of orders for ships from British to German yards dated from the institution, in 1885, of these postal subsidies. It was estimated that, though the Lloyd Company had in the nine and a half years received £2,950,000 for mail subsidies, it had expended nearly £3,000,000 (*a*) on the products of Germany, which would otherwise have been expended abroad. During the first 10 years, in spite of the subsidy, there was a financial loss of some £31,000. The line is now, however, paying well—a dividend of 5 per cent in 1897—and has an immense future before it.

It is presumed that German commerce to the East has been somewhat helped thereby, for since the date of these subsidies the export trade from 1885 to 1895 doubled in value to China, more than quadrupled to Japan, and trebled to Australia. And the increase in imports from those places has been still more favorable.

OTHER ASSISTANCE GIVEN TO SHIPBUILDING DIRECTLY AND INDIRECTLY.

Assistance of another kind has also been given to shipbuilding by the customs tariff law of May 24, 1885, which decreed that "materials destined for the construction, repairing, and outfitting of seagoing vessels, inclusive

a £830,000 for building, £470,000 for repairs, £144,000 for extraordinary repairs, and £1,500,000 for coals, etc.

of ordinary gear, were to be admitted duty free." A law of July 17, 1889, on "Regulations for shipbuilding," carried out the above provisions, and specified what articles could be admitted free. And another law of March of that same year on "Regulations for harbors and ports" gave a list of certain imports, destined for the fitting out of sea or river ships, which were to be admitted duty free.

Valuable help has also been afforded by the so-called "preferential," but better named "differential" rates on the State railways for the transport of certain German materials for the construction of vessels. An important step to advance the employment of home in preference to foreign materials was taken in December, 1897, when a meeting was held at Altona of the representatives of the chief shipbuilding yards, of the principal steel and iron works and rolling mills producing materials for the construction of vessels and of the State railways concerned, at which it was decided that both the former would—in the event of the railways assisting them—incur certain present sacrifices in order to cooperate to exclusively use German materials in shipbuilding in direct opposition to British competition for these supplies. A like attempt had already been made, but unsuccessfully, in November, 1895, at a similar meeting at Hanover.

Consequently, during 1898, further preferences in the matter of freights have been accorded on the state railways to certain materials used in the construction of vessels.

LEVANT AND EAST AFRICAN TRAFFIC, AND RESULTS OF THE REDUCED THROUGH RATES.

Additional, but small indirect assistance is also obtained by the very low combined rail and sea freights to the Levant and East Africa (as far as Durban, and to stations of the South African Railway from Johannesburg to Pretoria, via Delagoa Bay). One of the fundamental principles laid down in 1884 by the minister of public works in a letter to the railway council was that "preferential" tariffs have been and would still be granted in the future "to assist German ports in competition with foreign ports." The establishment of these rates is equivalent to a small bounty to the two German steamship companies running to those places. The service to the Levant began in June, 1890, in connection with the Levant Steamship Line of steamers, that to East African ports began in April, 1895, in connection with the East African Steamship Company. It will be remembered that the latter company has been also receiving since January, 1890, a direct mail subsidy of £75,000 a year. The Levant Steamship Company, however, receives none.

The results of this policy of creating traffic by these two steamship companies are given below from the official returns of the working of the Prussian state railways in 1896-97, which were laid before the Prussian House of Deputies in January, 1898:

1. For goods exported and subjected to the competition of other countries. From German stations to Levant ports and to stations of the Oriental and Bulgarian Railways via Hamburg by Levant Steamship Company. These Levant reduced rates are still lower than those in force merely to German ports for direct exportation by sea. Introduced June 15, 1890.

Before these rates started there was much less traffic. In 1892-93, 12,721 tons were sent at a cost of £8,550 6s.; in 1896-97, 10,262 tons went for £5,933 13s.

2. For goods exported and subjected to the competition of other countries. From German stations to East African ports, and to the Transvaal, via Hamburg, to increase exports of German industries. Introduced April 1, 1895.

Before these rates were introduced there was much less traffic. In 1895-96, 3,589 tons were sent at a cost of £1,555 11s.; in 1896-97, 4,959 tons went for £2,869 7s.

Such rates are most beneficial to German exporters, and give them, in certain South African markets, decided advantages in competing with British exporters to those places.

Hence it will be seen that the amount to which shipping is subsidized in Germany is moderate, but it is enough to effectively stimulate and encourage national enterprise in this direction.

AMOUNTS OF BRITISH POSTAL SUBSIDIES TO STEAMER COMPANIES TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

In order to enable comparison with the German postal subsidies, I now give a summary of similar British payments taken from the estimates for the year ending March 31, 1899.

The total payments for actual carriage of mails is £823,526, including, however, £170,250 for services in the United Kingdom and £25,000 for the Dover-to-Calais service. There are in this total sums of £253,450 to steamer companies for services to North and South America, and to the West Indies. Other similar payments are £78,900 to African, £115,000 to Asiatic and Australian lines, and £60,000 to services for mails from Canada to China; £4,000 is paid for the foreign and colonial parcel service.

The actual advance in the matter of maritime interests that Germany has been able to achieve in late years from a statistical point of view will be a study of deep interest.

GROWTH OF GERMAN MERCANTILE MARINE AND CAPITAL INVESTED.

In 1871 the tonnage of German ships was 982,355, of which only 81,994 belonged to steamers. By January 1, 1897 (after allowing for the difference of measurement introduced in 1895), it had risen to about 1,650,000, of which 1,039,200 were steam tonnage (by the new system of measurement 1,487,577 and 889,970, respectively). The four steamship companies at Hamburg in 1887 had a share capital of £1,525,000. Ten years later that of the existing ten steamer lines was £3,273,750. Including the Lloyd Company at Bremen, the total becomes £5,273,750 for 1896. At the end of that year the whole book value of the Hamburg steamer fleet was nearly £7,000,000, and, adding £1,700,000 for 26 large steamers then building, the cost of the fleet would be about £8,700,000 at the end of 1897. For Bremen a further £4,450,000 may be added.

It has been estimated that the book value of the whole German merchant steamer fleet at the end of 1897 was, perhaps, nearly £15,000,000. The German mercantile marine is now the third largest in the world, and appears to be second as regards steam tonnage, and fourth as regards sailing tonnage.

It is notable that nearly the whole advance has been made in the North Sea fleet. That of the Baltic has retrograded. Statistics show that the fleet there has fallen in tonnage from 449,000 tons in 1871 to about 270,000 in 1897. It is entirely a Prussian fleet, and has never enjoyed any state aid. Some people think that German statesmen should now endeavor to aid it by abolishing the system of "customs credits" and of private warehouses for grain, for the great cause of decline is said to lie in the reduction of the transport of corn, a result of the protectionist policy that has in late years been assumed by the Government as regards that commodity, in consequence of which the Baltic ports have suffered greatly.

STATISTICS OF SHIPBUILDING TRADES IN CENSUS OF 1882 AND 1895 COMPARED.

A good idea of the advance made may be gathered from a comparison of the census of 1882 and 1895, for the shipbuilding trades of Prussia only. In the former year there were 13,161 workmen employed, while in the latter there were 25,343. Of works with over 1,000 men there were in 1882 only three, and in 1895 six, which six now employ an average of 2,632 men each.

Similarly for the Empire, the number of men employed in the former year was 22,524, and, in the latter, 35,336, and the amount of horsepower employed in the machinery used in the yards is said to have risen from 1,121 to 8,556.

Germany now possesses splendid shipbuilding yards, of which some of the most famous are: The Vulcan, at Stettin; the Schichau, near Danzig; the Germania, at Kiel, and the Blohm und Voss, at Hamburg. At the Vulcan works there has lately been erected a floating dry dock of a capacity of 12,000 tons.

STATEMENT OF VERY LARGE STEAMERS BUILT AND BUILDING BELONGING TO GERMANY.

It was stated in October, 1897, that out of the 12 steamers then existing in the world exceeding 10,000 tons 8 were under the German flag, and that only 2 each belonged to England and to the United States, respectively. Out of those eight German ships, all but one had been built in home yards. The Lloyd Company are also going to build four further ships of over 10,000 tons each for the new fortnightly service to China, which will soon bring the total for the German Empire to 12 vessels of that large size.

The following data are instructive, and show the total ships and their tonnage now being built for two German steamship companies:

For the Hamburg-American Line there are now being constructed 14 ships and four small craft (of 3,200 tons) with a total tonnage of 148,180. Nine of these steamers are over 10,000 tons, and all of the 14 except three are laid down in German yards.

The North German Lloyd Company in Bremen are also building nine new steamers of 78,380 tons altogether.

The two companies are, therefore, between them, building 23 large steamers of a total registered tonnage of 226,360.

WORK OF TWO LEADING SHIPBUILDING YARDS AT HAMBURG AND STETTIN.

Two examples of the work accomplished in single yards in 1897 are now quoted. The Vulcan, at Stettin, delivered, during that year, ships to the value of £977,563, and the orders in hand amount to £886,700 altogether, which will keep them fully employed up to the year 1900. These orders cover for the Hamburg-American Company a twin-screw steamer of 14,000 tons, 680 feet long, of 33,000 horsepower, and having a speed of 23 knots; and for the Lloyd Line, for their new fortnightly service to China, four steamers, each 500 feet long, two to be delivered in fifteen to eighteen months and the other two ten months later. From March, 1877, to March, 1897, this Vulcan yard had launched, besides many merchant vessels, 16 men-of-war, of which five were armor-plated battle ships.

The well-known firm of Blohm und Voss, shipbuilders at Hamburg, during 1897-98, delivered five steamers (and one set of engines) of 34,994 gross tonnage. There remained on the stocks 11 steamers of 83,529 tons and 1 line-of-battle ship "B" (a triple-screw armored vessel) for the German navy. Some 3,683 persons were employed in these works. And although over £5,000 was paid for the state insurance of workmen against illness, accidents, incapacity to work, and old age, yet there was (after placing considerable sums to the reserve fund) a surplus of £16,907 (it had been £35,212 in 1896-97), which gave a dividend of 5 per cent (in the previous year it had been 8 per cent).

FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR LEADING STEAMSHIP COMPANIES IN 1897.

The financial results of the leading German shipping companies in 1897 will have an interest for English readers, in view of the small dividends now earned by most British lines.

The North German Lloyd (capital £4,650,580, made up of £2,000,000 original shares, of £1,650,580 4 per cent bonds, and of an additional £1,000,000 of shares which were added in 1898) paid 5 per cent, the Hamburg-American (capital £2,250,000) paid 6 per cent, the Kosmos Company (capital £400,000) paid 7½ per cent, the Hamburg South American Company (capital £375,000) paid 12 per cent, the German East African Line (capital £250,000) paid 3 per cent, and the Hamburg-Australian Company (capital £200,000) paid 8 per cent.

EXPENDITURE IN EMPIRE ON NEW HARBORS, ETC., AND DEVELOPMENT OF PORTS.

Enormous sums have also been spent since 1888, when Hamburg, Bremen, and Altona joined the "Zollverein," on new harbor accommodation for the increasing shipping. Some £15,000,000 alone have been spent by the state of Hamburg on such work; at Bremen, Vegesack, and Bremerhafen, £5,700,000; at Altona, £450,000; at Geestemünde, £800,000; at Danzig, £400,000, and at Stettin, £1,450,000, in addition to the sum of £628,000 recently spent there (in 1897-98) on a new free harbor.

The development of the ports of the Empire on the North Sea has been remarkable, as is shown by the single instance that Hamburg now ranks directly after London and before Liverpool as the second most important port in Europe. The Baltic ports have not prospered to an equal extent, though it is hoped that the newly opened free port at Stettin may still further improve the trade of that rising place, and that the completion of a deep-water canal for small seagoing ships thence to Berlin will also make a great difference to its future.

At the last meeting of the Colonial Council (in November, 1898) it was decided to build a dry dock at Dar-es-Salaam, in German East Africa, which also serves to show the wonderful hold that maritime expansion has taken upon the country.^(a)

THE STATE OF SHIPBUILDING IN 1897.

During 1897, 79 ships were launched from German yards, in which figures are included only vessels of over 100 tons burden. This represents a total tonnage of 185,000, of which the bulk was for passenger boats, 40,000 for eight men-of-war, and 2,600 only for sailing ships. Besides this, 13 other merchant ships of 32,000 tons were built abroad for German account. Other kinds of sea craft, such as ice breakers for Russia, petroleum ships, and fishing steamers have also been turned out by the Germans.

The fact that the Empire can now supply the principal part of her own requirements in vessels of all descriptions, is considered by the German nation to be most satisfactory, when the well-merited standing and renown of British yards and the advantages they enjoy in the matter of low prices for iron and coal, are recalled.

These facts will give some idea of the great prosperity and immense capabilities of modern up-to-date German shipbuilding yards, which appears not to be yet fully realized in Great Britain.

And it is important not to forget that there have, altogether, been built a large number of men-of-war, both for the German navy and for foreign Governments. It is said that, since 1895, they have delivered 24 to foreign countries, and that there are at present orders in hand for 22 more. And now that the new navy bill provides that such a large number of ships are to be built in German yards, there will be an immensely increased activity. It is reported that out of 50,000 tons of men-of-war built lately in Germany, 23,000 were constructed by private and 27,000 by Government yards.

MINOR FACTS SHOWING THE DEVELOPMENT.

Full particulars of the shipping trade from a purely German point of view were given in a précis, drawn up by me in December, 1897, of the "Maritime interests of the German Empire," published by the imperial Government at the end of that year, in connection with the new navy bill. Information of all kinds is there given. Only a few other minor facts are added here to complete this subject.

^a The 1899 estimates of the Empire allow a first installment of £15,000 for this dock.

Several new lines of steamers are being started from Hamburg to different parts of the world. In November of this year it was even announced that a Hamburg firm is about to establish on the Yangtze River in China a fortnightly service of steamers with large steel-built ships. It is thus that the Germans hope to establish their first steamer communications on that important river, whereby one of the richest tea districts of China will be tapped.

The tonnage of seagoing vessels entering Hamburg under the German flag rose from 2,913,913 tons in 1896 to 2,982,421 in 1897; and it surpassed that of British ships for the first time in the former year. The total tonnage of ships entered at that port was 6,445,197 in 1896; by 1897 it had risen to 6,708,070.

The balance sheets of eleven Hamburg Marine Insurance Companies showed a total subscribed capital of £116,637,467 in 1895, which by 1896 had risen to £136,727,031.

PREPARATIONS FOR NAVY BILL OF 1897—PUBLISHED DATA.

With the view of preparing the public for an increase of the navy, which was the leading topic of 1897, the Government published collected statistics on the growth of the maritime interests of the Empire, which embraced the following and other points of interest:

The population from 1872 to 1897 had grown from 40,000,000 to 53,000,000. The foreign trade had increased enormously, and of the whole about two-thirds was sea-borne commerce. The trade of Hamburg alone had more than doubled during that period. Germany had ceased to export grain, and had become a large consumer of raw materials, while exporting masses of highly manufactured goods, thus making her very dependent on foreign countries both for her supplies and for markets for her industrial produce. The trade under the German flag had, since 1873, increased with European ports from a yearly total of 6,000,000 to 12,000,000 tons, and with non-European places from 1,000,000 to 6,000,000 tons.

A special publication was also issued to show the backward state of the German fleet. The general conclusions at which it arrived were—that the Empire was behind all other great powers, except Austria-Hungary and the United States, as regards a navy; that the expenditure for national defense, inclusive of the public debt, was extremely low when compared with that of foreign nations; and that, excepting in Russia, the contributions to public expenditure in Germany were less onerous than in other great European nations or in the United States.

Comparing Great Britain and Germany in 1896 and 1897, the following figures were given: For the former, there was an expenditure of £21,823,000 for the navy and of £18,056,000 for the army, as compared with one of £4,493,400 for the navy and of £31,749,750 for the army for the latter country.

Calculated per head of the population in 1897-98, Great Britain paid for national defense £1 6s. 8d., and Germany only 14s. 8d. according to that publication.

Adopting the principle that the tonnage of the merchant fleet ought to determine the national expenditure on a fleet, the following figures were presented: In England in 1897-98, with a total tonnage of 34,004,000, £21,823,000 was spent on the navy, or 12s. 10d. per ton, whereas in the German Empire, with a total tonnage of 4,648,000, £4,493,400 was expended, or 19s. 4d. per ton. But the value of such comparisons is not very self-evident, as so many other factors have also to be taken into consideration when considering such questions.

THE OBJECTS OF THE NAVY BILL, AND CONTEMPLATED STRENGTH.

As to the point of naval power, the introductory statement to the bill pointed out that its object was primarily a fighting fleet for the protection of the country's coasts, and that the size and number of the vessels had been especially calculated for this object. And great stress was laid on the fact that the small total strength contemplated would not permit of more than a fleet for sallying purposes in case of war with leading naval powers.

The aim of the bill, as finally passed on April 10, 1898, was to obtain the following strength for the navy, apart from torpedo boats, torpedo destroyers, training ships, etc.:

1. Seventeen ships of the line, 8 coast-defense vessels, 9 large and 26 small cruisers as a fighting fleet ready for sea; and,

2. A further reserve of 2 ships of the line, 3 large and 4 small cruisers.

This was considered a minimum of the requirements if the Government were really to be put in the position of properly carrying out their obligations.

On April 1, 1898, there existed, of ships already built or then building, 12 ships of the line, 8 coast-defense vessels, 10 large and 23 small cruisers, thus leaving to be built 7 ships of the line, 2 large and 5 small cruisers. The number of coast-defense ironclads was considered to be sufficient.

To the protection of German maritime commerce 6 large and 14 small cruisers are to be allotted, of which it is said that 7 will go to the China seas, 4 to American waters, 4 to the African coasts, and a few to Central and South America.

COST OF NEW FLEET AND ARMAMENTS.

The total cost of this new programme for the six years 1898 to 1903 is stated in the final bill not to exceed a total of £20,445,000 for nonrecurring expenditure, being £17,835,000 for the construction and armaments of the new ships, and £2,610,000 for other nonrecurring expenses. It is added that the recurring expenditure will not involve an increase of more than £245,000 every year in the naval budget.

A special clause provides that, should the sum total of recurring and special expenditure in the Admiralty Department exceed in any financial year £5,876,274 14s., and if the natural resources of the Empire do not suffice to cover the excess, such surplus shall not be covered by raising or adding to the indirect imperial taxes, the burden of which falls on articles of universal consumption.

The Government also declared that if extra taxation had to be raised under this bill the Federated States of the Empire would take care that such taxation should fall on those best able to support it.

At the above rate of expenditure it is probable that at least some £35,000,000 will be spent altogether in the next six years on the naval budgets of the Empire.

This bill also provides that the successive estimates shall contain provisions for the replacing of old by new ships, for it lays down the principle that means for this shall be provided on the basis that the life of battle ships and coast-defense vessels is twenty-five years, that that of a large cruiser is twenty years, and that that of a small cruiser is fifteen years.

The original naval bill was for a period of seven years' proposing an expenditure of £5,875,000 in 1898, and varying up to £7,525,000 in 1903, after which year it was to decrease to £7,485,000 in 1904.

GOOD PROSPECTS OF PAYING ALL EXPENSES OF NEW NAVAL PROGRAMME OUT OF REVENUE.

In the prosperous state of the country's finances it is expected that this large expenditure for the navy may be met out of the ordinary revenue; and if not, the loan that might be necessary could only be a small one yearly.

The past financial year (1897-98 *a*) has shown for the Empire an excess of actual revenue over the estimates of about £4,650,000. There have been increases under all heads, except from the stamp tax. The actual revenue from duties and taxes was £36,671,000, or £4,014,000 more than the estimates. The total revenue was £44,550,000. It will thus be seen that, except in the case of unforeseen circumstances, the prospects of not exceeding the current revenue in the next year or two by the increased naval budgets are very promising; and should this unfortunately occur, ample provision has been made to protect the working and poorer classes from the effects of any taxation that might be rendered necessary thereby.

3. TRAFFIC INTERESTS.

A. CANALS—COST AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE STATE CANAL SYSTEM, 1880-1892.

The natural advantages offered by Germany for water carriage are already considerable, but have been vastly increased by enormous expenditure. The Government has always done a great deal to extend the navigable waterways, and the Central Society for Developing River and Canal Traffic has, ever since 1869, been a powerful advocate of such extension.

It is not possible to ascertain the exact sums spent or to distinguish in recent expenditure that portion devoted to canals only from that spent on the improvement of the navigable waterways. The object of the Prussian Government in improving them has been to provide for the cheap conveyance of bulky goods which are not suitable for transport by rail, and to enable larger vessels to make use of the existing network. The total sum proposed to be expended on this work in the programme, adopted at the beginning of the period 1880 to 1892, amounted to £4,498,900. In the thirteen years between 1880-81 and 1892-93 the Prussian Government spent £5,140,700 "for maintenance of canals, locks, buildings, etc. (excluding new works and repairs)," £3,425,600 under the head of "extraordinary and nonrecurring expenditure," and £3,111,450 in other extraordinary expenditure, chiefly for the larger works of the canalization of natural waterways, and for new canals or the widening of old ones, and of constructing bridges, roadways, etc.

The total under these three accounts came to a total of £11,677,750. A sum of £6,197,600 was also specially voted, which comprised £2,991,250 for the Dortmund-Ems Canal (law of July 9, 1886); £261,350 for the improvement of Brandenburg waterways (law of March 12, 1879); £630,000 for building the Oder-Spree Canal (law of July 9, 1886); £160,000 for the canalization of the Lower Spree and a third navigable canal through Berlin (law of June 6, 1888); £1,075,000 for improving the navigation of the Oder; £80,000 for ameliorations on the Lower Oder, and £1,000,000 for improving the navigation of the Lower Vistula. It was claimed by the Government in 1890 that the made waterways are now almost all able to admit steamer traffic.

a To March in each year.

In 1894 the majority of agriculturists were opposed to rather than in favor of an extension of the network of canals, and this antagonism seems still to hold good to-day. Their one great objection is that an extension, though benefiting home agricultural products, at the same time cheapens the cost of freight for importations, especially of grains, which compete then all the more injuriously with German agriculture.

DATA ON LENGTH, DEPTH, ETC., OF CANALS.

Of the present 8,647½ miles (13,925 kilometers) of natural and artificial waterways in Germany in 1898, 67 per cent consist of rivers, 16 per cent of canalized streams, and 17 per cent of canals actually built. As regards depth, 14 per cent are navigable for ships drawing 1¾ meters (5 feet 9 inches), 14 per cent are good for a draft of 1½ meters (4 feet 11 inches), 51 per cent are navigable for vessels drawing 1 meter (3 feet 3 inches), and 14 per cent are good for a draft of 75 centimeters (2 feet 5 inches). Of the total 2,820 miles of canalized streams, 1,369 miles lie west of the Elbe, and of constructed canals, 1,450½ miles. In 1892 there were 1,530 steamers plying on German waterways, an increase of 84 per cent over 1882, and 21,318 other craft. The average capacity of the steamers had risen during that period from 131½ to 169½ tons, and that of sailing vessels from 92½ to 127 tons.

NEW CANALS AND ESTIMATED COST.

A new canal is the Dortmund-Ems, begun in 1886, which was estimated to cost £2,900,000, but the sums already spent appear to amount to £4,200,000. A Dortmund-Rhine canal was proposed in 1894, and was estimated to involve an outlay of £2,750,000. This is to be a continuation of the preceding canal. It is now reported from Hamburg that this scheme, but in an extended form, will be submitted to the Government, and will cost about £6,400,000, with a further £1,700,000 for branch canals.

The projected Great Midland Canal has been variously estimated to cost from £8,000,000 to £10,000,000 for merely connecting the Rhine, Weser, and Elbe, and perhaps the Oder also. The general line of direction is almost due east and west from a line a little north of Düsseldorf, on the Rhine, to Frankfurt, on the Oder, and via Berlin. Some canals already exist on part of this route. It is now reported that a bill embodying this project, in a further extended form, will be laid before the Prussian House of Deputies ("Landtag") this autumn, and that the enormous sum of £20,000,000 will be asked for to carry it out. This scheme is said to comprise (1) a midland canal (Rhine-Weser-Elbe); (2) a canal for large ships from Stettin to Berlin (Oder-Havel-Spree); (3) the "Masurischer" Canal (in East Prussia); (4) the Klonditz Canal (Upper Silesia); (5) the "Teltow" Canal. Such an extensive scheme as this would benefit the corn growers of the Eastern provinces, and also the industrial districts of the West, by affording the immense working population there cheaper bread. But the intermediate agricultural districts of Central Germany would doubtless suffer somewhat from lower grain prices, though themselves benefiting from the consequent reduction in price of manufactured articles from the Western industrial districts through the cheaper carriage.

There is also a projected independent Elbe-Kiel Canal, in order to convert the port of Kiel into an important outlet for inland trade.

The "Kaiser Wilhelm" Canal, recently opened, shows by the already considerable and increasing traffic, particularly of vessels employed in the German coasting trade, that, quite apart from its great strategical value for the Empire, this new waterway is becoming an important factor for its sea-borne commerce.

PROJECTED GERMAN-AUSTRIAN CANALS.

There is an "Austrian and German Society of Inland Waterways" that has existed since 1896. It advocates a mid-European canal, which is to be effected by the following three projects: (1) A Danube-Oder Canal; (2) a Danube-Moldau-Elbe Canal; (3) a Danube-Main Canal. If these projects are ever carried out they will greatly facilitate the trade of the German Empire to the southeastern portion of Europe, and will enable its products to be there sold at an even lower price than has hitherto been possible.

The following considerations enter into this plan: For the immense trade of the East to reach Germany now, and vice versa, the distance from the Suez Canal by sea is 3,316 knots to Hamburg and 3,596 knots to Stettin, whereas from Port Said to the mouths of the Danube it is only 950 knots, and thence to Stettin about 1,000 knots. This proposed route via the Danube, therefore, means only a distance of 1,850 knots, instead of 3,596 knots. Besides saving in distance, there is economy of time, power, and expense. This is sufficient, it is said, to convince people of the possibility of attracting to the inner districts of the German Empire a still greater portion of the world's trade by the building of large canals which would satisfactorily join the Rhine, Elbe, and Oder with the Danube. Germany should, consequently, it is said, when the question of canal extension arises, consider not only the improvement of her own inland water communications, but also the far more important point of improvement in international means of transport. Plans have already been made for connecting the Danube with the Elbe,

Oder, and Weichsel. One project is a Vienna-Prerau-Oderberg-Krakau line to join with the Oder and Weichsel, with a prolongation through Galicia to Brody and Petrikow, to join the Russian canal system. Another is the proposed Prerau-Pardubitz line, to join the Elbe. A third is that connecting Vienna with Budweis, by which a junction with the Elbe would be effected through the Moldau via Prague.

The oldest Austro-German canal project is the joining of the Rhine, Main, and Danube by the Ludwigs Canal, which goes from near Bamberg, on the Main, by Nuremberg, into the Altmühl, and then into the Danube. The existing canal is too small, and would have to be enlarged, or another constructed for heavier traffic, and the Main, from Frankfort to Bamberg, would have to be canalized. Such a connection, properly executed, has been estimated as costing about £6,000,000.

COMPARISON OF GERMAN AND FRENCH WATERWAYS IN 1895.

A comparison was made in 1895 of the French and German strictly inland waterways. For Germany there were 8,242½ miles properly navigable, and a further 4,029 miles fit for floating rafts and very light craft, being 1 kilometer of waterway for every 27 square kilometers in the country and for every 2,630 persons. In France there were similarly 10,122 miles, being 1 kilometer to every 32 square kilometers of territory and for every 2,360 persons. The former country had 754 locks and the latter 2,510 locks. Such figures of mere mileage are, however, unsatisfactory, for the waterways good for floating rafts are far more used in the former than in the latter country. It is thought that for waterways navigable for ships up to 100 tons Germany had then 8,011 kilometers and France 4,734 kilometers; for those up to 150 tons, the former had 2,047 kilometers, the latter 1,648 kilometers, and for vessels up to 300 tons the figures were 3,259 kilometers and 3,713 kilometers, respectively. The German network had, in 1885, covered by the "tonnage-kilometer" method of calculation about 4,800,000,000 on a length of 10,000 kilometers; whereas France, in 1895, had only covered 3,766,000,000 of "tonnage kilometers" on a length of 12,284 kilometers. In 1895 some 6,000,000,000 to 7,000,000,000 "tonnage kilometers" were probably covered in the German Empire.

B. RAILWAYS—STATE RAILWAYS PREDOMINANT IN GERMANY SINCE 1879.

The state railway system of Germany affords a subject of much interest, especially as it is predominating, if not almost universally adopted, in the Empire to-day.

It was Belgium that first constructed and managed a state railway. Certain German states, such as Saxony, Bavaria, Baden, etc., soon followed the Belgian example. In Prussia the movement came much later, but in 1849 that Government had constructed various lines.

In many European countries there gradually came to be adopted the theory that former private railways should pass into the hands of the state, which, in many cases, had already been compelled to largely assist them in different forms. The control of continental governments over these private companies also seems to have been very extended, and this probably made the change all the more easy at the end of the seventies, when Prussia took the lead in this respect, and in 1879 set to work to turn the chief private German lines into state railways.

EXTENT OF BROAD-GAUGE LINES.

Official statistics for 1896-97 give the length of the broad-gauge railways in the Empire at 28,566 miles (46,114½ kilometers), and in Prussia separately as 17,159 miles (27,663 kilometers), and of these lengths the former has 10,082 miles and the latter 6,430 miles of double (or treble) tracks. Of this total of 28,566 miles, 26,564½ miles were owned by the state, leaving only 2,001½ miles of line in the possession of private companies. Even of this small remainder, a part was leased to and worked by the state. It is thus seen that, in dealing generally with railways in Germany and their attendant considerations, this small proportion of private lines can well be disregarded. By far the largest relative proportion of private companies' lines is found in Bavaria, with about one-seventh of the whole.

CAPITAL EXPENDED ON BROAD-GAUGE LINES, AND EARNINGS.

In 1887-88 the total length of broad-gauge lines in the Empire was only 24,270 miles (39,082 kilometers), so that the advance to 28,566 miles (46,114½ kilometers) by 1896-97 was very large. Narrow gauges are referred to later.

The actual capital expended on the broad-gauge lines up to the end of the working year 1887-88 was £495,107,350, or £12,755 per kilometer, equivalent to £20,400 per mile; by 1896-97 it had increased to £580,186,600, or £12,600 per kilometer, equivalent to £20,310 per mile. In those two years the gross receipts had been £54,590,300 and £79,399,850, respectively, being in the former case £14,694,850 from passenger and

£37,536,650 from goods traffic, and in the latter case £22,230,650 from passenger and £53,563,550 from goods traffic. The working expenses amounted to a total of £29,318,250 in the former year and to £44,209,500 in the latter. The excess of gross receipts over expenditure is given as follows: For the same two years, £25,272,050 and £35,190,350, respectively, being 5.17 and 6.15 per cent on the invested capital.

AMOUNT OF ROLLING STOCK AND TRAFFIC CARRIED.

In the year 1896-97 there were on the broad-gauge railways 16,350 engines, 32,391 passenger carriages, and 346,792 goods wagons. There were carried in "personen-kilometer"—that is to say, the conveyance of one passenger over a distance of 1 kilometer—15,111,166,000, besides another 6,165,000,000 which consisted of the conveyance of persons belonging to the army for which no special payment was made. The number of "ton kilometers"—that is, the transport of 1 metric ton (1,000 kilograms = 2,204.6 pounds) over a distance of 1 kilometer—was 26,672,089,000.

The rapid development of traffic, especially in the last few years, is shown by the fact that from 1884-1894 the amount of goods carried rose from about 107,000,000 tons to about 174,000,000 tons; but within the subsequent years, 1895-1898, it rose to 217,500,000 tons. The improvement in the eleven years was 62½ per cent, but that in the last three years was 25 per cent. During the fourteen years the total had, therefore, more than doubled.

The number of officials employed was 170,718, and of other employees there were 208,978, making a total of 379,696 for the actual working of the lines, and in addition there were 4,059 officials and 58,660 workmen employed in the workshops, or a total of 62,719. The state railways, therefore, give employment to 442,415 persons.

British statistics for the United Kingdom for 1896 on railways afford the following data, that it is well to mention here in order to enable a rough comparison with the figures for German railways given above: There were 21,277 miles of line open, and the total capital paid up was £1,029,475,335. The traffic receipts were £85,296,200, or £4,009 per mile. The working expenses were £50,192,424. The number of persons employed was 465,112.

For a complete account of the working of the Prussian state railways only in 1896-97 the reader should consult my report No. 444, Miscellaneous Series, published by the Foreign Office in February, 1898. The leading points are merely given here. That report showed the invested capital on broad-gauge lines to be £354,339,326, an increase in capital of not less than £4,774,630 over the previous year. The total gross receipts were £54,972,497, showing a rise in one year of £3,001,494. The total expenditure was £29,777,499, being an increase of £1,279,931 over the previous year. The excess of receipts over expenditure was therefore £25,194,998, as compared with one of £23,473,434 in the previous year.

The Prussian railway debt in 1895-96 amounted to £261,499,861 out of a total originally raised of £351,183,539 for purchasing private lines, on which there was paid for interest £10,168,164 yearly, or at a rate of about 3½ per cent.

NET RESULTS OF STATE RAILWAY WORKING FROM 1882-83 TO 1895-96 IN PRUSSIA.

The excess of receipts over expenditure from 1882-83 to 1895-96 (thirteen years) has been £198,368,576, of which £120,148,244 had been applied as interest on the railway debt. After paying off £660,000 to meet deficits in the state expenditure, the net remaining surplus of £77,560,332 was distributed thus: For general state purposes, not connected with railway expenditure, £47,358,840; for paying off the state debt, £26,138,068; for canceling debt incurred by the state for railway purposes, £3,063,424, and for forming a fund for increasing working stock, enlarging lines, and for unforeseen expenditure, £1,000,000.

"PREFERENTIAL" RAILWAY RATES.

On the subject of "differential," often popularly called "preferential," tariffs a complete report for Germany was published in a Blue Book (Commercial No. 2, of 1898, and presented to Parliament in July, 1898, pp. 20 to 94) which should be consulted for all details. It is a system usually applied in practice to raw materials and commodities of low value in proportion to their bulk, and which only as a rule comes into operation for 5 or 10 ton truck loads. Where such concessions are made it is often with a view to larger returns through increased traffic, though in many instances it is merely to assist special branches of trade and industry, especially in effecting cheap exportation.

HOW APPLIED TO ASSIST EXPORTATION.

Instances of special assistance to exports, so as to be able to compete abroad, are found for coals to German ports, to Russia, to Roumania, to Austria, to Belgium, to the Netherlands, to Italy, and to France; for manures (so-called "Distress" tariff) for the relief of agriculture; for ores to German industrial centers and for exportation; for pig and other special kinds of similar iron to foreign countries, especially to enable competition with English

iron; for iron and steel products, to aid exports generally to most countries; for grains, to assist inland places in exportation; for spirits and alcohol, to aid exports especially to foreign ports and German colonies; for increased exportation of yarns and tissues to Italy; for glass to German ports for exportation by sea and especially to Italy; for sugar to Switzerland to assist competition there with Austrian sugar.

A study of the reasons for the introduction of "preferential" rates of this nature given in the remarks column of my translation (in above-mentioned Report No. 2 Commercial, 1898) of the official statement of all such rates in force in late years is most instructive as illustrating the methods employed by the German Government to combat foreign competition.

There are also other special seaport freights to aid the development of German ports. (See pp. 73 to 78 of Blue Book.)

But besides the above-mentioned rates there are also other special deviations from ordinary railway freights (pp. 79 to 85 of Blue Book) for traffic with the "Danube districts outside Germany," with the "lower countries of the Danube, including Turkey, Roumania, Servia, etc.," with "Russia, except Poland," with "Italy and South Austria," and those more generally known, to the Levant and East Africa via Hamburg.

"LEVANT" TRAFFIC EXPLAINED.

The so-called "Levant" traffic comprises an arrangement between the state railways and the German Levant Steamship Line (Deutsche Levant Linie) for direct carriage of goods at very low rates from all German stations to the Levant, which includes ports of Turkey, of Bulgaria, and of Roumania, the Piræus, Odessa, Smyrna, Malta, Alexandria, and others in the East, and stations on the Turkish and Bulgarian railways. Two different tariffs are published, one to the "stations of the Turkish and Bulgarian railways," and the other for the above-mentioned places.

Besides the reduced sea freights of the Levant Steamship Company, there are the reduced rates of the Turkish, Bulgarian, and Prussian railways. (For the latter see p. 84 of Blue Book.) The farther the distance of the place of dispatch is from Hamburg the lower is the unit rate charged. The object of these "preferential" rates is officially stated to be "to increase, in competition with other countries, the exportation of similar German products to the Levant by means of a direct service from German places of manufacture, and dispatch to the point of destination beyond the seas, and on the basis of reduced freight charges for the direct forwarding."

EAST AFRICAN TRAFFIC.

After the pattern of the Levant tariff, a so-called "East Africa tariff" ("Deutscher Ost-Afrika Verkehr") was organized on April 1, 1895, in cooperation with the German East African Steamship Line, and a special through preferential tariff was started for goods from the stations of the Prussian and other German state and private railways to the ports of Tanga, Pangani, Saadani, Bagamoyo, Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar, Kilwa, Lindi, Mikindani, Ibo, Mozambique, Quilimane, Chinde, Beira, Delagoa Bay (Lourenço Marques), and Durban (Port Natal), and also to the stations of the South African Railway from Johannesburg to Pretoria via Delagoa Bay.

The preferential tariff rates of the Levant traffic are, with very few small exceptions, also in force for this direct service to East African ports, etc. The German East African Steamship Company have cooperated by granting specially low sea freights.

DEVELOPMENT OF GOODS TRAFFIC AT ORDINARY AND AT PREFERENTIAL RATES.

As regards Prussia, the following table shows the increase in receipts on the ordinary tariffs and on the preferential rates section in late years:

RECEIPTS OF GOODS TRAFFIC.—ORDINARY AND PREFERENTIAL RATES.

CLASS OF TARIFF.	1896-97		1895-96		INCREASE.	
	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.
	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.
I. Goods, "grande" and "petite vitesse," at ordinary rates.....	22,855,449	9 66.45	21,753,522	13 66.80	1,101,926	16 5.06
II. Goods, "grande" and "petite vitesse," preferential and other special rates.....	11,539,412	7 33.55	10,809,779	14 33.20	729,632	13 6.75
Total of I and II.....	34,394,861	16	32,563,302	7	1,831,559	9 5.62

DEVELOPMENT OF LEVANT, EAST AFRICA, AND OTHER TRAFFIC.

The development of traffic in some goods, to which the more important preferential rates have been granted in late years, is now shown, according to official Prussian railway statistics.

1. For goods exported and subjected to the competition of other countries. From German stations to Levant ports and to stations of the Oriental and Bulgarian railways, via Hamburg, by Levant Steamship Company. The Levant reduced rates are still lower than those in force merely to German ports for direct general exportation by sea. Introduced June 15, 1890.

Before these rates started there was much less traffic. In 1892-93, 12,721 tons were sent at a cost of £8,550 6s.; in 1896-97, 10,262 tons went for £5,933 13s.

2. For goods exported and subjected to the competition of other countries. From German stations to East African ports, and to the Transvaal, via Hamburg, to increase exports of German industries. Introduced April 1, 1895.

Before these rates were introduced there was much less traffic. In 1895-96, 3,589 tons were sent at a cost of £1,555 11s.; in 1896-97, 4,959 tons went for £2,869 7s.

3a. For iron ores, etc., to blast furnaces, introduced May 1, 1893: 2,519,589 tons in 1893-94; 3,623,734 tons in 1896-97.

3b. For coke to blast furnaces, introduced May 1, 1893: 2,363,303 tons in 1893-94; 3,573,585 tons in 1896-97.

6a. Iron and steel of Special Tariffs I and II. Introduced November 1, 1893. From all German iron industrial districts to the ports of Baltic and North seas, and to stations on the coast; 390,446 tons in 1894, 426,209 tons in 1895, and 532,435 tons in 1896.

7. Iron for shipbuilding. From German iron industrial districts to ports on Baltic and North seas. Introduced November 1, 1895. In period November 1, 1894, to October 31, 1895, 14,490 tons carried before this rate began. Then in the period November 1, 1895, to October 31, 1896, 48,892 tons for £23,354.

8. Coal. From Silesia to Stettin and Swinemünde and dependent stations. Introduced March 1, 1896. In period April 1, 1895, to February 29, 1896, 510,382 tons carried before this rate began. Then in 1896-97, 558,344 tons for £257,008 11s.

In concluding this review of the working of the Prussian state railways in 1896-97, it will be of interest to mention that the railway debt in 1895-96 amounted to £261,499,861 (out of a total raised of £351,183,539), on which there was paid for interest—at about a rate of 3.89 per cent—£10,168,164.

RESULTS OF THE WORKING OF THE STATE RAILWAYS.

As regards the working of the state railways as a whole, they seem to have answered extremely well; and their "preferential" rates certainly appear to have effected the desired objects. The public would also seem to have been satisfied, though there were great complaints, especially last year, as to want of rolling stock and consequent dearth of transport facilities in certain districts. The Government, however, now claim that they have added so much new rolling stock that this drawback will not again occur. A charge made against the railway administration in late years is that they have sometimes departed from the original and true principles of the state system by working rather with a view to revenue for the Government than with strict regard to the necessities of the public. The correctness of this allegation has always been energetically denied.

LIGHT RAILWAYS—THEIR EXTENT AND CAPITAL EXPENDED ON THEM.

The question of light railways, which are never state lines, has been attracting more and more attention in Germany as an important means of assisting agriculture. In 1887-88 there were in the country 436½ miles (703 kiloms.) of such lines with an expended capital of £1,805,300, which by 1896-97 had risen to 818½ miles (1,318 kiloms.), with a capital of £3,823,050, or about £4,670 per mile (£2,900 per kilom.). In the latter year the gross receipts were £362,250, and the expenses £243,150, leaving an excess of earnings over expenditure of £119,100, being a yield of $3\frac{1}{16}$ per cent on the invested capital. Their rolling stock consisted of 284 engines, 747 passenger carriages, and 6,325 goods wagons. Of "Personen-kilometer," 100,132,000 were carried, and of "kilometer-tons" of goods, 60,319,000.

It is contended by the Agrarian party that the cost of construction of these narrow-gauge lines, namely, £4,670 per mile, is much too high, and that it is due to the expenditure of unnecessary sums in buildings and other accessories.

OBJECTS OF LIGHT RAILWAYS.

The light railways of Prussia are regulated by a law of July 28, 1892, which kept in view the special object of attracting private capital to this useful agricultural undertaking, which has, of course, only taken place in such districts as afford a promise of a fair return on the money invested. This was not the case with lines started merely with the object of developing the adjoining lands. It was clear from the very beginning that it was only possible to build such lines with certain help. Hence the power given in the law on light railways to the provinces to allot part of their revenues for the furtherance of such lines. Although some provinces, such as Hanover and Westphalia, at once made extensive use of this power, it was not much employed elsewhere until state aid was actually given to these railways.

STATE GRANTS TO ASSIST LIGHT RAILWAYS.

By the law of April 8, 1895, £250,000 was granted for this purpose, and a further £400,000 was added thereto by the law of June 3, 1896. These sums were to be applied to create such light railways as were deemed necessary in the interest of the public, but which could not be built otherwise than with state aid. Up to 1897 some £350,000 had been granted or promised in different forms of subsidy; and these grants were made to railways having an aggregate length of 625 miles. In only one case, apparently, have these subsidies been accorded without stipulating for a return of interest.

A law of June 8, 1887, provided among other things a further sum of £400,000, thus bringing the total up to £1,050,000 for the furtherance of a narrow-gauge network in the interests of agriculture.

In connection with this latter law, £400,000 was at the same time granted for the building of grain warehouses to be erected on the light railways in order to assist agriculture.

ANNEX NO. 1.—STATEMENT OF THE COMMERCIAL RELATIONS OF THE GERMAN EMPIRE WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES BY TREATY.

There are three distinct classes of commercial treaties existing between the German Empire and foreign countries, which are as follows:

"A." Treaties in which mutual tariff concessions have been made, and in which most-favored-nation treatment has been granted on both sides.

"B." Treaties which contain no special tariff agreement, but only the right to most-favored-nation treatment, either by treaty or by the decision of the federal council, after due authorization by the Reichstag (example, Turkey), among the other usual subjects of agreement. *a*

"C." Treaties in which Germany has granted neither most-favored-nation treatment nor tariff concessions.

NOTE.—The commercial relations of Great Britain and her colonies with Germany are described on pages 11 and 12 of Part I. Briefly, they are now merely general most-favored-nation treatment on both sides, with the one exception of Canada. This mutual arrangement is only temporary and began on July 31, 1898 (on the expiration of the old commercial treaty of May 30, 1865, with the "Zollverein" and of the treaty of navigation of August 16, 1865, with Prussia), and can only extend up to July 30, 1899, under the special law of May 11, 1898, which empowered the Reichstag to grant, at its discretion, such most-favored-nation treatment up to July of next year only.

A.—TREATIES (WITH TARIFF CONCESSIONS BY GERMANY AND MOST-FAVORED-NATION CLAUSES) IN FORCE ON JANUARY 1, 1899.

WITH—	Date of signature.	Date of termination.	Remarks.
Austria-Hungary	Dec. 6, 1891	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force February 1, 1892; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Belgium	Dec. 6, 1891	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force February 1, 1892; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Greece	July 9, 1884	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 10 years certain; to count from 10 days after date of ratification. Can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Italy	Dec. 6, 1891	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force February 1, 1892; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Roumania	Oct. 21, 1893	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force January 1, 1894; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate. Modifications of treaty allowed by mutual agreement.
Russia	Feb. 10, 1894	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force March 20, 1894; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Servia	Aug. 21, 1892	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force January 1, 1893; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Switzerland	Dec. 10, 1891	December 31, 1903 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force February 1, 1892; can continue after December 31, 1903, and until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate. Modifications of treaty allowable by mutual agreement.

a But under this class Japan and Turkey concede certain tariff reductions on their side only. But there are none on that of Germany.

B.—TREATIES (INCLUDES MOST-FAVORED-NATION TREATMENT) IN FORCE ON JANUARY 1, 1899.

WITH—	Date of signature.	Date of termination.	Remarks.
Argentine Republic	Sept. 19, 1857	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 8 years certain. Then at 1 year's notice.
Bulgaria.....	[Treaties of 1862, 1890, and 1878]		See treaties with Turkey.
Chile	(Old treaty) 1862.	At less than 1 year's notice.....	Denounced August 27, 1896, but eventually prolonged. Is now again put into force, but the former notice of 1 year to terminate it is reduced to less.
Colombian Republic.....	July 23, 1892	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 10 years certain; from April 12, 1894, date of ratification. Then at 1 year's notice.
Denmark and colonies	[Various old treaties]		See "State papers" for details.
Egypt	July 19, 1892	March 12, 1912	Came into force April 1, 1893. Modifications are allowable at end of 7th and 14th years.
Ecuador	Mar. 28, 1887	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 10 years certain; from March 29, 1888, date of ratification. Then at 1 year's notice.
France.....	May 10, 1871	Can not be terminated.....	The Frankfort treaty of peace of May 10, 1871, placed the commercial relations with Germany on a permanent most-favored-nation basis.
Guatemala	Sept. 20, 1887	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 10 years certain; from June 22, 1898, date of ratification. Then at 1 year's notice.
Honduras.....	Dec. 12, 1887	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 10 years certain; from July 2, 1888, date of ratification. Then at 1 year's notice.
Japan	Apr. 4, 1896	Tariff (only on the side of Japan): January 1, 1911; rest July 17, 1911 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	The tariff part comes into force on January 1, 1899; but the rest only on July 17, 1899. To last 12 years certain from date of coming into force. Article XVII, on reciprocal protection of patents, trade-marks, etc., came into force, however, on November 16, 1896. At 1 year's notice after expiry of 12 years.
Liberia	Oct. 31, 1867	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 12 years certain; from July 1, 1868, date of ratification. Then at 1 year's notice.
Morocco	June 1, 1890	Indefinite	Ratified July 10, 1891; 5 years later, modifications may be mutually agreed upon. Treaty continues in force until such revision occurs or a new convention is concluded.
Mexico	Dec. 5, 1882	At 1 year's notice.....	Made for 10 years certain; from July 26, 1883, date of ratification. Then at 1 year's notice.
Netherlands and colonies	Dec. 31, 1851	At 1 year's notice.....	Ratified May 7, 1852. Good to January 1, 1854. After that, treaty to continue good until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Nicaragua.....	Feb. 4, 1896	April 7, 1907 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Made for 10 years; from April 7, 1897, to date of ratification. Continues after that until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Orange Free State.....	Apr. 28, 1897	May 17, 1901 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Came into force 2 months after ratification, i. e., on May 17, 1898. Made for 3 years certain. Continues after that until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate. Subsequent modifications allowable by mutual consent.
Paraguay.....	July 21, 1887	May 18, 1908 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Made for 10 years; from May 18, 1888, date of ratification.
Peru.....	June 11, 1873	At 1 year's notice.....	To expire only on expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Salvador.....	Jan. 12, 1888	August 22, 1899 (if 1 year's previous notice be given).	Made for 10 years; from August 22, 1889, date of ratification. The convention of this date renewed the old 1870 treaty which had been terminated by Salvador on March 25, 1880; it therefore ceased April 1, 1881.
Sweden and Norway.....	Various old treaties.....		See "State Papers" for details.
Tonga	Nov. 1, 1876	No provisions as to termination.....	Came into force on November 1, 1876. There are no provisions as to its termination.
Transvaal	Jan. 22, 1885	At 1 year's notice.....	Came into force 1 month after date of ratification (June 24, 1886), i. e., on July 24, 1886—for 10 years certain. Continues after that until expiration of 1 year's previous notice to terminate.
Tunis.....	Nov. 18, 1896	Indefinite.....	No provisions, apparently, as to termination.
Turkey.....	March 22, 1761a (partly in force still); August 26, 1890 (practically not in force on Turkish side).	March 12, 1912 (tariff only on Turkish side).	The 1890 treaty came into force March 1, 1891, for 21 years certain; but later ceased to have much force in practice. But mutual most-favored-nation treatment is accorded. Modifications are allowed at end of 7th and 14th years. Tariff, however, not yet in force and was indefinitely suspended. The old 8 per cent ad valorem duties are still levied.
United States.....			A commercial treaty between the United States and Prussia was signed in 1828; and it contained a most-favored-nation clause. It appears doubtful if this applies to the Empire. Most-favored-nation treatment usually mutually accorded.
Zanzibar.....	Dec. 20, 1885	July 4, 1901 (if notice of revision be given 1 year previously).	Came into force on August 19, 1886; ratified July 5, 1886. Revision allowed at end of 15 years, if 1 year's notice be given on July 5, 1900. If not, then treaty considered to be prolonged for another 10 years longer.

a Between Prussia and Turkey originally.

C.—TREATIES (CONTAINING NEITHER TARIFF CONCESSIONS BY GERMANY NOR MOST-FAVORED-NATION TREATMENT).

WITH—	Date of signature.	Duration.	Remarks.
China.....	Sept. 2, 1861	Perpetual.....	Can not be revoked.
Congo State.....	Nov. 8, 1894	Perpetual.....	Can not be revoked.
Korea.....	Nov. 20, 1883	Perpetual.....	Can not be revoked. Proposals to revise must be notified 1 year beforehand.
Samoa.....	Jan. 24, 1879	Perpetual.....	Was ratified within the time provided for by Article XII.
Siam.....	Feb. 7, 1862	Perpetual.....	Can not be revoked. Any proposals to revise must be notified 1 year beforehand.

NOTES ON ABOVE TABLES.—B. Treaties.—There had also been treaties giving most-favored-nation treatment with Costa Rica (expired November 30, 1897); with San Domingo (expired January 26, 1897); with Great Britain, including her colonies (expired July 30, 1898); with Hawaii (annexed to United States in 1898, and notice was given that all treaties terminated, but that the old tariffs would temporarily continue to be applied); with Madagascar (annexed to France as a colony in 1896), and with Uruguay (expired July 31, 1897).

Relations with United States.—As to commercial treaties with Germany, there are none, except with the individual States. In a speech in the Reichstag, some years before his retirement, Prince Bismarck mentioned the United States as one of the countries enjoying the most-favored-nation benefits, stating that, as the old treaty with Prussia of 1828 was in force, it was impossible to make a distinction between Prussia and the Empire in the case in point.

As the matter now stands, Germany says that the treaty of 1828 with Prussia has practically been extended to the whole of the Empire, while the United States have taken no positive position in the matter, neither directly confirming nor contradicting this view.

ANNEX NO. 2 (A).—TABLE OF GERMAN TRADE WITH ALL COUNTRIES, 1889 TO 1896, VALUES AND QUANTITIES, CHIEF CHANGES IN IMPORTS (ARRANGED ALPHABETICALLY).

IMPORTS FROM ALL COUNTRIES.	VALUE.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for values.	QUANTITY.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for quantities.
	1889	1896		1889	1896	
	£	£	£	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Bran.....	1,476,800	2,255,150	+ 778,350	365,895	602,159	+ 236,264
Clover seed, etc.....	772,450	1,175,250	+ 402,800	18,774	29,870	+ 11,096
Coal.....	3,183,800	3,055,400	— 128,400	4,456,558	5,476,752	+1,020,194
Coffee (raw).....	9,964,100	9,464,700	— 499,400	113,328	129,896	+ 16,568
Copper (raw and scrap).....	1,452,500	2,872,950	+1,420,450	29,642	59,284	+ 29,642
Cotton (raw and waste).....	13,999,900	11,940,500	—2,059,400	260,912	309,094	+ 48,182
Cotton yarn.....	2,906,600	2,842,650	— 63,950	21,926	22,464	+ 538
Cotton manufactures.....	647,850	953,200	+ 305,350	1,514	2,975	+ 1,461
Eggs.....	2,061,900	3,828,300	+1,766,400	48,515	89,029	+ 40,514
Flax.....	1,915,000	1,569,400	— 345,600	58,923	54,186	— 4,737
Grain, flour, potatoes, etc.....	20,100,400	28,743,250	+8,642,850	3,149,446	5,654,995	+2,505,549
Grease.....	2,379,450	2,268,550	— 110,900	67,541	91,948	+ 24,407
Herrings.....	1,598,150	1,272,450	— 325,700	Barrels. 121,738	Barrels. 121,633	Barrels. — 105
Hides and skins (raw).....	4,474,300	5,738,750	+1,264,450	Tons. 86,761	Tons. 105,101	+ 18,340
Indigo.....	1,015,900	1,036,000	+ 20,100	1,935	1,973	+ 38
Iron ore.....	882,150	1,741,300	+ 859,150	1,234,783	2,586,705	+1,351,917
Iron, pig.....	954,100	797,900	— 156,200	337,731	322,501	— 15,230
Linseed.....	998,800	2,357,500	+1,358,700	103,979	289,387	+ 185,408
Machinery and locomotives.....	1,602,250	1,840,500	+ 238,250	45,789	59,677	+ 13,888
Metal wares of all kinds.....	1,592,950	1,832,500	+ 239,550	70,344	86,034	+ 15,690
Niter.....	3,167,950	3,393,900	+ 225,950	333,166	450,407	+ 117,241
Oil, petroleum (crude and refined).....	4,066,850	2,989,300	—1,077,550	625,668	853,642	+ 227,974
Oil cake.....	1,425,950	1,485,500	+ 59,550	218,563	310,885	+ 92,322
Palm kernels, etc.....	1,114,400	1,333,700	+ 219,300	105,009	137,208	+ 32,199
Silk and floss silk, raw, waste, and cocoons.....	8,564,500	5,567,200	—2,997,300	5,284	5,307	+ 23
Timber, staves, osiers, box-tree wood, etc.....	7,268,700	9,349,750	+2,081,050	3,246,873	3,385,421	+ 138,548
Tobacco (leaf and manufactured).....	4,122,800	5,760,800	+1,638,000	46,105	58,334	+ 12,229
Wine in casks and bottles.....	2,410,700	1,994,900	— 415,800	74,552	66,798	— 7,754
Wool (raw).....	13,987,200	11,856,250	—2,130,950	139,872	170,244	+ 30,372
Woolen yarn.....	5,631,450	5,704,200	+ 72,750	21,597	23,992	+ 2,395
Woolen cloths and stuffs.....	624,800	656,550	+ 31,750	1,429	2,017	+ 588

(B).—TABLE OF GERMAN TRADE WITH ALL COUNTRIES, 1889 TO 1896, VALUES AND QUANTITIES, CHIEF CHANGES IN EXPORTS (ARRANGED ALPHABETICALLY).

EXPORTS TO ALL COUNTRIES.	VALUE.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for values.	QUANTITY.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for quantities.
	1889	1896		1889	1896	
	£	£	£	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Beer.....	946,500	794,250	— 152,250	90,144	78,456	— 11,688
Books, maps, engravings, etc.....	3,617,950	5,620,600	+2,002,650			
Butter (margarine).....	602,350	709,750	+ 107,400	6,693	7,100	— 407
Coal.....	4,771,350	6,093,650	+1,322,300	8,847,202	11,598,757	+2,751,555
Coke.....	749,150	1,800,450	+1,051,300	812,569	2,216,395	+1,403,826
Cotton (raw and waste).....	1,459,800	1,887,700	+ 427,900	30,182	52,538	+ 22,356
Cotton yarn.....	961,400	811,500	— 149,900	6,840	6,965	+ 125
Cotton manufactures.....	8,116,600	8,337,650	+ 221,050	26,317	34,343	+ 8,026
Dyes, aniline and similar.....	1,918,050	3,446,600	+1,528,550	6,974	16,232	+ 9,258
Glass, and wares thereof.....	1,832,900	2,139,650	+ 306,750	78,137	116,588	+ 38,451
Grain, flour, potatoes, etc.....	2,655,200	2,920,550	+ 265,350	355,319	462,500	+ 107,241
Hops.....	1,151,100	977,800	— 173,300	12,996	9,867	— 3,129
Instruments (musical).....	1,973,400	1,899,400	— 74,000	12,265	13,809	+ 1,544
Iron, pig.....	469,300	385,800	— 83,500	156,434	140,449	— 15,985
Iron bars (malleable).....	1,244,100	a 1,434,800	+ 190,700	165,831	a 259,461	+ 93,630
Iron wares (coarse).....	5,267,650	6,262,950	+ 995,300	206,641	309,249	+ 102,608
Iron wares (fine); includes steel.....	2,256,400	4,210,850	+1,954,450	13,752	27,473	+ 13,721
Iron wire.....	1,211,650	1,377,100	+ 165,450	156,441	207,115	+ 50,674
Leather (dressed and dyed).....	2,179,650	2,748,750	+ 569,100	7,381	9,055	+ 1,674
Leather wares (except gloves).....	4,604,900	3,324,950	—1,279,950	6,340	5,518	— 822
Machinery of all kinds (includes locomotives).....	3,089,350	5,353,950	+2,264,600	82,361	158,516	+ 76,155
Paper.....	2,667,900	3,368,200	+ 700,300	72,169	120,201	+ 48,032
Silk manufactures.....	9,850,350	6,105,600	—3,744,750	6,148	4,710	— 1,438
Skins (undressed).....	1,585,750	1,413,350	— 172,400	1,676	1,729	+ 53
Spirits of all kinds.....	687,550	308,900	— 378,650	32,459	24,687	— 7,772
[Sugar, total].....	[8,142,100]	[11,817,600]	[+3,675,500]	[522,148]	[988,820]	[+ 466,672]
Sugar (raw); includes soft refined.....	4,803,000	6,278,100	+1,475,100	349,310	585,368	+ 236,058
Sugar (refined).....	3,339,100	5,539,500	+2,200,400	172,838	403,452	+ 230,614
Wearing apparel.....	6,095,000	6,058,350	— 36,650	6,632	9,110	+ 2,478
Wool (raw).....	1,664,950	1,040,400	— 624,550	10,917	9,086	— 1,831
Woolen yarn.....	2,161,050	2,242,650	+ 81,600	6,557	8,237	+ 1,680
Woolen manufactures.....	8,031,100	8,046,100	— 585,100	20,589	25,169	+ 4,580

a In 1896, figures include tires and ploughshares, but they are quite unimportant. In 1896, the quantity of these was only 287 tons, valued at £2,300.

ANNEX No. 3 (A).—TABLE OF GERMAN TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN, 1889 TO 1896, VALUES AND QUANTITIES, CHIEF CHANGES IN IMPORTS (CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PLUS OR MINUS, AS REGARDS VALUES).

IMPORTS FROM GREAT BRITAIN.	VALUE.		Comparison, 1896 v. 18-9, for values.	QUANTITY.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for quantities.
	1889	1896		1889	1896	
	£	£	£	Mct. tons.	Mct. tons.	Mct. tons.
Iron and ironwares.....	1,280,150	1,365,250	+ 85,100	303,071	322,602	+ 19,531
Tools, machines, and vehicles.....	1,095,400	1,211,700	+126,300	29,091	38,736	+ 9,645
Lined, and wares thereof.....	360,350	525,200	+164,850	3,661	4,286	+ 625
Tar, pitch, resin, asphalt.....	200,550	490,400	+289,850	15,714	47,754	+ 32,040
Zinc, and wares thereof.....	21,050	62,400	+ 41,350	1,103	4,414	+ 3,311
Cotton and cotton goods.....	4,227,300	3,365,650	—861,650	45,078	31,842	— 13,236
Drugs, apothecary's articles, and paints.....	2,784,550	2,019,300	—765,250	108,294	87,313	— 20,981
Corn and other agricultural products.....	656,350	433,750	—222,600	54,128	40,486	— 13,642
Skins and hides.....	1,222,600	999,500	—223,100	11,005	7,611	— 3,394
Caoutchouc and india-rubber wares.....	1,003,400	769,550	—233,850	2,850	3,345	+ 495
Copper, and wares thereof.....	1,203,350	602,600	—600,750	22,659	10,215	— 12,444
Leather, and wares thereof.....	731,950	632,150	— 99,800	4,489	3,642	— 847
Groceries and other articles of consumption.....	2,386,650	1,488,750	—897,900	134,637	121,323	— 13,314
Oils (not separately mentioned) and fats.....	1,061,700	666,750	—394,950	55,528	38,252	— 17,276
Silks, and wares thereof.....	298,900	266,750	— 32,150	172	232	+ 59
Stone, and wares thereof.....	308,650	167,350	—141,300	60,743	33,798	— 26,945
Coals, lignite, coke, peat.....	2,624,650	2,422,750	—201,900	3,461,196	4,366,522	+905,326
Wool, and wares thereof.....	8,471,650	7,550,100	—921,550	59,052	47,190	— 11,862
Tin, and wares thereof.....	462,750	365,350	— 97,400	4,811	5,872	+ 1,061

(B).—TABLE OF GERMAN TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN, 1889 to 1896, VALUES AND QUANTITIES, CHIEF CHANGES IN EXPORTS (CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PLUS OR MINUS, AS REGARDS VALUES).

EXPORTS TO GREAT BRITAIN.	VALUE.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for values.	QUANTITY.		Comparison, 1896 v. 1889, for quantities.
	1889	1896		1889	1896	
	£	£	£	Met. tons.	Met. tons.	Met. tons.
Cotton, and wares thereof.....	1,698,650	1,870,950	+ 172,300	6,736	9,294	+ 2,558
Brush ware and sieves.....	332,850	511,900	+ 179,050	885	954	+ 268
Drugs, apothecary's wares, and paints.....	2,239,250	2,840,350	+ 601,100	76,581	92,964	+ 16,383
Iron, and wares thereof.....	838,750	1,407,400	+ 568,650	74,630	146,426	+ 71,796
Corn and other agricultural produce.....	752,850	921,750	+ 168,900	57,248	100,706	+ 43,458
Glass, and wares thereof.....	242,950	406,800	+ 163,850	12,452	31,305	+ 18,853
Tools, machines, and vehicles.....	743,100	801,450	+ 58,350	6,898	9,609	+ 2,711
Clothes, underlinen, millinery, etc.....	2,088,900	2,306,950	+ 218,050	1,801	3,271	+ 1,470
Copper, and wares thereof.....	285,550	415,100	+ 129,550	2,293	4,405	+ 2,112
Hardware and ironmongery.....	758,650	1,877,600	+1,118,950	1,852	13,806	+ 12,014
Leather, and wares thereof.....	1,801,150	1,919,750	+ 118,600	2,903	3,346	+ 443
Groceries and other articles of consumption.....	6,503,450	8,098,850	+1,595,400	387,926	585,898	+197,882
Oils (not specially mentioned) and fats.....	291,650	624,150	+ 332,500	15,603	63,003	+ 47,400
Paper and cardboard.....	1,122,300	1,466,750	+ 344,450	39,437	61,054	+ 21,617
Soaps and perfumeries.....	92,300	148,900	+ 56,600	2,147	1,085	- 1,062
Coal, lignite, coke, peat.....	11,850	18,950	+ 7,100	14,099	30,244	+ 16,145
Straw and bast wares.....	8,250	21,150	+ 12,900	213	295	+ 82
Glasswares.....	147,650	473,650	+ 326,000	4,327	6,184	+ 1,857
Silk, and wares thereof.....	3,338,800	1,847,800	-1,491,000	2,147	1,438	- 709
Wood, and wares thereof.....	1,368,100	1,190,300	- 177,800	51,517	69,518	+ 18,001
Hops.....	320,350	174,300	- 146,050	4,004	2,681	- 1,323
Stone, and wares thereof.....	117,400	61,050	- 56,350	2,818	3,412	+ 594
Cattle.....	315,650	85,500	- 230,150			
Wool, and wares thereof.....	2,661,800	2,472,150	- 189,650	9,325	10,569	+ 1,244
Zinc, and wares thereof.....	770,100	520,100	- 250,000	26,508	29,337	- 7,171

ANNEX NO. 4.—COMPARISON OF BRITISH AND GERMAN SIMILAR EXPORTS, 1895 to 1897. (ONLY "SPECIAL" TRADE, I. E., OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE.)

1. EXPORTS OF COTTON AND COTTON GOODS, IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Great Britain.	German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	54,455	11,647		
1896.....	59,309	11,174	+4,854	-473
1897.....	54,061	10,667	-5,248	-507

The German exports, by weight, have been, in the three years: 1895, 90,927; 1896, 96,133, and (89,849, less 3,850 in "improvement" traffic) 85,999 metric tons in 1897.

2. EXPORTS OF WOOL AND WOOLEN WARES, IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Great Britain. ^a	German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	20,595	16,814		
1896.....	18,987	16,547	-1,608	-267
1897.....	17,517	16,272	-1,470	-275

^a Raw wool added to make a comparison with German statistics possible.

3. EXPORTS OF COAL, LIGNITE, COKE, ETC., IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Great Britain.	German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	^a 15,433	7,288		
1896.....	^a 15,156	8,084	- 277	+796
1897.....	^a 16,659	8,712	+1,503	+628

^a Value of coal shipped for use of steamers engaged in the foreign trade is not included here, as it is not considered to be an ordinary export.

ANNEX No. 4.—COMPARISON OF BRITISH AND GERMAN SIMILAR EXPORTS, 1895 TO 1897, ETC.—Continued

EXPORTS OF COAL, LIGNITE, COKE, ETC., IN 1,000 TONS.

YEAR.	Great Britain.	German Empire. ^a	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
1895.....	b 33,101	12,886		
1896.....	b 34,262	14,069	+1,161	+1,183
1897.....	b 37,102	14,833	+2,840	+ 764

^a Metric tons.^b Exclusive of coal shipped for use of steamers in foreign trade.

4. EXPORTS OF CHEMICALS, MEDICAL PREPARATIONS, ETC., IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Great Britain.	German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	8,288	14,940		
1896.....	8,242	15,839	— 46	+899
1897.....	8,674	15,992	+432	+153

5. EXPORTS OF LINEN AND LINEN GOODS, IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Great Britain.	German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	5,351	1,257		
1896.....	5,030	1,199	—321	—58
1897.....	4,774	1,222	—256	+23

6. EXPORTS OF SILK GOODS, IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Great Britain.	German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	1,435	8,294		
1896.....	1,423	7,654	—12	—610
1897.....	1,340	6,806	—83	—848

7. EXPORTS OF IRON AND STEEL, IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Iron and steel—Great Britain.	Iron and ironware—German Empire.	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	19,680	15,089		
1896.....	23,801	16,877	+4,121	+1,788
1897.....	24,639	15,730	+ 838	—1,146

8. EXPORTS OF MACHINES, ETC., IN £1,000.

YEAR.	Machines and millwork—Great Britain.	Implements, machines, and vehicles—German Empire. (a)	Increase or decrease for England.	Increase or decrease for Germany.
	£	£	£	£
1895.....	15,150	7,947		
1896.....	17,014	8,020	+1,864	+ 73
1897.....	16,282	8,897	— 732	+877

^a The sum of £40,250, value of ships exported and added for first time in 1897, is deducted from the German total, so as to be comparable with 1896; i. e., £8,938,000, less £40,250, equals £8,897,750.

ANNEX No. 5.—COMPARISON OF GERMAN COMMERCE IN 1896 AND 1897 FOR ALL CUSTOMS TARIFF CLASSIFICATIONS.

Number in tariff.	CLASSIFICATION.	"SPECIAL" IMPORTS.				"SPECIAL" EXPORTS.			
		1896	1897	Increase or decrease, 1897 v. 1896.	In improvement traffic in 1897. ^a	1896	1897	Increase or decrease, 1897 v. 1896.	In improvement traffic in 1897. ^a
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1	Waste, remains, etc.	3,162,150	3,486,450	+ 324,300	.....	527,100	739,150	+ 212,050	.....
2	Cotton, and goods thereof.	15,739,950	16,251,150	+ 511,200	904,250	11,174,200	10,667,950	— 506,250	837,300
3	Lead, and wares thereof.	407,150	486,950	+ 79,800	.....	583,400	771,700	+ 188,300	.....
4	Brushware and sieves, etc.	149,900	116,250	— 33,650	.....	1,033,350	419,000	— 614,350	.....
5	Drugs, apothecary's wares, colors, etc.	11,684,250	11,677,400	— 6,850	250	15,839,400	15,992,700	+ 153,300	7,800
6	Iron and ironware.	2,410,600	3,189,400	+ 778,800	237,350	16,877,000	15,730,500	— 1,146,500	659,250
7	Earths, ores, precious metals, asbestos, and wares thereof.	18,635,550	16,734,000	— 1,901,550	.....	14,265,150	10,596,550	— 3,668,600	.....
8	Flax, and other vegetable materials for spinning (excepting cotton)	4,776,800	4,235,000	— 541,800	.....	1,561,950	1,206,700	— 355,250	.....
9	Corn, and other agricultural products.	37,132,300	39,005,750	+ 1,873,450	30,450	3,882,900	5,299,300	+ 1,416,400	.....
10	Glass, and wares thereof.	547,900	560,850	+ 12,950	1,400	2,139,650	2,173,450	+ 33,800	2,350
11	Hair of horses, and human, etc., feathers, bristles.	2,542,200	4,692,300	+ 2,150,100	.....	1,468,900	2,693,950	+ 1,225,050	.....
12	Hides and skins.	7,774,150	8,860,050	+ 1,085,900	.....	3,581,000	4,046,400	+ 465,400	.....
13	Wood and other materials for carving, and wares thereof.	12,868,250	15,761,300	+ 2,893,050	440,250	4,861,600	5,024,450	+ 162,850	541,200
14	Hops.	391,450	411,800	+ 20,350	4,900	977,800	1,193,800	+ 216,000	.....
15	Tools, machines, and vehicles ^b	2,037,250	2,436,600	+ 399,350	13,350	8,020,650	8,938,000	+ 917,350	416,500
16	Calenders.	11,250	18,800	+ 7,550	.....	18,100	25,350	+ 7,250	.....
17	Caoutchouc and gutta-percha, and wares thereof.	2,255,200	2,458,900	+ 203,700	2,300	1,562,550	1,840,500	+ 277,950	400
18	Clothes and underlinen, ready-made, and millinery.	539,350	498,450	— 40,900	.....	7,374,400	6,342,900	— 1,031,500	61,050
19	Copper, etc., and wares thereof.	3,591,150	4,448,800	+ 857,650	10,350	4,435,900	4,270,400	— 165,500	12,700
20	Candles.	1,954,400	1,959,850	+ 5,450	1,850	6,362,850	6,608,800	+ 245,950	5,150
21	Leather, and wares thereof.	2,654,200	2,743,950	+ 89,750	62,700	7,019,900	7,171,400	+ 151,500	48,100
22	Linen yarn, linen, and other linen wares.	1,319,450	1,398,700	+ 79,250	24,700	1,199,250	1,222,650	+ 23,400	22,100
23	Ornamental wares, watches, etc.	5,100	6,050	+ 950	.....	32,900	21,950	— 7,950	.....
24	Literary and art objects.	2,041,450	2,151,050	+ 109,600	.....	6,002,650	6,339,350	+ 336,700	.....
25	Groceries, confectionery, and other edible articles.	20,350,400	31,208,850	+ 858,450	2,457,100	18,489,100	17,497,300	— 991,800	2,417,800
26	Oil, not specially mentioned, and fats.	6,443,400	7,582,100	+ 1,138,700	140,800	1,449,350	1,316,950	— 132,400	154,600
27	Paper and pasteboard.	631,500	668,000	+ 36,500	2,900	5,035,300	4,726,850	— 308,450	22,700
28	Fur skins.	91,000	111,450	+ 20,450	.....	157,600	197,500	+ 39,900	.....
29	Petroleum.	3,739,550	3,133,950	— 605,600	3,850	63,300	52,350	— 10,950	31,350
30	Silk, and wares thereof.	7,161,850	7,394,500	+ 232,650	57,900	7,654,700	6,806,600	— 848,100	23,050
31	Soaps and perfumery.	91,550	94,850	+ 3,300	.....	684,650	650,450	— 34,200	.....
32	Playing cards.	350	400	+ 50	.....	15,600	12,750	— 2,850	.....
33	Stones, and wares thereof.	1,659,700	1,806,950	+ 147,250	.....	1,267,950	1,122,850	— 145,100	.....
34	Coals, lignite, coke, peat, and "peat coals".	5,709,050	6,355,950	+ 646,900	.....	8,084,050	8,712,700	+ 628,650	.....
35	Straw and bast wares.	372,500	456,300	+ 83,800	4,800	228,400	208,500	— 19,900	2,000
36	Tar, pitch, resins, asphalt.	1,939,250	1,898,750	— 40,500	.....	505,000	464,100	— 40,900	.....
37	Animals and animal products, not specially mentioned.	5,829,700	6,325,000	+ 495,300	.....	382,350	511,000	+ 128,650	.....
38	Clay ware.	348,750	381,450	+ 32,700	100	3,041,400	2,952,650	— 88,750	.....
39	Cattle.	6,997,050	7,552,150	+ 555,100	.....	1,133,850	1,040,200	— 93,650	.....
40	Oilcloth, American cloth, oil silk.	48,650	45,200	— 3,450	.....	65,500	61,600	— 3,900	.....
41	Wool, and wares thereof.	20,688,400	18,958,300	— 1,730,100	79,800	16,547,750	16,272,050	— 275,700	51,100
42	Zinc, and wares thereof.	289,450	394,400	+ 104,950	.....	1,457,500	1,412,450	— 45,050	.....
43	Tin, and wares thereof.	874,050	790,900	— 83,150	1,100	208,450	250,300	+ 41,850	.....

^a The "improvement traffic" noted above for 1897 is only that portion of the whole "improvement" trade which is for "inland account," as explained in detail in Report No. 2040, Annual Series (published by Foreign Office in March, 1898).

^b In this category (No. 15) there is included, for 1897, for the first time, the value of ships. That of ships imported was £98,550; that of ships exported was £40,250.

ANNEX NO. 6.—TABLE OF CHIEF INDUSTRIAL SHARES, WITH THEIR QUOTATIONS ON THE BERLIN STOCK EXCHANGE FROM 1885 TO 1898. (HIGHEST AND LOWEST PRICES ARE GIVEN DURING EACH MONTH OPPOSITE THE TWO DATES QUOTED.)

NAME OF SHARES.	1885		1890		1895		1896		1897		1898	
	Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.
		Marks.		Marks.		Marks.		Marks.		Marks.		Marks.
Bismarckhütte.....	Dec. 31	110	Dec. 30	173	Dec. 28	180½	Dec. 31	224	Dec. 11	207½	Nov. 17	201
	Dec. 5	103	Dec. 1	166	Dec. 10	188	Dec. 1	220½	Dec. 1	230½	Nov. 1	200
Bochum Gusstahl.....	Dec. 15	128½	Dec. 30	159.90	Dec. 21	141½	Dec. 31	166½	Dec. 31	204½	Nov. 21	212
	Dec. 4	122	Dec. 3	153½	Dec. 3	156½	Dec. 14	159	Dec. 18	201	Nov. 2	217½
	Dec. 31	28	Dec. 30				Dec. 31	130½	Dec. 31	138½	Nov. 11	142
Braunschweiger Kohlen.....			Dec. 12	75								
	Dec. 10	30½	Dec. 1		Nov. 25	105	Dec. 1	123½	Dec. 1	136½	Nov. 1	140½
Donnersmarckhütte.....	Dec. 31	28½	Dec. 30	85	Dec. 6	146	Dec. 31	160½	Dec. 31	165	Nov. 17	176
	Dec. 12	33½	Dec. 1	83½	Dec. 3	141½	Dec. 1	155	Dec. 4	161	Nov. 1	184
Donnersmarckhütte convertirte.....			Dec. 30	111	Same as above		Same as above.		Same as above.		Same as above.	
			Dec. 1	108								
Harkort Brücken.....	Dec. 31	48	Dec. 30	133½	Dec. 23	134	Dec. 28	131½	Dec. 31	135	Nov. 9	129½
	Dec. 8	52½	Dec. 1	126½	Dec. 11	129½	Dec. 10	135½	Dec. 3	132	Nov. 1	128
Harpener.....	Dec. 31	77	Dec. 30	198½	Dec. 21	158	Dec. 31	176	Dec. 31	194	Nov. 17	169
	Dec. 14	80½	Dec. 1	201	Dec. 3	172½	Dec. 1	166	Dec. 20	188	Nov. 9	173
Hibernia.....	Dec.	97½ ¼-¾	Dec. 30	194	Dec. 21	158	Dec. 31	180½	Dec. 31	209½	Nov. 17	188½
			Dec. 1	177	Dec. 3	167	Dec. 1	179-180	Dec. 3	204	Nov. 1	192½
Hibernia junge Action.....			Dec. 30	179	Same as above		Same as above.		Same as above.		Same as above.	
			Dec. 1	161								
Hoerderalte.....	Dec. 14	24.60	Dec. 30	32	Dec. 28	12½	Dec. 31	11½	Dec. 31	9½	Nov. 9	9.30
	Dec. 10	22½	Dec. 1	33	Dec. 19	9.90	Dec. 1	11½	Dec. 20	8½	Nov. 1	9.10
Hoerder Prioritäts Action.....			Dec. 30	67½	Dec. 19	93	Dec. 31	132	Dec. 31	133½	Nov. 17	161
			Dec. 1	69½	Dec. 3	103	Dec. 1	125	Dec. 20	130½	Nov. 1	170½
Laurahütte.....	Dec. 31	87½	Dec. 30	139½	Dec. 23	137	Dec. 31	163½	Dec. 31	184.40	Nov. 17	202½
	Dec. 11	94.90	Dec. 7	134½	Dec. 6	149.90	Dec. 1	156½	Dec. 4	177.10	Nov. 1	211
Massener.....			Dec. 30	99	Dec. 24	68	Dec. 14	133½	Dec. 31	134	Nov. 17	132
			Dec. 1	83½	Dec. 3	72½	Dec. 28	141½	Dec. 14	126	Nov. 1	140½
Bielefeld Maschinen.....			Dec. 30	141	Dec. 16	269½	Dec. 31	366	Dec. 31	363	Nov. 17	317½
			Dec. 1	138	Dec. 4	278	Dec. 7	342	Dec. 22	350	Nov. 1	322
Düsseldorfer Eisen Fabrik.....			Dec. 30	139½	Dec. 21	174	Dec. 31	199	Dec. 31	275	Nov. 21	280
			Dec. 10	142½	Dec. 4	191	Dec. 11	194½	Dec. 1	241	Nov. 4	286
Hallesche Maschinen.....	Dec. 28	197.60	Dec. 30	332½	Dec. 24	396	Dec. 31	454	Dec. 31	569	Nov. 11	437
	Dec. 10	232	Dec. 1	329	Dec. 19	405	Dec. 1	446	Dec. 4	554	Nov. 3	412
Hannoversche Maschinen.....			Dec. 30	127	Dec. 28	183½	Dec. 31	220	Dec. 31	267	Nov. 17	298
			Dec. 1	117	Dec. 9	190	Dec. 1	216	Dec. 9	255	Nov. 1	313
Loewe.....	Dec. 31	215.80	Dec. 30	310	Dec. 21	315	Dec. 31	421	Dec. 31	465	Nov. 17	480
	Dec. 9	217.10	Dec. 1	302	Dec. 3	332½	Dec. 1	391	Dec. 11	459	Nov. 4	505
Harkort Prioritäts Action.....	Dec. 31	103½	Dec. 19	149½	Dec. 22	154½	Dec. 28	154	Dec. 31	155½	Nov. 21	153
	Dec. 1	103½	Dec. 1	140	Dec. 21	152	Dec. 7	156½	Dec. 3	155½	Nov. 11	154½

BRITISH COLONIAL TARIFFS.

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RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS.

[From the British Colonial Abstract, 1897.]

NOTE.—In the statements which follow, all values have been reduced to United States currency, the value of the rupee being calculated at 21 cents, as fixed by the Director of the United States Mint on January 1, 1899; the anna, at 1½ cents; the pound sterling, at \$4.8665; the shilling, 24.3 cents, and the penny, 2.03 cents.

POSSESSIONS.	YARNS.				CORDAGE, ETC.
	Cotton.	Linen, hemp, and jute.	Silk.	Woolen and worsted.	
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Per cwt.</i>
India.....	Free.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Straits Settlements.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Ceylon.....	5 per cent.....	6½ per cent.....	6½ per cent.....	6½ per cent.....	Coir rope and twine, free; other, 6½ per cent ad valorem.
Mauritius.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Twine, hemp, 26 cents; other, 17.6 cents; cordage, coir, 25.2 cents; oiled coir, 58.8 cents; hemp, 23.5 cents; oiled hemp, 53.3 cents.
Labuan.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Hongkong.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Australasia:					
New South Wales.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Victoria.....	Free.....	\$1.95 per cwt.....	Free.....	Free.....	Twine, sewing or seaming of hemp or flax, 10 per cent ad valorem; reaper and binder of jute, hemp, or flax, \$1.95 per cwt; other (except cotton, free), 4.1 cents per pound; coir rope, \$1.22; other cordage and spun yarn, \$2.92 per cwt.
South Australia.....	Free.....	10 per cent.....	Sewing, free; other, 10 per cent.	Berlin wool, 25 per cent; angora, mending and combed, not being fingerings, free; other, 10 per cent.	Twines, sewing or seaming, free; harvest, \$1.95; other (including fishing lines and cords), 4.1 cents per pound; coir rope, \$1.22; other, \$2.67.
Northern Territory.....	Free.....	10 per cent.....	Sewing, free; other, 10 per cent.	Berlin and knitting, 15 per cent; other, free.	Harvest and sewing twine, free; coir rope, 97.3 cents; other, \$1.95.
Western Australia.....	Sewing cotton and thread, 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Linen thread, 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Sewing silks, 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Sewing thread, 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Coir rope, \$1.22; other, \$1.95.
Tasmania.....	20 per cent.....	20 per cent.....	20 per cent.....	20 per cent.....	Cordage, reaper, binder or sewing twine, and harvest and rope yarn, free; other twine (including whipcord), per lb., 2 cents.
New Zealand.....	Sewing, crochet, darning, and knitting cotton, free; other, 20 per cent.	Sewing and bookbinders' thread and yarn of flax or hemp, free; jute, 20 per cent.	Silk twist (shoemakers' and saddlers') and sewing thread, free; other, 20 per cent.	Sewing thread and Angoramendings, not exceeding 45 yards on cards, free; other, 20 per cent.	Binder twine, net makers' cotton twine, and hawsers of 12 inches and over, free; other, 20 per cent ad valorem.
Queensland.....	25 per cent.....	Jute and hemp, free; other, 25 per cent.	25 per cent.....	Berlin and knitting wool and worsted in hanks, coils and reels, 15 per cent; other, 25 per cent.	\$1.95; twine, seaming and for net making, free; other, \$3.40.
British New Guinea.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	Cordage and rope, \$2.43 per ton; twine, lines for fishing, and clothes, lead, and similar lines, 10 per cent ad valorem.
Fiji.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	Cordage, rope, marine, spun yarn, and similar lines, 36.5 cents per cwt; twine, 4.1 cents per pound; clothes, fishing, lead, and log lines, 12½ per cent ad valorem.
Falkland Islands.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Natal.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Cape of Good Hope.....	9 per cent.....	9 per cent.....	9 per cent.....	9 per cent.....	Binding twine and harvest yarn, free; other, 9 per cent ad valorem.
St. Helena.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Lagos.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Cont'd.

POSSESSIONS.	YARNS.				CORDAGE, ETC.
	Cotton.	Linen, hemp, and jute.	Silk.	Woolen and worsted.	
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Per cwt.</i>
Gold coast:					
West of the river Volta.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
East of the river Volta.....	4 per cent.....	4 per cent.....	4 per cent.....	4 per cent.....	4 per cent ad valorem.
Sierra Leone.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
Gambia.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent ad valorem.
North America:					
Dominion of Canada (a).....	Nos. 40 and finer, free; other, 25 per cent; sewing thread in hanks (3 and 6 cord), 15 per cent; on spools, etc., 25 per cent.	For manufacture of carpets, webbing, matting, or twine, free; other, 20 per cent.	Spun silk (singles, tram, or thrown organzine), not colored, 15 per cent; dyed, 20 per cent; sewing silk and silk twist, 25 per cent.	If costing 30 cents per pound and over for manufacture of woolen goods, 20 per cent; otherwise 30 per cent ad valorem.	Coir, free; binders' and harvest twine and twines for fishery purposes, free; sail twine, 5 per cent ad valorem; other, 25 per cent ad valorem.
Newfoundland.....	Yarns, free; thread, 25 per cent.	Hemp yarn, free; linen thread, 25 per cent; other, 30 per cent.	25 per cent.....	20 per cent.....	Twines for fishery purposes, and marine for lobster pots, 10 per cent ad valorem; other twines, 30 per cent ad valorem; fishing lines for anglers, 35 per cent ad valorem; other, 15 per cent ad valorem; cordage, \$1.68.
Bermuda.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Honduras.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
West India Islands:					
Bahamas.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent ad valorem.
Turks Islands.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Jamaica.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent ad valorem.
St. Lucia (b).....	15 per cent.....	15 per cent.....	15 per cent.....	15 per cent.....	15 per cent ad valorem.
St. Vincent (c).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
Barbados.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Twines, 10 per cent ad valorem; cordage, 73 cts. pr. 100 pounds.
Grenada (c).....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent ad valorem.
Virgin Islands (d).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
St. Christopher and Nevis (c) (d).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
Antigua (d).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
Montserrat (d) (e).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
Dominica (d).....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	Fishing lines, free; other, 12½ per cent ad valorem.
Trinidad and Tobago.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
British Guiana.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Cordage, \$1.01; twine, \$2.27.
Gibraltar.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Malta.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.

a In accordance with the provisions of the British preferential tariff of 1898, articles which are the growth, produce, or manufacture of the United Kingdom, Bermuda, British West Indies, British Guiana, British India, Ceylon, Straits Settlements, and New South Wales, when imported direct into Canada from any of such countries, are entitled to a reduction of one-fourth of the duty. The reduction does not apply to duties levied on wines, malt liquors, spirits, tobacco, and cigars, nor to raw sugar unless it be imported direct from any British colony or possession, nor to refined sugar unless it be manufactured wholly from raw sugar produced in the British colonies or possessions.

b With an additional charge of 15 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

c With an additional charge of 10 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

d Produce or manufactures of any other of the Leeward Islands, free.

e With an additional charge of 33½ per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	WOVEN FABRICS.				Bags and sacks (hemp, jute, etc.).	Apparel.
	Cotton.	Linen, hemp, and jute.	Silk.	Woolen and Worsted.		
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
India.....	3½ per cent.	5 per cent.	5 per cent.	5 per cent.	Second-hand or used gunny bags, free; other, 5 per cent.	Cotton hosiery, 3½ per cent; other, 5 per cent.
Straits Settlements....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Ceylon.....	5 per cent.	Gunny cloth and filter bagging, free; other, 6½ per cent.	6½ per cent.	Felt, free; other, 6½ per cent.	Gunnies, free; other, 6½ per cent.	Cotton hosiery, 5 per cent; other, 6½ per cent.
Mauritius.....	10 per cent.	Canvas, 35.3 cents per cwt.; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.	Bunting, 2.8 cents per yard; other, 10 per cent.	Per 100, pockets (linen), 16.8 cents; vacoa, 2.1 cents; other, 25.2 cents.	10 per cent.
Labuan.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Hongkong.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:						
New South Wales....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Victoria.....	Free	Hessians, part 10 per cent. part free; jute matting, 25 per cent; other matting, 15 per cent; other, free.	15 per cent.	Felt carpeting and druggeting, saddle-cloth and serges, carriage cloth, twilled scourers, imitation plush for upholstery, bunting, and cloths cut into sizes or lengths for making caps, free; carpets, druggets, and gray or colored blankets (not of white body), and blankets of which the invoice value is 24.3 cents per pound or under, 15 per cent; other blankets (except printers', free) and rugs and rug-ging, 25 per cent; other piece goods, part 15 per cent, part 25 per cent.	Bags, the capacity of which is less than 3 bushels, 12.2 cents per dozen; other, free.	Cotton or linen hosiery, free; other hosiery, 25 per cent; corsets, 15 per cent; other, 35 per cent.
South Australia....	Velvets and velvet-eens, 10 per cent; table and toilet covers, towels, handkerchiefs, dusters, table napkins, 15 per cent; other piece goods, free.	Towels, handkerchiefs, table napkins, table and toilet covers (linen), and matting, 15 per cent; other, free.	15 per cent.	Bunting and Crimean shirtings, free; dress piece goods, 10 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Canvas, 25 per cent; other, free.	Hosiery, knitted, 20 per cent; not knitted, 10 per cent; moleskin, 15 per cent; other, 25 per cent.
Northern Territory.	Velvets and velvet-eens, 10 per cent; other, part 15 per cent, part free.	Part 15 per cent, part free.	15 per cent.	Bunting and flannels, free; carpeting, 15 per cent; other, 10 per cent.	Free	Moleskin, free; other, 15 per cent.
Western Australia.	Velvets, 15 per cent; other, 10 per cent.	Bagging for wool bales and sacks, free; other bagging in the piece, canvas, jute piece goods, forfars, dowlas, and flax sheeting, 5 per cent; other, 10 per cent.	For flour dressing, free; other, 15 per cent.	Blankets and rugs, free; bunting, 5 per cent; other, 10 per cent.	Corn and flour sacks, gunny and ore bags, and wool bales, free; other bags and sacks, 5 per cent.	15 per cent.
Tasmania.....	Hatters' calicoes, 10 per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Bagging (jute or canvas) for ore bags, and navy or tarpaulin canvas, free; other, 20 per cent.	Hatters' plush, 10 per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Saddlers' collar check, 10 per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Wool packs, 8.1 cents each; other, free.	20 per cent.
New Zealand.....	Union shirtings (value not exceeding 12.2 cents per yard), colored cotton and flannellette shirtings, calico, sheetings, moleskin, and corduroy, free; other, 10 per cent and 20 per cent.	Bagging (jute), free; other, 15 per cent; forfar, dowlas, flax sheeting in the piece, 20 per cent; sailcloth, canvas, duck, and hessians, free; other, 20 per cent.	Silk hat plush, reversible and levantine mixtures, silk bindings, and silk for flour dressing, free; other, 25 per cent.	Bunting and tailors' trimmings, free; other, 20 per cent.	Jute bags and sacks, wool packets, wool packs, and corn sacks, free; other sacks, 15 per cent; other bags, 15 per cent or 20 per cent.	Made to order, 40 per cent; hosiery, 20 per cent; other, 25 per cent.
Queensland.....	Tailors' trimmings (except Italians) and bookbinders' cloth, free; velvets and velvet-eens, 15 per cent; other, 5 per cent.	Canvas, hessians, and bagging, free; linen piece goods, 5 per cent; carpeting and druggeting, 15 per cent; other, 25 per cent.	Mixtures (reversible and levantine), not less than 44 inches wide, and hatters' black silk plush, free; other, 15 per cent.	Bunting, saddle serge, collar check, tailors' trimmings, and felt, free; Crimean flannel and alpaca, 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Jute corn sacks, to contain 3 bushels, and wool packs, free; other, 15 per cent.	25 per cent.
British New Guinea....	10 per cent.	Sail canvas, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.	10 per cent.	Free	10 per cent.

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POSSESSIONS.	WOVEN FABRICS.				Bags and sacks (hemp, jute, etc.).	Apparel.
	Cotton.	Linen, hemp, and jute.	Silk.	Woolen and worsted.		
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
Fiji	Cottons, exceeding 1 yard in length and not exceeding 36 inches in width, 2 cents per yard; exceeding 36 inches and not exceeding 72 inches in width, 4.1 cents per yard; exceeding 72 inches and not exceeding 108 inches in width, 6.1 cents per yard; for every additional 36 inches or portion thereof in width, 2 cents per yard; other, 12½ per cent.	Canvas, Nos. 1 to 6, free; other, 12½ per cent.	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	Free.....	12½ per cent.
Falkland Islands.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Natal	Blanketing and sheeting, 15 per cent; other, 5 per cent.	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	Blanketing, 15 per cent; other, 5 per cent.	Grain bags, sugar pockets, and wool-packs, free; other, 5 per cent.	Coats made of blanketing or baize, and shawls, 15 per cent; other, 5 per cent.
Cape of Good Hope....	Bookbinders' cloth, free; other, 9 per cent.	Jute bagging and sacking, free; other, 9 per cent.	9 per cent.....	9 per cent.....	Jute bags for grain, wool, coal, and other minerals, free; other, 9 per cent.	9 per cent.
St. Helena.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Lagos	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
Gold Coast:						
West of the Volta..	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Free.....	10 per cent.
East of the Volta..	4 per cent.....	Canvas, free; other, 4 per cent.	4 per cent.....	4 per cent.....	Free.....	4 per cent.
Sierra Leone.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Gambia	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.
North America:						
Dominion of Canada.	White or gray, 25 per cent; printed, dyed, or colored, 35 per cent; cotton velvets, sheets, towels, napkins, etc., 30 per cent; bookbinders' cloth, free.	Jute cloth, as taken from the loom, free; if bleached or calendered, 10 per cent; jute canvas for carpets, oilcloth, etc., free; sail canvas, 5 per cent; damask, sheets, towels, etc., 30 per cent; other, 25 per cent.	Black crapes, 20 per cent; velvets, plush (except hatters', free), and fabrics, 30 per cent.	Carpets, 35 per cent; women's dress goods, cashmeres, serges, etc., to be dyed or finished in Canada, 25 per cent; other, 35 per cent.	20 per cent.....	Woolen, 35 per cent; shirts, collars, and cuffs, 35 per cent; shawls, 30 per cent; knitted goods, 35 per cent; other 20 to 35 per cent.
Newfoundland.....	Fabrics, 30 per cent; sheets, towels, napkins, handkerchiefs, etc., 35 per cent; bookbinders' cloth, 10 per cent; boot and shoe linings, 25 per cent.	Damask, stair linen, sheets, and like articles, handkerchiefs, window shades, carpets, rugs, mats, etc., 35 per cent; canvas, 5 per cent; carriage drill, 25 per cent; "bread bag brin," imported by manufacturers of bread or rope, 10 per cent; other, 30 per cent.	Fabrics which have been exported to bedyed or cleaned when reimported, and black crapes, 30 per cent; carriage plush, 25 per cent; other, 35 per cent.	Carpets, rugs, embroidery, braids, etc., 35 per cent; carriage cloth, 25 per cent; other, 30 per cent.	30 per cent.....	Shirts and underclothing, handmade, 35 per cent; machine made, of cotton, linen, or silk, 40 per cent; of wool or cotton and wool, 30 per cent; corsets, collars, cuffs, blouses, and shawls, 35 per cent; gloves, mitts, socks, and stockings, 30 per cent; oiled clothes, and clothing exported to be dyed and cleaned and reimported, 30 per cent; other, 35 per cent and 40 per cent.
Bermuda.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
Honduras	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
West India Islands:						
Bahamas	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.
Turks Islands.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Free.....	10 per cent.
Jamaica	12½ per cent.....	20 per cent.....	25 per cent.....	20 per cent.....	Free.....	25 per cent.
St. Lucia (a)	15 per cent.....	Bagging (for sugar or other home products), free; other, 15 per cent.	15 per cent.....	15 per cent.....	For sugar or other home products, free; other, 15 per cent.	15 per cent.
St. Vincent (b)	10 per cent.....	Ships' canvas, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Empty produce bags, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Barbados.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Grenada (b)	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.
Virgin Islands (c) ..	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
St. Christopher and Nevis (b) (c).	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.

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POSSESSIONS.	WOVEN FABRICS.				Bags and sacks (hemp, jute, etc.).	Apparel.
	Cotton.	Linen, hemp, and jute.	Silk.	Woolen and Worsted.		
West India Islands— Continued.	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
Antigua (d) (c).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Montserrat (d).....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Dominica (c).....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.....	12½ per cent.
Trinidad and To- bago.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
British Guiana.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Gibraltar.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Malta.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.

POSSESSIONS.	METALS.			
	Iron and iron wares.			Machinery.
	Pig, bar, rod, plate, sheet, and hoop.	Galvanized.	Other kinds.	
India.....	<i>Ad valorem.</i> 1 per cent.....	<i>Ad valorem.</i> Angle, T, flat, square, and bolt (including Scotch), plate, sheets, ridging, nails, rivets, and washers, 1 per cent; other, 1 per cent or 5 per cent.	<i>Ad valorem.</i> 1 per cent, or 5 per cent.....	<i>Ad valorem.</i> Free, or 5 per cent.
Straits Settlements.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Ceylon.....	Free.....	\$3.15 per ton.....	Railway rails, wheels, points, ironwork for railway carriages, etc., tanks, and angle iron, free; corrugated iron, \$1.47 per ton; nails, tacks, and rivets, \$2.74 per ton; other, 6½ per cent.	Free.
Mauritius.....	Pig, 47 cents; bar and hoop, \$1.71 per ton; rod, plate, and sheet, 10 per cent.	Sheets, \$1.71; other, \$6.40 per ton.	Anchors and grapnels, \$3.52 per ton; pipes, wire, ridging, chains, \$1.71 per ton; wire netting, \$6.40 per ton; tin plates, \$2.99 per ton; other, 10 per cent.	For manufacture or improve- ment of produce of the col- ony, 23.5 cents per ton; other, 10 per cent.
Labuan.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Hongkong.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Australasia:				
New South Wales.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Victoria.....	Free.....	Sheet, wire, machine-made wire netting, and screws, free; other, 30 per cent.	Wire, tram, and railway rails, angle and T iron, pipes (brass-cased, solid-drawn), ironmongery, etc., free; H-rolled girder and channel iron, pipes (cast), fire bars, sash weights, and barbed wire, \$14.60 per ton; axles, common dray, with linch- pins, 25 per cent; other axles (except for bicycles, free), 24.3 cents to 97.3 cents per arm; nails, horseshoe, \$3.41 per cwt.; other, \$1.82 per cwt.; machine tools, 20 per cent; cutlery, 10 per cent; other sorts, part free, part 25 per cent, part 30 per cent.	Paper making, printing, felt- ing, spinning, and weaving, free; other, part free, part 25 per cent; engines, traction, free; portable and patent safety oil engines, 15 per cent; other, 30 per cent.
South Australia.....	Free.....	Sheet (plain) droppers and wire, free; corrugated, \$7.30 per ton; cordage, \$14.60 per ton; manufac- tures, 25 per cent.	Rails, tanks, and wire, free; columns, girders, pipes, nails, \$9.73 per ton; other, part free, part 15 per cent, part 25 per cent.	Weaving, flour milling, paper- making, printing, and gas, portable, and traction en- gines, free; washing ma- chines and mangles, 25 per cent; other, part free, part 20 per cent, part 25 per cent,
Northern Territory..	Free.....	Sheet (plain) and wire, free; corrugated, \$7.30 per ton; cordage, \$14.60 per ton; manufactures, 15 per cent.	Rails, tanks, and wire, free; columns, girders, pipes, and nails, \$9.73 per ton; other, part free, part 10 per cent, part 15 per cent.	Weaving, flour milling, paper- making, printing, and gas, portable, and traction en- gines, free; washing ma- chines and mangles, 15 per cent; other, part free, part 10 per cent, part 15 per cent.
Western Australia.....	Free.....	Corrugated, \$1.86 per ton; plain and wire fencing and rope, free; pipes 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Anchors, gates, hurdles, pipes, chains, and cables, 5 per cent; tanks, grates, ovens, and enameled ware, 10 per cent; other, part free, part 15 per cent.	5 per cent (parts of machin- ery, 10 per cent).
Tasmania.....	Free.....	Corrugated, \$9.73 per ton; plain sheet, free.	Tin plates, angle, and T iron wire rope and netting, free; nails, 60.8 cents per cwt.; engine fittings, fencing wire and stand- ards, bolts, nuts, and rivets, boiler tubes, pipes, grinder, railway and tramway plant, 10 per cent; agricultural imple- ments, 5 per cent; other, part free, part 10 per cent, part 20 per cent.	Printing presses, free; agri- cultural, 5 per cent; other, 10 per cent.

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POSSESSIONS.	METALS.			
	Iron and iron wares.			Machinery.
	Pig, bar, rod, plate, sheet, and hoop.	Galvanized.	Other kinds.	
Australasia—Continued.	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
New Zealand	Free	Plain sheet and hoop, 36.5 cents; corrugated sheets, screws, and nails, 48.7 cents per cwt.; other, 20 per cent or 25 per cent.	Wire, cordage, hawsers (12-inch and over), wire netting, railway and tramway rails, and rolled girders, free; nails, 48.7 cents per cwt.; pipes and fittings, 5 per cent; iron bridges and material for construction of bridges, wharves, etc., gates, standards, straining posts and apparatus, columns and structural iron-work for buildings, 20 per cent; tanks, 200 gallons and under, \$1.22 each; 200 gallons to 400 gallons, \$2.43 each; other, part free, part 20 per cent (lacquered, 25 per cent).	Fire, gas, and oil engines, sewing, knitting, kitting machines, and reaping machinery, free; electric, 10 per cent; other, part free, part 5 per cent, part 20 per cent.
Queensland	Rod, less than $\frac{3}{8}$ or more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, 25 per cent; other, free.	Wire and screws, free; other, \$0.487 per cwt.	Corrugated, 48.7 cents per cwt.; nails and castings, 73 cents per cwt.; wire, wire-netting, pipes, boiler-plates and tubes, channel, angle, and T iron, tin-plates, tools, sleepers, fish-plates, etc., free; tanks, \$1.95 each; hook-and-eye hinges, \$1.46 per cwt.; other 15 per cent or 25 per cent.	Weighing machines (except platform weighbridges, free) 15 per cent; spinning, weaving, planing, printing, paper-making, telegraphic, mining, sewing machines, gas, portable, fire, and traction engines, and nearly all other kinds of machinery, free; other, 25 per cent.
British New Guinea	Free	Corrugated, free; other, 5 per cent.	Rails, including plates, bolts and nuts therefor; scrap; materials for building punts and lighters, tanks, steam boilers, boiler plates, anchors, chains, cables, axles, wheels, drain and water pipes, nails, screws, wire-netting, fencing materials, agricultural and mining implements and tools, and telegraph and telephone materials, free; wire rope, \$2.43 per ton; cutlery, hardware, hollow ware and ironmongery, 10 per cent.	Agricultural, mining, sawing, carding, spinning, weaving, dyeing, freezing, carpentering, paper-making, printing, ice-making, or parts thereof, and telegraph and telephone machinery, engines (steam, gas, and fire), and sewing machines, free; other, 5 per cent.
Fiji	Black, in bar, rod sheets and plates, \$7.30 per ton; boiler plates, plates for building punts and lighters, and pig for ships' ballast, free; hoop, 12½ per cent.	Bars, rods, sheets or corrugated, \$9.73 per ton; tanks, \$2.43 each; wire fencing, 48.7 cents per cwt., barbed, 73 cents per cwt.; other, 12½ per cent.	Rails, fish plates, railway sleepers and bolts, and nuts imported with and belonging to same; scrap (for ships' ballast), old, and tanks for exporting molasses and spirits, free; other tanks (black) \$1.22 each; anchors and chains, 60.8 cents per cwt.; bolts and nuts, and bolt-ends and nuts, 1 cent per pound; nails, over 1 inch in length, 73 cents per cwt.; boxes, 4.1 cents per inch in length; wire rope, \$14.60 per ton; wire (black), \$1.86 per ton; other, 12½ per cent.	Sewing machines, treadle, \$2.43 each, hand, \$1.46 each; other, free.
Falkland Islands	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Natal	Pig, bar, sheet (not corrugated), and plates of iron and steel combined, free; other, 5 per cent.	Fencing wire and standards, wire rope, railway and tramway materials, free; Kafir hoes and picks, 12.2 cents each; other, 5 per cent.		Agricultural, mining, sawing, manufacturing, and all printing machinery, free; other, 5 per cent.
Cape of Good Hope	Free (except corrugated sheet, 9 per cent.)	Railway and tramway materials, anchors, ships' cables, fencing wire and standards, angle, channel and T iron, pipes, boiler tubes, and wire rope, free; Kafir hoes and picks, 12.2 cents each; other agricultural implements, free; other, part free, part 9 per cent.		Mostly free; other, 9 per cent.
St. Helena	Free	Free		Free.

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POSSESSIONS.	Earthenware and porcelain.	Glass and glassware.	Leather and leather manufactures (other than boots and shoes).	Boots and shoes (of leather).
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
India	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	Machine belting, free; other, 5 per cent.	5 per cent.
Straits Settlements	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Ceylon.....	Tiles, free; other, 6½ per cent	6½ per cent.....	Machine belting, free; other, 6½ per cent.	6½ per cent.
Mauritius	Tiles, 2.1 cents per 100; other, 10 per cent.	Window glass, 4.2 cents per 100 superficial feet; bottles, 2.1 cents per 100; other, 10 per cent.	Hides, tanned, 52.7 cents; sheep and goat skins, tanned, 70.3 cents; sole leather, 85.2 cents per cwt.; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Labuan.....	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Hongkong	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:				
New South Wales	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Victoria	Earthenware, part 16.2 cents per cubic foot, part 15 per cent; tiles, 20 per cent; chinaware and porcelain, 15 per cent; photographic, scientific, and telegraphic materials, free.	Glass, plate and window (uncut), free; other glass, 30 per cent; glassware, part free, part 24.3 cents to 60.8 cents per cubic foot, part 25 per cent.	Leather, part free, part 12.1 cents per pound; machine belting, 35 per cent; boot uppers, \$4.38 and \$5.84 per dozen pairs; Wellington fronts and grafts, \$1.46 per dozen pairs; gloves, 20 per cent; other wares, 30 per cent.	Children's, Nos. 0-3, free; other, \$2.07 to \$14.60 per dozen pairs.
South Australia	Brown earthenware and stoneware, 20 per cent; tiles, 25 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Glassware, cut, etched, or ground, and bottles (except medicine bottles), 20 per cent; silvered, 25 per cent; other (including plate and sheet glass), 15 per cent.	Leather, patent kid, morocco, etc., free; other, and wares, 10, 15, or 25 per cent.	Children's, Nos. 0-3, free; other, part \$2.80 to \$8.03 per dozen pairs, part 25 per cent.
Northern Territory ..	Chinaware door knobs and crucibles, free; other, 15 per cent.	Bottles and stoppers, free; other, 15 per cent.	Leather, patent kid, morocco, etc., free; other, and wares, 10 and 15 per cent.	15 per cent.
Western Australia.....	Telegraph and surgical materials and crucibles, free; bottles, 5 per cent; filters, 10 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Colored (for churches), free; sheet glass (not silvered), and lampware, 10 per cent; bottles, 5 per cent; other, 15 per cent.	Kip, 15 per cent; other, 5 or 15 per cent; manufactured, riding saddles and flaps, 20 per cent; boot uppers, laces, and vamps, 10 per cent; hose and belting for machinery, free; other, 15 per cent.	Men's, not over \$2.43 per pair, \$4.38 per dozen pairs; women's, not over \$1.46, \$2.43 per dozen; children's, 10 per cent; other, 15 per cent.
Tasmania.....	Bottles, part free, part 10 per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Bottles, part free, part 10 per cent; memorial windows, 10 per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Leather, colored roan, 10 per cent; all other, free; cap peaks and straps, 10 per cent; other manufactures, 20 per cent.	20 per cent.
New Zealand	Retorts, free; other, 20 per cent.	Bottles (plain), free; crown sheet and window, 48.7 cents per 100 superficial feet; mirrors and plate glass (beveled or silvered), 25 per cent; other and wares, 20 per cent.	Japanned, enameled, and morocco (other than black), free; chamois, 20 per cent; cut into shapes, 22½ per cent; other, 2 cents to 8 cents per pound; leather wares, 20, 22½, or 25 per cent.	Children's, Nos. 0-3, free; other, 22½ per cent.
Queensland.....	China door knobs, 15 per cent; other, 25 per cent.	Window and plate glass, lamp chimneys and globes, and stoppers for soda-water bottles, 15 per cent; other, 25 per cent.	Patent kid, morocco, etc., and bookbinders' leather, free; other, 8 cents per pound; men's boot uppers, \$4.38 per dozen pairs; other wares, 25 per cent.	Children's, Nos. 0-6, free; other, \$2.80 to \$8.03 per dozen pairs.
British New Guinea	Telegraph and telephone materials and drain pipes, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Fiji.....	Drain pipes, free; tiles, \$1.22 per 1,000; other, 12½ per cent.	12½ per cent.....	Trunks, 4 cents per inch in length; other, 12½ per cent.	Children's, 6.1 cents per pair; girls and boys, 12.2 cents per pair; women's, 36.5 cents per pair; men's, 48.7 cents per pair.
Falkland Islands	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Natal	5 per cent.....	Beads, 4 cents per pound; other, 5 per cent.	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
Cape of Good Hope.....	Pipes and tubes, free; other, 9 per cent.	Bottles and jars, free; beads, 6.1 cents per pound; other, 9 per cent.	Patent, enameled, roan, morocco, pig-skin, bookbinders', belting and bands for machinery and fire hose, free; other 9 per cent.	9 per cent.
St. Helena	Free	Free	Free	Free.

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POSSESSIONS.	METALS.			Earthenware and porcelain.	Glass and glass-ware.	Leather and leather manufac-tures (other than boots and shoes).	Boots and shoes (of leather).
	Iron and iron wares, plain and galvanized.		Machinery.				
	Pig, bar, rod, plate, sheet, and hoop.	Other kinds.					
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
Lagos.....	5 per cent.....	Hoops, rivets, and hooks used in making punch-cons, free; other, 5 per cent.	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
Gold Coast:							
West of the Volta..	Cask hoop, free; other, 10 per cent.	Anchors and chains for boats; tools, implements, rivets, galvanized iron for roofing, water tanks, railway plant and rolling stock, free; other, 10 per cent.	Free.....	Filters, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	Harness and sad-dlery, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.
East of the Volta...	Cask hoop, free; other, 4 per cent.	Anchors, chains, tools, implements, rivets, safes, and cooking utensils, free; other, 4 per cent.	Mining and agri-cultural, free; other, 4 per cent.	Drain pipes and filters, free; other, 4 per cent.	Glassware, free; beads, 4 per cent.	Harness, saddlery, and trunks, free; other, 4 per cent.	4 per cent.
Sierra Leone.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Gambia.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.
North America:							
Dominion of Can-ada.	Pig, \$2.50 per ton (2,000 lbs.); bar, puddled, \$2 per ton; bar iron, rolled hoop (8 inch or less in width, 18 gauge and thicker), \$7 per ton; sheets or plates, part 5 per cent; Canada plates, flat galvanized sheets, rolled hoop (less than 18 gauge), 5 per cent.	Cast-iron pipe, \$8 per ton; tubes, boiler, 5 per cent; nails (except cut and wire), 30 per cent; screws and tacks, 35 per cent; cut nails, 5 cents per lb.; rails weighing not less than 45 lbs. per linear yard, for use only on railways employed in the common carrying of goods and passengers, and operated by steam motive power only, free; other, railway and tram-way rails, 30 per cent <i>ad valorem</i> ; railway fish and tie plates, \$8 per ton; angle, T, channel, girder, etc., iron, part \$7 per ton, part 10 per cent; wire (most kinds), 20 per cent; hardware (most kinds), 30 per cent; anchors, free; manufactures, 30 per cent; other, various rates, to 35 per cent.	Mining, smelting, and reducing, free; printing, etc., 10 per cent; agricultural, 20 or 25 per cent; sewing machines, 30 per cent; railway locomotives and fire engines, 35 per cent; other engines and machinery, 25 per cent.	Drain tiles (not glazed), 20 per cent; other tiles and pipes, etc., 35 per cent; other, 30 per cent.	Common window glass, 20 per cent; colored, enameled, etc., 20 per cent or 30 per cent; plate glass, 20 to 35 per cent; silvered, 35 per cent; carboys, bottles, flasks, cut or molded table-ware, lamps, chimneys, shades, etc., 30 per cent; electric light bulbs, 10 per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Leather, 10 to 25 per cent; belt-ing, 20 per cent; whips, 35 per cent; harness (except menag-erie harness, free) and sad-dlery, 30 per cent; other wares, 25 per cent.	25 per cent.
Newfoundland	Boiler and ship plates and pig, free; herring barrel hoop iron, free; other hoop iron, 5 per cent; other, 10 per cent.	Cast-iron pipe, forgings, weighing under 5 cwt., railway rails and stove plates, 30 per cent; forgings, weighing over 5 cwt., anchors, coil chain, plows, and harrows, patented, and boiler tubes, 10 per cent; plows and harrows, not patented, and columns and girders, etc., 20 per cent; nails and spikes, cut or pressed, and wire nails, 35 per cent; shoe nails, 25 per cent; other nails, 10 per cent; tools, 25 per cent; cutlery, 25 and 35 per cent; other manufactures, 10 to 50 per cent (mostly 30 per cent).	Printing, mining, smelting, and agricultural, if imported by agricultural societies for the promotion of agriculture, free; other agricultural, dating, ruling, paging, cutting, perforating, and wool carding, 10 per cent; ships' and builders' machinery, power machines for manufacture of steam and other engines and boilers, machines imported by manufacturers for manufacture of boots and shoes, machinery patented, and of a kind not manufactured in Newfoundland, and electric motors, 20 per cent; other, 30 per cent.	Tiles, drain pipes, churns, jars, and demijohns, 30 per cent; other, 35 per cent.	Ornamental, figured, and enameled glass, memorial win-dows, plate glass, demijohns, bottles, decanters, flasks, jars, lamps, chimneys, shades, globes, and tableware, 35 per cent; stoppers, 10 per cent; other, 30 per cent.	Rough, undressed, imported by tan-ners, 10 per cent; bookbinding leather and belt-ing, 10 per cent; other leather, 20 to 30 per cent; harness and saddlery, 40 per cent; other man-ufactures, 35 per cent.	35 per cent.

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POSSESSIONS,	METALS.			Earthenware and porcelain.	Glass and glass- ware.	Leather and leather manufac- tures (other than boots and shoes).	Boots add shoes (of leather).
	Iron and iron wares, plain and galvanized.		Machinery.				
	Pig, bar, rod, plate, sheet, and hoop.	Other kinds.					
	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
Bermuda	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
Honduras.....	Cask hoop, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	Free.....	Drain pipes, tele- graph materi- als, and roofing tiles, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
West India Islands:							
Bahamas	Hoop for con- struction of bar- rels and metal roofing, free; other, 25 per cent.	Nails, 73 cents per 100 pounds; other, part, free; part, 25 per cent.	Part, free; part, 25 per cent.	Electrical and photographic materials, free; other, 25 per cent.	Bottles, free; other, 25 per cent.	25 per cent.....	25 per cent.
Turks Islands.....	Free.....	Hardware and cutlery, 10 per cent; other, free.	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Jamaica	Roofing iron, 12½ per cent; other, 20 per cent.	Beams, girders, rafters, columns, staircases, floor plates, roof or eaves gutters, melting pots and crucibles, 12½ per cent; other, part free, part 20 per cent.	Free (except weighing ma- chines, 20 per cent).	Pipes, free; other, 12½ per cent.	12½ per cent.....	Machine belting, free; other, 12½ per cent.	25 per cent.
St. Lucia	Truss hoop, free; other, 15 per cent.	Nails, 48.7 cents per 100 pounds; other, part free, part 15 per cent.	Free.....	Water pipes, free; other, 15 per cent.	15 per cent.....	Machine belting, free; other, 15 per cent.	15 per cent.
St. Vincent.....	Hoop, free; other, 10 per cent.	Telegraphic and electrical apparatus, iron bridges, gas pipes, etc., free; other, 10 per cent.	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Tiles, \$1.95 per 1,000; water pipes, free; oth- er, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Barbados	10 per cent.....	Nails, 24.3 cents per 100 pounds; other, 10 per cent.	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Bottles, free; oth- er, 10 per cent.	Bottles, free; oth- er, 10 per cent.	Machine belting, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Grenada	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent.
Virgin Islands.....	10 per cent.....	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Bottles, tiles, and water pipes, free; other, 10 per cent.	Bottles, free; oth- er, 10 per cent.	Machine belting, free; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.
St. Christopher and Nevis.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Tiles, \$1.01 per 1,000; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Antigua	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Tiles, \$1.01 per 1,000; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Montserrat	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Tiles, \$1.01 per 1,000; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Dominica	12½ per cent.....	Part free, part 12½ per cent.	Part free, part 12½ per cent.	Bottles and water pipes, free; tiles, \$1.52 per 1,000; other, 12½ per cent.	Bottles, free; oth- er, 12½ per cent.	Machine belting, free; other, 12½ per cent.	12½ per cent.
Trinidad and To- bago.	5 per cent.....	Water pipes and railway and tramway materials, free; other, 5 per cent.	Part free, part 5 per cent.	Tiles, \$1.01 per 1,000; water pipes, free; oth- er, 5 per cent.	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent.
British Guiana	Hoops, 10.1 cents per cwt.; boiler plates and plates for steamboats and barges, free; other, 10 per cent.	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Part free, part 10 per cent.	Water and drain pipes and tele- graph materi- als, free; tiles, \$1.01 per 1,000; other, 10 per cent.	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent.
Gibraltar	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Malta.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.

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POSSESSIONS.	OILS, MINERALS, ETC.				
	Oils.	Candles.	Coal.	Soap.	Salt.
	<i>Per gallon.</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per ton (of 2,240 lbs.).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 lbs.).</i>
India	Mineral, 1.2 cents; other, 5 per cent ad valorem.	5 per cent ad valorem	Free	5 per cent ad valorem.	Burmah, 27 cts.; other parts, 71.4 cents.
Straits Settlements	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Ceylon	Kerosene (including all mineral), 5.2 cents; linseed and vegetable (except cocoanut), 6½ per cent ad valorem; other, free.	6½ per cent ad valorem	Free	6½ per cent ad valorem.	44.7 cents.
Mauritius	Castor, 35.2 cents per cwt.; gingely, mustard, and pistachio, 29.4 cents per cwt.; cocoanut, 7 cents; petroleum, 24.1 cents per gallon; olive, 11.5 cents per case not exceeding 2½ gallons; linseed, 1.9 cents per gallon; neat's-foot, 3.8 cents; other, 2.5 cents; perfumed, 10 per cent ad valorem.	Wax, \$1.07; other, 31.9 cents.	11.7 cents	Scented, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, 14.9 cents per cwt.	10.7 cents.
Labuan	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Hongkong	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:					
New South Wales	Free	\$1.13 to June 30, 1899; then free.	Free	Free	Free.
Victoria	Fish, mineral (refined), kerosene, resin, cocoanut, palm, lubricating, free (in bulk); other (in bulk), 12.2 cents per gallon; in bottle, 12.2 cents (½ pint and under) to \$2.92 (over 1 quart and not exceeding 1 gallon) per dozen, according to size.	\$2.27	Free (ground coal, 20 per cent ad valorem).	Perfumed and toilet, \$9.08; other, \$4.54.	Brown rock, free; other, 24.3 cents.
South Australia	Cocoanut, palm, cod (in bulk), seal, whale, black shale, rhodium, free; salad, in bottle, 97.3 cents per dozen quarts; in bulk, 48.7 cents per gallon; kerosene, 6.1 cents per gallon; other, 12.2.	\$4.54	Free	Fancy, \$9.08; soap and washing powders, \$4.54; other, \$2.27.	Rock, free; other, 30.4 cents.
Northern Territory.	Cod, seal, and whale, free; salad, in bottle, 73 cents per dozen quarts; Chinese, 24.3 cents per gallon; kerosene, 6.1 cents; other, 12.2 cents.	\$4.54	Free	Fancy, 15 per cent ad valorem; other, 36.5 cents per cwt.	Rock, free; other, 30.4 cents.
Western Australia.	Mineral, cocoanut, palm, and cod, fish and vegetable (in bulk), free; other, part 12.2 cents per gallon, part 5 per cent to 20 per cent ad valorem.	\$4.54	Free	Perfumed and toilet, 20 per cent ad valorem; monkey and mineral, 15 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.82 per cwt.	Rock, 5 per cent ad valorem; other, in jars and bottles, 15 per cent ad valorem; in bulk, 24.3 cents.
Tasmania	Perfumed, 20 per cent ad valorem; kerosene, 12.2 cents; other, 30.4 per gallon.	\$4.54	Small, 73 cents; round, 97.3 cents.	Common, \$2.27; fancy and perfumed, \$6.81.	Rock, free; other, 36.5 cents.
New Zealand	Benzine, shale (once run for gas making), rhodium, essential, fish, whale, seal, penguin, candlenut, and palm, free; eucalyptus, 20 per cent; perfumed, 25 per cent ad valorem; vegetable or other, in bottle, 15 per cent ad valorem; other, 12.2 cents per gallon.	\$4.54	Free	Common, 10.1 cents; fancy and scented, 25 per cent ad valorem; powder, dry, and soft soap, 20 per cent; honey and brown Windsor composition, free.	Rock, free; conserved, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, 12.2 cents.
Queensland	Cod-liver, salad, and castor in bottle, 48.7 cents per dozen pints; linseed and other vegetable oils (except castor), Chinese, cod-liver and neat's-foot (in bulk), 24.3 cents per gallon; mineral and other, 12.2 cents per gallon; perfumed, 25 per cent ad valorem.	\$4.54	4.1 cents	Perfumed and toilet, \$6.81; other, \$2.43; soap powders, \$4.54.	Free.
British New Guinea	Perfumed, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, 12.2 cents per gallon.	\$2.27	Free	\$1.13	12.2 cents.
Fiji	Perfumed, 15 per cent ad valorem; kerosene, less than 100° test, 30.4 cents; other, in bulk, 18.3 cents; in bottle, 12½ per cent ad valorem.	\$2.27	Free	Fancy, 15 per cent ad valorem; other, \$2.27 per cwt.	24.3 cents.
Falkland Islands	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Natal	Chemical, essential, and perfumed oils, 5 per cent ad valorem; paraffin and linseed, 6.1 cents; other (in bulk, not less than ½ gallon), 12.2 cents per gallon.	\$2.27	5 per cent ad valorem.	5 per cent ad valorem.	5 per cent ad valorem.
Cape of Good Hope	Paraffin and kerosene, 6.1 cents; cocoanut, cotton-seed, hemp-seed, palm and palm-kernel, shale and other unrefined kinds for making grease, soap, candles, or for fuel in oil engines, 10 per cent ad valorem; essential and perfumed, 20 per cent ad valorem; other (including fish oils), 24.3 cents per gallon.	\$4.54	Per ton of 2,000 pounds, 4.1 cents.	Toilet and soap powders, and extracts, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.01 per 100 pounds.	Rock, 48.7 cents per ton; common, \$1.21 per ton; refined or table, 9 per cent ad valorem.
St. Helena	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Lagos	Linseed oil free; other 5 per cent ad valorem.	5 per cent ad valorem	5 per cent ad valorem.	5 per cent ad valorem.	6.1 cents.

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POSSESSIONS.	OILS, MINERALS, ETC.				
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Gold Coast:					
West of the Volta..	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....
East of the Volta...	Kerosene and other illuminating oils, 4 per cent ad valorem; other, free.	Free.....	Free.....	4 per cent ad valorem.....	Free.
Sierra Leone.....	Kerosene, 12.2 cents; other, 10 per cent ad valorem.	10 per cent ad valorem.....	Free.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	9.7 cents.
Gambia.....	Kerosene, 6.1 cents; other, 12.2 cents.	7½ per cent ad valorem.....	Free.....	7½ per cent ad valorem.....	6.1 cents.
North America:					
Dominion of Canada	Crude palm and coconut, carbolic, resin, cotton-seed (when imported, by liquid annatto manufacturers for their use), and olive (for manufacturing uses), free; crude petroleum, 2.5 cents; kerosene (distilled, etc.) and lubricating oils of petroleum (costing less than 25 cents per gallon), 5.1 cents; essential, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, 20 per cent or 25 per cent ad valorem.	Paraffin wax, 30 per cent ad valorem; other, 25 per cent ad valorem.	Anthracite, free; bituminous, 53 cents per ton of 2,000 pounds; bituminous slack coal, 20 per cent ad valorem.	Per pound: Common, 1 cent; castile and white, 2 cents; soap powders, 30 per cent ad valorem; harness soap, 25 per cent ad valorem; other, 35 per cent ad valorem.	Per 100 pounds in bulk, 5.1 cents; otherwise, 7.6 cents.
Newfoundland.....	Kerosene and other illuminating oils, 6.1 cents; linseed and flaxseed, 10 per cent ad valorem; olive (in bottles) and cod-liver oil, 30 per cent ad valorem; essential, lubricating neat's-foot, lard, other sesame and other olive, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, 35 per cent ad valorem.	Paraffin wax, 30 per cent ad valorem; other, 35 per cent ad valorem.	At St. Johns, Harbor Grace and Carbonear, 50 cents; at Placentia, 29.8 cents; other points, free.	Harness soap, 20 per cent ad valorem; pearline and other soap powders, 30 per cent ad valorem; other, 35 per cent ad valorem.	When imported in bulk for sea fisheries, 20 cents per ton; dairy and table, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, 35 per cent ad valorem.
Bermuda.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	Free.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....
Honduras.....	Mineral of and above 130° test, 3 cents; below 130° test, 6.1 cents; other, in bottles, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, in bulk, 6.1 cents per gallon.	<i>Tallow.</i> \$1.12. <i>Other kinds.</i> \$2.24.	Free.....	Per 100 pounds, 25 cents.	Table salt, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, free.
West India Islands:					
Bahamas.....	Kerosene, 8.1 cents; crude petroleum, coconut, cotton-seed, lubricating, and palm, free; essential, 25 per cent ad valorem; other, 18.2 cents and 24.3 cents.	\$1.46 per 100 pounds. <i>Sperm.</i> \$2.67 per 100 pounds.	Free.....	Common, \$1.46 per 100 pounds; other, 25 per cent ad valorem.	Free.
Turks Islands.....	Mineral, 2 cents; other, 12.2 cents.	Free.....	Free.....	73 cents per 100 pounds	Free.
Jamaica.....	Petroleum, 13.7 cents; cotton-seed oil, 12½ per cent; other, 18.2 cents.	12½ per cent.. \$4.54.....	Free.....	Perfumed, 25 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.34 per 100 pounds.	24.3 cents per 100 pounds; rock salt, free.
St. Lucia.....	Perfumed, 20 per cent ad valorem; medicinal and sewing-machine, 15 per cent ad valorem; petroleum, 5.1 cents; other, 12.2 cents.	\$2.27..... \$4.54.....	12.2 cents.....	Fancy, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, 60.8 cents per 100 pounds.	Table salt, 24.3 cents per 100 pounds; other, 18.2 cents per barrel.
St. Vincent (a).....	Chemical, essential, and perfumed, 10 per cent ad valorem; kerosene, 5.1 cents; other, 12.1 cents.	<i>Tallow.</i> \$1.22 per 100 pounds. <i>Other kinds.</i> \$2.43 per 100 pounds.	10 per cent ad valorem.	Common, \$1.13; other, 10 per cent ad valorem.	Table salt, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, 12.2 cents per bag.
Barbados.....	Kerosene, 8.1 cents; other, 10 per cent ad valorem.	\$1.01 per 100 pounds. \$2.03 per 100 pounds.	60.8 cents.....	36.5 cents per 100 pounds.	3.6 cents.
Grenada (a).....	Kerosene and paraffin, 5.1 cents; olive, sperm, and lard, 24.3 cents; other kinds, 18.2 cents.	\$1.22 per 100 pounds. \$4.06 per 100 pounds.	Free.....	48.7 cents per 100 pounds.	Coarse, 4 cents per barrel; other, 7½ per cent ad valorem.
Virgin Islands (b).....	Olive, 24.3 cents; castor and cod liver, free; petroleum, per case of 8 gallons, 36.4 cents; other, 18.2 cents.	\$1.01 per 100 pounds. \$4.06 per 100 pounds.	60.8 cents.....	Fancy, 10 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.01 per 100 pounds.	Free.
St. Christopher and Nevis (a b).....	Castor, cod liver, and olive, 24.3 cents; petroleum, per case of 8 gallons, 36.4 cents; other, 16.2 cents.	\$2.03 per 100 pounds. \$4.06 per 100 pounds.	50.7 cents.....	Fancy, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.01 per 100 pounds.	Free.
Antigua (b c).....	Castor, cod liver, and olive, 24.3 cents; petroleum, per case of 8 gallons, 36.4 cents; other, 16.2 cents.	\$2.03 per 100 pounds. \$4.06 per 100 pounds.	48.7 cents.....	Fancy, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.01 per 100 pounds.	Free.
Montserrat (b c).....	Castor, cod liver, and olive, 24.3 cents; petroleum, per case of 8 gallons, 36.4 cents; other, 16.2 cents.	\$2.03 per 100 pounds. \$4.06 per 100 pounds.	48.7 cents.....	Fancy, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.01 per 100 pounds.	Free.
Dominica (b).....	Castor and cod liver, 36.4 cents; olive and cotton seed (refined), 24.3 cents; kerosene and rock oil, per case of 8 gallons, 60.8 cents; in other packages, 8.1 cents per gallon, essential, 12½ per cent ad valorem; other, 16.2 cents.	\$1.01 per 100 pounds. \$2.03 per 100 pounds.	\$1.22.....	Fancy, 20 per cent ad valorem; other, \$1.01 per 100 pounds.	Free.
Trinidad and Tobago.	Cresote, 5 per cent ad valorem; petroleum, 18.2 cents; other, 30.4 cents.	5 per cent ad valorem. 5 per cent ad valorem.	Free.....	50.1 cents per 100 pounds.	5 per cent ad valorem.
British Guiana (a).....	Perfumed, medicinal, and essential, 10 per cent ad valorem; crude petroleum, 5.1 cents; other, 25.3 cents per gallon.	\$1.13..... \$5.68.....	Per hogshead, 32.4 cents.	Common, 56.8 cents; fancy, \$4.54.	Coarse, in bulk, 76 cents per 200 pounds; fine \$1.01 per 200 pounds.
Gibraltar.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Malta.....	Cotton seed, 4.6 cents; other, 2.7 cents.	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.

a With an additional charge of 10 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given. *b* Produce or manufactures of any other of the Leeward Islands, free.

c With an additional charge of 33½ per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Bacon and ham.	Beef and pork, salted.	Butter.	Coffee.	Wheat.
	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per bushel.</i>
India.....	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem.....	Free.
Straits Settlements.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Ceylon.....	63 cents.....	26.2 cents.....	63 cents.....	Free.....	6.1 cents.
Mauritius.....	53.3 cents.....	21.4 cents.....	48.1 cents.....	53.3 cents.....	Per cwt., 6.4 cents.
Labuan.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Hongkong.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Australasia:					
New South Wales.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Victoria.....	\$4.54.....	Per 100 pounds, beef, \$1.70; pork, \$2.43.	\$4.54 (butterine, etc., \$27.25).	Raw, free; other, \$6.81.....	Per 100 pounds, 70.9 cents.
South Australia.....	\$9.08.....	Beef, \$4.54; pork, \$6.81..	\$4.54 (butterine, \$9.08)	Raw, \$6.81; roasted, \$9.08...	By sea, per 100 pounds, 48.7 cents; overland, free.
Northern territory...	\$6.81.....	Beef, \$4.54; pork, \$6.81..	\$2.27.....	Raw, \$6.81; roasted, \$9.08...	By sea, 10 per cent ad valorem; overland, free.
Western Australia.....	\$4.54.....	Beef, \$1.13; pork, \$4.54..	\$4.54.....	Raw, free; roasted, \$6.81....	12.2 cents.
Tasmania.....	\$4.54.....	Beef, \$2.26; pork, \$4.84..	\$4.54.....	Raw, \$6.81; roasted, \$9.08...	Per 100 pounds, 36.5 cents.
New Zealand.....	\$4.54.....	20 per cent ad valorem...	20 per cent ad valorem...	Raw, \$4.54; roasted, \$11.35...	Per 100 pounds, 18.2 cents.
Queensland.....	\$6.81.....	Beef and mess pork, \$2.26; other pork, \$4.54	\$6.81 (butterine, \$9.08)...	Raw, \$9.08; roasted, \$13.62...	8.1 cents.
British New Guinea.....	\$2.27.....	Free.....	5 per cent ad valorem (butterine, \$4.54).	\$4.54.....	Free.
Fiji.....	\$4.54.....	\$2.26.....	\$2.27.....	\$6.81.....	12.2 cents.
Falkland Islands.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Natal.....	\$4.54.....	\$4.54.....	\$6.81.....	\$1.13.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Cape of Good Hope.....	\$4.54.....	\$4.54.....	\$6.81.....	Raw, \$1.52 per 100 pounds; roasted, ground and mixed, \$4.05 per 100 pounds.	Per 100 pounds, 48.7 cents.
St. Helena.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.
Lagos.....	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Gold Coast:					
West of the Volta.....	10 per cent ad valorem...	10 per cent ad valorem...	10 per cent ad valorem...	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
East of the Volta.....	4 per cent ad valorem...	Free.....	4 per cent ad valorem...	4 per cent ad valorem.....	4 per cent ad valorem.
Sierra Leone.....	10 per cent ad valorem...	10 per cent ad valorem...	10 per cent ad valorem...	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
Gambia.....	7½ per cent ad valorem...	7½ per cent ad valorem...	7½ per cent ad valorem...	7½ per cent ad valorem.....	7½ per cent ad valorem.
North America:					
Dominion of Canada.....	2 cents per pound.....	2 cents per pound.....	4 cents per pound.....	Green, from country of production, free; otherwise, 10 per cent ad valorem, roasted or ground, from country of production, 2 cents per pound; otherwise, 2 cents per pound and 10 per cent ad valorem.	11.9 cents.
Newfoundland.....	Smoke cured, \$3.36, and 10 per cent ad valorem; dry, salted, or pickled, \$2.24.	Beef, \$1 per barrel; pork, belly, back, or family mess and loin, \$2 per barrel; other, \$1.50 per barrel.	\$3.36.....	Green, \$5.60; roasted or ground, \$7.84.	Free.
Bermuda.....	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem...	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Honduras.....	10 per cent ad valorem...	\$1 per barrel of 200 pounds.	10 per cent ad valorem...	\$2.24.....	10 per cent ad valorem.
West India Islands:					
Bahamas.....	\$1.46 per 100 pounds...	\$1.46 per 100 pounds...	20 per cent ad valorem...	Raw, \$1.94 per 100 pounds; roasted or prepared, \$2.92 100 pounds.	12.2 cents.
Turks Islands.....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds...	\$1.01 per 100 pounds...	\$2.03 per 100 pounds...	Free.....	Free.
Jamaica.....	\$4.54.....	\$3.65 per barrel of 200 pounds.	\$4.54.....	\$4.86 per 100 lbs., British colonial; other, 12½ per cent ad valorem.	12.2 cents.
St. Lucia (a).....	\$4.54.....	\$2.27.....	\$4.54.....	\$2.27.....	12.2 cents.
St. Vincent (b).....	\$2.27.....	\$2.43 per barrel of 200 pounds.	\$2.27 (oleomargarine, \$1.13).	\$1.21 per 100 pounds.....	8.1 cents.
Barbados.....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds...	\$1.01 per 100 pounds...	\$2.03 per 100 pounds (butterine, etc., \$1.01 per 100 pounds).	\$1.52 per 100 pounds.....	12.2 cents per 100 pounds.
Grenada (b).....	\$1.21 per 100 pounds...	\$1.21 per 100 pounds...	\$2.27 (butterine, etc., \$1.13).	\$4.54.....	12.2 cents.
Virgin Islands (c).....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds...	\$1.01 per 100 pounds...	\$1.21 per 100 pounds...	\$1.01 per 100 pounds.....	12.2 cents.
St. Christopher and Nevis (b c).....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds...	\$1.01 per 100 pounds...	\$2.03 per 100 pounds (oleomargarine, \$1.21).	\$2.03 per 100 pounds.....	6.1 cents.

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b With an additional charge of 10 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

c Produce or manufactures of any other of the Leeward Islands, free.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Bacon and ham.	Beef and pork, salted.	Butter.	Coffee.	Wheat.
West India Islands—Cont'd.	<i>Per cent (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cent (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cent (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cent (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per bushel.</i>
Antigua (c d).....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	\$1.91 per 100 pounds	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	6.1 cents.
Montserrat (c d).....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	\$1.01 per 100 pounds	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	6.1 cents.
Dominica (c).....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds	\$1.01 per 100 pounds	\$2.43 per 100 pounds	\$2.53 per 100 pounds	12.2 cents.
Trinidad and Tobago	Free	Free	\$2.27 (oleomargarine, \$1.13).	Free	8.1 cents.
British Guiana.....	\$2.27	\$1.01 per barrel of 200 pounds.	\$2.27	\$3.40	3 mills per pound.
Gibraltar	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Malta	Free	Free	Free	Free	30.4 cents.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Indian corn.	Flour (wheaten).	Rice.	Fish.	
	<i>Per bushel.</i>	<i>Per barrel.</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per barrel.</i>
India.....	Free	5 per cent ad valorem.....	Free	Salted, 28 cents; other, 5 per cent ad valorem.	Per cwt., 28 cents.
Straits Settlements.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Ceylon	6.1 cents	Per cwt., 21 cents	Per bushel, 9.7 cents; paddy, 2.7 cents.	10.5 cents	Per cwt., 10.5 cents.
Mauritius.....	Per cwt., 8.6 cents.....	Per cwt., 9.7 cents.....	6.3 cents	10.7 cents	Per cwt., 14.5 cents.
Labuan	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Hongkong	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:					
New South Wales.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Victoria.....	Per 100 pounds, 71 cents ..	Per 100 pounds, \$1.21	Per 100 pounds, paddy, 48.7; other, \$1.46.	\$1.21	Per cwt., \$1.22.
South Australia.....	Per 100 pounds, 24.3 cents.	Per 100 pounds, 48.7 cents.	73 cents.....	\$2.27	10 per cent ad valorem.
Northern Territory	Overland, free; by sea, 10 per cent ad valorem.	Overland, free; by sea, 10 per cent ad valorem.	\$2.27	\$2.27	10 per cent ad valorem.
Western Australia.....	\$1.40	Per ton \$7.30	Paddy, free; other, 48.7 cents.	\$2.27	Per cwt., \$2.27.
Tasmania	Per 100 pounds, 36.5 cents.	Per 100 pounds, 48.7 cents.	\$2.27	20 per cent ad valorem..	20 per cent ad valorem.
New Zealand.....	Per 100 pounds, 18.3 cents.	Per 100 pounds, 24.3 cents.	Undressed and dressed, in bond, 97.3 cents; other, \$1.46.	\$2.43	Per cwt., \$2.43.
Queensland	16.2 cents	Per 2,000 pounds \$4.87	\$2.27	\$2.27	Per cwt., \$2.27.
British New Guinea	Free	Free	12.2 cents	Free	10 per cent ad valorem.
Fiji	12.2 cents	Per 2,000 pounds, \$4.87 ..	48.7 cents	\$2.27	Per cwt., \$2.27.
Falkland Islands.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Natal	36.5 cents per cwt	5 per cent ad valorem	24.3 cents	5 per cent ad valorem..	5 per cent ad valorem.
Cape of Good Hope	Per 100 pounds, 48.7 cents.	Per 100 pounds, \$1.21	Per 100 pounds, 48.7 cents.	\$4.54	Per cwt., \$4.54.
St. Helena	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Lagos	5 per cent ad valorem	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem..	5 per cent ad valorem.
Gold Coast:					
West of the Volta.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem..	10 per cent ad valorem.
East of the Volta	4 per cent ad valorem	4 per cent ad valorem.....	4 per cent ad valorem.....	4 per cent ad valorem..	4 per cent ad valorem.
Sierra Leone	10 per cent ad valorem.....	In barrels or half barrels, 6.1 cents per 50 pounds or part thereof; other, 10 per cent ad valorem.	10 per cent ad valorem	10 per cent ad valorem..	10 per cent ad valorem.
Gambia	7½ per cent ad valorem.....	7½ per cent ad valorem.....	12.2 cents	7½ per cent ad valorem..	7½ per cent ad valorem.
North America:					
Dominion of Canada	For distillation 7.5 cents; otherwise free.	60 cents	Per 100 pounds, uncleaned or paddy, 50 cents; cleaned, \$1.25; for starch making, 75 cents.	Herrings, pickled or salted, 5 mills per pound; mackerel and pickled salmon, and all other dried or pickled fish imported in barrels, 1 cent per pound; foreign-caught fish, imported otherwise than in barrels, 50 cent per 100 pounds.	
Newfoundland	Free	25 cents	Cleaned, 28.1 cents; refuse and uncleaned, free.	If British caught and cured, free; otherwise, cod, ling, and haddock, \$1.50 per cwt.; herring, salmon, turbot, halibut, and mackerel, 99.9 cents per barrel; other, 35 per cent ad valorem.	
Bermuda	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem....	5 per cent ad valorem.
Honduras	Free	50 cents.....	Free	Free	Free.

d With an additional charge of 3½ per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Indian corn.	Flour (wheaten).	Rice.	Fish.	
				Dried.	Pickled.
	<i>Per bushel.</i>	<i>Per barrel.</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per barrel.</i>
West India Islands:					
Bahamas.....	12.2 cents	60.8 cents, with 10 per cent ad valorem.	48.7 cents per 100 pounds..	97.3 cents per 100 pounds	25 per cent ad valorem.
Turks Islands.....	Free	91.3 cents	24.3 cents	Free	Free.
Jamaica.....	6.1 cents	\$1.94	Undressed, 24.3 cents per bushel; other, 73 cents per 100 pounds.	Smoked, 50.7 cents to \$4.055 per 100 pounds; other, 85.2 cents per 100 pounds.	Salmon, \$2.55; other, 97.3 cents.
St. Lucia (a).....	12.2 cents	97.3 cents	48.7 cents per 100 pounds..	48.7 cents	Salmon, \$1.21 per cwt.; other, 60.8 cents.
St. Vincent (b).....	8.1 cents	97.3 cents	28.4 cents	24.3 cents per 100 pounds	24.3 cents.
Barbados.....	12.2 per 100 pounds	\$1.01	24.3 cents per 100 pounds	36.5 cents	Trout or salmon, \$1.01; other, 30.4 cents.
Grenada (b).....	12.2 cents	97.3 cents	48.7 cents per 100 pounds	24.3 cents per 100 pounds	Salmon, 2 cents per pound; other, 48.7 cents per barrel.
Virgin Islands (c).....	12.2 cents	85.7 cents	73 cents per 100 pounds	50.7 cents per 100 pounds	Salmon, \$1.94; mackerel, 73 cents; other, 60.8 cents.
St. Christopher and Nevis (c).....	6.1 cents (b)	\$1.46	25.3 cents per 100 pounds	36.5 cents per cwt.	Salmon, \$1.94; other, 60.8 cents.
Antigua (c) (d).....	6.1 cents	\$1.21	50.7 cents per 100 pounds..	36.5 cents per cwt.	Salmon, \$1.94; other, 60.8 cents.
Montserrat (c) (d).....	6.1 cents	\$1.21	50.7 cents per 100 pounds..	36.5 cents per cwt	Salmon, \$1.94; other, 60.8 cents.
Dominica (c).....	12.2 cents	\$1.46	60.8 cents per 100 pounds..	60.8 cents per cwt	Salmon, \$2.03; mackerel, \$1.01; other, 73 cents.
Trinidad and Tobago.....	8.1 cents	81.1 cents	52.7 cents per 100 pounds..	Free	Free.
British Guiana.....	3 mills per pound	\$1.01	35.5 cents per 100 pounds..	50.7 cents	Salmon, \$2.03; mackerel, \$1.01; other, 50.7 cents.
Gibraltar.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Malta.....	18.2 cents	93.3 cents per cwt.	Free	Free	Free.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Sugar.		Pickles and sauces.	Tea.	Beer and ale, in wood.
	Raw.	Refined.			
	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Per gallon.</i>
India.....	5 per cent ad valorem	5 per cent ad valorem	5 per cent	5 per cent ad valorem	1.3 cents.
Straits Settlements.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Ceylon.....	Palm and jaggery, 15.8 cents; other, 36.8 cents.	63 cents	6½ per cent	5.2 cents	2.7 cents.
Mauritius.....	17.6 cents	56.1 cents	10 per cent	.9 cent	7.4 cents.
Labuan.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	
Hongkong.....	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:					
New South Wales.....	73 cents	97.3 cents	Free	Free	12.2 cents.
Victoria.....	Cane sugar, refined, in bond, \$1.40; otherwise, \$1.46; beet and other sugar, \$2.92.	Cane sugar, \$1.46; beet and other sugar, \$2.92.	In bottles, etc., not above 1 gallon, 12.2 cents to \$2.92 per dozen; above 1 gallon, pickles, 20 per cent; sauces, 10 per cent.	6.1 cents	20.3 cents.
South Australia.....	73 cents	73 cents	In bottles, not above 1 quart, 36.5 to 97.3 cents per dozen.	6.1 cents	28.4 cents.
Northern Territory.....	\$1.22	\$1.22	In bottles, not above 1 quart, 24.3 to 73 cents per dozen.	12.2 cents	24.3 cents.
Western Australia.....	Free	Free	15 per cent	Free	30.4 cents.
Tasmania.....	\$1.46	Loaf and crushed, \$2.27; other, \$1.46.	In bottles, not above 1 quart, 32.4 to 97.3 cents per dozen; sauces in bulk, 73 cents per gallon.	6.1 cents	24.3 cents.
New Zealand.....	\$1.14	\$1.14	Pickles, 73 cents per gallon; sauces, 97.3 cents per gallon.	8.1 cents	48.7 cents.
Queensland.....	\$1.22	\$1.62	In bottles, etc., not above 1 gallon, 12.2 cents to \$2.92 per dozen.	12.2 cents (d)	30.4 cents.

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b With an additional charge of 10 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

c Produce or manufactures of any other of the Leeward Island, free.

d With an additional charge of 33½ per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Sugar.		Pickles and sauces.	Tea.	Beer and ale, in wood.
	Raw.	Refined.			
	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Per cwt. (of 112 pounds).</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Per gallon.</i>
British New Guinea.....	56.8 cents.....	56.8 cents.....	10 per cent.....	4.1 cents.....	12.2 cents.
Fiji.....	\$1.14.....	\$1.14.....	48.7 cents per dozen pints.	12.2 cents.....	24.3 cents.
Falkland Islands.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	6.1 cents.
Natal.....	85.2 cents.....	\$2.27.....	4.1 cents per pint.....	12.2 cents.....	18.3 cents.
Cape of Good Hope.....	Cane, 85.2 cents per 100 pounds; other, \$1.22 per 100 pounds.	\$1.22 per 100 pounds.....	4.1 cents per pound.....	8.1 cents.....	30.4 cents.
St. Helena.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	8.6 cents.
Lagos.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	9.1 cents.
Gold Coast:					
West of the Volta.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	24.3 cents (old wine gallon).
East of the Volta.....	4 per cent ad valorem.....	4 per cent ad valorem.....	4 per cent.....	4 per cent ad valorem.....	4 per cent ad valorem.
Sierra Leone.....	60.8 cents.....	\$1.82.....	10 per cent.....	10 per cent ad valorem.....	12.2 cents.
Gambia.....	\$2.27.....	\$2.27.....	7½ per cent.....	7½ per cent ad valorem.....	24.3 cents.
North America:					
Dominion of Canada.....	Not above No. 16 Dutch standard in color, testing not more than 75 degrees by the polariscope, 39.9 cents per 100 pounds (with 1.5 cents per 100 pounds for each additional degree).	Sugar above No. 16 Dutch standard in color, and all refined sugar testing not more than 88 degrees by the polariscope, \$1.08 per 100 pounds (with 1.5 cents per 100 pounds for each additional degree); glucose, 8 mills per pound; maple, 20 per cent ad valorem.	35 per cent.....	From country of production, free; otherwise, 10 per cent ad valorem.	16 cents.
Newfoundland.....	\$2.24.....	Loaf, cut loaf, cube, castor and icing sugar, \$1.48; glucose, 30 per cent ad valorem; maple, 35 per cent ad valorem.	30 per cent.....	30 per cent ad valorem.....	35 cents.
Bermuda.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	5 per cent.....	5 per cent ad valorem.....	9 cents.
Honduras.....	\$1.68.....	\$2.24.....	10 per cent.....	5 cents.....	25 cents.
West India Islands:					
Bahamas.....	\$1.34 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.32 per 100 pounds.....	25 per cent.....	24.3 cents.....	24.3 cents.
Turks Island.....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds.....	Free.....	12.1 cents.....	4 cents.
Jamaica.....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds.....	20 per cent.....	24.3 cents.....	18.2 cents.
St. Lucia (a).....	\$1.13.....	\$2.27.....	15 per cent.....	12.1 cents.....	12.2 cents.
St. Vincent (b).....	36.5 cents per 100 pounds.....	Crystallized, 73 cents per 100 pounds; other, 97.3 cents per 100 pounds.	10 per cent.....	12.1 cents.....	6.8 cents.
Barbados.....	\$2.43 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.43 per 100 pounds.....	10 per cent.....	6.1 cents.....	\$4.56 per cask of 64 gallons (old wine gallon).
Grenada (b).....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds.....	\$1.22 per 100 pounds.....	7½ per cent.....	12.1 cents.....	12.2 cents.
Virgin Islands (c).....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds.....	\$1.52 per 100 pounds.....	10 per cent.....	6.1 cents.....	12.2 cents.
St. Christopher and Nevis (c).....	10 per cent ad valorem (b).....	10 per cent ad valorem (b).....	10 per cent (b).....	8.1 cents (b).....	12.2 cents (e).
Antigua (c) (d).....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds.....	10 per cent.....	12.1 cents.....	12.2 cents.
Montserrat (c) (d).....	\$1.01 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.03 per 100 pounds.....	10 per cent.....	12.1 cents.....	12.2 cents.
Dominica (c).....	\$1.22 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.43 per 100 pounds.....	12½ per cent.....	16.2 cents.....	18.2 cents.
Trinidad and Tobago.....	\$2.43 per 100 pounds.....	\$2.43 per 100 pounds.....	5 per cent.....	12.1 cents.....	20.3 cents.
British Guiana.....	\$3.41.....	\$3.41.....	4 cents per quart.....	16.2 cents.....	16.2 cents.
Gibraltar.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	1 cent.
Malta.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	Free.....	7.6 cents.

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b With an additional charge of 10 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

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e With an additional charge of 20 per cent on the duty leviable at the rates given.

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POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.			
	Beer and ale in bottles.	Spirits.	Wines.	
			Sparkling, per gallon or six reputed quarts.	Other kinds (in wood or bottle), per gallon or six reputed quarts.
	<i>Per dozen quarts.</i>	<i>Per proof gallon.</i>		
India	2.5 cents	Perfumed, \$1.68; potable, \$1.26.	Containing over 42 per cent of spirit, \$1.26; containing 42 per cent of spirit or less: sparkling, 52.5 cents; other, 21 cents.	
Straits Settlements	Free		Free	Free.
Ceylon	14.9 cents per gallon	\$1.15	52.5 cents	10.5 to 31.5 cents.
Mauritius	25.2 cents per dozen bottles, each bottle not to exceed 1½ pints.	\$1.26	9.5 cents	In wood, 7.4 cents; in bottle, 12 cents.
Hongkong	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:				
New South Wales	36.5 cents	\$3.41	\$2.43	\$1.22.
Victoria	Lager, 73 cents; other, 60.8 cents.	\$2.92	\$2.92	\$1.95.
South Australia	73 cents	\$3.65	\$3.65	\$2.92.
Northern Territory	48.7 cents	\$3.41	\$2.43	\$1.46.
Western Australia	73 cents	\$3.89	\$2.43	\$1.58.
Tasmania	73 cents	\$3.65	\$2.43	In wood, \$1.46; in bottle, \$1.94.
New Zealand	97.3 cents	\$3.89	\$2.19	Australian, \$1.22; other, \$1.46.
Queensland	73 cents	\$3.41 (except colonial rum, \$2.92.)	\$2.43	\$1.46.
British New Guinea	36.5 cents	\$3.41	\$1.46	Australian, 48.7 cents; other, 97.3 cents.
Fiji	48.7 cents	\$3.41	\$1.46	Claret and Australian, 48.7 cents; other, 97.3 cents.
Falkland Islands	12.2 cents	\$2.43	54.8 cents	In wood, 48.7 cents; in bottle, 54.8 cents.
Natal	36.5 cents	\$2.19	\$1.22	Claret, 36.5 cents; Pontac, 48.7 cents; other, 97.3 cents.
Cape of Good Hope	36.5 cents per gallon	\$3.65	In wood, \$2.07; not in wood, \$2.07, with 10 per cent ad valorem additional.	
St. Helena	24.3 cents	\$2.43	60.8 cents.	
Lagos	18.3 cents	48.8 cents	48.7 cents.	
Gold Coast:				
West of the Volta	30.4 cents per gallon	73 cents, with 4.1 cents additional for each degree above proof.	30.4 cents.	
East of the Volta	4 per cent ad valorem	19.8 cents (old wine gallon)	4 per cent ad valorem.	
Sierra Leone	24.3 cents	73 cents	Claret, 24.3 cents; other, 36.5 cents.	
Gambia	48.7 cents	Brandy, 73 cents; cordials, 48.7 cents; other, 73 cents.	Claret, 24.3 cents (in bulk); other, 48.7 cents.	
North America:				
Dominion of Canada	48 cents	\$2.40	Per dozen quart bottles (old wine measure), \$3.30, and so in proportion, with 30 per cent ad valorem.	25 cents, 26 degrees strength or less, and 3 cents additional for each further degree up to 40 degrees, with 30 per cent ad valorem.
Newfoundland	80 cents	Rum, \$2.20; whisky, \$2.80; brandy, \$3.20; gin and other, \$2.40.	Spanish, red, Cape, and Sicilian, 35 cents per gallon; claret, 55 cents; hock, Burgundy, and light Rhenish, 99.9 cents; port and Madeira, \$1.65; champagne, \$4.20; other, 12½ per cent ad valorem, with 99.9 cents per gallon, or 15 per cent ad valorem, with \$1.10 per gallon.	
Bermuda	24.3 cents	\$1.22 with 6.1 cents per cask or package additional.	20 per cent ad valorem	20 per cent ad valorem.
Honduras	50 cents	\$2.50	\$1.50	50 cents.
West India Islands:				
Bahamas	48.7 cents	Whisky, \$1.46 (in bottle, \$2.92 per dozen quarts); brandy, \$2.43; other, \$1.21.	60.8 cents, with 25 per cent ad valorem.	
Turks Islands	8.1 cents	\$1.09	24.3 cents, with 10 per cent ad valorem.	
Jamaica	36.5 cents	\$3.89	If of value of \$2.92 per gallon or upwards, \$1.21; of less value, 85.1 cents.	
St. Lucia	30.4 cents	\$1.95	20 per cent ad valorem.	
St. Vincent	24.3 cents	Brandy and whisky, \$1.82; rum, \$1.34; other, \$1.58.	Champagne, \$1.46; other, 25 per cent ad valorem.	
Barbados	30.4 cents	Rum and gin, \$1.21; other, \$2.43.	\$1.21	48.7 cents.
Grenada	24.3 cents	Rum and gin, \$1.21; other, \$1.46.	25 per cent ad valorem	25 per cent ad valorem.
Virgin Islands	36.5 cents	Rum and gin, 30.4 cents; other, 48.7 cents.	10 per cent ad valorem	10 per cent ad valorem.
St. Christopher and Nevis	36.5 cents	Rum, 85.1 cents; whisky, \$1.09; brandy, \$1.21; other, \$1.01.	25 per cent ad valorem	25 per cent ad valorem.
Antigua	36.5 cents	Rum, 79.1 cents; whisky, \$1.09; brandy, \$1.21; other, \$1.01.	25 per cent ad valorem	25 per cent ad valorem.
Montserrat	36.5 cents	Rum, 79.1 cents; whisky, \$1.09; brandy, \$1.21; other, \$1.01.	25 per cent ad valorem	25 per cent ad valorem.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.				
	Beer and ale in bottles.	Spirits.	Wines.		
			Sparkling, per gallon or six reputed quarts.	Other kinds (in wood or bottle), per gallon or six reputed quarts.	
West India Islands—Cont.	<i>Per dozen quarts.</i>	<i>Per proof gallons.</i>			
Dominica	48.7 cents	Whisky, \$1.09; brandy, \$1.21; other, \$1.01.	25 per cent ad valorem.....	25 per cent ad valorem.	
Trinidad and Tobago ..	36.5 cents	\$2.55, with 2 cents additional for every degree above proof.	\$1.46	In bottle, up to 42° strength of proof spirit, and in wood, from 32° to 42°, 79.1 cents; in wood, less than 23°, 30.4 cents, and from 23° to 32°, 42.6 cents.	
British Guiana	40.5 cents	\$3.42	If of value not exceeding \$2.03 per gallon, and less than 26 per cent strength of proof spirit, in wood, 55.8 cents; in bottle, 60.8 cents; other sorts, in wood, \$1.01; in bottle, \$1.52.		
Gibraltar	2 cents	97.3 cents	In bottles, 24.3 cents per dozen; otherwise, 8.1 cents per gallon.		
Malta	15.2 cents	61.4 cents	In wood, 6.4 cents to 55 cents, according to strength; in bottle, 33.5 cents.		
POSSESSIONS.	MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.				
	Tobacco.			Paper and stationery.	Books.
	Unmanufactured.	Manufactured.	Cigars.		
	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
India.....	Free	5 per cent ad valorem.	5 per cent ad valorem.....	Printing ink, free; other, 5 per cent...	Free.
Straits Settlements	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Ceylon	5.2 cents	8.4 cents	31.5 cents	Christmas, wedding, birthday, and blank cards, free; other stationery, 6½ per cent; paper (including paper for lining tea boxes) and envelopes, free.	Free.
Mauritius	17.6 cents	23.3 cents	31.5 cents	10 per cent.....	Free.
Labuan	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Hongkong	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.
Australasia:					
New South Wales.....	For manufacture in the colony, 24.3 cents; otherwise, 73 cents.	73 cents.....	\$1.46.....	Free.....	Free.
Victoria.....	24.3 cents	73 cents.....	\$1.46.....	Stationery, part free, part 20 per cent, part 35 per cent; ink, 10 per cent; paper, uncut, free; cut, 4 cents per pound; other paper, \$1.46 per cwt.	Free.
South Australia.....	39.5 cents	66.9 cents	\$1.52.....	Writing (except faint lined), blotting, and printing paper and ink, free; wrapping and tissue paper, 81.1 cents per cwt.; pens and penholders (not fancy), free; other stationery, part free, part 10 per cent, part 25 per cent.	Free.
Northern Territory.	\$3.65.....	60.8 cents.....	\$1.46.....	Writing (except faint-lined) and printing paper and ink, free; wrapping, tissue, and blotting paper, 81.1 cents per cwt.; other, part free, part 10 per cent, part 15 per cent.	Free.
Western Australia.....	\$4.56.....	73 cents.....	\$1.46.....	Paper, in the flat, and in original wrappers, printing paper (for newspapers and posters), and tissue (for wrapping candles), free; other, 15 per cent; ink, 5 per cent; stationery, part free, part 15 per cent.	Free.
Tasmania	85.1 cents	73 cents.....	\$1.70.....	Paper, uncut, 5 per cent (small sheets for fruit wrapping, free); other and stationery, 20 per cent; printing ink, free.	Free.
New Zealand.....	For manufacture in the colony, 48.7 cents; otherwise, 85.1 cents.	85.1 cents.....	\$1.70.....	Paper, printing and writing (uncut not less than demy), and printing ink, free; wrapping, \$1.22 per cwt.; other and stationery, free, 20 or 25 per cent.	Free.
Queensland	For manufacture in the colony, 48.7 cents; otherwise, 97.3 cents.	97.3 cents.....	\$1.46.....	Paper, uncut (not less than demy size), printing paper, free; writing, cut, 4.1 cents per pound; other sorts, 5 per cent; printing and ruling ink, free; stationery, 25 per cent; pens, 15 per cent.	Free.
British New Guinea.....	24.3 cents	73 cents.....	97.3 cents.....	Plain and medicated for lining chests to export produce, and printing paper, free; brown and wrapping and paper bags, 48.7 cents per cwt.; writing and fancy paper and stationery and ink, 10 per cent.	Free.

RATES OF IMPORT DUTY LEVIED ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES BY THE TARIFFS OF THE SEVERAL COLONIAL AND OTHER POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ACCORDING TO THE LATEST RETURNS—Continued.

POSSESSIONS.	MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.				
	Tobacco.			Paper and stationery.	Books.
	Unmanufactured.	Manufactured.	Cigars.		
	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Per pound.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>	<i>Ad valorem.</i>
Fiji	24.3 cents	73 cents	\$1.21	Paper, brown, printing, and wrapping, 73 cents per cwt.; other and stationery, 12½ per cent.	Free.
Falkland Islands	48.7 cents	73 cents	\$1.21	Free	Free.
Natal	12.1 cents	48.7 cents	97.3 cents	Printing paper, free; other 5 per cent.	Free.
Cape of Good Hope	Stemmed, 60.8 cents; unstemmed, 48.7 cents.	Cut, 85.2 cents; uncut, 73 cents.	\$1.46, with 10 per cent ad valorem additional.	Printing and lithographic paper and ink, free; other, 9 per cent.	Free.
St. Helena	12.1 cents	24.3 cents	24.3 cents	Free	Free.
Lagos	6.1 cents	6.7 cents	Per 1,000, \$1.21	5 per cent	Free.
Gold Coast:					
West of the Volta	8.1 cents	24.3 cents	24.3 cents	10 per cent	Free.
East of the Volta	5.6 cents	5.6 cents	5.6 cents	Paper, 4 per cent; stationery, free.	Free.
Sierra Leone	8.1 cents	48.7 cents	48.7 cents	10 per cent	Bibles, free; other, 10 per cent.
Gambia	6.1 cents	48.7 cents	48.7 cents	7½ per cent	Free.
North America:					
Dominion of Canada ..	Free	Cut, 55 cents; other, 51.3 cents.	\$3, with 25 per cent ad valorem.	Various rates, from 10 per cent to 35 per cent.	Part free, part 10 and 20 per cent.
Newfoundland	Stems, for manufacturing snuff, 50 cents per 100 pounds; other, 39.9 cents.	Stripped or partly manufactured, 39.9 cents per pound, with 5 per cent ad valorem; other, 29.9 cents per pound, with 5 per cent ad valorem.	\$9 per 1,000, with 20 per cent ad valorem.	Printing paper, when imported by printers for their business, and parchment or wax paper for wrapping boneless fish, or lobster packing, free; other, various rates, from 10 to 50 per cent.	Part free, part 10 and 35 per cent.
Bermuda	12.1 cents	12.1 cents	36.5 cents; or per 1,000, \$3.65.	5 per cent	Free.
Honduras	8.1 cents	50 cents	Per 1,000, \$6.98	10 per cent	Free.
West India Islands:					
Bahamas	6.1 cents	Fine cut, 40 per cent ad valorem; other, 12.2 cents.	Per 100, \$1.01	25 per cent	Free.
Turks Islands	1 cent	2 cents	Per 1,000, \$2.43	Free	Free.
Jamaica	24.3 cents	36.5 cents	\$1.22	Printing paper, free; other, and stationery, 12½ per cent.	Free.
St. Lucia	24.3 cents	24.3 cents	\$1.22	Receipt books, bill heads, and forms, imported by the West India and Panama Telegraph Co., Ltd., and printing ink, free; other, 15 per cent.	Free.
St. Vincent	18.2 cents	48.7 cents	Long cigars, 24.3 cents; other, 73 cents.	10 per cent	Free.
Barbados	If in packages less than 50 pounds net weight, 36.5 cents per pound; other, 24.3 cents.	If in packages less than 80 pounds net weight, 48.7 cents per pound; other, 36.5 cents.	\$1.22	Printing paper and ink, free; other, 10 per cent.	Free.
Grenada	18.2 cents	18.2 cents	Long cigars, 24.3 cents; other, \$1.22.	7½ per cent	Free.
Virgin Islands	61 cents	24.3 cents	"Long Toms," 18.2 cents; other, 24.3 cents.	Printing paper and ink, free; other, 10 per cent.	Free.
St. Christopher and Nevis ..	18.2 cents	60.8 cents	"Long Toms," 60.8 cents per 100; other, \$1.22 per 100.	10 per cent	Free.
Antigua	18.2 cents	60.8 cents	"Long Toms," 60.8 cents; other, \$1.22.	10 per cent	Free.
Montserrat	18.2 cents	60.8 cents	"Long Toms," 60.8 cents; other, \$1.22.	10 per cent	Free.
Dominica	18.2 cents	60.8 cents	"Long Toms," 36.5 cents; other, \$1.22.	12½ per cent	Free.
Trinidad and Tobago ..	30.4 cents	73 cents	\$1.22	5 per cent	Free.
British Guiana	If in packages not less than 800 pounds, 60.8 cents; otherwise, 81.1 cents.	91.2 cents	\$1.52	Printing paper and ink, free; other, 10 per cent.	Free.
Gibraltar	2 cents	2 cents	2 cents	Free	Free.
Malta	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free.

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NOTE.—In colonies other than those specified no export duties are levied.

POSSESSIONS.	Articles.	Rates of export duty.	POSSESSIONS.	Articles.	Rates of export duty.
		<i>Dollars.</i>			<i>Dollars.</i>
India.....	Rice, husked or unhusked, including rice flour (per cwt.).....	0.051	West Indies—Cont'd.	Sugar—Continued.	
Ceylon.....	Plumbago (per cwt.).....	.053	St. Vincent.....	Per hogshead, from 34-inch to 38-inch truss.....	.73
	Elephants (each).....	.42		Per hogshead, 38-inch truss to 40-inch.....	.791
	Coffee, tea, cocoa (per cwt.).....	.021		Per hogshead, above 40-inch truss.....	.933
	Cinchona (per cwt.).....	.011	Grenada.....	Spices (per 8 pounds).....	.02
	Horns of spotted deer and sambar (per cwt.).....	2.94		Cocoa (per cwt.).....	.101
	Chunks, alive and dead (per 1,000).....	.42		Cotton (per cwt.).....	.081
	Arrack (per proof gallon).....	.263		Cotton seed (per cwt.).....	.041
Mauritius.....	Sugar (domestic product) (per cwt.).....	.034		Logwood (per cwt.).....	.041
	Goods exported from bond (per ton).....	.252		Spices (per cwt.).....	.243
	Goods landed in transit for other ports or from vessels in distress on reshipment (per ton).....	.252	Virgin Islands.....	Bulls (each).....	1.947
Labuan.....	Coal (per ton).....	.020		Cows (each).....	1.947
Australasia:				Oxen (each).....	1.947
Victoria.....	Scrap iron (per ton).....	4.867		Horses (each).....	1.46
Western Australia.....	Guano (per ton).....	2.433		Mules (each).....	1.46
	Horses (each).....	.243		Asses (each).....	.487
New Zealand.....	Gold exported from the North Island (per ounce troy, 20 carats and upward fineness).....	.487		Calves (not more than 9 months old).....	.973
	Oysters exported from the North Island (per cwt.).....	.122		Sheep, lambs, and sucking pigs (each).....	.122
Queensland.....	Cedar timber, log (per 100 square feet 1 inch thick).....	.487		Goats and kids (each).....	.061
	Cedar timber, sawn, if more than 4 inches thick (per 100 square feet).....	.487		Hogs and pigs (other than sucking pigs) (each).....	.243
	Station produce exported across the border other than by Queensland railways, viz:			Charcoal (per barrel).....	.02
	Wool (per ton).....	9.936		Building lime (per barrel).....	.04
	Sheepskins (per ton).....	9.936		Sweet potatoes, yams, and tanniers (per 100 pounds).....	.122
	Hides (per ton).....	9.936		Wreck goods (ad valorem).....	10 per ct.
Fiji.....	Silver coin over £10 (ad valorem).....	2½ per ct.	St. Kitts:	Sugar:	
	Bêche-de-Mer (per ton).....	9.733	Nevis.....	Per hogshead, not exceeding 42-inch truss.....	1.13
Cape of Good Hope.....	Ostriches (each).....	486.65		Per tierce, not exceeding 30-inch truss.....	.77
	Ostrich eggs (each).....	24.333		Per barrel.....	.131
St. Helena.....	Guano (per ton).....	2.4333		Other packages (per ton).....	1.13
Gambia.....	Ground nuts (per ton).....	1.622		Rum (per 100 gallons).....	.851
West Indies:			Dominica.....	Animals:	
Bahamas.....	Guano, cave and other earths (per ton).....	.487		Horned cattle (each).....	1.46
Turks Islands.....	Salt (ad valorem).....	10 per ct.		Bay leaves (per 100 pounds).....	.304
St. Lucia.....	Sugar (per 100 pounds).....	.081		Canoe shells (each).....	.243
	Cocoa (per bag).....	.365		Cocoa (per 100 pounds).....	2.43
	Molasses (per puncheon).....	.243		Coffee (per 100 pounds).....	.365
St. Vincent.....	Arrowroot or other starches (per 200 pounds).....	.183		Essential oils:	
	Cocoa (per cwt.).....	.122		Bay (per gallon).....	1.46
	Coffee (per cwt.).....	.061		Other kinds, if expressed or equalled (per gallon).....	.73
	Cotton (per cwt.).....	.122		Other kinds, if otherwise extracted (per gallon).....	.243
	Molasses:			Farine manioc (per bushel).....	.061
	Per puncheon of 90 or more gallons.....	.183		Fruit—fresh:	
	Per cask of less than 90 gallons.....	.122		Bananas (per 100 bunches).....	.507
	With a further duty of—			Limes (per barrel).....	.02
	Per cask of 60 gallons or more.....	.122		Limes (per box not exceeding one-half barrel).....	.01
	Per cask of less than 60 gallons.....	.061		Oranges (per barrel).....	.061
	Rum or other spirits:			Oranges (per box not exceeding one-half barrel).....	.03
	Per cask of more than 52 gallons.....	.243		Fruit—preserved:	
	Per cask of 52 gallons or less.....	.122		Limes, pickled (per barrel).....	.122
	With a further duty of—			Tamarinds (per barrel).....	.243
	Per cask of more than 60 gallons....	.122		Fruit jams and fruit jellies (per 100 pounds).....	1.01
	Per cask not exceeding 60 gallons....	.061		Ginger (per barrel).....	.122
	Sugar:			Hides and skins:	
	Per cask of under 336 pounds gross weight.....	.122		Cattle hides (each).....	.061
	Per cask of 672 pounds and not less than 336 pounds gross weight.....	.203		All other skins (per dozen).....	.061
	Per cask under 34-inch truss and above 672 pounds gross weight.....	.527		Lime juice:	
				Concentrated (per gallon).....	.03
				Raw (for every 10 gallons).....	.03
				Molasses (per 100 gallons).....	.608

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POSSESSIONS.	Articles.	Rates of export duty.	POSSESSIONS.	Articles.	Rates of export duty.
West Indies—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>	West Indies—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>
Dominica	Rum (per 100 gallons).....	1.52	Trinidad	Asphalt or pitch:	
	Starches (per 100 pounds).....	.24		Raw (per ton or per 240 gallons)	1.22
	Sugar—Muscovado:			Boiled (per ton or per 240 gallons)	1.82
	Per hogshead of 40-inch truss and over.	1.22		Petroleum:	
	Per hogshead of 32-inch and less than 40-inch truss.....	.912		Raw (per 240 gallons).....	1.95
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	Per barrel or bag162		Cocoa:	
	Sugar—other kinds:			Per bag.....	.304
	Per hogshead of 40-inch truss and over.	1.58		Per 100 pounds162
	Per hogshead of 32-inch and less than 40-inch truss.....	1.15		Coffee (per bag, barrel, or per 100 pounds) ..	.304
	Per tierce of 28-inch and less than 32- inch truss791		Molasses:	
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	Per barrel or bag203		Per one-half puncheon203
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Crystallized, beet.....per cwt..	2.31	Cambrics.....per lb..	
Crystallized and soft, from China.....per cwt..	2.52	Jaconets.....per lb..	
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		Yarn, other colors.....per lb..	.115

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76,677,871	596,890,973	120,213,102 1876
92,097,540	658,637,457	166,539,917 1877
56,872,846	728,605,891	261,733,045 1878
36,073,775	735,436,882	269,363,107	..... 1879
50,989,056	852,781,577	91,792,521	..... 1880
53,240,125	921,784,193	168,544,068	..... 1881
57,111,964	799,959,786	32,847,772	..... 1882
51,670,305	855,659,735	103,989,430	..... 1883
55,123,955	807,646,992	102,523,037	..... 1884
50,769,652	784,421,280	163,651,628	..... 1885
54,029,792	751,988,240	77,958,448	..... 1886
52,490,560	752,180,902	309,658	..... 1887
53,295,100	742,368,690	40,926,410	..... 1888
54,094,725	839,042,908	64,948,183	..... 1889
53,286,735	909,977,104	86,690,369	..... 1890
51,175,643	993,434,452	112,258,809	..... 1891
57,057,002	1,113,284,034	216,227,032	..... 1892
50,768,555	997,083,357	86,314,802	..... 1893
50,730,293	1,019,569,898	278,839,605	..... 1894
58,565,904	921,301,932	132,736,028	..... 1895
52,026,925	1,055,558,555	213,531,630	..... 1896
50,278,419	1,153,301,774	273,023,355	..... 1897
57,369,109	1,301,993,960	534,624,851	..... 1898
50,111,807	34,352,826,566	2,432,714,759	Total.

s by years.

SUMMARY.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

GROUPS.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
IMPORTS.								
FREE OF DUTY:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
Articles of food, and live animals	7,314,025	32.38	9,110,188	32.47	67,255,413	35.02	51,268,783	28.68
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	13,134,190	58.15	15,891,693	56.63	102,994,274	53.63	106,244,398	59.43
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	1,320,409	5.85	1,344,770	4.79	11,076,047	5.77	11,055,788	6.18
For consumption.....	451,153	1.99	594,657	2.12	6,877,032	3.58	6,744,601	3.78
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	369,117	1.63	1,123,699	3.99	3,860,940	2.00	3,442,381	1.93
TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.....	22,582,894	100.00	28,065,007	100.00	192,063,706	100.00	178,755,951	100.00
DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	6,441,467	21.13	8,506,571	26.43	40,505,354	20.08	71,303,122	28.70
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	5,447,143	17.87	3,884,280	12.07	30,826,981	15.29	28,529,716	11.48
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	4,870,768	15.98	2,746,643	8.53	33,680,552	16.70	25,122,015	10.11
For consumption.....	7,428,338	24.37	8,926,336	27.73	48,421,553	24.01	65,916,076	26.53
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	6,298,039	20.65	8,122,530	25.24	48,193,033	23.92	57,562,868	23.18
TOTAL DUTIABLE.....	30,485,755	100.00	32,186,360	100.00	201,627,473	100.00	248,428,797	100.00
FREE AND DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	13,755,492	25.92	17,616,759	29.24	107,760,767	27.36	122,576,905	28.69
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	18,581,333	35.04	19,775,973	32.82	133,821,255	33.99	134,774,114	31.55
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	6,191,177	11.66	4,091,413	6.79	44,756,599	11.37	36,177,893	8.48
For consumption.....	7,879,491	14.83	9,520,993	15.80	55,298,585	14.04	72,660,677	17.01
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	6,667,156	12.55	9,246,229	15.35	52,053,973	13.24	61,005,249	14.27
TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....	53,074,649	100.00	60,251,367	100.00	393,691,179	100.00	427,194,748	100.00
PER CENT OF FREE.....		42.56		46.58		48.79		41.84
DUTIES COLLECTED.....	15,040,681		16,921,572		92,051,714		130,876,651	
REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE at the end of the month.....	26,763,180		34,550,496					
EXPORTS.								
DOMESTIC:								
Products of—Agriculture.....	67,524,642	72.39	62,378,985	67.55	575,200,511	71.92	571,052,776	68.86
Manufactures.....	21,080,901	22.61	24,489,860	26.52	180,606,072	22.58	206,822,334	24.94
Mining.....	1,244,760	1.33	2,049,523	2.22	13,091,425	1.61	18,610,952	2.24
Forest.....	2,727,775	2.92	2,741,927	2.97	24,391,915	3.05	26,177,138	3.16
Fisheries.....	264,919	.28	253,089	.27	4,340,349	.54	4,748,142	.57
Miscellaneous.....	441,905	.47	431,685	.47	2,169,498	.27	1,872,031	.23
TOTAL DOMESTIC.....	93,284,932	100.00	92,315,069	100.00	799,799,770	100.00	829,283,373	100.00
FOREIGN:								
Free of duty.....	652,609	39.99	548,123	37.14	5,216,043	38.75	5,653,828	40.00
Dutiable.....	979,912	60.01	927,974	62.86	8,269,047	61.25	8,480,236	60.00
TOTAL FOREIGN.....	1,632,521	100.00	1,476,097	100.00	13,485,090	100.00	14,134,064	100.00
TOTAL EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....	94,917,453		93,821,166		813,284,860		843,417,437	
EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS.....	41,842,804		33,599,799		419,593,681		416,222,689	

GOLD AND SILVER.

GOLD AND SILVER.	February—		Eight Months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold—Imports.....	6,162,681	5,148,906	40,450,773	77,108,206
Exports.....	1,030,412	567,962	12,869,274	12,292,175
Silver—Imports.....	2,085,635	1,427,027	22,655,838	20,794,220
Exports.....	3,759,971	4,319,074	38,569,033	38,898,987

TONNAGE.

VESSELS.	February—		Eight Months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Entered—Sailing.....	262,009	235,312	3,046,379	2,801,081
Steam.....	1,444,410	1,470,453	13,877,214	14,709,821
Cleared—Sailing.....	240,711	204,583	3,144,777	2,785,828
Steam.....	1,415,956	1,440,344	13,833,376	14,697,682

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Agricultural implements..... free.....						5,167				
Animals (number):										
Cattle..... free.....	36	4,460	42	8,450	47	6,797	303	38,094	340	55,063
Do..... dut.....	11,127	97,668	10,389	129,419	105,127	795,450	157,582	1,604,908	118,287	1,380,840
Horses..... free.....	38	5,414	21	3,605	419	49,905	470	79,848	587	209,554
Do..... dut.....	80	8,801	67	7,355	3,238	175,170	1,507	167,346	990	141,932
Sheep..... free.....	46	746	136	2,055	2,058	27,390	2,809	39,405	1,829	35,625
Do..... dut.....	146	1,245	520	2,931	365,674	935,545	368,675	1,034,571	340,728	1,131,415
All other, including fowls..... free.....		14,905		33,378		118,791		120,824		145,510
All other, including live poultry..... dut.....		6,670		6,152		47,413		58,081		54,437
Total..... { free.....		25,525		47,488		202,863		278,171		445,752
{ dut.....		114,384		145,857		1,953,578		2,864,906		2,708,624
Total.....		139,909		193,345		2,156,461		3,143,077		3,154,376
HORSES (free, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....					3	427	25	38,104	63	108,742
British North America.....	32	2,415	21	3,605	391	44,626	431	38,525	398	34,575
Other countries.....	6	2,999			25	4,852	14	3,219	126	66,237
Total.....	38	5,414	21	3,605	419	49,905	470	79,848	587	209,554
HORSES (dutiable, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....					14	9,952	21	15,683	41	18,183
British North America.....	79	8,761	67	7,355	2,374	154,773	1,265	149,407	945	123,154
Other countries.....	1	40			850	10,445	221	2,256	4	595
Total.....	80	8,801	67	7,355	3,238	175,170	1,507	167,346	990	141,932
Antimony ore (pounds)..... free.....	483,860	8,523	549,000	6,136	2,338,542	101,494	3,615,573	58,893	1,980,481	24,629
Antimony, as regulus or metal (pounds)..... dut.....	136,964	8,642	70,288	5,353			1,294,174	56,271	1,011,215	75,101
Articles the growth, product, and manufacture of the United States, returned..... free.....		189,005		203,324		2,194,006		2,854,165		2,333,669
Art works..... free.....		15,148		22,274		3,368,401		657,040		335,032
Do..... dut.....		56,327		107,151		30		1,152,899		1,569,226
ART WORKS (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		2,885		289		869,072		166,178		116,335
France.....		3,547		20,622		1,913,658		347,001		193,276
Germany.....		7,425				185,815		26,768		5,583
Italy.....		130		1,363		187,838		53,507		13,444
Other Europe.....		563				131,788		24,410		5,179
British North America.....		500				75,863		36,038		109
Other countries.....		98				4,367		3,138		1,106
Total.....		15,148		22,274		3,368,401		657,040		335,032
ART WORKS (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		8,797		19,231				587,851		430,967
France.....		34,879		42,756		30		325,519		927,640
Germany.....		1,116		9,794				104,508		96,363
Italy.....		9,961		2,745				86,559		43,576
Other Europe.....		1,409		1,508				41,120		29,273
British North America.....		77		30,812				4,406		35,182
Other countries.....		88		305				2,846		6,220
Total.....		56,327		107,151		30		1,152,899		1,569,226

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Asphaltum orbitumen, crude (tons)		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
..... free.....					62,768	193,770	12,440	34,157		
Do. (tons).....dut..	3,529	13,894	1,881	7,178			53,016	185,102	48,474	117,670
Bark hemlock (cords).....free..	1,361	5,412	1,037	3,715	18,251	84,386	16,046	67,257	9,202	31,657
Bolting cloths.....free..		6,066		11,398		118,473		111,781		136,198
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanu- factured.....free.....		45,815		47,365				288,893		439,774
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....		16,193		12,679				95,263		118,214
Books:										
Music, maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s.....free.....		104,561		104,216	1,186,808		1,053,341		1,133,379	
Maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. .....dut.....		111,767		107,806	936,098		941,186		916,798	
BOOKS, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		42,697		54,677		466,922		445,163		525,357
France.....		9,085		2,218		131,498		104,488		108,286
Germany.....		41,422		35,175		439,940		389,513		371,235
Other Europe.....		8,417		9,680		111,287		87,100		99,828
British North America.....		2,252		1,767		23,850		21,126		19,823
Other countries.....		688		699		13,331		5,951		8,850
Total.....		104,561		104,216	1,186,808		1,053,341		1,133,379	
BOOKS, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		77,353		75,158		635,845		672,414		673,841
France.....		3,265		4,770		31,528		41,332		42,642
Germany.....		23,770		18,900		190,960		156,989		160,149
Other Europe.....		4,431		5,285		30,748		35,510		41,120
British North America.....		2,247		2,435		13,494		17,174		16,048
China.....		162		297		1,495		2,606		2,769
Japan.....		347		854		28,138		10,268		8,447
Other countries.....		192		107		3,800		4,893		1,773
Total.....		111,767		107,836	936,098		941,186		946,798	
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut..		1,683		10,285		97,477		24,587		26,084
Breadstuffs:										
Barley (bushels).....dut..	2	2	8,180	3,705	894,374	291,053	124,097	43,796	104,273	50,909
Corn (bushels).....dut..	108	41	23	19	5,151	1,706	2,814	1,116	3,470	1,155
Oats (bushels).....dut..	103	65	95	34	32,961	8,530	4,269	1,469	2,726	932
Oatmeal (pounds).....dut..	30,784	1,662	11,040	347	1,464,741	29,245	244,283	13,429	243,940	14,523
Rye (bushels).....dut..					70	168	32,935	13,321	387	962
Wheat (bushels).....dut..	19	20	73,994	55,403	949,653	709,764	1,931,729	1,801,480	1,758,204	1,322,817
Wheat flour (barrels).....dut..	230	968	9	31	1,812	7,249	1,477	6,034	724	3,317
Farinaceous substances, etc., n. e. s.....free.....		10,742		12,789		162,391		140,256		127,372
All other, and preparations of, etc., n. e. s.....dut..		91,786		46,841		549,881		615,469		517,781
Total.....		105,286		119,169	1,759,987		2,636,370		2,039,768	
Bristles (pounds):										
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....					376	268	135	43	12,771	6,437
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut..	109,376	78,949	140,056	101,434	1,015,569	943,282	1,151,156	961,105	1,345,171	1,017,959
Total.....	109,376	78,949	140,056	101,434	1,015,945	943,550	1,151,291	961,148	1,357,942	1,024,396
Brushes.....dut..		54,022		65,217		468,621		465,044		587,265
Buttons and button forms.....dut..		47,500		38,910		540,071		301,617		295,710
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. (pounds).....dut..	34,875,879	108,631	46,063,633	143,441	620,209,544	1,974,397	552,658,592	1,799,354	579,549,249	1,898,059
CEMENT (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	705,600	3,252	9,148,000	28,686	147,722,551	479,407	103,233,417	343,759	86,901,179	310,311
Belgium.....	21,522,964	64,462	17,751,005	47,443	169,111,954	493,512	156,103,037	475,070	191,393,710	579,110
France.....	148,800	471	297,600	1,199	8,903,961	24,712	11,264,516	32,349	5,121,200	15,630
Germany.....	11,378,515	37,261	18,668,628	65,462	283,849,622	935,701	268,676,982	903,832	279,376,788	954,863

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cement, Roman, etc.—Continued.										
CEMENT, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other Europe	1, 120, 000	3, 185	198, 400	651	7, 714, 645	28, 825	12, 076, 391	38, 137	15, 711, 252	33, 407
British North America					2, 102, 300	8, 368	1, 304, 249	6, 207	1, 043, 120	4, 729
Other countries					804, 511	3, 872			2, 000	9
Total	34, 875, 879	108, 631	46, 063, 633	143, 441	620, 209, 544	1, 974, 397	552, 658, 592	1, 799, 354	579, 549, 249	1, 898, 059
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. c. s.:										
Alizarin, and alizarin colors or dyes, etc. (pounds)	423, 871	58, 540	425, 873	58, 886	2, 964, 530	502, 322	4, 051, 739	620, 933	3, 589, 755	484, 079
Argal, or argol, or crude tartar (pounds)					11, 785, 911	1, 016, 581	741, 150	63, 154		
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)	2, 017, 617	169, 748	1, 773, 068	144, 111			12, 379, 783	1, 016, 690	15, 648, 290	1, 243, 884
Barks, cinchona, or other, etc. (pounds)	115, 128	14, 881	262, 739	25, 371	1, 540, 328	80, 011	1, 508, 285	155, 055	2, 075, 392	170, 871
Coal-tar colors and dyes		288, 248		286, 147		1, 560, 552		2, 168, 738		2, 356, 373
Cochineal (pounds)	14, 658	4, 704	6, 553	1, 234	93, 452	28, 699	103, 302	30, 849	61, 539	15, 338
DYEWOODS—										
Logwood (tons)	3, 634	56, 614	2, 428	40, 926	20, 437	380, 385	28, 396	458, 474	27, 556	424, 546
All other		4, 162		5, 537		75, 272		111, 655		152, 968
Extracts and decoctions of (pounds)	286, 460	22, 631	268, 484	15, 470	2, 917, 330	157, 771	3, 013, 017	181, 694	2, 384, 719	166, 446
Total		83, 407		61, 933		613, 428		751, 823		743, 960
LOGWOOD (tons), imported from—										
Central America					336	7, 535			50	1, 570
Mexico			74	1, 053	338	8, 525	718	20, 130	825	14, 939
British West Indies	775	11, 586	993	15, 856	3, 891	70, 549	11, 698	190, 716	10, 819	166, 940
Cuba										
Other West Indies	2, 859	45, 028	1, 355	24, 017	15, 008	277, 379	15, 941	246, 815	15, 362	232, 935
Other countries					864	16, 397	39	813	500	8, 162
Total	3, 634	56, 614	2, 428	40, 926	20, 437	380, 385	28, 396	458, 474	27, 556	424, 546
DYEWOODS, EXTRACTS OF (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	92, 814	5, 803	125, 443	7, 477	647, 449	37, 613	1, 074, 410	66, 863	795, 249	48, 740
France	82, 273	6, 706	95, 536	4, 921	691, 322	47, 322	655, 695	43, 176	517, 300	33, 912
Germany	3, 289	371	1, 221	140	929, 426	34, 635	337, 409	14, 304	56, 979	5, 070
Switzerland	22, 384	3, 173	13, 032	869	281, 679	24, 604	185, 607	18, 884	164, 105	13, 126
Other countries	85, 700	6, 578	33, 252	2, 063	367, 454	13, 597	759, 896	38, 467	851, 086	65, 598
Total	283, 460	22, 631	268, 484	15, 470	2, 917, 330	157, 771	3, 013, 017	181, 694	2, 384, 719	166, 446
Glycerin (pounds)	764, 416	46, 103	983, 390	63, 603	9, 972, 811	901, 694	8, 445, 479	554, 140	10, 264, 861	682, 817
GUMS (pounds)—										
Arabic	43, 554	6, 180	167, 495	17, 976	444, 376	59, 190	537, 821	64, 053	546, 757	65, 371
Camphor, crude	217, 950	38, 883	326, 365	48, 253	787, 164	190, 857	1, 299, 678	235, 628	1, 151, 966	187, 565
Chicle			111, 579	14, 089					1, 362, 870	204, 185
Copal, cowrie, and damar			973, 209	83, 984					11, 635, 367	1, 060, 052
Gambier, or terra japonica	1, 831, 917	40, 543	6, 394, 920	128, 677	18, 569, 086	592, 566	26, 410, 333	669, 683	28, 285, 954	551, 498
Shellac	416, 758	61, 197	252, 560	36, 763	8, 810, 107	621, 312	4, 175, 944	531, 596	4, 625, 848	651, 517
All other		125, 154		72, 689		1, 812, 161		1, 486, 666		675, 667
Total		271, 957		402, 431		3, 276, 086		2, 987, 626		3, 395, 855
Indigo (pounds)	363, 894	241, 647	591, 178	312, 671	1, 453, 822	692, 494	878, 538	550, 286	1, 161, 883	643, 406
Licorice root (pounds)	3, 381, 051	53, 410	10, 794, 796	163, 562	40, 265, 413	666, 808	46, 669, 305	783, 742	67, 005, 719	1, 059, 405
Line, chloride of, or bleaching powder (pounds)					61, 917, 881	871, 611	6, 720, 638	92, 487		
Do. (pounds)	8, 824, 241	105, 778	9, 890, 901	95, 731			68, 574, 328	880, 814	68, 747, 540	741, 912
Mineral waters, all not artificial (gallons)					1, 400, 222	337, 407	73, 505	17, 463		
Mineral waters (gallons)	20, 987	6, 636	15, 281	4, 608			843, 863	264, 368	921, 714	362, 022

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Cont'd.										
OPIUM (pounds)—										
Crude, or unmanufactured		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Do.....free.....					539,940	1,125,262	14,414	32,340		
Do.....dut.....	3,456	7,242	18,062	40,421			35,381	70,367	382,007	931,247
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.....	18,942	122,200	1,534	4,406	93,855	686,828	60,994	403,250	63,092	403,530
OPIUM, CRUDE (pounds), im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....			1,418	4,129	79,704	182,479	12,728	29,400	55,423	155,784
Other Europe.....	3,456	7,242	11,903	26,575	166,506	349,464	20,917	37,860	143,189	349,885
Asia and Oceania.....			4,741	9,717	285,296	577,319	1,736	3,107	183,395	425,578
Other countries.....					8,434	16,000				
Total.....	3,456	7,242	18,062	40,421	539,940	1,125,262	35,381	70,367	382,007	931,247
OPIUM, PREPARED (pounds), im- ported from—										
China.....	18,942	122,200	1,378	3,540	90,610	672,637	60,844	402,367	62,509	400,357
Other countries.....			156	866	3,245	14,191	150	883	563	3,173
Total.....	18,942	122,200	1,534	4,406	93,855	686,828	60,994	403,250	63,092	403,530
POTASH (pounds)—										
Chlorate of.....free.....					2,370,067	192,406	630,340	45,026		
Do.....dut.....	380,253	22,786	40,765	2,664			2,051,422	130,597	2,317,408	141,233
Muriate of.....free.....	2,156,181	33,489	4,000,317	63,762	70,096,337	1,104,811	79,056,647	1,232,159	75,152,919	1,177,442
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude .....free.....	457,637	9,036	591,533	14,030	11,798,676	254,529	7,853,645	149,794	13,260,871	232,753
All other.....free.....	1,750,876	56,658	1,823,947	48,615	18,316,684	420,888	24,397,933	601,483	27,172,420	598,163
Total.....	4,744,947	121,969	6,456,562	129,071	102,581,784	1,972,634	113,989,987	2,159,059	117,903,618	2,149,591
Quinia, sulphate of, etc. (ounces) .....free.....	98,726	24,309	399,529	87,603	1,978,511	351,309	2,674,441	528,906	2,295,216	444,085
SODA—										
Caustic (pounds).....dut.....	1,673,188	24,309	1,097,022	16,340	33,387,935	589,622	20,999,001	352,654	13,936,707	191,782
Nitrate of (tons).....free.....	14,440	305,766	3,232	34,664	56,609	1,790,635	82,038	2,052,423	88,328	1,260,417
Sal soda (pounds).....dut.....	675,700	3,163	454,675	2,336	11,291,911	51,398	7,127,017	31,302	2,763,484	14,072
Soda ash (pounds).....dut.....	6,529,470	42,880	2,201,583	16,770	94,688,051	735,408	61,191,937	426,787	30,194,693	189,854
All other salts of (pounds) .....dut.....	2,424,115	20,880	2,452,179	29,897	2,913,563	52,179	12,838,966	133,389	14,110,258	178,668
Total.....		396,998		100,007		3,219,242		2,996,555		1,834,793
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude (tons).....free.....	12,710	237,124	4,308	78,235	88,174	1,448,625	99,703	1,763,734	73,182	1,380,100
Sumac, ground (pounds).....dut.....	946,814	14,686	447,278	5,859	7,344,174	105,833	5,459,581	76,214	8,517,410	112,986
Vanilla beans (pounds).....free.....			12,387	47,700	98,022	533,491	52,486	211,219	152,322	650,309
All other.....free.....		448,116		400,096		3,579,004		3,343,957		3,133,224
Do.....dut.....		367,734		340,362		2,843,236		3,231,309		3,045,686
Total chemicals, free drugs and dyes, dut.....		1,820,413		1,771,234		18,728,636		15,864,765		15,018,776
.....dut.....		1,265,624		1,082,814		7,634,521		9,992,313		10,666,697
Total.....		3,085,437		2,854,048		26,413,157		25,787,078		25,985,473
Chicory root, raw, unground (pounds).....free.....					3,786,116	47,897	176,210	2,137		
Do.....dut.....			598	25			113,995	2,740	4,947	124
Chicory root, roasted, ground or prepared (pounds).....dut.....			70,230	2,216					164,818	5,348
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not in- cluding confectionery) (pounds) .....dut.....	72,054	11,277	120,286	25,765			517,938	78,768	797,142	134,042
Clays or earths of all kinds (tons) .....dut.....	7,944	53,913	6,374	44,538	59,405	427,562	67,921	469,979	71,405	485,061
Clocks and watches, and parts of (durable):										
Clocks, and parts of.....		16,076		13,834		317,073		229,608		268,611
Watches, and parts of.....		41,760		66,753		628,512		459,610		715,530

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Coal:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Anthracite (tons) free	27	127					5,836	14,655	601	2,684
Bituminous (tons) dut.	94,196	268,935	99,085	279,043	894,296	2,453,044	834,790	2,141,005	820,355	2,289,824
COAL, BITUMINOUS (tons), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom	13,600	25,097	7,744	19,817	47,967	128,502	120,823	284,885	87,570	215,700
Other Europe			238	748	1,650	4,784	1,878	3,880	2,614	5,845
British North America	51,465	191,451	65,553	210,912	579,405	1,810,178	438,637	1,353,028	523,306	1,083,355
Mexico	6,458	12,205	10,688	20,479	59,064	128,510	66,775	125,790	79,260	167,991
Japan					1,398	3,457	2,601	7,865	860	2,430
Other Asia and Oceania	22,565	39,980	14,862	27,087	201,734	365,459	200,654	358,804	126,573	214,004
Other countries	108	202			3,078	10,620	3,222	6,803	172	349
Total	94,196	268,935	99,685	279,043	894,296	2,451,519	834,790	2,141,005	820,355	2,289,824
Cocoa or cacao, crude, etc. (pounds)										
free	2,027,364	299,015	4,288,871	616,608	20,730,059	1,930,831	16,344,498	2,134,941	20,901,311	3,028,144
Prepared, etc. (pounds) dut.	49,825	21,369	70,300	24,289			324,402	111,035	527,275	161,343
COCOA, ETC. (pounds), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom	86,823	15,490	238,033	36,138	1,700,376	210,897	1,771,869	272,900	1,071,291	182,152
Netherlands	65,966	14,037	37,990	6,109	569,353	64,838	576,101	91,723	365,901	57,717
Other Europe	163,702	25,962	44,516	4,002	256,645	30,500	537,531	79,465	400,658	47,445
Central America			25	6					68,513	8,597
British West Indies	604,890	90,084	2,781,793	413,006	7,504,011	691,219	4,763,112	716,898	7,889,714	1,167,931
Other West Indies	2,757	382	26,094	2,985	525,189	54,946	801,992	105,970	869,380	141,951
Brazil	317,554	45,280	332,012	44,220	3,510,870	264,727	1,173,513	145,361	3,652,558	513,719
Other South America	757,242	106,452	557,150	75,995	6,590,488	605,896	6,670,120	714,313	6,203,629	816,920
East Indies	8,430	1,322	8,502	1,226	30,232	3,654	8,430	1,332	40,988	6,313
Other countries			262,751	32,912	42,905	4,224	41,830	6,979	330,269	63,369
Total	2,027,364	299,019	4,288,871	616,608	20,730,059	1,930,831	16,344,498	2,134,941	20,901,311	3,028,144
Coffee (pounds) free	67,901,187	4,885,553	98,494,301	6,599,581	466,204,392	53,332,608	547,740,293	42,398,656	517,465,473	32,722,843
COFFEE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	13,262	2,304	293,326	21,506	2,442,998	397,572	1,179,639	193,989	2,997,742	338,596
France	21,144	3,143			464,227	69,404	282,452	17,316	17,780	1,378
Germany	169,359	10,897	3,350	293	4,898,086	655,905	3,325,880	299,551	851,010	86,225
Netherlands	250,133	33,481	577,241	63,391	1,994,171	368,996	1,544,040	240,452	2,153,174	246,932
Other Europe	436,640	21,377			1,398,590	75,938	1,008,122	91,298	23,680	3,180
Central America	5,448,577	697,362	4,612,793	554,092	13,783,477	2,114,096	13,536,333	1,818,559	13,924,846	1,683,121
Mexico	5,301,251	513,746	3,301,529	322,997	9,090,693	1,569,851	17,504,220	1,952,748	11,401,820	1,056,444
West Indies	850,928	130,695	1,483,675	113,533	7,342,979	938,151	3,695,056	429,629	7,567,316	606,808
Brazil	48,526,932	2,743,088	79,169,127	4,630,980	357,366,112	36,995,247	438,636,497	29,096,065	417,659,906	23,085,339
Other South America	5,777,816	568,563	8,205,075	760,677	54,436,286	7,728,492	52,671,692	5,854,813	51,457,889	4,319,762
East Indies	873,115	126,720	420,525	51,089	9,507,665	1,742,662	11,062,277	1,914,145	6,366,962	877,144
Other Asia and Oceania	119,022	18,549	365,584	58,999	2,479,787	420,582	2,227,168	326,126	1,913,094	313,132
Africa	7,730	918	7,065	569	36,636	6,170	36,380	5,403	82,672	7,475
Other countries	96,278	14,710	139,810	21,360	1,052,685	249,542	1,030,528	158,532	1,047,582	147,367
Total	67,901,187	4,885,553	98,494,301	6,599,581	466,204,392	53,332,608	547,740,293	42,398,656	517,465,473	32,722,843
Copper, and manufactures of:										
Ore and regulus (tons) free	375	85,118	501	103,162	2,028	299,771	4,178	663,682	2,799	575,653
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc. (lbs.) free	2,503,495	204,854	2,643,728	335,710	7,375,184	623,609	17,246,631	1,414,308	30,433,284	2,638,984
Manufactures of dut.		90		2,831		59,081		32,794		27,877
Total, not including ore		210,754		338,541		673,690		1,447,102		2,666,601
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanu-										
factured free		103,190		66,247		739,971		673,182		676,764
Cork, manufactures of dut.		26,450		28,396				147,853		221,535
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured (pounds) free	5,857,615	569,724	6,174,428	621,260	25,522,314	2,989,112	29,259,775	2,863,511	27,443,557	2,640,476
Waste or flocks (pounds) free			539,300	17,224					3,720,729	128,280

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY —					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED (lbs.), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	1,608,062	157,830	1,495,561	167,548	4,838,195	574,319	8,505,067	833,615	6,266,883	749,313
Other Europe.....					300	29	26,029	1,963		
South America.....	198,217	21,633	198,333	13,577	625,884	66,658	589,430	59,579	861,038	82,679
East Indies.....	20,300	1,864			25,305	2,942	33,275	2,700	133,421	9,929
Other Asia and Oceania.....	34,314	3,424	19,202	1,744	80,344	6,590	157,876	15,314	56,480	5,444
Africa (Egypt).....	2,996,562	375,868	4,521,332	438,391	19,862,841	2,329,752	19,932,588	1,895,023	20,119,265	1,792,748
Other countries.....	130	5			89,445	8,822	15,500	917	3,470	333
Total.....	5,857,615	569,724	6,174,428	621,260	25,522,314	2,989,112	29,259,775	2,863,511	27,443,557	2,640,476
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable) —										
CLOTHS (square yards)—										
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	91,674	8,567	71,674	5,673	2,347,918	201,542	1,064,163	88,241	882,815	73,296
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	5,330,789	674,614	6,550,909	861,443	23,535,783	2,949,181	30,216,969	3,658,224	33,394,521	4,314,505
Total.....	5,422,463	683,181	6,622,783	870,116	25,883,701	3,150,723	31,281,132	3,746,475	34,277,336	4,387,801
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		100,869		104,038		1,615,463		746,244		676,397
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		641,248		596,266		2,837,423		2,235,645		2,772,816
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		1,295,762		1,575,432		8,066,069		8,160,358		9,854,823
Thread (not on spools), yarn, wools, etc. (pounds).....	215,941	85,945	206,857	73,428	853,238	312,337	947,017	388,978	1,342,266	475,216
All other.....		383,297		364,103		4,171,117		2,958,460		2,926,561
Total manufactures.....		3,192,402		3,583,373		20,183,132		18,236,160		21,073,614
CLOTHS, ETC. (square yards), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	4,209,905	512,983	5,270,257	692,321	18,492,006	2,147,016	24,816,140	2,869,613	28,066,112	3,391,252
France.....	553,786	75,134	621,853	75,805	2,784,005	364,658	2,889,316	385,053	2,791,151	389,545
Germany.....	493,021	75,132	359,895	51,868	2,307,861	356,055	2,586,295	376,598	3,055,529	397,655
Switzerland.....	99,780	13,348	330,756	42,091	2,237,826	277,656	796,953	104,552	1,458,525	184,086
Other Europe.....	51,459	5,320	30,699	4,242	20,996	2,504	112,277	13,390	192,009	21,469
Japan.....	11,493	894	9,859	812	37,125	2,214	69,627	5,403	48,695	3,985
Other countries.....	3,019	361	73	7	3,792	620	10,524	1,466	65,315	8,869
Total.....	5,422,463	683,181	6,622,783	870,116	25,883,701	3,150,723	31,281,132	3,746,475	34,277,336	4,387,801
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF COTTON imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		753,658		748,858		5,891,532		4,378,899		4,555,137
Belgium.....		27,668		16,587		281,661		230,057		187,487
France.....		333,847		413,890		1,887,453		2,094,500		2,459,814
Germany.....		885,167		858,427		4,616,835		4,187,929		5,497,813
Switzerland.....		422,069		612,438		4,215,749		3,470,571		3,840,781
Other Europe.....		9,353		3,767		45,226		52,658		56,692
China.....		1,928		3,135		18,050		20,926		23,853
Japan.....		1,901		5,238		46,491		20,149		19,366
Other Asia and Oceania.....		1,211		2,616		14,823		13,817		18,528
Other countries.....		2,579		8,251		11,589		20,169		26,342
Total.....		2,509,221		2,713,257		17,032,400		14,489,685		16,685,813
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable) —										
CHINA, PORCELAIN, JAPANESE, AND MISQUE—										
Not decorated or ornamented.....		61,261		60,987		754,404		515,513		613,388
Decorated or ornamented.....		316,527		335,248		5,171,592		3,914,821		4,364,720
All other.....		18,693		29,265		212,370		183,351		211,049
Total.....		396,481		416,530		6,168,276		4,643,685		5,189,157
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		186,099		191,868		2,269,925		1,665,999		1,771,826
Austria-Hungary.....		28,843		23,432		456,333		364,723		364,375
France.....		54,899		89,004		1,032,599		805,376		1,101,797

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable)—Continued.										
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Germany.....		97,154		83,082		1,936,374		1,465,798		1,597,020
Other Europe.....		2,844		3,608		82,768		15,156		101,132
Japan.....		18,146		19,065		345,554		228,768		210,895
Other countries.....		8,886		5,571		53,523		98,265		42,112
Total.....		396,781		416,530		6,168,276		4,643,685		5,189,157
Eggs (dozen).....dut..	9,761	475	65,728	8,068	519,088	44,580	120,290	5,905	170,963	17,227
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed.....free..						1,206,426		145,448		
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut..		327,501		265,581				1,479,091		1,141,403
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut..		24,422		25,546		495,553		549,508		647,581
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, dut.....		340,450		386,151		1,518,351		1,740,422		1,355,492
Total.....		692,373		677,678		3,220,330		3,914,529		3,144,476
Fertilizers (free, tons):										
Guano.....	249	1,062	59	254	5,365	75,907	3,678	43,913	4,042	41,563
Phosphates, crude.....	613	5,165	6,969	40,842	7,611	36,943	5,517	40,984	83,172	407,342
All other.....		21,856		45,525		752,507		1,008,003		824,270
Total.....		28,083		86,621		865,357		1,094,900		1,273,175
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of, n. e. s.: UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—										
Flax, and tow of.....free..					3,376	546,048	1,779	245,012		
Flax.....dut..	335	93,323	354	77,214	761	303,313	1,790	507,701	4,169	759,706
Hemp, and tow of.....free..					2,801	343,177	299	43,729		
Hemp.....dut..	366	58,158	278	31,071	13	4,045	1,968	276,504	2,245	276,830
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free..	85	3,915	266	16,229	5,040	270,586	1,880	95,413	4,028	319,774
Jute and jute butts.....free..	9,279	235,559	1,108	48,878	27,832	650,915	58,127	1,347,438	36,414	1,009,766
Manila.....free..	3,438	185,870	4,095	567,871	22,418	1,660,263	29,077	1,807,272	31,640	3,675,750
Sisal grass.....free..	6,057	344,258	2,975	377,120	42,284	2,575,634	45,326	2,682,207	44,966	5,615,857
All other.....free..	65	9,373	576	44,708	3,299	267,459	5,496	371,130	4,117	264,767
Total unmanufac- free..	18,924	778,975	9,020	1,054,806	107,053	6,314,082	141,984	6,592,201	121,165	10,885,914
tured.....dut..	701	151,481	632	108,285	774	307,358	3,758	784,205	6,414	1,036,536
Total.....	19,625	930,456	9,652	1,163,091	107,827	6,621,440	145,742	7,376,406	127,579	11,922,450
FLAX (free and dutiable, tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	142	57,756	92	28,721	1,062	332,926	1,587	429,595	978	286,922
Other Europe.....	92	23,011	174	36,623	2,244	411,220	1,534	267,895	2,836	422,024
British North America.....	101	12,556	88	11,870	815	104,198	448	55,223	355	50,760
Other countries.....					16	1,017				
Total.....	335	93,323	354	77,214	4,137	849,361	3,569	752,713	4,169	759,706
JUTE (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	232	7,284	32	2,089	1,194	72,888	1,345	62,562	2,780	141,612
East Indies.....	8,900	223,725	1,076	46,789	26,548	572,297	56,420	1,269,878	33,518	859,646
Other countries.....	147	4,550			90	5,730	362	14,998	166	5,508
Total.....	9,279	235,559	1,108	48,878	27,832	650,915	58,127	1,347,438	36,414	1,009,766
MANILA (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	66	5,319	1,151	172,705	6,141	567,621	1,220	100,208	10,839	1,679,834
Philippine Islands.....	3,372	180,551	2,027	271,555	15,899	1,063,522	27,821	1,704,545	18,096	1,649,597
Other countries.....			937	123,611	378	29,120	36	2,519	2,705	346,319
Total.....	3,438	185,870	4,095	567,871	22,418	1,660,263	29,077	1,807,272	31,640	3,675,750
SISAL GRASS (tons), imported from—										
Mexico.....	6,025	342,838	2,940	372,895	42,180	2,564,026	44,951	2,600,441	43,520	5,433,500
Other countries.....	32	1,420	35	4,225	184	11,608	375	21,706	1,437	182,357
Total.....	6,057	344,258	2,975	377,120	42,364	2,575,634	45,326	2,682,207	44,966	5,615,857

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Bagging, gunnycloth, etc. free.						184,470		24,907		
Do. dut.		1,172		16,246				148,490		413,866
Bags for grain made of burlaps										
free.						788,717		320,201		
Bags of jute dut.		8,564		68,323				108,725		344,378
Burlaps free.						4,545,616		489,412		
Do. dut.		479,872						2,911,229		
Cables, cordage, threads, and										
twine, n. e. s. (pounds) dut.	9,725	4,187	23,998	4,532	126,099	12,409	416,249	53,643	322,515	51,455
Coir yarn (pounds) free.	189,013	7,577	47,712	1,516	2,279,404	59,542	967,991	30,118	976,461	35,137
Twine, binding (pounds) free.			80	9	97,920	4,537	51,660	3,402	405,497	31,100
Carpets and carpeting (square										
yards) dut.			29,263	7,429					180,551	53,777
Fabrics, plain, woven, of single										
jute yarn dut.				464,474						4,937,465
Handkerchiefs dut.				123,424						1,246,742
Oilcloths (square yards) dut.			24,221	8,143					197,738	102,026
Yarns (pounds) dut.	162,520	31,363	178,128	28,409	1,078,774	307,457	1,335,332	248,362	1,158,922	249,763
All other dut.		1,583,805		1,270,297		10,996,090		8,992,292		8,637,824
Total manufactures		2,116,540		1,990,822		16,898,838		13,330,781		16,163,533
Fish (pounds):										
FRESH—										
Lobsters, canned or uncanned										
free.	301,116	17,496	298,445	13,490			1,812,531	205,565	2,742,306	370,793
Salmon free.					1,103,838	93,970	160,083	16,379		
Do. dut.	12,790	1,333	7,343	783			245,817	22,136	525,019	48,508
All other free.					1,108,283			252,771		
Do. dut.		97,582		109,882		116,448		609,841		659,179
CURED OR PRESERVED—										
Anchovies and sardines, etc.										
. dut.		63,750		66,328		717,858		883,202		911,583
Cod, haddock, etc., dried,										
smoked, etc. dut.	648,521	21,251	546,660	20,280	11,786,167	370,105	14,781,171	487,380	9,617,847	357,960
Herring—										
Dried or smoked dut.	281,515	6,788	656,732	16,462	2,592,661	51,433	4,337,606	81,661	2,496,432	62,750
Pickled or salted dut.	1,572,392	58,145	1,807,354	66,344	21,720,659	786,445	24,981,430	961,039	28,428,978	968,910
Mackerel, pickled or salted										
. dut.	1,380,941	88,975	1,320,712	94,433	17,321,810	1,012,802	13,763,582	841,655	13,401,611	939,122
Salmon, pickled or salted dut.	2,077	187	16,600	1,451	813,209	57,457	780,912	55,760	441,383	53,797
All other dut.		15,302		19,192		283,239		216,198		248,126
Total		370,809		408,645		4,600,040		4,633,587		4,591,772
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):										
FRUITS—										
Bananas free.		201,499		273,009		2,064,805		2,288,699		2,587,772
Currents free.					77,191	3,589				
Do. dut.	3,287,724	128,322	120,437	3,070	27,594,101	559,240	23,716,235	781,251	28,552,651	750,645
Dates dut.	109,392	2,871	616,383	18,848	273,947	12,826,073	354,678	11,806,587	239,874	
Figs dut.	195,305	11,623	4,350	172	8,631,472	521,074	9,158,209	496,436	6,993,461	341,708
Lemons dut.		183,490	13,523,434	223,174		2,236,534		1,566,352		2,256,416
Oranges dut.		76,937	7,598,316	90,151		1,579,187		749,873		825,431
Plums and prunes dut.	31,953	2,242	6,329	797	617,188	67,415	236,405	35,389	556,181	61,063
Raisins dut.	302,355	10,266	12,513	1,149	12,093,791	538,763	6,409,190	369,627	4,822,331	279,784
Prepared or preserved fruits										
. dut.		85,750		52,522		499,959		595,139		644,171
All other fruits free.		34,970		14,427		446,576		268,818		258,566
Do. dut.		11,588		58,120		647,153		656,858		698,612
Total fruits		749,558		735,439		9,429,252		8,163,680		8,987,982

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—										
Continued.										
BANANAS, imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British North America.....		5,641		4,580		55,957		52,506		44,541
Central American States.....		95,232		116,532		774,608		846,952		1,091,513
British West Indies.....		54,332		95,704		689,407		959,032		1,049,221
Cuba.....				74		134,581				722
South America.....		36,439		46,879		331,220		334,898		286,281
Hawaiian Islands.....		4,879		5,002		48,844		33,866		29,708
Other countries.....		4,976		4,238		27,188		62,445		85,781
Total.....		201,499		273,069		2,064,805		2,288,699		2,587,772
LEMONS (pounds) imported from—										
Italy.....		183,490	13,522,984	223,156		1,807,681		1,548,092		2,236,140
British North America.....			150	6		41,976		1,870		2,706
Other countries.....			300	12		356,877		16,390		17,570
Total.....		183,490	13,523,434	223,174		2,206,534		1,566,352		2,256,416
ORANGES (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			3,289,660	33,096		269,609				74,621
Italy.....		727	76,448	923		183,563		18,728		64,891
Mexico.....		175	19,043	439		252,282		134,373		138,527
British West Indies.....		69,024	2,642,456	47,787		718,607		416,400		529,299
Cuba.....			3,597	36		8,751		1,991		506
Japan.....		335	18,108	230		11,788		9,443		4,839
Other countries.....		6,676	549,024	7,638		134,587		168,936		14,657
Total.....		76,937	7,598,316	90,151		1,579,187		749,873		825,431
NUTS:										
Almonds.....dut..	186,867	27,815	316,036	64,794	6,607,906	628,046	3,863,319	462,494	7,997,415	932,148
Cocoanuts.....free..		20,828		21,447				361,676		415,112
Do.....dut..						325,436		21,874		
All other.....dut..		26,742		33,331		678,182		752,840		642,991
Total fruits and nuts.....		834,943		855,011		11,070,916		9,761,884		10,978,233
Furs:										
Furs and fur skins, undressed										
.....free..		256,687		420,278		1,462,284		2,269,995		2,809,579
Furs, and manufactures of..dut..		275,035		334,698		1,942,377		2,408,474		2,960,669
FURS AND FUR SKINS, ETC., im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....		127,332		129,002		363,796		671,889		713,713
France.....		6,491		66,780		195,471		228,387		421,311
Germany.....		58,865		88,914		397,525		693,687		864,857
Other Europe.....		24,936		20,336		37,279		140,317		169,601
British North America.....		38,125		51,526		148,111		181,638		257,385
South America.....				43,905		16,066		31,973		107,883
Japan.....		20		126		2,890		15		150
Other countries.....		918		16,629		301,174		322,069		362,219
Total.....		256,687		420,278		1,462,342		2,269,495		2,909,579
FURS, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		82,688		81,377		662,043		768,064		749,846
Belgium.....		16,251		28,665		108,528		145,791		243,726
France.....		79,787		140,764		670,628		828,471		1,039,881
Germany.....		43,243		64,332		416,036		516,791		596,172
Other Europe.....		667		4,030		11,517		8,976		29,805
China.....		49,612		64,622		44,872		124,593		275,146
Other countries.....		2,807		508		19,750		16,078		26,091
Total.....		275,055		334,698		1,942,377		2,408,474		2,960,669
Ginger ale or ginger beer (dozen										
pints).....dut..	6,679	5,617	11,115	8,220			65,135	46,870	191,816	139,729

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware (dutiable):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		21, 023		25, 971		305, 127		208, 762		221, 913
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished, pounds.....	2, 918, 359	82, 057	1, 799, 135	54, 007	35, 129, 062	730, 297	25, 237, 970	593, 519	31, 345, 235	812, 165
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POL- ISHED (square feet) —										
Unsilvered.....	172, 287	35, 422	157, 090	31, 091	615, 945	155, 760	1, 525, 763	320, 934	1, 902, 393	375, 180
Silvered.....	1, 190	229	14	13	1, 073, 187	428, 255	211, 631	66, 401	849	546
PLATE GLASS (square feet) —										
Fluted, rolled, or rough.....					256, 219	10, 818	103, 610	6, 295	152, 837	6, 379
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	45, 640	11, 536	101, 219	25, 256	801, 889	209, 205	562, 548	139, 501	555, 867	137, 937
Cast, polished, silvered.....			49	113	38, 590	14, 644	131	243	246	159
All other.....		93, 068		86, 627		1, 541, 182		1, 077, 173		1, 228, 732
Total.....		242, 770		223, 978		3, 393, 189		2, 412, 068		2, 783, 045
GLASS, CYLINDER, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	227, 290	15, 909	224, 141	10, 971	2, 223, 255	108, 185	1, 607, 643	83, 549	2, 400, 846	122, 071
Belgium.....	2, 580, 372	61, 449	1, 571, 809	42, 484	32, 382, 494	595, 054	23, 446, 238	488, 530	28, 632, 452	664, 882
France.....	868	467	57	24	309, 994	11, 396	78, 362	3, 397	82, 294	3, 915
Germany.....	9, 097	2, 200	3, 028	526	181, 730	14, 032	83, 423	17, 265	173, 726	21, 327
Other Europe.....					2, 250	77	260	11	23, 038	354
Other countries.....	53	2	60	2	29, 339	953	22, 674	767	32, 779	1, 256
Total.....	2 918, 359	82, 057	1, 799, 135	54, 007	35, 129, 062	730, 297	25, 237, 970	593, 519	31, 345, 235	812, 165
Gine (pounds).....dut..	128, 058	44, 894	331, 047	34, 398			2, 349, 043	249, 905	2, 854, 655	297, 584
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free..		27, 554		25, 387		516, 510		305, 588		262, 130
Grease, n. e. s.....dut..		18, 186		12, 227				81, 093		162, 766
Hair:										
Unmanufactured.....free..		119, 437		122, 363		810, 293		1, 380, 098		1, 102, 651
Manufactures of.....dut..		12, 098		14, 128		595, 365		182, 599		148, 849
Total.....		131, 535		136, 491		1, 315, 658		1, 562, 697		1, 251, 500
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for etc.....free..						1, 328, 386		36, 308		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut..		97, 715		74, 997				359, 879		379, 168
Materials for.....dut..		229, 637		231, 457				1, 147, 722		1, 170, 206
Total.....		326, 752		306, 454		1, 328, 386		1, 543, 909		1, 523, 374
Hay (tons).....dut..	113	807	423	1, 940	84, 088	735, 466	3, 096	26, 414	1, 803	9, 524
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):										
Goatskins.....free..	5, 782, 404	1, 447, 819	4, 693, 176	1, 250, 632	23, 096, 555	6, 777, 693	40, 452, 280	9, 602, 572	38, 351, 003	10, 362, 499
All other, except hides of cattle; etc.....free..	4, 995, 961	809, 927	3, 392, 777	594, 452	85, 113, 170	8, 877, 830	35, 742, 350	4, 848, 194	37, 356, 974	5, 704, 547
Hides of cattle.....dut..	13, 576, 775	1, 512, 637	11, 309, 873	1, 184, 047			75, 839, 728	7, 818, 651	79, 394, 302	8, 018, 844
Total.....	24, 295, 140	3, 770, 383	19, 395, 826	2, 969, 131	115, 109, 725	15, 655, 463	152, 025, 358	22, 359, 417	155, 102, 284	24, 086, 290
HIDES AND SKINS (pounds) im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5, 635, 125	831, 171	2, 342, 994	306, 322	17, 620, 536	2, 472, 852	29, 025, 810	3, 625, 071	30, 990, 622	3, 830, 269
France.....	2, 149, 795	319, 168	2, 070, 068	383, 281	4, 601, 277	959, 057	13, 170, 902	2, 338, 282	12, 823, 180	2, 374, 440
Germany.....	1, 747, 616	369, 299	2, 424, 259	321, 905	3, 576, 329	637, 924	7, 808, 765	1, 341, 948	10, 793, 586	1, 653, 194
Other Europe.....	2, 380, 843	563, 673	2, 667, 139	399, 187	8, 104, 551	1, 265, 410	12, 356, 642	2, 167, 827	16, 291, 552	2, 432, 471
British North America.....	1, 448, 456	122, 237	1, 282, 159	108, 070	14, 248, 031	977, 232	9, 569, 069	727, 247	8, 727, 152	737, 602
Central American States.....	176, 828	17, 588	176, 697	18, 748	1, 273, 321	166, 188	1, 234, 763	132, 672	1, 564, 172	179, 081
Mexico.....	1, 527, 465	194, 898	1, 134, 846	205, 742	7, 600, 834	991, 745	9, 018, 136	1, 128, 979	7, 629, 733	1, 189, 856
West Indies.....	122, 006	17, 450	228, 688	26, 122	5, 432, 914	433, 606	3, 831, 743	357, 979	1, 677, 692	282, 898
South America.....	4, 537, 270	739, 038	4, 906, 415	621, 949	34, 812, 548	5, 258, 837	35, 945, 018	5, 604, 830	36, 287, 434	4, 177, 057
East Indies.....	2, 549, 290	398, 400	1, 144, 640	226, 502	8, 399, 966	1, 060, 596	13, 961, 212	2, 165, 910	13, 467, 138	2, 487, 996
Other Asia and Oceania.....	776, 269	212, 822	405, 185	94, 254	3, 780, 659	689, 180	5, 721, 274	1, 073, 084	6, 231, 581	1, 322, 262
Africa.....	911, 910	148, 961	441, 339	82, 581	2, 461, 917	346, 558	4, 635, 242	747, 833	4, 057, 843	791, 503
Other countries.....	531, 637	69, 838	161, 487	173, 477	3, 285, 242	398, 278	5, 746, 302	748, 864	4, 481, 586	2, 647, 036
Total.....	24, 295, 140	3, 770, 383	19, 395, 826	2, 969, 131	115, 109, 725	15, 655, 463	152, 025, 358	22, 359, 417	155, 102, 284	24, 086, 290

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock..... free.....				50,024						397,773
Hops (pounds)..... dut.....	286,647	82,511	163,667	74,823	2,527,813	533,430	2,061,215	549,239	1,101,783	497,541
Household and personal effects, etc..... free.....		81,907		193,508		1,457,587		1,272,826		2,420,998
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, lbs.)—										
Gutta-percha.....	58,343	23,394	64,244	17,176	851,459	53,847	539,040	126,775	295,794	99,117
India rubber.....	6,386,244	3,636,230	5,300,801	3,515,434	23,269,482	11,280,259	32,915,329	17,645,157	31,481,952	19,488,130
Total unmanufactured.....	6,444,587	3,659,624	5,365,045	3,532,610	24,120,941	11,334,106	33,454,369	17,771,932	31,777,746	19,587,247
INDIA RUBBER, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,538,562	860,624	1,416,500	999,987	4,197,285	1,891,746	5,882,653	3,520,176	7,880,265	5,150,807
Germany.....	354,357	153,029	162,233	117,599	70,694	235,157	1,275,488	511,226	1,170,447	614,971
Other Europe.....	584,337	287,936	706,505	521,971	2,078,210	715,697	3,375,788	1,758,917	3,964,168	2,820,343
Central America.....	70,725	25,475	84,067	51,352	735,922	307,112	680,803	279,959	972,502	524,809
Mexico.....	11,883	3,053	28,902	10,739	55,406	17,458	69,435	20,676	151,343	59,222
West Indies.....			1,716	392	46,973	15,109	5,743	1,459	28,951	8,582
Brazil.....	3,670,725	2,231,030	2,689,699	1,726,478	14,931,616	7,693,367	20,268,151	11,057,636	15,390,440	9,451,034
Other South America.....	119,924	49,716	140,745	63,880	890,092	340,550	1,086,908	427,603	1,309,331	618,265
East Indies.....	31,540	10,268	66,074	20,876	253,758	57,694	252,525	60,903	577,635	186,389
Africa.....	963	419			1,796	799	7,168	2,279	2,023	869
Other countries.....	3,223	1,620	3,460	2,160	7,721	2,570	10,662	4,323	25,847	13,739
Total.....	6,386,244	3,636,230	5,300,801	3,515,434	23,269,482	11,280,259	32,915,329	17,645,157	31,481,952	19,488,130
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gutta-percha.....		14,610		8,631		51,197		105,690		72,527
India rubber.....		19,265		24,044		179,014		184,487		222,352
Total manufactures.....		33,875		32,675		230,211		290,177		294,879
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore (tons)..... dut.....	36,677	54,971	25,635	39,370	356,936	511,825	280,328	377,493	108,169	152,238
Pig iron (tons)..... dut.....	1,502	41,807	2,160	65,810	17,892	408,684	14,920	388,617	16,085	477,229
Scrap iron and steel, etc. (tons)..... dut.....	72	838	5	96	3,400	72,154	1,243	9,440	2,536	51,608
Bar iron (pounds)..... dut.....	2,762,402	59,098	1,820,591	37,875	25,336,347	495,569	26,182,705	523,154	33,537,710	655,542
Bars, railway, of iron or steel, etc. (tons)..... dut.....					7,755	207,661	479	17,420	10	298
Hoop, band, or scroll (pounds)..... dut.....					5,584	1,930	61,916	2,873		
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. (pounds)..... dut.....	2,313,779	101,453	1,490,389	79,522	24,581,323	967,119	22,900,013	877,268	14,919,770	664,742
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel (pounds)..... dut.....	316,131	9,778	241,530	9,856	7,655,976	168,871	3,709,215	115,991	2,495,980	104,570
Ties for baling cotton (pounds)..... free.....					16,265,506	239,498				
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin (pounds)..... dut.....	20,059,308	436,504	7,630,283	179,125	152,769,306	3,490,779	114,910,023	2,558,391	63,317,084	1,437,333
Wire rods (pounds)..... dut.....	3,761,379	79,981	3,004,025	63,341	24,583,566	493,680	27,657,595	577,542	21,943,017	470,955
Wire, and articles made from (pounds)..... dut.....	334,214	23,418	310,651	23,384	4,540,421	272,256	3,798,440	234,676	2,981,319	195,187
MANUFACTURES—										
Anvils (pounds)..... dut.....	52,397	3,121	53,073	3,277	474,820	28,347	473,968	28,083	322,309	20,218
Chains (pounds)..... dut.....	38,578	2,008	7,066	885	420,081	31,311	155,796	9,784	255,881	15,367
Cutlery..... dut.....		79,765		87,793		1,135,666		590,284		747,278
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats..... dut.....		914		2,327		32,083		22,350		24,764
Firearms..... dut.....		15,106		27,029		443,839		273,562		516,590
Needles, hand sewing and darning..... free.....		31,333		35,561		187,555		223,123		281,692
Machinery..... dut.....		176,209		98,171		870,637		1,187,075		1,084,081

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Shotgun barrels, in single tubes, forged, rough bored . . . free.		4,353		6,585		17,065		27,045		77,510
All other . . . dut.		85,994		113,934		952,883		729,809		739,394
Total, not including ore . .		1,151,680		834,601		10,517,588		8,297,977		7,564,958
TIN PLATES, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	20,054,324	436,215	7,624,739	178,783	152,638,417	3,487,416	114,603,793	2,549,678	63,250,863	1,434,024
British North America	4,984	289	5,544	342	130,611	3,347	296,640	8,373	66,221	3,309
Other countries					278	16	9,590	340		
Total	20,059,308	436,504	7,630,283	179,125	152,769,306	3,490,779	114,910,023	2,558,391	63,317,084	1,437,333
Ivory (free, pounds):										
Animal	76,463	151,876	16,563	36,026	78,890	214,577	171,036	350,483	167,081	358,573
Vegetable	962,553	12,376	172,600	1,064	2,007,750	26,977	10,863,520	114,570	5,335,228	54,173
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:										
Diamonds, uncut, including miner's, etc., not set . . . free.		269,965		1,018,880		32,876		2,270,076		2,417,375
Diamonds, cut, but not set . . dut.		248,335		651,154		1,752,348		3,620,968		5,686,706
Other precious stones, rough or uncut . . . free.		4,402		2,691				16,071		23,652
Other precious stones, cut, but not set . . . dut.		147,238		131,355		468,856		1,656,997		1,311,328
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver . . . dut.		92,825		254,267		648,754		814,123		1,749,928
Total		762,765		2,058,347		2,902,834		8,378,235		11,188,989
PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom		47,637		765,597		5,349		993,568		1,488,092
France		13,178		14,583		1,081		111,712		57,603
Netherlands		210,179		240,501		494		1,109,456		887,000
Other Europe		3,229		890				67,805		4,822
Brazil						797		1,303		
Other countries		124				25,155		2,303		2,700
Total		274,367		1,021,571		32,876		2,286,147		2,441,027
JEWELRY, AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		145,020		176,443		934,976		1,609,254		2,274,247
France		192,097		371,072		809,461		1,853,147		2,801,429
Germany		41,203		47,700		232,704		378,112		570,694
Netherlands		55,105		198,264		424,952		1,714,711		2,339,328
Other Europe		53,995		241,653		452,185		436,586		736,650
British North America		473		271		3,824		91,608		2,159
Mexico		337		1,082		1,929		4,593		3,667
East India		3		20		2,230		881		7,142
Other countries		165		271		7,687		3,196		12,605
Total		488,398		1,026,776		2,869,958		6,082,688		8,747,962
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):										
Lead in ore, etc.	17,575,742	224,290	8,646,960	163,775			131,916,986	1,846,163	126,105,380	1,841,660
Pigs, bars, and old	200,251	4,601	171,512	3,747			2,954,542	72,880	274,000	6,634
Pigs, bars, old, and other in ore .					109,758,113	1,211,918				
Manufactures of		271		486		2,954		3,442		7,862
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom			59,418	1,800	3,174,903	18,963	388,072	11,664	2,123,945	52,077
Germany							336,053	8,944		
Other Europe			111,952	1,940	222,080	4,222	1,120,528	28,608	111,952	1,940
British North America	3,436,124	74,239	2,546,918	74,210	12,739,610	238,852	33,667,086	767,369	23,005,294	573,616

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Lead, and manufactures of (duti- able, pounds)—Continued.										
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC.—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	14,339,553	154,649	6,017,661	88,367	92,410,945	935,088	99,192,799	1,129,684	100,707,667	1,215,921
Other countries.....	316	3	82,523	1,205	1,210,575	14,853	296,990	3,044	334,522	4,678
Total.....	17,775,993	228,891	8,818,472	167,522	109,758,113	1,211,918	134,911,528	1,919,043	126,379,380	1,848,234
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER (durable)										
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		6,580		6,250		112,138		108,559		34,161
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		13,767		16,164		48,847		94,422		205,397
Skins for morocco.....		285,835		239,305		2,413,786		2,282,396		1,575,778
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		299,820		185,460		1,368,357		1,359,092		1,553,581
Total leather.....		515,552		447,209		3,943,128		3,844,449		3,368,917
MANUFACTURES OF (durable)—										
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		551,757		571,649		3,686,693		3,704,166		4,019,165
All other.....		25,937		36,182		287,821		273,395		310,709
Total manufactures.....		577,694		607,831		3,974,514		3,977,561		4,329,874
GLOVES, imported from—										
Belgium.....		56,996		35,282		187,697		227,359		198,597
France.....		155,505		219,570		1,288,707		1,053,462		1,524,071
Germany.....		261,051		252,558		1,496,835		1,814,285		1,736,983
Other Europe.....		78,202		64,234		713,310		608,818		558,922
Other countries.....		3		5		144		242		592
Total.....		551,757		571,649		3,686,693		3,704,166		4,019,165
Malt, barley (bushels).....dut.	413	346	400	325	9,299	7,662	3,182	2,976	3,863	3,443
Malt liquors (durable, gallons):										
In bottles or jugs.....	39,991	36,717	43,835	39,126	513,474	498,760	458,965	427,541	552,960	546,157
In other coverings.....	199,623	64,974	150,117	42,781	1,293,693	364,448	1,201,275	340,346	1,218,614	363,011
Total.....	239,614	101,691	193,952	81,907	1,807,167	863,208	1,660,240	767,887	1,771,574	914,168
Manganese, ore and oxide of (tons)										
free.....	9,852	71,195	4,073	34,457			51,511	431,342	74,779	529,910
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (durable):										
Marble, and manufactures of.....		62,434		40,297		458,774		445,659		452,902
Stone, and manufactures of, in- cluding slate.....		16,491		10,431		224,349		168,667		139,183
Total.....		78,925		50,728		683,123		612,326		592,085
Matting for floors (rolls).....free.							20,804	61,899		
Matting and mats for floors, etc. (square yards).....dut.	3,843,591	245,060	6,661,383	485,060	561,450	1,845,251	5,708,782	409,742	20,002,048	1,377,043
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (durable):										
Brass manufactures.....		32,634		47,564		322,690		326,042		373,942
All other.....		279,238		245,138		2,327,951		2,300,894		2,364,631
Total.....		311,872		292,702		2,650,641		2,626,936		2,738,573
Musical instruments, and parts of.....dut.		63,757		67,013		727,331		694,706		701,480
Oils (gallons):										
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—										
Whale and fish.....dut.	26,236	13,334	14,561	7,461	123,785	134,058	602,364	192,020	464,862	168,527
Other.....dut.	21	92			11,227	2,050	13,080	3,145	1,194	254
Mineral.....free.	136,013	10,915	3,000	924	4,050	3,721	924,743	66,540	1,370,218	99,722
Do.....dut.	7	2			45,588	4,961	11,717	1,813	4,704	318
VEGETABLE—										
Fixed or expressed.....free.		160,393		132,432		1,053,433		1,273,836		997,153
Do.....dut.		57,159		38,299		416,920		335,667		385,518
Olive.....dut.	44,989	55,095	68,629	77,257	513,400	601,178	450,838	555,292	532,687	642,777

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils (gallons)—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
Volatile, or essential, and dis-		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
tilled.....free.....		103,651		155,681		780,869		600,286		852,665
Do.....dut.....		32,694		16,879		137,467		233,911		182,267
Total.....		433,335		428,843		3,134,668		3,322,560		3,329,236
Paints, pigments, and colors.....free.....						57,513		8,470		
Do.....dut.....		66,785		70,882		685,150		663,550		725,428
Paper stock, crude (free) (see also										
Wood pulp):										
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs.....	4,456,208	58,601	3,061,711	51,252	29,041,304	388,076	33,146,729	476,634	35,012,215	506,512
All other.....		154,865		121,049		1,480,836		1,414,825		1,265,097
Total.....		213,466		172,301		1,868,912		1,891,459		1,771,609
PAPER STOCK, crude, imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....		83,221		82,315		669,938		682,173		670,248
Belgium.....		19,560		14,698		194,416		188,947		183,356
France.....		19,116		13,239		137,790		131,568		122,255
Germany.....		41,454		29,065		274,978		363,305		410,878
Italy.....		23,769		13,493		121,716		168,800		169,381
Other Europe.....		3,654		5,395		74,510		94,091		76,958
British North America.....		7,555		3,503		364,416		180,344		47,713
East Indies.....		1,430				5,657		8,612		9,051
Japan.....		8,218		3,013		12,415		49,682		39,312
Other countries.....		5,489		7,580		13,076		23,937		42,457
Total.....		213,466		172,301		1,868,912		1,891,459		1,771,609
Paper, and manufactures of (duti-										
able):										
Lithographic labels and prints,		(a)		46,766		(a)		(a)		a 571,325
n. e. s.....										
Parchment papers.....lbs.....		(a)	44,953	3,163		(a)		(a)	449,317	33,499
All other.....		219,231		184,851		1,931,773		1,884,530		1,484,176
Total.....		219,231		234,780		1,931,773		1,884,530		2,089,000
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		45,776		44,129		371,713		337,415		509,804
Belgium.....		6,519		2,574		43,066		38,079		29,806
France.....		21,214		32,535		120,430		152,072		169,077
Germany.....		123,331		125,212		1,214,705		1,180,535		1,176,591
Other Europe.....		5,964		5,479		34,113		35,585		51,550
Japan.....		12,397		20,616		130,393		117,862		124,119
Other countries.....		2,030		4,235		17,353		22,982		28,958
Total.....		219,231		234,780		1,931,773		1,884,530		2,089,000
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....dut.....		27,343		46,930		386,404		285,879		347,931
Pipes and smokers' articles.....dut.....		12,790		13,757		216,871		143,930		161,474
Plants, shrubs, and vines.....dut.....		(b)		9,717		(b)		(b)		b 611,065
Platinum.....free.....lbs.....	522	93,692	287	80,128		4,293		556,286		4,293
Plumbago.....free.....tons.....	1,066	40,921	796	38,411		9,803		228,460		8,490
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products (dutiable):										
MEAT PRODUCTS										
Meat and meat extracts.....		15,324		31,529		341,941		291,924		148,625
All other.....		5,282		12,185		43,444		50,320		87,026
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
Butter.....lbs.....	839	164	721	129	29,305	4,818	25,281	4,237	18,408	3,647
Cheese.....lbs.....	570,639	80,195	876,267	124,537	8,108,036	1,100,112	6,590,486	877,781	7,636,475	1,022,193
Milk.....		4,632		5,208		43,611		43,493		23,563
Total.....		105,597		173,588		1,533,926		1,267,755		1,290,854

a Included in "All other manufactures of paper" prior to July, 1898.

b Included in "All other articles" prior to July, 1898.

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, etc.—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
CHEESE (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	15,821	2,656	5,563	1,363	74,082	13,631	126,165	19,536	104,981	17,975
France.....	62,751	10,203	81,954	14,590	638,264	113,665	627,910	100,239	698,833	124,476
Germany.....	16,722	1,876	20,435	2,307	242,827	30,434	224,284	28,795	232,279	29,180
Italy.....	149,423	19,837	162,105	21,021	2,325,487	339,485	1,981,471	265,789	2,433,573	305,496
Netherlands.....	23,014	2,627	74,994	12,675	693,834	76,150	699,862	76,073	853,452	93,193
Switzerland.....	261,589	38,639	499,283	68,946	3,797,185	493,647	2,731,485	361,711	3,056,802	419,138
Other Europe.....	37,551	4,834	26,916	3,183	250,623	29,693	182,956	22,730	228,348	26,419
British North America.....	764	115	4,291	343	20,289	2,684	12,012	1,793	23,797	5,747
Other countries.....	4	2	726	104	5,445	723	4,341	515	2,410	569
Total.....	570,639	80,195	876,267	124,537	8,108,036	1,100,112	6,530,486	877,781	7,636,475	1,022,193
Rice (pounds):										
Rice.....dut..	10,094,709	196,265	16,116,089	320,441	60,156,439	1,092,524	49,067,339	954,911	69,425,901	1,502,280
Rice, free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands..	518,060	21,533	161,890	6,740	4,455,600	175,623	4,241,100	182,078	2,503,800	132,433
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....dut..	2,236,530	35,397	3,104,783	46,991	37,215,919	520,123	40,501,517	649,526	34,774,062	536,123
Total.....	12,909,239	253,199	19,385,072	374,172	101,827,958	1,788,276	93,814,986	1,786,515	106,703,763	2,170,846
Salt (pounds).....free..					352,787,739	460,929	26,053,890	34,168		
Do.....dut..	25,241,143	41,012	23,186,851	43,799	8,757,573	11,063	187,276,748	293,290	237,501,791	398,835
Sausage casings.....free..		34,789		82,095				314,028		376,893
Seeds (bushels):										
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut..	7,953	10,286			60,489	60,116	76,982	84,216	35,983	36,024
Seeds, n. e. s.....free..		76,146		89,485		571,995		521,563		471,682
Do.....dut..		51,497		51,212		383,311		321,635		289,549
Total.....		137,929		140,697		1,015,422		927,419		797,855
Shells, unmanufactured.....free..		65,737		58,830				636,510		640,898
Silk, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—										
Cocoons.....							2,610	690	13,503	2,272
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	761,003	2,353,995	1,372,539	4,584,215	3,617,191	10,490,489	7,769,453	23,188,319	6,717,865	21,175,257
Waste.....	100,536	42,278	125,145	43,148	792,383	209,743	1,312,698	471,834	1,037,521	439,761
Total unmanufactured.....		2,396,273		4,632,363		10,700,232		23,660,843		21,617,260
SILK, RAW (pounds), imported from—										
France.....	23,208	96,300	27,561	106,092	114,762	365,705	202,896	724,661	202,881	754,545
Italy.....	150,312	560,187	209,240	689,951	509,823	1,770,144	1,652,438	3,703,510	1,368,729	5,089,094
China.....	252,195	274,159	282,073	781,238	788,026	1,944,810	2,052,702	4,671,471	1,604,230	3,883,203
Japan.....	335,288	1,423,349	853,665	3,006,874	2,041,433	5,994,906	4,263,617	13,524,338	3,449,715	11,227,085
Other countries.....					163,137	414,834	197,800	564,339	97,397	216,330
Total.....	761,003	2,353,995	1,372,539	4,584,215	3,617,191	10,490,489	7,769,453	23,188,319	6,717,865	21,175,257
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Clothing, ready-made, and other wearing apparel.....		167,230		181,087		1,433,037		1,329,751		1,058,016
Dress and piece goods.....		1,053,873		1,365,247		4,110,039		6,050,934		8,590,001
Laces and embroideries.....		573,516		403,333		1,383,727		2,374,536		2,009,176
Ribbons.....		253,048		217,777		645,280		1,467,755		1,294,435
Spun silks, in skeins, cops, warps, or on beams.....lbs..			138,702	163,750					1,078,594	1,199,444
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs..			26,596	92,952					369,259	1,185,727
All other.....		430,352		157,911		6,640,719		3,909,343		1,583,753
Total manufactures.....		2,475,059		2,585,057		14,214,802		15,142,319		16,930,952

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Silk, and manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom		211,655		208,078		1,215,325		1,263,355		2,007,634
Austria Hungary		6,954		4,944		87,632		74,279		114,351
Belgium		3,612		6,338		19,573		23,786		37,136
France		1,245,888		1,311,506		6,368,591		7,244,012		7,092,725
Germany		454,294		393,967		3,116,379		2,996,712		3,097,393
Italy		22,079		37,551		183,162		238,013		263,552
Switzerland		301,151		439,314		1,748,959		2,132,061		2,539,465
Other Europe		1,239		5,523		18,492		28,895		39,605
China		6,098		9,503		108,841		84,537		102,213
Japan		210,153		193,958		1,264,959		1,026,669		1,631,138
Other countries		1,930		3,983		57,889		30,059		44,740
Total		2,475,059		2,585,057		14,214,832		15,142,319		16,930,952
Soap (dutyable):										
Fancy, perfumed, etc. lbs.	83,463	31,859	88,332	38,955	553,146	178,799	362,631	158,376	515,782	215,291
All other		23,239		24,870		239,963		159,934		156,719
Total		55,098		61,825		418,762		318,310		372,010
Spices:										
UNROUND (pounds)—										
Nutmegs	74,802	21,366	137,302	33,384	966,565	264,746	908,014	254,787	984,080	244,067
Pepper, black or white. free..	672,307	69,511	909,891	84,439	7,895,581	354,469	9,306,268	535,313	7,148,916	612,414
All other	786,005	62,513	921,694	74,578	10,860,308	539,203	9,098,911	608,575	9,009,130	669,489
Do. dut.	294,905	21,856	296,091	23,154	1,345,327	174,969	1,708,439	118,469	2,517,667	213,473
Total		166,246		217,555		1,333,387		1,567,144		1,739,443
NUTMEGS, PEPPER, ETC. (free, pounds, imported from—										
United Kingdom	358,669	35,159	564,551	46,000	3,583,396	187,988	4,928,117	317,277	2,873,078	241,669
Netherlands	167,536	16,984	88,047	19,473	2,590,221	193,561	1,170,177	147,823	589,193	96,857
Other Europe	58,624	6,538	4,979	207	119,289	6,144	270,311	18,204	79,339	6,852
British North America					10,225	1,860	2,500	162	160	29
British West Indies	201,448	17,442	392,320	33,412	2,800,719	115,570	1,532,966	98,325	2,780,826	200,903
China	360,336	17,933	133,139	6,242	2,096,239	96,435	1,802,656	114,299	1,604,321	96,996
East Indies	391,416	45,709	680,787	83,409	7,020,775	475,411	7,761,525	608,248	7,287,714	740,097
Other Asia and Oceania	35,979	3,181	31,018	2,318	496,436	49,411	285,468	38,631	1,681,500	93,485
Africa	12,180	690	72,000	1,162	916,790	29,341	1,505,797	53,755	820,483	47,925
Other countries	10,926	754	2,043	178	88,364	2,694	53,616	1,948	29,536	1,247
Total	1,537,114	144,390	1,968,887	192,401	19,722,454	1,158,418	19,313,133	1,338,675	17,146,156	1,523,970
SPICES, ALL OTHER (dutyable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		14,870		16,785		133,511		108,636		142,650
Other Europe		1,672		1,562		11,981		21,518		21,965
Mexico		4,878		3,459		24,835		25,510		33,020
Other countries		436		3,348		4,642		12,835		15,838
Total		21,856		25,154		174,969		168,469		213,473
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax) free..	69,978	60,073	56,864	59,821	672,811	619,580	618,737	534,383	574,669	485,744
Brandy	9,110	24,710	10,921	29,682	144,263	385,719	83,597	226,115	134,084	384,690
All other	53,721	83,288	84,399	122,634	893,656	975,753	449,797	588,934	777,552	1,029,339
Total	134,299	168,071	152,094	212,137	1,620,730	1,981,052	1,149,131	1,349,492	1,486,305	1,839,773
SPIRITS (not of domestic manufacture, proof gallons), imported from—										
United Kingdom	24,291	39,830	34,686	56,530	322,790	428,103	204,739	300,098	370,829	529,275
Belgium	3,196	4,310	1,407	2,524	17,620	16,803	20,592	25,359	16,090	25,384
France	11,399	32,709	17,023	47,909	166,733	461,018	95,852	171,888	169,199	476,191
Germany	5,965	3,901	6,259	2,152	57,942	46,836	28,820	17,963	46,354	23,158
Italy	440	791	2,132	3,554	12,701	23,443	2,790	4,801	12,135	21,167
Netherlands	8,452	3,780	12,749	5,871	127,555	62,093	61,903	31,692	93,964	54,021
Other Europe	937	1,051	1,038	1,594	14,090	23,709	4,189	6,624	17,885	27,813
British North America	9,755	10,408	13,370	26,541	123,243	224,029	58,613	104,059	92,205	182,439

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons)— Continued.										
Spirits (not of domestic manu- facture, etc.)—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
West Indies	449	1,004	999	3,542	20,018	40,817	13,453	39,003	13,570	40,187
China	1,803	569	3,945	1,284	52,571	11,694	20,422	4,582	54,041	16,351
Other Asia and Oceania	1,075	296	1,566	683	26,479	6,169	16,058	4,097	17,106	10,099
Other countries	1,069	442	416	222	6,157	9,707	2,963	1,773	2,348	2,944
Total	68,831	107,998	95,230	152,316	947,919	1,361,472	530,394	815,049	911,636	1,414,029
Sponges		29,257		45,134		286,745		245,714		238,887
Straw and grass, manufactures of				30,286						174,723
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:										
Molasses (gallons)					206,123	13,397	40,275	2,346	15,300	542
Molasses (gallons)	302,043	70,470	8,227	1,599	1,173,596	198,353	814,196	143,741	404,065	66,952
SUGAR (pounds):										
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard, in color—										
Beet			72,711,980	1,546,006	714,800,043	13,619,717	17,300,577	331,344	430,042,241	9,965,343
Cane	25,054,849	927,103	31,529,451	1,190,048	225,311,264	7,232,062	289,019,461	8,961,700	243,448,882	8,915,496
Cane and other	211,462,662	4,400,307	187,469,798	3,748,430	1,132,992,888	22,468,886	863,187,356	16,469,028	1,412,363,161	29,448,702
Above No. 16 Dutch standard	3,290,573	84,296	11,488,891	299,946	87,541,580	2,261,558	69,561,550	1,673,870	50,464,207	1,287,709
Total sugar	25,054,849	927,103	31,529,451	1,190,048	225,311,264	7,232,062	289,019,461	8,961,700	243,448,882	8,915,496
.....	214,753,235	4,574,603	271,670,669	5,504,382	1,935,394,511	38,350,161	950,058,523	18,474,242	1,942,869,609	40,701,754
Total	239,808,084	5,501,706	303,209,120	6,784,430	2,160,645,775	45,582,223	1,239,077,984	27,435,942	2,186,318,491	49,617,250
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	2,602,973	61,360	1,860,241	46,148	20,925,600	392,063	9,336,138	214,294	12,401,222	324,042
Austria-Hungary			704,061	14,604	40,224,510	746,050	715,500	17,639	12,915,451	257,432
Belgium					47,881,075	833,417				
Germany			72,007,919	1,531,402	607,627,226	11,643,951	15,214,489	278,854	566,064,252	9,683,511
Netherlands					5,690,915	91,644	2,177,883	51,612		
Other Europe	66,142	1,542					77,230	1,698	1,996,400	41,070
British North America	60	3			627,200	50,567	309,682	11,309	27,803	1,260
Central America			773,398	17,084					2,521,791	55,789
Mexico	238,152	2,451	186,927	3,840	746,833	12,045	675,111	9,527	646,748	11,859
West Indies:										
British	8,562,610	169,761	4,608,421	101,028	99,811,521	1,811,964	51,482,823	952,039	80,126,305	1,601,558
Cuba	72,577,670	1,631,302	60,290,019	1,203,299	79,860,112	1,571,796	101,527,626	2,312,847	217,338,460	4,734,447
Other West Indies	16,525,647	389,142	11,998,353	275,928	125,838,001	2,497,121	52,294,448	948,806	60,108,545	1,326,739
Brazil	36,166,400	623,493	6,271,102	121,464	100,353,476	1,521,234	66,352,634	1,080,010	17,287,486	331,400
Other South America	31,109,049	685,702	20,020,704	475,419	180,546,699	3,687,060	141,364,147	2,836,980	176,816,030	4,176,962
China	47,223	829	62,415	1,147	227,482	4,879	266,442	4,261	207,645	3,496
East Indies	21,555,357	410,617	58,087,625	1,190,820	467,363,569	9,948,110	398,134,542	7,369,737	622,798,231	14,394,920
Hawaiian Islands	25,054,849	927,103	31,529,451	1,190,048	225,311,264	7,232,058	289,019,461	8,931,343	238,948,832	8,915,496
Philippine Islands					62,965,820	983,853	18,536,000	223,591	51,025,280	969,323
Other Asia and Oceania	6,186	121	6,835	125	25,583	96,202	27,085	508	3,392,608	65,828
Africa	22,005,193	513,984	23,303,758	303,058	7,676,896	146,611	22,005,193	513,984	70,541,145	1,414,409
Other countries					292	10				
Total	236,517,511	5,417,410	291,711,229	6,484,484	2,073,104,195	43,320,665	1,169,516,434	25,762,072	2,135,854,284	48,329,541
Above No. 16 Dutch standard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	22,400	655	1,217,590	27,551	12,071,941	298,316	4,565,929	111,407	2,802,897	66,050
Austria-Hungary	170,484	5,261	238,063	7,167	5,425,254	126,742	207,321	6,499	805,273	21,454
France	4,850	272			11,297	535	6,693	324	15,144	762
Germany	1,125,495	28,146	234,228	6,634	34,771,772	851,645	18,820,606	447,573	11,974,491	277,019
Netherlands	750,000	19,594			27,233,974	749,291	29,931,497	734,976	6,584,734	167,903
China	1,015,924	25,393	1,248,876	36,079	6,839,770	199,371	4,775,047	118,600	5,233,523	148,566
Other countries	201,420	4,975	8,550,134	222,515	1,187,572	35,628	11,254,367	254,491	23,048,145	605,955
Total	3,290,573	84,296	11,488,891	299,946	87,541,580	2,261,558	69,561,550	1,673,870	50,464,207	1,287,709
Confectionery		2,714		787		17,044		19,402		24,154
Sulphur ore (tons)			12,503	40,533					209,245	673,949

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Tea (pounds).....free..	4,862,829	656,964			81,220,822	10,247,506	55,535,248	7,592,951		
Do.....dut.....			6,699,258	787,070					57,923,252	7,610,586
TEA (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	385,931	76,902	236,884	42,927	3,350,382	613,631	1,491,014	307,685	943,533	215,999
British North America.....	3,530	984	238,005	40,022	526,469	91,058	439,125	70,778	596,152	96,231
China.....	4,141,565	537,389	5,123,813	583,474	44,554,836	5,862,986	32,145,071	4,755,335	26,647,000	3,317,922
East Indies.....	153,365	20,114	225,030	26,734	1,665,328	206,873	1,469,126	184,603	1,069,657	183,496
Japan.....	170,589	20,528	861,685	92,014	30,757,905	3,422,784	19,731,223	2,246,394	27,469,665	3,765,877
Other Asia and Oceania.....	7,589	944	13,570	1,768	318,537	42,418	257,778	27,573	1,187,253	27,956
Other countries.....	260	103	271	121	47,315	7,756	1,911	583	9,392	2,105
Total.....	4,862,829	656,964	6,699,258	787,070	81,220,822	10,247,506	55,535,248	7,592,951	57,923,252	7,610,586
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc. (pounds).....free..	4,024,974	530,435	6,200,617	1,122,920			38,313,890	5,242,330	41,479,758	6,417,153
TIN IN BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,399,757	193,634	2,216,321	445,205	14,656,288	1,896,228	11,372,970	1,664,356	7,318,665	1,325,088
Netherlands.....			181,543	38,562	1,690,768	227,111	2,591,148	363,063	1,710,298	298,522
East Indies.....	2,466,457	315,329	3,809,693	638,741	12,946,523	1,660,443	23,008,358	3,034,854	31,747,644	4,689,748
Other Asia and Oceania.....	158,466	21,439			1,431,757	184,736	1,213,686	162,758	448,215	69,471
Other countries.....	274	33	2,060	412	853,523	108,737	127,728	17,299	254,966	34,324
Total.....	4,024,974	530,435	6,200,617	1,122,920	31,578,879	4,077,255	38,313,890	5,242,330	41,479,758	6,417,153
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
LEAF (dutiabie, pounds)—										
Suitable for cigar wrappers....	59,784	51,767	104,412	119,590	2,408,117	2,018,667	1,100,371	1,005,776	2,255,650	2,355,949
Other.....	361,711	230,837	1,674,913	963,515	4,746,481	2,198,464	4,964,629	2,742,083	5,659,782	3,142,357
Total leaf.....	421,495	282,604	1,779,325	1,083,105	7,154,598	4,217,131	6,065,000	3,747,859	7,915,432	5,498,306
Imported from (pounds)—										
Germany.....	9,283	2,815	99,204	10,530	657,949	370,114	71,954	27,948	248,915	25,993
Netherlands.....	44,169	36,601	72,842	72,438	1,991,805	1,638,570	908,007	796,294	2,006,341	1,983,014
Other Europe.....	13,607	9,102	23,437	31,644	357,360	109,635	692,375	281,432	428,856	247,586
British North America.....	1,451	775	188,041	173,800	373,460	310,861	186,491	132,667	459,771	399,255
Mexico.....	24,075	4,451	19,881	4,213	494,114	204,604	369,066	192,520	562,960	209,464
Cuba.....	313,833	221,961	1,345,001	786,426	3,207,756	1,564,767	3,402,367	2,184,095	3,895,892	2,538,657
Other countries.....	15,077	6,899	30,319	4,054	72,154	18,580	434,740	132,893	312,657	94,397
Total.....	421,495	282,604	1,779,325	1,083,105	7,154,598	4,217,131	6,065,000	3,747,859	7,915,432	5,498,306
MANUFACTURES OF (dut., lbs.)—										
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	32,537	151,839	35,742	178,200	298,456	1,313,663	249,990	1,117,991	266,662	1,338,282
All other.....		2,851		3,621		30,017		35,011		41,495
Total manufactures.....		154,690		181,821		1,343,680		1,153,002		1,379,777
Toys.....dut.....		79,254		71,785		2,161,374		1,627,896		1,751,209
Toys, imported from—										
France.....		5,786		3,438		129,592		68,339		73,534
Germany.....		69,178		65,357		1,956,806		1,458,771		1,616,334
Other Europe.....		917		536		54,834		53,961		41,181
Other countries.....		3,373		2,454		20,142		16,822		19,696
Total.....		79,254		71,785		2,161,374		1,627,896		1,751,209
Vegetables (dutiabie, bushels):										
Beans and dried pease.....	19,110	15,696	18,156	17,626	350,268	362,652	113,106	107,855	129,326	112,681
Onions.....	2,888	2,462	3,746	5,052	90,425	44,745	70,120	36,680	151,759	82,675
Potatoes.....	88,909	38,931	7,562	10,166	92,964	33,450	563,894	190,635	51,899	39,285
Pickles and sauces.....		18,866		26,099		188,610		129,528		219,065
All other—										
In their natural state.....		15,087		24,983		202,365		192,497		215,428
Prepared or preserved.....		37,434		42,573		413,870		339,742		491,453
Total.....		128,476		126,499		1,250,092		1,006,877		1,100,592
Wines (dutiabie):										
Champagne, and other sparkling (dozen).....	15,443	220,560	15,070	216,042	156,825	2,295,164	150,253	2,193,977	171,783	2,334,933
STILL WINES—										
In casks (gallons).....	114,402	75,854	108,659	67,249	1,345,848	935,298	977,124	697,273	1,278,988	865,320
In other coverings (dozen).....	13,983	69,462	10,260	44,869	161,011	772,341	153,647	751,584	158,199	756,593
Total.....		366,876		318,130		4,002,603		3,642,834		3,955,846

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wines (dutyable)—Continued—										
Wines imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....		11,236		6,062		129,707		158,753		124,772
France.....		212,259		235,397		2,609,241		2,432,119		2,647,222
Germany.....		18,476		17,737		632,710		469,546		575,780
Italy.....		22,594		16,037		154,224		151,539		143,436
Other Europe.....		59,627		40,771		455,130		408,486		443,696
Other countries.....		12,764		2,123		21,791		22,391		20,940
Total.....		356,876		318,130		4,002,803		3,642,834		3,955,846
Wood, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (M feet)—										
Cabinet woods—										
Mahogany.....free..	783	45,772	835	54,964	9,057	392,963	10,591	542,162	15,753	763,801
All other.....free..		60,372		42,036		315,981		577,015		558,290
Logs and round timbers.....free..	1,016	7,299	1,138	7,636	203,619	1,617,921	170,549	1,482,929	166,234	1,504,738
Timber, hewn, etc.....free..					2,020	29,521	815	22,416		
Timber, hewn, etc. (cu. ft.).....dut..	212	51	6,828	779	2,821	395	72,814	17,490	69,804	9,910
Lumber (M feet)—										
Boards, planks, etc.....free..					464,725	4,684,650	107,953	1,055,126		
Do.....dut..	11,696	113,469	15,291	136,520	27	1,131	123,405	1,273,128	235,435	2,349,547
Shingles.....dut..	14,858	25,181	17,675	29,724			266,589	468,568	315,893	545,342
Other lumber.....dut..		19,865		25,005		10,334		462,117		561,172
All other unmanufactured.....free..		108,418		185,623		2,848,179		1,583,561		1,260,081
Do.....dut..		592		474		9		11,819		16,065
MANUFACTURES OF (dutyable)—										
Cabinet ware or house furniture.....		13,684		19,862		262,538		207,350		233,682
Wood pulp (tons).....	2,525	48,852	2,619	48,487	32,966	606,795	17,401	334,923	23,313	444,272
All other.....		112,600		111,235		1,123,621		949,083		1,019,661
Total wood, and mfrs. of.....		556,098		661,745		12,034,698		8,980,687		9,266,561
MAHOGANY (M feet), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	166	19,562	361	33,201	232	76,449	780	153,713	2,724	212,407
Central America.....	23	995			2,289	74,109	3,507	105,163	4,855	256,889
Mexico.....	573	23,857	292	12,401	5,545	206,258	5,055	230,072	6,725	221,364
Cuba.....			7	313	17	758	21	833	104	7,513
Other West Indies.....	3	191	180	7,483	38	1,830	125	8,821	876	45,261
South America.....			43	720	898	26,980	1,018	38,879	333	9,411
Other countries.....	18	1,167	12	756	128	6,579	85	4,681	133	10,856
Total.....	783	45,772	835	54,964	9,057	392,963	10,591	542,162	15,753	763,801
BOARDS, PLANKS, ETC. (M feet), imported from—										
British North America.....	11,692	113,251	15,290	136,448	464,745	4,885,347	231,287	2,326,570	231,927	2,396,197
Other countries.....	4	158	1	72	7	424	71	1,684	3,508	43,350
Total.....	11,696	113,409	15,291	136,520	464,752	4,885,781	231,358	2,328,254	235,435	2,349,547
WOOD PULP (tons), imported from—										
Germany.....	551	9,477	104	6,173	1,363	67,435	974	36,434	415	24,844
Other Europe.....	522	19,360	231	10,638	3,867	151,190	2,161	92,203	2,742	119,407
British North America.....	1,452	20,015	2,284	31,676	27,736	388,170	14,266	206,286	20,156	300,021
Other countries.....										
Total.....	2,525	48,852	2,619	48,487	32,966	606,795	17,401	334,923	23,313	444,272
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Class 1—clothing—										
In the grease.....free..					41,440,027	6,522,690	10,902,270	1,841,523		
Do.....dut..	7,239,537	1,350,550	2,276,253	337,235			15,932,644	2,726,599	5,203,763	773,850
Scoured.....free..					6,427,777	1,076,142	2,274,045	643,069		
Do.....dut..							107,570	23,701	175	12
Class 2—combing—										
In the grease.....free..					7,743,398	1,555,258	3,197,646	631,929		
Do.....dut..	7,800	1,595	467,550	120,599			540,915	106,822	1,219,444	341,208
Scoured.....free..					91,874	17,972	15,310	3,218		
Do.....dut..			515	84					517	98
Class 3—carpet—										
In the grease.....free..					51,342,482	5,530,284	5,186,116	473,820		
Do.....dut..	8,835,878	769,102	5,644,353	547,229			52,849,649	5,169,434	40,680,763	3,835,304
Scoured.....free..					258,982	42,851	2,197	208		
Do.....dut..	125	14					1,497	115	669	133
Total.....(free).....					110,304,540	15,345,197	21,577,584	3,593,767		
Total.....(dut).....	16,083,340	2,118,261	8,388,671	1,025,147			69,432,257	8,026,671	47,105,331	4,950,605
Total.....	16,083,340	2,118,261	8,388,671	1,025,147	110,304,540	15,345,197	91,009,841	11,620,438	47,105,331	4,950,605

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpacas, etc.—Continued.										
Wools (lbs.), imported from—										
Class 1—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	4,326,459	852,670	1,507,995	248,662	26,190,770	4,550,710	19,298,545	2,681,933	2,874,056	451,708
France.....			1,784	108	3,858,704	1,024,199	1,150,014	297,797	115,953	13,591
South America.....	264,986	23,353	230,940	21,027	6,491,987	853,188	3,527,067	446,497	501,027	51,470
Asia and Oceania.....	2,277,876	419,188			6,479,945	1,120,605	2,881,073	1,459,997	666,502	111,716
Other countries.....	370,216	55,339	535,534	87,438	4,846,398	650,130	2,359,830	348,668	1,046,400	145,377
Total.....	7,239,537	1,350,550	2,276,253	357,235	47,867,804	8,198,832	29,216,529	5,234,892	5,203,938	773,862
Class 2—										
United Kingdom.....	5,632	1,408	399,126	98,354	3,168,685	685,221	2,694,966	554,003	1,072,243	202,168
Other Europe.....			68,405	22,242	372,715	98,729	6,920	1,185	136,163	46,466
British North America.....	468	119	534	87	3,169,204	637,235	968,804	177,251	6,391	1,806
South America.....					1,102,214	148,406	80,564	9,391	1,375	97
Asia and Oceania.....					22,454	3,639				
Other countries.....	1,700	68					2,617	139	3,789	769
Total.....	7,800	1,595	468,065	120,683	7,835,272	1,573,230	3,753,871	741,969	1,219,961	241,302
Class 3—										
United Kingdom.....	1,240,942	131,502	2,296,447	253,214	19,360,339	2,346,681	16,168,780	1,914,819	12,262,888	1,290,627
France.....	42,323	4,024			2,240,813	266,578	1,656,331	182,400	876,911	88,337
Germany.....	79,812	8,466	131,533	14,195	815,275	87,323	861,070	91,224	390,152	40,797
Other Europe.....	1,971,851	188,372	1,613,600	161,914	9,225,095	1,072,030	14,689,050	1,504,321	9,833,652	982,851
British North America.....	140	11			8,504	604	29,338	1,704		
South America.....	172,102	11,857	199,564	13,268	4,031,753	351,512	2,790,434	229,700	3,275,452	243,278
China.....	5,040,311	391,812	1,075,100	74,224	14,024,571	1,035,650	17,258,355	1,262,382	10,827,070	868,802
Other Asia and Oceania.....	261,427	26,956	272,667	26,588	4,249,556	406,029	4,284,966	431,252	2,913,387	233,381
Other countries.....	27,695	3,116	55,442	3,826	45,558	4,728	391,117	25,775	301,920	27,364
Total.....	8,836,003	766,116	5,044,353	547,229	54,601,464	5,573,135	58,039,441	5,043,577	40,681,432	3,835,437
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carbonized (pounds).....dwt.					25,360	6,814				
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dwt.	61,137	214,686	42,714	111,931	273,692	399,607	349,378	1,031,487	421,190	1,109,681
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit fabrics.....dwt.		45,263		38,537		662,403		564,318		605,584
Cloths (pounds).....dwt.	548,466	516,043	559,358	490,852	11,640,101	7,584,612	4,020,883	3,047,803	3,002,479	2,854,791
Dress goods, women's and children's (square yards).....dwt.	5,228,444	1,126,749	3,174,462	746,210	36,343,832	8,477,456	21,407,408	4,522,231	21,541,490	4,617,336
Knit fabrics.....dwt.		38,912		56,191		1,396,605		270,941		510,810
Rags, noils, and wastes (pounds).....free.					12,271,908	1,458,451	1,724,489	253,779		
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc. (pounds).....dwt.	43,351	10,282	11,898	3,451	460,582	153,913	1,335,584	398,069	176,191	37,679
Shawls.....dwt.		1,318		4,287		239,201		22,141		40,566
Yarns (pounds).....dwt.	46,757	27,383	15,766	9,441	607,048	325,205	233,876	129,404	119,552	74,140
All other.....dwt.		89,982		54,182		1,419,037		765,399		417,132
Total manufactures.....		2,070,618		1,515,082		22,123,304		11,005,572		10,267,719
CARPETS (sq. yds.), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	26,816	61,860	17,895	32,805	210,899	305,386	155,130	385,986	165,851	374,196
Other Europe.....	27,226	129,626	18,813	58,517	43,448	55,806	103,852	372,941	176,283	508,175
Japan.....	269	405	10	17	1,608	1,849	7,528	7,701	6,380	8,734
Other Asia and Oceania.....	4,361	12,659	4,914	15,685	11,040	23,598	65,765	207,959	50,193	142,903
Other countries.....	2,465	10,136	1,082	4,907	6,697	13,168	17,103	55,900	22,483	75,673
Total.....	61,137	214,686	42,714	111,931	273,692	399,607	349,378	1,031,487	421,190	1,109,681
CLOTH (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	455,296	423,513	460,237	395,442	9,456,849	5,684,877	3,359,801	2,414,422	2,056,404	1,963,202
Austria-Hungary.....	2,725	2,630	2,651	3,661	79,088	70,520	28,065	25,127	51,772	44,801
Belgium.....	3,411	3,362	9,253	8,585	245,062	220,399	73,576	61,430	90,803	83,079
France.....	13,245	14,782	18,724	20,878	230,742	266,856	70,908	80,820	164,609	177,017
Germany.....	72,210	70,452	66,191	61,310	1,609,879	1,327,595	479,862	458,127	627,630	577,364
Other Europe.....	1,014	796	441	363	9,178	6,668	2,905	2,451	5,767	4,534
Other countries.....	565	508	861	613	9,303	7,697	5,766	5,426	5,474	5,494
Total.....	548,466	516,043	559,358	490,852	11,640,101	7,584,612	4,020,883	3,047,803	3,002,479	2,854,791

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc. —Continued.										
DRESS GOODS (square yards), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom	1,015,695	343,834	1,428,052	239,884	11,145,396	2,257,020	9,370,501	1,668,360	9,568,880	1,714,381
France	2,092,048	327,739	878,200	281,246	10,706,029	2,639,843	5,146,716	1,240,301	5,849,030	1,509,925
Germany			848,709	200,549	14,168,714	3,497,164	5,561,498	1,682,502	6,027,072	1,370,592
Other Europe	1,220,681	455,157	19,485	4,519	321,025	82,802	1,328,075	30,743	95,082	22,262
Other countries	20	19	16	12	2,068	627	618	325	526	176
Total	5,228,444	1,126,749	3,174,462	746,210	36,348,832	8,477,456	21,407,408	4,522,231	21,541,490	4,617,336
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs.	387,515	16,284	82,807	3,846	742,340	22,911	2,245,657	89,164	1,122,922	46,942
Manufactures of		794		2,734		14,104		6,992		12,615
Total		17,078		6,580		37,015		96,156		59,557
All other articles.....free.		403,874		400,651		6,036,587		4,439,111		3,612,555
Do.....dut.		447,251		554,222		4,768,649		3,865,761		3,487,138
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY		22,588,894		23,005,007		212,072,118		192,062,706		178,755,951
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE		30,485,755		32,186,860		210,443,276		201,627,473		248,438,797
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE		53,074,649		60,251,867		422,515,394		393,691,179		427,194,748
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES		49,760,621		56,916,179		397,797,138		370,528,224		399,677,920
IMPORTED THROUGH EXTERIOR PORTS, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT		3,305,028		3,335,188		24,718,256		23,162,955		27,516,828
ENTERED FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.....		44,960,514		51,878,250		363,634,832		342,757,362		358,506,785
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSE		8,114,135		8,373,108		58,880,562		50,933,817		68,687,163
BROUGHT IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES		1,073,978		2,651,358		20,375,649		19,699,725		22,196,959
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS		7,221,373		6,883,958		41,440,632		47,173,740		27,657,531
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:										
Belgian		1,568,684		1,905,946				13,072,320		13,958,588
British		27,909,238		28,300,339				190,793,367		213,766,753
Dutch		1,218,143		1,829,808				12,533,929		13,921,938
French		2,730,410		4,684,171				24,034,513		34,450,040
German		5,219,991		7,109,397				41,232,528		53,220,736
Italian		8,158		85,880				127,144		458,465
Norwegian		630,397		1,426,882				6,347,882		10,608,567
All other		825,073		2,435,049				6,612,307		9,630,920
Total foreign steam		40,110,694		47,777,472		325,316,632		234,758,990		349,655,947
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS		2,051,220		1,534,780		18,374,109		15,308,497		12,613,826
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian								8		
British		1,326,968		749,928				10,480,617		9,525,270
Dutch		93,084						260,132		557,736
French		7,497						112,727		154,712
German		53,452		197,977				1,283,516		949,173
Italian		161,530		164,205				1,765,513		1,618,141
Norwegian		4,974		11,228				1,402,904		296,098
All other		361,479		280,461				1,444,610		1,668,845
Total foreign sailing		2,014,984		1,403,799		16,999,372		16,750,227		14,770,485

NOTE.—The value of merchandise imported in February, 1899, in the shipping of each of the leading merchant marines of the world, is given on page 1826.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Agricultural implements:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mowers and reapers, and parts of.....		481,929		468,698		1,073,824		1,343,944		2,530,772
Plows and cultivators, and parts of.....		102,645		177,312		371,340		507,691		894,934
All other, and parts of.....		82,097		159,519		494,018		542,508		827,090
Total.....		666,671		805,529		1,939,182		2,394,143		4,252,796
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		127,710		79,969		193,062		304,061		365,669
France.....		266,636		81,519		141,199		391,753		239,023
Germany.....		37,028		86,167		121,155		149,223		266,203
Other Europe.....		68,677		185,635		132,546		169,401		349,629
British North America.....		73,476		103,832		206,325		350,365		700,578
Central American States and British Honduras.....		365		222		23,262		14,002		5,467
Mexico.....		6,220		17,619		77,446		73,682		103,824
Santo Domingo.....		12		5		635		897		228
Cuba.....		113		3,510		1,097		6,958		11,105
Porto Rico.....		112		401		3,098		2,280		1,277
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		497		1,433		4,590		4,021		6,988
Argentina.....		28,136		72,382		323,903		291,697		1,231,056
Brazil.....		3,482		3,086		15,485		16,124		21,992
Colombia.....		366				2,274		2,210		1,271
Other South America.....		13,542		11,242		119,340		133,122		219,743
East Indies—British.....		1,994		490		4,943		6,214		3,318
British Australasia.....		25,932		66,231		231,122		315,977		441,157
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,103		29,708		18,019		14,273		45,676
Africa.....		10,270		62,078		319,591		138,020		232,592
Other countries.....								323		
Total.....		666,671		805,529		1,939,182		2,394,143		4,252,796
Aluminum, and manufactures of.....				55,691		(a)		(a)		321,352
Animals:										
CATTLE (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	33,759	3,106,480	17,917	1,678,781	237,676	22,281,297	237,034	24,071,477	192,757	17,749,976
Other Europe.....					1,510	127,100				
British North America.....	462	29,210	33	719	774	50,670	12,613	888,591	2,431	175,251
Central American States and British Honduras.....					164	10,256	95	7,018	51	3,320
Mexico.....	33	1,740	214	11,400	523	22,406	719	35,840	1,586	70,938
West Indies and Bermuda.....	4,338	145,609	3,044	87,298	1,273	83,154	37,567	1,090,926	41,800	973,187
South America.....	214	4,280			38	2,737	230	6,780	219	2,943
Asia and Oceania.....	5	260	13	630	135	7,065	27	1,775	132	7,930
Other countries.....			14	1,483	1	350			74	11,373
Total.....	38,811	3,287,519	21,235	1,780,311	242,654	22,585,035	308,285	26,072,407	239,070	18,994,918
HOGS (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	638	4,387			66	539	738	4,987		
British North America.....	297	1,377	95	299	1,930	7,005	3,232	20,028	686	3,984
Mexico.....	131	1,980	73	939	21,241	252,704	3,722	43,078	2,886	33,690
West Indies and Bermuda.....	162	1,475	269	1,440	9	92	1,241	9,476	5,769	31,501
South America.....							12	216	9	153
Asia and Oceania.....			880	4,500	2,093	10,587	3,142	16,273	4,872	25,665
Other countries.....			109	1,968	93	391	122	1,816	118	2,286
Total.....	1,141	9,219	1,417	9,146	25,432	271,318	12,209	95,874	14,340	97,279

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals—Continued.										
HORSES (number)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	3,513	492,075	2,345	290,425	8,851	1,147,76 ²	13,478	1,892,878	11,496	1,799,080
France.....			682	97,300	23	8,50 ⁰	72	9,000	682	97,300
Germany.....	546	81,900			2,343	420,15 ⁰	4,863	728,750	3,261	454,515
Other Europe.....	857	85,700	478	47,800	2,275	248,26 ⁵	4,235	431,645	2,786	282,700
British North America.....	500	22,978	696	30,859	2,282	257,026	4,925	471,518	5,506	382,389
Central American States and British Honduras.....	46	1,840	17	1,120	396	32,987	133	9,440	89	5,590
Mexico.....	385	14,725	67	6,780	1,198	54,178	976	54,329	910	59,034
West Indies and Bermuda.....	7	1,485	196	19,140	2,666	140,378	1,846	124,373	717	93,865
South America.....			14	1,400	169	10,455	14	4,650	27	3,839
Asia and Oceania.....	12	1,100	61	5,815	232	23,150	272	26,880	436	42,878
Africa.....			20	3,000	1	400	73	10,985	102	13,280
Total.....	5,866	761,803	4,576	503,639	20,436	2,343,251	30,887	3,764,448	26,012	3,234,470
Mules (number).....	561	42,364	505	47,290	5,156	385,379	5,395	474,096	4,075	315,668
SHEEP (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	18,986	139,908	10,953	79,134	81,514	612,483	65,815	467,690	38,080	278,339
Other Europe.....					3,751	34,403				
British North America.....	3,637	7,154	1,525	3,536	33,205	58,459	32,619	68,601	24,341	48,058
Mexico.....	22	110	86	688	4,337	10,587	2,065	8,278	2,916	10,053
West Indies and Bermuda.....	407	3,336	418	2,799	3,430	23,887	3,401	25,231	3,011	20,692
South America.....	105	885	100	660	905	6,506	941	8,095	802	5,915
Other countries.....			3	340	156	11,302	93	9,090	223	12,115
Total.....	23,157	151,393	13,085	87,157	127,298	757,629	104,934	586,985	70,273	375,172
All other, including fowls.....		20,589		14,114		33,136		189,606		155,496
Total animals.....		4,212,887		2,411,657		26,375,748		31,183,416		23,173,603
Art works: Paintings and statuary		21,297		16,364		193,202		158,674		129,204
Park, and extract of, for tanning		25,184		33,690		165,373		217,872		220,599
Beeswax..... lbs.	7,982	1,968	9,576	2,700	(a)	(a)	a 101,157	27,655	73,513	19,571
Blacking:										
Stove polish.....		36,347		48,236				262,307		275,773
All other.....		18,221		23,472		259,292		228,575		254,482
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....		12,691		10,187		193,168		110,281		128,076
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
United Kingdom.....		63,497		65,761		616,972		584,392		515,054
France.....		1,976		1,951		21,486		22,072		24,245
Germany.....		9,328		6,861		71,399		72,189		66,296
Other Europe.....		5,511		3,890		23,889		45,611		41,640
British North America.....		55,021		52,570		428,700		488,355		572,901
Central American States and British Honduras.....		2,810		3,597		49,358		31,238		24,167
Mexico.....		11,287		4,984		131,888		99,212		35,232
Santo Domingo.....		22		2,000		996		416		7,011
Cuba.....		766		4,895		181,516		21,221		17,849
Porto Rico.....		20		2,520		2,797		1,096		9,397
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		3,543		3,329		16,729		16,547		21,455
Argentina.....		6,791		2,058		15,606		21,252		12,677
Brazil.....		4,987		1,449		41,581		138,035		33,734
Colombia.....		974		7,805		64,563		15,272		32,480
Other South America.....		5,764		1,692		38,634		29,040		106,777
China.....		1,093		930		13,039		12,387		19,041
East Indies—British.....		191		315		5,580		10,537		16,049
Japan.....		1,643		1,661		16,875		20,711		17,417
British Australasia.....		10,167		19,330		43,213		64,501		108,342
Other Asia and Oceania.....		3,208		5,026		24,948		24,434		33,989
Africa.....		951		3,142		20,243		23,864		46,940
Other countries.....										15
Total.....		189,553		195,766		1,830,072		1,742,382		1,762,708
Brass, and manufactures of.....		119,763		86,654		699,102		897,864		763,989

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Barley.....bush..	682,254	304,775	125,534	93,141	14,874,410	5,858,109	9,532,397	4,684,011	1,710,189	1,064,462
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.....tons..	4,791	75,517	15,904	257,039	(a)	(a)	72,412	1,041,404	80,814	1,234,987
Bread and biscuit.....lbs..	1,428,083	70,067	1,325,482	62,651	10,322,594	463,394	10,700,418	503,892	10,811,177	518,417
Buckwheat.....bush..	160,220	67,175	193,891	126,859	61,131,623	462,023	951,839	401,287	1,166,229	613,330
CORN (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	8,307,507	2,968,334	6,885,860	2,910,218	48,257,677	14,769,531	52,132,537	17,924,104	43,221,350	17,102,610
France.....	1,398,635	495,932	582,756	247,591	3,815,746	1,145,791	6,759,112	2,262,105	2,476,923	961,432
Germany.....	3,613,921	1,275,685	3,190,352	1,328,459	18,920,418	5,990,804	20,620,196	7,086,608	21,532,225	8,423,545
Other Europe.....	4,402,573	1,557,698	3,329,336	1,379,803	24,172,092	7,145,763	30,282,466	10,368,237	29,966,724	11,763,965
British North America.....	460,180	157,276	602,682	231,811	6,374,800	1,723,597	10,082,675	3,066,379	13,140,081	4,628,021
Central American States and British Honduras.....	11,812	5,549	7,481	3,693	47,236	20,178	83,092	41,791	45,210	22,693
Mexico.....	400	160	5,110	2,564	6,791,020	2,518,257	112,886	33,518	49,922	21,133
Santo Domingo.....	139	52			267	111	409	166	4	2
Cuba.....	122,954	49,239	46,394	22,061	399,657	141,575	777,708	304,249	278,889	122,359
Porto Rico.....					200	76	200	80		
Other West Indies and Bermuda	67,373	20,402	53,287	26,385	457,079	179,268	461,720	189,128	444,781	200,029
South America.....	2,890	1,222	6,739	3,416	25,547	9,165	83,011	32,550	35,922	16,589
Asia and Oceania.....	672	422	17,488	9,488	142,253	48,158	9,391	6,212	257,731	105,896
Africa.....	188,949	74,150	145,048	71,249	1,699,145	660,502	424,394	162,969	1,014,160	445,533
Other countries.....					3,670	1,149	3,330	1,209	3,818	1,674
Total.....	18,586,997	6,615,121	14,872,533	6,237,338	111,106,807	34,354,325	121,833,127	41,487,305	112,467,740	43,815,481
Corn meal.....bbls..	79,993	172,941	49,554	111,003	272,513	537,076	563,758	1,161,908	614,397	1,366,487
Oats.....bush..	5,147,260	1,592,423	698,122	252,283	23,609,626	5,832,457	46,280,709	12,869,334	19,217,238	6,003,229
Oatmeal.....lbs..	6,866,427	152,832	4,208,692	87,011	31,294,954	749,241	49,298,194	1,024,144	41,966,737	903,475
Rye.....bush..	1,311,337	740,257	818,299	534,894	5,300,211	2,258,907	9,359,221	4,929,206	8,407,156	4,815,535
Rye flour.....bbls..	221	705	231	804	1,344	3,576	1,992	6,205	3,489	10,578
WHEAT (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	4,915,842	4,445,878	4,740,788	3,549,076	46,359,703	34,478,793	56,360,766	51,392,115	56,581,353	41,708,272
France.....	981,841	931,185	314,114	241,869	209,522	141,512	17,533,056	16,895,697	1,953,209	1,443,066
Germany.....			953,209	726,471	2,567,189	1,654,181	2,314,534	2,162,214	8,773,852	6,514,612
Other Europe.....	872,909	852,005	3,781,564	2,854,715	6,468,648	4,687,050	17,094,770	15,980,758	33,961,136	25,755,846
British North America.....	3,963	2,790	4,195	2,705	3,815,233	2,542,266	4,046,287	3,886,138	6,703,589	4,920,214
Central American States and British Honduras.....	4,000	4,340	2,020	1,838	65,320	55,535	28,507	29,009	30,011	26,085
Mexico.....					36	29	45	41	6,912	5,036
West Indies and Bermuda.....	8	8	22	19	861	651	724	754	520	404
South America.....	27	32	455	415	163,616	152,704	1,427,694	1,319,650	178,594	141,134
British Australasia.....					1,760,108	1,473,417	102,316	85,395		
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,346	1,200	1,565	1,199	991,745	765,284	16,718	16,300	14,892	11,847
Africa.....	300,250	282,888	116,952	75,719	2,592,504	2,232,627	3,989,243	3,498,727	2,257,223	1,706,838
Total.....	7,080,186	6,580,326	9,914,884	7,454,026	64,994,485	48,184,049	102,914,660	95,266,798	110,461,291	82,233,414
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	934,555	4,105,654	936,606	3,792,917	6,370,121	23,489,470	6,571,389	28,909,064	7,063,848	29,205,738
France.....					408	1,350	602	3,258	3,162	14,245
Germany.....	11,690	47,682	39,840	149,440	120,860	420,131	111,937	482,306	328,359	1,319,632
Other Europe.....	67,938	295,529	233,490	916,031	609,727	2,051,957	781,982	2,913,322	1,317,365	5,105,833
British North America.....	12,176	45,777	8,945	32,021	625,991	2,400,312	390,435	1,780,782	636,276	2,988,040
Central American States and British Honduras.....	19,462	85,759	25,675	100,055	174,817	705,481	147,897	685,226	163,255	674,799
Mexico.....	981	4,257	2,380	9,935	15,711	60,511	10,212	44,043	21,126	86,812
Santo Domingo.....	1,412	7,356	2,636	11,536	21,704	96,416	19,807	102,258	17,344	78,133
Cuba.....	36,105	166,943	51,896	203,834	113,227	472,718	205,810	968,926	276,788	1,113,291
Porto Rico.....	5,663	28,481	19,670	69,207	76,722	303,558	72,155	354,542	72,921	280,281
Other West Indies and Bermuda	68,147	336,751	53,938	207,244	583,000	2,387,898	496,292	2,366,681	474,833	1,910,348
Brazil.....	32,053	157,958	42,190	179,148	490,603	2,137,719	470,046	2,366,304	561,721	2,341,041
Colombia.....	3,991	19,729	4,290	18,967	94,125	407,391	83,709	377,329	50,336	218,582
Other South America.....	29,059	136,209	39,947	142,358	258,162	989,292	252,370	1,166,546	244,530	923,761

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1896.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs—Continued.										
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....	2,688	11,871	1,148	3,627	10,619	38,030	12,655	58,662	14,734	56,126
East Indies: British.....	2,265	9,950			7,091	26,906	3,866	16,884	2,397	10,131
Hongkong.....	96,442	371,289	96,822	328,273	(a)	(a)	582,307	2,357,215	601,798	2,418,788
Japan.....	12,494	45,936	1,130	3,358	155,255	489,171	97,451	379,201	170,463	556,378
British Australasia.....	2,510	11,010	3,612	12,950	239,732	1,052,171	12,497	51,086	79,454	295,924
Other Asia and Oceania.....	5,610	21,681	12,577	45,780	760,217	2,651,801	57,876	258,765	101,929	371,766
Africa.....	23,142	116,824	56,788	201,635	166,556	727,596	166,034	761,445	274,606	1,093,383
Other countries.....	150	549			6,922	26,967	5,209	21,103	12,110	43,541
Total.....	1,368,533	6,030,234	1,633,580	6,428,316	19,926,576	40,939,849	10,552,538	46,367,848	12,581,364	51,106,573
Preparations of, for table food.....		103,566		132,421				1,142,848		1,481,970
All other.....		127,314		74,663		3,088,306		1,080,746		1,136,683
Total breadstuffs.....		22,638,253		21,852,449		142,733,714		211,966,996		196,308,618
Bricks:										
Building.....M.	163	1,204	745	4,498	3,012	18,762	2,581	17,262	3,894	25,263
Fire.....		10,239		18,313		78,323		76,327		116,851
Total.....		11,443		22,811		97,085		93,589		142,114
Broom corn.....		10,071		15,093		91,312		102,829		124,015
Brooms and brushes.....		18,783		12,230		116,700		114,648		115,659
Candles.....lbs.	302,313	19,616	346,192	27,277	1,609,839	135,578	1,727,849	129,234	2,061,019	153,927
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
For steam railways.....		130,010		45,106		527,812		827,008		754,891
For other railways.....		16,963		23,234				150,737		438,307
All other carriages, and parts of, except cycles.....		125,558		149,107		1,242,587		1,106,445		1,229,249
Total.....		272,540		217,537		1,770,399		2,085,090		2,422,447
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		60,502		36,843		361,326		389,412		505,451
France.....		12,278		3,741		13,714		44,010		45,643
Germany.....		12,298		11,401		35,744		54,705		54,198
Other Europe.....		4,542		2,728		21,000		29,360		42,120
British North America.....		5,216		29,083		65,384		109,223		184,160
Central American States and British Honduras.....		3,449		947		108,207		26,526		30,466
Mexico.....		13,802		30,759		264,945		444,435		268,148
Santo Domingo.....		5		3		12,133		21,161		18,341
Cuba.....		7,502		4,985		3,520		12,482		76,516
Porto Rico.....		580		697		7,400		4,985		2,081
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		3,574		7,821		72,441		47,246		55,455
Argentina.....		78,314		9,715		105,451		174,848		427,253
Brazil.....		2,445		245		101,077		139,874		61,230
Colombia.....		2,673		884		42,012		21,180		20,028
Other South America.....		21,633		3,752		30,734		57,885		40,411
China.....				162		1,632		19,810		10,695
East Indies: British.....		521		1,171		6,440		6,891		10,017
Japan.....		310		1,121		407		9,849		6,035
British Australasia.....		18,416		47,126		202,867		238,182		221,172
Other Asia and Oceania.....		5,073		14,334		32,265		41,430		149,602
Africa.....		19,407		10,019		281,002		191,686		183,413
Other countries.....						8				
Total.....		272,540		217,537		1,770,399		2,085,090		2,422,447

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		210,661		49,382		1,087,784		869,095		431,681
France.....		71,168		48,833		81,778		192,788		233,849
Germany.....		184,048		102,107		316,835		935,284		695,888
Other Europe.....		143,770		172,854		516,158		458,631		866,725
British North America.....		44,335		58,719		225,187		188,234		242,123
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		328		240		46,957		5,938		4,604
Mexico.....		5,619		6,944		47,895		43,111		32,679
Santo Domingo.....		47				2,380		757		221
Cuba.....		883		1,974		1,317		7,515		4,344
Porto Rico.....		14		266		2,960		2,324		1,881
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,145		3,936		77,191		56,668		41,253
Argentina.....		9,704		17,115		21,093		48,852		117,452
Brazil.....		13,107		3,749		15,559		61,542		44,499
Colombia.....		464		228		16,825		13,765		4,402
Other South America.....		4,604		1,644		50,255		35,169		34,728
China.....		1,233		1,372		9,997		19,817		19,482
East Indies: British.....		6,449		6,459		11,193		34,691		116,638
Hongkong.....		2,151		838		(a)		4,469		4,924
Japan.....		4,603		2,494		27,710		69,957		95,646
British Australasia.....		19,773		29,265		524,007		247,422		188,260
Other Asia and Oceania.....		9,223		6,408		29,225		43,335		48,439
Africa.....		17,107		15,708		75,160		137,923		120,583
Other countries.....				2				545		576
Total.....		754,476		530,537		3,188,466		3,467,737		3,290,077
Total carriages, cars, etc.....		1,027,016		748,074		4,958,865		5,552,827		5,712,524
Celluloid and manufactures of.....		10,746		12,409		(b)		82,883		114,972
Cement..... bbls.....	1,902	4,187	3,826	8,725	20,888	38,977	33,823	57,916	23,786	50,942
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines (pounds):										
Acids.....		9,067		11,489		66,811		73,690		155,208
Ashes, pot and pearl.....	22,130	949	126,607	4,377	280,267	12,624	384,980	14,838	626,258	24,152
Copper, sulphate of.....	2,021,510	63,339	4,398,051	179,662	(c)	(c)	6,419,944	210,570	10,109,675	390,670
Dyes and dyestuffs.....		27,521		42,264		310,382		270,160		319,474
Ginseng.....	17,179	55,478	11,280	40,620	148,119	690,517	150,651	561,483	179,185	679,707
Lime, acetate of.....	2,301,491	35,105	4,841,896	64,240	(c)	(c)	22,874,800	328,078	30,936,895	438,427
Medicines, patent or proprietary.....		175,377		212,635		1,435,409		1,647,402		1,608,485
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s.....		12,562		12,288		111,026		91,755		126,916
All other.....		382,283		287,592		3,713,669		2,879,487		3,035,582
Total.....		762,281		954,077		6,340,738		6,077,463		6,778,621
Cider..... galls.....	74,516	9,344	65,074	8,940	(b)	(b)	162,919	20,673	242,428	31,195
Clocks and watches:										
Clocks and parts of.....		70,828		72,014		656,172		631,533		636,007
Watches and parts of.....		56,699		42,625		479,442		487,065		582,357
Total.....		127,524		114,649		1,135,614		1,119,198		1,218,364
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		49,032		42,516		393,111		415,219		400,761
France.....		959		120		10,005		11,219		1,408
Germany.....		438		1,888		11,268		6,969		9,715
Other Europe.....		1,315		579		23,587		24,476		20,892
British North America.....		16,609		26,521		201,008		179,780		267,190
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		910		88		8,529		4,474		1,681
Mexico.....		2,486		2,441		17,723		13,217		17,725
West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,247		1,661		9,019		7,740		7,493
Argentina.....		2,813		1,422		25,871		22,168		14,762
Brazil.....		2,370		3,137		49,699		27,498		49,795

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America.....		12,057		2,795		65,405		64,312		65,302
China.....		3,615		2,796		18,887		16,119		11,509
East Indies—British.....		4,568		5,304		26,116		34,428		45,688
Japan.....		17,129		1,364		108,145		110,994		122,422
British Australasia.....		6,137		18,900		108,601		107,243		125,781
Other Asia and Oceania.....		1,856		878		15,589		18,865		15,737
Africa.....		3,891		2,239		42,966		54,230		40,504
Other countries.....						85		247		9
Total.....		127,524		114,649		1,135,614		1,119,198		1,218,394
Coal and coke:										
COAL (tons) —										
Anthracite.....	71,316	327,704	93,811	387,550	946,667	4,231,613	989,344	4,488,619	1,050,064	4,370,104
Bituminous.....	227,035	432,526	270,711	510,496	1,577,610	3,503,248	1,717,219	3,648,776	2,230,535	4,696,759
Total coal.....	298,351	760,240	364,522	898,046	2,524,277	7,734,861	2,706,563	8,137,395	3,280,599	9,066,863
Exported to (tons)—										
United Kingdom.....			26	90	1	60	53	550	7,881	30,439
France.....					779	3,985	2,057	11,322	10	100
Germany.....					198	470	37	156	27	158
Other Europe.....			2,500	4,375	3,627	26,153	3,798	24,705	19,621	45,679
British North America.....	208,635	549,345	243,163	623,791	2,114,082	6,542,889	2,200,383	6,707,119	2,393,436	6,961,779
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	265	811	225	1,135	5,461	20,439	4,978	16,906	3,266	8,797
Mexico.....	32,335	86,123	45,735	113,793	119,322	370,463	190,421	570,139	252,619	737,882
Santo Domingo.....	53	201			4,037	17,506	2,285	7,800	2,979	8,150
Cuba.....	32,466	68,226	32,185	58,394	158,729	409,727	164,975	369,607	209,005	413,287
Porto Rico.....	1,544	3,478	3,020	7,315	15,968	41,563	9,748	29,948	14,353	28,552
Other West Indies and Bermuda	22,270	49,850	18,293	42,102	80,881	211,227	92,924	221,226	136,253	289,814
Brazil.....			7,622	18,843	11,249	60,573	8,514	46,062	40,601	125,493
Colombia.....	28	118	4	18,076	5,465	12,750	9,108	26,855	6,679	30,441
Other South America.....	628	1,397	8,447	1,146	3,613	12,775	3,916	11,883	73,245	138,242
Asia and Oceania.....	47	341	2,540	7,479	413	2,484	3,818	10,501	68,368	150,539
Other countries.....	60	350	752	1,504	472	1,797	548	2,216	52,256	94,511
Total coal.....	298,351	760,240	364,522	898,046	2,524,277	7,734,861	2,706,563	8,137,395	3,280,599	9,066,863
Coke..... tons..	22,243	64,866	21,178	52,788	107,170	376,918	138,066	396,047	123,168	371,966
Coffee and cocoa, ground or pre- pared, and chocolate.....		12,130		15,027		73,746		91,568		118,939
Copper, and manufactures of:										
ORE (tons)—										
United Kingdom.....	323	38,985	1,452	201,840	11,366	1,432,798	3,511	382,337	2,700	333,467
Germany.....										
Other countries.....	300	33,000	115	12,550	1,031	168,415	1,073	117,276	2,968	145,440
Total.....	623	71,985	1,567	214,390	12,397	1,601,213	4,584	499,613	5,668	478,907
INGOTS, BARS, PLATES, AND OLD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	5,721,835	618,354	5,987,403	905,212	49,438,814	5,335,615	39,143,160	4,308,680	53,124,050	6,423,478
France.....	2,398,862	262,790	1,683,866	267,212	39,744,305	4,391,476	42,968,393	4,743,312	32,437,296	4,033,376
Germany.....	1,934,208	212,757	2,392,839	383,207	16,812,105	1,856,795	18,609,616	2,032,239	29,163,994	3,575,641
Other Europe.....	6,612,911	716,022	3,904,243	616,736	72,050,633	7,862,974	79,240,032	8,720,164	66,378,904	8,028,008
British North America.....	62,882	6,941	119,153	14,764	288,804	31,290	609,190	65,258	838,153	100,530
Mexico.....	37,958	4,410	10,376	1,813	73,368	8,286	82,044	9,582	123,732	16,222
Other countries.....	13,975	1,795	4,481	615	15,163	1,792	45,330	5,258	140,394	18,716
Total.....	16,784,691	1,823,069	14,102,361	2,189,559	178,423,192	19,488,228	180,697,765	19,884,593	182,208,523	22,195,374
Manufactures of.....		73,553		145,205		561,875		690,597		899,238
Total copper and manufac- tures of, not including ore.....		1,896,622		2,334,764		20,050,103		20,575,190		23,094,612
Cork, manufactures of.....		3,464		2,496		(a)		32,705		40,677

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CLOTHS, colored and uncolored—Continued.										
Exported to (yards)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia	31,890	4,364	352,362	34,161	446,782	45,838	586,080	66,915	1,418,358	120,822
Other Asia and Oceania.....	5,442,418	220,448	2,385,500	83,845	20,867,371	1,010,235	16,330,532	731,870	18,651,091	729,621
Africa.....	2,751,597	111,095	469,239	17,620	7,005,395	344,824	12,160,522	507,440	4,151,289	169,287
Other countries					19,816	1,185	40,746	1,068	25,199	1,460
Total cloths	24,165,558	1,111,343	38,234,468	1,708,972	202,904,181	11,667,518	166,240,231	8,398,888	253,601,975	11,780,283
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—										
Wearing apparel.....		68,190		104,789		523,141		538,504		772,029
Waste, cop and mill..... lbs..	419,001	14,169	930,874	37,311				169,528	4,256,801	184,521
All other.....		214,191		223,381		1,831,894		1,570,177		1,778,564
Total.....		296,550		365,481		2,355,035		2,278,209		2,735,114
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		38,971		45,232		287,446		223,733		281,931
France.....		334		9,749		6,102		3,313		16,565
Germany.....		10,327		16,763		99,196		116,822		124,615
Other Europe.....		2,677		3,968		32,683		43,206		53,679
British North America.....		119,404		147,074		821,404		1,022,026		1,093,918
Central American States and British Honduras.....		22,558		27,523		160,411		124,937		137,604
Mexico.....		25,491		31,358		232,974		204,262		244,177
Santo Domingo.....		323		888		21,038		11,802		21,079
Cuba.....		582		11,613		34,526		5,366		41,067
Porto Rico.....		35		1,903		3,742		988		6,434
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		8,011		9,852		61,165		63,235		77,753
Argentina.....		3,157		1,252		46,378		22,753		50,912
Brazil.....		2,720		2,302		47,387		36,902		30,139
Colombia.....		2,296		1,060		35,399		27,763		30,509
Other South America.....		4,856		3,515		38,430		24,401		32,491
China.....		617		926		7,735		4,260		14,337
East Indies: British.....		53		20		3,284		936		1,891
Hongkong.....		1,426		580		(a)		5,940		12,454
British Australasia.....		13,726		24,331		113,683		102,665		136,276
Other Asia and Oceania.....		14,868		20,246		255,645		201,136		249,780
Africa.....		4,118		5,316		39,328		28,705		73,970
Other countries						7,069		3,058		2,933
Total other manufac- tures of.....		296,550		365,481		2,355,035		2,278,209		2,735,114
Total manufactures of.....		1,407,893		2,074,453		14,022,553		10,677,097		14,515,397
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
Earthen and stone ware.....		8,123		22,029		97,418		129,922		168,350
China ware.....		1,370		3,253		17,074		20,931		22,639
Total.....		9,493		25,282		114,492		150,853		190,989
Eggs..... doz..	184,142	34,234	149,451	30,287	353,725	63,754	1,954,048	341,349	1,642,152	312,807
Feathers.....		7,409		33,016		(b)		73,762		123,020
Fertilizers (tons):										
Phosphates, crude.....			51,423	408,970					460,801	3,439,499
All other.....	33,798	281,227	2,458	78,655	291,284	2,757,219	310,836	2,814,807	20,871	563,890
Total.....	33,798	281,227	53,881	487,625	291,284	2,757,219	310,836	2,814,867	481,672	4,003,389
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	6,663	44,958	17,193	122,998	89,097	577,111	77,043	626,944	108,661	728,470
France.....	2,650	10,600	973	36,022	17,922	166,645	11,079	60,405	49,894	378,811
Germany.....	14,567	145,680	15,508	155,080	100,242	988,249	120,131	1,158,671	146,981	1,363,915
Other Europe.....	9,605	60,450	15,706	113,702	72,591	728,112	82,126	623,351	140,639	1,059,810
British North America.....	124	1,813	236	4,290	1,920	41,067	2,018	45,919	2,507	48,232
Central American States and British Honduras.....					3	100				

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b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fertilizers—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico	5	144			5	141	6	184	26	905
West Indies and Bermuda	122	3,402	43	1,446	2,689	56,426	1,823	36,114	3,780	62,331
South America	1	37			88	1,268	74	3,279	3	144
Asia and Oceania	496	11,962	4,222	54,087	6,643	196,174	16,326	257,072	28,946	356,990
Other countries	160	2,181			84	1,926	210	2,868	235	3,781
Total	33,798	281,227	53,881	487,625	291,284	2,757,219	310,836	2,814,807	481,672	4,003,389
Fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses, manufactures of:										
Bags		35,106		25,332		317,831		338,385		300,031
Cordage	757,604	43,673	742,880	58,030	6,358,463	356,396	6,671,108	352,593	4,726,955	396,380
Twine		42,534		26,277		559,224		637,722		681,641
All other		17,171		64,725		223,541		177,614		254,271
Total		137,884		174,364		1,456,992		1,506,314		1,632,323
Fish:										
Fresh, other than salmon ..lbs..	98,398	2,880	182,577	5,908	747,282	45,646	725,625	32,605	675,881	26,727
DRIED, SMOKED, OR CURED—										
Cod, haddock, hake, and pol- lock	713,529	26,949	683,550	28,079	7,380,383	273,803	5,517,828	210,916	5,721,994	228,806
Herring	421,975	9,730	299,228	7,207	3,901,721	76,190	2,766,713	53,918	1,973,246	42,545
Other	111,499	2,324	85,707	2,784	445,336	24,402	896,243	36,698	564,002	26,860
PICKLED—										
Mackerel	190	1,986	136	1,524	1,713	17,981	1,037	10,851	690	8,494
Other	2,111	7,619	1,207	5,148	17,863	64,134	16,994	64,080	8,983	39,280
SALMON—										
Canned	463,703	45,310	641,458	55,462	33,817,461	3,075,909	24,875,817	2,345,523	28,649,660	2,764,488
Other, fresh or cured		34,378		33,105		217,923		276,693		240,746
Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish		9,148		10,238		137,509		102,032		81,822
Caviare		2,420		2,575		(a)		56,117		116,201
SHELLFISH—										
Oysters		63,615		64,428		333,679		343,160		432,593
Other		12,928		12,992		192,602		191,713		160,698
All other fish and fish products ..		2,106		524		(a)		10,998		7,414
Total		221,393		229,984		4,459,778		3,735,307		4,176,674
Fruits and nuts:										
Apples, dried	2,301,182	154,149	1,955,013	124,527	22,272,615	1,006,679	21,930,774	1,340,184	18,002,275	1,164,466
Apples, green or ripe	33,026	102,590	16,502	59,997	1,351,266	2,110,518	542,774	1,468,385	346,856	1,093,322
Oranges		37,840		46,364		(b)		102,319		162,770
Prunes	649,721	42,591	471,930	28,919	(b)	(b)	13,962,560	995,937	5,195,634	356,532
Raisins	327,818	20,121	147,988	10,106	(b)	(b)	2,182,399	124,257	3,469,188	175,437
All other, green, ripe, or dried ..		132,570		104,775		1,643,938		1,565,186		1,614,259
FRUITS, PRESERVED—										
Canned		42,668		49,146		1,548,804		1,307,815		2,134,545
Other		9,145		5,828		34,139		51,783		55,748
Nuts		17,163		9,351		75,845		98,467		93,595
Total		558,837		439,013		6,419,923		6,064,333		6,850,694
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		188,114		125,768		3,348,652		2,821,331		3,113,322
France		54,460		47,552		230,013		519,477		632,561
Germany		110,229		80,002		857,069		1,432,391		827,956
Other Europe		80,482		59,276		808,939		883,240		870,962
British North America		73,171		77,554		523,464		692,272		721,690
Central American States and British Honduras		3,052		2,081		39,776		26,890		18,459
Mexico		4,292		4,862		55,139		39,836		52,847
Santo Domingo		11		4		2,137		1,311		1,594
Cuba		2,635		4,081		40,106		34,171		48,195
Porto Rico		124		348		3,276		2,307		3,058

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other green, ripe, or dried fruit" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other West Indies and Bermuda		3,680		3,043		42,815		40,627		39,806
Argentina		1,830		768		3,759		7,095		6,267
Brazil		81		213		9,504		9,728		13,379
Colombia		577		687		6,776		7,602		4,930
Other South America		1,101		1,013		28,002		18,594		15,958
China		4,411		1,987		11,491		22,691		17,206
East Indies: British		450		980		10,627		8,087		8,056
Hongkong		3,065		3,087		(a)		31,077		54,870
British Australasia		15,970		3,039		259,502		249,365		223,315
Other Asia and Oceania		5,343		8,338		80,490		58,090		96,398
Africa		5,756		14,330		58,191		57,509		77,376
Other countries						195		732		916
Total fruits and nuts		558,837		439,013		6,419,923		6,964,333		6,850,694
Furniture of metal		1,565		8,401		(b)		12,035		85,494
Furs and fur skins:										
United Kingdom		268,307		310,273		1,709,820		1,331,774		1,251,597
France		6,221		3,400		150		14,473		28,790
Germany		48,887		48,630		272,728		222,556		248,004
Other Europe		225		550		2,322		5,640		5,538
British North America		80,271		55,068		161,761		206,422		234,227
Other countries		977		871		6,918		12,060		4,814
Total		404,888		418,792		2,153,720		1,852,905		1,772,979
Glass and glassware:										
Window glass		1,547		1,013		8,072		15,077		16,445
All other		94,576		112,487		741,497		781,381		906,699
Total		96,123		113,500		749,569		796,468		923,144
Glucose or grape sugar	lbs.	11,881,853	175,865	20,589,546	337,410	112,754,793	1,542,451	103,147,656	1,475,964	131,571,283
Glue	lbs.	135,855	10,823	187,751	17,116	1,026,922	97,203	1,349,090	116,155	1,591,761
Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock		117,410		175,494		1,308,357		1,147,828		1,579,252
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
Gunpowder	lbs.	33,235	3,946	181,269	23,025	521,138	57,096	856,981	93,418	890,576
Cartridges and other		89,432		87,593		890,932		817,498		846,592
Total		90,378		110,618		948,028		910,916		955,701
Hair, and manufactures of		38,313		31,923		349,591		380,701		324,892
Hay	tons.	7,083	101,966	5,320	74,321	38,508	527,477	49,488	697,697	43,702
Hides and skins, other than furs (pounds):										
United Kingdom		1,400	100			1,843,454	120,201	268,315	24,726	136,361
France		31,400	2,918			3,693,300	301,931	404,614	37,296	181,564
Germany		150,507	12,778	437,200	36,442	5,629,911	435,905	2,694,707	214,402	3,293,017
Other Europe		8,258	2,057	52,020	3,856	1,463,383	137,347	194,889	34,650	456,555
British North America		348,050	30,081	122,532	14,561	9,103,567	617,536	4,178,934	372,698	3,211,483
Central American States and British Honduras						8,635	868			
Mexico		2,250	420	2,142	480	252,519	26,034	10,997	1,442	7,746
West Indies and Bermuda				800	170	4,069	554	472	73	3,103
Japan			1,245	225		25,058	1,607			1,245
Other Asia and Oceania						7,500	485			
Africa						99,800	6,300	23,980	1,740	
Other countries			3,600	530				3,750	391	3,600
Total		541,865	48,354	619,539	56,264	22,136,196	1,658,828	7,789,658	687,478	7,295,074
Honey		3,122		616		17,656		73,933		48,570

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not enumerated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hops (pounds):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	1,667,266	273,380	2,243,212	406,386	8,562,054	1,013,910	13,892,185	2,194,609	16,112,741	2,809,434
Other Europe.....			2,896	369			575	80	597,597	106,263
British North America.....	8,733	1,165	7,729	1,152	277,603	23,250	215,054	26,881	420,612	54,956
Central American States and British Honduras.....	375	57	2,984	456	14,576	1,610	15,366	2,335	16,855	2,371
Mexico.....	3,194	587	215	40	333,719	40,055	257,412	26,260	15,207	1,960
Santo Domingo.....	25	4			2,910	287	47	7	263	38
Cuba.....	210	28	579	105	1,362	153	2,957	371	5,058	1,132
Porto Rico.....					2,005	220	240	27	574	61
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	54	8	587	57	5,314	535	4,087	457	2,537	274
South America.....	2,058	318	406	59	7,305	875	6,610	953	5,899	910
East Indies: British.....	9,216	1,300			36,160	2,824	25,718	3,585	62,706	10,997
British Australasia.....	106,795	16,180	17,250	2,399	427,464	33,374	481,828	66,061	731,853	110,560
Other Asia and Oceania.....	5,000	632	4,110	609	23,438	2,056	21,138	2,715	30,907	4,518
Other countries.....							1,570	166	1,492	153
Total.....	1,802,926	293,659	2,279,968	411,632	9,693,910	1,119,149	14,924,787	2,324,507	18,024,301	3,103,644
Ice..... tons.	1,002	1,553	1,431	2,803	16,916	35,965	15,332	26,732	17,793	33,186
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:										
Boots and shoes..... pairs..	9,589	8,857	19,100	13,498	214,116	146,592	330,214	184,440	362,008	188,674
All other.....		96,024		103,293		1,091,642		951,221		899,044
Total.....		104,881		116,791		1,238,234		1,135,661		1,087,718
India rubber, scrap and old.....		29,453		18,880		(a)		172,778		213,469
Ink:										
Printers'.....		8,423		4,283		113,034		81,364		59,358
Other.....		6,553		3,920				60,762		64,934
Total.....		14,976		8,203		113,034		142,126		124,292
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
United Kingdom.....		45,708		100,725		259,414		316,835		609,918
France.....		14,275		21,158		134,213		95,514		164,658
Germany.....		20,721		20,243		148,873		145,205		218,662
Other Europe.....		19,484		16,488		185,940		161,146		156,082
British North America.....		20,181		24,013		185,890		212,578		258,037
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,471		3,216		50,372		40,913		62,648
Mexico.....		13,280		48,614		178,281		182,084		292,114
West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,830		22,549		62,178		60,520		110,264
Argentina.....		3,110		12,556		69,675		52,442		139,784
Brazil.....		4,541		9,787		62,689		76,938		80,825
Other South America.....		16,146		5,204		166,219		89,586		68,343
China.....		55		1,310		2,862		8,985		21,482
Japan.....		24,006		7,008		115,475		169,990		139,030
British Australasia.....		4,879		29,009		14,436		37,343		99,010
Other Asia and Oceania.....		17,166		16,677		51,738		73,222		121,868
Africa.....		1,916		10,357		159,173		83,136		46,939
Other countries.....								114		565
Total.....		216,769		351,914		1,847,428		1,806,551		2,589,999
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore..... tons..	1,000	3,150	103	815	9,770	34,168	8,583	27,762	28,156	60,481
Pig iron (tons)—										
Ferromanganese.....	486	20,280			73,143	1,073,102	6,422	261,515	482	19,851
All other.....	20,353	205,967	24,553	257,125			168,585	1,766,373	218,546	2,237,927
Scrap and chd. fit only for re- manufacture..... tons..	5,029	48,356	3,199	36,217	1,072	14,788	33,201	349,686	49,151	522,863

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bar iron.....lbs..	743,831	12,174	904,175	16,235	3,565,303	66,403	6,387,864	99,180	12,524,163	191,612
Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.....lbs..	3,516,847	40,658	4,470,531	58,424	39,205,399	518,174	18,720,798	256,164	37,708,442	491,525
Bars or rails for railways, iron.....tons..	3	82	20	572	218	5,906	2,065	29,126	11,742	162,546
STEEL (tons)—										
Europe.....	125	3,306	1,212	29,459	(a)	(a)	2,779	64,107	13,626	255,385
British North America.....	215	4,452	136	3,324			50,347	918,486	73,928	1,358,606
Central American States and British Honduras.....			333	6,382			581	10,179	1,532	32,522
Mexico.....	4,781	80,726	2,636	48,004			13,056	246,388	19,175	379,978
West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,247	32,927	227	5,368			3,432	83,610	5,153	110,410
South America.....	1,271	27,010	363	7,681			3,552	79,247	8,416	201,506
Japan.....	3,454	74,429					18,386	425,583	7,852	177,697
Asia and Oceania.....	406	8,078	1,120	25,312			15,811	307,617	19,174	390,889
Africa.....			5,202	93,724			2,313	44,882	27,881	526,884
Total, steel.....	11,499	230,928	11,229	219,254	70,383	1,642,666	110,257	2,180,099	176,737	3,433,937
Billets, ingots, and blooms.....tons..	675	12,569	5,030	96,257	(b)	(b)	7,550	130,162	30,261	585,108
Hoop, band, and scroll.....lbs..	64,580	812	1,024,810	16,194	374,654	8,180	2,741,676	35,958	3,920,670	64,133
Rods, wire, of steel.....lbs..	148,005	1,476	2,369,229	27,831	(b)	(b)	24,947,534	256,153	37,427,838	357,380
SHEETS AND PLATES (pounds)—										
Iron.....	339,902	7,267	1,103,107	26,241	2,301,647	52,479	6,514,077	125,476	8,877,802	180,108
Steel.....	2,652,611	31,361	16,677,102	209,016	3,901,930	82,935	13,523,675	181,941	64,784,626	920,511
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....lbs..	2,541	119	19,304	829	(c)	(c)	10,233	437	139,531	6,943
Structural iron and steel.....tons..	2,710	83,965	4,108	105,151	(b)	(b)	19,982	765,590	26,763	922,076
Wire.....lbs..	8,911,150	181,590	16,930,014	323,874	67,417,884	1,415,938	80,056,290	1,532,175	126,858,949	2,216,226
Car wheels.....No..	2,704	12,687	2,726	13,303	9,801	59,306	14,048	84,151	14,315	84,507
Castings, not elsewhere specified.....		62,407		130,840		666,129		557,156		593,023
CUTLERY—										
Table.....		2,687		1,323				21,947		20,002
All other.....		12,750		11,467		115,840		85,475		102,624
Firearms.....		41,688		48,068		437,146		446,230		420,116
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, AND SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.....		320,487		383,770		2,664,576		2,481,054		2,896,523
Saws.....		15,173		17,845		1,581,210		117,512		147,028
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....		168,551		237,947				1,365,664		1,651,159
Total.....		504,211		639,568		4,245,786		3,964,230		4,694,710
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		121,174		127,335		1,025,213		907,644		1,109,147
France.....		13,512		18,480		131,238		101,181		130,588
Germany.....		71,169		56,535		329,831		465,966		498,519
Other Europe.....		49,570		59,438		235,371		334,437		425,976
British North America.....		62,643		74,574		332,204		413,835		530,361
Central American States and British Honduras.....		6,233		5,953		96,639		57,420		52,931
Mexico.....		27,605		29,426		434,282		290,831		201,151
Santo Domingo.....		872		366		6,523		9,502		7,291
Cuba.....		5,565		22,079		59,056		44,004		126,300
Porto Rico.....		744		969		11,162		7,973		4,462
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		4,201		4,333		50,191		38,044		43,343
Argentina.....		11,707		7,542		152,024		98,805		149,197
Brazil.....		9,251		12,715		167,866		109,477		140,380
Colombia.....		4,328		6,298		83,030		61,457		72,203
Other South America.....		21,247		21,783		175,311		146,169		151,147
China.....		2,960		7,667		20,838		14,663		39,911

a Not reported in detail prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to December, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.—C'td.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
East Indies—British.....		2,513		3,977		18,332		11,553		23,242
Japan.....		6,055		3,517		36,805		48,437		44,414
British Australasia.....		64,904		138,152		672,704		613,262		680,486
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		5,563		25,233		41,026		50,316		93,380
Africa.....		12,395		13,196		163,811		137,704		169,221
Other countries.....						2,329		1,550		1,060
Total builders' hardware, etc.....		504,211		639,568		4,245,786		3,964,230		4,694,710
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Electrical.....		183,676		184,412		(a)		1,273,926		1,827,400
Metal-working.....		425,238		435,094		(a)		2,861,105		4,197,995
Printing presses, and parts of.....		110,090		23,264		405,779		608,746		461,902
Pumps and pumping machinery.....		160,088		199,477		(a)		1,278,050		1,640,188
SEWING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		70,746		68,162		695,269		534,760		541,702
France.....				11,887		96,242		61,398		65,414
Germany.....		74,427		48,042		360,515		503,610		423,401
Other Europe.....		6,726		2,008		112,182		105,538		66,342
British North America.....		11,926		12,815		61,261		81,565		90,460
Central American States and British Honduras.....		2,995		265		58,231		23,384		13,869
Mexico.....		22,581		18,850		122,837		136,491		136,709
Santo Domingo.....		18		162		842		893		1,339
Cuba.....				783		2,483		2,770		3,521
Porto Rico.....		272		59		1,684		2,650		1,240
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,048		1,631		11,633		9,575		10,969
Argentina.....		18,244		35,034		64,125		62,404		104,228
Brazil.....		3,054		10,573		87,159		59,372		59,741
Colombia.....		3,752		3,088		77,481		53,000		39,410
Other South America.....		8,371		11,135		87,687		73,119		88,058
China.....		181				7,707		2,263		2,308
East Indies—British.....				660		1,918		2,550		4,669
Japan.....		213				5,622		3,460		4,410
British Australasia.....		15,468		31,733		167,544		158,536		182,404
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		3,396		5,598		25,613		19,748		30,211
Africa.....		489		20		11,104		6,672		7,033
Other countries.....						30		133		25
Total.....		243,907		262,505		2,059,169		1,909,921		1,877,463
Shoe machinery.....		68,514		67,562		(a)		563,077		570,600
Steam engines, and parts of (number)—										
Fire.....	1	320			2	6,790	5	1,689	1	260
Locomotive.....	48	378,372	25	229,503	214	1,958,278	269	2,260,570	344	3,178,642
Stationary.....	40	41,590	33	23,684	207	186,039	359	250,407	319	195,209
Parts of, and boilers.....		74,296		77,104		502,530		575,659		783,989
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		62,421		80,167		468,507		528,202		577,910
France.....		5,396		12,513		54,676		51,366		89,645
Germany.....		39,730		43,619		154,990		232,157		281,799
Other Europe.....		30,095		25,026		104,420		147,648		209,828
British North America.....		6,093		4,307		19,728		32,520		35,673
Central American States and British Honduras.....		160		248		6,735		1,989		1,845
Mexico.....		4,519		6,496		16,230		19,426		23,458
Santo Domingo.....						142		90		130
Cuba.....		235		3,860		1,413		1,142		10,394

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico.....				404		590		65		2,735
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		432		228		4,124		2,159		3,124
Argentina.....		5,651		1,192		9,628		12,006		17,481
Brazil.....		500		1,285		3,322		3,108		3,795
Colombia.....		104		210		2,217		3,441		2,494
Other South America.....		1,358		4,175		6,306		9,387		13,468
China.....		315		600		2,803		1,997		4,024
East Indies: British.....		1,058		1,583		6,076		5,984		6,367
Japan.....		451		755		3,298		2,935		4,827
British Australasia.....		1,682		11,697		54,299		45,275		51,518
Other Asia and Oceania.....		1,085		1,217		3,210		6,063		9,185
Africa.....		2,353		1,730		13,101		18,340		24,663
Other countries.....										75
Total.....		163,641		201,312		935,815		1,125,300		1,374,468
All other machinery, etc.....		921,767		1,491,590		12,693,961		7,985,374		12,049,658
NAILS AND SPIKES (pounds)—										
Cut.....	2,476,916	46,571	1,019,431	17,436	15,370,827	292,714	22,634,356	455,562	25,017,300	453,024
Wire.....	918,761	17,755	4,699,424	92,707	7,691,110	259,853	16,138,255	328,323	28,697,735	523,039
All other, including tacks.....	401,181	21,726	515,652	33,855			2,511,453	155,557	3,324,142	208,743
Pipes and fittings.....		280,178		402,827		(a)		1,754,381		3,696,692
Safes (number).....	47	3,222	188	10,552	(a)	(a)	809	54,339	1,353	88,106
Scales and balances.....		15,519		29,988		262,064		230,249		239,460
Stoves, ranges, and parts of.....		21,734		29,707		214,231		242,060		312,718
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....		707,083		702,407		5,599,808		5,819,749		6,470,320
Total iron and steel, etc., not including ore.....		5,405,321		6,718,775		35,781,809		42,864,262		58,377,784
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....		54,368		72,929		445,820		391,396		461,204
Other manufactures of gold and silver.....		11,275		11,517				117,254		155,912
Total.....		65,643		84,446		445,820		508,650		617,116
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.										
		51,881		65,844		491,090		439,578		497,033
Lead, and manufactures of:										
Pigs, bars, and old (pounds).....			9,748	412		366,103	16,723	761	245,997	8,167
Type (pounds).....	16,093	5,902	17,910	6,679	119,760	185,238	62,120	143,481	54,230	54,230
All other.....		5,914		9,451			79,640		79,469	79,469
Total.....		11,816		16,542		485,863		142,524		141,866
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER, SOLI (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	3,390,679	575,643	2,916,811	471,546	18,710,386	3,060,624	19,274,564	3,260,931	19,235,754	3,167,824
Germany.....	17,701	3,271	26,627	4,879	151,663	29,942	158,862	30,794	256,810	51,614
Other Europe.....	333,904	62,828	137,333	26,121	4,012,715	727,461	2,738,696	512,809	1,850,883	340,963
British North America.....	140,089	25,507	93,669	19,251	349,303	56,330	815,029	158,977	503,085	95,065
West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,589	505	1,507	308	29,120	5,696	29,638	6,116	18,172	4,041
South America.....	6,800	1,408			11,758	2,303	20,930	4,229	5,484	1,791
Japan.....	118,790	24,935	13,120	2,884	621,375	124,385	972,128	205,017	498,961	108,245
British Australasia.....	26,260	5,758	5,880	1,300	140,641	29,131	127,775	27,025	84,039	18,146
Other Asia and Oceania.....	10,805	2,298	34,020	7,405	173,662	34,777	111,365	23,299	185,693	39,468
Africa.....	3,374	586	11,871	2,238	109,615	21,397	122,509	26,019	87,844	18,118
Other countries.....	9,819	2,049	4,017	852	87,469	17,677	25,031	5,152	29,825	6,615
Total.....	4,060,810	704,788	3,244,855	536,784	24,397,707	4,109,723	24,397,127	4,260,368	22,756,550	3,852,090

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1893		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Leather, and manufactures of— Continued.										
LEATHER, OTHER—										
Upper leather—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Kid, glazed		16,293		49,460		240,749		173,085		326,372
Patent or enameled		13,139		6,298				56,137		54,535
Splits, buff, grain, and all other upper leather		854,374		902,311		5,234,838		6,199,258		7,451,257
Other leather		94,912		91,869		547,529		565,897		608,384
Total		978,718		1,049,938		6,023,116		6,994,377		8,440,548
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		717,017		741,300		4,590,796		5,028,367		6,168,126
France		10,334		32,448		86,981		158,122		197,030
Germany		68,754		61,933		180,302		383,616		593,403
Other Europe		88,418		106,075		573,689		736,828		696,279
British North America		51,413		49,884		380,063		432,385		437,389
Central American States and British Honduras		262		337		2,983		2,699		8,622
Mexico		153		242		12,261		6,776		4,183
Santo Domingo				80		430		489		1,237
Cuba		610		1,306		1,034		1,341		4,512
Porto Rico		283		515		688		1,083		3,387
Other West Indies and Ber- muda		974		1,332		10,817		9,207		15,082
Argentina				6,226		3,393		2,451		21,050
Brazil		10,250		757		12,639		34,266		24,953
Colombia		286		252		1,545		2,251		1,378
Other South America		1,497		4,767		11,253		9,423		21,369
British Australasia		16,118		36,285		114,185		154,093		193,814
Other Asia and Oceania		9,857		1,119		11,741		15,929		29,762
Africa		2,487		5,080		18,296		14,939		10,884
Other countries						20		112		77
Total		978,718		1,049,938		6,023,116		6,994,377		8,440,548
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Boots and shoes—										
United Kingdom		29,032		37,377		145,578		169,767		190,518
France		795		1,785		6,591		12,632		16,281
Germany		8,545		13,476		7,455		29,307		37,863
Other Europe		3,751		8,638		17,858		18,894		29,663
British North America		24,070		24,714		146,109		175,332		251,242
Central American States and British Honduras		6,558		6,448		61,232		60,271		56,790
Mexico		5,000		18,915		28,124		47,796		93,688
West Indies and Bermuda		21,836		31,815		192,665		189,986		208,681
Colombia		3,842		1,602		24,694		28,659		22,328
Other South America		1,094		1,238		18,471		16,558		27,330
British Australasia		12,597		60,725		284,793		151,480		274,810
Other Asia and Oceania		10,241		11,349		85,864		139,843		96,286
Africa		2,528		11,053		59,490		57,262		61,792
Other countries						110		988		692
Total		129,889		229,140		1,079,034		1,089,795		1,267,861
Harness and saddles		15,884		18,139		153,873		142,974		141,488
All other		104,546		59,720		504,234		837,074		516,446
Total leather, and manu- factures of		1,933,825		1,893,721		11,869,980		13,324,588		14,318,495
Lime.....bbls..	2,156	2,094	9,371	9,028	59,811	56,543	34,609	29,037	42,514	46,284
Malt.....bush..	48,209	34,384	19,283	13,538	(a)	(a)	244,982	167,010	246,441	179,730

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Malt liquors:										
In bottles.....doz..	27,349	33,371	144,823	184,357	328,724	387,097	262,480	319,565	886,711	994,508
In other coverings.....galls..	21,407	4,777	43,891	16,400	231,207	53,338	267,808	60,403	322,271	87,399
Total		38,148		200,757		440,435		379,968		1,081,907
Marble and stone, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured		6,012		3,555		43,078		71,502		40,280
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....		80,876		105,167		431,402		879,456		869,107
All other.....		34,603		33,097		367,530		258,677		236,794
Total		121,491		141,819		842,010		1,209,635		1,146,181
Matches		3,808		4,519		44,855		57,728		57,274
Musical instruments (number):										
Organs	1,137	61,457	1,438	72,438	9,493	550,221	9,524	521,796	11,406	623,507
Pianofortes.....	69	17,888	76	15,804	544	138,993	640	155,317	652	144,157
All other, and parts of.....		41,669		36,462		180,057		241,677		358,238
Total		121,014		124,704		869,271		918,790		1,125,902
Naval stores:										
ROSIN, TAR, TURPENTINE, AND PITCH (barrels)—										
Rosin.....	212,179	339,824	239,223	331,349	1,567,027	3,027,298	1,551,397	2,591,466	1,650,753	2,369,765
Tar.....	1,703	2,659	732	2,147	8,371	17,075	8,289	14,838	15,882	45,540
Turpentine and pitch.....	2,087	3,896	1,424	3,476	13,857	30,451	12,072	31,489	12,433	30,563
Total	215,969	346,379	241,379	336,972	1,589,255	3,074,824	1,571,758	2,637,793	1,679,068	2,445,868
Exported to (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	13,387	23,825	35,036	63,736	519,971	1,074,809	380,887	687,873	524,548	785,719
Germany.....	61,758	99,962	52,354	67,560	376,949	685,837	395,915	633,551	327,398	428,606
Other Europe.....	116,783	180,239	142,740	183,647	384,549	712,699	509,608	797,579	539,746	718,356
British North America.....	5,428	8,979	1,321	2,727	39,238	84,132	28,084	63,309	31,309	71,636
Central American States and British Honduras.....	458	1,302	598	1,528	6,356	16,731	2,922	8,899	3,661	10,366
Mexico.....	230	818	56	194	1,526	4,367	2,675	6,313	2,299	5,946
Santo Domingo.....	406	838	7	21	1,183	3,068	1,975	3,908	890	1,947
Cuba.....	274	525	296	626	3,796	7,404	3,535	6,605	2,497	4,557
Porto Rico.....	64	145	18	29	307	588	349	703	407	817
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,463	3,064	850	1,903	5,729	12,775	5,502	11,369	3,390	7,291
Argentina.....	230	467	769	1,230	19,599	41,832	29,811	54,913	39,818	70,068
Brazil.....	10,827	16,354	2,240	3,794	97,733	182,235	88,451	146,663	72,987	121,804
Colombia.....	502	1,049	87	291	6,538	13,239	3,638	7,724	3,523	7,885
Other South America.....	2,472	5,090	1,422	2,811	34,721	71,967	26,622	69,077	32,801	58,234
China.....	595	1,211	505	1,051	1,945	3,836	1,676	3,045	2,338	4,642
Japan.....	316	625	1,824	3,037	4,965	11,567	5,817	13,544	6,603	11,424
British Australasia.....	403	1,115	974	2,048	38,909	74,944	42,280	76,042	50,864	93,910
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	351	717	147	465	44,339	90,804	31,414	44,844	33,064	40,842
Africa.....	22	54	135	274	902	1,990	597	1,232	925	1,818
Total rosin, tar, etc.....	215,969	346,379	241,379	336,972	1,589,255	3,074,824	1,571,758	2,637,793	1,679,068	2,445,868
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	412,652	136,507	166,399	70,095	5,884,648	1,446,266	4,915,475	1,436,587	6,230,664	1,954,669
Germany.....	20,928	6,922	86,506	35,947	1,673,062	422,808	1,641,334	477,828	1,661,313	515,549
Other Europe.....	536,198	181,717	144,081	60,837	3,683,630	933,060	4,310,079	1,255,839	2,897,929	930,843
British North America.....	47,345	17,062	24,507	11,211	244,755	62,941	354,891	111,554	356,969	113,991
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,067	408	739	330	9,437	2,971	5,205	2,068	5,459	2,205
Mexico.....	960	359	1,164	570	3,403	1,130	4,811	1,790	7,166	2,802
Santo Domingo.....	3	1	225	106	649	218	697	295	1,036	431
Cuba.....	4,273	1,400	11,721	4,593	47,784	13,976	41,722	13,272	45,625	16,941
Porto Rico.....	450	175	872	421	8,234	2,605	3,926	1,364	4,334	1,829
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,269	838	2,483	1,189	18,917	5,888	15,257	5,319	13,145	5,451

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Naval stores—Continued.										
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gallons)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	11,900	4,636			154,800	45,918	177,120	65,550	73,896	24,967
Brazil.....	3,990	1,756	4,970	2,406	90,491	27,295	102,112	37,153	95,599	33,357
Colombia.....	868	362	1,298	731	10,972	3,915	8,024	2,971	9,018	4,148
Other South America.....	7,211	2,736	7,436	3,633	88,548	27,837	74,722	27,191	61,696	24,283
China.....	800	310	1,000	515	6,250	1,956	4,505	1,660	15,250	5,955
Japan.....			2,000	965	25,750	7,978	7,000	2,259	12,500	4,861
British Australasia.....	13,408	5,392	16,297	7,738	231,111	75,031	170,685	58,813	206,880	74,467
Other Asia and Oceania.....	7,000	2,630	500	240	8,920	2,729	13,950	4,944	22,846	9,182
Africa.....	2,926	1,296	6,544	3,284	43,740	17,022	38,341	15,423	53,688	24,122
Other countries.....					51	18	51	22	50	23
Total.....	1,074,188	364,507	478,742	205,711	12,235,152	3,101,562	11,889,907	3,521,902	11,775,063	3,750,076
Total naval stores.....		710,886		542,683		6,176,386		6,159,695		6,195,944
Nickel, nickel oxide, and matte lbs.	411,177	98,482	336,867	67,947	1,671,079	374,850	3,348,419	810,975	3,292,179	731,507
Nursery stock.....		5,195		10,276		(a)		73,863		105,030
Oil cake and oil-cake meal (pounds):										
Cotton seed.....	122,183,228	1,056,802	135,257,497	1,146,301	465,750,283	4,152,843	613,382,038	5,364,348	795,481,702	6,743,868
Flaxseed or linseed.....	28,297,804	300,373	42,032,027	486,120	289,514,745	2,744,788	308,683,347	3,166,888	323,795,277	3,528,354
Total.....	150,481,032	1,357,175	177,289,524	1,632,421	755,265,028	6,897,631	922,065,385	8,531,236	1,119,276,979	10,272,222
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	47,761,444	428,478	58,276,189	531,742	251,303,141	2,262,628	246,035,448	2,290,431	238,463,878	2,209,299
France.....	2,476,488	21,461	4,398,777	41,036	24,138,713	195,756	59,330,439	550,541	59,107,822	584,149
Germany.....	53,344,484	453,581	39,598,465	331,648	213,685,743	1,971,146	252,871,971	2,210,169	322,614,025	2,765,297
Other Europe.....	45,073,216	430,735	73,748,159	710,116	256,368,767	2,368,513	354,745,478	3,367,445	486,849,096	4,570,945
British North America.....	122,500	1,183	229,600	2,271	561,597	5,528	783,724	8,622	5,305,346	43,807
West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,658,882	21,079	985,290	14,776	8,850,180	90,302	7,968,765	100,008	6,623,876	94,802
South America.....	44,018	658	53,044	782	299,857	3,142	236,740	2,936	226,756	3,121
Other countries.....					57,030	616	92,820	1,084	66,180	802
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal.....	150,481,032	1,357,175	177,289,524	1,632,421	755,265,028	6,897,631	922,065,385	8,531,236	1,119,256,979	10,272,222
Oilcloths:										
For floors.....		2,887		1,698		(b)		17,055		16,009
Other.....		7,517		6,879		(b)		64,988		58,769
Total.....		10,404		8,577		(b)		82,043		74,778
Oils:										
ANIMAL (gallons)—										
Fish.....	110	43	607	137	784,871	151,459	582,278	106,841	926,292	186,246
Lard.....	70,040	27,270	70,327	31,078	719,310	321,261	487,975	189,548	511,092	235,143
Whale.....	6,679	3,376	726	299	30,883	11,759	48,228	22,339	65,763	30,870
Other.....	10,995	5,097	7,441	2,855	74,266	31,412	76,200	32,802	105,813	40,368
Total animal.....	87,824	35,786	79,101	34,369	1,609,330	515,891	1,194,681	351,530	1,608,960	492,627
MINERAL, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity (gallons)—										
France.....	4,336,588	165,260	4,097,646	183,151	66,621,006	3,176,099	52,308,184	1,936,733	58,968,631	2,645,123
Other Europe.....					9,653,186	461,527	11,169,702	373,051	12,409,837	517,679
British North America.....					5,897	442			20,270	1,408
Mexico.....	777,379	30,180	100,000	8,510	4,141,181	208,037	5,494,136	221,013	4,019,194	196,410
Cuba.....			181,600	14,044	3,657,508	228,457	3,114,388	170,717	2,189,555	125,337
Porto Rico.....					494,838	47,518	485,490	42,828		
Other countries.....					841,140	85,000	500	50		
Total.....	5,113,967	195,440	4,378,646	205,705	85,414,756	4,207,080	72,572,400	2,774,392	77,607,487	3,485,957

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Illuminating.....	1,285,436	73,523	1,561,344	110,704	10,429,247	852,811	10,877,028	768,076	12,553,593	843,091
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	50,017,437	2,222,713	41,913,007	2,640,384	512,617,190	32,815,260	555,319,342	29,609,832	466,092,573	25,763,901
Total.....	4,100,178	506,605	4,266,676	526,737	34,585,546	4,537,949	38,322,492	4,657,243	43,141,066	5,066,520
Total.....	55,403,051	2,802,842	47,741,027	3,277,824	557,631,983	38,206,020	604,518,862	35,035,751	521,787,232	31,673,515
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	15,425,863	658,447	16,042,861	946,176	155,099,501	9,600,918	153,695,992	8,337,410	138,200,164	7,624,462
France.....	229,262	34,472	549,841	68,812	7,440,749	720,963	9,853,765	857,872	8,388,335	798,782
Germany.....	10,397,315	389,253	4,304,025	250,537	79,872,918	4,287,220	97,972,907	4,373,338	82,270,720	4,104,544
Other Europe.....	12,955,382	573,165	14,693,557	846,988	161,558,752	9,630,484	175,483,080	8,737,720	165,940,332	8,670,941
British North America.....	810,302	51,564	1,203,815	83,513	8,058,419	564,177	8,881,559	580,143	8,446,264	572,598
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	85,985	8,351	62,171	8,786	853,472	99,418	645,859	69,607	718,912	84,165
Mexico.....	84,646	17,607	128,364	22,838	524,399	109,097	703,353	122,317	706,041	109,093
Santo Domingo.....	2,103	479	412	111	197,404	22,646	293,340	27,200	191,520	23,195
Cuba.....	34,315	3,999	61,920	9,602	59,012	7,605	158,145	21,627	560,846	72,867
Porto Rico.....	18,283	2,372	21,790	2,715	209,927	25,360	140,867	16,424	427,514	45,430
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	461,932	35,335	360,240	34,308	3,041,346	271,254	2,731,917	220,448	2,534,943	236,055
Argentina.....	384,735	37,193	521,561	69,579	8,016,752	804,522	6,780,426	613,866	4,279,170	466,266
Brazil.....	1,677,902	120,257	1,075,699	99,200	10,798,373	933,763	13,535,434	1,010,070	11,924,203	1,037,163
Colombia.....	79,004	8,980	29,196	3,353	897,603	81,047	599,215	61,156	727,060	72,468
Other South America.....	892,464	70,080	534,225	57,420	7,128,801	715,083	5,898,644	509,772	4,639,123	445,543
China.....	2,757,960	171,475	3,389,228	277,419	21,491,087	1,864,537	28,674,879	1,828,089	14,750,302	1,169,846
East Indies—British.....	3,270,652	202,239	1,515,586	133,007	13,630,575	1,255,150	29,268,962	2,105,066	19,952,469	1,435,399
Hongkong.....			14,250	1,875	(a)	(a)	8,863,266	543,182	7,948,870	588,976
Japan.....	3,152,693	196,941	33,342	7,861	31,945,509	2,858,524	29,093,773	2,272,455	27,707,163	1,979,064
British Australasia.....	1,376,500	131,572	2,099,538	230,955	10,943,818	1,264,790	12,804,260	1,304,525	10,181,263	1,054,086
Other Asia and Oceania.....	474,832	33,378	99,884	18,357	28,025,133	2,282,075	8,572,772	576,283	5,050,051	414,908
Africa.....	827,921	55,083	999,522	104,412	7,890,065	894,765	9,846,266	845,016	6,224,910	665,161
Other countries.....					29,368	2,612	18,091	1,565	17,057	1,503
Total mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum.....	55,403,051	2,802,842	47,741,027	3,277,824	557,631,983	38,206,020	604,518,862	35,035,751	521,787,232	31,673,515
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled.....bbls..	58,658	69,815	10,722	12,201	10,686	23,523	291,617	344,149	488,406	555,563
Total refined or manufactured, including residuum.....		2,872,657		3,290,025		38,229,543		35,379,900		32,229,078
VEGETABLE—										
Corn.....galls..	266,698	55,870	219,130	46,944	(b)	(b)	1,562,234	340,242	1,318,494	311,309
COTTON SEED (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	232,397	48,971	811,916	176,585	839,524	213,445	1,434,042	353,580	3,647,356	812,728
France.....	1,236,814	282,708	2,058,147	446,990	5,229,481	1,276,244	9,381,050	2,369,926	14,800,563	3,511,501
Germany.....	354,091	84,640	390,535	100,423	1,099,663	277,719	1,617,878	384,286	2,302,592	592,479
Other Europe.....	1,867,630	481,911	1,738,556	453,396	7,313,932	1,975,300	9,869,988	2,570,283	12,239,002	3,036,361
British North America.....	30,723	7,157	34,880	8,636	186,380	42,005	277,105	69,041	319,924	71,233
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	1,450	454	1,014	405	14,114	3,916	4,769	1,637	7,234	2,752
Mexico.....	72,747	16,469	222,979	35,424	1,136,419	224,099	1,385,073	262,164	1,731,325	302,622
Santo Domingo.....	2,210	628	1,333	386	23,395	7,761	39,387	13,319	49,644	15,503
Cuba.....	80	29	1,583	444	690	164	6,833	1,952	20,080	5,320

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
COTTON-SEED—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico.....			1,890	584			100	30	2,906	966
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	97,023	24,079	67,674	19,394	510,184	135,499	497,492	124,215	438,247	110,815
Argentina.....	2,565	851	7,349	2,340	33,175	10,814	10,099	3,069	52,789	16,335
Brazil.....	175,321	47,361	50,004	13,293	309,214	84,691	591,666	158,226	556,918	130,567
Other South America.....	26,530	8,368	30,918	9,815	153,241	50,092	184,176	58,815	182,311	55,616
British Australasia.....	4,326	1,196	4,387	1,300	40,953	13,282	32,652	10,009	33,150	10,214
Other Asia and Oceania.....					2,800	860	300	100	300	100
Africa.....	57,800	16,335	4,657	1,279	389,287	102,803	547,932	145,414	893,401	297,776
Total.....	4,161,707	1,021,157	5,427,822	1,270,703	17,287,362	4,418,754	25,880,542	6,526,066	37,247,742	8,882,908
Linseed.....galls.	7,347	3,200	8,994	3,939	65,623	25,855	57,084	23,345	64,294	28,627
VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL—										
Peppermint.....lbs.	9,288	10,965	3,306	3,368	127,370	206,229	84,507	113,621	72,295	75,141
Other.....		9,595		19,189		118,358		136,825		92,169
All other.....		92,785		45,036		723,155		404,439		647,868
Total vegetable.....		1,193,482		1,389,179		5,492,351		7,544,588		10,037,422
Paints, pigments, and colors:										
Carbon black, gas black, and										
lampblack.....		18,832		15,280	(a)	(a)		115,292		116,639
Zinc, oxide of.....lbs.	516,777	16,513	607,951	18,854	(a)	(a)	4,586,029	131,066	5,725,317	185,154
All other.....		50,048		68,698		584,504		441,378		537,102
Total.....		85,393		102,742		584,504		687,736		838,895
Paper, and manufactures of:										
Paper hangings.....		27,329		15,322		54,434		114,718		73,457
Printing paper.....lbs.	8,662,216	218,898	5,991,113	155,024			71,398,036	1,829,994	62,988,803	1,517,907
Writing paper and envelopes.....		13,733		11,386		65,894		117,743		99,605
All other.....		201,522		216,507		1,788,780		1,526,139		1,774,152
Total.....		461,473		398,839		1,909,108		3,588,594		3,465,121
Paraffin and paraffin wax (pounds):										
United Kingdom.....	5,785,238	229,777	7,012,539	273,952	59,901,291	2,296,524	66,348,422	2,515,913	70,007,952	2,574,377
France.....	90,432	4,390	182,529	7,505	376,888	16,233	1,622,068	72,891	2,366,112	95,682
Germany.....	1,497,592	52,376	412,432	23,165	11,691,681	476,792	14,907,336	588,909	16,594,554	662,817
Other Europe.....	1,437,266	57,019	2,538,863	97,712	9,029,713	373,500	13,271,547	538,544	20,268,766	806,811
British North America.....	2,140	107	432	18	20,065	873	48,406	2,156	35,016	1,458
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	34,180	1,696	28,469	1,592	313,970	19,412	281,961	13,959	374,174	17,891
Mexico.....	160,580	6,577	643,398	33,939	2,156,123	111,159	2,517,737	110,536	3,418,037	157,810
West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,268	125	5,778	283	74,873	3,188	25,416	1,001	25,746	1,213
Brazil.....	27,581	1,345	6,519	338	179,761	10,456	158,521	7,759	182,968	8,546
Other South America.....	690	27	2,200	100	62,784	2,902	83,010	4,103	79,438	3,855
Japan.....	403,763	14,595	515,385	20,615	2,682,758	115,608	1,595,785	55,056	2,232,076	85,263
British Australasia.....	245,954	11,316	35,588	1,745	802,582	34,145	1,412,870	61,538	902,909	39,093
Other Asia and Oceania.....					76,200	3,048	27,517	1,015	23,997	943
Africa.....	68,903	2,786	14,976	770	589,255	35,907	389,039	17,175	600,084	23,373
Total.....	9,756,497	382,136	11,399,108	461,734	88,257,949	3,499,747	102,680,635	3,990,555	117,111,829	4,478,532
Perfumery and cosmetics.....		22,077		16,808		222,796		203,818		182,689
Plated ware.....		32,506		33,025		270,982		298,373		294,135
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products:										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
BEEF PRODUCTS—										
BEEF CANNED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,452,750	128,672	1,619,500	147,873	25,004,851	2,187,431	16,218,598	1,411,676	17,098,325	1,576,222
France.....	42,204	3,895	27,185	2,718	934,878	77,258	337,847	28,703	243,555	21,568
Germany.....	393,825	33,271	60,200	4,850	3,578,670	288,586	4,277,263	381,051	2,703,141	238,195
Other Europe.....	321,326	26,105	189,270	17,408	2,577,664	230,970	2,410,360	201,803	1,653,796	147,889

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
BEEF PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CANNED (pounds)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....	6,825	641	23,030	1,996	1,065,518	81,927	382,206	28,239	1,398,515	121,737
Central American States and British Honduras....	17,905	2,141	16,139	1,853	179,836	21,968	175,756	19,780	120,549	12,926
Mexico.....	13,445	1,900	18,588	2,318	86,174	10,605	78,098	10,242	85,803	11,634
Santo Domingo.....					674	51	334	29	498	43
Cuba.....	10,464	839	28,423	2,527	21,912	1,683	73,702	5,822	109,751	10,186
Porto Rico.....					1,584	124	384	30	96	8
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	30,418	2,890	21,749	2,193	242,710	20,492	277,697	25,267	215,672	21,319
Argentina.....			5,400	552	400	30	3,000	357	8,620	878
Brazil.....	28,080	2,755	34,366	3,715	181,300	14,506	83,535	7,996	129,454	13,640
Colombia.....	3,861	319	5,380	490	52,626	4,396	52,488	4,507	33,788	2,903
Other South America.....	14,588	1,388	8,800	836	97,241	7,990	93,848	8,778	74,808	7,110
China.....	21,720	2,907	12,420	1,571	73,004	10,554	138,118	19,533	81,965	11,374
East Indies—British.....					5,775	536	3,000	368	2,128	276
Hongkong.....	8,300	1,268	9,848	1,445	(a)	(a)	97,350	14,412	78,998	11,624
Japan.....	13,300	1,984	7,220	1,048	656,165	52,774	192,872	28,382	238,060	28,902
British Australasia.....			1,400	203	63,790	6,152	51,365	5,243	21,500	2,209
Other Asia and Oceania....	32,120	4,771	42,900	5,654	393,025	55,199	273,150	39,865	322,855	46,533
Africa.....	401,664	32,138	591,616	47,359	5,210,358	403,979	2,912,886	233,857	3,767,436	317,905
Other countries.....					400	34				
Total.....	2,812,295	247,794	2,723,434	246,609	40,428,555	3,477,245	28,133,857	2,475,940	28,395,313	2,605,081
FRESH (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	22,774,323	1,930,978	22,564,323	1,873,433	194,636,012	15,068,397	182,787,167	15,084,089	170,696,547	14,307,385
British North America....	341	24	634	50	34,618	2,006	4,038	260	477,973	38,651
West Indies and Bermuda..	59,633	4,889	80,101	7,286	206,134	14,170	305,521	23,396	243,576	19,725
Other countries.....									579	52
Total.....	22,834,297	1,935,891	22,645,118	1,880,769	194,876,764	15,084,573	183,096,726	15,107,745	171,418,675	14,365,813
SALTED OR PICKLED, AND OTHER CURED (pounds)—										
Salted or pickled.....	3,401,298	192,928	2,886,553	155,569	53,837,778	2,818,960	28,920,815	1,477,872	31,514,498	1,690,010
Other cured.....	69,882	5,323	58,773	4,964	659,252	61,415	1,036,063	100,496	926,086	89,908
Total.....	3,471,180	198,251	2,945,326	160,533	54,497,030	2,880,375	29,956,878	1,578,368	32,440,584	1,779,918
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,049,224	121,199	1,371,383	77,224	31,742,054	1,786,239	12,005,957	683,761	13,412,684	768,733
France.....	17,400	865	15,000	850	175,366	8,265	112,400	5,207	97,400	5,804
Germany.....	333,525	18,632	391,120	20,145	3,760,065	191,281	3,376,775	179,114	4,469,367	244,153
Other Europe.....	211,360	10,588	311,250	16,303	5,937,497	305,650	3,971,009	203,571	5,596,421	291,509
British North America....	52,984	2,700	159,900	7,522	4,425,079	195,574	2,173,875	93,977	2,257,325	111,281
Central American States and British Honduras....	32,265	1,782	18,800	990	380,049	17,996	479,280	23,413	368,628	19,808
Mexico.....	150	11	4,500	230	2,150	84	5,611	348	11,054	568
Santo Domingo.....	3,000	152	2,200	111	44,050	1,970	25,550	1,220	43,100	2,242
Cuba.....	12,200	633	96,462	5,313	28,200	1,177	267,969	13,099	409,159	21,574
Porto Rico.....			1,400	77	46,500	2,168	16,300	839	12,900	653
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	466,200	25,111	351,711	19,155	4,532,492	213,175	3,657,488	181,604	2,821,525	151,664
Brazil.....	1,300	80	3,500	192	66,700	2,840	15,200	779	33,900	2,066
Colombia.....	19,000	1,081	12,000	663	159,454	6,880	147,300	7,496	146,716	7,845
Other South America.....	165,572	9,557	196,800	11,272	2,761,861	125,639	2,052,844	107,635	2,391,005	130,385
Asia and Oceania.....	57,000	3,210	1,100	56	187,450	9,938	1,103,400	49,569	232,100	13,771
Africa.....	50,000	2,650	8,200	430	241,263	11,229	542,900	26,598	132,100	7,602
Other countries.....					6,800	270	3,000	138	5,200	260
Total beef, salted, etc....	3,471,180	198,251	2,945,326	160,533	54,497,030	2,880,375	29,956,878	1,578,368	32,440,584	1,779,918

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
TALLOW (pounds)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	1,204,511	45,925	3,004,037	127,869	17,204,293	624,381	15,313,995	559,643	21,330,820	840,231
France.....	372,231	12,147	1,302,244	36,336	15,232,077	553,358	6,991,362	248,387	11,001,938	415,765
Germany.....	693,905	30,675	995,365	42,273	6,174,158	226,151	5,069,994	194,050	12,715,830	489,615
Other Europe.....	438,147	16,046	2,366,436	91,340	10,146,560	376,777	5,841,864	200,637	22,303,002	873,876
British North America.....	28,094	703	2,062	96	72,338	2,280	116,375	3,541	501,734	13,322
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	261,666	10,828	118,079	5,543	1,975,516	86,425	1,441,140	62,168	1,282,577	57,252
Mexico.....	16,142	684	25,759	1,169	813,059	30,105	460,840	17,381	552,814	22,318
Santo Domingo.....	99,405	4,005			342,993	13,789	495,153	18,442	144,342	5,454
Cuba.....			6,149	374	419,086	14,716	175,217	6,089	490,732	18,736
Porto Rico.....	2,500	150			4,565	256	4,912	261	5,745	303
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	309,320	13,532	138,637	6,880	1,324,101	63,346	1,605,883	66,114	871,672	37,681
Brazil.....	2,260	105	24,308	1,500	101,232	4,177	560,579	24,492	593,409	31,831
Colombia.....	17,079	785	31,524	1,641	96,481	5,490	316,654	13,553	140,539	6,348
Other South America.....	15,162	785	93,660	4,355	245,592	10,182	154,851	6,880	358,731	16,426
Asia and Oceanica.....					19,035	718	22,537	858	18,304	910
Other countries.....	350	19					2,750	139	3,867	167
Total.....	3,460,772	136,389	8,108,260	319,376	54,171,086	2,012,151	38,574,106	1,422,635	72,316,056	2,830,535
HOG PRODUCTS—										
BACON (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	39,207,805	2,933,782	27,253,614	2,143,279	246,696,628	17,701,614	307,780,154	22,398,956	265,685,111	20,558,189
France.....	135,973	9,975	918,666	62,921	1,733,350	116,173	1,062,283	68,748	6,368,429	448,213
Germany.....	3,345,750	214,517	4,124,767	288,083	20,810,872	1,223,182	33,775,979	2,147,673	25,096,493	1,735,246
Other Europe.....	7,668,148	524,090	5,615,636	381,964	30,154,753	1,777,018	56,607,770	3,621,180	62,067,777	4,260,699
British North America.....	770,397	52,522	121,956	8,547	7,449,525	362,792	12,135,816	722,032	8,758,272	533,299
Central American States										
and British Honduras....	11,634	861	14,339	987	174,074	11,640	152,933	11,682	168,685	11,871
Mexico.....	7,766	915	10,664	1,148	68,726	6,528	66,666	6,763	97,951	9,547
Santo Domingo.....	1,280	74	100	6	28,984	1,637	15,498	1,027	15,308	951
Cuba.....	1,381,761	88,192	1,073,337	57,783	6,486,391	341,306	8,676,962	551,399	5,133,520	309,424
Porto Rico.....	9,500	524	91,717	5,704	364,603	19,214	280,370	18,381	640,960	42,459
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	41,393	3,266	39,688	2,871	318,130	23,515	364,397	27,829	463,678	32,113
Brazil.....	670,766	44,457	513,753	33,929	9,466,337	558,030	6,829,767	431,430	5,281,159	365,150
Colombia.....	612	66	4,954	318	19,327	1,053	13,599	997	17,065	1,167
Other South America.....	32,091	2,481	14,549	968	195,504	12,438	280,941	21,668	143,380	10,300
China.....	2,350	294	2,560	326	15,092	1,969	21,375	2,784	40,280	5,306
Other Asia and Oceanica...	14,580	1,834	11,510	1,505	54,618	7,057	100,318	12,843	162,097	20,136
Africa.....			270	19	58,127	3,535	18,693	1,301	38,342	2,626
Total.....	53,301,806	3,877,850	39,812,080	2,990,358	324,095,041	22,168,701	428,183,521	30,046,693	380,178,507	28,346,696
HAMS (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	13,754,316	1,316,675	15,976,099	1,450,546	84,262,531	8,106,858	96,633,503	9,272,863	113,683,432	10,375,591
France.....	25,729	2,590	68,598	6,500	274,080	26,089	838,242	84,094	521,408	49,708
Germany.....	1,890,446	186,464	960,612	89,731	2,209,055	201,867	6,336,458	585,994	7,610,219	699,524
Other Europe.....	1,496,795	135,556	1,492,909	137,873	11,077,028	1,094,003	8,717,446	830,665	14,711,689	1,364,505
British North America.....	188,891	14,728	153,116	13,863	1,871,631	185,142	3,136,489	283,470	5,346,142	458,547
Central American States										
and British Honduras....	19,253	1,931	17,312	1,672	198,096	21,123	189,781	19,634	156,079	14,885
Mexico.....	21,644	2,420	30,070	3,237	189,514	20,885	136,484	15,166	195,848	21,749
Santo Domingo.....	2,854	330	2,187	243	41,579	4,895	32,560	3,715	41,530	4,468
Cuba.....	431,134	45,313	620,855	57,267	2,954,616	267,714	2,858,985	295,983	3,431,178	326,985
Porto Rico.....	70,582	4,820	15,875	1,423	606,290	54,920	571,358	48,148	76,442	7,162
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	135,102	11,466	92,339	7,882	888,622	88,207	924,709	87,612	999,996	87,020
Brazil.....	924	110	1,445	164	5,153	543	20,464	1,882	24,952	2,719
Colombia.....	16,041	1,424	12,265	882	109,688	9,355	102,367	9,418	98,287	8,503

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HAMS (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America.....	46,820	4,806	64,297	6,752	609,341	66,616	583,410	63,525	540,427	56,559
China.....	4,000	508	7,700	957	40,968	5,486	46,259	5,928	69,240	8,968
British Australasia.....	910	117	500	65	6,760	890	2,166	280	26,108	2,865
Other Asia and Oceania....	32,835	4,120	35,751	4,504	189,969	25,203	236,283	28,112	349,222	43,792
Africa.....	2,234	285	7,752	781	58,935	6,136	120,466	14,911	134,961	14,458
Other countries.....					2,771	299	5,630	560	15,954	1,297
Total.....	18,140,510	1,733,663	19,559,682	1,784,342	105,596,627	10,186,231	121,493,080	11,651,978	148,033,114	13,549,305
PORK (pounds)—										
Fresh.....	1,313,836	80,143	3,920,164	258,059	58,827	3,068	5,634,168	363,761	30,754,313	2,016,537
Salted or pickled.....	7,737,332	442,738	12,003,870	696,350	46,380,205	2,235,733	52,570,523	2,794,805	90,111,695	5,251,226
Total.....	9,051,168	522,881	15,924,034	954,409	46,439,032	2,238,801	58,204,691	3,158,566	120,866,008	7,267,763
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	3,114,546	193,299	9,159,398	570,415	11,046,367	614,231	16,717,748	1,012,986	61,930,190	3,958,937
France.....	2,900	155	19,000	500	95,600	5,668	78,100	3,760	113,175	6,268
Germany.....	1,449,445	81,354	1,238,038	67,179	1,744,502	93,242	4,910,941	268,781	7,615,695	423,747
Other Europe.....	917,441	54,261	2,644,122	162,754	1,473,186	83,704	5,590,367	326,014	20,071,400	1,188,215
British North America....	1,143,050	65,630	711,172	40,311	10,153,597	454,864	10,778,773	560,324	13,474,545	755,715
Central American States and British Honduras..	115,686	6,017	83,295	4,411	823,070	35,339	919,198	43,756	831,114	41,527
Santo Domingo.....	4,300	238	6,200	242	62,500	2,796	35,000	1,774	59,900	3,260
Cuba.....	25,600	1,395	125,345	6,710	185,860	8,362	195,600	10,157	426,624	22,289
Porto Rico.....	173,200	8,774	284,400	15,344	2,057,000	89,232	2,699,700	130,583	1,723,800	92,519
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,817,400	96,127	1,267,985	64,924	15,365,325	695,272	13,090,140	638,444	11,103,947	581,986
Brazil.....			2,500	131	110,900	5,677	9,100	437	90,500	5,840
Colombia.....	8,800	477	8,500	476	73,300	3,733	86,905	4,839	82,004	4,672
Other South America.....	251,000	13,462	354,459	19,084	3,013,700	132,895	2,889,050	143,950	2,997,659	162,567
Asia and Oceania.....	27,000	1,635	20,420	1,475	133,425	8,938	89,690	5,798	100,860	7,388
Africa.....			8,200	453	58,100	2,832	83,800	5,203	63,200	3,740
Other countries.....	800	57			42,600	2,016	30,579	1,751	171,995	9,113
Total.....	9,051,168	522,881	15,924,034	954,409	46,439,032	2,238,801	58,204,691	3,158,566	120,866,008	7,267,763
LARD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	20,650,731	1,160,637	16,539,154	1,005,911	115,954,964	6,126,372	144,813,411	7,853,919	127,445,435	7,686,718
France.....	808,050	39,907	3,309,160	195,751	14,943,407	730,802	16,342,415	838,454	21,141,304	1,197,743
Germany.....	12,951,158	701,083	17,570,323	1,058,390	115,114,062	5,781,559	154,944,701	8,118,275	166,194,160	9,867,242
Other Europe.....	10,575,919	588,316	10,381,094	625,506	66,141,378	3,352,259	85,483,156	4,540,402	110,062,506	6,482,734
British North America....	53,077	2,700	109,362	6,933	3,690,731	173,096	2,586,142	129,844	6,831,817	362,432
Central American States and British Honduras....	276,029	15,961	203,785	12,610	1,240,039	65,895	1,507,169	82,375	1,602,869	93,549
Mexico.....	315,719	16,283	252,947	12,621	4,838,721	221,017	2,817,119	135,549	2,014,896	105,311
Santo Domingo.....	12,960	692	7,384	520	240,564	13,007	231,702	13,141	269,812	15,914
Cuba.....	2,814,583	148,817	2,436,274	125,283	18,643,299	936,148	15,731,508	792,198	15,748,278	847,354
Porto Rico.....	257,273	12,855	283,253	15,975	2,714,560	134,629	2,557,345	134,898	2,830,646	151,600
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	619,499	38,473	334,640	22,166	4,844,736	282,116	4,045,093	247,576	3,595,457	236,628
Argentina.....	5,828	427			58,467	3,123	22,568	1,499	22,014	1,421
Brazil.....	1,121,080	71,127	942,872	69,675	5,574,115	321,708	11,369,648	685,703	12,029,772	837,877
Colombia.....	60,066	3,682	81,377	4,297	1,987,331	100,424	1,359,172	76,474	893,745	50,995
Other South America.....	599,561	36,775	583,780	38,070	7,735,616	433,317	6,769,010	404,481	5,755,451	376,293
Asia and Oceania.....	56,050	3,818	52,542	3,503	269,630	19,336	409,251	27,807	764,807	48,559
Africa.....	160,516	11,133	230,550	17,336	895,084	56,074	1,249,282	86,220	1,924,182	140,740
Other countries.....					10,896	654	81,800	1,807	35,252	2,022
Total.....	51,333,129	2,852,686	53,318,497	3,214,547	364,895,500	18,751,536	452,220,492	24,170,622	479,162,403	28,505,132

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
LARD (pounds)—Continued.										
Lard compounds, and substitutes for (cottonseed, lardine, etc.) .....lbs..	1,039,085	58,606	2,045,498	104,830	11,125,893	598,533	10,928,624	569,933	14,422,274	789,642
Casings for sausages.....		74,435		115,001		1,025,585		1,156,072		1,131,256
Mutton.....lbs..	15,820	1,020	28,936	2,332	179,937	13,630	290,167	24,829	285,214	22,286
OLEO AND OLEOMARGARINE (pounds)—										
Oleo, the oil.....	8,414,165	480,579	9,399,349	679,277	73,750,234	4,415,213	80,815,184	4,788,400	86,154,740	5,311,389
Oleomargarine, imitation butter.....	264,086	23,107	425,600	40,541	3,599,149	349,567	2,200,164	202,994	3,945,815	351,687
Total.....	8,678,251	503,686	9,824,949	719,818	77,349,383	4,764,780	83,015,348	4,991,394	90,100,555	5,663,076
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	582,601	32,103	337,893	22,728	5,012,693	312,611	5,641,415	340,091	4,586,929	269,471
Germany.....	1,741,778	106,794	2,073,957	164,124	17,433,908	1,007,217	20,298,350	1,192,067	20,053,418	1,302,789
Netherlands.....	5,501,213	311,082	5,934,224	421,102	44,343,523	2,757,269	48,017,088	2,879,833	52,459,336	3,211,487
Other Europe.....	637,620	35,430	1,082,993	74,972	7,336,682	408,385	7,056,365	405,601	10,575,104	667,165
British North America.....	62,100	3,263	106,658	6,199	935,908	47,240	643,116	39,360	637,569	37,270
Central American States and British Honduras.....	200	22	2,450	317	80	10	2,760	271	11,283	1,329
Mexico.....			1,096	124	5,735	610	3,260	318	5,840	573
Porto Rico.....			29,926	3,249					114,791	12,468
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	141,503	13,856	164,050	16,816	1,824,998	185,152	1,008,681	96,850	1,270,860	125,754
Colombia.....	1,000	80	12,692	1,170	60,336	5,044	51,310	4,525	68,544	6,223
Other South America.....	6,890	593	18,000	2,075	217,105	22,758	115,146	11,748	116,812	12,559
Asia and Oceania.....	3,250	451	61,010	6,941	58,788	6,585	115,671	13,363	170,645	19,091
Other countries.....	96	12	10	1	119,637	11,899	62,186	7,337	20,424	2,897
Total.....	8,678,251	503,686	9,824,949	719,818	77,349,383	4,764,780	83,015,348	4,991,394	90,100,555	5,663,076
Poultry and game.....		24,393		26,790		37,802		53,676		75,272
All other meat products.....		416,533		445,507		1,956,085		2,553,415		3,697,047
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
BUTTER (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	295,827	48,964	2,480,322	407,669	16,565,201	2,535,064	12,067,679	1,840,380	8,320,953	1,403,460
Germany.....	27,672	4,172	79,850	10,720	2,010,992	237,396	1,231,650	140,291	544,608	76,039
Other Europe.....	77,372	10,158	173,017	25,341	2,030,974	228,757	716,287	84,671	557,431	81,144
British North America.....	12,158	2,758	374,924	56,573	1,187,108	183,271	2,967,540	440,750	1,499,246	244,156
Central American States and British Honduras.....	26,723	4,216	19,252	3,650	170,380	29,409	189,765	32,496	165,983	30,792
Mexico.....	23,172	4,142	28,597	5,146	142,140	24,154	155,000	27,243	181,993	32,531
Santo Domingo.....	900	119	600	94	31,025	4,276	28,308	3,903	48,241	6,655
Cuba.....	4,139	825	134,584	21,767	36,437	6,474	33,835	6,324	377,156	63,839
Porto Rico.....	100	28	10,596	1,808	2,990	428	18,900	2,407	38,126	6,642
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	114,209	18,900	215,171	33,072	1,333,405	193,713	1,204,407	182,455	1,351,698	217,297
Brazil.....	83,302	10,494	78,570	10,517	188,244	25,259	471,323	57,785	813,170	105,518
Colombia.....	7,619	1,231	2,915	521	75,145	10,149	95,521	13,556	45,185	8,267
Other South America.....	47,348	7,219	71,601	11,167	433,050	56,631	391,157	53,610	515,727	79,149
China.....	590	164	3,180	739	13,026	2,418	18,600	4,019	17,247	4,032
Japan.....	20,855	4,048	3,425	710	58,115	10,547	86,872	17,210	74,695	14,822
Other Asia and Oceania.....	12,237	3,092	23,557	5,490	85,979	16,299	120,454	27,367	142,536	32,268
Africa.....	424	79	560	90	10,204	1,814	13,766	2,592	12,757	2,410
Other countries.....					649	85	2,671	501	4,558	701
Total.....	754,668	129,609	3,700,661	595,074	24,375,063	3,596,165	19,841,795	2,937,560	14,711,310	2,409,722
CHEESE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,428,322	124,331	1,184,544	117,521	26,779,940	2,421,609	28,632,032	2,463,665	14,418,359	1,246,925
Germany.....					320	36	105	9		
British North America.....	716	78	5,184	599	4,799,024	407,247	10,276,716	863,398	10,163,394	786,188

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CHEESE (pounds)—Continued.										
Central American States and		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Honduras	11,094	1,249	10,675	1,288	107,900	11,960	103,734	11,741	97,092	11,058
Mexico	11,912	1,382	15,268	1,855	88,739	10,730	80,868	9,647	98,271	11,699
Santo Domingo	2,717	316	1,058	132	23,637	2,615	17,472	2,124	23,320	2,814
Cuba	28,282	3,334	97,476	9,596	33,831	6,229	157,267	18,517	439,445	52,808
Porto Rico	1,300	169	18,192	2,196	11,098	1,252	8,386	1,042	66,213	8,123
Other West Indies and Bermuda	57,986	6,901	48,352	5,946	552,231	64,918	488,773	58,615	444,039	52,245
Brazil					745	80	1,679	182	5,150	568
Colombia	6,914	868	2,858	359	57,411	6,946	63,894	7,741	40,664	4,961
Other South America	12,599	1,661	7,061	894	84,588	10,129	91,860	11,008	83,836	9,904
China	1,860	188	2,150	254	30,160	3,339	33,679	3,639	86,850	9,495
Japan	6,100	622	4,900	629	34,525	3,771	25,269	2,727	38,720	4,389
Other Asia and Oceania	21,800	2,257	27,930	3,264	128,823	14,720	166,860	17,917	209,648	23,379
Other countries	934	95	400	48	14,324	1,758	9,166	1,012	10,379	1,122
Total	1,592,536	143,471	1,426,048	144,581	32,747,296	2,967,369	40,157,760	3,495,584	26,225,380	2,225,678
Milk		65,562		87,689		397,500		505,948		623,220
Total provisions, etc.	12,913,720		13,792,565		92,127,022		105,900,958		115,887,462	
Quicksilver	lbs.	61,973	28,318	209,469	101,571	752,502	292,871	529,419	210,642	718,818
Rice	lbs.	18,743	1,034	31,098	1,172	(a)	(a)	340,224	15,401	487,963
Rice bran, meal, and polish	lbs.	1,015,017	6,378	1,702,769	12,587	2,351,266	12,998	3,517,672	21,347	10,384,350
Salt	lbs.	613,302	3,689	858,717	6,154	(a)	(a)	5,637,171	32,260	6,313,018
Seeds:										
Clover	lbs.	4,398,669	255,496	3,345,757	213,194	10,575,127	813,416	22,577,306	1,401,613	15,037,280
Cotton	lbs.	5,496,738	32,515	5,257,308	26,351	22,214,806	146,120	26,461,126	159,701	24,791,318
Flaxseed or linseed	bush.			15,243	16,000	4,074,637	3,310,239	257,165	231,170	2,802,532
Timothy	lbs.	1,153,765	36,068	2,121,017	61,857	9,830,829	353,794	5,587,093	174,113	10,315,214
Other grass seeds			21,137	13,687				144,322		136,120
All other			16,096	20,144				107,475		106,427
Total		361,312		351,233		4,981,735		2,218,394		4,449,772
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		106,969		73,569		2,652,315		889,173		698,624
France		9,043		135,959		114,866		28,707		180,096
Germany		133,428		41,772		576,233		636,908		693,420
Other Europe		23,415		27,464		1,278,439		320,143		1,619,424
British North America		59,087		61,420		285,838		258,212		1,189,913
Central American States and										
British Honduras		309		495		7,179		2,185		2,335
Mexico		5,366		3,213		14,515		21,890		11,617
Santo Domingo				20		283		542		98
Cuba		117		74		3,059		2,172		2,901
Porto Rico				23		205		19		112
Other West Indies and Bermuda		722		422		3,311		3,097		3,532
Argentina						401		132		2,432
Brazil		425		123		615		838		719
Colombia		40		139		1,708		1,247		1,071
Other South America		363		99		4,202		1,506		1,271
China		270		168		465		561		305
British Australasia		20,668		4,512		33,171		46,094		35,069
Other Asia and Oceania		754		791		3,434		3,991		4,775
Africa		336		970		1,496		977		2,058
Total seeds		361,312		351,233		4,981,735		2,218,394		4,449,772
Shells		20,604		3,132		(a)		91,020		68,728
Silk, manufactures of		14,401		13,744		138,201		155,228		175,001

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Soap:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Toilet or fancy		18,966		22,372		119,175		147,025		205,339
Other.....lbs.	1,644,712	61,246	2,618,529	89,036	15,995,493	610,154	16,723,970	626,093	18,313,557	586,502
Total.....		80,212		111,408		729,329		773,118		791,841
Spermaceti and spermaceti wax										
.....lbs.	12,547	3,590	18,663	4,946	150,883	48,382	130,616	38,901	129,287	35,440
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
ALCOHOL—										
Wood	3,449	1,857	62,783	37,475			278,549	145,462	361,856	198,476
Other, including pure, neutral, or cologne spirits.....	166,960	39,082	2,605	545	322,323	102,630	322,364	106,309	934,091	264,190
Brandy.....	151	316	667	831	7,342	7,271	14,842	21,685	15,550	22,990
Rum	40,967	55,786	23,401	28,138	462,635	630,467	309,877	423,849	479,247	663,218
WHISKY—										
Bourbon.....	26,357	24,989	8,727	9,338	306,140	238,061	144,981	126,420	163,023	176,195
Rye	841	1,761	6,962	13,808	14,991	24,742	7,566	15,334	44,258	71,298
All other.....	7,008	2,393	2,781	3,287	306,589	128,270	29,698	23,348	14,404	15,812
Total.....	245,733	126,184	107,926	93,422	1,420,020	1,131,441	1,107,877	862,407	2,012,429	1,412,179
Starch.....lbs.	6,668,701	122,612	8,161,045	138,251	36,053,518	780,034	44,395,322	771,747	72,699,934	1,463,064
Stationery, except of paper		71,208		84,940		578,381		633,730		717,185
Stereotype and electrotype plates		3,779		4,537		48,712		44,498		42,154
Straw and palm leaf manufactures of		42,000		34,482		146,788		149,458		148,825
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....galls.	142,012	17,096	417,274	81,097			2,763,461	180,355	4,808,904	418,219
Sirup.....galls.	481,909	63,195	530,516	84,854	5,378,145	475,819	5,152,501	468,223	5,312,960	755,022
Sugar, brown.....lbs.	36,525	1,328	119,475	4,559	993,579	31,383	389,188	14,622	207,609	8,077
SUGAR, REFINED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....					485,000	19,475	50,432	2,523	308,967	15,051
Germany.....					9,490	475	2,075	98	100	5
Other Europe.....			300	15	712	38	4,919	262	1,300	60
British North America.....	4,695	343	228,310	11,382	21,736	1,462	41,828	2,663	428,190	20,899
Central American States and British Honduras.....	35,670	1,724	20,824	903	874,573	40,323	736,613	35,973	240,392	11,526
Mexico.....	5,571	277	90,192	4,566	377,887	18,674	208,700	10,125	279,721	12,323
Santo Domingo.....	1,080	46	2,116	112	27,578	1,332	25,797	1,366	17,522	950
Other West Indies and Bermuda	194,546	10,468	161,337	7,978	1,848,516	89,391	1,244,497	67,050	1,476,457	76,627
Colombia.....	38,399	1,882	19,894	931	681,799	32,870	392,592	19,787	183,999	9,038
Other South America.....	5,485	295	2,403	135	22,130	1,119	89,356	5,018	23,483	1,283
Other Asia and Oceania.....	71,182	3,298	160,159	6,116	675,240	30,989	789,709	37,712	2,283,337	87,274
Africa.....	11,200	612	24,921	1,311	323,366	16,533	271,028	13,850	219,007	11,741
Total.....	367,828	18,945	710,456	33,449	5,348,127	252,701	3,857,546	196,427	5,462,475	246,777
Candy and confectionery		50,930		44,590		348,470		441,927		393,888
Total sugar and molasses		151,494		248,549		1,108,373		1,301,554		1,821,983
Tin, manufactures of		16,844		33,070		193,185		162,741		203,085
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Leaf.....	11,685,571	1,053,716	14,187,962	1,284,236	229,871,303	18,617,037	188,978,123	16,361,068	194,361,162	18,105,248
Stems and trimmings.....	489,625	11,851	423,394	10,627	4,668,933	79,457	6,032,823	120,350	6,602,537	135,158
Total.....	12,175,196	1,065,567	14,611,356	1,294,863	234,540,236	18,696,494	195,010,946	16,481,418	200,963,699	18,240,406
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,736,543	643,459	7,008,889	652,769	70,483,888	6,371,315	65,288,356	6,392,052	61,044,193	5,759,357
France.....	623,832	61,437	168,378	15,901	21,371,628	1,633,552	18,099,833	1,419,740	22,593,238	1,821,220
Germany.....	1,611,229	80,569	2,472,983	185,408	51,664,297	3,603,180	44,594,865	3,132,560	38,434,127	3,092,862
Other Europe.....	1,293,859	99,444	2,669,135	209,891	75,582,111	5,564,992	53,946,925	4,257,046	56,179,681	5,312,154
British North America.....	669,397	65,438	875,465	87,666	7,929,926	807,914	4,367,328	437,870	6,595,552	666,238
Central American States and British Honduras.....	14,241	2,161	27,020	3,208	113,752	13,648	145,662	21,573	96,977	13,806

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Tobacco, and manufactures of— Continued.										
LEAF, STEMS AND TRIMMINGS— Continued.										
Exported to (pounds)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	245,762	20,447	192,170	16,919	858,983	67,390	1,388,797	103,507	1,151,068	97,719
West Indies and Bermuda...	277,397	26,529	254,930	22,531	1,890,933	176,471	1,927,197	189,410	1,782,950	172,927
Argentina.....			29,191	2,000	56,990	4,055	16,315	565	222,088	14,455
Colombia.....	5,768	880	957	148	15,493	2,125	34,371	4,932	26,341	3,649
Other South America.....	89,144	8,287	102,890	10,395	827,417	67,779	741,560	62,857	712,452	65,733
Japan.....	220,995	12,253	64,731	7,472	407,477	24,833	1,056,301	69,787	7,972,895	766,944
British Australasia.....	120,814	19,462	398,118	47,909	1,125,115	186,368	1,214,755	177,981	1,642,484	222,773
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	65,978	4,990			195,683	15,573	180,816	15,670	486,656	36,211
Africa.....	200,237	20,211	346,499	32,646	2,010,323	157,275	2,007,865	195,868	2,021,797	194,287
Other countries.....					220	24			600	71
Total unmanufactured...	12,175,196	1,065,567	14,011,356	1,294,863	234,540,236	18,696,494	195,010,946	16,481,418	210,963,699	18,240,406
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars.....M.	248	8,121	265	4,016	1,063	25,827	1,098	29,234	1,930	31,797
Cigarettes.....M.	85,427	164,859	73,134	134,974	695,724	1,272,999	631,773	1,282,885	844,162	1,567,548
Plug.....lbs.	667,038	136,630	789,839	186,895			6,298,444	1,381,913	5,731,009	1,237,214
All other.....		62,912		60,034		1,920,660		438,939		512,964
Total.....		372,522		385,919		3,219,486		3,132,971		3,449,523
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		83,371		39,441		1,006,083		876,723		506,684
France.....				1,057		11,612		13,029		9,982
Germany.....		5,837		1,638		143,294		85,815		55,948
Other Europe.....		37,002		10,389		216,609		210,549		246,849
British North America.....		3,860		9,015		37,182		38,512		44,134
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,281		4,557		40,888		26,579		36,160
Mexico.....		355		450		11,193		6,079		8,282
Cuba.....		17,964		21,705		37,330		95,552		81,158
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		11,193		6,925		125,661		94,005		80,283
Argentina.....		24		175		47,147		1,807		4,161
Brazil.....		550				1,355		560		500
Colombia.....		960		492		1,066		1,902		3,360
Other South America.....		6,852		5,330		41,391		52,270		55,801
China.....		21,138		35,878		159,433		199,939		200,684
East Indies: British.....		8,083		22,592		94,033		91,055		143,272
Hongkong.....		3,056		8,923		(a)		19,544		46,412
Japan.....		53,836		4,500		261,416		303,447		461,448
British Australasia.....		83,270		101,492		626,097		775,335		1,095,947
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		13,136		28,627		149,692		128,057		179,142
Africa.....		16,754		22,733		207,332		108,038		188,666
Other countries.....						672		2,674		650
Total manufactures of...		372,522		385,919		3,219,486		3,132,971		3,449,523
Toys		4,561		12,908		110,791		86,508		106,429
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.....		5,045		9,715		58,998		59,486		77,417
Varnish.....galls.	21,642	24,126	87,916	35,951	224,655	258,588	231,632	243,375	265,811	276,444
Vegetables:										
Beans and pease.....bush..	91,766	110,074	51,226	68,496	587,183	713,601	660,338	827,432	640,591	918,476
Onions.....do...	4,434	4,865	8,040	5,701	53,734	43,237	81,586	69,580	140,337	110,254
Potatoes.....do...	32,199	21,994	48,503	28,829	705,068	395,014	493,495	380,364	456,949	341,180
Vegetables, canned.....		23,737		33,155		285,783		280,222		434,282
All other, including pickles and sauces.....		35,823		17,018		134,046		217,783		207,141
Total.....		202,493		153,199		1,571,681		1,773,381		2,011,333
Vessels sold to foreigners (tons):										
Steamers.....	2	800	2	876	448	90,568	298	81,479	91	27,566
Sailing vessels.....	10	1,000	56	500	78	1,600	12	1,300	1,419	16,300
Total.....	12	1,800	58	1,376	526	92,168	310	82,779	1,510	43,866

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Vinegar.....galls..	5,617	630	6,510	695	58,440	7,561	63,545	7,543	65,159	8,891
Whalebone.....lbs..	2,357	6,411	3,679	10,655	71,125	253,629	90,757	268,663	76,381	216,057
Wine:										
In bottles.....doz..	720	3,534	830	3,534	10,260	41,604	5,561	24,389	7,530	37,116
In other coverings.....galls..	109,431	51,746	103,363	41,627	942,345	435,056	776,901	340,742	1,019,697	418,714
Total.....		55,280		45,161		476,660		374,131		455,830
Wood, and manufactures of:										
TIMBER AND UNMANUFACTURED										
WOOD—										
Sawed.....M feet..	21,991	226,048	27,455	261,046	163,751	1,787,146	188,121	1,976,906	228,355	2,276,521
Hewn.....cubic feet..	120,560	15,345	106,339	11,004	2,011,142	369,220	3,040,735	654,832	2,320,739	468,535
Logs and other.....		205,679		223,896		2,467,088		1,943,825		2,110,567
Total.....		447,072		495,946		4,623,454		4,575,563		4,790,623
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		175,697		209,106		2,069,528		1,691,622		1,724,746
France.....		34,608		22,428		104,633		198,388		223,500
Germany.....		79,211		82,781		751,455		879,097		769,564
Other Europe.....		86,025		125,853		578,467		686,937		903,231
British North America.....		7,767		15,390		427,555		662,000		629,157
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		4,220		1,749		125,033		44,646		22,433
Mexico.....		24,792		11,609		197,634		139,541		214,026
Cuba.....		4,928		3,860		6,178		8,048		22,123
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		275		191		21,517		3,964		4,334
Argentina.....		141		438		28,936		6,490		12,744
Brazil.....						9,694		7,278		4,284
Colombia.....				168		7,394		12,597		20,194
Other South America.....		226				10,083		30,870		14,100
British Australasia.....		20,498		4,777		163,901		132,693		133,645
Other Asia and Oceania.....		7,514		4,400		32,241		43,925		57,470
Africa.....		570		13,196		89,155		27,647		95,042
Total.....		447,072		495,946		4,623,454		4,575,563		4,790,623
LUMBER (M feet)—										
Boards, deals, and planks.....	60,717	930,661	75,869	1,134,518	533,980	7,901,767	511,834	7,734,343	595,776	9,186,285
Joists and scantling.....	4,413	45,190	3,500	36,087	21,810	259,180	25,498	283,961	20,203	221,504
Total.....	65,130	975,851	79,369	1,170,605	555,790	8,160,947	537,332	8,018,304	615,979	9,407,789
Exported to (M feet)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,908	191,701	7,875	223,267	73,580	1,814,975	78,383	1,812,617	92,135	2,147,738
France.....	1,577	21,112	2,424	40,597	10,866	164,923	17,307	242,793	18,710	273,191
Germany.....	2,090	39,858	4,078	83,060	13,735	320,985	21,487	487,101	29,279	644,497
Other Europe.....	11,469	197,809	16,225	243,315	53,229	807,144	67,829	1,165,915	83,593	1,558,810
British North America.....	5,617	76,953	4,986	70,957	34,138	471,266	46,987	641,906	59,565	844,914
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	165	2,018	146	1,599	7,114	82,834	2,362	27,113	2,799	35,085
Mexico.....	5,138	57,760	7,068	74,360	33,431	547,217	40,366	544,451	44,962	479,792
Santo Domingo.....	317	3,855	312	3,855	1,843	31,650	2,081	28,221	1,190	17,931
Cuba.....	3,985	35,338	9,203	105,490	17,964	190,886	20,408	224,919	35,932	418,638
Porto Rico.....	432	5,766	403	4,187	6,397	83,568	3,600	45,469	1,444	17,133
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	3,948	55,285	4,628	55,806	40,936	580,959	26,213	370,923	30,758	431,472
Argentina.....	4,755	54,379	4,181	42,638	65,784	794,427	50,655	577,583	60,156	655,145
Brazil.....	8,983	107,730	2,340	25,110	36,950	467,034	37,111	470,954	21,631	283,887
Colombia.....	294	4,126	94	1,368	2,405	31,377	3,233	42,984	1,851	26,374
Other South America.....	5,081	61,783	1,779	20,964	41,341	511,569	27,282	323,167	25,684	322,590
China.....			1,503	12,262	3,783	58,749	12,666	85,201	10,405	90,376
Hongkong.....			59	569	(a)	(a)	619	8,101	1,672	15,300
Japan.....	321	4,287	6	150	11,902	100,412	6,408	48,390	1,089	11,166

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.										
LUMBER (M feet)—Continued.										
Exported to (M feet)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....	60	2,095	4,804	51,038	43,030	430,904	28,080	301,134	33,340	372,435
Other Asia and Oceania.....	3,405	32,944	4,893	45,140	20,186	210,521	28,200	265,324	33,584	324,027
Africa.....	565	21,038	2,962	53,313	28,955	450,739	15,580	302,703	26,090	435,904
Other countries.....					251	4,908	75	1,395	101	1,515
Total boards, deals, etc..	65,130	975,851	79,369	1,170,605	555,790	8,160,947	537,332	8,018,304	615,979	9,407,789
Shingles.....M.	3,803	7,613	3,683	8,303	37,776	70,142	28,663	64,351	47,475	82,927
Shooks—										
Box.....		21,353		21,447		385,623		352,464		269,305
Other.....No..	50,454	35,451	37,500	45,802	559,043	448,909	435,008	414,682	491,776	443,241
Staves.....No..	4,901,046	256,798	2,756,052	224,611			36,251,426	2,366,279	32,734,209	2,600,213
Heading.....		9,855		2,720		2,386,152		139,563		131,438
All other.....		237,712		196,090		1,958,346		2,083,142		2,029,059
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds.....		57,171		54,486		350,057		476,868		734,191
FURNITURE, N. E. S.—										
United Kingdom.....		73,647		82,762		557,697		615,004		675,514
France.....		27,556		16,713		126,526		179,051		56,131
Germany.....		15,516		8,839		135,975		187,147		117,391
Other Europe.....		8,050		11,134		133,237		161,460		142,345
British North America.....		17,273		28,735		369,307		327,149		289,018
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		5,969		2,114		107,352		62,908		26,094
Mexico.....		8,104		24,792		120,875		104,714		145,723
Santo Domingo.....		386		700		8,413		8,447		4,484
Cuba.....		1,605		9,223		21,490		18,886		27,589
Porto Rico.....		1,624		1,561		13,291		5,809		7,498
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,814		6,445		99,024		78,569		66,637
Argentina.....		11,780		13,640		56,976		54,940		48,259
Brazil.....		1,505		1,738		33,054		27,691		19,979
Colombia.....		2,783		2,185		27,026		24,496		17,648
Other South America.....		6,067		4,211		80,997		53,429		44,973
China.....		2,017		490		19,638		17,499		7,157
East Indies: British.....		662		40		15,262		13,659		5,453
Japan.....		2,550		1,017		16,967		23,900		11,815
British Australasia.....		20,286		35,265		121,509		132,194		177,667
Other Asia and Oceania.....		20,880		18,457		71,739		107,335		134,925
Africa.....		17,607		18,389		219,293		225,707		231,100
Other countries.....						668		2,115		1,364
Total furniture, n. e. s.....		251,681		288,450		2,356,316		2,432,709		2,258,704
Hogsheads and barrels, empty.....		16,793		21,461		169,438		166,236		150,726
Trimmings, moldings, and other										
house finishings.....		17,910		17,996		125,958		185,636		243,788
Wooden ware.....		36,828		54,735		350,182		288,082		413,001
Wood pulp.....lbs..	3,653,366	54,048	3,804,971	61,147			31,656,002	356,490	36,226,778	407,561
All other.....		212,350		224,491		2,050,234		1,854,154		1,890,041
Total.....		2,638,486		2,888,320		23,435,818		23,774,523		25,858,667
Wool, and manufactures of:										
Wool, raw.....lbs..					4,933,748	570,120	104,869	16,390	65,129	11,338
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets.....yards..	10,350	11,448	4,277	2,520	138,615	106,310	152,192	131,777	36,782	28,292
Dress goods.....yards..	19,572	10,929	1,964	1,103			68,131	33,390	18,165	11,371
Flannels and blankets.....		5,712		3,912		37,774		33,143		30,767
Wearing apparel.....		35,014		44,964		269,327		274,607		345,902
All other manufactures of.....		33,896		25,245		217,671		314,593		249,370
Total manufactures.....		96,999		77,744		631,082		787,510		665,702

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Zinc, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ore	1, 194	33, 440	1, 534	46, 250	4, 073	91, 725	6, 315	172, 712	7, 212	211, 885
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets										
..... lbs..	2, 861, 053	142, 005	2, 999, 463	161, 666	19, 778, 417	971, 683	18, 264, 171	875, 063	11, 457, 729	572, 728
All other manufactures of.....		5, 482		14, 480		46, 038		44, 531		112, 673
Total, not including ore.....		147, 487		176, 146		1, 017, 721		919, 594		685, 401
ALL OTHER ARTICLES		317, 473		415, 820		2, 831, 238		2, 574, 821		3, 434, 822
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE		93, 284, 932		92, 345, 069		722, 306, 276		799, 799, 770		829, 283, 373
CARRIED IN—										
CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES		4, 972, 432		5, 724, 062		40, 051, 474		43, 118, 554		47, 592, 771
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS		3, 494, 613		3, 566, 229		35, 898, 863		32, 674, 829		31, 941, 794
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Belgian	1, 255, 873		1, 412, 755				12, 655, 752		11, 356, 653	
British	62, 324, 613		59, 371, 468				511, 402, 408		538, 626, 008	
Dutch	1, 602, 257		1, 792, 063				13, 019, 810		17, 706, 818	
French	1, 632, 606		991, 761				11, 410, 680		9, 567, 531	
German	5, 507, 070	79, 014, 439	8, 269, 891	77, 955, 779		a 579, 912, 907	57, 050, 954	650, 830, 524	71, 752, 087	696, 062, 829
Italian	44, 752		192, 776				941, 986		1, 297, 175	
Norwegian	1, 997, 917		2, 015, 493				14, 779, 659		16, 894, 743	
All other	4, 649, 351		3, 909, 572				29, 569, 275		28, 861, 814	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS		947, 714		1, 151, 071		16, 022, 181		12, 813, 570		12, 508, 157
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian									2, 889	
British	3, 193, 903		2, 272, 929				42, 523, 277		24, 934, 332	
Dutch	7, 875		9, 444				322, 570		552, 148	
French	136, 157		123, 190				1, 171, 896		751, 427	
German	245, 860	4, 855, 734	244, 334	3, 947, 928		a 50, 420, 851	5, 504, 200	60, 362, 293	5, 003, 028	41, 177, 822
Italian	241, 305		211, 648				3, 191, 151		2, 628, 578	
Norwegian	663, 574		720, 261				5, 060, 905		4, 655, 846	
All other	367, 060		366, 122				2, 588, 294		2, 649, 574	

NOTE.—The value of merchandise exported in February, 1899, in the shipping of the leading merchant marines of the world, is given on page 1826.

a Not given in detail prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals (number):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cattle.....dut.....			440	5,826	23	1,230	4,287	62,270
Horses.....free.....					8	2,550	3	102
Do.....dut.....			8	4,550	142	70,998	152	52,160
Sheep.....dut.....					67	390	61	875
All other, including fowls.....free.....						156		9,028
Do.....dut.....		1,708		2,385		6,680		5,672
Total.....		1,708		12,761		82,010		130,107
Antimony ore.....free..lbs..							32,075	627
Antimony ore, as regulus or metal.....dut..lbs..					4,086	287		
Articles, the growth, produce, and manufacture of the United States, returned, n. e. s.....free.....		50		6		185		82
Articles for the use of the United States, etc.....free.....						144		
Art works.....free.....		5,000		250		39,831		10,393
Do.....dut.....		175,994		113,801		214,999		211,110
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude.....dut..tons..	20	733	2	37	60	1,765	959	18,797
Bolting cloths.....free.....								1,009
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured.....free.....				302		3,442		2,918
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....		24				1,853		423
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....free.....		7,133		3,234		23,861		16,653
Do.....dut.....		1,425		447		14,247		16,398
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut.....		9				1,319		1,109
Breadstuffs:								
Barley.....dut..bush..							86	29
Corn.....dut..bush..							1,480	463
Wheat.....dut..bush..			73,961	55,371	1,762,388	1,666,512	1,860,662	1,395,640
Wheat flour.....dut..bbls..	148	570			688	2,165	1,044	3,898
All other, and preparations of, etc.....free.....		127		250		5,935		1,566
Do.....dut.....		33		12		2,699		2,432
Total.....		730		55,643		1,677,311		1,404,628
Bristles (pounds):								
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....					40	18	1,771	1,210
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut.....	220	130			16,535	14,170	33,827	14,132
Total.....	220	130			16,575	14,188	35,598	15,342
Brushes.....dut.....				112		1,696		316
Buttons and button forms.....dut.....		64				1,731		644
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....dut..lbs..	551,400	1,876	541,770	1,723	2,930,662	11,250	5,400,297	19,170
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:								
Alizarin and alizarin colors or dyes, etc.....free..lbs..			3,950	586	4,467	645	24,590	3,893
Argols, or wine lees.....dut..lbs..			96	5	375	19	346	18
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....dut.....		2,709		1,237		33,999		22,612
Cochineal.....free..lbs..					404	113		
DYEWOODS—								
Logwood.....free..tons..			4	138	16	324	64	1,628
All other.....free.....		909				6,949		1,162
Extracts and decoctions of.....dut..lbs..	1,643	101	6,782	540	22,918	1,714	117,416	17,564
Total.....		1,010		678		8,987		20,354
Glycerin.....dut..lbs..	1,127	90			55,646	4,782		
GUMS (pounds)—								
Arabic.....free.....	7,700	1,694	1,262	272	13,502	3,133	25,683	4,730
Camphor, crude.....free.....	487	73			587	88	908	294
Gambic, etc.....dut.....			21,849	3,584			116,983	20,711
Copal, cowrie, and dammar.....free.....			21,671	2,931			173,688	19,587
Gambier, or terra japonica.....free.....	6,225	249			132,524	4,872	170,683	5,894
Shellac.....free.....	870	175	3,341	588	27,889	6,002	36,858	7,336
All other.....free.....		12,073		5,304		101,621		61,130
Total.....		14,264		12,679		115,716		119,622

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Continued.								
Indigo.....free..lbs..	352	189	2,331	1,826	42,841	33,196	42,639	33,094
Licorice root.....free..lbs..							245	23
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....free..lbs..					24,660	393		
Do.....dut..lbs..	6,250	125			34,259	477	110	3
Mineral waters, all not artificial.....free..galls..					155	114		
Mineral waters.....dut..galls..	235	145	147	104	2,723	899	4,569	1,846
OPIMUM (pounds)—								
Crude or unmanufactured.....free.....					50	109		
Do.....dut.....	1,664	3,448	70	150	4,138	8,170	32,398	82,502
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.....					3	25	4	60
POTASH (pounds)—								
Chlorate of.....free.....					1,108	99		
Do.....dut.....	1,120	70	7,279	561	10,281	871	27,653	2,230
Muriate of.....free.....			21,504	410			21,504	410
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free.....					12,180	220		
All other.....free.....	1,740	87	540	27	43,355	2,161	28,874	771
Total.....	2,860	157	29,323	908	66,924	3,351	78,031	3,411
Quinia, sulphate of, etc.....free..ozs..			132	66	200	55	132	66
SODA—								
Caustic.....dut..lbs..	132,715	2,516	107,218	1,928	996,348	18,445	730,299	13,242
Nitrate of.....free..tons..	131	4,432	231	7,763	778	28,573	655	21,458
Soda ash.....dut..lbs..					1,335,714	5,380	4,351,508	14,248
All other salts of.....dut..lbs..	26,403	284	810	9	31,779	352	30,782	340
Total.....		7,232		9,700		52,750		49,288
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude.....free..tons..	19	425	98	2,099	387	7,402	1,032	23,599
Sumac, ground.....dut..lbs..					23,359	334	24,055	375
Vanilla beans.....free..lbs..	445	2,200	20	40	6,391	29,268	24,167	86,244
All other.....free.....		33,885		37,108		224,917		171,174
Do.....dut.....		14,097		3,952		96,217		68,693
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....		79,976		71,228		622,019		686,877
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....dut..lbs..	5,197	1,000			5,491	1,084	13,516	1,406
Clays or earths of all kinds.....dut..tons..	42	241			43	255	124	310
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):								
Clocks, and parts of.....				14		508		231
Watches, and watch materials, etc.....		18		37		1,255		232
Coal, bituminous.....dut..tons..			544	581	4,906	5,062	3,482	3,140
Cocoa, or cacao, crude, etc.....free..lbs..	152,208	24,527	231,380	32,902	816,487	113,021	1,623,620	197,986
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....dut..lbs..	300	103			989	284	373	91
Coffee.....free..lbs..	1,883,965	240,203	1,839,401	179,117	12,533,825	1,595,406	16,891,795	1,683,691
Copper, and manufactures of:								
Ore and regulus.....free..tons..				69	593	85,170	3,328	536,460
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc.....free..lbs..					214,132	15,501	1,487,933	71,768
Manufactures of.....dut.....		251		1,019		3,100		2,568
Total, not including ore.....		251		1,019		18,601		74,336
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanufactured.....free.....		10,871		5,058		53,999		45,339
Cork, manufactures of.....dut.....		251		34		4,403		811
Cotton, and manufactures of:								
Unmanufactured.....free..lbs..	91,763	9,100	153,028	16,225	389,954	32,741	223,646	22,620
Waste or flocks.....free..lbs..							10,960	274
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cloth (square yards)—								
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	1,525	107	557	39	1,525	107	11,394	608
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	29,092	2,818	2,645	205	793,274	62,233	101,152	8,811
Total.....	30,617	2,925	3,202	244	794,799	62,340	112,546	9,419
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		997		612		13,616		8,255
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		879		589		5,623		4,584
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		2,825		3,131		12,760		10,271
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs..					3,140	1,241	3,602	1,244
All other.....		15,566		9,884		112,120		70,791
Total manufactures.....		24,192		14,460		207,700		104,594

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):								
CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Not decorated or ornamented.....				88		1,073		5,435
Decorated or ornamented.....		1,460		2,889		5,300		15,018
All other.....		351		480		9,528		2,540
Total.....		1,811		3,457		15,901		23,043
Eggs.....doz.....dut..			24	47			24	50
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut..		4,898		140		5,150		19,112
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut..		92				5,078		5,570
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, for millinery use.....dut..				359		9,677		762
Fertilizers (free, tons):								
Phosphates, crude or native.....					65	1,782		
All other.....						794		15,797
Total.....						2,576		15,797
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—								
Flax, hackled.....dut..					25	2,129		
Hemp, and tow of.....free..					57	5,117		
Hemp, hackled.....dut..					196	16,348	75	12,210
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free..	15	1,097	54	5,387	484	33,946	857	69,534
Manila.....free..	141	13,040			396	36,193	159	23,732
Sisal grass.....free..	89	7,336	303	34,418	1,208	89,842	625	81,763
All other.....free..	1	41		45	75	11,840	71	8,159
Total unmanufactured.....	246	21,514	357	39,850	2,441	195,415	1,787	195,398
MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—								
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.....dut..		75				546		55
Bags for grain, made of burlaps.....free..						350		
Bags of jute.....dut..				1,544		9,443		14,630
Burlaps.....free..						24		
Do.....dut..		122				5,512		
Cables, cordage, and twine, n. e. s.....dut..					4,689	425	586	93
Coir yarn.....free..	28,699	800			57,699	1,670	31,245	1,273
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds.....dut..							4,389	1,354
Fabrics, plain, woven of single jute yarn.....dut..				26,949				32,435
Handkerchiefs.....dut..								40
Twine, binding.....free..							1,125	124
Yarns or threads.....dut..	160	19			3,910	1,476		
All other.....dut..		13,909		1,374		44,726		24,719
Total manufactures.....		14,925		29,867		64,172		74,723
Fish (pounds):								
FRESH—								
Lobsters, canned or uncanned.....free..					5,114	999	14,630	2,329
All other.....dut..						22		
CURED OR PRESERVED (dutiable)—								
Anchovies and sardines, etc.....		1,221		753		10,252		7,778
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	1,281,086	40,157	674,586	25,014	7,551,922	240,964	4,813,743	174,415
Herring—								
Dried or smoked.....	691,691	15,798	129,869	3,005	3,855,032	67,885	1,105,522	26,204
Pickled or salted.....	9,750	310	1,000	17	34,610	1,040	62,075	1,708
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....			600	33	19,400	1,177	8,000	384
Salmon, pickled or salted.....			2,500	74	18,800	1,182	153,008	23,859
All other.....		5,197		4,774		12,910		50,377
Total.....		62,683		33,670		336,431		287,054
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):								
Bananas.....free..		4,625		1,065		171,487		140,019
Currants.....dut..	33,881	1,183	6,033	249	941,614	29,886	338,106	10,061
Dates.....dut..	8,395	353	6,825	273	122,319	4,198	137,893	2,819
Figs.....dut..	380	30	93,030	4,112	34,069	1,910	146,901	7,223
Lemons.....dut..		1,063		215		8,136		4,543

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Oranges.....dut.....		311				9,343		10,315
Plums and prunes.....dut.....			1,660	250	1,775	168	1,660	250
Raisins.....dut.....	19,884	1,231	3,405	300	461,333	20,943	181,176	9,379
Prepar ^d or preserved.....dut.....		530		1,716		16,379		7,679
All other.....free.....		2,235		266		27,145		6,288
Do.....dut.....		3,190		1,202		42,193		49,396
Total fruits.....		14,751		9,648		331,788		248,972
Nuts—								
Almonds.....dut.....	2,796	373	15,732	910	56,758	4,722	132,800	9,044
Cocoanuts.....free.....						1,113		2,486
Do.....dut.....						2,667		
All other.....dut.....		414		86		14,311		11,086
Total fruits and nuts.....		15,538		10,644		354,601		271,588
Furs:								
Fur and fur skins, undressed.....free.....		2,908		953		56,491		99,326
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.....		13,326		7,341		97,668		59,499
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....dut...doz..	10	7			1,069	778	688	460
Glass and glassware (dutiable):								
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		35		59		692		1,358
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs..	2,420	43			62,364	1,142	17,752	404
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, silvered.....sq. ft..					22	7		
Plate glass, cast, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft..					900	215		
All other.....		700		950		9,315		4,806
Total.....		778		1,009		11,371		6,628
Glue.....dut...lbs..	28	6	3,279	301	16,115	2,267	6,314	580
Grease and oils, n. c. s.....free.....		25		42		304		2,153
Grease, n. c. s.....dut.....		346		124		1,055		2,370
Hair:								
Unmanufactured.....free.....		10		384		1,207		3,877
Manufactures of.....dut.....						1,054		1,005
Total.....		10		384		2,261		4,882
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc.—free.....						9,622		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.....		1,601		448		17,698		5,234
Materials for, etc.....dut.....		1,125		1,555		38,940		52,490
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):								
Goatskins.....free.....	147,434	43,374	64,200	22,189	351,722	108,083	146,650	47,491
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free.....	12,667	1,140	20,942	2,926	469,596	43,592	321,679	54,208
Hides of cattle.....dut.....	197,845	18,480	248,492	33,182	6,025,761	568,489	2,352,796	289,212
Total.....	357,946	62,994	333,634	58,297	6,847,079	720,164	2,821,125	390,941
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....								2,107
Hops.....dut...lbs..	3,185	455	910	158	25,118	4,644	19,341	4,926
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		980		185		35,889		4,981
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Gutta-percha.....					11,853	8,320	60,228	41,176
India rubber.....	186,819	104,052	173,238	104,909	1,907,532	944,113	1,953,965	1,243,338
Total unmanufactured.....	186,819	104,052	173,238	104,909	1,919,385	952,433	2,014,193	1,284,514
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
India rubber.....		112		208		99,029		10,054
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Pig iron.....dut...tons.....			55	588	111	1,286	525	6,420
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....dut...tons.....			20	500	57	313	74	698
Bar iron.....dut...lbs.....			546	16	33,467	1,185	22,676	769
Bars, railway, of iron or steel.....dut...tons.....					402	15,400		
Hoop, band, or scroll.....dut...lbs.....							145	25
Ingot, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc.....dut...lbs.....	8,881	707	593	231	24,133	2,257	81,894	2,393
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....dut...lbs.....	46,977	1,131	24,092	694	1,708,014	46,887	259,463	6,359
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin.....dut...lbs.....	226,698	6,002	30,872	925	421,328	11,271	432,365	12,541
Wire rods.....dut...lbs.....					293,250	5,865		
Wire, and articles made from.....dut...lbs.....	3,602	259	463	43	25,460	2,403	164,262	3,375

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Anvils.....dut...lbs.					5,855	191		
Chains.....dut...lbs.							600	50
Cutlery.....dut.....		49		1,774		9,872		6,710
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.....						17		132
Firearms.....dut.....		235		2,257		7,041		16,260
Needles, hand sewing and darning...free.....						1		129
Machinery.....dut.....		32		61,289		18,019		186,498
Shotgun barrels, forged, rough-bored...free.....						728		
All other.....dut.....		9,290		2,928		85,664		98,281
Total, not including ore.....		17,705		71,245		208,401		340,640
Ivory (free, pounds):								
Animal.....					1,880	4,308	2,310	6,113
Vegetable.....			37,542	657	195,881	4,412	609,089	8,878
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:								
Diamonds, n. e. s., not set.....dut.....		300				300		
Other precious stones, rough or uncut...free.....								405
Other precious stones and imitations of, not set...dut.....				10,000		7,214		49,415
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver...dut.....		238		361		7,835		19,691
Lead, and manufactures of (dutable, pounds):								
Lead in ore and base bullion.....	14,567,544	278,938	15,379,257	200,339	86,406,891	1,601,503	103,760,464	1,645,904
Manufactures of.....		429				23,991		47
Leather, and manufactures of:								
LEATHER (dutable)—								
Band or belting, and sole leather.....dut.....						7,629		4,370
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....				721		956		2,918
Skins for morocco.....								737
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....				7,131		4,022		34,724
Total leather.....				7,852		12,607		42,749
MANUFACTURES OF (dutable)—								
Gloves of kid or other leather.....		9				2,411		8,404
All other.....		395		1,320		23,020		9,306
Total manufactures.....		404		1,320		25,431		17,710
Malt liquors (dutable, gallons):								
In bottles or jugs.....	1,278	901	522	489	6,475	4,920	8,222	5,132
In other coverings.....			2,800	561			2,960	655
Total.....	1,278	901	3,322	1,050	6,475	4,920	11,182	5,787
Manganese ore or oxide.....free.....tons.			3	25	15	85	34	268
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutable):								
Marble, and manufactures of.....		150				2,441		190
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		86		147		912		977
Total.....		236		147		3,353		1,167
Matting for floors.....free.....rolls.					60	204		
Matting and mats for floors.....dut...sq. yds.	3,851	480	56,120	1,667	31,577	4,796	94,420	5,567
Metals, metal compositions, and manuf's of (dut.):								
Bronze manufactures.....						671		1,000
All other.....		1,612		12,574		26,417		53,174
Total.....		1,612		12,574		27,088		54,174
Musical instruments.....dut.....		349		745		5,945		4,331
Oils (gallons):								
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—								
Whale and fish.....dut.....	4,090	1,554	930	522	7,007	3,126	24,394	7,396
Other.....dut.....							1	1
MINERAL.....free.....							90	10
Do.....dut.....							1,090	141
VEGETABLE—								
Fixed or expressed—								
Olive.....dut.....	13	29	136	120	991	1,264	2,880	2,801
Other.....free.....		24		1,678		18,539		9,237
Do.....dut.....		643		1,209		16,683		20,109
Volatile or essential and distilled...free.....		6,103		645		37,281		14,345
Do.....dut.....		2,331		59		8,031		4,789
Total.....		10,684		4,282		84,924		58,829

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Paints, pigments, and colors.....free.....						1		
Do.....dut.....		1,056		2,955		8,219		15,267
Paper stock, crude (free: see also Wood pulp):								
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs.....					25,115	450	9,464	180
All other.....						578		120
Total.....						1,028		300
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s.....dut.....								158
Parchment papers.....dut.....lbs.....							9,543	571
All other paper.....dut.....		1,293		1,139		14,260		12,132
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....dut.....		333		549		3,304		3,831
Pipes and smokers' articles.....dut.....						895		5,374
Plants, trees, shrubs, and vines.....dut.....				625				5,998
Plumbago.....free.....tons.....			3	246	3	147	163	11,614
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (dut.):								
MEAT PRODUCTS—								
Meat and meat extracts.....		325		6,059		1,463		6,919
All other.....		250		2,208		495		58,566
DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—								
Butter.....			60	8	2,594	541	1,876	405
Cheese.....	7,031	963	7,145	946	67,928	9,625	182,289	18,160
Milk, condensed.....		230		166		773		1,328
Total.....		1,768		9,387		12,897		85,378
Rice.....dut.....lbs.....	644,237	11,605	704,901	13,476	6,484,417	116,001	14,907,846	329,248
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....			2,800	70			2,800	70
Total.....	644,237	11,605	707,701	13,546	6,484,417	116,001	14,910,646	329,318
Salt.....free.....lbs.....					67,200	66		
Do.....dut.....lbs.....	39,970	58	290,000	450	1,176,845	1,392	1,282,442	2,400
Total.....	39,970	58	290,000	450	1,244,045	1,459	1,282,442	2,400
Sausage casings.....free.....						150		16,794
Seeds (bushels):								
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut.....					2,167	1,369		
All other.....free.....		322		1,318		3,684		7,376
Do.....dut.....		2,079		23		9,346		1,024
Total.....		2,401		1,341		14,399		8,400
Shells unmanufactured.....free.....				203		13,884		29,811
Silk, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	2,965	8,951	2,380	8,322	53,865	150,684	33,960	109,400
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		132		675		7,826		23,000
Dress and piece goods.....		2,475		4,287		5,401		60,013
Laces and embroideries.....		247		1,423		4,741		6,947
Ribbons.....		127				410		1,197
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs.....			2,606	8,121			10,217	33,415
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs.....							1,231	3,427
All other.....		8,530		15,955		49,011		74,186
Total manufactures.....		11,511		30,461		67,389		199,185
Soap (dutiable, pounds):								
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....	12	3	785	99	437	106	1,631	234
All other.....		1,029		532		5,583		4,468
Total.....		1,032		631		5,689		4,702
Spices:								
UNGROUND (pounds)—								
Nutmegs.....free.....	352	112	2,170	673	8,934	1,937	19,027	6,794
Pepper, black or white.....free.....	48,175	3,790	45,310	4,732	711,172	50,017	597,120	59,937
All other.....free.....	72,264	7,587	55,339	6,746	459,194	50,348	1,060,221	96,433
Do.....dut.....	4,334	260	21,028	702	60,969	2,449	134,200	5,152
Total.....	125,125	11,749	123,847	12,853	1,240,269	104,751	1,810,568	168,316

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):								
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free.....	37	2	81	196	552	469	20,651	21,153
Brandy.....dut.....	934	1,149	232	385	6,761	7,982	1,377	2,858
All other.....dut.....	5,029	7,503	6,563	9,687	20,699	29,236	30,663	51,743
Total.....	6,000	8,680	6,876	10,268	28,012	37,687	52,691	75,759
Sponges.....dut.....		7,097		5,048		46,573		63,189
Straw and grasses, manufactures of.....dut.....				1,135				2,659
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:								
Molasses.....free.....galls.....					4,009	922		
Molasses above 40° polariscopic test.....dut.....galls.....	147	16			56,351	10,293	165,405	25,046
SUGAR (pounds)—								
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet.....dut.....			29,984	768			57,984	1,418
Cane and other.....dut.....	560,000	8,680	139,111	2,709	7,001,887	123,419	617,869	11,869
Above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet, cane, and other.....dut.....	405,153	9,950	511,993	16,730	4,057,339	103,706	3,154,537	82,817
Total sugar.....	965,153	18,630	651,088	20,207	11,059,226	227,125	3,830,390	96,104
Confectionery.....dut.....		1		173		1,628		697
Tea.....free.....lbs.....	381,209	60,800			1,952,788	299,404	170	50
Do.....dut.....lbs.....			51,720	7,932			691,188	94,445
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.....free.....lbs.....	28,752	3,873	120,411	30,024	718,380	100,290	456,972	83,141
Tobacco, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
LEAF—								
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	123,935	97,334	41,178	34,097	714,605	682,835	575,663	520,886
Other.....	123,198	64,156	19,544	11,080	862,708	293,952	827,615	446,841
Total leaf.....	247,133	161,490	60,722	45,177	1,577,313	976,787	1,403,278	967,727
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	565	912	771	1,598	17,856	24,156	9,583	14,085
All other.....						459		940
Total manufactures.....		912		1,598		24,615		15,025
Toys.....dut.....		35		23		4,132		2,000
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):								
Beans and dried pease.....	911	920	104	85	37,694	36,646	15,381	22,589
Onions.....							118	157
Potatoes.....			265	4,065	40	41	265	4,065
Pickles and sauces.....		93		98		1,309		1,165
All other—								
In their natural state.....		56		705		418		4,969
Prepared or preserved.....		1,064		540		3,880		10,473
Total.....		2,133		5,493		42,294		43,418
Wines (dutiable):								
Champagne, and other sparkling.....doz.....	143	2,042	124	1,880	1,298	17,009	1,923	22,695
STILL WINES—								
In casks.....galls.....	3,613	1,850	1,411	874	22,875	10,249	11,950	6,171
In other coverings.....doz.....	906	2,176	561	1,191	3,060	9,688	1,907	5,383
Total.....		6,068		3,945		36,946		34,249
Wood, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED—								
Cabinet woods—								
Mahogany.....free.....M feet.....	122	10,031	91	5,000	1,142	79,724	2,069	156,291

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cabinet ware or house furniture		1,935		704		5,491		4,415
Wood pulp.....tons.....							321	3,497
All other.....		10,475		8,074		74,208		86,290
Total wood, and manufactures of.....		47,663		42,222		597,959		498,396
Wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—								
Class 1—Clothing: In the grease.....free.....					13,084	2,355		
Do.....dut.....	140,010	18,168	404,911	40,493	845,382	115,400	3,855,858	479,383
Scoured.....dut.....					17,572	4,070	22,215	2,294
Class 2—Combing: In the grease.....free.....					3,581	895		
Do.....dut.....					272,327	55,057	2,266	328
Class 3—Carpet: In the grease.....dut.....			1,101	125	187,816	19,963	312,414	38,043
Scoured.....dut.....					17,269	975		
Total unmanufactured.....	140,010	18,168	406,012	40,618	1,357,031	198,715	4,192,753	520,048
MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—								
Carpets and carpeting.....dut.sq.yds.....	1,220	13,112			3,408	18,233	3,116	9,259
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit goods.....dut.....		3,104		1,416		26,898		13,597
Cloths.....dut.....lbs.....	3,797	2,582	2,239	837	116,079	66,579	22,945	13,587
Dressgoods, women's and children's.....dut.sq.yds.....	7,770	1,205	51,880	10,353	209,566	32,720	206,570	36,046
Knit fabrics.....dut.....						768		170
Shoddy, mungo, flecks, etc.....dut.....lbs.....	13,338	3,554			918,739	92,595	29,107	5,505
Shawls.....dut.....						2,419		748
Yarns.....dut.....lbs.....					7	1	464	250
All other.....dut.....		1,081		372		39,383		33,701
Total manufactures.....		24,638		12,978		279,596		112,863
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs.....					33,815	1,066	11,627	374
Manufactures of.....						241		128
Total.....						1,307		502
All other articles.....free.....		1,118		13,750		119,272		45,185
Do.....dut.....		12,368		37,177		65,840		151,181
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		652,609		548,123		5,216,043		5,653,828
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		979,912		927,974		8,269,047		8,480,236
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.....		1,632,521		1,476,097		13,485,090		14,134,064
FROM WAREHOUSE.....		838,761		734,777		6,921,421		7,952,235
NOT FROM WAREHOUSE.....		743,760		741,320		6,563,669		6,181,829
CARRIED IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		417,344		529,646		4,168,848		4,230,122
CARRIED IN AMERICAN VESSELS: Steam.....		93,524		116,479		1,943,131		1,825,768
Sailing.....		32,131		33,127		623,453		508,745
CARRIED IN FOREIGN VESSELS: Steam.....		1,079,811		778,986		6,598,798		7,426,409
Sailing.....		9,711		17,859		150,860		143,020

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON FEBRUARY 28, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals (number):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Earthen, stone, and china ware:				
Horses.....	11	3,850	4	1,000	CHINA, PORCELAIN, FARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
All other, including fowls.....		395		220	Not decorated or ornamented.....		40,800		49,894
Total.....		4,245		2,120	Decorated or ornamented.....		150,937		189,880
Art works.....		85,618		91,847	All other.....		5,998		7,637
Asphaltum, or bitumen, crude..... tons.....	358	5,084	174	1,515	Total.....		197,735		247,471
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....		6,302		4,086	Eggs..... doz.....			50	2
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....		31,114		33,566	Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....		25,850		47,586
Brass, manufactures of.....		892		9,729	Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....		50,551		20,510
Breadstuffs:					Feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., artificial.....		41,716		57,902
Oatmeal..... lbs.....	3,360	139	2,688	115	Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:				
All other, and preparations of, etc.....		54,544		14,035	UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—				
Total.....		54,683		14,150	Hemp.....	25	5,241	25	5,269
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared..... lbs.....	107,959	74,744	149,994	79,787	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Brushes.....		16,792		16,124	Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. lbs.....		8,232		34,141
Buttons and button forms.....		7,019		7,168	Bags of jute..... lbs.....		7,532		17,248
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc..... lbs.....	6,563,937	21,105	5,316,893	14,353	Burlaps, except for bagging for cotton..... lbs.....		516,534		
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:					Cables, cordage, and twine. lbs.....	10,755	2,077	8,029	1,488
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....		226,150		220,873	Carpets and carpeting. sq. yds.....			31,377	7,761
Glycerin..... lbs.....	150,705	13,251	153,877	10,534	Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn.....				50,616
Gum chicle..... lbs.....			584,492	83,862	Handkerchiefs.....				24,148
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder..... lbs.....			185,600	1,946	Oilcloths..... sq. yds.....			7,681	4,660
Logwood and other dyewoods, extracts and decoctions of..... lbs.....	175,952	13,698	530,759	29,798	Yarns or threads..... lbs.....	16,008	4,566	42,347	9,026
Mineral waters..... galls.....	30,099	8,213	75,058	15,244	All other.....		605,627		1,265,651
OPIMUM—					Total manufactures.....		1,144,568		1,414,712
Crude, or unmanufactured. lbs.....	27,492	54,557	164,389	378,307	Fish (pounds):				
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc..... lbs.....	25,562	165,180	6,930	47,228	FRESH—				
Potash, chlorate of..... lbs.....	31,460	2,088	21,951	798	All other.....				6
SODA—					CURED OR PRESERVED—				
Caustic..... lbs.....	1,292,447	21,903	1,061,279	13,922	Anchovies and sardines, etc.....		186,741		229,766
Soda ash..... lbs.....	413,930	2,068	92,361	746	Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	3,292,553	111,056	2,752,591	94,325
All other salts of..... lbs.....	108,264	835	67,390	486	Herring—				
Sumac, ground..... lbs.....	300,525	3,839	123,590	830	Dried or smoked.....	650,887	12,173	1,388,329	33,329
All other.....		210,083		286,117	Pickled or salted.....	541,824	17,816	389,286	12,431
Total chemicals, drugs, etc.....		721,865		1,090,691	Mackerel, pickled or salted.....	56,421	3,129	24,714	2,150
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery)..... lbs.....	25,217	3,447	3,863	972	Salmon, pickled or salted.....	43,700	2,605	40,600	2,509
Clays or earths of all kinds..... tons.....	797	5,319	1,711	13,544	All other.....		45,917		29,224
Clocks and watches, and parts of:					Total.....		379,437		403,740
Clocks, and parts of.....		40,920		37,790	Fruits, including nuts (pounds):				
Watches, and parts of, etc.....		25,409		27,563	Currants.....	3,523,437	129,964	5,520,453	119,768
Total.....		66,329		65,353	Dates.....	2,438,149	64,880	1,272,727	35,659
Coal, bituminous..... tons.....	952	1,897	4,632	7,893	Figs.....	382,667	21,106	1,446,857	43,873
Cocoa, prepared, etc..... lbs.....	11,692	2,628	9,241	1,748	Plums and prunes.....	3,802	658	1,930	291
Copper, manufactures of.....		2,931		3,011	Raisins.....	374,932	17,105	603,711	19,548
Cork, manufactures of.....		17,793		8,120	Prepared or preserved.....		33,318		35,825
Cotton, manufactures of:					All other.....		1,116		920
CLOTHS (square yards)—					Total fruits.....		268,147		255,884
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	73,446	5,786	27,498	3,333	NUTS—				
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	2,068,527	250,086	446,347	80,603	Almonds.....	551,880	82,620	1,385,290	188,313
Total.....	2,141,973	255,872	473,845	83,936	All other.....		72,727		76,291
Clothing, ready made, etc.....		29,214		33,746	Total fruits and nuts.....		423,494		521,488
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		309,645		338,734	Furs, and manufactures of.....		136,460		169,283
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		33,154		82,530	Ginger ale or ginger beer..... doz.....	1,240	852	4,854	7,419
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc..... lbs.....	33,633	7,881	118,838	32,299					
All other.....		167,129		349,011					
Total manufactures.....		802,895		920,256					

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FEBRUARY—					FEBRUARY—				
ARTICLES.	1898		1899		ARTICLES.	1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware:		Dollars.		Dollars.	Leather, and manufactures of:				
Bottles, vials, etc., empty or filled.....		33,492		36,638	LEATHER—		Dollars.		Dollars.
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished					Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		18,624		32,562
.....lbs.	1,036,245	21,185	1,495,230	39,043	Skins for morocco.....		215,638		129,028
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—					Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		46,515		1,702
Unsilvered.....	3,033	598	2,001	385	Total leather.....		280,777		163,302
Silvered.....	26,486	6,366	14,199	1,749	MANUFACTURES OF—				
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—					Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		314,747		215,060
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	28,870	5,939	17,790	3,173	All other.....		54,077		59,160
Cast, polished, silvered.....	21,482	9,465	67	103	Total manufactures.....		368,824		274,220
All other.....		187,830		200,144	Malt liquors (gallons):				
Total.....		264,875		281,235	In bottles or jugs.....	77,034	73,222	39,398	40,689
Glue.....lbs.	125,906	14,653	87,486	13,980	In other coverings.....	240	92	1,918	760
Grease, not elsewhere specified.....		3,983		2,473	Total.....	77,273	73,314	41,316	41,449
Hair, manufactures of.....		18,633		19,785	Marble and stone, and manufactures of:				
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....		16,760		28,381	Marble, and manufactures of.....		47,737		26,596
Materials for, etc.....		196,542		252,135	Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		2,270		8,475
Hides of cattle.....lbs.	4,082,143	412,350	4,105,259	536,099	Total.....		50,007		35,071
Hops.....lbs.	91,969	19,427	30,670	20,722	Matting and mats for floors...sq. yds..	639,850	47,068	6,289,237	419,288
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:					Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of:				
Gutta-percha.....		3,192		1,589	Bronze manufactures.....		17,229		39,181
India rubber.....		20,958		16,412	All other.....		42,569		83,052
Total manufactures.....		24,150		18,001	Total.....		59,789		122,233
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:					Musical instruments.....		65,752		58,046
Pig iron.....tons..	689	7,756	269	2,792	Oils (gallons):				
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....tons..	107	858	60	1,269	ANIMAL OR RENDERED—				
Bar iron.....lbs.	8,303,153	197,503	8,008,844	199,841	Whale and fish.....	24,984	15,714	65,331	26,938
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, etc.					Other.....	6,979	1,655		
.....lbs.	4,177,059	122,563	762,511	19,672	Mineral.....	1,251	436	1,251	436
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....lbs.	523,716	10,702	501,953	11,895	VEGETABLE—				
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....lbs.	5,575,434	126,831	3,319,252	74,438	Fixed or expressed—				
Wire rods.....lbs.	347,265	4,799	365,598	6,409	Olive.....	21,473	24,986	13,654	16,815
Wire, and articles made from.....lbs.	478,232	26,268	369,438	20,226	Other.....		23,911		26,492
MANUFACTURES OF—					Volatile or essential and distilled		12,946		9,608
Chains.....lbs.	6,347	908	6,353	908	Total.....		79,648		80,289
Cutlery.....		22,473		9,886	Paints, pigments, and colors.....		13,568		17,590
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....		18		45	Paper, and manufactures of:				
Firearms.....		2,318		5,397	Lithographic labels and prints.....				3,723
Machinery.....		85,871		80,122	All other.....		60,985		63,208
All other.....		118,801		29,888	Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....		18,636		16,926
Total, not including ore.....		727,660		462,788	Pipes and smokers' articles.....		3,704		4,585
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:					Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:				
Other precious stones, cut, but not set.....		2,931		3,292	MEAT PRODUCTS—				
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....		18,850		26,720	Meat and meat extracts.....		35,471		32,992
Lead, and manufactures of:					All other.....		923		276
Lead in ore and base bullion...lbs..	17,149,772	298,649	15,819,765	255,618	DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—				
Pigs, bars, and old.....lbs.	6,262	131	119,786	2,107	Butter.....	290	30		
Manufactures of.....		14,394		14,558	Cheese.....	97,111	12,920	46,065	6,826
					Total.....		49,344		40,094
					Rice (pounds):				
					Rice.....	5,736,836	105,827	12,780,401	272,604
					Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....	356,174	7,550	447,447	9,141
					Total.....	6,093,010	113,377	13,227,848	281,745

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ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—				ARTICLES.	FEBRUARY—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>					
Salt.....lbs..	13,597,300	11,731	9,294,872	8,782	Wines:				
Seeds, all other.....		12,825		30,257	Champagne, and other sparkling		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Silk, manufactures of:					.....doz..	23,917	357,574	25,420 310,269
Clothing, ready-made, and other					STILL WINES—				
wearing apparel.....		86,694		103,260	In casks.....galls..	248,751	166,314	277,971 194,552	
Dress and piece goods.....		372,318		717,213	In other coverings.....doz..	16,617	76,673	18,487 83,169	
Laces and embroideries.....		81,608		81,985	Total.....		600,561		
Ribbons.....		94,714		119,541				587,990	
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs..			28,928	32,855	Wood, n. e. s., and manufactures of:				
All other.....		427,770		384,229	LUMBER—				
Total.....		1,063,194		1,439,083	Boards, planks, etc....M feet..	8,764	107,017	21,580 174,430	
Soap:					Shingles.....M.....			308 412	
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	6,510	3,016	8,816	3,446	Other lumber.....		12		
All other.....		1,171		955	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Total.....		4,217		4,405	Cabinet ware or house furni-				
Spices, n. e. s.....lbs..	382,298	13,519	377,622	16,069	ture.....		24,264		
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):					All other.....		27,403		
Of domestic manufacture, returned					Total.....		158,696		
(subject to internal-revenue tax).....	725,502	792,587	583,334	653,560					
Brandy.....	43,315	102,938	59,392	149,189	Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca,				
All other.....	149,926	132,971	123,995	106,670	etc., and manufactures of:				
Total.....	918,743	1,028,496	766,721	909,419	UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—				
Spunges.....		46,034		23,181	Class 1, clothing—				
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				878	In the grease.....	12,142,741	2,118,362	21,431,132 3,764,602	
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:					Scoured.....	72,898	12,303	60,297 10,946	
Molasses above 40° polariscopic					Class 2, combing—In the				
test.....galls..	167,583	21,157	117,547	12,028	grease.....	6,063	798	120,459 28,366	
SUGAR (pounds)—					Class 3, carpet—In the grease	27,692,807	2,746,863	36,075,959 3,433,708	
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand-					Total unmanufactured.....	39,914,509	4,873,326	57,687,847 7,237,562	
ard—									
Beet sugar.....	22,387,695	487,070	7,369,080	176,390	MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—				
Cane and other.....	204,481,340	3,981,886	56,409,516	1,319,820	Carpets and carpeting				
Above No. 16 Dutch standard..	4,716,912	121,046	19,900,648	485,353	.....sq. yds..	137,631	351,967	160,691 423,570
Total sugar.....	231,585,947	4,590,002	83,679,244	1,981,563	Clothing, ready-made, etc.,				
Confectionery.....		1,494		1,116	except shawls and knit				
Tea.....lbs..			31,605,359	3,887,606	goods.....		26,748		
Tobacco, and manufactures of:					Cloths.....lbs..	506,533	312,905	555,551 317,817	
LEAF (pounds)—					Dress goods, women's and				
Suitable for cigar wrappers....	1,019,879	920,820	3,211,415	3,278,621	children's.....sq. yds..	2,840,647	617,606	4,830,679 736,022	
Other.....	6,217,032	3,206,679	6,128,990	3,158,615	Knit fabrics.....		106,520		
Total leaf.....	7,236,911	4,136,499	9,340,405	6,437,436	Mungo, flocks, shoddy, etc.				
MANUFACTURES OF—					.....lbs..	130,621	42,550	143,688 44,760
Cigars, cigarettes, etc....lbs..	11,285	43,992	7,519	35,707	Shawls.....		180		
All other.....		6,151		16,790	Yarns.....lbs..	100,586	52,631	83,159 45,721	
Total manufactures.....		50,143		52,497	All other.....		408,392		
Toys.....		8,702		9,819	Total manufactures.....		1,919,499		
Vegetables:									
Beans and dried pease.....bush..	1,609	1,068	6,403	5,139	Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of:				
Pickles and sauces.....		5,028		5,735	In blocks or pigs, and old...lbs..			4,409 207	
ALL OTHER—					Manufactures of.....		1,167		
In their natural state.....		1,356		197	Total.....		1,167		
Prepared or preserved.....		21,899		24,636	All other articles.....free..		448,301		
Total.....		29,351		35,707	All other articles.....dut..		81,377		
					Total value of merchandise				
					FREE OF DUTY.....		1,240,888		
					Total value of merchandise				
					DUTIABLE.....		25,522,292		
					Total value of imports of				
					merchandise REMAINING				
					IN WAREHOUSE.....		26,763,180		

WAREHOUSE TRANSACTIONS, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	IN WAREHOUSE AT COMMENCEMENT OF MONTH.	WAREHOUSED DURING MONTH—		ADDITIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	TOTAL REMAINING IN, AND ENTERED, WAREHOUSE.	WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE DURING THE MONTH—							DEDUCTIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE AT CLOSE OF MONTH.
		Direct importation.	From other districts.			For exportation—				For transportation.	For consumption.			
						To adjacent British provinces.	To Mexico.	To other foreign countries.	Total.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1894—July	44,882,579	13,868,752	1,062,880	102,094	59,916,305	78,998	5,710	388,057	472,765	520,533	6,668,110	962,178	51,292,719	
August	51,292,719	16,310,684	1,488,412	410,599	69,502,414	128,921	5,772	473,935	608,628	821,052	20,042,001	825,832	47,204,907	
September	47,204,901	5,558,127	1,023,072	1,434,690	55,220,790	115,409	6,073	329,705	451,178	845,958	18,624,120	1,763,015	33,536,519	
October	33,536,519	7,621,625	1,125,414	771,955	43,058,513	71,138	6,471	475,181	552,790	1,007,049	8,549,232	1,259,609	31,689,833	
November	31,639,833	7,303,944	986,172	463,658	40,443,607	167,054	7,526	247,920	422,500	689,587	5,912,432	819,875	32,599,213	
December	32,599,213	9,985,710	1,228,525	422,857	44,236,305	146,454	8,863	465,485	620,802	445,028	6,156,104	1,036,270	35,978,091	
1895—January	35,978,091	8,129,144	955,750	711,313	45,765,278	96,033	3,422	280,406	379,861	530,261	11,482,648	1,147,544	32,224,964	
February	32,224,964	6,039,140	780,684	633,626	39,728,424	106,189	10,966	202,936	320,141	442,247	6,410,830	1,051,507	31,503,699	
March	31,593,699	8,290,505	1,197,887	713,545	41,705,636	186,167	11,888	354,817	552,872	465,787	8,031,743	1,224,700	31,430,534	
April	31,430,534	9,436,104	1,204,219	663,610	42,734,467	80,482	6,659	351,424	438,565	394,340	6,219,506	1,258,223	34,423,893	
May	34,423,893	11,073,751	721,474	832,455	47,051,513	297,096	27,960	257,316	582,372	462,586	7,760,620	1,112,143	37,133,782	
June	37,133,792	9,883,507	677,504	650,242	48,345,045	276,574	44,973	240,768	562,315	400,558	6,852,528	816,882	39,712,762	
July	39,712,762	11,253,930	1,041,677	735,644	52,744,013	213,506	23,559	402,583	639,648	501,027	8,025,409	1,094,809	42,483,120	
August	42,483,120	9,005,593	970,624	773,715	53,233,052	180,076	35,028	309,326	524,430	604,024	9,799,619	1,083,007	41,230,972	
September	41,230,972	9,144,223	772,558	940,332	52,088,085	225,587	46,495	379,938	652,020	660,444	10,035,354	1,013,033	39,727,234	
October	39,727,234	11,218,379	787,644	603,867	52,343,124	376,491	46,783	734,366	1,157,610	663,312	9,253,061	786,987	40,482,124	
November	40,482,124	8,811,935	1,248,942	467,574	51,010,575	523,150	51,159	889,698	1,444,007	766,302	6,849,868	1,019,163	40,931,235	
December	40,931,235	9,175,807	1,332,257	396,189	51,835,488	227,858	43,686	491,487	763,031	682,725	8,083,877	760,379	41,545,476	
1896—January	41,545,476	9,466,098	1,241,533	697,197	52,950,304	146,027	45,074	386,728	577,829	398,049	10,264,199	1,052,615	40,657,612	
February	40,657,612	8,974,632	856,198	733,361	51,221,813	95,406	23,354	396,597	515,357	543,973	8,615,265	1,064,494	40,482,714	
March	40,482,714	10,325,929	820,902	754,055	52,363,600	172,850	34,153	339,335	546,338	615,749	7,821,668	909,520	42,490,325	
April	42,490,325	9,811,316	977,521	1,002,051	54,281,213	109,902	30,087	372,214	512,203	543,601	8,530,049	1,362,973	43,392,387	
May	43,392,387	12,457,105	834,267	653,118	57,276,877	276,522	41,826	608,443	926,791	553,406	7,284,658	913,039	47,598,983	
June	47,598,983	11,867,773	1,003,044	671,741	61,141,511	315,172	57,473	447,859	820,504	902,943	7,153,257	810,495	51,454,342	
July	51,454,342	9,218,544	906,877	1,140,745	62,720,508	303,540	26,112	509,258	838,910	762,232	7,990,075	1,088,193	52,041,108	
August	52,041,108	7,008,876	575,996	940,474	61,166,454	225,638	28,297	591,437	845,372	551,274	8,435,757	1,060,429	50,273,622	
September	50,273,622	8,265,443	472,529	847,929	59,859,523	76,567	28,933	449,976	555,876	483,583	9,087,057	826,766	48,906,241	
October	48,906,241	8,677,983	548,095	716,753	58,849,072	326,658	46,108	353,497	726,263	563,137	9,203,652	907,163	47,448,855	
November	47,448,855	6,342,498	617,308	74,734	54,513,395	136,020	31,166	530,236	697,422	520,006	9,141,684	473,911	43,680,372	
December	43,680,372	7,411,054	643,422	94,881	51,829,729	176,293	27,095	335,934	539,322	608,604	6,856,639	344,217	43,480,947	
1897—January	43,480,947	5,708,144	612,362	139,322	49,940,775	188,507	17,192	414,658	620,357	786,398	7,421,592	288,303	40,824,125	
February	40,824,125	5,648,020	694,940	191,146	47,358,231	22,327	11,213	525,157	858,897	415,781	6,942,467	198,303	38,942,783	
March	38,942,783	7,499,989	756,754	569,851	47,756,377	360,967	15,416	530,152	906,535	774,205	24,330,634	624,318	21,120,685	
April	21,120,685	13,443,307	543,508	599,366	35,706,866	245,315	18,691	271,752	535,158	427,325	16,215,000	312,949	18,216,434	
May	18,216,434	15,169,909	453,962	36,184	33,876,480	399,116	22,464	412,251	833,831	471,116	6,000,612	82,688	25,888,242	
June	25,888,242	12,024,945	413,165	761,639	39,087,991	97,142	33,120	428,950	559,212	475,870	19,284,520	632,666	18,135,723	
July	18,135,723	3,772,463	490,110	1,132,449	23,539,745	81,061	15,537	443,560	540,158	468,645	10,199,988	648,574	11,682,380	
August	11,682,380	4,218,947	352,105	171,952	16,425,384	98,355	17,276	465,974	581,605	355,533	1,820,558	96,404	13,571,284	
September	13,571,284	5,361,482	421,153	148,787	19,502,706	130,572	16,991	635,201	782,764	531,483	2,588,551	135,818	15,464,090	
October	15,464,090	7,435,478	467,150	31,354	23,398,072	180,144	16,296	1,205,956	1,402,396	624,463	3,099,132	53,468	18,218,613	
November	18,218,613	7,171,571	651,409	143,214	26,184,807	291,880	28,633	1,071,471	1,391,981	583,478	3,290,007	77,109	20,842,229	
December	20,842,229	8,071,225	643,884	103,459	29,657,797	112,929	35,779	441,735	590,443	530,405	4,206,761	168,046	24,162,142	
1898—January	24,162,142	6,788,515	545,379	75,157	31,571,193	189,936	10,673	542,701	743,310	621,001	5,168,943	104,254	24,934,285	
February	24,934,285	8,114,135	727,532	73,110	32,849,062	107,843	18,559	762,368	888,761	477,076	5,649,363	70,682	26,763,180	
March	26,763,180	11,527,973	649,357	71,374	39,011,884	150,804	29,850	700,756	881,410	557,988	6,165,171	106,135	31,301,180	
April	31,301,180	11,370,513	597,121	72,837	43,341,651	212,228	23,947	466,122	702,297	465,237	6,366,573	143,407	35,724,137	
May	35,724,137	9,465,432	500,659	63,254	45,753,482	210,564	32,272	403,390	646,226	601,056	7,125,815	88,000	37,292,385	
June	37,292,385	9,371,937	987,892	50,567	47,702,781	236,890	13,023	824,422	1,074,335	678,546	8,065,410	157,526	37,726,964	
July	37,726,964	9,600,498	576,516	28,121	47,932,099	191,847	8,708	415,125	615,180	705,872	6,917,202	96,981	39,596,864	
August	39,596,864	7,312,925	689,229	39,430	47,638,448	160,267	14,231	468,649	643,147	742,394	8,448,496	40,087	37,764,324	
September	37,764,324	7,181,238	498,895	77,892	45,522,349	187,765	79,885	363,835	631,485	633,127	8,950,022	80,281	35,207,434	
October	35,207,434	9,893,310	678,663	112,710	45,892,117	632,815	9,747	685,131	1,327,693	810,738	7,776,996	1,329,927	34,646,853	
November	34,646,853	8,253,449	1,043,486	185,475	44,129,263	506,572	24,581	958,488	1,489,641	676,265	7,303,894	157,196	34,502,267	
December	34,502,267	9,716,618	791,831	97,158	45,107,874	358,262	18,486	1,040,246	1,416,994	808,445	7,251,008	124,287	35,507,140	
1899—January	35,507,140	8,356,904	720,825	92,469	44,677,338	345,486	27,190	663,907	1,036,583	755,367	8,814,558	100,129	33,970,701	
February	33,970,701	8,373,108	695,065	149,687	43,188,561	186,026	19,761	528,769	734,556	650,536	7,114,645	138,328	34,550,498	

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Alexandria, Va.					8,603	2,811	1,863			
Aroostook, Me.	4,399	3,769			77,431	69,669	85,172			180
Baltimore, Md. (a)	871,877	745,033	7,938,129	7,899,890	6,391,404	5,602,684	5,342,528	58,681,057	77,254,235	73,032,760
Bangor, Me. (a)	58,623	57,588	121,414	500,490	803,460	522,945	532,375	879,771	1,205,281	2,461,582
Barnstable, Mass.					2,712	3,563	709			
Bath, Me. (a)	1,741	1,491			30,940	35,572	52,078	656		4,338
Beaufort, S. C.	3,801	12,986	137,657	9,918	102,793	66,761	52,125	2,576,745	1,980,108	837,662
Belfast, Me.	40			523	10,523	6,064	5,620	881	1,027	1,418
Boston and Charlestown, Mass. (a)	5,151,610	3,795,879	10,427,909	10,313,631	39,683,047	31,929,083	30,378,987	67,576,824	74,080,034	84,559,125
Bridgeton, N. J.						71,222	61,340	28,993		
Bristol and Warren, R. I.					3,468	3,653	2,608			
Brunswick, Ga.			1,130,824	569,325	7,811	27,029	45,922	4,809,377	7,592,742	8,667,555
Castine, Me.	1,330				2,748	8,934	347	10,154	22,026	6,354
Charleston, S. C. (a)	75,563	66,114	975,601	303,146	635,939	1,039,357	853,674	10,269,324	10,161,506	7,702,756
Delaware (a)	7,139	798	130,773	294,114	54,850	162,803	124,058	3,111,806	2,639,212	2,376,977
Edgartown, Mass.					1,707	1,583				210
Fairfield, Conn.	9,983	10,883			130,784	131,152	203,232	1,927		
Fall River, Mass.					44,395	19,649	3,416			
Fernandina, Fla. (a)	193	310	96,019	173,935	26,826	558	25,674	637,030	1,020,021	1,353,907
Frenchman Bay, Me.					1,298	1,137	450			
Georgetown, D. C.	6,991	5,557			131,656	99,595	131,152			
Georgetown, S. C.								5,919	231	
Gloucester, Mass.					34,619	25,904	24,981	1,561	1,160	
Hartford, Conn.	57,815	16,388			291,143	198,925	150,017			
Machias, Me.		21			1,768	615	873	2,287	1,831	318
Marblehead, Mass.					28,977	15,566	1,344			
Newark, N. J.	54,574	51,472	138,621	48,076	104,775	368,986	300,978	332,686	627,716	423,879
New Bedford, Mass.	53				46,713	16,746	2,154	4,889	7,038	5,834
Newburyport, Mass.					4,272		617	15		
New Haven, Conn.	37,972	19,853			113,336	121,300	86,612			
New London, Conn.		991			18,908	14,530	23,795			
Newport, R. I.					21,398	12,746	5,629			
Newport News, Va. (a)	63,887	49,678	3,340,680	1,773,746	532,199	716,509	747,845	12,208,432	18,700,486	19,231,403
New York, N. Y. (a)	36,016,076	41,406,582	31,047,349	33,396,871	275,451,426	258,636,006	285,899,445	257,011,916	274,221,227	302,220,582
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. (a)	11,632	16	699,629	1,695,041	81,476	197,166	172,270	14,073,776	9,904,824	9,580,284
Pamlico, N. C.			1,428		1,244	253	116	937	2,993	3,855
Passamaquoddy, Me.	14,350	11,835	33,118	111,529	363,509	277,061	223,002	216,741	301,704	320,976
Perth Amboy, N. J.	334		75,570	83,441	34,906	30,131	200,005	552,160	581,310	596,962
Petersburg, Va.					681		327			
Philadelphia, Pa. (a)	2,627,448	3,069,788	3,891,324	4,377,155	22,820,216	17,607,608	24,669,430	30,929,699	36,872,002	41,694,565
Plymouth, Mass.					11,699	3,886	4,100			
Portland and Falmouth, Me. (a)	75,730	28,930	1,100,382	1,452,399	320,838	215,232	322,631	2,820,030	4,068,984	5,546,220
Portsmouth, N. H.					19,134	10,520	16,150			
Providence, R. I.	50,336	78,876			521,322	443,222	504,176	1,646	1,291	255
Richmond, Va.	1,841	296			60,756	23,123	39,173		4,000	
Sag Harbor, N. Y.						6,751	2,892			
St. Augustine, Fla.	13,536				1,157	13,743	8,963	2,426	300	
St. Johns, Fla.	401	966	18,079	31,851	12,205	14,207	35,753	72,328	98,139	131,842
St. Marys, Ga.			6,304					26,237	36,438	16,837
Salem and Beverly, Mass.					28,215	20,004	11,130	25		
Savannah, Ga. (a)	48,490	30,097	2,506,424	2,139,211	322,951	294,971	326,364	18,788,944	23,169,483	20,328,279
Stonington, Conn.					23,745	11,527	5,245			
Waldoboro, Me.					31,401	32,206	26,923			
Wilmington, N. C.	32,687	6,347	311,963	211,085	130,260	176,875	129,473	7,797,877	8,690,922	7,463,296
Wiscasset, Me.				2,250	78	962	316	4,943	3,190	11,023
Total	44,801,341	49,473,144	64,129,202	65,357,627	349,587,809	319,313,135	351,846,661	494,440,019	553,251,461	588,581,234
GULF PORTS.										
Apalachicola, Fla.			44,259	55,213	2,845		1,366	212,731	197,261	274,198
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.	13,463	12,505	21,710	11,645	61,017	92,677	56,264	122,657	132,814	125,320
Corpus Christi, Tex.	68,921	92,161	329,856	417,424	561,273	680,615	633,701	3,664,361	2,858,062	4,109,303

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	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
GULF PORTS—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Galveston, Tex. (a).....	10,887	123,928	7,142,141	6,740,293	529,928	386,168	1,440,502	50,814,391	55,848,084	67,841,682
Key West, Fla. (a).....	3,405	38,358	37,175	84,385	396,886	385,548	151,055	281,500	485,831	905,396
Mobile, Ala. (a).....	135,296	95,595	1,599,923	1,202,009	464,565	776,115	837,387	7,864,773	6,145,394	6,659,772
New Orleans, La. (a).....	1,001,482	748,518	10,832,700	8,786,276	9,490,604	6,475,179	5,529,849	75,373,805	76,832,284	63,169,988
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	76,515	88,553	238,250	415,026	927,461	809,316	578,878	3,573,477	2,715,709	3,029,749
Pearl River, Miss.....	74	96,928	101,743	4,117	484	439	713,402	815,875	981,644
Pensacola, Fla. (a).....	1,552	3,020	853,455	1,075,841	209,527	160,305	43,813	5,343,273	6,107,672	9,124,050
St. Marks, Fla.....	266	21	3,666
Saluria, Tex.....	50,852	74,054	150,204	165,161	337,478	414,035	559,146	1,047,700	1,141,489	1,565,062
Tampa, Fla. (a).....	55,810	62,329	32,724	96,692	310,990	302,406	398,269	576,269	468,920	586,971
Teche, La.....	125	2	1,857
Total.....	1,418,183	1,339,095	21,379,325	19,151,708	13,296,957	10,482,944	10,336,673	149,588,339	153,751,252	158,366,801
PACIFIC PORTS.										
Alaska.....	15,353	64,590	75,665	119,929	16,586	5,507	38,823
Arizona.....	115,188	22,483	119,743	161,191	331,025	712,403	1,084,454	680,877	635,175	878,856
Humboldt, Cal.....	27,799	1,177	780	125,257	107,025	142,339
Los Angeles, Cal. (a).....	41,027	42,464	978	340,918	276,827	458,306	107,436	3,399
Oregon, Ore.....	1,050	73,099	320,578	79,926	17,218	394,088	344,958	110,858
Puget Sound, Wash. (a).....	302,717	1,240,686	1,250,450	1,644,822	3,387,723	3,833,501	5,667,034	9,105,594	12,274,611	10,448,951
San Diego, Cal. (a).....	3,892	24,463	51,106	165,093	152,400	133,858	221,760	165,570	456,732	226,911
San Francisco, Cal. (a).....	3,647,415	4,302,850	2,432,526	2,390,172	19,038,970	23,019,175	20,628,384	31,454,915	31,141,853	20,987,749
Southern Oregon, Ore.....	1	16,833	6,166
Willamette, Ore. (a).....	31,287	63,486	1,169,223	497,532	834,990	925,894	1,036,263	5,986,272	9,479,869	6,809,410
Total.....	4,157,929	5,696,432	5,106,125	4,886,609	24,472,372	34,048,249	23,234,128	47,945,992	54,459,332	39,647,296
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.										
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	183,757	181,168	650,009	728,043	2,612,421	2,794,431	2,785,062	3,409,378	4,903,865	4,938,494
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....	6,186	12,500	6,762	5,889	157,843	127,154	135,917	53,279	220,027	125,224
Champlain, N. Y.....	104,733	148,948	424,864	387,773	2,817,265	1,762,249	1,777,439	3,071,576	3,867,771	4,032,012
Chicago, Ill. (a).....	887,086	970,121	7,868	4,634	7,614,449	6,274,286	8,091,262	1,586,153	2,617,653	5,225,624
Cuyahoga, Ohio (a).....	74,759	55,420	10,305	855,483	639,418	806,997	995,026	973,910	1,560,645
Detroit, Mich. (a).....	127,056	140,762	1,076,656	972,640	2,183,967	1,567,579	1,419,769	7,664,706	9,100,609	8,567,456
Duluth, Minn. (a).....	14,674	57,906	15	57,621	781,285	1,710,620	1,227,849	2,720,234	3,277,608	3,226,280
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	911	3,079	136	7,452
Erie, Pa.....	104	48	15,247	5,489	2,440	11,638	3,341	928
Genesee, N. Y. (a).....	33,399	62,673	412,219	350,967	449,545	559,893	479,701	719,604
Huron, Mich. (a).....	26,537	49,600	260,742	445,778	1,561,930	1,572,372	1,667,953	4,573,447	4,678,977	4,415,379
Memphrenagog, Vt.....	92,331	132,741	148,473	234,815	684,120	1,244,399	963,297	1,535,860
Miami, Ohio (a).....	2,381	4,423	224,130	38,479	144,206	310,029	638,924	535,775
Michigan, Mich. (a).....	11,706	270,651	132,181	277,815	2,555	6,677
Milwaukee, Wis.....	39,153	24,625	352,058	435,918	400,152	2,761	748
Minnesota, Minn.....	59,310	62,935	2,861	2,711	794,053	411,982	910,643	60,612	13,251	237,308
Montana and Idaho.....	9,871	14,899	6,634	3,169	125,737	117,687	160,444	27,570	81,891	71,024
Niagara, N. Y.....	91,458	105,086	608,000	505,718	1,725,906	1,154,159	1,043,365	3,848,795	4,858,834	4,289,374
North and South Dakota.....	48,530	46,507	369,764	304,004	305,406	514,362	454,565	1,231,639	2,413,274	3,672,762
Oswegatchie, N. Y. (a).....	270,673	955,994	167,378	109,729	2,833,757	2,974,664	5,781,922	2,451,743	3,702,647	2,313,846
Oswego, N. Y.....	524,071	440,941	346,035	1,156,329	1,325,680	1,159,898
Sandusky, Ohio.....	1,708	85	40,913	61,298	38,763	8,673	18,350	99,294
Superior, Mich. (a).....	9,043	20,791	88,298	14,861	233,229	189,022	239,637	3,417,322	2,467,801	5,033,580
Vermont, Vt.....	132,656	254,771	480,172	600,666	3,851,436	1,862,543	1,354,168	5,851,372	5,108,527	4,741,159
Total.....	2,227,111	3,302,914	4,302,801	4,378,051	30,346,595	25,822,087	30,767,799	43,023,730	51,722,815	56,592,279
INTERIOR PORTS. (b)										
Albany, N. Y.....	15,758	11,374	74,499	58,920	78,362	133
Atlanta, Ga.....	516	764	14,334	6,741	10,036	1,550
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	52,612	55,240	767,701	604,623	747,643
Columbus, Ohio.....	17,216	3,349	66,358	57,150	73,261
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....	86	6,208	8,056	12,775
Denver, Colo.....	6,168	9,694	47,171	55,818	49,920	80,000	199,067
Des Moines, Iowa.....	1,355	981	19,518	14,546	20,880
Dubuque, Iowa.....	2,648	1,992	23,396	10,714	41,783

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
INTERIOR PORTS (a)— Continued.										
Evansville, Ind.....	740				5,758	3,255	7,203			
Grand Rapids, Mich.....	9,252	1,722			76,508	52,797	121,834			
Indianapolis, Ind.....	25,636	14,578			184,650	173,900	197,079			
Kansas City, Mo.....	9,237	10,993			285,976	209,005	187,297			1,143
Lincoln, Nebr.....	1,440	684			10,694	13,137	15,394			
Louisville, Ky.....	24,334	15,936			209,386	171,619	140,656			
Memphis, Tenn.....	13,009	8,092			56,563	37,226	35,368			
Nashville, Tenn.....	1,405	978			22,855	37,105	13,209			
Omaha, Nebr.....	12,918	29,219			157,017	203,595	311,028			124,067
Pittsburg, Pa.....	46,316	51,506			743,733	512,414	662,636			
St. Joseph, Mo.....	9,601	9,717			67,491	67,600	95,717			
St. Louis, Mo.....	192,586	200,662			1,704,323	1,591,135	1,974,804			
Sioux City, Iowa.....	49	1,489			24,890	3,921	26,016			
Springfield, Mass.....	12,261	4,949			95,835	60,290	50,891			
Syracuse, N. Y.....	14,942	5,854			48,120	74,085	105,618			
Total.....	470,085	439,782		47,171	4,811,661	4,024,764	5,009,487	133		319,827
Grand total.....	53,074,649	60,251,367	94,917,453	93,821,166	422,515,394	393,691,179	427,194,748	734,998,213	813,284,860	843,417,437
RECAPITULATION.										
Atlantic ports.....	44,801,341	49,473,144	64,129,202	65,357,627	349,587,809	319,313,135	351,846,661	494,440,019	553,251,461	588,581,234
Gulf ports.....	1,418,183	1,339,095	21,379,325	19,151,708	13,296,957	10,482,944	10,336,673	149,588,339	153,751,252	158,366,801
Pacific ports.....	4,157,929	5,696,432	5,106,125	4,886,609	24,472,372	34,018,249	29,234,128	47,945,992	54,559,332	39,647,296
Northern border and lake ports.....	2,227,111	3,302,914	4,302,801	4,378,051	30,346,595	25,822,087	30,767,799	43,023,730	51,722,815	56,502,279
Interior ports.....	470,085	439,782		47,171	4,811,661	4,024,764	5,009,487	133		319,827

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	717,360,074	35,755,310	51,067,607	52,923,430	9,294,501	866,400,922	624,278,456	137,623,470	42,349,866	43,413,402		847,665,194
1894.....	537,643,885	27,796,696	42,353,998	41,692,558	5,507,485	654,994,622	652,921,714	133,211,018	34,302,557	48,769,648		869,204,937
1895.....	613,737,342	18,865,503	40,568,501	51,016,783	7,781,636	731,969,965	590,392,743	130,275,045	36,879,310	49,991,067		807,538,165
1896.....	645,204,456	20,728,964	49,679,945	56,153,289	7,957,929	779,724,674	635,841,697	141,362,346	45,012,888	60,389,603	404	882,606,938
1897.....	639,407,219	23,358,166	44,674,612	50,066,412	7,224,003	764,730,412	733,204,968	194,240,199	59,952,662	63,595,594	133	1,050,993,556
1898.....	502,145,575	16,370,453	52,021,213	39,478,025	6,034,388	616,019,654	862,325,006	212,794,182	75,371,003	80,980,660	10,879	1,231,482,330

a Interior ports to which merchandise can be transported without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	(FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
EUROPE.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	450,214	472,660	301,819	502,850	4,593,899	3,241,883	3,626,061	2,415,867	3,583,089	5,045,447
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,043	1,001	5,966	7,029	5,630	14,096	5,034	161,435	268,943	213,104
Belgium.....	827,419	1,007,854	3,039,220	3,233,673	6,742,749	6,120,440	6,926,536	22,379,320	32,287,655	31,974,477
Denmark.....	27,657	39,089	1,182,370	1,587,752	203,717	153,843	153,098	6,151,445	7,559,730	11,423,235
France.....	4,691,971	5,780,202	6,400,088	4,430,813	37,209,411	35,981,791	41,625,446	41,997,941	63,003,772	43,119,691
Germany.....	5,759,286	7,034,169	12,610,380	12,163,210	60,165,193	44,516,579	55,613,136	86,712,235	103,268,126	111,615,613
Gibraltar.....	305	995	41,916	8,892	11,987	24,751	8,811	239,035	211,629	462,152
Greece.....	165,912	26,016	.....	615	607,106	813,825	825,779	106,379	121,026	144,660
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,056	135,234	78,408	.....	225	.....
Italy.....	1,739,545	1,648,336	2,204,109	1,481,226	10,860,344	12,351,230	14,181,770	14,951,285	15,523,057	17,310,028
Malta, Gozo, etc.....	562	.....	5,883	6,597	7,103	11,889	7,917	18,414	37,918	94,469
Netherlands.....	597,990	955,588	4,235,142	6,558,938	6,313,176	7,612,860	9,092,208	32,632,904	42,166,133	55,607,768
Portugal.....	304,112	126,356	226,861	255,377	1,247,203	1,496,325	1,637,500	1,866,449	1,160,751	2,074,803
Roumania.....	.....	.....	26,950	4,531	.....	.....	.....	20,687	30,944	19,622
Russia, Baltic, etc.....	130,807	134,870	198,717	517,692	1,213,432	1,714,775	1,896,606	3,277,363	2,386,841	4,819,235
Russia, Black Sea.....	119,092	203,206	85,074	102,442	725,320	1,149,394	999,926	940,367	389,585	691,378
Servia.....	12,095	.....	.....	217	8,696	12,095	.....	.....	.....	217
Spain.....	261,046	296,812	1,028,098	1,193,842	2,433,377	2,434,210	2,596,006	7,253,939	7,950,240	6,011,035
Sweden and Norway.....	215,446	169,565	424,114	943,059	1,879,835	2,059,289	1,910,775	3,554,446	3,954,513	8,268,431
Switzerland.....	973,033	1,407,786	20,022	19,425	8,611,334	7,531,189	10,204,050	46,491	180,085	182,077
Turkey in Europe.....	212,171	164,945	14,839	19,373	1,508,402	1,242,907	1,577,366	23,149	91,853	289,455
United Kingdom.....	11,151,688	11,323,529	44,105,242	39,919,285	84,440,629	73,774,732	76,270,958	352,369,143	363,967,002	358,758,478
Total Europe.....	27,635,394	30,792,979	76,156,815	72,956,808	228,828,608	202,393,337	229,237,391	577,118,464	648,155,117	658,026,235
NORTH AMERICA.										
Bermuda.....	16,346	21,641	101,933	84,445	102,983	88,564	83,340	556,329	655,633	661,684
British Honduras.....	16,494	16,090	37,696	30,948	146,470	110,686	112,097	356,743	378,384	326,411
British North America:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	139,628	149,149	306,550	497,989	2,916,408	2,868,069	2,380,294	2,677,212	2,997,997	2,917,901
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	875,865	1,405,562	4,136,180	4,315,289	18,264,993	15,906,730	15,783,908	37,257,045	46,755,082	53,616,154
British Columbia.....	404,645	321,049	362,574	295,381	2,302,554	3,088,027	2,822,993	2,214,184	2,518,366	2,820,752
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	3,233	12,404	29,201	52,671	342,617	353,881	329,417	776,941	785,739	969,561
Total British North America.....	1,423,371	1,888,164	4,834,505	5,071,330	24,826,572	22,214,707	21,316,612	42,925,382	53,057,184	60,324,368
Central American States:										
Costa Rica.....	419,785	315,512	117,617	84,855	1,481,788	974,124	1,452,703	813,696	1,026,042	842,597
Guatemala.....	224,188	268,172	79,577	99,073	736,011	929,922	861,404	2,029,895	763,069	738,436
Honduras.....	39,981	29,607	65,474	66,994	491,059	444,441	586,249	437,466	461,388	473,613
Nicaragua.....	65,062	70,583	82,143	101,826	636,040	743,297	905,098	825,352	683,731	755,904
Salvador.....	102,432	89,563	61,542	61,941	252,746	310,798	244,739	1,082,940	513,003	390,243
Total Central American States.....	851,448	773,437	409,353	414,689	3,597,644	3,402,582	4,050,193	5,189,349	3,452,233	3,200,793
Mexico.....	1,650,312	1,469,279	1,646,648	1,875,236	9,816,829	10,879,111	13,608,334	15,476,520	13,198,597	15,665,052
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	445	.....	1,457	9	122,660	158,716	79,557	75,741	98,854	107,564
West Indies:										
British.....	591,592	805,267	728,689	623,838	5,837,445	4,492,725	6,019,348	5,400,972	5,017,352	5,599,829
Danish.....	337	412	33,339	40,747	170,063	105,997	173,637	355,264	373,947	305,230
Dutch.....	9,756	7,527	32,041	24,237	67,325	77,998	76,146	443,108	336,067	296,590
French.....	206	215	177,952	109,756	621	425	3,610	1,242,822	1,058,830	1,016,692
Haiti.....	79,760	85,947	275,620	292,243	964,430	574,825	610,311	2,615,821	2,224,271	1,803,198
Santo Domingo.....	386,685	217,138	46,598	51,281	866,127	796,293	1,160,828	712,357	697,431	643,923
Cuba.....	2,059,729	2,307,940	1,168,744	1,671,846	6,755,591	6,413,028	9,178,777	5,494,777	7,689,323	10,142,949
Porto Rico.....	89,166	124,618	97,074	267,619	731,254	525,884	585,888	1,307,577	1,200,067	1,326,663
Total West Indies.....	3,217,210	3,549,094	2,558,057	3,001,567	15,392,856	12,987,178	17,838,545	17,572,698	18,627,288	21,134,975
Total North America.....	7,175,626	7,717,675	9,589,649	10,478,224	51,006,014	49,841,544	57,088,078	82,152,762	89,468,173	101,423,847

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
SOUTH AMERICA.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	258,856	598,556	521,348	505,478	3,892,056	3,077,515	2,775,247	4,565,759	4,473,566	6,281,554
Bolivia.....			2,317	1,997				3,486	7,085	22,318
Brazil.....	5,963,182	6,704,130	843,753	706,262	47,661,133	43,205,548	35,634,323	7,620,132	9,213,261	8,497,189
Chile.....	336,532	112,014	143,206	129,667	2,421,754	2,688,241	1,667,347	1,776,275	1,390,285	1,274,520
Colombia.....	322,938	365,727	215,427	147,287	3,023,974	3,357,725	3,097,876	2,519,073	2,165,374	1,835,403
Ecuador.....	58,717	48,830	76,393	56,692	352,641	507,558	789,899	486,664	549,832	527,585
Falkland Islands.....			570					800	1,010	
Guianas:										
British.....	505,866	285,368	150,767	175,869	2,737,774	2,115,203	3,096,630	1,145,799	1,189,734	1,212,867
Dutch.....	207,577	208,152	43,474	10,478	637,828	883,146	972,861	243,694	207,181	258,702
French.....				16,059	4,050	12,510	37,929	79,664	82,898	115,431
Paraguay.....				187					699	187
Peru.....	172,548	67,856	81,693	67,798	499,624	472,548	849,470	738,954	731,878	787,068
Uruguay.....	157,320	56,607	126,312	69,693	1,329,664	1,130,041	666,541	987,881	681,404	842,092
Venezuela.....	503,101	671,237	199,845	304,333	6,643,489	4,914,056	3,989,564	2,336,909	1,830,278	1,930,813
Total South America.....	8,486,637	9,118,477	2,408,105	2,191,800	63,205,987	62,364,091	53,577,687	22,505,090	22,614,485	23,585,738
ASIA.										
Aden.....	180,871	49,407	120,622	67,788	758,990	870,190	1,094,932	781,641	387,979	516,430
China.....	2,228,008	1,919,249	646,126	1,523,149	12,903,137	14,852,860	11,915,364	7,332,615	5,991,074	9,265,238
East Indies:										
British.....	2,277,491	2,090,227	380,961	251,218	10,838,082	15,342,675	16,710,379	2,708,050	3,617,268	2,845,196
Dutch.....	499,307	1,255,511	38,889	17,656	11,946,473	9,259,746	15,270,787	1,331,954	567,057	547,767
French.....				628				99,917	90,900	7,001
Portuguese.....					519					
Hongkong.....	43,530	309,797	474,883	568,632	576,474	437,109	1,347,292	4,330,900	3,982,157	4,732,072
Japan.....	1,606,340	4,002,800	2,254,245	1,407,533	13,628,130	18,368,158	19,119,806	8,673,027	12,268,146	10,441,840
Korea.....				922				495	68,060	133,309
Russia, Asiatic.....			22,757	44,846	201,421	111,050	113,537	52,086	97,496	901,897
Turkey in Asia.....	86,474	203,846	21,238	6,430	2,555,338	1,865,531	2,261,557	37,162	136,878	118,275
All other Asia.....	152	12,724	128,927	10,613	59,675	66,354	60,780	305,141	277,719	48,303
Total Asia.....	6,922,173	9,843,561	4,088,648	3,899,415	53,468,239	61,173,678	67,894,434	25,652,988	27,484,734	29,557,328
OCEANICA.										
Anckland, Fiji, etc.....		6,580					290,669	16,974		5,892
British Australasia.....	583,538	185,525	1,099,576	2,029,351	3,024,304	2,494,708	2,074,935	12,292,338	9,994,366	12,525,365
French Oceania.....	13,989	24,338	21,474	19,138	260,570	133,942	175,205	241,652	215,446	163,497
German Oceania.....			1,557	3,541				2,495	6,106	23,634
Hawaiian Islands.....	972,554	1,222,723	354,512	853,570	7,626,636	9,372,686	9,316,910	3,007,532	3,862,528	5,608,156
Spanish Oceania.....						8,811			4,503	6,883
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	5,575	33	4,721	3,864	12,554	49,713	25,000	27,789	25,245	28,491
Philippine Islands.....	186,358	277,003	1,907	19,529	2,240,176	2,102,889	2,641,175	89,011	69,235	117,021
Total Oceania.....	1,762,014	1,716,202	1,483,747	2,928,993	13,164,240	14,162,749	14,523,894	15,677,791	14,177,429	18,478,939
AFRICA.										
British Africa.....	90,059	326,547	779,431	1,142,372	760,453	402,765	793,576	9,150,046	7,419,881	10,200,298
Canary Islands.....	3,113		37,087	6,175	43,247	19,988	20,714	201,025	270,530	81,408
French Africa.....	59,097	22,252	31,592	61,680	137,180	324,657	383,284	282,869	501,876	397,371
German Africa.....			813		96			320	2,319	
Italian Africa.....					6,170					
Kongo Free State.....					11,920					
Liberia.....	918	767			19,572	6,105	7,962	6,565	6,764	13,837
Madagascar.....	3,314		51,388			14,046	1,475	151,675	226,726	50
Portuguese Africa.....	10		133,926	104,978		11,071	7,068	1,618,133	2,210,623	997,638
Spanish Africa.....								4,740	29,674	
Turkey in Africa:										
Egypt.....	905,662	656,867	77,024	21,259	2,473,112	2,508,029	3,134,415	182,068	257,218	295,843
Tripoli.....				78	52,962	44,188	52,827			78
All other Africa.....	30,632	56,040	79,229	29,384	337,594	424,926	471,343	343,677	459,311	358,827
Total Africa.....	1,092,805	1,062,473	1,190,489	1,365,926	3,842,306	3,755,785	4,872,664	11,891,118	11,384,922	12,345,350
Grand total.....	53,074,640	60,251,367	94,917,453	93,821,166	422,515,394	393,691,179	427,194,748	734,988,213	813,284,860	843,417,437

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	FEBRUARY—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
RECAPITULATION.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe.....	27,635,394	30,792,979	76,156,815	72,956,808	228,828,608	202,393,337	229,237,391	577,118,464	648,155,117	658,026,235
North America.....	7,175,626	7,717,675	9,589,649	10,478,224	54,006,014	49,841,544	57,088,678	82,152,762	89,468,173	101,423,847
South America.....	8,486,637	9,118,477	2,408,105	2,191,800	69,205,987	62,364,091	53,577,687	22,505,090	22,614,485	23,585,738
Asia.....	6,922,173	9,843,561	4,088,648	3,899,415	53,468,239	61,173,673	67,894,434	23,652,988	27,484,734	29,557,328
Oceania.....	1,762,014	1,716,202	1,483,747	2,928,993	13,164,240	14,162,749	14,523,894	15,677,791	14,177,429	18,478,939
Africa.....	1,092,805	1,062,473	1,190,489	1,365,926	3,842,306	3,755,785	4,872,664	11,891,118	11,384,922	12,345,350

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceania.	Africa and other countries.	Total.	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceania.	Africa and other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	458,450,093	183,732,712	102,207,815	113,621,824	8,388,478	866,400,922	661,976,710	119,788,889	32,639,077	27,421,831	5,838,687	847,665,194
1894.....	295,077,865	166,962,559	100,147,107	87,644,320	5,162,771	654,994,622	700,870,822	119,693,212	33,212,310	32,786,943	5,577,285	892,140,572
1895.....	383,645,813	133,915,682	112,167,120	95,077,290	7,164,060	731,969,965	627,927,692	108,575,594	33,525,935	30,434,288	7,074,656	807,533,145
1896.....	418,639,121	126,877,126	108,828,462	114,206,986	11,172,979	779,724,674	673,043,753	116,567,496	36,297,671	42,827,258	13,870,760	882,606,938
1897.....	430,192,205	105,924,053	107,389,405	111,695,036	9,529,713	764,730,412	813,385,644	124,958,461	33,768,646	61,927,678	16,953,127	1,050,993,556
1898.....	305,933,691	91,376,807	92,091,694	119,453,823	7,193,639	616,049,654	973,806,245	139,627,841	33,821,701	60,710,813	17,515,730	1,231,482,330

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY MONTHS.

MERCHANDISE.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Per cent of free.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	32,815,769	40,209,877	73,025,646	44.9	55,156,878	1,384,711	56,541,589	16,484,057	.....
August.....	35,650,550	35,461,393	71,111,943	50.1	54,821,159	1,159,460	55,980,619	15,131,324	.....
September.....	30,568,563	34,736,757	65,305,320	46.8	57,063,808	1,476,255	58,540,063	6,765,257	.....
October.....	37,765,403	37,314,941	75,080,344	50.3	85,089,206	2,001,766	87,090,972	.....	12,010,628
November.....	32,559,971	30,784,846	63,344,817	51.4	85,152,500	2,160,081	87,312,581	.....	23,967,764
December.....	29,452,767	32,748,280	62,201,047	47.3	91,076,350	1,452,767	92,529,117	.....	30,328,070
1896—January.....	32,900,588	35,747,011	68,647,600	47.9	85,543,304	1,426,724	86,970,028	.....	18,322,428
February.....	28,513,192	23,964,924	52,478,116	45.6	76,378,143	1,323,761	77,701,904	.....	15,223,788
March.....	31,016,387	35,439,276	66,455,663	46.7	74,000,616	1,573,568	75,574,184	.....	9,118,521
April.....	28,595,639	30,053,940	58,649,579	48.8	69,402,585	1,689,162	71,091,747	.....	12,442,168
May.....	24,788,242	32,472,617	57,260,859	43.3	64,587,491	1,980,772	66,568,263	.....	9,307,404
June.....	25,130,398	31,033,342	56,163,740	44.7	64,928,447	1,777,424	66,705,871	.....	10,542,121
Total, 12 months.....	363,757,470	499,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
July.....	22,674,353	29,434,199	52,108,552	43.5	65,686,419	2,031,370	67,717,789	.....	15,609,237
August.....	20,645,161	28,823,029	49,468,190	41.7	66,689,981	1,911,025	68,601,006	.....	19,132,816
September.....	23,055,772	26,900,218	50,855,990	47.1	83,746,362	1,384,736	85,131,098	.....	24,275,198
October.....	24,013,430	26,453,889	50,467,319	47.6	111,957,796	1,558,790	113,516,586	.....	63,049,287
November.....	27,819,906	22,223,382	50,043,288	55.6	107,821,778	1,251,061	109,072,839	.....	59,029,551
December.....	32,899,388	26,081,272	58,980,660	55.8	116,087,158	1,098,768	117,185,926	.....	58,205,266
1897—January.....	27,299,139	24,054,870	51,354,018	53.2	92,474,282	1,477,601	93,951,883	.....	42,597,865
February.....	32,764,969	26,472,408	59,237,377	55.3	77,842,500	1,978,586	79,821,086	.....	20,533,709
March.....	41,114,784	35,236,660	76,351,444	53.8	85,420,041	1,862,206	87,282,247	.....	10,930,803
April.....	50,889,374	50,433,032	101,322,406	50.3	76,098,128	1,550,658	77,648,786	.....	23,673,620
May.....	36,702,676	42,655,471	79,358,147	46.3	76,295,675	1,575,601	77,871,276	.....	1,486,871
June.....	41,159,291	44,023,730	85,183,021	48.3	71,887,483	1,305,551	73,193,034	.....	11,989,987
Total, 12 months.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
July.....	29,271,389	24,403,370	53,674,759	54.5	69,911,444	1,192,524	71,103,968	.....	17,429,209
August.....	21,182,871	18,661,734	39,844,605	53.1	79,481,695	1,343,355	80,825,050	.....	40,980,415
September.....	22,059,214	20,369,912	42,429,126	52	103,097,617	1,443,295	104,540,912	.....	62,111,786
October.....	24,332,909	25,646,803	49,979,712	48.7	109,527,345	2,217,172	111,744,517	.....	61,764,805
November.....	26,363,165	25,971,486	52,334,651	50.4	114,645,003	2,027,322	116,672,325	.....	64,317,674
December.....	24,128,615	27,377,348	51,505,963	46.8	123,153,083	1,000,878	124,153,961	.....	73,547,598
1898—January.....	22,116,649	28,711,065	50,827,714	43.5	106,698,651	1,728,023	108,426,674	.....	57,598,960
February.....	22,588,894	30,485,755	53,074,649	42.6	93,284,932	1,632,521	94,917,453	.....	41,842,804
March.....	26,642,887	34,919,296	61,562,183	43.3	110,750,861	1,899,635	112,650,496	.....	51,058,313
April.....	24,443,855	31,502,555	55,946,410	43.6	98,013,579	1,301,237	99,314,816	.....	43,368,406
May.....	25,343,291	28,241,360	53,584,651	47.3	108,715,406	2,568,029	111,283,435	.....	57,698,784
June.....	22,920,436	28,344,795	51,265,231	44.7	93,012,297	1,966,426	94,978,723	.....	43,713,492
Total, 12 months.....	291,411,175	324,635,479	616,046,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
July.....	19,575,833	31,408,548	50,984,381	38.4	71,250,845	1,274,204	72,525,049	.....	21,540,668
August.....	21,314,444	28,372,905	49,687,349	42.9	83,157,397	1,408,194	84,565,591	.....	34,858,212
September.....	19,658,433	28,797,954	48,456,387	40.6	89,304,880	1,341,057	90,645,937	.....	42,189,550
October.....	20,163,538	32,185,988	52,349,526	38.3	116,416,821	2,202,742	118,619,563	.....	66,270,037
November.....	22,125,620	29,971,208	52,096,828	42.3	127,474,112	2,323,853	129,797,965	.....	77,701,137
December.....	21,500,293	33,638,846	55,139,139	39	135,478,359	2,372,235	137,850,594	.....	82,711,455
1899—January.....	26,362,783	31,876,988	58,239,771	45.2	113,855,890	1,735,712	115,591,602	.....	57,351,831
February.....	28,065,007	32,186,360	60,251,367	46.6	92,345,069	1,476,097	93,821,166	.....	33,569,799
Total, 8 months.....	178,755,951	248,438,797	427,194,748	41.8	820,283,373	14,134,064	834,417,437	.....	416,222,689
Twelve months ending June 30.—									
1890.....	265,608,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	33.5	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	43.3	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	360,402,804	827,402,462	55.4	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	51.3	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	.....	18,735,728
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	58	860,204,937	22,935,635	882,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	49.6	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,411,175	324,635,479	616,046,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
July	171,683	571,451	743,134		3,490,845		376,673	3,867,518		3,124,384
August	129,500	1,534,086	1,663,586	3,240	15,428,861		1,238,400	16,670,501		15,006,915
September	173,935	749,456	923,391	5,884	17,348,088		75,977	17,429,949		16,506,558
October	214,019	1,797,040	2,011,059	13,810	881,978		991,919	1,887,707	123,352	
November	227,308	591,309	818,617	14,760	14,045,981		13,516	14,074,257		13,255,640
December	110,217	1,310,448	1,420,665	7,156	14,211,410		1,269,937	15,488,503		14,067,838
1896.										
January	179,012	10,367,940	10,546,952	5,002	10,566,327		199	10,571,528		24,576
February	100,008	11,559,089	11,659,097	7,101	1,361,850		821,850	2,190,801	9,468,296	
March	78,883	677,733	756,616	17,940	384,080			402,020	354,596	
April	155,400	1,119,768	1,275,168	5,426	3,210,734		571,532	3,787,692		2,512,524
May	107,276	604,498	711,774	7,022	19,038,188		65,725	19,110,935		18,399,161
June	157,337	837,669	995,006	13,470	6,865,183		49,883	6,928,536		5,933,530
Total, 12 months	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525		5,475,611	112,400,947		78,881,882
1897.										
July	162,058	1,505,928	1,667,986	23,295	11,391,141		517,000	11,931,436		10,263,450
August	232,437	4,057,101	4,289,538	2,440	1,951,104		19,000	1,972,544	2,316,994	
September	187,879	34,159,130	34,347,009	32,505	59,750		1,300	93,555	34,253,454	
October	232,686	27,961,083	28,193,769	24,839	343,168			368,007	27,825,762	
November	143,072	7,344,228	7,487,300	44,611	423,399			468,010	7,019,290	
December	233,929	2,567,115	2,801,044	25,970	404,416		1,440	431,826	2,369,218	
1897.										
January	386,685	556,621	943,306	70,411	371,944			442,355	500,951	
February	285,480	544,700	830,180	16,450	153,266		183,431	353,147	477,033	
March	555,273	884,166	1,439,439	3,137	173,418		398,650	575,205	864,234	
April	352,054	619,452	971,506	1,800	6,622,002	10	7,404	6,631,216		5,659,710
May	389,849	561,666	951,515	1,260	9,389,682		77,529	9,468,471		8,516,956
June	441,845	650,343	1,092,188	130	7,622,384		3,294	7,625,808		6,593,620
Total, 12 months	2,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	
1898.										
July	346,754	592,197	938,951	2,750	5,459,119		1,000	5,462,869		4,523,918
August	344,174	4,376,395	4,720,569		1,983,588			1,983,588	2,736,981	
September	433,758	4,289,423	4,723,181		142,922			142,922	4,580,259	
October	423,717	11,351,766	11,775,483	1,640	281,667		30,004	313,311	11,462,172	
November	509,071	2,545,018	3,054,089	173	694,138		5,202	699,513	2,354,576	
December	472,392	2,110,013	2,582,405	4,458	573,233		305	577,996	2,004,409	
1898.										
January	776,698	5,716,776	6,493,474	2,468	205,945		2,450,250	2,658,663	3,834,751	
February	833,572	5,329,109	6,162,681		151,896		878,516	1,030,412	5,132,269	
March	493,575	30,214,745	30,708,320	69,873	322,788		336,046	728,707	29,979,613	
April	234,720	32,345,138	32,579,858	100	97,068		1,226,556	1,323,724	31,256,134	
May	203,477	13,118,634	13,322,111		109,016		141	109,157	13,212,954	
June	145,838	3,184,774	3,330,612		367,529		8,000	375,529	2,955,083	
Total, 12 months	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909		4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	
1899.										
July	149,437	2,492,231	2,641,668	3,200	1,490,582		3,231	1,497,013	1,144,655	
August	226,475	15,070,336	15,296,811		1,449,712		506,196	1,955,908	13,340,903	
September	318,922	16,489,419	16,808,341	3,245	202,783		2,896,782	3,102,810	13,705,531	
October	435,896	16,302,457	16,738,353	100	356,596		923,230	1,279,926	15,458,427	
November	607,864	4,716,737	5,324,601	2,710	302,003		608,754	913,467	4,411,134	
December	591,379	8,165,603	8,757,182		159,138		1,060,500	1,219,638	7,537,544	
1899.										
January	549,237	5,843,107	6,392,344		1,280,053		475,398	1,755,451	4,636,893	
February	306,973	4,841,933	5,148,906		179,759		388,203	567,962	4,580,944	
Total, 8 months	3,186,183	73,922,023	77,108,206	9,255	5,420,626		6,862,294	12,292,175	64,816,031	
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890	91,679	12,943,342	13,035,021	a 1,973,976	13,403,632	1,952	3,870,859	19,250,419		6,215,398
1891	214,303	18,232,567	18,447,370	a 31,542	84,939,551	209	1,423,103	86,397,405		67,950,035
1892	249,204	49,699,454	49,948,758	a 39,325	43,321,351	13,004	6,873,976	50,247,656		298,898
1893	804,999	21,174,381	22,069,380	a 225,524	102,068,153	16,607	6,612,691	103,922,975		86,853,595
1894	540,444	72,449,119	72,989,563	a 146,779	64,487,354	17,069	12,490,767	77,141,909		4,152,346
1895	1,238,026	35,146,734	36,384,760	328,012	55,890,295	9,286	10,240,888	66,468,481		30,083,721
1896	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525		5,475,611	112,400,947		78,881,882
1897	3,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	
1898	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909		4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
July	955,085	772,363	1,727,448	.....	4,420,201	.....	393,890	4,814,091	.....	3,086,643
August	1,112,598	1,114,677	2,227,275	25,778	4,200,615	.....	353,083	4,579,476	.....	2,352,201
September	982,997	1,781,193	2,764,190	38,065	4,067,753	.....	1,331,641	5,437,459	.....	2,673,269
October	1,178,995	1,391,831	2,570,826	90,840	3,679,888	.....	914,559	4,694,287	.....	2,123,461
November	1,092,377	1,030,023	2,122,400	72,295	4,587,416	.....	827,143	5,486,854	.....	3,364,454
December	1,687,485	883,489	2,570,974	105,813	4,646,741	.....	512,796	5,265,350	.....	2,694,376
1896.										
January	1,433,622	1,057,597	2,491,219	84,670	4,547,372	730	355,927	4,988,699	.....	2,497,480
February	1,388,938	1,411,967	2,800,905	38,115	4,549,684	.....	812,635	5,400,434	.....	2,599,529
March	1,468,100	1,353,526	2,821,626	67,568	4,125,859	.....	888,867	5,082,294	.....	2,260,668
April	1,574,353	569,301	2,143,654	14,665	4,936,598	.....	203,470	5,154,643	.....	3,010,989
May	1,386,140	564,332	1,950,472	35,897	4,941,159	.....	217,971	5,122,643	.....	3,244,465
June	1,598,538	987,659	2,586,197	95,368	3,815,379	.....	532,399	4,443,146	.....	1,856,949
Total, 12 months	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
July	1,804,206	839,155	2,643,361	33,652	5,373,037	.....	364,717	5,771,406	.....	3,128,045
August	1,350,066	929,422	2,279,488	25,387	4,808,737	.....	467,210	5,301,334	.....	3,021,846
September	1,237,622	741,678	1,979,300	168,880	5,337,641	.....	196,469	5,702,990	.....	3,723,690
October	1,480,353	993,440	2,482,793	179,046	4,492,814	.....	301,525	4,973,385	.....	2,490,592
November	1,338,333	1,776,699	3,115,032	148,232	4,340,865	.....	633,546	5,122,643	.....	2,007,611
December	1,705,892	1,270,801	2,985,693	101,285	5,062,996	.....	1,756,549	6,920,830	.....	3,935,137
1897.										
January	1,907,479	877,067	2,784,546	150,903	3,742,415	.....	255,339	4,154,657	.....	1,370,111
February	1,568,369	763,563	2,331,932	66,158	4,208,697	.....	451,665	4,726,520	.....	2,394,588
March	1,518,765	480,170	1,998,935	23,639	4,631,238	.....	234,446	4,939,323	.....	2,940,388
April	1,604,104	578,124	2,182,228	250	4,807,377	.....	89,518	4,897,145	.....	2,714,917
May	1,984,320	766,704	2,751,024	12,200	4,148,920	.....	188,422	4,349,542	.....	1,598,518
June	2,044,013	954,882	2,998,895	.....	4,621,454	.....	465,409	5,086,863	.....	2,087,968
Total, 12 months	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
July	1,681,473	1,012,391	2,693,864	180	4,068,834	.....	636,090	4,705,154	.....	2,011,290
August	1,563,457	1,491,752	3,055,209	.....	4,347,093	.....	817,899	5,164,992	.....	2,109,783
September	2,228,231	856,393	3,084,624	.....	3,625,600	.....	956,878	4,582,478	.....	1,497,854
October	1,691,762	1,691,661	3,383,423	95	3,939,347	.....	1,285,995	5,225,437	.....	1,942,014
November	1,540,145	1,610,691	3,150,836	1,334	3,939,895	.....	1,039,422	4,980,651	.....	1,829,815
December	1,703,434	1,063,352	2,766,786	48,259	4,661,185	.....	1,139,086	5,848,530	.....	3,081,744
1898.										
January	1,990,631	544,830	2,535,461	39,424	3,841,239	.....	421,157	4,301,820	.....	1,766,359
February	1,703,601	382,034	2,085,635	6,820	3,631,065	.....	122,086	3,759,971	.....	1,674,336
March	2,120,018	457,577	2,577,595	7,695	3,974,363	.....	113,905	4,095,963	.....	1,518,368
April	1,601,909	489,157	2,091,066	58,860	3,880,402	.....	159,899	4,099,161	.....	2,008,095
May	1,083,811	490,668	1,574,479	.....	4,006,265	.....	178,167	4,184,432	.....	2,609,953
June	1,229,048	799,755	2,028,803	.....	3,751,640	.....	405,010	4,156,650	.....	2,127,847
Total, 12 months	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458
July	1,350,588	1,303,158	2,653,746	150	3,643,118	.....	1,241,654	4,884,922	.....	2,231,176
August	2,093,589	1,458,154	3,551,743	.....	3,837,786	.....	960,692	4,798,478	.....	1,246,735
September	1,031,302	969,394	2,000,696	860	4,157,422	.....	993,821	5,152,103	.....	3,151,407
October	1,722,767	830,677	2,553,444	.....	4,248,479	.....	264,348	4,512,827	.....	1,959,383
November	1,422,381	846,878	2,269,259	165	3,586,013	.....	436,901	4,023,079	.....	1,753,820
December	2,209,425	1,000,028	3,209,453	9,525	5,288,326	.....	529,847	5,827,698	.....	2,618,245
1899.										
January	2,469,092	659,760	3,128,852	4,520	5,206,007	.....	170,279	5,380,806	.....	2,251,054
February	1,046,110	380,917	1,427,027	9,390	4,122,382	.....	187,302	4,319,074	.....	2,892,047
Total, 8 months	13,345,254	7,448,966	20,794,220	24,610	34,089,533	.....	4,784,844	38,898,987	.....	18,047,767
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890	7,748,572	21,032,984	28,781,556	.....	22,378,557	75,673	12,495,372	34,949,602	.....	6,168,046
1891	8,853,608	18,026,880	26,980,488	.....	14,033,714	104,175	8,557,274	22,695,163	4,285,325	.....
1892	9,656,761	19,955,086	29,611,847	.....	16,765,067	332,336	16,045,492	33,142,895	.....	3,531,048
1893	11,100,747	23,193,252	34,293,999	.....	23,559,254	144,338	17,178,065	40,881,657	.....	6,587,658
1894	6,679,161	13,286,552	19,965,713	.....	39,099,087	69,015	11,382,178	50,520,280	.....	30,554,567
1895	10,658,659	9,552,520	20,211,179	46,206	40,073,222	21,763	7,154,095	47,295,286	.....	27,084,107
1896	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
1897	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
1898	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.

IMPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	February—		Eight months ending February—		February—		Eight months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....	13,585	11,733	181,411	162,976	855	839	9,176	12,275
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	15,475	9,610	78,070	46,550				
Newark, N. J.....	11,420	56,863	11,420	237,463	47,041	26,805	47,041	122,482
New York, N. Y.....	939,929	1,232,710	16,240,902	33,394,283	1,197,165	631,851	9,567,354	8,904,342
Perth Amboy, N. J.....				28,801				1,055,436
Philadelphia, Pa.....		75	10	75		500	2,560	500
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....							11,220	3,505
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	40,558	82,811	358,422	657,154	34,445	74,778	707,277	1,344,764
Galveston, Tex.....			2,220					
Mobile, Ala.....	2,988	3,560	8,021	12,901	620	4,328	11,292	9,789
New Orleans, La.....	11,332	17,548	160,748	171,715	11,973	28,271	183,322	222,046
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	66,752	8,852	633,600	136,001	286,138	199,443	6,178,886	4,531,326
Pensacola, Fla.....								1,500
Saluria, Tex.....	34,299		297,794	137,944	50,319		969,547	352,090
Alaska.....			50	9,065,000				100
Arizona.....	135,534	132,199	1,084,321	1,215,594	93,541	85,837	698,841	843,193
Puget Sound, Wash.....	518,519	44,295	2,546,878	810,213	187,156	137,933	1,691,275	1,011,243
San Diego, Cal.....	6,369	1,658	58,599	30,346				
San Francisco, Cal.....	2,773,423	2,330,793	15,041,812	27,507,216	156,900	147,277	1,739,409	1,623,370
Champlain, N. Y.....	1,385,250	1,038,477	2,817,138	2,920,075	6,110	5,100	37,127	27,740
Chicago, Ill.....				1,278		2,489	1,677	77,776
Detroit, Mich.....	1,500		1,590	3,031	98		398	11,337
Huron, Mich.....			85	900				800
Minnesota, Minn.....							8,589	
Montana and Idaho.....	248		983	234	1,339		86,002	52,748
Niagara, N. Y.....	205,500	33,283	918,574	75,777	500	1,000	17,740	89,131
North and South Dakota.....			40					
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....		144,439		491,679		28,637		58,348
Vermont, Vt.....				1,000				
Kansas City, Mo.....			7,365				182,381	
Omaha, Nebr.....			720		11,405	51,936	504,724	438,379
Total.....	6,162,681	5,148,906	40,450,773	77,108,206	2,085,635	1,427,027	22,655,838	20,794,220

IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	February—		Eight months ending February—		February—		Eight months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....	716,253	118,026	5,672,767	7,534,545	1,081		23,067	1,175
Germany.....			180	185,046			1,290	1,940
United Kingdom.....	58,398	957,087	5,935,175	23,929,196		6,635	14,519	73,028
Other Europe.....	2,550		510,823	9,774	51		1,026	73
British Honduras.....	4,145	3,560	14,595	22,785	12,000	31,897	142,812	192,165
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,592,250	1,216,199	3,645,507	12,484,897	6,738	34,737	54,427	112,988
British Columbia.....	555,461	104,626	2,927,016	1,411,694	246,941	206,462	2,534,291	1,736,151
Central American States.....	30,678	43,353	360,028	438,794	58,030	43,489	579,725	479,325
Mexico.....	528,985	361,404	3,466,683	3,853,140	1,711,034	1,007,696	18,300,166	17,361,813
West Indies:								
Cuba.....	395	2,700	2,137,810	75,514	63	600	2,095	11,031
British.....	16,077	1,464	86,326	23,261	1,676	296	17,787	31,739
Other West Indies.....	39,324	6,106	440,823	194,179	22,847	20,770	491,354	108,419
Other North America.....	29,175	21,343	260,404	9,176	875	839	9,176	14,188
Colombia.....	20,418	9,743	187,277	142,089	7,867	2,650	114,495	233,056
Venezuela.....	28,154	400	603,353	194,983			417	3,809
Other South America.....		98,550	14,364	556,798	16,447	47,176	367,494	384,754
China.....				244,235		23,780	45	23,780
Japan.....		13,820	6,500	5,020,424				18,000
British Australasia.....	2,510,418	2,189,925	14,050,282	20,526,789				6,786
Hawaiian Islands.....	30,000		130,000	50,000				
Other Oceania.....			850				1,652	
Total.....	6,162,681	5,148,906	40,450,773	77,108,206	2,085,635	1,427,027	22,655,838	20,794,220
Ore and bullion.....	1,481,430	1,634,624	8,993,823	32,753,562	1,968,886	1,321,556	16,018,701	16,321,594
Coin.....	4,681,251	3,514,282	31,456,950	44,354,704	116,749	105,471	6,637,137	4,472,626

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	February—		Eight months ending February—		February—		Eight months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....			773	4,972			2,956	1,705
Bangor, Me.....			75,207		63	221	1,518	1,154
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			8,100	5				8,000
New York, N. Y.....	922,091	507,315	9,447,553	8,125,752	2,947,374	3,846,674	30,008,836	34,907,356
Philadelphia, Pa.....							1,063	
Galveston, Tex.....					100		100	
Mobile, Ala.....			5,000					
New Orleans, La.....				1,896				
Paso del Norte, Tex.....					345,668		345,668	5,000
Saluria, Tex.....	180		8,158		6,636		72,232	12,409
Alaska.....			1,055					
Puget Sound, Wash.....	22,100	780	76,646	50,330	3,472	205	16,279	17,265
San Diego, Cal.....							1,150	
San Francisco, Cal.....	78,865	53,915	1,094,472	901,583	450,016	457,095	8,019,575	3,842,313
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	315		893		744	1,053	1,441	9,255
Champlain, N. Y.....		5,100	1,907,565	2,920,083	2,254	5,175	61,030	48,032
Detroit, Mich.....						600		1,292
Memphremagog, Vt.....				10				827
Niagara, N. Y.....	6,861	810	243,767	287,299	3,614	7,360	37,165	41,959
Vermont, Vt.....		42	85	245		691	20	2,510
Total.....	1,030,412	567,962	12,869,274	12,292,175	3,759,971	4,319,074	38,569,033	38,898,987

EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	February—		Eight months ending February—		February—		Eight months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....			4,008,535		227,000		566,000	632,172
Germany.....			1,259,190	13,200		550	845	53,162
United Kingdom.....	410		372,136	27,106	2,618,160	3,700,085	28,985,744	33,499,417
Other Europe.....					100		100	
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	7,176	5,952	2,152,310	3,207,637	6,612	14,879	99,656	103,785
British Columbia.....	22,100	780	77,701	50,330	3,472	205	16,279	17,265
Central American States.....	600	475	105,270	21,025		2,800	171,194	19,683
Mexico.....	180	875	11,158	10,575	368,463	16,000	437,834	40,909
West Indies:								
Cuba.....	868,186	318,439	3,308,666	7,459,439		7,000		231,680
Haiti.....	32,000	28,460	274,115	190,856			960	
Santo Domingo.....	1,575	4,537	89,669	63,662	51,126	113,000	236,746	379,500
Other West Indies.....	5,000	2,354	8,045	48,751	6,923	1,799	18,259	20,226
Other North America.....		97,550	93,307	133,446	63	221	1,518	9,154
Colombia.....	5,000	5,000	18,100	18,922		865	24,775	2,900
Venezuela.....	150	50,000	38,950	158,441				
Other South America.....	9,770		22,710	975		12,020	39,813	69,566
China.....					104,000	218,592	805,180	598,896
East Indies: British.....					42,100		1,121,288	
Hongkong.....	3,265	3,540	49,272	60,808	281,946	231,058	5,931,937	3,693,368
Japan.....							60,530	
Hawaiian Islands.....	75,000	50,000	980,140	827,000	22,000		50,000	135,204
All other countries.....							375	1,460
Total.....	1,030,412	567,962	12,869,274	12,292,175	3,759,971	4,319,074	38,569,033	38,898,987
Ore and bullion.....	6,151	612	1,984,426	66,809	3,606,194	4,123,017	32,071,340	33,744,476
Coin.....	1,024,261	567,320	10,884,848	12,225,366	153,777	196,057	6,497,693	5,154,511

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN DURING MONTH OF
FEBRUARY, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.					SILVER.							TOTAL GOLD AND SILVER, INCLUDING ORE.
	Ore.	Bullion.	Coin.		Total gold, including ore.	Ore.	Bullion.		Coin.		Total sil- ver, includ- ing ore.		
			United States.	Foreign.			United States.	Foreign.					
IMPORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Ounces.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Bangor, Me.....		11,733			11,733				839		839	12,572	
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		9,610			9,610							9,610	
Newark, N. J.....	56,863				56,863	26,805					26,805	83,668	
New York, N. Y.....	27,480	979,223	9,866	219,141	1,232,710	529,125	109,758	65,846	625	36,258	631,854	1,864,564	
Philadelphia, Pa.....			75		75				500		500	575	
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	743	59,278	22,790		82,811	57,461	19,693	12,547		4,770	74,778	157,589	
Mobile, Ala.....			3,495	65	3,560				92	4,236	4,328	7,888	
New Orleans, La.....		17,548			17,548				1,360	26,911	28,271	45,819	
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	8,852				8,852	139,492	109,001	59,951			199,443	208,295	
Arizona.....	15,738	116,461			132,199	56,950	49,805	28,887			85,837	218,036	
Puget Sound, Wash.....	19,920	24,375			44,295	137,933					137,933	182,228	
San Diego, Cal.....	600	1,058			1,658							1,658	
San Francisco, Cal.....	115,537	19,216	6,115	2,189,925	2,330,793	40,242	121,390	83,255		23,780	147,277	2,478,670	
Champlain, N. Y.....			950,000	88,477	1,038,477				5,100		5,100	1,043,577	
Chicago, Ill.....						2,489					2,489	2,489	
Niagara, N. Y.....		8,950		24,333	33,283				1,000		1,000	34,283	
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	61,240	83,199			144,439	3,677	41,599	24,960			28,637	173,076	
Omaha, Nebr.....						51,936					51,936	51,936	
Total imports.....	306,973	1,327,651	992,341	2,521,941	5,148,906	1,046,110	451,246	275,446	9,516	95,955	1,427,027	6,575,933	
EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC.													
Bangor, Me.....							54	36			36	36	
New York, N. Y.....			119,154		119,154	9,390	6,153,814	3,684,695	7,550		3,701,635	3,820,789	
Puget Sound, Wash.....			780		780				205		205	985	
San Francisco, Cal.....			53,915		53,915		695,875	420,792			420,792	474,707	
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....							1,696	1,053			1,053	1,653	
Champlain, N. Y.....			5,100		5,100							5,100	
Niagara, N. Y.....		600	210		810		11,570	6,360	1,000		7,360	8,170	
Vermont.....							1,114	691			691	691	
Total domestic exports.....		600	179,159		179,759	9,390	6,864,123	4,113,627	8,755		4,131,772	4,311,531	
EXPORTS OF FOREIGN.													
Bangor, Me.....										185	185	185	
New York, N. Y.....				388,161	388,161					145,039	145,039	533,200	
San Francisco, Cal.....										36,303	36,303	36,303	
Champlain, N. Y.....										5,175	5,175	5,175	
Detroit, Mich.....										600	600	600	
Vermont.....		42			42							42	
Total foreign exports.....		42		388,161	388,203					187,302	187,302	575,505	

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM 1835 TO 1898—(Specie values).

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
September 30—								
1835.....	64,809,046	71,955,249	136,764,295	100,459,481	14,756,321	115,215,802	21,548,493	.....
1836.....	78,655,600	97,923,554	176,579,154	106,570,942	17,767,762	124,338,704	52,240,450	.....
1837.....	58,733,617	71,739,186	130,472,803	94,280,895	17,162,232	111,443,127	19,029,676	.....
1838.....	43,112,889	52,857,399	95,970,288	95,560,880	9,417,690	104,978,570	.....	9,008,282
1839.....	70,806,616	85,690,340	156,496,956	101,625,533	10,626,140	112,251,673	44,245,283	.....
1840.....	48,313,391	49,945,315	98,258,706	111,660,561	12,008,371	123,668,932	.....	25,410,226
1841.....	61,031,098	61,926,146	122,957,544	103,636,236	8,181,235	111,817,471	11,140,073	.....
1842.....	26,540,470	66,534,601	96,075,071	91,799,242	8,078,753	99,877,995	.....	3,802,924
June 30—								
1843 (9 months).....	13,254,249	29,179,215	42,433,464	77,686,354	5,130,335	82,825,689	.....	40,392,225
1844.....	18,936,452	81,698,154	100,604,006	99,531,774	6,214,058	105,745,832	.....	3,141,226
1845.....	18,077,598	95,106,724	113,184,322	98,455,330	7,584,781	106,040,111	7,144,211	.....
1846.....	20,990,007	96,924,058	117,914,065	101,718,042	7,865,206	109,583,248	8,330,817	.....
1847.....	17,651,347	104,773,002	122,424,349	150,574,844	6,166,754	156,741,598	.....	34,317,249
1848.....	16,356,319	132,282,325	148,638,644	130,203,709	7,986,806	138,190,515	10,448,129	.....
1849.....	15,726,425	125,479,774	141,206,199	131,710,081	8,641,091	140,351,172	855,027	.....
1850.....	18,081,590	155,427,936	173,509,526	134,900,233	9,475,493	144,375,726	29,133,800	.....
1851.....	19,653,084	191,118,345	210,771,429	178,620,138	10,295,121	188,915,259	21,856,170	.....
1852.....	24,187,890	183,232,508	207,440,398	154,931,147	12,053,084	166,984,231	40,456,167	.....
1853.....	27,182,152	236,595,113	263,777,265	189,869,162	13,620,120	203,489,282	60,287,983	.....
1854.....	25,760,447	272,043,347	297,803,794	215,328,300	21,715,464	237,043,764	60,760,030	.....
1855.....	36,430,524	221,378,184	257,808,708	192,751,135	26,158,368	218,909,503	38,899,205	.....
1856.....	52,748,074	257,684,236	310,432,310	266,438,051	14,781,372	281,219,423	29,212,887	.....
1857.....	54,267,507	294,160,835	348,428,342	278,906,713	14,917,047	293,823,760	54,604,582	.....
1858.....	61,044,779	202,293,875	263,338,654	251,351,033	20,060,241	272,011,274	.....	8,672,620
1859.....	72,286,327	259,047,014	331,333,341	278,392,080	14,509,971	292,902,051	38,431,290	.....
1860.....	73,741,479	279,871,640	353,613,119	316,242,423	17,333,634	333,576,057	20,040,062	.....
1861.....	71,130,351	218,180,191	289,310,542	204,899,616	14,654,217	219,553,833	69,756,709	.....
1862.....	52,721,653	136,635,024	189,356,677	179,644,024	11,026,477	190,670,501	.....	1,313,824
1863.....	35,241,924	208,093,891	243,335,815	186,003,912	17,960,535	203,964,447	39,371,368	.....
1864.....	41,126,332	275,320,951	316,447,283	143,504,027	15,333,961	158,837,988	157,609,295	.....
1865.....	44,519,516	194,226,064	238,745,580	136,940,248	20,089,055	166,029,303	72,716,277	.....
1866.....	59,028,526	375,783,540	434,812,066	337,518,102	11,341,420	348,859,522	85,952,544	.....
1867.....	23,133,495	372,627,601	395,761,096	279,786,809	14,719,332	294,506,141	43,186,640	.....
1868.....	15,190,781	342,245,659	357,436,440	269,389,900	12,562,999	281,952,899	75,483,541	.....
1869.....	21,645,692	395,859,687	417,505,379	275,160,697	10,951,000	286,117,697	131,388,682	.....
1870.....	20,140,786	415,817,622	435,958,408	376,616,473	16,155,295	392,771,768	43,186,640	.....
1871.....	36,587,737	483,635,747	520,223,684	428,398,908	14,421,270	442,820,178	77,403,506	.....
1872.....	47,267,213	579,327,864	626,595,077	428,487,131	15,690,455	444,177,586	182,417,491	.....
1873.....	144,815,884	477,320,326	622,136,210	505,033,439	17,446,483	522,479,922	.....	18,876,698
1874.....	151,481,762	415,924,580	567,406,342	569,433,421	16,849,619	586,283,040	.....	19,562,725
1875.....	146,279,927	386,725,509	533,005,436	499,284,100	14,158,611	513,442,711	.....	79,643,481
1876.....	149,361,913	320,379,277	469,741,190	525,582,247	14,802,424	540,384,671	.....	151,152,094
1877.....	140,788,452	310,534,674	451,323,126	589,670,224	12,804,996	602,475,220	.....	257,814,234
1878.....	141,278,265	295,773,267	437,051,532	680,709,268	14,156,498	694,865,766	.....	264,661,666
1879.....	142,681,505	303,096,270	445,777,775	698,340,790	12,098,651	710,439,441	.....	167,683,912
1880.....	208,301,863	459,652,883	667,954,746	823,946,353	11,692,305	835,638,658	.....	259,712,718
1881.....	202,491,547	440,173,081	642,664,628	883,925,947	18,451,399	902,377,346	.....	25,902,683
1882.....	210,579,007	514,060,567	724,639,574	733,239,732	17,302,525	750,542,257	.....	100,658,488
1883.....	207,504,718	515,676,196	723,180,914	804,223,632	19,015,770	823,839,402	.....	72,815,916
1884.....	203,884,184	457,813,509	661,697,693	724,964,852	15,548,757	740,513,609	.....	164,682,426
1885.....	193,213,624	384,313,705	577,527,329	726,682,946	15,506,809	742,189,755	.....	44,088,694
1886.....	212,159,296	423,276,840	635,436,136	665,964,529	13,500,301	879,524,830	.....	23,863,443
1887.....	234,221,131	458,098,637	692,319,768	703,022,923	13,160,288	716,183,211	.....	28,002,607
1888.....	244,071,615	479,885,499	723,957,114	683,862,104	12,092,403	695,954,507	.....	2,730,277
1889.....	256,487,078	488,614,574	745,101,652	730,282,609	12,118,766	742,401,375	.....	68,518,275
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	39,564,614
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	202,875,686
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	18,735,728
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	.....	237,145,950
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	75,568,200
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	102,882,264
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	286,263,144
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	615,432,676
1898.....	201,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	.....

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION FROM 1835 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	GOLD.				SILVER.		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of—		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports over imports.
			Imports over exports.	Exports over imports.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—							
1835.....	2,325,196	1,355,280			10,806,251	5,122,495	
1836.....	7,231,862	647,455			6,169,019	3,076,881	
1837.....	2,431,814	3,213,735			8,084,600	2,762,514	
1838.....	11,674,883	1,213,204			6,072,233	2,294,842	
1839.....	1,164,580	4,800,608			4,430,596	3,976,075	
1840.....	3,085,157	3,703,373			5,797,656	4,713,641	
1841.....	1,269,449	3,589,869			3,719,164	6,444,463	
1842.....	757,294	2,304,756			3,329,722	2,508,783	
June 30—							
1843 (nine months).....	17,066,437	407,687			5,253,898	1,113,104	
1844.....	1,613,304	1,366,521			4,217,125	4,087,693	
1845.....	818,850	3,055,425			3,251,392	5,551,070	
1846.....	910,413	2,053,199			2,867,319	1,852,069	
1847.....	21,574,931	1,037,921			2,546,358	869,103	
1848.....	3,408,755	11,071,197			2,951,529	4,770,419	
1849.....	4,068,647	1,972,233			2,582,593	3,432,415	
1850.....	1,776,706	4,560,627			2,852,086	2,962,367	
1851.....	3,569,090	22,329,913			1,884,413	6,635,839	
1852.....	3,658,059	40,073,979			1,846,935	2,600,156	
1853.....	2,427,356	25,442,858			1,774,026	2,044,017	
1854.....	3,031,964	40,470,260			3,726,623	727,040	
1855.....	1,092,802	55,109,215			2,567,010	1,138,128	
1856.....	990,305	45,000,977			3,217,327	744,598	
1857.....	6,654,636	65,232,653			5,807,163	3,904,269	
1858.....	11,566,068	50,002,804			7,708,428	2,630,343	
1859.....	2,125,397	61,108,053			5,309,392	2,770,358	
1860.....	2,508,786	58,446,039			6,041,349	8,100,200	
1861.....	42,291,930	27,423,973			4,047,681	2,367,107	
1862.....	13,907,011	35,439,903			2,508,041	1,447,737	
1863.....	5,530,538	62,162,838			4,053,567	1,993,773	
1864.....	11,176,769	100,661,634		89,484,865	1,938,843	4,734,907	2,796,064
1865.....	6,498,228	58,381,033		51,882,805	3,311,844	9,262,193	5,950,349
1866.....	8,196,261	71,197,300		63,001,048	2,503,831	14,846,762	12,342,931
1867.....	17,024,866	39,026,627		22,001,761	5,045,609	21,841,745	16,796,136
1868.....	8,737,443	72,396,344		63,658,901	5,450,925	21,387,758	15,936,833
1869.....	14,132,568	36,003,498		21,870,930	5,675,308	21,134,882	15,459,574
1870.....	12,056,950	33,635,962		21,579,012	14,362,229	24,519,704	10,157,475
1871.....	6,883,561	66,686,208		59,802,647	14,386,463	31,755,780	17,369,317
1872.....	8,717,458	49,548,760		40,831,302	5,026,231	30,328,774	25,302,543
1873.....	8,682,447	44,856,715		36,174,268	12,798,490	39,751,859	26,953,369
1874.....	19,503,137	34,042,420		14,539,283	8,951,709	32,587,985	23,636,216
1875.....	13,696,793	66,980,977		53,284,184	7,203,924	25,151,165	17,947,241
1876.....	7,992,709	31,177,050		23,184,341	7,943,972	25,329,252	17,385,280
1877.....	26,246,234	26,590,374		344,140	14,528,180	29,571,863	15,043,683
1878.....	13,330,215	9,204,445	4,125,760		16,491,099	24,535,670	8,044,571
1879.....	5,624,948	4,587,614	1,037,334		14,671,052	20,409,827	5,738,775
1880.....	80,758,396	3,639,025	77,119,371		12,275,914	13,503,894	1,227,980
1881.....	100,031,259	2,565,132	97,466,127		10,544,238	16,841,715	6,297,477
1882.....	34,377,054	32,587,880	1,789,174		8,005,336	16,829,599	8,734,263
1883.....	17,734,149	11,600,888	6,133,261		10,755,242	20,219,445	9,464,203
1884.....	22,831,317	41,081,957		18,250,640	14,594,945	26,051,426	11,456,481
1885.....	26,691,696	8,477,892	18,213,804		16,550,627	33,753,633	17,203,006
1886.....	20,743,349	42,952,191		22,208,842	17,850,307	29,511,219	11,660,912
1887.....	42,910,601	9,701,187	33,209,414		17,260,191	26,296,504	9,036,313
1888.....	43,934,317	18,376,234	25,558,083		15,403,669	28,037,949	12,634,280
1889.....	10,284,858	59,952,285		49,667,427	18,678,215	36,689,248	18,011,033
1890.....	12,943,342	17,274,491		4,331,149	21,032,984	34,873,929	13,840,945
1891.....	18,232,567	86,362,654		68,130,087	18,026,880	22,590,988	4,564,108
1892.....	49,699,454	50,195,327		495,873	19,955,086	32,810,559	12,855,473
1893.....	21,174,381	108,680,844		87,506,463	23,193,252	40,737,319	17,544,067
1894 a.....	72,449,119	76,978,061		4,528,942	13,286,552	50,451,265	37,164,713
1895 a.....	36,384,760	66,468,481		30,083,721	20,211,179	47,295,286	27,084,107
1896 a.....	33,525,065	112,409,947		78,884,882	28,777,186	60,541,670	31,764,484
1897 a.....	85,014,780	40,361,580	44,653,200		30,533,227	61,946,638	31,413,411
1898 a.....	120,391,674	15,406,391	104,985,283		30,927,781	55,105,239	24,177,458

a Includes gold and silver in ore.

NOTE.—Gold and silver can not be separately stated in domestic exports before 1864, but it is probable that the greater portion of the exports was gold.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Aroostook, Me.....Imports..	4,399	3,769										
Baltimore, Md.....Imports..	594	287	87,851	119,255	1,529		209,367	519,751	118		2,713	1,264
Baltimore, Md.....Exports..			166,381	71,057			6,686,989	5,723,858	104,623			
Bangor, Me.....Imports..	58,575	57,588										
Bangor, Me.....Exports..	112,008	497,766										
Bath, Me.....Imports..	1,741	1,491										
Beaufort, S. C.....Imports..							3,801					
Beaufort, S. C.....Exports..							137,657	9,918				
Belfast, Me.....Imports..							40					
Belfast, Me.....Exports..				523								
Boston and Charles-Imports..	305	2,082	423,023	173,137	11,590	16,575	4,475,706	3,314,564	20	126,931	5,605	7,376
town, Mass.....Exports..			2,997	52,152			10,298,066	10,118,349				
Brunswick, Ga.....Imports..							865					
Brunswick, Ga.....Exports..			4,200	2,641			933,445	416,973				
Castine, Me.....Imports..			1,275				55					
Charleston, S. C.....Imports..			44,501	444			29,917	32,271				
Charleston, S. C.....Exports..			1,692				891,881	212,323				
Delaware.....Imports..			42	29	496	49	6,601	440				
Delaware.....Exports..							95,978	123,811				59,340
Fairfield, Conn.....Imports..			2,364			2,639	4,532	4,743				
Fernandina, Fla.....Imports..			193					310				
Fernandina, Fla.....Exports..			5,011	2,435			32,008	65,500				
Georgetown, D. C.....Imports..			1,888				908	3,790			1,920	1,140
Hartford, Conn.....Imports..			94	462	5,033	3,062	7,346	8,448	23	12	994	473
Machias, Me.....Imports..				21								
Newark, N. J.....Imports..	26,484	23,881	21,576	8,326	588	6,378	5,671	8,923	133	2,802	122	894
Newark, N. J.....Exports..			9,265	1,360			1,238	2,713				
New Bedford, Conn.....Imports..			53									
New Haven, Conn.....Imports..			17,517	13,709	361		17,859	4,286			867	1,218
New London, Conn.....Imports..								991				
Newport News, Va.....Imports..							62,640	36,718				
Newport News, Va.....Exports..			4,944				2,763,423	1,486,422				
New York, N. Y.....Imports..	66,750	112,004	5,936,282	5,460,621	844,310	1,332,453	19,736,677	21,295,245	1,162,047	1,406,017	2,413,772	4,232,176
New York, N. Y.....Exports..			2,737,863	2,731,174	486,869	417,585	19,112,254	20,563,855	1,233,695	1,615,972	1,126,961	858,921
Norfolk and Ports-Imports..			117				11,515					
mouth, Va.....Exports..			53,104	11,009		417,791	523,979	1,164,070				
Pamlico, N. C.....Exports..			1,428									
Passamaquoddy, Me.....Imports..	4,007	2,406	9,483	8,235			860	1,194				
Passamaquoddy, Me.....Exports..	4,815	19,170	28,303	31,261								
Perth Amboy, N. J.....Imports..												
Perth Amboy, N. J.....Exports..			2,643	2,606			3,893	825				
Philadelphia, Pa.....Imports..			110,128	148,277	557,336	437,551	1,600,217	1,100,992	112,181	251,719	61,373	90,593
Philadelphia, Pa.....Exports..			11,758	39,842	549,890	577,379	2,883,550	2,557,617	32,946		23,030	
Portland and Fal-Imports..	701						75,029	25,083				
mouth, Me.....Exports..			7,566	5,629			939,971	1,436,886				
Providence, R. I.....Imports..			1,737	308			17,213	18,297			16,987	50,789
Richmond, Va.....Imports..			492				1,249	296				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS.
										4,399	3,769	Imports.....Aroostook, Me.
50,222	75,950	13,874	15,893		7,201	5,609	5,432	283,432	625,491	371,877	745,033	Imports.....Baltimore, Md.
639,936	2,027,296			75,140	24,080	187,254	48,454	7,743,592	7,823,688	7,910,373	7,894,745	Exports.....Bangor, Me.
48								48		58,623	57,588	Imports.....Bath, Me.
										112,008	497,766	Exports.....Beaufort, S. C.
										1,741	1,491	Imports.....Belfast, Me.
							12,986	3,801	12,986	3,801	12,986	Imports.....Boston & Charles-
								137,657	9,918	137,657	9,918	Exports.....town, Mass.
								40		40		Imports.....Brunswick, Ga.
											523	Exports.....Castine, Me.
150,924	150,327			40,500		43,958	4,837	4,728,312	3,620,660	5,151,640	3,795,879	Imports.....Charleston, S. C.
90,168	17,232						44,337	10,388,234	10,179,918	10,391,231	10,232,070	Exports.....Delaware.
								865		865		Imports.....Fairfield, Conn.
	44,860		7,300	166,824	31,211	26,355	68,240	1,126,624	566,684	1,130,824	569,325	Exports.....Fernandina, Fla.
								55		1,330		Imports.....Georgetown, D. C.
	30,788			1,145	2,611			31,062	65,670	75,563	66,114	Imports.....Hartford, Conn.
	78,179			978	12,644	81,050		973,909	303,146	975,601	303,146	Imports.....Machias, Me.
	280							7,097	769	7,139	798	Imports.....New Bedford.
34,890	80,963							130,778	264,114	130,778	264,114	Imports.....New Haven, Conn.
4,864	3,501							9,396	10,883	11,760	10,883	Exports.....New London.
									310	193	310	Imports.....Newport News,
				32,500	73,000	26,500	33,000	91,008	171,500	96,019	173,935	Exports.....Va.
467	160	1,491	267			317	200	5,103	5,557	6,901	5,557	Imports.....New York, N. Y.
42,505	2,889			546		184	42	57,721	15,926	57,815	16,388	Imports.....Norfolk and Ports-
											21	Exports.....mouth, Va.
	208							6,514	19,265	54,574	51,472	Imports.....Pamlico, N. C.
								1,238	2,712	10,503	4,073	Exports.....Passamaquoddy,
										53		Exports.....Me.
1,365	640					3		20,455	6,144	37,972	19,853	Imports.....Perth Amboy, N. J.
									991		991	Exports.....Philadelphia, Pa.
1,242	49			3	12,920	2		63,887	49,678	63,887	49,678	Imports.....Portland and Fal-
425,886	94,909			27,000	160,867	101,142	31,548	3,327,451	1,773,746	3,332,395	1,773,746	Exports.....mouth, Me.
4,461,961	5,484,102	90,386	233,658	391,358	1,099,377	909,530	759,929	30,013,044	35,833,957	36,016,076	41,406,582	Imports.....Providence, R. I.
3,538,885	5,110,194		30,000	1,182,371	632,502	737,868	908,540	27,418,843	30,079,659	30,156,706	32,810,833	Imports.....Richmond, Va.
			16					11,515	16	11,632	16	Imports.....
	61,371		10,500	27,950	30,300	94,596		646,525	1,684,032	699,629	1,695,041	Exports.....
										1,428		Exports.....
								860	1,194	14,350	11,835	Imports.....
334								334		334		Exports.....
								3,893	825	6,536	3,431	Imports.....
173,170	816,613				28,380	13,043	195,663	2,517,320	2,921,511	2,627,448	3,062,788	Imports.....
199,242	266,580	102,588	27,157	152,868	702,740	37,756	103,557	3,878,870	4,337,030	3,890,628	4,376,872	Exports.....
	3,847							75,029	28,930	75,730	28,930	Imports.....
151,931								1,091,902	1,436,886	1,090,468	1,442,515	Exports.....
12,855	9,482			438				48,593	78,568	50,330	78,876	Imports.....
								1,349	296	1,841	296	Imports.....

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
St. Augustine, Fla. Imports..			13,536									
St. Johns, Fla. { Imports..							54	237				631
Exports..			5,631	22,519			12,448	9,332				
St. Marys, Ga. Exports..							6,304					
Savannah, Ga. { Imports..					4,742	37	9,620	4,611		31	59	
Exports..			7,926		219,114		1,470,800	1,302,919				
Wilmington, N. C. { Imports..							32,687	6,347				
Exports..			14,654	6,128			274,723	197,731				
Wiscasset, Me. Exports..				2,250								
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla. . . . Exports..			4,800	4,608				7,305				
Brazos de Santiago, { Imports..		12,505	13,463									
Tex. { Exports..			10,600	10,389								
Corpus Christi, Tex. { Imports..	68,921	92,161										
Exports..	328,715	414,644										
Galveston, Tex. { Imports..			1,872	555			7,572	26,978				
Exports..			21,130	27,174			5,832,789	5,519,893	7,875			
Key West, Fla. { Imports..			3,029	36,897			376	1,461				
Exports..			37,125	81,557				753				
Mobile, Ala. { Imports..			937				10,203	5,716				
Exports..			4,409	29,367			1,123,975	815,696		9,444		
New Orleans, La. { Imports..			33,840	60,185			760,749	349,173		7	124,629	209,856
Exports..			190,724	103,526			7,952,513	7,158,897	230,993	176,091	484,132	132,840
Paso del Norte, Tex. { Imports..	76,515	88,553										
Exports..	236,428	343,915										
Pearl River, Miss. . . . { Imports..				62								
Exports..			36,121	35,903			32,068	34,874				
Pensacola, Fla. { Imports..							1,452	2,950				
Exports..			8,759	7,009			338,228	651,486				
Saluria, Tex. { Imports..	50,773	73,938					79					
Exports..	147,950	162,153										
Tampa, Fla. { Imports..			55,810	62,329								
Exports..			7,224	32,847			25,500	46,420				
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Arizona { Imports..	113,676	22,483	1,512									
Exports..	62,153	142,413										
Humboldt, Cal. Exports..				12,810				9,064				
Los Angeles, Cal. . . . { Imports..			24,171	19			1,752	5,986	258			
Exports..			978									
Oregon, Oreg. Exports..							73,099					
Puget Sound, Wash. { Imports..	152,800	58,345	7,907	226,837			141,302	258,933			174	
Exports..	86,112	141,574	192,468	348,616			753,983	861,030				
San Diego, Cal. { Imports..	670	718	3,153	254				7,038				
Exports..	1,223	1,605					49,793	162,074				
San Francisco, Cal. { Imports..			2,172,313	1,936,918	8,469	1,004	1,119,962	1,173,123	3,731		25,606	39,723
Exports..			823,590	993,527			1,359,554	614,421			65,000	63,850
Willamette, Oreg. . . . { Imports..		214	2,718	5,048			27,036	43,103			1,299	
Exports..				5,650			940,677	427,382			69,700	

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.
										13,536		Imports.....St. Augustine, Fla.
347	98							401	966	401	966	Imports.....St. Johns, Fla.
								12,448	9,332	18,079	31,851	Exports.....St. Marys, Ga.
								6,304		6,304		Imports.....Savannah, Ga.
	25,981		37	4,757		83,025		102,203	30,697	102,203	30,697	Imports.....Wilmington, N. C.
196,488		38,221	38,706	292,632	533,835	281,243	263,751	2,498,498	2,139,211	2,506,424	2,139,211	Exports.....Wiscasset, Me.
				22,586			7,226	32,687	6,347	32,687	6,347	
								297,309	204,957	311,963	211,085	
											2,250	
												GULF PORTS.
3,590				31,800	37,976	4,069	5,324	39,459	50,605	44,259	55,213	Exports.....Apalachicola, Fla.
										13,463	12,505	Imports.....Brazos de Santi-
										10,600	10,389	ago, Tex.
										68,921	92,161	Imports.....Corpus Christi,
										328,715	414,644	Tex.
1,222	22,857				73,538	221		9,015	123,373	10,887	123,928	Imports.....Galveston, Tex.
178,769	315,094	49,123		38,154	284,846	963,863	588,583	7,070,573	6,708,416	7,091,703	6,735,590	Exports.....Key West, Fla.
								376	1,461	3,405	38,358	Imports.....Mobile, Ala.
							1,262		2,015	37,125	83,572	Exports.....New Orleans, La.
	302			124,156	89,577			134,359	95,595	135,296	95,595	Imports.....Paso del Norte,
		4,500		449,891	60,499	17,086	283,979	1,595,452	1,169,618	1,599,861	1,198,985	Tex.
36,744	45,563		47	45,155	78,958	365	4,729	967,642	688,333	1,001,482	748,518	Imports.....Pearl River, Miss.
238,470	229,913	8,809	192,776	66,526	58,763	1,637,664	710,050	10,619,098	8,659,332	10,809,822	8,762,858	Exports.....Pensacola, Fla.
										76,515	88,553	Imports.....Saluria, Tex.
										236,428	343,915	Exports.....Tampa, Fla.
			12								74	Imports.....Arizona.
11,715	3,323	5,000	6,380	12,024			21,263	60,807	65,840	96,928	101,743	Exports.....Humboldt, Cal.
		27	59	13	11	60		1,552	3,020	1,552	3,020	Imports.....Los Angeles, Cal.
	17,670	77,825	78,315	81,479	81,867	347,164	239,494	844,696	1,068,832	853,455	1,075,841	Exports.....Oregon, Oreg.
	116							79	116	50,852	74,054	Imports.....Puget Sound,
										147,950	162,153	Wash.
			13,200		4,225					55,810	62,329	Imports.....San Diego, Cal.
								25,500	63,845	32,724	96,692	Exports.....San Francisco, Cal.
												PACIFIC PORTS.
										115,188	22,483	Imports.....Willamette, Oreg.
										62,153	142,413	Exports.....
					5,925				14,980		27,799	Imports.....
2,529	3,387					12,317	32,072	10,856	42,445	41,027	42,464	Exports.....
										978		Imports.....
								73,099		73,696		Exports.....
						534	696,571	142,010	955,504	302,717	1,240,686	Imports.....
						267,737	279,717	1,021,720	1,140,747	1,300,300	1,630,937	Exports.....
						69	16,453	69	23,491	5,892	24,463	Imports.....
						3,072		52,865	162,074	54,088	163,679	Exports.....
81,427	174,352	62,801		18,073	37,772	155,033	939,958	1,475,102	2,365,932	3,647,415	4,302,850	Imports.....
	2,139			768	474	129,992	637,269	1,555,314	1,318,153	2,378,904	2,311,680	Exports.....
234	1,523				156		13,442	28,569	58,224	31,287	63,486	Imports.....
82,000	64,509					76,000		1,168,377	491,882	1,168,377	497,532	Exports.....

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Buffalo Creek, N. Y. {Imports..	156,246	161,895	4,227	1,020	1,636	739	8,007	4,576	3,938	1,775	803	132
Exports..	644,517	721,415	1,668	1,421								
Cape Vincent, N. Y. {Imports..	6,186	12,500										
Exports..	6,762	5,889										
Champlain, N. Y. {Imports..	104,733	148,948										
Exports..	365,893	358,352										
Chicago, Ill. {Imports..	26,099	33,611	175,415	71,239	98,225	90,794	384,030	441,924	27,516	32,354	54,665	16,394
Cuyahoga, Ohio {Imports..		1,813		5,951			63,418	39,526	19	159	33	5,222
Exports..			10,305									
Detroit, Mich. {Imports..	55,567	78,090	22,362	37,330	944		33,721	16,868		631	2,637	3,028
Exports..	1,037,335	928,454	24,330	36,822								
Duluth, Minn. {Imports..		55,371	14,544				120	2,250				
Dunkirk, N. Y. {Imports..				911								
Erie, Pa. {Imports..								22		26		
Genesee, N. Y. {Imports..			5,535	1,787	700		4,676	10,045		714	1,295	5,263
Huron, Mich. {Imports..	26,182	48,054	355	1,030				516				
Exports..	260,324	444,490		1,288								
Memphremagog, Vt. {Imports..	92,321	132,741										
Exports..	92,279	119,862										
Miami, Ohio {Imports..		1,491					2,301	624		15	24	
Michigan, Mich. {Imports..							11,706					
Milwaukee, Wis. {Imports..		1,601		3,269	8,303		21,680	11,820	3,237	560	659	2,674
Minnesota, Minn. {Imports..	8,261	10,989	7,718	1,641			34,957	35,071	677	484	1,343	663
Exports..	2,861	2,711										
Montana and Idaho {Imports..	9,871	14,899										
Exports..	6,634	3,169										
Niagara, N. Y. {Imports..	91,458	105,086										
Exports..	543,987	491,907										
North and South Dakota {Imports..	48,530	46,507										
Exports..	360,481	303,633										
Oswegatchie, N. Y. {Imports..	263,879	953,035	6,794	2,020								
Exports..	156,950	106,734	2,730	2,200								
Sandusky, Ohio {Imports..	1,708	85										
Superior, Mich. {Imports..	9,043	20,791										
Exports..	88,298	14,861										
Vermont, Vt. {Imports..	132,656	254,771										
Exports..	426,707	500,345										
INTERIOR PORTS.												
Albany, N. Y. {Imports..			653	1,567		804	8,221	2,257		1,994	1,852	19
Atlanta, Ga. {Imports..			130	706				36			386	
Cincinnati, Ohio. {Imports..	30	504	3,420	8,702	6,950	11,995	25,843	11,812	70	446	1,027	5,848
Columbus, Ohio. {Imports..				9	15,682		106	226			23	
Council Bluffs, Iowa. {Imports..												
Denver, Colo. {Imports..	154		895				3,068	4,151				1,190
Des Moines, Iowa. {Imports..				203			1,250	412				
Dubuque, Iowa. {Imports..				617			2,648					
Evansville, Ind. {Imports..							688					
Grand Rapids, Mich. {Imports..							8,505	551		921		

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.
7,976	10,935	874	96					23,284	18,253	183,757	181,168	
										646,185	722,836	Imports... Buffalo Creek, Exports... N. Y.
										6,186	12,500	Imports... Cape Vincent, N. Y.
										6,762	5,889	Exports... Cape Vincent, N. Y.
										104,733	148,948	Imports... Champlain, N. Y.
										365,893	358,352	Exports... Champlain, N. Y.
111,740	261,224			211	602	9,185	21,979	685,572	865,271	887,086	970,121	Imports... Chicago, Ill.
11,289	1,958						791	74,759	47,656	74,759	55,420	Imports... Cuyahoga, Ohio.
										10,305		Exports... Cuyahoga, Ohio.
4,625	898			4,455	4,007	2,746		49,127	25,342	127,056	140,762	Imports... Detroit, Mich.
										1,061,665	965,276	Exports... Detroit, Mich.
	285						10		130	14,674	57,906	Imports... Duluth, Minn.
											911	Imports... Dunkirk, N. Y.
104								104	48	104	48	Imports... Erie, Pa.
21,070	44,864					123		27,864	60,886	33,399	62,673	Imports... Genesee, N. Y.
									516	26,537	49,600	Imports... Huron, Mich.
										260,324	445,778	Exports... Huron, Mich.
										92,331	132,741	Imports... Memphremagog, Exports... Vt.
										92,279	118,862	
56	2,293							2,381	2,932	2,381	4,423	Imports... Miami, Ohio.
								11,706		11,706		Imports... Michigan, Mich.
2,232	3,939					3,042	762	39,153	19,755	39,153	24,625	Imports... Milwaukee, Wis.
5,388	11,540			372		594	2,547	43,331	50,305	59,310	62,935	Imports... Minnesota, Minn.
										2,261	2,711	Exports... Minnesota, Minn.
										9,871	14,899	Imports... Montana and Exports... Idaho.
										6,634	3,169	
										91,458	105,086	Imports... Niagara, N. Y.
										543,987	491,907	Exports... Niagara, N. Y.
										48,530	46,507	Imports... North and South Exports... Dakota.
										360,481	303,633	
	39								39	270,673	955,994	Imports... Oswegatchie, N. Y.
										159,680	108,934	Exports... Oswegatchie, N. Y.
										1,708	85	Imports... Sandusky, Ohio.
										9,043	20,791	Imports... Superior, Mich.
										88,298	14,861	Exports... Superior, Mich.
										132,656	254,771	Imports... Vermont, Vt.
										426,707	500,345	Exports... Vermont, Vt.
INTERIOR PORTS.												
5,032	4,733							15,105	9,807	15,758	11,374	Imports... Albany, N. Y.
	22							386	58	516	764	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
15,047	15,942					225		49,162	46,042	52,612	55,249	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
1,405	2,460						654	17,216	3,310	17,216	3,340	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
		86						86		86		Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.
1,981	4,344					70		5,119	9,694	6,168	9,694	Imports... Denver, Colo.
105	366							1,355	778	1,355	981	Imports... Des Moines, Iowa.
							1,375	2,648	1,375	2,648	1,992	Imports... Dubuque, Iowa.
52								740		740		Imports... Evansville, Ind.
747	250							9,252	1,722	9,252	1,722	Imports... Grand Rapids, Mich.

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BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Indianapolis, Ind. Imports..			2,087	56	403		19,227	11,465			192	441
Kansas City, Mo. Imports..	1	4	368				6,731	8,032			2,055	24
Lincoln, Nebr. Imports..				16			1,440	551				
Louisville, Ky. Imports..		203	249				16,360	6,711		64	697	562
Memphis, Tenn. Imports..			135	319			9,434	4,444				
Nashville, Tenn. Imports..				176			1,363	695				
Omaha, Nebr. Imports..	7,582	15,665					1,065	13,251			4,259	
Pittsburg, Pa. Imports..		268	9,748	13,980	1,388	1,866	28,480	27,743		880	872	2,070
St. Joseph, Mo. Imports..			142				5,094	8,449			464	
St. Louis, Mo. Imports..	160	11	22,113	1,872			132,029	122,923	3,209	1,266	6,631	1,627
Sioux City, Iowa Imports..				1,489			49					
Springfield, Mass. Imports..			291				4,734	456				
Syracuse, N. Y. Imports..	6,381						5,052	862			1,870	2,872
Total Imports..	1,673,978	2,651,358	9,270,058	8,418,738	1,568,684	1,905,946	29,227,115	29,050,267	1,317,227	1,829,808	2,737,907	4,684,171
Exports..	4,972,432	5,724,062	4,442,327	4,717,300	1,255,873	1,412,755	65,550,786	61,644,397	1,610,132	1,801,507	1,768,763	1,114,951

RECAPITULATION.

Atlantic ports. Imports..	163,556	203,508	6,672,152	5,932,824	1,425,985	1,798,744	26,310,629	26,387,537	1,274,522	1,787,512	2,504,412	4,386,554
Exports..	116,823	516,936	3,065,366	2,982,586	1,255,873	1,412,755	47,068,607	45,335,102	1,371,264	1,615,972	1,149,931	918,261
Gulf ports. Imports..	196,209	267,157	108,951	160,028			780,431	386,278		7	124,629	209,856
Exports..	713,093	920,712	320,892	332,380			15,305,073	14,235,324	238,868	185,535	484,132	132,840
Pacific ports. Imports..	267,146	81,760	2,211,774	2,169,076	8,469	1,004	1,290,052	1,488,183	3,989		27,079	39,723
Exports..	149,488	285,592	1,017,036	1,360,603			3,177,106	2,073,971			134,700	63,850
Northern border and lake ports. Imports..	1,032,750	2,082,278	236,950	127,098	109,807	91,533	564,616	563,242	35,437	36,718	61,459	33,376
Exports..	3,993,028	4,000,822	39,033	41,731								
Interior ports. Imports..	14,317	16,655	40,231	29,712	24,423	14,665	281,387	225,027	3,279	5,571	20,328	14,662

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	INTERIOR PORTS—Continued.
3,727	2,616							23,549	14,522	25,636	14,578	Imports...Indianapolis, Ind.
82	2,933							8,868	10,989	9,237	10,993	Imports...Kansas City, Mo.
	117							1,440	668	1,440	684	Imports...Lincoln, Nebr.
2,848	5,396			4,180	3,000			24,085	15,733	24,334	15,936	Imports...Louisville, Ky.
3,440	3,329							12,874	7,773	13,009	8,092	Imports...Memphis, Tenn.
42	107							1,405	802	1,405	978	Imports...Nashville, Tenn.
12	303							5,336	13,554	12,918	20,219	Imports...Omaha, Nebr.
5,828	4,501						198	36,568	37,258	46,316	51,506	Imports...Pittsburg, Pa.
3,901	1,268							9,459	9,717	9,601	9,717	Imports...St. Joseph, Mo.
28,286	60,123	149					12,840	170,304	198,779	192,586	200,662	Imports...St. Louis, Mo.
								49		49	1,489	Imports...Sioux City, Iowa.
7,236	4,493							11,970	4,949	12,261	4,949	Imports...Springfield, Mass.
1,639	2,120							8,561	5,854	14,942	5,854	Imports...Syracuse, N. Y.
5,273,443	7,307,374	169,688	250,085	635,371	1,438,110	1,240,265	2,715,510	42,169,700	49,181,271	53,113,736	60,251,367	Imports...}
5,752,930	8,514,225	286,057	404,424	2,661,491	2,735,754	5,016,411	4,275,694	83,902,443	81,903,707	93,317,202	92,345,069	Exports...} Total.

RECAPITULATION.

4,905,397	6,605,966	105,751	249,871	438,756	1,150,489	1,055,671	970,139	38,021,123	43,336,812	44,856,831	49,473,144	Imports...Atlantic ports.
5,238,386	7,881,584	140,809	113,753	1,980,849	2,201,179	1,569,764	1,508,753	59,775,483	60,987,359	62,957,672	64,486,881	Exports...
37,966	68,838	27	118	169,324	242,084	646	4,729	1,113,023	911,910	1,418,183	1,339,095	Imports...Gulf ports.
432,544	566,002	145,248	290,671	679,874	528,176	2,969,846	1,849,955	20,255,585	17,788,503	21,289,570	19,041,595	Exports...
84,190	179,282	62,801		18,073	37,928	167,953	1,699,496	1,662,606	3,445,596	4,141,526	5,696,432	Imports...Pacific ports.
82,000	66,639			768	6,399	476,801	916,986	3,871,375	3,127,845	5,037,899	4,774,040	Exports...
164,480	337,685	874	96	5,038	4,609	15,700	26,079	957,411	1,093,538	2,227,111	3,302,914	Imports...Northern border
										4,032,061	4,042,553	Exports...and lake ports.
81,410	115,423	235		4,180	3,000	295	15,067	415,537	393,415	470,085	439,782	Imports...Interior ports.

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.								
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
EUROPE.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Austria-Hungary	{ Imports..				9,140	11,029	100,749	97,884	21,323	28,490	443	1,122	
	{ Exports..						97,439	366,873					
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	{ Imports..		53				727	1,001					
	{ Exports..							4,525					
Belgium.....	{ Imports..		5,837	1,418	306,097	506,908	445,308	464,694			1,003	1,866	
	{ Exports..				648,217	459,643	2,035,486	2,218,519	104,296	165,762		920	
Denmark.....	{ Imports..						13,992	24,607					
	{ Exports..					8,000	635,893	892,176	34,484				
France.....	{ Imports..	2	7	1,512,123	1,443,732	155,379	106,577	926,193	1,113,961	690	13,957	1,927,144	3,002,048
	{ Exports..			3,827	13,038		729	3,508,356	3,089,633	120,475		1,532,145	990,404
Germany.....	{ Imports..	762	1,155	33,214	24,392	494,093	489,666	1,107,077	992,119	483,919	715,849	54,904	35,129
	{ Exports..			11,000		982	6,393	7,021,644	5,243,885	10,049	32,193		
Gibraltar.....	{ Imports..							305	806				
	{ Exports..							37,176	7,289				
Greece.....	{ Imports..							163,927	12,680	1,096	3,043	289	2,442
	{ Exports..								615				
Italy.....	{ Imports..		2	5,239	6,675	28,971	100,090	784,208	549,719	200		38,955	156,898
	{ Exports..							1,274,160	825,420			38,194	
Malta, etc.....	{ Imports..							562					
	{ Exports..							5,888	6,567				
Netherlands.....	{ Imports..			13	4,223	82	363	108,203	91,665	462,288	672,370	24,021	169,878
	{ Exports..							2,438,953	3,620,412	1,231,410	1,523,871		
Portugal.....	{ Imports..			14,014	915			39,689	11,743				
	{ Exports..								78,957				
Roumania.....	{ Exports..					130			4,081				
Russia.....	{ Imports..		4			29,443		192,617	234,839	281		184	125
	{ Exports..							121,350	457,255				
Servia.....	{ Imports..												
	{ Exports..								217				
Spain.....	{ Imports..			3,035	3,772	11,370	2,998	202,084	237,774		349	26,064	13,525
	{ Exports..							497,756	544,157			5,276	8,360
Sweden and Norway.....	{ Imports..		3			6,746		131,658	115,547	40,733	23,128		
	{ Exports..							301,461	503,138		2,300		
Switzerland.....	{ Imports..			118,527	53,757	138,302	119,402	155,319	142,639	221	4,257	503,392	1,044,536
	{ Exports..					2,410	4,957	13,797	12,241	3,204	1,729	536	473
Turkey in Europe.....	{ Imports..	1						168,761	143,276	7,210		3,088	10,706
	{ Exports..						235	14,769	17,485				
United Kingdom.....	{ Imports..	3,461	638	838,232	923,190	358,966	273,542	9,883,148	9,976,793	118	932	7,115	25,634
	{ Exports..	66,480	376,505	708,995	980,738	517,064	850,575	39,947,230	35,786,154		9,444	69,700	64,770
NORTH AMERICA.													
Bermuda.....	{ Imports..							16,346	21,611				
	{ Exports..			16,645				81,793	82,945				
British Honduras.....	{ Imports..			6,423	4,206			7,843	10,384				
	{ Exports..			10,248	12,675			16,575	9,561				
British North Amer- ica.....	{ Imports..	1,097,775	1,533,112	152,948	109,383			93,640	159,661				
	{ Exports..	4,044,468	4,164,359	257,116	233,470			147,162	160,413				
Central American States.....	{ Imports..			386,605	420,294			418,075	268,070				
	{ Exports..			218,351	254,471			104,023	77,603				
Mexico.....	{ Imports..	310,476	290,360	617,205	458,609			384,900	338,077				
	{ Exports..	776,469	1,064,730	553,135	270,673			53,513	130,403				
Miquelon, etc.....	{ Imports..							445					
	{ Exports..		9									1,457	

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	EUROPE.
284,086	235,973				8,495	31,473	29,667	450,214	472,660	450,214	472,660	Imports..
25,292	32,037			2,237		142,879	59,606	267,867	458,516	267,867	458,516	Exports..}..Austria-Hungary.
						263		990	1,001	1,043	1,001	Imports..
	30					5,966	2,414	5,966	6,969	5,966	6,969	Exports..}..Azores, and Ma- deira Islands.
6,963	30,843	62,211			904		1,221	821,582	1,006,426	827,419	1,007,854	Imports..
178,760	362,929			32,113	8,800	17,444	10,542	3,016,325	3,227,115	3,016,325	3,227,115	Exports..}..Belgium.
						13,665	14,482	27,657	39,089	27,657	39,089	Imports..
34,389	1,523			65,872		398,739	655,029	1,169,377	1,586,738	1,169,377	1,586,738	Exports..}..Denmark.
129,812	99,717		29	43,628	174			3,182,846	4,336,463	4,694,971	5,730,202	Imports..
		100,298	18,070	450,246	19,660	473,244	116,100	6,173,764	4,234,596	6,177,591	4,247,634	Exports..}..France.
3,561,467	4,188,575	590		9,764	146,855	13,496	449,429	5,725,310	7,008,622	5,759,286	7,034,169	Imports..
4,590,846	6,116,965			601,492	315,835	134,110	354,604	12,359,123	12,069,875	12,370,123	12,069,875	Exports..}..Germany.
	189							305	995	305	995	Imports..
1,214	1,603					3,526		41,916	8,892	41,916	8,892	Exports..}..Gibraltar.
					7,851			165,912	26,016	165,912	26,016	Imports..
									615		615	Exports..}..Greece.
674,629	752,310	39,010	82,642			168,324		1,725,506	1,641,659	1,730,545	1,648,336	Imports..
233,557	290,544	75,044	285,923			569,553	65,365	2,190,508	1,467,252	2,190,508	1,467,252	Exports..}..Italy.
								562		562		Imports..
								5,888	6,567	5,888	6,567	Exports..}..Malta, etc.
194		4		3,185	17,089			597,977	951,365	597,990	955,588	Imports..
106,133	423,640			285,768	941,877	94,596	10,120	4,156,860	6,529,920	4,156,860	6,529,920	Exports..}..Netherlands.
19,593	842					230,816	112,856	200,098	125,441	304,112	126,356	Imports..
		10,859	7,184		81,000	216,002	83,236	226,861	255,377	226,861	255,377	Exports..}..Portugal.
450	320					26,500		26,950	4,531	26,950	4,531	Exports..}..Roumania.
26,267	87,605				1,943	1,107	13,560	249,899	338,072	249,899	338,076	Imports..
28,202	41,592	10,374	33,356	104,615	58,269	19,249	29,662	283,761	620,134	283,791	620,134	Exports..}..Russia.
						12,095		12,095		12,095		Imports..
									217		217	Exports..}..Servia.
4,855	1,328	154				13,484	37,066	258,011	293,040	261,016	296,812	Imports..
		13,300	21,601	23,969		487,797	619,724	1,028,098	1,193,842	1,028,098	1,193,842	Exports..}..Spain.
14,087	11,366			438	316	21,784	19,185	215,446	169,562	215,446	169,565	Imports..
91	30,352				100,827	122,562	305,923	424,114	942,540	424,114	942,540	Exports..}..Sweden and Nor- way.
52,272	42,195							854,566	1,354,029	973,033	1,407,786	Imports..
75	25							20,022	19,425	20,022	19,425	Exports..}..Switzerland.
924	10,963					32,187		212,170	164,945	212,171	164,945	Imports..
70								14,839	17,720	14,839	17,720	Exports..}..Turkey in Europe.
58,573	106,309		13,372	1,569	2,378	506	149	10,399,995	10,399,701	11,151,688	11,323,529	Imports..
277,303	190,641	44,752	25,090	488,007	681,424	1,661,341	724,565	43,005,397	38,332,663	43,780,872	39,689,956	Exports..}..United Kingdom.
NORTH AMERICA.												
								16,346	21,641	16,346	21,641	Imports..
								81,793	82,945	98,438	82,945	Exports..}..Bermuda.
				2,228	1,500			10,071	11,834	16,494	16,090	Imports..
				9,425	8,071			26,000	17,632	36,248	39,367	Exports..}..British Honduras.
				17,885	37,024	46,497	48,984	158,622	245,669	1,408,745	1,848,161	Imports..
				768	474	894		148,764	166,887	4,450,348	4,558,716	Exports..}..British North America.
				46,768	85,073			464,343	353,143	851,448	773,467	Imports..
				58,729	69,355			162,752	137,558	381,163	392,429	Exports..}..Central American States.
13,380	262,398			210,711	119,163	113,640	732	722,611	720,319	1,656,312	1,459,279	Imports..
606	117,966			80,796	119,187	74,684	40,886	298,993	408,382	1,538,597	1,743,785	Exports..}..Mexico.
								445		445		Imports..
								1,457		1,457	9	Exports..}..Miquelon, etc.

NORTH AMERICA.

Imports..	..Bermuda.
Exports..	..British Honduras.
Imports..	..British North America.
Exports..	..Central American States.
Imports..	..Mexico.
Exports..	..Miquelon, etc.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.
Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.
BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTH AMERICA—continued.												
West Indies:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British	Imports..		56,030	200,379			467,510	430,148	32,533	128,692		
	Exports..		226,923	183,629			448,146	399,197	629	800		
Danish	Imports..						337	412				
	Exports..		9,666	10,414			23,334	22,072				
Dutch	Imports..		8,327	2,713					1,429	4,814		
	Exports..		29,794	2,609			800	18,340	1,155	962		
French	Imports..		193					75				
	Exports..		66,156	10,653			110,766	68,262				
Haiti	Imports..		25,514	8,600			13,016	36,663	15,012	31,219		
	Exports..		68,637	2,535			35,407	125,429	74,692	52,109		
Santo Domingo	Imports..		308,470	51,589			73,215	13,491				
	Exports..		35,420	39,012			6,112					
Cuba	Imports..		1,199,148	1,213,435			685,732	478,948				
	Exports..		849,227	841,361			56,189	333,900				
Porto Rico	Imports..		50,145	123,732			38,800	886				
	Exports..		8,193	265,628			88,078					
SOUTH AMERICA.												
Argentina	Imports..		114,557	119,453			144,299	479,103				
	Exports..		61,322	43,693			410,108	336,209				
Bolivia	Exports..			1,585			2,317	412				
Brazil	Imports..		161,517	125,296		203,693	5,206,425	5,509,402	32,115		124,586	208,590
	Exports..		117,661	96,388	86,629	81,903	507,405	466,665				
Chile	Imports..		87,896	77,350			152,355	34,664	66,969			
	Exports..		8,551	10,469			134,655	114,630				
Colombia	Imports..		49,484	31,019			231,321	281,921	614	3,151		
	Exports..		110,108	45,316			80,478	88,597				
Ecuador	Imports..		58,717	48,026				804				
	Exports..		35,585	33,264			23,411	23,256				
Falkland Islands	Exports..						570					
Guianas	Imports..		199,148	55,635			396,408	27,247	117,447	60,493		
	Exports..		23,536	20,595			76,919	53,280	10,975	9,797		
Paraguay	Exports..							187				
Peru	Imports..		33,563	66,656			106,863	1,200				
	Exports..		26,716	21,779			57,753	45,976				
Uruguay	Imports..		17,597	1,205			134,864	55,402				
	Exports..		6,200				113,992	63,802				
Venezuela	Imports..		481,856	534,839			1,400	40,799	19,845	16,606		
	Exports..		175,000	250,588			6,897	22,902	13,512	625		
ASIA.												
Aden	Imports..						180,871	49,407				
	Exports..						120,622	67,788				
China	Imports..	144,566	317,602	561,243	372,881		1,263,041	1,077,548				
	Exports..	19,630	61,934	17,292	69,583		604,214	915,215				
East Indies:												
British	Imports..		252,419	26,416	23,134	91,678	1,920,181	1,462,008			477	
	Exports..		3,020	1,209			376,854	228,901	144			
Dutch	Imports..	1,577	6,224				457,848	1,116,095	12,584	122,040		
	Exports..		80	81			33,494	15,618	5,107	1,915		
French	Exports..							628				
Hongkong	Imports..	632	2,803	14,782	133,148		27,556	83,080				
	Exports..	14,560	21,961	50,196	85,758		390,880	281,294				
Japan	Imports..	116,303	503,457	974,259	888,659		510,128	1,284,828				
	Exports..	21,477	6,275	134,656	131,158		1,896,580	597,419				
Korea	Exports..							922				
Russia, Asiatic	Exports..						17,326	44,646				

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.
BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	NORTH AMERICA—continued.
789				28,791	46,042	5,609	6	535,532	604,888	591,562	805,267	West Indies:
6,703				35,823	30,420	590		491,891	430,417	718,814	614,046	Imports..}.....British.
								337	412	337	412	Imports..}.....Danish.
					8,100			23,334	30,172	33,000	40,586	Exports..}.....Dutch.
								1,429	4,814	9,756	7,527	Imports..}.....French.
					10,556			1,955	29,858	31,749	32,467	Exports..}.....Haiti.
				13	140			13	215	206	215	Imports..}.....Santo Domingo.
					30,605			110,766	98,867	176,922	109,520	Exports..}.....Cuba.
26,227	9,465							54,255	77,347	79,769	85,947	Imports..}.....Porto Rico.
41,946	9,371			15,688				167,733	186,909	236,370	189,444	Exports..}.....SOUTH AMERICA.
			28,652	5,000	122,406			78,215	165,549	386,685	217,138	Imports..}.....Argentina.
				504	233			6,616	233	42,036	39,245	Exports..}.....Bolivia.
	225,980			87,521	236,000	87,328	153,487	860,581	1,094,505	2,059,729	2,307,940	Imports..}.....Brazil.
2,050	200,495			60,189	71,337	171,211	166,152	239,639	771,884	1,138,866	1,613,245	Exports..}.....Chile.
						221		39,021	886	89,166	124,618	Imports..}.....Colombia.
				398				88,476		96,660	265,628	Exports..}.....Ecuador.
								144,299	470,103	258,856	598,556	Imports..}.....Falkland Islands.
	72,670	11,339		28,314	25,878		4,328	449,761	439,085	511,083	482,778	Exports..}.....Guianas.
								2,317	412	2,317	1,997	Exports..}.....Paraguay.
281,176	657,149	8,233		149,130				5,801,665	6,578,834	5,963,182	6,704,130	Imports..}.....Peru.
71,549	48,188	8,500		33,036	9,000	9,413		716,532	605,756	834,193	702,144	Exports..}.....Uruguay.
						83,025		302,349	34,664	390,245	112,014	Imports..}.....Venezuela.
	4,393							134,655	119,023	143,206	129,492	Exports..}.....ASIA.
1,811	8,802			28,325	38,834	11,383	2,000	273,454	334,708	322,938	365,727	Imports..}.....Aden.
1,003				12,770	10,606	7,677		101,928	99,203	212,036	144,519	Exports..}.....China.
									804	58,717	48,830	Imports..}.....East Indies:
11,715						5,682		40,808	23,256	76,393	56,520	Exports..}.....British.
								570		570		Imports..}.....Dutch.
				215	350,205	225		514,295	437,885	713,443	493,520	Exports..}.....French.
				79,806	116,931			167,700	180,008	191,236	200,603	Imports..}.....Hongkong.
									187		187	Exports..}.....Japan.
32,182								139,045	1,200	172,548	67,856	Imports..}.....Korea.
								57,753	45,976	84,469	67,755	Exports..}.....Russia, Asiatic.
		4,855		4				139,723	55,402	157,320	56,607	Imports..}.....ASIA.
		6,120						120,112	63,802	126,312	63,802	Exports..}.....Aden.
					78,993			21,245	136,398	503,101	671,237	Imports..}.....China.
	16,012				11,405	2,091		22,500	50,944	197,500	301,532	Exports..}.....East Indies:
								180,871	49,407	180,871	49,407	Imports..}.....British.
								120,622	67,788	120,622	67,788	Exports..}.....Dutch.
34,535	5,112					224,623	146,106	1,522,199	1,228,766	2,228,008	1,919,249	Imports..}.....French.
	463,567					4,990	8,930	639,204	1,387,712	646,126	1,519,229	Exports..}.....Hongkong.
17,661	323,936	63,619	114,088				72,101	2,025,072	2,063,811	2,277,491	2,090,227	Imports..}.....Japan.
943	18,707				654		1,747	377,941	250,009	383,961	251,218	Exports..}.....Korea.
22,651	10,351		5,448					493,083	1,253,934	499,307	1,255,511	Imports..}.....Russia, Asiatic.
	42					208		38,809	17,575	38,889	17,656	Exports..}.....ASIA.
									628		628	Imports..}.....Aden.
560	43,118				10,961		36,687	28,116	173,846	42,530	303,797	Exports..}.....China.
	6,456					18,376	164,370	409,256	452,120	474,012	559,839	Imports..}.....East Indies:
999	417					4,651	1,325,439	515,778	2,610,684	1,606,340	4,002,800	Exports..}.....British.
	35,474					231,115	636,819	2,127,635	1,269,712	2,283,828	1,407,145	Imports..}.....Dutch.
									922		922	Exports..}.....French.
3,692	209					1,739		22,757	44,846	22,757	44,846	Imports..}.....Hongkong.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.								
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
ASIA—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Turkey in Asia.....	Imports..			5,368	2,929		75,301	193,341		477	6,977	1,073	
	Exports..					190	14,177	4,764			1,065	450	
All other Asia.....	Imports..						152	12,724					
	Exports..	834					127,512	9,779					
OCEANICA.													
Auckland, Fiji, etc..	Imports..							6,580					
British Australasia..	Imports..		69,417	32,318			508,542	152,011					
	Exports..	25,847	23,860	260,787	60,398	571	550,240	1,847,329					
French Oceanica.....	Imports..		13,989	24,338									
	Exports..		20,689	18,147				325					
German Oceanica.....	Exports..												
Hawaiian Islands.....	Imports..	638	693,594	816,340			158,107	20,716					
	Exports..	3,501	3,589	198,821	610,728		250	109,458					
Tonga, Samoa, etc....	Imports..		5,575					33					
	Exports..		4,721					3,864					
Philippine Islands....	Imports..		113,328	711			73,030	274,094					
	Exports..			3,085			1,747	8,202					
AFRICA.													
British Africa.....	Imports..		15,808	3,494			74,251	198,319					
	Exports..		14,154	76,185			693,004	1,058,946			66,072		
Canary Islands.....	Imports..						3,110						
	Exports..		33,217				2,768	6,175					
French Africa.....	Imports..			75	4,032		42,096	6,457			12,966	10,599	
	Exports..		5,720				22,600	7,505			2,930	49,425	
German Africa.....	Exports..						813						
Liberia.....	Imports..						918	483					
Madagascar.....	Imports..						2,015				1,299		
	Exports..										51,383		
Portuguese Africa....	Imports..												
	Exports..			16,335			133,578	71,007					
Turkey in Africa.....	Imports..						904,663	656,255					
	Exports..						8,099	11,588				149	
All other Africa.....	Imports..		3,850	497			26,684	55,543					
	Exports..		60,962				18,267	29,384					
Total.....	Imports..	1,673,978	2,651,358	9,270,058	8,418,738	1,568,684	1,905,946	29,227,115	29,050,267	1,317,227	1,829,808	2,737,907	4,684,171
	Exports..	4,972,432	5,724,062	4,442,327	4,717,300	1,255,873	1,412,755	65,550,786	61,644,397	1,610,132	1,801,507	1,768,763	1,114,951

RECAPITULATION.

Europe.....	Imports..	4,226	1,809	2,530,287	2,462,074	1,538,589	1,610,575	14,424,527	14,211,747	1,018,679	1,462,376	2,591,602	4,463,909
	Exports..	66,480	376,505	723,822	993,826	1,168,673	1,330,662	57,951,358	53,679,599	1,503,918	1,735,289	1,645,851	1,664,927
North America.....	Imports..	1,408,251	1,823,472	2,811,008	2,592,940			2,200,159	1,758,456	48,974	164,725		
	Exports..	4,820,937	5,229,058	2,349,511	2,127,130			1,171,898	1,428,125	76,476	53,871	1,457	
South America.....	Imports..			1,204,275	1,059,479		203,693	6,373,935	6,430,542	236,900	80,190	124,586	208,590
	Exports..			564,079	523,677	86,629	81,903	1,414,505	1,215,916	24,487	10,422		
Asia.....	Imports..	261,501	825,439	1,808,927	1,426,472	26,063	91,678	4,435,078	5,279,031	12,584	122,517	7,454	1,073
	Exports..	55,667	91,004	205,244	287,789		190	3,581,659	2,166,974	5,251	1,915	1,065	450
Oceanica.....	Imports..		638	895,903	873,707			739,679	453,434				
	Exports..	29,348	27,455	485,018	692,358	571		552,237	1,969,178				
Africa.....	Imports..			19,658	4,066	4,032		1,653,737	917,057			14,265	10,599
	Exports..			114,053	92,520			879,129	1,184,605			120,390	49,574

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ASIA—continued.
1,267	2,837		750					86,474	198,478	86,474	203,846	Imports..} Turkey in Asia.
525		5,471			592			21,238	5,966	21,238	5,966	Exports..}
								152	12,724	152	12,724	Imports..} All other Asia.
				1,415				128,927	9,779	128,927	10,613	Exports..}
									6,580		6,580	OCEANICA.
												Imports... Auckland, Fiji, etc.
5,386	1,196			193				514,121	153,207	583,538	183,523	Imports..} British Australasia.
132,974	2,817		13,209	112,070	8,467	5,627	55,611	801,482	1,927,454	1,088,116	2,011,718	Exports..}
												Imports..} French Oceanica.
									325	13,989	24,338	Exports..}
										20,689	18,472	Imports... German Oceanica.
1,557	3,541							1,557	3,541	1,557	3,541	Exports... Hawaiian Islands.
	123,667					120,853	261,362	278,960	405,745	972,554	1,222,723	Imports..} Tonga, Samoa, etc.
						129,158	96,878	129,408	206,336	331,730	820,653	Exports..}
									33	5,575	33	Imports... Philippine Isl'ds.
									3,864	4,721	3,864	Exports..}
	2,198							73,030	276,292	186,358	277,003	Imports...}
160							8,242	1,907	16,444	1,907	19,529	Exports...}
												AFRICA.
						124,734		74,251	323,053	90,059	326,547	Imports... British Africa.
						5,191		759,076	1,064,137	773,230	1,140,322	Exports...}
				3				3,113		3,113		Imports... Canary Islands.
378								3,146	6,175	36,363	6,175	Exports...}
	17	3	5,104					59,097	22,177	59,097	23,252	Imports... French Africa.
							4,750	25,530	61,680	31,250	61,680	Exports... German Africa.
								813		813		Imports... Liberia.
	284							918	767	918	767	Imports... Madagascar.
								3,314		3,314		Imports... Portuguese Africa.
								51,388		51,388		Exports...}
						10		10		10		Imports... Turkey in Africa.
240	2,585					108	15,051	133,926	88,643	133,926	104,978	Exports...}
999	612							905,662	656,867	905,662	656,867	Imports...}
503	9,600			68,421				77,023	21,337	77,023	21,337	Exports...}
28								26,782	55,543	30,632	56,040	Imports... All other Africa.
								18,267	29,384	79,229	29,384	Exports...}
5,273,443	7,307,374	169,688	250,085	635,271	1,498,110	1,240,265	2,715,510	42,169,709	49,181,271	53,113,736	60,251,367	Imports... Total.
5,752,939	8,514,225	286,057	404,424	2,661,491	2,735,754	5,016,411	4,275,694	83,902,443	81,903,707	93,317,202	92,345,069	Exports...}

RECAPITULATION.

4,833,722	5,629,835	92,978	96,043	58,584	186,005	542,200	668,606	25,100,881	28,323,096	27,635,394	30,792,979	Imports... Europe.
5,476,392	7,502,201	254,627	391,224	2,063,339	2,207,692	4,353,598	3,071,900	74,417,666	70,983,504	75,207,968	72,353,835	Exports... ..
40,306	497,843		28,652	398,917	648,378	253,295	203,209	2,941,741	3,301,263	7,161,000	7,717,675	Imports... North America.
51,299	327,772			262,320	339,338	240,719	207,038	1,810,169	2,356,144	8,980,617	9,712,372	Exports... ..
315,169	665,951	13,088		177,674	468,032	94,633	2,000	7,336,075	8,058,998	8,540,350	9,118,477	Imports... South America.
84,267	141,263	25,959		153,926	173,820	24,863	4,328	1,814,636	1,627,652	2,379,315	2,151,329	Exports... ..
77,673	385,771	63,619	120,286		10,961	229,274	1,580,333	4,851,745	7,591,650	6,922,173	9,843,591	Imports... Asia.
5,160	524,416	5,471		1,415	1,246	256,428	811,866	3,856,449	3,507,087	4,117,360	3,885,880	Exports... ..
5,386	127,061			193		120,853	261,362	866,111	841,857	1,762,014	1,716,202	Imports... Oceanica.
114,691	6,358		13,209	112,070	8,467	134,785	160,761	934,354	2,157,964	1,448,720	2,877,777	Exports... ..
1,097	913	3	5,104	3	124,734	10		1,073,147	1,058,407	1,092,805	1,062,473	Imports... Africa.
1,121	12,185			68,421	5,191	108	19,801	1,069,169	1,271,356	1,183,222	1,363,876	Exports... ..

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES, FOR FEBRUARY, 1899.

DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane and other.					
DISTRICTS.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.							1,215,417	27,483	1,215,417	27,483
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.			3,086,220	67,409	18,668,349	403,425			21,754,569	470,834
New York, N.Y.	5,795,174	230,163	21,518,301	436,862	158,125,372	3,134,588	8,239,383	215,708	193,678,230	4,017,321
Philadelphia, Pa.			48,107,459	1,041,735	9,649,257	188,271			57,756,716	1,230,006
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.					1,580	35			1,580	35
Corpus Christi, Tex.					1,695	44			1,695	44
Galveston, Tex.							150,162	4,183	150,162	4,183
New Orleans, La.							55,550	1,662	55,550	1,662
Paso del Norte, Tex.					22,784	546			22,784	546
Saturia, Tex.					149,741	2,964			149,741	2,964
Arizona.					3,827	118			3,827	118
Puget Sound, Wash.					1,830	34	100,000	2,900	101,830	2,934
San Francisco, Cal.	25,734,277	959,885			843,046	18,363	1,473,976	40,652	28,051,299	1,018,903
Willamette, Oreg.					1,740	33	251,055	7,217	252,795	7,250
Chicago, Ill.					510	8	2,173	68	2,683	76
Detroit, Mich.							1,018	61	1,018	61
Milwaukee, Wis.					67	1			67	1
North and South Dakota							57	4	57	4
Vermont, Vt.							100	8	100	8
Total	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,430
COUNTRIES.										
Austria-Hungary			704,061	14,604			236,063	7,167	942,124	21,771
Germany			72,007,919	1,531,402			294,228	6,634	72,242,147	1,538,036
Russia, Baltic and White Seas							1,215,417	27,483	1,215,417	27,483
United Kingdom					1,860,241	46,148	2,173	68	1,862,414	46,216
Dominion of Canada:										
Quebec, Ontario, etc.							1,175	73	1,175	73
Guatemala.					508,625	11,307			508,625	11,307
Nicaragua					195,750	4,278			195,750	4,278
Salvador.					69,023	1,499	225,100	4,573	294,123	6,072
Mexico					186,927	3,840			186,927	3,840
West Indies:										
British					4,608,421	101,028			4,608,421	101,028
Cuba.					60,290,019	1,203,299			60,290,019	1,203,299
Porto Rico.					3,661,219	84,490			3,661,219	84,490
Santo Domingo					8,337,134	191,438			8,337,134	191,438
Brazil.					6,271,102	121,464			6,271,102	121,464
Guianas:										
British					10,326,161	250,033			10,326,161	250,033
Dutch					7,606,580	184,924			7,606,580	184,924
Peru.					2,087,963	40,462			2,087,963	40,462
China.					62,415	1,147	1,248,876	36,079	1,311,291	37,226
East Indies—Dutch					58,087,625	1,199,890			58,087,625	1,199,890
Hongkong					6,835	125	351,055	10,117	357,890	10,242
Hawaiian Islands	31,529,451	1,190,048							31,529,451	1,190,048
British Africa					23,303,758	303,058			23,303,758	303,058
Turkey in Africa—Egypt							7,972,804	207,752	7,972,804	207,752
Total	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,430

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane.					
1895.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
January	15,099,372	434,990	92,367,162	1,662,634	79,208,409	1,379,367	2,526,886	65,068	189,201,829	3,542,059
February	39,730,222	1,099,618	31,349,975	508,429	161,291,283	2,927,178	3,117,125	74,477	235,488,605	4,609,702
March	36,605,359	976,428	6,899,701	122,719	347,940,355	6,236,740	4,574,839	102,841	396,020,254	7,438,728
April	33,686,680	858,390	3,999,603	57,526	335,594,151	5,946,794	4,656,846	113,510	377,937,280	6,076,220
May	45,374,104	1,153,050	1,651,638	25,076	485,620,203	9,162,322	6,018,965	143,782	538,664,910	10,184,230
June	31,085,554	796,696	15,384,879	250,595	334,408,000	6,515,080	7,930,215	198,380	388,803,648	7,760,751
July	28,977,905	781,195	41,001,194	775,758	282,068,349	5,332,334	12,665,220	322,673	364,712,668	7,211,960
August	15,725,350	416,699	3,015,472	52,365	221,438,138	3,977,136	16,599,428	440,903	256,778,388	4,887,103
September	6,421,165	179,750	531,974	9,735	188,552,342	3,577,552	9,014,503	233,249	204,519,984	4,000,286
October	27,908,040	717,813	1,260,740	22,744	247,230,260	4,726,432	9,164,095	243,996	285,563,135	5,711,030
November	6,627,464	188,479	56,128	1,230	145,650,731	3,011,063	7,323,819	205,572	159,658,142	3,406,344
December	2,978,139	85,117	6,083,963	122,835	165,621,681	3,320,457	7,782,128	211,651	182,470,911	3,739,460
1896.										
January	16,135,501	449,307	35,377,666	751,785	203,371,778	4,445,265	9,110,184	250,821	263,995,129	5,897,178
February	38,515,917	1,221,550	104,872,111	2,352,915	179,391,305	3,881,040	15,233,327	429,936	337,992,660	7,885,441
March	49,532,132	1,658,124	116,958,698	2,820,212	258,254,407	6,011,454	10,756,645	318,805	435,501,882	10,807,738
April	49,676,539	1,773,366	60,471,717	1,436,517	259,361,810	6,210,436	18,871,764	571,557	388,381,830	9,091,876
May	49,044,692	1,743,775	134,676,241	3,332,471	323,892,483	7,629,611	36,493,036	1,111,620	544,106,452	13,817,477
June	60,632,425	2,121,621	100,376,081	2,370,347	277,182,334	6,357,875	34,446,536	1,013,225	472,637,376	11,863,668
July	47,490,421	1,660,666	86,129,647	1,770,513	171,359,487	3,488,579	15,195,736	444,321	320,175,291	7,364,079
August	35,319,387	1,172,769	111,699,299	2,211,428	135,067,599	2,671,593	10,421,169	285,751	292,507,454	6,341,541
September	45,036,651	1,468,448	143,135,512	2,746,813	186,909,188	3,840,207	12,666,545	330,173	387,747,896	8,385,641
October	18,504,923	574,390	61,389,479	1,089,619	216,200,222	4,551,527	12,599,775	309,368	308,694,399	6,524,904
November	17,631,371	531,250	41,795,607	781,991	103,680,551	2,072,371	9,204,489	219,568	172,312,018	3,625,180
December	11,360,104	332,275	65,506,946	1,238,430	94,909,606	1,831,992	12,345,858	306,735	184,122,514	3,709,432
1897.										
January	13,953,295	415,031	75,089,083	1,386,565	110,848,403	1,990,720	8,589,972	205,621	208,480,753	3,997,937
February	36,124,491	1,060,405	130,054,470	2,394,358	114,017,832	2,021,901	6,408,657	156,849	286,605,450	5,633,513
March	53,532,407	1,545,084	167,053,100	2,918,836	248,127,014	4,556,941	16,213,469	393,049	485,525,990	9,413,910
April	40,932,737	1,191,799	325,858,788	5,699,356	373,322,520	7,444,939	33,413,432	789,315	773,527,477	15,125,409
May	43,730,125	1,248,942	400,368,077	6,961,874	316,054,212	6,138,524	30,501,581	705,437	790,653,995	15,054,777
June	67,694,447	1,946,492	264,166,562	4,652,045	345,229,380	6,512,534	31,466,107	778,791	708,552,496	13,889,862
July	65,541,110	1,898,191	16,156,314	303,277	75,137,465	1,464,299	22,135,496	513,711	178,970,385	4,179,478
August	77,428,881	2,287,474	101,531	2,469	18,804,080	348,493	14,180,818	318,118	110,515,313	2,956,554
September	35,795,014	1,101,708	335,922	7,946	61,658,118	1,119,510	9,325,983	203,499	110,115,037	2,432,663
October	26,426,128	843,599	380,591	9,388	149,474,394	2,619,088	6,717,832	171,538	182,998,945	3,643,613
November	33,626,044	1,080,325	180	5	118,249,590	2,142,963	5,129,082	132,438	159,004,896	3,355,731
December	5,103,593	166,789	334,819	8,255	98,310,454	1,775,926	2,466,308	62,740	106,215,174	2,013,710
1898.										
January	18,043,839	656,511	220	4	127,090,240	2,508,432	6,269,324	155,526	151,403,623	3,320,473
February	25,054,849	927,103			211,462,662	4,490,307	3,290,573	84,296	239,808,084	5,501,706
March	43,787,235	1,563,175			313,991,691	6,415,958	8,866,473	214,373	366,645,399	8,193,506
April	42,102,485	1,588,276	5,336,175	79,200	354,607,352	7,473,758	4,407,690	106,409	406,453,702	9,247,643
May	62,972,464	2,345,690	17,276,714	270,718	260,373,703	5,220,973	7,063,566	179,518	437,686,447	8,016,899
June	60,885,153	2,201,268	100,719,019	2,036,693	156,263,763	3,080,047	11,098,587	260,705	328,966,522	7,578,713
July	48,207,929	1,809,218	127,558,185	2,597,963	121,578,520	2,560,734	5,824,387	146,779	303,169,021	7,114,694
August	50,574,174	1,856,794	20,309,152	370,579	120,769,323	2,502,875	11,226,046	270,150	202,878,695	5,000,398
September	35,723,373	1,280,369	35,555,484	723,651	169,312,859	3,563,090	6,589,584	169,115	247,181,300	5,736,225
October	22,191,810	794,661	30,337,483	621,143	269,334,493	5,539,807	6,203,147	163,521	328,066,933	7,119,132
November	27,626,057	956,399	2,194,459	45,619	170,688,236	3,508,770	3,010,145	83,472	203,518,887	4,534,290
December	2,967,016	105,480	79,694,439	1,676,420	213,957,823	4,634,355	3,735,911	91,985	300,355,189	6,588,240
1899.										
January	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709
February	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,430

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING FEBRUARY, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
Iceland	England			203,563	203,563
Germany	Germany			102,499	102,499
Italy	Italy			155	155
Russia, Baltic	Russia, Baltic			308,963	308,963
Russia, Black Sea	Russia, Black Sea			596,137	596,137
	Belgium			4,917	
	Russia, Baltic			29,037	
	Russia, Black Sea			381,834	
	England			30,290	
Russia, not otherwise specified					446,078
Servia	Germany			29,034	29,034
England	England		199,260	12,086	211,346
	Scotland			370,205	
Scotland	England			183,591	553,796
Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	30			30
	Argentina	142,379		190,184	
Argentina	Belgium	219,345			551,908
Brazil	Brazil			1,387	1,387
Chile	Chile	88,561		5,711	94,272
Peru	England		40,654		40,654
Venezuela	Venezuela			2,282	2,282
China	China			1,075,100	1,075,100
	British East Indies			55,442	
British East Indies	England			1,026,823	1,082,265
	Russia, Baltic			21,324	
	Russia, Black Sea			66,010	87,334
	Turkey in Asia			163,382	
Turkey in Asia	Turkey in Europe		68,405		383,819
	England		99,779	52,253	
	Russia, Black Sea			109,285	
	Turkey in Europe			68,463	
Asia, all other	England		47,962	179,429	541,890
	Turkey in Asia			136,760	
	Austria	220,697			
British Australasia	England	1,507,995	6,587	228,207	1,973,486
	Germany	88,403			
British Africa	England		4,884		93,287
French Africa	France	1,784			1,784
Total		2,269,194	467,531	5,644,353	8,381,078
	(Boston	1,645,907	464,036	1,335,105	3,445,048
Imported into	New York	321,127	3,395	3,792,763	4,117,285
	New Orleans	302,160	100	516,485	818,745

WOOL, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

BY COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

MONTHS.	Russia.	Turkey.	United Kingdom.	Argentina.	Uruguay.	China.	British East Indies.	British Australasia.	All other countries.	TOTAL.
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1895—January	1,291,349	1,582,817	634,418	831,420	7,392	2,067,127	229,572	2,963,682	1,178,768	10,766,545
February	279,402	1,858,878	486,946	1,864,876	2,819	870,365	639,029	7,773,343	659,683	14,435,341
March	698,013	1,321,825	935,436	2,543,670	3,166,484	5,598,160	99,466	5,037,213	1,401,471	20,821,738
April	710,412	2,028,664	729,649	6,374,584	1,636,144	2,197,809	836,000	12,420,792	2,107,522	29,041,576
May	738,517	696,185	1,072,037	6,254,050	1,264,509	667,292	453,248	5,415,629	1,965,010	18,526,486
June	142,182	726,245	1,052,464	4,906,523	82,827	516,156	1,754,867	6,918,884	3,246,317	13,346,467
July	364,918	2,562,529	1,698,127	2,181,481	719,522	1,443,955	494,589	10,303,769	1,674,155	21,443,045
August	385,242	2,093,858	1,806,290	4,004,278	2,697,327	2,432,945	1,839,463	17,032,579	3,125,520	35,417,502
September	639,975	2,516,781	1,341,858	1,053,941	1,676,863	916,059	360,845	2,535,472	3,223,390	14,265,184
October	1,851,408	2,507,714	2,185,722	1,253,956	189,919	2,414,609	861,985	3,140,508	2,246,635	16,652,456
November	2,167,790	2,490,156	1,356,149	1,752,179		300,644	886,711	1,915,205	2,642,085	13,510,919
December	3,222,793	2,846,323	1,046,835	2,088,648	201,912	5,428,510	1,779,506	4,722,947	2,534,562	23,872,036
1896—January	2,201,636	1,604,048	1,762,177	2,713,789	251,438	4,375,258	261,477	7,421,236	2,752,665	23,343,724
February	1,177,142	714,321	1,369,561	2,705,824	824,616	5,119,457	1,880,064	10,816,767	4,406,793	29,014,545
March	407,019	470,552	321,722	2,443,134	2,377,075	1,267,902	4,368	8,910,947	1,281,360	17,484,079
April	132,645	353,617	572,631	5,617,857	72,145	465,397	785,068	1,569,822	2,610,623	12,179,805
May	197,614	66,844	434,114	4,573,104	15,463	1,729,954	5,400	3,894,769	2,521,580	13,438,842
June	400,327	71,430	333,873	1,893,150	22,070	189,542	738,055	731,069	936,669	5,316,185
July	28,676	250,905	477,397	848,117		1,053,519		806,366	782,677	4,247,657
August	222,518	160,004	359,278	216,253	20,000	1,186,974	1,087,400	617,004	850,347	4,719,778
September	904,024	560,123	593,766	751,345		962,473	39,397	74,107	887,060	4,781,295
October	190,425	1,988,369	128,097	107,796	10,439	1,266,411	932,940	942,852	435,299	6,092,628
November	1,352,459	467,580	785,831	1,856,304	14,958	325,281	433,942	2,517,615	1,630,672	9,384,642
December	2,432,582	1,784,391	3,807,169	1,588,090	13,702	1,757,134	1,124,785	9,389,215	3,502,457	25,399,525
1897—January	2,572,372	1,383,008	1,556,858	2,175,508	1,730,000	3,861,605	49,390	3,842,512	3,091,734	20,202,987
February	1,411,816	2,000,110	1,502,894	3,602,254	400,611	4,392,283	2,434,912	9,866,878	4,335,137	29,946,895
March	3,220,004	2,910,302	5,365,531	9,831,689	3,483,976	1,723,911	637,247	22,331,931	5,172,241	54,676,832
April	5,002,237	4,281,876	6,917,932	17,763,421	4,361,529	1,696,639	2,414,084	41,968,292	11,133,923	95,559,933
May	1,272,264	2,471,190	2,662,826	19,579,999	1,545,072	975,561	6,696	9,346,050	6,084,027	43,943,085
June	1,997,072	2,003,688	3,601,840	6,648,780	3,403,970	2,259,687	1,829,187	8,210,029	4,514,922	33,569,185
July	320,450	480,029	2,413,986	3,748,806		2,933,917	305,840	9,345,020	1,937,661	21,485,709
August	62,386	63,087	599,591	148,493		655,531	139,574	986,373	220,864	2,875,899
September	190,370	89,121	328,822	1,638,168		127,684	25,660		30,048	2,429,873
October	821,113	1,462,302	1,541,063	1,153,694		411,579	1,088,564	342,592	303,234	7,124,231
November	3,581,564	1,471,130	1,579,534	93,604	9,262	1,976,263	209,065	440,149	800,742	10,161,313
December	4,434,765	2,250,227	2,688,570	301,332	96,874	3,980,963	1,569,416	938,272	1,508,208	17,768,627
1898—January	2,128,333	1,355,205	1,603,657	859,194	225,939	1,715,624	29,762	1,159,728	1,939,647	11,017,089
February	1,482,288	281,863	360,299	57	29,705	5,040,311	415,797	6,458,797	1,733,664	15,892,781
March	2,253,496	678,217	345,221	156,257	334,660	1,204,978	68,848	4,232,126	2,544,889	11,818,692
April	400,175	171,766	787,221	3,557,321	610,276	576,658	1,398,850	3,293,410	2,227,441	13,023,118
May	1,004,381	954,230	164,264	2,547,560		729,183	123,932	1,370,675	967,469	7,861,694
June	276,281	67,877	67,922	2,530,486	3,258	1,016,603	961,483	3,310,110	479,966	8,713,986
July	137,113	180,797	293,509	131,628		3,927,862	87,083	137,293	878,557	5,773,842
August	263,397	37,215	1,020,545	435,680		2,244,707	616,672	328,463	530,313	5,476,992
September	547,524	445,317	686,263	1,675		474,747	19,608	29,816	65,618	2,270,568
October	1,385,122	433,960	862,719	1,101,177		506,353	699,369	8,312	700,200	5,697,212
November	3,420,476	1,293,178	483,011			403,792	166,371	4,201	729,821	6,500,850
December	683,682	419,033	790,807	154,574	3,053	440,648	990,001	237,628	838,496	4,617,922
1899—January	844,365	903,609	1,230,369	1,061,780	146,520	1,760,758	175,230	730,448	763,329	7,616,408
February	1,438,512	383,819	765,142	551,908		1,075,100	1,082,265	1,973,486	1,110,846	8,381,078
Years ending June 30—										
1890	15,602,337	15,858,245	17,035,193	13,699,451	228,808	8,742,541	6,642,153	11,950,158	13,159,878	102,918,764
1891	23,772,189	15,426,451	14,668,949	14,099,835	1,042,102	11,080,814	3,889,519	26,576,276	13,890,238	124,448,373
1892	32,578,873	17,960,052	8,267,335	14,217,037	4,944,465	14,742,851	1,853,284	39,764,079	12,125,179	146,453,155
1893	32,067,247	22,041,320	15,893,343	13,930,262		708,940	5,849,878	37,389,843	15,901,916	164,918,540
1894	9,298,030	7,379,686	4,130,118	9,035,568	247,797	10,339,859	2,359,023	8,488,583	4,308,224	55,586,888
1895	13,132,601	21,530,410	8,874,600	31,773,290	11,405,380	26,119,599	8,087,982	53,226,432	16,825,046	191,066,439
1896	13,150,509	17,987,753	14,229,068	32,281,341	9,018,350	26,084,232	9,897,531	72,995,090	30,264,448	225,938,322
1897	19,766,449	20,239,717	27,759,419	64,969,556	15,004,257	21,461,478	10,989,980	109,912,851	42,451,335	332,495,042
1898	16,999,224	9,282,762	12,434,332	16,734,279	1,309,974	20,369,294	6,445,063	31,877,252	14,630,832	130,083,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

WOOL IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND CLASSES.

BY PORTS AND CLASSES.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.			NEW YORK.			PHILADELPHIA.			TOTAL.
	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	
1895 —January	2,634,883	401,800	588,905	732,054	89,479	4,663,380	266,181	289,793	1,180,070	10,786,545
February	7,564,709	542,728	1,769,584	1,226,219	29,212	2,028,319	217,027	125,802	931,741	14,435,341
March	3,730,670	303,914	919,499	5,386,957	124,170	7,375,054	1,397,360	234,140	1,369,974	20,821,738
April	12,630,922	550,041	4,386,786	4,663,039	128,324	3,822,776	921,187	268,884	1,669,617	29,041,576
May	6,614,699	858,804	3,775,202	2,785,373	25,827	2,463,451	445,354	88,703	1,469,073	13,526,486
June	8,186,692	547,295	3,195,594	2,352,414	90,772	3,483,595	13,743	48,301	1,428,061	19,346,467
July	11,110,320	1,271,708	2,459,897	1,737,119	105,916	1,447,799	616,921	236,008	2,457,357	21,443,045
August	17,181,391	2,000,501	4,160,775	5,514,665	77,392	4,371,191	593,007	188,029	1,330,551	37,501,572
September	4,216,822	817,675	1,760,158	2,341,646	107,469	2,347,089	485,821	522,903	1,685,601	14,265,184
October	3,473,217	497,103	2,704,098	2,374,000	39,423	5,535,492	263,729	271,496	1,433,898	16,652,456
November	2,201,670	665,026	3,138,419	1,412,372	184	3,493,655	479,941	364,856	1,754,796	13,510,919
December	5,200,570	330,581	2,356,845	2,472,829	1,910	10,632,962	674,371	23,139	2,178,829	23,872,036
1896 —January	7,408,645	610,796	2,060,498	2,396,039	68,568	8,158,260	1,437,956	50,228	1,152,734	23,343,724
February	10,555,134	489,170	963,215	5,290,182	56,622	8,552,296	1,738,351	70,151	1,299,424	29,014,545
March	10,671,770	1,239,815	884,959	1,401,547	10,768	1,980,111	998,049	6,278	290,782	17,484,079
April	2,004,339	1,039,962	3,219,830	1,870,660	24,467	2,427,429	812,884	85,892	894,342	12,179,805
May	3,866,983	372,500	4,247,408	1,948,639	41,104	2,225,209	125,555	233,974	377,470	13,438,842
June	507,251	205,044	2,309,571	379,995	9,529	1,593,121	74,694	17,654	219,326	5,316,185
July	838,377	149,280	1,042,268	280,140	64,514	1,483,763	.....	6,235	383,071	4,247,657
August	518,895	205,257	371,267	287,578	25,516	2,449,710	.....	39,870	841,685	4,719,778
September	143,709	31,897	1,776,481	556,740	14,794	1,809,190	76,567	.....	371,917	4,781,295
October	1,028,044	135,111	1,263,111	140,562	.....	3,260,379	23,341	.....	152,080	6,002,628
November	3,124,768	397,597	2,317,145	920,944	101,780	1,821,876	245,297	102,344	352,891	9,384,642
December	11,144,566	596,638	4,234,074	1,635,224	288,676	5,547,437	170,512	138,342	1,644,036	25,399,525
1897 —January	4,323,049	462,665	1,412,746	4,020,903	25,620	7,637,930	463,140	22,454	1,894,480	20,262,987
February	11,338,017	1,556,474	2,388,117	4,002,408	188,251	9,099,483	582,258	30,709	761,178	29,946,895
March	23,715,532	3,331,523	2,673,890	12,755,340	667,129	9,178,465	1,403,553	398,550	552,850	54,676,832
April	48,107,356	7,352,542	6,435,949	15,271,603	198,227	9,612,394	4,633,186	548,844	3,399,732	95,559,933
May	21,026,656	4,413,636	6,316,502	4,424,901	211,986	4,594,715	1,413,523	152,701	1,389,065	43,943,685
June	11,912,488	4,524,194	3,190,179	4,151,671	585,011	6,027,219	873,548	371,349	1,933,526	33,569,185
July	11,016,229	1,936,068	281,957	2,412,256	388,252	5,095,792	224,538	49	130,568	21,485,709
August	986,373	171,026	10,156	77,150	3,421	1,535,245	.....	.....	92,528	2,875,899
September	1,638,168	35	61,859	341	.....	599,599	.....	3,752	126,119	2,429,873
October	419,755	10,852	1,964,632	6,595	13,075	3,599,210	.....	.....	1,110,112	7,124,231
November	240,066	.....	1,725,185	114,391	.....	6,481,008	213,853	.....	1,386,810	10,161,313
December	1,097,198	53,441	3,993,654	583,154	4,300	10,370,808	.....	.....	1,666,072	17,768,627
1898 —January	1,087,065	3,113	2,349,339	752,363	13,361	5,042,622	411,329	.....	1,357,897	11,017,085
February	6,284,750	3,505	740,571	370,896	504	6,686,657	369,834	1,700	1,344,364	15,802,781
March	4,187,017	297,139	1,841,946	503,324	5,020	3,810,283	384,027	745	789,191	11,818,692
April	4,693,453	7,856	3,848,550	711,896	6,685	2,681,567	288,877	5,943	778,291	13,023,118
May	1,349,159	28,076	3,158,298	245,942	10,450	2,195,777	374,954	.....	499,128	7,861,694
June	3,206,479	161,002	2,847,080	87,608	13,664	1,973,431	38,601	5,316	380,805	8,713,986
July	137,250	39,648	299,786	97,015	50,635	4,849,433	4,151	4,923	251,001	5,773,842
August	331,244	52,793	924,302	45,926	2,504	3,770,247	47,549	12,394	290,033	5,476,992
September	2,218	111,182	170,563	687	2,485	1,716,281	27,598	20,872	218,682	2,270,568
October	115,845	58,880	1,566,042	11,487	21,885	2,776,029	37,915	5,644	1,103,485	5,697,212
November	2,920	77,830	738,877	54,541	8,235	5,219,451	4,266	1,858	392,872	6,500,850
December	28,368	109,643	1,532,860	113,882	.....	2,409,492	237,860	6,900	178,917	4,617,922
1899 —January	1,081,338	116,827	1,399,857	150,756	13,710	4,358,237	301,797	.....	193,886	7,616,408
February	1,645,907	464,036	1,335,165	321,127	3,395	3,792,763	302,160	100	516,485	8,381,078
Years ending June 30—										
1890	11,154,247	5,196,059	29,277,193	2,716,348	1,178,465	39,413,896	1,621,512	899,049	11,461,395	102,918,764
1891	23,574,857	4,060,718	26,878,778	4,748,593	675,697	46,402,122	2,415,568	987,922	14,702,618	124,446,373
1892	35,389,751	2,139,084	32,691,164	9,205,840	686,577	50,889,755	4,140,263	2,122,551	9,188,170	146,453,155
1893	33,258,891	2,756,142	41,160,922	6,958,992	763,265	58,176,030	1,846,961	1,930,577	18,066,760	164,918,510
1894	7,462,884	969,432	11,463,487	2,292,895	224,905	26,657,324	569,747	266,859	5,539,355	55,586,888
1895	55,992,782	5,017,210	29,840,260	24,823,191	814,650	55,510,709	3,591,566	1,397,276	14,078,795	191,066,439
1896	78,398,112	9,539,881	30,325,673	28,939,693	543,352	52,764,614	8,301,279	2,070,608	15,055,110	225,938,322
1897	137,221,457	23,156,843	33,421,729	48,428,014	2,371,604	62,622,561	9,884,925	1,811,398	13,676,511	332,495,042
1898	36,205,712	2,672,113	22,823,137	5,865,916	458,732	50,071,808	2,306,013	17,505	9,661,885	130,083,012

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, FEBRUARY, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	AMERICAN.				FOREIGN.			
	Entered.		Cleared.		Entered.		Cleared.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Baltimore, Md.	4, 144		3, 350		1, 378	141, 510		133, 517
Barnstable, Mass.			115					
Beaufort, S. C.						3, 193		1, 722
Belfast, Me.			360					
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	2, 698	5, 435	1, 063	4, 006	3, 480	141, 664	431	126, 297
Brunswick, Ga.	5, 784		240		10, 461	6, 284	10, 151	7, 864
Charleston, S. C.	714	4, 218		3, 946		7, 060	131	5, 343
Delaware.					3, 106	10, 042	3, 106	5, 799
Fairfield, Conn.					124		124	
Fall River, Mass.	218							
Fernandina, Fla.	2, 896		201		355	5, 183		9, 439
Gloucester, Mass.	1, 078							
Machias, Me.	69		1, 578					
Newark, N. J.			319				426	
New London, Conn.	320				98			
Newport News, Va.						26, 219		34, 240
New York, N. Y.	10, 909	71, 329	7, 065	61, 702	15, 557	445, 912	18, 228	407, 318
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.			3, 565			18, 195	609	26, 175
Passamaquoddy, Me.	14	6, 381	211	5, 320	625	2, 857	625	2, 953
Perth Amboy, N. J.			640				124	
Philadelphia, Pa.	2, 427	3, 948	2, 423	5, 123	1, 093	102, 303	1, 305	106, 520
Portland and Falmouth, Me.	598		2, 130			34, 233	653	32, 947
St. Johns, Fla.	819		2, 142		1, 115		383	
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	96				239			
Savannah, Ga.	1, 059				13, 152	9, 483	13, 346	21, 161
Wilmington, N. C.	464		542		679		835	1, 218
Wiscasset, Me.	312		747					
GULF PORTS.								
Apalachicola, Fla.	3, 683		456		3, 800		5, 327	
Galveston, Tex.	1, 488		2, 596			58, 946	6, 138	71, 564
Key West, Fla.	2, 248	31, 052	590	36, 983	221	5, 418	221	955
Mobile, Ala.	2, 944		2, 506		13, 149	22, 731	10, 434	23, 842
New Orleans, La.	5, 712	9, 283		7, 263	3, 812	142, 582	1, 769	135, 344
Pearl River, Miss.	5, 289		4, 094		4, 074	1, 549	3, 973	3, 008
Pensacola, Fla.	2, 756		1, 841		18, 829	17, 181	27, 918	20, 135
St. Marks, Fla.	388							
Tampa, Fla.	1, 353	2, 107	1, 267	4, 214	3, 502	12, 354	2, 027	11, 227
PACIFIC PORTS.								
Humboldt, Cal.			963				1, 392	
Los Angeles, Cal.			11			3, 852		5, 843
Oregon, Oreg.					18, 481			2, 361
Puget Sound, Wash.	4, 512	52, 850	10, 381	51, 024	12, 279	8, 829	10, 064	8, 830
San Diego, Cal.	126		14		1, 499	3, 501		5, 973
San Francisco, Cal.	10, 382	27, 794	8, 057	26, 069	28, 704	24, 887	11, 466	22, 799
Willamette, Oreg.			476				12, 904	
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.								
Huron, Mich.		175						
Grand total	75,500	214,575	59,953	205,650	159,812	1,255,968	144,630	1,234,694
RECAPITULATION.								
Atlantic ports	34, 619	91, 314	26, 701	80, 097	51, 462	954, 138	50, 977	922, 813
Gulf ports	25, 861	42, 442	13, 350	48, 460	47, 387	260, 761	57, 807	266, 075
Pacific ports	15, 020	80, 644	19, 902	77, 093	60, 963	41, 069	35, 846	45, 806
Northern border and lake ports		175						

VESSELS CLEARED WITH CARGO IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES, FROM AND TO THE PORTS NAMED, DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1899.

PORTS.	ALL GRAIN CARGO. ^a		GENERAL CARGO.				TOTAL.			
	Steam.		Sail.		Steam.		Sail.		Steam.	
	Num-ber.	Tons.	Num-ber.	Tons.	Num-ber.	Tons.	Num-ber.	Tons.	Num-ber.	Tons.
BOSTON:										
Antwerp (b).....					1	2,033			1	2,033
Glasgow.....					2	4,311			2	4,311
Liverpool.....					21	86,458			21	86,458
London.....					6	18,469			6	18,469
Total steam.....					30	111,271			30	111,271
NEW YORK:										
Antwerp.....					10	34,947			10	34,947
Amsterdam.....					2	4,436			2	4,436
Bremen.....					6	20,126			6	20,126
Glasgow.....					6	16,248			6	16,248
Hamburg.....					6	29,854			6	29,854
Havre.....					6	19,506			6	19,506
Liverpool.....					15	63,894			15	63,894
London.....					9	34,413			9	34,413
Rotterdam.....					5	20,866			5	20,866
Total steam.....					65	244,290			65	244,290
PHILADELPHIA:										
Antwerp.....					1	1,902			1	1,902
Amsterdam.....					3	5,417			3	5,417
Glasgow.....	1	1,694			2	3,816			3	5,540
Hamburg.....					2	4,135			2	4,135
Liverpool.....					4	11,878			4	11,878
London.....	1	1,491	1	1,234	7	15,250	1	1,234	8	16,741
Rotterdam.....	3	5,092			6	12,195			9	17,287
Total (Sail.....)			1	1,234			1	1,234		
(Steam.....)	5	8,277			25	54,623			30	62,900
BALTIMORE:										
Antwerp.....	1	1,875			2	3,796			3	5,671
Amsterdam.....	1	1,844			2	3,240			3	5,984
Bremen.....					2	6,188			2	6,188
Glasgow.....	1	1,980			4	9,722			5	11,702
Hamburg.....					3	8,217			3	8,217
Havre.....					1	2,155			1	2,155
Liverpool.....					6	25,266			6	25,266
London.....					4	7,523			4	7,523
Rotterdam.....	4	7,775			8	15,340			12	23,115
Total steam.....	7	13,474			32	81,447			39	94,921
NORFOLK:										
Glasgow.....	1	2,595							1	2,595
Hamburg.....	1	1,930			1	1,850			2	3,780
Liverpool.....	1	2,244							1	2,244
London.....	1	2,593							1	2,593
Rotterdam.....	3	5,046							3	5,046
Total steam.....	7	14,408			1	1,850			8	16,258
NEWPORT NEWS:										
Antwerp.....					2	4,314			2	4,314
Glasgow.....					2	4,702			2	4,702
Hamburg.....	1	1,850							1	1,850
London.....	1	1,820			5	10,196			6	12,016
Liverpool.....	1	2,244			2	4,081			3	7,225
Rotterdam.....					1	1,888			1	1,888
Total steam.....	3	5,914			12	26,081			15	31,995

^a No sail vessels cleared with all-grain cargoes.^b Via Baltimore.

VESSELS CLEARED WITH CARGO IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES FROM AND TO THE PORTS
NAMED DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1899.

PORTS.	ALL-GRAIN CARGO.		GENERAL CARGO.		TOTAL.	
	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.
BOSTON, MASS.:						
Glasgow			2	4,017	2	4,017
Hamburg			2	5,890	2	5,890
Liverpool			18	75,441	18	75,441
London			6	16,586	6	16,586
Total steam (a)			28	101,934	28	101,934
NEW YORK, N. Y.:						
Antwerp			8	27,712	8	27,712
Bremen			5	18,803	5	18,803
Glasgow			5	13,453	5	13,453
Hamburg			4	16,967	4	16,967
Havre			6	17,752	6	17,752
Liverpool			12	56,799	12	56,799
London			10	28,324	10	28,324
Rotterdam			6	14,043	6	14,043
Total steam (a)			56	193,853	56	193,853
PHILADELPHIA, PA.:						
Amsterdam			3	8,085	3	8,085
Antwerp			3	6,317	3	6,317
Glasgow			1	2,454	1	2,454
Hamburg	1	1,931	1	3,394	2	5,325
Liverpool			3	9,416	3	9,416
London			5	10,522	5	10,522
Rotterdam	1	1,980	5	10,034	6	12,014
Total steam (a)	2	3,911	21	50,222	23	54,133
BALTIMORE, MD.:						
Antwerp			1	2,365	1	2,365
Bremen			5	15,308	1	15,308
Glasgow			3	8,050	3	8,050
Hamburg			3	13,278	7	13,278
Liverpool			5	21,144	5	21,144
London			3	5,898	3	5,898
Rotterdam	1	2,274	6	11,413	7	13,687
Total steam (a)	1	2,274	26	77,456	27	79,730
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.:						
Hamburg			1	2,894	1	2,894
Liverpool			2	7,265	2	7,265
London			1	2,108	1	2,108
Rotterdam			1	1,957	1	1,957
Total steam (a)			5	14,224	5	14,224
NORFOLK, VA.:						
Glasgow	1	2,006			1	2,006
Hamburg			3	5,663	3	5,663
Liverpool			3	11,215	3	11,215
Rotterdam			2	3,510	2	3,510
Total steam (a)	1	2,006	8	20,388	9	22,394

a No sailing vessels cleared with grain or general cargoes.

NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED IN THE UNITED STATES, BY SEX AND NATIONALITY, DURING THE
MONTH OF JANUARY, 1899.

[Compiled by the Bureau of Immigration, Treasury Department.]

NATIONALITY.	SEX.			AGES.			DEBARRED.			Returned in one year after landing.	Relieved in hospital.	ILLITERACY, 14 YEARS AND OVER.		IMMIGRANTS BRINGING—		Total amount of money shown.	Have been in the United States before.	
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Under 14 years.	14 to 45 years.	45 years and over.	Paupers or likely to become public charges.	Contract laborers.	For other reasons.			Can read, but can not write.	Can neither read nor write.	\$30 or over.	Less than \$30.			
																<i>Dollars.</i>		
African (black).....	16	15	31	9	20	2							2	1	30	180	15	
Armenian.....	26	9	35	5	27	3							7	2	20	345	2	
Austrian.....	6		6		5	1							1	4	1	144	5	
Central American.....	3	3	6	2	4									3		90		
Bohemian and Moravian.....	46	27	73	21	45	7		1			1		2	9	35	1,233	3	
Chinese.....	77		77	1	70									1	69	645	77	
Croatian and Slovenian.....	225	45	270	8	255	7	2					1	43	56	197	4,679	17	
Cuban.....	154	30	184	26	133	25			1				1	52	132	5,720	13	
Dalmatian, Bosnian, and Herzegovinian.....	26		26		26									5	11	12	678	5
Dutch and Flemish.....	35	16	51	8	38	5								6	13	12	1,373	20
English.....	343	148	491	55	385	51	9			11	2	1	1	200	111	18,709	196	
Finnish.....	90	42	132	6	123	3					2	2		27	96	2,824	15	
French.....	87	29	116	8	99	9	1						4	38	42	3,396	19	
German.....	512	254	766	136	580	50	2	4		1	15	2	15	185	297	38,344	17	
Greek.....	64	3	67	2	62	3	7			1			14	16	39	1,463	9	
Hawaiian.....	3	4	7	1	5	1								5		185	3	
Hebrew.....	1,333	862	2,195	491	1,570	134	36	3	1		26	7	389	128	839	17,477	18	
Hungarian.....	44	18	62	11	50	1							3	6	37	550	14	
Irish.....	197	97	294	14	261	19	4			8	8	1	10	42	134	5,194	97	
Italian (northern).....	567	179	746	150	504	92	3	2					77	262	415	15,386	119	
Italian (southern).....	1,368	831	2,199	473	1,488	238	32	15			23	3	931	120	1,045	14,730	239	
Japanese.....	81	8	89	1	88		2						6	80	4	4,337	7	
Lithuanian.....	138	41	179	7	166	6					2		49	11	112	1,428	5	
Magyar.....	167	87	254	16	220	18	3				4	1	29	12	168	2,353	41	
Mexican.....	1	7	8	3	5									2	3	91	4	
Montenegrin.....							8											
Polish.....	552	335	887	158	673	56	6	3	2	3	5	16	192	43	628	7,773	72	
Portuguese.....	13	10	23	4	17	2					1		13	4	11	621	3	
Romanian.....	3		3		3									1	2	120	1	
Russian.....	53	11	64	2	61	1							19	8	44	1,042	5	
Ruthenian (Russniak).....	53	20	73	4	67	2		2			1		26	2	54	611	14	
Scandinavian (Norwegians, Danes, and Swedes).....	169	59	228	17	198	13	1			1	1	1	1	65	119	6,449	75	
Scotch.....	47		56	3	47	6	1			1	1		2	17	26	1,729	30	
Slovak.....	511	205	716	114	579	23	4	3			4		155	100	426	6,960	157	
Spanish.....	121	7	128	2	119	7							8	57	63	9,877	53	
Syrian.....	61	47	108	23	81	4	11		2		4	1	38	21	55	2,199	15	
Welsh.....	21	8	29	10	18	1								4	16	369	16	
West Indian.....		4	4	1	3													
Total.....	7,213	3,470	10,683	1,792	8,101	790	132	33	6	26	101	36	2,049	1,608	5,294	179,304	1,751	

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

TABLE I.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.					COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Bullion value of a United States silver dollar at average price of silver exchange at par.	Commer- cial ratio of silver to gold.	Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			Para Island, fine new.
		With exchange at per (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.				Oak.	Union.	Hemlock nonacid.	
1898.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
April 2	25 1/2	.56310	.55974	.43989	36.34	6 1/2	32	28 @ 29	21	90
April 9		No quotations.				6 1/2	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	94
April 16	25 7/8	.56721	.56353			6 1/2	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92
April 23	25 7/8	.56721	.56441			6 1/2	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92
April 30	26 1/8	.57680	.57365	.44615	35.83	7	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	
May 7	25 1/2	.56858	.56577			6 1/2	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92 1/2
May 14	26 1/2	.57543	.57436			6 1/2	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92
May 21	26 1/2	.58001	.58073			6 1/2	32	28 @ 29	21	93
May 28	26 1/2	.58639	.58621	.45936	34.60	6 1/2	32	28 @ 29	21	94
June 4	27 1/2	.60283	.60233			6 1/2	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
June 11	26 1/2	.58639	.58530			6 1/2	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
June 18	26 1/2	.58502	.58393			6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	93
June 25	27 1/8	.59872	.59730	.46320	34.51	6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	
July 2	27 1/8	.59461	.59351			6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95 1/2
July 9	27 1/8	.59461	.59381			6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95 1/2
July 16	27 1/8	.59872	.59794			6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	97
July 23	27 1/8	.61165	.60960	.46596	34.31	6	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
July 30	27 1/2	.59735	.59153			6	32 1/2 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
August 6	27 1/2	.59735	.59593			6	32 1/2 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	102
August 13	27 1/2	.60283	.60171			6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	103
August 20	27 3/8	.60009	.59836	.47531	33.62	6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	104
August 27	27 3/8	.60831	.60656			6 1/2	32 1/2 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	
September 3	27 3/8	.60831	.60625			6 1/2	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
September 10	27 1/2	.61242	.60971			6 1/2	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	100 @ 102
September 17	28 1/2	.61653	.61317	.49305	33.79	6 1/2	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
September 24	28 1/2	.61790	.61453			6 1/2	32 @ 32	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
October 1	28 1/2	.61790	.61485			6 1/2	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
October 8	28 1/2	.61516	.61212			6 1/2	32 @ 32 1/2	29	21 @ 22	92 @ 93
October 15	27 1/2	.60694	.60394	.47359	33.75	6 1/2	32 @ 32 1/2	28	21 @ 22	86 @ 88
October 22	27 1/2	.61231	.61055			6 1/2	32 @ 32 1/2	28	21 @ 22	86
October 29	28 1/2	.61790	.61676			5 1/2	32 @ 32 1/2	28	21 @ 22	91
November 5	28 1/2	.61653	.61539			6	32 @ 32 1/2	28	21 @ 22	91
November 12	28 1/2	.61516	.61370	.46519	34.37	6 1/2	32 @ 32 1/2	28	21 @ 22	93
November 19	27 1/2	.61231	.61097			6 1/2	32 @ 32 1/2	28	21 @ 22	
November 26	27 1/2	.60557	.60351			6 1/2	31 @ 32	28	21 @ 22	95
December 3	27 1/2	.60283	.60017			6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 10	27 1/2	.60283	.60017	.46519	34.37	6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 17	27 1/2	.60146	.59911			6 1/2		27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 24	27 3/8	.60009	.59744			7	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
December 31	27 1/2	.59872	.59607			6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	95 @ 98
1899.										
January 7	27 1/2	.59872	.59607	.46502	34.38	6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
January 14	27 1/2	.60283	.60047			6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94
January 21	27 1/2	.60420	.60184			6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
January 28	27 1/2	.60146	.59911			6 1/2	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
February 4	27 1/2	.60009	.59836	.46514	34.37	6 1/2		28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94 @ 100
February 11	27 1/2	.60283	.60171			6 1/2	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	101
February 18	27 1/2	.60283	.60233			6 1/2	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
February 25	27 1/2	.60009	.59990			6 1/2	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	98
March 4	27 1/2	.60146	.60004			6 1/2	32 @ 34	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
March 11	27 1/2	.60233	.60171			6 1/2	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
March 18	27 1/2	.60420	.60234			6 1/2	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	103 @ 104
March 25	27 1/2	.60283	.60140			6 1/2	33 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103

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TABLE II.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL, HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
April 4.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3¼	¾ @ 1½
April 11.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3¼	¾ @ 1½
April 18.....	5½	5½	5½	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
April 25.....	5½	5½	5½	6	4½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
May 2.....	5½	6	6	6	5½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
May 9.....	5½	6	6	6½	5½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
May 16.....	5½	6	6	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
May 23.....	5½	6	6	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
May 30.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	8½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
June 6.....	5½	6	6	8½	8½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
June 13.....	5½	6	6	8½	11	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
June 20.....	5½	6	6	8½	10½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
June 27.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
July 4.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	10	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
July 11.....	5½	6	6	7½	8	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
July 18.....	5½	6	6	67	67	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
July 25.....	5½	6	6	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
August 1.....	5½	5½	5	7½	7 @ 7½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 8.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 15.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½ @ 7½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 22.....	6	(b)	5½	7½ @ 7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 29.....	5½	(b)	5	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 5.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 12.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 19.....	5½	5½	5	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 26.....	5½	5	5	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
October 10.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 17.....	5½	5	5	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 24.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 31.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 7.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 14.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 21.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 28.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 5.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6 @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 12.....	5½	4½	4½	6	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 19.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 26.....	5½	5	5½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2½
1899.							
January 2.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	5½ @ 6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 9.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 16.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 23.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
January 30.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 6.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 13.....				6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 20.....				7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 27.....				7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 6.....				7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 13.....				7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 20.....				7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 27.....				8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

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TABLE III.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.			COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.		
	Pig—			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Bars.	Billets. (b)	Rails. (d)	Furnace.	Crude Pennsylvania (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)	Refined. (e)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	Southern No. 2, foundry. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
April 6.....	10.65	9.00 @ 9.25	7.00 @ 7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.50 @ 15.75	18.00 @ 19.00	1.75	75	5.70	6.35
April 13.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.00 @ 9.25	7.00 @ 7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.25 @ 15.50	18.00 @ 19.00	1.75	75	5.70	6.35
April 20.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.00 @ 9.25	7.00 @ 7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.25 @ 15.50	18.00 @ 19.00	1.75	75	5.70	6.35
April 27.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.00 @ 9.25	7.00 @ 7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00 @ 15.25	18.00 @ 18.50	1.75	71	5.60	6.25
May 4.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.25	7.00 @ 7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00 @ 15.25	18.00 @ 19.00	1.75	71	5.60	6.25
May 11.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00 @ 15.25	.....	1.75	83	6.00	6.65
May 18.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00 @ 15.25	18.00	1.75	82	5.95	6.60
May 25.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00 @ 15.25	.....	1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 1.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.00 @ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00	.....	1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 8.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00 @ 15.25	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 15.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.25	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	85	6.15	6.80
June 22.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 29.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 6.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.75	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 13.....	10.30 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.75	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.60	94	6.25	6.90
July 20.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.50	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	93	6.30	6.95
July 27.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.50 @ 14.75	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	96	6.30	6.95
August 3.....	10.25 @ 10.35	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.75	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 10.....	10.25 @ 10.35	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.50 @ 15.00	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 17.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.15 @ 9.25	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.25	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	97	6.40	7.05
August 24.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.00	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15
August 31.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.25 @ 16.50	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 7.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 14.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.25 @ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00 @ 16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 21.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00 @ 16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	102	6.65	7.30
September 28.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00 @ 16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	106	6.85	7.50
October 5.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	107	6.85	7.50
October 12.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	110	7.10	7.85
October 19.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.40 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
October 26.....	10.25 @ 10.50	9.25 @ 9.40	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	15.75	18.00	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 2.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.25 @ 9.35	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	15.50	18.00	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 9.....	10.16 @ 10.25	.....	7.50 @ 7.75	.....	.....	15.00 @ 15.25	.....	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 16.....	10.10 @ 10.25	.....	7.50 @ 7.75	1.20	1.00	17.25 @ 17.50	.....	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 23.....	10.00 @ 10.25	.....	7.78	1.00 @ 1.05	1.00	15.00	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
November 30.....	10.00 @ 10.25	.....	7.75	1.00 @ 1.05	1.00	15.25	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
December 7.....	10.65	.....	.....	1.00	1.00	15.75 @ 16.00	18.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
December 14.....	10.75	.....	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00 @ 16.25	17.00 @ 18.00	.....	117	7.40	8.15
December 21.....	10.75 @ 11.00	.....	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00 @ 16.25	17.00 @ 18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
December 28.....	10.85 @ 11.00	.....	8.00	1.00	1.00	16.25 @ 16.50	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
1899.											
January 4.....	10.85 @ 11.00	.....	8.00	1.05	1.07½	16.50 @ 16.75	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
January 11.....	10.85 @ 11.00	.....	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
January 18.....	11.00	.....	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	116	7.40	8.15
January 25.....	11.00	.....	8.50	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	116	7.40	8.15
February 1.....	11.15	.....	8.50 @ 9.00	1.07½	1.07½	17.25	18.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 8.....	11.50 @ 11.65	.....	9.00 @ 9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	18.00 @ 19.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 15.....	11.50 @ 11.65	.....	9.00 @ 9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	20.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 22.....	12.65	.....	9.50 @ 10.00	1.10	1.10	20.50 @ 21.00	20.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
March 1.....	13.15 @ 13.40	.....	9.75 @ 10.25	1.40	1.25	21.00 @ 22.00	21.00 @ 22.00	.....	1.13	7.35	8.10
March 8.....	13.50 @ 14.00	.....	10.00 @ 10.50	1.50	1.35 @ 1.40	23.50 @ 24.50	22.00 @ 24.00	.....	1.13	7.35	8.10
March 15.....	15.50	.....	11.00 @ 11.25	1.65 @ 1.75	1.45 @ 1.50	25.00 @ 26.00	23.00	.....	1.13	7.35	8.10
March 22.....	15.65	.....	11.00 @ 11.50	1.65 @ 1.75	1.60	25.00 @ 26.00	24.00	.....	1.13	7.35	8.10
March 29.....											

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash.

c At Birmingham, Ala.

d Eastern mills f. o. b.

e Prices at New York.

f Long ton.

g Iron bars after March 2, 1898.

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TABLE IV.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleo-stearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco-vados, 89° polarization.	Centrifugals, 96° polarization.	Stand-ard, granu-lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.						
	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	L.	H.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Per pound.		
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cts.	Cts.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
April 7	100	100½	34½	35½	30½	30½	5.47½	5.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
April 14	105½	107	35½	35½	30½	31	5.40	5.45	4½	4½	2½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.90
April 21	107½	109½	36½	37	31½	31½	5.80	5.85	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
April 28	119	124	39½	40½	33½	33½	5.90	5.92½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	12.00	3.75	4.25	5.15
May 5	130	145	38½	39½	35	35	6.25	6.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.19	5.15
May 12	150	177	41½	41½	35½	35½	6.90	7.00	5½	6	3½	3½	11.25	11.75	12.50	13.00	3.63	4.19	5.08
May 19	151½	155	39½	40	34½	34½	6.80	6.80	6½	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	12.50	13.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
May 26	148	156	37½	38½	33½	33½	6.45	6.50	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.75	12.00	12.50	13.00	3.75	4.31	5.09
June 2	110	118	37½	37½	31	31½	6.40	6.40	6	6	4	4½	11.00	11.50	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 9	110	111	36½	36½	29½	30	6.27½	6.35	5½	6	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 16	92	93	37½	38½	30½	30½	6.10	6.10	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 23	83	86	36½	36½	29	29	5.90	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08
June 30	83	84	35½	36½	26	26	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08
July 7	89	90	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.70	5.75	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.09
July 14	85½	86	36	36	27	27	5.87½	5.87½	4½	4½	3½	3½	12.25	10.50	11.00	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 21	83	83	37	37½	27	27½	5.85	5.85	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 28	72	75½	37½	38½	27½	28	5.55	5.55	5	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 4	72	73½	36½	36½	27½	28	5.50	5.50	4½	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 11	76	77	36½	37½	29	29	5.70	5.70	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.09
August 18	76	77	35½	36½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
August 25	73	73	35½	35½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.31	5.08
September 1	70	70	35	35½	26	26	5.37½	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.37	5.15
September 8	67½	67½	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.35	5.35	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.37	5.21
September 15	69½	72½	34	34½	25	25	5.15	5.17½	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21
September 22	72½	75	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.10	5.10	5	5	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.21
September 29	72½	74½	34½	34½	26	26	5.10	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
October 6	70½	70½	34½	34½	26½	26½	5.15	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	8.75	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.22	4.71
October 13	70½	72½	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.22½	5.22½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.13	4.72
October 20	75½	77½	38½	38½	29	29	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.25	4.72
October 27	74½	75½	38	38½	29	29½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	4.78
November 3	73	74½	38	38½	29½	29½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
November 10	72	73½	37½	38	29	29½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.31	4.31	4.72
November 17	73½	74½	38	38½	30	30	5.12½	5.12½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
November 24	74½	77½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.96
December 1	72½	75½	39	39½	32	32	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.44	4.96
December 8	71½	74½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
December 15	74½	77½	39½	40½	31½	32	5.40	5.40	5	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.84
December 22	75	77½	41½	42½	32½	33	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
December 29	77	79½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
1899.																			
January 5	78	78½	41½	42½	33	33	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	4½	4	9.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 12	78½	78½	42½	42½	33½	33½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4	4	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 19	78	78½	42	42½	34	34	5.87½	5.87½	5½	6	4	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	3.25	4.72
January 26	81½	81½	43½	45½	35	35	5.95	6.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	4.25	4.72
February 2	79½	81	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.90	5.90	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.84
February 9	80½	82½	43½	43½	34½	34½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 16	82½	84½	43½	43½	35½	35½	5.70	5.70	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 23	83	84½	44½	45	35½	35½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 2	82	84½	44½	44½	34½	35	5.62½	5.62½	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 9	80	82½	43½	43½	33½	33½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.41	4.84
March 16	79	80½	41½	43	32	32	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 23	79½	81½	42½	43	33	33	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	11.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
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a Prices at New York.

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TABLE V.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best flature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Territorial fine medium (scored basis). (b)	
					Shanghai, best flature.	Canton, re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1-2 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 1-2 blood.	Good staple.	Ordinary staple.
Per pound.											
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
April 1	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	29	29 1/2	22	48	46
April 8	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	29 1/2	22	48	45
April 15	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	29 1/2	22	48	45
April 22	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
April 29	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 6	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 13	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 20	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 27	6 1/8	6 1/8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
June 3	6 1/8	6 1/8	3.73 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21	47	44
June 10	6 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
June 17	6 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
June 24	6	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 1	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 8	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 15	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 22	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 29	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22 1/2	48	44
August 5	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	29 1/2	22 1/2	48	44
August 12	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	46
August 19	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
August 26	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.70 @ 3.75	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 2	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 9	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 16	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 23	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 30	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.20 @ 4.25	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
October 7	5	5 1/8	3.95 @ 4.00	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
October 14	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.95 @ 4.00	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
October 21	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.95 @ 4.00	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	45
October 28	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.95 @ 4.00	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	45
November 4	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
November 11	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
November 18	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
November 25	4 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
December 2	5	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.85 @ 3.90	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	28 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
December 9	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.82 1/2 @ 3.87 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	28 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
December 16	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.82 1/2 @ 3.87 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
December 23	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.82 1/2 @ 3.87 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
December 30	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.82 1/2 @ 3.87 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
1899.											
January 6	5 1/8	5 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.87 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
January 13	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.87 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
January 20	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.87 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
January 27	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.87 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
February 3	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.87 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
February 10	5 1/8	6 1/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.10	4.30 @ 4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
February 17	6	6 1/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.10	4.30 @ 4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
February 24	6	6 1/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.10	4.30 @ 4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
March 3	6	6 1/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
March 10	6	6 1/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	45	41
March 17	5 1/8	6 1/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	26	28	21 1/2	45	41
March 24		6 1/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.					
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a Prices at New York.

b Territorial wools embrace Dakota, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Kansas, and Nebraska.

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TABLE VI.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.				
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Beasmer steel 14 x 20).	Prime bank-ers' sterling bills on Lon-don.	Prime com-mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.	
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.									Per box, 100 pounds.
1898.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.	
April 1	6.75	11.95	14.35	3.75	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
April 8	6.75	12.02½	14.40	3.68½	4.30	3.85	4.80½ @ 4.81½	4.79½ @ 4.79½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
April 15	6.75	12.07½	14.35	3.61	4.30	3.85	4.80½ @ 4.81	4.79 @ 4.79½	5.25½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
April 22	6.65	12.12½	14.45	3.60	4.20	3.85	4.80½ @ 4.81	4.79½ @ 4.79½	5.25½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
April 29	6.75	12.20	14.67½	3.72½	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
May 6	6.75	12.15	14.60	3.74	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
May 13	6.72½	12.07½	14.50	3.64	4.19	3.85	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
May 20	6.80	12.05	14.60	3.62½	4.26	3.85	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.22½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½	
May 27	6.85	12.05	14.82½	3.70	4.30	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
June 3	6.80	12.00	14.85	3.80	4.35	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
June 10	6.67½	11.95	15.05	3.75	4.55	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½	
June 17	6.57½	11.87½	15.12½	3.91½	5.12½	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
June 24	6.60	11.85	15.20	3.97½	5.12½	3.85	4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
July 1	6.57½	11.77½	15.37½	3.98	5.00	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½	
July 8	6.57½	11.75	15.70	4.02½	4.85	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½	
July 15	6.55	11.82½	15.65	4.00	4.62½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½	
July 22	6.70	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.52½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
July 29	6.60	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 5	6.62½	11.50	15.80	3.93½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.81½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 12	6.87½	11.75	16.22½	4.02½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 19	6.92½	12.00	16.25	4.07½	4.62½	3.85	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 26	6.80	12.20	16.10	4.10	4.75	3.95	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½	
September 2	7.00	12.30	15.95	4.07½	4.77½	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½	
September 9	6.90	12.32½	16.12½	4.01½	4.80	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.23½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½	
September 16	6.95	12.32½	16.12½	4.02½	4.82½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
September 23	6.95	12.30	16.15	3.99	4.85½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
September 30	7.05	12.30	16.15	3.93½	4.86½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
October 7	7.20	12.32½	16.47½	3.90	4.87½	3.95	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
October 14	7.12½	12.37½	17.00	3.87½	4.95	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
October 21	7.05	12.50	17.75	3.78½	5.00	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
October 28	7.10	12.50	17.95	3.65	5.17½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
November 4	7.10	12.62½	18.25	3.71	5.20	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½	
November 11	7.15	12.82½	18.27½	3.72½	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
November 18	7.25	12.92½	17.92½	3.71	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
November 25	7.15	12.87½	17.95	3.67½	5.22½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 40	
December 2	7.15	12.87½	18.25	3.66½	5.32½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 9	7.20	12.75	18.05	3.60	5.30	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 16	7.30	12.82½	17.95	3.72½	5.30	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 23	7.50	12.92½	18.22½	3.80	5.25	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½	
December 30	7.75	13.00	18.72½	3.87½	5.12½	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
1899.											
January 6	7.87½	13.37½	20.45	3.97½	5.17½	d 2.92½	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 39½	
January 13	8.00	13.87½	21.95	4.07½	5.27½	3.07½	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.22½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40	
January 20	8.25	14.62½	22.30	4.22½	5.37½	3.05	4.82½ @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
January 27	8.50	15.87½	24.25	4.35	5.60	3.20	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
February 3	8.50	17.10	24.75	4.60	5.80	3.25	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
February 10	8.50	17.95	24.00	4.50	6.05	3.30	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40 @ 40½	
February 17	8.75	18.10	23.80	4.52½	6.25	3.37½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
February 24	9.25	17.87½	24.57½	4.40	6.55	3.50	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½	
March 3	9.75	17.75	24.15	4.30	6.37½	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
March 10	9.87½	17.70	23.67½	4.32½	6.30	3.87½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 17	10.37½	17.60	23.85	4.46	6.35	4.02½	4.81 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 24	10.75	17.00	23.72½	4.45	6.37½	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 31											

a Average prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

d American f. o. b., mill, after December 30, 1893.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

RECEIPTS AND PRICES OF CATTLE AND HIDES AT CHICAGO.

TABLE VII.

[Furnished by the editor of the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review.]

SATURDAY.	CATTLE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.		TOP PRICE PER 100 POUNDS FOR CATTLE ON THE HOOF FOR EACH WEEK.			HIDES.														
	Receipts.	Slaughter.	Native steers.	Texas steers.	Cows and heifers.	No. 1 packers' native steers.	No. 1 packers' Texas steers.		No. 1 packers' Colorado steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy but. branded steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy native cows.	No. 1 packers' light native cows.	No. 1 packers' branded cows.	Packers' native bulls.	No. 1 country bulls.	No. 1 extreme light hides.	No. 1 country native steers.	No. 1 country heavy cows.	No. 1 country calf-skins.	No. 1 kips.
							Heavy.	Light.												
1898.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
April 2	48,081	30,902	5.50	4.55	4.10	11	9½	9½	8½	9½	9½	10	9½	8½	9	10	10	9	11	11
April 9	44,412	28,774	5.40	4.50	4.25	10½	9½	9½	8½	9½	9½	10	9½	8½	9	9½	9½	8½	11½	11
April 16	48,087	31,819	5.50	4.50	4.25	10½	10	10	8½	9½	9½	10	9½	8½	9	9½	9½	8½	11½	10½
April 23	36,613	23,149	5.25	4.60	4.25	11	10½	10½	8½	9½	10½	11	9½	9	9	9½	9½	8½	11½	10
April 30	38,306	24,193	5.25	4.50	4.15	11½	10½	10½	9	9½	10½	11	9½	9	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
May 7	50,236	32,395	5.25	4.40	4.15	11½	11	11	9½	10½	11	11½	7½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	10
May 14	46,065	29,197	5.25	4.30	4.20	12	12	11½	10	10½	11½	12	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10	13	10
May 21	46,824	30,626	5.25	4.65	4.25	12½	12½	11½	10½	11	11½	12	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	13	10
May 28	50,675	33,764	5.20	4.40	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	11½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	13½	10
June 4	42,670	28,743	5.50	4.65	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11
June 11	42,207	28,169	5.20	4.75	4.10	13	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	10
June 18	48,312	32,188	5.35	4.60	4.00	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	10
June 25	52,271	33,962	5.25	4.50	4.20	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	10½	12	11
July 2	50,182	32,717	5.35	4.60	4.10	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 9	36,488	22,568	5.35	4.65	4.05	12½	11½	11½	10	10½	11	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 16	50,003	34,048	5.50	4.80	4.25	12½	11½	11½	9½	10½	11	11½	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 23	53,336	37,760	5.40	5.00	4.35	12	11½	11	9½	10½	11	11	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 30	49,680	32,836	5.65	4.85	4.25	12	11½	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 6	42,157	26,232	5.60	4.55	4.20	12	11	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 13	45,266	29,637	5.65	4.50	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 20	50,471	33,186	5.75	4.65	4.75	12	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 27	58,816	36,819	5.70	4.20	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 3	56,851	35,389	4.65	3.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 10	53,732	32,340	5.70	3.75	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10	12	11
September 17	46,719	29,881	5.70	3.90	4.25	12	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 24	56,177	36,550	5.85	3.90	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
October 1	56,145	34,254	5.85	3.90	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
October 8	54,256	34,253	5.85	3.87½	3.90	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
October 15	44,442	28,220	5.80	4.00	4.30	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
October 22	54,017	36,308	5.90	4.25	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	11
October 29	58,187	38,382	5.85	3.80	4.35	11½	10½	10½	8½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 5	40,946	28,208	5.90	3.90	4.00	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 12	46,362	32,232	5.70	3.85	3.85	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 19	43,194	14,808	5.75	4.10	4.15	11½	10½	10	8½	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11
November 26	38,547	26,534	5.80	4.35	4.00	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
December 3	52,273	38,475	5.90	4.40	4.60	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
December 10	54,060	38,253	5.50	4.60	4.15	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
December 17	38,408	27,487	6.10	4.70	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
December 24	32,592	23,235	5.95	5.00	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
December 31	35,806	24,873	5.95	4.80	4.60	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
1899.																				
January 7	33,617	23,098	5.95	5.20	4.35	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
January 14	42,527	31,284	6.00	5.25	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 21	44,977	33,489	6.10	5.25	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 28	52,666	37,027	6.30	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	9½	10	10½	10	9½	13	12
February 4	43,824	28,155	6.25	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	9½	10	9½	10½	10	9½	13	11
February 11	48,892	27,666	6.15	4.70	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	10	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10
February 18	47,460	22,946	6.10	4.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10	10
February 25	44,815	29,658	5.85	4.95	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10	10
March 4	44,835	25,666	5.70	4.90	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10	10
March 11	44,411	28,767	5.90	5.00	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10
March 18	44,516	26,650	5.80	4.80	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10
March 25	52,323	32,978	5.75	6.00	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10	10

a Cows only after April 2, 1898.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE VIII.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.			COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			New fine Para.
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of exchange at New York.		Oak.	Union.	Hemlock, nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.			Per pound.				
1894.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	31½	.69599	.69506	18½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	69 @ 70
February 3.....	30 7/8	.66722	.66736	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66½
March 3.....	27	.59187	.59381	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66
April 7.....	28 3/8	.61790	.62025	17½	32 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	66 @ 67
May 5.....	29	.63571	.63845	16½	31 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	65 @ 66
June 2.....	28½	.62476	.62744	15½	31 @ 33	22 @ 23	17½ @ 18	65
July 7.....	28½	.62886	.63060	16½	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	66½ @ 67½
August 4.....	28½	.61653	.63400	16½	28 @ 30	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	65 @ 67
September 1.....	30½	.66291	.66257	16½	28 @ 30	23 @ 24	16 @ 16½	67 @ 69
October 6.....	29 5/8	.64256	.64269	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 26	16 @ 16½	68 @ 71
November 3.....	29½	.64119	.64264	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 25	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
December 1.....	28½	.62475	.62617	15½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
1895.								
January 5.....	27 7/8	.60146	.60405	16	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	73 @ 75
February 2.....	27½	.60283	.60512	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	74 @ 76
March 2.....	27½	.60556	.60849	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	70 @ 70½
April 6.....	29½	.65626	.66010	16½	28 @ 30	27½ @ 28	16½ @ 17	72 @ 73
May 4.....	30½	.67133	.67457	16	32	32 @ 33	20	71 @ 72½
June 1.....	30½	.67270	.67526	16	36 @ 37	34 @ 35	21½ @ 22	74 @ 75
July 6.....	30½	.67133	.67571	15½	38 @ 40	37	23	72½ @ 74
August 3.....	30 7/8	.66448	.66974	16½	38 @ 40	37	23	70 @ 72
September 7.....	30 7/8	.66722	.67182	15½	38 @ 40	37	24	73 @ 74
October 5.....	30½	.67270	.67422	16½	35 @ 37	36	24	75 @ 77
November 2.....	30½	.67818	.68110	15½	35	32	24	80
December 7.....	30 5/8	.66996	.67320	14½	32	28 @ 30	23	74 @ 77
1896.								
January 4.....	30½	.66859	.67216	14½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	20 @ 21	77
February 1.....	30½	.67407	.67663	13½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	72
March 7.....	31½	.70010	.70204	13½	29 @ 30	26	18 @ 19	74
April 4.....	31½	.68229	.68559	13½	29 @ 30	28	18 @ 19	74
May 2.....	31 7/8	.68092	.68386	13½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	17 @ 18	81
June 6.....	31½	.68778	.69039	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	84 @ 88
July 3.....	31½	.68778	.68908	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	80 @ 85
August 1.....	31½	.68778	.69109	11½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	18 @ 19	83 @ 87
September 5.....	30½	.67133	.66802	10½	28 @ 29	24 @ 25	18 @ 18½	78 @ 83
October 3.....	30 7/8	.68620	.66257	10½	28 @ 29	25	18 @ 18½	81 @ 84
November 7.....	30	.65763	.65641	10½	29 @ 30	30	20 @ 21	81 @ 83
December 5.....	29½	.65489	.65502	9½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	82½ @ 83
1897.								
January 2.....	29½	.65352	.65298	10½	31 @ 32	28 @ 30	19 @ 20	80
February 6.....	29½	.65215	.65196	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	19 @ 20	80 @ 81
March 6.....	29 1/8	.64256	.64323	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	80½ @ 81
April 3.....	28½	.62201	.62278	7½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	81 @ 82
May 1.....	28 7/8	.61790	.61898	7½	29 @ 31	27 @ 28	20 @ 22	84
June 5.....	27 7/8	.60420	.60463	7½	28	26 @ 27	19 @ 21	83
July 3.....	27 7/8	.60420	.60463	7½	28 @ 30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	83
August 7.....	26	.56995	.56948	7½	30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	84
September 4.....	24½	.53980	.53396	6½	31	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	87
October 2.....	26½	.57543	.57318	7½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 22	86
November 6.....	26½	.58091	.57982	6½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 21	84½
December 4.....	27 1/8	.60420	.60308	6½	32 @ 34	30	20 @ 21	83 @ 84
1898.								
January 8.....	26 7/8	.57909	.57817	6½	32 @ 34	28 @ 29	21	82 @ 83
February 5.....	26½	.57543	.57377	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	88
March 5.....	25½	.55625	.55350	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	93

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IX.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 1.....	4½	3½	3½	5½ @ 5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
February 5.....	4½	4½	4	5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
March 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5 @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
April 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
May 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 4.....	5	4½	4½	4½ @ 5	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
July 2.....	5	4½	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
August 6.....	5	(b)	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
September 3.....	5	5	4½	6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
October 1.....	4½	4½	4½	5½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
November 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5½ @ 5½	3 @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
December 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½ @ 2½	(b)
1895.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 7.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
February 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
March 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2 @ 3½	1½
May 6.....	4½	4	4	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 5.....	4½	4½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 3.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 7.....	4½	4	4	4½	4 @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	1½ @ 1½
November 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 2.....	3½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1896.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
February 3.....	4½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
March 2.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 6.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
August 3.....	5	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
September 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½
October 5.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
November 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
1897.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 4½	1½
February 1.....	4½	4	4½	4	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 5.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
May 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
June 7.....	4½	4½	4	3½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	5	4½	4½	3½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 2.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 6.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 1.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½ @ 4	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
February 7.....	5	4½	4½	4½	4	1½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
March 7.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE X.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.		COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.			
	Fig.			Best mer- chant bar, muck iron. (b)	Billets. (b)	Rails. (c)	Furnace.	Crude (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)		Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	No. 1 X. (c)							In bar- rels.	In cases.
	Per ton. (d)			Per pound.	Per ton. (d)		Per ton.	Lowest.	Highest.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	10.75@11.00	10.00	13.25@14.25	1.35@1.40	15.90	24.80	1.05	80½	80½	5.15	6.25
February 7.....	10.75	9.75@10.00	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	24.80	.90@1.00	80½	81	5.15	6.25
March 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.60@ 9.75	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.50	24.00@27.00	.90	81½	82½	5.15	6.25
April 4.....	10.35@10.50	9.35@ 9.60	12.75@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.75	23.50@26.00	.85@ .90	82½	82½	5.15	6.25
May 2.....	11.00@11.50	9.40@ 9.50	12.50@13.25	1.25@1.30	16.75@17.00	22.00@24.00	(e)	85½	85½	5.15	6.25
June 6.....	13.00@13.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	19.00@19.50	22.00@24.00	(e)	87½	87½	5.15	6.25
July 5.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	18.50		(e)	83½	84	5.15	6.35
August 1.....	12.25@12.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	17.00@17.25		(e)	79½	79½	5.15	6.35
September 5.....	11.50@12.00	10.00@10.25	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	18.00			82½	83	5.15	6.35
October 3.....	11.00@11.25	10.00	12.50@13.00	1.05@1.20	16.75@17.00		1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
November 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.25@ 9.50		1.10@1.15	15.45		1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
December 5.....	10.25@10.35	9.25@ 9.50	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.50	22.75	1.00	87½	90	5.15	6.55
1895.											
January 2.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.90	94½	95½	5.70	6.90
February 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	1.00	103	103½	5.80	7.13
March 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75		105	105½	6.30	7.40
April 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.60	22.75		113	114	7.35	7.70
May 1.....	10.75@10.85	9.50@ 9.75	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.50@15.75	22.75	1.15	183½	185	8.50	9.65
June 5.....	12.00@12.25	10.40@10.50	12.25@12.50	1.20@1.25	17.75@18.00	22.75		147	147	7.85	8.50
July 3.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	9.25	1.25@1.30	20.50@20.75	24.00		149	149	7.80	8.15
August 7.....	15.40@15.50	11.50@11.75	9.25	1.35@1.40	21.50@22.00		1.35	126	126	7.10	7.50
September 4.....	17.25@17.50	12.75@13.00	10.00	1.40@1.45				124½	125½	7.10	7.50
October 2.....	16.75@17.00	12.00@12.75	10.00	1.45@1.50	24.00@24.25	28.00	1.35@1.60	123	123	7.10	7.50
November 6.....	16.00@16.25	12.50@12.75	10.00	1.40@1.50	21.00@21.50		1.60	133	136	7.10	7.50
December 4.....	12.75@13.00	12.00@12.25	9.50@10.00	1.40@1.50	18.00@18.50			134	135	7.50	8.50
1896.											
January 1.....	11.00@11.25	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.75	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25		2.00	148	149	7.75	8.30
February 5.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	8.15@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	18.25@18.50		2.00	143	143	7.60	8.50
March 4.....	12.00@12.50	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	17.00		2.00	128	128	7.10	8.00
April 1.....	13.00@13.50	10.75@11.00	7.50	1.20@1.25	20.00		2.00	129	129	7.20	8.10
May 6.....	13.00@13.25	10.75@11.00	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	125	125	6.95	7.85
June 3.....	12.25@12.75	10.75@11.00	7.50@ 7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	109	109	6.55	7.45
July 1.....	12.25@12.50	10.50@11.75	6.90@ 7.20	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	115	115	6.90	7.30
August 5.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	6.40@ 6.60	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	106	106	6.65	7.55
September 2.....	10.50@11.00	11.50@11.75	6.50	1.20@1.25	20.50		2.00	108	108	6.70	7.60
October 7.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	7.00@ 7.25	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	116	116	6.90	7.85
November 4.....	12.00@12.75	10.00@11.25	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	117	117	7.00	7.95
December 2.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	7.50@ 7.75	1.25@1.30	20.25		2.00	105	105	6.70	7.55
1897.											
January 6.....	10.50@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.25@1.30	16.00	25.00	2.00	90	90	6.20	6.90
February 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.50@ 9.75	7.00@ 7.50	1.20@1.25	15.50	25.00	1.75	90	90	6.00	6.70
March 3.....	10.75@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	6.75@ 7.00	1.20@1.25	15.50@16.00	18.00@20.00	1.75	91	91	6.30	7.00
April 7.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	6.50@ 7.00	1.05	15.25	20.00	1.60	88	88	6.20	6.66
May 5.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.50@ 8.75	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.75	19.00@20.00	1.50	86	86	6.05	6.50
June 2.....	9.75@10.00	8.25@ 8.50	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.25@14.50	19.00@20.00	1.50	87	87	6.15	6.60
July 7.....	9.25@ 9.50	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.00@14.25	18.00@20.00	1.50	80	80	6.00	6.45
August 4.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.20
September 1.....	9.75@10.00	8.50@ 8.75	6.75@ 7.00	90@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.15
October 6.....	10.50@10.75	9.75@10.00	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.50	19.00@19.50	1.50@1.75	70	70	5.80	6.15
November 3.....	10.35@10.50	9.60@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.25@16.50	19.00@19.50	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
December 1.....	10.15@10.25	9.25@ 9.40	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
1898.											
January.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00@15.25	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
February 2.....	9.75@10.00	9.00@10.00	7.15@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
March 2.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.25@15.50	19.00@20.00	1.75	82	82	6.20	6.85

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash.

c Prices at New York.

d Long ton.

e Strike.

f Foundry No. 2 at Birmingham, Ala., after June 5, 1895.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XI.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)								SUGAR. (a)				
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleostearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.	Musco- vados, 89 ^o polariza- tion.	Centrifu- gals, 96 ^o polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.	
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.				Per pound.		
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4	66	67½	41½	42½	34	34½	8.30	8.35	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.75	14.50	14.00	15.50	2.50	2.75	3.74
February 1	65½	66	42½	42½	34	34	7.95	8.00	7½	7½	5½	5½	14.25	14.75	14.60	15.00	2.69	3.06	3.98
March 1	62½	62½	41½	42½	37	37	7.65	7.65	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.81	3.18	4.17
April 5	60½	60½	44½	45	36	36½	7.65	7.65	6½	7	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.50	2.87	3.93
May 2	60½	61	43½	43½	40	40½	7.85	7.85	7½	7½	5	5½	13.75	14.00	12.00	13.00	2.37	2.84	3.83
June 7	59½	60½	44½	44½	48	48	7.00	7.00	7	7	4½	4½	13.25	13.50	10.50	12.00	2.50	3.87	3.80
July 5	56½	60½	43½	46	50	50½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.00	14.25	9.50	11.00	2.69	3.12	3.98
August 2	56½	56½	53½	55½	41	41	7.35	7.35	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	4.35
September 6	58	58½	65	65	34	34½	9.00	9.00	9	9	4½	4½	15.50	15.75	10.50	12.00	3.12	3.81	4.72
October 4	54½	55½	55½	56½	32½	32½	8.10	8.10	9½	9½	4½	4½	14.75	15.50	10.00	12.00	3.12	3.75	4.35
November 1	55	55½	60	60	32½	32½	7.35	7.40	6½	6½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.98
December 6	60½	61	56½	57	34½	34½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.50	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.86
1895.																			
January 3	60½	60½	51	51½	34½	34½	7.10	7.10	7½	7½	4½	4½	12.75	13.25	10.50	12.50	2.63	3.00	3.74
February 7	57½	57½	48½	49	33½	33½	6.95	7.00	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.25	12.00	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	3.68
March 7	58½	58½	49½	49½	36	36	6.72½	6.75	7½	7½	4½	4½	11.75	12.25	10.50	12.00	2.69	3.00	3.80
April 4	60	60½	56	56	33½	33½	7.20	7.20	8	9	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.00	2.69	3.00	3.86
May 7	68½	68½			32½	32½	7.00	7.00	8	8	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.50	2.75	3.09	3.91
June 6	80	82½	56	57½	33½	34	6.75	6.80	7½	8	4½		13.75	14.50	11.50	13.00	2.94	3.37	4.35
July 4	72½	72½	49½	50½	28	28½	6.65	6.70	6½	7	4½	4½	13.25	14.00	10.50	13.50	2.87	3.25	4.35
August 1	72½	74½	48½	49½	28	28	6.45	6.47½	6	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	11.00	12.50	2.94	3.25	4.35
September 5	62½	63½	38½	39½	23½	24	6.25	6.25	6	6	4½	4½	10.25	10.75	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.25	4.13
October 3	66	68	37	37½	23½	23½	6.22½	6.22½	6	6	4½	4½	10.00	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.56	4.47
November 7	67½	68½	36½	36½	23½	23½	5.95	5.95	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.37	4.24
December 5	60½	70	35½	35½	22½	22½	5.00	5.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.50	4.35
1896.																			
January 2	60	60½	34½	34½	23½	23½	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	12.00	3.37	3.75	4.50
February 6	61½	62	36½	37	25½	25½	5.87	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	10.00	12.00	3.50	3.87	4.58
March 5	81½	81½	38	39	26	26	5.60	5.65	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.12	4.72
April 2	79½	80	37½	37½	25	25	5.30	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.18	4.89
May 7	72	73½	35½	35½	25	25	5.05	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	10.00	9.50	11.00	3.63	4.25	4.08
June 4	60½	71½	33½	33½	22½	23	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	3.37	3.75	4.72
July 2	64½	65½	33½	33½	21	21½	4.20	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.75	7.50	8.50	3.00	3.50	4.60
August 6	66½	68	30½	30½	23	23½	3.50	3.50	4½	4½	3	3	8.00	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.13	3.50	4.60
September 3	67½	68	26	26	19½	19½	3.70	3.70	4	4½	3½	3½	7.50	8.25	8.00	9.00	2.87	3.25	4.47
October 1	78½	79½	28	29½	22	22	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	6.00	8.50	8.00	9.00	2.69	3.06	4.22
November 5	85½	87½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.55	4.55	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.50	8.00	10.00	2.87	3.25	3.93
December 3	104½	106	29½	29½	23	23½	4.20	4.20	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.87	3.25	4.10
1897.																			
January 7	103½	104½	20½	20½	22½	22½	4.05	4.07½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.61	3.18	4.10
February 4	96½	98½	28½	29	21½	21½	4.00	4.00	4	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.18	3.98
March 4	93½	94½	27	28½	21½	21½	4.32½	4.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.25	3.98
April 1	95½	96½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.45	4.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.00	3.37	3.47
May 6	95½	98½	29½	29½	22½	23	4.25	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.00	10.00	2.75	3.31	4.23
June 3	81½	82½	29	29½	22	22½	3.80	3.80	4½	4½	3	3	8.50	9.00	8.50	9.50	2.75	3.31	4.23
July 1	81½	82	28½	28½	21½	21½	4.25	4.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.50	3.00	3.50	4.47
August 5	84	86½	32½	32½	22	22	4.70	4.70	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.25	3.75	4.72
September 2	100½	103½	30½	37½	24	24½	5.27½	5.27½	6	6	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	9.00	10.00	3.25	3.78	4.72
October 7	97½	98½	32½	32½	23½	23½	4.60	4.70	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.31	3.87	4.85
November 4	109½	102	30½	36½	24½	24½	4.60	4.60	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.25	9.00	10.50	3.31	3.82	4.72
December 2	96	97½	31½	32½	26½	26½	4.47½	4.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.00	3.37	3.94	4.72
1898.																			
January 6	98½	99	33½	33½	28½	28½	5.00	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.50	11.50	3.50	4.19	4.96
February 3	106½	101½	34½	34½	29	29½	5.15	5.15	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.00	10.25	10.00	11.00	3.56	4.03	4.84
March 3	106½	107½	35½	36½	31½	31½	5.52½	5.52½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	11.75	3.69	4.19	4.99

a Prices at New York.

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TABLE XII.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Un-washed.	Fine medium (scoured basis).	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, ½-¾ blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, ½-¾ blood.	Montana.	Wyoming and Utah.
Per pound.											
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 5	7½	8½	4.15 @ 4.25	3.87½ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	23	24	19	35	33
February 2	7½	7½	3.95 @ 4.10	3.87½ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	22½	23½	19	35	33
March 2	7½	7½	3.75 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.87½	3.50	2.62½	21	23	19	35	33
April 6	7½	7½	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	21	23	19	35	33
May 4	6½	7½	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	22	24	20	35	33
June 1	7½	7½	3.60 @ 3.70	3.40 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	21	22	18	34	32
July 6	6½	7½	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	20	17	33	31
August 3	6½	6½	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	22	19	35	33
September 7	6½	6½	3.90 @ 4.00	3.70 @ 3.85	3.15	2.60	20	22	19	35	33
October 5	5½	6½	3.80 @ 3.90	3.50 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	18½	21	18	34½	32½
November 2	5½	5½	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18½	20	18	34	32
December 7	5½	5½	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18	20	18	33	31
1895.											
January 4	5½	5½	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	17½	20	17	32	31
February 1	5	5½	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	17	20	17	32	31
March 1	5½	5½	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.62½ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	16½	20	17	32	31
April 5	5½	6½	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87½	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16½	20	17	30	28
May 3	6½	6½	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87½	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16½	20	17	30	28
June 7	7	7½	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87½	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16	18	16½	30	28
July 5	6½	7½	4.15 @ 4.25	4.00 @ 4.25	3.30 @ 3.45	2.60	18	21	19	33½	32
August 2	6½	7½	4.20 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.12½	3.05 @ 3.37½	2.45	18	21	19	34	32
September 6	7½	8½	4.00 @ 4.25	4.12½ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47½	18	21	19	34	32
October 4	8½	9½	4.40 @ 4.60	4.12½ @ 4.25	3.00 @ 3.50	2.47½	18	21	19	35	33
November 1	8½	9	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12½ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47½	18	21	19	34½	33
December 6	8	8½	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12½ @ 4.25	2.50 @ 3.60	2.47½	18	21	17½	34	32
1896.											
January 3	7½	8½	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12½ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47½	19	21	17½	35	32
February 7	7½	8½	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21½	18	36	33
March 6	7½	7½	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21½	17½	36	33
April 3	7½	7½	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	19	21	17	35	31
May 1	7½	8½	4.25 @ 4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	17½	19	15½	31½	30
June 5	7½	7½	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14½	31	29
July 3	6½	7½	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14½	31	29
August 7	7½	8½	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14½	31	28
September 4	7½	8½	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62½ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	17	18	14½	29	26
October 2	7½	8½	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62½ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	18	19	15	29	27
November 6	7½	8½	3.65 @ 3.75	3.40 @ 3.65	3.62½ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	19	21	16	33	31
December 4	7½	7½	3.65 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.70	3.65 @ 3.90	2.05 @ 2.20	19	21	17	33	31
1897.											
January 1	6½	7½	3.50 @ 3.55	3.25 @ 3.50	3.60 @ 3.75	2.05 @ 2.20	19	20	17	33	30
February 5	6½	7½	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.60 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.15	19	21	17½	34	31
March 5	7	7½	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.40 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12½	19½	21½	17½	34	31
April 2	7	7½	3.50 @ 3.55	3.50 @ 3.60	3.30 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12½	21	22½	20	38	36
May 7	7½	7½	3.75	3.37½ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62½	2.15	21½	23½	19	38	36
June 4	7½	7½	3.75	3.37½ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62½	2.15	21½	23½	17½	37	34
July 2	7½	7½	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.20 @ 3.55	2.00 @ 2.10	21½	23½	20	40	38
August 6	6½	8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.40 @ 3.70	3.45 @ 3.80	2.00 @ 2.10	23½	25½	21	46	44
September 3	7½	7½	3.65 @ 3.75	3.37½ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	24½	27½	22	47	45
October 1	6	6½	3.65 @ 3.75	3.55 @ 3.90	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	27	29	23	51	47
November 5	5½	6	3.75 @ 3.90	3.80 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	23	55	52
December 3	5½	5½	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	27½	30	23	54	49
1898.											
January 7	5½	5½	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	22	53	50
February 4	5½	5½	3.90 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	29	31	22	54	50
March 4	5½	6½	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 4.00	3.50 @ 4.00	2.10 @ 2.25	29	31	22	53	49
Territorial.											

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XIII.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel 1C 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1894.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
January 5.....	11.69	10.07½	20.50	3.15	3.50	4.87½	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40¾
February 2.....	11.25	9.75	19.87½	3.27½	3.62½	4.85	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40¾
March 2.....	11.13	9.55	18.75	3.20	3.75	4.85	4.87½	4.86 @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
April 6.....	11.00	9.50	19.35	3.35	3.70	4.80	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
May 4.....	10.75	9.35	19.95	3.40	3.55	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
June 1.....	10.75	9.25	19.85	3.30	3.40	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
July 6.....	11.00	9.05	19.30	3.42½	3.47½	4.72½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
August 3.....	10.75	9.05	18.70	3.60	3.45	4.72½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
September 7.....	10.75	9.15	16.12½	3.22½	3.42½	4.77½	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
October 5.....	10.75	9.65	15.80	3.17½	3.42½	3.85	4.86½ @ 4.87½	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40¾
November 2.....	10.75	9.55	14.75	3.15	3.37½	3.75	4.86½ @ 4.86½	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
December 7.....	10.75	9.55	13.60	3.12½	3.30	3.65	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
1895.										
January 1.....	10.50	9.90	13.40	3.05	3.27½	3.60	4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
February 1.....	10.50	9.87½	14.30	3.11½	3.20	3.57½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40¾
March 1.....	10.50	9.62½	13.07½	3.06½	3.10	3.50	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
April 5.....	10.63	9.37½	13.93	3.11	3.21	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89½	4.88 @ 4.88½	5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
May 3.....	10.75	9.66	14.21	3.07½	3.17½	3.52½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
June 7.....	11.50	10.56	14.19	3.29	3.71	3.52½	4.89	4.87½ @ 4.88	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40¾
July 5.....	12.50	10.55	14.12½	3.30	3.61	3.65	4.89 @ 4.89½	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40¾
August 2.....	12.50	11.79	14.35	3.52	3.84	3.75	4.90	4.88½ @ 4.89	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
September 6.....	13.13	12.25	14.36	3.45	4.17	3.65	4.89 @ 4.90	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
October 4.....	13.25	12.15	14.54	3.36	4.16	3.65	4.87 @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40¾
November 1.....	13.00	11.68	14.62	3.29	3.93	3.65	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40¾
December 6.....	12.25	10.77	14.08	3.30	3.53	3.60	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
1896.										
January 3.....	12.25	10.00	13.08	3.12	3.57½	3.60	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40¾
February 7.....	12.00	10.15	13.42	3.10½	4.03	3.52½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 6.....	11.88	11.10	13.33	3.20	4.08	3.45	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	39½ @ 40
April 3.....	10.63	10.30	13.40	3.07½	4.12½	3.42½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
May 1.....	10.63	10.75	13.37	3.06	4.04	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
June 5.....	10.75	11.50	13.43	3.02½	4.05	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
July 3.....	10.25	11.50	13.51	3.01	4.07½	3.47½	4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
August 7.....	10.25	11.08	13.37	2.83½	3.89	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
September 4.....	10.00	10.77½	13.31	2.72½	3.66	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
October 2.....	10.25	10.70	12.90	2.78	3.62½	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 39½
November 6.....	10.50	10.85	12.95	2.88½	3.88	3.65	4.82½ @ 4.83½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
December 4.....	11.00	11.37½	12.95	3.03½	4.25	3.70	4.84½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
1897.										
January 1.....	11.00	11.43	12.97½	3.05	4.09	3.75	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
February 5.....	6.87	12.00	13.50	3.18	4.00	3.80	4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 5.....	6.87	11.92	13.52	3.38½	4.08½	3.75	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40¾
April 2.....	6.60	11.77½	13.17	3.39	4.09	3.60	4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40¾
May 7.....	6.35	11.00	13.22½	3.26	4.12½	3.70	4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
June 4.....	6.40	11.00	13.50	3.27½	4.25	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
July 2.....	6.50	11.20	14.05	3.61	4.30	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40¾
August 6.....	6.37½	11.00	13.77½	3.77½	4.30	3.70	4.86 @ 4.87	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40¾
September 3.....	6.70	11.25	13.61	4.21	4.25	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
October 1.....	7.05	11.25	13.63	4.32½	4.25	3.70	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 40
November 5.....	6.95	10.90	13.72½	3.92½	4.15	3.90	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40¾
December 3.....	6.70	10.80	13.72½	3.77½	4.00	3.70	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40¾
1898.										
January 7.....	6.65	10.90	13.82½	3.66	3.95	3.80	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40¾
February 4.....	6.55	10.95	13.87½	3.60	4.00	3.85	4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
March 4.....	6.82½	11.92½	14.22½	3.77½	4.22½	3.85	4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40

a Prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their values in the foreign markets.

IMPORT PRICES.

IMPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.													
		1898												1899	
		February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	Janu-ary.	February.	
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Coal, bituminous.....	Ton	2.84	2.97	2.87	2.95	2.70	2.81	2.70	2.58	2.99	2.80	2.78	2.91	2.81	
Coffee.....	Pound	.072	.075	.071	.064	.072	.064	.064	.061	.067	.056	.062	.064	.067	
Cotton cloth:															
Not bleached, etc.....	Sq. yd.	.094	.076	.052	.073	.074	.085	.077	.076	.093	.089	.099	.082	.079	
Bleached, etc.....	do	.127	.126	.124	.127	.133	.137	.126	.121	.124	.128	.128	.131	.132	
Fibers, vegetable, etc:															
Unmanufactured--															
Flax.....	Ton	278.57	295.66	239.15	299.43	186.96	142.35	170.97	176.34	174.82	283.44	214.44	238.68	218.12	
Hemp.....	do	158.90	138.41	139.66	138.18	128.34	126.40	129.53	122.75	98.71	124.90	122.45	123.91	111.77	
Jute and jute butts.....	do	25.38	24.98	19.61	18.99	22.57	22.91	21.25	18.46	28.00	47.01	35.22	34.60	44.11	
Manila.....	do	54.06	60.64	71.30	75.63	76.43	120.90	114.64	100.08	99.37	119.96	114.13	120.09	138.67	
Sisal grass.....	do	54.84	84.47	78.04	92.50	151.70	175.40	107.68	120.23	124.88	120.11	91.75	102.63	126.09	
Fish:															
Pickled--															
Herring.....	Pound	.037	.031	.033	.027	.027	.032	.039	.037	.027	.036	.033	.034	.037	
Mackerel.....	do	.064	.065	.068	.060	.057	.058	.053	.063	.077	.073	.072	.068	.072	
Glass: Cylinder, etc., un-															
polished.....	do	.028	.028	.028	.025	.026	.023	.023	.026	.027	.026	.032	.027	.030	
India rubber, crude.....	do	.563	.586	.597	.604	.569	.606	.636	.608	.586	.588	.597	.635	.663	
Iron and steel:															
Pig iron (a).....	Ton	27.83	25.80	30.77	24.26	30.44	28.91	27.43	31.04	29.94	29.70	31.13	28.23	31.35	
Sheet, plate, and tag-															
gers iron.....	Pound	.031	.030	.033	.025	.037	.041	.039	.040	.051	.052	.032	.040	.041	
Tin plates.....	do	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.023	.023	.023	.023	.024	
Molasses.....	dut.	.233	.191	.167	.115	.178	.160	.181	.138	.100	.190	.210	.194	.194	
Provisions:															
Cheese.....	Pound	.141	.135	.138	.137	.134	.131	.130	.126	.142	.128	.133	.142	.142	
Rice.....	do	.021	.020	.020	.021	.024	.025	.027	.022	.021	.023	.021	.022	.020	
Salt.....	100 lbs	.162	.155	.187	.122	.156	.156	.132	.165	.178	.122	.189	.185	.189	
Silk, raw, or as reeled from															
the cocoon.....	Pound	3.09	3.26	3.28	3.27	3.18	3.03	2.99	3.14	3.00	3.12	3.12	3.14	3.34	
Sugar not above No. 16															
Dutch standard:															
Beet.....	do			.015	.016	.020	.020	.018	.020	.020	.021	.022	.021	.021	
Cane, and all other.....	do	.023	.022	.021	.023	.024	.026	.025	.024	.022	.021	.021	.023	.023	
Tea.....	do	.135	.140	.188	.139	.187	.148	.142	.138	.129	.119	.128	.118	.117	
Tin: Bars, block, and pig.	do	.132	.135	.135	.140	.138	.138	.139	.145	.143	.138	.166	.179	.181	
Tobacco, leaf:															
Suitable for wrappers.....	do	.866	.980	.963	1.03	1.02	.956	1.02	.963	1.03	1.05	1.14	1.53	1.14	
Other.....	do	.638	.632	.541	.476	.367	.295	.476	.459	.554	.637	.565	.611	.575	
Wines:															
Still wines--															
Incasks.....	Gallon	.663	.719	.689	.765	.748	.724	.683	.556	.695	.687	.710	.708	.619	
Wools, etc., and manufac-															
tures of:															
Raw--															
Class 1.....	Pound	.187	.169	.164	.155	.185	.142	.176	.134	.114	.086	.161	.134	.157	
Class 2.....	do	.204	.234	.247	.214	.152	.200	.314	.315	.281	.317	.312	.304	.258	
Class 3.....	do	.087	.093	.095	.091	.091	.087	.091	.099	.096	.097	.095	.094	.097	
Manufactures--															
Carpets and car-															
peting.....	Sq. yd.	3.51	2.68	3.17	3.03	3.93	2.67	2.40	2.46	2.50	3.01	2.43	2.99	2.62	
Cloths.....	Pound	.941	.869	.857	.888	.919	.953	.959	.994	.992	.923	.918	1.02	.878	
Dress goods.....	Sq. yd.	.215	.209	.192	.166	.191	.206	.224	.211	.183	.176	.219	.222	.235	

a Mostly spiegeleisen and ferro-manganese.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—Cont'd.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their market value at the time of exportation.

DOMESTIC EXPORT PRICES.

EXPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.											
		1898											
		February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	1899 January.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Breadstuffs:													
Corn.....	Bushel..	.356	.357	.361	.397	.384	.377	.380	.357	.359	.382	.405	.418
Wheat.....	do.....	.929	.939	1.01	1.34	1.10	.882	.769	.723	.719	.725	.728	.745
Wheat flour.....	Barrel..	4.41	4.47	4.54	5.22	5.02	4.58	4.39	4.13	3.93	4.02	3.93	3.97
Coal:													
Anthracite.....	Ton.....	4.60	4.52	4.37	4.24	4.05	4.14	4.42	4.17	4.07	4.10	4.15	4.05
Bituminous.....	do.....	1.90	2.06	2.17	2.24	2.33	2.18	2.15	2.19	2.20	2.09	2.10	2.02
Copper, ingots, bars, and old.....	Pound..	.109	.110	.111	.117	.118	.117	.114	.117	.118	.118	.121	.131
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	do.....	.059	.059	.059	.061	.062	.061	.060	.053	.052	.051	.054	.056
Cloths:													
Colored.....	Yard..	.049	.052	.051	.049	.050	.047	.048	.047	.046	.018	.048	.046
Uncolored.....	do.....	.045	.045	.045	.046	.046	.049	.048	.047	.048	.046	.042	.046
Hay.....	Ton.....	14.40	13.82	14.23	13.50	14.44	13.80	12.73	12.34	12.77	12.78	12.79	12.34
Hops.....	Pound..	.163	.140	.152	.137	.147	.140	.126	.115	.156	.175	.181	.171
Iron and steel:													
Pig iron.....	Ton.....	10.86	11.74	11.12	13.18	11.54	10.81	10.42	10.41	10.15	10.14	10.26	10.31
Nails and spikes, cut.....	Pound..	.019	.018	.018	.018	.017	.019	.018	.019	.019	.019	.017	.016
Leather, sole.....	do.....	.174	.181	.183	.177	.171	.182	.185	.165	.168	.178	.170	.158
Naval stores:													
Rosin.....	Barrel..	1.60	1.81	1.74	1.56	1.55	1.48	1.42	1.42	1.54	1.45	1.50	1.37
Turpentine, spirits of.....	Gallon..	.339	.350	.286	.285	.286	.272	.271	.290	.315	.366	.386	.440
Oil cake and oil-cake meal.....	Pound..	.009	.009	.010	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009
Oils:													
Mineral—crude, etc.....	Gallon..	.038	.040	.037	.039	.038	.039	.043	.046	.047	.047	.046	.048
Refined—illuminating.....	do.....	.044	.047	.049	.050	.052	.051	.050	.052	.058	.055	.062	.059
Vegetable—cotton-seed.....	do.....	.245	.252	.247	.249	.259	.258	.233	.235	.235	.240	.249	.233
Paraffin and paraffin wax.....	Pound..	.039	.041	.039	.039	.037	.039	.039	.039	.039	.033	.038	.040
Provisions:													
Beef—													
Fresh.....	do.....	.085	.083	.084	.088	.087	.083	.085	.086	.084	.083	.082	.084
Salted or pickled.....	do.....	.057	.057	.057	.056	.062	.057	.054	.053	.052	.053	.054	.055
Tallow.....	do.....	.039	.039	.038	.041	.041	.039	.038	.039	.040	.041	.038	.040
Bacon.....	do.....	.073	.074	.070	.077	.073	.074	.075	.074	.074	.074	.078	.072
Hams.....	do.....	.096	.093	.095	.092	.092	.093	.093	.090	.090	.091	.091	.091
Pork, pickled.....	do.....	.057	.058	.059	.061	.060	.061	.058	.059	.057	.058	.059	.058
Lard.....	do.....	.056	.057	.059	.064	.064	.061	.060	.059	.059	.058	.059	.060
Oleomargarine—the oil.....	do.....	.057	.059	.060	.061	.060	.058	.058	.059	.063	.062	.062	.064
Butter.....	do.....	.160	.168	.171	.150	.152	.150	.165	.161	.170	.161	.167	.168
Cheese.....	do.....	.090	.090	.088	.089	.075	.075	.079	.082	.091	.092	.090	.102
Seeds:													
Clover.....	do.....	.058	.058	.054	.061	.060	.060	.059	.059	.060	.053	.065	.063
Cotton.....	do.....	.006	.006	.005	.006	.006	.005	.005	.010	.007	.003	.007	.006
Starch.....	do.....	.016	.019	.023	.023	.019	.020	.020	.018	.021	.022	.021	.020
Sugar, refined.....	do.....	.052	.047	.048	.053	.045	.044	.051	.048	.048	.051	.041	.042
Tobacco, leaf.....	do.....	.090	.087	.088	.086	.089	.087	.093	.096	.100	.096	.089	.090
Wood: Boards, deals, and planks	M feet..	15.33	15.88	16.55	14.74	15.43	16.41	14.68	15.40	16.37	14.96	14.88	15.63

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[From the Economist.]

I.—MINERALS.

DATE.	IRON.			COALS.	COPPER.	TIN.	LEAD.	SALTPETER.
	Scotch pig.	Cleveland bars.	Steel rails.	Best Wallsend London.	Chile bars.	Straits.	English pig.	English, refined.
	Per ton.							Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January 4.	2 1 8½	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 9	40 15 0	60 6 3	9 14 6	1 2 9
February 1.	2 1 2	4 17 6	3 12 6	14 6	40 1 3	60 15 0	9 13 6	1 2 9
March 1.	2 2 1	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 0	39 2 6	60 5 0	9 13 6	1 2 9
April 4.	2 1 9	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	39 6 3	63 8 9	10 2 6	1 3 0
May 3.	2 3 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	41 3 9	64 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6
June 1.	2 3 3	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 0 0	64 7 6	10 11 3	1 2 6
July 5.	2 4 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 8 9	63 15 0	10 10 0	1 2 6
August 2.	2 5 5½	4 15 0	3 15 0	14 0	43 15 0	64 13 9	11 3 9	1 3 0
September 1.	2 7 2½	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	46 17 6	64 15 0	11 3 9	1 3 0
October 4.	2 8 3	4 17 6	4 5 6	14 6	47 6 3	66 12 6	11 5 0	1 3 0
November 1.	2 6 10	5 0 0	4 10 0	15 6	45 2 6	66 3 0	11 11 3	1 2 0
December 1.	2 7 1	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 5 0	63 15 0	11 17 0	1 2 0
1896.								
January 1.	2 5 3	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	41 5 0	58 0 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
February 1.	2 7 4	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 18 9	60 5 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
March 1.	2 7 5	5 0 0	4 15 0	14 0	46 6 3	60 2 6	11 12 6	1 1 9
April 2.	2 6 8	5 0 0	4 15 0	13 6	45 2 6	60 7 6	11 6 3	1 1 9
May 1.	2 6 4½	5 0 0	4 12 6	13 6	45 6 3	59 15 0	11 6 3	1 1 9
June 5.	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 0	47 13 9	60 8 9	11 6 3	1 2 3
July 3.	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	49 9 3	61 3 9	11 5 0	1 2 0
August 1.	2 6 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	12 6	48 10 0	60 2 6	11 3 9	1 3 0
September 4.	2 5 11	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	59 8 9	11 5 0	1 1 9
October 2.	2 6 6	5 2 6	4 10 0	14 6	47 16 3	57 8 0	11 10 0	1 1 9
November 6.	2 8 3	5 2 6	4 10 0	16 0	48 13 9	58 7 6	11 10 0	1 1 9
December 4.	2 8 5½	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	48 12 6	58 4 6	11 15 0	1 1 9
1897.								
January 1.	2 8 9	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	49 8 9	58 8 9	11 16 3	1 1 9
February 5.	2 7 8½	5 7 6	4 12 6	17 0	51 11 3	61 17 6	11 17 6	1 1 9
March 5.	2 5 7½	5 7 6	4 12 6	15 6	50 13 9	60 6 3	11 18 9	1 1 0
April 2.	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 14 6	59 12 6	11 16 3	1 1 9
May 1.	2 3 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 2 6	60 7 6	11 18 9	1 1 9
June 4.	2 5 1	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 14 3	61 16 3	12 1 3	1 0 6
July 2.	2 4 11	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 16 3	62 12 6	12 6 3	1 0 6
August 6.	2 4 2	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	47 16 3	61 5 0	12 13 9	1 0 0
September 3.	2 4 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 17 6	61 3 9	13 13 9	1 1 6
October 1.	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	15 0	49 2 6	62 2 0	13 18 9	1 1 9
November 5.	2 5 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 0	47 15 0	62 6 3	13 12 6	1 1 9
December 3.	2 5 2½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 0 0	62 13 9	13 3 9	1 0 0
1898.								
January 1.	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 5 0	62 19 3	12 9 3	1 0 0
February 4.	2 5 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	49 5 0	63 5 0	12 11 3	1 0 0
March 4.	2 6 7½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	G. M. B.	64 16 3	12 13 9	1 0 0
April 1.	2 6 0½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	50 18 3	65 5 0	12 17 6	1 0 0
May 6.	2 6 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	51 9 3	65 14 3	14 3 9	1 0 6
June 3.	2 6 1	5 10 0	4 10 0	15 6	50 19 0	67 12 0	13 15 0	1 0 0
July 1.	2 5 11	5 7 0	4 10 0	15 6	49 19 3	70 14 3	13 11 3	1 0 0
August 5.	2 6 5½	5 7 6	4 12 6	16 6	50 7 0	71 10 0	12 17 0	1 0 0
September 2.	2 7 2½	5 15 0	4 12 6	16 6	51 18 9	73 3 0	13 0 0	1 0 0
October 7.	2 9 3	5 12 6	4 12 6	16 6	52 18 0	76 0 0	13 3 9	1 0 0
November 4.	2 9 6	6 0 0	4 12 6	16 6	54 13 9	83 5 0	13 6 3	1 0 0
December 2.	2 9 4	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	56 16 3	82 6 3	13 6 3	1 0 0
1899.								
January 6.	2 10 3½	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	18 3 9	91 2 6	13 8 9	1 1 0
February 3.	2 15 3	6 5 0	4 15 10	17 0	70 5 10	112 10 0	15 5 0	1 1 0
March 3.	2 14 0½	6 7 6	4 15 0	17 0	70 5 0	107 0 6	14 1 3	1 1 0

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II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

DATE.	COTTON.		WOOL.			SILK.	FLAX.	HEMP.	JUTE.
	Raw, mid- dling upland.	Yarn, 40-mule twist.	Southdown hogs.	Lincoln hogs.	New South Wales greasy, average.		Riga ZK.	Manila.	Good marks.
	Per pound.						Per ton.		
	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
1894.									
September 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	31 0	23 10	15 0
October 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	31 0	23 10	13 10
November 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	30 0	20 15	12 0
December 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10	6½	9 9	28 0	19 15	14 10
1895.									
January 4.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10	6½	9 9	28 0	17 7½	14 10
February 1.....	2½	6½	10½	0 9½	6½	9 9	27 5	17 12½	11 10
March 1.....	3	6	10	0 9½	6½	9 4½	27 0	17 12½	11 0
April 4.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	7½	9 8	27 5	17 5	12 0
May 3.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	6½	9 3	27 10	17 15	12 10
June 1.....	3½	7	10	0 10	6½	9 3	27 10	19 5	12 10
July 5.....	3½	7	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	27 10	18 5	12 10
August 2.....	3½	6½	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	28 0	19 15	12 10
September 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 3½	7½	9 9	27 15	19 10	13 10
October 3.....	4½	7½	11½	1 4	8½	9 9	27 0	21 5	13 0
November 1.....	4½	7½	11½	1 4	8½	9 9	27 10	21 0	12 10
December 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	7½	9 9	28 0	18 10	12 0
1896.									
January 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	8	9 10½	27 15	17 5	12 0
February 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3	8½	9 10½	27 15	18 5	12 0
March 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2½	8½	9 10½	28 10	17 17½	12 0
April 2.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	9	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
May 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	8½	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
June 5.....	3½	7½	10½	1 0	8	9 9	27 0	17 15	12 0
July 3.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	16 17½	12 0
August 1.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	17 0	12 0
September 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	7½	9 6	27 10	18 1½	12 0
October 2.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	6½	9 6	27 10	18 8½	12 10
November 6.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	6½	8 10½	27 10	18 10	13 10
December 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	8 10½	27 17½	18 5	13 10
1897.									
January 1.....	4	7	10½	0 11	7½	8 10½	27 10	17 7½	13 10
February 5.....	3½	7	10½	0 10½	7½	9 4½	26 10	16 5	13 10
March 5.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7	9 4½	26 10	16 15	11 0
April 2.....	4	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 4½	26 10	16 0	14 10
May 1.....	4½	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 7½	27 0	15 17½	14 0
June 4.....	4½	7	10½	0 9½	7	9 6	26 5	15 5	13 0
July 2.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7	9 4½	25 15	14 15	13 0
August 6.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 5	15 12½	13 12
September 3.....	4½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 1½	25 5	15 6	13 13
October 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 3	25 5	15 15	13 13
November 5.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8	9 4½	26 0	15 17½	12 0
December 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	26 0	17 0	12 0
1898.									
January 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 10	17 0	12 0
February 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 4½	25 5	18 15	11 0
March 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9	8½	10 9	24 10	18 15	11 0
April 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 0	18 17½	11 0
May 6.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8	10 9	24 10	25 10	11 0
June 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8	10 9	25 0	25 0	12 0
July 1.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	25 0	33 10	12 0
August 5.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	30 10	12 0
September 2.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	30 10	12 0
October 7.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	31 10	13 0
November 4.....	3	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 15	26 10	13 0
December 2.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	23 15	13 0
1899.									
January 6.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
February 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	12 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
March 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	12 9	23 15	31 0	13 0

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III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

DATE.	AMERICAN WHEAT, RED WINTER.	GAZETTE AVERAGES (ENGLISH GRAIN).			FLOUR.	BEEF.		MUTTON.	POTATOES.	RICE.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Town-made, seconds.	Inferior.	Prime.	Prime.	Good Eng- lish.	Rangoon.
		Per quarter.				Per 280 lbs.	Per 8 pounds.		Per ton.	Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 4.....	1 3 9	1 0 5	1 0 10	0 13 9	0 19 0	2 8	4 4	5 4	3 15 0	5 8½
February 1.....	1 3 3	1 0 9	1 1 11	0 13 10	0 19 0	2 8	4 2	6 2	4 5 0	5 8½
March 1.....	1 3 3	0 19 10	1 2 2	0 13 9	0 18 9	2 8	4 4	6 0	5 0 0	5 6
April 4.....	1 4 3	1 0 3	1 0 10	0 14 0	0 18 0	2 8	4 6	6 6	4 17 6	5 6
May 3.....	1 4 3	1 0 9	1 0 8	0 14 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 10½
June 1.....	1 9 0	1 3 5	1 0 1	0 15 9	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	3 15 0	6 1½
July 5.....	1 8 0	1 6 1	1 0 3	0 16 7	1 2 6	2 8	4 0	5 6	3 0 0	5 1½
August 2.....	1 0 0	1 4 2	0 18 2	0 15 9	1 1 9	2 8	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 3½
September 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 10	1 3 5	0 14 5	1 1 3	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	5 3½
October 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 0	1 4 8	0 13 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 4	5 10	3 0 0	5 2
November 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 5	1 5 4	0 13 7	0 19 7½	2 8	4 2	5 10	3 15 0	5 6½
December 1.....	1 5 0	1 5 7	1 5 1	0 14 4	0 19 10½	2 4	4 4	5 10	2 15 0	5 4
1896.										
January 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 0	1 3 11	0 13 10	0 19 4½	2 8	4 4	5 10	2 10 0	5 2½
February 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 1	1 3 7	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 6	5 8	2 10 0	5 5½
March 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 6	1 1 10	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	2 5 0	5 7½
April 2.....	1 8 3	1 4 10	1 1 4	0 13 4	1 1 3	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 0 0	5 0½
May 1.....	1 7 3	1 5 5	1 1 0	0 13 11	1 1 0	2 4	4 4	5 0	2 0 0	5 7½
June 5.....	1 7 0	1 5 4	1 1 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 2	5 4	1 5 0	5 9
July 3.....	1 7 0	1 4 10	1 19 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 0	5 4	0 0 0	5 6
August 1.....	1 6 3	1 4 0	0 19 8	0 15 0	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 2	4 0 0	5 9
September 4.....	1 5 6	1 2 5	1 1 10	0 13 7	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 6	3 0 0	5 9
October 2.....		1 4 4	1 6 3	0 14 1	1 2 0	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 15 0	5 9
November 6.....	1 16 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	0 17 3	1 6 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 0 0	7 6
December 4.....	1 17 0	1 13 4	1 6 9	0 17 7	1 7 3	2 4	4 4	5 4	3 0 0	7 2½
1897.										
January 1.....	1 15 6	1 10 9	1 4 1	0 16 1	1 6 9	2 8	4 8	5 6	3 5 0	6 9
February 5.....	1 15 9	1 11 3	1 4 7	0 16 8	1 6 5	2 6	4 2	5 4	3 10 0	6 11
March 5.....	1 14 9	1 8 2	1 3 8	0 16 3	1 5 9	2 4	4 6	6 0	3 10 6	6 7½
April 2.....	1 12 6	1 7 9	1 2 5	0 16 3	1 4 3	2 6	4 4	6 2	3 10 0	6 6
May 1.....	1 11 9	1 6 6	1 0 7	0 16 7	1 4 0	2 6	4 6	5 8	3 5 0	6 6
June 4.....	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 1 3	0 17 10	1 5 0	2 4	4 6	5 8	3 0 0	6 10½
July 2.....	1 9 3	1 7 0	0 19 9	0 18 0	1 3 9	2 4	4 8	5 10	0 0 0	7 0
August 6.....	1 12 0	1 8 10	0 17 10	0 19 0	1 4 0	2 4	4 6	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
September 3.....	1 16 6	1 11 8	1 2 5	0 17 1	1 11 6	2 4	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 3
October 1.....	1 18 6	1 13 11	1 9 7	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 5 0	7 7½
November 5.....	1 18 6	1 12 10	1 7 5	0 16 0	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
December 3.....	1 17 0	1 13 8	1 5 9	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 8	3 15 0	6 7½
1898.										
January 1.....	1 17 0	1 14 6	1 7 3	0 17 1	1 10 6	2 8	4 4	5 8	4 5 0	5 9
February 4.....	1 18 3	1 14 10	1 8 0	0 17 6	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 5 0	5 9
March 4.....	2 0 8	1 15 10	1 8 0	0 17 11	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 0 0	6 3
April 1.....	1 18 3	1 15 3	1 7 11	0 17 10	1 11 0	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 10 0	6 10½
May 6.....	2 10 0	2 2 4	1 7 8	1 0 4	1 15 6	2 4	4 2	5 0	5 10 0	8 0
					Town house- holds.					
June 3.....	2 6 6	2 6 3	1 6 10	1 1 0	1 17 6	2 4	4 2	5 2	5 10 0	8 4
July 1.....	1 16 6	1 18 3	1 3 4	1 0 8	1 14 8	2 4	4 2	5 4	0 0 0	7 10
August 5.....	1 14 6	1 15 7	1 6 11	1 0 7	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	0 0 0	7 4
September 2.....	1 9 6	1 10 7	1 7 6	0 19 3	1 7 0	2 0	3 10	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
October 7.....	1 9 6	1 5 9	1 7 0	0 16 7	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 2
November 4.....	1 12 6	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 17 2	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 3
December 2.....	1 11 6	1 7 7	1 8 6	0 17 1	1 4 6	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 10 0	
1899.										
January 1.....	1 11 6	1 7 6	1 8 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 8	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 1
February 3.....	1 11 6	1 6 6	1 7 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 6	4 4	5 4	3 10 0	7 7½
March 3.....	1 11 6	1 5 8	1 6 7	0 17 0	1 3 0	2 6	4 4	5 8	3 5 0	7 7½

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IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

DATE.	SUGAR.		TEA, CONGOU.		COFFEE.	OILS.		TALLOW.	Quarterly and monthly index number.
	Manila, low brown.	West India refining, sirups.	Common.	Good.	Ceylon, plantation low mid-dling.	Petroleum.	Olive, Spanish.	Town.	
	Per cwt.		Per pound.		Per cwt.	Per gallon.	Per tun.	Per cwt.	
1894.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
October 1	7 4½	11 6	4	1 1	5 3 0	3½	34 0 0	1 4 6	
November 1	7 3	11 3	4	1 1	5 3 0	4	35 10 0	1 4 6	
December 1	6 10½	9 0	4	1 1	5 3 0	4½	37 5 0	1 3 0	1952
1895.									
January 4	5 9	9 3	4	1 1	5 3 0	4½	37 5 0	1 3 0	1923
February 1	6 9	9 6	4½	1 1	5 4 0	4½	37 0 0	1 3 0	
March 1	6 9	9 3	4½	1 1	5 5 0	4½	37 0 0	1 3 9	
April 4	6 9	9 3	3½	1 0	5 1 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 6	1921
May 2	5 9	10 0	3½	1 0	4 10 0	7½	37 10 0	1 3 9	
June 1	7 3	10 9	3½	0 10	4 19 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 9	
July 5	6 10½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 18 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 9	1931
August 2	7 1½	10 0	3½	0 10	4 19 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 0	
September 1	7 1½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 18 0	5½	37 0 0	1 3 0	
October 3		11 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	38 0 0	1 3 0	2009
November 1	7 1½	11 6	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	34 10 0	1 3 0	
December 1	7 3	11 0	3½	0 10	4 18 0	6½	34 0 0	1 3 0	
1896.									
January 1	7 4½	10 6	3½	0 10	4 15 0	6½	33 0 0	1 3 0	1999
February 1	8 0	11 3	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	32 0 0	1 3 0	1990
March 1	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 16 0	5½	31 0 0	1 3 0	1992
April 2	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	30 10 0	1 1 6	1983
May 1	8 3	11 0	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1959
June 5	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1968
	Manila low tacl.								
July 3	8 3	11 3	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1947
August 1	7 1½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 15 0	5½	29 0 0	0 19 3	1925
September 4	7 1½	10 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	0 18 6	
October 2	7 0	10 3	3½	0 10	4 18 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 0	1953
November 6	7 0	10 3	3½	0 10	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 9	
December 4	7 1½	10 3	3½	0 9½	4 17 0	5½	29 10 0	1 0 9	
1897.									
January 1	7 7½	10 3	3½	0 9½	4 16 0	5	29 10 0	1 0 9	1950
February 5		10 3	3½	0 9½	4 18 0	5½	29 0 0	1 0 9	
March 5		10 3	4	0 9½	5 3 0	4½	30 0 0	1 0 9	
April 2	7 5	10 3	4	0 9½	5 3 0	4½	30 0 0	1 0 9	1942
May 1	7 4½	10 3	4	0 9½	5 2 0	4½	30 0 0	1 0 9	
June 4	7 3½	10 6	4	0 9½	5 2 0	4½	30 0 0	0 19 3	
July 2	7 1½	11 0	4	0 9½	5 0 0	4½	30 0 0	0 19 3	1885
August 6		10 3	3½	0 10	4 16 0	5½	30 10 0	0 19 3	
September 3	6 9	9 6	3½	0 10	4 18 0	4½	31 10 0	0 19 3	1890
October 1		9 6	3½	0 10	4 18 0	4½	31 10 0	1 0 0	
November 5		9 6	3½	0 10	4 18 0	4½	31 10 0	1 0 0	
	Beet.								
December 3	8 0½	10 0	3½	0 10	4 13 0	4½	31 10 0	1 0 0	1891
1898.									
January 1	9 7½	9 9	3½	0 10	4 15 0	4½	31 10 0	1 1 6	
February 4	9 1½	9 6	3½	0 10	5 0 0	4½	33 5 0	1 1 6	1890
March 4	9 3½	9 6	3½	0 10	4 13 0	4½	33 0 0	1 1 6	
April 1	9 2½	9 3	3½	0 10	5 0 0	4½	33 0 0	1 1 6	1885
May 6	9 4½	10 9	3½	0 10	4 15 0	4½	33 0 0	1 3 0	
June 3	9 10½	11 0	3½	0 10	4 15 0	4½	33 0 0	1 4 6	
July 1	9 7	11 0	3½	0 10	4 5 0	4½	33 0 0	1 3 0	1915
August 5	9 4½	11 0	6	1 1	4 12 0	4½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
September 2	9 6	10 6	7	1 1	4 18 0	5	30 10 0	1 1 6	1905
October 7	9 8½	10 9	6	1 1	4 18 0	5½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
November 4	9 8½	10 9	6	1 1	5 0 0	5½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
December 2	10 1½	12 6	6	1 1	5 0 0	5½	30 19 0	1 1 6	1918
1899.									
January 6	9 5½	12 0	5	1 1	5 0 0	6½	30 10 0	1 1 6	
February 3	9 10½	12 0	5	1 1	4 15 0	6½	30 10 0	1 3 9	
March 3	9 10½	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	6	30 10 0	1 3 9	

TREASURY FINANCIAL TABLES.

PUBLIC DEBT AND THE CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1899.

INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Title of loan.	Authorizing act.	Rate.	When redeemable.	Amount issued.	Outstanding February 28, 1899.			Outstanding March 1, 1885.	Outstanding March 1, 1889.	Outstanding March 1, 1893.
					Registered.	Coupon.	Total.			
				Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Loan of July 12, 1882.	July 12, 1882.	3 per cent.	Option U. S.	305,529,000				194,190,500		
Funded loan of 1891.	July 14, 1870, and Jan. 20, 1871.	4½ per cent. Continued at 2 per cent.	Sept. 1, 1891. Option U. S.	250,000,000	25,364,500		25,364,500	250,000,000	162,842,200	25,364,500
Funded loan of 1907.	do	4 per cent.	July 1, 1907.	740,911,750	491,246,600	68,403,800	559,650,400	737,707,200	681,138,000	559,595,900
Refunding certificates.	Feb. 26, 1879.	do		40,012,750			38,970	251,350	120,020	73,860
Loan of 1904.	Jan. 14, 1875.	5 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1904.	100,000,000	67,194,950	32,805,050	100,000,000			
Loan of 1925.	do	4 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1925.	162,315,400	113,327,300	48,988,100	162,315,400			
Ten-twenties of 1898.	June 13, 1898.	3 per cent.	After Aug. 1, 1908.	193,366,000	86,030,820	107,335,180	193,366,000			
Aggregate of interest-bearing debt.				1,792,134,900	783,164,170	257,532,130	1,040,735,270	1,182,149,050	844,106,220	585,034,260

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

	Dollars.
Funded loan of 1891, matured Sept. 2, 1891.	114,350.00
Old debt matured at various dates prior to Jan. 1, 1861, and other items of debt matured at various dates subsequent to Jan. 1, 1861.	1,117,320.26
Aggregate of debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,231,670.26
Bonds issued to Pacific railroads matured but not yet presented: Union Pacific, \$55,000; Central Pacific, \$85,000; Kansas Pacific, \$11,000; Sioux City and Pacific, \$1,000; total.	152,000.00

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

	Dollars.
United States notes.	346,681,016.00
Old-demand notes.	53,997.50
National-bank notes:	
Redemption account.	31,422,722.00
Fractional currency.	6,883,229.14
Aggregate of debt bearing no interest.	385,040,964.64

CERTIFICATES AND NOTES ISSUED ON DEPOSITS OF COIN AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES AND PURCHASES OF SILVER BULLION.

Classification.	In Treasury.	In circulation.	Amount issued.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold certificates.	1,625,890.00	32,966,830.00	34,592,729.00
Silver certificates.	5,898,799.00	396,400,703.00	402,299,504.00
Certificates of deposit.	30,000.00	23,105,000.00	23,135,000.00
Treasury notes of 1890.	1,306,821.00	94,204,459.00	95,511,281.00
Aggregate of certificates and Treasury notes offset by cash in the Treasury.	8,851,510.00	546,677,002.00	555,528,513.00

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	February 28, 1899.	January 31, 1898.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Interest-bearing debt.	1,040,735,270.00	1,040,562,030.00	173,240.00	
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,231,670.26	1,237,150.26		5,480.00
Debt bearing no interest.	385,040,964.64	385,410,245.64		369,281.00
Aggregate of interest and noninterest bearing debt.	1,427,007,904.90	1,427,209,425.90	173,240.00	374,761.00
Certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury.	555,528,513.00	552,833,783.00	2,674,730.00	
Aggregate of debt, including certificates and Treasury notes.	1,982,536,417.90	1,980,063,208.90	2,847,970.00	374,761.00

PUBLIC DEBT AND CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1899—Continued.

CASH IN THE TREASURY.

CLASSIFICATION.			DEMAND LIABILITIES.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold:			Gold certificates	34,592,729.00	
Coin	136,706,410.05		Silver certificates	402,289,504.00	
Bars	127,385,066.60	264,091,476.65	Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872. ..	23,135,000.00	
Silver:			Treasury notes of 1890	95,511,280.00	
Dollars	410,157,482.00		Fund for redemption of uncurrent national-		555,528,513.00
Subsidiary coin	7,185,217.29		bank notes	9,125,069.70	
Bars	90,189,188.36	507,531,887.65	Outstanding checks and drafts	7,476,970.57	
Paper:			Disbursing officers' balances	60,022,632.87	
United States notes	38,375,618.00		Agency accounts, etc.	7,094,271.67	
Treasury notes of 1890	1,306,821.00				83,718,944.81
Gold certificates	1,625,890.00				
Silver certificates	5,888,799.00				
Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872 ..	30,000.00				
National-bank notes	3,709,358.59	50,936,486.59			
Other:					
Bonds, interest and coupons paid, await-					
ing reimbursement	82,822.62				
Minor coin and fractional currency	563,678.81				
Deposits in national-bank depositories—					
General account	79,943,360.89				
Disbursing officers' balances	5,201,257.81	85,791,120.13			
Aggregate		908,350,971.02			908,350,971.02
Cash balance in the Treasury January 31, 1899 ..					274,584,675.73
Cash balance in the Treasury February 28, 1899 ..					269,103,513.21
Decrease during the month					5,481,162.52

AMOUNTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND CERTIFICATES, UNITED STATES NOTES, AND NATIONAL-BANK NOTES IN CIRCULATION MARCH 1, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

CLASSIFICATION.	March 1, 1898.			March 1, 1899.		
	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin	705,494,037	151,609,155	553,884,882	839,011,679	136,706,410	702,305,269
Silver, standard dollars	458,100,347	399,079,443	59,020,904	473,292,857	410,157,482	63,135,375
Subsidiary	76,230,903	11,960,092	64,270,811	76,329,061	7,185,217	69,143,844
Notes, United States	346,681,016	82,516,830	264,164,186	346,681,016	38,375,618	308,305,398
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890	104,669,280	6,204,850	98,464,430	95,511,280	1,306,821	97,201,459
National-bank	224,831,072	3,417,842	221,413,230	242,085,082	3,709,359	239,275,723
Certificates, gold	38,015,149	1,574,360	36,440,789	34,592,729	1,625,890	32,966,839
silver	391,908,504	11,621,077	380,287,427	402,289,504	5,888,799	396,400,705
currency	50,660,000	2,230,000	48,430,000	23,135,000	30,000	23,105,000
Total		670,213,649	1,726,376,659		601,985,596	1,628,842,612

Population of the United States March 1, 1898, estimated at 73,990,000; circulation per capita, \$23.33. March 1, 1899, population estimated at 75,601,000; circulation per capita, \$25.51.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION ON FEBRUARY 1 AND MARCH 1, 1898 AND 1899, AND THE CHANGES IN CIRCULATION DURING FEBRUARY, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	In circulation—				From February 1, 1899.	
	Feb. 1, 1898.	Mar. 1, 1898.	Feb. 1, 1899.	Mar. 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin	551,581,924	553,884,882	696,987,480	702,305,269		5,317,789
Silver, standard dollars	59,478,293	59,020,904	63,429,088	61,155,375	293,713	
Subsidiary	64,955,943	64,270,811	69,081,516	69,143,844		62,328
Notes, United States	273,722,410	264,164,186	299,643,158	308,305,398	1,337,760	
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890	100,797,666	98,464,430	93,993,753	91,201,459		210,706
National-bank	220,366,293	221,413,230	237,576,019	239,275,723		1,699,704
Certificates, gold	36,494,759	36,440,789	33,039,939	32,966,839	73,100	
silver	373,515,940	380,287,427	392,337,684	396,400,705		4,063,021
currency	49,675,000	48,430,000	22,170,000	23,105,000		935,000
Total	1,729,991,228	1,726,376,659	1,918,260,557	1,928,842,612		10,581,055

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MONEY AND BULLION IN TREASURY DURING FEBRUARY,
1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.**

CLASSIFICATION.	In Treasury—				From February 1, 1899.	
	Feb. 1, 1898.	Mar. 1, 1898.	Feb. 1, 1899.	Mar. 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin.....	151,266,475	151,609,155	127,505,746	136,706,410	.....	9,200,664
Standard silver dollars.....	397,589,829	391,079,443	408,351,769	410,157,482	.....	1,805,713
Subsidiary silver.....	11,707,173	11,960,092	6,931,831	7,185,217	.....	253,386
Treasury notes, act July 14, 1890.....	4,733,614	6,204,850	1,988,527	1,295,821	681,706	.....
United States notes.....	72,958,606	82,516,830	37,037,658	38,375,618	.....	1,337,760
National bank notes.....	6,162,923	3,417,842	5,748,207	3,709,350	2,038,848	.....
Total.....	644,418,620	654,788,212	587,563,938	597,440,907	2,720,554	12,597,523
Gold bullion.....	49,465,977	52,454,816	134,186,534	127,385,067	6,801,467	.....
Silver bullion.....	101,379,158	100,819,300	91,228,953	90,189,188	1,039,765	.....
Total.....	795,262,855	808,062,328	812,979,425	815,015,162	.....	2,035,737

PAPER CURRENCY OF EACH DENOMINATION OUTSTANDING FEBRUARY 28, 1899.

DENOMINATION.	United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National bank notes.	Gold certificates.	Silver certificates.	Total.	Currency certificates. (a)
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
One dollar.....	2,289,302	13,064,118	349,176	.....	38,126,018	53,828,615	.....
Two dollars.....	1,257,568	10,511,792	168,200	.....	20,706,730	32,344,290	.....
Five dollars.....	73,319,912	31,534,500	74,363,100	.....	107,240,825	286,458,337	.....
Ten dollars.....	92,546,001	27,693,970	75,883,290	.....	125,213,826	321,336,997	.....
Twenty dollars.....	78,108,932	8,920,350	56,672,500	4,538,774	80,600,350	228,900,906	.....
Fifty dollars.....	13,851,900	164,850	11,691,900	2,568,655	23,777,395	52,054,690	.....
One hundred dollars.....	24,167,900	1,686,700	23,688,800	3,523,890	6,320,370	59,387,570	.....
Five hundred dollars.....	12,765,500	.....	109,000	3,311,000	125,000	16,310,500	.....
One thousand dollars.....	48,589,000	1,935,000	23,000	5,395,500	179,000	56,126,500	.....
Five thousand dollars.....	15,000	.....	.....	4,825,000	.....	4,840,000	505,000
Ten thousand dollars.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,430,000	.....	10,440,000	22,630,000
Fractional parts.....	.....	.....	31,206	.....	.....	31,206	.....
Total.....	347,681,016	95,511,280	242,985,082	34,592,729	402,289,504	1,123,059,611	23,135,000
Unknown, destroyed.....	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000,000	.....
Net.....	346,681,016	95,511,280	242,985,082	34,592,729	402,289,504	1,122,059,611	23,135,000

a Issued under act of June 8, 1872, and representing United States notes deposited in the Treasury.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Warrant Division, Secretary's office.]

RECEIPTS.

SOURCE OF REVENUE AND OBJECT OF EXPENDITURE.	February—		Two months ending February—		Eight months ending February—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Customs.....	15,040,680.74	16,921,572.48	29,310,172.82	34,913,313.88	92,051,713.74	130,876,651.22
Internal revenue.....	12,003,318.90	19,242,299.69	24,446,518.63	40,224,356.49	110,819,189.78	178,628,453.27
Miscellaneous.....	1,528,358.69	1,815,460.55	12,149,295.27	4,616,592.55	71,687,057.24	15,902,683.31
Total.....	28,572,358.33	37,979,332.72	65,905,986.72	79,754,262.92	274,557,960.76	325,414,187.80

EXPENDITURES.

Civil and miscellaneous.....	5,065,112.80	6,299,421.19	14,031,240.18	16,113,842.43	69,516,555.85	66,619,056.91
War.....	3,780,749.78	15,132,098.05	8,726,848.19	33,788,653.01	43,737,312.12	180,011,911.15
Navy.....	2,056,766.56	4,430,215.87	5,286,873.07	9,656,869.61	22,451,535.24	46,052,593.90
Indians.....	735,985.28	1,084,874.15	1,776,414.64	2,035,550.56	6,722,151.51	7,709,725.88
Pensions.....	11,978,924.88	12,791,491.82	24,354,148.21	23,758,507.23	100,818,998.40	95,268,039.75
Interest.....	2,981,716.56	4,180,828.41	9,120,442.63	9,688,277.30	28,221,272.87	28,862,413.71
Total.....	26,599,255.86	43,918,929.49	63,295,966.92	95,041,700.24	271,487,825.99	424,523,732.20

GOLD IN THE TREASURY AND REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD.

[Prepared in the office of the Treasurer of the United States.]

MONTHS.	GOLD AND GOLD BULLION IN TREASURY, AND GOLD CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.				REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD DURING EACH MONTH.		
	Total gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	Gold certificates in Treasury.	Gold certificates in circulation.	Net gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	United States notes. (a)	Treasury notes of 1890. (b)	Total.
1893.							
July	186,613,962.98	93,710	87,611,029	99,202,933.98	771,935	264,930	1,036,865
August	176,423,272.44	565,370	80,414,049	96,009,123.44	1,189,757	1,153,465	2,343,222
September	173,209,771.16	129,220	79,627,599	93,582,172.16	143,592	197,135	340,727
October	163,274,171.25	115,860	78,889,309	84,384,862.26	262,512	452,880	695,392
November	161,122,128.09	140,090	78,163,079	82,959,049.09	299,252	217,120	516,372
December	158,303,779.13	75,590	77,412,179	80,891,600.13	295,523	221,895	517,418
1894.							
January	142,665,594.37	78,350	77,015,419	65,650,175.37	118,841	237,515	356,356
February	177,462,797.49	106,490	70,935,729	106,527,068.49	10,982,624	8,210,730	19,193,354
March	176,456,044.63	137,310	70,306,909	106,149,135.63	2,266,426	1,194,766	3,461,192
April	170,192,457.63	102,770	69,990,449	100,202,008.63	6,072,042	1,594,085	7,666,127
May	148,067,816.58	41,650	69,374,549	78,693,267.58	25,131,412	1,409,670	26,541,082
June	131,217,433.55	43,460	66,344,409	64,873,024.55	20,708,492	1,461,401	22,169,893
July	120,922,836.41	103,470	65,947,229	54,975,607.41	13,367,804	555,511	13,923,375
August	120,885,869.49	34,730	65,668,969	55,216,900.49	4,209,833	531,560	4,741,413
September	123,665,756.92	55,200	64,790,439	58,875,317.92	636,031	390,437	936,518
October	125,613,895.73	56,280	64,252,069	61,361,826.73	2,542,719	505,171	3,047,890
November	164,350,468.01	751,370	58,925,899	105,424,569.01	7,085,133	714,614	7,799,747
December	139,606,354.05	58,960	53,361,909	86,244,445.05	30,819,622	1,087,569	31,907,221
1895.							
January	97,353,770.27	337,060	52,647,809	44,705,967.27	43,415,283	1,702,455	45,117,738
February	138,593,280.14	80,100	51,507,769	87,085,511.14	4,784,907	776,045	5,560,952
March	139,486,496.08	84,660	48,843,189	90,643,307.08	809,495	279,500	1,089,085
April	139,998,153.35	63,640	48,751,009	91,247,144.35	733,525	234,046	1,017,571
May	147,690,977.53	102,390	48,539,569	99,151,408.53	734,747	431,745	1,166,492
June	155,893,931.46	88,390	48,381,569	107,512,362.46	644,621	401,575	1,046,196
July	155,354,065.79	219,330	48,117,579	107,236,486.79	3,122,620	704,175	3,826,795
August	149,410,926.27	209,820	49,081,089	100,329,837.27	16,218,815	345,252	16,564,067
September	143,557,512.75	103,370	50,645,539	92,911,973.75	17,119,814	257,670	17,377,484
October	143,360,838.92	168,230	50,417,659	92,943,179.92	1,849,018	317,865	2,166,883
November	129,567,945.32	107,910	50,233,979	79,333,966.32	15,616,190	418,400	16,034,590
December	113,198,707.67	163,450	49,936,439	63,262,268.67	19,787,951	424,744	20,212,695
1896.							
January	99,693,356.57	131,140	49,847,849	49,845,507.57	15,686,024	762,484	16,448,508
February	167,695,998.46	651,470	43,733,019	123,962,979.46	21,080,551	656,325	21,736,876
March	171,885,709.86	583,220	43,239,249	128,646,460.86	6,381,296	475,250	6,856,546
April	168,446,459.31	764,910	43,052,559	125,393,900.31	6,754,718	375,900	7,130,618
May	151,307,512.91	687,280	42,961,909	108,345,233.91	21,726,600	312,947	22,039,547
June	144,020,363.91	497,430	42,320,759	101,699,604.91	7,963,994	297,353	8,261,347
July	150,012,224.73	1,393,710	39,293,479	110,718,745.73	16,275,406	1,009,672	17,285,078
August	139,835,200.09	1,618,550	38,867,639	100,957,561.09	11,388,806	900,919	12,289,725
September	162,771,311.21	1,591,900	38,736,639	124,034,672.21	3,436,733	1,224,713	4,661,446
October	155,323,832.63	1,390,830	38,197,309	117,126,523.63	9,906,832	2,167,003	12,073,835
November	169,527,101.34	1,416,390	38,016,749	131,510,352.34	3,137,149	925,261	4,062,410
December	175,203,982.52	1,392,350	37,887,439	137,316,543.52	858,444	273,402	1,131,846
1897.							
January	182,387,121.93	1,460,160	37,586,629	144,800,492.93	594,412	351,566	945,969
February	186,206,028.43	1,501,970	37,544,819	148,661,209.43	521,355	402,769	924,124
March	189,242,803.04	1,483,350	37,456,339	152,786,464.04	679,382	569,947	1,249,329
April	190,762,888.81	1,517,690	37,421,999	153,340,889.81	6,934,575	567,433	7,502,008
May	181,707,391.74	1,455,340	37,387,829	144,319,562.74	8,044,965	837,635	8,882,600
June	178,076,056.79	1,496,250	37,285,919	140,790,737.79	6,504,864	518,581	7,113,445
July	178,044,577.73	1,473,290	37,226,879	140,817,698.73	5,072,208	202,935	5,275,143
August	181,234,165.59	1,509,380	37,017,789	144,216,376.59	2,875,606	210,670	3,116,276
September	184,561,664.39	1,535,610	36,898,559	147,663,105.39	2,598,140	141,003	2,742,173
October	190,387,256.36	1,534,060	36,814,109	153,573,147.36	2,505,376	199,923	2,696,301
November	194,039,260.35	1,548,740	36,725,409	157,363,851.35	1,786,711	324,705	2,110,416
December	197,469,235.88	1,570,460	36,557,689	160,911,546.88	1,815,734	263,665	2,019,399
1898.							
January	200,731,551.68	1,567,390	36,494,759	164,236,792.68	1,166,548	103,368	1,269,916
February	204,063,971.24	1,574,360	36,440,789	167,623,182.24	1,407,273	228,540	1,635,813
March	210,993,334.51	1,607,950	36,319,129	174,584,115.51	1,329,038	254,732	1,583,770
April	217,190,135.89	1,603,150	35,951,999	181,238,136.89	779,668	376,299	1,155,967
May	207,701,263.97	1,602,940	35,883,209	171,818,054.97	268,041	280,956	548,997
June	202,825,048.56	1,590,510	35,820,639	167,004,409.56	757,367	146,485	903,852
July	225,138,393.10	1,593,470	35,693,679	189,444,714.10	3,860,995	230,072	4,091,067
August	253,377,493.83	1,616,146	35,473,069	217,904,420.83	552,111	61,651	613,762
September	278,691,452.19	1,596,890	35,393,909	243,297,548.19	381,032	62,789	443,871
October	275,224,071.48	1,601,240	35,338,909	239,885,162.48	313,242	34,336	347,578
November	276,944,092.75	1,620,400	35,280,649	241,663,443.75	501,398	151,855	653,253
December	281,729,434.78	1,608,740	35,200,259	246,529,175.78	1,740,945	933,809	2,674,754
1899.							
January	261,692,279.72	1,630,060	35,039,939	226,652,340.72	2,556,940	1,680,782	4,237,722
February	264,091,476.65	1,625,890	35,069,899	231,124,607.65	2,155,856	846,049	3,001,905

a Legal-tender notes, commonly called "greenbacks."

b Notes issued in payment of silver bullion also a full legal tender.

SILVER COINAGE AND CIRCULATION.

STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS COINED, IN THE TREASURY, AND IN CIRCULATION; SILVER BULLION IN THE TREASURY; TREASURY NOTES OF 1899 OUTSTANDING; AND SILVER CERTIFICATES IN THE TREASURY AND IN CIRCULATION, AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

MONTHS.	Estimated dollars in country.	Bullion in Treasury.	Dollars in Treasury.	Dollars in circulation.	Treasury notes of 1899 outstanding.	Certificates in Treasury.	Certificates in circulation.	Net silver in Treasury.	Standard silver dollars coined.
1893.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
July	419,332,450	193,277,735	363,108,461	56,223,989	148,286,348	2,833,114	330,188,390	3,911,458	.....
August	419,332,450	122,200,760	357,677,820	61,634,630	149,881,958	2,882,168	326,206,336	3,790,286	.....
September	419,332,550	124,242,787	360,499,882	58,832,668	151,319,040	5,909,370	324,955,134	8,468,495	100
October	419,332,550	126,261,553	360,606,732	58,725,818	152,735,188	7,727,272	325,717,232	8,415,865	.....
November	419,332,550	127,262,267	360,906,628	58,425,922	153,453,629	5,716,507	328,421,997	6,293,269	.....
December	419,332,777	127,207,874	361,463,188	57,869,589	153,160,151	5,038,854	329,545,650	5,965,261	227
1894.									
January	419,332,777	127,215,171	363,597,057	55,735,720	153,070,908	6,758,196	330,161,308	7,580,012	.....
February	419,332,777	127,210,957	364,758,231	54,574,546	153,001,184	6,942,257	331,119,247	7,854,757	.....
March	419,333,029	127,220,207	365,807,734	53,525,295	152,900,317	8,755,240	329,447,264	10,680,360	252
April	419,333,029	127,228,437	366,677,908	52,655,121	152,813,072	9,367,524	330,305,980	10,787,293	.....
May	419,333,029	127,231,643	367,380,338	51,952,661	152,679,742	9,702,545	329,959,959	11,972,280	.....
June	419,333,208	127,267,347	368,141,831	51,191,377	152,584,417	10,054,123	327,094,381	15,730,380	179
July	419,756,208	127,113,753	368,796,068	50,950,540	152,447,126	12,027,766	324,491,738	18,971,557	423,000
August	420,504,208	126,454,771	368,991,724	51,512,484	152,151,369	13,402,527	325,217,977	18,507,631	748,000
September	421,176,408	126,104,475	366,900,165	54,276,243	151,609,267	9,155,783	330,520,719	10,874,654	672,200
October	421,776,408	125,261,863	365,332,738	56,443,670	151,140,568	6,560,203	331,143,301	8,310,732	600,000
November	422,176,408	125,351,523	364,726,543	57,449,865	150,979,070	5,312,420	332,317,084	6,781,912	400,000
December	422,426,749	125,014,161	364,537,659	57,889,090	150,823,731	5,846,720	331,077,784	7,650,305	253,341
1895.									
January	422,626,749	124,852,679	366,753,119	55,873,630	150,751,541	7,329,232	326,467,272	14,386,985	200,000
February	422,826,749	124,551,374	368,177,389	54,649,360	150,705,157	7,291,089	325,816,415	16,207,191	200,000
March	422,927,039	124,673,187	369,009,182	53,917,857	150,330,089	7,374,748	323,746,756	19,605,524	100,290
April	423,127,039	124,583,685	369,713,330	53,413,709	149,584,471	7,699,233	323,215,271	21,497,273	200,000
May	423,277,219	124,528,559	370,464,649	52,812,570	148,044,280	6,692,333	321,553,171	25,395,757	150,180
June	423,289,219	124,479,849	371,306,057	51,983,162	146,088,400	9,162,752	319,731,752	29,965,754	12,000
July	423,289,219	124,670,701	371,542,513	51,746,706	145,490,280	10,577,386	320,355,118	30,367,816	.....
August	423,289,219	124,687,226	370,704,376	52,584,843	144,495,280	7,741,243	323,772,261	27,124,061	.....
September	423,289,309	124,632,406	368,142,782	55,146,527	143,666,280	7,862,667	330,434,837	18,694,071	90
October	423,289,309	124,721,501	364,935,217	58,354,092	141,082,280	8,953,268	333,456,236	15,108,202	.....
November	423,289,309	124,603,759	364,528,596	58,760,713	139,583,280	8,471,611	335,855,893	13,693,182	.....
December	423,289,629	124,612,532	364,083,702	59,205,927	137,771,280	9,625,856	330,076,648	12,257,061	320
1896.									
January	423,289,629	124,575,129	366,659,953	56,629,676	137,324,280	14,380,165	331,614,339	22,296,463	.....
February	424,789,629	123,171,286	369,273,688	55,515,941	136,719,280	11,831,561	332,545,943	23,179,751	1,500,000
March	426,289,916	122,187,260	371,497,164	54,792,752	136,081,280	11,290,078	337,032,426	20,570,064	1,500,287
April	427,789,916	120,939,566	374,187,554	53,602,362	133,069,280	11,578,091	338,834,413	23,233,421	1,500,000
May	429,289,916	119,989,914	376,572,499	52,717,417	131,385,280	10,629,424	336,313,080	28,884,053	1,500,000
June	430,790,041	119,053,695	378,614,043	52,175,998	129,683,280	11,359,999	331,259,509	36,724,949	1,500,125
July	431,852,041	118,753,758	379,852,244	51,999,797	128,343,280	12,375,833	331,656,671	38,606,051	1,062,000
August	434,502,041	116,681,740	381,056,160	53,445,881	126,741,280	11,464,610	345,739,894	25,256,726	2,650,000
September	437,202,141	114,829,399	380,688,963	56,513,178	125,004,280	10,045,030	354,431,474	11,082,608	2,700,100
October	439,552,141	113,064,557	381,361,339	58,190,802	123,229,280	8,686,982	357,777,122	13,419,494	2,350,000
November	441,466,141	112,137,954	382,972,296	58,493,845	121,677,280	11,591,383	356,312,121	17,120,849	1,914,000
December	443,166,391	110,815,247	384,584,572	58,581,819	119,816,280	14,227,704	356,655,800	18,927,720	1,700,250
1897.									
January	444,978,391	109,704,519	388,617,255	56,361,136	118,398,280	11,678,971	361,336,533	18,586,953	1,812,000
February	446,318,391	108,914,614	390,939,629	55,378,762	117,550,280	9,876,003	363,709,501	18,594,462	1,340,000
March	447,718,641	107,892,463	393,211,322	54,507,319	117,131,280	12,535,351	364,026,153	19,616,351	1,400,250
April	449,118,641	106,990,150	395,342,193	53,776,448	116,096,280	13,777,565	363,753,939	21,882,124	1,400,000
May	450,518,641	106,042,492	397,511,546	53,007,095	115,782,280	11,576,696	362,768,808	25,002,950	1,400,600
June	451,993,742	104,591,039	399,992,540	52,001,202	114,867,280	17,143,136	358,336,368	31,379,931	1,475,161
July	451,993,742	105,109,460	400,338,020	51,655,722	113,914,280	14,465,854	357,938,650	33,594,550	.....
August	451,993,742	105,125,123	398,908,078	53,085,664	112,672,280	11,249,167	367,863,337	23,497,584	.....
September	452,093,792	105,078,550	394,948,022	57,145,770	111,334,280	10,532,205	374,620,299	14,071,993	100,050
October	452,713,792	104,853,852	392,517,014	60,196,778	109,313,280	11,331,585	372,838,919	15,218,667	620,000
November	454,213,792	103,531,722	392,933,031	61,280,761	107,793,280	11,664,537	373,298,967	15,372,506	1,500,000
December	455,818,122	102,284,736	394,327,049	61,488,073	106,348,280	11,229,912	376,695,592	13,567,913	1,694,330
1898.									
January	457,068,122	101,379,158	397,589,829	59,478,293	105,531,280	14,959,562	373,515,940	19,921,767	1,250,000
February	458,100,347	100,819,300	399,079,443	59,020,904	104,669,280	11,621,077	380,287,427	14,942,036	1,032,225
March	459,200,422	99,829,432	400,637,825	58,562,597	103,615,280	6,859,606	387,770,898	9,081,079	1,100,075
April	459,884,422	99,551,902	401,323,414	58,561,008	102,691,280	3,638,930	392,686,574	5,497,462	684,000
May	461,180,422	98,443,952	403,583,999	57,596,423	101,981,280	6,507,239	391,225,265	8,221,406	1,296,000
June	461,996,522	98,195,494	404,736,731	57,258,791	101,207,280	7,897,424	390,659,080	11,065,865	816,100
July	462,306,522	97,871,696	405,013,186	57,293,336	100,213,280	9,803,068	389,119,436	13,552,166	319,000
August	464,004,522	96,141,237	406,266,209	57,738,313	99,260,280	8,117,311	392,990,373	10,156,793	1,698,000
September	464,834,597	96,060,097	404,045,769	60,788,828	98,549,280	6,636,769	393,425,735	8,136,362	830,075
October	466,836,597	94,675,773	403,399,342	63,437,255	97,833,280	7,575,929	391,177,575	9,064,260	2,002,000
November	468,238,597	93,359,250	404,258,264	63,980,333	97,193,280	6,345,958	392,818,146	7,606,088	1,402,000
December	470,244,857	92,192,207	405,061,304	65,183,553	96,523,280	7,098,509	392,331,995	8,398,236	2,006,260
1899.									
January	471,780,857	91,228,953	408,351,769	63,429,088	95,982,280	7,293,820	392,337,684	11,260,753	1,536,000
February	473,292,857	90,189,188	410,157,482	63,135,375	95,511,280	5,888,799	396,400,705	8,434,085	1,512,000

PAPER MONEY AND SUBSIDIARY COIN IN THE TREASURY, CASH BALANCE, CIRCULATION, AND PER CAPITA CIRCULATION, BY MONTHS.

AT THE END OF MONTH OF—	POPULATION.	CIRCULATION.	PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.	IN THE TREASURY.				
				Net United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Subsidiary coin.	Cash balance.
1893.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July	67,066,000	1,611,099,017	24.02	14,431,612	4,512,210	3,020,150	12,556,749	117,887,568
August	67,186,000	1,680,562,671	25.01	9,437,956	4,461,749	3,157,587	12,700,829	107,283,911
September	67,306,000	1,701,939,918	25.29	6,252,110	2,494,841	7,815,481	13,496,416	106,875,633
October	67,426,000	1,718,544,682	25.49	2,463,988	1,916,606	11,566,766	12,667,195	102,294,292
November	67,547,000	1,729,994,290	25.57	2,207,344	2,683,223	12,808,547	11,418,708	95,199,617
December	67,668,000	1,729,018,266	25.55	5,084,202	1,194,884	12,357,628	11,639,467	90,375,555
1894.								
January	67,789,000	1,739,783,511	25.66	2,367,190	2,315,506	14,526,887	15,932,847	84,082,100
February	67,910,000	1,695,765,152	24.90	5,265,488	11,902,418	12,640,479	16,594,888	138,662,365
March	68,032,000	1,690,714,808	24.85	3,369,660	11,583,462	10,758,809	17,073,268	133,950,025
April	68,153,000	1,691,793,990	24.82	4,967,328	11,786,958	8,750,430	17,502,120	125,097,789
May	68,275,000	1,675,669,401	24.54	16,840,927	12,605,052	7,520,998	17,582,973	117,854,336
June	68,397,000	1,664,061,232	24.33	18,973,645	17,722,408	6,598,893	17,889,531	117,584,436
July	68,519,000	1,657,574,239	24.19	20,421,791	22,528,599	4,895,465	17,970,261	105,965,352
August	68,642,000	1,646,671,481	23.99	24,840,913	27,598,929	5,567,162	17,720,835	127,148,097
September	68,764,000	1,655,038,982	24.07	23,642,535	30,113,893	5,017,748	16,809,713	119,919,719
October	68,887,000	1,672,093,422	24.27	12,161,311	28,425,172	4,970,188	15,424,113	107,340,146
November	69,010,000	1,637,226,451	23.72	12,635,527	26,404,164	4,169,283	14,724,392	144,507,606
December	69,134,000	1,626,568,622	23.52	34,914,158	28,369,950	4,759,972	14,483,636	153,337,580
1895.								
January	69,257,000	1,613,657,515	23.30	52,056,673	33,571,316	6,333,175	15,481,586	144,603,304
February	69,381,000	1,574,534,557	22.69	47,767,758	38,455,457	5,154,293	16,131,145	178,197,585
March	69,505,000	1,584,184,424	22.79	52,920,257	28,872,489	4,449,893	16,577,511	187,917,261
April	69,629,000	1,599,434,154	22.97	41,992,111	27,743,971	4,959,625	16,516,559	180,817,910
May	69,753,000	1,606,179,556	23.02	31,497,984	30,089,473	4,899,226	16,589,443	185,370,100
June	69,878,000	1,604,131,968	22.90	26,166,560	30,109,692	4,643,489	16,552,845	195,240,154
July	70,002,000	1,614,533,786	23.06	18,411,899	31,485,689	5,642,488	16,532,936	187,149,531
August	70,127,000	1,603,583,028	22.87	22,589,263	35,058,618	7,600,591	16,055,743	184,039,156
September	70,253,000	1,585,593,509	22.57	42,476,600	36,630,845	6,018,775	14,882,336	185,405,363
October	70,378,000	1,598,859,316	22.72	50,954,735	26,565,611	6,523,602	13,426,421	179,947,998
November	70,504,000	1,594,195,479	22.61	65,833,519	24,322,953	6,391,746	13,032,387	177,406,387
December	70,630,000	1,579,206,724	22.30	83,220,143	22,044,511	7,063,137	12,764,321	178,027,201
1896.								
January	70,756,000	1,589,720,607	22.47	72,010,176	27,103,095	10,409,650	14,186,737	171,591,778
February	70,882,000	1,528,742,057	21.59	73,397,443	30,644,730	8,630,538	14,820,486	262,707,007
March	71,009,000	1,528,629,463	21.53	79,932,534	32,352,314	7,110,998	15,246,374	271,641,748
April	71,136,000	1,540,007,082	21.65	76,401,635	32,148,255	7,587,158	15,459,003	270,090,061
May	71,263,000	1,521,584,283	21.35	87,688,261	33,304,774	10,002,385	15,637,424	267,193,211
June	71,390,000	1,509,725,200	21.15	89,389,658	34,465,919	10,668,620	15,730,976	267,432,037
July	71,518,000	1,514,963,142	21.18	67,730,478	34,394,748	11,933,422	16,004,145	256,158,472
August	71,645,000	1,539,169,634	21.48	76,321,282	35,478,756	13,815,370	15,909,801	243,346,401
September	71,774,000	1,582,302,289	22.05	62,828,716	36,040,233	12,834,494	15,126,483	241,154,455
October	71,902,000	1,627,055,614	22.63	57,265,690	39,269,516	12,981,868	14,632,846	233,572,762
November	72,030,000	1,646,444,746	22.86	33,505,533	41,529,379	13,063,471	14,570,200	225,357,098
December	72,159,000	1,650,223,400	22.87	34,983,258	35,645,059	14,278,970	14,215,766	228,320,380
1897.								
January	72,288,000	1,665,977,688	23.05	12,844,780	35,664,898	17,328,389	15,414,575	215,362,421
February	72,418,000	1,675,694,953	23.14	9,421,400	32,003,659	15,005,984	15,805,023	212,837,256
March	72,547,000	1,669,000,694	23.01	23,707,376	26,886,470	11,374,958	15,974,428	222,045,600
April	72,677,000	1,666,560,383	22.93	29,037,850	24,442,650	8,676,050	16,163,767	223,090,517
May	72,807,000	1,659,733,895	22.80	32,047,213	29,140,874	7,109,698	16,210,920	230,113,813
June	72,937,000	1,646,028,246	22.57	36,967,438	30,962,083	5,030,919	16,210,344	240,137,627
July	73,068,000	1,646,471,139	22.53	31,956,064	32,350,393	5,688,791	16,286,660	233,016,457
August	73,199,000	1,665,680,098	22.76	28,973,702	29,526,968	4,517,847	15,335,285	218,561,207
September	73,330,000	1,678,840,538	22.89	42,060,472	21,518,217	3,814,835	13,455,175	215,192,787
October	73,461,000	1,706,732,904	23.23	39,399,018	7,553,325	4,998,012	11,981,078	207,756,100
November	73,593,000	1,721,084,538	23.39	35,858,016	3,116,982	4,678,007	11,191,630	220,663,560
December	73,725,000	1,721,100,640	23.34	40,885,089	2,904,344	5,186,886	10,679,899	235,474,769
1898.								
January	73,857,000	1,729,991,228	23.42	23,883,606	4,733,614	6,162,923	11,707,173	223,871,786
February	73,990,000	1,726,376,659	23.33	34,086,830	6,204,850	3,417,842	11,960,092	225,564,204
March	74,122,000	1,756,058,645	23.69	41,475,429	3,905,848	2,739,491	11,965,278	226,166,944
April	74,255,000	1,806,761,442	24.33	31,717,698	3,102,310	2,728,961	12,018,967	215,810,622
May	74,389,000	1,839,898,256	24.73	29,938,029	1,754,425	3,086,734	12,044,089	195,754,815
June	74,522,000	1,843,435,749	24.74	34,063,687	2,541,700	4,770,474	12,097,682	205,657,571
July	74,656,000	1,809,198,344	24.23	46,621,839	4,477,727	4,723,423	11,995,083	254,844,215
August	74,790,000	1,792,096,545	23.96	54,005,435	4,339,626	4,415,724	10,993,448	291,487,085
September	74,925,000	1,816,596,392	24.24	37,385,851	1,841,997	3,689,265	9,196,708	307,557,504
October	75,059,000	1,866,575,782	24.87	20,324,396	1,263,500	4,659,172	7,854,660	300,238,275
November	75,194,000	1,886,879,504	25.09	14,754,970	1,411,798	4,675,744	6,673,204	292,376,790
December	75,330,000	1,897,301,412	25.19	13,809,268	1,580,529	5,480,141	5,959,343	294,761,095
1899.								
January	75,465,000	1,918,260,557	25.42	14,867,858	1,988,527	5,748,207	6,931,831	274,584,676
February	75,601,000	1,928,842,612	25.51	15,270,618	1,306,821	3,709,359	7,185,217	269,103,513

RECEIPTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CUSTOMS.	INTERNAL REVENUE.					MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTAL.
		Spirits.	Tobacco.	Fermented liquors.	Other sources.	Total.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	14,076,984.39	6,425,496.35	2,621,675.78	3,667,785.90	183,447.22	12,898,405.25	2,094,308.25	29,000,607.89
August.....	15,639,047.10	5,645,032.93	2,777,802.58	3,632,702.06	116,477.39	12,172,104.96	1,841,544.04	28,952,699.70
September.....	14,653,967.45	6,367,542.50	2,676,066.69	3,083,522.26	127,877.28	12,260,008.73	635,701.87	27,549,678.05
October.....	13,773,055.12	7,491,978.27	2,960,814.10	2,575,511.91	188,278.89	13,216,583.17	912,109.87	27,901,748.16
November.....	11,455,314.76	7,850,891.32	2,577,687.71	2,457,446.11	154,050.73	13,040,084.87	1,491,103.37	25,886,503.00
December.....	12,169,172.51	7,908,125.09	2,311,907.15	2,368,874.02	161,864.51	12,750,771.37	1,368,993.99	26,288,937.87
1896—January.....	16,380,796.30	6,340,157.58	2,539,340.65	2,014,711.75	147,191.34	11,041,401.32	1,815,472.59	29,237,070.21
February.....	13,906,393.38	6,383,119.83	2,260,057.27	2,042,781.61	120,794.01	10,806,752.72	1,346,082.32	26,050,228.42
March.....	13,344,215.85	6,656,415.50	2,532,155.33	2,211,310.60	136,383.22	11,530,264.65	1,160,668.56	26,041,149.06
April.....	11,815,731.20	5,884,154.02	2,372,695.20	2,851,673.99	117,053.92	11,225,577.13	1,241,584.70	24,282,893.09
May.....	10,949,793.79	5,711,203.97	2,500,105.67	3,255,169.70	83,629.72	11,550,109.06	2,143,814.06	24,643,717.81
June.....	11,351,803.65	7,026,121.58	2,581,320.98	3,617,653.97	127,620.53	13,352,717.06	3,089,698.74	27,794,219.45
Total, 12 months.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,029.11	33,784,234.48	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	180,621,751.67					146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.88
July.....	12,157,330.70	7,795,306.80	2,458,443.64	3,890,347.62	158,434.09	14,302,532.15	2,569,346.48	29,029,209.33
August.....	12,329,495.55	6,091,702.08	2,378,555.76	3,412,556.57	78,523.94	11,961,338.35	1,271,262.61	25,562,096.51
September.....	11,374,116.28	6,205,756.85	2,533,408.25	2,830,667.53	109,304.30	11,679,136.93	1,530,991.36	24,584,244.57
October.....	11,105,493.12	7,966,896.16	2,633,167.34	2,597,599.12	135,493.68	13,363,156.30	1,810,180.51	26,282,829.03
November.....	9,930,385.81	8,260,662.47	2,411,325.53	2,318,144.02	114,066.13	13,104,828.15	2,175,482.34	25,210,696.30
December.....	10,779,412.67	8,301,378.12	2,421,874.63	2,328,195.90	147,549.77	13,198,998.42	1,878,703.15	25,857,114.24
1897—January.....	11,276,874.15	6,701,616.93	2,432,249.15	1,785,324.00	112,649.89	11,031,839.97	2,008,279.93	24,316,994.05
February.....	11,587,260.37	6,504,421.64	2,355,402.66	1,908,429.20	120,168.45	10,888,421.05	1,925,315.06	24,400,997.38
March.....	22,833,856.46	6,794,420.89	2,680,903.44	2,309,188.51	141,181.46	11,925,694.30	1,458,111.32	36,217,662.03
April.....	24,454,351.74	6,142,290.08	2,570,146.25	2,620,932.07	113,844.64	11,447,213.04	1,910,570.26	37,812,135.04
May.....	16,885,011.55	4,964,522.68	2,735,302.94	2,883,618.68	89,567.53	10,673,011.83	2,239,367.21	29,797,390.59
June.....	21,560,152.36	6,088,952.53	3,099,411.24	3,586,733.77	111,988.06	12,887,085.60	2,137,470.20	36,584,708.25
Total, 12 months.....	176,273,740.76	81,817,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65					146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
July.....	16,966,801.65	8,432,767.40	2,445,515.20	8,758,798.80	130,750.58	19,767,831.98	2,292,730.62	39,027,364.25
August.....	6,987,702.84	6,723,185.14	2,742,403.91	1,634,801.08	92,804.76	11,193,194.89	842,717.24	19,023,614.97
September.....	7,943,100.28	7,287,568.96	3,026,453.68	2,277,545.89	110,407.24	12,701,975.77	1,288,022.39	21,933,098.44
October.....	9,713,494.02	7,852,696.73	3,088,652.52	2,510,301.34	163,222.21	13,614,872.80	1,063,047.84	24,391,415.26
November.....	9,830,025.00	8,243,332.40	2,849,997.82	2,249,062.55	188,256.71	13,530,640.48	2,002,930.81	43,363,605.29
December.....	11,660,788.74	9,113,764.48	2,615,101.12	2,431,319.57	182,743.80	14,342,928.97	2,342,980.61	59,646,698.35
1898—January.....	14,269,492.08	7,572,290.21	2,613,176.94	2,111,936.82	145,795.76	12,443,199.73	2,443,936.58	37,333,628.39
February.....	15,040,680.74	7,007,035.66	2,661,754.35	2,162,277.65	172,251.24	12,003,318.90	1,528,358.69	28,572,358.33
March.....	15,450,431.94	7,021,296.21	2,941,139.46	2,777,774.03	148,024.33	12,888,234.03	2,420,084.53	32,958,750.50
April.....	14,193,976.99	7,208,232.27	4,207,209.02	3,248,735.73	154,860.02	14,819,037.04	2,999,928.99	33,012,943.02
May.....	13,466,534.17	7,490,551.27	3,754,062.82	3,131,505.92	116,088.69	14,492,208.70	2,116,075.41	30,074,818.28
June.....	14,555,729.11	6,206,082.07	3,285,055.53	6,221,361.76	970,866.44	16,683,365.80	2,270,218.32	33,509,313.23
Total, 12 months.....	150,078,758.16					168,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,608.31
July.....	15,169,680.96	6,660,377.23	3,444,877.67	7,352,821.23	78,712,621.16	26,170,697.29	2,506,730.33	43,847,108.58
August.....	16,249,699.00	8,331,945.03	4,111,128.06	7,053,661.39	4,519,200.50	24,015,934.98	1,517,073.81	41,782,707.79
September.....	16,759,574.06	7,504,130.09	4,229,028.84	6,448,178.73	13,373,950.88	21,555,288.54	1,463,207.44	39,778,070.04
October.....	15,555,234.17	9,372,259.20	4,819,480.60	5,327,675.82	3,337,096.25	22,356,511.87	1,718,305.04	39,630,051.08
November.....	15,335,200.88	8,470,708.74	4,337,018.81	4,814,022.75	4,714,903.28	21,336,743.58	2,228,970.95	38,900,915.41
December.....	16,764,324.82	10,397,753.61	3,830,432.15	4,649,733.73	73,743,399.21	22,621,318.70	2,019,150.02	41,404,753.54
1899—January.....	17,991,741.40	8,292,801.02	4,313,505.44	3,861,704.80	4,494,045.54	20,982,056.80	2,801,132.00	41,774,930.20
February.....	16,921,572.48	7,618,071.13	4,348,233.57	3,787,531.31	3,488,463.68	19,242,299.69	1,815,460.55	37,909,332.72
Total, 8 months.....	130,747,027.77					178,280,851.45	16,070,030.14	325,097,909.36
Twelve months ending—								
June 30, 1892.....	177,336,944.84	90,068,757.28	31,000,493.07	30,037,452.77	1,508,956.36	152,615,659.48	20,120,411.34	350,073,015.06
1892 <i>a</i>	177,452,964.15					153,971,072.57	23,518,747.52	354,937,784.24
1893.....	203,142,070.81	93,744,446.80	31,889,711.74	32,548,983.07	1,846,034.31	160,020,175.92	18,392,902.71	381,564,749.44
1893 <i>a</i>	203,355,016.73					161,027,623.93	21,436,988.12	385,819,628.78
1894.....	131,807,758.88	84,813,592.06	28,617,898.62	31,414,788.04	1,876,481.45	146,722,760.17	15,133,841.84	293,664,360.89
1894 <i>a</i>	131,818,530.62					147,111,232.81	18,792,255.82	297,722,019.25
1895.....	151,907,588.94	80,186,767.84	29,704,910.63	31,640,617.53	2,037,914.55	143,570,210.55	14,085,577.23	309,563,376.72
1895 <i>a</i>	152,168,617.45					143,421,672.02	17,889,785.64	313,990,075.11
1896.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,029.11	33,784,234.48	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
1896 <i>a</i>	160,021,751.67					146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.88
1897.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
1897 <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65					146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
1898.....	150,078,758.16					168,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,608.31

a Corrected figures.*b* Includes \$15,194,618.26 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*c* Includes \$31,715,204.14 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*d* Includes \$8,538,401.35 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*e* Includes \$3,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*f* Includes \$2,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*g* Includes \$6,133,695.03 from documentary and proprietary stamps.*h* Includes \$3,067,514.98 from documentary and proprietary stamps.*i* Includes \$2,822,027.45 from documentary and proprietary stamps.*j* Includes \$2,968,247.49 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*k* Includes \$3,217,698.20 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*l* Includes \$3,344,877.41 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*m* Includes \$4,035,072.98 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.*n* Includes \$3,211,484.73 from stamp taxes, schedules A and B.

EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS.	WAR.	NAVY.	INDIANS.	PENSIONS.	INTEREST.	TOTAL.	EXCESS OF—	
								Receipts.	Expenditures.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	10,047,562.11	5,378,939.67	2,880,486.94	677,874.53	12,755,427.42	7,307,773.14	38,548,063.81	.....	9,478,366
August	7,758,621.49	6,551,124.55	2,341,435.71	1,785,610.49	12,302,349.43	1,849,043.25	32,588,184.97	.....	3,635,488
September	4,918,899.66	5,745,339.32	1,855,477.02	796,508.84	10,707,909.14	296,347.99	24,320,481.97	3,229,196	.....
October	9,964,099.90	4,444,914.04	2,322,992.94	712,511.97	11,890,475.06	5,168,431.32	34,503,425.23	.....	6,601,677
November	6,138,883.49	3,823,488.39	2,138,186.80	764,794.54	12,235,039.26	2,098,890.04	27,199,283.42	.....	1,212,780
December	6,106,797.88	4,553,113.52	2,512,895.43	952,671.28	11,366,825.71	322,013.42	25,814,317.24	474,621	.....
1896—January	8,643,635.72	3,607,810.50	2,488,229.32	841,126.13	9,965,237.21	6,983,295.77	32,529,340.65	.....	3,291,670
February	5,819,461.68	3,029,772.12	2,232,231.60	1,082,720.93	12,317,467.48	2,268,302.64	26,740,956.45	.....	690,728
March	6,782,825.05	3,477,914.14	2,305,774.20	2,326,141.16	11,709,996.83	672,342.57	27,274,993.95	.....	1,233,845
April	7,520,508.90	3,278,732.20	2,288,478.72	680,886.38	10,077,392.98	5,141,382.40	28,987,381.58	.....	4,704,488
May	6,691,440.00	3,453,332.64	1,820,864.70	837,149.22	12,803,696.37	2,820,109.63	28,426,592.58	.....	3,782,875
June	6,898,052.06	3,587,040.63	2,475,241.09	726,825.78	11,299,615.98	458,013.70	25,444,789.30	2,349,430	.....
Total, 12 months	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
Total, 12 months a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,434,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
July	12,343,931.46	5,225,425.33	3,756,250.99	951,582.22	13,100,774.51	6,710,503.54	42,088,468.05	.....	13,059,259
August	11,907,121.21	4,512,522.35	2,216,720.17	1,731,155.29	12,306,341.04	2,937,816.59	35,701,676.65	.....	10,139,580
September	5,972,532.70	4,848,095.54	3,139,471.95	711,076.81	11,485,675.15	422,682.88	26,579,555.03	.....	1,995,290
October	10,352,715.23	4,148,470.28	3,377,090.89	721,025.76	10,346,052.29	5,032,923.04	33,978,277.49	.....	7,695,448
November	8,452,859.26	4,877,976.24	2,456,108.26	1,098,282.58	13,178,930.96	3,196,562.84	33,260,720.14	.....	8,050,024
December	4,481,720.37	3,887,275.70	2,542,238.83	982,139.02	11,431,331.16	487,959.73	23,812,664.86	2,044,449	.....
1897—January	4,940,484.03	3,842,874.49	3,187,993.52	999,245.07	10,534,740.78	6,764,051.40	30,269,389.20	.....	5,952,395
February	6,159,172.15	3,128,621.39	2,374,674.69	967,127.31	13,208,413.69	2,958,047.43	28,796,056.66	.....	4,395,059
March	5,929,795.97	3,046,103.81	2,694,834.97	2,918,751.93	12,166,775.60	456,735.56	27,212,997.84	9,004,664	.....
April	8,101,335.64	4,287,020.47	2,744,078.93	573,820.93	10,763,090.76	5,602,750.74	32,072,097.47	5,740,038	.....
May	6,419,410.97	4,214,955.76	2,537,576.03	470,406.29	12,393,334.35	3,073,575.77	29,109,259.17	688,131	.....
June	5,405,764.79	2,886,016.91	3,563,922.73	894,870.72	10,039,147.44	144,971.96	22,934,694.55	13,650,014	.....
Total, 12 months	90,466,843.78	48,995,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,044,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
Total, 12 months a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
July	13,977,446.41	10,736,758.90	2,998,809.47	769,238.53	14,958,378.20	6,660,277.33	50,100,908.84	.....	11,073,545
August	7,597,311.96	5,022,852.65	2,672,691.83	976,595.91	13,792,376.34	2,926,218.72	33,588,047.41	.....	14,564,432
September	6,201,757.29	4,276,022.16	2,787,253.20	723,857.33	10,992,078.37	387,847.36	25,368,815.71	.....	3,435,718
October	8,740,118.06	5,268,718.99	2,988,575.75	600,954.14	10,885,319.63	5,211,825.54	33,701,512.11	.....	9,319,097
November	6,111,794,983.19	5,376,080.29	2,736,654.83	1,236,658.28	13,649,843.72	3,016,818.53	37,810,838.86	5,552,766	.....
December	7,179,796.08	3,728,420.73	2,984,538.81	638,166.07	12,205,327.64	897,842.74	27,034,092.07	32,012,606	.....
1898—January	8,966,127.38	4,946,098.41	3,230,106.51	1,040,429.36	12,375,223.33	6,138,726.07	36,696,711.06	636,917	.....
February	5,065,112.80	3,780,749.78	2,056,766.56	735,985.28	11,978,924.88	2,981,716.56	26,599,255.86	1,973,102	.....
March	6,118,243.17	5,159,571.11	5,241,442.99	2,716,526.47	12,290,628.25	256,032.46	31,882,444.45	1,076,306	.....
April	9,024,965.14	6,223,814.48	12,556,922.74	522,599.28	10,867,716.66	5,108,003.75	44,314,062.05	.....	11,301,119
May	5,706,900.11	17,093,505.86	9,093,577.20	566,437.67	12,382,085.55	3,007,313.06	47,849,909.45	.....	17,775,091
June	6,213,628.59	19,723,804.77	9,506,021.10	448,372.98	11,068,020.12	892,434.09	47,852,281.65	.....	14,343,968
Total, 12 months	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
July	12,061,387.26	34,774,153.27	8,514,279.61	669,868.55	12,657,894.50	5,585,892.25	74,263,475.44	.....	30,416,367
August	7,782,314.74	25,163,235.94	6,386,277.49	766,084.26	13,084,735.14	3,078,070.30	56,260,717.87	.....	14,478,010
September	6,393,964.28	24,643,374.90	7,231,219.89	1,162,509.97	10,937,670.22	3,855,181.79	54,223,921.14	.....	14,444,851
October	10,991,284.64	22,895,029.54	5,314,567.82	937,969.74	9,965,960.26	3,877,464.68	53,982,270.68	.....	14,352,226
November	6,905,766.22	20,301,876.06	4,676,181.03	1,225,483.56	13,688,918.66	2,202,755.20	49,090,980.73	.....	10,190,065
December	6,663,466.77	18,184,676.06	4,373,729.90	897,254.51	11,171,893.17	573,787.15	41,864,807.56	.....	460,014
1899—January	9,814,421.24	18,656,554.96	5,226,658.74	950,676.41	10,067,015.51	5,507,448.89	51,122,776.75	.....	9,347,841
February	6,299,421.19	15,132,098.05	4,430,215.87	1,084,874.15	12,791,491.82	4,180,828.41	43,918,929.49	.....	5,933,597
Total, 8 months	66,911,026.34	179,840,998.87	46,153,125.35	7,694,721.15	95,265,579.28	28,861,428.67	424,727,879.66	.....	99,629,971
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892	100,077,639.63	46,903,851.31	29,214,672.13	11,100,063.59	134,097,755.97	23,379,550.97	344,773,533.60	5,299,482	.....
1892 a	99,841,988.61	46,895,456.30	29,174,188.98	11,150,577.67	134,583,052.79	23,378,116.23	345,023,330.58	.....	9,919,454
1893	103,605,015.02	49,646,517.55	30,138,207.72	13,330,072.80	159,347,202.31	27,264,728.18	383,331,743.58	.....	1,766,994
1893 a	103,732,799.27	49,641,773.47	30,136,084.43	13,345,347.27	159,357,557.87	27,264,392.18	383,477,954.49	.....	2,341,674
1894	100,900,010.70	51,325,644.35	31,383,463.16	10,282,279.56	141,169,383.42	27,869,027.56	365,989,808.75	.....	72,325,448
1894 a	101,913,884.07	51,567,929.85	31,701,293.79	10,293,481.52	141,177,284.96	27,841,405.64	367,525,279.83	.....	69,863,261
1895	92,262,213.09	51,810,378.10	28,812,287.67	9,922,267.74	141,386,902.86	30,928,236.37	356,122,285.83	.....	46,553,909
1895 a	93,279,730.14	51,804,750.13	28,797,795.73	9,939,754.21	141,395,228.87	30,978,080.21	356,195,298.29	.....	42,805,223
1896	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
1896 a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,434,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
1897	90,466,843.78	48,995,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,044,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
1897 a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
1898	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21

a Corrected figures.

b Includes \$4,549,368.26 on account of sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

NATIONAL-BANK STATISTICS.

[From Report of Comptroller of the Currency.]

DATE, FIRST OF EACH MONTH.	No. of banks.	Authorized capital stock.	SPECIE HELD.		U. S. bonds on deposit to secure circulation.	Circulation secured by U. S. bonds.	Lawful money on deposit to redeem circulation.	Total national bank notes outstanding.
			Gold.	Silver.				
1893.								
August	3,807	Dollars. 699,034,665	Dollars. 150,634,962	Dollars. 36,126,212	Dollars. 182,617,850	Dollars. 163,221,294	Dollars. 20,553,854	Dollars. 183,755,148
September		697,963,165			204,086,200	178,636,718	20,343,650	198,980,368
October	3,781	698,128,165	182,342,948	42,360,912	209,407,100	187,864,985	20,825,595	208,690,580
November		695,953,165			209,416,350	188,016,228	21,295,765	209,311,993
December		695,703,165			208,942,100	187,697,820	21,250,279	208,948,105
1894.								
January	3,787	693,353,165	203,508,089	47,745,559	205,961,600	185,194,522	23,344,322	208,538,844
February		691,893,165			203,594,500	182,887,853	24,974,254	207,862,107
March	3,777	684,690,165	199,185,936	56,980,649	202,052,350	181,148,710	26,330,810	207,479,520
April		682,538,165			202,933,850	181,066,268	26,209,427	207,875,095
May	3,774	680,438,165	204,820,488	55,112,435	201,330,250	180,601,247	27,231,785	207,833,032
June		678,998,165			201,251,500	180,613,585	26,631,434	207,245,019
July		678,023,165			201,691,750	180,682,521	26,690,723	207,353,244
August	3,770	677,258,165	199,635,167	51,035,485	202,268,500	181,149,511	26,389,555	207,539,066
September		676,568,165			202,276,950	181,300,217	26,211,998	207,592,215
October	3,755	674,866,365	196,927,230	40,323,424	200,953,700	180,251,065	27,220,403	207,471,501
November		672,671,365			199,706,200	179,401,364	28,071,239	207,472,603
December		671,471,365			197,349,700	177,073,359	29,612,978	206,686,337
1895.								
January	3,737	670,906,365	175,794,767	42,246,456	196,707,700	176,667,467	29,938,243	206,605,710
February		669,156,365			195,826,100	175,674,250	29,623,321	205,297,571
March	3,728	668,146,365	178,160,435	42,771,206	197,116,700	176,485,063	28,558,588	205,043,651
April		667,192,265			201,176,200	179,847,383	27,693,828	207,541,211
May	3,711	665,893,265	177,264,387	41,382,213	204,356,800	182,534,324	27,185,526	209,719,850
June		665,123,265			206,652,300	184,969,578	26,509,138	211,478,716
July	3,715	666,363,265	171,217,437	43,209,757	207,680,800	180,062,098	25,628,937	211,691,035
August		664,659,265			207,832,800	186,577,433	24,794,612	211,372,045
September		664,855,265			209,447,556	187,990,343	24,348,857	212,339,200
October	3,712	664,425,265	162,025,290	33,312,021	210,196,550	188,596,877	24,255,057	212,851,934
November		664,136,915			211,717,800	190,180,961	23,706,669	213,887,630
December	3,706	664,091,915	168,244,431	38,467,979	212,048,950	190,460,526	23,491,072	213,960,598
1896.								
January	3,711	664,076,915			212,495,100	190,616,160	23,100,813	213,716,973
February		663,851,915			212,655,300	190,969,637	22,506,910	213,496,547
March	3,699	661,946,915	156,894,031	39,123,429	217,944,950	195,048,955	22,132,963	217,181,917
April		661,431,915			222,998,800	199,723,005	21,593,022	221,316,027
May	3,694	660,496,915	157,761,800	44,611,646	226,478,550	203,403,239	20,786,098	224,189,337
June		659,951,915			228,651,800	205,215,839	20,072,096	225,287,935
July	3,689	659,106,915	161,853,560	41,981,889	228,915,950	205,538,929	20,461,618	226,000,547
August		658,376,915			229,544,450	206,103,504	19,926,538	226,030,040
September		658,126,915			235,078,700	210,293,574	19,320,322	229,613,896
October	3,676	658,126,915	160,723,890	40,064,742	238,773,200	214,667,694	18,971,663	233,699,357
November		658,304,915			241,103,350	216,510,014	18,474,430	234,984,444
December	3,661	657,969,915	181,020,260	44,520,449	241,272,150	216,009,684	18,789,206	235,398,890
1897.								
January	3,667	655,334,715			240,236,150	215,850,307	19,812,811	235,663,118
February		654,174,915			237,190,100	213,186,711	21,907,951	235,094,662
March	3,634	653,719,895	188,304,756	45,644,107	234,797,800	210,915,415	23,320,912	234,226,227
April		651,658,395			233,693,350	209,767,702	24,027,439	233,795,111
May	3,614	648,613,395	190,396,251	45,680,132	232,749,300	208,768,549	24,119,435	232,887,984
June	3,620	646,788,395			230,915,550	207,139,381	24,736,460	231,875,841
July	3,619	643,933,395	193,686,596	47,236,006	230,471,550	206,775,898	24,665,788	231,441,686
August	3,617	641,229,395			230,111,300	205,944,175	24,322,490	230,268,734
September	3,614	639,488,295			229,471,100	207,100,170	24,752,547	229,968,497
October	3,614	638,903,295	195,895,108	43,492,594	229,348,550	205,604,781	25,120,710	230,130,960
November	3,617	637,915,295			227,742,550	203,926,950	26,120,685	230,047,635
December	3,615	636,810,295	207,693,145	45,070,408	225,359,300	201,735,572	27,814,135	229,549,767
1898.								
January	3,611	639,440,295			218,992,950	196,146,090	32,784,190	228,920,280
February	3,602	637,527,295	222,855,517	48,522,409	215,487,650	192,724,299	33,720,607	226,444,906
March	3,596	638,385,295			213,414,650	191,056,818	33,774,253	224,891,071
April	3,594	635,060,295			214,365,400	191,611,600	32,786,419	224,398,019
May	3,590	631,635,295	267,614,954	49,537,819	217,162,650	194,138,732	31,891,404	226,030,136
June	3,588	631,035,295			219,377,900	196,155,935	31,456,910	227,612,845
July	3,590	630,025,295	284,921,377	50,755,754	220,201,400	197,078,092	30,738,610	227,816,702
August	3,589	629,315,295			218,525,650	195,692,685	31,004,185	226,696,870
September	3,589	629,151,295	250,670,426	43,203,733	220,496,160	196,775,704	30,402,911	227,178,615
October	3,592	625,356,295			229,960,120	205,056,063	30,300,887	225,356,950
November	3,598	624,552,195			235,618,470	210,045,456	29,500,825	229,546,281
December	3,594	625,967,195	281,475,196	47,125,515	239,349,130	213,918,643	28,783,395	242,702,028
1899.								
January	3,590	622,482,195			239,943,050	214,016,088	29,719,017	243,735,105
February	3,585	613,076,895			236,479,840	211,041,299	32,200,202	243,211,511
March					236,075,690	211,155,017	31,747,351	242,902,367

VALUES OF FOREIGN COINS, 1889-1899.

[Prepared by the Director of the Mint.]

COUNTRY.	Standard.	Monetary unit.	Value January 1—											Jan. 1—
			1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	
Argentina.....	Gold and silver.	Peso.....	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	
Austria-Hungary.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	
Belgium.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Bolivia.....	Silver.....	Boliviano.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 1	.43, 9	
Brazil.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	
British Possessions, N. A. (except Newfoundland).	do.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	
British Honduras.....	do.....	do.....											1.00, 0	
Central American States:														
Costa Rica.....	Gold.....	Colon.....										.46, 5	.46, 5	
Do.....	Silver.....	Peso.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4			
Guatemala.....	do.....	do.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	
Honduras.....														
Nicaragua.....														
Salvador.....														
Chile.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	c. 36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	
China.....	Silver.....	Tael	Amoy.....									.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0
			Canton.....									.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8
			Chefoo.....							.70, 4	.75, 9	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9
			Chin Kiang.....									.74, 9	.66, 9	.69, 3
			Fuchau.....									.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6
			Haikwan (customs).....	1.14, 8	1.27, 0	1.13, 7	1.01, 0	.84, 9	.74, 9	.80, 8	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2	
			Hankow.....									.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4
			Hongkong.....									(a)	(a)	(a)
			Niuchwang.....									.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5
			Ningpo.....									.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2
			Shanghai.....	1.00, 5	1.03, 1	1.13, 9	1.02, 1	.90, 6	.76, 2	.67, 3	.72, 5	.70, 0	.62, 6	.64, 8
			Swatow.....									.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5
Takao.....									.77, 2	.69, 0	.71, 4			
Tien-Tsin.....								.71, 4	.76, 9	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8		
Colombia.....	do.....	Peso.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	
Cuba.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	
Denmark.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	
Ecuador.....	Silver.....	Sucre.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	
Egypt.....	Gold.....	Pound (100 piasters).....	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	
Finland.....	do.....	Mark.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
France.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
German Empire.....	Gold.....	Mark.....	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	
Great Britain.....	do.....	Pound sterling.....	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	
Greece.....	Gold and silver.	Drachma.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Haiti.....	do.....	Gourde.....	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	
India.....	Silver.....	Rupree (d).....	.32, 3	.33, 2	.36, 6	.32, 8	.29, 2	.24, 5	.21, 6	.23, 3	.22, 5	.20, 1	.20, 8	
Italy.....	Gold and silver.	Lira.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Japan.....	do.....	Yen {Gold.....	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	
		Silver.....	.73, 4	.75, 2	.83, 1	.74, 5	.66, 1	.55, 6	.49, 1	.52, 9	.51, 1			
Liberia.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	
Mexico.....	Silver.....	do.....	.73, 9	.75, 8	.83, 7	.75, 0	.66, 6	.56, 0	.49, 5	.53, 8	.51, 5	.46, 0	.47, 7	
Netherlands.....	Gold and silver.	Florin.....	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	
Newfoundland.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	
Norway.....	do.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	
Persia.....	Silver.....	Kran.....								.09, 0	.08, 7	.07, 8	.08, 1	
Peru.....	do.....	Sol.....	.68, 0	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.48, 6	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	
Portugal.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	
Russia.....	do.....	Ruble (e) {Gold.....	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	
		Silver.....	.54, 4	.55, 8	.61, 7	.55, 3	.49, 1	.41, 3	.36, 4	.39, 3	.37, 9			
Spain.....	Gold and silver.	Peseta.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Sweden.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	
Switzerland.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Tripoli.....	Silver.....	Mahbub of 20 piasters.....	.61, 4	.62, 9	.69, 5	.62, 3	.55, 3	.46, 5	.41, 1	.44, 3				
Turkey.....	Gold.....	Piaster.....	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	
Uruguay.....	do.....	Peso.....									1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	
Venezuela.....	Gold and silver.	Bolivar.....	b. 15, 6	b. 14, 0	b. 15, 4	b. 13, 8	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	

a The "British dollar" has the same legal value as the Mexican dollar in Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and Labuan.

b Value of the silver bolivar.

c The law of February 11, 1895, introduced the gold standard, with an ideal gold peso weighing .599 grams as the monetary unit.

d Value of the rupee to be determined by consular certificate.

e By Imperial ukase January 3-15, 1897, 1½ paper rubles = 1 gold ruble.

BANKING AND CLEARING-HOUSE STATISTICS, NEW YORK AND LONDON.

MONTHS.	CLEARING-HOUSE RETURNS.			ASSOCIATED BANKS OF NEW YORK. (b)	BANK OF ENGLAND. (b)		
	New York City. (a)	Outside of New York. (a)	London. (a)	Specie.	Coin and bul- lion.	Reserve.	Circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1893.							
August.....	1,958,039,036	1,402,797,948	2,514,802,807	55,884,800	133,941,492	81,821,700	132,173,629
September.....	1,841,195,799	1,493,885,237	2,385,616,698	66,860,500	127,859,000	80,550,000	127,362,948
October.....	2,229,354,959	1,807,114,992	2,519,956,431	84,372,700	130,256,700	81,049,000	129,261,540
November.....	2,256,847,962	1,844,734,652	2,506,232,901	97,116,500	126,416,000	78,487,350	127,752,205
December.....	2,215,434,676	1,861,423,709	2,516,924,988	104,368,800	124,961,400	81,780,800	123,228,515
1894.							
January.....	2,165,564,056	1,888,002,030	2,342,357,180	111,073,400	121,417,200	75,681,200	125,303,177
February.....	1,724,039,790	1,482,614,610	2,518,214,224	129,558,900	138,439,500	99,440,100	119,053,277
March.....	2,048,811,551	1,705,763,757	2,661,883,770	97,526,300	147,594,100	111,409,400	117,941,817
April.....	2,018,318,188	1,704,410,893	2,675,324,310	99,623,000	150,361,200	109,616,300	122,502,117
May.....	2,093,135,412	1,801,476,972	2,597,601,438	100,082,100	155,436,594	113,075,974	124,117,820
June.....	1,898,580,234	1,703,067,084	2,503,755,852	99,018,600	180,355,361	140,589,949	121,522,613
July.....	1,843,418,776	1,671,682,872	2,610,250,338	91,223,000	189,313,454	142,590,917	128,479,737
August.....	1,871,609,351	1,093,598,268	2,394,614,851	90,546,900	186,831,350	140,893,074	127,695,476
September.....	1,865,031,013	1,660,111,815	2,232,711,268	91,187,800	193,754,238	150,346,517	125,164,921
October.....	2,281,509,977	2,007,489,621	2,581,630,318	92,215,100	182,274,899	135,735,294	128,296,805
November.....	2,241,483,312	1,931,581,376	2,510,776,370	93,755,600	171,071,199	128,690,821	124,137,578
December.....	2,336,304,700	1,977,583,869	2,702,253,935	76,527,600	166,415,919	125,259,588	122,913,531
1895.							
January.....	2,394,672,415	2,007,996,504	2,961,128,988	75,867,000	161,037,736	116,661,217	126,133,719
February.....	1,864,441,227	1,546,705,226	2,742,426,111	81,555,500	179,095,960	138,607,240	122,245,921
March.....	2,240,741,015	1,797,494,058	2,911,369,026	69,592,500	180,969,708	140,718,352	122,008,557
April.....	2,373,478,979	1,886,085,068	2,863,633,527	64,471,200	183,681,273	138,307,171	127,131,302
May.....	2,833,846,640	2,030,511,248	3,149,350,600	69,728,200	180,237,013	134,303,701	127,690,512
June.....	2,480,839,052	1,923,480,085	2,762,994,807	70,641,000	180,166,960	134,977,444	126,946,717
July.....	2,527,267,406	2,042,823,904	3,453,516,592	64,496,500	184,605,023	138,325,396	128,036,740
August.....	2,316,813,044	1,830,241,274	3,210,196,458	65,474,800	185,394,447	136,925,859	130,225,789
September.....	2,372,980,009	1,808,379,604	2,974,599,460	64,427,100	202,507,956	155,028,849	153,588,273
October.....	2,933,618,760	2,311,092,416	3,572,896,703	60,937,900	208,151,471	157,963,135	131,945,537
November.....	2,593,205,250	2,152,394,884	3,318,802,139	64,208,800	199,052,717	153,127,533	127,682,385
December.....	2,909,892,035	2,169,407,592	3,028,865,802	67,371,900	215,774,600	171,902,908	125,628,892
1896.							
January.....	2,562,413,708	2,046,320,782	3,182,019,423	68,954,700	218,798,113	171,746,723	128,808,590
February.....	2,372,991,630	1,728,770,777	3,029,250,255	76,845,900	236,490,921	194,400,927	123,847,194
March.....	2,316,256,654	1,811,813,648	3,042,214,611	61,538,100	238,249,966	196,524,644	123,482,523
April.....	2,393,455,325	1,895,399,642	2,856,100,185	59,251,600	229,030,605	180,690,542	130,097,362
May.....	2,340,091,793	1,886,793,797	3,115,134,247	59,324,000	229,328,260	183,313,799	127,771,661
June.....	2,414,383,739	1,879,465,515	3,220,445,307	61,808,500	232,791,709	186,270,402	128,278,507
July.....	2,480,389,690	1,882,869,393	3,393,755,972	61,866,300	235,953,499	181,630,000	136,080,699
August.....	1,971,162,104	1,580,390,199	2,856,679,299	46,254,700	229,422,125	175,789,788	135,389,607
September.....	2,063,034,193	1,638,933,015	2,771,072,697	49,196,900	214,341,503	171,159,946	133,938,757
October.....	2,613,816,577	1,981,164,613	3,290,089,789	53,801,100	192,292,171	136,963,229	137,086,142
November.....	2,686,840,544	1,920,616,048	2,985,563,685	63,702,600	174,255,773	123,953,585	132,059,383
December.....	2,655,939,099	2,051,632,108	3,120,696,655	75,676,900	173,157,409	127,625,292	127,239,318
1897.							
January.....	2,589,347,332	1,919,870,148	3,101,619,977	76,342,300	167,982,295	120,430,507	129,309,135
February.....	2,045,130,179	1,646,078,618	2,889,927,227	79,684,600	181,559,373	137,451,582	125,864,991
March.....	2,387,110,544	1,830,313,900	3,167,965,893	85,061,700	189,937,432	144,802,664	126,891,968
April.....	2,249,763,759	1,861,834,318	2,818,642,735	85,988,300	186,856,723	134,222,484	134,387,440
May.....	2,315,157,306	1,858,145,811	2,958,277,219	87,329,800	176,428,705	123,945,400	134,239,969
June.....	2,561,546,708	1,905,041,273	2,807,868,304	89,310,900	175,321,653	122,861,318	134,217,535
July.....	2,833,918,896	1,978,735,980	3,175,415,583	90,496,600	178,696,674	122,925,440	137,528,434
August.....	2,936,856,960	1,969,390,044	3,035,289,582	92,129,800	175,127,368	118,211,777	138,672,792
September.....	3,452,329,044	2,119,369,296	2,827,217,507	92,423,400	174,088,025	119,563,296	136,281,928
October.....	3,336,060,361	2,296,614,664	3,287,491,078	92,365,100	161,548,860	105,032,832	138,273,228
November.....	3,121,440,430	2,271,452,169	3,140,556,843	102,176,000	153,267,989	100,811,694	134,213,496
December.....	3,588,361,952	2,382,327,130	3,306,047,038	104,150,500	157,564,472	106,257,740	133,063,931
1898.							
January.....	3,690,282,724	2,321,724,811	3,497,217,762	106,588,500	151,942,116	96,770,387	136,928,930
February.....	3,516,257,710	2,036,091,681	3,146,927,092	114,088,200	160,274,221	110,830,045	131,201,375
March.....	3,418,019,443	2,222,720,082	3,410,029,548	120,125,900	164,691,302	114,876,891	131,574,612
April.....	2,868,945,026	2,103,431,502	3,205,602,482	141,556,200	146,160,228	89,304,884	187,282,410
May.....	3,145,411,658	2,101,088,998	3,215,074,664	159,791,500	164,062,937	110,565,601	135,254,537
June.....	3,265,851,790	2,233,533,405	3,176,854,817	175,502,100	167,123,978	126,754,188	135,176,990
July.....	2,977,035,218	2,039,810,281	3,349,573,018	186,070,200	180,562,003	123,145,892	139,173,811
August.....	3,511,768,974	2,080,547,076	3,033,858,831	168,988,000	167,792,531	111,308,013	138,241,721
September.....	3,418,988,661	2,082,656,049	3,074,844,494	148,378,300	169,120,856	115,778,902	135,009,102
October.....	3,534,241,280	2,394,923,013	3,368,523,169	136,314,400	154,496,493	99,211,082	137,042,611
November.....	3,972,632,392	2,501,101,963	3,249,726,038	157,428,800	155,107,750	102,681,479	134,182,472
December.....	4,652,357,561	2,704,839,800	3,647,733,740	158,462,300	152,081,741	101,560,828	140,221,628
1899.							
January.....	5,690,749,776	2,801,939,029	3,895,988,505	173,442,100	147,653,625	94,355,975	135,054,841
February.....	4,550,639,231	2,429,704,424		197,207,800	160,462,322	111,784,230	130,455,025
March.....				198,407,100	164,214,738	115,639,510	130,326,427

a Entire months.

b First week of month.

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	BANK OF FRANCE.			AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN BANK.			IMPERIAL GERMAN BANK.	
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.
1893.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
August.....	334,481,520	248,600,200	679,144,408	51,760,000	79,737,600	226,194,920	196,489,800	210,597,788
September.....	328,960,800	247,845,900	663,659,205	51,949,800	79,650,000	237,752,858	194,178,200	228,389,712
October.....	330,104,400	247,805,700	675,051,681	51,833,000	79,260,600	247,821,646	179,997,200	258,362,485
November.....	330,620,200	246,429,800	689,943,171	51,954,400	78,919,200	241,860,184	189,238,700	245,519,792
December.....	333,043,700	247,407,900	673,071,016	51,643,200	78,876,200	237,928,052	201,774,800	231,552,937
1894.								
January.....	330,625,100	245,120,700	703,121,653	51,730,800	79,489,400	242,964,879	196,801,200	261,004,995
February.....	331,282,000	245,510,000	702,343,013	49,482,500	79,080,000	208,690,120	213,223,400	227,007,626
March.....	333,437,900	246,789,900	688,585,286	50,027,600	79,027,100	202,096,012	222,267,700	221,080,229
April.....	336,163,200	247,719,400	686,711,815	50,095,800	79,400,700	212,325,395	207,113,400	253,573,249
May.....	342,650,265	248,191,500	697,924,231	49,365,776	79,674,338	220,379,433	238,389,712	240,804,153
June.....	346,421,803	248,945,808	669,104,818	50,134,683	79,528,343	210,772,982	227,606,265	224,574,376
July.....	352,762,852	248,512,689	675,616,195	51,268,578	79,788,268	219,956,007	218,622,646	257,890,435
August.....	362,865,706	247,310,664	671,659,731	61,400,631	77,518,479	231,280,413	225,980,794	238,526,631
September.....	371,075,492	246,278,966	654,573,449	63,332,631	75,367,486	233,484,937	230,891,093	234,789,159
October.....	370,024,328	244,113,373	672,589,232	67,907,141	72,647,112	244,780,084	221,201,891	271,531,234
November.....	370,486,645	241,217,806	686,901,609	72,797,974	70,515,585	249,276,730	242,668,023	258,571,746
December.....	390,380,897	241,402,733	676,745,223	73,347,888	69,094,567	238,682,359	260,649,740	253,267,290
1895.								
January.....	402,795,339	240,521,896	716,197,939	74,228,725	67,941,207	237,339,205	249,369,193	283,240,033
February.....	416,849,791	240,585,161	707,000,254	74,330,921	66,831,645	218,768,641	267,209,782	249,184,260
March.....	418,207,544	241,120,476	701,656,837	83,582,138	66,744,048	226,920,029	264,604,603	238,658,027
April.....	406,247,884	241,344,335	707,370,108	86,594,501	66,573,720	239,110,611	251,807,310	275,005,915
May.....	400,527,550	240,463,493	705,710,631	95,232,539	65,989,740	245,840,981	259,253,055	261,404,048
June.....	398,795,076	243,529,393	684,585,155	98,424,963	65,619,886	244,152,305	261,457,579	255,033,799
July.....	397,622,240	243,373,665	683,475,424	101,763,382	65,172,168	257,617,911	248,098,907	286,965,380
August.....	398,843,741	245,344,598	676,107,712	104,450,190	64,583,822	259,545,545	247,690,251	286,193,999
September.....	398,702,612	245,091,540	656,841,238	103,646,717	64,082,072	274,640,928	238,784,556	258,299,221
October.....	390,465,230	243,154,673	678,623,692	106,547,151	63,308,299	267,542,019	219,065,498	302,925,026
November.....	381,071,283	239,519,397	687,524,521	110,401,419	62,729,185	299,065,891	221,883,201	282,631,721
December.....	381,509,258	240,132,576	682,166,504	114,679,073	62,334,999	284,656,185	218,719,976	266,134,286
1896.								
January.....	379,640,532	240,332,103	709,944,486	118,835,064	62,116,000	288,067,601	211,483,491	298,608,440
February.....	376,950,090	241,538,905	708,873,856	120,810,863	62,237,135	263,455,606	229,640,402	253,724,711
March.....	379,932,522	242,400,365	706,727,730	125,117,715	61,838,616	267,589,369	229,148,886	242,755,620
April.....	370,776,794	242,731,287	710,698,794	127,842,955	62,047,875	272,455,869	211,916,609	287,907,007
May.....	381,903,454	242,702,088	710,075,882	131,074,311	62,247,402	279,424,607	219,808,470	264,557,540
June.....	391,519,658	244,497,827	703,846,762	133,006,312	62,636,722	288,325,526	222,992,200	247,329,500
July.....	397,344,859	244,687,620	703,875,961	132,918,715	62,909,246	292,865,970	211,493,491	282,682,109
August.....	403,685,908	244,424,829	690,337,358	135,634,222	62,918,979	291,702,877	220,467,050	253,992,368
September.....	398,279,227	244,162,038	688,400,491	141,240,430	63,143,656	301,757,066	216,753,910	250,510,585
October.....	384,599,495	242,122,975	693,099,425	141,634,616	62,286,334	318,741,151	195,677,099	293,717,608
November.....	375,771,664	239,295,538	715,565,294	110,532,281	62,656,118	298,472,178	202,509,665	268,664,866
December.....	375,980,921	240,176,375	718,339,199	111,603,445	62,709,719	282,276,466	208,169,404	253,447,320
1897.								
January.....	371,474,545	238,677,493	734,345,117	147,430,618	61,220,570	310,852,554	200,674,994	286,832,311
February.....	372,404,993	239,587,528	732,924,099	148,705,641	61,527,160	291,887,804	215,508,086	245,748,517
March.....	372,724,369	239,553,463	717,015,511	150,661,974	61,629,356	286,262,130	222,856,501	239,071,679
April.....	373,435,744	238,813,754	720,641,053	126,835,596	51,112,850	244,551,358	208,291,067	230,485,594
May.....	375,596,470	238,112,979	720,762,716	132,806,785	51,122,583	249,485,989	218,953,568	263,907,983
June.....	386,984,080	239,451,266	721,667,885	140,048,137	51,219,913	245,111,006	222,569,378	249,456,796
July.....	390,250,235	239,869,785	714,591,994	191,895,828	51,351,308	259,186,765	200,381,163	282,237,034
August.....	393,660,918	238,494,168	708,475,303	152,530,710	51,093,384	252,773,743	210,880,045	256,067,099
September.....	394,974,873	237,626,329	703,978,157	154,642,771	50,859,792	269,063,919	207,541,626	259,574,244
October.....	386,400,100	235,553,200	721,580,288	155,718,267	50,499,671	280,408,230	182,050,899	302,233,983
November.....	381,154,013	235,008,152	729,235,292	151,197,289	50,144,416	286,286,462	197,570,167	277,594,893
December.....	381,475,202	235,485,669	726,602,516	152,769,168	50,193,081	271,794,025	211,683,017	293,301,983
1898.								
January.....	377,820,461	234,881,623	751,898,583	147,766,406	50,027,620	275,619,094	206,451,530	300,039,191
February.....	375,095,221	235,446,137	751,270,804	147,688,542	50,343,943	254,075,099	225,382,215	257,082,596
March.....	373,898,062	236,341,573	746,715,366	149,669,208	50,621,333	252,590,816	233,538,469	248,473,757
April.....	361,673,414	236,969,351	731,551,746	148,807,837	50,850,059	257,194,823	210,573,455	295,381,951
May.....	362,315,792	237,159,145	729,498,083	143,406,022	50,820,860	258,231,090	208,038,009	274,733,391
June.....	363,420,487	239,164,143	723,624,218	141,264,762	51,020,386	251,544,519	212,155,068	255,895,170
July.....	365,143,228	241,008,546	710,212,144	141,255,029	51,224,779	259,671,574	196,776,928	308,025,118
August.....	365,785,606	241,845,851	720,825,980	141,853,009	51,156,648	264,839,797	208,490,593	267,730,629
September.....	366,865,969	242,643,690	689,378,657	142,184,531	51,195,580	271,331,708	209,055,107	258,805,337
October.....	361,683,147	240,843,085	711,832,688	142,379,191	50,806,260	280,331,556	176,683,149	314,774,953
November.....	356,850,712	237,898,853	742,000,122	143,454,687	50,528,870	297,401,548	177,461,789	288,573,717
December.....	356,130,470	235,923,654	737,392,080	143,289,226	79,703,537	283,979,741	192,577,138	271,769,158
1899.								
January.....	352,636,323	232,652,766	767,651,443	174,829,013	60,305,668	345,589,631	189,754,568	304,355,777
February.....	354,171,004	233,178,348	763,417,588	145,133,630	50,465,605	270,241,612	208,125,606	260,649,740
March.....	351,821,382	233,105,350	750,458,099	145,727,343	50,684,598	262,980,527	216,272,127	252,746,544

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	NATIONAL BANK, BELGIUM.		NETHERLANDS BANK.			BANK OF SPAIN.		
	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.
1893.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
August.....	26,026,000	77,596,343	13,708,900	33,953,500	79,903,064	38,523,200	31,140,700	181,165,196
September.....	19,865,000	79,483,812	11,470,300	32,851,200	75,803,008	38,523,000	30,985,000	179,272,127
October.....	19,826,000	78,263,053	11,689,300	33,447,400	77,713,139	38,528,000	30,936,300	180,951,070
November.....	19,918,500	80,487,044	13,923,000	34,189,500	80,120,923	38,536,000	31,588,400	181,642,113
December.....	19,675,200	83,703,800	16,546,100	33,695,600	79,445,613	38,532,900	33,150,500	178,814,676
1894.								
January.....	22,541,600	85,188,083	18,711,000	33,041,100	84,750,098	38,532,900	34,479,100	181,802,707
February.....	24,751,000	84,170,984	20,585,200	34,123,800	83,917,926	38,532,900	35,262,600	182,907,403
March.....	25,354,500	81,766,933	20,857,800	34,172,600	81,217,010	38,532,900	37,233,600	180,571,483
April.....	22,843,351	82,092,088	21,096,277	34,445,087	82,915,427	38,532,947	39,720,373	182,046,032
May.....	20,960,000	83,061,422	21,631,593	33,900,039	86,570,169	38,532,947	40,705,870	182,469,418
June.....	22,454,031	77,917,532	34,201,762	33,153,886	83,532,947	38,532,947	42,508,878	180,118,898
July.....	21,899,250	81,470,077	22,006,313	33,924,372	84,112,586	38,532,947	44,810,732	183,291,856
August.....	21,724,056	74,827,304	22,030,645	33,593,449	83,095,487	38,581,612	44,703,530	183,476,783
September.....	21,169,275	77,907,799	22,035,512	33,530,185	81,601,472	38,654,610	45,423,911	181,549,649
October.....	23,733,921	76,423,510	19,801,789	33,019,203	82,516,374	38,951,466	47,000,657	183,038,798
November.....	23,412,732	80,603,840	19,816,388	32,819,676	84,375,377	38,951,466	47,681,967	181,427,937
December.....	24,376,299	81,489,543	19,855,320	33,238,195	83,528,606	38,951,466	51,263,711	177,826,777
1895.								
January.....	26,074,707	88,701,696	19,903,985	33,311,193	85,304,879	38,951,466	54,154,412	177,890,011
February.....	25,583,190	93,212,941	19,991,582	33,525,318	84,691,700	38,951,466	56,115,612	179,938,838
March.....	25,500,460	86,356,043	21,539,120	34,031,435	85,368,143	38,951,466	57,891,884	177,145,467
April.....	24,965,145	87,538,602	20,809,154	34,211,495	84,278,047	38,951,466	60,227,804	180,342,757
May.....	23,252,137	87,207,680	20,857,819	34,265,027	88,142,048	38,951,466	60,607,391	181,384,189
June.....	21,310,404	85,742,864	20,891,885	34,323,425	85,217,282	38,951,466	60,631,724	181,510,717
July.....	20,390,635	86,828,093	20,838,353	34,192,029	85,105,352	38,951,466	60,038,012	185,725,106
August.....	20,268,993	86,652,899	20,848,086	33,875,707	85,139,418	38,951,466	58,977,114	187,486,779
September.....	21,237,406	83,202,551	20,852,953	33,544,785	82,365,513	38,933,946	57,429,567	187,623,041
October.....	21,709,457	83,898,460	20,794,555	33,145,732	85,373,010	38,951,466	56,281,073	190,085,490
November.....	21,062,212	86,784,295	22,912,140	33,112,140	88,122,582	38,951,466	53,930,553	191,438,377
December.....	20,170,509	85,703,932	18,083,914	33,189,530	83,333,946	38,951,466	51,945,021	192,445,743
1896.								
January.....	20,113,245	89,903,721	17,115,481	33,243,062	88,200,440	38,951,466	49,210,048	196,149,149
February.....	20,060,446	86,813,494	15,115,349	33,330,659	87,986,320	38,951,466	49,648,033	197,735,628
March.....	19,393,003	85,519,005	12,764,830	33,544,785	81,090,400	38,951,466	50,392,608	197,803,759
April.....	19,397,869	86,214,914	12,764,830	33,681,047	81,148,888	38,951,466	50,538,603	197,944,888
May.....	19,646,061	87,621,333	12,784,206	33,865,974	85,275,090	40,747,205	52,829,475	202,378,269
June.....	20,103,512	85,630,934	12,823,228	34,046,034	80,068,525	40,907,799	52,825,858	203,721,423
July.....	20,098,645	86,102,985	12,818,361	33,860,306	82,024,858	40,902,933	55,064,750	205,025,645
August.....	19,738,524	85,986,180	12,818,361	33,651,848	81,319,215	40,907,799	55,093,647	207,527,028
September.....	20,361,436	83,776,798	12,818,361	33,350,125	79,051,426	41,501,512	50,640,799	207,329,096
October.....	19,723,925	86,273,312	12,818,361	33,009,470	81,338,681	41,501,512	50,519,137	207,517,293
November.....	20,147,310	86,283,045	12,818,361	32,610,417	85,119,952	41,501,512	47,784,161	211,756,015
December.....	20,259,240	87,246,612	12,818,361	32,941,339	82,565,039	41,501,512	49,633,434	200,110,480
1897.								
January.....	20,405,235	93,480,599	12,818,861	33,360,591	84,292,647	41,501,512	49,346,310	201,356,304
February.....	20,823,754	91,801,656	12,813,495	33,306,326	81,737,734	41,501,512	50,913,323	207,867,681
March.....	20,930,817	88,735,761	12,813,495	33,681,047	80,472,444	41,501,512	51,242,825	207,478,261
April.....	21,154,676	91,071,681	12,808,028	33,194,297	82,195,185	41,501,512	52,543,601	208,797,183
May.....	21,140,076	91,777,324	12,798,895	33,204,130	86,166,249	41,559,010	51,020,386	211,400,760
June.....	20,755,623	89,558,200	12,701,565	32,079,968	81,460,344	42,469,213	49,847,560	214,203,864
July.....	19,351,071	92,682,493	12,798,895	34,021,702	84,190,450	43,472,446	52,436,538	217,931,003
August.....	20,916,217	90,706,94	12,807,628	33,554,518	81,421,412	43,856,898	50,777,061	220,175,060
September.....	21,203,341	89,903,721	12,808,628	33,367,457	81,328,948	43,929,896	51,726,289	220,958,566
October.....	20,434,434	91,816,256	12,794,029	32,990,004	84,268,314	43,929,896	51,667,631	224,399,182
November.....	20,930,817	92,059,581	12,789,162	32,342,759	86,716,164	44,903,196	52,514,402	231,445,874
December.....	20,643,693	92,731,158	12,789,162	32,732,079	84,136,919	45,030,458	53,658,029	231,484,806
1898.								
January.....	20,882,152	95,106,010	12,794,029	33,038,660	86,735,630	45,895,962	50,193,081	236,098,248
February.....	21,519,663	93,480,599	12,789,162	33,281,994	84,399,710	46,207,918	51,195,580	242,875,083
March.....	21,115,744	91,976,850	13,324,477	33,535,052	82,321,714	46,523,740	52,018,321	244,273,968
April.....	20,118,110	93,891,788	13,451,006	33,676,180	83,080,888	46,860,262	52,144,548	248,551,621
May.....	21,368,802	95,033,012	13,894,125	33,612,916	87,601,867	47,852,295	52,528,557	254,479,018
June.....	21,558,595	93,164,276	13,913,324	33,846,508	84,477,574	47,852,295	52,483,089	255,744,308
July.....	20,838,353	93,660,659	14,857,425	34,011,969	84,823,095	43,431,403	51,077,114	262,839,666
August.....	22,123,109	93,201,606	20,887,018	33,880,573	84,029,856	50,407,207	52,797,317	272,694,328
September.....	21,295,804	95,539,128	20,984,348	33,973,037	83,163,619	51,526,502	27,194,002	272,329,340
October.....	20,887,018	95,422,332	20,989,215	32,848,875	86,604,234	52,923,188	26,045,508	274,757,724
November.....	21,320,137	90,969,879	20,998,948	32,221,097	89,609,328	53,833,223	26,648,854	283,726,683
December.....	22,434,565	97,475,995	20,994,081	32,629,882	88,005,786	53,833,223	31,914,374	279,755,619
1899.								
January.....	23,505,199	102,280,204	20,994,081	32,839,142	92,054,714	53,833,223	39,696,041	282,101,272
February.....	23,607,392	102,498,223	20,994,081	33,014,336	89,407,338	53,833,223	42,499,145	286,724,447
March.....	23,772,853	100,551,623	20,989,215	33,359,858	88,180,980	54,689,727	49,910,824	286,534,654

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From L'Economiste Européen.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	ITALY. (a)						RUSSIA. (a)		
	National bank.			Institutions of issue.			Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.			
1893.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
August	41,591,500	6,716,400	120,161,800	36,303,300	5,172,400	112,827,800	291,275,600	3,358,200	749,651,300
September	45,490,100	4,747,800	109,990,700	32,057,300	4,709,200	85,553,300	296,255,000	3,223,100	763,778,200
October	45,200,600	4,574,100	138,824,900	32,057,300	4,458,300	83,472,500	297,799,000	3,261,700	783,773,000
November	43,232,000	4,554,800	141,295,300	32,076,600	4,453,300	84,109,400	306,580,500	2,605,500	792,265,000
December	43,733,800	4,593,400	147,780,100	31,845,000	4,381,100	84,109,400	290,272,000	2,682,700	783,194,000
1894.									
January (b)	52,167,900	8,048,100	174,742,200				293,495,100	2,605,500	786,436,440
February	54,792,700	12,506,400	182,192,000				294,228,500	2,740,600	775,837,190
March	55,391,000	12,332,700	173,449,100				317,928,900	2,856,400	764,660,000
April	55,661,200	9,302,600	166,037,900				282,281,800	2,805,000	755,884,500
May	57,880,700	8,569,200	161,869,100				293,263,500	2,972,200	760,670,900
June	57,784,200	8,492,000	159,688,200				294,421,500	3,088,000	760,265,600
July	57,726,300	10,036,000	167,717,000	24,781,200	2,316,000	58,150,900	288,650,800	2,779,200	740,850,500
August	58,922,900	10,788,700	165,323,800	24,897,000	2,296,700	58,691,300	289,114,000	3,377,500	742,123,600
September	59,579,100	10,808,000	158,086,300	26,055,000	2,316,000	55,854,200	290,272,000	3,281,000	749,264,600
October	59,482,600	10,962,400	161,541,000	26,711,200	2,316,000	55,777,000	290,947,500	3,126,600	764,801,100
November	58,691,300	11,888,800	162,506,000	26,769,100	2,316,000	54,773,400	293,302,100	3,088,000	766,458,600
December	56,433,200	13,413,500	159,398,700	26,769,100	2,316,000	55,120,800	292,302,100	3,030,100	755,730,100
1895.									
January	56,491,100	13,317,000	156,947,600	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,185,900	300,539,600	2,856,400	830,710,600
February	58,150,900	14,745,200	150,269,800	27,155,100	2,316,000	58,286,000	300,308,000	3,083,000	818,320,000
March	57,900,000	11,580,000	143,341,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	52,631,100	300,925,600	3,242,400	819,349,100
April	57,977,200	11,541,400	144,711,400	27,155,100	2,316,000	54,831,300	301,427,400	3,088,000	821,253,600
May	57,842,100	10,537,800	137,493,200	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,869,900	302,469,600	3,242,400	820,829,800
June	58,073,700	11,058,900	140,484,700	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,889,200	299,343,000	3,319,600	829,417,500
July	58,266,700	11,078,200	154,728,100	27,174,400	2,296,700	58,942,200	378,318,600	2,637,600	830,421,100
August	58,421,100	11,522,100	151,582,200	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,413,900	377,894,000	2,605,500	829,900,000
September	57,629,800	9,707,900	148,513,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	378,473,000	4,979,400	839,357,000
October	57,571,900	9,804,400	156,021,200	27,193,700	2,277,400	55,931,400	375,095,500	4,439,000	856,669,100
November	57,514,000	9,920,200	150,501,400	27,174,400	2,296,700	55,912,100	372,876,000	3,705,600	859,203,600
December	57,764,900	10,286,900	147,876,600	27,174,400	2,296,700	56,413,900	371,389,900	3,667,000	836,172,500
1896.									
January	57,957,900	10,422,000	151,176,900	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,536,900	368,861,600	4,303,900	829,571,900
February	59,212,400	10,576,400	147,741,500	27,174,400	2,354,600	57,649,100	368,089,600	4,767,100	818,019,800
March	57,957,900	10,808,000	150,424,200	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,919,300	408,445,900	5,751,400	818,340,000
April	60,312,500	10,827,300	152,605,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	56,915,700	417,266,000	5,539,100	829,944,800
May	59,135,200	10,692,200	143,263,900	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,224,500	424,194,700	7,777,000	823,338,000
June	58,556,200	10,092,200	139,925,000	27,155,100	2,316,000	50,386,100	436,257,200	9,399,100	812,877,400
July	58,479,000	10,904,500	151,929,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,549,000	434,365,800	8,935,900	813,417,800
August	59,231,700	11,271,200	150,636,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,068,400	432,262,100	8,472,700	808,322,600
September	59,405,400	11,811,600	144,576,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,645,500	428,151,200	7,083,100	817,702,400
October	58,942,200	12,506,400	152,643,700	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	433,748,200	5,597,000	843,796,000
November	57,822,800	12,101,100	149,131,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,440,400	442,992,900	5,365,400	843,892,500
December	57,687,700	12,294,100	148,185,400	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,710,600	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
1897.									
January	58,787,800	12,409,900	151,157,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,857,800	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
February	59,687,000	12,023,900	146,815,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	54,059,300	461,424,400	10,537,800	836,144,500
March	58,382,500	12,139,700	141,025,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	53,210,100	446,717,800	11,348,400	816,757,500
April	58,517,600	12,101,100	144,769,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,399,500	467,330,200	18,005,200	480,023,400
May	57,919,300	12,120,400	141,777,800	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,936,300	461,270,000	19,435,700	492,323,700
June	58,566,500	11,078,200	141,700,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,218,600	458,452,200	21,172,100	494,388,800
July	60,607,200	13,124,000	152,894,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,666,100	461,231,400	23,603,900	490,374,400
August	60,582,700	13,934,600	152,701,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,527,400	463,315,800	24,221,500	493,366,000
September	59,945,800	12,583,600	148,610,000	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,438,100	450,841,800	24,221,500	515,117,000
October	59,251,000	12,506,400	154,496,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,178,700	580,640,500	21,715,500	506,509,200
November	57,822,800	11,020,300	150,443,500	18,624,500	2,316,000	55,584,000	588,765,800	20,168,500	491,185,000
December	57,957,900	10,788,700	150,559,300	18,682,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	587,434,100	20,072,000	478,948,800
1898.									
January	57,900,000	10,943,100	153,801,700	18,682,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	598,017,600	19,608,800	461,810,400
February	57,957,900	11,116,800	148,811,000	18,682,400	2,316,000	53,904,900	592,432,800	21,210,700	450,608,600
March	58,170,200	9,688,600	144,904,400	18,814,500	2,316,000	51,839,800	585,272,500	21,886,200	442,149,700
April	58,324,600	9,707,900	147,799,400	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,496,000	575,912,000	21,924,800	465,009,200
May	58,556,200	10,171,100	140,446,100	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,592,500	567,149,800	23,835,500	465,562,400
June	58,073,700	10,209,700	138,998,600	18,817,500	2,316,000	53,268,000	567,420,000	23,005,600	429,886,400
July	58,614,100	10,904,500	156,523,000	18,875,400	2,316,000	56,836,500	557,982,300	22,561,700	417,555,500
August	59,135,200	11,348,400	154,554,400	18,856,100	2,316,000	55,159,400	553,273,700	22,044,200	449,217,000
September	58,768,500	11,541,400	148,320,500	18,875,400	2,316,000	54,734,800	536,636,500	21,820,300	497,558,100
October	58,421,100	11,908,100	150,272,100	19,010,500	2,316,000	56,838,500	507,976,000	18,875,400	391,499,500
November	58,363,200	11,985,300	156,021,200	19,009,500	2,316,000	57,880,700	500,895,000	18,470,100	375,507,000
December	58,556,200	12,216,900	154,361,400	19,010,500	2,316,000	58,228,100	503,440,500	20,844,000	355,028,800
1899.									
January	58,614,100	12,390,600	161,888,400	19,049,100	2,316,000	55,738,400	510,292,000	21,519,500	344,702,500
February	58,498,300	12,371,300	158,681,600				503,845,800	22,909,100	329,265,200

a From L'Economiste Européen, Paris.

b By a law of August 19, 1893, the Banca Nazionale del Regno d'Italia combined with two Tuscan banks and became the Banca d'Italia. This bank and the banks of Naples and of Sicily alone enjoy the privilege of issuing circulating notes.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, AND BANK RATES IN LEADING FINANCIAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.

[From New York Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY	MONEY MARKET.		BANK RATES.						
	New York.		London.	Paris.	Berlin.	Ham- burg.	Amster- dam.	Vienna.	St. Pe- tersburg.
	Call.	Prime com- mercial.							
1898.									
February 4	1½ @ 1¼	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
February 11	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
February 18	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
February 25	2 @ 3	3½ @ 4	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 4	2 @ 2½	4 @ 4½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 11	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 18	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 25	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 1	2½ @ 5	5 @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 8	2½ @ 2¼	5½ @ 6	4	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 15	2½ @ 3½	5½ @ 6	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 22	1½ @ 3	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 29	2½ @ 3½	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 6	2½ @ 3	5½ @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 13	1½ @ 2½	5 @ 6½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 20	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 27	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 3	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 10	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 17	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 24	1 @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 1	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 8	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 15	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 22	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 29	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 5	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 12	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 19	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 26	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
September 2	2½ @ 3	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 9	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 16	3½ @ 5	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 23	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 30	3 @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 7	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 14	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	2	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 21	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 28	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 4	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 11	1½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 18	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 25	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 2	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 9	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 16	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 23	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 30	2 @ 4	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
1899.									
January 6	2½ @ 6	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 13	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 20	2 @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
January 27	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 3	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 10	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 17	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 24	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 3	2½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 10	2½ @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 17	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½							
March 24	4 @ 4½	4 @ 5							

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	JANUARY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries and nails.....	1	8	11	12	30,000	334,500	1,549,500	536,500	30,000	41,812	140,864	44,708
Machinery and tools.....	6	18	15	20	134,177	301,601	488,200	733,415	22,363	17,009	32,547	36,655
Woolen, carpets, and knit goods.....	2		4	7	143,000		125,500	190,500	71,500		31,375	27,214
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	1	3	4	3		56,800	23,500	10,000		18,933	5,875	3,333
Lumber, carpenters and coopers.....	29	34	36	47	259,511	771,263	764,743	1,263,617	9,949	22,684	21,243	26,885
Clothing and millinery.....	17	29	27	30	267,656	95,911	172,776	376,139	15,744	4,796	6,399	12,537
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	1	2	4	8	20,000	52,319	22,229	175,000	20,000	26,159	5,557	21,875
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	4	8	11	10	83,000	44,702	90,302	118,624	20,750	5,588	8,209	11,862
Printing and engraving.....	16	11	14	24	175,765	41,498	195,523	333,827	10,985	3,772	13,966	13,909
Milling and bakers.....	7	21	11	22	7,777	104,622	362,900	222,972	1,111	4,082	40,322	10,135
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	9	17	18	20	93,824	243,338	453,622	805,250	10,425	14,314	25,201	40,262
Liquors and tobacco.....	5	11	19	26	305,656	187,300	1,948,241	1,455,550	61,131	17,027	102,539	55,062
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	7	9	10	9	142,500	198,976	285,913	107,136	20,357	22,108	28,591	11,904
All other.....	55	71	84	80	546,702	621,225	2,089,997	2,257,166	9,940	8,750	24,881	28,214
Total manufacturing.....	160	233	266	318	2,209,568	3,054,055	8,572,946	8,585,696	13,810	13,108	32,229	26,999
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	185	199	222	216	1,269,747	1,003,639	1,109,147	1,473,307	6,863	5,043	4,996	6,820
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	181	265	279	298	510,798	778,617	875,014	1,678,256	2,822	2,938	3,136	5,631
Hotels and restaurants.....	27	38	45	35	147,548	357,317	321,135	151,629	5,465	9,403	7,136	4,332
Liquors and tobacco.....	75	85	103	101	391,181	471,107	536,326	665,798	5,216	5,542	5,207	6,592
Clothing and furnishing.....	60	83	99	98	484,413	858,554	761,859	1,353,208	8,073	10,356	7,695	13,808
Dry goods and carpets.....	61	70	92	111	975,432	439,028	1,091,510	1,373,115	15,991	6,272	11,864	12,370
Shoes, rubbers and trunks.....	35	56	68	69	225,242	356,403	629,932	2,054,604	6,435	6,365	9,264	29,776
Furniture and crockery.....	21	35	41	37	150,992	328,462	239,439	247,758	7,190	9,385	5,840	6,696
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	33	34	62	45	134,091	303,292	528,092	334,183	4,063	8,920	8,517	7,423
Drugs and paints.....	28	54	61	74	199,113	269,098	299,408	484,516	7,111	4,983	4,908	6,549
Jewelry and clocks.....	23	30	49	56	192,575	165,785	1,127,099	389,557	6,877	5,526	23,002	6,956
Books and papers.....	4	15	36	30	7,683	91,964	228,736	409,578	1,921	6,131	6,354	13,652
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	4	11	6	15	51,640	836,600	34,533	100,150	12,910	76,055	5,755	6,676
All other.....	95	118	160	157	529,837	761,128	1,604,727	1,426,970	5,577	6,450	10,029	9,088
Total trading.....	827	1,093	1,323	1,342	5,270,292	7,022,014	9,386,957	12,142,629	6,297	6,424	7,095	9,048
Brokers and transporters.....	22	29	32	25	242,037	375,444	399,682	1,007,418	11,010	12,946	12,490	40,296
Total commercial.....	1,019	1,355	1,621	1,685	7,721,897	10,451,513	18,359,585	21,735,743	7,572	7,713	11,326	12,899

NOTE.—Iron, woollens, and cottons include all the branches of those manufactures; machinery includes implements and tools; lumber includes saw, planing, sash and door mills, carpenters, and coopers; clothing includes millinery and furnishings; hats include furs and gloves; chemicals include drugs, fertilizers, paints, and oils; printing and books include engraving and maps; milling includes baking; leather and shoes include makers of harness, saddlery, trunks, and rubber goods; liquors include tobacco, wine, brewers, and beer; glass includes earthenware, pottery, brick, lime, and cement; groceries include meats and fish; hotels include restaurants; dry goods include carpets and curtains; furniture includes crockery; hardware includes stoves and tools, and jewelry includes clocks and watches; brokers include all real-estate, note, insurance, or produce dealers whose main business is not the handling of actual products, with mortgage and other loan concerns, and transporters include all except incorporated railway companies.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	FEBRUARY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Iron, foundries and nails	1	3	8	8	250,000	7,000	522,695	244,300	250,000	2,333	65,337	31,787
Machinery and tools	9	18	13	8	1,159,257	1,113,862	638,591	97,100	128,806	61,881	49,122	12,137
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	4	6	5	4	325,000	314,800	293,000	67,500	81,250	52,466	58,600	16,875
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	2	2	5	4	43,000	38,000	305,000	821,324	21,500	19,000	61,060	265,331
Lumber, carpenters and coopers	28	31	37	44	566,990	636,791	835,400	617,511	20,249	20,542	22,579	14,134
Clothing and millinery	16	14	17	33	216,060	216,982	473,265	220,980	13,504	15,499	27,839	6,696
Hats, gloves, and furs	1	5	2	5	8,300	75,390	4,000	29,500	8,300	12,550	2,000	5,900
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	3	8	11	8	34,790	136,907	166,000	62,500	11,597	17,113	15,090	7,812
Printing and engraving	14	10	13	14	402,455	36,603	189,040	433,000	28,746	3,660	14,541	30,928
Milling and bakers	10	13	10	13	48,699	93,200	131,300	66,200	4,870	7,169	13,130	5,092
Leather, shoes, and harness	11	17	18	12	263,289	163,650	231,645	209,973	23,935	9,626	12,313	24,997
Liquors and tobacco	10	10	11	10	121,165	104,003	147,050	536,367	12,116	10,400	13,368	53,636
Glass, earthenware, and brick	4	8	8	5	178,000	110,942	535,853	180,923	44,500	13,868	68,981	36,184
All other	40	61	83	81	708,543	591,299	2,634,202	1,825,130	17,713	9,239	31,737	22,532
Total manufacturing	153	210	241	249	4,325,548	3,639,339	7,107,041	5,502,308	28,271	17,330	29,489	22,097
TRADERS.												
General stores	114	146	145	149	889,017	679,041	807,896	1,125,732	7,798	4,651	5,571	7,555
Groceries, meats, and fish	128	233	180	196	590,379	716,051	659,006	910,636	4,612	3,073	3,661	4,646
Hotels and restaurants	28	27	32	25	159,039	55,450	344,458	198,247	5,679	2,054	10,764	7,929
Liquors and tobacco	66	73	92	81	432,676	209,279	399,032	494,506	6,555	2,867	4,337	6,105
Clothing and furnishing	50	50	67	51	333,904	313,902	541,300	373,799	6,678	5,320	8,079	6,922
Dry goods and carpets	36	61	57	50	270,282	830,812	743,743	600,948	7,508	13,620	13,048	10,185
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	35	54	49	57	409,737	304,297	518,612	512,089	11,706	5,635	10,584	8,984
Furniture and crockery	14	33	31	18	139,415	207,100	289,465	140,746	9,958	6,276	9,337	8,152
Hardware, stoves, and tools	11	37	55	61	82,054	401,238	468,518	590,028	7,459	10,849	8,518	9,672
Drugs and paints	25	47	45	38	66,984	172,316	191,346	94,501	2,679	3,666	4,252	2,486
Jewelry and clocks	16	18	22	24	71,208	142,769	132,551	232,262	4,450	7,931	6,025	9,677
Books and papers	3	14	7	14	19,670	223,382	51,500	95,570	6,557	15,956	7,357	6,826
Hats, furs, and gloves	2	5	12	8	9,828	14,854	55,875	62,500	4,914	2,971	4,656	7,812
All other	67	117	97	100	875,137	877,541	929,956	1,168,512	13,062	7,500	9,587	11,685
Total trading	595	924	891	884	4,349,330	5,148,032	6,133,258	6,606,076	7,310	5,571	6,884	7,472
Brokers and transporters	22	21	26	30	337,729	713,270	432,213	1,022,067	15,351	33,965	16,624	34,068
Total commercial	770	1,155	1,158	1,163	9,012,607	9,500,641	13,672,512	13,130,451	11,705	8,226	11,807	11,230

See note on page 1883.

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	MANUFACTURERS.														
	Iron, foundries and rails.	Machinery and tools.	Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.	Cottons, lace, and hosiery.	Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.	Clothing and millinery.	Hats, gloves, and furs.	Chemicals, drugs, and paints.	Printing and engraving.	Milling and baking.	Leather, shoes, and harness.	Liquors and tobacco.	Glass, earthenware, and brick.	All other.	Total.
1895—January	Dollars. 180,000	Dollars. 80,000	Dollars. 30,030	Dollars. 50,000	Dollars. 240,000	Dollars. 110,000	Dollars. 70,000	Dollars. 30,000	Dollars. 80,000	Dollars. 230,000	Dollars. 280,000	Dollars. 80,000	Dollars. 240,000	Dollars. 1,590,000	Dollars. 3,310,000
February....	360,000	50,000	100,000	60,000	480,000	260,000	190,000	40,000	60,000	90,000	90,000	110,000	270,000	1,710,000	3,900,000
March.....	510,000	990,000	.....	60,000	490,000	430,000	160,000	280,000	130,000	200,000	170,000	4,960,000	20,000	4,610,000	13,010,000
April.....	290,000	190,000	10,000	560,000	370,000	160,000	210,000	180,000	70,000	580,000	210,000	400,000	110,000	1,160,000	4,520,000
May.....	140,000	40,000	90,000	30,000	340,000	70,000	370,000	50,000	80,000	180,000	120,000	140,000	170,000	1,580,000	3,400,000
June.....	180,000	210,000	130,000	100,000	320,000	320,000	.....	480,000	70,000	180,000	190,000	340,000	40,000	9,580,000	12,160,000
July.....	60,000	150,000	120,000	40,000	120,000	230,000	.....	30,000	70,000	140,000	30,000	140,000	40,000	1,690,000	2,870,000
August.....	190,000	510,000	50,000	10,000	120,000	190,000	50,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	80,000	90,000	100,000	2,510,000	4,130,000
September..	90,000	120,000	90,000	40,000	720,000	1,110,000	90,000	70,000	760,000	40,000	150,000	290,000	80,000	1,550,000	5,210,000
October.....	860,000	80,000	1,290,000	240,000	1,580,000	1,060,000	110,000	150,000	70,000	90,000	50,000	240,000	210,000	860,000	6,900,000
November...	140,000	540,000	180,000	50,000	500,000	340,000	130,000	320,000	60,000	40,000	200,000	220,000	230,000	1,300,000	4,250,000
December...	1,120,000	400,000	200,000	60,000	780,000	440,000	510,000	40,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	.....	60,000	6,220,000	10,260,000
	4,120,000	3,360,000	2,290,000	1,300,000	6,060,000	4,720,000	1,890,000	1,690,000	1,780,000	1,860,000	1,700,000	7,080,000	1,570,000	34,360,000	73,920,000
1896—January	530,000	730,000	190,000	10,000	1,260,000	370,000	170,000	120,000	330,000	220,000	800,000	1,450,000	110,000	2,260,000	8,580,000
February....	240,000	100,000	70,000	820,000	620,000	220,000	30,000	60,000	430,000	70,000	300,000	530,000	180,000	1,820,000	5,500,000
March.....	630,000	1,130,000	1,090,000	70,000	2,840,000	530,000	180,000	610,000	390,000	680,000	140,000	240,000	180,000	700,000	9,420,000
April.....	670,000	30,000	940,000	210,000	1,560,000	460,000	40,000	210,000	160,000	230,000	190,000	670,000	110,000	1,160,000	6,450,000
May.....	120,000	580,000	450,000	90,000	500,000	380,000	100,000	220,000	390,000	30,000	280,000	90,000	20,000	1,350,000	4,620,000
June.....	380,000	680,000	1,480,000	60,000	700,000	280,000	.....	150,000	220,000	440,000	420,000	40,000	90,000	3,280,000	8,210,000
July.....	700,000	280,000	460,000	60,000	1,460,000	320,000	50,000	570,000	850,000	130,000	80,000	230,000	730,000	1,630,000	7,570,000
August.....	600,000	370,000	160,000	120,000	3,790,000	110,000	20,000	50,000	40,000	650,000	60,000	230,300	190,000	6,160,000	13,100,000
September..	350,000	580,000	600,000	720,000	1,310,000	330,000	50,000	170,000	80,000	230,000	880,000	1,600,000	20,000	4,890,000	11,810,000
October.....	190,000	330,000	2,070,000	80,000	730,000	690,000	30,000	150,000	170,000	220,000	180,000	450,000	50,000	1,580,000	6,940,000
November...	70,000	540,000	150,000	280,000	560,000	520,000	70,000	100,000	180,000	100,000	140,000	240,000	40,000	1,660,000	4,660,000
December...	580,000	390,000	690,000	130,000	970,000	370,000	350,000	240,000	270,000	1,010,000	500,000	2,510,000	340,000	3,040,000	11,390,000
	5,060,000	5,740,000	8,350,000	2,600,000	16,300,000	4,720,000	1,090,000	2,650,000	3,510,000	4,010,000	3,970,000	8,280,000	2,060,000	29,530,000	98,450,000
1897—January	1,550,000	490,000	120,000	20,000	760,000	170,000	20,000	90,000	190,000	360,000	450,000	1,950,000	280,000	2,090,000	8,570,000
February....	520,000	640,000	290,000	300,000	830,000	470,000	.....	170,000	190,000	130,000	230,000	150,000	540,000	2,630,000	7,110,000
March.....	190,000	570,000	140,000	150,000	910,000	100,000	20,000	150,000	560,000	450,000	550,000	120,000	120,000	2,690,000	6,730,000
April.....	760,000	40,000	260,000	8,540,000	500,000	100,000	.....	.....	90,000	850,000	80,000	200,000	40,000	1,260,000	12,140,000
May.....	680,000	90,000	80,000	520,000	290,000	130,000	70,000	40,000	100,000	170,000	740,000	250,000	220,000	1,210,000	4,600,000
June.....	1,490,000	630,000	120,000	10,000	460,000	170,000	30,000	70,000	360,000	350,000	280,000	220,000	150,000	2,120,000	6,360,000
July.....	20,000	190,000	250,000	110,000	190,000	190,000	30,000	20,000	50,000	110,000	40,000	30,000	160,000	1,150,000	2,550,000
August.....	120,000	350,000	10,000	220,000	420,000	120,000	10,000	30,000	220,000	110,000	240,000	260,000	50,000	1,430,000	3,580,000
September..	380,000	410,000	40,000	40,000	510,000	140,000	30,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	460,000	180,000	110,000	680,000	3,320,000
October.....	20,000	130,000	10,000	30,000	320,000	360,000	30,000	90,000	160,000	80,000	60,000	440,000	140,000	990,000	2,880,000
November...	80,000	180,000	.....	120,000	1,610,000	260,000	90,000	70,000	880,000	50,000	230,000	150,000	10,000	590,000	4,330,000
December...	130,000	990,000	260,000	30,000	580,000	250,000	360,000	30,000	210,000	210,000	150,000	580,000	150,000	1,530,000	5,340,000
	5,940,000	4,710,000	1,580,000	10,090,000	7,380,000	2,400,000	490,000	820,000	3,220,000	2,940,000	3,510,000	4,530,000	1,970,000	18,370,000	68,510,000
1898—January	330,000	300,000	.....	60,000	770,000	90,000	50,000	40,000	40,000	100,000	240,000	190,000	200,000	620,000	3,050,000
February....	10,000	1,110,000	310,000	40,000	640,000	220,000	70,000	140,000	40,000	90,000	160,000	100,000	110,000	590,000	3,640,000
March.....	180,000	607,156	26,800	370,000	1,215,475	154,312	62,781	2,173,644	122,266	79,900	199,600	307,334	73,358	1,374,136	6,952,762
April.....	23,000	564,648	168,000	255,000	468,363	403,398	750	1,700	80,602	76,433	263,800	44,000	144,687	2,539,787	5,034,708
May.....	75,000	634,354	1,117,000	50,000	697,710	145,753	83,505	76,775	339,100	70,768	525,282	258,392	52,356	1,191,700	5,287,701
June.....	268,569	982,925	40,000	21,750	594,275	486,169	28,178	39,151	1,135,348	52,800	99,700	274,092	150,767	2,625,855	6,799,579
July.....	301,000	824,400	53,500	25,000	250,000	52,943	.....	52,000	153,100	361,559	184,913	148,392	186,900	1,700,958	4,303,665
August.....	2,600	195,100	89,500	12,200	105,136	80,755	700	47,300	20,095	71,200	176,500	88,300	152,600	838,647	1,881,233
September..	121,709	509,700	.....	1,084,300	320,313	137,354	30,500	16,707	157,524	45,832	127,050	12,400	118,000	1,241,810	3,923,199
October.....	65,000	822,000	1,987,600	70,123	555,715	195,380	15,500	61,670	21,248	49,000	1,312,801	159,800	28,500	1,802,373	7,146,710
November...	215,635	188,900	35,500	600	254,449	268,216	68,177	21,500	62,700	5,050	7,230	86,350	12,800	1,996,506	3,223,613
December...	506,176	541,742	2,596,000	32,800	455,955	189,225	87,500	161,300	93,413	139,200	292,586	180,455	176,194	845,250	6,297,797
	2,100,000	7,390,000	6,400,000	2,000,000	6,300,000	2,400,000	500,000	2,800	2,300	1,100,000	3,600,000	1,800,000	1,400,000	17,400,000	57,500,000
1899—January	30,000	134,177	143,000	.....	259,511	267,656	20,000	83,000	175,765	7,777	9,821	305,656	142,500	546,702	2,203,568
February....	250,000	1,159,257	325,000	43,000	566,990	216,060	8,300	34,790	402,455	48,690	263,289	121,165	178,000	708,543	4,325,548
Twelve months ending June 30—															
1895.....	3,770,000	2,590,000	1,730,000	2,340,000	3,790,000	2,680,000	1,760,000	1,560,000	1,020,000	2,020,000	2,280,000	6,940,000	1,440,000	32,110,000	66,130,000
1896.....	5,030,000	5,050,000	6,150,000	1,800,000	11,300,000	5,610,000	1,410,000	2,000,000	3,210,000	2,070,000	2,770,000	4,070,000	1,410,000	21,700,000	76,600,000
1897.....	7,680,000	4,950,000	5,140,000	10,930,000	12,570,000	3,480,000	710,000	1,800,000	3,080,000	4,650,000	4,170,000	8,150,000	2,720,000	39,900,000	100,980,000
1898.....	1,644,060	6,454,546	2,230,000	1,341,550	8,013,877	2,823,071	852,833	2,772,879	3,485,417	1,077,723	2,675,370	2,815,121	1,351,086	15,314,002	52,768,144

NOTE.—The discrepancy in the totals is caused by dropping the odd thousands.

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	TRADERS.														
	General stores.	Groceries, meats, and fish.	Hotels and restaurants.	Liquors and tobacco.	Clothing and furnishing.	Dry goods and carpets.	Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.	Furniture and crockery.	Hardware, stoves, and tools.	Drugs and paints.	Jewelry and clocks.	Books and papers.	Hats, furs, and gloves.	All other.	Total.
1895—January	Dollars. 2,110,000	Dollars. 1,060,000	Dollars. 190,000	Dollars. 710,000	Dollars. 680,000	Dollars. 2,070,000	Dollars. 490,000	Dollars. 320,000	Dollars. 370,000	Dollars. 350,000	Dollars. 490,000	Dollars. 180,000	Dollars. 310,000	Dollars. 1,870,000	Dollars. 11,220,000
February	1,030,000	1,000,000	180,000	1,060,000	540,000	1,160,000	480,000	230,000	140,000	250,000	130,000	110,000	40,000	1,040,000	7,430,000
March	970,000	480,000	230,000	740,000	730,000	840,000	350,000	370,000	210,000	130,000	260,000	100,000	40,000	1,320,000	6,830,000
April	1,650,000	800,000	130,000	380,000	510,000	630,000	240,000	190,000	280,000	170,000	230,000	130,000	30,000	910,000	6,320,000
May	1,110,000	660,000	220,000	490,000	460,000	430,000	310,000	110,000	340,000	80,000	20,000	100,000	270,000	1,550,000	6,140,000
June	520,000	730,000	130,000	550,000	570,000	1,610,000	300,000	100,000	140,000	140,000	260,000	100,000	220,000	1,830,000	7,230,000
July	440,000	410,000	500,000	180,000	520,000	790,000	170,000	90,000	230,000	130,000	70,000	160,000	150,000	2,870,000	6,700,000
August	490,000	520,000	540,000	250,000	820,000	1,090,000	170,000	50,000	680,000	210,000	90,000	110,000	30,000	1,220,000	6,270,000
September ..	620,000	510,000	270,000	170,000	490,000	270,000	150,000	100,000	250,000	950,000	220,000	80,000	.....	1,360,000	5,460,000
October	1,400,000	620,000	380,000	530,000	1,490,000	890,000	740,000	130,000	430,000	220,000	150,000	70,000	50,000	1,180,000	8,280,000
November ..	1,340,000	530,000	90,000	310,000	1,230,000	1,000,000	210,000	100,000	420,000	150,000	80,000	80,000	150,000	1,310,000	6,090,000
December ..	1,700,000	810,000	660,000	630,000	1,660,000	1,450,000	440,000	280,000	520,000	230,000	480,000	80,000	160,000	4,850,000	11,220,000
1896—January	13,250,000	8,130,000	3,520,000	6,000,000	9,750,000	12,230,000	4,050,000	2,070,000	4,010,000	3,010,000	2,480,000	1,300,000	1,450,000	21,310,000	92,700,000
February	1,470,000	1,680,000	150,000	660,000	1,350,000	1,370,000	2,050,000	250,000	330,000	480,000	390,000	410,000	100,000	1,430,000	12,140,000
March	1,120,000	910,000	190,000	490,000	370,000	600,000	510,000	140,000	590,000	90,000	230,000	90,000	60,000	1,170,000	6,610,000
April	1,280,000	1,220,000	210,000	440,000	1,590,000	2,760,000	700,000	540,000	370,000	240,000	290,000	170,000	60,000	2,770,000	12,670,000
May	850,000	550,000	200,000	460,000	470,000	550,000	390,000	210,000	200,000	480,000	240,000	100,000	.....	830,000	5,530,000
June	500,000	950,000	680,000	400,000	520,000	930,000	250,000	90,000	360,000	330,000	170,000	100,000	330,000	1,490,000	7,090,000
July	690,000	580,000	160,000	680,000	890,000	880,000	470,000	180,000	340,000	170,000	290,000	40,000	40,000	1,920,000	7,320,000
August	690,000	700,000	80,000	730,000	240,000	760,000	210,000	150,000	350,000	180,000	100,000	240,000	30,000	2,460,000	6,910,000
September ..	460,000	620,000	160,000	340,000	870,000	2,470,000	450,000	600,000	320,000	100,000	700,000	20,000	50,000	1,880,000	9,060,000
October	1,110,000	920,000	480,000	820,000	930,000	2,630,000	490,000	880,000	720,000	390,000	470,000	270,000	20,000	2,650,000	12,780,000
November ..	1,030,000	690,000	270,000	350,000	1,070,000	1,640,000	380,000	150,000	430,000	150,000	150,000	90,000	70,000	920,000	7,420,000
December ..	1,350,000	510,000	200,000	350,000	1,730,000	1,160,000	220,000	260,000	400,000	170,000	90,000	10,000	20,000	1,020,000	7,480,000
1897—January	1,840,000	1,490,000	390,000	700,000	1,750,000	2,960,000	1,440,000	420,000	710,000	340,000	480,000	60,000	120,000	1,340,000	14,040,000
February	12,390,000	10,820,000	3,170,000	6,420,000	11,780,000	18,710,000	7,500,000	3,870,000	5,120,000	3,120,000	3,600,000	1,610,000	900,000	19,880,000	109,050,000
March	1,110,000	870,000	320,000	540,000	760,000	1,090,000	630,000	240,000	520,000	300,000	1,130,000	230,000	30,000	1,600,000	8,390,000
April	810,000	660,000	340,000	400,000	540,000	740,000	520,000	290,000	470,000	190,000	130,000	50,000	60,000	930,000	6,130,000
May	780,000	1,140,000	90,000	530,000	680,000	830,000	530,000	420,000	520,000	300,000	400,000	170,000	30,000	2,110,000	8,530,000
June	730,000	540,000	110,000	270,000	330,000	600,000	290,000	200,000	190,000	190,000	60,000	120,000	.....	1,000,000	4,660,000
July	330,000	470,000	160,000	490,000	690,000	700,000	140,000	230,000	490,000	160,000	110,000	50,000	20,000	790,000	4,840,000
August	670,000	620,000	320,000	680,000	860,000	700,000	410,000	620,000	450,000	170,000	140,000	80,000	60,000	1,830,000	7,720,000
September ..	420,000	380,000	470,000	310,000	460,000	510,000	160,000	280,000	200,000	120,000	50,000	70,000	20,000	690,000	4,140,000
October	430,000	410,000	150,000	510,000	340,000	350,000	340,000	80,000	430,000	180,000	110,000	170,000	10,000	660,000	4,180,000
November ..	580,000	520,000	140,000	270,000	510,000	400,000	530,000	160,000	280,000	180,000	70,000	50,000	13,000	810,000	4,510,000
December ..	590,000	360,000	130,000	460,000	340,000	1,480,000	260,000	60,000	270,000	170,000	30,000	20,000	210,000	570,000	4,940,000
1898—January	1,050,000	470,000	350,000	220,000	730,000	1,150,000	170,000	90,000	310,000	170,000	140,000	60,000	60,000	480,000	5,450,000
February	1,730,000	1,230,000	240,000	430,000	1,060,000	1,490,000	580,000	310,000	790,000	240,000	340,000	180,000	90,000	1,210,000	9,990,000
March	9,230,000	7,670,000	2,820,000	5,110,000	7,300,000	10,040,000	4,510,000	2,980,000	4,930,000	2,370,000	2,710,000	1,250,000	610,000	12,780,000	74,490,000
April	1,000,000	780,000	360,000	470,000	860,000	440,000	360,000	330,000	300,000	270,000	170,000	90,000	840,000	760,000	7,020,000
May	680,000	720,000	60,000	210,000	310,000	830,000	300,000	210,000	400,000	170,000	140,000	220,000	10,000	880,000	5,150,000
June	969,333	861,367	102,925	291,586	520,817	467,802	204,244	270,970	377,508	177,095	151,064	57,200	68,790	780,158	5,300,769
July	361,548	737,963	186,491	113,373	422,041	468,350	242,253	132,580	256,414	80,081	49,442	22,500	28,842	885,589	3,987,487
August	568,942	685,717	127,502	464,972	873,711	291,558	315,971	80,420	163,162	182,511	328,271	17,600	32,000	953,658	5,087,995
September ..	739,167	924,323	276,810	407,597	877,350	775,650	469,227	146,331	126,546	154,288	150,388	23,156	101,736	1,217,780	6,410,349
October	326,090	471,346	216,113	333,724	135,611	366,085	222,525	118,084	111,806	126,884	56,124	11,700	15,000	860,322	3,371,414
November ..	268,439	374,883	50,467	338,459	265,205	438,034	917,265	31,353	215,459	77,465	25,127	46,286	158,500	612,174	3,819,158
December ..	491,302	574,009	241,050	253,534	205,720	352,112	236,867	334,940	447,950	130,105	82,374	29,627	170,837	854,425	4,404,852
1899—January	676,559	434,849	116,543	241,451	324,806	1,967,302	403,904	58,794	269,499	168,480	22,400	11,200	3,560	398,186	5,097,533
February	790,930	502,077	141,399	153,709	732,299	323,931	72,364	276,685	157,616	119,351	69,673	105,178	21,000	510,839	3,977,051
March	1,646,351	1,510,329	507,271	302,174	937,647	978,905	284,721	300,167	211,285	169,085	83,979	39,325	44,000	1,276,181	8,291,420
April	8,500,000	8,600,000	2,400,000	3,600,000	6,500,000	7,700,000	4,000,000	2,300,000	3,000,000	1,800,000	1,300,000	700,000	1,500,000	10,000,000	61,900,000
May	1,269,747	510,798	147,548	391,181	484,413	975,432	225,242	150,992	134,091	199,113	192,575	7,683	51,640	529,837	5,270,292
June	889,017	590,379	159,039	432,676	333,904	270,282	409,737	139,415	82,054	66,984	71,268	19,070	9,828	875,137	4,349,330
Twelve months ending June 30—															
1895	13,870,000	8,100,000	2,400,000	6,570,000	7,650,000	11,080,000	4,560,000	1,900,000	3,310,000	3,020,000	2,020,000	1,320,000	1,050,000	20,100,000	87,020,000
1896	11,770,000	9,290,000	4,030,000	5,200,000	11,400,000	12,580,000	2,650,000	2,160,000	4,720,000	3,680,000	2,700,000	1,490,000	1,130,000	22,400,000	98,890,000
1897	10,910,000	9,230,000	2,920,000	6,200,000	10,450,000	16,280,000	5,710,000	4,460,000	5,580,000	2,640,000	3,960,000	1,390,000	510,000	18,630,000	98,970,000
1898	9,121,690	8,074,038	2,586,495	4,157,914	7,307,375	8,653,200	3,952,395	2,145,863	3,908,160	2,095,389	1,727,719	985,802	1,482,732	9,897,834	66,196,628

NOTE.—The discrepancy in the totals is caused by dropping the odd thousands.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

QUARTERLY STATEMENTS OF FAILURES AND AVERAGE OF LIABILITIES, 1875-1893.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR THE YEAR.		
	Number failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.	Number failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.	Number failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.	Number failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.	Number failures.	Amount of liabilities.	Average liabilities.
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1875.....	1,982	43,173,000	21,782	1,582	33,667,000	21,295	1,771	54,328,000	30,676	2,405	70,888,000	29,475	7,740	201,060,333	25,960
1876.....	2,806	64,644,000	23,039	1,794	43,771,000	24,398	2,450	47,857,371	19,533	2,042	34,844,893	17,064	9,092	191,117,786	21,020
1877.....	2,869	54,538,074	19,010	1,880	45,068,097	23,972	1,816	42,346,085	23,318	2,307	48,717,680	21,117	8,872	190,669,936	21,491
1878.....	3,355	82,078,826	24,464	2,470	48,753,940	19,738	2,853	66,378,363	23,266	1,800	37,172,003	20,651	10,478	234,283,132	22,369
1879.....	2,524	43,112,665	17,081	1,534	22,666,725	14,776	1,262	15,275,550	12,104	1,338	17,094,113	12,775	6,058	98,149,053	14,741
1880.....	1,432	12,777,074	8,922	1,065	20,111,689	18,884	979	12,121,422	12,381	1,259	20,741,815	16,474	4,735	65,752,000	13,886
1881.....	1,761	24,447,250	13,900	1,105	16,499,395	14,931	1,024	10,112,365	9,875	1,692	30,096,922	17,600	5,582	81,155,932	14,530
1882.....	2,127	33,338,271	15,670	1,470	17,242,649	11,722	1,300	18,942,893	14,571	1,841	32,023,751	17,394	6,738	101,547,564	15,070
1883.....	2,821	38,372,643	13,602	1,816	27,816,391	15,317	1,803	52,072,884	28,881	2,744	54,612,254	19,902	9,184	172,874,172	18,823
1884.....	3,296	40,186,978	12,193	2,214	84,204,304	37,998	2,346	56,627,821	24,138	3,112	45,324,324	14,547	10,968	226,343,427	20,632
1885.....	3,658	46,121,051	12,608	2,346	28,601,304	12,091	2,173	23,874,391	10,986	2,460	25,623,575	10,416	10,637	124,220,321	11,678
1886.....	3,203	29,681,726	9,266	1,953	20,752,734	15,746	1,932	27,227,630	14,090	2,746	36,982,029	13,467	9,834	114,644,119	11,651
1887.....	3,007	32,161,762	10,695	1,905	22,976,330	12,061	1,938	73,022,556	37,674	2,784	39,400,296	14,152	9,634	167,560,944	17,392
1888.....	2,948	38,884,789	13,190	2,241	29,229,370	13,043	2,361	22,114,254	9,366	3,129	33,601,560	10,738	10,679	123,829,973	11,595
1889.....	3,311	42,972,516	12,979	2,292	22,856,337	9,972	2,276	39,227,045	17,235	3,003	43,728,439	14,561	10,882	148,784,337	13,672
1890.....	3,223	37,852,968	11,747	2,162	27,466,416	12,704	2,196	35,452,436	16,144	3,326	89,085,144	26,784	10,907	189,856,964	17,406
1891.....	3,545	42,167,631	11,894	2,529	50,248,636	19,868	2,754	44,302,494	16,086	3,445	53,149,877	15,428	12,273	189,868,638	15,471
1892.....	3,384	39,284,349	11,609	2,119	22,989,331	10,849	1,984	18,659,235	9,405	2,867	33,111,252	11,549	10,344	114,044,167	11,025
1893.....	3,202	47,338,300	14,784	3,199	121,541,239	37,984	4,015	82,469,821	20,402	4,826	95,430,529	19,770	15,242	346,779,889	22,751
1894.....	4,304	64,137,333	14,900	2,734	37,595,973	13,751	2,868	29,411,196	10,028	3,979	41,848,354	10,172	13,885	172,992,856	12,458
1895.....	3,802	47,813,683	12,577	2,855	41,026,261	14,370	2,792	32,167,179	11,528	3,748	52,188,737	13,924	13,197	173,196,060	13,124
1896.....	4,031	57,425,135	14,246	2,995	40,444,547	13,504	3,757	73,285,349	19,507	4,305	54,941,803	12,762	15,088	226,096,834	14,992
1897.....	3,932	48,007,911	12,210	2,889	43,684,876	15,121	2,881	25,601,188	8,886	3,649	37,038,096	10,150	13,351	154,332,071	11,559
1898.....	3,687	32,946,565	8,936	3,031	34,498,074	11,381	2,540	25,104,778	9,886	2,928	38,113,482	13,017	12,186	130,662,899	10,722

FAILURES AND AGGREGATE LIABILITIES, 1879-1898.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.	CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.
				Dollars.					Dollars.
1879.....	6,658	702,157	.95	98,149,053	1889.....	10,882	1,051,140	1.04	143,784,337
1880.....	4,735	746,823	.63	65,752,000	1890.....	10,907	1,110,590	.95	189,856,964
1881.....	5,582	781,689	.71	81,155,932	1891.....	12,273	1,142,951	1.07	189,868,638
1882.....	6,738	822,256	.82	101,547,546	1892.....	10,344	1,172,705	.88	114,044,167
1883.....	9,184	863,993	1.06	172,874,172	1893.....	15,242	1,193,113	1.28	346,779,889
1884.....	10,968	904,759	1.21	226,343,427	1894.....	13,885	1,114,174	1.25	172,992,856
1885.....	10,637	919,990	1.16	124,220,321	1895.....	13,197	1,209,282	1.09	173,196,060
1886.....	9,834	969,841	1.01	114,644,119	1896.....	15,088	1,151,579	1.31	226,096,834
1887.....	9,634	994,281	.90	167,560,944	1897.....	13,351	1,058,521	1.26	154,332,071
1888.....	10,679	1,046,662	1.02	123,829,973	1898.....	12,186	1,005,830	1.10	130,662,899

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC BREADSTUFFS, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS, DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1898.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS WHENCE EXPORTED.	Barley.		Bran, middlings, and mill feed.		Bread and biscuit.		Corn.		Corn meal.	
	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Baltimore, Md.....	19,910	8,971	15,073	227,724	13,951	532	45,096,477	16,799,244	78,611	208,292
Bangor, Me.....			120	1,234	3,752	246	317,432	108,549	2	4
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	40,855	20,427	461	6,411	382,949	13,259	11,542,828	4,675,931	46,316	82,148
Brunswick, Ga.....			1	33			1,012	589		
Charleston, S. C.....					1,992	103	128,914	43,972	40	76
Delaware.....							226,000	83,620		
New Bedford, Mass.....					13,590	549	8,330	3,775	264	837
Newport News, Va.....			1,647	24,734			16,115,375	5,878,674	234,015	521,787
New York, N. Y.....	2,451,271	1,100,858	42,593	636,221	12,129,658	632,829	39,632,273	15,436,207	366,663	743,856
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.....							9,383,325	3,530,925		
Passamaquoddy, Me.....			30	300						
Perth Amboy, N. J.....									22	41
Philadelphia, Pa.....			5,360	87,002			29,851,346	11,300,625	88,517	209,100
Portland and Falmouth, Me.....							730,764	282,232		
St. Johns, Fla.....			1	14	2,005	145	1,770	867	2	5
Savannah, Ga.....	1	1			4,730	291	314	175	338	802
Wilmington, N. C.....					400	35				
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....							169	60		
Corpus Christi, Tex.....							24,972	10,329	148	388
Galveston, Tex.....			463	6,376			5,565,600	2,230,607	21,382	82,103
Key West, Fla.....			39	594	59,576	1,316	612	356	660	1,124
Mobile, Ala.....			278	4,212	60,348	3,191	1,736,254	625,224	70	166
New Orleans, La.....			2,141	32,846	380,544	21,812	20,735,569	7,056,336	372	805
Paso del Norte, Tex.....							12,938	4,512	1	5
Pensacola, Fla.....			63	675			532,341	202,169	1,143	2,240
Saluria, Tex.....			1	10	38,494	2,912	275	160	21	45
Tampa, Fla.....					1,000	44				
Alaska.....	3,350	1,950	4	67	498	29	7	9	7	18
Arizona.....	1,121	564			84,049	4,775	1,993	1,041	27	135
Humboldt, Cal.....										
Los Angeles, Cal.....					540	27				
Oregon, Oreg.....										
Puget Sound, Wash.....	9,918	5,435	5,254	64,513	34,418	2,027	54,566	23,502	376	892
San Diego, Cal.....	74,162	35,696	82	1,797	21,159	1,299	830	420	15	44
San Francisco, Cal.....	1,532,883	919,321	5,980	118,195	2,792,860	119,123	55,800	37,227		
Willamette, Oreg.....	232,452	132,699	160	3,303					1	2
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....										
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....							235	94		
Champlain, N. Y.....					100	9	39,514	13,920		
Chicago, Ill.....	163,929	89,708	307	4,394			18,193,803	6,388,971		
Detroit, Mich.....	244	120	46	704	130,150	6,603	1,907,862	708,533	10,496	23,188
Duluth, Minn.....			1,155	13,004			18,000	5,400	8	12
Genesee, N. Y.....										
Huron, Mich.....							928,887	314,230	700	1,340
Memphremagog, Vt.....					8,998	456	78,280	25,290		
Miami, Ohio.....							1,435,358	497,251		
Minnesota, Minn.....			5	67	131	10	1,915	549	2	3
Montana and Idaho.....			45	364						
North and South Dakota.....	2,669	810	2	28	416	22	506,651	144,732	3,517	5,935
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....							1,416,224	519,305	200	750
Superior, Mich.....	8,190	2,369	2,867	30,528			928,887	344,230	203	405
Vermont, Vt.....					1,257	62	45,649	15,837		
Total.....	4,540,955	2,318,929	84,178	1,265,440	16,167,555	811,706	207,309,381	77,315,689	854,248	1,886,546

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC BREADSTUFFS, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS, DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1898.

Oats.		Oatmeal.		Rye.		Wheat.		Wheat flour.		All other, and prep- arations of.	Total.	CUSTOMS DISTRICTS WHENCE EXPORTED.
<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
4,859,686	1,587,646	16,187,652	343,800	4,581,406	2,606,976	18,542,034	16,143,528	2,813,166	12,099,121	230,353	50,261,187	Baltimore, Md.
				25,000	15,000	120,748	117,917	22,030	74,997	3,568	321,515	Bangor, Me.
8,324,673	2,790,471	21,823,008	448,306	245,195	139,055	12,288,150	10,911,460	1,579,687	7,473,059	743,107	27,303,634	Boston and Charlestown, Mass.
706	225							362	1,649	22	2,528	Brunswick, Ga.
				51,331	29,772	447,829	333,575	55,855	280,951		693,449	Charleston, S. C.
											83,620	Delaware.
								496	2,292	280	7,733	New Bedford, Mass.
3,038,737	930,062	220,328	8,603	141,909	71,132	2,937,312	2,926,452	1,817,882	8,684,882	98,677	19,145,003	Newport News, Va.
23,864,946	7,664,789	37,621,191	793,724	8,307,944	4,971,963	49,909,158	47,732,417	4,738,214	20,507,369	2,618,860	102,869,153	New York, N. Y.
						700,791	476,489	35,948	155,588	25,700	4,188,702	Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.
											300	Passamaquoddy, Me.
											41	Perth Amboy, N. J.
5,772,574	1,772,103	5,168,077	105,656	1,460,517	866,209	5,660,284	4,757,696	1,614,426	6,597,745	448,632	26,144,768	Philadelphia, Pa.
1,066,223	358,876	201,600	4,232			560,637	448,418	169,417	752,011	847	1,846,616	Portland and Falmouth, Me.
3,585	1,474							629	2,690	2,682	7,887	St. Johns, Fla.
918	365	144	9					744	2,850	473	4,966	Savannah, Ga.
175	70							30	170	213	488	Wilmington, N. C.
								2,464	11,108	1,706	12,874	Brazos de Santiago, Tex.
228	101	2,667	73					2,064	9,612	66,701	87,234	Corpus Christi, Tex.
1,668	630			65,020	35,009	11,288,278	8,999,225	174,191	811,755	200	12,165,905	Galveston, Tex.
6,408	2,173	1,550	31					3,305	13,784	532	19,910	Key West, Fla.
4,830	1,687	490	13			178,000	144,740	53,956	223,577	389	1,000,199	Mobile, Ala.
1,662,956	516,174	3,295	134	234,574	126,019	12,795,543	11,629,333	295,472	1,273,198	13,860	20,670,517	New Orleans, La.
2,485	779	2,017	58					321	1,448	7,064	13,864	Paso del Norte, Tex.
						440,216	302,000	60,527	252,973	1,422	761,479	Pensacola, Fla.
5,894	2,105	4,837	199					4,251	16,849	4,193	26,473	Saluria, Tex.
								316	1,406		1,450	Tampa, Fla.
141	115	1,722	58					473	2,245	357	4,848	Alaska.
		3,000	150					307	1,734	391	8,790	Arizona.
24	12										12	Humboldt, Cal.
											5	Los Angeles, Cal.
						229,667	175,270	850	2,487		177,757	Oregon, Oreg.
77,393	27,769	200	4	1,301	850	6,179,635	4,592,242	672,300	2,368,667	33,474	7,119,405	Puget Sound, Wash.
1,123	559	790	27			22,099	18,232	316	1,395	304	59,773	San Diego, Cal.
50,911	35,697			52	31	6,419,933	5,512,042	813,724	3,447,000	128,795	10,317,431	San Francisco, Cal.
102,453	42,792					12,825,701	9,302,119	820,684	2,895,432	5	12,376,352	Willamette, Oreg.
										18,094	18,094	Buffalo Creek, N. Y.
								1	4	270	368	Cape Vincent, N. Y.
								3	12	7,218	21,159	Champlain, N. Y.
276,525	85,927			394,090	196,937	2,110,110	1,853,903	23,700	85,165	1,661	8,706,666	Chicago, Ill.
7,214	2,020	450	10	13,225	8,195	310,190	238,215	115,457	525,193	36,682	1,549,463	Detroit, Mich.
				130,800	74,400	1,688,572	1,255,538	161,984	901,401	211	2,249,966	Duluth, Minn.
										125	125	Genesee, N. Y.
1,003	301	57,570	1,158	32,614	19,786			68,519	277,950	18,273	633,038	Huron, Mich.
								2	9	535	26,290	Memphremagog, Vt.
						216,000	175,431	4,855	25,125		697,807	Miami, Ohio.
1,014	407	1,368	31					2	11	15	1,093	Minnesota, Minn.
17,198	7,838							1,998	7,870	200	10,272	Montana and Idaho.
5,132	1,436	414,865	7,116			360	326	2,709	12,421	66,902	239,728	North and South Dakota.
				14,026	9,819	46,967	39,819	700	2,585		572,278	Oswegatchie, N. Y.
733,043	212,285			19,567	10,016	3,326,870	2,554,515	435,490	2,258,349	158	5,412,855	Superior, Mich.
		712	14			1	1	77	324	12,411	28,649	Vermont, Vt.
49,919,866	16,046,888	81,717,533	1,718,406	15,718,571	9,181,169	149,245,685	130,642,903	16,569,904	72,066,493	4,625,577	317,879,746	Total.

**EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC PROVISIONS (COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS), BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS,
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1898.**

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS WHENCE EXPORTED.	BEEF PRODUCTS.								PORK PRODUCTS.			
	Canned.		Fresh.		Salted, pickled, and other cured.		Tallow.		Bacon.		Hams.	
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....	9,132,693	864,462	14,502,937	1,097,945	3,996,852	281,739	14,582,149	577,735	79,919,665	5,623,981	7,436,172	737,240
Bangor, Me.....	70,371	6,729	364,192	24,712	366,689	20,965	203,322	5,355	68	12	696,751	51,318
Belfast, Me.....					123	17						
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	1,940,637	172,262	117,932,328	10,264,277	6,283,085	309,530	19,464,980	705,782	200,754,483	16,222,158	90,823,872	8,654,569
Charleston, S. C.....					1,347	69			8,431	357	6,027	390
Delaware.....					3,090	143						
New Bedford, Mass.....					1,200	60						
Newport News, Va.....	599,300	59,930					1,570,656	60,621	31,100	2,202	315,468	28,804
New York, N. Y.....	16,422,775	1,390,335	124,533,502	10,428,535	32,470,432	1,840,440	52,343,017	2,175,697	276,297,675	19,844,615	78,856,538	7,372,447
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.....							741,073	22,910			69,325	8,319
Passamaquoddy, Me.....					152,000	7,778						
Philadelphia, Pa.....	2,625,428	259,729	6,643,460	531,879	2,192,980	107,803	9,956,190	377,770	28,867,947	1,617,418	19,890,005	1,472,098
Portland and Falmouth, Me.....	3,049,859	274,561	668,105	55,762	1,612,009	80,652	1,127,141	37,983	12,132,410	962,068	10,199,271	1,014,120
St. Johns, Fla.....	2,436	221	1,400	95					1,725	105	900	60
Savannah, Ga.....	1,308	145			1,096	66			2,733	185	3,445	258
Wilmington, N. C.....									465	28	200	11
Wiscasset, Me.....					2,514	207						
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....							5,830	391			594	65
Corpus Christi, Tex.....									9,006	981	21,669	2,223
Galveston, Tex.....	173,154	18,700							74,556	5,225		
Key West, Fla.....	19,219	1,947	1,920	172	86,529	4,683			31,976	2,039	23,222	1,502
Mobile, Ala.....	60,638	5,880			106,805	5,535	6,566	197	54,433	3,314	80,830	5,974
New Orleans, La.....	114,327	10,504			407,959	19,871	1,910,669	61,476	365,288	23,733	160,283	14,323
Paso del Norte, Tex.....							70,000	2,568	18,736	1,714	21,011	2,160
Pearl River, Miss.....									123	13	364	42
Pensacola, Fla.....					400	23	710,537	20,828			200	13
Saluria, Tex.....	5,544	771							29,198	2,682	16,618	1,604
Tampa, Fla.....	3,910	329							1,400	99	11,312	1,025
Alaska.....	521	56			742	111			22,578	2,125	1,235	120
Arizona.....	20,260	2,633					98,550	3,231	7,200	746	25,570	3,141
Los Angeles, Cal.....							7,210	323	960	93	510	48
Puget Sound, Wash.....			274	28	5,000	349	28,211	907	742,856	63,672	800,535	68,846
San Diego, Cal.....	2,478	235			1,590	93	9,443	342	9,345	959	2,745	287
San Francisco, Cal.....	939,217	139,389			367,475	21,068	3,360,964	137,899	278,886	35,734	610,146	77,067
Willamette, Oreg.....					206,450	10,170	78	10	230	25		
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....												
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....												
Champlain, N. Y.....									8,465	784	10,326	945
Chicago, Ill.....							539,119	14,080	70,948	2,245		
Detroit, Mich.....	1,732,475	159,817	2,192,560	192,622	214,560	12,288	17,350	692	4,676,295	377,138	6,104,860	560,647
Duluth, Minn.....	100	10	2,100	210					896	88	3,300	346
Huron, Mich.....	584,887	48,147	608,722	47,220	200,015	10,044	2,050	67	12,204,258	786,779	2,158,357	177,890
Memphremagog, Vt.....			50	5	840	38	269	10	32	3	54	4
Minnesota, Minn.....	24	2	1,344	93	1,800	93			3,957	346	9,748	843
Montana and Idaho.....			5,987	483	530	53			17,910	2,116	35,007	4,333
North and South Dakota.....	364,879	31,429			40,761	3,415	63,316	1,585	3,028,165	199,496	1,564,636	118,237
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	48	5							117	0	660	59
Oswego, N. Y.....												
Superior, Mich.....	144	12							8,550	738	50,310	3,345
Vermont, Vt.....			25	2	10	1	500	36	169	20	74	9
Total.....	37,866,632	3,448,240	267,458,906	22,644,040	48,724,793	2,737,304	106,819,190	4,203,395	619,683,235	45,786,045	220,011,750	20,384,650

**EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC PROVISIONS (COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS), BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS,
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1898.**

PORK PRODUCTS.				OTHER MEAT PRODUCTS.			DAIRY PRODUCTS.						TOTAL.	CUSTOMS DISTRICTS WHENCE EXPORTED.
Pork.		Lard.		Oleo and oleomargarine.		All other meat products.	Butter.		Cheese.		Milk.			
Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
16, 046, 118	926, 494	134, 307, 915	8, 390, 686	45, 458, 012	2, 727, 380	985, 215	74, 331	11, 264	62, 975	8, 194	82	22, 232, 426	Baltimore, Md.	
4, 946, 359	298, 309	2, 085, 123	102, 650			10, 246					9	520, 305	Pangor, Me.	
												17	Belfast, Me.	
48, 947, 948	3, 088, 839	125, 751, 856	7, 987, 379	4, 567, 386	261, 017	1, 053, 842	1, 039, 893	181, 933	3, 282, 597	299, 352	27	49, 200, 967	Boston and Charle- town, Mass.	
7, 200	360	5, 299	317								13	1, 506	Charleston, S. C.	
												143	Delaware.	
												60	New Bedford, Mass.	
2, 568, 888	152, 663	23, 555, 726	1, 278, 769	27, 983	2, 379	145, 410						1, 730, 778	Newport News, Va.	
53, 192, 551	3, 084, 193	344, 774, 945	19, 725, 322	83, 672, 297	5, 120, 131	5, 415, 433	9, 908, 971	1, 523, 860	23, 083, 654	1, 967, 872	434, 355	80, 323, 235	New York, N. Y.	
		33, 631, 411	1, 929, 663									1, 960, 892	Norfolk and Ports- mouth, Va.	
52, 400	3, 025	10, 766	862									11, 665	Passamaquoddy, Me.	
1, 669, 829	85, 543	38, 674, 746	2, 264, 567	7, 849, 379	493, 362	175, 880	12, 805	2, 203	55, 468	3, 797	68	7, 392, 027	Philadelphia, Pa.	
1, 727, 280	113, 261	5, 314, 914	314, 578	435, 528	26, 169	179, 891	238, 349	43, 545	284, 023	27, 037		3, 129, 627	Portland and Fal- mouth, Me.	
100	6	1, 500	65			202	415	99	149	16	108	977	St. Johns, Fla.	
4, 260	258	3, 376	144	800	115	9	1, 556	326	323	34	63	1, 603	Savannah, Ga.	
2, 500	139	1, 000	55									233	Wilmington, N. C.	
718	50					71	663	128	688	61		517	Wiscasset, Me.	
		191, 578	8, 611			306	2, 461	393	420	55		9, 821	Brazos de Sant'go, Tex.	
		283, 756	14, 283	1, 800	185	12, 667	25, 693	5, 213	21, 958	2, 471		38, 023	Corpus Christi, Tex.	
350	12	2, 633, 975	140, 706				700	135	190	21		164, 799	Galveston, Tex.	
71, 130	2, 751	113, 819	5, 065	645	75	671	5, 163	1, 164	1, 384	178	2, 308	22, 555	Key West, Fla.	
325, 469	16, 634	756, 966	36, 043	4, 036	452	25, 307	43, 966	7, 850	37, 620	4, 071	4, 697	115, 924	Mobile, Ala.	
665, 276	33, 116	9, 648, 611	431, 642	76, 656	6, 499	18, 611	125, 166	24, 597	61, 736	6, 680	21, 244	672, 306	New Orleans, La.	
		37, 980	1, 719			7, 350	50, 565	10, 354	8, 960	1, 034	185	27, 084	Paso del Norte, Tex.	
							288	108				163	Pearl River, Miss.	
		1, 863, 500	89, 393				61	16				110, 273	Pensacola, Fla.	
97, 230	4, 248	321, 846	16, 832	4, 538	276	4, 678	13, 999	2, 873	10, 432	1, 188		35, 152	Saluria, Tex.	
		12, 236	683			362	799	165	231	24	787	3, 474	Tampa, Fla.	
26	2	466	40			386	1, 857	486	46	9	181	3, 516	Alaska.	
		118, 087	9, 748	3, 050	293	12, 357	4, 768	1, 064	1, 475	185	392	33, 790	Arizona.	
		2, 390	164			4	240	54				666	Los Angeles, Cal.	
36, 000	1, 142	461, 243	26, 126	23, 729	2, 185	110, 300	85, 691	18, 816	9, 758	1, 297	32, 120	325, 788	Puget Sound, Wash.	
55	5	27, 100	2, 015			164	4, 216	1, 005	3, 539	432	436	5, 973	San Diego, Cal.	
157, 005	11, 234	850, 169	62, 035	121, 860	12, 724	20, 857	535, 739	116, 748	500, 233	54, 574	161, 248	850, 577	San Francisco, Cal.	
		1, 320	106	550	50	25	200	42				10, 428	Willamette, Oreg.	
2, 677, 598	192, 776	528, 008	28, 214			26, 368						247, 358	Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	
						4, 968			1, 137, 610	79, 931		84, 899	Cape Vincent, N. Y.	
						17, 867	872, 587	155, 777	1, 377, 178	113, 979	309	289, 661	Champlain, N. Y.	
2, 186, 000	109, 615	5, 278, 141	258, 184			937						385, 961	Chicago, Ill.	
8, 050, 368	506, 541	1, 459, 675	90, 680	3, 000	181	40, 303	1, 520, 917	245, 345	237, 554	20, 658	661	2, 207, 573	Detroit, Mich.	
1, 000	10	222	12			19	50	7	125	17		719	Duluth, Minn.	
2, 228, 480	118, 252	1, 439, 370	84, 999	21, 490	1, 248	17, 477			30, 200	2, 416	245	1, 294, 784	Huron, Mich.	
18, 750	1, 386	380	25								10	1, 481	Memphremagog, Vt.	
7, 254	473	3, 190	211			361	3, 147	435	235	27	127	3, 011	Minnesota, Minn.	
992	57	17, 320	1, 374			406	12, 574	2, 578	388	54	3, 085	14, 539	Montana and Idaho.	
159, 691	8, 635	926, 468	54, 419			35, 184	181, 057	28, 297	10, 783	1, 280	30, 096	512, 073	North and South Da- kota.	
1, 307, 992	64, 035	1, 439, 838	77, 344			1, 905	174, 822	29, 540	9, 774, 792	739, 158		912, 054	Oswegatchie, N. Y.	
									527, 223	40, 702		40, 702	Oswego, N. Y.	
170, 957	7, 394	1, 791	95			19, 487	90, 480	11, 753			8	42, 832	Superior, Mich.	
2, 500	155	970	97			2, 671			47	4	61	3, 056	Vermont, Vt.	
147, 330, 094	8, 831, 613	736, 538, 992	43, 435, 922	142, 272, 339	8, 654, 721	8, 348, 197	15, 634, 189	2, 428, 143	40, 523, 994	3, 376, 818	692, 925	174, 978, 013	Total.	

ENTRANCES AND CLEARANCES OF VESSELS IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY, EACH VESSEL BEING COUNTED BUT ONCE AT EACH PORT, DURING THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1898.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
ATLANTIC PORTS.												
Alexandria, Va.:												
United States.....Sail.....	7	3,735			7	3,735						
Baltimore, Md.:												
United States.....Sail.....	65	23,450	1	199	66	23,649	61	34,590	10	942	71	35,532
Steam..	4	3,734			4	3,734	3	4,129	2	702	5	4,831
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	22	5,475			22	5,475	16	4,126	3	186	19	4,312
Steam..	77	138,726	254	441,156	331	582,882	330	583,049	2	576	332	583,625
Austria-Hungary.....Steam..	2	3,823			2	3,823	1	1,770			1	1,770
Denmark.....Steam..	1	315	17	26,755	18	27,070	19	28,193			19	28,193
Germany.....Steam..	17	50,297	7	13,920	24	64,217	34	86,551			34	86,551
Italy.....Sail.....	10	6,304			10	6,304	3	1,765			3	1,765
Netherlands.....Steam..	1	1,424	6	11,799	7	13,223	6	11,799			6	11,799
Norway.....Sail.....	1	560			1	560	1	344			1	344
Steam..	21	16,962	13	21,201	34	38,163	28	34,803	4	1,764	32	36,567
Sweden.....Steam..			1	1,325	1	1,325	1	1,325			1	1,325
Hawaii.....Sail.....	1	1,157			1	1,157						
Total.....	222	252,227	299	519,355	521	771,582	503	792,444	21	4,170	524	796,614
Bangor, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	155			1	155	6	2,758			6	2,758
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	2	376	2	807	4	1,183	4	1,281	2	376	6	1,657
Steam..			7	9,718	7	9,718	7	8,900			7	8,900
Italy.....Sail.....	1	605			1	605	11	5,233			11	5,233
Norway.....Sail.....			2	1,254	2	1,254	2	1,254			2	1,254
Steam..			2	3,192	2	3,192	2	3,192			2	3,192
Russia.....Sail.....	1	1,335			1	1,335	1	1,335			1	1,335
Total.....	5	2,471	13	14,971	18	17,442	33	23,953	2	376	35	24,329
Barnstable, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....	5	1,365			5	1,365						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	20	2,497			20	2,497	4	599	4	395	8	994
Germany.....Sail.....			1	207	1	207			1	207	1	207
Total.....	25	3,862	1	207	26	4,069	4	599	5	602	9	1,201
Bath, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....									2	671	2	671
Steam..			1	129	1	129						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	7	1,632			7	1,632			7	1,632	7	1,632
Total.....	7	1,632	1	129	8	1,761			9	2,303	9	2,303
Beaufort, S. C.:												
United Kingdom.....Sail.....			2	3,184	2	3,184	2	3,184			2	3,184
Steam..	3	6,312	10	10,855	13	17,167	13	23,423			13	23,423
France.....Steam..			1	2,245	1	2,245	1	2,245			1	2,245
Germany.....Sail.....			1	1,270	1	1,270	1	1,270			1	1,270
Norway.....Steam..	2	3,209			2	3,209	1	1,209			1	1,209
Spain.....Steam..			1	1,471	1	1,471	1	1,471			1	1,471
Total.....	5	9,521	15	19,025	20	28,546	19	32,802			19	32,802
Belfast, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	72			1	72	3	495			3	495
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	31	2,423			31	2,423			31	2,423	31	2,423
Steam..			1	73	1	73			1	73	1	73
Total.....	32	2,495	1	73	33	2,568	3	495	32	2,496	35	2,991
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....	122	60,198	1	494	123	60,692	55	25,966	80	26,250	135	52,216
Steam..	5	3,802	5	8,492	10	12,294	2	2,169	4	399	6	2,568
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	351	79,319	3	3,272	354	82,591	236	40,378	98	14,666	334	55,044
Steam..	111	250,129	4	6,055	115	256,184	74	182,230	3	2,536	77	184,766
Austria-Hungary.....Steam..	2	4,210			2	4,210						
Denmark.....Sail.....	1	1,740			1	1,740						
Steam..	1	315			1	315			1	315	1	315
France.....Sail.....	5	724			5	724	5	724			5	724
Steam..	1	461			1	461	1	461			1	461

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
ATLANTIC PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.—Cont'd.												
Germany.....Sail.....	2	4,415			2	4,415						
Steam.....	18	41,721			18	41,721	4	7,938			4	7,938
Italy.....Sail.....	1	823			1	823						
Norway.....Steam.....	20	17,324			20	17,324	6	3,087	7	3,285	13	6,372
Netherlands.....Sail.....	1	1,955			1	1,955						
Hawaii.....Sail.....	1	878			1	878			1	878	1	878
Total.....	642	468,014	13	18,313	655	486,327	383	262,953	194	48,329	577	311,282
Bridgeton, N. J.:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	1,200			1	1,200						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	1,400			1	1,400						
Italy.....Sail.....	1	1,000			1	1,000						
Total.....	3	3,600			3	3,600						
Bristol and Warren, R. I.: (a)												
United States.....Sail.....									1	95	1	95
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	3	292			3	292			1	99	1	99
Total.....	3	292			3	292			2	194	2	194
Brunswick, Ga.:												
United States.....Sail.....			66	34,363	66	34,363	12	5,141			12	5,141
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	3	234	17	14,856	20	15,090	23	17,025			23	17,025
Steam.....	3	5,959	31	58,522	34	64,481	36	66,198			36	66,198
Denmark.....Sail.....							1	673			1	673
Germany.....Sail.....			4	2,637	4	2,637	4	2,637			4	2,637
Italy.....Sail.....			8	6,137	8	6,137	9	6,742			9	6,742
Netherlands.....Sail.....			3	1,598	3	1,598	3	1,598			3	1,598
Norway.....Sail.....			96	80,139	96	80,139	98	81,878			98	81,878
Steam.....			1	1,070	1	1,070	1	1,070			1	1,070
Portugal.....Sail.....			6	1,874	6	1,874	6	1,874			6	1,874
Russia.....Sail.....			25	20,857	25	20,857	26	21,825			26	21,825
Spain.....Sail.....			32	15,956	32	15,956	33	16,297			33	16,297
Steam.....			3	4,956	3	4,956	3	4,956			3	4,956
Sweden.....Sail.....			16	10,821	16	10,821	16	10,821			16	10,821
Total.....	6	6,193	308	253,786	314	259,979	271	238,735			271	238,735
Castine, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	4	337			4	337			4	531	4	531
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	3	206			3	206			3	206	3	206
Steam.....			1	1,588	1	1,588	1	1,588			1	1,588
Italy.....Sail.....	5	2,148			5	2,148						
Norway.....Steam.....			1	1,393	1	1,393	1	1,393			1	1,393
Total.....	12	2,691	2	2,981	14	5,672	2	2,981	7	737	9	3,718
Charleston, S. C.:												
United States.....Sail.....	7	3,217	4	2,638	11	5,855	3	813			3	813
Steam.....	2	2,021	1	272	3	2,293	1	163	1	23	2	186
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	3	1,261	1	246	4	1,507	2	326			2	326
Steam.....	47	72,185	23	40,422	70	112,607	44	71,181			44	71,181
Austria-Hungary.....Steam.....	1	1,265			1	1,265						
Germany.....Steam.....	5	6,805			5	6,805	1	1,268			1	1,268
Italy.....Steam.....			1	1,989	1	1,989	1	1,989			1	1,989
Norway.....Sail.....	2	1,537	3	2,298	5	3,835	5	2,928			5	2,928
Steam.....	5	5,235			5	5,235	2	1,322			2	1,322
Spain.....Sail.....			2	1,336	2	1,336	1	995			1	995
Sweden.....Sail.....			2	909	2	909	1	509			1	509
Total.....	72	93,526	37	50,110	109	143,636	61	81,494	1	23	62	81,517
Delaware:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	502			1	502						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....							1	298			1	298
Steam.....			20	40,662	20	40,662	22	45,715			22	45,715
Belgium.....Steam.....			1	1,158	1	1,158	1	1,158			1	1,158
Denmark.....Steam.....			1	1,423	1	1,423	1	1,423			1	1,423

a Gross tons.

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
ATLANTIC PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Delaware—Continued.												
France.....Sail.....			3	5,045	3	5,045	3	5,045			3	5,045
.....Steam.....			2	2,713	2	2,713	2	2,713			2	2,713
Germany.....Steam.....			6	10,642	6	10,642	6	10,642			6	10,642
Italy.....Sail.....	1	1,649			1	1,649						
Netherlands.....Sail.....			1	2,141	1	2,141	1	2,141			1	2,141
.....Steam.....							1	1,734			1	1,734
Norway.....Sail.....	2	2,024			2	2,024						
.....Steam.....	2	1,640			2	1,640						
Spain.....Sail.....			2	1,242	2	1,242	2	1,242			2	1,242
.....Steam.....			2	2,819	2	2,819	2	2,819			2	2,819
Total.....	6	5,815	38	67,845	44	73,660	42	74,930			42	74,930
Edgartown, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....									1	186	1	186
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	99			1	99			1	124	1	124
Total.....	1	99			1	99			2	310	2	310
Fairfield, Conn.:												
United States.....Sail.....	12	2,066			12	2,066						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	20	2,654			20	2,654	19	2,369			19	2,369
Total.....	32	4,720			32	4,720	19	2,369			19	2,369
Fall River, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....	3	524			3	524			2	345	2	345
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	20	2,241			20	2,241			21	2,338	21	2,338
Total.....	23	2,765			23	2,765			23	2,683	23	2,683
Fernandina, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail.....			25	12,496	25	12,496	11	4,331			11	4,331
United Kingdom.....Sail.....			13	2,934	13	2,934	15	3,385			15	3,385
.....Steam.....			34	52,428	34	52,428	44	65,567			44	65,567
Austria-Hungary.....Steam.....			1	2,324	1	2,324	2	4,357			2	4,357
Belgium.....Steam.....			1	1,427	1	1,427	1	1,427			1	1,427
Denmark.....Sail.....			2	1,311	2	1,311	2	1,345			2	1,345
.....Steam.....			2	2,331	2	2,331	2	2,331			2	2,331
Germany.....Sail.....			1	1,199	1	1,199	1	1,199			1	1,199
.....Steam.....			1	1,652	1	1,652	3	5,475			3	5,475
Netherlands.....Sail.....			1	63	1	63	1	63			1	63
Norway.....Sail.....			4	2,232	4	2,232	4	2,232			4	2,232
.....Steam.....			5	9,696	5	9,696	7	10,881			7	10,881
Total.....			90	90,093	90	90,093	93	102,593			93	102,593
Frenchman Bay, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	3	118	7	1,573	10	1,691			9	1,683	9	1,683
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	4	392	18	4,311	22	4,703			4	392	4	392
Total.....	7	510	25	5,884	32	6,394			13	2,075	13	2,075
Georgetown, D. C.:												
United States.....Sail.....	6	2,592			6	2,592						
Gloucester, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....	51	8,300			51	8,300	37	4,160	22	3,040	59	7,200
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	25	3,269			25	3,269	14	1,385	5	489	19	1,874
.....Steam.....	2	2,431			2	2,431						
Italy.....Sail.....	5	2,813			5	2,813						
Norway.....Steam.....	2	2,158			2	2,158						
Total.....	85	18,971			85	18,971	51	5,545	27	3,529	78	9,074
Hartford, Conn.:												
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	2	218			2	218						
Machias, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	39	6,526	3	23	42	6,549	1	147	52	8,344	53	8,491
.....Steam.....	2	22	2	27	4	49			3	39	3	39
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	22	2,732	3	29	25	2,761	1	94	6	367	10	461
Total.....	63	9,280	8	79	71	9,359	2	241	64	8,750	66	8,991

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	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
ATLANTIC PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Marblehead, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail									5	2,012	5	2,012
United Kingdom.....Sail	17	1,727			17	1,727						
Total.....	17	1,727			17	1,727			5	2,012	5	2,012
Newark, N. J.:												
United States.....Sail	22	6,118			22	6,118	5	1,343			5	1,343
United Kingdom.....Sail	16	2,994			16	2,994	39	5,984			39	5,984
Steam.....	2	2,934			2	2,934						
Total.....	40	12,046			40	12,046	44	7,327			44	7,327
New Bedford, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail	22	3,618			22	3,618	5	320	17	2,421	22	2,741
United Kingdom.....Sail	18	2,233			18	2,233			21	2,525	21	2,525
Portugal.....Sail	5	484			5	484	5	453			5	453
Total.....	45	6,335			45	6,335	10	773	38	4,946	48	5,719
Newburyport, Mass.:												
United Kingdom.....Sail									8	2,714	8	2,714
New Haven, Conn.:												
United States.....Sail	8	1,627			8	1,627						
United Kingdom.....Sail	28	4,260			28	4,260			17	2,499	17	2,499
Steam.....	1	1,401			1	1,401						
Italy.....Sail	1	479			1	479			1	1,190	1	1,190
Total.....	38	7,767			38	7,767			18	3,689	18	3,689
New London, Conn.:												
United States.....Sail			1	92	1	92						
Steam.....			1	77	1	77			1	77	1	77
United Kingdom.....Sail	5	686			5	686	7	682			7	682
Total.....	5	686	2	169	7	855	7	682	1	77	8	759
Newport, R. I.:												
United States.....Sail	4	1,242			4	1,242						
United Kingdom.....Sail	11	1,191			11	1,191			11	1,176	11	1,176
Total.....	15	2,433			15	2,433			11	1,176	11	1,176
Newport News, Va.:												
United States.....Sail			3	1,671	3	1,671	18	12,325			18	12,325
United Kingdom.....Sail			7	7,547	7	7,547	6	5,410	1	2,137	7	7,547
Steam.....	15	29,204	146	257,048	161	286,352	139	255,028	21	29,507	160	284,535
Denmark.....Sail			6	10,788	6	10,788	5	9,211	1	1,577	6	10,788
Germany.....Sail			4	6,232	4	6,232	4	6,232			4	6,232
Steam.....	6	11,742	13	23,734	19	35,476	19	35,476			19	35,476
Italy.....Sail			1	769	1	769	1	769			1	769
Netherlands.....Sail			1	1,424	1	1,424	1	1,424			1	1,424
Norway.....Sail			2	834	2	834	2	834			2	834
Steam.....	1	1,888	11	17,423	12	19,311	10	15,294	1	2,129	11	17,423
Spain.....Sail			1	509	1	509	1	509			1	509
Steam.....							1	1,346			1	1,346
Sweden.....Sail			1	765	1	765	1	765			1	765
Steam.....			1	1,918	1	1,918						
Total.....	22	42,934	197	330,662	219	373,596	208	344,623	24	35,350	232	379,973
New York, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail	316	193,843	2	1,825	318	195,668	234	153,132	8	1,403	242	154,535
Steam.....	37	76,871	7	6,252	44	83,123	37	80,319	3	1,977	40	82,296
United Kingdom.....Sail	363	259,119	23	39,919	386	299,038	385	326,030	40	12,773	425	338,803
Steam.....	404	777,352	206	375,754	610	1,153,106	572	1,104,003	16	16,139	588	1,120,142
Austria-Hungary.....Sail		15,095	1	2,282	9	17,377	11	20,841			11	20,841
Belgium.....Sail		23,163	1	2,293	9	25,456	8	23,778			8	23,778
Denmark.....Sail	5	1,815			5	1,815	4	1,479			4	1,479
Steam.....	10	16,529	2	3,013	12	19,542	12	20,091			12	20,091
France.....Sail	3	381	1	98	4	479	3	396			3	396
Steam.....	18	46,139	2	3,461	20	49,600	20	48,060			20	48,060
Germany.....Sail	38	42,842	4	4,779	42	47,621	53	46,705			53	46,705
Steam.....	78	227,215	18	41,282	96	268,497	82	268,973			82	268,973

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	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
ATLANTIC PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
New York, N. Y.—Continued.												
Italy.....Sail.....	52	41,305	1	900	53	42,205	53	42,679			53	42,679
.....Steam.....	2	2,739			2	2,739	2	2,669			2	2,669
Netherlands.....Sail.....	4	4,264	2	4,410	6	8,674	7	8,841			7	8,841
.....Steam.....	14	27,602	10	19,888	24	47,490	30	60,028			30	60,028
Norway.....Sail.....	35	26,601	4	4,816	39	31,417	37	30,742			37	30,742
.....Steam.....	45	50,577	18	30,043	63	80,620	60	89,385	16	8,294	82	97,679
Portugal.....Sail.....	2	1,180			2	1,180	2	1,160			2	1,160
.....Steam.....	4	7,101			4	7,101	4	7,388			4	7,388
Russia.....Steam.....	1	1,214			1	1,214			1	1,214	1	1,214
Spain.....Sail.....	1	168			1	168	2	411			2	411
.....Steam.....	8	13,480	3	6,799	11	20,279	11	20,795			11	20,795
Sweden.....Sail.....							1	293			1	293
.....Steam.....	1	1,918			1	1,918						
Haiti.....Sail.....	1	185			1	185	1	185			1	185
Brazil.....Sail.....	1	834			1	834	1	834			1	834
.....Steam.....	1	767			1	767	1	960			1	960
Chile.....Sail.....	1	725			1	725	1	667			1	667
Hawaii.....Sail.....	3	3,476			3	3,476	3	3,677			3	3,677
Total.....	1,464	1,864,500	365	547,814	1,769	2,412,314	1,643	2,364,521	84	41,800	1,727	2,406,321
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.:												
United States.....Sail.....	5	1,825	2	1,747	7	3,572	36	21,857			36	21,857
.....Steam.....			3	304	3	304						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	530	1	2,137	2	2,667	9	6,669			9	6,669
.....Steam.....	10	13,093	83	159,413	93	172,506	109	203,203			109	203,203
Austria-Hungary.....Steam.....	1	2,054			1	2,054						
Denmark.....Steam.....							1	2,242			1	2,242
France.....Sail.....	1	373	2	796	3	1,169	2	789			2	789
Germany.....Steam.....	2	3,464	1	2,876	3	6,340	4	7,163	1	601	5	7,764
Italy.....Sail.....	3	1,702	3	1,981	6	3,683	8	4,371			8	4,371
Norway.....Steam.....	2	2,579	2	4,198	4	6,777	10	17,335			10	17,335
Spain.....Steam.....	1	792			1	792						
Sweden.....Steam.....							1	2,103			1	2,103
Total.....	26	26,412	97	173,452	123	199,864	180	265,732	1	601	181	266,333
Pamlico, N. C.:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	104			1	104	1	104			1	104
Passamaquoddy, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	18	1,341	29	2,271	47	3,612	24	2,035	41	3,949	65	5,984
.....Steam.....	5	2,793	4	98	9	2,891	3	2,779	6	127	9	2,906
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	60	5,613	1	150	61	5,763	2	274	60	5,545	62	5,819
.....Steam.....	2	999	5	462	7	561			8	573	8	573
Italy.....Sail.....	1	539			1	539	2	927			2	927
Total.....	86	10,385	39	2,981	125	13,366	31	6,015	115	10,194	146	16,209
Perth Amboy, N. J.:												
United States.....Sail.....	6	3,403			6	3,403	14	3,542	1	87	15	3,629
.....Steam.....			1	77	1	77						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	2	576			2	576	34	8,167			34	8,167
.....Steam.....	1	962			1	962	5	5,230			5	5,230
Germany.....Sail.....	2	2,234			2	2,234						
.....Steam.....							1	601			1	601
Italy.....Sail.....							1	1,032			1	1,032
Total.....	11	7,175	1	77	12	7,252	55	18,572	1	87	56	18,659
Philadelphia, Pa.:												
United States.....Sail.....	82	46,922	3	2,421	85	49,343	76	45,833	2	968	78	46,801
.....Steam.....	6	9,994			6	9,994	3	7,476			3	7,476
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	60	64,198	17	30,141	77	94,339	53	72,992	4	2,934	57	75,926
.....Steam.....	117	210,555	133	197,660	250	408,215	275	471,376	6	3,840	281	475,216
Austria-Hungary.....Sail.....	1	594			1	594	1	594			1	594
.....Steam.....	2	3,620			2	3,620	2	2,910	1	1,850	3	4,760
Belgium.....Steam.....	6	16,461	1	1,158	7	17,619	7	17,619			7	17,619
Denmark.....Steam.....	3	4,280	7	11,299	10	15,579	9	13,722			9	13,722

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	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
ATLANTIC PORTS—Continued.												
Philadelphia, Pa.—Continued.												
France.....Sail.....			4	5,570	4	5,570	5	6,795			5	6,795
Steam.....	1	1,397	3	4,023	4	5,420	1	1,309	1	1,397	2	2,706
Germany.....Sail.....	9	10,805	12	21,629	21	32,434	25	38,026			25	38,026
Steam.....	11	27,726	13	22,107	24	49,833	17	30,076			17	30,076
Italy.....Sail.....	16	12,112	10	5,572	26	17,684	38	25,404			38	25,404
Steam.....			1	1,822	1	1,822	1	1,822			1	1,822
Netherlands.....Sail.....	5	7,055	1	1,734	6	8,789	4	6,048	1	1,007	5	7,055
Steam.....			5	10,561	5	10,561	5	10,561			5	10,561
Norway.....Sail.....	5	5,289	2	2,616	7	7,905	6	6,447			6	6,447
Steam.....	15	13,161	19	31,871	34	45,032	31	44,401	5	2,368	36	46,769
Portugal.....Sail.....	2	676	6	2,165	8	2,841	8	3,256			8	3,256
Spain.....Sail.....	1	792	2	2,915	3	3,707	3	4,567			3	4,567
Sweden.....Sail.....			1	987	1	987	1	987			1	987
Steam.....	2	4,697	1	2,103	3	6,800	1	1,918			1	1,918
Nicaragua.....Sail.....	1	966			1	966						
Total.....	345	441,230	241	358,354	586	799,634	572	814,139	20	14,364	592	828,503
Plymouth, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....									2	680	2	680
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	2	197			2	197			3	287	3	287
Total.....	2	197			2	197			5	967	5	967
Portland and Falmouth, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	39	11,130	2	1,647	41	12,777	46	25,211	26	10,891	72	36,102
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	75	10,166			75	10,166	16	3,493	26	4,496	42	7,989
Steam.....	38	92,007	3	6,349	41	98,356	39	86,296	2	3,231	41	89,527
Germany.....Sail.....	2	7,033			2	7,033	2	7,033			2	7,033
Italy.....Sail.....	2	1,291			2	1,291	1	708			1	708
Norway.....Sail.....			2	3,192	2	3,192	2	3,192			2	3,192
Total.....	156	121,627	7	11,188	163	132,815	106	125,933	54	18,618	160	144,551
Portsmouth, N. H.:												
United States.....Sail.....	3	4,085			3	4,085			29	9,299	29	9,299
Steam.....	1	320			1	320						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	13	2,103			13	2,103			6	1,431	6	1,431
Total.....	17	6,508			17	6,508			35	10,730	35	10,730
Providence, R. I.:												
United States.....Sail.....	8	2,698			8	2,698	1	63	5	1,512	6	1,575
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	42	4,785			42	4,785	1	91	36	3,742	37	3,833
Italy.....Sail.....	1	632			1	632						
Haiti.....Sail.....	1	185			1	185						
Total.....	52	8,300			52	8,300	2	154	41	5,254	43	5,408
Richmond, Va.:												
United States.....Sail.....							1	276			1	276
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	98			1	98	1	98			1	98
Steam.....	1	2,024			1	2,024						
Total.....	2	2,122			2	2,122	2	374			2	374
Saco, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....									3	680	3	680
Sag Harbor, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail.....	2	495			2	495						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	2	751			2	751			2	751	2	751
Total.....	4	1,246			4	1,246			2	751	2	751
St. Augustine, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail.....	2	49			2	49	1	39			1	39
St. Johns, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail.....			13	4,694	13	4,694	14	4,809			14	4,809
Steam.....							1	49			1	49
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	3	470	7	1,223	10	1,693	12	2,458			12	2,458
Denmark.....Sail.....			3	1,454	3	1,454	3	1,454			3	1,454
Norway.....Sail.....			3	1,389	3	1,389	4	2,009			4	2,009
Total.....	3	470	26	8,760	29	9,230	34	10,779			34	10,779

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	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
ATLANTIC PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
St. Marys, Ga.:												
United States.....Sail.....			2	819	2	819						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....			4	2,463	4	2,463	6	3,780			6	3,780
Norway.....Sail.....			1	441	1	441	1	441			1	441
Total.....			7	3,723	7	3,723	7	4,221			7	4,221
Salem, Mass.:												
United States.....Sail.....	31	6,712			31	6,712			29	7,711	29	7,711
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	66	7,234			66	7,234			19	1,791	19	1,791
Total.....	97	13,946			97	13,946			48	9,502	48	9,502
Savannah, Ga.:												
United States.....Sail.....	2	545	3	1,722	5	2,267	5	2,437			5	2,437
Steam.....			2	1,209	2	1,209			1	97	1	97
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	2	1,328	16	12,526	18	13,854	24	19,468			24	19,468
Steam.....	4	8,132	70	114,717	74	122,849	91	155,691			91	155,691
Austria-Hungary.....Sail.....			9	6,141	9	6,141	10	7,472			10	7,472
Steam.....			2	4,143	2	4,143	2	4,143			2	4,143
Belgium.....Steam.....	1	1,832			1	1,832	1	1,832			1	1,832
Denmark.....Sail.....	2	1,141	1	591	3	1,732	3	1,801			3	1,801
France.....Sail.....			1	769	1	769	1	769			1	769
Germany.....Sail.....	2	2,616	14	13,867	16	16,483	20	20,045			20	20,045
Steam.....	1	1,652	2	3,456	3	5,108	4	6,434			4	6,434
Italy.....Sail.....	4	2,954	16	9,508	20	12,462	22	13,781			22	13,781
Steam.....	1	1,596			1	1,596	1	1,596			1	1,596
Netherlands.....Sail.....			1	654	1	654	1	654			1	654
Steam.....			1	1,615	1	1,615	1	1,614			1	1,614
Norway.....Sail.....	11	9,020	96	68,033	107	77,053	103	73,245			103	73,245
Steam.....			2	3,819	2	3,819	3	4,848			3	4,848
Spain.....Sail.....			1	310	1	310	1	310			1	310
Steam.....			2	4,656	2	4,656	2	4,656			2	4,656
Sweden.....Sail.....			8	6,856	8	6,856	7	6,100			7	6,100
Uruguay.....Sail.....			1	398	1	398	1	397			1	397
Total.....	30	30,816	248	254,900	278	285,806	303	327,293	1	97	304	327,590
Stonington, Conn.:												
United States.....Sail.....	2	261			2	261						
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	9	1,055			9	1,055			7	737	7	737
Total.....	11	1,316			11	1,316			7	737	7	737
Waldoboro, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	14	2,411			14	2,411			22	2,967	22	2,967
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	88	8,258			88	8,258			83	7,799	83	7,799
Italy.....Sail.....	1	460			1	460						
Total.....	103	11,129			103	11,129			105	10,766	105	10,766
Wiscasset, Me.:												
United States.....Sail.....	4	159			4	159	3	1,922	4	418	7	2,340
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail.....			30	13,397	30	13,397	7	2,619			7	2,619
United Kingdom.....Sail.....			5	2,330	5	2,330	5	2,340			5	2,340
Denmark.....Sail.....			1	713	1	713	1	713			1	713
Germany.....Sail.....			7	4,155	7	4,155	3	1,391			3	1,391
Netherlands.....Sail.....			1	612	1	612	1	612			1	612
Norway.....Sail.....			40	26,872	40	26,872	44	26,442			44	26,442
Russia.....Sail.....			7	2,904	7	2,904	8	3,644			8	3,644
Sweden.....Sail.....			3	1,193	3	1,193	2	721			2	721
Total.....			94	52,176	94	52,176	71	38,482			71	38,482
Galveston, Tex.:												
United States.....Sail.....	5	1,939	17	6,500	22	8,439	20	7,403	1	713	21	8,116
Steam.....			2	611	2	611	5	6,536	1	88	4	6,624
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	295	6	6,663	7	6,958	5	5,210			5	5,210
Steam.....	16	29,226	221	413,337	237	442,563	249	441,125	1	348	250	441,473

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	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
GULF PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Galveston, Tex.—Continued.												
Austria-Hungary.....Sail.....			1	568	1	568	1	568			1	568
Germany.....Steam.....	12	22,126	2	2,355	14	24,481	14	24,481			14	24,481
Greece.....Steam.....			1	1,805	1	1,805	1	1,805			1	1,805
Italy.....Sail.....			12	9,321	12	9,321	12	9,321			12	9,321
Netherlands.....Sail.....			2	1,649	2	1,649	2	1,649			2	1,649
.....Steam.....			3	4,930	3	4,930	3	4,930			3	4,930
Norway.....Sail.....			17	13,914	17	13,914	17	13,914			17	13,914
.....Steam.....	5	4,371	10	14,434	15	18,805	8	12,385	2	2,049	10	14,434
Russia.....Sail.....			7	4,299	7	4,299	7	4,299			7	4,299
Spain.....Steam.....	2	4,313	18	32,477	20	36,790	20	36,790			20	36,790
Sweden.....Sail.....			4	3,948	4	3,948	4	3,948			4	3,948
Mexico.....Sail.....	2	121			2	121	2	121			2	121
.....Steam.....			1	117	1	117	1	117			1	117
Total.....	43	62,391	324	516,928	367	579,319	363	574,602	5	3,198	374	577,800
Key West, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail.....	6	752	27	9,845	33	10,597	12	1,246	7	440	19	1,686
.....Steam.....	5	3,599	14	2,412	19	6,011	6	4,327	17	2,644	23	6,971
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	12	735	3	1,477	15	2,212	5	630	11	643	16	1,273
.....Steam.....			5	5,098	5	5,098	1	1,046	3	2,192	4	3,238
Denmark.....Steam.....			1	315	1	315			1	315	1	315
Germany.....Steam.....			2	2,564	2	2,564						
Norway.....Steam.....			4	2,951	4	2,951	1	432	3	1,784	4	2,216
Spain.....Sail.....							4	787			4	787
.....Steam.....			7	11,684	7	11,684	7	11,686			7	11,686
Colombia.....Steam.....			1	229	1	229	1	229			1	229
Brazil.....Steam.....			1	231	1	231			1	231	1	231
Total.....	23	5,086	65	36,806	88	41,892	37	20,383	43	8,249	80	28,632
Mobile, Ala.:												
United States.....Sail.....	3	592	30	11,181	33	11,773	19	5,876			19	5,876
.....Steam.....							1	428			1	428
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	13	3,033	28	19,590	41	22,623	45	26,290			45	26,290
.....Steam.....	3	4,147	33	56,905	36	61,052	34	55,994			34	55,994
Austria-Hungary.....Steam.....			1	1,360	1	1,360	1	1,360			1	1,360
France.....Sail.....			2	884	2	884	2	884			2	884
Germany.....Steam.....	1	558	1	601	2	1,159	2	1,159			2	1,159
Italy.....Sail.....	1	392	7	5,760	8	6,152	7	5,370			7	5,370
Norway.....Sail.....	2	2,376	48	47,694	50	50,070	59	59,326			59	59,302
.....Steam.....	17	9,541	9	10,166	26	19,707	24	17,514	5	4,486	29	22,000
Russia.....Sail.....	2	1,676	16	7,434	18	9,110	16	8,304			16	8,304
Sweden.....Sail.....			4	3,087	4	3,087	2	1,310			2	1,310
.....Steam.....			1	1,325	1	1,325	1	1,325			1	1,325
Total.....	42	22,315	180	165,987	222	188,302	213	185,140	5	4,486	218	189,626
New Orleans, La.:												
United States.....Sail.....	8	2,602	4	2,783	12	5,385	1	162			1	162
.....Steam.....	15	9,891	1	409	16	10,300	16	10,300			16	10,300
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	111			1	111	1	111			1	111
.....Steam.....	57	78,659	238	487,494	295	566,153	307	585,622			307	585,622
Austria-Hungary.....Steam.....			1	2,293	1	2,293	9	19,327			9	19,327
Belgium.....Steam.....	1	1,944			1	1,944	1	1,944			1	1,944
Denmark.....Steam.....	3	5,948	6	10,111	9	16,059	11	20,383			11	20,383
France.....Steam.....	4	7,555	4	8,916	8	16,471	8	16,237			8	16,237
Germany.....Sail.....	3	3,382	10	11,680	13	15,062	17	20,015			17	20,015
.....Steam.....	14	15,411	5	9,832	19	25,243	22	38,538			22	38,538
Greece.....Steam.....			3	5,042	3	5,042	3	5,042			3	5,042
Italy.....Sail.....	2	1,274	3	2,447	5	3,721	11	4,219			6	4,219
.....Steam.....	1	1,645			1	1,645	1	1,645			1	1,645
Netherlands.....Steam.....			4	9,037	4	9,037	4	9,037			4	9,037
Norway.....Sail.....			2	1,374	2	1,374	2	1,374			2	1,374
.....Steam.....	21	10,327	3	6,540	24	16,867	29	18,602			29	18,602
Portugal.....Sail.....			16	11,265	16	11,265	15	10,336			15	10,336
Russia.....Sail.....			2	794	2	794	2	794			2	794

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	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
GULF PORTS—Continued.												
New Orleans, La.—Continued.	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Spain.....Sail....	1	1,061	1	1,368	2	2,429	2	2,429			2	2,429
Steam..	10	28,383	19	38,170	29	66,553	50	116,387			50	116,387
Sweden.....Steam..			1	2,247	1	2,247	1	2,247			1	2,247
Mexico.....Steam..			1	71	1	71			2	146	2	146
Total	141	168,193	324	611,873	465	780,066	508	884,751	2	146	510	884,897
Pearl River, Miss.:												
United States.....Sail....			64	22,160	64	22,160	38	9,547	1	238	39	9,785
United Kingdom.....Sail....			33	28,949	33	28,949	30	24,882			30	24,882
Steam..			16	27,721	16	27,721	18	29,781			18	29,781
Austria-Hungary.....Sail....			1	838	1	838						
Germany.....Sail....			4	4,592	4	4,592	4	4,592			4	4,592
Steam..			1	558	1	558	1	558			1	558
Italy.....Sail....			5	3,733	5	3,733	5	3,733			5	3,733
Netherlands.....Sail....			1	1,284	1	1,284						
Steam..			2	2,622	2	2,622	2	2,622			2	2,622
Norway.....Sail....			47	47,472	47	47,472	46	47,656			46	47,656
Steam..			1	1,972	1	1,972	1	1,972			1	1,972
Portugal.....Sail....			2	1,393	2	1,393	2	1,393			2	1,393
Russia.....Sail....			3	2,556	3	2,556	2	1,306			2	1,306
Spain.....Steam..			3	4,827	3	4,827	3	4,827			3	4,827
Sweden.....Sail....			1	415	1	415	1	415			1	415
Mexico.....Sail....			1	69	1	69	1	69			1	69
Total			185	151,161	185	151,161	154	133,353	1	238	155	133,591
Pensacola, Fla.:												
United Kingdom.....Sail....	3	243	26	22,987	29	23,180	27	19,870			27	19,870
Steam..	3	4,113	43	74,434	46	78,547	55	93,733			55	93,733
Austria-Hungary.....Sail....			3	1,897	3	1,897	3	1,896			3	1,896
Steam..							4	7,849			4	7,849
Denmark.....Sail....			1	633	1	633	1	633			1	633
France.....Sail....			3	1,595	3	1,595	3	1,795			3	1,795
Steam..							1	1,797			1	1,797
Germany.....Sail....			11	10,325	11	10,325	11	10,209			11	10,309
Steam..	1	1,398	1	558	2	1,956	2	2,821			2	2,821
Italy.....Sail....	2	1,843	61	56,465	63	58,308	76	61,059			76	61,059
Netherlands.....Sail....			1	1,284	1	1,284	1	1,284			1	1,284
Steam..			1	1,153	1	1,153	1	1,153			1	1,153
Norway.....Sail....	1	878	106	101,692	107	102,570	109	103,671			109	103,671
Steam..	1	833			1	833	2	2,200			2	2,200
Portugal.....Sail....			4	2,485	4	2,485	4	2,485			4	2,485
Russia.....Sail....			22	16,824	22	16,824	21	17,234			21	17,234
Spain.....Sail....			1	754	1	754	1	753			1	753
Steam..			11	22,346	11	22,346	14	26,063			14	26,063
Sweden.....Sail....			8	7,548	8	7,548	5	4,233			6	4,233
Steam..							1	1,909			1	1,909
Total	11	9,308	303	322,930	314	332,238	343	362,747			343	362,747
St. Marks, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail....			2	746	2	746						
Tampa, Fla.:												
United States.....Sail....	7	2,021	15	11,603	22	13,624	6	925	3	696	9	1,621
Steam..	3	3,959			3	3,959	1	520	1	1,104	2	1,624
United Kingdom.....Sail....	7	460	3	2,476	10	2,936	8	4,417	1	93	9	4,510
Steam..	1	1,116	14	21,023	15	22,139	19	25,545			19	25,545
Austria-Hungary.....Steam..							4	8,630			4	8,630
France.....Steam..			1	2,245	1	2,245	1	2,245			1	2,245
Germany.....Steam..			1	1,112	1	1,112	1	1,112			1	1,112
Spain.....Steam..			3	754	3	754	3	754			3	754
Total	18	7,556	37	39,213	55	46,769	43	44,148	5	1,893	48	46,041
Teche, La.:												
United States.....Sail....	2	277			2	277	1	79			1	79

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	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska:												
United States.....Sail	5	4,226	6	2,116	11	6,342	1	327	2	38	8	365
United States.....Steam	27	20,215	58	17,231	85	37,446	13	3,251	38	18,594	51	21,885
United Kingdom.....Sail	2	930	15	1,066	17	1,996			15	1,979	15	1,979
United Kingdom.....Steam	33	20,014	15	2,507	48	22,521	16	9,052	26	12,231	42	21,283
Denmark.....Steam	1	1,286			1	1,286			1	1,286	1	1,286
Norway.....Steam	1	738			1	738			1	738	1	738
Total.....	69	47,409	94	22,920	163	70,329	30	12,670	83	34,866	113	47,536
Humboldt, Cal.:												
United States.....Sail	1	385	8	1,676	9	2,061	20	6,046			20	6,046
United Kingdom.....Sail	1	560	1	942	2	1,502	1	942			1	942
Total.....	2	945	9	2,618	11	3,563	21	6,988			21	6,988
Los Angeles, Cal.:												
United States.....Sail	1	393	2	50	3	443			2	240	2	240
United States.....Steam	3	3,530			3	3,530	3	1,803	1	1,892	4	3,695
United Kingdom.....Sail	3	5,479			3	5,479	1	1,726			1	1,726
Germany.....Sail	1	1,900			1	1,900						
Norway.....Steam	1	1,985			1	1,985			1	1,985	1	1,985
Hawaii.....Steam	1	1,926			1	1,926			1	1,926	1	1,926
Total.....	10	15,213	2	50	12	15,263	4	3,529	5	6,043	9	9,572
Oregon, Oreg.:												
United States.....Sail			5	2,747	5	2,747	4	1,954			4	1,954
United States.....Steam	2	2,866	6	2,691	8	5,557	10	8,520			10	8,520
United Kingdom.....Sail	15	23,009	78	135,429	93	158,438	93	158,438			93	158,438
United Kingdom.....Steam	8	16,842	7	16,699	15	33,541	15	33,541			15	33,541
Denmark.....Sail			1	1,651	1	1,651	1	1,651			1	1,651
France.....Sail	2	2,744	1	1,100	3	3,844	3	3,844			3	3,844
Germany.....Sail			12	21,572	12	21,572	12	21,572			12	21,572
Norway.....Sail			1	1,127	1	1,127	1	1,127			1	1,127
Norway.....Steam	1	738	3	5,124	4	5,862	4	5,862			4	5,862
Russia.....Sail			1	1,365	1	1,365	1	1,365			1	1,365
Japan.....Sail	1	1,148			1	1,148	1	1,148			1	1,148
Total.....	29	47,347	115	189,505	144	236,852	145	239,022			145	239,022
Puget Sound, Wash.:												
United States.....Sail	7	3,938	79	47,954	86	51,792	97	68,904	42	41,924	139	110,828
United States.....Steam	31	15,971	71	27,938	102	43,909	27	10,335	98	39,118	125	49,453
United Kingdom.....Sail	4	7,538	63	106,921	67	114,459	76	139,482	1	2,048	77	141,530
United Kingdom.....Steam	11	12,152	38	23,040	49	35,192	35	32,426	17	2,524	52	34,950
Denmark.....Steam			1	1,287	1	1,287			1	1,287	1	1,287
France.....Steam			1	1,100	1	1,100	1	1,100			1	1,100
Germany.....Sail			7	13,862	7	13,862	7	13,493			7	13,493
Italy.....Sail			1	1,199	1	1,199	1	1,199			1	1,199
Norway.....Sail			1	1,257	1	1,257	5	7,219			5	7,219
Norway.....Steam	2	2,809			2	2,809	2	2,809			2	2,809
Chile.....Sail			8	8,856	8	8,856	9	10,475			9	10,475
Japan.....Steam	7	17,610			7	17,610	6	15,931			6	15,931
Hawaii.....Sail	1	926	2	2,994	3	3,920	4	6,639			4	6,639
Total.....	63	60,844	272	236,408	335	297,252	270	310,012	159	86,901	429	396,913
San Diego, Cal.:												
United States.....Sail	18	3,196	1	12	19	3,208	■	239	13	381	16	620
United States.....Steam	3	1,230	1	165	4	1,395	1	1,230	1	165	2	1,395
United Kingdom.....Sail	■	13,523			8	13,523	6	9,435			6	9,435
United Kingdom.....Steam	1	302	1	302	2	604	1	302	1	302	2	604
Germany.....Sail	1	1,726			1	1,726			1	1,355	1	1,355
Norway.....Steam	1	1,985			1	1,985			1	1,985	1	1,985
Sweden.....Sail	1	1,363			1	1,363			1	1,363	1	1,363
Mexico.....Steam			1	302	1	302						
Argentina.....Steam	1	104	1	104	2	208	1	104	1	104	2	208
Total.....	34	23,429	5	885	39	24,314	12	11,310	19	5,655	31	16,965

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PACIFIC PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
San Francisco, Cal.:												
United States.....Sail...	126	93,872	5	767	131	94,639	87	55,753	30	42,417	117	98,170
Steam..	24	40,181	1	58	25	40,239	24	40,819	6	3,568	30	44,387
United Kingdom.....Sail...	137	244,503	4	8,780	141	253,283	171	315,810	2	3,951	173	319,761
Steam..	13	26,829	2	3,922	15	30,751	9	20,413	2	2,893	11	23,306
Austria-Hungary.....Steam..	1	1,974			1	1,974			1	1,974	1	1,974
France.....Sail...	12	16,540	1	506	13	17,046	13	18,228			13	18,228
Steam..	1	1,101			1	1,101						
Germany.....Sail...	10	18,458	1	1,652	11	20,110	11	17,062			11	17,062
Italy.....Sail...	8	12,522			8	12,522	8	12,522			8	12,522
Norway.....Sail...	3	5,619	1	993	4	6,612	1	1,497			1	1,497
Steam..	4	7,442			4	7,442	3	6,002	1	840	4	7,442
Prussia.....Sail...	3	3,817			3	3,817	4	3,936			4	3,936
Argentina.....Sail...	2	1,410			2	1,410	2	1,497			2	1,497
Chilo.....Sail...									1	1,287	1	1,287
Hawaii.....Sail...	9	11,169			9	11,169	5	4,963	2	2,534	7	7,497
Steam..	5	8,623	1	609	6	9,232	7	7,732	2	3,008	9	10,740
Total.....	358	494,060	16	17,287	374	511,347	345	508,834	47	62,472	392	569,306
Southern Oregon, Oreg.:												
United States.....Sail...							1	573			1	735
Steam..									1	70	1	70
Total.....							1	573	1	70	2	643
Willamette, Oreg.:												
United States.....Sail...	1	1,780	1	642	2	2,422	2	2,638			2	2,638
Steam..	1	1,642	5	2,714	6	4,356	1	1,642	4	2,478	5	4,120
United Kingdom.....Sail...	18	26,690	89	153,256	107	179,946	95	164,735			95	164,735
Steam..	7	13,186	12	29,572	19	42,758	19	42,758			19	42,758
Denmark.....Steam..			1	1,651	1	1,651	1	1,651			1	1,651
France.....Sail...	2	2,744	2	3,046	4	5,790	4	5,790			4	5,790
Germany.....Sail...			17	30,238	17	30,238	18	32,197			18	32,197
Steam..			1	1,635	1	1,635	1	1,635			1	1,635
Russia.....Sail...			1	1,365	1	1,365	1	1,365			1	1,365
Sweden and Norway.....Sail...			2	2,623	2	2,623	2	2,623			2	2,623
Steam..			4	6,029	4	6,029	4	6,029			4	6,029
Japan.....Sail...			1	1,148	1	1,148	1	1,148			1	1,148
Total.....	29	46,042	136	233,919	165	279,961	149	264,211	4	2,478	153	266,689
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail...	32	18,438	7	3,042	39	21,480	13	3,718	20	4,102	33	7,820
Steam..	54	81,426	49	25,555	103	106,981	13	11,067	35	15,991	48	27,058
United Kingdom.....Sail...	10	1,689	2	211	12	1,900	2	211	10	1,689	12	1,900
Steam..	12	5,843	24	3,009	36	8,942	4	2,222	32	6,797	36	9,019
Total.....	108	107,396	82	31,907	190	139,303	32	17,218	97	28,579	129	45,797
Cape Vincent, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail...	17	416			17	416			17	351	17	351
Steam..	47	3,789			47	3,789	46	2,824			46	2,824
United Kingdom.....Sail...	11	466			11	466			10	396	10	396
Steam..	51	9,204			51	9,204	53	9,846			53	9,846
Total.....	126	13,875			126	13,875	99	12,670	27	747	126	13,417
Champlain, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail...	342	40,205	70	7,280	412	47,485	190	19,200	227	22,900	417	42,100
Steam..	1	577	5	477	6	1,054	1	577	5	477	6	1,054
United Kingdom.....Sail...	18	2,749	1	48	19	2,797	2	310	13	2,325	15	2,635
Steam..			2	108	2	108	1	69	1	69	2	138
Total.....	361	43,531	78	7,913	439	51,444	194	20,156	246	25,771	440	45,927

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Chicago, Ill.:												
United States.....Sail...	16	5,458	7	3,666	23	9,124	62	36,184	8	5,074	70	41,258
Steam...	16	14,945	22	31,984	38	46,929	110	126,488	5	3,608	115	130,096
United Kingdom.....Sail...	1	643	7	4,677	8	5,320	8	5,320			8	5,320
Steam...	1	411	9	7,336	10	7,747	10	7,747			10	7,747
Total.....	34	21,457	45	47,663	79	69,120	190	175,739	13	8,682	203	184,421
Cuyahoga, Ohio:												
United States.....Sail...	13	4,163	19	9,621	32	13,784	30	10,246	3	3,595	33	13,841
Steam...	9	1,780	35	22,072	44	23,852	39	41,742	17	9,384	56	51,126
United Kingdom.....Sail...	2	704	16	4,559	18	5,263	18	5,763	2	778	20	6,541
Steam...	5	2,127	17	6,828	22	8,955	16	7,025	4	968	20	7,993
Total.....	29	8,774	87	43,080	116	51,854	103	64,776	26	14,725	129	79,501
Detroit, Mich.:												
United States.....Sail...	15	2,216	30	10,014	45	12,230	8	1,182	20	9,643	28	10,825
Steam...	42	11,825	51	9,244	93	21,069	20	9,643	59	8,913	79	18,556
United Kingdom.....Sail...	23	3,547	6	1,513	29	5,060	4	470	25	3,924	29	4,394
Steam...	22	6,846	21	6,635	43	13,481	17	5,923	20	3,928	37	9,851
Total.....	102	24,434	108	27,406	210	51,840	49	17,218	124	26,408	173	43,626
Duluth, Minn.:												
United States.....Sail...			5	2,970	5	2,970	7	4,878	2	3,321	9	8,199
Steam...	5	5,689	11	13,539	16	19,228	15	16,323	9	12,312	24	28,635
United Kingdom.....Sail...			5	3,167	5	3,167						
Steam...	6	6,146	7	5,146	13	11,292	9	8,312			9	8,312
Total.....	11	11,835	28	24,822	39	36,637	31	29,513	11	15,633	42	45,146
Erie, Pa.:												
United States.....Sail...	1	471	12	4,690	13	5,161						
Steam...	2	25	13	11,606	15	11,631	2	25	1	6	3	31
United Kingdom.....Sail...	3	247	2	205	5	452	2	247	2	199	4	446
Steam...	2	155	2	443	4	598	1	32	3	566	4	598
Total.....	8	898	29	16,944	37	17,842	5	304	6	771	11	1,075
Genesee, N. Y.: (a)												
United States.....Sail...			8	2,578	8	2,578	8	2,578			8	2,578
Steam...			3	1,201	3	1,201	3	1,201			3	1,201
United Kingdom.....Sail...	9	1,113	43	14,653	52	15,766	47	15,074	6	651	53	15,725
Steam...	7	2,590	13	4,000	20	6,590	12	4,102	8	2,208	20	6,310
Total.....	16	3,703	67	22,432	83	26,135	70	22,955	14	2,859	84	25,814
Huron, Mich.:												
United States.....Sail...	21	8,362	39	11,019	60	19,381	4	949	52	18,098	56	19,047
Steam...	34	7,705	67	13,309	101	21,014	5	3,091	67	15,026	72	18,117
United Kingdom.....Sail...	10	1,354	9	2,513	19	3,867	4	710	15	3,235	19	3,945
Steam...	18	1,409	34	4,848	52	6,257	17	779	37	4,967	54	5,746
Total.....	83	18,830	149	31,689	232	50,519	30	5,529	171	41,326	201	46,855
Miami, Ohio:												
United States.....Sail...	3	1,396	15	6,982	18	8,378	20	6,930	4	1,386	24	8,316
Steam...	4	2,252	24	13,503	28	15,755	23	13,944	8	4,849	31	18,793
United Kingdom.....Sail...			21	9,658	21	9,658	22	10,201			22	10,201
Steam...			21	10,965	21	10,965	18	9,550	2	1,062	20	10,612
Total.....	7	3,648	81	41,108	88	44,756	83	40,625	14	7,297	97	47,922
Michigan, Mich.:												
United States.....Sail...	4	853	15	5,255	19	6,108			3	852	8	852
Steam...	6	3,456	14	4,458	20	7,914			10	1,864	10	1,864
United Kingdom.....Sail...	1	643			1	643			1	315	1	315
Steam...	2	585	9	4,569	11	5,154	4	1,356	5	3,162	9	4,518
Total.....	13	5,537	38	14,282	51	19,819	4	1,356	19	6,193	23	7,549
Milwaukee, Wis.:												
United States.....Sail...							2	1,158			2	1,158
Steam...	4	7,500			4	7,500	14	15,388			14	15,388
Total.....	4	7,500			4	7,500	16	16,546			16	16,546

a Gross tons.

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS—Continued.												
Minnesota, Minn.: (a)												
United States.....Steam..	2	361	1	260	3	621	2	361	1	260	3	621
United Kingdom.....Steam..	13	12,645	5	8,814	18	21,459	10	4,768	8	16,691	18	21,459
Total.....	15	13,006	6	9,074	21	22,080	12	5,129	9	16,951	21	22,080
Montana and Idaho:												
United States.....Steam..	2	492			2	492	2	492			2	492
United Kingdom.....Steam..	5	1,093	2	79	7	1,172	7	1,172			7	1,172
Total.....	7	1,585	2	79	9	1,664	9	1,664			9	1,664
Niagara, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	1,711			1	1,711	1	620			1	620
United States.....Steam..	1	1,802			1	1,802	1	3,108			1	3,108
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	1	183			1	183	1	183			1	183
United Kingdom.....Steam..	10	4,415			10	4,415	27	4,093			27	4,093
Total.....	13	8,111			13	8,111	30	8,004			30	8,004
Oswegatchie, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail.....	1	355	15	4,466	16	4,821	8	3,226	1	281	9	3,507
United States.....Steam..	2	101	31	15,668	33	15,769	17	18,055	17	1,348	34	19,403
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	17	1,912	63	18,503	80	20,415	56	15,033	26	5,564	82	20,597
United Kingdom.....Steam..	5	351	57	3,521	62	3,872	15	590	54	3,455	69	4,045
Total.....	25	2,719	106	42,158	191	44,877	96	36,904	98	10,648	194	47,552
Oswego, N. Y.:												
United States.....Sail.....	10	2,062	29	13,824	39	15,886	7	4,580	5	614	12	5,194
United States.....Steam..	2	780	31	23,151	33	23,931	2	232	2	137	4	369
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	49	9,191	49	17,482	98	26,673	86	25,111	15	2,844	101	27,955
United Kingdom.....Steam..	5	812	17	3,277	22	4,089	12	2,827	11	1,262	23	4,089
Total.....	66	12,845	126	57,734	192	70,579	107	32,750	33	4,857	140	37,607
Sandusky, Ohio:												
United States.....Sail.....	21	8,123	12	3,136	33	11,259	14	4,721	18	7,345	32	12,066
United States.....Steam..	33	8,780	28	7,130	61	15,910	19	5,220	27	6,821	46	12,041
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	5	1,565	2	521	7	2,086	6	1,752	1	334	7	2,086
United Kingdom.....Steam..	7	1,263	1	88	8	1,351	7	1,263	1	88	8	1,351
Total.....	66	19,731	43	10,875	109	30,606	46	12,956	47	14,588	93	27,544
Superior, Mich.:												
United States.....Sail.....	26	12,779			26	12,779	26	12,777			26	12,777
United States.....Steam..	114	49,532			114	49,532	114	49,532			114	49,532
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	8	4,429			8	4,429	8	4,429			8	4,429
United Kingdom.....Steam..	66	55,555			66	55,555	67	58,364			67	58,364
Total.....	214	122,295			214	122,295	215	125,102			215	125,102
Vermont, Vt.:												
United States.....Sail.....	3	289	6	474	9	763	8	662	9	877	17	1,539
United States.....Steam..	2	566			2	566	1	240	1	326	2	566
United Kingdom.....Sail.....	26	3,427	11	106	37	3,533	10	93	31	4,089	41	4,182
United Kingdom.....Steam..	6	468	1	62	7	530	3	453	5	105	8	558
Total.....	37	4,750	18	642	55	5,392	22	1,448	46	5,397	68	6,845

RECAPITULATION, BY NATIONALITIES.

United States:												
Sail.....	1,635	626,115	752	293,891	2,387	920,006	1,399	629,823	867	252,611	2,266	882,434
Steam.....	558	406,024	571	264,323	1,129	670,347	606	508,114	453	154,484	1,059	662,598
Total.....	2,193	1,032,139	1,323	558,214	3,516	1,590,353	2,005	1,137,937	1,320	407,095	3,325	1,545,032
United Kingdom:												
Sail.....	1,843	847,263	726	694,377	2,569	1,541,640	1,777	1,489,271	720	112,087	2,497	1,601,358
Steam.....	1,234	1,932,109	1,918	3,007,754	3,152	4,939,863	2,889	4,830,509	300	122,293	3,189	4,952,802
Total.....	3,077	2,779,372	2,644	3,702,131	5,721	6,481,503	4,666	6,319,780	1,020	234,380	5,686	6,554,160

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RECAPITULATION BY NATIONALITIES—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Austria-Hungary:												
Sail	1	594	14	9,444	15	10,038	15	10,530			15	10,530
Steam	17	32,041	6	12,402	23	44,443	36	71,187	2	3,824	38	75,011
Total	18	32,635	20	21,846	38	54,481	51	81,717	2	3,824	53	85,541
Belgium: Steam	16	43,400	4	6,036	20	49,436	19	47,758			19	47,758
Denmark:												
Sail	8	4,696	9	6,253	17	11,049	16	9,749			16	9,749
Steam	19	28,673	44	68,973	63	97,646	61	99,247	5	4,780	66	104,027
Total	27	33,369	53	75,326	80	108,695	77	108,996	5	4,780	82	113,776
France:												
Sail	25	23,506	20	19,409	45	42,915	44	45,059			44	45,059
Steam	25	56,653	14	24,703	39	81,356	36	76,167	1	1,397	37	77,564
Total	50	80,159	34	44,112	84	124,271	80	121,226	1	1,397	81	122,623
Germany:												
Sail	70	91,842	111	152,772	181	244,614	191	236,745	2	1,562	193	238,307
Steam	166	413,684	74	136,008	240	549,692	220	537,934	1	601	221	538,535
Total	236	505,526	185	288,780	421	794,306	411	774,679	3	2,163	414	776,842
Greece: Steam			4	6,847	4	6,847	4	6,847			4	6,847
Italy:												
Sail	118	92,847	128	103,792	246	196,639	264	200,834	1	1,100	265	202,024
Steam	4	5,980	2	3,811	6	9,791	6	9,721			6	9,721
Total	122	98,827	130	107,603	252	206,430	270	210,555	1	1,190	271	211,745
Netherlands:												
Sail	10	13,274	14	15,429	24	28,703	21	22,890	1	1,007	22	23,897
Steam	15	29,026	33	63,029	48	92,055	54	104,902			54	104,902
Total	25	42,300	47	78,458	72	120,758	75	127,792	1	1,007	76	128,799
Norway:												
Sail	52	53,904	476	406,447	538	460,351	547	464,580			547	464,580
Steam	169	155,502	106	168,285	275	323,787	244	299,790	47	31,707	291	331,497
Total	231	209,406	582	574,732	813	784,138	791	764,370	47	31,707	838	796,077
Portugal:												
Sail	9	2,340	36	23,838	45	26,178	42	20,957			42	20,957
Steam	4	7,101			4	7,101	4	7,388			4	7,388
Total	13	9,441	36	23,838	49	33,279	46	28,345			46	28,345
Russia:												
Sail	6	6,828	84	58,398	90	65,226	89	65,407			89	65,407
Steam	1	1,214			1	1,214			1	1,214	1	1,214
Total	7	8,042	84	58,398	91	66,440	89	65,607	1	1,214	90	66,821
Spain:												
Sail	2	1,229	39	21,165	41	22,394	47	23,733			47	23,733
Steam	22	47,760	73	129,528	95	177,288	120	237,117			120	237,117
Total	24	48,989	112	150,693	136	199,682	167	260,850			167	260,850
Sweden:												
Sail	1	1,363	50	39,152	51	40,515	44	32,725	1	1,363	45	34,088
Steam	3	6,615	9	14,947	12	21,562	10	16,856			10	16,856
Total	4	7,978	59	54,099	63	62,077	54	49,581	1	1,363	55	50,944
Mexico:												
Sail	2	121	1	69	3	190	3	190			3	190
Steam			3	490	3	490	1	117	2	146	3	263
Total	2	121	4	559	6	680	4	307	2	146	6	453
Haiti: Sail	2	370			2	370	1	185			1	185
Nicaragua: Sail	1	996			1	996						

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RECAPITULATION BY NATIONALITIES—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND NATIONALITY.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargo.		In ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Argentina:												
Sail	2	1,410			2	1,410	2	1,497			2	1,497
Steam	1	104	1	104	2	208	1	104	1	104	2	208
Total	3	1,514	1	104	4	1,618	3	1,601	1	104	4	1,705
Brazil:												
Sail	1	834			1	834	1	834			1	834
Steam	1	767	1	231	2	998	1	960	1	231	2	1,191
Total	2	1,601	1	231	3	1,832	2	1,794	1	231	3	2,025
Chile: Sail	1	725	8	8,856	9	9,581	10	11,142	1	1,287	11	12,429
Colombia: Steam			1	229	1	229	1	229			1	229
Uruguay: Sail			1	398	1	398	1	397			1	397
Japan:												
Sail	1	1,148	1	1,148	2	2,296	2	2,296			2	2,296
Steam	7	17,610			7	17,610	6	15,931			6	15,931
Total	8	18,758	1	1,148	9	19,906	8	18,227			8	18,227
Hawaii:												
Sail	15	17,606	2	2,994	17	20,600	12	15,279	3	3,412	15	18,691
Steam	6	10,549	1	609	7	11,158	7	7,732	3	4,934	10	12,666
Total	21	28,155	3	3,603	24	31,758	19	23,011	6	8,346	25	31,357
Aggregate:												
Sail	3,815	1,789,011	2,472	1,857,932	6,287	3,646,943	4,528	3,284,123	1,596	374,519	6,124	3,658,642
Steam	2,268	3,194,812	2,865	3,908,309	5,133	7,103,121	4,326	6,878,610	817	325,715	5,143	7,204,325
Total	6,083	4,983,823	5,332	5,766,241	11,420	10,750,064	8,854	10,162,733	2,413	700,234	11,267	10,862,967

NOTE.—Vessels are counted more than once in the aggregate entrances and clearances of the entire year, so far as they entered and cleared at different ports.

COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH AND TWO MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY, 1897, 1898, AND 1899.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of February—			Two months ending February—			Month of February—			Two months ending February—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Animals, living (for food):							£	£	£	£	£	£
Cattle.....No..	36,060	37,278	23,133	68,432	73,129	45,136	622,527	645,549	405,545	1,187,360	1,261,225	782,216
Sheep and lambs.....No..	18,455	22,755	16,829	36,455	40,162	38,872	27,139	34,178	25,306	52,778	60,410	58,628
Corn:												
Wheat—												
On the Atlantic...cwt..	1,794,100	1,586,600	2,750,300	3,068,800	4,291,900	7,287,470	645,523	692,521	946,138	1,327,981	1,829,753	2,516,484
On the Pacific...cwt..	1,936,600	504,700	213,400	2,439,000	1,331,700	323,100	711,092	225,632	76,803	995,762	569,446	115,608
Meal and flour...cwt..	1,464,000	1,986,800	2,083,950	2,906,200	3,932,600	4,283,400	706,036	1,102,509	969,465	1,405,934	2,168,263	2,651,174
Oats.....cwt..	583,900	1,029,840	381,000	1,261,160	1,729,140	728,100	130,437	273,593	98,170	293,819	462,751	196,522
Indian corn or maize...cwt..	4,086,100	3,649,800	3,288,900	7,529,500	7,222,200	7,377,300	665,604	680,385	701,450	1,245,729	1,334,082	1,684,865
Bacon.....cwt..	323,505	326,268	328,423	656,263	760,540	778,103	463,388	499,542	518,307	950,078	1,161,143	1,226,598
Beef:												
Salted.....cwt..	12,761	14,212	13,868	24,506	28,817	30,657	16,680	19,072	18,134	31,191	36,996	40,316
Fresh.....cwt..	170,706	166,264	175,401	340,178	349,547	373,204	345,680	345,325	366,984	634,295	729,600	770,924
Hams.....cwt..	101,432	144,492	139,549	198,968	271,918	281,635	210,287	287,119	267,783	415,682	540,673	519,745
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh.....cwt..	6,300	8,112	6,335	11,309	15,026	16,099	9,310	14,385	10,889	15,847	25,713	27,613
Pork, salted (not hams).....cwt..	14,314	14,074	15,230	26,534	34,498	39,337	19,837	19,538	19,534	35,981	45,526	49,739
Butter.....cwt..	18,172	4,740	29,639	46,873	8,410	49,407	74,470	20,351	131,726	198,591	36,718	220,219
Cheese.....cwt..	93,980	66,221	32,405	157,918	122,696	125,445	206,821	142,547	73,173	357,929	262,112	282,349
Fish, cured or salted.....cwt..	112,423	19,508	8,847	126,469	41,158	20,701	217,874	35,771	19,253	256,147	77,464	48,457
Hops.....cwt..	7,765	25,805	24,135	19,977	79,018	58,617	25,695	111,809	122,624	64,344	322,213	300,756
Lard.....cwt..	98,911	151,788	150,138	187,925	342,171	308,778	113,584	195,122	213,060	216,992	430,634	435,375
Sugar, refined, and candy.....cwt..	586	1,121	.....	887	2,125	173	881	1,418	.....	1,366	2,651	152
Copper, ore.....tons..	48	140	170	415	280	170	900	1,120	5,961	3,686	4,606	5,967
Regulus and precipitate.....tons..	2,264	964	220	3,867	2,224	1,660	68,786	37,714	8,520	113,285	72,100	52,559
Unwrought and part unwrought.....tons..	1,729	3,129	2,258	4,107	4,867	4,663	87,401	157,008	159,676	207,168	243,397	299,012
Iron and steel: Iron, pig and puddled.....tons..	7,733	7,464	13,528	16,755	16,335	28,149	18,099	16,657	31,703	39,251	35,873	66,089
Lead, pig and sheet.....tons..	2,253	1,727	2,629	4,261	3,907	5,187	26,406	20,910	36,865	49,302	46,903	70,689
Oils: Petroleum.....galls..	10,540,848	20,144,985	15,972,405	21,511,561	37,635,108	29,312,168	222,838	322,717	304,279	440,518	607,856	570,258
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	1,633,297	1,941,321	1,522,208	3,785,871	3,762,322	4,501,461	3,493,168	3,358,644	2,570,048	8,183,917	6,542,845	7,509,940
Pulp of wood:												
Chemical.....tons..	.....	935	695	.....	1,592	1,855	.....	6,933	5,555	.....	10,730	12,292
Mechanical.....tons..	.....	2,777	.....	.....	4,202	38	.....	8,080	.....	.....	16,333	224
Tallow and stearin.....cwt..	14,540	29,729	45,732	31,204	71,098	106,417	13,355	26,744	46,138	28,981	63,627	107,395
Wood and timber:												
Hewn.....loads..	10,495	6,649	6,717	18,204	15,734	22,356	54,864	37,368	34,773	97,881	78,820	100,454
Sawn or split, planed or dressed.....loads..	26,901	18,300	11,378	51,243	48,143	35,396	80,175	49,927	39,444	156,468	120,566	109,246
Clocks, and parts of.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,219	7,016	6,785	12,665	12,932	14,264
Leather.....cwt..	36,862	52,972	50,817	65,716	106,011	118,885	172,582	265,526	272,173	329,178	548,211	621,452
Paper:												
Unprinted.....cwt..	13,217	65,138	30,576	31,787	138,978	55,695	10,127	41,533	20,456	25,551	90,562	41,867
Printed.....cwt..	654	1,071	927	1,789	3,128	1,592	1,183	2,098	2,069	2,661	5,810	3,553
Animals: Horses.....No..	2,282	3,867	2,610	4,565	5,976	4,024	82,995	115,079	77,732	131,452	178,642	123,267
Flaxseed or linseed.....qrs..	10,541	1,350	178	45,865	1,870	1,448	14,852	2,320	367	70,131	2,350	2,665

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of February—			Two months ending February—			Month of February—			Two months ending February—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Beer and ale.....bbls..	2,457	2,359	3,018	6,806	4,826	7,499	£ 9,250	£ 11,123	£ 11,993	£ 29,869	£ 25,750	£ 28,309
Salt, rock and white.....tons..	10,144	9,489	8,203	21,347	19,082	15,153	8,103	7,552	8,719	19,347	16,626	16,666
Spirits, British and Irish.....proof galls..	23,900	19,063	24,069	52,589	39,139	54,947	11,543	7,951	11,666	23,151	17,632	25,657
Wool, sheep and lambs'.....lbs..	2,840,900	114,300	1,353,060	3,862,300	1,375,500	1,997,600	98,981	3,003	32,924	134,835	35,489	46,851
Cotton manufactures:												
Piece goods—												
Gray or unbleached .....yds..	354,700	119,600	304,100	754,600	363,400	832,400	6,896	2,014	5,883	13,458	6,543	13,981
Bleached.....yds..	1,471,900	1,451,700	2,039,800	4,003,900	3,026,500	4,345,200	26,658	28,756	43,767	71,746	60,317	92,401
Printed.....yds..	671,100	323,000	332,700	1,617,500	977,700	837,400	14,515	7,369	7,075	36,309	21,359	19,081
Dyed or manufactured of dyed yarn.....yds..	2,482,200	3,445,000	3,993,600	5,361,600	7,485,900	9,295,700	68,697	89,081	103,264	150,675	188,941	232,546
Total piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	4,979,900	5,339,300	6,670,200	11,737,600	11,853,500	15,310,700	116,766	127,220	159,989	272,188	277,160	358,009
Jute yarn.....lbs..	4,400	30,800	87,700	4,400	30,800	126,300	49	321	835	49	321	1,218
Jute manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	10,951,100	7,090,300	5,767,600	22,157,700	13,597,400	11,329,300	89,510	62,127	50,346	182,064	117,998	98,318
Linen yarn.....lbs..	69,400	140,000	66,100	154,700	272,600	143,400	40,039	3,821	2,268	8,728	7,228	4,641
Linen manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	8,710,300	9,792,300	8,823,700	18,963,700	19,675,700	17,475,400	159,592	167,783	165,880	348,936	342,389	342,225
Silk: Thrown, twist, and yarn.....lbs..	16,160	48,556	65,157	38,795	91,748	131,524	4,969	12,225	13,507	11,219	23,720	27,772
Manufactures:												
Wholly of silk—												
Broad stuffs of silk or satin.....yds..	18,427	69,431	27,733	37,089	83,193	53,504	3,693	6,436	3,844	5,792	7,884	6,971
Lace.....							6,645	4,587	4,705	13,832	11,084	9,239
Other articles, of silk only.....							441	1,175	1,579	1,323	2,556	2,182
Of silk and other mate- rials.....							4,752	9,428	6,088	12,548	18,715	14,795
Woolen yarn.....lbs..	1,000	300		3,300	600	500	114	15		333	59	88
Worsted yarn.....lbs..	43,400	13,400	7,000	73,200	34,400	16,900	4,418	1,251	780	8,278	3,141	2,051
Woolen and worsted manufac- tures:												
Woolen tissues.....yds..	623,600	212,000	238,400	1,376,400	425,600	519,800	69,576	37,279	43,480	156,163	76,683	86,995
Worsted tissues.....yds..	2,610,800	1,731,000	1,226,300	5,824,600	3,848,500	3,103,800	149,303	101,220	73,907	340,649	223,181	182,379
Carpets, not being rugs .....yds..	39,700	27,100	26,700	61,400	57,000	56,400	6,947	4,072	4,881	9,782	9,102	10,718
Metals, and articles manufac- tured therefrom, except ma- chinery:												
Hardware, unenumerated.....							11,167	1,616	2,467	23,588	3,577	3,875
Cutlery.....							(a)	5,534	5,161		11,291	13,071
Iron and steel:												
Iron, pig.....tons..	625	1,090	1,516	1,758	2,947	3,443	4,036	6,087	10,664	9,731	15,586	22,852
Bar, angle, bolt and rod .....tons..	169	220	290	320	446	621	2,694	3,609	4,486	5,179	7,240	9,490
Wire of iron and steel and manufactures of (except telegraph wires).....tons..	159	136	142	308	219	273	3,235	2,976	3,323	5,981	5,110	6,074
Hoops, sheets, and boiler and armor plates.....tons..	8	8	4	141	32	6	120	120	66	1,195	336	106
Tin plates and sheets.....tons..	9,678	8,924	3,806	18,488	17,807	6,234	108,221	93,010	42,398	209,950	184,682	68,287
Cast and wrought iron, and all other manufactures unenumerated (except ordnance).....tons..	304	51	98	363	181	181	8,977	1,325	2,507	10,412	3,975	4,863

(a) Included with hardware unenumerated.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of February—			Two months ending February—			Month of February—			Two months ending February—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Iron and steel—Continued.												
Old, for remanufacture							£	£	£	£	£	£
..... tons..		10		12	10			30		35	30	
Steel, unwrought..... tons..	1,031	1,291	945	2,104	2,498	1,568	21,304	24,495	22,104	41,134	45,963	37,072
Black plates for tinning												
(iron and steel) tons..	89	124	3	99	171	53	709	1,175	35	814	1,625	585
Manufactures of steel, or of												
steel and iron combined												
..... tons..	52	45	41	92	93	74	6,449	6,648	6,967	12,483	12,290	14,199
Lead:												
Pig, and manufactures of												
..... tons..	9	7		18	7	2	138	119		297	119	48
Tin, unwrought..... cwt..	485	248	500	485	390	700	1,697	821	2,749	1,697	1,282	3,623
Machinery and millwork, or												
parts thereof:												
Steam engines—												
Locomotives.....							182		68	182		68
Agricultural.....							15			15		3,000
Other descriptions.....							700	544	33	1,939	751	284
Not steam engines—												
Agricultural.....								77		52	237	
Textile.....							16,671	26,778	22,028	31,240	51,807	41,124
Other descriptions.....							3,754	2,731	4,388	6,231	5,362	8,621
Apparel and articles of per-												
sonal use:												
Apparel and slops.....							4,190	3,040	2,184	5,723	4,508	4,596
Haberdashery and milli-												
nery, including embroid-												
ery and needlework.....							3,078	3,708	3,013	7,495	8,180	6,657
Chemicals, and chemical and												
medicinal preparations:												
Alkali..... cwt..	156,099	82,090	35,618	333,338	191,631	70,695	35,010	15,528	7,056	73,276	36,841	14,892
Bleaching materials or												
preparations..... cwt..	44,003	57,950	68,959	107,616	121,009	136,548	14,018	16,892	15,720	34,470	34,871	32,092
All other articles:												
Bags and sacks, empty, for												
packing merchandise												
..... doz..	1,649	291	2,315	5,404	2,374	10,198	150	68	381	753	282	1,185
Cement..... tons..	5,033	7,074	122	6,837	7,966	1,021	8,030	13,063	379	10,892	14,630	2,604
Earthen and china ware:												
Earthenware, chinaware,												
parian, and porcelain.....							48,037	41,493	37,071	87,195	80,342	74,084
Paper:												
Writing or printing, and												
envelopes..... cwt..	751	1,085	131	1,821	2,588	480	2,594	1,720	561	4,871	3,945	1,370
All other descriptions..... cwt..	848	378	484	1,500	907	1,037	2,915	1,426	1,774	5,280	3,173	3,630
Saddlery and harness.....							2,084	1,789	1,839	3,950	3,298	4,067
Skins and furs of all sorts.....							25,314	40,996	25,613	53,893	100,241	75,266
Stationery, other than paper.....							4,188	4,229	3,589	6,785	9,116	7,898

WORLD'S PRODUCTION OF COFFEE.

This table, taken from a British consular report, relates to the world's production of coffee and the price obtained for the quantity named at Havre, France, during each of the periods set forth:

PRODUCTION OF COFFEE.

CROP.	Bags of 60 kilos (132 lbs.).			Price of "good average" per 50 kilos.	CROP.	Bags of 60 kilos (132 lbs.).			Price of "good average" per 50 kilos.
	Brazil.	Other countries.	Total.			Brazil.	Other countries.	Total.	
				<i>Francs.</i>					<i>Francs.</i>
1874-75.....	3,843,600	4,295,400	8,139,000	103	1886-87.....	6,129,000	4,183,000	10,312,000	81
1875-76.....	3,505,800	3,679,200	7,185,000	106	1887-88.....	3,003,000	4,071,000	7,077,000	94
1876-77.....	3,294,000	4,520,000	7,814,000	101	1888-89.....	6,735,000	3,863,200	10,598,000	97
1877-78.....	3,498,200	4,017,800	7,516,000	96	1889-90.....	4,220,000	4,438,200	8,658,200	103
1878-79.....	4,718,000	4,200,000	8,918,000	76	1890-91.....	5,308,000	3,989,000	9,297,000	109
1879-80.....	3,172,000	5,413,000	8,585,000	84	1891-92.....	7,376,000	4,482,000	11,858,200	91
1880-81.....	5,553,000	4,205,000	9,758,000	75	1892-93.....	6,193,000	5,090,000	11,283,000	97
1881-82.....	5,562,000	4,829,000	10,391,000	57	1893-94.....	4,307,000	4,895,000	9,202,000	103
1882-83.....	6,711,000	5,369,000	11,080,000	50	1894-95.....	6,089,000	4,947,000	11,036,000	94
1883-84.....	5,056,000	4,711,000	9,767,000	62	1895-96.....	6,250,000	3,944,000	10,194,000	90
1884-85.....	6,211,000	5,229,000	11,440,000	52	1896-97.....	8,680,000	3,928,000	12,608,000	61
1885-86.....	5,532,000	3,956,000	9,488,000	48	1897-98.....	11,110,000	4,600,000	15,710,000	39

FOREIGN COMMERCE OF

CUBA,
PORTO RICO,
HAWAII,
THE PHILIPPINES, AND
SAMOAN ISLANDS.

THEIR IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES;
ALSO THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES THEREWITH.

COMMERCE, ETC., OF CUBA, PORTO RICO, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, AND PHILIPPINES.

COMMERCE, POPULATION, AND AREA OF CUBA, PORTO RICO, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, AND PHILIPPINE ISLANDS,
AND THE SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THEIR COMMERCE.

COUNTRIES.	COMMERCE.									POPULATION. ^(a)		AREA. ^(a)	
	Year.	Imports into.			Exports from.			Imports and exports.			Year.	Number.	Square miles.
		Total.	From United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	To United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	Part of United States.	Per cent of United States.			
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.				
Cuba	1892	52,101,682	17,180,362	33.04	83,018,228	77,931,671	93.90	135,119,910	95,112,033	70.45	1887	1,531,687	43,220
Porto Rico (b)	1896	3,656,578	794,774	21.74	3,668,351	510,485	13.92	7,324,929	1,305,259	17.82	1887	798,566	3,550
Hawaiian Islands	1896	7,164,561	5,464,208	76.27	15,436,037	^a 15,408,197	99.79	22,600,598	20,872,405	92.35	1896	109,020	6,640
Philippine Islands	1896	28,815,075	^a 162,446	.55	33,481,484	^a 4,982,857	14.90	62,296,559	5,145,303	8.20	1897	7,670,000	114,326
Total		91,737,896	24,374,998		135,604,100	98,833,210		227,341,996	123,208,208			10,217,415	167,736

^a From United States reports.

^b From Almanach de Gotha.

CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO, FROM 1851 TO 1898.

MERCHANDISE.

YEAR.	CUBA.				PORTO RICO.			
	Domestic exports.	Imports.			Domestic exports.	Imports.		
		Free.	Dutiable.	Total.		Free.	Dutiable.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1851	5,239,276	322,154	16,385,759	16,707,913				
1852	5,803,196	277,870	17,307,746	17,585,616				
1853	5,773,419	220,375	18,327,288	18,547,663				
1854	8,228,116	382,529	16,615,252	16,997,781				
1855	7,607,119	285,392	18,156,460	18,441,852	1,144,581	138,812	2,313,561	2,452,373
1856	7,199,035	386,102	24,023,646	24,411,748	1,099,599	37,782	3,818,481	3,856,263
1857	9,379,582	395,051	44,217,911	44,612,962	1,783,429	9,770	5,738,172	5,747,942
1858	11,673,167	513,332	22,246,839	22,760,171	1,612,048	52,389	4,380,279	4,432,668
1859	11,217,268	594,675	32,094,915	32,689,590	1,699,326	27,530	4,790,115	4,817,645
1860	11,747,913	357,887	32,065,873	32,423,760	1,517,837	47,586	4,455,349	4,512,935
Total, 10 years	83,868,091	3,735,367	241,443,689	245,179,056	8,856,820	313,869	25,505,957	25,819,826
1861	9,461,082	308,815	30,334,038	30,642,853	1,286,789	10,514	3,353,758	3,364,272
1862	9,071,781	536,745	23,460,684	23,997,429	1,554,861			
1863	13,707,148	281,713	23,787,452	24,069,165	1,917,723			
1864	18,203,817	429,826	36,574,707	37,004,533				
1865	18,847,602	336,300	29,094,056	30,030,356	3,513,481	2,312	3,483,941	3,486,253
1866	14,994,546	295,799	37,230,200	37,525,999	2,462,835	1,449	6,168,569	6,170,018
1867	14,171,835	382,304	38,014,222	38,396,526	2,023,646	8,054	5,305,195	5,313,249
1868	15,255,843	259,441	49,515,263	49,774,704	2,991,208	2,688	6,342,951	6,345,639
1869	12,643,955	320,385	56,656,106	56,976,491	2,669,964	7,265	7,490,385	7,497,650
1870	13,091,662	148,773	53,628,335	53,777,108	2,833,718	13,490	8,169,759	8,183,249
Total, 10 years	139,449,271	3,300,101	378,895,063	382,195,164	21,274,225	45,772	40,224,558	40,270,330
1871	14,200,496	211,638	57,323,287	57,534,925	3,400,291	11,976	9,440,469	9,452,445
1872	13,168,958	251,623	67,012,792	67,264,415	2,643,155	26,336	11,301,430	11,327,766
1873	15,231,039	409,614	76,668,111	77,077,725	1,995,511	448,355	7,530,676	7,979,031
1874	19,597,981	721,854	84,706,243	85,428,097	2,132,490	1,416,442	5,468,277	6,884,719
1875	15,586,658	322,778	64,264,939	64,587,717	2,377,757	243,357	6,670,325	6,913,682
1876	13,746,058	295,864	55,712,002	56,007,866	2,099,076	160,279	4,013,515	4,173,794
1877	12,748,003	265,682	65,562,713	65,828,395	2,323,944	83,796	4,321,956	4,405,752
1878	11,365,013	193,103	56,708,229	56,901,332	1,504,931	24,061	4,776,756	4,800,817
1879	12,294,329	294,933	63,354,723	63,649,656	1,771,503	64,621	4,320,333	4,384,954
1880	10,924,633	555,627	64,867,391	65,423,018	1,969,284	539,793	4,904,093	5,443,856
Total, 10 years	138,863,168	3,522,716	656,180,430	659,703,146	22,217,942	3,019,016	62,747,830	65,766,846
1881	10,999,276	519,390	62,484,014	63,003,404	1,712,732	516,302	3,343,897	3,860,199
1882	11,775,073	656,042	69,794,610	70,450,652	1,838,214	284,042	5,432,832	5,716,874
1883	14,567,918	785,829	64,758,705	65,544,534	2,116,499	34,605	5,442,888	5,477,493
1884	10,562,880	1,484,638	55,096,859	57,181,497	2,188,609	67,488	6,822,968	6,890,456
1885	8,719,195	1,786,049	40,520,044	42,306,093	1,533,177	656,992	5,447,271	6,104,263
1886	10,020,879	1,765,751	49,345,029	51,110,780	1,676,929	431,757	4,162,787	4,594,544
1887	10,138,930	2,033,205	47,482,229	49,515,434	1,707,241	74,367	4,587,323	4,661,690
1888	9,724,124	2,066,379	47,252,708	49,319,087	1,920,358	293,450	4,119,033	4,412,483
1889	11,297,198	2,405,425	49,725,193	52,130,623	2,175,458	103,720	3,603,653	3,707,373
1890	12,669,509	2,761,711	51,039,880	53,801,591	2,247,700	176,394	3,877,232	4,053,626
Total, 10 years	110,474,982	16,264,419	538,099,276	554,363,655	19,116,917	2,639,117	46,839,864	49,479,001

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO, FROM 1851 TO 1898—Continued.

MERCHANDISE—Continued.

YEAR.	CUBA.				PORTO RICO.			
	Domestic exports.	Imports.			Domestic exports.	Imports.		
		Free.	Dutiable.	Total.		Free.	Dutiable.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891	11,929,605	26,044,502	35,669,893	61,714,395	2,112,334	1,856,955	1,307,155	3,164,110
1892	17,622,411	66,140,835	11,790,833	77,931,671	2,808,631	3,236,337	11,670	3,248,007
1893	23,604,094	66,049,369	12,657,137	78,706,506	2,502,788	3,994,673	13,959	4,008,632
1894	19,855,237	67,418,289	8,259,972	75,678,261	2,705,646	3,126,895	8,739	3,135,634
1895	12,533,260	17,634,765	35,186,494	52,871,259	1,820,203	375,364	1,131,148	1,506,512
1896	7,312,348	2,074,763	37,942,967	40,017,730	2,080,400	48,603	2,243,645	2,292,243
1897	7,599,757	1,270,059	17,136,756	18,406,815	1,964,850	101,711	2,079,313	2,181,024
1898	9,233,894	276,000	14,956,477	15,232,477	1,481,629	50,667	2,363,689	2,414,356
Total, 8 years	109,690,606	246,953,582	173,600,532	420,550,114	17,476,481	12,791,210	9,163,709	21,954,919

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, FROM 1888
TO 1898.

IMPORTS FROM—

CUBA.

ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
FREE OF DUTY.											
Asphaltum.....lbs....	8,168,619	2,773,057	5,405,010	4,065,931	10,102,400	6,184,640	4,307,520	1,594,880	952,000	490,520	.....
.....dolls..	21,234	21,460	27,492	34,065	29,208	25,992	10,724	15,440	7,628	4,180	.....
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....dolls..	6,850	35,242	45,177	369,617	272,529	377,269	135,920	81,421	32,312	5,273	2,004
Fruits, including nuts.....dolls..	799,346	1,026,778	1,223,478	1,070,764	1,535,951	1,641,387	1,277,406	826,615	929,865	147,133	.....
Bananas.....dolls..	200,301	194,562	206,855	226,912	98,464	147,394	91,459	22,428	(a)	(a)	163
Cocoanuts.....dolls..	318,857	301,552	319,292	321,791	487,616	559,019	533,571	35,009	11,568	7,289	3,530
All other.....dolls..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hides and skins, other than fur skins.....dolls..	185,452	244,256	284,627	354,685	274,510	279,153	132,221	77,484	184,281	692,122	38,147
Sugar and molasses:.....galls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 13,920,205	17,955,368	11,861,618	15,893,570	2,326,923	182,126	167	.....
Molasses.....dolls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 1,428,970	1,803,847	1,081,034	1,148,412	136,636	15,365	11	.....
Sugar.....lbs....	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 658,502,905	1,983,534,689	1,843,651,095	2,127,497,454	563,170,762	(a)	(a)	.....
.....dolls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 21,453,546	60,828,552	60,637,631	63,147,485	15,572,450	(a)	(a)	.....
Textile grasses: Sisal, tons ..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 490	825	18	516	19	7	.....	.....
grass.....dolls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 43,090	108,313	2,314	48,535	2,263	442	.....	.....
Wood, unmanufactured.....dolls..	383,491	419,426	515,020	576,953	525,169	1,071,123	681,270	640,774	531,349	63,670	17,576
All other free articles.dolls..	110,795	162,149	140,770	164,111	166,676	227,053	211,286	294,245	361,953	350,381	214,580
Total free of duty.dolls..	2,066,379	2,405,425	2,761,711	26,044,502	66,140,835	66,049,369	67,418,289	17,684,765	2,074,763	1,270,059	276,000
DUTIABLE.											
Fruits, including nuts.dolls..	113,951	53,859	46,261	80,299	60,981	41,723	18,704	243,771	237,561	171,436	41,633
Iron ore.....tons ..	117,504	225,525	287,322	326,043	265,993	413,999	150,964	235,629	427,987	392,048	287,280
.....dolls..	258,782	537,478	566,417	847,250	679,626	641,943	199,818	294,908	521,310	475,281	325,818
Spirits, distilled.....pf.gall	7,619	7,232	15,182	19,303	36,077	7,245	3,278	4,009	3,478	3,270	3,598
.....dolls..	18,471	15,645	18,568	31,283	27,803	19,419	8,799	9,081	7,493	8,295	8,995
Sugar and molasses:.....galls..	28,137,227	20,312,677	24,018,292	b 3,051,623	(b)	(b)	(b)	b 10,029,816	1,528,035	79,054	945,161
Molasses.....dolls..	4,135,228	3,416,754	3,679,076	b 361,294	(b)	(b)	(b)	b 635,681	113,109	5,437	85,941
Sugar.....lbs....	1,209,170,332	1,032,085,602	1,041,075,621	b 772,063,570	b 5,333	(b)	b 4,865	b 1,282,591,861	1,093,171,312	577,790,173	449,225,111
.....dolls..	34,545,116	36,227,489	35,420,594	b 23,585,967	b 213	(b)	b 260	b 24,527,730	24,102,835	11,982,473	9,828,607
Tobacco:.....lbs....	11,501,749	13,447,789	16,916,695	16,092,108	18,432,323	21,694,881	14,578,248	20,175,620	26,771,317	4,410,073	4,401,796
Leaf.....dolls..	4,607,705	5,676,540	7,106,233	7,141,465	7,997,015	8,940,058	5,828,964	7,271,794	10,613,468	2,306,067	2,883,260
Manufactures of.....dolls..	3,333,811	3,561,296	3,982,007	3,343,139	2,805,675	2,787,030	2,052,504	2,040,186	2,093,884	1,971,214	1,450,818
Vegetables.....dolls..	44,060	46,691	39,049	87,645	62,639	67,042	46,028	46,435	40,265	16,696	5,612
All other dutiable articles.....dolls..	195,584	189,446	181,675	191,531	156,884	159,922	104,895	116,908	213,042	199,857	325,793
Total dutiable.....dolls..	47,252,708	49,725,198	51,039,880	35,669,893	11,790,836	12,657,137	8,259,972	35,186,494	37,942,967	17,136,756	14,956,477
Total imports.....dolls..	49,319,087	52,130,623	53,801,591	61,714,395	77,931,671	78,706,506	75,678,261	52,871,259	40,017,730	18,406,815	15,232,477
Gold.....dolls..	4,685,298	998,907	907,255	2,915,259	1,803,410	1,024,950	7,305,375	3,550,756	5,188,132	4,454,032	5,165,063
Silver.....dolls..	200,608	223,543	283,220	154,391	494,707	199,003	38,146	39,348	12,541	67,652	2,095

a See "Dutiable."

b See "Free of duty."

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TO 1898—Continued.

IMPORTS FROM—

PORTO RICO.

ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
FREE OF DUTY.											
Coffee.....lbs....	1,309,659	300,065	635,841	174,174	141,150	91,906	372,427	66,782	159,649	133,083	180,834
.....dolls..	224,374	48,290	140,435	39,686	26,891	23,814	81,226	11,724	24,101	22,489	24,217
Fruits, including nuts..dolls..	40,810	33,104	27,551	32,985	31,534	26,628	15,177	397	63	61	11,532
Sugar and molasses:											
Molasses.....galls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 1,626,924	3,312,448	2,502,666	2,564,265				
.....dolls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 425,930	861,079	708,905	630,370				
Sugar.....lbs....	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 42,928,398	80,474,547	99,578,182	75,484,143	16,065,702	(a)	(a)	(a)
.....dolls..	(a)	(a)	(a)	a 1,349,247	2,308,657	3,227,522	2,392,514	311,704	(a)	(a)	(a)
All other free articles...dolls..	28,266	22,326	8,408	9,107	8,176	7,804	7,608	51,539	24,444	79,161	14,918
Total free of duty..dolls..	293,450	103,720	176,394	1,856,955	3,236,327	3,994,673	3,126,895	375,364	48,608	101,711	50,667
DUTIABLE.											
Sugar and molasses:											
Molasses.....galls..	4,995,306	3,050,708	4,106,368	b 837,390	(b)	(b)	(b)	2,038,121	2,256,073	2,639,134	1,830,472
.....dolls..	1,085,554	804,391	1,110,473	b 218,991	(b)	(b)	(b)	418,645	520,275	470,532	364,781
Sugar.....lbs....	115,653,809	81,340,747	76,926,934	b 37,085,254	(b)	b 39,729	b 61,687	40,286,820	81,582,810	86,607,317	98,452,421
.....dolls..	2,997,713	2,766,232	2,750,774	b 1,067,156	(b)	b 1,411	b 1,537	682,369	1,708,318	1,577,911	1,913,742
All other dutiable articles											
.....dolls..	35,766	33,030	15,985	21,008	11,670	12,539	7,202	30,134	19,452	30,870	85,166
Total dutiable....dolls..	4,119,033	3,603,653	3,877,222	1,307,155	11,670	13,950	8,739	1,131,148	2,248,045	2,079,313	2,363,689
Total imports ....dolls..	4,412,483	3,707,373	4,053,626	3,164,110	3,248,007	4,008,623	3,135,634	1,506,512	2,296,653	2,181,024	2,414,356
Gold.....	12,319	2,119	5,750	19,450	11,431	6,625		11,855	6,905	24,154	30,929
Silver.....	16,629	1,830	4,424	276,958	53	11,743	165,531	53,484	13,004	6,959	544

a See "Dutiable."

b See "Free of duty."

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EXPORTS TO—

CUBA.

ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER PRODUCTS.											
Animals.....dolls...	8,778	14,264	12,820	42,631	25,513	29,411	42,508	24,163	121,881	433,089	1,582,421
Breadstuffs:											
Bread and biscuit...lbs....	357,566	341,014	362,820	261,853	346,415	468,613	582,232	266,868	182,358	184,400	131,136
.....dolls...	21,894	23,557	24,195	17,930	23,451	31,650	34,596	17,719	11,941	9,992	8,270
Corn.....bush....	151,669	145,525	591,542	367,324	627,177	1,041,474	1,136,657	392,204	199,193	689,845	1,055,512
.....dolls...	91,014	81,180	258,775	220,187	369,131	582,050	571,326	216,602	93,201	247,905	415,803
Corn meal.....bbls....	628	3,544	6,398	856	1,234	1,225	2,016	352	623	1,942	7,039
.....dolls...	2,013	11,245	19,116	2,909	4,543	4,001	6,293	1,074	1,748	3,741	14,077
Oats.....bush....	20,157	21,751	52,229	21,837	58,191	59,615	74,735	44,807	7,732	30,996	8,458
.....dolls...	7,554	7,813	17,198	10,598	25,286	24,202	29,856	17,655	2,321	8,565	2,754
Wheat flour.....bbls....	282,548	243,153	255,820	114,447	366,175	616,406	662,248	379,856	176,724	132,738	245,293
.....dolls...	1,238,067	1,190,494	1,164,538	591,886	1,826,348	2,821,557	2,473,805	1,301,079	647,057	564,638	1,160,736
All other.....dolls...	27,210	21,758	36,795	31,469	56,272	48,747	48,665	14,881	18,524	52,936	79,643
Total.....dolls...	1,387,752	1,336,047	1,520,617	874,979	2,305,031	3,512,207	3,164,541	1,569,010	896,673	1,320,866	1,681,283
Fruit:											
Apples, dried.....lbs....	100		250		1,350			150			950
.....dolls...	5		14		121			9			49
Green or ripe.....bbls....	4,137	6,002	2,928	752	21,130	15,221	7,288	6,366	5,853	6,511	3,403
.....dolls...	11,598	15,305	10,009	3,181	48,977	45,229	25,819	18,186	15,315	12,121	12,244
Preserved.....dolls...	1,957	5,236	13,916	11,753	33,609	53,210	59,126	40,335	23,574	19,392	11,418
All other, including nuts.....dolls...	8,368	10,440	9,861	7,209	19,761	28,515	22,030	11,581	15,590	16,006	14,464
Total.....dolls...	21,928	30,981	33,800	22,143	102,468	126,954	106,975	70,111	54,479	47,519	38,175
Glue.....lbs....	46,024	45,823	48,868	39,496	52,404	41,973	59,610	34,592	22,333	41,272	27,525
.....dolls...	5,996	6,167	6,271	5,307	7,436	5,484	7,253	4,146	2,864	4,405	3,297
Grease, etc.....dolls...	26,967	28,067	27,992	28,746	44,319	22,650	31,849	24,605	7,128	6,793	10,085
Hair, and manufactures of.....dolls...	1,948	1,995	1,461	2,050	2,153	780	512	1,501	2,252	789	1,025
Hay.....tons....	1,116	1,385	1,020	1,227	2,598	3,130	5,164	2,919	5,840	3,579	1,939
.....dolls...	21,215	25,296	15,749	18,389	41,533	54,791	87,700	43,851	85,652	49,728	30,323
Hides, etc., other than furs.....dolls...	1,207	255	305	465	223	549	711			40	
Hops.....lbs....	2,014	2,107	5,082	4,228	5,889	5,890	3,927	6,219	2,645	2,242	3,097
.....dolls...	322	394	810	1,307	1,358	1,387	855	920	295	247	389
Oils:											
Animal.....galls....	1,716	2,129	7,715	7,584	13,939	9,871	12,310	11,721	3,239	580	8,656
.....dolls...	1,157	1,328	3,700	3,805	6,805	6,398	6,081	4,955	1,317	232	2,870
Vegetable—cotton.....galls....	1,091	2,231	1,539	3,744	75,620	72,184	55,039	15,080	714	1,672	10,249
and linseed.....dolls...	664	1,455	946	1,925	19,240	22,937	20,569	5,563	385	578	3,097
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:											
Meat products—											
Beef, canned.....lbs....	5,056	1,116	1,056	6,288	399,358	588,135	119,054	20,486	23,484	32,686	81,046
.....dolls...	451	122	84	531	34,840	49,878	10,139	1,624	1,778	2,508	6,412
Salted or pickled.....lbs....	51,400	75,500	56,400	63,500	234,200	64,036	84,938	21,400	26,150	91,000	279,289
and other cured.....dolls...	3,019	4,392	2,663	2,676	12,215	3,259	4,948	1,141	1,277	4,141	13,720
Tallow.....lbs....	42,352	62,792	23,438	40,268	490,376	717,506	1,246,688	802,425	618,505	566,729	404,767
.....dolls...	2,330	3,521	1,394	2,068	19,306	29,674	56,700	35,432	24,285	20,958	13,231
Hog products—											
Bacon.....lbs....	3,218,083	3,319,956	4,381,370	5,423,621	6,612,210	6,977,298	6,154,077	5,137,535	6,168,201	10,581,819	10,736,382
.....dolls...	273,292	278,842	290,209	351,955	453,624	556,747	532,035	390,454	386,475	574,402	672,008
Hams.....lbs....	1,895,408	2,185,389	2,027,956	2,141,208	4,766,133	5,834,286	5,272,640	3,929,994	3,408,718	4,012,433	3,532,940
.....dolls...	257,509	295,148	260,592	234,458	529,328	761,082	668,959	420,215	348,065	374,185	365,243
Pork, pickled.....lbs....	524,600	713,200	570,600	547,160	696,800	685,810	626,633	462,640	195,600	222,660	267,600
.....dolls...	40,483	54,943	34,300	33,315	43,911	59,276	52,333	32,586	10,286	10,005	14,103
Lard.....lbs....	26,504,166	30,096,838	33,142,436	32,054,107	43,982,187	42,683,652	42,340,578	30,672,512	26,218,302	25,717,489	20,139,515
.....dolls...	1,993,990	2,541,038	2,233,821	2,079,534	2,974,545	4,023,917	3,625,545	2,209,067	1,551,185	1,255,183	1,027,657
All other meat products.....dolls...	20,422	32,705	31,641	34,816	58,366	88,605	89,951	95,592	61,886	88,089	111,708

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EXPORTS TO—Continued.

CUBA—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER PRODUCTS—continued.											
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—cont'd.											
Dairy products—											
Butter.....	168,536	112,209	143,433	101,130	163,833	234,156	121,179	53,305	49,982	58,120	12,715
.....lbs.....											
.....dolls.....	30,266	21,771	21,219	18,119	33,570	49,257	27,038	11,598	10,080	10,475	8,087
Cheese.....	81,118	55,695	62,708	90,275	202,611	225,421	215,021	52,680	42,896	64,869	219,531
.....lbs.....											
.....dolls.....	14,135	10,010	9,686	12,910	27,478	32,491	30,895	8,368	7,508	11,284	25,888
Milk.....	13,013	15,401	22,193	17,226	27,298	46,347	41,732	39,777	63,852	70,485	114,230
.....dolls.....											
Total.....	2,648,910	3,257,893	2,907,802	2,787,608	4,214,481	5,700,556	5,140,215	3,245,854	2,466,677	2,421,715	2,372,287
Seeds.....	2,927	1,920	2,220	3,054	3,296	3,810	4,196	3,957	3,311	3,458	2,612
Vegetables:											
Beans and peas.....	98,087	91,369	82,643	50,466	145,162	183,977	120,738	101,833	107,405	312,381	275,223
.....bush.....											
.....dolls.....	209,819	182,756	200,595	115,930	282,391	392,962	208,265	203,979	148,579	276,635	380,199
Onions.....	592	9	221	.....	11,665	8,348	1,657	25	9,556	1,980	2,938
.....bush.....											
.....dolls.....	567	9	195	.....	8,653	7,602	1,448	30	6,966	1,767	2,923
Potatoes.....	218,416	272,829	147,932	175,891	337,928	666,648	573,669	355,526	298,491	580,923	327,779
.....bush.....											
.....dolls.....	170,818	191,597	108,153	168,354	228,079	554,153	496,875	274,653	217,315	331,553	285,082
Other.....	9,119	6,450	13,412	10,137	21,206	23,544	30,876	22,802	12,922	16,999	16,802
.....dolls.....											
Total.....	399,323	380,812	322,355	294,421	540,329	978,261	797,464	501,604	386,792	620,954	685,996
Wine.....	225	382	766	451	907	1,018	864	507	221	289	84
.....dolls.....											
All other products of agriculture.....	8,200	11,566	10,376	31,847	28,867	25,179	25,660	30,721	18,648	143,896	a 327,122
Total agricultural products.....	4,528,519	5,099,342	4,867,990	4,119,728	7,343,959	10,192,352	9,440,953	5,531,528	3,926,694	4,628,011	6,740,676
Agricultural implements.....	42,205	74,135	126,492	55,618	81,442	130,341	118,269	38,461	26,826	3,624	7,817
.....dolls.....											
Cars, passenger and freight, for steam railroads.....	176	610	532	1,243	561	840	696	962	74	.....	.....
.....No.....											
.....dolls.....	27,383	127,533	163,455	337,153	177,605	271,571	197,563	273,100	28,533	9,202	12,933
Cotton, manufactures of:											
Cloths, colored and uncolored.....	724,800	436,400	607,642	310,086	452,086	708,667	561,257	235,824	210,113	291,263	138,662
.....yds.....											
.....dolls.....	68,204	70,123	85,481	55,911	48,873	75,359	57,422	24,394	23,552	25,008	12,163
All other.....	44,077	56,057	54,837	45,888	65,239	72,819	62,761	43,047	40,282	42,444	10,719
.....dolls.....											
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of.....	25,587	27,804	26,517	29,354	27,388	42,879	54,806	43,131	28,342	27,257	22,906
.....dolls.....											
Iron and steel, manufactures of:											
Car wheels.....	2,040	1,918	2,964	2,870	4,808	2,167	1,418	1,565	314	387	484
.....No.....											
.....dolls.....	18,580	19,848	27,475	26,145	47,053	18,073	12,309	11,846	3,412	2,782	2,734
Cutlery.....	10,219	10,347	9,076	4,436	7,277	21,094	23,037	10,497	6,874	6,773	4,882
.....dolls.....											
Firearms.....	698	3,030	9,964	5,162	3,883	3,055	3,080	525	6,147	2,315	5,183
.....dolls.....											
Machinery, not elsewhere specified.....	480,416	965,242	1,154,090	1,317,256	1,952,740	2,792,050	1,587,706	1,286,473	286,854	55,069	219,413
.....dolls.....											
Nails and spikes—											
Cut.....	1,890,873	2,109,036	2,610,151	1,390,294	1,968,024	5,887,910	5,356,790	1,764,285	1,044,165	1,352,600	894,900
.....lbs.....											
.....dolls.....	44,538	48,340	56,869	30,694	39,093	107,002	105,160	25,349	20,797	25,016	13,554
Wire, wrought, horseshoe, and all other, including tacks.....	130,197	110,279	167,997	109,015	121,251	335,552	581,657	394,031	280,301	360,901	403,371
.....lbs.....											
.....dolls.....	12,459	9,763	12,980	9,375	9,623	20,581	24,210	15,480	12,727	18,456	19,925
Railway bars of iron or steel.....	351	615	1,209	934	1,067	10,544	11,717	4,633	1,137	688	2,778
.....tons.....											
.....dolls.....	12,697	20,240	44,267	32,249	35,167	327,411	340,457	121,662	29,787	14,650	69,746
Saws and tools.....	88,548	115,232	138,894	107,291	130,393	243,544	192,578	97,369	34,919	34,686	26,968
.....dolls.....											
Steam engines and parts of—											
Stationary engines.....	16	15	49	73	151	214	123	43	12	5	7
.....No.....											
.....dolls.....	12,056	10,493	45,992	46,776	77,264	130,652	62,830	30,629	5,096	1,189	1,553
Wire.....	3,660,511	3,515,351	4,847,225	3,342,466	3,695,446	12,052,015	10,917,995	3,130,290	587,144	1,829,406	408,310
.....lbs.....											
.....dolls.....	124,944	118,214	170,333	112,357	115,583	321,120	248,027	65,992	11,542	35,905	7,557

a Includes \$913,901 eggs.

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, FROM 1888
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CUBA—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER PRODUCTS—continued.											
Leather, and manufactures of:											
Leather.....dolls..	12,535	13,299	19,871	21,150	22,894	10,082	7,993	7,539	5,651	1,217	2,298
Manufactures of—											
Boots and shoes.....pairs..	111,865	80,116	117,447	98,860	209,169	93,750	66,732	47,040	25,498	11,385	8,285
.....dolls..	114,139	74,542	114,676	100,733	193,776	114,943	82,554	53,606	34,992	15,195	9,934
Harness and saddles.....dolls..	19,023	40,531	33,234	30,728	33,369	22,584	29,574	20,891	27,432	16,512	6,739
All other.....dolls..	38,899	37,962	26,549	20,202	27,347	33,807	24,346	17,562	7,406	6,839	10,345
All other articles.....dolls..	3,998,398	4,355,112	5,480,467	5,421,404	7,179,443	8,352,715	7,179,602	4,814,179	2,734,483	2,627,607	2,033,632
Total domestic exports.....dolls..	9,724,121	11,297,198	12,669,509	11,929,605	17,622,411	23,604,094	19,855,237	12,533,260	7,312,348	7,599,757	9,233,894
Total foreign exports.....dolls..	329,436	394,113	414,906	295,283	331,150	553,604	270,084	274,401	218,532	660,019	327,762
Total exports of merchandise.....dolls..	10,053,560	11,691,311	13,084,415	12,224,888	17,953,570	24,157,698	20,125,321	12,807,661	7,530,880	8,259,776	9,561,656
Gold.....dolls..	4,784,092	3,831,005	3,167,127	1,657,396	6,946,048	6,403,264	12,351,317	8,186,805	2,319,341	.....	4,197,546
Silver.....dolls..	14,404	3,350	.....	225,461	2,700	19,598	37,510	12,986	5,577	900	.....

PORTO RICO.

AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER PRODUCTS.											
Breadstuffs:											
Bread and biscuit.....lbs.....	233,517	287,307	427,032	509,992	762,076	432,075	338,445	194,729	391,637	673,128	834,767
.....dolls..	13,809	17,766	23,832	27,806	38,787	22,768	16,959	10,431	19,930	29,787	37,488
Corn.....bush.....	2,888	3,135	12,966	9,375	37,237	23,874	17,449	1,200	595	1,200	200
.....dolls..	1,764	1,523	6,523	5,380	22,214	14,614	9,141	714	276	423	80
Cornmeal.....bbls.....	3,077	1,369	9,068	8,197	11,010	14,847	28,414	2,417	355	897	1,910
.....dolls..	9,678	4,196	23,928	26,699	35,634	43,065	77,409	6,665	886	1,698	3,779
Wheat flour.....bbls.....	134,549	129,916	151,996	127,983	162,147	167,053	200,813	118,617	129,021	126,933	90,578
.....dolls..	608,352	638,210	699,516	668,828	826,561	733,308	734,443	382,676	486,482	516,188	450,493
All other.....dolls..	6,587	12,087	17,958	20,762	29,569	23,301	33,222	10,318	13,776	13,379	9,671
Total.....dolls..	640,190	673,782	771,757	748,875	952,765	837,056	871,174	410,804	521,350	561,485	501,511
Fruits, including nuts.....dolls..	1,200	1,666	3,080	2,937	5,925	5,873	5,008	2,712	3,512	4,123	2,348
Hops.....lbs.....	1,718	2,810	4,195	2,507	3,191	2,953	2,167	2,488	3,929	2,565	495
.....dolls..	304	391	631	523	695	518	434	294	423	266	54
Oil cake and oil-cake.....lbs.....	2,520	1,500	24,621	51,512	8,750	8,050	16,500	600	.....	.....	2,250
meal.....dolls..	36	20	383	735	136	129	208	6	.....	.....	48
Oils:											
Animal—Animal.....galls..	386	488	618	364	390	443	949	229	424	955	167
and other.....dolls..	270	393	410	204	267	300	579	156	267	454	89
Vegetable—Cotton.....galls..	424	542	918	726	4,277	5,697	2,294	1,510	2,548	461	606
and linseed.....dolls..	258	351	611	473	2,090	2,763	1,114	575	819	165	225
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:											
Beef, canned.....lbs.....	1,176	960	960	4,236	2,252	4,045	6,166	1,584	2,112	2,496	384
.....dolls..	114	82	88	360	190	354	509	123	163	192	30
Beef, salted or pickled.....lbs.....	35,150	47,400	91,600	82,400	104,180	80,360	79,300	35,625	32,925	61,100	16,700
.....dolls..	1,711	2,612	4,534	3,922	5,157	3,894	4,159	1,781	1,606	2,905	859
Tallow.....lbs.....	2,400	8,684	14,704	16,514	7,472	11,160	3,305	3,990	7,591	4,565	5,307
.....dolls..	157	784	997	958	496	778	171	234	411	256	287
Bacon and hams.....lbs.....	685,627	755,774	1,044,259	1,324,763	1,501,943	982,209	1,030,788	1,079,633	1,281,114	1,506,960	1,098,806
.....dolls..	66,800	72,124	79,189	106,201	124,430	113,844	117,733	99,968	111,735	112,602	83,954
Pork, pickled.....lbs.....	2,392,136	2,871,400	2,812,900	3,546,000	4,762,800	3,318,600	4,480,400	3,285,200	4,495,550	3,450,200	3,556,700
.....dolls..	185,200	217,549	173,739	226,311	301,731	282,980	360,684	221,848	243,311	152,411	176,219
Lard.....lbs.....	2,923,878	3,101,652	3,531,225	3,075,060	4,397,820	3,239,094	3,079,784	3,414,798	4,027,501	4,572,985	3,609,131
.....dolls..	231,522	296,642	270,988	237,692	324,976	306,809	343,573	243,148	244,467	238,051	190,630
Oleomargarine—imitation butter.....lbs.....	12,600	82,429	68,010	50,100	20,700	43,670	76,534	110,515	18,440	.....	.....
.....dolls..	1,627	8,890	8,092	6,648	2,448	5,458	10,182	13,540	1,738	.....	.....
All other meat products.....dolls..	7,096	8,218	17,930	9,161	16,027	10,895	17,723	14,025	17,092	23,529	10,605

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TO 1898—Continued.

EXPORTS TO—Continued.

PORTO RICO—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER PRODUCTS—continued.											
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Cont'd.											
Dairy products—Continued.											
Butter.....lbs.....	191,038	68,425	108,557	109,210	103,417	63,835	139,774	102,914	20,655	33,525	18,900
.....dolls..	26,514	10,204	13,711	12,642	13,533	9,780	21,456	12,448	2,754	4,009	2,407
Cheese.....lbs.....	133,498	118,363	166,624	275,967	247,532	244,884	130,545	25,319	25,404	26,478	12,167
.....dolls..	16,957	14,231	22,448	32,691	31,368	28,721	16,568	3,038	2,946	3,022	1,535
Milk.....dolls..	53	286	163	145	239	544	605	667	737	729	572
Total.....dolls..	537,751	631,622	591,879	636,731	820,595	764,057	893,363	608,820	626,960	527,706	467,098
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....lbs.....	2,750	9,564	10,315	9,365	14,100						
.....dolls..	383	1,061	1,031	1,290	1,841						
Vegetables:											
Beans and pease.....bush..	6,307	7,409	7,595	7,616	43,625	16,691	30,976	5,289	36,522	44,849	18,707
.....dolls..	12,028	14,660	15,198	12,357	80,343	23,685	44,105	7,338	44,244	57,550	27,283
Onions.....bush..	60	12	1,476		410	40	127		386		20
.....dolls..	67	12	1,849		426	44	130		369		20
Potatoes.....bush..	3,593	1,550	738	2,343	2,701	1,547	655	1,770	2,769	8,969	513
.....dolls..	3,052	1,047	544	2,345	1,852	1,559	569	1,240	1,675	5,707	460
All other.....dolls..	852	417	736	1,238	771	681	562	319	581	213	142
Total.....dolls..	15,999	16,136	18,327	15,940	83,392	25,969	45,366	8,897	46,869	63,470	27,905
All other agricultural products.....dolls..	861	1,562	1,825	1,779	982	2,636	1,943	1,185	2,771	3,020	3,069
Total agricultural products.....dolls..	1,197,252	1,326,984	1,580,934	1,409,487	1,868,688	1,639,301	1,819,189	1,033,459	1,202,001	1,160,639	1,092,347
Agricultural implements.....dolls..	3,892	5,238	5,516	4,507	2,660	3,170	7,510	2,728	6,967	4,239	2,504
Cotton, manufactures of.....dolls..	23,333	18,727	30,144	22,529	34,648	15,744	21,284	14,480	26,543	12,002	3,723
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of.....dolls..	1,815	2,704	2,694	1,697	2,144	2,241	2,530	2,629	3,060	3,149	2,692
Iron and steel, manufactures of:											
Car wheels.....dolls..			720				609			88	65
Cutlery.....dolls..	1,355	1,076	779	363	274	1,101	408	600	327	327	20
Firearms.....dolls..	405	453	2,409	1,480	418	140		460			85
Machinery, n. e. s.....dolls..	20,960	25,983	25,007	18,987	20,023	56,389	31,373	56,642	44,524	69,462	51,717
Nails and spikes.....lbs.....	114,798	180,224	120,045	67,279	85,430	186,179	138,079	121,813	106,258	82,075	30,693
.....dolls..	3,530	5,165	3,635	1,992	2,505	4,582	3,669	2,592	2,809	2,417	934
Railway bars.....dolls..				611				1,795	1,394		70
Saws and tools.....dolls..	6,449	8,157	10,663	10,754	10,751	11,486	16,471	7,881	12,406	7,083	4,273
Stationary engines.....No.....	3	6	3	4	6	6	7	3	2	4	4
.....dolls..	2,253	2,555	1,025	2,200	2,023	4,291	4,046	3,000	1,265	2,141	952
Wine.....lbs.....	189,022	218,092	418,162	842,471	601,538	1,073,142	1,401,182	677,000	1,077,900	813,485	498,125
.....dolls..	6,650	7,299	15,057	29,139	19,736	28,891	31,607	13,476	21,251	15,719	9,107
Leather, and manufactures of.....dolls..	6,211	10,343	11,003	12,625	9,860	9,291	8,404	5,300	9,339	7,368	6,112
All other articles.....dolls..	646,252	760,864	749,114	595,963	835,681	726,158	758,546	675,161	747,424	680,166	397,118
Total domestic exports.....dolls..	1,920,358	2,175,458	2,247,700	2,112,334	2,808,631	2,502,788	2,705,646	1,820,203	2,080,400	1,964,850	1,481,629
Total foreign exports.....dolls..	49,260	49,473	49,838	42,900	47,372	7,819	14,862	13,341	21,694	24,038	21,317
Total exports of merchandise.....dolls..	1,969,618	2,224,931	2,297,538	2,155,234	2,856,003	2,510,607	2,720,508	1,833,544	2,102,094	1,988,888	1,502,946
Gold.....dolls..	55,001	54,954		989			5,000		1,400		
Silver.....dolls..	5,689		10,990				2,754				

COMMERCE OF SPAIN WITH CUBA, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, FROM 1888 TO 1896.

IMPORTS.

[Expressed in pesetas = 19.3 cents.]

Class of tariff.	ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896
2	Copper, cast and old	111,999	101,603	93,493	36,749	.....	50,621	53,906	.....	47,071
3	Oil, cocoa and palm .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64,900
	Paraffin, stearin, wax, etc.	367,055	333,220	303,565	179,304	181,543	284,483	130,506	150,342	122,487
	Perfumery and extracts .....	.....	46,416	45,104	30,768	103,416	85,456	158,568	136,024	128,904
9	Woods, fine, cabinet	304,976	450,542	376,900	137,800	722,400	100,778	.....	389,640	139,817
	Cooperage	34,178	133,066	249,510	493,716	739,150	362,161	75,751	105,976	122,858
	Wood, manufactures of, furniture, etc.	293,060	.....	457,806	185,914	346,680	991,848	490,717	.....	62,882
10	Leather and hides, undressed	62,904	110,194	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129,247	83,103
	Grease	49,459	.....	116,701	.....	97,724	.....	.....	.....	79,713
	All animal remnants, unmanufactured	60,347	34,431	.....	.....	.....	114,041	.....	27,462	27,320
12	Fruits	40,276	49,881	49,470	40,552	101,807	72,444	123,947	49,161	.....
	Sugar	21,012,550	23,033,792	31,180,957	21,985,185	29,378,938	5,162,097	12,122,996	10,782,315	6,589,450
	Cocoa	1,514,142	1,980,253	2,811,804	2,231,554	2,714,716	2,151,022	2,999,806	2,754,438	3,048,959
	Coffee	555,269	332,590	215,263	206,697	426,592	127,322	165,937	796,972	218,240
	Rum (aguardiente)	1,392,256	887,668	1,576,835	2,695,600	3,386,988	1,800,594	649,718	991,588	767,592
	Sweets and conserves	324,258	357,593	369,109	378,595	387,738	440,322	384,573	370,977	393,622
	Honey	155,442	28,527	76,951	475,806	1,263,224	273,440	31,318	.....	171,628
13	Amber, etc., unmanufactured or manufactured	73,890	85,509	48,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,362
	Sacks and bags	77,799	98,472	162,961	123,263	329,102	83,313	160,078	201,170	97,437
	Special imports:									
	Tobacco, leaf .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,722,299	1,772,835
	Tobacco, partly manufactured	9,331,256	4,787,055	2,873,238	4,700,018	5,494,981	9,198,124	6,701,729	3,798,350	2,112,150
	Cigarettes and cigars .....	.....	1,512,950	3,057,705	3,083,960	3,645,705	4,657,510	5,141,965	5,951,230	5,477,930
	Other merchandise	228,564	403,400	495,639	284,818	266,854	143,244	369,881	496,872	287,855
	Total	35,480,680	34,767,153	44,561,014	37,270,329	49,587,558	26,098,829	29,698,396	33,944,063	21,898,215
	Gold .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,046,760	.....	30,000
	Silver .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,420,814	6,897,954	3,237,830	61,829,986

COMMERCE OF SPAIN WITH CUBA, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, FROM 1888 TO 1896.

EXPORTS.

[Expressed in pesetas = 19.3 cents.]

Class of tariff.	ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896
		Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.
1	Marble and manufactures of.....	152,236	120,112	41,093	56,232	27,047	142,650	88,017	.....	.....
	Mineral waters.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,167	44,304	63,472	108,118	115,154
	Glass bottles, etc.....	128,944	185,796	229,389	232,740	569,847	416,321	348,530	240,215	334,446
	Bricks, tilings, mosaics, etc.....	399,733	458,158	391,913	449,843	872,309	1,462,044	1,792,576	1,307,321	141,854
	Earthenware.....	153,679	156,847	320,072	248,104	664,698	1,333,888	878,251	768,835	589,266
	Lime and cement.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26,424	29,700	.....	28,114	25,182
2	Silverware and jewelry.....	.....	.....	41,500	64,500	88,792	76,280	33,509	33,308	34,009
	Iron bars, etc.....	103,139	137,319	327,911	438,257	1,433,012	899,512	941,016	909,742	883,505
	Firearms.....	294,060	258,780	377,820	277,020	381,540	864,990	763,510	4,014,090	9,361,209
	Copper, and manufactures of.....	80,297	146,171	151,017	749,872	226,245	223,501	168,326	72,966	78,882
	Lead, manufactured.....	55,466	91,738	91,992	91,492	122,911	123,421	93,391	28,828	76,718
	Zinc.....	82,506	92,589	79,373	111,705	141,690	76,265	63,296	64,795	31,864
	Other metals.....	.....	.....	.....	151,047	279,453	224,396	129,644	45,810	263,270
3	Oils and paints.....	112,826	181,569	146,929	215,289	334,402	983,299	919,136	782,765	587,719
	Salt.....	292,046	274,220	302,028	263,629	312,072	267,173	274,610	394,293	255,151
	Chemicals, medicines, etc.....	67,243	389,417	351,985	131,115	176,197	379,367	145,267	170,226	176,823
	Soap.....	3,288,570	2,850,747	3,380,302	3,587,080	3,696,066	3,575,051	4,319,525	3,367,380	3,176,846
	Wax and stearin.....	1,267,291	1,509,918	1,573,050	1,877,498	1,864,099	1,874,132	2,905,642	1,739,902	2,095,622
	Perfumery, etc.....	.....	29,656	45,168	68,576	162,272	222,256	268,296	119,320	63,608
4	Cotton thread.....	91,750	149,484	166,370	178,228	223,388	679,344	689,052	509,232	397,254
	Other manufactures.....	9,014,484	13,298,133	12,044,279	17,247,163	25,387,486	27,219,728	22,396,115	22,691,680	18,384,033
5	Flax, hemp, etc., manufactures of.....	2,184,312	3,502,869	3,312,410	5,148,289	7,111,468	6,969,754	5,758,568	5,582,909	3,790,987
6	Woolen blankets.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49,600	123,952	.....	180,344	1,499,856
	Other woolen manufactures.....	216,378	278,252	370,905	1,579,638	3,178,120	3,761,358	2,321,263	1,727,404	565,066
7	Silk goods.....	52,780	174,020	257,315	724,675	1,233,575	1,041,960	722,285	533,140	371,030
8	Paper, in rolls.....	41,353	36,094	469,006	287,562	258,453	313,591	758,548	403,571	412,387
	Writing paper.....	748,442	752,320	864,671	646,057	629,674	509,890	522,016	495,056	441,094
	Smoking paper.....	504,177	739,161	866,760	567,031	945,252	1,017,057	1,106,356	1,406,222	1,855,231
	Packing paper.....	444,919	539,914	484,457	738,317	1,143,155	1,052,126	1,584,008	1,407,632	1,420,235
	Books, music, etc.....	223,743	252,717	248,667	289,950	311,175	382,662	429,441	293,796	168,276
	Other paper.....	217,764	319,040	144,909	204,220	172,855	320,586	360,326	433,703	539,587
9	Wood, manufactures of.....	588,027	2,462,771	2,919,611	3,439,444	3,270,380	3,896,889	3,602,499	2,477,337	2,257,840
10	Leather.....	844,352	865,048	686,901	759,845	895,268	790,232	652,838	570,629	554,777
	Shoes, of leather.....	10,520,960	13,774,352	13,247,040	16,963,224	21,906,624	21,450,368	20,694,048	19,691,760	17,249,760
	Saddlery.....	.....	132,600	54,186	56,132	190,008	293,184	248,104	494,850	510,610
11	Machinery and musical instruments.....	74,687	92,729	148,166	119,385	211,369	545,095	213,727	151,734	.....
12	Hams and meats, salted, etc.....	142,303	164,925	172,023	383,337	211,906	275,995	325,544	318,831	378,396
	Butter.....	526,131	690,858	694,291	627,696	1,003,961	922,264	857,186	731,096	859,591
	Rice.....	329,229	412,758	340,156	1,031,633	1,362,708	1,948,740	935,498	558,601	1,494,849
	Corn.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175,890	142,934	1,432,815
	Wheat flour.....	5,317,785	6,873,995	9,428,538	11,970,158	372,950	.....	3,518,316	11,862,394	20,326,832
	Beans.....	1,103,926	1,161,048	1,368,147	1,581,357	1,938,997	1,837,043	1,849,485	1,892,922	1,878,019
	Other dried vegetables.....	267,099	351,796	546,006	625,635	374,964	670,953	712,453	713,710	641,268
	Onions, garlic, and potatoes.....	1,177,976	1,282,315	1,494,069	1,241,240	911,032	1,144,687	1,695,447	1,026,799	1,205,115
	Almonds.....	234,391	324,402	323,706	396,625	324,119	490,927	436,905	259,664	401,492
	Olives.....	752,390	795,885	1,005,565	913,435	1,151,065	1,135,187	865,492	942,796	608,826
	Raisins.....	124,709	242,140	182,907	252,903	302,638	298,468	308,786	238,868	221,912
	Saffron.....	261,990	295,500	462,900	599,700	475,745	564,485	657,645	571,030	1,171,263
	Pepper, ground and unground.....	154,265	197,029	124,044	207,861	136,878	199,894	157,770	174,580	367,910
	Oil, common.....	3,756,751	4,273,067	2,593,119	4,018,500	4,321,768	4,726,328	5,492,822	5,497,465	3,316,218
	Wine, common.....	10,026,024	12,604,045	12,774,985	11,733,856	9,362,624	8,643,136	8,107,887	8,903,261	7,947,045
	other.....	798,653	364,967	291,611	226,843	236,992	118,841	103,701	93,903	93,758
	Preserved food.....	2,528,816	3,031,726	4,008,935	3,755,215	4,756,527	5,568,428	4,527,778	4,833,505	4,742,361
	Pressed meat.....	770,715	1,022,425	1,241,595	1,203,045	1,503,635	1,725,860	1,563,085	1,185,863	1,581,570
	Soup pastes (vermicelli, etc.).....	606,797	482,507	821,981	654,980	887,716	1,180,380	988,115	1,086,374	1,435,999
13	Sandals.....	815,388	195,384	177,252	253,344	785,664	502,236	784,020	732,090	13,433,510
	Playing cards.....	93,696	150,072	170,965	155,470	205,480	326,870	96,594	152,424	171,725
	Felt hats.....	36,981	66,537	95,496	91,816	338,128	479,464	323,232	404,724	140,894
	Cartridges.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	156,572	318,595
	All other articles.....	3,024,489	3,482,332	3,937,346	3,832,074	5,012,167	5,417,420	4,727,710	3,626,219	3,670,981
	Total.....	65,096,728	82,718,564	86,401,832	103,724,882	115,004,727	121,758,941	115,471,881	119,344,618	134,401,675
	Gold.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	248,310	.....	500,030	.....
	Silver.....	.....	.....	25,000	11,135,480	30,314,628	5,916,960	1,599,000	16,416,992	121,446,240

COMMERCE OF SPAIN WITH PORTO RICO, BY ARTICLES, FROM 1888 TO 1896.

IMPORTS.

[Expressed in pesetas—19.3 cents.]

Class of tariff.	ARTICLES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896
		Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.
9	Wood, manufactures of		29,515	78,163	39,019				59,307	
10	Leather, and manufactures of	483,688	378,927	339,042	382,417	343,265	343,266	269,003	422,684	399,227
12	Fruits	29,279	35,265	30,127		73,366		28,526	60,708	113,639
	Sugar	5,264,306	8,194,088	12,079,331	6,645,370	10,225,419	5,311,467	6,549,557	5,500,274	8,346,250
	Cacao	28,242	138,983	180,279	235,486	70,896	248,474	231,368	802,609	1,016,787
	Coffee	8,788,891	5,214,847	7,517,417	7,618,801	11,479,099	13,326,968	12,775,152	13,631,652	16,985,768
13	Sacks and bags	121,555	137,431	211,644	148,434	262,671	169,996	206,585	196,208	231,576
	Special imports -									
	Tobacco:									
	Leaf	415,667	1,279,748	2,376,420	1,353,453	134,466	1,215,280	998,339	1,501,626	450,794
	Manufactures of		71,950	65,850	187,300	74,550	119,750	39,125	32,100	65,150
	Other articles	208,929	456,794	248,915	284,280	483,888	423,164	439,420	113,286	239,101
	Total	15,340,557	15,937,647	23,127,188	16,894,560	22,947,620	21,288,365	21,537,075	22,320,454	27,857,292
	Gold								549,640	
	Silver							43,050	7,310,270	28,346,749

EXPORTS.

1	Glass and earthen ware		56,463	96,591	27,897	25,443	143,214	257,123	109,910	81,510
2	Firearms	33,360	25,350	55,650		29,520				
3	Oils and paints						82,227	107,114	151,271	129,261
	Chemicals, medicines, etc.				41,625	27,235	60,352	170,405	104,080	131,494
	Soap	1,351,731	1,035,301	1,333,105	1,247,467	1,394,946	1,371,872	1,037,071	1,604,215	1,255,814
	Wax and stearin	149,196	202,953	360,319	259,176	608,857	377,807	1,053,193	464,477	701,578
	Perfumery, etc.	163,960	239,184	275,016	286,096	286,664	274,696	223,424	275,176	307,104
4	Cotton, manufactures of	5,227,261	5,553,398	6,980,563	2,695,567	4,674,898	7,299,649	9,130,885	7,331,639	12,439,767
5	Flax, hemp, etc., manufactures of	199,553	372,485	567,625	421,068	536,494	692,628	641,053	510,296	812,912
6	Wool, manufactures of	81,606	135,155	105,664	115,129	161,496	302,248	410,746	288,242	438,688
7	Silk, manufactures of	50,350	102,790	200,070	187,625	335,350	330,885	367,935	218,690	229,235
8	Paper in rolls						25,598	70,745	51,514	83,660
	Writing paper	83,844	115,163	279,448	60,768	81,259	79,923	80,357	83,388	107,074
	Books, music, etc.	57,480	70,827	95,046	70,587	75,351	76,314	79,260	179,901	125,127
	Packing paper	59,791	165,205	141,079	165,527	305,585	233,907	428,279	351,716	350,560
	Other paper	132,265	145,405	195,040	78,071	247,112	237,231	178,727	162,546	176,747
9	Wood, manufactures of	35,777	227,102	334,075	339,123	366,077	404,539	419,139	420,856	463,195
10	Leather	159,495	238,018	275,993	114,704	234,147	199,866	229,730	279,400	342,088
	Shoes	2,136,656	1,823,088	3,752,464	3,589,120	3,267,520	3,907,360	3,433,104	4,751,460	5,380,740
	Saddlery		32,424	37,376	50,880	59,896	106,512	81,088	128,610	105,120
11	Machinery and musical instruments	154,094				55,965	80,246		78,484	38,500
12	Hams and meats, salted, etc.				36,565	42,274	34,668	61,396	39,384	110,312
	Butter		128,587	82,561	87,170	73,047	160,763	102,684	98,107	233,916
	Rice	65,841	82,507	555,717	487,174	247,497	101,403	1,519,393	1,775,392	2,652,611
	Wheat flour	356,452	487,526	618,419	783,621	116,845		501,050	577,976	478,185
	Beans	403,008	343,935	561,130	571,372	513,152	572,042	739,010	444,214	451,366
	Other dried vegetables	44,780	97,667	104,587	55,699	105,720	155,532	92,140	84,458	141,826
	Oil, common	603,058	991,107	555,903	852,316	1,058,157	877,213	1,197,178	1,840,843	1,202,075
	Wine	923,423	1,035,189	1,264,730	1,012,163	730,095	605,523	650,061	842,199	603,461
	Preserved food and pressed meat	475,698	466,912	790,426	562,838	700,218	709,671	808,987	755,027	844,021
	Chocolate and sweets	200,662	207,795	327,264	350,287	378,000	430,909	495,057	289,346	387,512
	Soup pastes and biscuits, etc.	84,585	143,036	100,478	157,168	305,709	410,971	526,189	385,382	524,846
	Sandals	237,960	154,260	208,620	169,788	155,280	136,188	150,342	125,400	3,601,380
	Playing cards	49,955	71,730	76,415	57,560		41,815	37,728	37,380	69,085
	Felthats	29,259		42,608		375,872	1,426,640	665,552	383,820	829,446
	Umbrellas	100,202	154,521	305,721	191,929	314,195	195,495	167,532	112,935	93,567
	Other articles	1,432,314	1,480,351	1,880,913	1,999,532	1,782,369	1,893,522	2,415,358	1,856,818	1,736,826
	Total	15,083,626	16,385,434	22,560,616	17,125,612	19,728,405	24,044,929	28,532,039	27,224,552	37,660,609
	Gold							32,860		
	Silver	80,640		56,560		630,072	64,000	114,000	17,192,800	5,466,980

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, FROM 1890 TO 1897.

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

[Pound sterling \$4.8665.]

ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Coffee.....	808			1,700				
Cotton, raw.....	920							
Spirits, rum.....	31,814	43,645	19,479	12,811	3,389			5
Sugar, brown.....	31,597	15,699	9,650	66,745	165,625	96,319	11,386	11,046
Tobacco:								
Unmanufactured.....				3				
Manufactured.....	582	545	493	574	750	1,994	1,723	529
Wood, mahogany.....	32,325	30,797	27,317	19,095	45,843	16,318	17,460	12,646
All other articles.....	29,827	50,421	34,015	29,684	28,359	16,936	5,272	18,687
Total.....	127,873	141,117	90,894	130,612	243,966	131,567	35,841	42,913

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

[Franc = 19.3 cents.]

	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.
Bitumen, crude, solid, and fluid.....	252,655			187,175	256,200	80,562	45,840	91,280
Cocoa.....	1,280,876	193,366	108,756	219,447	86,088	55,625	338,937	284,162
Coffee.....	10,925,551	4,190,194	7,648,531	4,608,128	8,856,695	6,666,120	10,833,007	6,773,182
Hemp, manilla, etc.....	683,395	786,646	204,423	149,772	240,622	200,149	77,508	10,451
Spirits, alcohol, etc.....	171,815	1,752,967	315,790	327,090	736,693	364,140	120,768	
Sponges, of all kinds.....	3,446,704	2,564,528	3,061,800	2,374,680	1,833,660	1,689,930	1,081,140	1,144,040
Tobacco:								
Leaf.....	211,620	242,110	247,122	360,562	211,423	275,646	132,281	76,147
Manufactured.....	3,638,732	3,215,024	3,826,628	2,619,116	1,610,944	2,212,603	2,588,332	2,842,757
Tortoise shell.....	132,576		116,324	179,856	173,083	297,090	56,173	77,948
Wax.....	166,419	87,632	31,562	56,848	59,700	137,762	12,156	30,861
Wood.....	674,656	161,629	259,600	294,388	359,356	110,856	377,339	78,823
All other articles.....	770,194	1,225,907	459,669	288,015	821,842	455,846	1,627,731	1,422,121
Total.....	22,360,616	14,420,003	16,280,225	11,675,077	15,252,311	12,410,323	17,291,215	12,831,737

IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

[Mark = 23.8 cents.]

	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.
Chemicals, dyes, etc.....	235	228	191	61	251	135	127	51
Coffee, cocoa, etc.....	1,888	449	1,746	1,793	3,407	494	597	5,375
Hides and skins.....	145	18	23	44	913	2,501	2,725	704
Spirits.....	158	39	810	1,282	351	2	8	43
Tobacco:								
Unmanufactured.....	4,587	2,203	3,637	6,810	8,556	7,712	3,126	1,241
Manufactured.....	6,954	4,882	5,460	5,191	5,582	6,187	5,801	7,599
Wood and manufactures of.....	2,209	2,055	1,412	2,666	2,014	2,319	827	63
All other articles.....	820	476	881	708	776	287	254	261
Total.....	16,936	10,350	14,169	18,561	21,830	19,637	13,465	15,312

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, FROM 1890 TO 1897—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

[Pound sterling = \$4.8665.]

ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Apparel and haberdashery	17,666	14,805	14,000	9,509	5,288	3,880	1,586	835
Bags and sacks, empty	23,766	14,847	14,652	11,835	12,279	17,111	18,504	11,170
Beer and ale	31,117	27,586	29,359	33,128	29,070	18,238	14,312	12,047
Coal, cinders, and fuel	44,005	35,772	26,343	23,762	17,121	31,266	35,429	34,536
Cottons	668,902	473,268	473,886	422,454	389,361	259,180	233,673	149,240
Earthen, china, and glass ware	39,507	33,196	43,643	35,385	26,666	17,735	11,126	10,781
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought	215,583	198,743	171,415	125,844	93,019	121,559	78,608	153,593
Machinery	97,990	114,934	134,022	83,255	79,763	60,508	43,241	15,816
Hardware, cutlery, implements, and tools	81,858	69,120	74,879	65,245	53,287	38,680	22,936	20,142
Linens	426,972	324,609	324,986	340,539	248,764	203,657	137,684	88,471
Painters' colors, etc.	19,335	19,512	21,265	18,726	17,294	14,634	9,169	10,352
Wool, manufactures of, entered by the yard	34,088	20,139	22,434	36,466	26,019	19,152	15,220	15,128
All other articles	175,958	134,850	127,287	115,778	123,165	138,783	101,052	76,526
Total	1,876,756	1,481,381	1,478,171	1,321,926	1,121,096	943,793	722,550	598,637

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

[Franc = 19.3 cents.]

	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.
Butter, salted	643,764	145,101	133,207					a 35,036
Earthen, china, and glass ware	235,123	183,857	271,782	169,540	172,994	232,144	99,933	49,028
Iron and steel, manufactures of	454,748	373,075	328,073	340,828	347,098	125,476	89,762	69,880
Jewelry and fancy articles	991,287	716,884	624,722	535,464	356,120	223,197	501,986	76,689
Hats, of all kinds	464,792	159,912					12,958	15,309
Medicines, prepared	574,965	173,385	298,864	274,572	347,343	169,102	111,234	19,456
Paper, books, engravings, etc.	954,933	400,893	342,516	219,916	194,823	119,685	60,958	47,224
Perfumeries			131,868	122,432	132,537	51,277	40,786	17,095
Skins and hides, prepared, and manufactures of	1,796,026	1,108,270	371,674	320,760	240,969	117,299	76,521	86,656
Textiles, including laces, ribbons, etc.:								
Of cotton	781,221	232,785	333,077	635,716	477,105	370,442	90,284	40,920
Of silk	89,509	62,458	12,520	83,371	154,800	376,509		
Of wool	820,004	334,494	96,980	228,846	138,331	220,710	133,753	243,892
Vegetables, fresh and prepared	157,696	141,444			39,247			17,474
Wearing apparel	395,379	391,221	569,454	191,336	123,917	110,825	32,004	37,422
Wine	817,825	544,500	251,660	169,690	112,000	54,520	47,200	40,335
Wood, manufactures of, and musical instruments	192,481	183,884	106,019	172,050	167,730	55,299	51,400	36,302
All other articles	2,301,296	1,474,118	980,022	1,607,169	742,681	573,856	365,101	399,627
Total	11,671,054	6,626,281	4,792,378	5,277,690	3,747,695	2,799,832	1,713,880	1,232,255

a Butter and cheese.

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO CUBA AND PORTO RICO.

[Mark = 23.8 cents.]

	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.	1,000 marks.
Beer, of all kinds	161	207	160	109	81	125	310	137
Chemicals, medicines, etc.	264	251	304	249	250	280	176	202
Confectionery	95	37	7					
Cotton, and manufactures of	618	539	474	441	307	224	144	87
Earthenware	237	198	297	275	118	92	153	105
Iron, and manufactures of	859	875	784	773	559	641	1,674	296
Instruments, machinery, etc.	975	890	965	555	419	194	70	48
Glass and glassware	141	122	122	136	112	91	84	63
Jewelry and watches	539	378	409	331	71	6	22	14
Linen and linen goods	85	68	116	68	34	47	28	11
Leather, and manufactures of	188	206	203	154	171	160	178	48
Paper, and manufactures of	351	358	356	402	315	182	186	220
Soap and perfumery	78	35	33	30	12	21	14	3
Wearing apparel	94	96	86	106	55	46	55	20
Wood, manufactures of	148	139	178	157	129	119	67	100
Wool, manufactures of	372	355	391	362	141	147	71	63
All other articles	696	592	1,142	857	1,036	1,015	1,277	a 4,370
Total	5,901	5,346	6,020	5,005	3,810	3,330	4,509	5,787

a Rice, 3,651.

VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, AND SPAIN
TO CUBA AND PORTO RICO, FROM 1889 TO 1897.

YEARS. (a)	United States.	United Kingdom.	France.	Germany.	Spain.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1889	13,916,242	13,466,360	2,140,370	1,659,336	19,127,072
1890	15,381,953	14,158,123	2,644,100	2,046,800	21,238,609
1891	14,380,122	12,108,149	1,989,016	1,699,320	25,473,293
1892	20,809,573	13,307,444	1,408,900	1,897,098	31,975,822
1893	26,608,305	11,001,079	1,290,047	2,116,058	29,342,396
1894	22,845,829	9,280,853	1,013,845	2,132,004	28,127,971
1895	14,641,205	8,001,567	752,700	1,655,528	34,871,045
1896	9,632,974	5,851,708	431,778	1,598,884	33,219,691
1897	10,248,664	5,088,271	237,825	1,377,306	.....

a Calendar years, except United States, year ending June 30.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO CUBA AND PORTO RICO FOR 1896 AND 1897.

PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	1896		1897		PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
DOMESTIC GOODS.		Dollars.		Dollars.	DOMESTIC GOODS—continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Alkali.....cwt..	10,600	20,026	9,000	15,325	Paints, colors, etc.....	.....	44,621	.....	50,378
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	66,100	90,050	34,900	54,359	Wool, manufactured:				
Beer and ale.....bbls..	4,059	69,649	3,518	58,627	Entered by the yard.....yds..	265,100	74,068	212,660	73,620
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	65,352	172,415	69,113	168,069	Other.....	.....	105,267	.....	14,152
Cottons:					Other articles.....	.....	264,893	.....	244,817
Entered by the yard.....yds..	22,447,000	838,259	12,739,800	469,836	Total.....	.....	3,516,289	.....	2,913,267
Other.....	.....	298,910	.....	256,440					
Earthen and china ware.....	.....	31,511	.....	31,146	FOREIGN AND COLONIAL GOODS.				
Glass and glassware.....	.....	22,634	.....	21,320	Butter.....cwt..	737	23,724	1,041	29,832
Hardware and cutlery, n. e. s. ....cwt..	1,733	45,220	2,008	54,519	Cheese.....do....	5,296	72,248	3,129	44,324
Hats of all sorts.....doz..	6,099	40,168	5,928	41,025	Drugs.....	.....	19,865	.....	20,026
Implements and tools.....	.....	66,399	.....	43,502	Fish, cured or salted.....cwt..	43,356	258,708	82,323	521,869
Jute, manufactured: Piece goods.....yds..	505,000	26,425	347,700	21,641	Meat preserved otherwise than by salting: Beef.....cwt..	4,677	19,398	2,687	12,624
Linens:					Paper-making materials: Wood pulp.....tons..	916	37,993	1,011	33,292
Entered by the yard.....yds..	6,847,500	650,890	4,128,000	414,144	Rice.....cwt..	920,274	1,724,313	600,021	1,388,014
Other.....	.....	18,906	.....	16,401	Other articles.....	.....	179,170	.....	125,023
Machinery.....	.....	210,432	.....	76,969	Total.....	.....	2,355,419	.....	2,175,004
Medicines, drugs, etc.....	.....	42,708	.....	39,516	Total of British and foreign exports.....	.....	5,851,708	.....	5,088,271
Metals: Iron, wrought and unwrought.....tons..	6,794	382,838	8,821	747,461					

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY AND FRANCE TO CUBA AND PORTO RICO FOR 1896 AND 1897.

GERMANY.

PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	1896	1897	PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	1896	1897
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Groceries, confectionery, etc.....	546,210	908,922	Wool, manufactures of	16,898	14,494
Iron, and manufactures of.....	401,982	70,418	Instruments, machinery, etc.....	16,660	11,424
Copper, and manufactures of	224,910	25,704	Wearing apparel	13,328	4,760
Hardware, cutlery, etc.....	47,124	.....	Silk, manufactures of.....	8,330	3,332
Paper, and manufactures of	44,268	52,560	Linen, yarn, piece goods, etc.....	6,664	2,618
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.....	42,840	48,076	Tin, manufactures of.....	4,998	3,094
Leather, and manufactures of	42,840	11,424	Glass and glassware.....	4,046	14,994
Earthenware	36,414	24,990	Hops	3,570	2,142
Cotton, manufactures of.....	35,224	20,706	Soap and perfumery	3,332	714
Wood, manufactures of.....	21,658	23,800	Other articles	21,182	87,346
Hides and skins	19,992	.....	Total	1,598,884	1,377,306
Art works, books, etc.....	18,326	16,422			
Metal manufactures, clay, etc.....	18,088	29,036			

FRANCE.

PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	1896	1897	PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	1896	1897
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Arms, gunpowder, etc.....	.....	26,496	Musical instruments	9,943	3,194
Jewelry and manufactures of gold and silver	68,055	458	Machinery	9,754	1,774
Fancy goods, buttons, fans, etc	41,699	14,343	Wearing apparel	8,616	7,222
Cotton, manufactures of.....	40,268	47,054	Soap and perfumery	7,872	3,299
Wool, manufactures of	28,290	7,898	Clocks, and parts of	6,667	1,496
Medicines	21,468	3,755	Chemical products	6,658	448
Earthen and glassware.....	19,736	9,462	Fish, preserved or canned	5,176	.....
Spirits, distilled	16,789	7,649	Hats of straw.....	5,145	2,955
Leather and manufactures of.....	15,970	16,725	Rice	4,993	.....
Wine.....	13,875	7,785	Wood manufactures: Furniture	4,580	3,812
Tools, etc., of metal.....	13,513	11,713	Other articles	55,985	51,283
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....	13,463	9,114	Total.....	431,778	237,825
Chocolate	13,323	.....		

AMERICAN VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED AT PORTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE TRADE WITH
CUBA AND PORTO RICO FROM 1890 TO 1898.

PORTS AND YEARS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	With cargoes.		In ballast.		Total.		With cargoes.		In ballast.		Total.	
	Ves- sels.	Tons.	Ves- sels.	Tons.	Ves- sels.	Tons.	Ves- sels.	Tons.	Ves- sels.	Tons.	Ves- sels.	Tons.
1890.												
Cuba: Steam.....	281	318,802	11	8,060	292	326,862	245	300,658	52	36,866	297	337,524
Sailing.....	490	212,570	133	51,161	623	263,731	507	223,017	18	1,702	525	224,719
Porto Rico: Steam.....	2	3,328			2	3,328						
Sailing.....	56	14,867	15	4,305	71	19,172	62	17,218			62	17,218
1891.												
Cuba: Steam.....	303	359,867	26	15,310	329	375,177	190	238,202	116	80,085	306	318,387
Sailing.....	429	209,001	116	46,064	545	255,065	474	228,295	31	9,643	505	237,938
Porto Rico: Sailing.....	50	14,444	9	2,377	59	16,821	55	16,921			55	16,921
1892.												
Cuba: Steam.....	323	384,271	18	10,363	343	394,634	244	323,237	97	62,238	341	385,475
Sailing.....	521	264,191	179	80,184	700	344,375	509	294,044	18	4,813	617	298,857
Porto Rico: Steam.....	1	1,445			1	1,445	1	1,100			1	1,100
Sailing.....	49	13,541	26	9,676	75	23,217	69	22,194			69	22,194
1893.												
Cuba: Steam.....	294	359,494	25	14,679	319	374,173	247	333,944	80	57,413	327	391,357
Sailing.....	386	193,723	238	100,369	624	294,092	483	230,301	39	8,690	522	238,991
Porto Rico: Steam.....	1	1,198	1	137	2	1,335			1	137	1	137
Sailing.....	47	12,723	16	4,686	63	17,409	66	20,318	2	351	68	20,669
1894.												
Cuba: Steam.....	319	413,907	23	16,089	342	429,996	262	387,421	107	101,743	369	489,164
Sailing.....	428	241,723	186	82,607	614	324,330	462	247,422	34	11,170	496	258,592
Porto Rico: Sailing.....	36	9,939	28	10,754	64	20,693	82	28,101			82	28,101
1895.												
Cuba: Steam.....	232	354,288	2	1,266	234	355,554	176	315,041	60	41,002	236	356,043
Sailing.....	354	198,847	148	73,942	502	272,789	365	234,417	48	26,087	413	260,504
Porto Rico: Steam.....									1	899	1	899
Sailing.....	28	7,886	17	5,703	45	13,589	69	24,272	1	228	70	24,500
1896.												
Cuba: Steam.....	271	334,086	3	2,840	274	336,935	218	331,186	78	52,588	296	383,774
Sailing.....	144	85,235	119	63,488	263	148,723	193	101,965	8	4,450	201	106,415
Porto Rico: Steam.....			1	596	1	596	3	3,183			3	3,183
Sailing.....	23	6,748	14	4,884	37	11,632	59	19,760	1	153	60	19,913
1897.												
Cuba: Steam.....	285	406,360	7	9,799	292	416,159	257	379,898	40	34,570	297	414,468
Sailing.....	177	40,419	127	55,051	187	95,470	180	89,456	2	406	182	89,862
Porto Rico: Steam.....	1	448			1	448	1	448			1	448
Sailing.....	26	6,581	23	8,636	49	15,217	67	21,060			67	21,060
1898.												
Cuba: Sailing.....	49	33,283	148	50,566	197	83,849	167	63,411	2	341	169	63,752
Steam.....	234	336,410	103	53,032	337	389,442	256	365,844	74	9,878	330	375,722
Porto Rico: Sailing.....	23	6,507	18	10,596	41	17,103	32	11,331			32	11,331

SPANISH VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED AT PORTS OF SPAIN IN THE TRADE WITH CUBA AND PORTO RICO FROM 1890 TO 1895.

PORTS AND YEARS.	STEAM.				SAILING.				TOTAL.			
	Entered.		Cleared.		Entered.		Cleared.		Entered.		Cleared.	
	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.
1890.												
WITH CARGOES.												
Havana.....	90	156,965	306	600,710	33	9,590	50	37,663	123	166,555	356	638,373
Other Cuban ports.....	6	11,495	53	97,211	35	7,503	42	6,908	41	13,998	95	104,119
Porto Rico.....	37	56,831	93	145,104	31	8,848	18	5,067	68	65,679	111	150,171
IN BALLAST.												
Havana.....	1	3,764							1	3,764		
Other Cuban ports.....					17	3,948	1	663	17	3,948	1	663
Porto Rico.....					9	2,025	3	719	9	2,025	3	719
1891.												
WITH CARGOES.												
Havana.....	91	263,409	274	643,543	29	9,115	51	38,861	120	272,524	328	682,404
Other Cuban ports.....			303	692,076	50	10,715	53	14,523	50	10,715	356	706,599
Porto Rico.....	17	28,812	47	61,321	13	2,735	12	4,037	30	31,547	59	65,378
IN BALLAST.												
Havana.....	1	2,049	2	5,367	2	893			3	2,942	2	5,367
Other Cuban ports.....					12	2,321	1	2,662	12	2,321	1	2,662
Porto Rico.....					2	387	2	457	2	387	2	457
1892.												
WITH CARGOES.												
Havana.....	101	289,322	325	687,468	17	7,643	36	24,882	118	296,965	361	712,370
Other Cuban ports.....	2	3,951	32	56,632	58	13,825	56	13,545	60	17,776	78	70,177
Porto Rico.....	20	41,888	48	79,543	24	5,363	12	2,852	44	47,251	60	82,395
IN BALLAST.												
Havana.....	5	6,121			10	2,799	2	1,552	15	8,920	2	1,552
Other Cuban ports.....			17	34,180	13	2,556	6	1,953	13	2,556	23	36,133
Porto Rico.....	16	23,781	19	4,265	10	1,937			10	1,937		
1893.												
WITH CARGOES.												
Havana.....	86	244,165	332	788,647	11	3,177	38	25,015	97	247,342	370	813,662
Other Cuban ports.....	3	4,392	59	2,482	52	14,957	48	14,833	55	19,349	107	17,315
Porto Rico.....	16	23,781	45	78,405	19	4,265	10	2,247	35	28,046	55	80,652
IN BALLAST.												
Havana.....	6	13,141	1	1,891	2	1,155			8	14,296	1	1,891
Other Cuban ports.....	1	241			14	2,728	1	195	15	2,969	1	195
Porto Rico.....			8	147	8	1,457			8	1,457	8	147
1894.												
WITH CARGOES.												
Havana.....	81	216,037	372	934,040	9	3,513	52	27,752	93	219,580	424	961,792
Other Cuban ports.....	2	2,377	58	86,041	34	9,128	64	17,097	36	11,505	122	103,138
Porto Rico.....	10	20,871	56	88,550	17	3,327	14	2,987	27	24,198	70	91,537
IN BALLAST.												
Havana.....	3	4,767	12	29,682	6	2,327	4	564	9	7,094	16	30,246
Other Cuban ports.....	1	246			11	2,606			12	2,852		
Porto Rico.....	2	2,400			4	967			6	3,367		
1895.												
WITH CARGOES.												
Havana.....	156	413,877	434	1,038,691	19	5,481	41	21,746	175	419,358	475	1,060,437
Other Cuban ports.....	7	17,814	45	82,538	40	8,704	49	15,748	47	26,518	94	98,286
Porto Rico.....	3	5,781	79	144,417	11	1,790	11	2,843	14	7,571	90	147,260
IN BALLAST.												
Havana.....	21	43,680	16	39,234	3	730	1	509	24	44,410	17	39,743
Other Cuban ports.....	6	9,799			5	118			11	9,917		
Porto Rico.....			2	4,226	4	710	1	101	4	710	3	4,327

RECEIPTS FROM CUSTOMS DUTIES ON IMPORTS AT THE CUBAN CUSTOM-HOUSES FROM 1886 TO 1897.

[From report of Robert P. Porter, special commissioner to Cuba and Porto Rico.]

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Havana	8,481,117.12	6,770,483.53	7,979,179.13	8,375,134.24	9,675,750.50	9,509,737.95	6,978,729.20
Matanzas	698,709.12	618,373.31	730,387.21	947,893.95	1,073,559.38	1,105,864.72	809,855.65
Santiago de Cuba	638,546.02	595,044.74	650,128.00	655,888.64	743,630.08	787,754.75	507,505.88
Cardenas	386,318.07	255,143.99	285,697.76	320,621.42	334,084.56	303,522.14	266,698.61
Cienfuegos	950,525.39	831,210.36	902,098.68	974,526.75	1,384,215.65	1,298,954.66	1,034,440.70
Trinidad	20,515.58	11,241.38	18,703.58	19,107.29	22,225.84	17,104.43	1,063.05
Sagua la Grande	141,477.20	103,896.43	130,090.25	189,717.12	266,928.58	334,908.97	211,283.45
Nuevitas	102,481.41	83,412.22	122,008.08	125,947.48	171,700.21	120,670.29	111,433.76
Manzanillo	30,475.97	27,588.63	42,066.22	47,138.37	56,821.58	73,466.07	38,426.61
Caibarien	23,986.68	45,301.75	81,678.79	109,613.26	194,157.04	180,043.42	116,048.50
Gibara	52,555.30	50,781.82	66,304.57	68,129.63	75,889.66	40,456.85	25,587.77
Baracoa	39,179.32	26,532.27	46,452.80	61,745.22	83,863.41	44,456.96	5,547.39
Zaza	2,987.17	3,053.90	4,677.06	5,707.68	7,704.51	8,066.44	4,289.68
Guantanamo	74,566.12	75,245.65	92,012.10	113,635.42	139,422.57	114,131.91	74,982.12
Santa Cruz	6,645.08	6,861.70	4,125.99	4,785.42	4,827.94	6,211.50	6,005.26
Total	11,650,085.55	9,509,171.68	11,155,610.22	12,017,591.89	14,236,781.51	13,945,351.09	10,182,897.81

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Havana	6,855,412.95	7,889,372.82	8,830,136.83	7,194,829.61	7,054,381.90	94,594,265.78
Matanzas	693,536.31	700,259.55	856,696.55	212,179.46	249,421.27	8,687,739.48
Santiago de Cuba	486,108.92	638,474.07	737,520.89	635,858.37	429,755.26	7,506,215.60
Cardenas	275,431.13	410,393.61	481,210.71	126,012.69	127,721.90	3,572,856.59
Cienfuegos	1,179,017.26	1,231,795.83	1,305,932.44	1,044,719.94	1,002,112.69	13,139,550.35
Trinidad	7,266.96	5,398.15	6,826.05	8,033.03	6,070.95	143,556.29
Sagua la Grande	269,664.90	281,054.06	387,710.51	94,993.38	77,341.95	2,489,066.80
Nuevitas	107,476.78	129,508.36	159,405.51	145,414.53	82,928.39	1,467,387.02
Manzanillo	29,323.72	72,751.30	108,150.86	118,698.08	83,070.62	727,978.23
Caibarien	149,987.88	193,628.23	144,109.37	110,607.20	95,392.13	1,524,143.75
Gibara	18,500.32	66,152.08	105,842.64	126,084.21	63,169.65	760,454.50
Baracoa	7,061.73	18,947.55	32,671.24	1,303.43	3,708.52	373,469.84
Zaza	831.82	7,671.74	7,593.08	1,653.30	.....	54,241.38
Guantanamo	73,261.52	135,446.28	156,470.92	122,787.21	66,424.66	1,238,386.51
Santa Cruz	2,895.29	2,720.33	7,684.13	3,397.18	.....	56,159.82
Total	10,155,776.99	11,783,573.96	13,327,966.73	9,946,571.62	9,344,499.89	136,335,468.94

RECEIPTS FOR DUTIES ON EXPORTS AT THE CUBAN CUSTOM-HOUSES FROM 1886 TO 1897.

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Havana	1,574,758.45	1,010,024.67	908,392.35	931,011.75	926,163.10	994,408.44	1,009,689.07
Matanzas	472,687.25	215,544.21	957.44	1,561.20	1,180.41	1,110.57	946.92
Santiago de Cuba	43,083.01	38,523.09	7,015.18	11,470.72	11,085.56	7,184.31	5,420.06
Cardenas	524,483.47	252,689.23	4,704.53	2,399.87	2,913.13	1,736.11	1,163.05
Cienfuegos	334,621.49	151,305.59	3,033.04	3,490.62	4,485.46	5,229.54	3,609.21
Trinidad	28,294.82	18,829.43	1,602.25	575.69	805.02	627.19	105.43
Sagua la Grande	322,000.96	181,074.49	52.23	328.53	619.36	414.58	13.50
Nuevitas	25,434.03	18,001.03	8,157.33	11,703.99	8,957.56	7,789.61	7,591.18
Manzanillo	40,983.86	36,050.60	9,981.86	18,846.38	13,204.82	11,274.37	10,341.19
Caibarien	129,390.68	41,069.39	657.25	2,368.89	1,247.15	928.59	493.83
Gibara	77,924.30	47,968.93	51,757.99	38,402.52	25,294.39	14,887.67	31,553.83
Baracoa	17.33						10.94
Zaza	9,186.55	4,932.82	2,236.10	3,947.49	5,542.82	5,050.48	3,054.46
Guantanamo	91,449.48	49,682.18	118.59	160.41	164.74	58.50	71.71
Santa Cruz	6,367.73	5,504.05	3,573.84	4,902.42	5,730.53	7,624.04	5,942.26
Total	3,680,693.41	2,071,796.76	1,005,239.89	1,031,170.48	1,007,340.65	1,058,324.00	1,079,946.69

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Havana	926,318.05	955,873.80	1,219,150.07	789,436.07	292,661.78	11,538,487.60
Matanzas		23.62				694,017.62
Santiago de Cuba	22,144.84	10,702.21	1,123.77	1,888.98	2,583.23	162,286.06
Cardenas	27.63	583.11	144.82	145.82	53.40	791,079.17
Cienfuegos	3,142.64	6,133.39	14,824.61	18,171.38	3,547.33	551,594.30
Trinidad	8.18	251.05				51,100.56
Sagua la Grande			11.36	171.46	369.29	505,015.76
Nuevitas	4,002.16	2,760.16	2,497.83	313.35		97,208.28
Manzanillo	12,372.02	16,324.95	14,731.51	1,654.23	142.89	183,918.68
Caibarien	103.50		659.30	1,977.69	2,555.64	181,379.96
Gibara	22,259.59	63,173.96	38,914.83	9,149.33	1,832.45	426,025.84
Baracoa						28.27
Zaza		823.29	1,782.41	478.71		37,035.13
Guantanamo		323.01	97.84	52.52	122.04	142,306.93
Santa Cruz	1,657.15	2,831.17	7,103.97	488.61		51,775.77
Total	992,026.76	1,059,925.62	1,391,032.37	823,887.25	303,870.05	15,415,259.93

NOTE.—The remarkable decrease in receipts after 1888 is due to the separation thereafter of these dues from port dues on shipments.

TOTAL CUSTOM-HOUSE RECEIPTS IN ISLAND OF CUBA FROM 1886 TO 1897.

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Havana	10,055,875.57	7,781,108.20	8,897,571.48	9,306,145.99	10,601,913.60	9,504,146.39	7,988,413.27
Matanzas	1,171,396.37	833,917.52	731,344.65	949,455.15	1,074,745.79	1,106,975.29	801,802.57
Santiago de Cuba	681,629.63	633,567.83	637,143.18	667,359.36	754,715.64	794,939.06	512,925.92
Cardenas	910,861.54	507,833.22	290,402.29	323,021.29	337,027.69	305,258.25	267,561.66
Cienfuegos	1,285,146.83	982,515.95	905,131.72	978,017.37	1,388,701.11	1,304,184.20	1,038,019.91
Trinidad	48,810.40	30,070.81	20,365.83	19,682.98	23,031.46	17,731.62	1,168.48
Sagua la Grande	463,478.16	284,970.92	130,142.48	190,045.65	267,547.94	335,323.55	211,296.95
Nuevitas	127,915.44	106,413.25	130,165.41	137,651.47	180,657.77	128,459.90	119,024.94
Manzanillo	71,469.83	63,639.23	52,048.08	65,984.75	70,026.40	84,740.44	48,768.00
Caibarien	153,377.36	86,368.14	82,336.04	111,982.15	195,404.19	180,972.01	116,482.38
Gibara	130,479.60	98,750.80	121,062.56	104,532.15	101,094.05	55,344.52	57,141.60
Baracoa	39,196.65	26,532.27	46,452.80	61,745.22	85,863.41	44,456.96	5,558.33
Zaza	12,173.72	7,986.72	6,913.16	9,655.17	13,247.33	13,116.92	7,344.14
Guantanamo	166,015.60	124,927.83	92,130.60	113,795.83	139,587.31	114,190.44	75,059.83
Santa Cruz	13,012.81	12,365.75	7,699.83	9,687.84	10,558.47	13,835.54	11,947.52
Total	15,330,778.96	11,580,968.44	12,160,850.11	13,048,762.37	15,244,122.16	14,003,675.09	11,262,820.50

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Havana	7,781,731.00	8,845,246.62	10,049,286.90	7,984,265.68	7,347,043.68	106,132,753.38
Matanzas	693,536.31	700,283.17	856,696.55	212,179.46	249,421.27	9,381,754.10
Santiago de Cuba	508,253.76	649,237.23	738,643.66	637,746.45	432,340.49	7,668,501.66
Cardenas	275,458.76	410,981.72	481,355.53	126,158.51	127,775.20	4,363,935.76
Cienfuegos	1,182,159.90	1,237,929.22	1,320,757.65	1,062,891.32	1,005,660.02	13,691,144.65
Trinidad	7,275.14	5,650.10	6,826.05	8,033.03	6,070.95	194,656.85
Sagua la Grande	269,664.90	281,054.06	387,721.87	95,124.84	77,711.24	2,994,082.56
Nuevitas	111,478.98	132,268.52	161,903.39	145,727.88	82,928.39	1,564,535.30
Manzanillo	41,695.74	89,076.25	122,882.37	120,352.31	83,213.51	913,896.91
Caibarien	150,090.88	193,628.23	224,349.67	112,584.89	97,947.77	1,705,523.71
Gibara	40,750.91	129,331.04	144,757.47	135,233.54	68,002.10	1,186,480.34
Baracoa	7,061.73	18,947.55	32,071.24	1,303.43	3,708.52	373,498.11
Zaza	831.82	8,495.03	9,380.49	2,132.01	.....	91,276.51
Guantanamo	73,261.52	135,769.29	156,568.76	122,839.73	66,546.70	1,380,693.44
Santa Cruz	4,552.44	5,601.50	14,788.10	3,885.79	.....	107,935.59
Total	11,147,803.75	12,843,499.58	14,708,589.10	10,770,458.87	9,648,369.94	151,750,728.87

TOTAL CUSTOM-HOUSE RECEIPTS IN ISLAND OF CUBA FROM 1886 TO 1897.

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	Total for 12 years.	Average per year.	Ratio of total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Havana	106,132,753.38	8,844,396.11	69.9
Cienfuegos.....	13,691,144.65	1,140,928.72	9.0
Matanzas	9,381,754.10	781,812.84	6.2
Santiago de Cuba	7,668,501.66	639,041.81	5.1
Cardenas	4,363,935.76	363,661.32	2.9
Sagua la Grande.....	2,994,082.56	249,506.88	2.0
Caibarien	1,705,523.71	142,126.97	1.1
Nuevitas.....	1,564,595.30	130,382.94	1.0
Guantanamo.....	1,380,693.44	115,057.79	.9
Gibara.....	1,186,480.34	98,873.37	.8
Manzanillo	913,896.91	76,158.07	.6
Baracoa.....	373,498.11	31,124.85	.2
Trinidad	194,656.85	16,221.40	.1
Santa Cruz.....	107,935.59	8,994.63	.1
Zaza	91,276.51	7,606.38	.1
Total	151,750,728.87	12,645,894.08	100.00

AVERAGE ANNUAL RECEIPTS FOR CUSTOMS DUTIES ON IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, 1886 to 1897.

CUSTOM-HOUSES.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.	
	Average, 12 years.	Per cent of total imports.	Average, 12 years.	Per cent of total exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Havana	7,882,855.48	.....	901,540.63	.....
Cienfuegos.....	1,094,962.53	.....	45,966.19	.....
Matanzas	723,978.04	.....	57,834.80	.....
Santiago de Cuba	625,517.97	.....	13,523.84	.....
Cardenas	297,738.05	.....	65,923.27	.....
Sagua la Grande.....	207,422.23	.....	42,081.65	.....
Caibarien	127,011.98	.....	15,114.99	.....
Nuevitas.....	122,232.25	.....	8,100.69	.....
Guantanamo.....	103,198.88	.....	11,858.91	.....
Gibara	63,371.21	.....	35,502.16	.....
Manzanillo.....	60,664.85	.....	15,493.22	.....
Baracoa.....	31,122.49	.....	2.36	.....
Trinidad	11,963.02	.....	4,258.38	.....
Santa Cruz.....	4,670.98	.....	4,314.65	.....
Zaza	4,520.12	.....	3,086.26	.....
Aggregate	11,361,289.08	8.33	1,284,605.00	8.33

THE BUDGETS OF CUBA FROM 1867 TO 1898.

[From La Revue de Statistique, Paris, February 5, 1899.]

YEARS.	Expenses.	Receipts.	YEARS.	Expenses.	Receipts.
	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>
1866-67	25,507,832	32,852,233	1882-83	35,860,250	36,348,300
1867-68	24,975,299	31,162,753	1883-84	34,170,881	34,269,310
1868-69	24,925,217	21,164,662	1884-85	34,170,881	34,269,410
1869-70	24,925,217	31,164,662	1885-86	30,987,510	30,790,110
1870-71	24,925,217	31,164,662	1886-87	25,959,735	25,994,725
1871-72	24,925,217	31,164,662	1887-88	25,959,735	25,994,725
1872-73	19,651,351	31,276,204	1888-89	25,577,702	25,611,247
1873-74	33,707,289	31,018,558	1889-90	25,577,702	25,611,247
1874-75	38,627,826	38,348,532	1890-91	25,412,589	25,815,376
1875-76	38,627,826	38,348,532	1891-92	25,412,589	25,815,376
1876-77	38,627,826	38,348,532	1892-93	21,944,577	24,946,356
1877-78	38,627,826	38,348,532	1893-94	35,037,394	24,640,760
1878-79	56,764,688	60,123,638	1894-95	26,037,394	24,640,770
1879-80	56,764,688	60,123,638	1895-96	26,037,394	24,640,760
1880-81	34,435,850	37,210,100	1896-97	26,037,394	24,640,760
1881-82	34,435,850	37,210,100	1897-98	26,119,124	24,755,760

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CUBA.

IMPORTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Alexandria, Va.....										
Baltimore, Md.....	163,432	338,431	1,924,274	957,685	948,935	353,691	180,893	363,461	314,130	308,402
Bangor, Me.....										
Belfast, Me.....										
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	6,650,365	6,383,762	9,237,318	10,392,750	7,905,639	8,461,177	6,896,027	2,691,312	2,569,519	1,632,373
Bridgeton, N. J.....				10						
Brunswick, Ga.....	20	3	87	182	20		1,856	10		10
Charleston, S. C.....	22,182	36,116	43,510	31,450	28,595	22,419	12,461	2,710	3,201	2,026
Delaware.....		500				7	121			
Fairfield, Conn.....				1,519		171				
Fernandina, Fla.....										
Georgetown, D. C.....	5,731	7,893	8,433	9,881	5,409	6,546	8,032	1,976	3,990	2,333
Hartford, Conn.....		1,142		8,812	178		6,145	7,178		
Machias, Me.....										
Newark, N. J.....								86		
New Haven, Conn.....	2,095	2,307	2,179	7,770	22,602	16,386	35,464	18,111		9,769
Newport News, Va.....										8
New York, N. Y.....	26,919,773	28,286,124	28,391,903	39,576,436	55,859,651	38,700,665	27,519,593	25,828,336	11,647,147	9,799,422
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.....							45,159			
Passamaquoddy, Me.....										
Perth Amboy, N. J.....	72,125	37,000	46,633	20,150	22,703	2,723				
Philadelphia, Pa.....	12,842,925	13,314,598	14,123,219	19,515,377	21,365,025	20,154,023	14,332,603	5,382,176	2,213,348	2,091,294
Portland and Falmouth, Me.....	210,037	130,167			1,046	774	1,251	329	483	128
Providence, R. I.....	41,609	46,663	46,692	30,142	18,611	13,050	14,111	14,405	10,858	7,008
Richmond, Va.....	4,844				458	939	1,774	1,841	1,627	977
St. Augustine, Fla.....					1,263	5,508	17,240	35,969	768	13,643
St. Johns, Fla.....	47,355	73,246	82,269	38,824	35,576	33,310	41,960	99,583	45	932
St. Marys, Ga.....										
Savannah, Ga.....	15,188	24,783	40,611	24,181	10,366	10,815	1,189	565	36	
Waldoboro, Me.....										
Wilmington, N. C.....	19,191	20,788	49,007	21,874	28,528		247			
Apalachicola, Fla.....				21	7		50			
Galveston, Tex.....	2,492	361	1,363	46,643	466,361	484,761	34,653	1,869	230	
Key West, Fla.....	1,374,447	1,084,810	1,244,470	810,122	887,354	524,161	478,136	734,063	534,346	419,639
Mobile, Ala.....		6,153	7,390	5,944	9,480	8,055	9,998	12,959	104	1,320
New Orleans, La.....	2,268,505	1,794,813	4,624,301	4,372,592	8,787,062	5,035,587	1,012,505	1,697,372	100,669	116,169
Pearl River, Miss.....		1,231		25	59			124		163
Pensacola, Fla.....	643	38	19	30	18,740	168,918	149,715	22,195	38	
St. Marks, Fla.....					8		19,765	7,688		21
Tampa, Fla.....		440,815	467,724	423,028	525,340	451,601	687,932	1,707,515		418,148
Puget Sound, Wash.....			160		302					
San Diego, Cal.....			673							
San Francisco, Cal.....	477,624	489,713	353,240	349,199	303,059	192,901	212,278	187,422	500,347	117,715
Willamette, Oreg.....	57,487	98,261	65,551	34,658	18,711	2,258	3,834	4,463	217,540	3,917
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	8,186	9,022	11,641	22,421	22,505	14,581	20,353	8,403	9,439	6,401
Chicago, Ill.....	557,663	599,875	477,558	564,636	734,046	560,095	592,165	748,097	11,316	200,326
Cuyahoga, Ohio.....	3,223	3,608	4,033	4,848	12,892	5,245	2,557	1,836	146,777	
Detroit.....	125,583	192,758	134,675	277,648	233,943	232,640	186,236	133,733	133	798
Duluth.....										329
Genesee, N. Y.....	2,639	1,745	1,237	331	713	550	1,507	1,133	13,217	15
Miami.....		221	340							
Milwaukee.....	10,931	11,068	5,646	7,167	26,948	38,734	53,033	38,535	1,917	1,403
Minnesota.....	23,312	43,029	40,807	34,106	37,596	4,328	37,109	19,099		
Interior ports.....	201,015	320,947	277,432	341,209	375,381	151,642	253,987	243,116	105,650	77,738
Total.....	52,130,623	53,801,591	61,714,395	77,931,671	78,706,506	75,678,261	52,871,269	40,017,730	18,406,815	15,232,477

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CUBA.

EXPORTS.

1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
8,393										Alexandria, Va.
81,753	159,283	376,332	303,054	538,116	321,800	156,611	45,524	67,649	91,343	Baltimore, Md.
				13,110						Bangor, Me.
484			1,750				619			Belfast, Me.
114,619	54,624	55,126	101,916	15,205	29,444	2,876			894	Boston and Charlestown, Mass.
					6,335					Bridgeton, N. J.
6,646		28,307	18,463	27,804	14,857	12,507	8,580	11,653	22,349	Brunswick, Ga.
2,686	4,518	2,355	1,934	5,446	1,224					Charleston, S. C.
				84,133	20,842	23,912	3,927			Delaware.
		5,500	3,350	7,183	3,774	2,371				Fairfield, Conn.
										Fernandina, Fla.
										Georgetown, D. C.
										Hartford, Conn.
15,401	4,311		27,633	10,381	15,314		6,210			Machias, Me.
		36,818			560					Newark, N. J.
1,680	6,093	5,485	3,527	1,788	5,264	51,014	39,975	21,629	21,763	New Haven, Conn.
9,693,293	10,900,949	9,962,661	13,042,739	19,791,282	16,201,858	10,067,491	5,862,440	6,337,923	6,566,602	Newport News, Va.
24,391	5,280	14,559	12,393	15,974	49,540	73,183	35,699	26,588	15,141	New York, N. Y.
8,242	7,671	4,556	18,353	32,570	4,313					Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.
67,290	42,732	34,908	39,552	10,168	26,716	25,693	14,446	4,991	1,762	Passamaquoddy, Me.
1,043,666	1,007,127	970,892	1,125,493	1,609,383	1,025,412	1,130,198	739,196	745,709	501,249	Perth Amboy, N. J.
89,001	49,738	21,430	21,166	28,943	21,746	7,728				Philadelphia, Pa.
										Portland and Falmouth, Me.
										Providence, R. I.
										Richmond, Va.
3,491			2,737				2,779	4,765	7,950	St. Augustine, Fla.
				4,936						St. Johns, Fla.
4,860	10,207	60,855	22,646	3,581	5,919					St. Marys, Ga.
						1,080				Savannah, Ga.
1,598	1,761	31,216	15,205	7,727	2,560					Waldoboro, Me.
	35,746	40,362	61,277	128,894	60,069	19,196	13,877		15,007	Wilmington, N. C.
	17,903		26,739	61,931	209,538	229,069	111,161	6,225	438,702	Apalachicola, Fla.
367,704	421,263	261,986	529,273	650,645	433,781	303,895	331,842	42,887	241,164	Galveston, Tex.
65,799	152,756	102,555	193,813	217,928	229,933	107,151	54,261	66,771	108,145	Key West, Fla.
			177,632	212,127	257,664	60,391	23,236	728,718	1,360,324	Mobile, Ala.
105,168	57,625	138,523	107,557	159,479	116,680	103,022	91,775	124,176	111,734	New Orleans, La.
70,001	153,508	88,622	95,368	458,741	1,054,374	427,363	104,833	70,087		Pearl River, Miss.
										Pensacola, Fla.
										St. Marks, Fla.
		1,900		223	14,894				57,527	Tampa, Fla.
										Puget Sound, Wash.
										San Diego, Cal.
										San Francisco, Cal.
										Willamette, Oreg.
										Buffalo Creek, N. Y.
										Chicago, Ill.
										Cuyahoga, Ohio.
										Detroit.
										Duluth.
										Genesee, N. Y.
										Miami.
										Milwaukee.
										Minnesota.
										Interior ports.
11,601,311	13,084,415	12,224,888	17,953,570	24,157,698	20,125,321	12,807,661	7,530,880	8,259,770	9,561,656	Total.

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PORTO RICO.

IMPORTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Baltimore, Md.....				24,914		2,612				20
Bangor, Me.....										
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	1,350,789	1,365,339	1,237,561	876,824	1,156,311	1,134,910	559,193	1,127,496	616,720	375,609
Brunswick, Ga.....										
Charleston, S. C.....			924	6,671	3,494		1,062	2,634	6,339	4,698
Fernandina, Fla.....										
Georgetown, S. C.....										
Machias, Me.....										
New Haven, Conn.....	65,369	91,437	80,598	103,874	75,814	84,901	65,832	50,800	49,818	41,710
New London, Conn.....	36,319	91,296	20,428	17,855						
Newport News, Va.....										
New York, N. Y.....	1,476,495	1,828,791	1,253,156	1,464,610	2,027,219	1,615,055	651,195	912,068	1,358,661	1,884,679
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.....										
Passamaquoddy, Me.....										
Perth Amboy, N. J.....										
Philadelphia, Pa.....	653,844	611,519	495,729	635,938	645,553	150,490	129,824	89,015	38,368	66,871
Portland and Falmouth, Me.....	124,556	64,954	49,723	103,910	93,659	144,456	87,744	101,293	96,987	32,561
St. Johns, Fla.....							1,007			
St. Marys, Fla.....										
Savannah, Ga.....				10						
Wilmington, N. C.....		290		7,913		25	154	7,823		
Apalachicola, Fla.....									18	
Galveston, Tex.....				5,456	6,173	3,185	10,501	6,094	15,013	6,324
Mobile, Ala.....				32						486
New Orleans, La.....			25,808							
Pearl River, Miss.....										
Pensacola, Fla.....			180							
St. Marks, Fla.....										
Tampa, Fla.....										1,338
Chicago, Ill.....					400					
St. Louis, Mo.....	1									
Total.....	3,707,373	4,053,626	3,164,110	3,248,007	4,008,623	3,135,634	1,506,512	2,296,653	2,181,024	2,414,366

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA, PORTO RICO, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, AND PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS, 1889 TO 1898—Continued.

PORTO RICO.

EXPORTS.

1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
		18,239	29,546	33,471	28,247	29,992	8,816	5,312	3,258	Baltimore, Md.
					3,587	6,924				Bangor, Md.
30,717	34,461	7,070	27,690	99,103	62,152	63,482	26,348	27,924	18,074	Boston and Charlestown, Mass.
9,030	3,883	5,032	14,790	16,376				5,000		Brunswick, Ga.
		1,113	1,217	5,830	4,266	792	11,340	3,648		Charleston, S. C.
		2,100		7,392	11,164	12,479			3,026	Fernandina, Fla.
					2,157	3,738	1,753			Georgetown, S. C.
	6,919	7,324			4,196			1,840		Machias, Me.
										New Haven, Conn.
										New London, Conn.
	2,613							3,005	1,800	Newport News, Va.
2,061,642	2,104,179	1,975,107	2,590,112	2,217,342	2,395,029	1,400,755	1,741,563	1,660,720	1,345,839	New York, N. Y.
	1,662	350								Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.
		1,572						1,600		Passamaquoddy, Me.
2,000	1,197	1,500		682			540		2,340	Perth Amboy, N. J.
3,553	24,240	34,625	30,550	19,919	35,874	76,725	143,715	113,617	26,741	Philadelphia, Pa.
75,993	85,704	59,431	80,288	36,929	59,514	79,761	78,423	59,999	63,097	Portland and Falmouth, Me.
1,050		5,954	2,816	3,120	3,865	3,484	4,607			St. Johns, Fla.
	2,700		8,234	8,235	12,553	4,298	5,301	2,848		St. Marys, Fla.
3,165		7,918	8,082		1,237					Savannah, Ga.
32,238	22,515	25,245	30,103	32,050	49,213	40,660	27,325	30,978	2,413	Wilmington, N. C.
						5,347	7,566		3,354	Apalachicola, Fla.
			21,193	26,735	38,654		27,700	40,948	16,667	Galveston, Tex.
			2,856	3,413	8,200	11,172	8,700	16,238	6,450	Mobile, Ala.
										New Orleans, La.
		8,757	8,496				5,157	13,638	12,887	Pearl River, Miss.
	2,380	707				3,926	3,240	1,573		Pensacola, Fla.
5,543	5,085	2,100								St. Marks, Fla.
										Tampa, Fla.
										Chicago, Ill.
										St. Louis, Mo.
2,224,931	2,297,538	2,155,234	2,856,003	2,510,607	2,720,508	1,833,544	2,102,094	1,988,888	1,505,946	Total.

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA, PORTO RICO, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, AND PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS, 1889 TO 1898—Continued.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

IMPORTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Baltimore, Md.			22,453				50			
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	635						7,933	7,223	220,817	140
Georgetown, D. C.						30				30
New Haven, Conn.		100		25						
New York, N. Y.			139	0,400			193,695	1,831,090	3,405,494	6,801,064
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.									78	
Philadelphia, Pa.				24			631	40	276,906	386,634
St. Johns, Fla.										
New Orleans, La.										12
Alaska										
Humboldt, Cal.		200								
Los Angeles, Cal.				185	200		4		200	150
Oregon, Oreg.				189						
Puget Sound, Wash.	39	270	56	3,516	1,220	23,805	9,895	3,528	3,257	3,857
San Diego, Cal.									1,452	5,625
San Francisco, Cal.	12,847,875	12,313,338	13,872,949	8,061,796	9,144,262	9,992,649	7,644,738	9,915,448	9,779,148	9,987,815
Willamette, Oreg.				289	85	48,578	32,103	375	388	904
Chicago, Ill.				280	1,000	255				39
Detroit, Mich.				247					10	1,000
Miami, Ohio										60
North and South Dakota										
Oswegatchie, N. Y.										
Interior ports				1			2		49	50
Total	12,847,740	12,313,908	13,895,597	8,075,882	9,146,767	10,065,317	7,888,961	11,757,704	13,687,799	17,187,380

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Barnstable, Mass.										2,705
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	1,595,801	1,787,021	564,308	1,037,554	3,122,184	1,539,343	1,168,338	1,085,118	1,583,205	965,340
Newport News, Va.			30							
New York, N. Y.	6,830,560	6,918,438	3,048,293	3,694,738	3,674,019	2,164,971	2,355,007	2,612,545	2,224,207	2,000,533
Philadelphia, Pa.	113,160	1,280,693	803,252	1,247,685	1,949,783	3,106,640	1,063,947	1,067,198	474,566	650,628
Puget Sound, Wash.						2,295				
San Francisco, Cal.	2,053,651	1,560,755	750,404	278,565	305,880	118,611	113,571	205,494	101,822	158,663
Willamette, Oreg.		45,719		47,605	103,785	73,591	30,367	12,502		52,546
Chicago, Ill.			922		177		136			
Minnesota, Minn.				2,506	4,024	1,614				
North and South Dakota						1,277				
Total	10,593,172	11,592,626	5,167,209	6,808,653	9,159,857	7,008,342	4,731,366	4,982,857	4,383,740	3,830,415

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CUBA, PORTO RICO, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, AND PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS, 1889 TO 1898—Continued.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

EXPORTS—Continued.

1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895*	1896	1897	1898	CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
88,263	317,369	244,394	51,049	42,571	2,539				12,027	Baltimore, Md.
										Boston and Charlestown, Mass.
										Georgetown, D. C.
										New Haven, Conn.
108,721	148,503	256,408	123,017	75,822	175,616	404,105	224,671	247,086	301,364	New York, N. Y.
							5,282		4,592	Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.
	3,628								8,289	Philadelphia, Pa.
						6,620				St. Johns, Fla.
										New Orleans, La.
								20,580	8,000	Alaska.
24,087	51,235	72,515	51,553	19,514	35,229	44,116	52,451	43,402	65,175	Humboldt, Cal.
					3,366					Los Angeles, Cal.
6,035										Oregon, Oreg.
140,302	183,811	217,698	170,257	74,504	119,737	167,008	186,266	257,079	393,953	Puget Sound, Wash.
		16,565							4,633	San Diego, Cal.
3,008,253	4,066,871	4,209,622	3,385,747	2,615,252	2,955,633	3,070,891	3,443,352	4,048,390	5,079,454	San Francisco, Cal.
					5,787	15,112	63,136	64,636	794	Willamette, Oreg.
										Chicago, Ill.
								590	767	Detroit, Mich.
										Miami, Ohio.
					2,486	631	3,979	717	25,327	North and South Dakota.
					5,745	14,574	6,570	7,595	2,725	Oswegatchie, N. Y.
										Interior ports.
3,375,661	4,711,417	5,107,212	3,781,628	2,827,663	3,306,187	3,723,057	3,985,707	4,699,075	5,907,155	Total.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

										Barnstable, Mass.
										Boston and Charlestown, Mass.
										Newport News, Va.
179,548	115,299	124,572	60,914	144,878	145,466	108,005	141,629	85,439	109,181	New York, N. Y.
									14,430	Philadelphia, Pa.
								2,419	238	Puget Sound, Wash.
99	6,977			9,500			20,817	6,739	3,955	San Francisco, Cal.
						11,250				Willamette, Oreg.
										Chicago, Ill.
										Minnesota, Minn.
										North and South Dakota.
179,647	122,276	124,572	60,914	154,378	145,466	119,255	162,446	94,597	127,804	Total.

THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

THEIR COMMERCE WITH THE UNITED STATES AND WITH OTHER COUNTRIES.

TOTAL VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES IN ITS COMMERCE WITH THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, FROM 1826 TO 1898 (GOLD AND SILVER INCLUDED TO 1879).

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCES. IMPORTS + EXPORTS —
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—							
1826	10	69	79				+ 79
1832		920	920				+ 920
1833	1,094		1,094				+ 1,094
1837		6,601	6,601	29,920	18,230	48,150	— 41,549
1838	46,325	2,160	48,485				+ 48,485
1840	16,293		16,293				+ 16,293
1841	30,699	15,931	46,630				+ 46,030
June 30—							
1845	1,030	536	1,566				+ 1,566
1846	232,265	10,769	243,034				+ 243,034
1847		21,039	21,039				+ 21,039
1848		6,508	6,508				+ 6,508
1849		80	80				+ 80
1850		8,591	8,591				
1851		6,515	6,515		381	381	+ 6,134
1852		5,988	5,988				+ 5,988
1853	3,150	13,425	16,575		4,406	4,406	+ 12,169
1854	35,316	77,847	113,163		55,891	55,891	+ 57,272
1855	231,016	149,281	380,297	800,433	195,951	996,394	— 616,097
1856	71,593	124,059	195,652	598,553	126,347	724,900	— 529,248
1857	59,113	137,216	197,329	694,100	144,349	838,449	— 651,120
1858	143,157	192,827	335,984	536,816	73,586	610,402	— 274,418
1859	297,085	183,833	480,918	880,860	129,639	1,010,499	— 529,581
1860	41,729	293,014	334,743	549,372	109,973	659,345	— 324,602
1861	117,691	248,343	366,037	351,553	97,001	448,554	— 82,517
1862	436,616	143,889	580,505	481,523	61,106	542,629	+ 37,876
1863	256,804	312,954	569,758	486,954	61,776	548,730	+ 21,028
1864	1,769,927	500,211	a 2,270,138	709,050	a 65,461	a 775,111	+ 1,495,027
1865	332,487	241,247	573,734	591,180	52,067	643,247	— 69,513
1866	236,704	1,349,517	1,586,221	965,204	160,866	1,126,070	+ 460,151
1867	44,354	1,025,898	1,070,252	777,342	87,150	864,492	+ 205,760
1868	6,359	1,183,041	1,189,400	751,941	89,951	841,892	+ 347,508
1869	7,705	1,281,079	1,288,784	687,352	86,665	774,017	+ 514,767
1870	7,469	1,127,254	1,134,723	744,371	64,045	808,416	+ 326,307
1871	32,442	1,110,802	1,143,244	814,885	43,730	858,615	— 284,629
1872	52,636	1,228,197	1,280,833	590,295	43,469	633,764	+ 647,069
1873	186,775	1,088,286	1,275,061	631,103	43,088	672,191	+ 602,870
1874	176,818	840,134	1,016,952	588,280	26,348	614,628	+ 402,324
1875	192,071	1,184,610	1,376,681	621,974	40,190	662,164	+ 565,027
1876	168,771	1,058,420	1,227,191	724,267	54,990	779,257	+ 597,424
1877	2,385,366	164,969	2,550,335	1,109,429	163,520	1,272,949	+ 1,277,386
1878	2,041,628	37,202	2,078,830	1,083,446	52,653	1,136,099	+ 942,731
1879	3,243,988	13,950	3,257,938	2,288,178	86,740	2,374,918	+ 883,020
1880	4,565,918	40,526	4,606,444	1,985,506	100,664	2,086,170	+ 2,520,274
1881	5,517,737	15,263	5,533,000	2,094,583	83,489	2,178,072	+ 2,754,928
1882	7,621,690	24,604	7,646,294	3,272,172	78,603	3,350,775	+ 4,295,519
1883	8,195,937	42,524	8,238,461	3,683,460	92,005	3,775,065	+ 4,463,396
1884	7,900,000	25,965	7,925,965	3,446,024	77,329	3,523,353	+ 4,402,612
1885	8,817,067	40,430	8,857,497	2,709,573	78,349	2,787,922	+ 6,069,575
1886	9,741,024	63,783	9,805,707	3,115,899	76,799	3,192,698	+ 6,613,009

a Including whale fisheries.

**TOTAL VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES IN ITS
COMMERCE WITH THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, FROM 1826 TO 1898—Continued.**

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS. IMPORTS + EXPORTS—
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1887	9,892,889	29,186	9,922,075	3,520,593	101,436	3,622,029	+ 6,300,046
1888	11,050,038	10,341	11,060,379	3,025,898	59,305	3,085,203	+ 7,975,176
1889	12,832,910	14,830	12,817,740	3,336,040	39,621	3,375,661	+ 9,472,079
1890	12,309,758	4,150	12,313,908	4,606,900	104,517	4,711,417	+ 7,602,491
1891	13,865,648	29,949	13,895,597	4,935,911	171,301	5,107,212	+ 8,788,385
1892	8,062,076	13,806	8,075,882	3,062,018	119,610	3,781,628	+ 4,294,254
1893	9,087,856	58,911	9,146,767	2,717,338	110,325	2,827,663	+ 6,319,104
1894	9,969,981	95,336	10,065,317	3,217,713	88,474	3,306,187	+ 6,759,130
1895	7,870,304	18,657	7,888,961	3,048,472	74,585	3,723,057	+ 4,165,904
1896	11,743,343	14,361	11,757,704	3,928,187	57,520	3,985,707	+ 7,771,997
1897	13,663,012	24,787	13,687,799	4,622,581	67,494	4,690,075	+ 8,997,724
1898	17,166,156	21,224	17,187,380	5,773,072	133,483	5,907,155	+11,280,225

**TOTAL VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS
FROM 1868 TO 1898, AND THE ESTIMATED AMOUNTS OF DUTY REMITTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF
THE TREATY.**

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.					VALUE OF ARTICLES MADE FREE BY THE TREATY.		
	Free of duty.			Dutiable.	Total.	Imported prior to the treaty.	Imported subsequent to the treaty.	Estimated amounts of duty remitted under treaty.
	Under the reciprocity treaty.	Other free articles.	Total.					
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1868		6,359	6,359	1,183,041	1,189,400	1,096,101		
1869		7,705	7,705	1,281,079	1,288,784	1,196,442		
1870		7,469	7,469	1,127,254	1,134,723	1,020,008		
1871		32,442	32,442	1,110,802	1,143,244	1,038,641		
1872		52,636	52,636	1,228,197	1,280,833	1,076,765		
1873		186,775	186,775	1,088,286	1,275,061	1,024,928		
1874		176,818	176,818	810,134	986,952	801,358		
1875		168,771	168,771	1,058,420	1,227,191	1,017,451		
1876		192,071	192,071	1,184,610	1,376,681	1,154,348		
1877	2,277,354	108,012	2,385,366	164,969	2,550,335		2,277,354	1,064,225.00
1878	2,522,254	119,374	2,641,628	37,202	2,678,830		2,522,254	1,029,854.00
1879	3,112,438	131,550	3,243,988	13,950	3,257,938		3,112,438	1,387,380.00
1880	4,464,463	101,455	4,565,918	40,526	4,606,444		4,464,463	2,009,060.00
1881	5,373,077	144,680	5,517,737	15,263	5,533,000		5,373,077	2,604,776.00
1882	7,475,453	146,237	7,621,690	24,604	7,646,294		7,475,453	3,539,298.00
1883	8,029,848	166,089	8,195,937	42,524	8,238,461		8,029,848	4,279,975.00
1884	7,690,216	209,784	7,900,000	25,965	7,925,965		7,690,216	3,307,270.00
1885	8,611,936	205,131	8,817,067	40,430	8,857,497		8,611,936	4,103,775.00
1886	9,536,179	205,745	9,741,924	63,783	9,805,707		9,536,179	4,590,282.15
1887	9,654,048	238,841	9,892,889	29,186	9,922,075		9,654,048	5,224,813.96
1888	10,818,484	231,554	11,050,038	10,341	11,060,379		10,818,484	5,305,891.63
1889	12,588,593	244,317	12,832,910	14,830	12,847,740		12,588,593	5,452,381.57
1890	12,058,557	251,201	12,309,758	4,150	12,313,908		12,058,557	5,046,145.96
1891	10,749,462	3,116,186	13,865,648	29,949	13,895,597		10,749,462	5,721,061.28
1892	367,533	7,694,543	8,062,076	13,806	8,075,882		367,533	168,518.25
1893	349,560	8,738,316	9,087,876	58,911	9,146,767		349,560	169,476.00
1894	357,330	9,612,651	9,969,981	95,336	10,065,317		357,330	182,309.66
1895	228,380	7,641,924	7,870,304	18,657	7,888,961		228,380	77,161.31
1896	11,502,269	241,074	11,743,343	14,361	11,757,704		11,502,269	4,600,710.00
1897	13,397,419	265,593	13,663,012	24,787	13,687,799		13,397,419	5,354,512.80
1898	16,849,388	316,768	17,166,156	21,224	17,187,380		16,849,388	13,171,832.60

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF SUGAR AND MOLASSES IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, AND THE ESTIMATED AMOUNTS OF DUTY REMITTED, FROM 1877 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	Molasses.		SUGAR, DUTCH STANDARD IN COLOR.										Total value of sugar and molasses.	Estimated duties remitted. (a)
			Above No. 7 and not above No. 10.		Above No. 10 and not above No. 13.		Above No. 13 and not above No. 16.		Above No. 16 and not above No. 20.		Total.			
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1877.....	138,072	23,509	3,980,804	230,155	11,291,315	714,490	10,183,556	737,525	5,186,406	426,303	30,642,081	2,108,473	2,131,982	986,475.30
1878.....	87,534	14,449	2,437,920	161,922	10,805,283	757,734	12,227,780	963,550	4,897,345	391,224	30,368,328	2,274,430	2,288,879	989,602.02
1879.....	98,112	14,936	8,174,146	501,850	16,615,686	1,099,164	15,670,564	1,118,118	1,232,673	92,061	41,693,069	2,811,193	2,826,129	1,266,554.77
1880.....	111,950	19,835	7,793,349	450,030	28,416,596	1,892,737	23,868,886	1,689,061	1,477,493	103,659	61,556,324	4,135,487	4,155,322	1,881,563.44
1881.....	198,987	35,037	5,373,005	286,707	28,486,589	1,774,952	43,049,613	2,865,362	.....	.....	76,909,207	4,927,021	4,962,058	2,427,777.57
1882.....	152,700	25,256	3,952,806	182,873	53,223,379	3,416,318	44,973,293	3,026,298	4,027,380	292,595	106,181,858	6,918,084	6,943,340	3,314,938.90
1883.....	238,773	37,493	5,179,726	243,582	55,797,719	3,553,651	50,921,114	3,385,194	2,234,111	157,606	114,132,670	7,340,033	7,377,526	3,554,139.96
1884.....	163,347	22,964	.....	.....	78,249,593	4,287,730	44,993,790	2,702,792	1,905,297	117,770	125,148,680	7,108,292	7,131,256	2,959,913.39
1885.....	71,649	9,054	.....	.....	116,365,606	5,490,517	52,193,920	2,654,762	1,093,257	52,865	169,652,783	8,198,144	8,207,198	3,937,947.32
1886.....	61,127	7,786	.....	.....	133,638,543	6,275,442	57,331,700	2,856,511	762,932	34,873	191,733,175	9,166,826	9,174,612	4,435,091.90
1887.....	113,574	14,712	.....	.....	157,390,339	6,535,021	60,740,925	2,713,232	159,571	7,098	218,290,835	9,255,351	9,270,063	5,016,380.71
1888.....	52,582	6,417	.....	.....	203,137,535	9,119,898	25,402,978	1,140,149	.....	.....	228,540,513	10,260,048	10,266,465	5,097,200.92
1889.....	48,140	6,148	.....	.....	235,445,211	11,641,490	7,879,472	437,028	.....	.....	243,324,683	12,078,518	12,084,666	5,210,049.55
1890.....	81,443	9,314	.....	.....	217,674,338	11,139,862	6,782,673	409,966	.....	.....	224,457,011	11,549,828	11,559,142	4,804,477.19
1891.....	76,019	8,550	.....	.....	169,157,107	7,682,749	138,097,909	5,469,975	.....	.....	307,255,016	13,152,562	13,161,274	5,544,150.73
1892.....	51,139	5,911	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	262,612,405	7,442,047	7,447,958	(b)
1893.....	67,324	7,561	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	288,517,929	8,455,622	8,463,183	(b)
1894.....	7,370	653	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	324,726,584	9,379,317	9,379,970	(b)
1895.....	51,879	3,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	274,219,828	7,396,215	7,399,715	(b)
1896.....	33,705	1,902	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	352,175,269	11,336,796	11,338,698	4,535,392.50
1897.....	26,866	1,529	.....	.....	.....	.....	431,196,980	13,164,379	20,136	705	431,217,116	13,165,084	13,166,613	5,265,751.60
1898.....	12,100	740	.....	.....	.....	.....	499,766,798	16,660,109	10,097	303	499,776,895	16,660,412	16,661,152	13,083,546.60

^a The collector of customs at San Francisco, under date of February 26, 1886, forwards a statement of his appraiser that the polariscopic test of the Hawaiian sugar brought into that port during the fiscal years 1884 and 1885 would average a little above 93°. The estimated duty remitted has, therefore, since 1883, been computed, on sugar not above No. 13, at 2.12 cents per pound, which is the equivalent of the polariscopic test above indicated.

^b Duty remitted calculated only to April 1, 1891, when sugar imported from all countries was made free.

VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES IN ITS TRADE
WITH THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, BY PACIFIC AND OTHER PORTS, FROM 1871 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—												
	PACIFIC COAST.								ALL OTHER.				
	San Francisco.				Other.				Imports.				Exports.
	Imports.			Exports.	Imports.			Exports.					
	Under reciprocity treaty.	Other.	Total.		Under reciprocity treaty.	Other.	Total.						
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871		901, 114	901, 114	645, 933		186, 903	186, 903	83, 306		65, 137	65, 137	154, 876	
1872		1, 048, 908	1, 048, 908	532, 312		191, 117	191, 117	74, 438		45, 295	45, 295	57, 014	
1873		1, 109, 890	1, 109, 890	475, 059		173, 601	173, 601	39, 549		32, 779	32, 779	182, 583	
1874		683, 286	683, 286	482, 000		302, 300	302, 300	91, 113		31, 586	31, 586	76, 515	
1875		997, 879	997, 879	530, 047		203, 644	203, 644	74, 023		25, 668	25, 668	91, 294	
1876		1, 112, 663	1, 112, 663	641, 743		222, 580	222, 580	74, 607		47, 349	47, 349	92, 907	
1877	1, 964, 454	303, 549	2, 268, 003	1, 183, 556	310, 201	30, 019	340, 299	104, 671	2, 699	20, 762	23, 461	172, 235	
1878	2, 204, 180	103, 913	2, 308, 093	1, 378, 755	308, 901	3, 711	312, 612	160, 743	9, 173	58, 552	67, 725	296, 851	
1879	2, 934, 281	113, 087	3, 047, 368	2, 087, 591	176, 397	4, 345	180, 742	198, 452	1, 760	34, 694	36, 454	223, 855	
1880	4, 306, 435	149, 522	4, 455, 957	2, 180, 182	157, 983	690	158, 673	168, 401	45	680	725	197, 237	
1881	5, 367, 646	205, 323	5, 572, 969	2, 324, 634	5, 431		5, 431	195, 791				473, 892	
1882	7, 328, 819	170, 352	7, 499, 171	2, 835, 753	61, 820	432	61, 252	206, 076	82, 814	57	82, 871	308, 946	
1883	7, 666, 998	199, 948	7, 866, 946	2, 969, 915	11, 364	5	11, 369	278, 060	351, 486	8, 660	360, 146	527, 490	
1884	7, 677, 516	234, 250	7, 911, 766	7, 779, 229	12, 700	1, 459	14, 159	330, 468		40	40	413, 656	
1885	8, 605, 582	242, 254	8, 847, 836	2, 424, 399	6, 094	856	6, 950	182, 806	260	2, 451	2, 711	180, 717	
1886	9, 532, 185	241, 508	9, 773, 693	2, 734, 172	3, 994	2, 734	6, 728	198, 909		25, 266	25, 266	259, 617	
1887	9, 651, 923	266, 636	9, 918, 559	3, 082, 874	2, 125	204	2, 329	210, 092		1, 187	1, 187	329, 063	
1888	10, 815, 934	241, 523	11, 057, 457	2, 725, 280	2, 550	372	2, 922	160, 955				198, 968	
1889	12, 588, 593	258, 482	12, 847, 075	3, 008, 253		30	30	170, 424		635	635	196, 984	
1890	12, 058, 557	254, 781	12, 313, 338	4, 006, 871		470	470	235, 046		100	100	469, 500	
1891	10, 749, 462	3, 123, 487	13, 872, 949	4, 299, 632		56	56	306, 778		22, 592	22, 592	500, 802	
1892	367, 533	7, 694, 193	8, 061, 726	3, 385, 747		4, 179	4, 179	221, 815		9, 977	9, 977	174, 066	
1893	349, 560	8, 794, 702	9, 144, 262	2, 615, 252		1, 505	1, 505	94, 018		1, 000	1, 000	118, 393	
1894	294, 587	9, 698, 062	9, 992, 649	2, 955, 633	62, 743	9, 640	72, 383	164, 118		285	285	186, 436	
1895	193, 817	7, 250, 921	7, 444, 738	3, 070, 891	34, 563	7, 349	41, 912	226, 236		202, 311	232, 311	425, 940	
1896	9, 509, 745	406, 703	9, 915, 448	3, 443, 352		3, 903	3, 903	301, 853	1, 828, 953	9, 400	1, 838, 353	240, 502	
1897	9, 511, 641	267, 507	9, 779, 148	4, 048, 390	1, 399	3, 898	5, 297	385, 097	3, 884, 379	18, 975	3, 903, 354	255, 988	
1898	9, 657, 876	329, 939	9, 987, 815	5, 079, 454	4, 843	5, 693	10, 536	472, 610	7, 186, 679	2, 350	7, 189, 029	355, 091	

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF LEADING ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FROM 1877 TO 1898.

ARTICLES.	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887
MERCHANDISE.											
FREE OF DUTY.											
Articles, the growth, etc., of the United States, returned.....dollars..	7,497	6,594	25,219	11,150	19,545	27,555	25,787	18,884	17,634	35,530	26,220
Coffee.....pounds..	170,379	150,094	72,794	77,923	30,375	3,008	15,959	950	3,786	2,748	2,875
.....dollars...	33,062	26,577	11,935	12,834	4,676	479	2,447	137	708	419	437
Fruits, including nuts.....dollars..			16,068	13,384	20,600	26,763	37,987	63,326	68,120	53,476	44,149
Hides and skins, other than fur skins.....dollars..	50,861	78,920	92,003	68,171	113,840	102,039	119,394	113,624	103,150	104,554	128,221
Free, under reciprocity treaty:											
Rice.....pounds..			5,553,676	5,062,646	6,984,406	10,135,678	12,926,951	12,378,433	8,291,360	6,892,900	9,263,700
.....dollars...			270,781	294,186	389,017	499,825	610,324	558,476	404,478	361,567	383,985
Sugar and molasses—											
Sugar.....pounds..	2,277,354	2,522,254	41,696,674	61,556,708	76,907,247	106,181,858	114,132,670	125,158,677	169,652,603	191,623,175	218,290,835
.....dollars...			2,807,675	4,135,531	4,927,021	6,918,083	7,340,033	7,108,292	8,198,164	9,166,826	9,225,351
Molasses.....dollars..			14,493	19,835	35,037	25,257	37,493	22,963	9,054	7,786	14,712
All other.....dollars..			3,421	1,527	1,402	5,525	4,011	485	240		
All other free articles.....dollars..	16,592	7,283	2,393	9,300	6,599	16,164	18,461	13,813	15,519	11,760	69,808
Total free.....dollars..	2,385,366	2,641,628	3,243,988	4,565,918	5,517,737	7,621,690	8,195,937	7,900,000	8,817,067	9,741,924	9,892,889
DUTIABLE.											
Rice.....pounds..	836,389									1,650	
.....dollars...	30,012									33	
Salt.....pounds..		527,026		92,606		963			1,000		
.....dollars...		1,817		436		5			20		
Sugar and molasses:											
Sugar, brown.....pounds..	1,849,987										
.....dollars...	98,424										
Sugar, refined.....dollars..	26,640	5,920									
Molasses, melada, etc.....dollars..	1,006										
Wool, unmanufactured.....pounds..	950	207,820	125,530	295,031	67,997	152,885	142,016	194,471	498		162,370
.....dollars...	227	21,153	12,498	35,026	6,970	22,651	20,182	16,831	80		11,968
All other dutiable articles.....dollars..	8,660	8,312	1,452	5,064	8,293	1,948	22,342	9,134	a 40,330	b 63,750	17,218
Total dutiable.....dollars..	164,969	37,202	13,950	40,526	15,263	24,604	42,524	25,965	40,430	63,783	29,186
Total imports.....dollars..	2,550,335	2,678,830	3,257,938	4,606,444	5,533,000	7,646,294	8,238,461	7,925,965	8,857,497	9,805,707	9,922,075
GOLD AND SILVER.											
Gold.....dollars..		5,300		3,750	4,000		4,118	14,614	114,962	47,293	113,567
Silver.....dollars..	81,428	4,300	6,626	5,161	41,400	1,100	2,218	13,722	501,097	8,724	5,050

a Spirits, \$16,854; opium, \$15,012.

b Iron ore, \$9,747; copper, pigs, \$14,962; opium, \$10,980.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF LEADING ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FROM 1877 TO 1898.

1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	ARTICLES.
											MERCHANDISE.
											FREE OF DUTY.
53,239	33,130	33,381	77,189	33,111	51,312	56,315	27,294	42,064	28,137	35,270	dollars... {Articles, the growth, etc., of the United States, returned.
3,680	15,907	90,238	23,401	10,810	20,332	108,265	183,680	131,343	376,484	704,113	pounds... {Coffee.
932	3,318	17,542	5,001	2,628	4,864	22,333	36,168	25,063	68,441	110,319	dollars... {Fruits, including nuts.
68,300	90,983	169,183	122,515	108,002	140,689	101,152	95,855	76,124	64,371	48,415	dollars... {Hides and skins, other than fur skins.
92,537	95,576	75,884	70,509	71,148	58,421	38,322	48,393	65,104	71,750	106,360	dollars... {Free under reciprocity:
13,269,500	10,660,300	10,730,600	7,840,900	7,489,700	8,473,800	9,115,483	5,144,087	4,354,500	5,881,600	4,414,300	pounds... } Rice.
551,257	494,166	498,554	415,630	367,333	349,560	357,330	228,380	163,571	231,511	188,539	dollars... } Sugar and molasses—
228,540,513	243,324,683	224,457,011	312,252,316	262,612,405	288,517,929	324,726,584	274,219,828	352,173,269	431,196,980	499,766,798	pounds... } Sugar.
10,260,048	12,078,518	11,549,828	13,152,562	7,442,047	8,455,622	9,379,317	7,396,215	11,336,796	13,164,379	16,660,109	dollars... } Molasses.
6,417	6,148	9,314	8,550	5,911	7,561	653	3,500	1,902	1,529	740	dollars... } All other.
762	9,761	861	1,496								dollars... } All other free articles.
16,546	21,310	15,211	12,196	31,636	19,827	14,559	34,499	32,719	32,894	16,404	dollars... } Total free.
11,050,038	12,832,910	12,309,758	13,865,648	8,062,076	9,087,856	9,969,981	7,870,304	11,743,343	13,663,012	17,166,156	
											DUTIABLE.
	600					22,890			46		pounds... } Rice.
	30					295			1		dollars... } Salt.
	136,640										pounds... }
	616										dollars... }
			2,700								pounds... } Sugar and molasses:
			162								pounds... } Sugar, brown.
						82,540	7,443		705	10,097	dollars... } Sugar, refined.
										303	dollars... } Molasses, melada, etc.
	18,872	454	225,192	91,725					229,877	12,837	pounds... } Wool, unmanufactured.
	4,675	95	22,453	9,400					17,366	746	dollars... }
10,341	9,509	4,055	7,334	4,406	58,911	12,501	11,214	14,361	6,715	20,175	dollars... } All other dutiable articles.
10,341	14,830	4,150	29,949	13,806	58,911	95,336	18,657	14,361	24,787	21,224	dollars... } Total dutiable.
11,060,379	12,847,740	12,313,908	13,895,597	8,075,882	9,146,767	10,065,317	7,888,961	11,757,704	13,687,799	17,187,380	dollars... } Total imports.
											GOLD AND SILVER.
25,727	36,247	2,624	1,050	45,281	4,130	160	50,000			130,000	dollars... } Gold.
2,361	5,239		13,470	900			5,000				dollars... } Silver.

NOTE.—Sugar, brown, and molasses imported from all countries free of duty from April 1, 1891.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF LEADING ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES TO HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FROM 1877 TO 1898.

ARTICLES.	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887
MERCHANDISE.											
Agricultural implements.....dollars..	9,323	17,140	6,626	9,901	13,516	11,388	21,250	41,662	10,984	9,444	13,622
Animals.....dollars..	5,875	17,900	74,216	90,192	85,867	149,922	98,004	144,090	70,211	90,496	141,362
Books, maps, engravings, etc.....dollars..	5,519	10,105	8,787	10,442	14,293	18,536	19,696	18,481	13,507	12,681	17,133
Breadstuffs:											
Bread and biscuit.....pounds..	367,731	496,197	698,525	643,195	654,921	659,415	677,923	661,181	670,380	635,833	587,579
.....dollars..	17,766	27,290	35,496	33,052	34,224	35,604	40,748	41,452	35,706	35,010	35,072
Wheat flour.....barrels..	11,698	14,004	17,934	17,074	21,221	21,741	34,200	37,236	43,126	42,729	47,632
.....dollars..	72,640	89,686	93,484	99,648	102,239	111,765	185,307	190,105	184,050	182,122	190,163
All other.....dollars..	18,811	20,176	45,201	69,959	87,251	135,673	158,851	184,406	194,739	245,470	250,702
Carriages and street cars, etc.....dollars..	10,477	15,430	27,427	28,291	36,167	46,943	32,051	41,279	19,333	27,568	40,232
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....dollars..	19,909	12,265	25,765	27,569	44,168	48,782	63,922	59,885	47,999	54,393	57,226
Coal.....tons..	684	1,099	1,362	922	2,762	2,369	1,541	4,972	581	1,344	1,995
.....dollars..	5,026	7,515	5,389	5,775	13,958	13,986	9,495	19,301	4,795	9,784	12,519
Copper, and manufactures of.....dollars..	3,167	6,820	7,168	8,740	3,972	7,597	4,984	4,836	4,901	11,344	3,583
Cotton, manufactures of.....dollars..	103,849	80,249	125,281	114,895	179,902	205,568	300,985	263,414	215,656	290,051	318,286
Fancy articles (a).....dollars..	15,796	16,260	26,070	18,378	19,795	26,991	49,769	46,626	37,993	34,895	50,121
Fish.....dollars..	28,689	40,720	79,154	76,380	82,578	95,112	128,703	122,597	100,673	105,242	128,490
Flax, hemp, etc., and manufactures of.....dollars..	6,657	2,801	7,096	7,001	10,795	21,482	29,222	32,378	40,758	47,488	41,133
Fruits, including nuts.....dollars..	15,271	14,566	20,497	25,004	35,175	37,822	55,188	50,594	43,950	39,250	39,304
Glass and glassware.....dollars..	8,789	7,307	11,442	5,942	14,968	18,254	23,231	18,548	17,673	15,820	23,762
Gunpowder and other explosives.....dollars..	4,310	5,469	9,127	5,896	13,880	7,599	10,633	10,410	8,189	8,393	14,974
Hay.....tons..	238	469	1,112	1,946	2,672	2,362	3,679	3,563	3,416	3,685	4,841
.....dollars..	4,376	8,345	17,426	23,579	30,811	35,679	68,056	53,232	53,958	54,088	64,591
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of.....dollars..	18,201	7,587	6,211	8,924	13,750	18,160	15,165	15,847	12,641	11,421	20,339
Iron and steel, and manufactures of.....dollars..	162,771	483,031	586,262	369,940	601,191	815,879	536,032	420,709	239,775	357,606	405,382
Jewelry and manufactures, gold and silver.....dollars..	1,698	6,626	24,439	17,914	11,727	29,820	31,526	51,303	31,028	15,297	18,679
Leather, and manufactures of.....dollars..	47,841	70,201	90,485	87,796	114,023	155,705	165,059	167,559	152,503	155,425	174,193
.....barrels..	3,604	5,821	10,448	10,483	12,328	12,549	14,345	11,516	12,553	9,313	15,510
Lime and cement.....dollars..	6,054	8,775	16,381	14,706	17,192	19,395	25,687	18,433	18,824	14,078	22,469
Malt liquors.....dollars..	1,061	3,505	12,883	19,890	40,102	12,024	22,568	32,912	38,728	41,403	54,638
Matches.....dollars..	14,679	6,094	1,527	2,202	18,790	14,170	9,424	4,793	7,966	14,749	18,085
Musical instruments.....dollars..	4,442	4,974	7,504	3,590	9,268	10,291	8,776	7,693	6,629	5,907	4,537
Oils.....dollars..	30,054	34,186	26,696	42,580	67,059	57,523	81,550	71,430	60,379	67,663	112,424
Paints, pigments, and colors.....dollars..	2,413	4,213	10,759	13,674	20,186	16,862	27,441	22,448	16,258	21,360	31,118
Paper and stationery.....dollars..	18,061	18,107	23,769	27,365	41,010	40,284	55,058	53,922	40,071	52,039	54,701
Provisions (meat and dairy products).....dollars..	29,652	52,373	130,816	114,777	137,620	160,710	211,974	210,161	169,191	155,829	155,835
Spirits.....dollars..	12,333	13,187	26,800	19,003	29,666	24,710	52,346	40,885	29,307	46,157	31,585
Sugar, refined.....pounds..	193,591	86,484	145,987	206,513	190,826	295,218	356,615	333,743	463,911	658,486	922,656
.....dollars..	19,463	9,214	15,606	20,569	22,650	29,164	40,966	34,894	25,674	46,847	54,630
Tobacco, manufactures of.....dollars..	33,915	38,538	56,114	61,458	77,555	90,154	105,161	93,274	94,768	118,858	99,990
Vegetables.....dollars..	8,722	13,273	18,748	17,005	33,048	40,597	40,891	48,021	47,463	60,646	72,788
Wine.....dollars..	2,091	572	1,519	1,708	4,526	1,312	3,190	6,734	10,371	34,638	56,243
Wood, and manufactures of:											
Boards, deals, etc.....M feet..	7,215	11,081	14,561	13,644	19,675	22,123	23,226	22,512	15,077	16,935	16,669
.....dollars..	75,900	111,211	142,558	143,044	223,816	259,422	294,574	326,913	195,892	201,389	206,470
Household furniture.....dollars..	22,195	43,587	53,264	62,145	49,686	93,233	105,685	71,172	50,184	55,592	82,199
All other.....dollars..	81,447	121,972	98,477	92,149	120,666	128,916	151,381	134,532	81,770	105,260	127,982
Wool, manufactures of.....dollars..	4,432	8,489	10,545	12,370	12,339	22,199	21,083	76,341	85,354	85,446	80,816
All other articles.....dollars..	155,751	217,678	295,163	171,453	196,070	262,939	411,184	189,252	179,722	144,750	193,215
Total domestic exports.....dollars..	1,109,429	1,683,446	2,288,178	1,985,506	2,694,583	3,272,172	3,683,460	3,446,024	2,709,573	3,115,899	3,520,593
Total foreign exports.....dollars..	163,520	52,653	86,740	100,664	83,489	78,603	92,605	77,329	78,349	76,789	101,436
Total exports of merchandise.....dollars..	1,272,949	1,736,099	2,374,918	2,086,170	2,778,072	3,350,775	3,776,065	3,523,353	2,787,922	3,192,688	3,622,029
GOLD AND SILVER.											
Gold.....dollars..	108,273	42,000	25,300	39,500	140,405	76,799	19,750	88,980	672,800	695,460	920,400
Silver.....dollars..	79,240	58,250	109,680	420,150	75,800	25,700	16,098	1,002,250	25,000	2,503	.....

a "Fancy articles," 1892 to 1897, inclusive, include "perfumery and cosmetics" and "toys" only.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF LEADING ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES TO HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FROM 1877 TO 1898.

1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	ARTICLES.	
MERCHANDISE.												
9,296	7,886	14,769	12,736	6,948	3,897	5,615	11,373	7,772	8,012	5,927	dollars..Agricultural implements.	
77,931	86,378	167,217	122,807	64,517	26,118	35,401	47,137	45,647	108,557	92,097	dollars..Animals.	
8,684	14,790	18,251	18,667	17,239	15,661	17,664	17,318	25,746	25,990	27,270	dollars..Books, maps, engravings, etc.	
Breadstuffs:												
618,927	712,975	753,026	710,665	701,270	667,020	660,150	730,765	746,530	772,876	937,655	pounds..} Bread and biscuit.	
35,270	40,198	44,039	40,518	41,217	36,157	35,991	35,004	33,593	34,999	43,316	dollars..} Wheat flour.	
43,356	49,811	52,239	54,454	58,538	48,414	51,009	50,685	62,112	55,554	84,128	barrels..} All other.	
178,034	224,244	222,056	248,042	296,908	198,262	179,138	160,759	206,101	232,800	392,601	dollars..} Carriages and street cars, etc.	
260,346	260,070	286,888	436,971	368,662	287,457	283,110	268,125	278,476	355,867	478,791	dollars..} Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	
17,415	34,931	96,392	47,540	22,401	10,681	13,787	18,712	26,063	26,801	690,802	dollars..} Coal.	
53,949	66,835	86,509	89,830	76,557	79,500	81,279	98,869	124,278	103,563	133,253	tons ---} Copper, and manufactures of.	
1,401	1,141	2,185	5,549	1,362	385	715	1,163	3,496	968	11,818	dollars..} Cotton, manufactures of.	
9,895	8,897	12,128	26,473	7,563	3,426	5,715	5,190	10,660	6,809	33,401	dollars..} Fancy articles. (a)	
7,839	5,463	13,153	11,582	2,462	1,357	6,081	7,459	1,599	3,995	5,810	dollars..} Fish.	
293,986	345,289	402,523	312,636	256,813	241,790	297,771	387,885	301,256	365,715	361,379	dollars..} Flax, hemp, etc., manufactures of.	
42,655	40,682	57,692	70,633	a 18,384	a 8,712	a 6,664	a 8,406	a 6,425	a 6,737	a 7,177	dollars..} Fruits, including nuts.	
110,942	118,647	140,867	146,112	125,506	107,630	104,845	90,825	95,171	124,991	122,297	dollars..} Glass and glassware.	
39,923	31,306	68,784	71,723	31,585	24,690	32,082	27,895	31,844	86,967	41,495	dollars..} Gunpowder and other explosives.	
52,321	37,913	43,646	45,940	36,923	32,654	33,375	38,729	38,916	45,329	46,613	tons ---} Hay.	
17,274	13,803	25,609	21,202	15,962	12,391	14,424	17,854	19,347	23,654	27,610	dollars..} India rubber and gutta-percha, and man-	
13,292	12,645	20,661	20,383	9,439	13,112	14,456	18,062	19,452	19,514	25,786	ufactures of.	
3,993	4,933	5,322	5,607	7,209	4,172	5,392	5,575	6,027	6,931	8,662	dollars..} Iron and steel, and manufactures of.	
69,235	71,247	73,022	95,427	106,782	47,209	71,683	70,326	66,832	74,525	128,923	dollars..} Jewelry, and manufactures, gold and silver.	
11,727	19,320	24,803	29,425	15,933	19,499	20,377	11,217	23,780	30,382	28,980	dollars..} Leather, and manufactures of.	
265,564	352,552	765,126	762,896	473,616	214,844	405,316	545,614	726,942	823,056	1,167,648	barrels..} Lime and cement.	
0,901	3,093	24,578	39,956	24,275	5,636	10,707	2,827	6,620	4,710	3,462	dollars..} Malt liquors.	
145,870	175,536	205,888	200,312	136,374	107,275	135,270	151,795	176,027	205,455	237,973	dollars..} Matches.	
11,346	13,860	19,134	21,199	20,491	15,092	16,303	15,265	19,413	27,024	30,490	dollars..} Musical instruments.	
18,364	20,419	30,132	31,304	27,042	18,913	16,826	15,386	17,923	22,912	26,368	dollars..} Oils.	
49,821	54,254	83,966	92,788	88,793	75,021	69,304	53,621	51,387	70,749	90,996	dollars..} Paints, pigments, and colors.	
1,090	5,463	12,709	15,285	6,270	4,980	17,266	28,413	16,227	13,742	12,450	dollars..} Paper and stationery.	
6,610	4,797	11,069	8,372	4,470	3,357	4,629	9,380	20,190	22,845	21,742	dollars..} Provisions (meat and dairy products).	
94,745	74,086	120,002	199,591	66,943	81,701	88,425	101,390	97,256	77,106	112,127	dollars..} Spirits.	
23,242	19,563	30,967	36,935	29,501	25,767	28,603	30,765	34,700	44,263	49,321	pounds..} Sugar, refined.	
48,393	54,232	67,051	66,506	59,850	53,053	55,287	70,613	70,278	78,258	53,324	dollars..} Tobacco, manufactures of.	
146,424	148,763	177,488	185,338	182,652	144,903	128,179	147,608	155,576	146,279	216,278	dollars..} Vegetables.	
25,641	24,883	51,536	51,990	56,371	52,283	45,747	33,451	23,968	32,695	30,834	dollars..} Wine.	
1,030,000	856,073	1,280,819	1,714,156	554,052	352,867	515,070	589,978	822,378	755,164	977,155	Wood, and manufactures of:	
65,797	59,276	91,833	104,156	26,937	17,850	26,973	27,271	37,440	34,140	44,891	M feet..} Boards, deals, etc.	
110,346	140,486	163,818	178,843	160,354	171,960	150,330	165,651	174,100	171,315	189,159	dollars..} Household furniture.	
54,278	46,293	60,080	63,921	42,073	33,782	27,610	26,842	27,188	31,183	44,883	dollars..} All other.	
62,671	67,738	73,868	105,322	93,927	78,434	76,755	57,571	72,668	76,265	89,545	dollars..} Wool, manufactures of.	
12,218	12,550	19,995	30,007	17,479	8,703	13,747	18,616	21,441	21,400	33,030	dollars..} All other articles.	
158,845	164,480	225,296	271,553	203,433	91,241	146,220	184,651	210,934	238,784	320,400	dollars..} Total domestic exports.	
62,576	53,494	69,093	86,179	54,428	51,230	59,464	73,867	66,022	96,573	116,046	dollars..} Total foreign exports.	
96,163	103,381	145,110	156,265	101,152	55,462	67,967	77,061	89,592	109,972	148,156	dollars..} Total exports of merchandise.	
70,463	60,758	60,053	57,816	48,320	29,630	38,995	52,859	51,614	56,543	63,651	GOLD AND SILVER.	
202,090	261,369	308,128	351,876	253,431	229,713	358,382	450,691	438,577	580,529	640,885	dollars..} Gold.	
3,025,898	3,336,040	4,606,900	4,935,911	3,662,018	2,717,338	3,217,713	3,648,472	3,928,187	4,622,581	5,773,672	dollars..} Silver.	
59,305	39,621	104,517	171,301	119,610	110,325	88,474	74,585	57,520	67,494	133,483		
3,085,203	3,375,661	4,711,417	5,107,212	3,781,628	2,827,663	3,306,187	3,723,057	3,985,707	4,690,075	5,907,155		
310,450	235,300	1,132,205	925,120	600,000	815,310	792,085	575,000	710,190	975,088	1,080,355		
		1,650	2,150	1,000	1,000	2,000	3,000	17,500	116,100	75,000		

b Cycles, \$52,072.

VALUES OF ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, FROM ALL COUNTRIES, 1875 TO 1898.

[From Hawaiian official publications.]

ARTICLES.	1875	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1896
MERCHANDISE.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ale, beer, cider, and porter.....	32,827	19,792	27,317	20,548	43,256	36,159	62,193	36,415	68,183	72,590	63,061	81,371
Animals.....	434	261	11,796	18,691	78,572	81,584	81,073	74,623	108,570	94,133	56,746	101,426
Building materials.....	31,017	21,596	59,535	107,042	89,512	82,288	107,442	85,396	153,104	126,893	56,301	103,951
Clothing, boots, and hats.....	168,378	176,188	294,097	208,597	251,585	226,170	257,116	344,079	427,256	309,226	268,109	362,064
Coal and coke.....										71,113	71,576	98,017
Crockery, glassware, lamps, etc.....	13,278	14,128	28,216	17,992	31,107	25,841	37,549	36,774	47,033	49,592	20,458	29,392
Drugs, surgical instruments, and dental material.	43,513	17,030	23,561	17,945	29,760	27,818	36,001	46,000	48,762	48,182	35,917	39,498
Dry goods:												
Cottons.....	163,465	167,451	193,776	165,159	179,927	151,435	212,405	261,016	282,415	191,102	180,430	230,424
Linens.....	12,322	9,164	25,208	8,919	13,049	13,318	16,003	20,876	20,393	14,374	11,778	30,636
Silks.....	13,831	12,712	14,256	23,271	33,764	25,638	20,831	35,475	51,496	30,076	26,232	33,753
Woolens.....	39,142	40,868	69,183	70,403	82,213	50,376	74,301	115,520	109,472	68,794	48,078	69,898
Mixtures.....	40,952	25,321	46,317	37,738	37,643	32,889	38,071	28,110	38,129	27,102	16,314	25,769
Fancy goods, millinery, etc.....	44,776	53,119	65,580	53,752	68,444	66,638	75,103	116,504	131,712	101,213	87,468	108,816
Fertilizers, bone meal, etc.....										20,222	28,140	33,036
Fish (dry and salt).....	14,782	17,892	26,595	47,207	66,978	35,277	63,577	65,701	96,630	74,752	70,977	97,148
Flour.....	55,931	54,908	77,326	103,729	81,820	100,888	96,549	121,453	167,651	170,281	144,358	150,737
Fruits, fresh.....	2,232	2,031	2,359	3,444	4,982	4,152	4,869	6,348	9,315	11,456	13,097	10,953
Furniture.....	19,083	27,663	46,058	49,482	65,107	73,346	76,939	124,033	110,809	96,600	69,823	75,341
Furs and ivory.....	15,541	2,697	1,902	1,936	3,223							
Grain and feed.....	12,732	14,513	22,267	34,666	55,402	73,951	119,691	171,526	190,820	184,599	200,448	237,154
Groceries and provisions.....	103,328	90,466	160,029	269,574	334,410	379,794	377,640	453,161	530,817	470,929	398,632	495,447
Guns and gun materials.....	5,625	5,530	10,457	10,476	12,426	12,911	13,570	13,520	13,739	11,059	10,003	12,523
Gunpowder, blasting, etc.....	1,180	2,714	4,718	3,514	4,650	5,317	8,654	44,671	7,100	4,383	3,862	4,075
Hardware, agricultural implements, etc.....	77,519	105,828	155,059	210,300	204,493	215,088	267,531	275,329	347,416	285,991	168,566	248,472
Iron, steel, etc.....	18,076	20,878	45,694	56,654	61,710	34,842	110,015	62,797	62,035	61,225	36,317	43,636
Jewelry, plate, clocks.....	15,856	24,032	58,014	34,926	86,147	74,447	46,557	90,936	80,917	41,650	22,133	28,421
Leather.....	8,549	8,687	17,598	20,965	23,543	27,586	40,508	44,671	51,765	42,133	41,346	47,225
Lumber.....	78,652	98,322	136,940	212,853	189,888	221,212	224,712	248,557	344,169	283,902	196,096	227,855
Machinery.....	23,600	37,332	146,522	417,297	543,045	250,125	179,724	182,538	296,102	211,173	187,745	238,592
Matches.....	11,089	5,514	16,627	4,459	4,049	8,194	13,678	12,839	7,495	4,751	11,053	15,761
Musical instruments.....	4,765	8,493	12,153	10,389	10,033	11,925	15,183	19,706	17,152	13,011	10,113	5,448
Naval stores.....	30,626	35,587	50,483	58,414	47,410	67,498	53,229	73,882	80,281	42,539	31,738	45,959
Oil—Cocoanut, kerosene, whale, etc.....	47,178	78,681	49,202	97,687	64,815	75,882	67,168	105,661	124,538	88,973	66,827	128,702
Paints, paint oils, and turpentine.....	15,397	13,548	20,831	23,803	23,360	40,710	49,545	30,824	31,893	33,561	25,658	35,245
Perfumery and toilet articles.....	8,020	13,025	20,355	11,057	10,802	13,652	16,323	17,091	22,205	12,983	11,501	14,884
Railroad materials, rails, cars, etc.....									77,965	20,170	14,446	16,128
Saddlery, carriages, and material.....	21,516	34,537	62,316	76,442	78,707	74,487	65,354	81,261	89,728	70,397	49,281	66,619
Sheathing metal.....										7,739	1,357	1,544
Shooks, bags, and containers.....	40,545	53,949	37,504	50,199	45,585	72,258	122,972	62,909	122,783	109,567	132,999	151,483
Spirits.....	49,446	31,945	49,095	50,167	72,520	81,132	145,360	81,441	127,495	141,476	93,340	114,101
Stationery and books.....	25,472	31,430	37,929	29,982	44,090	45,829	53,695	69,279	69,966	69,167	59,365	79,038
Tea.....	10,293	7,228	9,169	20,420	20,800	14,238	20,765	26,464	20,588	22,421	17,502	37,392
Tin, tinware, and materials.....	3,638	5,915	4,482	5,475	6,567	6,297	10,472	12,536	10,356	10,700	4,915	7,545
Tobacco, cigars, etc.....	42,073	57,475	61,496	68,019	82,619	106,112	112,298	138,811	159,183	140,456	132,004	162,221
Whalebone.....	41,095	38,135	54,533	15,716	19,363							
Wines, light.....	14,689	9,476	11,742	6,294	9,178	10,728	15,922	12,925	23,787	22,527	26,535	55,323
Sundries not otherwise specified.....	42,762	38,914	54,937	69,523	99,519	125,164	128,650	222,909	103,872	203,883	154,481	180,856
Charges on invoices.....	43,312	46,156	61,680	70,253	84,283	72,960	88,181	92,212	107,423	87,138	64,079	94,806
25 per cent added on uncertified invoices	5,174	4,644	4,434	1,798	4,577	1,660	1,833	2,392	3,028	3,080	2,440	2,422
Total.....	1,513,716	1,585,775	2,389,348	2,897,251	3,404,942	3,151,816	3,629,252	4,131,609	4,995,465	4,279,278	3,435,245	4,481,059
Discounts.....	24,139	20,520	20,735	26,664	23,345	20,014	23,097	32,922	69,940	51,308	22,684	20,268
Damaged and short.....	3,652	926	1,768	232	4,113	580	929	267	9,170	7,096	146	536
Total at Honolulu.....	1,485,925	1,564,329	2,366,844	2,870,353	3,377,484	3,137,222	3,605,226	4,098,420	4,916,355	4,220,874	3,412,415	4,460,255
Total at other ports.....	19,746	5,818	61,295	63,446	215,855	409,431	787,475	637,330	440,604	416,640	418,130	417,484
Total dutiable merchandise.....	1,505,671	1,570,147	2,428,139	2,933,799	3,593,339	3,546,653	4,392,701	4,735,750	5,356,959	4,637,514	3,830,545	4,877,739
Values of goods free by civil code.....	176,800	247,931	126,217	112,571	149,639	126,615	155,278	238,760	267,281	(a)	(a)	(a)
Total merchandise.....	1,682,471	1,818,078	2,554,356	3,046,370	3,742,978	3,673,268	4,547,979	4,974,510	5,624,240	4,637,514	3,830,545	4,877,739
Specie	52,454	107,725	123,139	184,527	160,500	510,161	236,627	545,703	651,739	1,180,362	724,076	1,142,946
Customs receipts.....	213,447	199,036	230,499	284,426	359,671	402,182	423,192	505,391	577,333	551,737	502,337	580,444

a Detailed in general statement of articles of merchandise.

VALUES OF ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, FROM ALL COUNTRIES, 1875 TO 1898.

[From Hawaiian official publications.]

1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	ARTICLES.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	MERCHANDISE.
75,984	74,630	77,442	106,679	98,264	79,237	69,962	68,087	57,026	74,821	90,695	118,320	Ale, beer, cider, and porter.
74,025	60,560	69,986	157,939	119,494	33,287	21,680	47,925	34,319	51,633	105,566	125,299	Animals.
116,215	88,543	109,466	174,763	185,591	73,505	71,069	79,333	102,695	120,639	169,858	318,325	Building materials.
342,957	319,154	362,658	407,296	405,712	185,137	211,341	232,563	294,506	292,559	370,435	475,113	Clothing, boots, and hats.
56,888	75,798	118,616	109,998	167,892	8,504	999	171,299	74,245	135,647	136,469	608,718	Coal and coke.
46,540	32,289	40,968	60,028	46,049	21,245	28,966	31,598	37,578	47,553	49,260	69,598	Crockery, glassware, lamps, etc.
171,795	42,881	47,929	61,569	63,372	45,314	50,248	56,786	60,820	68,192	75,941	89,746	Drugs, surgical instruments, and dental material.
												Dry goods:
229,731	244,127	291,209	347,735	293,042	139,657	269,598	288,945	360,832	311,891	341,421	447,473	Cottons.
23,820	21,115	25,147	30,297	33,127	8,890	21,237	9,481	10,172	12,634	21,235	50,683	Linens.
41,031	22,321	37,756	30,992	29,377	15,025	17,595	12,213	17,729	20,953	24,383	48,203	Silks.
107,599	77,018	72,800	108,840	144,756	44,463	52,447	47,870	45,017	69,368	81,486	148,030	Woolens.
28,060	30,925	27,165	34,021	27,539	7,073	17,886	9,317	6,514	10,933	27,512	30,505	Mixtures.
120,713	105,311	125,688	141,809	148,346	72,155	87,104	83,690	82,217	101,286	127,336	147,408	Fancy goods, millinery, etc.
41,807	64,407	103,528	107,277	106,662			227,233	293,300	332,239	402,756	308,415	Fertilizers, bone meal, etc.
96,760	88,673	90,555	105,963	102,074	78,840	89,865	89,270	66,804	80,504	109,873	96,670	Fish (dry and salt).
176,863	167,534	171,968	202,138	273,886	217,906	168,203	162,182	169,173	156,999	231,272	273,381	Flour.
12,720	11,885	11,967	12,782	12,602	9,311	9,247	10,267	13,622	14,155	16,701	22,217	Fruits, fresh.
84,582	72,148	69,670	106,977	112,611	41,886	51,095	67,752	69,101	91,638	105,703	156,241	Furniture.
												Furs and ivory.
289,067	284,472	245,457	372,265	464,709	333,813	259,042	291,704	227,043	273,753	368,952	441,931	Grain and feed.
469,501	429,076	489,977	594,047	629,356	395,952	417,509	456,348	442,006	520,885	609,682	776,823	Groceries and provisions.
22,720	11,144	20,395	27,784	10,399	8,166	17,011	11,409	30,339	16,046	16,151		Guns and gun materials.
4,778	4,448	4,527	2,688	11,152	3,304	8,281	8,990	11,414	7,527	16,445	27,534	Gunpowder, blasting, etc.
237,943	206,117	282,213	376,156	316,105	156,072	195,869	288,727	288,524	278,267	405,567	491,560	Hardware, agricultural implements, etc.
50,583	34,744	42,520	96,653	98,357	16,939	30,285	38,907	30,743	38,941	66,663	102,145	Iron, steel, etc.
56,801	35,798	48,229	71,556	92,826	20,209	20,443	23,620	22,846	25,342	31,164	34,926	Jewelry, plate, clocks.
46,897	43,597	41,758	45,092	40,711	28,425	32,037	33,844	28,050	41,549	43,009	38,792	Leather.
202,369	197,275	240,011	343,521	236,622	169,957	154,052	161,747	203,321	255,242	288,869	356,529	Lumber.
197,951	209,807	357,466	532,080	854,773	168,943	111,316	286,079	266,137	343,105	595,424	859,130	Machinery.
13,223	3,616	12,567	13,452	13,840	7,157	8,263	22,136	26,180	15,587	13,749	22,824	Matches.
13,428	14,204	10,324	19,894	13,356	6,036	10,150	9,463	13,812	21,457	16,965	32,381	Medical instruments.
56,150	42,066	74,553	77,578	84,461	36,696	38,328	70,126	59,875	47,922	79,157	74,261	Naval stores.
85,448	96,410	124,636	140,615	176,346	93,845	100,448	98,539	98,367	107,419	98,095	128,128	Oils—Cocanut, kerosene, whale, etc.
44,742	38,425	35,488	56,819	71,537	31,432	39,876	46,745	49,799	53,410	67,619	51,809	Paints, paint oils, and turpentine.
17,453	16,157	14,184	20,918	25,236	13,458	13,887	14,830	15,208	17,149	21,283	27,571	Perfumery and toilet articles.
7,403	62,307	110,350	114,617	105,699	43,379	28,364	15,500	78,825	32,977	116,319	181,672	Railroad materials, rails, cars, etc.
71,590	68,174	65,523	135,621	91,085	32,780	37,989	47,161	71,507	95,008	127,690	144,428	Saddlery, carriages, and material.
604	4,894	6,076	10,672	5,438	3,934	6,432	12,604	1,895		1,951	4,621	Sheathing metal.
121,142	107,573	168,708	207,891	157,942	109,180	119,362	201,790	144,565	199,097	237,206	293,199	Shooks, bags, and containers.
94,437	71,742	74,274	118,871	107,750	104,533	75,680	78,232	69,307	65,947	70,496	76,881	Spirits.
74,328	66,195	77,239	67,383	72,403	58,362	55,310	67,834	63,496	92,615	98,510	114,029	Stationery and books.
19,598	20,620	24,506	21,187	18,459	18,109	20,858	27,066	21,271	30,860	34,000	53,160	Tea.
7,544	7,441	7,233	9,301	9,270	3,125	6,859	9,616	8,689	10,926	11,575	16,050	Tin, tinware, and materials.
134,921	134,466	153,482	184,937	207,506	161,461	172,667	184,551	188,852	194,836	221,019	263,476	Tobacco, cigars, etc.
												Whalebone.
78,670	66,035	82,580	101,334	121,261	83,738	83,765	108,167	125,215	161,361	140,964	122,297	Wines, light.
225,732	242,303	280,275	294,357	329,442	103,258	117,730	212,068	202,419	252,660	269,084	363,136	Sundries not otherwise specified.
99,789	73,604	88,681	103,147	120,446	55,495	67,090	68,348	75,071	85,572	102,114	127,847	Charges on invoices.
3,922	3,107	3,173	5,148	4,038	2,602	3,793	2,617	2,110	905	1,087	2,129	25 per cent added on uncertified invoices.
4,596,534	4,175,130	5,033,921	6,476,097	6,920,917	3,351,885	3,491,328	4,594,589	4,063,151	5,280,069	6,658,711	8,763,714	Total.
21,787	29,809	27,843	33,862	33,296	14,117	18,785	16,709	14,489	17,084	18,571	22,124	(Discounts.
1,551												Damaged and short.
4,573,196	4,145,321	5,006,088	6,442,235	6,887,621	3,337,768	3,472,543	4,577,880	4,048,662	5,262,985	6,640,140	8,741,590	Total at Honolulu.
370,645	395,566	432,703	519,966	551,862	342,440	426,360	526,601	691,123	800,667	1,042,488	1,627,225	Total at other ports.
4,943,841	4,540,887	5,438,791	6,962,201	7,439,483	3,681,208	3,898,903	5,104,481	4,339,785	6,063,652	7,682,628	10,368,815	Total dutiable merchandise.
(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	Values of goods free by civil code.
4,943,841	4,540,887	5,438,791	6,962,201	7,439,483	4,028,296	4,363,178	5,104,481	5,339,785	6,063,652	7,682,628	10,368,815	Total merchandise.
900,354	1,209,077	1,149,517	829,222	978,355	655,912	933,631	608,700	374,233	1,100,909	1,155,575	1,282,076	Specie.
595,003	546,143	550,010	695,957	732,596	494,385	545,754	522,855	547,149	656,896	708,493	896,976	Customs receipts.

EXPORTS, BY ARTICLES, FROM THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS TO ALL COUNTRIES, FROM 1876 TO 1898.

ARTICLES.	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886
MERCHANDISE.											
Sugar.....pounds..	26,072,429	25,575,965	38,431,458	49,020,972	63,584,871	93,789,483	114,177,938	114,107,155	142,654,923	171,350,314	216,223,615
Rice.....pounds..	2,259,324	2,691,370	2,767,798	4,792,813	6,469,840	7,682,700	12,169,475	11,619,000	9,493,000	7,367,253	7,338,615
Paddy.....pounds..	1,542,663	2,571,987	2,784,861	38,815		102,370	459,633	1,368,705	46,224		
Wool.....pounds..	405,542	385,703	522,757	464,308	381,316	528,489	528,913	318,271	407,623	474,121	418,784
Tallow.....pounds..	327,291	369,829	239,941		19,169	118,031	77,898	32,252	2,804		21,305
Pulu.....pounds..	314,432	150,586	212,740	137,001	44,846	53,415			465		
Coffee.....pounds..	153,667	131,045	127,963	74,275	99,508	18,912	8,131	16,057	4,231	1,675	5,931
Molasses.....gallons..	139,073	151,462	93,136	87,475	198,355	263,587	221,293	193,997	110,530	57,941	113,137
Peanuts.....pounds..	83,947	64,616	2,312	27,525							
Goatskins.....pieces..	45,265	51,551	64,525	24,940	31,013	21,368	23,402	24,798	20,125	19,782	21,173
Fungus.....pounds..	35,893	11,629	22,364	2,571	14,801	4,282	2,111	3,783	2,247	1,137	
Whale oil.....gallons..	33,518	186	7,254		14,662						
Whalebone.....pounds..	23,965	11,507	14,865	816	10,977						
Bananas.....bunches..	14,982	15,995	13,431	12,369	19,164	20,776	28,848	44,902	58,040	60,046	45,862
Hides.....pieces..	11,105	22,164	25,309	24,885	22,945	21,972	26,007	38,955	21,026	19,045	31,207
Ivory.....pounds..	7,917										
Farina.....pounds..	5,605										
Rum.....gallons..	5,455	4,054	4,799	2,184	840						
Horns and bones.....pounds..	4,736										
Sheepskins.....pieces..	3,425				2,230	6,820	4,385	6,583	8,038	8,783	9,255
Cocconuts.....number..	2,000										
Cattle.....number..	828	384	467	50							
Poi.....barrels..	626	410	442	167	30	29	12				
Betel leaves.....boxes..	163	176	221	62	223	230	303	1,026	416	350	295
Hay.....tons..	80										
Salt.....tons..	50	322	180	50	14	302					
Sperm oil.....gallons..		8,051									
Calfskins.....pieces..		195	651	168	80		70	190	117	26	105
Dried bananas.....boxes..									106	892	
Paro flour.....pounds..											440
Awa.....pounds..											20,372
Pineapples.....pieces..	522										
Watermelons.....pieces..											
Canned fruits.....dozen..											
Total domestic exports, dollars.....	1,994,834	2,363,867	3,247,879	3,587,504	4,796,444	6,671,026	8,085,931	7,024,727	7,977,909	8,958,604	10,340,375
Total domestic exports furnished as supplies, dollars.....	60,300	98,550	86,100	78,000	92,750	118,050	80,000	111,500	89,740	89,500	108,600
Total foreign exports, dollars.....	185,908	213,786	214,493	116,214	79,250	66,360	133,085	97,117	117,274	110,654	116,910
Total.....dollars..	2,241,042	2,676,203	3,548,472	3,781,718	4,968,444	6,855,436	8,299,016	8,133,344	8,184,923	9,158,818	10,565,885
Specie.....									671,688	64,602	43,128

EXPORTS, BY ARTICLES, FROM THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS TO ALL COUNTRIES, FROM 1876 TO 1898.

1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	ARTICLES.
212,763,647	235,888,346	242,165,835	259,798,462	274,983,580	263,656,715	330,822,879	306,684,993	294,784,819	443,569,282	520,158,232	444,963,036	MERCHAN-
13,684,200	12,878,600	9,669,896	10,579,000	4,900,450	11,516,328	7,821,004	7,803,972	3,768,762	5,025,491	5,499,499	2,865,700	DISE.
400												Sugar.
75,911	562,289	241,925	374,724	97,119	288,969	391,592	261,337	227,987	462,819	249,200	3,731	Rice.
56,713	204,743	97,125	33,876	27,225	792	13,250				9,000	220,707	Paddy.
												Wool.
												Tallow.
												Pulu.
5,300	7,130	43,673	88,593	3,051	13,568	49,311	189,150	118,755	255,655	337,158	733,285	Coffee.
71,222	47,965	54,612	74,926	55,845	47,988	67,282	72,979	44,970	15,885	33,770	14,537	Molasses.
												Peanuts.
16,233	17,589	11,715	8,661	7,316	3,449	5,911	6,759	6,466	12,647	6,085	9,091	Goatskins.
												Fungus.
												Whale oil.
												Whalebone.
58,938	71,335	105,630	97,204	116,660	105,375	108,239	123,004	105,055	126,413	75,835	80,643	Bananas.
28,639	24,494	27,158	28,196	26,427	21,622	19,826	21,603	19,180		20,100	31,280	Hides.
												Ivory.
												Farina.
												Rum.
							28,320	37,510	59,231	105,235	33,971	Horns and bones.
6,871	5,629	6,188	7,565	7,100	5,358	6,785	6,472	6,564	7,886	9,907	7,519	Sheepskin.
	174	93										Cocoanuts.
												Cattle.
												Poi.
741	356	473	183	185	121	111	114	119	125		120	Betel leaves.
												Hay.
												Salt.
82	52											Sperm oil.
												Calfskins.
												Dried bananas.
1,840	1,318	5,100			1,568	3,050	1,100		4,250	218	35	Taro flour.
9,636	9,209				8,179	16,725	32	12,600	14,120	6	5,376	Awa.
					19,471	29,042	44,903	65,213	147,451	116,715	63,727	Pineapples.
					179	650	1,619					Watermelons.
								972	1,138	115	3,151	Canned fruits.
9,435,204	11,631,435	13,810,071	13,023,304	10,107,316	7,959,938	10,742,653	9,053,310	8,358,107	15,436,037	15,933,689	17,105,543	Total domestic exports, dollars.
177,600	195,800	165,600	139,900	137,000	121,600	144,440	538,000					Total domestic exports furnished as supplies, dollars.
94,243	76,164	64,270	119,525	151,473	100,149	75,499	87,485	116,031	79,193	88,086	102,782	Total foreign exports, dollars.
9,707,074	11,903,399	14,039,941	13,282,729	10,395,789	8,181,687	10,962,598	9,678,795	8,474,138	15,515,230	16,021,775	17,208,825	Total, dollars.
21,576	28,520	46,909	13,675	24,000	100,000						138,420	Specie.

a Boxes.

VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, DUTIABLE BY CIVIL CODE, BUT FREE BY RECIPROCITY TREATY, 1876 TO 1897.

BY ARTICLES.

ARTICLES.	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Animals and birds.....		11,785	17,840	78,519	80,564	80,538	74,468	107,436	86,946	50,475	93,105
Building materials.....	6,087	36,765	45,085	40,890	60,623	63,277	53,680	96,087	64,176	32,354	64,413
Clothing, boots, and hats.....	9,299	51,417	53,889	55,596	84,395	104,419	133,945	142,992	133,468	110,090	147,702
Coal and coke.....											
Dry goods:											
Cottons.....	35,503	89,394	83,809	78,553	87,115	125,557	151,550	153,176	108,908	140,387	179,685
Woolens.....	2,079	6,785	12,243	11,766	10,562	9,260	17,351	12,076	13,585	13,128	16,486
Mixtures.....	91	5,431	4,525	4,806	1,035	2,965	956	2,181	3,473	1,836	2,570
Fancy goods, millinery, etc.....	1,496	2,377	2,138	1,859	2,768	2,964	4,321	7,296	5,367	5,810	7,479
Fish, dry and salt.....	6,400	24,003	38,051	52,301	25,813	51,198	53,316	79,222	63,609	62,475	78,185
Flour.....	17,914	76,307	102,594	80,845	99,552	95,485	120,118	166,047	168,061	143,146	146,979
Fruits, fresh.....	1,488	2,314	3,337	4,763	3,993	4,662	6,069	8,952	10,743	12,740	10,809
Furniture.....	7,299	20,540	25,050	32,337	35,529	32,137	55,991	56,389	40,937	20,673	40,073
Grain and feed.....	3,885	20,465	33,315	53,403	72,186	117,490	163,626	190,296	183,616	200,103	233,897
Groceries and provisions.....	23,937	97,711	188,861	217,772	253,951	296,324	341,345	416,006	360,906	297,331	353,163
Guns and gun materials.....	26	2,034	3,291	1,906	2,557	2,555	4,597	4,796	2,902	3,580	2,433
Hardware, agricultural implements, etc.....	38,417	105,609	145,107	140,551	156,979	194,450	195,960	243,642	176,717	116,540	188,892
Iron, steel, etc.....	4,859	26,295	15,620	33,471	15,189	20,292	15,567	21,206	14,503	29,080	20,828
Leather.....	1,539	15,408	19,055	20,969	35,563	37,792	40,736	48,567	41,343	39,466	45,006
Lumber.....	36,439	131,815	181,298	183,199	221,142	224,581	245,858	331,419	283,851	195,714	225,776
Machinery.....	7,750	83,714	323,185	199,477	98,659	131,267	142,732	208,101	141,804	152,506	186,701
Matches.....		16,627	4,454	3,964	8,061	13,590	12,829	7,297	4,135	10,761	15,233
Musical instruments.....									5,572	3,403	828
Naval stores.....	10,744	29,704	34,150	29,602	42,997	40,862	55,693	71,066	35,378	29,329	37,601
Oils: Coconut, kerosene, whale, etc.....	41,258	35,487	35,835	54,447	56,564	54,265	81,875	107,799	61,719	50,671	100,847
Paints, paint oils, and turpentine.....	367	943	1,249	503	2,157	1,735	2,358	3,905	2,051	1,043	1,033
Perfumery and toilet articles.....	232	1,246	668	448	1,001	1,437	1,272	2,650	2,906	2,969	3,654
Railroad material, rails, cars, etc.....								1,862	78	1,884	3,237
Saddlery, carriages, and material.....	6,936	26,912	31,527	46,643	36,679	36,875	36,925	45,554	33,452	30,709	42,125
Sheathing metal.....											
Shooks, bags, and containers.....	16,623	19,973	33,829	9,850	5,220	8,716	9,655	20,810	18,784	5,665	10,834
Stationery and books.....	8,716	21,198	20,997	32,778	36,046	39,641	49,643	53,409	53,247	45,375	60,232
Tobacco, cigars, etc.....	9,065	31,260	42,832	49,250	75,479	69,214	84,526	94,845	93,657	84,781	106,698
Sundry merchandise, not specified.....	50,270	35,232	47,921	57,811	39,372	39,361	51,557	53,381	35,842	30,303	47,084
Charges on invoices.....	6,383	20,028	30,632	29,863	26,178	32,664	35,228	43,990	34,649	28,775	33,927
Total.....	355,102	1,048,809	1,580,387	1,626,142	1,667,929	1,935,573	2,243,747	2,803,953	2,289,385	1,962,102	2,508,115
Discounts.....											
Total at Honolulu.....	355,102	1,048,809	1,580,387	1,626,142	1,667,929	1,935,573	2,243,747	2,803,953	2,289,385	1,962,102	2,508,115
Total at other ports.....		58,946	56,622	203,803	365,896	718,297	552,005	374,201	340,374	344,616	328,893
Total.....	355,102	1,107,755	1,637,009	1,829,945	2,033,825	2,653,870	2,795,752	3,178,154	2,629,759	2,306,718	2,837,008

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States.....	1,115,238	1,762,806	2,053,727	2,294,117	2,628,289	3,171,853	3,473,608	3,982,084	3,367,586	2,940,837	4,001,924
United Kingdom.....	83,351	291,706	549,116	841,945	622,067	871,855	798,763	939,295	769,005	486,023	369,740
China and Japan.....	51,317	32,119	83,793	125,903	121,219	77,083	138,837	70,093	179,162	118,864	266,203
Germany.....	214,574	202,149	119,746	190,744	48,689	123,713	185,190	216,332	225,544	161,893	94,463
Australia and New Zealand.....	43,520	76,638	52,777	77,351	61,594	50,529	33,209	38,212	72,027	68,627	129,029
France.....			19,079	33,854	16,825	24,261	18,212	30,934	21,721	14,383	
Other countries and by whale ships.....	a 310,078	a 188,938	a 168,132	a 179,064	a 174,585	a 228,685	a 325,991	a 347,290	2,469	39,918	15,780
Total.....	1,818,678	2,554,356	3,046,370	3,742,978	3,673,268	4,547,979	4,974,510	5,624,240	4,637,514	3,830,545	4,877,739
Per cent of United States.....	61.34	69.14	67.42	61.29	71.56	69.74	69.84	70.81	72.62	76.78	82.04

a Imports free under civil code not reported by countries.

VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, DUTIABLE BY CIVIL CODE, BUT FREE BY RECIPROCITY TREATY, 1876 TO 1897.

BY ARTICLES.

1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	ARTICLES.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
70,979	57,056	69,203	153,234	114,437	32,566	21,338	47,142	32,865	50,097	100,583	Animals and birds.
60,458	41,179	51,586	74,020	70,675	46,947	43,007	38,499	50,983	56,845	74,656	Building materials.
139,144	123,943	155,705	164,469	164,903	94,255	104,432	118,190	154,186	155,573	225,168	Clothing, boots, and hats.
		22,603	15,477	10,784	8,504	999	1,798	1,251	1,575	4,954	Coal and coke.
											Dry goods:
168,076	191,642	236,044	261,795	188,186	108,672	199,515	205,360	286,860	236,408	241,127	Cottons.
14,608	8,849	8,072	9,408	9,175	3,145	4,607	4,724	5,190	5,681	8,597	Woolens.
3,897	1,481	1,107	1,080	658	116	538	1,625	258	737	850	Mixtures.
10,359	6,484	8,378	7,387	6,680	6,011	7,193	5,443	6,830	9,644	16,768	Fancy goods, millinery, etc.
88,335	77,103	76,592	93,493	89,243	69,191	69,848	63,872	44,432	49,905	76,413	Fish, dry and salt.
175,662	166,009	170,264	201,041	271,662	216,805	166,395	161,246	167,979	155,346	226,279	Flour.
12,664	11,756	11,915	11,243	10,964	7,972	8,091	9,238	12,830	13,471	15,145	Fruits, fresh.
36,424	24,073	35,020	54,848	54,655	20,907	31,974	41,994	41,052	56,107	63,418	Furniture.
287,780	259,478	245,079	369,777	439,479	321,981	258,574	289,215	224,602	273,279	368,809	Grain and feed.
358,358	321,974	375,848	458,417	452,655	295,500	285,220	304,839	296,736	319,529	371,568	Groceries and provisions.
10,669	3,116	5,082	8,166	4,459	2,102	9,043	3,994	12,189	3,315	3,675	Guns and gun materials.
157,921	141,611	218,360	283,175	231,355	120,132	143,466	224,066	223,633	206,133	320,214	Hardware, agricultural implements, etc.
22,730	14,223	27,068	51,122	46,977	6,822	7,569	10,683	8,940	15,892	45,973	Iron, steel, etc.
45,575	42,540	40,534	43,930	39,406	26,918	30,948	33,030	26,835	40,528	41,248	Leather.
199,442	196,874	232,273	343,229	296,048	169,391	151,092	159,455	202,563	254,952	285,028	Lumber.
132,721	116,213	299,825	358,392	456,864	95,967	86,435	186,920	197,841	246,530	484,928	Machinery.
12,510	3,406	12,306	12,062	12,860	6,909	7,350	20,354	25,225	14,457	12,665	Matches.
4,000	1,754	3,876	7,704	3,073	2,705	5,290	6,479	7,503	15,649	10,833	Musical instruments.
39,921	30,036	64,524	54,077	70,059	30,535	31,023	42,572	40,235	36,744	50,434	Naval stores.
76,775	73,908	104,140	106,176	146,997	72,753	80,617	75,000	76,433	80,887	70,623	Oils: Cocoanut, kerosene, whale, etc.
2,029	1,666	2,901	2,509	3,794	2,086	1,214	2,041	3,235	1,466	2,160	Paints, paint oils, and turpentine.
2,370	4,306	6,335	5,837	5,728	5,391	3,893	4,973	5,697	6,680	7,759	Perfumery and toilet articles.
1,765	4,429	53,331	56,824	24,106	7,639	2,435	9,305	61,212	5,451	56,830	Railroad material, rails, cars, etc.
41,316	38,836	42,480	65,406	38,636	17,904	22,414	27,895	29,119	44,848	53,663	Saddlery, carriages, and material.
		4,531	6,924	3,527	3,934	6,432	11,036	198	9,151	1,254	Sheathing metal.
13,203	6,956	8,355	10,142	10,637	9,983	9,951	11,537	8,461		14,038	Shooks, bags, and containers.
55,931	52,029	61,386	54,490	55,926	49,442	47,835	56,484	47,239	69,946	77,207	Stationery and books.
94,221	97,007	112,856	142,456	153,491	124,012	125,237	126,800	121,561	133,404	139,468	Tobacco, cigars, etc.
46,579	40,750	47,732	55,510	63,171	36,919	46,897	55,638	58,266	64,843	71,089	Sundry merchandise, not specified.
30,741	27,072	36,936	36,038	40,104	22,373	24,952	26,271	29,250	24,519	32,058	Charges on invoices.
2,417,171	2,192,750	2,852,247	3,579,857	3,593,434	2,046,039	2,045,844	2,388,347	2,511,689	2,659,592	3,575,529	Total.
	7,182	5,266	8,043	6,212	5,443	6,505	4,657	4,569	4,253	2,489	Discounts.
2,417,171	2,185,568	2,846,961	3,571,814	3,587,222	2,040,596	2,039,339	2,383,690	2,507,120	2,655,339	3,573,041	Total at Honolulu.
181,908	282,120	317,355	406,208	409,600	300,121	373,730	354,524	511,635	570,321	745,903	Total at other ports.
2,599,079	2,467,688	3,164,316	3,978,022	3,996,822	2,340,717	2,413,069	2,738,214	3,018,755	3,225,660	4,318,944	Total.

BY COUNTRIES.

1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	COUNTRIES.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
3,647,994	3,329,512	4,305,621	5,259,154	5,294,279	3,838,360	4,308,188	4,354,290	4,516,319	5,464,208	6,800,028	United States.
661,541	652,172	674,831	1,104,022	1,201,329	380,080	421,018	465,480	471,123	755,801	865,781	United Kingdom.
282,556	199,706	200,925	277,607	287,957	214,701	311,573	414,138	430,827	575,555	552,734	China and Japan.
184,562	183,125	90,741	148,288	384,146	99,114	73,956	140,233	110,752	147,527	192,932	Germany.
157,870	110,933	116,192	142,554	185,157	105,203	126,044	186,519	122,805	113,645	122,453	Australia and New Zealand.
11,605	9,283	4,781	7,704	21,666	4,642	5,301	8,786	7,830	17,721	30,997	France.
17,713	56,156	45,700	22,872	64,949	42,107	100,729	143,735	54,342	190,104	273,277	Other countries and by whale ships.
4,943,841	4,540,887	5,438,791	6,962,201	7,439,483	4,684,207	5,346,800	5,713,181	5,714,018	7,164,561	8,838,202	Total.
73.78	73.32	79.10	75.55	71.16	81.93	80.59	76.23	79.04	76.27	76.94	Per cent of United States.

VALUE OF ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, BY COUNTRIES, DURING THE YEAR 1898.

ARTICLES.	United States.	United Kingdom.	Canada.	Australia and New Zealand.	Germany.	China.	Japan.	France.	Other countries.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Ale, beer, cider, porter	75,726	2,059			4,568				156	82,509
Animals and birds	134,556		38	568	66	38	44			135,310
Building material	101,786	63,300		225	25,613		50			190,974
Clothing, boots, etc	296,556	22,223	100	375	13,639	16,344	24,303	4,073		377,613
Coal and coke	5,979									5,979
Crockery and glassware	34,956	13,501	3		2,695	1,319	2,906	333	348	56,061
Drugs	55,962	8,086	440	1,081	808	8,852	2,140	404	160	77,933
Dry goods	270,121	169,709	1,503	2,605	19,072	10,846	31,524	1,346		506,726
Fancy goods and millinery	54,515	58,327		6	9,649	1,443	4,417	2,165	115	130,637
Fish	92,300	552	4,228	6	71	21,843	7,047			126,047
Flour	319,529	15	9		80	13,304				332,937
Fruits, fresh	16,137			26		511	307		573	17,554
Furniture	87,834	6,513	278	445	982	16,401	4,484	39	39	117,015
Grain and feed	522,056		6			2	18			522,082
Groceries and provisions	504,933	20,653	910	8,753	4,377	66,946	89,884	1,077	808	704,339
Guns, gun material, and powder	30,219	2,789	7		663	272				33,950
Hardware	402,890	37,728		45	4,374	2,616	1,350	68	60	449,131
Iron and steel	50,440	10,883			1,044					62,367
Jewelry	31,197	562			929	896	343			33,927
Leather	46,365	252		1,215						47,832
Lumber	363,870	218	3,289	152					57	367,586
Machinery	560,722	65,133	40		31,144	317	79			657,435
Matches	13,163	267			86		730			14,246
Musical instruments	15,953				2,794	145	56		146	19,094
Naval stores	60,160	5,444		469	784	3	1,098			67,958
Oils	94,311	716			342	21,835	37		10	117,251
Paints	52,948	24,360		1,044	39	51		22		78,464
Perfumery and toilet	14,305	2,907			708	412	1,316	1,936	44	21,628
Railroad material	57,262	46,505	1,342		9,592					114,701
Saddlery	132,475	6,881		863	273					140,492
Sheathing metal	1,254									1,254
Spirits	79,066	2,676	74		4,590	338		99	579	87,422
Shooks and containers	64,453	172,976	18		1,023					238,470
Stationery	74,481	3,218	6	68	745	2,572	1,161	152	10	82,413
Tea	7,213	1,570		311	3	22,121	3,713			34,931
Tin and tinware	8,117	3,297			138	14	38	28		11,632
Tobacco and cigars	143,625	275			1,758	4,557	223		25,428	175,866
Wines	2,475				22		54,197		950	57,644
Sundries	164,897	14,881	215	743	6,857	28,480	36,354	1,308	36	253,771
In bond	38,761	14,223	2,684	210	8,799	17,293	4,514	5,122	47,669	139,275
Total										6,692,456
Free by civil code, including specie										2,145,747
Grand total	5,083,568	788,699	15,190	19,210	158,327	259,771	272,333	18,172	77,186	8,898,203
Per cent of total (not including civil code imports)	75.97	11.60	.32	.29	2.36	3.88	4.06	.27	1.15	.....

VALUE OF ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, BY COUNTRIES, DURING THE YEARS 1897
AND 1898.

1897.

ARTICLES.	UNITED STATES.				CANADA.		JAPAN AND CHINA.		AUSTRALASIA AND ISLANDS OF THE PACIFIC.		TOTAL.	
	Pacific ports.		Atlantic ports.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.								
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Sugar.....lbs..	343, 158, 232	10, 118, 216	177, 373, 960	5, 272, 007	.....	.....	.....	.....	4, 823	199	520, 537, 015	15, 390, 422
Rice.....lbs..	5, 448, 700	225, 056	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10, 799	520	5, 499, 499	225, 576
Coffee.....lbs..	288, 228	89, 813	.....	.....	21, 352	4, 021	50	10	27, 528	5, 852	337, 158	99, 696
Bananas.....bunches..	74, 759	74, 365	.....	.....	1, 068	1, 036	6	6	12	6	75, 835	75, 413
Wool.....lbs..	204, 720	17, 750	.....	.....	44, 480	3, 558	.....	.....	.....	.....	249, 200	21, 308
Hides.....	.....	87, 545	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87, 545
Pineapples.....	.....	11, 946	.....	.....	.....	2, 214	.....	.....	.....	263	.....	14, 423
Goatskins.....pieces..	6, 085	2, 055	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6, 085	2, 055
Sheepskins.....pieces..	9, 907	2, 712	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9, 907	2, 712
Tallow.....lbs..	9, 000	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9, 000	225
Molasses.....galls..	33, 020	2, 800	.....	.....	750	93	.....	.....	.....	.....	33, 770	2, 893
Betel leaves.....boxes..	145	509	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	145	509
Tar flour.....sacks..	218	268	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	218	268
Plants and seeds.....pkgs..	40, 752	1, 735	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	1, 740
Sundry fruit.....	.....	569	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	572
Awa.....pkgs..	6	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	27
Bones and horns.....pieces..	105, 235	666	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105, 235	666
Curios.....pkgs..	11	169	.....	.....	.....	66	.....	3	.....	351	.....	589
Canned fruit.....cases..	72	165	.....	.....	45	183	.....	.....	.....	.....	115	348
Sundries.....	13	649	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	20	.....	1, 000	.....	1, 709
Honey.....cases..	108	648	.....	.....	.....	198	.....	.....	.....	4, 147	.....	4, 993
Total.....	.....	10, 637, 888	.....	5, 272, 007	.....	11, 409	.....	42	.....	12, 343	.....	15, 933, 689
Foreign.....	.....	51, 143	.....	991	.....	9, 745	.....	14, 350	.....	11, 857	.....	88, 086
Grand total.....	.....	10, 689, 031	.....	5, 272, 998	.....	21, 154	.....	14, 392	.....	24, 200	.....	16, 021, 775
Per cent of total.....	.....	66. 72	.....	32. 90	.....	. 15	.....	. 08	.....	. 15	.....	100
From—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Honolulu.....	.....	7, 320, 556	.....	4, 383, 596	.....	21, 154	.....	14, 392	.....	24, 200	.....	11, 763, 898
Kahului.....	.....	1, 124, 081	.....	423, 962	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 548, 043
Hilo.....	.....	1, 459, 031	.....	465, 440	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 924, 471
Mahukona.....	.....	785, 363	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	785, 363
Waimea.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

VALUE OF ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, BY COUNTRIES, DURING THE YEARS
1897 AND 1898—Continued.

1898.

ARTICLES.	UNITED STATES.				CANADA.		JAPAN AND CHINA.		AUSTRALIA AND ISLANDS OF THE PACIFIC.		TOTAL.	
	Pacific ports.		Atlantic ports.									
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Sugar.....lbs.	367,449,369	13,807,665	77,512,242	2,806,765					1,425	192	444,963,036	16,614,622
Rice.....lbs.	2,865,500	149,269			200	10					2,865,700	149,279
Coffee.....lbs.	695,847	102,918	100	20	26,779	4,492	8,065	1,265	33,494	7,250	733,285	115,945
Bananas.....bunches	79,482	65,419			1,161	1,162					80,643	66,581
Wool.....lbs.	3,731	265									3,731	265
Hides.....		114,647						300				114,947
Pineapples.....		6,338				2,329				2		8,669
Goats and deerskins.....pieces	9,087	4,265							4	20	9,091	4,285
Sheepskins.....pieces	7,519	2,358									7,519	2,358
Tallow.....lbs.	220,707	7,949									220,707	7,949
Molasses.....galls	14,537	919									14,537	919
Betel leaves.....boxes	120	512									120	512
Taro flour.....boxes	35	23									35	23
Plants and seeds.....		2,909								12		2,921
Sundry fruit.....		451				22						473
Awa.....lbs.	5,376	409									5,376	409
Bones and horns.....lbs.	33,971	2,353									33,971	2,353
Curios.....pkgs.	7	111					2	35	19	725	28	871
Canned pines.....cases	3,077	5,581			74	235					3,151	5,816
Honey.....cases	11	65					70	190	692	3,058	773	3,313
Specie.....		100,000						33,620		4,800		138,420
Sundries.....		1,417		50		643		168		755		3,033
Total.....		14,375,843		2,806,835		8,893		35,578		16,814		17,243,963
Foreign.....		73,050		357		15,070		9,245		5,060		102,782
Grand total.....		14,448,893		2,807,192		23,963		44,823		21,874		17,346,745
Per cent of total.....		83.25		16.19		.15		.28		.13		100
From—												
Honolulu.....		9,531,469		1,989,380		23,963		44,823		21,874		11,611,509
Kahului.....		1,585,506		258,149								1,843,655
Hilo.....		2,904,290		559,663								3,463,953
Mahukona.....		427,628										427,628

INTERNAL TAXES OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FROM 1872 TO 1896 (BY BIENNIAL PERIODS, EXCEPT FOR
1895 AND 1896).

[From the Hawaiian Annual, 1898.]

BIENNIAL PERIODS ENDED MARCH—	Real estate.	Personal Property.	Poll.	Horses.	Mules.	Dogs.	Carriages.	Scamen.	Roads and carts.	School.	Total.
1872.....	52,353	45,329	27,841	53,006	6,140	22,271	3,125	5,894			
1874.....	53,892	42,708	27,620	50,088	6,073	19,555	3,490	3,296			
1876.....	58,645	47,988	27,372	48,194	6,012	18,676	3,987	3,056			
1878.....	94,584	94,378	28,722	47,564	3,053	16,465	4,806	2,114	39,418	54,106	385,269
1880.....	143,716	155,944	35,484	43,399		15,173	5,780	815	64,940	67,472	532,723
1882.....	187,920	208,096	45,998	42,819	(a)	13,965	7,125	642	90,041	87,322	683,937
1884.....	223,100	254,286	52,964	21,975	1,941	13,924	8,750	402	103,054	100,278	780,674
1886.....	227,195	262,307	61,745	(b)	3,303	13,315	10,635	114	118,256	115,298	812,167
1888.....	252,362	299,974	63,115		6,279	11,985	11,835		120,872	119,565	885,987
1890.....	339,390	329,908	69,116		3,063	14,100	13,940		132,286	131,160	1,032,963
1892.....	258,745	341,205	78,964		4,156	13,660	14,628	(c)	152,137	151,906	1,115,401
1894.....	338,894	213,126	78,990		3,867	11,744	11,980	5,476	152,268	152,247	1,068,592
1894 (d).....	167,083	151,580	39,050		1,850	4,698	4,427	3,922	74,891	75,082	522,583
1895.....	196,608	164,272	43,663	(e)	1,803	5,971	5,425	7,297	84,183	83,470	592,692
1896.....	240,971	210,194	46,655	7,698	1,837	6,302	5,889	7,255	90,297	89,443	706,541

a Insurance.

b Included in personal property.

c Penalty; costs.

d Nine months.

e Inheritance.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS AND VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, FROM 1843 TO 1898.

YEAR.	Receipts.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.		
		Dutiable.	Free by treaty.	Free by civil code.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1843.....	8,468.00	223,388.00			223,388.00		66,618.00	66,618.00
1844.....	14,263.00	350,347.00			350,347.00	109,587.00	60,054.00	169,641.00
1845.....	25,189.00	581,440.99			581,440.99	202,700.00	67,010.00	269,710.00
1846.....	36,506.00	627,023.40			627,023.40	620,525.00	62,325.00	682,850.00
1847.....	48,801.00	738,150.19			738,150.19	209,018.00	55,208.00	264,226.00
1848.....	55,568.00	633,103.28			633,103.28	266,819.00	33,551.00	300,370.00
1849.....	83,231.00	771,763.84			771,763.84	185,083.00	198,102.00	383,185.00
1850.....	121,506.00	1,101,528.30			1,101,528.30	536,522.00	246,529.00	783,051.00
1851.....	160,602.00	1,813,821.68			1,813,821.68	309,828.00	381,402.00	691,230.00
1852.....	113,001.00	759,868.54			759,868.54	257,251.00	381,142.00	638,393.00
1853.....	155,050.00	1,400,975.86			1,400,975.86	281,599.00	191,397.00	472,996.00
1854.....	152,125.00	1,590,837.66			1,590,837.66	274,029.00	311,092.00	585,121.00
1855.....	158,411.00	1,383,169.87			1,383,169.87	274,741.00	297,859.00	572,600.00
1856.....	123,171.00	1,151,422.93			1,151,422.93	466,278.00	204,545.00	670,823.00
1857.....	140,777.00	1,130,165.00			1,130,165.00	423,303.00	222,222.00	645,525.00
1858.....	116,138.00	1,089,660.00			1,089,660.00	529,966.00	257,115.00	787,081.00
1859.....	132,129.00	1,555,558.00			1,555,558.00	628,575.00	302,754.00	931,329.00
1860.....	116,069.56	1,082,202.37		141,546.68	1,223,749.05	480,526.54	326,932.66	807,459.20
1861.....	98,953.99	650,897.10		110,212.47	761,109.57	476,872.74	182,901.98	659,774.72
1862.....	107,490.42	883,243.07		114,966.60	998,239.67	586,541.87	251,882.74	838,424.61
1863.....	123,352.68	1,076,509.95		98,983.30	1,175,493.25	744,413.54	281,439.20	1,025,852.74
1864.....	159,116.72	1,518,935.29		193,307.32	1,712,242.61	1,113,328.81	548,852.66	1,662,181.47
1865.....	192,566.63	1,734,870.93		211,394.75	1,946,265.68	1,521,211.82	287,045.73	1,808,257.55
1866.....	215,047.08	1,840,829.65		152,991.91	1,993,821.56	1,505,821.61	428,755.15	1,934,576.76
1867.....	220,599.91	1,820,668.12		136,742.05	1,957,410.17	1,324,122.02	355,539.85	1,679,661.87
1868.....	210,076.30	1,817,876.05		117,914.67	1,935,790.72	1,450,269.26	447,946.37	1,898,215.63
1869.....	215,798.42	1,791,030.47		249,649.63	2,040,680.10	1,743,291.59	623,067.24	2,366,358.83
1870.....	223,815.75	1,708,172.25		222,055.17	1,930,227.42	1,514,425.06	630,517.56	2,144,942.62
1871.....	221,332.34	1,506,850.12		119,034.15	1,625,884.27	1,733,094.46	1,158,974.99	2,892,069.45
1872.....	218,375.43	1,594,920.08		151,258.69	1,746,178.97	1,402,685.38	204,836.61	1,607,521.99
1873.....	198,655.76	1,348,283.25		89,328.52	1,437,611.77	1,725,507.78	402,546.88	2,128,054.66
1874.....	183,857.66	1,185,302.70		125,524.70	1,310,827.40	1,622,455.37	217,164.90	1,839,620.27
1875.....	213,447.21	1,505,670.08		176,800.95	1,682,471.03	1,835,382.91	254,353.09	2,089,736.00
1876.....	199,036.40	1,220,009.05	343,830.95	247,930.56	1,811,770.56	2,055,133.55	185,908.36	2,241,041.91
1877.....	230,498.71	1,327,496.76	1,100,642.52	126,216.81	2,554,356.09	2,462,416.66	213,786.32	2,676,202.98
1878.....	284,426.42	1,313,811.27	1,619,987.61	112,570.82	3,046,369.70	3,333,979.49	214,492.35	3,548,471.84
1879.....	359,671.05	1,772,983.67	1,820,355.33	149,639.41	3,742,978.41	3,665,503.76	116,214.21	3,781,717.97
1880.....	402,181.63	1,520,095.15	2,026,557.90	126,615.36	3,673,268.41	4,889,194.40	79,250.47	4,968,444.87
1881.....	423,192.01	1,746,123.55	2,646,577.12	155,277.97	4,547,078.64	6,789,076.38	66,360.18	6,855,436.56
1882.....	505,390.98	1,946,775.47	2,788,974.63	238,759.01	4,974,510.01	8,165,931.34	133,085.36	8,299,016.70
1883.....	577,332.87	2,187,543.71	3,169,415.70	267,280.68	5,624,240.09	8,036,227.11	97,116.77	8,133,343.88
1884.....	551,736.59	1,760,243.58	2,619,511.74	257,758.90	4,637,514.22	8,067,648.82	788,961.48	8,856,610.30
1885.....	502,337.38	1,314,355.93	2,302,181.37	214,007.28	3,830,544.58	8,958,663.88	200,154.13	9,158,818.01
1886.....	580,444.04	1,781,439.91	2,831,879.32	264,419.50	4,877,738.73	10,340,375.17	225,510.41	10,565,885.58
1887.....	595,002.64	1,998,164.85	2,692,436.31	253,233.56	4,943,840.72	9,435,204.12	271,843.21	9,707,047.33
1888.....	546,142.63	1,737,819.90	2,467,687.56	325,380.00	4,540,887.46	11,631,434.88	76,163.88	11,707,598.76
1889.....	550,010.16	1,851,324.36	3,164,335.73	423,130.54	5,438,790.63	13,810,070.54	64,270.86	13,874,341.40
1890.....	605,956.91	2,551,940.66	3,978,022.36	432,238.11	6,962,201.13	13,023,304.16	119,525.32	13,142,829.48
1891.....	732,594.93	2,888,643.45	3,996,881.63	553,957.57	7,439,482.65	10,107,315.67	151,472.60	10,258,788.27
1892.....	494,385.10	1,340,490.39	2,340,717.24	347,087.68	4,028,295.31	7,959,938.05	100,149.16	8,060,087.21
1893.....	545,754.16	1,485,833.40	2,413,069.25	464,274.93	4,363,177.58	10,742,658.50	75,499.59	10,818,158.09
1894.....	522,855.41	1,705,431.40	2,738,213.68	660,836.35	5,104,481.43	9,053,309.87	87,484.69	9,140,794.56
1895.....	547,149.04	1,705,363.17	3,018,755.42	615,666.45	5,339,785.04	8,358,106.79	116,031.36	8,474,138.15
1896.....	656,895.82	2,093,805.51	3,225,659.80	744,187.10	6,063,652.41	15,436,037.23	79,192.90	15,515,230.13
1897.....	708,493.05	2,373,511.36	4,318,944.30	920,172.43	7,682,628.09	15,933,688.98	88,086.21	16,021,775.19
1898.....	806,975.70	3,137,576.26	5,720,170.92	1,511,067.91	10,368,815.09	17,105,542.55	241,202.24	17,346,744.79
	16,672,555.49	82,729,268.78	63,344,808.39	11,903,457.59	157,977,534.76	235,716,536.66	13,733,444.67	249,449,981.33

NOTE.—Specie importations not considered.

ANNUAL INTERNAL TAXES OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FROM 1876 TO 1896.

[From the Hawaiian Annual, 1898.]

YEAR.	Taxes col- lected.	Tax per capita. (a)	YEAR.	Taxes col- lected.	Tax per capita. (a)
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1876.....	162,880	2.84	1887.....	467,719	5.41
1877.....	219,628	3.86	1888.....	482,938	5.71
1878.....	245,387	4.23	1889.....	537,494	6.19
1879.....	290,380	4.58	1890.....	560,757	6.23
1880.....	317,872	4.76	1891.....	555,428	5.85
1881.....	367,004	5.18	1892.....	529,180	5.50
1882.....	379,071	5.29	1893.....	539,412	5.37
1883.....	417,794	5.16	1894.....	522,583	5.14
1884.....	409,000	5.07	1895.....	592,692	5.62
1885.....	432,656	5.09	1896.....	706,541	6.48
1886.....	417,103	4.67			

a Omitting fractions.

RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES, AND PUBLIC DEBT OF HAWAII FOR BIENNIAL PERIODS.

[From Hawaiian Annual, 1898.]

Periods ending March up to 1894, then De- cember 31.	Revenue.	Expenditures.	Cash bal- ance in Treasury.	Public debt.	Periods ending March up to 1894, then De- cember 31.	Revenue.	Expenditures.	Cash bal- ance in Treasury.	Public debt.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1856.....	419,228.16	424,778.25	28,096.84	22,000.00	1878.....	1,151,713.45	1,110,471.90	130,841.04	444,800.00
1858.....	537,223.86	599,879.61	349.24	60,679.15	1880.....	1,703,736.88	1,495,697.48	338,880.44	388,900.00
1860.....	571,041.71	612,410.55	13,127.52	128,777.33	1882.....	2,070,259.94	2,282,599.33	126,541.05	299,200.00
1862.....	528,039.92	606,893.33	507.40	188,671.86	1884.....	3,092,085.42	3,216,406.05	2,220.42	898,800.00
1864.....	538,445.34	511,511.10	22,583.29	166,649.09	1886.....	3,010,654.61	3,003,700.18	9,174.85	1,065,000.00
1866.....	721,104.30	566,241.02	169,059.34	182,974.60	1888.....	4,812,575.95	4,712,285.20	109,465.63	1,936,500.00
1868.....	825,498.98	786,617.55	163,567.84	120,815.23	1890.....	3,632,196.85	3,250,510.35	491,152.10	2,599,502.94
1870.....	834,112.65	930,550.20	61,580.20	126,568.68	1892.....	3,916,880.72	4,095,891.44	312,141.38	3,217,161.13
1872.....	912,130.74	969,784.14	56,752.41	177,971.29	1894.....	3,587,204.98	3,715,232.83	184,113.53	3,417,450.87
1874.....	1,136,523.95	1,192,511.79	764.57	335,050.76	1895.....	3,506,183.96	3,172,070.73	69,225.76	3,811,064.49
1876.....	1,008,956.42	919,356.93	89,599.49	459,187.59	1896.....	2,383,070.78	2,137,103.38	315,193.16	4,191,174.25

BONDED DEBT, ETC., OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, JUNE 30, 1896.

[From the Hawaiian Annual, 1898.]

YEAR.	Per cent.	Amount.
Under loan act of—		
1876.....	7	\$1,500.00
1882.....	6	67,400.00
1886.....	6	2,000,000.00
1888.....	6	190,000.00
1890.....	5 and 6	121,100.00
1892.....	5 and 6	82,100.00
1893.....	6	650,000.00
1896.....	5	222,000.00
Total bonded debt, etc.....		3,337,100.00
Due postal savings bank depositors.....		782,074.25
Total.....		4,119,174.25

The following matter is from the report of United States Consul-General Haywood at Honolulu to the Department of State, under date of September 30, 1897.

TARIFF ON IMPORTS INTO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS (CONDENSED).

ARTICLES.	From United States.	From other countries.
Ale, beer, cider, and porter	20 cents per dozen	20 cents per dozen.
Animals and birds	Free	10 per cent.
Building materials	do	Do.
Asphaltum, fire clay, window glass, plaster of paris, stone, sand, tiles	10 per cent.	Do.
Clothing, boots and shoes	Free	Do.
Linen collars, collars and cuffs, hats, jackets, ladies' cloaks, oil clothing, rubber clothing, linen shirts, underclothing.	10 per cent.	Do.
Skirts, suits	do	Do.
Coal and coke	Free	Free.
Crockery and glassware	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Lamp fixtures	Free	Do.
Drugs and medicines	10 per cent.	Do.
Artificial limbs and sponges	Free	Do.
Dry goods	do	Do.
Linens	10 per cent.	Do.
Silks	25 per cent.	25 per cent.
Woolens	Free	10 per cent.
Fancy goods	do	Do.
Beads, bonnets, buttons, binding, collars	10 per cent.	Do.
Feather dusters	do	Do.
Embroidery and feathers	25 per cent.	25 per cent.
Kid gloves	\$3 per dozen	\$3 per dozen.
Silk gloves	25 per cent.	25 per cent.
Gold leaf	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Hooks and eyes, Hoods	do	Do.
Parasols, pins, veils, suspenders, linen thread, trimmings, umbrellas, assorted	do	Do.
Lace, mitts, sewing silk, silk umbrellas	25 per cent.	25 per cent.
Fish, dry and salt	Free	10 per cent.
Flour	do	Do.
Fruit, fresh	do	Do.
Furniture	do	Do.
Oilcloth	10 per cent.	Do.
Looking-glasses	do	Do.
Grain and feed	Free	Do.
Groceries and provisions	do	Do.
Chocolate, cocoa, condensed milk, glucose, honey, indigo blue, sago, tapioca	10 per cent.	Do.
Guns, revolvers, and findings	Free	25 per cent.
Caps, cartridges, gunpowder	25 per cent.	Do.
Fuse, blasting powder, giant powder	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Hardware, agricultural implements, and tools	Free	Do.
Glue, lead, stove polish, corks	10 per cent.	Do.
Iron, steel, etc.	Free	Do.
Brass	10 per cent.	Do.
Railroad equipment	Free	10 per cent.
Jewelry	10 to 25 per cent	10 to 25 per cent.
Leather	Free	10 per cent.
Lumber	do	Do.
Machinery	do	Do.
Coffee machinery	do	Free.
Matches	do	10 per cent.
Musical instruments	do	Do.
Naval stores	do	Do.
Oils	do	Do.
Peanut oil	2½ pounds	2½ pounds.
Cocoanut, neats foot, palm	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
Paints	do	Do.
Benzine and turpentine	Free	Do.
Toilet articles	10 to 25 per cent	10 to 25 per cent.
Toilet soaps	Free	10 per cent.
Saddlery, carts, etc.	do	Do.
Axle grease, harness dressing, saddles	10 per cent.	Do.
Baby carriages, and carriages	25 per cent.	25 per cent.
Sheathing metal	Free	10 per cent.
Shooks and containers	do	Do.
Alcohol	\$10 per gallon spirit duty	\$10 per gal. spirit duty.
Spirits	do	Do.

TARIFF ON IMPORTS INTO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS—Continued.

ARTICLES.	From United States.	From other countries.
Stationery and books	Free	10 per cent.
Tea	10 per cent	Do.
Tin and tinware	do	Do.
Cigars:		
American	Free.	
Foreign		\$10 per M.
Cigarettes	Free	25 per cent.
Snuff	do	15 per cent.
Tobacco	do	Do.
Wines under 18 per cent trall	do	Free.
Mineral waters	10 per cent	10 per cent.
Artists' materials	Free	Do.
Birdseed	do	Do.
Boxes and cases	do	Do.
Candy	25 per cent	25 per cent.
Charcoal	Free	10 per cent.
Cotton waste	do	Do.
Curiosities	do	Do.
Chewing gum	10 per cent	Do.
Dyes	do	Do.
Electric and telephone instruments and materials	Free	Do.
Fertilizers	do	Free.
Lubricating compound	do	10 per cent.
Plants and seeds	do	Do.
Photographic supplies	10 per cent	Do.
Pipes, tobacco	Free	25 per cent.
Cigar holders	25 per cent	Do.
Scientific instruments	do	Do.
Shoe blacking	10 per cent	10 per cent.
Trunks	Free	Do.
Traveling bags	do	Do.
Tombstones	10 per cent	Do.
Wicker and wicking	Free	Do.

CUSTOMS REGULATIONS.

Duties on imports must be paid in cash.

All entries must be expressed in the currency of the United States, reduced from the equivalent values of foreign currencies.

All goods must be accompanied by a consular invoice. In the event of a failure to comply with this requirement, 25 per cent will be added to the amount of the invoice and duties collected on the increased valuation.

Merchandise from the United States, to be entitled to exemption from duties under the provisions of the treaty, must be accompanied by the Hawaiian consular certificate that the articles are the growth, manufacture or production of the United States. In the event of goods arriving without such certificate, a bond must be given to produce one within six months upon paying a fee of \$2.

MERCHANT VESSELS.

WHALING VESSELS ENTERED AT HONOLULU.

TOTAL HAWAIIAN REGISTERED VESSELS.

NUMBER OF PASSENGERS ARRIVED AT AND DEPARTED FROM THE PORT OF HONOLULU.

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MERCHANT AND WHALING VESSELS ENTERED AT PORTS OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

MERCHANT VESSELS.

1887		1888		1889		1890		1891		1892		1893		1894		1895		1896		1897		NATION.
No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
43	59,267	42	64,607	41	54,813	34	42,229	25	28,077	9	5,009	23	15,759	17	13,844	28	22,592	26	25,049	41	46,387	Hawaiian.
174	118,847	163	113,459	192	129,095	227	150,676	224	173,891	204	154,007	221	178,120	250	182,176	219	182,876	247	243,983	286	270,045	American.
19	20,040	25	29,519	20	19,139	18	22,303	34	54,361	32	64,339	58	114,493	62	127,711	60	119,841	88	175,120	84	174,041	United Kingdom.
8	4,930	8	5,820	6	4,197	8	6,110	11	10,573	5	5,114	2	2,210	6	6,708	9	10,805	8	9,705	4	4,788	German.
10	7,599	8	8,076	12	11,541	8	8,802	16	17,253	12	10,153	6	9,412	5	5,969	2	1,703	17	24,140	12	18,565	All other.
254	210,703	246	221,148	271	218,785	295	230,120	310	284,155	262	238,622	310	319,994	340	336,408	318	337,817	386	477,997	427	513,826	Total.
...	56.46	...	51.30	...	59.00	...	65.52	...	68.23	...	64.54	...	55.66	...	54.15	...	54.15	...	51.04	...	52.42	Per cent of American.

WHALING VESSELS ENTERED AT HONOLULU.

														1	294						No data	Hawaiian. American. Other.
22	7,030	17	5,737	18	4,945	21	6,100	17	4,871	20	5,159	17	3,697	17	2,430	6	1,250	2	338	.....do.....	
1	364			1	52									1	59	4	307	3	152	.....do.....	
23	7,394	17	5,737	19	4,997	21	6,100	17	4,871	20	5,159	17	3,697	19	2,783	10	1,557	5	490do.....	Total.	

TOTAL HAWAIIAN REGISTERED VESSELS.

57	12,244	61	15,406	57	15,403	55	14,222	51	13,430	50	13,851	53	19,565	51	21,495	52	21,678	59	29,024	62	34,066	Registered vessels.
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NUMBER OF PASSENGERS ARRIVED AT AND DEPARTED FROM THE PORT OF HONOLULU.

1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	COUNTRIES OR PORTS.
											ARRIVALS.
1,738	1,395	1,705	2,294	2,153	1,661	1,687	2,427	1,445	2,010	2,491	San Francisco.
6	3	10	6	10	2	4	38	7	40	11	Oregon and Washington.
40	18	97	40	95	27	66	5,130	5,643	11,610	8,267	China and Japan.
103	98	102	108	134	76	152	116	113	131	151	Australia and New Zealand.
						81	347	118	178	197	British Columbia.
19	18	46	21	35	12	36	38	28	11	30	South Sea Islands.
5	1	8	15	9	7	3	18	736	4	232	Other countries.
1,911	1,533	1,966	2,484	2,436	1,785	2,029	8,114	8,090	13,984	11,379	Total.
											DEPARTURES.
1,754	1,839	1,695	1,697	1,779	1,802	1,628	1,584	1,458	1,781	1,996	San Francisco.
37	15	23	10	13	5	3	12	6	10	17	Oregon and Washington.
108	28	168	27	31	56	24	3,545	2,894	4,774	4,101	China and Japan.
104	115	102	102	78	72	71	84	81	127	198	Australia and New Zealand.
				10	15	125	185	183	152	188	British Columbia.
16	31	30	12	59	34	9	67	13	12	...	South Sea Islands.
19	4	1	4	...	...	...	...	1	1	4	Other countries.
2,038	2,032	2,019	1,852	1,970	1,984	1,860	5,477	4,636	6,857	6,504	Total.
			632	466	...	169	2,637	3,454	7,127	4,875	Excess of arrivals.
127	499	53	...	...	199	...	...	...	...	...	Excess of departures.

THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS (GOLD AND SILVER INCLUDED TO 1879, INCLUSIVE) FROM THE UNITED STATES TO THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS FROM 1821 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	Free.	Dutiable	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.
June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1821.....	318	114,543	114,681	1,359	19,964	21,323
1822.....	5,173	229,395	234,568		11,799	11,799
1823.....	7,704	150,581	158,285	5,449	41,275	46,724
1824.....	6,318	134,154	140,472	8,958	74,562	83,520
1825.....	4,630	194,241	198,871	23,169	185,554	208,723
1826.....	5,487	330,673	336,160	14,133	28,207	42,340
1827.....	14,050	110,078	124,128			
1828.....	1,511	58,870	60,381	19,914	40,838	60,752
1829.....	783	208,423	209,206	10,802	46,348	57,150
1830.....	8,307	360,332	368,639	39,129	54,539	93,668
1831.....	3,499	344,276	347,775	15,994	13,830	29,824
1832.....	62,927	269,189	332,116	20,906	55,414	76,320
1833.....	300,788	203,710	504,498	1,021	8,376	9,397
1834.....	186,837	96,848	283,685	3,662	12,257	15,919
1835.....	232,207	181,608	413,815	38,947	2,152	41,099
1836.....	293,674	509,191	802,865	7,361	37,672	45,033
1837.....	552,751	793,684	1,346,435			
1838.....	233,415	153,113	386,528	93,214	843	94,057
1839.....	460,341	415,110	875,451	98,553	2,055	100,608
1840.....	164,873	285,378	450,251	90,589	927	91,516
1841.....	333,239	400,667	733,906	75,450	21,992	97,424
1842.....	134,827	637,545	772,372	235,732	5,908	241,640
June 30 (9 months)—						
1843.....	7,904	401,386	409,290	57,743	6,435	64,178
1844.....	69,488	655,323	724,811	91,769	1,893	93,662
1845.....	71,904	561,155	633,059	119,263	4,115	123,378
1846.....	18,065	847,801	865,866	100,954	277	101,231
1847.....	60,052	434,004	494,056	32,480		32,480
1848.....	1,862	1,186,645	1,188,507	36,949	3,211	40,160
1849.....	28,092	1,093,840	1,121,932	137,868	8,669	146,537
1850.....	22,361	1,310,082	1,332,443	16,817	1,450	18,267
1851.....	20,390	1,234,106	1,254,496	125,544	4,800	130,344
1852.....	4,286	1,517,837	1,522,123	211,791	9,927	221,718
1853.....	35,336	2,429,747	2,465,083	64,375	1,000	65,375
1854.....	103,684	2,861,598	2,965,282	27,852	4,128	31,980
1855.....	65,623	2,692,333	2,757,956	46,862	7,629	54,491
1856.....	35,744	2,891,126	2,926,870	130,427	11,537	141,964
1857.....	63,217	3,590,546	3,653,763	66,133	4,713	70,846
1858.....	73,255	2,960,734	3,033,989	57,649	590	58,239
1859.....	61,073	2,802,681	2,863,754			
1860.....	90,427	2,795,739	2,886,166	361,895	2,713	364,608
1861.....	210,562	3,317,060	3,528,522	29,761		29,761
1862.....	41,311	1,024,461	1,065,772	26,763		26,763
1863.....	13,458	1,869,801	1,883,259	24,950		24,950
1864.....	57,412	1,727,816	1,785,228	48,010		48,010
1865.....	121,120	2,241,536	2,362,656	83,146		83,146
1866.....	57,891	3,610,103	3,667,994	98,934		98,934
1867.....	172,372	3,300,999	3,473,371	45,636		45,636
1868.....	110,249	3,853,435	3,963,684	56,202		56,202
1869.....	268,438	4,025,453	4,293,891	165,993	10,973	176,966
1870.....	338,161	6,347,525	6,685,686	212,460	9,339	221,799
1871.....	213,236	5,425,072	5,638,308	119,805	9,481	129,286

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS (GOLD AND SILVER INCLUDED TO 1879, INCLUSIVE) FROM
THE UNITED STATES TO THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS FROM 1821 TO 1898—Continued.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.
June 30 (9 months)—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1872.....	287,784	7,493,845	7,781,629	328,512	5,886	334,398
1873.....	336,847	5,834,788	6,171,635	17,570	.....	17,570
1874.....	141,097	6,059,074	6,200,171	15,050	226	15,276
1875.....	251,781	6,578,406	6,830,187	89,889	.....	89,889
1876.....	170,994	5,298,403	5,469,397	72,243	.....	72,243
1877.....	212,734	6,969,550	7,182,284	74,828	.....	74,828
1878.....	142,239	7,748,689	7,890,928	69,613	1,758	71,371
1879.....	162,400	5,370,667	5,533,067	189	.....	189
1880.....	245,358	6,357,990	6,603,348	11,938	.....	11,938
1881.....	243,042	8,916,381	9,159,423	62,458	405	62,863
1882.....	226,919	9,743,236	9,970,155	145,105	4,453	149,558
June 30 —						
1883.....	69,584	10,006,533	10,076,117	128,834	.....	128,834
1884.....	71,005	12,268,526	12,339,531	194,925	.....	194,925
1885.....	47,294	7,742,462	7,789,756	169,354	.....	169,354
1886.....	82,204	9,484,708	9,566,912	132,937	.....	132,937
1887.....	37,423	8,577,407	8,614,830	147,682	.....	147,682
1888.....	45,876	10,222,402	10,268,278	165,903	.....	165,903
1889.....	35,264	10,557,908	10,593,172	179,647	.....	179,647
1890.....	33,158	11,559,468	11,592,626	122,276	488	122,764
1891.....	3,087,268	2,079,941	5,167,209	124,572	.....	124,572
1892.....	6,239,642	69,011	6,308,653	60,914	.....	60,914
1893.....	9,117,170	42,687	9,159,857	154,378	.....	154,378
1894.....	6,992,364	15,978	7,008,342	145,466	.....	145,466
1895.....	3,657,952	1,073,414	4,731,366	119,255	.....	119,255
1896.....	2,599,020	2,383,837	4,982,857	162,341	105	162,446
1897.....	3,086,057	1,297,683	4,383,740	94,597	.....	94,597
1898.....	3,387,168	443,247	3,830,415	127,787	17	127,804

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1894 TO 1898.

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
FREE OF DUTY.						<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Sugar: Cane and other.....lbs.	124,052,343	a 3,904,600	(a)	(a)	(a)	3,655,627	a 67,200	(a)	(a)	(a)
Textile grasses, etc.:										
Manila.....tons.	20,674	45,865	35,584	38,533	48,170	3,324,223	3,572,236	2,499,494	2,701,651	3,069,673
All other.....lbs.		1,106	872	5,450	5,129		11,851	68,838	384,155	309,265
Hides and skins, other than fur skins:										
Goat skins.....lbs.		8,826	26,132				1,148	9,226		
Hide cuttings, raw and all other glue stock.....						9,015	5,400	6,648		7,637
All other free articles.....						3,499	117	14,814	251	593
Total free of duty.....						6,992,364	3,657,952	2,599,020	3,086,057	3,387,168
DUTIABLE.										
Sugar.....lbs.	(b)	64,865,892	145,075,344	72,463,577	29,489,600	(b)	1,043,806	2,270,902	1,199,202	381,279
Oils.....						3,041		6,237	1,820	3,285
Straw, manufactures of.....						12,353	26,148	81,352	72,137	1,522
All other dutiable articles.....						584	3,460	25,346	24,524	57,161
Total dutiable.....						15,978	1,073,414	2,383,837	1,297,683	443,247
Total imports of merchandise.....						7,008,342	4,731,366	4,982,857	4,383,740	3,830,415

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—

DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE.										
Breadstuffs: Wheat flour.....bbls.		5,000	5,250	4,400			11,250	18,290	10,068	
Carriages and street cars, and parts of.....						2,202	959	5,182	1,707	2,511
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines.....						1,453	320	3,390	3,316	3,241
Cotton, manufactures of.....						45,761	3,355	9,714	2,164	1,304
Iron and steel, manufactures of.....						16,388	13,343	10,204	9,655	7,431
Oils, mineral, refined.....galls.	610,350	1,085,500	1,130,200	600,837	1,057,306	35,325	67,837	89,958	45,908	65,995
Varnish.....galls.	58	1,354	1,138	2,483	3,540	191	2,605	1,500	2,230	3,449
All other articles.....						44,146	19,586	24,103	19,549	43,856
Total domestic merchandise.....						145,466	119,255	162,341	94,597	127,787
TOTAL FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.....								105		17
Total export of merchandise.....						145,466	119,255	162,446	94,597	127,804

a See "Dutiable."

b See "Free of duty."

COMMERCE OF SPAIN WITH THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, CALENDAR YEARS, 1892 TO 1896.

IMPORTS INTO SPAIN FROM—

[Kilos=2.2046 lbs.]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896
						Pasetas.	Pasetas.	Pasetas.	Pasetas.	Pasetas.
Flaxseed, etc. kilos..		1,058,595		3,061,040	5,484,651		317,578		1,101,974	1,974,474
Jute, etc. kilos..		132,915	78,129	155,247	59,817		65,129	38,283	71,414	27,515
Yarn of jute and other fibers kilos..					42,138					31,603
Fruits.....										185,364
Sugar..... kilos..	2,843,975	2,828,512	4,026,574	5,298,953	3,618,118	1,584,186	1,414,256	2,019,294	2,119,581	1,628,153
Cocoa..... kilos..			12,445	22,002	18,053			26,134	41,604	30,690
Coffee..... kilos..	878,511	307,626	461,422	198,992	38,120	2,284,129	797,060	1,199,697	557,178	106,736
Confectionery.....										911,229
Tobacco:										
Leaf..... kilos..	8,798,908	6,654,408	5,403,937	6,402,504	7,282,974	18,832,446	13,641,536	11,078,071	13,125,133	10,764,031
Manufactures of.....						110,348	1,097,140	1,917,328	3,128,765	703,930
Other articles.....						100,008	241,180	284,811	336,318	156,269
Total merchandise.....						22,911,117	17,573,879	16,563,616	20,482,167	22,519,994
Gold and silver.....						148,425	3,222,197	1,431,222	4,468,525	456,776

EXPORTS FROM SPAIN TO—

Glass and glassware.....						89,329	60,667	72,980		84,918
Iron and steel.....						408,208	327,587	483,285	208,375	654,783
Copper and brass.....										63,662
Lead.....							64,748	54,247	29,628	52,277
Other metals.....						36,693	52,328	47,580	57,758	69,692
Paints and colors..... kilos..	26,925	65,163	72,092	54,757	77,104	35,016	84,712	93,720	71,184	100,235
Chemicals, medicines, etc.....						85,130	143,432	150,608	103,600	158,152
Candles, wax, sterin, etc..... kilos..	164,071	207,892	179,219	195,477	224,707	270,717	343,022	349,477	322,537	370,767
Perfumery, etc.....						79,064	166,752	254,496	179,280	145,056
Cotton fabrics..... kilos..	1,504,697	2,255,137	3,182,066	2,395,117	4,286,166	7,986,540	12,888,965	17,921,560	13,817,527	25,470,731
Flax, hemp, etc., manufactures.....						875,427	1,100,342	1,232,300	1,362,989	981,577
Wool, manufactures.....						170,538	132,476	226,986	180,968	255,414
Silk, manufactures.....						816,140	136,135	405,180	97,280	249,230
Paper, and manufactures of.....						2,303,634	1,793,882	1,818,283	1,599,204	1,571,302
Wood, and manufactures of.....						144,876	202,674	255,208	205,306	447,512
Leather, and manufactures of.....						505,602	1,095,138	884,418	1,011,488	1,012,898
Machinery, and musical instruments.....						34,125	78,113	120,140	136,777	140,952
Bacon, hams, and other meat cured. kilos..	33,893	44,695	71,127	62,957	84,268	50,840	76,039	120,792	116,626	182,317
Wheat flour..... kilos..				127,916	2,044,454				44,770	770,892
Vegetables..... kilos..	329,944	335,394	325,855	491,034	418,862	171,397	175,289	170,440	227,016	189,908
Oil, ordinary..... kilos..	210,289	258,936	279,839	334,769	454,164	201,877	274,472	296,629	354,855	481,414
Wine, ordinary..... liters..	2,640,031	3,268,100	3,433,710	3,000,866	3,677,854	475,106	490,215	549,394	600,173	735,570
Sherry..... liters..	20,917		29,400	48,956	29,579	25,100		35,280	58,747	35,495
Preserved foods..... kilos..	358,357	536,377	509,663	523,386	605,392	537,536	804,566	764,495	785,079	908,088
Confectionery.....						129,985	166,025	209,542	125,583	158,825
Paste for soups, etc.....							105,977	51,914	71,228	105,127
Sandals (alpargatas)..... dozen..		2,518			47,436		30,216			447,360
Playing cards.....						301,400	322,970	110,601	276,240	335,420
Umbrellas..... number..	271,083	132,052	192,336	109,110	213,151	1,897,581	396,156	577,008	327,330	639,453
Hats, of felt and other..... number..	6,616	9,972	25,657	15,030	53,322	145,204	79,776	142,511	59,112	293,898
Buttons.....										32,851
Cartridges.....										83,407
Other articles.....						1,115,951	1,094,007	1,184,348	1,131,230	1,122,574
Total merchandise.....						18,893,016	22,686,681	28,584,122	25,561,890	38,357,757
Gold and silver.....						46,872			208,000	2,951,800

a Of this, firearms 2,284,050 pasetas.

QUANTITIES OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTED FROM THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS (MANILA, ZEBU, AND ILOILO), BY ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES, DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1897.

[From United States Commercial Relations, 1896-97.]

ARTICLES.	United States and Canada.	United Kingdom.	Continent of Europe.	China and Japan.	Australia.	Total 1897.	Per cent of United States and Canada.	Total 1896.	Increase.	Decrease.
Sugar .....pounds..	342,540	799,548	28,862	2,061,060	.....	3,232,010	10.60	3,671,024	.....	439,014
Manila hemp .....bales..	441,673	385,182	22,373	33,730	19,080	902,038	48.97	765,893	136,145	.....
Coffee .....tons.....	.....	.....	119	17	.....	136	.....	89	47	.....
Cordage .....pounds.....	.....	.....	11	3,819	.....	3,830	.....	3,104	726	.....
Sapan wood .....do.....	.....	.....	.....	67,650	.....	67,650	.....	56,830	10,820	.....
Buffalo hides and cuttings.....do.....	300	.....	.....	11,340	.....	11,640	2.56	6,360	5,280	.....
Copra .....do.....	.....	47,614	752,470	1,353	.....	801,437	.....	607,529	203,908	.....
Mother-of-pearl shell.....do.....	.....	246	136	297	.....	679	.....	204	475	.....
Gum mastic .....do.....	.....	1,910	.....	1,654	.....	3,564	.....	2,758	806	.....
Indigo.....quintals.....	.....	526	.....	127	.....	653	.....	462	191	.....
Tobacco, leaf.....do.....	.....	37,008	253,341	26,351	12	316,712	.....	219,729	96,983	.....
Cigars .....M.....	2,285	23,090	34,321	81,670	15,550	156,916	1.46	183,667	.....	26,751

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS (MANILA, ZEBU, AND ILOILO), BY COUNTRIES, WITH THE PER CENT FROM THE UNITED STATES, DURING THE YEAR 1896.

COUNTRIES.	Imports.	Exports.	EXCESS OF—	
			Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States	162,446	4,982,857	.....	4,820,411
United Kingdom	2,467,090	7,467,500	.....	5,000,410
Germany.....	744,928	223,700	521,228	.....
France.....	1,794,900	1,987,900	.....	193,000
Belgium.....	272,240	45,660	236,580	.....
China.....	103,680	13,770	89,910	.....
Japan (1897).....	98,782	1,387,909	.....	1,289,127
Other countries	4,987,184	4,065,704	921,480	.....
Total.....	10,631,250	20,175,000	.....	9,543,750
Per cent of United States.....	1.53	24.57	.....	.....

**QUANTITIES OF SUGAR AND HEMP EXPORTED FROM THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS TO THE UNITED STATES,
THE UNITED KINGDOM, AND CONTINENTAL EUROPE FROM 1888 TO 1897, INCLUSIVE.**

YEAR.	SUGAR.					MANILA HEMP.				
	United States.	United Kingdom.	Continent of Europe.	Total.	Per cent to United States.	United States.	United Kingdom.	Continent of Europe.	Total.	Per cent to United States.
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>		<i>Bales.</i>	<i>Bales.</i>	<i>Bales.</i>	<i>Bales.</i>	
1888	180,464,206	75,014,228	9,872,665	269,351,299	70.67	246,437	347,854	2,861	597,152	41.28
1889	284,654,552	113,143,941	10,923,668	408,722,161	69.64	199,707	322,022	1,239	522,968	38.18
1890	133,013,538	85,399,445	8,374,306	206,787,289	58.66	109,726	341,993	1,968	453,687	24.22
1891	223,822,798	97,589,883	4,873,620	326,286,301	68.51	132,267	443,142	4,206	579,615	22.84
1892	200,732,738	157,479,554	6,466,650	364,678,942	55.96	384,076	357,744	3,354	745,174	51.52
1893	172,146,419	210,234,762	9,267,816	391,648,997	43.96	212,463	373,041	3,548	589,052	36.09
1894	121,323,662	130,463,243	9,153,178	260,940,083	46.51	387,045	335,372	11,691	734,108	52.73
1895	140,663,092	183,078,619	8,418,872	332,160,583	42.38	273,918	493,801	3,981	771,700	35.48
1896	174,066,872	122,470,425	7,457,602	303,994,899	57.70	290,327	407,522	2,632	700,481	41.45
1897	43,261,182	106,578,638	3,736,305	153,576,125	28.16	417,473	385,182	22,373	825,028	50.00

NUMBER AND TONNAGE OF VESSELS (AMERICAN AND FOREIGN) ENTERED AND CLEARED AT THE CUSTOMS DISTRICTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN TRADE WITH THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1892 TO 1898.

COUNTRIES AND CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.	Ves-sels.	Tons.
1892—Sailing.....	16	21,678	15	19,305	31	40,983	2	3,100	2	3,280	4	6,380
Steam.....			6	4,485	6	9,485						
1893—Sailing.....	18	23,644	30	41,029	48	64,673	4	5,822	2	2,218	6	8,040
Steam.....			6	9,084	6	9,084						
1894—Sailing.....	16	21,143	19	27,491	35	48,634			2	2,455	2	2,455
Steam.....			9	16,007	9	16,007						
1895—Sailing.....	20	33,187	18	28,945	38	62,132			2	2,775	2	2,775
Steam.....			4	7,102	4	7,102						
1896—Sailing.....	11	17,369	24	33,051	35	50,420	1	1,941	2	2,764	3	4,705
Steam.....			8	16,011	8	16,011						
1897—Sailing.....	13	19,379	27	37,976	40	57,355			2	3,168	2	3,168
Steam.....			4	7,388	4	7,388						
1898—Sailing.....	20	30,561	24	36,804	44	67,365			3	4,171	3	4,171
Steam.....			1	1,835	1	1,835			1	1,721	1	1,721

PEOPLE, PRODUCTIONS, AND COMMERCE.

MEMORANDA CONCERNING THE SITUATION IN THE PHILIPPINES ON AUGUST 30, 1898.

[By F. V. Greene, Major-General, Volunteers.]

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AREA AND POPULATION.

These islands, including the Ladrões, Carolines, and Palaos, which are all under the government of Manila, are variously estimated at from 1,200 to 1,800 in number. The greater portion of these are small and are of no more value than the islands off the coast of Alaska. The important islands are less than a dozen in number, and 90 per cent of the Christian population live on Luzon and the five principal islands of the Visayas group.

The total population is somewhere between 7,000,000 and 9,000,000. This includes the wild tribes of the mountains of Luzon and of the islands in the extreme south. The last census taken by the Spanish Government was on December 31, 1887, and this stated the Christian population to be 6,000,000 (in round numbers). This is distributed as follows:

	Area.	Population.	Per square mile.
Luzon	44,400	3,426,000	79
Panay	4,700	735,000	155
Cebu	2,400	504,000	210
Leyte	3,800	270,000	71
Bohol	1,300	245,000	188
Negros	3,300	242,000	73
	59,800	5,422,000	91

The density of population in these six islands is nearly 50 per cent greater than in Illinois and Indiana (census of 1890), greater than in Spain, about one-half as great as in France, and one-third as great as in Japan and China, the exact figures being as follows:

	Area.	Population.	Per square mile.
Illinois	56,000	3,826,351	68
Indiana	35,910	2,192,404	61
	91,910	6,018,755	64
Spain	197,670	17,565,632	88
France	204,092	38,517,975	189
Japan	147,655	42,270,620	286
China	1,312,328	383,253,029	292

The next most important islands in the order of population are:

	Area.	Population.	Per square mile.
Mindanao	34,000	209,000	6
Samar	4,800	186,000	38
Mondoro	4,000	67,000	17
Romblon	600	35,000	58
Nasbato	1,400	21,000	15
	44,800	518,000	11

Various smaller islands, including the Carolines, Ladrões, and Palaos, carry the total area and Christian population to, area, 140,000; population, 6,000,000; per mile, 43.

This is considerably greater than the density of population in the States east of the Rocky Mountains. Owing to the existence of mountain ranges in all the islands, and lack of communications in the interior, only a small part of the surface is inhabited. In many provinces the density of population exceeds 200 per square mile, or

greater than that of any of the United States, except Massachusetts and Rhode Island. The total area of the Philippines is about the same as that of Japan, but its civilized population is only one-seventh.

In addition to the Christian population, it is estimated (in the Official Guide) that the islands contain the following:

Chinese (principally in Manila)	75,000
Moors or Mohammedans in Paragan and Jolo	100,000
Moors or Mohammedans in Mindanao and Basalan	209,000
Heathens in the Philippines	830,000
Heathens in the Carolines and Palaos	50,000
Total	1,264,000

The Official Guide gives a list of more than thirty different races, each speaking a different dialect, but five-sixths of the Christian population are either Tagalos or Visayas. All the races are of the Malay type. Around Manila there has been some mixture of Chinese and Spanish blood with that of the natives, resulting in the *Mestizos* or half-breeds, but the number of these is not very great.

As seen in the provinces of Cavite and Manila, the natives (Tagalos) are of small stature, averaging probably 5 feet 4 inches in height and 120 pounds in weight for the women. Their skin is coppery brown, somewhat darker than that of a mulatto. They seem to be industrious and hard-working, although less so than the Chinese.

By the Spaniards they are considered indolent, crafty, untruthful, treacherous, cowardly, and cruel, but the hatred between the Spaniards and the native races is so intense and bitter that the Spanish opinion of the natives is of little or no value. To us they seemed industrious and docile, but there were occasional evidences of deceit and untruthfulness in their dealings with us. The bulk of the population is engaged in agriculture, and there were hardly any evidences of manufactures, arts, or mining. The greater number seemed to be able to read and write, but I have been unable to obtain any exact figures on this subject. They are all devout Roman Catholics, although they hate the monastic orders.

In Manila (and doubtless also in Cebu and Iloilo) are many thousands of educated natives, who are merchants, lawyers, doctors, and priests. They are well informed and have accumulated property. They have not traveled much, but there is said to be quite a numerous colony of rich Filipinos in Madrid, as well as in Paris and London. The bibliography of the Philippines is said to number 4,500 volumes, the greater part of which has been written by Spanish priests and missionaries. The number of books on the subject in the English language is probably less than a dozen.

CLIMATE.

The climate is one of the best known in the tropics. The islands extend from 5° to 21° north latitude, and Manila is in 14° 35'. The thermometer during July and August rarely went below 79° or above 85°. The extreme ranges in a year are said to be 61° and 97°, and the annual mean 81°. There are three well-marked seasons, temperate and dry from November to February, hot and dry from March to May, and temperate and wet from June to October. The rainy season reaches its maximum in July and August, when the rains are constant and very heavy. The total rainfall has been as high as 114 inches in one year.

Yellow fever appears to be unknown. The diseases most fatal among the natives are cholera and smallpox, both of which are brought from China. Low malarial fever is brought on by sleeping on the ground or being chilled by remaining without exercise in wet clothes; and diarrhea is produced by drinking bad water or eating excessive quantities of fruit. Almost all of these diseases are preventable by proper precautions even by troops in campaign. The sickness in our troops was very small, much less than in the cold fogs at camp in San Francisco.

MINERAL WEALTH.

Very little is known concerning the mineral wealth of the islands. It is stated that there are deposits of coal, petroleum, iron, lead, sulphur, copper, and gold in the various islands, but little or nothing has been done to develop them. A few concessions have been granted for working mines, but the output is not large. The gold is reported on Luzon, coal and petroleum on Zebu and Iloilo, and sulphur on Leyte. The imports of coal in 1894 (the latest year for which statistics have been printed) were 91,511 tons, and it came principally from Australia and Japan. In the same year the imports of iron of all kinds were 9,632 tons.

If the Zebu coal proves to be of good quality, there is a large market for it in competition with coal from Japan and Australia.

AGRICULTURE.

Although agriculture is the chief occupation of the Philippines, yet only one-ninth of the surface is under cultivation. The soil is very fertile, and even after deducting the mountainous areas it is probable that the area of cultivation can be very largely extended and that the islands can support a population equal to that of Japan (42,000,000).

The chief products are rice, corn, hemp, sugar, tobacco, cocoanuts, and cacao. Coffee and cotton were formerly produced in large quantities—the former for export and the latter for home consumption; but the coffee plant has been almost exterminated by insects and the home-made cotton cloths have been driven out by the competition of those imported from England. The rice and corn are principally produced in Luzon and Mindoro and are consumed in the islands. The rice crop is about 765,000 tons. It is insufficient for the demand, and 45,000 tons of rice were imported in 1894, the greater portion from Saigon and the rest from Hongkong and Singapore; also 8,669 tons (say 60,000 barrels) of flour, of which more than two-thirds came from China and less than one-third from the United States.

The cacao is raised in the southern islands, the best quality of it at Mindanao. The production amounts only to 150 tons, and it is all made into chocolate and consumed in the islands.

The sugar cane is raised in the Visayas. The crop yielded in 1894 about 235,000 tons of raw sugar, of which one-tenth was consumed in the islands, and the balance, or 210,000 tons, valued at \$11,000,000, was exported, the greater part to China, Great Britain, and Australia.

The hemp is produced in southern Luzon, Mindoro, the Visayas, and Mindanao. It is nearly all exported in bales. In 1894 the amount was 96,000 tons, valued at \$12,000,000.

Tobacco is raised in all the islands, but the best quality and greatest amount in Luzon. A large amount is consumed in the islands, smoking being universal among women as well as the men, but the best quality is exported. The amount in 1894 was 7,000 tons of leaf tobacco, valued at \$1,750,000. Spain takes 80 per cent and Egypt 10 per cent of the leaf tobacco. Of the manufactured tobacco 70 per cent goes to China and Singapore, 10 per cent to England, and 5 per cent to Spain.

Cocoanuts are grown in southern Luzon and are used in various ways. The products are largely consumed in the islands, but the exports in 1894 were valued at \$2,400,000.

Cattle, goats, and sheep have been introduced from Spain, but they are not numerous. Domestic pigs and chickens are seen around everywhere in the farming districts.

The principal beast of burden is the carabao, or water buffalo, which is used for plowing rice fields as well as drawing heavy loads on sledges or on carts.

Large horses are almost unknown, but there are great numbers of native ponies from 9 to 12 hands high, possessing strength and endurance far beyond their size.

COMMERCE AND TRANSPORTATION.

The internal commerce between Manila and the different islands is quite large, but I was unable to find any official records giving exact figures concerning it. It is carried on almost entirely by water, in steamers of 500 to 1,000 tons. There are regular mail steamers once in two weeks on four routes, viz, northern Luzon, southern Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao; also a steamer every two months to the Carolines and Ladrones, and daily steamers on Manila Bay. These lines are all subsidized. To facilitate this navigation extensive harbor works have been in progress at Manila for several years, and a plan for lighting the coasts has been made, calling for 43 principal lights, of which 17 have already been constructed in the most substantial manner, besides 16 lights of secondary importance.

There is only one line of railway, built by English capital, running from Manila north to Dagupan, a distance of about 120 miles. The roads in the immediate vicinity of Manila are macadamized and in fairly good order; elsewhere they are narrow paths of soft black soil, which become almost impassable in the rainy season. Transportation is then effected by sledges drawn through the mud by carabaos. There are telegraph lines connecting most of the provinces of Luzon with Manila, and cables to the Visayas and southern islands and thence to Borneo and Singapore, as well as a direct cable from Manila to Hongkong. The land telegraph lines are owned by the Government, and the cables all belong to an English company, which receives a large subsidy. In Manila there is a narrow-gauge street railway, operated by horsepower, about 11 miles in total length; also a telephone system and electric lights.

Communications with Europe are maintained by the Spanish Trans-Atlantic Company (subsidized), which sends a steamer every four weeks from Manila and Barcelona, making the trip in about twenty-seven days; the same company also sends an intermediate steamer from Manila to Singapore, meeting the French Messagerie steamer each way. There is also a nonsubsidized line running from Manila to Hongkong every two weeks, and connecting there with the English, French, and German mails for Europe, and with the Pacific Mail and Canadian Pacific steamers for Japan and America.

There has been no considerable development of manufacturing industries in the Philippines. The only factories are those connected with the preparation of rice, tobacco, and sugar. Of the manufactures and arts in which Japan so excels there is no evidence.

The foreign commerce amounted, in 1894, to \$23,558,552 in imports and \$33,149,984 in exports, 80 per cent of which goes through Manila. About 60 per cent of the trade is carried in British vessels, 20 per cent in Spanish, and 10 per cent in German.

The value of the commerce with other countries in 1894 was as follows:

[In millions of dollars (silver).]

	Imports.	Exports.
Spain.....	10.5	2.9
Great Britain.....	7.1	8.7
China.....	4.6	6.8
Germany.....	1.9	
Saigon.....	.9	
United States.....	.7	7.4
France.....	.7	1.2
Singapore.....	.4	1.7
Japan.....	.2	1.2
Australia.....	.1	2.6
Other countries.....	1.5	.6
Total.....	28.6	33.1

Next to Great Britain we are the largest consumers of the products of the Philippines, and they export to us nearly three times as much as to Spain. On the other hand, Spain sells to the Philippines fifteen times as much as we do.

The articles of import and their value in 1894 were as follows:

[In millions of dollars (silver).]

	Spain.	Great Britain.	China.	Germany.	United States.	Other countries.	Total.
Cotton goods.....	3.9	4.0	.4	.3		.7	9.3
Cotton yarns.....	1.2	.9	.2	.1		.1	2.5
Wines.....	1.8					.1	1.9
Mineral oils.....			.2		.4	a .8	1.4
Iron.....	.2	.7		.2		.1	1.2
Rice.....			1.0			.1	1.1
Flour.....			.7		.2		.9
Sweetmeats.....	.5					.3	.8
Paper.....	.4			.1		.2	.7
Linen goods.....	.1	.1	.1			.3	.6
Hats.....	.1			.3		.2	.6
Other articles.....	2.3	1.4	2.0	.9	.1	.9	7.6
Total.....	10.5	7.1	4.6	1.9	.7	3.8	28.6

a Russia.

The articles of export and their values were as follows:

[In millions of dollars (silver).]

	Spain.	Great Britain.	China.	United States.	Australia.	Other countries.	Total.
Hemp.....		5.3	.9	6.6	.6	a 1.1	14.5
Sugar.....	.4	2.7	.4	.7	1.9	b 1.3	11
Manufactured tobacco.....	.2	.1	.7		.1	.7	1.8
Leaf tobacco.....	1.1					.3	1.4
Coffee.....	.3		.1				.4
Cocoanuts.....		.6	.1				.7
Other articles.....	.9		1	.1		1.3	3.3
Total.....	2.9	8.7	6.8	7.4	2.6	4.7	33.16

a Principally to Singapore.

b Principally to Japan.

With these islands in our possession and the construction of railroads in the interior of Luzon, it is probable that an enormous extension could be given to this commerce, nearly all of which would come to the United States. Manila cigars of the best quality are unknown in America. They are but little inferior to the best of Cuba and cost only one-third as much. The coffee industry can be revived and the sugar industry extended, mainly for consumption in the far East. The mineral resources can be explored with American energy, and there is every reason to believe that when this is done the deposits of coal, iron, gold, and lead will be found very valuable. On the other hand, we ought to be able to secure the greater part of the trade which now goes to Spain in textile fabrics, and a considerable portion of that with England in the same goods and in iron.

REVENUE AND EXPENSES.

The budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, was as follows:

INCOME.		EXPENSES.	
Direct taxes.....	\$8,496,170	General expenses, pensions, and interest.....	\$1,506,686
Indirect taxes (customs).....	6,200,550	Diplomatic and consular service.....	74,000
Proceeds of monopolies.....	1,222,000	Clergy and courts.....	1,876,740
Lottery.....	1,000,000	War department.....	6,035,316
Income of Government property.....	257,000	Treasury department.....	1,392,414
Sundry receipts.....	298,300	Navy department.....	3,562,716
		Civil administration.....	2,195,378
		Education.....	614,895
Total.....	17,474,020	Total.....	17,258,145
The direct taxes were as follows:		Railroads, 10 per cent of passenger receipts.....	\$32,070
Real estate, 5 per cent on income.....	\$140,280	Income tax, 10 per cent on public salaries.....	730,000
Industry and commerce.....	1,400,700	Sundry taxes.....	63,000
Cedulas (poll tax).....	5,600,000	Total.....	8,496,170
Chinese poll tax.....	510,190		
Tribute from Sultan of Jolo.....	20,000		
Indirect taxes were as follows:		Lottery:	
Imports.....	\$3,600,000	Sale of tickets, less cost of prizes.....	\$964,000
Exports.....	1,292,550	Unclaimed prizes.....	30,000
Loading tax.....	410,000	Sundry receipts.....	6,000
Unloading tax.....	570,000	Total.....	1,000,000
Fines and penalties.....	27,000	Income of Government property:	
Special tax on liquors, beer, vegetables, flour, salt, and mineral oils.....	301,000	Forestry privileges.....	170,000
Total.....	6,200,550	Sale and rent of public land and buildings.....	85,000
Monopolies:		Mineral privileges.....	2,000
Opium contract.....	576,000	Total.....	257,000
Stamped paper and stamps.....	646,000	Sundry receipts:	
Total.....	1,222,000	Mint (seigniorage).....	200,000
		Sundries.....	98,300
		Total.....	298,300

The largest source of income is the cedula or poll tax. Every man and woman above 18 years of age, residing in the Philippines, whether Spanish subject or foreigner, is required to have in his or her possession a paper stating name, age, and occupation, and other facts of personal identity. Failure to produce and exhibit this when called upon renders anyone liable to arrest and imprisonment. This paper is obtained from the internal revenue office annually, on payment of a certain sum, varying, according to the occupation and income of the person, from 75 cents to \$20, and averaging about \$3 for each adult. An extra sum of 2 per cent is paid for expenses of collection. The tax is collected at the tribunal in each pueblo, and 20 per cent is retained for expenses of local administration and 80 per cent paid to the general treasury. This tax falls heavily on the poor and lightly on the rich. The tax on industry and commerce is similarly graded according to the volume of business transacted by each merchant or mercantile corporation. The tax on real estate is absurdly low and is levied only on municipal property and on the rent, not the value.

The tax on imports is specific and not ad valorem; it amounts to about 13 per cent of estimated values. The free list is very small, nearly everything of commercial value which is imported being subject to duty. The revenue from imports has increased from \$566,143 in 1865 to \$3,695,446 in 1894. It was about the same in 1897. On the

other hand, the export tax, which was nothing in 1892, the loading tax, which was nothing in 1893, and the unloading tax, which was nothing in 1894, have all been increased in the last few years in order to meet the expenses of suppressing the insurrection. These three items yielded nearly \$2,700,000 in 1897.

The monopoly of importing and selling opium is sold by auction to the highest bidder for a term of three years. The present contract runs until 1899, and yields \$48,000 per month.

Every legal document must be drawn up on paper containing a revenue stamp engraved and printed in Spain, and every note, check, draft, bill of exchange, receipt, or similar document must bear a revenue stamp in order to be valid. These stamps and stamped paper yielded a revenue of \$646,000 in 1897.

The lottery is conducted by the Government, the monthly drawings taking place in the treasury (hacienda) department. The sale of tickets yielded \$1,000,000 over and above the prizes in 1897.

CURRENCY.

The standard of value has always, until within a few years, been the Mexican milled dollar. The Spanish dollar contains a little less silver, and in order to introduce it and profit by the coinage the Spaniards prohibited the importation of Mexican dollars a few years since. Large numbers of Mexican dollars remained in the country, however, and others were smuggled in. The two dollars circulated at equal values.

All valuations of goods and labor are based on the silver dollar, and a change to the gold standard would result in great financial distress and many failures among the banks and mercantile houses in Manila. Their argument is that while an American 10-dollar gold piece will bring 21 silver dollars at any bank or house having foreign connections, yet it will not buy any more labor or any more hemp and sugar from the original producer than 10 silver dollars. The products of the country are almost entirely agricultural, and the agricultural class, whether it sells its labor or its products, would refuse to accept any less than the accustomed wages or prices on account of being paid in the more valuable coin. The result of this change would be that the merchant and employee would have to pay double for what they buy, and would receive no increase for what they sell. While trade would eventually adjust itself to the change, yet many merchants would be ruined in the process and would drag some banks down with them.

The Mexican dollar is the standard also in Hongkong and China, and the whole trade of the far East has for generations been conducted on a silver basis. Japan has within the last year broken away from this and established the gold standard, but in doing so the relative value of silver and gold was fixed at $32\frac{1}{2}$ to 1, or about the market rate.

PUBLIC DEBT.

I was unable to obtain any precise information in regard to the colonial debt. The last book on statistics of imports and exports was for the fiscal year 1894; and the last printed budget was for 1896-97, which was approved by the Queen Regent in August, 1896. Subsequent to this date, according to the statements made to us by foreign bankers, the Cortes authorized two colonial loans of \$14,000,000 (silver) cash, known as Series A and Series B. The proceeds were to be used in suppressing the insurrection. Both were to be secured by a first lien on the receipts of the Manila custom-house.

Series A is said to have been sold in Spain and the proceeds to have been paid in to the colonial office, but no part of them has ever reached the Philippines. Possibly a portion of it was used in sending out the 25,000 troops which came from Spain to the Philippines in the autumn of 1896.

Series B was offered for sale in Manila, but was not taken. An effort was then made to obtain subscribers in the provinces, but with little or no success. The Government then notified the depositors in the Public Savings Bank (a branch of the treasury department similar to the postal savings bureaus in other countries) that their deposits would no longer be redeemed in cash but only in Series B bonds. Some depositors were frightened and took bonds; others declined to do so. Then came the blockade of Manila, and all business was practically suspended.

No printed report has been made concerning the debt, and I was unable to obtain any satisfactory statement of the matter from the treasury officials. The exact facts in regard to the Series A bonds can be learned in Madrid, but it will be difficult to learn how much of Series B was issued and what consideration was received for them. As already stated, both series of bonds rest for security on the receipts of the Manila custom-house.

MEMORANDUM ON THE MINERAL RESOURCES OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

[By George F. Becker, United States Geological Survey (1898).]

This brief memorandum, prepared at the request of Admiral Dewey, probably covers all the main discoveries in the geology of the Philippines which are of economic interest. It is drawn up from data recorded in the Spanish mining bureau (Inspeccion de Minas), but not published, manuscript mine reports by the late William Ashburner, verbal information obtained in Manila, and from various technical publications of Semper, Santos, Roth, Drasche, Abella, and others.

Only about a score of the islands are known to contain deposits of valuable minerals. These are arranged below in the order of their latitude to give an idea of their geographical distribution, and to facilitate finding the islands on the map. The latitude of the northern end of each is taken as that of the island. The character of the valuable minerals stated in the table will afford a general notion of their resources:

MINERAL-BEARING ISLANDS AND THEIR RESOURCES.

ISLAND.	Lat. N. end.	Character of mineral resources.
Luzon	18 40	Coal, gold, copper, lead, iron, sulphur, marble, kaolin.
Catanduanes	14 8	Gold.
Marinduque	13 34	Lead, silver.
Mindoro	13 32	Coal, gold, copper.
Carraray	13 21	Coal.
Batan	13 19	Do.
Rapu Rapu	13 15	Do.
Masbate	12 37	Coal, copper.
Romblon	12 37	Marble.
Samar	12 36	Coal, gold.
Sibuyan	12 30	Gold.
Semerara	12 7	Coal.
Panay	11 56	Coal, oil, gas, gold, copper, iron, mercury.
Bilikan	11 43	Sulphur.
Leyte	11 35	Coal, oil, mercury.
Zebu	11 17	Coal, oil, gas, gold, lead, silver, iron.
Negros	11 ..	Coal.
Bohol	10 10	Gold.
Panaon	10 10	Do.
Mindanao	9 59	Coal, gold, copper, platinum.
Sulu Archipelago	6 30	Pearls.

The distribution of each mineral or metal may now be sketched in somewhat greater detail. In many cases the information given in this abstract is exhaustive, so far as the available material is concerned. The coal fields of Zebu, however, have been studied in some detail by Mr. Abella, and in a few other instances more extended information has been condensed for the present purpose.

COAL.

So far as is definitely known, the coal of the Philippine Islands is all of Tertiary age, and might be better characterized as a highly carbonized lignite. It is analogous to the Japanese coal and to that of Washington, but not to the Welsh or Pennsylvania coals. Such lignites usually contain considerable combined water (8 to 18 per cent), and bear transportation ill. They are also apt to contain much sulphur, as iron pyrite, rendering them subject to spontaneous combustion and injurious to boiler plates. Nevertheless, when pyritous seams are avoided and the lignite is properly handled, it forms a valuable fuel, especially for local consumption. In these islands it would appear that the native coal might supplant English or Australian coal for most purposes. Lignite is widely distributed in the archipelago; some of the seams are of excellent width, and the quality of certain of them is high for fuel in this class.

Coal exists in various provinces of the island of Luzon (Abra, Camarinos, Batan, Sorsogon). The finest beds thus far discovered appear to be in the small island of Batan, lying to the east of the southern portion of Luzon, in latitude 13° 19'. These seams vary from 2 feet 6 inches to 14 feet 8 inches in thickness. Analyses have been made in the laboratory of the Inspeccion de Minas, and the mean of seven analyses gives the following composition:

	Per cent.
Water	13.52
Volatile matter	27.46
Fixed carbon	44.46
Ash	4.56
Sum	100.00

One pound of this coal will convert 6.25 pounds of water at 40° C. into steam at 100° C. The heating effect is about three-fourths of that of Cardiff coal. The same beds are known to exist in other small adjacent islands, Carraray and Rapu-Rapu. A number of concessions for coal mining have also been granted on the main island of Luzon, just south of Batan, at the town of Bacon. No doubt the beds here are either identical, or at least closely associated, with the coal seams in the little islands.

The coal field of southern Luzon is said to extend across the strait of San Bernardino into the northern portion of Samar. Here coal is reported at half a dozen localities, but I have been able to ascertain no details as to the thickness or quality.

In Mindoro there are large deposits of coal in the extreme southern portion (Bulacao) and on the small adjacent islands of Semarara. This fuel is said to be similar to that of Batan.

The islands of Masbate and Panay contain coal, the deposits of which thus far discovered do not seem of much importance. Specimens from the southwestern portion of Leyte, analyzed in the laboratory of the *inspección de minas*, are of remarkably high quality, but nothing definite about the deposit is known to me.

The first discovery of coal in the archipelago was made in the island of Zebu in 1827. Since then lignitic beds have been found on the island at a great variety of points. The most important croppings are on the eastern slope, within some 15 or 20 miles of the capital, also named Zebu. Though a considerable amount of coal has been extracted here, the industry has not been a profitable one hitherto. This is at least in part due to crude methods of transportation. It is said, however, that the seams are often badly faulted.

At Uling, about 10 miles west of the capital, the seams reach a maximum thickness of 15½ feet. Ten analyses of Zebu coal are at my disposal. They indicate a fuel with about two-thirds the calorific effect of Cardiff coal and with only about 4 per cent ash. Large quantities of coal might, I suspect, contain a higher percentage of ash.

The island of Negros is nearly parallel with Zebu and appears to be of similar geological constitution, but it has been little explored and little of it seems to have been reduced to subjection by the Spaniards. There are known to be deposits of coal at Calatrara, on the east coast of Negros, and it is believed that they are of important extent. In the great island of Mindanao coal is known to occur at eight different localities, but no detailed examinations of any kind appear to have been made. Seven of these localities are on the east coast of Mindanao and the adjacent small islands. They indicate the presence of lignite from one end of the coast to the other. The eighth locality is in the western province called Zamboanga, on the gulf of Sigbuguey.

PETROLEUM.

In the island of Zebu petroleum has been found associated with coal at Toledo, on the west coast, where a concession has been granted. It is also reported from Asturias, to the northwest of Toledo, on the same coast, and from Algeria to the south. Natural gas is said to exist in the Zebu coal fields. On Panay, too, oil is reported at Janiuay, in the province of Iloilo, and gas is reported from the same island. Petroleum highly charged with paraffin is also found on Leyte, at a point about 4 miles from Villaba, a town on the west coast.

GOLD.

Gold is found in a vast number of localities in the archipelago from northern Luzon to central Mindanao. In most cases the gold is detrital, and found either in existing water courses or in stream deposits now deserted by the current. These last are called "alluviones" by the Spaniards. It is said that in Mindanao some of the gravels are in an elevated position and adapted to hydraulic mining. There are no data at hand which intimate decisively the value of any of the placers. They are washed by natives largely with cocoanut shells for pans, though the *batea* is also in use.

In the Province of Abra, at the northern end of Luzon, there are placers, and the gravel of the river Abra is auriferous. In Lapanto there are gold-quartz veins as well as gravels. Gold is obtained in this province close to the copper mines. In Benguet the gravels of the river Agno carry gold. There is also gold in the Province of Bontoc and in Nueva Ecija. The most important of the auriferous provinces is Camarines Norte. Here the townships of Mambulao, Paracale, and Labo are especially well known as gold-producing localities. Mr. Drasche, a well-known German geologist, says that there were 700 natives at work on the rich quartz veins of this place at the time of his visit about twenty-five years since. At Paracale there are parallel quartz veins in granite, one of which is 20 feet in width and contains a chute in which the ore is said to assay 38 ounces of gold per ton. One may suspect that this assay hardly represented an average sample. Besides the localities mentioned, many others of this province have been worked by the natives.

The islands of Mindoro, Catanduanes, Sibuyan, Simar, Panay, Zebu, and Bohol are reported to contain gold, but no exact data are accessible.

At the south end of the small island of Panaon, which is just to the south of Leyte, there are gold-quartz veins, one of which has been worked to some extent. It is 6 feet in thickness, and has yielded from \$6 to \$7 per ton.

In the island of Mindanao there are two known gold-bearing districts. One of these is in the province of Surigao, where Placer and other townships show gravels and veins. The second district is in the province of

Misamis. Near the settlement of Imponan and on the gulf of Macajalar there are said to be many square kilometers of gravel carrying large quantities of gold with which is associated platinum. The product of this district was estimated some years since at 150 ounces per month, all extracted by natives with bateas or coconut-shell dishes.

COPPER.

Copper ores are reported from a great number of localities in the Philippines. They are said to occur in the following islands: Luzon (provinces of Lepanto, Benguet, and Camarines), Mindoro, Capul, Masbate, Panay (province of Antique), and Mindanao (province of Surigao). Many of these occurrences are probably unimportant. The great island of Mindanao, being practically unexplored, is full of possibilities, but as yet no important copper deposit is known to exist there. An attempt was made to work the deposit in Masbate, but no success seems to have been obtained. On the other hand, northern Luzon contains a copper region which is unquestionably valuable. The best known portion of this region lies about Mount Data, a peak given as 2,500 meters in height, lying in latitude $16^{\circ} 53'$, longitude $120^{\circ} 58'$ east of Greenwich or $124^{\circ} 38'$ east of Madrid. The range of which Data forms one peak trends due north to Cape Lacay-Lacay and forms a boundary for all the provinces infringing upon it.

Data itself lies in the province of Lepanto. In this range copper ore has been smelted by the natives from time immemorial, and before Magellan discovered the Philippines. The process is a complicated one, based on the same principles as the method of smelting sulphosalts of this metal in Europe and America. It consists in alternate partial roasting and reductions to "matte," and eventually to block copper. It is generally believed that this process must have been introduced from China or Japan. It is practiced only by one peculiar tribe of natives, the Igorrotes, who are remarkable in many ways.

Vague reports and the routes by which copper smelted by natives comes to market indicate that there are copper mines in various portions of the Cordillera Central, but the only deposits which have been examined with any care are those at Mancanyan (about 5 miles west of Mount Data) and two or three other localities within a few miles of Mancanyan. The deposits of Mancanyan are described as veins of rich ore reaching 7 meters in width and arranged in groups. Mean assays are said to show over 16 per cent of copper, mainly as tetrahedrite and allied ores. The gangue is quartz. The country-rock is described as a large quartzite lens embedded in a great mass of trachyte. An attempt has been made by white men to work these deposits, but with no considerable success. The failure does not seem to have been due to the quality or quantity of ore found.

LEAD AND SILVER.

A lead mine has been partially developed near the town of Zebu, on the island of the same name.

The most important deposit of argentiferous galena is said to be at Torrijos, on the small island of Marinduque (latitude $13^{\circ} 34'$). A metric ton, or 1,000 kilograms, is said to contain 96 grams of silver, 6 grams gold, and 565.5 kilograms of lead.

In Camarines, a province of Luzon, lead ores occur, but are worked only for the gold they contain.

IRON.

There is iron ore in abundance in Luzon, Carabello, Zebu, Panay, and doubtless in other islands. In Luzon it is found in the provinces of Laguna, Pampanga, and Camarines Norte, but principally in Bulacan. The finest deposits are in the last-named province, near a small settlement named Camachin, which lies in latitude $15^{\circ} 7'$ and longitude $124^{\circ} 47'$ east of Madrid. A small industry exists here, wrought iron being produced in a sort of bloomery and manufactured into plowshares. The process has not been described in detail, so far as I know. It would appear that charcoal pig iron might be produced to some advantage in this region. The lignites of the archipelago are probably unsuitable for iron blast furnaces.

QUICKSILVER.

Rumors of the occurrence of this metal in Panay and Leyte have failed of verification. Accidental losses of this metal by prospectors or surveyors sometimes lead to the reports of the discovery of deposits, and others are not seldom mistaken for impure cinnabar.

NONMETALLIC SUBSTANCES.

Sulphur deposits abound about active and extinct volcanoes in the Philippines. In Luzon the principal sulphur deposits are in Daclan, in the province of Benguet, and at Colasi, in Camarines. The finest deposit in the archipelago is said to be on the little island of Biliran, which lies to the northwest of Leyte.

Marble of fine quality occurs on the small island of Romblon (latitude $12^{\circ} 37'$). It is much employed in churches in Manila for baptismal fonts and other purposes. Marbles are also quarried at Montalban, in the province of Manila, and at Binangonan, in the province of Marong.

There are processions for mining kaolin at Losbanos, in Laguna province.

Pearl fisheries exist in the Sulu archipelago, and are said to form an important source of wealth.

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A SKETCH OF THE ECONOMIC CONDITION OF THE PHILIPPINES.

[By Max L. Tornow, August, 1898.]

The general interest in the Philippines, which for a long time seems to have been all but forgotten by the rest of the world, was again thoroughly awakened by the recent cannonade off Cavite; and, even with the final settlement of the Philippine question, it is scarcely to be expected that the islands can again fall into forgetfulness. A glance, therefore, at the economic condition of the country would appear not to be out of place, accompanied by a few more important statistics, for an exhaustive consideration of the subject would occupy far more space than the present pamphlet admits of.

1. Commencing with the produce of the soil, two important points strike us as speaking to the varied and fertile character of the land: The geographical position of the islands—embracing sixteen degrees of latitude—and the plentiful supply of water. On the other hand, in addition to smaller obstacles raised by the administration, particularly as regards large plantations, the want of labor militates seriously against industrial extension, so that of the arable land only a very small part is to-day under cultivation. The result is that, notwithstanding the richness of the soil, we find that the total returns are nothing like what they should be.

Not only do all tropical fruits flourish, but also the plants of the temperate zones, such as wheat, barley, and potatoes. Experiments were made with wheat and barley some years ago, and met with every success; and there is to-day a German planter in Benguet cultivating potatoes. I am fully convinced that in certain parts the vine could be grown, and at all events those fruits which demand a mild climate. Attempts have been made with tea to a little extent, and the results have not been unfavorable; but to all extensive planting (and this is the only way in which it is remunerative) the want of railways, good roads, and laborers offers the greatest difficulty. Not less annoying is the attitude assumed by the Spanish officials and the monks, unless the planter is ready to dance at their command.

The principal agricultural products exported are sugar, hemp, and tobacco, and to some extent coffee, the cultivation of which, however, has of late greatly decreased. Indigo, sapanwood, and copra must not be left unmentioned, for they may certainly be expected to take a higher place in the Philippine trade in the future than to-day is the case. Rice and maize are only grown for home consumption, and even for this purpose the supply is not large enough. Rice is imported from Saigon and Bangkok and cocoa from Java, although the extremely fertile soil of the Philippines could produce all that is required at home and enough to admit of a large export trade as well.

Formerly, in 1850 to 1860, or even later, rice was exported from the islands, but the quantity gradually decreased until exportation ceased altogether, and finally the grain began to be imported. The blame lies with the miserable administration of the country. The planters can no longer compete with Rangoon, Saigon, and Bangkok, where the authorities know how to meet the farmers when necessary, and where the ships are not exposed to endless chicanery, such as is practiced by the Manila custom-house officials. For this reason most foreign vessels are careful to steer clear of the latter port. Sugar is chiefly exported from the Visayas Islands, and the trade is almost exclusively over Iloilo, the largest place after Manila, situated on the island of Panay. Zebu, the third largest port of the archipelago, does now but a small and steadily declining trade in hemp.

The best tobacco grows in the north of Luzon, in the Province of Isabella, and the south of Cagayan, the most northern province of that island, in the valley of the Rio Grande de Cagayan. The northern provinces of Luzon, from the Gulf of Lingayen in the west to the Pacific, are separated from Manila by a range of high mountains, the Caraballo, over which there is, with the exception of a path and the telegraph, no road whatever, much less a railway. The tobacco, therefore, is sent on covered boats, so-called "barangaijanes," down the Rio Grande to Aparri, and there shipped by steamer to Manila. A flat-bottomed steamboat also runs from Ilogan, when the water allows it; otherwise she only goes as far as Tuguegarao. In this way the transport from the most southern tobacco center, Echague, which, as the crow flies, is only about 150 miles, often takes quite three weeks.

Tobacco has also been planted on the west coast of the northern part of Luzon, and also on the Visayas Islands. This, however, is of inferior quality and is mostly exported to Spain. In Manila it is not used, unless perhaps by the Chinese factories for the manufacture of inferior cigarettes. Regarding the tobacco monopoly, abolished in 1883, I shall have some remarks to make later.

An important and world-famed article is Manila hemp, or abaco, a product of the *Musa textilis*. It is remarkable that, although there are the most varied species of the *Musa* flourishing all over the Tropics and in warm climates generally, the *Musa textilis* appears to thrive to the best advantage only in the Philippines. Attempts to grow the plant in other places have been uniformly unsuccessful. Like its better-known relative, the edible banana (*Musa paradisiaca*), the stem of the plant is formed by the leaf-stalk, in the center of which again is the

blossom-stem. The finest growth is obtained in the volcanic and rainy districts of the Philippines, especially in the Camarines Sur, Albay, Samar, Leyte, Marinduque, Zebu, and in some of the small neighboring islands, as well as on the South Negros and Mindanao.

The valuable hemp fiber is found in the petioles, from which it is taken before the plant has borne fruit, as otherwise the fibers lose in elasticity and luster. In two or three years the plant is generally so far matured that it can be cut down, the leaves removed, the green epidermis stripped from the stem, and the bast strips either torn off lengthwise or the petioles separated singly, and the inner membrane with the pulpy portion of the plant as well as possible removed. The bast strips thus obtained are then drawn under a knife, in order to scrape away any pulp that may have remained on them. The product after having been dried in the sun is then ready for shipment. This process, though simple, involves a great loss of fiber, which might be avoided by the use of more efficient stripping machines. It is difficult to accustom the native to anything novel; but when once progress has gained a general footing headway will soon be made in particular paths also. Manila hemp has so far been equaled by none, much less excelled.

The principal article is fair current, with its higher and lower grades. Of less importance is quilot and the silklike lupiz, which, besides their use in the manufacture of fine native fabrics, are also employed for superior toilet articles in Europe, especially in the ladies' hat trade. From the current sorts excellent ship's cables and miner's ropes are made, and in America, where great quantities are consumed, they are used to make grain binders for harvesting. Hemp comes on the market in bales of 2 Spanish piculs (280 pounds English). The price varied much, being subject often to great fluctuations, which naturally gave rise to speculation. About the middle of the present century the price varied between \$4 and \$5 (with high course of exchange), steadily rising; in the sixties we find it already at \$7 to \$9; in the eighties, \$11 was the average. In 1890 it was artificially pushed up to \$17—an immense crash being the natural result—and all this at a high or even higher course (3s. 3½d. to 3s. 11d. per \$1.)

The course now began to fall steadily until, after the outbreak of the war, it stood at 1s. 10½d. Of late the prices for fair current have been between \$6 and \$9 per picul, at a course of 2s.; and at the end of April the ton was sold in London at £19. During the blockade of Manila the price was pushed to nearly £40. At the end of the war it fell again to £28.10. The table opposite shows the fluctuation of the course and price of hemp from January 1, 1892, to April 21, 1898, when the war broke out.

In 1818 261 piculs at \$4 were exported. There is no record of the exportation of hemp until 1840. In this year the amount exported is stated to be 136,031 piculs (8,502 tons). Thirty years later, in 1870, the amount had risen to 488,560 piculs (30,535 tons). The export then increased still more considerably. The following figures show how it has stood during the past six years:

YEAR.	Piculs.	English tons.
1892.....	1,581,100	98,818
1893.....	1,282,942	80,184
1894.....	1,591,962	99,497
1895.....	1,664,590	104,038
1896.....	1,531,810	95,738
1897.....	1,689,754	a 105,610

a From Manila only.

The chief consumers are England and the United States. The relative consumption by the different countries in 1896 is seen from the following table:

COUNTRY.	Piculs.	English tons.
England.....	815,044	50,940
United States.....	615,554	38,473
China and Japan.....	49,494	3,093
Australia.....	33,892	2,118
Singapore, India.....	12,166	760
European Continent.....	5,660	354
Total.....	1,531,810	95,738

The difference between the large export to England and the small amount which goes to the Continent—the very last on the list—is striking. England, however, acts here only as middleman, selling extensively again to the Continent, which accordingly buys at second or, rather, third hand.

Various species of the cocoanut palm are found dispersed throughout the whole archipelago, though the exportation has only been considerable during the last few years. Under a more satisfactory state of affairs in the interior of the country the export trade in copra promises to increase still further, in spite of the large consumption of the nuts by the natives themselves. The meat of the cocoanut forms a staple article of food, both raw and prepared artificially.

The archipelago is very rich in timber, notwithstanding that the exploitation for building purposes has been going on for over three hundred years, and exportation formerly especially was very large; nor have new plantations ever been thought of. Sapan wood for dyeing purposes is also a product of the islands, and there is a regular, though small, export done in it. * * *

Cattle breeding has been carried on by some mestizos for many years, evidently with success, or the business would have died out. Of late it has been found more profitable to import the extremely cheap Queensland cattle; but the fact that cattle thrive nearly everywhere is a proof that cattle breeding on an extensive scale is possible. A small number of sheep are imported from China for consumption by foreigners. It is by no means improbable, however, that in some provinces, at any rate, they would thrive well. There are but few goats. Of swine and poultry, on the other hand, there is a surplus, the flesh of the former especially forming a favorite dish of the natives.

In addition to the small but very tough horses, resembling those of Java, that most useful of domestic animals, the carabao, or black (gray) buffalo, thrives to the best advantage. The white species is also occasionally to be found. The buffalo is employed for many purposes—for working the pumps on plantations, for sugar presses, etc., and is also used as a beast of draft. In the mountains the buffalo is met with in the wild state; it is, however, undoubtedly only the domestic species which has been neglected. Nevertheless, in the course of years, the degeneration has been so great that there now exists a clear distinction between the wild and the domestic buffalo. The wild animal has a more compact head and short horns, while the domestic animal has a long head with long, broad horns. Neither horses nor buffaloes are indigenous to the Philippines; they have been imported by the Spaniards.

2. Nor is it alone the arable land which forms the resource of the country, little regarded as this source of wealth has unfortunately hitherto been. There is another, and doubtless not less valuable, property, represented by the mineral riches now silently slumbering beneath the soil.

The islands yield pit coal, iron, gold, silver, copper, etc., for the most part of good quality, and recently petroleum has been struck. Careful and expert explorations have several times been undertaken by engineers, yet never to the extent necessary to start lucrative mining, nor yet over a sufficiently extensive area. The former "inspector-general de montes," Don Jose Centeno, and Don Antonio Hernandez are deserving of special mention for their exploration in this direction.

Coal is probably spread over the whole archipelago. It was first discovered in 1827 in the island of Zebu; then in Negros, Mindanao; on the island of Luzon, in Camarines and Albay, and in many other islands. The wealth thus appears almost inexhaustible. The coal in Zebu is of the best quality, numerous experiments having shown it to be equal to Newcastle coal. Hernandez found four seams running parallel from north to south at a small depth, and 95 miles long. In 1874 four further seams were found where Don Isaac Conui worked the Caridad and Esperanza collieries in a small way. In Albay, 1 mile southeast of the small harbor of Sugod, is one of the most extensive of the many seams which have been found in Albay. It is 5 or 6 yards deep, and runs for a long distance. From this mine, from different places over a distance of a mile or more, 130 tons of coal were dug and practically tried on some steamers.

According to the reports of the man-of-war *Berenguela* and the steamships *Butuan* and *Corregidor*, which experimented with the coal, the latter resembles that of Australia, with the advantage of being less bituminous. This is an agreement with the scientific analyses and experiments of the coal made in Madrid. Small workings were begun, but exploitation corresponding to the worth could not be looked for, as with the fickle Government and administrative mismanagement, capitalists feared to finance such undertakings. Especially in the way of foreigners the Government put every possible hindrance, so that a profitable return seemed questionable, and the capital invested in danger. The workings were consequently very limited, and up till this day Australia and Japan export coal to Manila, a state of things which, it may be hoped, will soon be changed.

Iron, also, has been found in many of the islands. The best is that in Luzon, in the provinces of Morong, Laguna, Bulacan, Nueva Ecija, Pampanga, and Camarines, which, according to Centeno, compares most favorably in quality with that of Sweden. The ore contains from 75 to 80 per cent pure iron, and is found in the midst of immense forests, so that there is thus a permanent supply of fuel, if properly used. In addition to this, there is often water power in the neighborhood which could be profitably utilized. In the above-mentioned provinces, Centeno discovered large masses of almost pure magnetic iron oxide (*hierro oxidulado magnetico, casi puro*). After what has been said above, it is not surprising that here, also, there has been no thorough exploitation. In

the province of Bulacan the natives manufacture a very primitive iron plowshare and pots for cooking (carahays); but even here there has been a gradual decline since the commencement of this century.

Copper exists in the provinces of Tayabas, Camarines Sur, and Antique and on Masbate; the best quality, however, in the district of Lepanto (Luzon) near Mancayan, Suyuc, Bumuan, and Agbao. Here mines were worked by the Compañía Cantabro-Filipina, but abandoned after about ten years, in spite of the wealth of mineral, on account of the scarcity of labor. The first specimen of black copper was obtained in 1864. In 1867 the output was 2,164 quintales (2,231 cwt. 83 lbs.) of fine copper; in 1870, 4,020 quintales (3,641 cwt. 8 lbs.). The want of workmen then caused the yield to decline, until in 1875 the mines were closed altogether.

It is probable that gold occurs in every part of the archipelago. In a small way it has been extracted by the natives for many years in certain places, particularly in Luzon. It is found in stratified, and in creeks, from which the natives prefer to wash it. The best known sources are in Camarines Norte, the mountains of Mambulao, Paracale, and Labo, and the northern spurs of the Carabello Mountains. Alluvial gold is said to exist largely in Nueva Ecija, near the village of Capan; in Tayabas the metal is found in the mountains in the neighborhood of the village of Antimonon. In Mindanao, where gold has likewise been discovered, it is believed to be present in particularly profitable quantity. Mindoro, Panay, as well as some other small islands, are also places where the precious metal has been found.

It now remains to inquire into the question as to whether it would pay to work gold mines at all. For as yet, at all events no positive proof has been furnished of gold mines being profitable, although during the last few years the subject has been discussed. In 1893 the Mambulao Gold Mining Syndicate was formed in London, engineers sent out, and workings actually commenced in Mambulao. Difficulties, however, arose, the principal no doubt being that a large part of the shares were not allotted, and the working capital therefore too small. In general, the participators speculated on the advantageous sale of a part of their concession and the starting of a limited liability company. Something of a gold fever broke out in Manila, and on all sides concessions were acquired by Englishmen, some Germans, and Swiss. Not one of these concessions, however, seemed the result of a sound bona fide project; the object in view was always the promotion of companies and disposal of the concession at a good profit, leaving all the risk to the shareholders. It is not impossible that this would actually, in some cases, have taken place, and a speculation in shares followed similar to that on a former occasion in Singapore and Hongkong, to the detriment of general trade. The rebellion of 1896 fortunately put an end to speculation; European capital for such purposes was not to be found during the disturbances, and methodical working in some provinces was equally impossible, quite apart from the other difficulties mentioned above.

Centeno further states that mercury was formerly found in various places. At the end of the last century a bottle was sent to Manila from Mindanao, and a second from Capiz. In 1848 mercury was discovered in Casiguron, in the province of Albay, but the general opinion was that the find was altogether insignificant. At all events, none of these discoveries appear to have been of any importance.

At the beginning of the seventies two beds of galena were discovered in Zebu, in the neighborhood of the village of Consolacion. Specimens were analyzed at the mint at Manila, and showed, it is true, only 47 per cent of lead, but also 1 ounce gold and 2 ounces silver per hundredweight. Nevertheless, the beds were not of sufficient significance to assure profitable working even on a small scale, so the mines were again abandoned. The department of mines in Manila did certainly recommend further exploration in Zebu, but so far as I am aware earnest steps were never taken. In Mambulao and Paracale the beds of galena and red-lead ore have been got ready for working, and are probably very rich. The workings, however, have always been abandoned again, presumably, chiefly, on account of these Spanish undertakings being insufficiently financed from the commencement, and because of the lack of the necessary circumspection.

There is naturally an abundance of sulphur in this volcanic archipelago. That which occurs on the Bulusan, in Albay, the Taal, in Batangas, and the Apo, in Mindanao, being of fairly pure quality. Really extensive beds, worthy of exploitation, were found years ago in Leite, in the interior, not far from Dulag, and were worked on a small scale by the natives. In 1818, 3,410 piculs, at \$2.50, were exported, and Dr. Jagor states that the price paid in Manila for this sulphur in the fifties was from \$1.50 to \$4.50. For the last twenty years, however, the sulphur industry has been wholly dead.

Alabaster is found in Camarines Sur, and there is a beautiful marble at Bohol and Guimaras, near Iloilo. Granite of excellent quality is quarried at the other side of the Bay of Mariveles, opposite to Manila.

Rock oil was found some years ago in Zebu and Paragua and promises to be of importance. I have neither seen samples nor come across any official report in the matter, but I have received direct information from various trustworthy Indians and Mestizos.

3. With the exception of the cigar manufacturing, which until January 1, 1883, was monopolized by the Government, the islands are not of industrial importance. Manila possesses two large sugar refineries, some distilleries, and rope works. Lately rice mills and a flour mill have been set up in Luzon for the purposes of home

consumption. The hats made by the natives of strips of reeds in Baliuag also play an important part in the export trade, being shipped largely to America and Paris. The cigar cases (petacas), likewise manufactured in Baliuag, are of less importance. Though of no great significance for the trade, the ilang ilang essence should be mentioned, the Philippines being the only place where it is produced. The essence is made from the green blossom of the ilang-ilang tree, one of the Anonaceae ("Anona odoratissima," according to Blanco; "Cananga odorata," according to Hook), and finds its way principally to Paris. It forms the basis of all finer quality perfumes, and has, indeed, become an almost indispensable article in the perfumery branch. The distillation of the essence, and the business in general connected with it, is carried on exclusively by Germans.

Coach building is of great importance in Manila. The home demand is enormous, as every inhabitant of any standing has his carriage, and the wealthier mestizos excel in the luxury of their vehicles.

That soap and other such articles of popular use are manufactured is scarcely necessary to state. There are also three lithographic establishments, owned by Germans.

Besides the Baliuag industry, above referred to, the natives manufacture excellent homespun fabrics of cotton, hemp, silk, and pinā (the fibers of the pineapple leaf); pinā-cloth embroidery is also a domestic industry. These articles do not rank at all in the export trade of to-day, but they may certainly be expected to do so before long; the more so if the industry continues to advance as it has done during the past year or so, not only as regards the fabrics themselves, but also the designs and colors. Some coarse hemp textiles have already been exported within the last few years: the finer hemp and hemp and silk fabrics, though much prized by ladies for dressmaking, have not yet entered into the trade, not having so far found favor with the Parisian costumers. A most interesting exposition of the produce of the Philippines was afforded by the exhibition (Exposition Regional de Filipinas), which was held at Government cost at Manila in 1895.

It is certain that the Philippines, whose position is already assured by the mineral wealth of the country, will also play a part in the industry in the future equal to, if not surpassing, that of Japan.

4. There seems to me to be no doubt that even before the arrival of the Spaniards these islands had relations with the Malay Archipelago and China, and to a certain extent carried on barter, particularly with the latter country. Regular trade, however, first began to develop in 1572, when Legaspi established himself in Manila. The inhabitants of Cagayan related to Don Juan de Salcedo in 1572 that their cotton fabrics were fetched every year by Chinese and Japanese vessels.

Manila is without doubt the most advantageously situated port and trading place in the East, and forms the center of the trade between China, Japan, the Dutch archipelago, and Australia. The position of the Philippines is likewise extremely favorable for the west coast of America, and Manila should be the natural mart of Eastern Asia. * * *

During the northeast monsoon most ships going through the straits to China run right across to Luzon, to get protection against the strong contrary winds. It would therefore be quite in their course to touch at Manila; but they avoid the port for the reasons stated above—the chicanery of the customs officials. For the same reason the regular steamers between Hongkong and Australia steam right past the Bay of Manila without running in. Passengers from Manila to Australia have, therefore, first to cross to Hongkong and then take passage from there, returning again directly past Manila and Zamboanga (so close to the latter that the people may almost be recognized on the shore) to the first touching place—Thursday Island, or Port Darwin.

After 1572 trade commenced also between Manila and New Spain, which for individual Spaniards in Manila proved very profitable. Between 1590 and 1595, however, the citizens of Manila petitioned several times to the King for liberty of trade, but always in vain; the restriction on commerce remained as before. In 1610 the Seville merchants begged that the trade between Manila and New Spain might be closed, as they wanted to do business direct, by the Cape, with Manila, without the intervention of the American colonies. This was, nevertheless, impossible, on account, principally, no doubt, of the fact that the Acapulco silk trade gave occupation to over 14,000 persons in Mexico.

Galleons were sent every year from Manila to Navidad, and from 1602 to Acapulco, containing merchandise to the value of \$250,000, maximum admitted by the Government, and bringing back double the price. Later this maximum rose to \$300,000, and in 1734 to \$500,000. Finally the amount reached \$600,000, and the home freight double the value. From Manila the galleons—called "nao"—took spices, cotton fabrics, silks, etc., and gold articles and other products of China, India, and the Philippines; 50,000 silk stockings are also especially mentioned. (Refer: Lord Anson's Journey Round the World, 1749, and the description of Spanish commerce by J. C. S., Dresden, 1763.) The home freight consisted chiefly of silver dollars; and there were also passengers, persons going to seek their fortune in the Philippines, and officials and soldiers sent out by the Madrid Government as substitutes.

The merchandise yielded twice its value in Manila, and as is recorded sometimes even four times, which in certain cases may no doubt have been the case. The profit, however, did not all go into one pocket, but was

divided among a number. The Government issued warrants (boletins) remitting the shipping of cargo to the monasteries, pensioned officials, and other privileged persons, who then sold them to the merchants; in this manner the profits were distributed. The result was that merchandise of very high value was shipped, and the nao often so packed with cargo that the guns had to be stowed away. On the home journey there was often over \$3,000,000 value on board. As these ships were maintained at the expense of the Government, it is natural that a portion of the shipping fees was reserved for the royal exchequer.

Generally the well-laden nao sailed from Cavite in July, steering to northward to 30°, where, taking advantage of the western winds, they made for the shores of California, then coasting southward to Acapulco. The voyage was always most difficult and dangerous, and often very long, lasting sometimes six months or more. In later years the ships sailed more commonly through the straits of San Bernardino, south of Luzon, though this did not shorten the voyage. Arrived at the Californian coast, they ran into San Lucas, where they took in provisions and received information as to the movements of pirates in the waters, naturally a matter of great concern, considering the value of the cargo. The home voyage to Manila was easier and quicker, seldom occupying more than two months. The ship sailed southward from Acapulco till about 10° N., taking the passage to the Marian Islands, and then farther, through the straits of San Bernardino, to Manila. As the time arrived when the nao could be expected, nightly fires were lighted on two high rocks, so that the vessel might find her way through the islands. (In old works the islands Guam and Rota are mentioned.)

The naos were vessels of 1,200 tons or even more, and were manned as war ships and armed with 50 or 60 cannon. Notwithstanding this, they sometimes, together with their costly cargo, fell a booty to privateers, pirates, and war ships of inimical powers. In June, 1743, Lord Anson, on board the *Centurion*, captured the *Nuestra Señora de Cabadonga*, a much larger galleon, captained by Don Jeronimo de Montero, off Cape Espiritu Santo, on the Samar coast.

The captain of the galleon, who bore the title "general," received on the Acapulco trade a percentage of about \$40,000 for each voyage; first officers, likewise, were paid commissions.

Toward the end of the last century the profits began to decline, decreasing more and more; sometimes the ships even found the market in Acapulco perfectly flat, without any demand. This was because of American traders, and of English merchants supplying all the requirements direct from Europe; smuggling also played its part. Thus it happened that the ships were often unable to return for long periods of time. The last nao which left Manila, in 1811, did not return from Acapulco until 1815.

In 1785 the Real Compañía de Filipinas was started, having its seat in Cadiz, and with a capital of \$7,000,000. This company more or less monopolized the whole trade, until on August 15, 1789, a decree was issued permitting European vessels to import Asian produce, and to import only such Spanish, Philippine, and American produce as the compañía had imported. A second decree, dated October 15, 1803, deprived the compañía of still further privileges, and declared the harbor of Manila open to all nations. Certain rights the compañía still retained, however. In 1814 absolute liberty of trade was allowed to the whole world. As a result of the introduction of the new Código de Comercio, July 15, 1833, the privileges of the compañía ceased altogether in 1834. A year later the exportation of manufactured tobacco and cigars was also permitted.

Until the close of the preceding century, 1792, foreigners were not allowed to settle in Manila (although Laperouse, 1787, mentions the French merchant Sébir in this town). As soon as the permission was granted the first foreign houses were established, the number continually increasing, so that to-day the external trade is almost exclusively in foreign hands; 1851 saw the establishment of the Banco Español Filipino, but by reason of bureaucratic formalities and strict limits imposed transactions were much impeded. It is only in recent years that matters have bettered, rendering fair and easy banking business possible. Up to 1860 and still later banking transactions were therefore done almost wholly through two large American houses. To-day we find branches of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation doing the principal business.

The Consulado, established in 1772 and removed on January 1, 1834, and the Junta de Comercio, founded on January 1, 1835, have done practically nothing at all for trade and shipping. The export and import trade, as already remarked, lies almost exclusively in the hands of foreigners, principally English, Germans, and Swiss. The retail and intermediate trade is done by the Chinese. The Spanish, in addition to the Compañía General de Tabacos de Filipinas—which, however, pays but a small dividend—and some inland traders, own a number of millinery shops for town costumes, and cosmetic stores.

How greatly the trade done by foreigners surpasses that of the Spanish is seen from the tables below, giving the external shipping trade and tolls. Since 1896 there has been no American house in Manila.

The traffic between Manila and the provinces is carried on mostly by means of thirty-five steamers and a large number of smaller sailing vessels. The sole railway runs from Manila to Dagupan, the port of Pangasinan, a rice-growing province, on the west coast of Luzon, on the Gulf of Lingayen. The only large line of ships touching

at Manila is the *Compañía Transatlántica*, from Barcelona to Manila, which, however, also has Liverpool as a shipping port, as the steamers would otherwise scarcely be able always to secure a full cargo. The chief profits of the line are no doubt earned from the enormous transport to and fro of officials and soldiers; in nearly every ship all berths are occupied. There is a brisk trade done with Hongkong, through four or five steamers under the British flag; for the largest part of the goods goes over Hongkong, being transshipped. A steamer runs to Singapore, meeting the French mail steamer, by which the principal European postal traffic is carried on.

Despite the fact that the foreign flag was everywhere at a disadvantage, and the Spanish, on the contrary, privileged, the former has always been the really dominating. Though formerly foreign vessels were obliged to run in in ballast, nevertheless they took outward freight. The privilege shown to the Spanish flag did not cease till 1872, and consisted at that time in a reduction of 25 per cent on the custom-house charges. This was gradually diminished every year by 5 per cent, and in the last year by 10 per cent at once.

The following table shows the state of the shipping trade in Manila in earlier years:

	1827		1828		1829	
	Incom- ing.	Out- going.	Incom- ing.	Out- going.	Incom- ing.	Out- going.
Foreign ships.....	96	98	99	89	146	145
Spanish ships.....	34	29	31	38	41	43
Total	130	127	130	127	187	188

In 1868, 112 foreign vessels with 74,054 tons, mostly in ballast, entered to take up cargo, and 93 Spanish vessels entered and sailed with cargo. To show a comparison of the trade during the past two years, I have compiled the following table:

	INCOMING.		OUTGOING.	
	Ships.	Tonnage.	Ships.	Tonnage.
1896.				
Foreign.....	181	264,868	175	251,439
Spanish.....	47	92,541	49	95,802
Total	228	357,409	224	347,241
1897.				
Foreign.....	204	301,199	197	292,219
Spanish.....	48	81,326	50	88,649
Total	252	385,525	247	380,868

At the commencement of the century the imports were far greater than the exports; then the two became about equal, and finally the exported goods ranked first. In recent years the exports have always exceeded the imports by some 30 per cent—a very promising sign of the productive capacity of the country.

The imports to Aragon in 1818, according to the duties paid, amounted to—

Under foreign flag.....	\$1,680,200.25
Under Spanish flag.....	616,071.85
Total.....	\$2,296,272.10

as against an exportation of—

ARTICLES.	Quantity.	Average price.	Total.
Hemp.....piculs.	291	\$4.00	\$1,044.00
Cordage.....quintals.	555	5.00	2,775.00
Hemp rope.....do.	5		625.00
Coffee.....cavans.	84.5	6.00	507.00
Sugar.....piculs.	14,495	7.00	101,835.00
Indigo.....quintals.	3,200	60.00	192,000.00
Hulled rice.....do.	1,195	3.50	4,187.50
Sapan wood.....piculs.	13,425	1.25	23,531.25
Shells.....do.	256	8.00	1,888.00
Tortoise shell.....do.	21	200.00	10,850.00
Sulphur.....do.	3,410	2.50	8,525.00
Ebony.....do.	2,610	1.75	4,567.50
Hulled rice.....do.	1,532	1.50	2,298.00
Shark fins.....do.	42	16.00	672.00
Beaver skins.....do.	2,266	24.00	54,384.00
Birds' nests.....do.	5.68	130.00	738.40
White birds' nest.....do.	94.24	3,200.00	301,768.00
Dried fish.....do.	1,242	6.00	7,992.00
Pure cotton.....do.	1,176	2.00	23,571.00
Ghee.....do.	140	2.50	775.00
Rattans.....do.	1,192	4.50	5,364.00
Wax.....do.	1,230	23.00	25,840.00
Gold.....baels.	250	13.00	2,990.00
Timber.....trunks.	1,391	1.25	1,738.75
Cowrie shells.....cavans.	1,066	2.00	2,132.00
Salt.....do.	1,000	.25	250.00
Cocoa.....gantas.	145	1.50	177.50
Rum.....gallons.	1,543	.50	697.00
Plowshares.....pairs.	580	.50	290.00
Carpenters' axes.....do.	420	.50	210.00
Buffalo hides.....do.	3,853	.375	1,251.37
Cowhides (tanned).....do.	3,153	.75	2,364.75
Stag hides.....do.	651	.13	88.92
Mats.....do.	1,280	.30	384.00
Buri mats.....do.	731	1.00	731.00
Hats.....do.	748	.30	224.40
Various.....do.			6,433.95
Riding horses.....do.	12	50.00	600.00
Total.....			801,945.29

There was, therefore, nearly three times as much imported as exported. The list of articles exported, with their prices, is interesting. Of the leading articles of to-day sugar was the only one of importance, but even this came after white birds' nests and indigo. Comparing with this the table of Dr. F. J. F. Meyen, on board the Prussian merchant ship *Princess Louise*, eleven years later, we find a great increase in exports—in the case of sugar tenfold the amount, though with hemp, again, not at all.

He gives the exports as follows:

ARTICLES.	1829.	1830.
Sugar.....piculs.	120,274	138,387
Indigo.....do.	11,809	13,863
Sapan wood.....do.	11,675	11,594
Hulled rice (114,793 cavan).....do.	191,377	a 179,532
Unhulled rice (30,830 cavan) paddy.....do.	28,027	
Rum.....gallons.	19,551	
Cigars.....kilograms.	52,843	b 48,955

a 197,486 cavan.

b 4,257 arrobas.

The remaining less important articles are omitted.

At the end of the twenties, imports and exports were practically equal:

YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.
1827.....	\$1,048,680	\$1,093,690
1828.....	1,550,933	1,475,034

Up to the seventies both had been increased more than tenfold, and the exports considerably exceeded the imports; in round numbers:

YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.
1870.....	\$11,000,000	\$16,000,000
1875.....	13,000,000	19,000,000
1880.....	17,000,000	22,000,000

The only exception is the year 1872, when the exports stood at \$16,500,000 and the imports at \$22,000,000. In 1892 the exports were \$33,000,000, the imports \$25,000,000.

It is a difficult matter to give statistics of the imported goods, since the innumerable articles are not entered separately at the custom house, but, for purposes of duty, are placed in certain classes. Some of the leading goods may be mentioned, however. From England, all Manchester articles play an important part, together with a number of less significant wares, such as hardware and leather goods. From Germany come better class textiles, tricots, hardware, paper, leather, steel and iron, machinery, etc. From Switzerland, St. Gallen laces, muslins, and silks. From France, Lyon silks, machinery for cigarette making, and paper.

From Austria, principally only Vienna furniture and Bohemian glassware. From Belgium is sent glass and glassware, iron, paper, cement, etc. From Russia and America, kerosene, and from the latter country also flour and tinned meats—as Spain exported formerly almost only preserved foods in tins—and wines. Within the last few years she has commenced to import into the Philippines other articles, to compete with the wares of other countries. The Spanish goods are in every way inferior to those of foreign manufacture, but on account of their being free from import duty the prices are considerably lower.

In the following table the exports during the last five years are given. The minor articles have been omitted:

PRINCIPAL EXPORTS FROM THE PHILIPPINES FROM JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1896.

To	Sugar.	Hemp.	Coffee.	Tobacco.	Cigars.	Sapan wood.	Copra.
	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Centals.</i>	<i>Thousands.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>
GREAT BRITAIN.....	763,105	815,014	190	47,816	35,010	3,340	32,200
UNITED STATES.....	16,000	615,554		131	1		
EUROPE.....	774,892	5,960	923	154,800	32,610		548,812
AUSTRALIA.....		93,892		62	14,850		
CHINA, JAPAN, INDIA.....	1,278,577	61,060	267	16,078	112,540	50,323	3,895
CANADA.....	57,529				610		
DIVARE BREAKWATER.....	521,874	74,370					
WATER IN 1896.....	3,588,188	1,531,810	1,431	219,016	195,800	53,663	585,907
WATER IN 1895.....	3,693,799	1,644,590	3,287	225,677	198,270	38,919	591,460
TOTAL IN 1896.....	3,190,188	1,597,662	9,008	191,509	140,075	75,115	540,633
TOTAL IN 1895.....	4,184,206	1,222,942	5,102	230,572	133,046	76,588	183,404
TOTAL IN 1894.....	2,958,000	1,581,100	21,801	251,063	133,404	52,452	232,536
ARTICLES.				1896	1895	1894	
Sugar.....				\$14,000,000	\$12,239,000	\$12,590,000	
Hemp.....				11,160,000	13,317,000	12,750,000	
Coffee.....				67,500	158,000	412,000	
Tobacco.....				2,630,000	2,705,750	2,310,000	
Cigars.....				1,900,000	1,786,200	1,500,000	
Sapan wood.....				70,000	58,400	102,000	
Copra.....				2,630,000	2,898,000	2,500,000	
Others.....				274,000	60,000	115,000	
Total.....				32,771,500	33,225,150	32,279,000	

The exports from Manila alone, the most important place to be considered, were, during the past six years, as follows:

EXPORTS FROM MANILA IN THE YEARS 1892 TO 1897.

YEAR.	Hemp.	Cordage.	Coffee.	Tobacco.	Cigars.
	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Quintals.</i>	<i>Thousand.</i>
1892.....	1,408,444	1,354	21,801	a 254,063	133,395
1893.....	1,154,766	2,200	5,006	a 230,572	130,320
1894.....	1,322,000	1,800	9,000	a 194,500	138,000
1895.....	1,446,990	3,774	3,030	a 222,510	198,270
1896.....	1,333,118	3,619	1,434	a 212,706	195,800
1897.....	1,689,751	3,873	4,947	a 319,883	183,735

YEAR.	Sugar.		Indigo.	Sapan wood.	Copra.	Shells.
	Dry.	Wet.				
	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Quintals.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>
1892.....	921,354	250,369	6,534	20,314	186,519	223
1893.....	1,359,737	521,980	971	53,767	168,122	254
1894.....	1,200,000	295,000	1,599	40,000	475,000	350
1895.....	1,440,000	285,159	26	27,210	226,626	1,367
1896.....	1,456,549	272,337	5,419	14,234	561,268	1,101
1897.....	839,994	82,062	4,468	16,631	749,207	1,180

a For the most part to Spain for the monopoly.

In the June (1893) number of the National Geographic Magazine, called "the Philippine number," are some articles about the islands. Although for the most part interesting, especially for anthropologists, they are, in economic matters, inaccurate. None of the statistics are to be depended upon, for even at the commencement, in mentioning the trade of 1896, there is an error of about twenty-eight million dollars. In 1896 the export alone was \$32,771,500. The figures given by me are correct, as, indeed, statistics can only be correct. The trade is indeed small, compared to what it should be; but amounts such as are given to the author of the magazine article were reached twenty-five years ago.

To give the statistics of the imports even only approximately correct is impossible, wherefore I have refrained altogether from giving detailed statistics in this regard. The author of the article referred to tabulates the American goods, among which wheaten flour in particular must strike the eye of anyone really knowing the conditions of the trade. He gives the value of the imports as lowest in 1893, with \$7,800, and the highest in 1896, with \$18,290, which figures are much too low. The value of the flour imported from America must be at least five or ten times as much.

The terms in the produce market in Manila are always cash down. In business with the provinces the Manila house has frequently to make advances, which certainly means risk; but if one is cautious with whom one deals the business is safe enough here also. It is always the main thing in the case of transmarine places just springing up to know the state of affairs precisely, and to be in a position to form a sound judgment at a moment's notice. The business between the importers and the Chinese retail dealers is done either by means of acceptance (*pagaré*) at six months, or, as is more general of late, cash within four to six weeks, with 5 per cent discount. Unfortunately the four to six weeks are very often exceeded. Insolvencies frequently occur among the Chinese. * * *

COMMERCE OF PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES WITH THE PHILIPPINES.

[From reports of the Bureau of Foreign Commerce, Department of State.]

The following statistics in regard to the imports and exports of the Philippine Islands have been compiled from official publications of the various countries mentioned. In the first table, in which an effort has been made to show the trade by countries of origin and destination, the figures for 1897 are given, except in the case of France, Germany, Belgium, India, the Straits Settlements, and Victoria. For these countries the latest figures available relate to 1896; for the trade of Spain, no later ones than those for 1895 can be obtained.

COUNTRIES.	Imports from Philippines.	Exports to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Great Britain.....	6,223,426	2,063,598
France.....	1,990,297	359,796
Germany.....	223,720	774,928
Belgium.....	272,240	45,660
Spain.....	4,819,344	4,973,589
Japan.....	1,332,300	92,823
China.....	56,137	97,717
India.....	7,755	89,156
Straits Settlements.....	274,130	236,001
New South Wales.....	119,550	176,858
Victoria.....	180	178,370
United States.....	4,383,740	94,597
Total.....	19,702,819	9,174,693

The average value of the trade of the Philippines is greater than indicated in the above table, having suffered in the past few years on account of political conditions. As will be seen in the statements of the commerce by countries, further on, Great Britain imported from the Philippines, in 1893, to the value of \$10,607,000, and exported nearly \$1,500,000 more than the shipments in 1897. France imports three times as much as she did in 1893, but her exports have diminished in an even larger proportion, from over \$2,000,000 to \$350,000. China imports more than twice as much, but exports considerably less than in 1893. India imports less, but her exports have risen from \$57,000 to \$80,000. The Straits Settlements have lost over \$100,000 in imports and some \$140,000 in exports. The trade with New South Wales has grown, but that with Victoria has greatly diminished; and United States commerce, which was \$9,314,235 in 1893, has fallen to \$4,478,337 in 1897.

The following statements show the principal articles of import and export:

PRINCIPAL IMPORTS FROM PHILIPPINES.

COUNTRIES.	Hemp.	Tobacco.	Cocoanuts and copra.	Sugar.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Great Britain.....	3,694,214	716,767	222,401	1,512,703
France.....	76,754	86,451	1,787,198	.....
Germany.....	166,600	31,654	.....	.....
Japan.....	100,993	64,477	.....	1,156,411
India.....	4,865	3,053	.....	.....
Spain.....	.....	2,533,150	.....	413,794
United States.....	2,701,651	.....	.....	1,199,202
Total.....	6,745,177	3,435,552	2,009,602	4,282,110

It must not be inferred from the absence of statistics in regard to some of the above articles that there are no imports into the countries mentioned. They are either covered in the general heading "All other imports" or are classified in some other way.

PRINCIPAL EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

COUNTRIES.	Cotton manufac- tures.	Silk manu- factures.	Woolen manufac- tures.	Apparel.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Great Britain.....	1,268,087	12,205	17,943	6,273
France.....	143,223	81,720	2,493	3,912
Germany.....	111,028	43,792	44,268	99,246
Japan.....	120	4,418		157
United States.....	2,164			
Total.....	1,524,622	142,135	64,704	110,588

COUNTRIES.	Machinery.	Metals, and manufac- tures of.	Coal.	Provisions.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Great Britain.....	151,650	184,413	18,656	73,455
France.....	10,453	5,035		
Germany.....	20,036	198,370		31,654
Japan.....	250	388	40,996	7,420
Total.....	181,390	387,216	57,652	118,529

Tables giving the details of trade with the various countries are given below:

COMMERCE OF GREAT BRITAIN.

The annual statement of trade of the United Kingdom for 1897 (it should be noted that the British figures cover the Ladrone Islands) has the following:

YEAR.	Imports from Philippines.	Export to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	10,607,491	3,522,061
1894.....	7,948,085	3,117,744
1895.....	7,896,918	2,023,505
1896.....	7,477,538	2,470,240
1897.....	6,223,323	1,947,598

To these exports, which represent the produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom, should be added the foreign produce which passes through British ports. The figures for these last-named exports for the years given were: In 1893, \$268,000; 1894, \$162,000; 1895, \$135,000; 1896, \$141,000; 1897, \$116,000.

IMPORTS FROM PHILIPPINES, 1897.

ARTICLES.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ginseng.....	31,185	Nuts and kernels for expressing oil therefrom.....	222,401
Hemp, dressed or undressed, and tow.....	3,694,214	Sugar, unrefined.....	1,512,703
Tobacco.....		All other articles.....	46,151
Unmanufactured.....	226,939	Total.....	6,223,426
Manufactured.....	489,828		

EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES, 1897.

ARTICLES.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Alkali.....	21,870	Machinery and millwork.....	151,659
Apparel and haberdashery.....	6,273	Metals:	
Carrriages, railway.....	4,540	Iron, wrought and unwrought.....	100,000
Coal and cinders, etc.....	16,856	Copper.....	20,583
Cotton yarn.....	169,603	Oil seed.....	10,000
Cottons:		Painters' colors and materials.....	33,423
Entered by the yard.....	962,780	Pickles, vinegar, sauces.....	1,705
Entered at value.....	133,104	Provisions.....	25,550
Earthen and china ware.....	15,719	Saddlery and harness.....	2,628
Glass manufactures, unenumerated.....	6,112	Silk manufactures.....	12,205
Hardware and cutlery.....	7,870	Woolen and worsteds.....	17,443
Hats of all sorts.....	505	All other articles.....	101,500
Leather, wrought and unwrought.....	15,018	Total.....	1,947,593
Linen, entered by the yard.....	40,095		

The principal articles of foreign produce which passed through British ports en route to the Philippines in 1897 were: Cheese, \$18,000; cotton manufactures, \$2,000; hams, \$12,000; iron and steel manufactures, \$1,500; condensed milk, \$12,000.

Indigo was formerly imported from the Philippines into Great Britain (to the value of \$39,000 in 1893), but does not appear in reports for recent years. Unwrought copper and dyewoods have also decreased in import.

COMMERCE OF FRANCE.

According to statistics published in the *Tableau Général du Commerce et de la Navigation* for the years from 1893 to 1896 (the edition for 1897 not having been received), the trade with France has been as follows:

YEAR.	Imports from Philippines.	Exports to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	694,800	2,258,100
1894.....	1,080,000	2,026,500
1895.....	1,428,200	1,697,100
1896.....	1,900,237	359,756

The details of trade in 1896 were:

IMPORTS FROM PHILIPPINES.

ARTICLES.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cocoanuts and kernels.....	1,787,198	Shells.....	5,536
Hemp.....	76,754	All other articles.....	3,701
Tobacco.....	80,451	Total.....	1,990,297
Gum and resins.....	22,281		
Oils, volatile, and essences.....	8,376		

EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

ARTICLES.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cotton manufactures.....	142,297	Wine.....	5,075
Silk manufactures.....	81,721	Metals and manu. factories of.....	5,000
Woolen manufactures.....	39,813	Paper.....	4,720
Jewelry, etc.....	12,916	Apparel.....	3,002
Machinery and parts of.....	10,753	Meat.....	3,667
Copper and manu. factories of.....	7,639	All other articles.....	20,700
Tanned hides.....	6,391	Total.....	217,785
Tobacco.....	6,263		

A much larger proportion of foreign goods, it appears, passes through French than through British ports to the Philippines. Foreign cotton goods figured in the exports for \$137,860; silk manufactures, for \$39,733; metals, for \$633; cotton thread, for \$5,363; paper, for \$1,802; and woolen manufactures, for \$2,493. The total value of foreign goods exported from France to the Philippines in 1896 was \$195,898, while the French exports amounted to \$163,898.

COMMERCE OF GERMANY.

Statistics covering only two years—1895 and 1896—are available. They are taken from the editions of *Auswärtiger Handel* for those years, and comprise the foreign products which were exported from German ports, as well as those of domestic manufacture. The large majority of the exports, however, are of German origin; the value of the foreign articles being represented by only \$29,988 in 1896. Cotton goods and groceries were the only items of importance in the transit trade. It should be noted that the German statistics include the trade with other Spanish possessions in Oceanica.

IMPORTS FROM PHILIPPINES.

ARTICLES.	1895	1896
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Dyewoods	11,662	3,332
Iron and ironwares.....		238
Flax, hemp, dressed and undressed.....	126,378	166,600
Wood and its manufactures.....	476	
Tobacco and its manufactures.....	19,516	31,654
Gums of all sorts.....	47,362	21,658
Other articles.....	238	238
Total.....	205,632	223,720

EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

ARTICLES.	1895	1896
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Cotton and cotton goods	54,978	110,908
Wool and woolen goods.....	30,461	44,268
Silk and silk goods	17,850	43,792
Apparel and haberdashery	88,060	99,246
Brushes and sieves	32,368	23,324
Drugs and dyes.....	51,170	44,744
Iron and articles of	170,646	128,996
Crockery	12,376	21,896
Glass and glassware.....	15,946	11,186
Wood and manufactures of	21,420	15,946
Instruments and machinery	60,214	29,036
Copper and manufactures of	57,358	17,374
Hardware.....	40,364	68,782
Groceries, etc.....	21,896	31,654
Paper and manufactures of	27,132	25,942
Pottery	8,330	20,706
All other articles	51,884	37,128
Total	762,453	774,028

COMMERCE OF SPAIN.

The figures covering Spain's trade with the Philippines are taken from Spain's Foreign Trade, Frank H. Hitchcock, Department of Agriculture, 1898. The imports and exports for the five years from 1891 to 1895 were:

YEAR.	Imports from Philippines.	Exports to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	4,342,009	2,712,515
1892.....	4,450,492	3,655,398
1893.....	4,013,643	4,378,530
1894.....	3,473,004	5,516,735
1895.....	4,819,344	4,973,589

Details of the trade by articles are not given, except in certain imports from the Philippines:

YEAR.	Tobacco.	Sugar.	Coffee.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	2,605,987	216,909	860,481
1892.....	3,511,303	301,888	440,895
1893.....	2,632,816	272,953	153,832
1894.....	2,138,068	389,724	231,541
1895.....	2,533,150	413,794	107,656

COMMERCE OF JAPAN.

The Annual Return of Foreign Trade for 1897 has the following figures:

IMPORTS FROM PHILIPPINES.

ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>
Coffee	3,020
Sugar.....	1,156,411
Flax, hemp, jute, and textiles.....	100,993
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	64,477
All other articles.....	7,399
Total	1,332,300

EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

ARTICLES.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cotton, and manufactures of.....	120	Fans.....	5,410
Silk, and manufactures of.....	4,418	Matchbes	7,599
Apparel and haberdashery	157	Bronze, copper, iron, and tin wares.....	398
Fish, dried and salted.....	90	Paper, porcelain, and other wares.....	12,634
Beans, rice, potatoes, and other vegetable.....	6,471	All other articles.....	12,160
Beer, liquors, and other beverages	638	Total	91,093
Coal	40,996		

To the exports should be added the values of foreign products passing through Japan in 1897, which amounted to \$1,730. Provisions figured in this total to the value of \$230; subnitrate of bismuth, \$770; and dynamo-electric machinery, \$250.

COMMERCE OF CHINA.

The Returns of Trade for 1897, issued by the imperial maritime customs, has the following details:

IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	25,269	172,788
1894.....	64,443	160,175
1895.....	12,944	125,308
1896.....	13,894	103,960
1897.....	56,137	97,117

Details of the trade by articles are, unfortunately, not available.

COMMERCE OF BRITISH INDIA.

The trade for the four years ending in 1896, according to the Statistical Abstract for the Colonies of the United Kingdom, 1897, was:

IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	9,017	56,979
1894.....	6,297	47,495
1895.....	8,533	69,748
1896.....	7,755	80,156

The chief articles of import and export in 1896 were:

IMPORTS FROM PHILIPPINES.

Hemp, and manufactures of	\$4,965
Tobacco, and manufactures of.....	3,053

EXPORTS TO PHILIPPINES.

Drugs and dyewoods	\$80,119
Opium	80,109

British returns estimate the value of the rupee at 2s. (48.6 cents). In making the above reductions, however, the valuation of the rupee as given by the United States Director of the Mint is taken, the average of which for 1896 was 23.4 cents. According to the British estimates, the trade of India would be more than double the values above given.

COMMERCE OF THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

The figures for the trade with the Philippines, also taken from the Statistical Abstract, include other Spanish possessions in Oceania:

YEAR.	Imports from Philippines.	Exports to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	385,091	372,229
1894.....	496,442	484,134
1895.....	490,602	422,607
1896.....	274,130	236,001

COMMERCE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

According to the New South Wales Statistical Register for 1897 the trade for the last five years has been as follows:

YEAR.	Imports from Philippines.	Exports to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	4,141	82,268
1894.....	38,844	168,687
1895.....	74,024	90,531
1896.....	87,617	125,950
1897.....	119,550	176,858

In the exports for 1897 domestic produce and manufactures figured for \$175,272; foreign produce for \$1,586.

COMMERCE OF VICTORIA.

The Statistical Abstract for the Colonies has the following:

YEAR.	Imports from Philippines. (a)	Exports to Philippines.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	18,848	1,298,521
1894.....	472	1,350,040
1895.....	6,103	1,054,707
1896.....	180	178,370

a Including other Spanish possessions in Oceania.

COMMERCE OF UNITED STATES.

The details of the commerce of the United States with the Philippines are given elsewhere in this volume, and are therefore omitted from this compilation.

COMMERCE VIA HONGKONG.

Besides the direct trade with the Philippine Islands, a large number of articles passes via Hongkong and are credited to that port. Hongkong being a free port, no special statistics as to the extent or value of its trade are compiled. The official returns of the countries named show imports and exports in 1897 as follows:

COUNTRIES.	Imports from Hongkong.	Exports to Hongkong.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Great Britain	2,950,627	10,120,081
United States	923,842	6,060,039
China	66,666,119	45,923,809
Japan	5,989,544	12,589,269
British India (a)	4,723,484	1,956,065
Straits Settlements (a)	10,563,152	5,860,614
New South Wales	372,132	903,227
Victoria (a)	328,848	254,533

a In 1896.

The German, French, and Spanish statistics do not mention Hongkong; but it will be seen that the trade of the other countries is very considerable, and, as the local consumption of the port is comparatively small, almost all the merchandise is transshipped. In *Commercial Relations, 1894-95* (Vol. I, p. 90), an estimate of the total trade of Hongkong for the year 1893-94 is made, which covers all the countries above mentioned, with the exception of New South Wales and Victoria, and which approximates the trade of "all other countries" at \$30,000,000 in imports from Hongkong and at \$25,900,000 in exports to Hongkong. The *Statesman's Year Book, 1898*, says that of the total imports into the Philippines about 21 per cent comes from Hongkong and Amoy. Assuming that the trade of Hongkong with "all other countries" had the same value in 1897 as in the fiscal year 1893-94 (it is probable that it increased), the importance of this addition to the trade of the Philippines is obvious.

THE SAMOAN ISLANDS.

THEIR AREA, POPULATION, FORM OF GOVERNMENT AND COMMERCE, AND THE RELATION OF THE UNITED STATES THERETO.

LOCATION, PRODUCTS, AND COMMERCE.

The Samoan Islands, to which recent events have attracted public attention, are located about 2,000 miles south and 300 miles west of the Hawaiian Islands and 14 degrees south of the equator. They lie in an almost direct line between San Francisco and Australia and slightly south of the direct steamship line connecting the Philippines with the proposed Panama or Nicaraguan interoceanic canals. Their especial importance, therefore, lies more in their position as coaling and repair stations on these great highways of commerce rather than in their direct commercial value, their population being small and their imports and exports of comparatively little importance.

The group consists of 10 inhabited and 2 uninhabited islands, with an area of 1,700 square miles and an aggregate population, according to latest estimates, of 36,000 people, of which something over 200 are British subjects, 125 Germans, 25 Americans, 25 French, and 25 of other nationalities, while the remainder are natives, of the Polynesian race. The bulk of the population is located in the three islands of Upolou, Savaii, and Tutuila; the number in Upolou being 16,600, in Savaii 12,500, and in Tutuila 3,700. The islands are of volcanic origin, but fertile, producing cocoanuts, cotton, sugar, and coffee; the most important, however, being cocoanuts, from which the "copra" of commerce is obtained by drying the kernel of the cocoanut, the "copra," which is exported to Europe and the United States, being used in the manufacture of cocoanut oil. The exportation of copra from the islands in 1896 amounted to 12,565,909 pounds, valued at \$231,372. A considerable proportion of this was exported to the United States; a larger proportion, however, to Germany, whose citizens control its commerce through a trading company which has long been established there. The cocoanut and copra production, however, varies greatly from year to year, owing to the fact that many of the cocoanut trees have been destroyed in recent wars between native factions, a single individual being able, by cutting out the crown of the tree, to permanently destroy in two minutes' time the fruit-bearing qualities of trees which require several years for their growth.

GOVERNMENT.

The government of the Samoan Islands had been from time immemorial under the two royal houses of Malietoa and Tupea, except on the island of Tutuila, which was governed by native chiefs. In 1873, at the suggestion of foreign residents, a house of nobles and a house of representatives were established, with Malietoa, Laupepa, and the chief of the royal house of Tupea as joint kings. Subsequently Malietoa became sole king. In 1887 he was deposed by the German Government upon the claim of unjust treatment of German subjects, who formed the bulk of the foreign population on the island, and was deported first to German New Guinea and then to the Cameroons, in Africa, and finally in 1888 to Hamburg, Tamasese, a native chief, being meantime proclaimed by the Germans as king, though against the protest of the British and American consuls at Samoa. Mataafa, a near relative of Malietoa, made war upon Tamasese and succeeded to the kingship.

In 1889 a conference between the representatives of the American, British, and German Governments was held at Berlin, at which a treaty was signed by the three powers guaranteeing the neutrality of the islands, in which the citizens of the three signatory powers would have equal rights of residence, trade, and personal protection. They agreed to recognize the independence of the Samoan Government and the free rights of the natives to elect their chief or king and choose a form of government according to their own laws and customs. A supreme court was established, consisting of one judge, who is styled the chief justice of Samoa, and who is at present W. L. Chambers, an American, formerly a resident of the State of Alabama. To this court are referred: First, all civil suits concerning real property situated in Samoa; second, all civil suits between natives and foreigners or between foreigners of different nationalities; third, all crimes committed by natives against foreigners or committed by such foreigners as are not subject to any consular jurisdiction.

The future alienation of lands was prohibited, with certain specified exemptions. The capital was located at Apia, the chief town of the group of islands, and a local administration provided for the municipal district

of Apia. A commission was appointed to investigate titles to lands alleged to have been purchased from the natives, and this in 1894 completed its labors, confirming about 75,000 acres of lands to Germans, 36,000 to British, and 21,000 to Americans, though much of this land has since changed hands. Malietoa, who had been deported, was restored as King in November, 1889, and continued as such until his death, which occurred August 22, 1898, when the consuls of the three powers, with the chief justice as president, took charge of the administration pending the election of a successor. It is out of the election and recognition of this successor to King Malietoa, deceased, that the recent disagreements between the representatives of the three Governments maintaining the joint protectorate over the islands have occurred.

PAGO PAGO HARBOR.

Especial interest attaches to these islands from the standpoint of the United States by reason of the fact that the harbor of Pago Pago, in the island of Tutuila, the southernmost of the group, was ceded to the United States for a naval and coaling station, first in 1872, and afterwards confirmed by a treaty signed at Washington January 17, 1878, and ratifications exchanged on February 13 of the same year, by which the United States was given the right to establish at that harbor a station for coaling, naval supplies, freedom of trade, commercial treatment as a favored nation, and extraterritorial consular jurisdiction. This harbor was occupied by the United States in 1898, presumably with the purpose of utilizing its advantages as a coaling and supply station. Tutuila, the island upon whose coast this harbor is located, has a population of 3,750 and an area of 54 square miles, while Upolou has an area of 340 square miles and Savaii 659 square miles.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE.

The following statements from American consuls at Samoa, published in the annual volumes of the State Department Commercial Relations, present a view of conditions in the islands in 1897 and 1898, and of their commerce and revenue during recent years.

In a report to the State Department, dated Apia, Samoa, September 27, 1897, Consul-General Churchill says:

Since the passing of the sperm-whale fishery from these islands, what commerce exists depends almost entirely on the staple industry—the growth, purchase, and export of copra, the dried meat of the cocoanut.

The copra trade is in a state of great depression, the price of the article being now \$40 per ton on this beach. Ten years or more ago, when I last saw Apia, copra was then selling on the beach for from \$60 to \$75 per ton, there was almost no limit to the supply, the demand was equally unlimited, and the result was that the imports were correspondingly great as to quantities and values. The causes for this shrinkage in the price of copra are in a general way twofold, some pertaining to supply, some to demand.

That the supply of copra in this market has greatly fallen off is due to the wars and rumors of wars which have distracted and do now harass this Kingdom. This also has a twofold application. One is dependent on a custom of Samoan warfare, in which each party directs its destructive attention in a very marked degree to the plantations and crops of the opposite party. In no more than two minutes a man can destroy a cocoanut tree with a mere knife by cutting out its crown, and the tree thus treated will bear no more. It will take from five to seven years before another tree, planted to replace the one destroyed, can come into productive bearing. Innumerable trees have been thus destroyed in the loyal district of the Tuamasaga, of which Apia is the center, and in the disaffected districts of Atua and Aana, which adjoin the Tuamasaga on the east and west, respectively. And, furthermore, the Samoans will not plant trees so long as they have reason to fear, as at present, that war may at any time break out and render their labor nugatory. As reducing the supply of copra, this would give the article an upward tendency in price were it not for the operation of a cause working along the line of demand, which is far more valid in causing the existing depression in trade.

COCOANUT AND COTTON-SEED OILS.

The industrial value of the copra is found in that it is the raw material of cocoanut oil. The ingenuity of the manufacturers of the United States has discovered so many improved methods of oil extraction from abundant raw material closer to the world's markets that the copra, which must always come from the Tropics, must suffer, as it does, from the competition of skill with the mere forces of nature. Probably the increase in the production of cotton-seed oil in the United States has proved the most important single factor in breaking the high prices which formerly ruled here in the copra trade.

I have gone into this matter at some length, because it is impossible to appreciate trade conditions here without the knowledge that the bulk of all the exports consists of nothing but copra, and that the amount and value of imports depends wholly on the state of the copra market.

Adverting now to the schedule of chief points to be covered in this report, I have to note:

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

It is found impracticable to give a summary statement of the increase or decrease in exports and imports for the periods mentioned, owing to the fact that the collector of customs has but just issued his statement for 1895, and the returns for the current year have not been tabulated. I have, however, been advised by those competent to judge of the movement of trade that there is shown during this period, as for some time past, a gradual decline of German trade, accruing in about equal parts to the English (Australian) and American trade. This means a marked increase in American trade, for the volume of the American trade to this port as compared with that of the English colonies in Australia was last year as 23 to 100.

CURRENCY.

No changes are to be reported in the currency here in Samoa. The only coins current are of the mintage of Great Britain. All accounts are kept in terms of United States currency. To facilitate this peculiar use of the coinage of one country in the notation of another, there exists a system of reckoning values by means of the approximate equivalence of coins. The English sovereign (20 shillings=\$4.86) is taken as equivalent to the half eagle, the English florin (2 shillings=48 cents) to the half dollar, the shilling (21 cents) to the quarter dollar, the sixpence to the dime. The only case in which values are more rigidly computed is in foreign exchange, and in that case the rate is almost practically uniform at \$4.86 to the pound sterling. In the absence of banks, it has been found a peculiarly difficult task to arrive at an estimate of the amount of currency in circulation. I have made computations on several grounds of reckoning, and the results accord on the sum of \$30,000 to \$35,000.

PRICES AND WAGES.

Any changes in the price of commodities are so slight as not to be appreciable.

Rates of wages.—Laborers, \$1 a day; \$10 a month with food; domestic servants, \$3 to \$10 a month with food and lodging; mechanics, \$3 to \$5 a day; clerks, \$50 a month and board; bookkeepers, \$100 a month and board.

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES.

There are no lines of railway, no canals, no navigable rivers, no wagon routes, and no caravan trails. Communication within the group is held by small sailing vessels and by one small steamer, the *Vaosa*, of 90 tons, built this year in this Kingdom, and documented to carry the American flag. Communication with the larger world is maintained by the line of vessels engaged in the mail service between San Francisco and Sydney, New South Wales, and the interisland vessels of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand.

The mail service employs three steamers—two the property of the Oceanic Steamship Company, of San Francisco (John D. Spreckels & Bro.), the American ships *Alameda* and *Mariposa*, and the British steamer *Monowai*, owned by the Union Steamship Company, of New Zealand. The service consists of 13 trips a year, one vessel each way calling at Apia every twenty-eight days for a stop of from two to five hours, according to the amount of freight to be handled and the state of the weather. The voyage from Apia to San Francisco is fifteen days.

The Union Steamship Company runs two vessels a month between Sydney and Auckland by way of Levuka, Fiji, and Apia. These vessels are the *Tarini* and the *Ovalau*, small and slow vessels, but quite up to the requirements of the island trade. Freight rates to and from the Australian colonies by these vessels are in marked contrast with the high rates charged by the mail line on freight from San Francisco. I cite the instance of flour: The freight from San Francisco is \$12 a ton; from Sydney but \$7.50. It is to be said that the agents of the mail line have made efforts to secure cargoes for the trip toward the American market by offering very low rates on copra shipments.

CREDITS.

Credits are expected as follows: Cash to one hundred and twenty days on purchases made in Australia; cash to ninety days on purchases made in the United States.

DECLARED VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM THE CONSULAR DISTRICT OF APIA, SAMOA, TO THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1892.

ARTICLES.	QUARTER ENDED--				Total.
	Sept. 30, 1891.	Dec. 31, 1891.	Mar. 31, 1892.	June 30, 1892.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Braid.....			3.00		3.00
Copra.....				707.93	707.93
Cocoanuts.....			596.00		596.00
Preserved fruit.....			3.00		3.00
Wreckage (old iron, metal, and lead).....	2,588.50	11,040.90		5,121.25	18,750.65
Total.....	2,588.50	11,040.90	602.00	5,829.18	20,060.58

VALUE OF DECLARED EXPORTS FROM THE CONSULAR DISTRICT OF APIA TO THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1893.

ARTICLES.	QUARTER ENDED--				Total.
	Sept. 30, 1892.	Dec. 31, 1892.	Mar. 31, 1893.	June 30, 1893.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Anthropological specimens.....				352.82	352.82
Copra.....		1,591.27			1,591.27
Samoaian curios.....	203.00		13.00	101.13	314.13
Wreckage (old copper, iron, etc.).....	3,638.40	2,053.89	4,210.00	2,515.75	12,417.93
Total.....					14,676.15

VALUE OF DECLARED EXPORTS FROM SAMOA TO THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30,
1894 AND 1895.

ARTICLES.	QUARTER ENDED—				Total.
	Sept. 30.	Dec. 31.	Mar. 31.	June 30.	
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Samoa curios.....	664.84		25.00		689.84
Trenton and Vandalia wreckage.....	150.00	787.14		360.00	1,297.14
Total.....					1,986.98
1895.					
Copra.....	5,699.97	16,004.12	567.30	23,214.63	45,486.02
Curios.....	69.04		10.00		79.04
Plants.....	5.00				5.00
Tapa.....		46.00			46.00
Wreckage.....			85.00		85.00
Total.....					45,701.06

STATEMENT SHOWING THE VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS AT APIA DURING THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 1895.

IMPORTS.

FROM—	Value.	FROM—	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Germany.....	61,504	Fiji.....	125
Great Britain.....	1,548	Tonga.....	12,363
United States.....	69,624	Other South Sea Islands.....	5,597
Australian colonies—		New Britain.....	8,683
New South Wales.....	153,708	Total.....	418,840
New Zealand.....	110,605		
Other countries.....	1,083		

EXPORTS.

TO—	Value.	TO—	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe, Azores for orders:		Australian colonies:	
Copra, produce of Samoa (3,370 tons).....	154,800	New South Wales—	
Copra, in transit (271½ tons).....	10,850	Copra, produce of Samoa (417½ tons).....	16,690
Cotton, produce of Samoa (31,059 pounds).....	2,174	Copra, in transit (4 tons).....	160
Coffee, produce of Samoa (1,044 pounds).....	126	Goods under bond.....	2,755
	167,950		19,605
United States (San Francisco):		New Zealand—	
Copra, produce of Samoa (707 tons).....	28,280	Copra, produce of Samoa (10 tons).....	400
Copra, in transit (119½ tons).....	4,770	Goods under bond.....	726
	33,050		1,126
Chile (Valparaiso):		Fiji.....	10
Copra, produce of Samoa.....	1,780	Tonga.....	3,365
Copra, in transit (185½ tons).....	7,430	Other South Sea Islands.....	752
	9,210	New Britain (Mikoko).....	1,320
		Ships stores (including coal).....	20,370
		Total.....	256,758

SHIPPING AT THE PORT OF APIA DURING 1895.

NATIONALITY OF VESSELS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	STEAM.		SAILING.		TOTAL.		STEAM.		SAILING.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
British	38	44,294	1	99	39	44,393	39	45,061	1	99	40	45,160
United States	17	32,963	6	423	23	33,386	17	32,963	6	482	23	33,445
German	1	3,405	16	1,258	17	4,663	1	3,405	17	1,317	18	4,722
Danish			6	1,878	6	1,878			6	2,223	6	3,223
Norwegian			5	2,917	5	2,917			6	3,451	6	3,451
Total	56	80,662	34	6,575	90	87,237	57	81,429	36	7,572	93	89,001

STATEMENT SHOWING THE EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES FROM SAMOA FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1895.

ARTICLES.	Value, including costs and charges.
	<i>Dollars.</i>
Copra	35,639.88
Curios	10.00
Wreckage	140.00
Total	35,789.88

DECLARED VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM THE CONSULAR DISTRICT OF APIA TO THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1896.

ARTICLES.	QUARTER ENDING—				Total.
	Sept. 30.	Dec. 31.	Mar. 31.	June 30.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Copra	3,816.70	8,041.25			11,857.95
Old metal (wreckage)		220.25		897.00	1,117.25
Total					12,975.20

IMPORTS FROM UNDERMENTIONED COUNTRIES DURING 1896.

DUTY. (a)	Germany.	Great Britain.	Australasian colonies.	United States.	Other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
A1-8	13,686		8,755	824	3,903	27,168
A9	36,116	7,044	169,102	46,728	9,901	268,891
Copra in transit					8,100	8,100
Total	49,802	7,044	177,857	47,552	21,904	304,159

a See tariff, page 2013.

EXPORTS FOR 1896.

ARTICLES.	Value.
	<i>Dollars.</i>
Copra	231,372
Coffee	243
Other produce, also goods under drawback and free	13,645
Goods under bond	18,387
Total	263,047

VALUE OF IMPORTS SUBJECT TO A1 TO 8 DUTIES MADE BY UNDERMENTIONED NATIONALITIES, 1896.

DUTY. <i>a</i>	German.	British.	American.	Others.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
A1.....	12,157	405	415	810	13,787
2.....	2,691	164	655	857	4,367
3.....	1,725	143	48	3,125	5,041
4.....	560				560
5.....	676	38	119	79	912
6.....	1,632	4	448	74	2,158
7.....	15	30	30	10	85
8.....	30	16	135	77	258
Total.....	19,486	800	1,850	5,032	27,168

a See tariff, page 2013.

QUANTITIES OF GOODS SUBJECT TO A1 TO 8 DUTIES IMPORTED DURING 1896 BY THE UNDERMENTIONED NATIONALITIES.

DUTY. <i>a</i>	German.	British.	American.	Others.	Total.
A1.....gallons..	9,725	324	332	648	11,029
2.....do....	1,195	73	291	382	1,941
3.....do....	760	103	22	3,572	4,457
4.....do....	70				70
5.....pounds..	2,628	130	574	316	3,648
6.....do....	816	2	224	37	1,079
7.....each....	3	6	6	2	17
8.....pounds .	100	53	450	255	858

a See tariff, page 2013.

VALUE OF GOODS SUBJECT TO A9 DUTY IMPORTED DURING 1896 BY UNDERMENTIONED NATIONALITIES.

DUTY. <i>a</i>	German.	British.	American.	Others.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
A9 ad valorem.....	110,276	57,927	57,750	42,938	268,891

a See tariff, page 2013.

VALUE OF GOODS EXPORTED UNDER BOND, ALSO DRAWBACK OF DUTY AND FREE, DURING 1896, BY UNDERMENTIONED NATIONALITIES.

DUTY. <i>a</i>	German.	British.	American.	Others.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
A1.....	1,475	30	110	400	2,015
2.....	371		487	65	923
3.....	175	5	190	2,144	2,514
4.....	55		195		250
5.....	267				267
6.....					
7.....	40				40
8.....			8		8
9.....	20,395	3,644	1,049	931	26,019
Total.....	22,778	3,679	2,039	3,540	32,036

a See tariff, page 2013.

A9 contains coal and ships' stores, also goods shipped to other islands, and upon which drawback can not be obtained, and about \$1,500 worth of fruit.

**QUANTITIES OF SAMOAN PRODUCE EXPORTED DURING 1896 BY THE UNDERMENTIONED NATIONALITIES,
ALSO COPRA IN TRANSIT.**

PRODUCE.	German.	British.	American.	Total.
Copra .....pounds.....	11,642,712	447,162	476,035	12,565,909
Coffee .....do.....	2,020			2,020
Copra in transit.....do.....	393,172			393,172

AMOUNT OF IMPORT AND EXPORT DUTIES PAID BY THE UNDERMENTIONED NATIONALITIES DURING 1896.

IMPORT DUTIES.

ARTICLES. (a)	German.	British.	American.	Others.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
A1. Beer	2,276.57	80.45	117.74	135.25	2,610.01
2. Spirits.....	3,103.51	188.50	529.04	1,080.47	4,901.52
3. Wines.....	1,167.68	222.56	44.25	708.75	2,143.24
4. Sparkling wines.....	96.11		6.00		102.11
5. Tobacco.....	432.25	81.50	246.00	173.75	933.50
6. Cigars.....	599.85	2.75	145.48	162.87	910.95
7. Guns.....	8.10	28.00	20.00	8.00	64.10
8. Gunpowder.....	25.00	16.26	123.87	63.75	228.88
9. Ad volorem.....	1,963.70	1,151.08	1,150.34	853.28	5,118.40
Total.....	9,672.77	1,771.10	2,382.72	3,186.12	17,012.71

EXPORT DUTIES.

	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Copra	3,638.54	139.74	148.75		3,927.03
Coffee.....	4.84				4.84
Total.....	3,643.38	139.74	148.75		3,931.87

a See tariff, page 2013.

NAVIGATION RETURNS FOR THE PORT OF APIA DURING 1896.

NATIONALITY.	VESSELS INWARD.						VESSELS OUTWARD.					
	Steam.		Sailing.		Total.		Steam.		Sailing.		Total.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
British	39	42,364			39	42,364	39	42,364			39	42,364
German			12	2,215	12	2,215			13	2,240	13	2,240
United States	19	34,962	3	395	22	35,357	19	34,962	3	395	22	35,357
Danish			4	875	4	875			5	1,130	5	1,130
Swedish			5	3,671	5	3,671			5	3,671	5	3,671
Norwegian			2	1,394	2	1,394			2	1,394	2	1,394
Chilean			1	78	1	78			1	78	1	78
Total	58	77,326	27	8,628	85	85,954	58	77,326	29	8,908	87	86,234

SAMOAN GOVERNMENT TAXES AND LICENSES, 1896.

PAID BY—	Special poll tax, 1896.	C2.	C3.	C5.	C6.	C.	D2.	D3.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
German		1,020.00	44.00	115.90	96.00	5.00	128.55		1,409.45
British		6.00	100.00	331.74	288.00	43.00	46.51	8.38	823.63
American			4.00	33.15	36.00	11.00	32.68½		116.83½
Others.....			36.00	74.95	36.00	9.00	21.94		177.89
Samoans.....	4,254.42½			2.50		61.18			4,318.10½
Total	4,254.42½	1,026.00	184.00	558.24	456.00	129.18	229.68½	8.38	6,845.91

MUNICIPALITY TAXES AND LICENSES, 1896.

PAID BY—	C 1.	C 3.	C 5.	C 6.	C, yearly.	C, monthly.	D 1.	D 4.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
German	36.97	60.00	613.05	328.00	270.50	670.00	.....	.....	1,978.52
British	2.00	16.00	285.43	258.00	601.00	130.00	.....	.....	1,292.43
American .....	.....	4.00	245.32	96.00	159.22	70.00	.....	.....	574.54
Others	50.65	12.00	130.50	120.00	124.00	.....	10.00	.....	447.15
Samoans .....	.....	.....	10.13	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.23	12.36
Total	89.62	92.00	1,284.43	802.00	1,154.72	870.00	10.00	2.23	4,305.00

RECAPITULATION.

TAX.	Special poll tax, 1896.	C 1.	C 2.	C 3.	C 5.	C 6.	C, yearly.	C, monthly.	D 1.	D 2.	D 3.	D 4.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Samoan Government.....	4,254.42½	.....	1,026.00	184.00	558.24	456.00	129.18	.....	.....	229.68½	8.38	.....	6,845.91
Municipality .....	.....	89.62	.....	92.00	1,284.43	802.00	1,154.72	870.00	10.00	.....	.....	2.23	4,305.00
Total	4,254.42½	89.62	1,026.00	276.00	1,842.67	1,278.00	1,283.90	870.00	10.00	229.68½	8.38	2.23	11,150.91

RECEIPTS OF THE SAMOAN GOVERNMENT, OTHER THAN TAXES AND LICENSES, DURING THE YEAR 1896.

WHENCE RECEIVED.	Amount.
	<i>Dollars.</i>
Fees, etc., from the supreme court.....	53.97
Fees, etc., from the native court.....	61.36
Fees for reopening land claims in the supreme court	646.21
Rents and miscellaneous payments.....	1,145.08
Total	1,906.62

RECEIPTS OF THE MUNICIPALITY, OTHER THAN TAXES AND LICENSES, DURING THE YEAR 1896.

WHENCE RECEIVED.	Amount.
	<i>Dollars.</i>
Fees and fines from the municipal magistrate's court.....	465.77
Harbor, pilot, and quarantine dues.....	1,884.50
Impounding and cemetery fees.....	103.43
Rent.....	200.00
Sundries.....	198.03½
Bond, rents, ship's entries, etc.....	310.00
Total	3,161.73½

AMOUNTS PAID BY DIFFERENT NATIONALITIES FOR LICENSES AND TAXES TO THE SAMOAN GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPALITY.

NATIONALITY.	To Govern- ment.	To municipi- pality.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
German.....	2,686	2,095
British.....	859	1,560
American.....	141	543
Other nationalities.....	385	759
Samoan natives.....	20,948	.....
Total	25,019	4,957

DUTIES, TAXES, AND LICENSES.

[Extract from Berlin act, proclaimed May 21, 1890.]

ARTICLE VI.

SEC. 1. The port of Apia shall be the port of entry for all dutiable goods arriving in the Samoan Islands; and all foreign goods, wares, and merchandise landed on the islands shall be there entered for examination; but coal and naval stores, which either government has, by treaty, reserved the right to land at any harbor stipulated for that purpose, are not dutiable when imported as authorized by such treaty, and may be there landed as stipulated without such entry or examination.

SEC. 2. To enable the Samoan Government to obtain the necessary revenue for the maintenance of government and good order in the islands, the following duties, taxes, and charges may be levied and collected, without prejudice to the right of the native government to levy and collect other taxes in its discretion upon the natives of the islands and their property, and with the consent of the consuls of the signatory powers, upon all property outside the municipal district, provided such tax shall bear uniformly upon the same class of property, whether owned by natives or foreigners.

A.—Import duties.

1. On ale and porter and beer, per dozen quarts	\$0.50
2. On spirits, per gallon	2.50
3. On wine, except sparkling, per gallon	1.00
4. On sparkling wines, per gallon	1.50
5. On tobacco, per pound .....	.50
6. On cigars, per pound	1.00
7. On sporting arms, each	4.00
8. On gunpowder, per pound .....	.25
9. Statistical duty on all merchandise and goods imported, except as aforesaid, ad valorem	2 per cent

B.—Export duties.

On copra, ad valorem	2½ per cent
On cotton, ad valorem	1½ per cent
On coffee, ad valorem	2 per cent

C.—Taxes to be annually levied.

1. Capitation tax on Samoans and other Pacific Islanders not included under No. 2, per head	\$1.00
2. Capitation tax on colored plantation laborers, other than Samoans, per head	2.00
3. On boats, trading and others (excluding native canoes and native boats carrying only the owner's property), each	4.00
4. On firearms, each	2.00
5. On dwelling houses (not including the dwelling houses of Samoan natives) and on land and houses used for commercial purposes, ad valorem	1 per cent
6. Special taxes on traders, as follows:	
Class I:	
On stores of which the monthly sales are \$2,000 or more, each store	\$100.00
Class II:	
Below \$2,000 and not less than \$1,000	48.00
Class III:	
Below \$1,000 and not less than \$500	36.00
Class IV:	
Below \$500 and not less than \$250	24.00
Class V:	
Below \$250	12.00

D.—Occasional taxes.

1. On trading vessels exceeding 100 tons burden calling at Apia, at each call	10.00
2. Upon deeds of real estate, to be paid before registration thereof can be made, and without payment of which, title shall not be held valid, upon the value of the consideration paid	½ per cent
3. Upon other written transfers of property, upon the selling price	1 per cent
Evidence of the payment of the last two taxes may be shown by lawful stamps affixed to the title paper, or otherwise by the written receipt of the proper tax collector.	
4. Unlicensed butchers in Apia shall pay upon their sales	1 per cent

E.—*License taxes.*

No person shall engage as proprietor or manager in any of the following professions or occupations except after having obtained a license therefor, and for such license the following tax shall be paid in advance:

Tavern keeper.....	per month..	\$10
Attorney, barrister, or solicitor.....	per annum..	60
Doctor of medicine or dentistry.....	do.....	30
Auctioneer or commission agent.....	do.....	40
Baker.....	do.....	12
Banks or companies for banking.....	do.....	60
Barber.....	do.....	6
Blacksmith.....	do.....	5
Boat builder.....	do.....	6
Butcher.....	do.....	12
Cargo boat or lighter.....	do.....	6
Carpenter.....	do.....	6
Photographer or artist.....	do.....	12
Engineer.....	do.....	12
Engineer assistants.....	do.....	6
Engineer apprentices.....	do.....	3
Hawker.....	do.....	1
Pilot.....	do.....	24
Printing press.....	do.....	12
Sailmaker.....	do.....	6
Shipbuilder.....	do.....	6
Shoemaker.....	do.....	6
Land surveyor.....	do.....	6
Tailor.....	do.....	6
Waterman.....	do.....	6
Salesmen, bookkeepers, clerks, paid not less than \$75 a month.....	do.....	3
Same, when paid over \$75 a month.....	do.....	6
White laborers and domestics, per head.....	do.....	5
Factory hands and independent workmen.....	do.....	5

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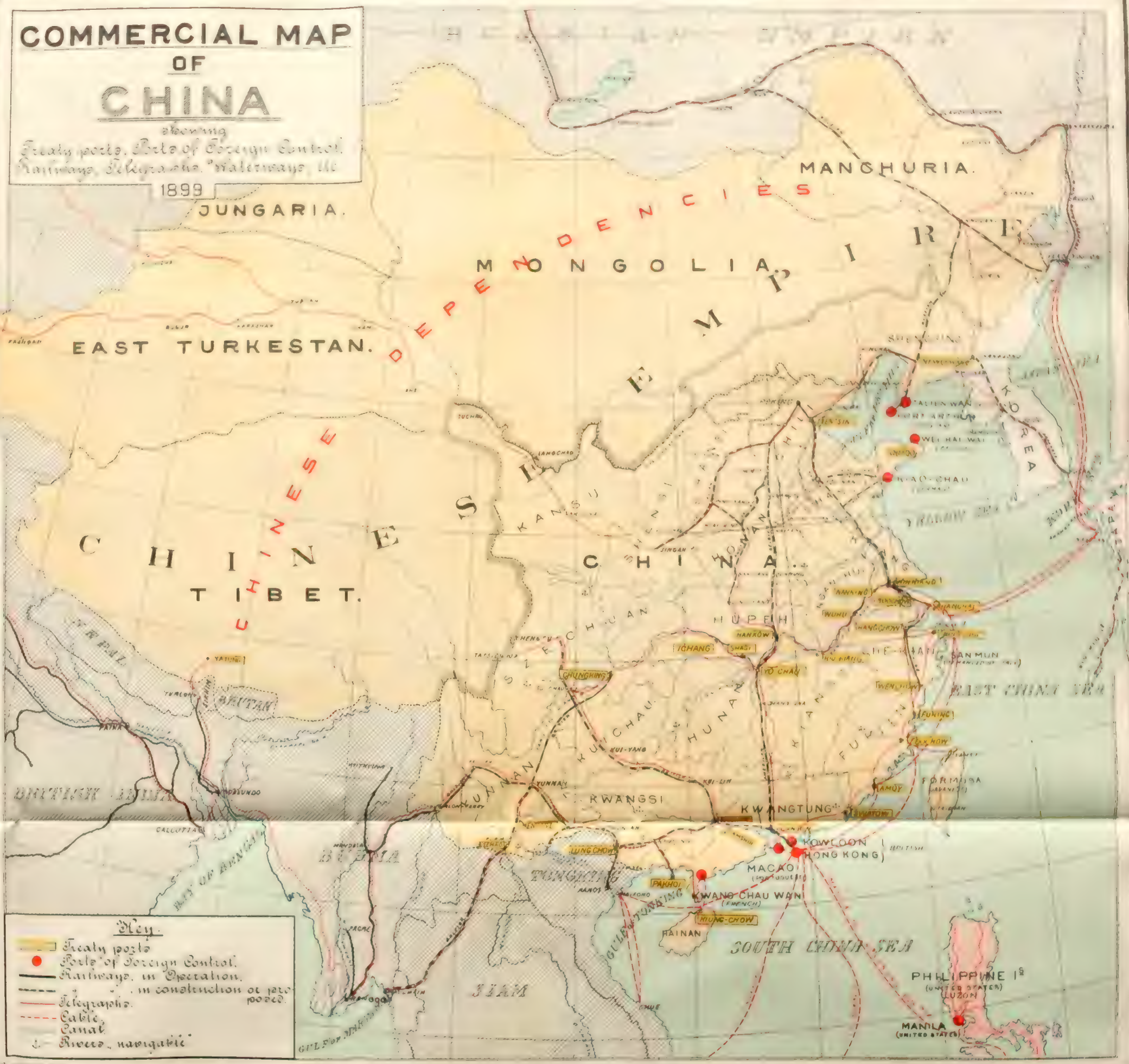
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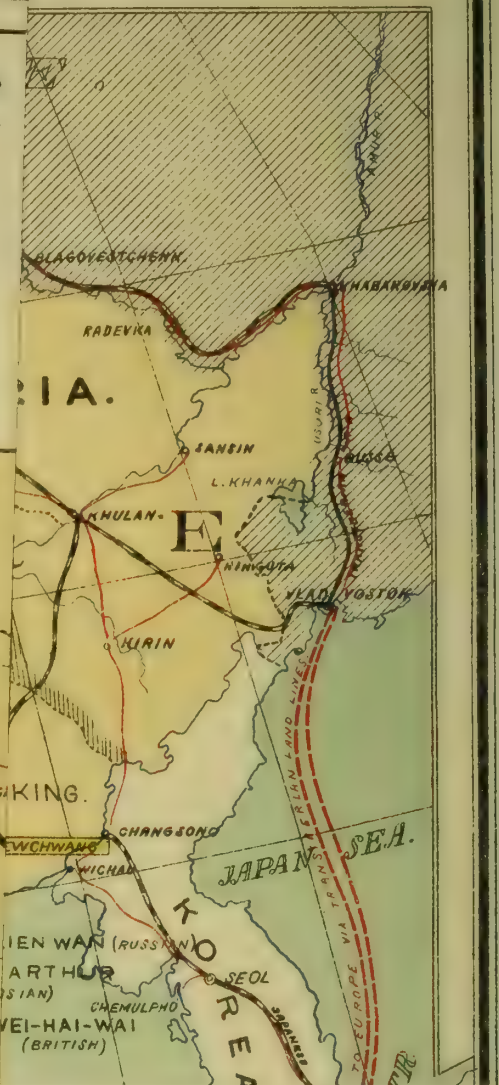
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SUMMARY.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

GROUPS.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
IMPORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
FREE OF DUTY:								
Articles of food, and live animals	9,307,226	34.94	10,600,546	30.73	76,583,463	35.02	61,868,370	29.01
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	15,001,837	56.30	21,040,993	60.99	117,727,631	53.83	127,234,460	59.68
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	1,589,287	5.97	2,049,124	5.95	12,614,818	5.76	13,104,918	6.14
For consumption.....	631,795	2.37	630,318	1.83	7,805,579	3.57	7,377,204	3.46
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	112,742	.42	174,069	.50	3,975,048	1.82	3,616,455	1.71
TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.....	26,642,887	100.00	34,495,050	100.00	218,706,593	100.00	213,251,407	100.00
DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	8,981,740	25.71	12,236,810	32.18	49,486,461	20.92	83,502,537	29.12
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	5,117,544	14.65	4,604,407	12.01	35,950,257	15.20	33,145,837	11.57
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	5,362,755	15.36	3,817,249	9.95	39,043,987	16.50	28,933,694	10.09
For consumption.....	7,710,616	22.07	9,320,931	24.32	56,129,417	23.73	75,272,392	26.26
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	7,746,641	22.21	8,351,619	21.54	55,936,647	23.65	65,922,032	22.96
TOTAL DUTIABLE.....	34,919,296	100.00	38,331,016	100.00	236,546,769	100.00	286,776,492	100.00
FREE AND DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	18,288,966	29.71	22,837,356	31.36	126,069,924	27.69	145,370,907	29.70
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	20,119,381	32.69	25,615,400	35.21	153,677,888	33.76	160,430,297	32.08
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	6,952,042	11.29	5,866,373	8.05	51,658,805	11.35	42,038,612	8.41
For consumption.....	8,342,411	13.55	9,951,249	13.67	63,924,996	14.04	82,649,596	16.53
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	7,859,383	12.76	8,525,688	11.71	59,911,695	13.16	69,538,487	13.28
TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....	61,562,183	100.00	72,826,066	100.00	455,253,362	100.00	500,027,899	100.00
PER CENT OF FREE	43.27		47.36		48.04		42.65	
DUTIES COLLECTED	15,450,432		20,933,436		107,502,148		151,810,087	
REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE at the end of the month.....	31,301,180		34,628,933					
EXPORTS.								
DOMESTIC:								
Products of—Agriculture	77,220,416	69.74	59,052,031	57.81	652,453,775	71.66	630,134,009	67.65
Manufactures.....	28,214,450	25.46	36,075,733	35.30	208,788,036	22.93	242,883,645	26.07
Mining.....	1,544,914	1.39	2,689,660	2.64	14,636,131	1.61	21,300,617	2.29
Forest.....	2,973,502	2.69	3,414,425	3.34	27,365,417	3.00	29,595,558	3.18
Fisheries.....	301,867	.28	327,122	.32	4,642,181	.51	5,075,303	.54
Miscellaneous.....	495,712	.44	606,717	.59	2,665,091	.29	2,478,747	.27
TOTAL DOMESTIC	110,750,861	100.00	102,165,958	100.00	910,550,631	100.00	931,467,879	100.00
FOREIGN:								
Free of duty	965,153	48.40	1,248,416	54.26	6,121,196	40.01	6,902,244	42.09
Dutiable.....	964,482	51.60	1,051,953	45.74	9,233,529	59.99	9,529,470	57.91
TOTAL FOREIGN.....	1,869,635	100.00	2,300,369	100.00	15,354,725	100.00	16,431,714	100.00
TOTAL EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE	112,620,496		104,466,327		925,905,356		947,899,593	
EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS.....	51,058,313		31,640,261		470,652,014		447,871,694	

GOLD AND SILVER.					TONNAGE.				
GOLD AND SILVER.	March—		Nine Months ending March—		VESSELS.	March—		Nine Months ending March—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899		1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Gold—Imports.....	30,708,320	3,187,575	71,159,093	80,295,781	Entered—Sailing	355,922	291,068	3,402,301	3,092,149
Exports.....	728,707	1,109,845	13,597,981	13,402,020	Steam	1,562,455	1,573,559	15,399,669	16,283,380
Silver—Imports.....	2,577,595	3,125,859	25,233,433	23,920,079	Cleared—Sailing.....	324,482	284,020	3,469,259	3,069,848
Exports	4,095,963	5,057,653	42,664,996	43,956,640	Steam.....	1,677,095	1,706,819	15,510,471	16,404,501

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1893		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Agricultural implements.....free..						8,941				
Animals (number):										
Cattle.....free..	64	7,725	81	9,757	56	7,267	367	45,819	421	64,820
Do.....dut..	27,172	243,696	8,556	97,770	161,987	1,246,127	184,754	1,848,604	126,843	1,478,610
Horses.....free..	87	18,016	80	20,727	470	52,145	557	97,864	667	230,281
Do.....dut..	260	24,191	171	21,667	4,088	218,176	1,767	191,537	1,161	163,599
Sheep.....free..	132	1,735	54	721	2,120	27,952	2,941	41,140	1,883	36,346
Do.....dut..	20,179	25,674	970	7,228	365,807	936,553	388,854	1,060,245	341,698	1,138,643
All other, including fowls.....free..		10,182		14,866		131,895		131,006		160,476
All other, including live poultry.....dut..		4,870		6,972		52,931		62,951		61,414
Total.....free..		37,658		46,171		219,259		315,829		491,923
Total.....dut..		298,431		133,637		2,453,787		3,163,337		2,842,266
Total.....		336,089		179,808		2,673,046		3,479,166		3,334,189
HORSES (free, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5	11,023	6	5,650	8	709	30	49,127	69	114,392
British North America.....	81	6,990	54	3,503	437	46,584	512	45,515	452	38,078
Other countries.....	1	3	20	11,574	25	4,852	15	3,222	146	77,811
Total.....	87	18,016	80	20,727	470	52,145	557	97,864	667	230,281
HORSES (dutable, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5	1,071	4	1,811	15	10,002	26	16,754	45	19,994
British North America.....	255	23,120	164	19,726	3,029	197,729	1,522	172,527	1,109	142,880
Other countries.....			3	130	1,044	10,445	219	2,256	7	725
Total.....	260	24,191	171	21,667	4,088	218,176	1,767	191,537	1,161	163,599
Antimony ore (pounds).....free..	35,583	465	124,399	2,261	2,755,283	120,309	3,651,156	59,358	2,104,880	26,890
Antimony, as regulus or metal (pounds).....dut..	345,096	22,367	615,473	49,925			1,639,270	78,638	1,626,688	125,026
Articles the growth, product, and manufacture of the United States, returned.....free..		208,536		237,746		2,380,852		3,062,701		2,572,507
Art works.....free..		4,934		43,079		3,523,295		661,974		378,111
Do.....dut..		177,419		124,337		30		1,330,318		1,693,563
ART WORKS (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		1,784		6,380		896,580		167,962		122,715
France.....		1,837		7,008		1,983,034		348,838		200,284
Germany.....				5,631		198,147		26,768		11,214
Italy.....		1,313		23,710		207,101		54,820		37,154
Other Europe.....				350		146,370		24,410		5,529
British North America.....						87,177		36,038		109
Other countries.....						4,886		3,138		1,106
Total.....		4,934		43,079		3,523,295		661,974		378,111
ART WORKS (dutable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		65,036		14,004				652,887		444,071
France.....		99,810		96,265		30		425,329		1,023,905
Germany.....		1,193		5,474				105,701		101,837
Italy.....		9,872		5,893				95,931		49,469
Other Europe.....		1,140		2,248				42,260		31,526
British North America.....		600		105				5,096		85,287
Other countries.....		268		348				3,114		6,568
Total.....		177,419		124,337		30		1,330,318		1,693,563

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude (tons)		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
..... free.....					68,859	221,653	12,440	34,157		
Do. (tons).....dut..	3,044	10,361	3,810	17,404			56,060	195,463	42,284	135,074
Bark hemlock (cords).....free..	1,394	5,786	1,899	6,906	21,221	98,124	17,440	73,043	11,101	38,563
Bolting cloths.....free.....		23,988		19,593		139,197		135,769		155,791
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanu- factured.....free.....		80,309		86,506				369,202		526,280
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....		18,952		14,001				114,215		132,305
Books:										
Music, maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s.....free.....		119,738		140,259		1,333,883		1,173,079		1,274,607
Maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. .....dut.....		114,210		112,486		1,047,746		1,055,396		1,059,284
BOOKS, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		51,565		62,356		533,690		496,728		587,713
France.....		12,318		13,968		150,068		116,806		122,254
Germany.....		37,489		50,293		485,911		427,002		422,497
Other Europe.....		13,849		11,322		124,607		100,949		111,150
British North America.....		3,300		2,123		25,732		24,426		21,946
Other countries.....		1,217		197		13,875		7,168		9,047
Total.....		119,738		140,259		1,333,883		1,173,079		1,274,607
BOOKS, ETC. (dutiabie), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		73,932		72,953		708,716		746,346		746,794
France.....		10,828		7,723		37,231		52,160		50,365
Germany.....		19,644		22,118		218,377		176,633		182,267
Other Europe.....		5,863		4,876		33,713		41,373		46,005
British North America.....		2,716		3,565		15,375		19,890		19,613
China.....		314		191		1,624		2,920		2,960
Japan.....		543		589		26,971		10,811		9,036
Other countries.....		370		471		5,739		5,263		2,244
Total.....		114,210		112,486		1,047,746		1,055,396		1,059,284
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut..		1,074		5,361		112,520		25,661		31,445
Breadstuffs:										
Barley (bushels).....dut..	6	3	2,260	1,340	1,030,819	330,535	124,703	43,799	106,533	52,249
Corn (bushels).....dut..	182	91	417	330	5,216	1,727	2,996	1,207	3,887	1,435
Oats (bushels).....dut..	882	474	1,168	675	34,251	8,906	5,151	1,943	4,177	1,705
Oatmeal (pounds).....dut..	18,960	1,081	12,400	717	1,487,665	30,686	263,243	14,510	256,349	15,240
Rye (bushels).....dut..			4	13	70	168	32,935	13,321	391	975
Wheat (bushels).....dut..	2,249	2,439	62,417	46,806	949,682	709,782	1,933,978	1,803,919	1,820,620	1,369,623
Wheat flour (barrels).....dut..	771	3,747	28	111	1,870	7,655	2,248	9,781	753	3,431
Farinaceous substances, etc., n. e. s.....free.....		17,116		26,568		190,808		157,372		152,971
All other, and preparations of, etc., n. e. s.....dut.....		71,147		89,982		622,526		686,616		607,764
Total.....		96,098		166,542		1,902,793		2,732,468		2,205,393
Bristles (pounds):										
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....			3,707	2,113	630	385	135	43	16,478	8,550
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut.....	155,265	104,861	143,680	127,287	1,107,236	1,020,502	1,306,421	1,065,966	1,488,851	1,145,246
Total.....	155,265	104,861	147,387	129,400	1,107,866	1,020,887	1,306,556	1,066,009	1,505,329	1,153,796
Brushes.....dut..		91,530		87,419		529,806		556,574		674,684
Buttons and button forms.....dut..		46,326		47,637		613,374		347,943		343,347
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. (pounds).....dut..	53,234,547	167,830	55,244,171	182,881	665,350,139	2,110,901	605,893,139	1,967,184	634,793,924	2,080,940
CEMENT (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	2,472,672	9,004	9,388,551	37,327	149,264,813	486,438	105,706,089	352,763	96,289,730	347,638
Belgium.....	16,303,242	46,295	15,250,074	40,212	194,663,934	564,863	172,406,279	521,365	206,644,288	619,322
France.....	446,400	1,539	297,600	1,199	9,256,688	26,194	11,710,916	33,888	5,418,800	16,829
Germany.....	20,539,243	98,632	29,911,146	102,669	301,553,146	992,341	298,216,225	1,002,464	309,287,934	1,057,532

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cement, Roman, etc.—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
CEMENT, etc.—Continued.										
Other Europe	4,472,990	12,360	396,800	1,474	7,714,647	28,825	16,549,381	50,497	16,108,052	34,881
British North America					2,094,900	8,368	1,304,249	6,207	1,043,120	4,729
Other countries					802,011	3,872			2,000	9
Total	53,234,547	167,830	55,244,171	182,881	665,350,139	2,110,901	605,893,139	1,967,184	634,793,924	2,080,940
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. e. s.:										
Alizarin, and alizarin colors or dyes, etc. (pounds)	543,952	71,802	609,412	83,466	4,194,761	698,283	4,595,691	692,735	4,199,167	567,545
Argal, or argol, or crude tartar (pounds)					14,222,319	1,199,033	741,150	65,154		
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)	1,299,406	107,126	2,261,475	210,502			13,679,189	1,123,816	17,909,765	1,454,386
Barks, cinchona, or other, etc. (pounds)	184,651	17,719	274,125	33,424	1,831,760	92,562	1,692,936	172,774	2,349,517	204,295
Coal-tar colors and dyes		427,458		395,775		1,975,394		2,556,196		2,752,148
Cochineal (pounds)	13,630	3,490	14,274	3,415	101,575	31,180	116,932	34,339	75,813	18,753
DYEWOODS—										
Logwood (tons)	4,705	68,824	1,167	12,651	23,653	435,417	33,101	527,298	28,723	437,197
All other		8,061		3,597		92,463		119,716		156,565
Extracts and decoctions of (pounds)	247,856	19,410	197,966	12,256	3,546,785	191,088	3,260,873	201,104	2,582,585	178,702
Total		96,295		28,504		718,968		848,118		772,464
Logwood (tons), imported from—										
Central America					336	7,535			50	1,570
Mexico	62	987	226	3,621	394	9,915	780	21,117	1,051	18,560
British West Indies	1,899	28,883	313	4,193	4,612	84,015	13,597	219,599	11,132	171,133
Cuba										
Other West Indies	2,716	38,302	628	4,837	18,023	327,348	18,057	285,117	15,990	237,772
Other countries	28	652			288	6,604	67	1,465	500	8,162
Total	4,705	68,824	1,167	12,651	23,653	435,417	33,101	527,298	28,723	437,197
DYEWOODS, EXTRACTS OF										
(pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	23,014	1,513	40,106	2,251	685,114	40,695	1,097,424	68,376	835,355	50,991
France	80,735	6,559	129,394	7,753	957,568	65,086	736,430	49,735	646,694	41,665
Germany	6,376	551	5,981	684	1,139,060	41,535	343,785	14,855	62,960	5,754
Switzerland	29,898	2,564	22,485	1,568	352,260	28,756	215,505	21,448	186,590	14,694
Other countries	107,833	8,223			412,783	15,016	867,729	46,690	850,986	65,598
Total	247,856	19,410	197,966	12,256	3,546,785	191,088	3,260,873	201,104	2,582,585	178,702
Glycerin (pounds)	1,305,794	74,543	1,033,561	62,744	11,042,364	1,028,672	9,754,273	628,683	11,298,442	745,561
GUMS (pounds)—										
Arabic	113,503	11,753	131,082	16,224	515,459	69,013	651,324	75,806	677,839	81,595
Camphor, crude	74,204	12,716	260,852	52,992	855,298	207,141	1,373,882	248,344	1,412,818	240,557
Chicle			238,907	35,001					1,601,777	239,186
Copal, cowrie, and damar			2,041,629	254,223					13,676,996	1,314,275
Gambier, or terra japonica	5,187,937	115,255	3,893,629	79,167	21,828,300	692,138	31,598,270	784,938	32,179,583	630,665
Shellac	473,175	71,256	1,231,279	170,975	4,843,884	762,830	4,649,119	602,852	5,857,127	822,492
All other		337,271		73,830		2,171,518		1,823,937		749,497
Total		548,251		682,412		3,902,640		3,535,877		4,078,267
Indigo (pounds)	884,991	552,358	985,104	553,735	2,226,740	1,110,119	1,763,529	1,102,644	2,146,987	1,197,141
Licorice root (pounds)	7,348,744	121,278	8,603,796	136,523	49,923,461	823,698	54,018,049	905,020	75,609,415	1,195,928
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder (pounds)					71,842,492	1,004,295	6,720,638	92,487		
Do. (pounds)	11,119,674	132,577	12,866,777	125,915			79,694,002	1,013,391	81,614,317	867,827
Mineral waters, all not artificial (gallons)					1,458,194	353,123	73,505	17,463		
Mineral waters (gallons)	68,010	20,173	69,070	25,100			911,873	284,541	990,784	387,122

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Cont'd.										
OPIUM (pounds)—										
Crude, or unmanufactured		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
free..					752,072	1,550,273	14,414	32,340		
Do.....dut..	2,068	5,128	57,502	125,316			37,449	75,495	439,509	1,056,563
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut..	75	414	19,475	135,945	117,204	852,905	61,069	403,664	82,567	539,475
OPIUM, CRUDE (pounds), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....			23,153	56,666	230,337	263,420	12,728	29,400	78,576	212,450
Other Europe.....	2,068	5,128	12,189	29,059	178,914	377,576	22,985	42,988	155,378	378,944
Asia and Oceania.....			22,160	39,591	450,572	903,842	1,736	3,107	205,555	465,169
Other countries.....					2,249	5,435				
Total.....	2,068	5,128	57,502	125,316	752,072	1,550,273	37,449	75,495	439,509	1,056,563
OPIUM, PREPARED (pounds), im-										
ported from—										
China.....			19,475	135,945	113,734	837,720	60,844	402,367	81,084	536,302
Other countries.....	75	414			3,470	15,185	225	1,297	583	3,173
Total.....	75	414	19,475	135,945	117,204	852,905	61,069	403,664	82,567	539,475
POTASH (pounds)—										
Chlorate of.....free..					2,917,546	230,313	630,340	45,026		
Do.....dut..	548,371	33,090	63,290	4,275			2,599,793	163,087	2,380,698	145,508
Muriate of.....free..	6,304,013	95,799	3,565,194	50,165	76,002,616	1,194,685	85,360,660	1,327,958	77,728,213	1,227,607
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude										
free.....	2,431,516	53,819	1,019,215	25,848	13,652,818	291,472	10,285,161	203,613	14,280,086	258,601
All other.....free..	3,763,922	90,628	3,756,162	89,672	19,462,577	453,292	28,161,855	692,111	30,928,582	687,835
Total.....	13,047,822	273,336	8,403,861	169,960	112,035,557	2,169,762	127,037,809	2,432,395	125,317,579	2,319,551
Quinia, sulphate of, etc. (ounces)										
free.....	231,882	52,708	510,252	126,779	2,437,915	419,733	2,906,323	581,614	2,805,468	570,864
SODA—										
Caustic (pounds).....dut..	2,893,704	43,387	2,008,142	24,416	40,028,703	701,633	23,892,705	396,041	15,944,939	216,198
Nitrate of (tons).....free..	5,912	88,191	6,914	179,561	63,472	2,007,579	87,950	2,140,614	95,242	1,439,978
Sal soda (pounds).....dut..	242,300	1,477	224,000	831	12,748,311	57,317	7,369,317	32,779	2,987,484	14,903
Soda ash (pounds).....dut..	7,090,533	48,248	5,627,750	42,903	114,957,868	892,314	68,282,470	475,035	35,822,443	232,757
All other salts of (pounds)										
dut.....	2,132,081	22,437	2,551,871	32,885	3,138,000	54,690	14,971,047	155,826	16,662,119	211,553
Total.....		203,740		280,596		3,713,533		3,200,295		2,115,389
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude										
(tons).....free..	16,012	289,992	15,652	277,068	97,163	1,609,512	115,715	2,053,726	88,834	1,657,168
Sumac, ground (pounds).....dut..	655,699	10,374	1,552,626	22,896	8,509,027	123,124	6,115,280	86,588	10,070,036	135,882
Vanilla beans (pounds).....free..	90	193	40,962	170,067	124,721	653,243	52,576	241,412	194,284	820,376
All other.....free..		529,633		543,315		4,025,446		3,873,590		3,676,539
Do.....dut..		475,864		546,417		3,357,614		3,707,173		3,592,133
Total chemicals, free		2,592,746		2,936,697		22,178,370		18,457,511		17,955,431
drugs, and dyes, dut..		1,421,706		1,803,207		9,234,751		11,344,019		12,769,946
Total.....		4,014,452		4,739,904		31,413,121		29,801,530		30,725,377
Chicory root, raw, unground										
(pounds).....free..					4,936,575	62,610	176,210	2,137		
Do.....dut..	452	6					114,447	2,746	4,947	124
Chicory root, roasted, ground or										
prepared (pounds).....dut..			7,876	343					172,694	5,691
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not in-										
cluding confectionery) (pounds)										
dut.....	75,234	10,853	91,487	18,363			593,172	89,561	888,631	152,405
Clays or earths of all kinds (tons)										
dut.....	9,015	64,345	11,681	84,802	69,963	501,359	76,936	533,424	83,089	569,863
Clocks and watches, and parts of										
(dutiable):										
Clocks, and parts of.....		18,583		18,431		342,386		239,276		224,389
Watches, and parts of.....		67,718		78,114		716,889		527,328		793,697

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Coal:										
Anthracite (tons) free..							5,836	14,655	601	2,684
Bituminous (tons).....dut..	103,819	308,436	111,099	339,761	976,070	2,692,500	938,609	2,449,441	933,810	2,637,966
COAL, BITUMINOUS (tons), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	6,410	13,744	12,105	31,466	51,080	140,392	127,233	298,579	99,675	247,256
Other Europe.....			150	290	1,345	3,972	1,878	3,880	2,734	6,135
British North America.....	82,362	266,096	72,757	257,325	637,591	1,999,829	521,199	1,619,124	598,449	1,040,061
Mexico.....	8,978	17,160	9,877	22,892	69,235	149,909	75,753	142,950	89,137	190,383
Japan.....	74	210	2	2	1,399	3,458	2,675	8,075	862	2,432
Other Asia and Oceania.....	5,954	11,110	16,198	28,265	212,304	384,191	206,608	369,914	142,782	242,370
Other countries.....	41	116	10	21	3,116	10,749	3,263	6,919	171	329
Total.....	103,819	308,436	111,099	339,761	976,070	2,692,500	938,609	2,449,441	933,810	2,637,966
Cocoa or cacao, crude, etc. (pounds)										
..... free..	4,012,699	605,336	6,644,174	957,836	24,890,968	2,342,164	20,357,197	2,740,277	27,623,498	3,984,216
Prepared, etc. (pounds) .....dut..	62,911	26,362	93,861	28,696			397,313	137,397	621,136	190,239
COCOA, ETC. (pounds), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....	38,617	6,262	440,643	74,582	2,069,738	263,907	1,810,486	279,162	1,511,934	256,734
Netherlands.....	4,000	64	129,685	20,423	952,090	113,530	580,101	91,787	495,586	78,140
Other Europe.....	5,992	959	13,041	2,132	267,112	31,575	543,523	60,424	503,099	75,921
Central America.....									68,618	8,597
British West Indies.....	2,729,812	412,146	3,796,618	550,548	8,983,741	837,144	7,492,924	1,129,044	11,086,332	1,798,479
Other West Indies.....	1,987	301	710,356	96,466	567,455	57,952	803,979	106,271	1,900,966	275,446
Brazil.....	112,717	15,845	619,956	86,887	4,067,443	308,492	1,286,230	161,206	4,272,514	600,606
Other South America.....	1,113,161	168,795	907,916	123,266	7,899,247	720,392	7,783,281	853,108	7,099,568	938,422
East Indies.....			25,459	3,452	41,227	4,946	8,430	1,332	75,447	9,795
Other countries.....	6,413	964	500	80	42,915	4,226	48,243	7,943	9,539	2,076
Total.....	4,012,699	605,336	6,644,174	957,836	24,890,968	2,342,164	20,357,197	2,740,277	27,623,498	3,984,216
Coffee (pounds)..... free..	77,100,786	5,768,253	90,065,683	6,932,281	544,851,959	62,154,626	624,841,079	48,166,909	607,543,143	39,656,888
COFFEE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	67,298	5,598	369,893	36,691	2,581,006	423,690	1,246,937	190,587	3,367,635	375,287
France.....					464,227	69,404	282,452	17,346	17,780	1,378
Germany.....	433,260	19,162	53,544	7,738	4,935,940	665,880	3,759,140	318,713	904,554	93,903
Netherlands.....	213,993	29,077	603,179	76,451	2,342,098	425,052	1,758,042	269,529	2,756,353	323,383
Other Europe.....	74,117	2,693	100,676	5,125	1,551,956	151,413	1,682,239	93,991	124,356	8,305
Central America.....	8,961,879	1,036,852	9,752,896	1,311,216	23,381,043	3,541,463	22,408,212	2,855,411	23,677,742	2,994,337
Mexico.....	6,363,858	634,237	4,973,300	546,405	16,033,293	2,695,535	23,868,078	2,586,985	16,375,120	1,602,849
West Indies.....	972,160	82,370	1,668,008	131,028	8,702,898	1,132,997	4,667,216	511,999	9,235,324	737,836
Brazil.....	51,385,306	3,030,662	59,399,632	3,504,898	409,422,982	41,863,376	489,421,803	32,126,727	477,072,485	26,542,271
Other South America.....	6,510,073	624,430	9,833,796	785,712	61,221,702	8,642,165	59,181,765	6,479,243	61,290,725	5,105,414
East Indies.....	1,509,313	186,911	1,926,806	314,092	9,886,124	1,803,441	12,571,590	2,101,056	8,293,768	1,191,236
Other Asia and Oceania.....	525,293	103,240	1,383,953	212,925	3,156,957	540,214	2,752,461	420,366	4,327,648	671,115
Africa.....	5,925	637			43,166	6,990	42,305	6,040	82,672	7,475
Other countries.....	78,311	12,384			1,128,567	193,006	1,108,839	170,916	16,981	2,039
Total.....	77,100,786	5,768,253	90,065,683	6,932,281	544,851,959	62,154,626	624,841,079	48,166,909	607,543,143	39,656,888
Copper, and manufactures of:										
Ore and regulus (tons) free..	141	34,668	822	246,355	2,465	378,085	4,319	698,350	3,621	821,408
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc. (lbs.) free..	10,114,451	786,162	2,244,394	266,403	8,127,367	686,378	27,361,112	2,200,470	32,677,688	2,905,387
Manufactures of.....dut..		1,388		608		54,059		34,182		28,485
Total, not including ore.....		787,550		267,011		740,437		2,234,652		2,933,872
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanu-										
factured..... free..		112,043		93,299		980,431		785,225		770,063
Cork, manufactures of.....dut..		21,362		38,723				169,215		280,261
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured (pounds) free..	8,379,771	773,420	6,733,379	700,035	33,104,964	3,885,581	37,639,546	3,636,931	34,176,936	3,340,511
Waste or flocks (pounds) free..			599,953	23,500					14,320,682	151,780

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED (lbs.), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	1,956,591	188,500	1,486,201	160,650	6,603,671	773,305	10,461,658	1,076,515	7,753,084	909,993
Other Europe.....					23,460	21,132	26,039	1,963		
South America.....	288,429	25,431	102,910	9,053	771,834	83,933	877,859	85,010	966,948	91,732
East Indies.....	11,970	1,080			29,305	3,230	45,245	3,780	133,421	9,929
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	38,880	4,951	35,121	2,647	91,154	7,088	196,756	20,265	91,601	8,091
Africa (Egypt).....	6,083,901	553,458	5,109,147	527,685	25,481,166	2,955,571	26,016,489	2,448,481	25,228,412	2,320,433
Other countries.....					104,374	10,322	15,500	917	3,470	333
Total.....	8,379,771	773,420	6,733,379	700,035	33,104,964	3,835,581	37,639,546	3,636,931	34,176,936	3,340,511
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
CLOTHS (square yards)—										
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	142,015	10,805	138,767	11,292	2,632,461	226,746	1,206,178	99,046	1,021,622	84,588
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc....	5,477,289	687,865	6,012,547	810,768	27,415,825	3,424,950	35,694,258	4,346,099	39,406,891	5,125,273
Total.....	5,619,304	698,670	6,151,314	822,060	30,048,286	3,651,696	36,900,436	4,445,145	40,428,513	5,209,861
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		94,282		111,141		1,841,931		840,526		767,538
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		640,223		568,150		3,620,227		2,875,868		3,340,966
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		1,433,076		1,582,792		9,400,074		9,593,434		11,437,615
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc. (pounds).....	321,153	106,779	232,320	85,011	1,031,758	413,165	1,268,170	495,757	1,574,716	560,227
All other.....		401,765		404,804		4,914,707		3,360,225		3,331,966
Total manufactures.....		3,374,795		3,573,958		23,841,800		21,610,955		21,647,573
CLOTHS, ETC. (square yards), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	4,330,614	530,996	4,881,368	648,727	21,631,812	2,481,863	29,145,754	3,391,009	31,547,323	4,039,979
France.....	676,075	84,221	564,339	76,440	3,411,022	455,398	3,565,391	469,274	3,355,490	456,985
Germany.....	371,166	55,568	290,756	47,408	2,402,293	369,665	2,957,461	432,166	3,355,285	445,063
Switzerland.....	190,756	21,541	391,893	48,033	2,537,740	339,421	996,709	126,092	1,850,418	232,119
Other Europe.....	3,558	6,088	5,993	808	20,996	2,504	5,132	19,478	198,002	22,217
Japan.....	3,161	256	7,766	613	41,505	2,524	72,788	5,659	56,461	4,598
Other countries.....	34,974		199	31	2,918	321	157,201	1,467	65,534	8,900
Total.....	5,619,304	698,670	6,151,314	822,060	30,048,286	3,651,696	36,900,436	4,445,145	40,428,513	5,209,861
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF COTTON, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		783,271		730,415		6,968,722		5,162,170		5,285,552
Belgium.....		29,252		21,824		321,387		259,309		209,311
France.....		423,666		414,929		2,240,691		2,518,166		2,874,743
Germany.....		872,325		746,972		5,970,139		5,060,264		6,244,785
Switzerland.....		551,166		810,380		4,538,974		4,021,737		4,651,161
Other Europe.....		7,820		14,559		49,629		60,478		71,251
China.....		946		1,258		18,365		21,872		25,111
Japan.....		3,548		6,557		52,901		23,697		25,923
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		2,517		4,327		16,135		16,334		22,703
Other countries.....		1,614		677		13,161		21,783		27,172
Total.....		2,676,135		2,751,898		20,190,104		17,165,810		19,437,712
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):										
CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, AND BISQUE—										
Not decorated or ornamented..		102,339		123,211		921,275		617,852		735,956
Decorated or ornamented.....		397,653		430,120		5,667,804		4,342,474		4,795,483
All other.....		11,535		33,474		279,973		194,886		244,523
Total.....		511,527		586,805		6,869,052		5,155,212		5,775,962
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		285,032		331,155		2,604,976		1,951,031		2,102,981
Austria-Hungary.....		34,067		30,369		479,209		398,390		394,744
France.....		52,430		63,869		1,150,812		857,807		1,165,666

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable)—Continued.										
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Germany.....		114,468		128,067		2,106,923		1,580,266		1,725,487
Other Europe.....		6,225		17,555		92,456		86,784		116,687
Japan.....		16,339		13,306		385,426		245,107		224,201
Other countries.....		2,966		2,484		49,250		35,827		46,196
Total.....		511,527		586,805		6,869,052		5,155,212		5,775,962
Eggs (dozen).....dut..	19,754	879	17,178	1,156	534,294	45,141	140,014	6,784	188,241	18,383
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed.....free..						1,348,894		145,448		
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut..		52,784		73,213				1,531,875		1,214,316
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut..		34,548		29,502		511,163		584,116		677,483
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial,.....dut..		306,658		269,730		1,820,667		2,047,080		1,625,222
Total.....		393,990		372,845		3,681,724		4,308,519		3,517,021
Fertilizers (free, tons):										
Guano.....	228	2,502	99	1,648	5,717	80,268	3,906	48,415	4,141	43,211
Phosphates, crude.....	1,215	2,990	7,833	23,360	8,297	50,725	6,732	43,974	96,005	430,702
All other.....		50,946		18,818		839,035		1,058,949		843,088
Total.....		56,438		43,826		970,028		1,151,338		1,317,001
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of, n. e. s.:										
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—										
Flax, and tow of.....free..					3,996	655,647	1,779	245,012		
Flax.....dut..	383	113,237	505	115,912	898	359,907	2,173	620,938	4,674	875,618
Hemp, and tow of.....free..					3,112	381,716	299	43,729		
Hemp.....dut..	385	53,294	510	61,974	15	4,590	2,353	329,798	2,755	338,804
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free..	188	9,346	318	20,623	5,371	287,119	2,068	104,759	3,193	203,038
Jute and jute butts.....free..	20,453	510,983	7,544	245,068	37,998	953,982	78,580	1,855,421	43,958	1,254,834
Manila.....free..	10,522	642,196	4,429	532,923	29,511	2,225,336	39,599	2,449,468	36,069	4,208,673
Sisal grass.....free..	6,672	563,577	7,713	932,261	46,314	2,816,829	51,998	3,245,784	53,832	6,685,477
All other.....free..	654	22,910	336	36,362	3,730	289,877	6,150	394,040	4,453	301,129
Total unmanufac- free..	38,489	1,749,012	20,340	1,767,237	130,032	7,610,506	180,473	8,341,213	141,505	12,653,151
tured.....dut..	768	166,531	1,015	177,886	913	364,497	4,526	950,736	7,429	1,214,422
Total.....	39,257	1,915,543	21,355	1,945,123	130,945	7,975,003	184,999	9,291,949	148,934	13,867,573
FLAX (free and dutiable, tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	199	74,281	175	50,165	1,335	407,001	1,786	503,876	1,153	337,087
Other Europe.....	144	33,276	260	56,105	2,418	449,715	1,678	301,171	3,096	478,129
British North America.....	40	5,680	70	9,642	1,125	157,821	488	60,903	425	60,402
Other countries.....					16	1,017				
Total.....	383	113,237	505	115,912	4,894	1,015,554	3,952	865,950	4,674	875,618
JUTE (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	271	12,750	146	8,004	1,418	84,599	1,616	75,312	2,936	152,616
East Indies.....	20,182	498,233	7,398	237,064	36,490	863,653	76,602	1,768,111	40,916	1,096,710
Other countries.....					90	5,730	362	14,998	106	5,508
Total.....	20,453	510,983	7,544	245,068	37,998	953,982	78,580	1,858,421	43,958	1,254,834
MANILA (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	3	201	956	147,498	6,464	604,586	1,223	100,409	11,795	1,827,332
Philippine Islands.....	10,398	633,148	1,588	139,458	22,669	1,591,630	38,219	2,337,693	19,684	1,789,055
Other countries.....	121	8,847	1,895	245,967	378	29,120	157	11,366	4,590	592,286
Total.....	10,522	642,196	4,429	532,923	29,511	2,225,336	39,599	2,449,468	36,069	4,208,673
SISAL GRASS (tons), imported from—										
Mexico.....	6,594	559,430	7,639	923,286	46,129	2,805,161	51,545	3,219,871	52,321	6,494,145
Other countries.....	78	4,147	74	8,975	185	11,668	453	25,913	1,511	191,332
Total.....	6,672	563,577	7,713	932,261	46,314	2,816,829	51,998	3,245,784	53,832	6,685,477

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. free						202, 742		24, 007		
Do.....dut.		3, 795		8, 505				152, 285		422, 371
Bags for grain made of burlaps						916, 253		320, 201		
.....free								120, 608		415, 217
Bags of jute.....dut.		11, 883		70, 839				489, 412		
Burlaps.....free						5, 420, 600		3, 350, 106		
Do.....dut.		438, 937								
Cables, cordage, threads, and twine, n. e. s. (pounds).....dut.	15, 611	4, 619	15, 292	6, 049	137, 380	14, 536	431, 860	58, 262	407, 855	57, 510
Coir yarn (pounds).....free	227, 723	7, 923	347, 047	15, 338	2, 487, 244	64, 411	1, 195, 714	38, 041	1, 323, 508	50, 475
Twine, binding (pounds).....free			50	4	166, 070	8, 754	51, 660	3, 402	405, 547	31, 104
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut.			23, 133	6, 768					203, 684	60, 545
Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn.....dut.				558, 500						5, 495, 965
Handkerchiefs.....dut.				126, 219						1, 372, 962
Oilcloths (square yards).....dut.			48, 301	25, 536					246, 038	127, 562
Yarns (pounds).....dut.	137, 107	36, 062	233, 733	41, 125	1, 198, 504	353, 897	1, 522, 439	284, 424	1, 392, 655	290, 888
All other.....dut.		1, 589, 998		1, 247, 320		12, 935, 142		10, 582, 260		9, 927, 816
Total manufactures.....		2, 093, 217		2, 106, 203		19, 916, 335		15, 423, 908		18, 252, 415
Fish (pounds):										
FRESH—										
Lobsters, canned or uncanned										
.....free	630, 903	31, 652	251, 269	12, 625			2, 443, 434	236, 617	2, 593, 575	383, 418
Salmon.....free					1, 118, 102	97, 469	160, 083	16, 379		
Do.....dut.	4, 731	583	6, 423	583			250, 548	22, 719	531, 442	49, 091
All other.....free						1, 203, 150		252, 771		
Do.....dut.		102, 371		72, 558		124, 486		712, 212		680, 065
CURED OR PRESERVED—										
Anchovies and sardines, etc.										
.....dut.		64, 300		75, 160		760, 218		947, 502		986, 748
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....dut.	664, 066	19, 659	975, 869	38, 037	12, 553, 382	394, 348	15, 445, 237	507, 039	10, 593, 716	396, 027
Herring—										
Dried or smoked.....dut.	930, 075	22, 453	570, 504	14, 700	2, 935, 332	57, 745	5, 267, 681	104, 114	3, 067, 026	77, 459
Pickled or salted.....dut.	1, 685, 431	52, 434	1, 727, 549	51, 085	23, 213, 864	825, 207	26, 666, 861	1, 013, 473	30, 156, 487	1, 019, 995
Mackerel, pickled or salted										
.....dut.	689, 602	45, 218	558, 299	40, 282	8, 737, 520	1, 082, 854	14, 453, 184	886, 873	13, 959, 910	979, 404
Salmon, pickled or salted.....dut.	18, 400	1, 440	19, 690	1, 497	888, 909	60, 923	799, 312	57, 200	461, 073	35, 294
All other.....dut.		16, 051		19, 600		314, 679		232, 249		267, 726
Total.....		355, 561		326, 127		4, 921, 079		4, 989, 148		4, 875, 227
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):										
FRUITS—										
Bananas.....free		339, 478		412, 418		2, 382, 528		2, 628, 177		3, 000, 190
Currants.....free						77, 191		3, 599		
Do.....dut.	327, 883	13, 612	766, 017	16, 324	27, 833, 920	555, 395	24, 044, 118	794, 863	29, 318, 668	766, 969
Dates.....dut.	684, 433	16, 539	927, 124	27, 241	11, 485, 611	274, 044	13, 510, 506	371, 177	12, 733, 711	317, 115
Figs.....dut.	119, 149	5, 017	50, 061	3, 524	8, 785, 463	529, 269	2, 977, 358	501, 453	7, 043, 522	345, 232
Lemons.....dut.		212, 448	23, 400, 428	411, 667		2, 721, 726		1, 778, 800	138, 748, 758	2, 668, 083
Oranges.....dut.		103, 779	2, 190, 801	38, 817		1, 778, 262		853, 652	72, 685, 323	864, 248
Plums and prunes.....dut.	28, 931	2, 139	5, 901	1, 362	625, 388	68, 383	265, 336	37, 528	562, 062	62, 425
Raisins.....dut.	165, 242	10, 438	39, 328	3, 333	12, 430, 767	558, 152	6, 574, 432	390, 065	4, 861, 659	277, 117
Prepared or preserved fruits										
.....dut.		113, 517		112, 852		525, 302		708, 656		757, 014
All other fruits.....free		38, 465		42, 365		503, 222		307, 283		300, 871
Do.....dut.		12, 353		22, 646		701, 132		669, 211		721, 269
Total fruits.....		867, 785		1, 092, 549		10, 601, 014		9, 030, 865		10, 080, 533

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—										
Continued.										
BANANAS, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....		5,450		21,271		68,265		57,956		65,812
Central American States.....		149,921		126,472		899,690		996,873		1,217,990
British West Indies.....		116,395		189,485		803,891		1,074,427		1,238,706
Cuba.....				14		145,663				736
South America.....		54,174		56,096		392,583		389,072		342,377
Hawaiian Islands.....		3,742		6,780		53,514		37,008		26,488
Other countries.....		9,796		12,309		18,022		72,241		98,081
Total.....		339,478		412,418		2,382,528		2,628,177		3,000,190
LEMONS imported from—										
Italy.....		210,355		411,667		2,620,499		1,758,447		2,647,807
British North America.....		2,093				41,976		3,963		2,706
Other countries.....						59,251		16,390		17,570
Total.....		212,448		411,667		2,721,726		1,778,800		2,668,080
ORANGES imported from—										
United Kingdom.....				6,755		391,235				81,376
Italy.....		26,264		14,838		307,043		188,558		79,429
Mexico.....		116		246		253,005		134,489		136,773
British West Indies.....		72,867		16,181		721,130		489,267		545,571
Cuba.....				111		8,775		1,991		617
Japan.....						11,788		9,445		4,839
Other countries.....		4,532		686		85,286		29,902		15,643
Total.....		103,779		38,817		1,778,262		853,652		864,248
NUTS:										
Almonds.....dut..	293,164	31,929	526,906	94,782	7,113,287	689,641	4,156,483	494,423	8,524,321	1,026,930
Cocoanuts.....free..		56,607		41,327		383,195		418,303		456,439
Do.....dut..								21,874		
All other.....dut..		48,646		62,946		701,483		801,486		705,937
Total fruits and nuts.....		1,004,967		1,291,604		12,375,333		10,766,951		12,269,839
FURS:										
Furs and fur skins, undressed										
.....free..		277,924		541,460		1,724,492		2,547,919		3,451,039
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut..		450,892		611,733		2,129,785		2,859,366		3,572,402
FURS AND FUR SKINS, ETC., im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....		74,778		203,306		435,183		746,667		917,019
France.....		28,330		49,301		242,578		256,717		483,642
Germany.....		123,841		181,334		507,970		817,528		1,046,191
Other Europe.....		5,714		39,945		43,665		146,031		208,946
British North America.....		20,575		34,073		166,937		202,213		291,458
South America.....		2,214		10,579		16,408		34,187		118,462
Japan.....		36		595		2,890		71		745
Other countries.....		22,436		22,327		308,861		344,505		384,576
Total.....		277,924		541,460		1,724,492		2,547,919		3,451,039
FURS, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		166,349		127,741		748,754		934,413		877,587
Belgium.....		26,071		93,576		131,433		171,772		337,302
France.....		116,060		237,499		714,468		944,531		1,277,380
Germany.....		89,246		111,169		450,323		606,037		707,341
Other Europe.....		3,358		8,927		11,794		12,334		38,732
China.....		48,860		32,325		50,870		173,253		307,473
Other countries.....		948		496		22,143		17,026		26,587
Total.....		450,892		611,733		2,129,785		2,859,366		3,572,402
Ginger ale or ginger beer (dozen										
pints).....dut..	12,690	10,045	37,132	26,798			77,825	56,915	228,948	166,527

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware (dutiable):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		31,207		39,575		361,395		239,989		261,498
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished, pounds.....	2,968,093	83,017	4,044,280	125,321	38,375,989	802,843	28,206,063	676,536	35,389,515	937,426
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POL- ISHED (square feet)—										
Unsilvered.....	421,211	82,097	224,289	45,111	709,750	181,680	1,946,974	403,031	2,126,682	420,291
Silvered.....			23	6	1,577,690	485,169	241,631	66,401	863	552
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—										
Fluted, rolled, or rough.....	58,813	2,460	13,372	414	272,517	11,608	162,423	8,755	166,209	6,793
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	40,080	10,326	125,005	30,147	882,135	230,821	609,628	149,627	680,842	168,084
Cast, polished, silvered.....	41	12			43,743	17,205	172	255	246	253
All other.....		113,523		145,418		1,676,374		1,190,696		1,374,140
Total.....		322,642		385,992		3,767,095		2,735,290		3,169,037
GLASS, CYLINDER, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	432,231	23,873	528,229	28,915	2,425,278	118,811	2,039,274	107,422	2,929,075	150,986
Belgium.....	2,447,121	52,609	3,496,023	91,389	35,391,382	653,432	25,893,379	541,139	32,128,475	755,471
France.....	70,169	4,417			337,842	13,518	148,531	7,814	82,394	3,015
Germany.....	18,467	2,103	16,226	4,763	189,784	16,047	101,900	19,368	189,952	26,090
Other Europe.....					2,250	77	200	11	23,038	354
Other countries.....	105	15	3,802	254	29,453	958	22,779	782	36,581	1,510
Total.....	2,968,093	83,017	4,044,280	125,321	38,375,989	802,843	28,206,063	676,536	35,389,515	937,426
Glue (pounds).....dut..	471,318	48,614	427,140	44,108			2,820,361	298,519	3,281,195	341,692
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free..		29,365		50,692		603,216		334,953		312,831
Grease, n. e. s.....dut..		16,753		33,419				97,846		196,185
Hair:										
Unmanufactured.....free..		130,764		233,734		961,256		1,510,862		1,336,385
Manufactures of.....dut..		52,028		16,897		598,931		234,627		120,706
Total.....		182,792		250,631		1,560,187		1,745,489		1,457,091
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc.....free..						1,577,882		36,308		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut..		116,665		104,527				476,544		477,695
Materials for.....dut..		195,358		283,256				1,343,080		1,433,462
Total.....		312,023		387,783		1,577,882		1,855,932		1,911,157
Hay (tons).....dut..	48	372	530	2,786	101,164	874,600	3,144	26,786	2,335	12,353
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):										
Goatskins.....free..	6,817,325	1,583,521	7,447,809	2,000,670	34,909,110	7,860,228	47,299,605	11,276,093	45,888,817	12,363,169
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free..	4,812,076	730,728	5,500,484	788,944	100,634,647	10,553,530	40,554,426	5,578,922	42,957,268	6,493,891
Hides of cattle.....dut..	13,415,283	1,570,239	13,340,077	1,342,968			89,246,011	9,388,890	91,727,347	9,361,812
Total.....	25,074,684	3,884,488	26,288,370	4,132,582	135,543,757	18,413,758	177,100,042	26,243,905	180,573,432	28,218,872
HIDES AND SKINS (pounds) im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5,812,801	787,054	4,246,434	524,981	21,028,815	2,948,101	34,838,611	4,412,125	35,237,056	4,355,250
France.....	2,268,578	342,225	2,417,343	404,506	6,191,502	1,174,432	15,439,480	2,680,507	15,269,533	2,778,946
Germany.....	1,797,028	269,529	3,839,675	560,938	4,646,571	807,161	9,605,733	1,810,857	14,573,261	2,214,132
Other Europe.....	3,302,187	564,177	3,696,762	550,006	9,829,142	1,479,603	15,658,829	2,732,014	19,998,314	2,982,477
British North America.....	967,629	81,836	1,289,316	109,227	15,833,299	1,101,564	10,537,298	809,184	10,016,498	846,829
Central American States.....	169,256	18,196	228,373	25,087	1,465,480	190,069	1,403,959	150,268	1,792,545	204,768
Mexico.....	1,688,453	260,616	1,280,025	227,885	9,912,146	1,329,085	10,706,589	1,389,595	8,909,758	1,417,741
West Indies.....	142,617	17,711	164,377	24,544	6,560,317	522,741	3,974,360	375,090	2,042,069	287,372
South America.....	5,888,867	1,064,313	4,272,629	719,923	30,160,333	5,898,067	41,833,885	6,669,143	39,568,801	6,843,938
East Indies.....	1,419,116	247,318	2,911,725	573,215	9,347,848	1,203,248	15,380,328	2,413,228	16,352,903	3,061,211
Other Asia and Oceania.....	671,654	80,250	1,436,142	332,070	4,746,489	884,692	6,392,928	1,153,334	12,249,024	2,354,480
Africa.....	627,657	102,298	505,539	80,200	2,824,214	390,814	5,352,899	850,131	4,563,382	871,703
Other countries.....	318,841	48,965			3,997,601	484,181	5,975,143	797,829	288	25
Total.....	25,074,684	3,884,488	26,288,370	4,132,582	135,543,757	18,413,758	177,100,042	26,243,905	180,573,432	28,218,872

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free..				90,856						488,629
Hops (pounds).....dut..	214,328	70,134	128,087	61,232	2,769,701	590,640	2,275,453	619,373	1,229,870	558,773
Household and personal effects, etc.....free..		107,126		146,406		1,570,401		1,379,952		2,567,617
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, lbs.)—										
Gutta-percha.....	26,116	11,572	48,562	19,182	922,815	72,449	565,156	138,347	344,356	118,299
India rubber.....	4,353,739	2,550,276	10,294,839	6,469,470	27,136,973	13,227,586	37,269,068	20,195,433	41,776,791	25,957,600
Total unmanufactured...	4,379,855	2,561,848	10,343,401	6,488,652	28,059,788	13,300,035	37,834,224	20,333,780	42,121,147	26,075,899
INDIA RUBBER, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	941,317	526,940	1,174,801	755,572	4,838,058	2,198,110	6,823,970	4,047,116	9,064,060	5,915,379
Germany.....	128,934	56,985	230,370	130,956	733,285	265,861	1,404,422	568,211	1,400,817	775,927
Other Europe.....	658,735	393,291	1,182,452	916,365	1,603,437	770,259	4,034,533	2,152,208	5,146,620	3,736,708
Central America.....	88,739	39,061	126,356	80,561	813,857	338,012	760,547	319,020	1,098,858	605,370
Mexico.....	16,954	4,414	57,549	25,291	63,444	19,631	86,389	25,090	208,892	84,513
West Indies.....	2,347	704			46,973	15,119	8,090	2,163	28,951	8,582
Brazil.....	2,338,201	1,466,809	7,271,001	4,458,125	17,765,729	9,189,574	22,606,352	12,524,445	22,683,497	13,903,159
Other South America.....	143,197	52,087	157,655	80,024	972,019	367,966	1,230,105	479,690	1,466,986	698,389
East Indies.....	31,798	8,679	65,233	18,456	260,072	59,676	284,323	69,582	642,868	204,845
Africa.....			1,188	405	1,796	802	7,168	2,279	3,211	1,274
Other countries.....	3,517	1,306	28,234	3,715	7,793	2,543	14,179	5,629	32,025	17,454
Total.....	4,353,739	2,550,276	10,294,839	6,469,470	27,136,973	13,227,586	37,269,068	20,195,433	41,776,791	25,957,600
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gutta-percha.....		23,313		12,099		63,799		123,003		84,626
India rubber.....		28,263		43,585		207,589		212,750		265,937
Total manufactures.....		51,576		55,684		271,383		341,753		350,563
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore (tons).....dut..	32,199	39,560	37,376	48,024	417,816	602,904	312,527	417,056	145,485	198,122
Pig iron (tons).....dut..	2,397	61,851	1,616	51,505	19,039	434,956	17,317	450,468	17,701	528,734
Scrap iron and steel, etc. (tons).....dut..	81	1,208	11	94	3,400	72,154	1,324	10,648	2,547	51,702
Bar iron (pounds).....dut..	1,708,367	32,895	2,570,702	53,420	26,377,068	515,183	27,891,072	556,049	36,108,412	708,962
Bars, railway, of iron or steel, etc. (tons).....dut..	1	15	144	6,032	7,758	207,701	480	17,435	154	6,390
Hoop, band, or scroll (pounds).....dut..					5,584	1,930	61,916	2,873		
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. (pounds).....dut..	2,446,417	92,605	1,826,103	108,449	28,271,915	1,115,418	25,346,430	969,873	16,745,873	773,191
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel (pounds).....dut..	589,236	17,578	310,550	15,514	8,261,235	187,054	4,298,451	133,569	2,806,530	120,084
Ties for baling cotton (pounds).....free..					16,265,506	239,498				
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin (pounds).....dut..	20,509,104	445,221	10,352,102	252,852	177,318,269	4,064,370	135,419,127	3,063,612	73,669,186	1,690,185
Wire rods (pounds).....dut..	3,854,472	86,186	2,538,447	52,255	26,821,865	543,828	31,512,067	663,728	24,981,463	523,210
Wire, and articles made from (pounds).....dut..	551,084	41,122	585,603	41,617	5,217,518	306,620	4,349,524	275,198	3,566,922	236,804
MANUFACTURES—										
Anvils (pounds).....dut..	157,021	10,165	34,835	2,138	578,148	35,025	630,989	38,248	357,144	22,356
Chains (pounds).....dut..	4,060	273	62,300	2,275	460,611	34,940	159,856	10,057	318,181	17,642
Cutlery.....dut..		115,199		117,562		1,362,443		705,433		864,840
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut..		3,788		3,251		35,236		26,138		28,015
Firearms.....dut..		36,338		47,691		508,370		311,900		564,281
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free..		34,921		29,091		218,743		258,044		310,783
Machinery.....dut..		181,050		134,570		960,634		1,368,125		1,216,803

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Shotgun barrels, in single tubes, forged, rough bored... free.....		9,621		15,932		21,973		36,666		93,442
All other.....dut.....		111,117		119,529		1,078,096		841,016		861,376
Total, not including ore.....		1,281,153		1,053,837		11,944,172		9,679,130		8,618,800
TIN PLATES, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	20,407,819	442,304	10,349,489	252,691	177,077,458	4,057,751	135,011,612	2,991,982	73,600,352	1,686,715
British North America.....	101,285	2,917	2,613	161	240,533	6,603	397,925	11,290	68,834	3,470
Other countries.....					278	16	9,590	340		
Total.....	20,509,104	445,221	10,352,102	252,852	177,318,269	4,064,370	135,419,127	3,003,612	73,669,186	1,690,185
Ivory (free, pounds):										
Animal.....	13,257	26,510	17,803	35,503	99,378	269,981	184,293	382,993	185,784	394,076
Vegetable.....	1,150,684	10,090	571,150	5,567	2,755,790	28,600	12,014,204	124,460	5,906,378	59,740
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:										
Diamonds, uncut, including miner's, etc., not set... free.....		3,173		581		36,756		2,273,249		2,417,959
Diamonds, cut, but not set...dut.....		195,909		499,489		1,823,560		3,816,877		6,186,195
Other precious stones, rough or uncut... free.....		2,171		2,455				18,242		26,107
Other precious stones, cut, but not set...dut.....		117,090		190,961		541,488		1,774,087		1,502,289
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver...dut.....		284,154		519,920		700,579		1,098,277		2,269,848
Total.....		602,497		1,213,409		3,102,383		8,980,732		12,402,398
PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		3,187		2,725		6,174		996,755		1,490,727
France.....		1,887				1,081		113,599		57,603
Netherlands.....						649		1,109,456		887,900
Other Europe.....				119		28,052		67,805		4,941
Brazil.....						797		1,303		
Other countries.....		270		195		3		2,573		2,895
Total.....		5,344		3,039		36,756		2,291,491		2,444,066
JEWELRY, AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		77,397		365,584		695,402		1,686,651		2,639,831
France.....		331,454		511,825		903,881		2,184,601		3,313,264
Germany.....		61,150		92,296		257,102		439,262		662,990
Netherlands.....		81,090		138,931		578,852		1,795,801		2,478,259
Other Europe.....		44,359		97,065		614,255		480,945		833,815
British North America.....		181		2,602		3,868		91,789		4,792
Mexico.....		507		428		2,072		5,100		4,095
East Indies.....						2,136		881		7,142
Other countries.....		1,015		1,630		7,999		4,211		14,144
Total.....		597,153		1,210,370		3,065,627		6,689,241		9,958,332
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):										
Lead in ore, etc.....	18,193,366	256,496	24,306,888	310,166			150,145,352	2,102,659	150,411,668	2,151,766
Pigs, bars, and old.....	128,505	2,960	112,247	3,091			3,093,047	75,840	386,247	9,725
Pigs, bars, old, and other in ore.....					123,184,948	1,382,047				
Manufactures of.....		180		72		3,647		3,622		7,934
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			112,247	3,091	857,013	22,907	388,072	11,064	2,242,192	55,168
Germany.....							336,053	8,944		
Other Europe.....					222,080	4,222	1,120,528	28,938	111,952	1,940
British North America.....	3,744,036	79,584	3,042,186	82,641	19,194,268	304,046	37,411,122	816,953	26,046,880	656,259

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH--				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH--					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds)—Continued.										
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC.—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	14,402,760	178,551	21,202,175	226,620	101,700,868	1,036,017	113,595,559	1,308,235	121,999,812	1,442,541
Other countries.....	180,075	1,321	62,527	905	1,210,719	14,855	387,065	4,365	397,049	5,583
Total.....	18,326,871	259,456	21,419,135	313,257	123,184,948	1,382,047	153,238,399	2,178,499	150,797,915	2,161,491
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER (dutiable)—										
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		20,694		6,873		138,246		129,233		41,034
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		29,984		6,742		49,806		124,406		212,139
Skins for morocco.....		191,382		198,150		2,691,657		2,473,778		1,773,928
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		243,660		260,928		1,606,063		1,602,752		1,814,509
Total leather.....		485,720		472,693		4,485,772		4,330,169		3,841,610
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		751,555		617,708		4,326,504		4,455,721		4,636,873
All other.....		34,914		37,194		319,452		308,309		347,903
Total manufactures.....		786,469		654,902		4,645,956		4,764,030		4,984,776
GLOVES, imported from—										
Belgium.....		32,868		41,517		227,619		260,227		240,114
France.....		279,692		235,832		1,516,779		1,333,154		1,759,903
Germany.....		357,503		264,428		1,768,246		2,171,788		2,001,411
Other Europe.....		81,477		75,931		813,716		690,235		634,853
Other countries.....		15				114		257		592
Total.....		751,555		617,708		4,326,504		4,455,721		4,636,873
Malt, barley (bushels).....dut..					9,299	7,662	3,182	2,976	3,863	3,443
Malt liquors (dutiable, gallons):										
In bottles or jugs.....	91,122	96,553	80,543	82,379	624,459	610,372	553,087	524,094	633,263	628,489
In other coverings.....	192,913	61,405	251,919	81,519	1,473,283	417,264	1,394,188	401,751	1,470,743	449,577
Total.....	287,035	157,958	332,462	163,898	2,097,742	1,027,636	1,947,275	925,845	2,104,006	1,078,066
Manganese, ore and oxide of (tons)										
.....free.....	5,876	48,381	9,350	87,048			57,387	479,723	84,129	616,958
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
Marble, and manufactures of.....		55,199		50,374		581,093		500,858		503,275
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		17,751		15,682		215,204		184,418		154,866
Total.....		72,950		66,056		826,297		685,276		658,141
Matting for floors (rolls).....free..					737,657	2,417,693	20,804	61,899		
Matting and mats for floors, etc. (square yards).....dut..	5,109,502	354,913	6,533,933	395,701			10,818,284	764,655	26,535,981	1,772,744
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
Bronze manufactures.....		35,824		57,862		364,910		361,866		431,804
All other.....		314,141		313,060		2,644,740		2,615,035		2,677,691
Total.....		349,965		370,922		3,009,650		2,976,901		3,108,495
Musical instruments, and parts of.....dut..		79,959		82,625		827,285		684,665		784,105
Oils (gallons):										
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—										
Whale and fish.....dut..	16,907	8,749	15,163	7,745	132,836	142,675	619,271	200,769	480,025	176,272
Other.....dut..	627	1,656	652	193	13,447	2,473	13,707	4,801	1,846	447
Mineral.....free..	40,081	2,665	19,823	3,579	6,423	6,947	964,824	69,205	1,390,043	103,301
Do.....dut..	2,366	837	533	150	91,588	7,795	14,083	2,650	2,237	498
VEGETABLE—										
Fixed or expressed.....free..		104,854		199,043		1,207,960		1,378,740		1,196,201
Do.....dut..		72,204		87,985		495,761		407,871		473,503
Olive.....dut..	86,442	106,623	94,839	113,215	601,698	708,550	537,280	661,915	627,526	755,992

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				EIGHT MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils (gallons)—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
Volatile, or essential, and distilled.....free.....		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Do.....dut.....		149,908		157,818		931,189		810,194		1,010,483
Do.....dut.....		40,687		31,054		164,156		274,598		213,321
Total.....		488,183		600,782		3,667,506		3,810,743		3,930,018
Paints, pigments, and colors...free.....						66,296		8,470		
Do.....dut.....		104,133		115,092		802,700		767,683		840,520
Paper stock, crude (free) (see also Wood pulp):										
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs.....	4,144,564	53,521	3,537,506	54,316	33,444,976	447,608	37,291,293	530,155	30,549,721	560,828
All other.....		189,074		184,573		1,715,531		1,603,899		1,449,670
Total.....		242,595		238,889		2,163,139		2,134,054		2,010,498
PAPER STOCK, crude, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		106,729		100,731		732,875		788,902		770,979
Belgium.....		12,574		26,427		210,599		201,521		209,783
France.....		22,119		16,005		145,218		153,687		138,260
Germany.....		45,741		45,802		331,324		409,046		456,680
Italy.....		19,859		20,511		165,717		188,659		180,892
Other Europe.....		11,252		7,424		85,835		105,343		84,382
British North America.....		9,533		2,943		440,075		189,877		50,656
East Indies.....		522				7,176		9,134		9,051
Japan.....		8,135		14,723		25,170		57,817		54,035
Other countries.....		6,131		4,323		19,150		30,068		46,780
Total.....		242,595		238,889		2,163,139		2,134,054		2,010,498
Paper, and manufactures of (durable):										
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s.....		(a)		56,848		(a)		(a)		a 628,173
Parchment papers.....lbs.....		(a)	12,121	4,944		(a)		(a)	461,438	38,443
All other.....		247,419		229,198		2,190,042		2,131,949		1,713,376
Total.....		247,419		290,990		2,190,042		2,131,949		2,379,992
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		48,637		91,927		437,136		386,052		601,731
Belgium.....		6,205		4,226		52,571		44,284		34,032
France.....		27,368		35,463		140,737		179,440		204,540
Germany.....		135,990		123,191		1,351,614		1,316,534		1,299,782
Other Europe.....		3,675		10,136		2,371		39,260		61,686
Japan.....		23,095		21,237		149,094		140,957		145,356
Other countries.....		2,440		4,810		56,519		25,422		32,865
Total.....		247,419		290,990		2,190,042		2,131,949		2,379,992
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc...dut.....		52,708		45,976		472,892		338,587		393,877
Pipes and smokers' articles...dut.....		22,836		32,408		251,780		166,766		193,882
Plants, shrubs, and vines...dut.....		(b)		58,843		(b)		(b)		b 669,908
Platinum.....free.....lbs.....	602	101,695	563	110,983	4,892	799,055	3,839	657,981	4,911	877,642
Plumbago.....free.....tons.....	533	23,368	1,812	145,289	10,604	265,527	6,807	251,828	10,302	661,782
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (durable):										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
Meat and meat extracts.....		17,757		45,863		379,000		300,681		194,359
All other.....		3,654		5,076		44,696		53,974		93,058
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
Butter.....lbs.....	2,575	417	1,869	340	30,498	5,004	27,856	4,654	20,277	3,387
Cheese.....lbs.....	747,091	101,076	1,126,653	150,552	8,878,907	1,204,756	7,337,577	978,857	8,763,128	1,172,745
Milk.....		2,426		5,853		47,626		45,919		35,816
Total.....		125,330		208,284		1,681,082		1,393,085		1,499,365

a Included in "All other manufactures of paper" prior to July, 1898.

b Included in "All other articles" prior to July, 1898.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, etc.—Cont'd.										
CHEESE (pounds) imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	19,683	3,033	25,763	4,449	82,046	15,100	145,848	22,569	130,744	22,424
France.....	82,542	13,203	84,900	13,668	717,922	118,213	710,452	113,442	783,703	138,144
Germany.....	2,342	275	15,254	1,941	301,492	37,657	226,626	29,070	247,533	31,121
Italy.....	182,379	24,491	282,911	36,111	2,526,324	367,102	2,163,850	290,280	2,716,484	341,607
Netherlands.....	62,182	6,497	88,124	10,681	773,958	85,420	762,014	83,170	941,576	103,874
Switzerland.....	384,420	51,926	599,311	79,985	4,162,629	542,487	3,115,905	413,637	3,656,113	499,123
Other Europe.....	11,075	1,327	26,019	3,123	96,833	35,087	194,031	24,057	254,367	29,542
British North America.....	1,097	185	2,386	366	21,294	2,851	13,109	1,978	28,183	6,113
Other countries.....	1,371	139	1,925	228	196,409	839	5,712	654	4,335	797
Total.....	747,091	101,076	1,126,653	150,552	8,878,907	1,204,756	7,337,577	978,857	8,763,128	1,172,745
Rice (pounds):										
Rice.....dut.....	17,322,378	342,299	18,163,237	362,657	69,972,125	1,276,013	60,389,717	1,297,210	87,589,148	1,864,938
Rice, free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.....			89,800	3,250	4,845,600	191,223	4,241,100	182,078	2,595,600	135,683
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....dut.....	3,472,781	54,084	3,742,331	48,139	43,851,542	624,538	43,979,328	704,210	38,516,393	584,272
Total.....	20,795,159	396,983	21,995,368	414,046	118,669,267	2,091,774	114,610,145	2,183,498	128,701,141	2,584,893
Salt (pounds).....free.....					406,583,793	524,902	26,053,890	34,168		
Do.....dut.....	49,894,650	77,238	26,316,599	46,261	9,350,884	12,201	237,171,398	370,528	263,829,390	435,096
Sausage casings.....free.....		22,911		67,225				337,539		444,118
Seeds (bushels):										
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut.....	16,705	20,101	101	87	68,488	68,809	93,687	104,317	36,084	36,711
Seeds, n. e. s.....free.....		71,794		136,843		674,299		593,362		608,525
Do.....dut.....		25,529		40,008		425,604		347,164		329,557
Total.....		117,424		176,938		1,168,712		1,044,843		974,793
Shells, unmanufactured.....free.....		27,821		73,010				664,331		713,908
Silk, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—										
Cocoons.....							2,610	690	13,503	2,272
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	911,206	2,969,585	1,012,087	3,478,905	4,228,028	12,242,144	8,680,659	26,157,904	7,729,952	24,654,162
Waste.....	151,319	76,256	185,685	72,764	875,053	232,980	1,464,017	548,090	1,223,206	512,525
Total unmanufactured.....		3,045,841		3,551,669		12,475,134		26,706,684		25,166,959
SILK, RAW (pounds), imported from—										
France.....	42,955	125,233	21,993	84,313	161,808	513,142	245,851	849,894	224,877	838,858
Italy.....	239,234	874,450	272,533	1,130,036	596,445	2,112,329	1,291,672	4,577,960	1,636,262	6,219,130
China.....	239,931	697,469	233,812	695,117	892,604	2,185,875	2,292,633	5,368,940	1,838,042	4,583,320
Japan.....	386,466	1,262,991	483,747	1,569,434	2,443,081	7,091,359	4,650,083	14,787,329	3,933,462	12,796,519
Other countries.....	2,620	9,442	2	5	134,090	339,433	200,420	573,781	97,309	216,335
Total.....	911,206	2,969,585	1,012,087	3,478,905	4,228,028	12,242,144	8,680,659	26,157,904	7,729,952	24,654,162
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Clothing, ready-made, and other wearing apparel.....		266,696		235,579		1,779,827		1,596,447		1,293,595
Dress and piece goods.....		1,652,183		1,477,812		4,748,172		7,713,117		10,077,413
Laces and embroideries.....		489,852		368,993		1,660,268		2,894,388		2,378,969
Ribbons.....		208,151		147,602		753,474		1,675,906		1,442,037
Spun silks, in skeins, cops, warps, or on beams.....lbs.....			180,929	213,796					1,259,523	1,413,240
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs.....			23,013	80,937					392,272	1,266,664
All other.....		620,383		185,941		7,939,957		4,529,726		1,769,694
Total manufactures.....		3,237,265		2,710,660		16,881,698		18,379,584		19,641,612

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Silk, and manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		233,086		219,133		1,409,842		1,496,441		2,226,767
Austria-Hungary.....		8,175		6,158		92,640		82,454		120,509
Belgium.....		1,707		8,928		19,908		25,493		46,064
France.....		1,661,051		1,277,537		7,830,616		8,905,063		8,370,262
Germany.....		435,955		447,451		3,546,289		3,432,367		3,454,844
Italy.....		27,991		41,887		199,404		266,604		305,439
Switzerland.....		521,980		470,998		2,087,321		2,654,041		3,010,463
Other Europe.....		6,596		2,500		22,025		35,432		34,684
China.....		6,637		4,318		113,497		91,174		106,531
Japan.....		330,997		225,796		1,498,480		1,357,666		1,916,934
Other countries.....		3,390		5,954		61,676		33,449		49,115
Total.....		3,237,265		2,710,660		16,881,698		18,379,584		19,641,612
Soap (dutiable):										
Fancy, perfumed, etc..... lbs..	51,780	24,462	69,946	29,262	655,839	222,431	414,411	182,838	585,748	244,553
All other.....		15,232		21,501		304,056		175,166		178,220
Total.....		39,694		50,763		527,087		358,004		422,773
Spices:										
UNGROUNDED (pounds)—										
Nutmegs..... free..	25,936	4,837	75,841	19,315	1,100,626	295,902	933,950	259,624	1,063,921	263,382
Pepper, black or white..... free..	962,364	74,815	875,313	80,366	8,762,922	393,115	10,268,572	610,128	8,015,229	692,780
All other..... free..	717,550	48,381	1,474,579	94,689	12,228,740	609,382	9,816,461	656,956	10,483,759	764,178
Do..... dut..	362,300	32,527	194,458	31,300	1,604,479	202,496	2,130,739	200,996	2,711,726	244,773
Total.....		160,560		225,670		1,500,895		1,727,704		1,965,113
NUTMEGS, PEPPER, ETC. (free, pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	335,718	26,092	403,182	25,333	4,180,177	214,574	5,263,835	343,369	3,281,260	267,002
Netherlands.....	197,189	20,689	151,278	25,049	3,073,692	237,935	1,367,366	168,515	740,477	121,906
Other Europe.....	135,172	10,483	113,132	10,877	119,816	6,203	405,483	28,687	192,471	17,729
British North America.....					115,839	6,645	2,500	162	160	29
British West Indies.....	192,828	16,845	344,633	32,004	2,879,188	123,896	1,725,794	115,170	3,125,459	232,907
China.....	124,390	6,918	272,205	14,771	2,398,851	106,573	1,927,046	121,217	1,876,526	111,767
East Indies.....	706,559	40,102	501,966	52,145	7,669,696	515,064	8,468,084	654,350	7,789,680	792,152
Other Asia and Oceania.....	10,672	704	157,948	15,048	611,250	51,904	296,140	39,335	1,226,195	108,562
Africa.....			474,300	18,505	935,938	29,890	1,505,797	53,755	1,294,783	66,430
Other countries.....	3,322	200	7,089	638	107,841	5,715	56,938	2,148	35,898	1,856
Total.....	1,705,850	128,033	2,425,733	194,370	22,092,288	1,298,399	21,018,983	1,526,708	19,562,909	1,720,340
SPICES, ALL OTHER (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		27,667		25,542		155,845		136,303		168,192
Other Europe.....		1,469		1,443		14,041		22,987		23,408
Mexico.....		2,800		2,181		27,651		28,400		35,201
Other countries.....		501		2,134		4,959		13,306		17,972
Total.....		32,527		31,300		202,496		200,996		244,773
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax)..... free..	89,745	78,734	129,382	107,305	773,649	705,277	708,482	613,117	704,050	593,049
Brandy..... dut..	23,035	69,981	24,811	74,224	184,884	504,756	103,632	296,099	158,896	458,914
All other..... dut..	74,848	102,272	124,086	179,155	1,029,645	1,279,678	524,645	691,206	901,615	1,208,494
Total.....	187,628	250,990	278,279	360,684	1,988,178	2,489,711	1,336,759	1,600,422	1,764,561	2,260,457
SPIRITS (not of domestic manufacture, proof gallons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	35,776	50,997	71,377	104,020	409,036	544,441	240,515	351,005	442,206	633,295
Belgium.....	763	1,142	4,382	4,935	23,943	25,553	21,353	26,500	20,382	30,319
France.....	25,714	77,930	20,286	89,703	215,309	609,370	121,566	352,818	189,485	565,894
Germany.....	2,893	4,506	11,052	8,892	67,389	54,812	31,713	22,469	57,406	37,050
Italy.....	1,481	3,287	1,848	2,934	13,637	22,137	8,088	13,983	13,983	24,101
Netherlands.....	12,711	6,719	15,938	6,880	175,225	85,087	74,614	38,521	115,902	60,901
Other Europe.....	1,305	1,674	3,488	6,920	19,025	23,290	5,494	8,298	21,373	34,733
British North America.....	9,831	19,191	11,531	21,871	165,108	318,050	68,444	123,250	103,736	204,310

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons)— Continued.										
SPIRITS (not of domestic manu- facture, etc.)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
West Indies	1,629	4,886	2,391	4,685	27,888	62,555	15,082	43,890	15,961	44,872
China	4,626	1,525	4,575	1,454	64,182	14,183	25,048	6,107	58,594	17,805
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	950	288	1,651	602	28,988	7,435	17,008	4,385	19,269	12,104
Other countries	204	111	378	393	4,799	8,521	3,169	1,884	2,214	2,024
Total.....	97,883	172,256	148,897	253,379	1,214,529	1,781,434	628,277	987,305	1,060,511	1,667,408
Sponges.....dut.....		42,011		51,428		318,360		287,725		290,315
Straw and grass, manufactures ofdut.....				30,031						204,759
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:										
Molasses (gallons).....free.....					206,123	13,397	40,275	2,346	15,300	542
Molasses (gallons).....dut.....	353,684	67,443	224,615	54,592	1,429,926	246,156	1,197,880	211,184	628,680	121,544
SUGAR (pounds):										
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard, in color—										
Beet.....dut.....			89,531,801	1,867,288	882,453,143	16,538,553	17,309,577	331,344	569,574,042	11,832,631
Cane.....free.....	43,787,235	1,563,175	47,671,110	1,822,819	278,843,671	8,777,146	332,806,696	10,524,875	291,119,902	10,738,315
Cane and other.....dut.....	313,991,691	6,415,958	322,111,233	7,253,801	1,381,119,902	27,025,827	1,177,179,087	22,884,986	1,734,474,394	36,702,503
Above No. 16 Dutch standarddut.....	8,866,473	214,373	2,098,913	59,781	103,755,049	2,654,607	78,428,023	1,888,243	52,563,170	1,347,493
Total sugar.....{free.....	43,787,235	1,563,175	47,671,110	1,822,819	278,843,671	8,777,146	332,806,696	10,524,875	291,119,902	10,738,315
.....{dut.....	322,858,164	6,630,331	413,741,947	9,180,870	2,367,328,094	46,218,987	1,272,916,687	25,104,573	2,356,611,606	49,882,627
Total.....	366,645,399	8,193,506	461,413,057	11,003,689	2,646,171,765	54,996,133	1,605,723,383	35,629,448	2,647,731,508	60,620,942
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5,937,828	143,271	1,066,156	25,627	26,104,434	494,571	15,273,966	357,505	13,557,378	349,669
Austria-Hungary.....			9,739,136	196,763	46,863,562	866,881	715,500	17,639	22,654,587	454,195
Belgium.....					57,389,406	1,032,193				
Germany.....			79,792,665	1,670,525	737,783,890	13,933,629	15,214,489	278,854	645,856,917	11,354,036
Netherlands.....					10,485,688	174,123	2,177,883	54,642		
Other Europe.....					14,997,631	259,778	77,230	1,698	1,996,400	41,070
British North America.....	626,126	33,390			627,340	50,579	935,808	44,699	27,803	1,260
Central America.....			197,440	4,334					2,719,231	60,123
Mexico.....	489,416	10,180	142,587	2,307	905,116	14,617	1,164,527	19,707	789,335	14,166
West Indies:										
British.....	23,498,201	476,673								

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Tea (pounds) free..	4, 652, 518	651, 681			85, 037, 698	10, 743, 290	60, 187, 766	8, 244, 632		
Do dut..			4, 307, 431	493, 072					62, 230, 683	8, 103, 658
TEA (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	428, 640	81, 068	207, 366	38, 669	3, 692, 727	691, 488	1, 919, 654	388, 753	1, 150, 899	254, 668
British North America	151, 722	18, 414	203, 818	29, 871	555, 311	96, 742	590, 847	89, 192	799, 970	126, 102
China	3, 129, 694	454, 691	3, 047, 021	328, 667	47, 218, 920	6, 179, 194	35, 274, 765	5, 210, 026	29, 694, 621	3, 646, 589
East Indies	286, 050	30, 444	299, 665	33, 484	1, 877, 747	239, 560	1, 755, 176	215, 047	1, 369, 322	216, 980
Japan	647, 103	65, 934	542, 470	61, 398	31, 275, 411	3, 483, 914	20, 378, 326	2, 312, 328	28, 012, 144	3, 827, 275
Other Asia and Oceanica	9, 309	1, 130	7, 032	973	340, 242	44, 538	267, 087	28, 703	1, 194, 285	28, 929
Other countries			50	10	47, 340	7, 854	1, 911	583	9, 442	3, 115
Total	4, 652, 518	651, 681	4, 307, 431	493, 072	85, 037, 698	10, 743, 290	60, 187, 766	8, 244, 632	62, 230, 683	8, 103, 658
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.										
(pounds) free..	4, 552, 604	612, 421	6, 210, 735	1, 192, 277	35, 551, 083	4, 585, 607	42, 866, 494	5, 854, 751	47, 690, 483	7, 609, 430
TIN IN BARS, ETC. (pounds), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom	2, 077, 152	291, 240	2, 554, 924	519, 404	16, 059, 256	2, 083, 345	13, 450, 122	1, 955, 596	9, 873, 589	1, 844, 492
Netherlands	334, 246	47, 233			2, 546, 163	344, 274	2, 925, 394	410, 296	1, 710, 268	298, 522
East Indies	2, 074, 006	264, 671	3, 551, 936	648, 960	14, 514, 788	1, 844, 864	25, 082, 364	3, 299, 525	35, 302, 570	5, 338, 708
Other Asia and Oceanica	67, 200	9, 277	44, 877	10, 530	1, 689, 452	218, 522	1, 280, 886	172, 035	738, 885	112, 648
Other countries			55, 998	13, 383	741, 424	94, 602	127, 728	17, 299	65, 171	15, 060
Total	4, 552, 604	612, 421	6, 210, 735	1, 192, 277	35, 551, 083	4, 585, 607	42, 866, 494	5, 854, 751	47, 690, 483	7, 609, 430
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
LEAF (dutiable, pounds)—										
Suitable for cigar wrappers	65, 168	63, 862	143, 809	187, 430	2, 855, 186	2, 353, 422	1, 165, 539	1, 069, 638	2, 399, 459	2, 543, 379
Other	633, 782	400, 353	996, 938	555, 829	5, 442, 861	2, 640, 892	5, 598, 411	3, 142, 436	6, 656, 716	3, 698, 186
Total leaf	698, 950	464, 215	1, 140, 747	743, 259	8, 298, 047	4, 994, 314	6, 763, 950	4, 212, 074	9, 056, 175	6, 241, 565
Imported from (pounds)—										
Germany	25, 495	5, 593	3, 090	2, 249	795, 501	456, 472	97, 449	33, 541	252, 065	121, 346
Netherlands	22, 809	17, 638	118, 391	126, 152	2, 507, 112	2, 012, 326	930, 816	813, 932	2, 124, 732	2, 109, 196
Other Europe	36, 688	22, 990	9, 937	5, 894	374, 486	117, 500	729, 068	304, 422	438, 833	160, 286
British North America	42, 576	21, 191	12, 150	9, 074	607, 402	491, 928	229, 067	153, 858	471, 921	408, 329
Mexico	28, 562	9, 878	12, 157	2, 682	513, 873	212, 676	397, 628	202, 408	575, 117	212, 146
Cuba	518, 968	379, 491	949, 859	590, 250	3, 413, 929	1, 681, 298	3, 921, 335	2, 563, 586	4, 845, 751	3, 128, 907
Other countries	23, 852	7, 434	35, 163	6, 958	85, 744	22, 114	458, 587	140, 327	347, 816	101, 355
Total	698, 950	464, 215	1, 140, 747	743, 259	8, 298, 047	4, 994, 314	6, 763, 950	4, 212, 074	9, 056, 175	6, 241, 565
MANUFACTURES OF (dut., lbs.)—										
Cigars, cigarettes, etc	32, 886	167, 456	39, 155	183, 770	338, 794	1, 479, 462	273, 885	1, 285, 447	305, 222	1, 522, 060
All other		3, 126		5, 233		36, 583		38, 137		46, 728
Total manufactures		170, 582		189, 003		1, 516, 045		1, 323, 584		1, 568, 788
Toys dut..		74, 793		65, 324		2, 226, 502		1, 702, 689		1, 816, 536
TOYS, imported from—										
France		1, 945		2, 770		137, 993		70, 284		76, 768
Germany		66, 944		57, 651		2, 049, 688		1, 555, 715		1, 673, 985
Other Europe		3, 993		3, 592		56, 692		57, 957		44, 756
Other countries		1, 911		1, 311		22, 129		18, 733		21, 027
Total		74, 793		65, 324		2, 266, 502		1, 702, 689		1, 816, 536
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):										
Beans and dried pease	22, 598	20, 735	26, 448	26, 168	395, 529	398, 099	135, 704	128, 590	155, 750	138, 850
Onions	2, 283	2, 996	24, 027	45, 028	109, 806	67, 896	72, 403	39, 676	175, 787	127, 705
Potatoes	126, 632	56, 147	52, 501	31, 560	106, 907	59, 464	690, 436	246, 782	104, 390	70, 845
Pickles and sauces		17, 181		21, 551		224, 134		156, 709		270, 616
All other—										
In their natural state		18, 800		45, 019		225, 836		211, 237		260, 462
Prepared or preserved		53, 840		41, 681		466, 865		393, 582		443, 124
Total		109, 699		211, 007		1, 442, 294		1, 178, 576		1, 311, 602
Wines (dutiable):										
Champagne, and other sparkling (dozen)	25, 286	366, 992	24, 123	355, 876	181, 161	2, 639, 950	175, 539	2, 560, 969	195, 906	2, 689, 811
STILL WINES—										
In casks (gallons)	181, 054	129, 895	179, 689	130, 768	1, 575, 817	1, 090, 411	1, 158, 978	827, 168	1, 458, 629	996, 020
In other coverings (dozen)	13, 452	77, 996	27, 375	132, 581	189, 702	890, 892	167, 099	829, 580	185, 574	889, 174
Total		574, 883		619, 227		4, 621, 253		4, 217, 717		4, 575, 005

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wines (dutyable)—Continued—										
Wines, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		18,677		15,133		143,687		177,430		139,905
France.....		397,045		409,865		3,005,225		2,829,104		3,057,087
Germany.....		67,538		53,987		708,850		537,084		629,767
Italy.....		11,414		16,692		203,417		162,953		160,128
Other Europe.....		78,626		120,733		526,667		487,112		564,429
Other countries.....		1,583		2,817		33,407		23,974		23,689
Total.....		574,883		619,227		4,621,253		4,217,717		4,575,005
Wood, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (M feet)—										
Cabinet woods—										
Mahogany.....free..	1,237	62,317	3,407	170,021	9,721	442,356	11,828	604,479	19,160	933,822
Do.....dut..		64,721		27,880		374,049		641,736		586,170
Logs and round timbers..free..	1,812	18,399	2,102	14,241	206,247	1,634,426	172,361	1,501,328	168,356	1,518,979
Timber, hewn, etc.....free..					2,127	31,637		815		22,416
Timber, hewn, etc. (cu. ft.)..dut..	7,685	593	9,149	989		395	80,499	11,083	78,949	10,899
Lumber (M feet)—										
Boards, planks, etc.....free..					512,924	5,378,432		107,953		1,055,126
Do.....dut..	18,372	183,631	19,314	189,292	31	2,415	141,777	1,456,759	254,749	2,538,839
Shingles.....dut..	32,663	56,619	22,468	40,863			299,252	525,187	338,363	586,205
Other lumber.....dut..		44,819		47,406		11,660		506,936		608,579
All other unmanufact'd.....free..		185,294		176,018		3,202,320		1,768,855		1,436,099
Do.....dut..		461		1,074		22		12,280		17,139
MANUFACTURES OF (dutyable)—										
Cabinetware or housefurniture.....		18,888		35,162		217,082		226,238		268,897
Wood pulp (tons).....	2,343	53,095	3,282	64,027	35,652	661,438	19,744	388,018	26,595	508,299
All other.....		113,904		142,076		1,303,074		1,062,987		1,162,164
Total wood, and mfrs. of.....		802,741		909,049		13,259,306		9,783,428		10,176,091
MAHOGANY (M feet), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	142	23,434	679	41,964	311	106,638	922	177,147	3,403	254,371
Central America.....	82	3,549	1,150	57,228	2,309	74,964	3,589	108,712	6,005	314,117
Mexico.....	1,013	35,334	1,353	53,152	5,951	218,833	6,068	265,406	8,078	274,516
Cuba.....			2	90	142	5,238	21	833	106	7,603
Other West Indies.....			33	1,637	38	1,830	125	8,821	958	50,378
South America.....			80	5,000	840	28,086	1,018	38,879	416	14,411
Other countries.....			110	10,950	130	6,767	85	4,081	194	18,426
Total.....	1,237	62,317	3,407	170,021	9,721	442,356	11,828	604,479	19,160	933,822
BOARDS, PLANKS, ETC. (M feet), imported from—										
British North America.....	18,372	183,631	19,314	189,292	512,946	5,379,200	249,659	2,510,193	251,241	2,495,489
Other countries.....					9	1,647	71	1,692	3,508	43,350
Total.....	18,372	183,631	19,314	189,292	512,955	5,380,847	249,730	2,511,885	254,749	2,538,839
WOOD PULP (tons), imported from—										
Germany.....	366	21,421	101	5,224	1,466	73,406	1,340	57,855	516	30,068
Other Europe.....	155	6,022	398	12,742	4,198	166,191	2,316	98,225	3,140	132,149
British North America.....	1,822	25,652	2,783	46,061	29,988	421,841	16,088	231,938	22,939	346,082
Total.....	2,343	53,095	3,282	64,027	35,652	661,438	19,744	388,018	26,595	508,299
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Class 1—clothing—										
In the grease.....free..					76,573,265	12,124,629	13,176,315	2,484,592		
Do.....dut..	5,125,610	865,035	1,822,982	311,291			21,058,254	3,591,634	7,026,745	1,085,151
Scoured.....free..					10,023,999	2,661,483				
Do.....dut..							107,570	23,701	175	12
Class 2—combing—										
In the grease.....free..					13,604,240	2,721,702	3,212,956	635,147		
Do.....dut..	310,802	72,921	171,062	53,773			851,717	179,743	1,390,506	394,981
Scoured.....free..					224,633	47,677				
Do.....dut..									517	98
Class 3—carpet—										
In the grease.....free..					67,758,665	7,003,905	5,188,313	474,028		
Do.....dut..	6,507,692	602,339	4,437,916	425,791			59,357,341	5,771,773	45,118,679	4,261,095
Scoured.....free..					349,677	66,525				
Do.....dut..							1,479	115	669	133
Total.....{free..					168,534,479	24,625,921	21,577,584	3,593,767		
dut..	11,944,104	1,540,295	6,431,960	790,855			81,376,361	9,566,966	53,537,291	5,741,470
Total.....	11,944,104	1,540,295	6,431,960	790,855	168,534,479	24,625,921	102,953,945	13,160,733	53,537,291	5,741,470

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
WOOLS (lbs.), imported from—										
Class 1—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	402,288	80,225	1,133,839	188,185	42,187,501	7,366,500	19,700,833	2,762,158	4,007,895	639,893
France.....	3,306	984			7,263,145	1,836,903	1,153,320	298,781	115,953	13,591
South America.....	672,760	70,954	165,709	24,866	13,588,312	1,790,216	4,199,827	517,451	742,982	81,138
Asia and Oceania.....	3,681,126	656,458	474,570	91,750	13,851,471	2,374,566	6,562,199	2,116,455	1,446,215	203,724
Other countries.....	366,130	56,414	48,864	6,490	9,706,775	1,417,927	2,725,960	405,082	1,013,875	146,817
Total.....	5,125,610	865,035	1,822,982	311,291	86,597,264	14,786,112	34,342,139	6,099,927	7,026,920	1,085,163
Class 2—										
United Kingdom.....	308,056	72,413	120,055	39,378	6,906,336	1,515,754	3,003,022	626,416	1,192,298	331,546
Other Europe.....			37,930	12,328	526,033	131,011	6,920	1,185	174,093	58,865
British North America.....	669	241	11,650	1,856	4,338,077	846,826	969,473	177,492	18,041	3,662
South America.....	1,332	207			2,035,973	272,149	81,896	9,598	1,485	106
Asia and Oceania.....			60	7	22,454	3,639			109	12
Other countries.....	745	60	1,367	204			3,262	199	4,997	888
Total.....	310,802	72,921	171,062	53,773	13,828,873	2,769,379	4,064,673	814,800	1,391,023	395,079
Class 3—										
United Kingdom.....	1,469,627	147,748	1,250,306	131,063	25,170,867	3,065,627	17,638,407	2,062,567	13,513,194	1,421,699
France.....	693,895	67,693	305,522	29,225	3,498,537	437,891	2,350,226	250,093	1,182,433	117,562
Germany.....	85,561	8,652	109,707	10,783	1,049,760	114,158	946,631	99,876	499,859	51,580
Other Europe.....	1,881,232	176,831	1,708,564	177,710	11,808,840	1,346,718	16,570,282	1,681,152	11,542,216	1,160,561
British North America.....	650	52			6,504	529	29,988	1,756		
South America.....	372,941	30,268	486,017	34,338	5,337,392	465,494	3,163,375	260,068	3,761,469	277,616
China.....	1,202,537	90,856	408,322	28,701	16,296,988	1,164,557	18,460,892	1,353,238	11,235,392	897,503
Other Asia and Oceania.....	749,267	76,599	169,478	13,971	4,893,492	470,717	5,034,233	507,851	3,380,118	334,483
Other countries.....	51,982	3,540			45,962	4,739	353,099	29,315	4,667	233
Total.....	6,507,692	602,339	4,437,916	425,791	68,108,342	7,070,430	64,547,133	6,245,916	45,119,348	4,261,228
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carbonized (pounds).....dut.					43,726	13,513				
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut.	80,061	214,602	62,210	200,513	314,022	478,334	429,439	1,246,089	478,210	1,310,194
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit fabrics.....dut.		97,939		83,913		756,072		662,257		689,600
Cloths (pounds).....dut.	427,578	371,427	352,854	361,118	15,397,495	9,716,314	4,448,461	3,419,230	3,355,004	3,215,870
Dress goods, women's and children's (square yards).....dut.	3,333,189	696,446	1,912,126	428,367	41,521,175	9,586,496	24,740,597	5,218,677	23,453,616	5,045,703
Knit fabrics.....dut.		51,159		54,398		1,595,333		322,100		565,208
Rags, noils, and wastes (pounds).....free					17,741,369	2,116,170	1,724,489	253,779		
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc. (pounds).....dut.	106,220	25,320	45,594	8,885	1,091,673	351,463	1,441,804	423,389	222,115	46,603
Shawls.....dut.		3,903		4,045		265,926		26,044		44,596
Yarns (pounds).....dut.	40,411	20,656	14,028	9,357	796,767	426,566	274,287	150,060	133,580	83,497
All other.....dut.		71,660		44,633		1,748,727		837,059		461,778
Total manufactures.....		1,553,112		1,195,229		27,054,914		12,558,684		11,463,049
CARPETS (sq.yds.), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	29,075	50,165	16,639	37,742	246,052	365,902	184,205	437,151	182,490	411,938
Other Europe.....	42,278	140,122	31,142	119,666	45,772	66,030	146,130	513,063	202,235	627,841
Japan.....	863	955	967	1,064	1,770	2,044	8,391	8,656	7,347	9,798
Other Asia and Oceania.....	7,070	19,460	9,638	25,999	12,620	27,658	72,835	227,410	59,831	168,902
Other countries.....	775	3,900	3,824	16,042	7,810	16,700	17,878	59,800	26,307	91,715
Total.....	80,061	214,602	62,210	200,513	314,024	478,334	429,439	1,246,089	478,210	1,310,194
CLOTH (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	319,804	271,698	219,784	222,092	12,851,499	7,378,223	3,679,605	2,686,120	2,276,188	2,185,294
Austria-Hungary.....	6,831	6,134	17,917	17,294	97,505	87,905	34,896	31,261	69,689	62,095
Belgium.....	8,682	8,330	12,821	12,468	294,922	258,718	82,238	69,760	103,624	95,547
France.....	20,039	15,863	16,388	24,754	273,951	320,343	90,947	96,683	180,997	201,771
Germany.....	71,327	68,574	83,152	82,267	1,859,355	1,655,092	551,189	526,701	710,483	659,292
Other Europe.....	315	239	1,530	1,404	10,404	7,852	3,220	2,690	7,287	5,938
Other countries.....	600	589	1,262	839	9,859	8,181	6,366	6,015	6,736	5,933
Total.....	427,578	371,427	352,854	361,118	15,397,495	9,716,314	4,448,461	3,419,230	3,355,004	3,215,870

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
DRESS GOODS (square yards), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	1,496,552	243,333	1,047,251	191,634	13,877,986	2,769,839	10,867,053	1,911,693	10,616,131	1,906,015
France.....	988,390	277,613	547,108	163,575	12,253,045	3,003,240	6,135,106	1,417,914	6,396,138	1,673,500
Germany.....	841,082	172,171	316,035	72,739	15,042,660	3,723,607	6,402,580	1,854,673	6,343,107	1,443,331
Other Europe.....	7,008	3,306	1,718	412	345,345	89,163	1,335,083	34,049	97,700	22,674
Other countries.....	157	23	14	7	2,139	647	775	348	540	183
Total.....	3,333,189	696,446	1,912,126	428,367	41,521,175	9,586,496	24,740,597	5,218,677	23,453,616	5,045,703
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..	144,699	5,620	158,218	7,808	809,046	25,090	2,390,356	94,784	1,282,140	54,750
Manufactures of.....		714		422		15,304		7,706		13,036
Total.....		6,334		8,230		40,394		102,490		67,786
All other articles.....free.....		478,384		412,910		6,981,413		4,917,495		4,024,566
Do.....dut.....		539,116		518,086		5,553,105		4,404,877		4,006,087
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		26,642,887		34,495,050		253,186,902		218,706,593		213,251,407
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		34,919,296		38,331,016		245,679,936		236,546,769		286,776,492
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....		61,562,183		72,826,066		498,866,838		455,253,362		500,027,899
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES.....		56,825,650		68,589,337		470,755,136		427,353,874		468,117,925
IMPORTED THROUGH EXTERIOR PORTS, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT.....		4,736,533		4,236,729		28,111,702		27,899,488		31,909,974
ENTERED FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.....		50,034,210		61,969,024		432,499,287		392,791,572		420,482,894
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSE.....		11,527,973		10,857,042		66,367,551		62,461,790		79,545,005
BROUGHT IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		2,768,809		2,406,629		23,850,533		22,468,534		24,591,083
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....		6,905,775		6,930,589		49,710,784		54,079,515		34,590,406
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:										
Belgian.....		2,168,750		2,688,444		382,653,614		15,241,070		16,647,032
British.....		27,999,077		38,428,881				218,797,444		252,100,345
Dutch.....		1,567,992		1,739,234				14,101,921		15,661,172
French.....		4,114,115		4,956,600				28,148,628		39,406,640
German.....		5,695,873		6,810,215				46,928,401		60,060,951
Italian.....		14,721		187,586				141,865		645,991
Norwegian.....		1,151,940		1,948,135				7,499,822		12,556,702
All other.....		1,895,732		2,205,946				8,508,039		11,836,866
Total foreign steam.....		44,608,200		58,995,041				339,367,190		408,915,699
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS.....		3,569,743		2,073,109		21,716,809		18,878,240		14,705,422
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....						20,935,098		8		
British.....		2,301,411		1,215,152				12,782,028		10,774,528
Dutch.....		117,667						377,799		557,736
French.....		4,540		12,585				117,267		167,297
German.....		22,679		153,574				1,306,195		1,102,747
Italian.....		514,322		128,690				2,279,835		1,746,831
Norwegian.....		516,339		439,318				1,919,243		735,926
All other.....		232,698		471,379				1,677,508		2,140,224
Total foreign sailing.....		3,709,656		2,420,698				20,459,883		17,225,289

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Agricultural implements:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mowers and reapers, and parts of.....		1,162,009		1,881,548		1,711,519		2,505,953		4,412,320
Plows and cultivators, and parts of.....		138,601		171,370		453,158		646,292		1,066,304
All other, and parts of.....		169,787		326,826		1,005,631		712,295		1,153,916
Total.....		1,470,397		2,379,744		3,170,308		3,864,540		6,632,540
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		147,663		169,788		303,766		452,324		535,457
France.....		271,176		660,707		351,183		662,929		899,730
Germany.....		279,312		270,461		258,509		428,535		536,664
Other Europe.....		533,491		944,808		716,471		702,892		1,294,437
British North America.....		100,570		141,871		243,466		459,935		842,449
Central American States and British Honduras.....		211		307		24,362		14,213		5,774
Mexico.....		14,746		31,823		92,020		88,428		141,047
Santo Domingo.....				105		952		837		333
Cuba.....		712		2,742		1,206		7,670		13,847
Porto Rico.....		15		35		3,371		2,295		1,312
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		644		1,578		5,072		4,665		8,566
Argentina.....		22,641		67,372		367,336		314,338		1,298,428
Brazil.....		5,126		6,407		17,020		21,250		28,399
Colombia.....		459		101		2,870		2,669		1,372
Other South America.....		15,040		15,617		127,833		148,162		235,360
East Indies—British.....		755		3,236		6,547		6,960		6,554
British Australasia.....		33,573		42,970		280,069		349,550		484,127
Other Asia and Oceania.....		22,696		11,019		24,483		36,969		56,695
Africa.....		21,567		8,797		343,772		159,587		241,389
Other countries.....								323		
Total.....		1,470,397		2,379,744		3,170,308		3,864,540		6,632,540
Aluminum, and manufactures of.....		(a)		33,253		(a)		(a)		354,605
Animals:										
CATTLE (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	36,813	3,383,512	27,960	2,535,971	270,256	25,298,032	293,847	27,454,989	220,717	20,285,947
Other Europe.....					2,668	242,900				
British North America.....	32	1,075	101	4,765	972	58,534	12,645	889,666	2,532	180,016
Central American States and British Honduras.....					192	11,215	95	7,018	51	3,320
Mexico.....	154	6,075	285	10,307	523	22,406	873	41,915	1,871	81,245
West Indies and Bermuda.....	3,569	116,875	8,947	254,614	1,446	94,274	41,136	1,177,801	50,747	1,227,801
South America.....	3	100			38	2,737	233	6,880	219	2,943
Asia and Oceania.....			11	580	140	7,299	27	1,775	163	8,510
Other countries.....					1	350			74	11,373
Total.....	40,571	3,507,637	37,304	2,806,237	276,238	25,737,747	348,856	29,580,044	276,374	21,801,155
Hogs (number)—										
United Kingdom.....					66	539	738	4,987		
British North America.....	555	3,500	174	888	3,286	15,106	3,787	23,528	860	4,872
Mexico.....	293	1,001	1,066	11,773	21,911	260,778	4,015	44,079	3,952	45,463
West Indies and Bermuda.....	190	1,750	2,045	10,685	9	92	1,431	11,226	7,814	42,186
South America.....	3	40					15	256	9	153
Asia and Oceania.....	338	1,520	518	3,290	2,099	10,657	3,480	17,793	5,390	28,955
Other countries.....			2	20	99	471	122	1,816	120	2,306
Total.....	1,379	7,811	3,805	26,656	27,470	287,643	13,568	103,685	18,145	123,935

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals—Continued.										
HORSES (number)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	3,068	402,720	3,301	411,090	12,203	1,597,656	16,546	2,295,598	14,797	2,210,170
France.....					23	8,500	72	9,000	682	97,300
Germany.....	1,174	165,550	883	131,150	2,871	512,250	6,037	894,300	4,144	585,665
Other Europe.....	870	87,750	355	35,500	3,065	340,965	5,105	519,395	3,141	318,200
British North America.....	922	45,716	1,044	61,494	2,421	272,394	5,847	517,234	6,550	443,883
Central American States and British Honduras.....	4	140			408	33,922	137	9,580	89	5,590
Mexico.....	178	12,105	35	3,000	1,437	62,733	1,154	66,434	945	62,034
West Indies and Bermuda.....	17	2,521	433	31,470	3,162	176,103	1,863	128,894	1,150	125,335
South America.....					169	10,455	14	4,650	27	3,839
Asia and Oceania.....	3	210	50	4,110	288	30,660	275	27,090	486	46,988
Africa.....					1	400	73	10,985	102	13,280
Total.....	6,236	716,712	6,101	677,814	26,048	3,046,038	37,123	4,481,160	32,113	3,912,284
Mules (number).....	887	70,722	646	49,653	5,764	422,721	6,282	544,818	4,721	365,321
SHEEP (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	23,638	168,943	21,196	152,536	105,048	767,128	89,453	636,633	60,176	430,895
Other Europe.....					3,751	34,406				
British North America.....	3,101	5,793	1,671	4,139	36,398	63,406	35,720	74,394	26,012	52,197
Mexico.....	1	10	205	615	4,481	11,037	2,066	8,288	3,121	10,668
West Indies and Bermuda.....	454	3,657	595	3,317	3,799	26,597	3,855	28,888	3,606	24,009
South America.....	118	882	125	905	1,014	7,536	1,059	8,977	927	6,820
Other countries.....					156	11,302	93	9,090	223	12,115
Total.....	27,312	179,285	23,792	161,532	154,647	921,412	132,246	766,270	94,065	536,704
All other, including fowls.....		31,630		95,861		37,416		221,236		251,357
Total animals.....		4,513,797		3,817,753		30,452,977		35,697,213		26,990,756
Art works: Paintings and statuary.....		15,221		102,087		244,383		173,895		231,291
Bark, and extract of, for tanning.....		32,487		23,994		175,835		250,359		244,593
Beeswax.....lbs..	20,216	5,745	11,666	3,136	(a)	(a)	121,373	33,400	85,179	22,707
Blacking:										
Stove polish.....		29,935		58,028		286,057		292,302		333,801
All other.....		28,137		42,706				256,712		297,188
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....		18,983		22,117		219,379		129,264		150,193
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
United Kingdom.....		65,255		82,237		711,159		649,647		597,291
France.....		2,396		2,454		30,638		24,468		26,699
Germany.....		9,600		18,672		81,459		81,789		84,908
Other Europe.....		4,997		4,720		28,844		50,608		46,360
British North America.....		53,423		65,640		470,378		541,778		638,541
Central American States and British Honduras.....		738		2,495		53,650		31,976		26,662
Mexico.....		8,238		6,484		139,549		107,450		41,716
Santo Domingo.....		27		2,015		1,126		443		9,026
Cuba.....		1,191		6,237		183,757		22,412		24,086
Porto Rico.....		226		1,132		2,800		1,322		10,529
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		3,710		2,748		19,594		20,257		24,203
Argentina.....		1,797		2,142		16,877		23,049		14,819
Brazil.....		6,585		5,414		61,293		144,620		39,148
Colombia.....		779		8,486		71,303		16,051		40,966
Other South America.....		6,187		4,270		40,694		35,227		111,047
China.....		905		2,386		13,227		13,292		21,427
East Indies—British.....		428		1,935		5,853		10,965		17,984
Japan.....		1,880		2,623		17,622		22,591		20,040
British Australasia.....		3,006		11,450		49,856		67,507		119,792
Other Asia and Oceania.....		1,865		4,199		26,386		26,299		38,188
Africa.....		2,745		3,449		24,096		26,609		50,389
Other countries.....										15
Total.....		175,978		241,188		2,050,161		1,918,360		2,003,896
Brass, and manufactures of.....		123,933		134,956		847,349		1,021,797		898,945

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Barley.....bush..	625,730	288,756	98,011	68,668	15,928,178	6,279,359	10,158,127	4,972,767	1,808,200	1,133,130
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.....tons..	4,739	75,728	14,817	247,597	(a)	(a)	77,151	1,117,192	95,631	1,436,584
Bread and biscuit.....lbs..	1,722,157	86,919	1,454,750	74,174	11,360,198	516,992	12,422,575	590,811	12,265,909	592,591
Buckwheat.....bush..	245,716	106,504	204,676	130,467	1,483,242	600,843	1,197,555	507,791	1,370,905	743,797
CORN (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	8,407,059	2,984,943	7,899,302	3,242,037	58,639,169	17,841,708	60,539,596	20,909,047	51,120,652	20,344,647
France.....	1,117,951	382,059	1,136,952	447,713	4,750,795	1,416,835	7,877,063	2,644,164	3,613,875	1,409,145
Germany.....	4,924,931	1,784,852	2,595,935	1,098,127	24,709,428	7,753,025	25,515,127	8,871,460	24,128,160	9,521,672
Other Europe.....	3,277,414	1,170,237	3,583,036	1,504,527	31,237,367	9,186,104	33,559,880	11,538,474	33,549,760	13,268,492
British North America.....	678,052	220,507	664,881	257,107	6,530,381	1,770,531	10,760,727	3,286,886	13,804,962	4,885,128
Central American States and British Honduras.....	9,484	4,699	6,586	2,735	62,604	26,918	92,576	49,490	51,796	25,428
Mexico.....	2,321	1,114	10,364	3,471	7,637,328	2,805,597	115,207	39,632	60,286	24,604
Santo Domingo.....			100	47	667	249	409	166	104	49
Cuba.....	129,203	51,542	42,271	10,177	420,264	148,411	906,911	355,791	321,160	141,336
Porto Rico.....					200	76	200	80		
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	71,285	30,696	64,117	32,183	532,968	207,265	533,005	219,824	508,898	232,212
South America.....	3,741	1,597	1,029	951	28,303	10,210	86,752	34,147	37,851	17,540
Asia and Oceania.....	1,070	696	10,683	5,678	143,682	48,898	10,461	6,908	268,414	111,574
Africa.....	42,438	18,305	2,771	1,200	1,761,765	685,283	466,832	181,274	1,016,931	446,733
Other countries.....	266	104			4,060	1,277	3,596	1,313	3,818	1,674
Total.....	18,665,215	6,651,351	16,018,927	6,614,953	136,458,981	41,902,387	140,498,342	48,138,656	128,486,607	50,430,434
Corn meal.....bbls..	99,175	221,713	53,888	125,906	341,553	651,949	662,933	1,383,621	668,285	1,492,393
Oats.....bush..	5,248,854	1,708,736	934,098	332,114	26,055,880	6,413,244	51,529,563	14,578,070	20,151,336	6,335,343
Oatmeal.....lbs..	8,674,501	177,945	5,928,483	140,417	25,665,627	843,488	57,972,695	1,202,089	47,895,220	1,043,892
Rye.....bush..	1,186,349	675,134	328,070	214,615	5,739,194	3,455,346	10,545,570	5,604,340	8,735,226	5,030,150
Rye flour.....bbls..	399	1,328	333	1,116	1,612	4,695	2,391	7,533	3,822	11,694
WHEAT (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	5,055,255	4,603,291	4,957,897	3,721,523	48,525,530	36,209,372	61,416,021	55,995,406	61,639,250	45,429,795
France.....	1,275,215	1,293,314	118,652	97,785	209,522	141,512	18,808,271	18,189,011	2,071,861	1,540,851
Germany.....	83,600	81,352	657,289	493,560	2,667,729	1,742,622	2,398,134	2,243,566	9,431,141	7,008,172
Other Europe.....	1,469,414	1,508,163	2,582,069	1,998,351	6,973,416	5,104,832	18,564,184	17,488,921	36,543,205	27,754,197
British North America.....	780	456	1,892	1,160	3,823,564	2,548,778	4,047,067	3,886,594	6,705,481	4,921,374
Central American States and British Honduras.....	4,000	4,360			71,006	61,351	32,507	33,369	30,611	26,085
Mexico.....					40	32	45	41	6,912	5,036
West Indies and Bermuda.....	30	30			1,276	1,106	754	784	520	464
South America.....	102,743	130,696	10	9	163,803	152,899	1,590,437	1,450,346	178,604	141,143
British Australasia.....					1,760,168	1,473,417	102,316	85,395		
Other Asia and Oceania.....	4,334	4,162	1,159	875	993,011	766,414	21,052	20,462	16,051	12,722
Africa.....	802,721	688,586	116,031	73,574	2,694,558	2,326,495	4,791,964	4,187,313	2,373,254	1,780,412
Total.....	8,858,092	8,314,410	8,434,999	6,386,837	67,883,563	50,528,830	111,772,752	103,581,208	118,896,290	88,620,251
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	911,178	4,116,058	1,019,156	3,984,632	7,034,083	26,068,297	7,482,567	33,025,122	8,083,004	33,190,370
France.....	100	590	100	435	408	1,350	702	3,848	3,262	14,680
Germany.....	21,141	97,820	32,008	134,635	123,018	427,523	133,078	580,126	360,367	1,454,267
Other Europe.....	158,099	650,157	144,328	563,504	648,656	2,192,008	940,081	3,563,479	1,461,693	5,669,337
British North America.....	4,396	16,890	13,582	48,854	629,994	2,415,519	394,831	1,797,672	649,858	3,036,894
Central American States and British Honduras.....	37,666	165,295	24,367	88,793	202,425	833,882	185,563	850,521	189,622	763,592
Mexico.....	1,542	6,158	1,581	6,342	18,296	69,843	11,754	50,201	22,707	93,154
Santo Domingo.....	4,042	21,429	10,068	40,178	24,470	110,105	23,849	123,687	27,412	118,311
Cuba.....	25,540	125,815	42,671	156,932	115,815	485,422	231,350	1,094,741	319,459	1,270,223
Porto Rico.....	6,717	34,766	26,845	89,598	86,048	340,798	78,872	389,308	99,766	369,879
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	70,178	341,501	75,427	283,797	657,769	2,706,319	566,470	2,708,182	550,260	2,194,145
Brazil.....	52,792	263,065	47,340	196,203	593,187	2,639,423	522,838	2,569,369	609,061	2,537,244
Colombia.....	7,370	40,644	13,461	58,183	101,450	443,589	91,079	417,973	63,797	276,765
Other South America.....	35,833	170,089	28,581	98,851	287,684	1,116,349	288,203	1,336,635	273,111	1,022,612

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs—Continued.										
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....	2,005	8,452	4,922	18,033	12,078	44,521	14,660	67,114	10,656	74,159
East Indies: British.....	2,250	9,606	1,050	3,710	7,091	26,906	6,116	20,490	3,447	13,841
Hongkong.....	65,361	254,322	115,461	380,782	(a)	(a)	647,668	2,611,537	807,259	2,799,570
Japan.....	9,950	36,697	1,741	5,127	171,434	556,835	107,401	415,898	172,204	561,505
British Australasia.....	6,257	23,586	275	950	288,305	1,181,546	18,754	74,672	79,729	206,874
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	7,879	33,061	25,812	82,193	837,674	2,980,277	65,755	291,826	127,741	453,959
Africa.....	49,388	200,494	18,637	72,571	192,215	854,915	215,422	961,939	293,243	1,165,954
Other countries.....	630	3,162	694	2,583	8,213	32,301	5,839	27,165	12,813	46,124
Total.....	1,480,314	6,619,657	1,648,107	6,316,886	12,041,213	45,527,728	12,032,852	52,987,505	14,229,471	57,423,459
Preparations of, for table food.....		174,266		223,038				1,317,114		1,705,008
All other.....		147,270		104,366		3,577,184		1,228,016		1,241,046
Total breadstuffs.....		25,249,717		20,981,154		159,302,045		237,216,713		217,280,772
Bricks:										
Building.....M.....	521	3,372	547	3,554	3,340	20,647	3,102	20,634	4,441	28,817
Fire.....		6,545		13,715		82,448		82,872		130,574
Total.....		9,917		17,269		103,095		103,506		159,391
Broom corn.....		10,408		26,825		99,418		113,237		150,832
Brooms and brushes.....		9,992		17,518		130,936		124,570		133,168
Candles.....lbs.....	382,698	27,230	418,046	36,386	1,940,536	162,140	2,110,547	156,464	2,479,065	190,313
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
For steam railways.....		191,619		175,125		558,846		1,019,527		930,016
For other railways.....		22,951		8,652				173,688		446,959
All other carriages, and parts of, except cycles.....		119,674		221,131		1,429,054		1,226,119		1,450,380
Total.....		334,244		404,908		1,987,900		2,419,334		2,827,355
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		47,379		86,817		404,862		436,791		592,268
France.....		3,025		13,450		15,267		47,035		59,093
Germany.....		2,637		19,774		43,517		57,342		73,972
Other Europe.....		9,953		9,041		24,834		39,313		51,171
British North America.....		21,783		55,133		80,065		131,006		239,293
Central American States and British Honduras.....		3,931		2,309		120,711		30,457		32,775
Mexico.....		6,172		65,306		279,822		450,607		333,454
Santo Domingo.....		2,081		2,584		12,264		23,242		20,925
Cuba.....		5,482		13,271		3,863		17,964		89,787
Porto Rico.....		471		383		7,833		5,456		2,464
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		7,235		15,409		88,159		54,481		70,864
Argentina.....		10,963		13,194		114,931		185,811		440,449
Brazil.....		154,197		37,190		101,614		294,071		98,420
Colombia.....		13,458		1,122		47,839		34,638		21,150
Other South America.....		8,979		3,833		32,629		66,864		44,244
China.....		480				1,632		20,290		10,695
East Indies: British.....		713		2,194		6,811		7,514		12,211
Japan.....		258				466		10,107		6,035
British Australasia.....		13,620		43,117		245,908		251,802		274,289
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		3,692		11,704		36,335		45,122		161,306
Africa.....		17,735		9,077		318,530		209,421		192,490
Other countries.....						8				
Total.....		334,244		404,908		1,987,900		2,419,334		2,827,355

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		273,330		176,654		1,415,116		1,142,425		608,337
France.....		85,239		86,251		143,053		278,027		320,080
Germany.....		257,918		156,452		488,762		1,193,202		792,290
Other Europe.....		176,556		181,611		692,920		635,187		1,048,336
British North America.....		76,921		96,389		339,563		265,155		338,412
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		569		680		49,453		6,507		4,084
Mexico.....		4,630		3,337		53,095		47,741		36,016
Santo Domingo.....		211		5		3,214		938		226
Cuba.....		1,395		3,761		1,469		8,910		8,101
Porto Rico.....		322		70		3,199		2,646		1,951
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		4,458		7,780		88,434		60,521		49,033
Argentina.....		15,342		32,279		32,238		63,694		149,731
Brazil.....		9,344		2,193		17,327		70,886		46,692
Colombia.....		486		757		18,179		14,251		5,719
Other South America.....		4,080		3,351		55,388		39,249		38,079
China.....		3,196		1,258		10,978		23,013		20,340
East Indies: British.....		11,959		9,112		11,993		46,650		125,750
Hongkong.....		491		1,406		(a)		4,900		6,330
Japan.....		4,252		4,166		30,975		65,249		99,206
British Australasia.....		10,703		19,658		578,231		258,125		207,918
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		4,945		5,363		35,210		48,280		53,800
Africa.....		12,382		19,283		96,883		150,305		140,206
Other countries.....								545		576
Total.....		958,729		811,796		4,165,680		4,426,460		4,101,873
Total carriages, cars, etc.....		1,292,973		1,216,704		6,153,580		6,845,800		6,929,228
Celluloid, and manufactures of.....		20,807		12,451		(b)		103,690		127,423
Cement..... bbls..	4,589	8,582	16,461	32,903	26,172	48,355	38,412	66,498	40,247	83,845
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines (pounds):										
Acids.....		9,367		12,113		76,491		83,057		167,321
Ashes, pot and pearl.....	79,248	3,298	31,815	1,274	390,879	17,250	464,228	18,136	658,073	25,426
Copper, sulphate of.....	5,082,139	160,239	5,389,316	239,462	(c)	(c)	11,502,083	370,809	15,498,991	630,132
Dyes and dyestuffs.....		29,423		55,007		340,791		299,583		374,481
Ginseng.....	7,560	27,596	8,829	37,928	162,605	770,720	153,211	589,079	178,014	717,635
Lime, acetate of.....	3,887,301	57,576	4,754,399	65,185			26,762,101	385,454	35,720,294	503,612
Medicines, patent or proprietary.....		107,535		289,856		1,653,076		1,844,937		1,898,341
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. c. s.....		15,314		13,260		118,850		107,069		140,176
All other.....		485,200		467,082		4,341,296		3,364,687		3,502,689
Total.....		985,348		1,181,167		7,318,474		7,062,811		7,959,813
Cider..... galls..	133,374	17,567	189,860	25,228	(b)	(b)	296,293	38,240	432,298	56,423
Clocks and watches:										
Clocks, and parts of.....		74,494		101,076		742,533		706,027		737,083
Watches, and parts of.....		71,211		73,336		548,596		558,876		655,723
Total.....		145,705		174,412		1,291,129		1,264,903		1,392,806
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		62,542		75,519		453,971		477,761		476,280
France.....				430		10,095		11,219		1,838
Germany.....		444		874		11,840		7,413		10,569
Other Europe.....		2,071		2,306		25,804		26,547		23,198
British North America.....		34,677		43,002		224,567		214,457		310,192
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		907		340		9,968		5,381		2,021
Mexico.....		2,349		2,919		19,823		15,566		20,644
West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,634		1,589		9,433		9,374		9,082
Argentina.....		1,636		3,377		31,066		23,804		18,139
Brazil.....		2,219		4,929		52,292		29,717		54,724

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America		6,011		5,170		75,509		70,323		70,472
China		144		1,211		21,279		16,263		12,720
East Indies: British		4,709		7,746		27,694		39,137		53,434
Japan		13,698		1,548		128,546		124,692		123,970
British Australasia		6,356		14,558		123,747		113,599		140,339
Other Asia and Oceania		1,697		3,127		17,389		20,562		18,894
Africa		4,593		5,767		48,021		58,823		46,271
Other countries		18				85		265		9
Total		145,705		174,412		1,291,129		1,264,903		1,392,806
Coal and coke:										
COAL (tons)—										
Anthracite	48,744	220,226	84,091	355,052	999,618	4,471,475	1,038,088	4,708,845	1,134,155	4,725,156
Bituminous	214,033	441,025	317,965	612,772	1,758,913	3,898,341	1,931,252	4,089,811	2,548,500	5,309,531
Total coal	262,777	661,261	402,056	967,824	2,758,531	8,369,816	2,969,340	8,798,656	3,682,655	10,034,687
Exported to (tons)—										
United Kingdom			10	30	7	95	53	550	7,891	30,469
France					779	3,985	2,057	11,322	10	100
Germany					198	470	37	156	27	158
Other Europe	2,106	12,636	619	1,421	3,627	26,153	5,904	37,341	20,240	47,100
British North America	185,874	463,969	247,763	632,856	2,278,294	6,987,856	2,395,257	7,261,088	2,641,199	7,597,635
Central American States and British Honduras	292	1,150	264	827	6,036	22,285	5,270	18,056	3,530	9,624
Mexico	28,244	82,926	61,070	149,971	145,443	446,998	218,665	653,065	313,689	887,853
Santo Domingo	395	1,051	362	1,435	5,145	22,269	2,680	8,851	3,341	9,585
Cuba	29,606	60,430	40,898	73,429	186,711	475,688	194,581	429,437	249,903	486,716
Porto Rico	18	66	3,862	6,835	17,510	44,991	9,766	21,014	18,215	35,387
Other West Indies and Bermuda	10,548	25,080	32,384	66,029	90,848	237,500	103,472	246,306	168,637	355,843
Brazil			2,589	5,252	11,249	60,573	8,514	46,062	43,190	130,745
Colombia	3,101	5,579	20	100	5,465	12,750	12,209	32,434	6,699	30,541
Other South America	1,506	5,712	6,623	16,947	6,187	22,948	5,422	17,595	79,868	155,189
Asia and Oceania	85	908	5,592	12,692	558	3,446	3,903	11,409	73,960	163,231
Other countries	1,002	1,754			474	1,809	1,550	3,970	52,256	94,511
Total coal	262,777	661,261	402,056	967,824	2,758,531	8,369,816	2,969,340	8,798,656	3,682,655	10,034,687
Coke	21,360	59,554	23,289	64,571	111,390	395,955	159,426	455,601	146,457	436,537
Coffee and cocoa, ground or pre- pared, and chocolate		16,512		27,103		89,050		108,080		145,042
Copper, and manufactures of:										
ORE (tons)—										
United Kingdom	578	51,142	26	3,000	12,711	1,681,198	4,089	433,479	2,726	336,467
Germany	2	300					2	300		
Other countries	665	73,150	355	39,100	1,031	168,415	1,738	190,426	3,323	184,540
Total	1,245	124,592	381	42,100	13,742	1,849,613	5,829	624,205	6,049	521,007
INGOTS, BARS, PLATES, AND OLD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	8,164,658	917,937	8,563,926	1,312,592	54,684,555	5,881,156	47,307,818	5,226,617	61,687,976	7,744,070
France	7,673,467	861,973	6,225,100	1,068,542	45,221,630	5,028,085	50,641,860	5,605,285	38,662,396	5,101,913
Germany	3,252,505	357,359	3,626,265	590,051	19,404,595	2,150,622	21,862,121	2,389,598	32,792,259	4,165,095
Other Europe	9,252,729	1,003,070	8,136,727	1,376,170	83,043,326	9,097,359	88,492,761	9,723,234	74,515,631	9,404,178
British North America	121,546	13,672	130,917	18,987	291,464	31,583	730,736	78,930	969,070	119,517
Mexico	11,831	1,484	42,470	4,760	76,950	8,768	93,875	11,066	166,202	20,982
Other countries			2,272	471	21,463	2,593	45,330	5,358	142,666	19,207
Total	28,476,736	3,155,495	26,727,677	4,371,573	202,743,983	22,200,166	209,174,501	23,040,088	208,936,200	26,574,967
Manufactures of		98,556		206,602		656,211		789,163		1,105,840
Total copper and manufac- tures of, not including ore		3,254,061		4,578,175		22,856,377		23,829,251		27,680,807
Cork, manufactures of		2,343		4,016		(a)		35,048		44,693

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Sea Island.....	bales .. 2,796	222,118	bales .. 2,388	173,267	bales .. 48,685	3,546,364	bales .. 33,875	2,319,519	bales .. 28,648	1,873,337
Upland and other.....	lbs. 1,093,170	931,565	lbs. 359,993	11,151,641	lbs. 18,941,116	13,224,837	lbs. 13,224,837	11,267,547	lbs. 6,491,625	181,239,304
	bales .. 796,503	23,780,708	bales .. 359,993	11,151,641	bales .. 5,361,665	198,927,075	bales .. 6,445,964	194,223,484	bales .. 6,491,625	181,239,304
	lbs. 405,655,900	183,575,588	lbs. 183,575,588	11,151,641	lbs. 2,703,132,243	3,277,966,639	lbs. 3,277,966,639	3,332,772,510	lbs. 3,332,772,510	181,239,304
Total.....	bales .. 799,299	24,002,826	bales .. 362,381	11,324,908	bales .. 5,410,350	202,473,439	bales .. 6,479,839	196,543,003	bales .. 6,520,273	183,112,641
	lbs. 406,749,070	184,507,153	lbs. 184,507,153	11,324,908	lbs. 2,722,073,359	3,291,191,476	lbs. 3,291,191,476	3,344,040,057	lbs. 3,344,040,057	183,112,641
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	bales .. 363,218	10,971,468	bales .. 134,177	4,359,828	bales .. 2,852,161	107,723,532	bales .. 2,930,484	89,422,946	bales .. 3,193,167	90,320,302
	lbs. 183,752,032	69,854,648	lbs. 69,854,648	4,359,828	lbs. 1,436,770,126	1,495,153,639	lbs. 1,495,153,639	1,654,686,681	lbs. 1,654,686,681	90,320,302
France.....	bales .. 33,399	1,001,053	bales .. 22,780	733,531	bales .. 621,931	23,084,603	bales .. 737,165	22,066,005	bales .. 662,039	18,405,845
	lbs. 17,041,233	11,678,044	lbs. 11,678,044	733,531	lbs. 316,522,527	42,396,630	lbs. 378,099,216	48,346,764	lbs. 342,436,248	42,131,529
Germany.....	bales .. 184,451	5,402,269	bales .. 63,133	1,862,559	bales .. 1,153,759	42,396,630	bales .. 1,631,032	48,346,764	bales .. 1,536,540	42,131,529
	lbs. 94,604,101	31,338,987	lbs. 31,338,987	1,862,559	lbs. 577,983,573	820,611,502	lbs. 820,611,502	777,887,620	lbs. 777,887,620	42,131,529
Other Europe.....	bales .. 161,876	4,786,909	bales .. 107,155	3,258,239	bales .. 635,030	23,440,988	bales .. 859,860	25,815,852	bales .. 895,717	24,897,257
	lbs. 81,558,995	53,911,861	lbs. 53,911,861	3,258,239	lbs. 314,965,264	430,574,527	lbs. 430,574,527	448,551,651	lbs. 448,551,651	24,897,257
British North America.....	bales .. 6,184	187,820	bales .. 6,446	204,434	bales .. 66,498	2,626,679	bales .. 110,748	3,611,983	bales .. 87,817	2,674,136
	lbs. 3,106,561	3,236,617	lbs. 3,236,617	204,434	lbs. 33,445,151	55,578,974	lbs. 55,578,974	43,953,591	lbs. 43,953,591	2,674,136
Mexico.....	bales .. 3,073	90,100	bales .. 3,977	133,302	bales .. 28,028	1,176,019	bales .. 35,976	1,204,396	bales .. 30,713	941,361
	lbs. 1,650,267	2,144,817	lbs. 2,144,817	133,302	lbs. 14,318,105	19,308,524	lbs. 19,308,524	16,416,053	lbs. 16,416,053	941,361
South America.....	bales ..		bales ..		bales .. 40	1,497	bales ..		bales ..	
	lbs.		lbs.		lbs. 19,020		lbs.		lbs.	
Japan.....	bales .. 46,694	1,540,870	bales .. 22,008	696,272	bales .. 52,635	2,013,100	bales .. 168,224	5,843,711	bales .. 109,993	3,609,982
	lbs. 24,814,055	11,149,042	lbs. 11,149,042	696,272	lbs. 27,902,000	88,562,354	lbs. 88,562,354	58,071,053	lbs. 58,071,053	3,609,982
Other Asia and Oceania.....	bales .. 400	13,200	bales .. 2,700	76,556	bales .. 250	9,742	bales .. 6,332	230,693	bales .. 4,282	132,042
	lbs. 220,000	1,190,641	lbs. 1,190,641	76,556	lbs. 139,178	3,294,187	lbs. 3,294,187	2,034,664	lbs. 2,034,664	132,042
Other countries.....	bales .. 4	137	bales .. 5	187	bales .. 18	649	bales .. 18	653	bales .. 5	187
	lbs. 1,826	2,496	lbs. 2,496	187	lbs. 8,415	8,553	lbs. 8,553	2,496	lbs. 2,496	187
Total unmanufactured.....	bales .. 799,299	24,002,826	bales .. 362,381	11,324,908	bales .. 5,410,350	202,473,439	bales .. 6,479,839	196,543,003	bales .. 6,520,273	183,112,641
	lbs. 406,749,070	184,507,153	lbs. 184,507,153	11,324,908	lbs. 2,722,073,359	3,291,191,476	lbs. 3,291,191,476	3,344,040,057	lbs. 3,344,040,057	183,112,641
Waste.....	lbs. 1,622,268	52,529	lbs. 1,613,908	56,473	(a)	(a)	7,570,346	319,233	11,056,367	399,508
MANUFACTURES OF—										
CLOTHES (yards)—										
Colored.....	7,964,472	412,687	10,304,296	517,342	55,306,358	3,411,642	57,891,403	3,063,664	82,088,363	3,899,979
Uncolored.....	19,066,185	855,370	34,962,663	1,442,792	166,573,102	9,254,663	135,379,485	6,603,281	216,780,571	9,840,438
Total.....	27,030,657	1,268,057	45,266,959	1,960,134	221,879,460	12,666,305	193,270,888	9,666,945	298,868,934	13,740,417
Exported to (yards)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,133,991	66,566	1,658,375	96,810	9,141,567	679,771	7,584,889	527,561	9,174,210	555,777
France.....	8,500	1,000			201,710	10,533	153,745	7,805	14,307	1,360
Germany.....	23,337	3,247	63,607	6,956	1,396,503	76,851	328,547	29,426	173,102	19,923
Other Europe.....	235,808	12,885	129,699	11,524	478,625	44,387	933,180	63,985	1,014,721	64,108
British North America.....	1,176,617	69,365	2,948,884	105,957	24,949,865	1,499,769	9,239,082	532,024	14,595,118	688,321
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	737,305	37,239	1,241,759	51,056	8,387,734	453,908	5,862,272	283,276	9,276,119	386,717
Mexico.....	863,170	50,170	801,478	43,284	3,811,016	253,991	4,873,432	303,747	5,987,261	347,796
Santo Domingo.....	112,153	5,459	482,494	16,270	1,514,920	76,713	1,477,658	68,793	2,662,309	113,213
Cuba.....	16,670	1,590	1,214,693	59,110	236,603	19,821	128,112	11,104	4,055,789	201,007
Porto Rico.....	1,135	129	485,711	21,105	101,982	6,096	21,528	2,078	1,001,304	42,388
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	1,308,699	74,416	1,623,479	82,120	10,558,317	626,684	11,122,714	657,378	14,264,308	718,060
Argentina.....	187,139	11,760	247,043	11,939	2,933,912	247,380	1,930,017	138,376	2,284,339	152,304
Brazil.....	748,131	50,630	767,800	42,202	6,255,105	453,515	6,026,008	397,407	7,196,271	414,233
Colombia.....	423,905	20,508	681,573	36,275	4,925,243	223,755	4,367,066	215,832	5,734,301	274,288
Other South America.....	2,856,832	124,088	2,571,233	100,050	20,375,444	1,075,361	17,185,607	822,248	25,486,877	1,089,299
China.....	13,635,874	585,498	23,433,596	982,722	91,756,517	5,130,812	77,990,676	3,584,411	159,037,906	7,063,077
East Indies: British.....	178,725	7,844	497,660	34,618	2,306,212	126,269	11,146,041	525,393	5,361,446	256,348
Hongkong.....	1,706	194	59,404	5,481	(b)	(b)	198,113	19,715	454,545	38,731
Japan.....	20,964	2,414	9,000	541	353,374	29,990	224,325	25,048	499,293	30,567

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b Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1898.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CLOTHS, colored and uncolored—Continued										
Exported to (yards)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia	120,598	8,979	159,879	12,384	504,717	51,346	706,678	75,894	1,578,237	142,206
Other Asia and Oceania.....	2,984,646	120,308	4,323,665	168,817	23,091,220	1,110,675	19,315,178	852,178	22,974,746	898,438
Africa.....	220,591	11,797	1,865,937	70,909	8,513,223	416,223	12,381,113	519,237	6,017,226	240,196
Other countries	34,161	1,971			35,651	2,456	74,907	3,939	25,199	1,460
Total cloths	27,030,657	1,268,057	45,266,959	1,960,134	221,879,460	12,666,305	193,270,888	9,666,945	298,868,934	13,740,417
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—										
Wearing apparel.....		93,346		128,254		620,089		631,850		900,283
Waste, cop and mill.....lbs..	854,096	29,636	883,060	36,415			5,042,486	199,164	5,139,861	220,936
All other.....		252,331		384,589		2,137,470		1,822,508		2,163,153
Total.....		375,313		540,258		2,757,568		2,653,522		3,284,372
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		32,711		44,723		339,629		256,444		326,654
France.....		70		473		6,853		3,383		17,038
Germany.....		21,741		29,535		140,385		138,563		154,150
Other Europe.....		5,584		7,999		39,352		48,790		61,078
British North America.....		177,856		288,654		983,661		1,199,882		1,382,572
Central American States and British Honduras		26,210		18,989		182,475		151,147		156,593
Mexico.....		31,260		40,982		265,292		235,522		286,159
Santo Domingo.....		4,618		2,664		23,833		15,820		23,743
Cuba.....		3,646		13,516		37,034		9,012		60,183
Porto Rico.....		392		4,275		4,051		1,380		10,709
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		11,419		17,377		66,350		74,654		95,130
Argentina.....		2,278		2,952		52,252		25,031		53,864
Brazil.....		2,581		2,907		55,948		39,483		33,046
Colombia.....		3,141		3,219		38,840		30,904		33,728
Other South America.....		2,910		3,873		42,244		27,311		36,364
China.....		827		1,565		8,302		5,087		15,902
East Indies: British.....		393		196		3,310		1,329		2,087
Hongkong.....		1,650		1,017		(a)		7,590		13,471
British Australasia		15,046		16,210		131,067		117,711		152,486
Other Asia and Oceania.....		25,281		30,554		281,148		226,417		280,334
Africa.....		4,845		12,578		47,114		33,550		86,548
Other countries		1,454				8,428		4,512		2,933
Total other manufactures of		375,313		540,258		2,757,568		2,653,522		3,284,372
Total manufactures of		1,643,370		2,509,392		15,423,873		12,320,467		17,024,789
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
Earthen and stone ware.....		12,039		36,318		110,056		141,961		204,668
China ware.....		1,947		4,015		19,210		22,878		20,654
Total.....		13,986		40,333		129,266		164,839		231,322
Eggs.....doz..	313,550	41,132	405,782	77,948	536,131	90,288	2,267,598	382,481	2,047,934	390,755
Feathers.....		31,790		35,496		(b)		105,552		158,516
Fertilizers (tons):										
Phosphates, crude.....			73,475	595,123					534,276	4,034,622
All other.....	48,198	434,335	2,785	71,823	338,571	3,221,268	359,034	3,249,142	23,656	635,713
Total.....	48,198	434,335	76,260	666,946	338,571	3,221,268	359,034	3,249,142	557,932	4,670,335
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	9,298	50,009	12,601	69,212	97,956	619,257	86,341	676,953	121,262	797,682
France.....	56	1,075			17,922	166,645	11,129	61,480	49,894	378,811
Germany.....	15,304	153,040	23,644	219,915	118,974	1,175,559	135,435	1,311,711	170,625	1,583,830
Other Europe.....	19,599	157,049	27,840	238,118	89,859	900,867	101,725	780,400	168,479	1,297,928
British North America.....	1,149	24,214	1,269	27,157	2,908	59,040	3,167	70,133	3,776	75,389
Central American States and British Honduras					3	100				

a Included in 'Other Asia and Oceania' prior to July, 1897

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fertilizers—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico	5	106			10	253	11	290	26	905
West Indies and Bermuda	43	1,420	115	3,751	2,976	67,193	1,866	37,534	3,895	66,082
South America					88	1,268	.74	3,279	3	144
Asia and Oceania	2,750	47,422	10,741	103,028	7,682	227,255	19,076	304,494	39,687	465,018
Other countries			50	765	193	3,831	210	2,868	285	4,546
Total	48,198	434,335	76,260	666,946	338,571	3,221,268	359,034	3,249,142	557,932	4,670,335
Fibers, vegetable, and textile										
grasses, manufactures of:										
Bags		40,567		30,652		367,456		378,952		330,653
Cordage	1,014,231	59,611	1,202,112	95,956	7,216,695	402,577	7,685,339	412,204	5,929,067	492,336
Twine		68,674		85,176		632,842		706,396		766,817
All other		44,643		57,048		244,155		222,257		311,319
Total		213,495		263,832		1,647,030		1,719,809		1,901,155
Fish:										
Fresh, other than salmon	180,471	5,570	338,422	12,859	860,111	49,839	906,096	38,175	1,014,303	39,586
DRIED, SMOKED, OR CURED—										
Cod, haddock, hake, and pollock	811,540	29,524	1,254,953	51,500	8,382,197	312,687	6,329,368	240,440	6,976,947	280,306
Herring	331,301	7,672	347,786	7,747	4,497,464	86,727	3,098,014	61,590	2,321,032	50,292
Other	18,988	812	76,665	3,495	503,726	28,254	915,231	37,510	640,667	30,355
PICKLED—										
Mackerel	114	1,292	89	1,138	2,104	21,307	1,151	12,146	779	9,632
Other	708	2,549	797	3,652	19,324	69,710	17,702	66,629	9,780	42,932
SALMON—										
Canned	590,874	56,536	437,453	43,835	34,284,246	3,118,169	25,466,691	2,402,059	29,087,113	2,808,323
Other, fresh or cured		25,326		40,772		249,539		302,019		281,518
Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish		10,897		11,884		159,569		112,929		93,706
Caviare		3,691		2,988		(a)		59,808		119,189
SHELLFISH—										
Oysters		97,177		86,127		449,820		440,337		518,720
Other		19,600		15,788		217,758		211,313		176,526
All other fish and fish products		2,587		1,203		(a)		13,585		8,617
Total		263,233		282,988		4,763,379		3,998,540		4,459,702
Fruits and nuts:										
Apples, dried	3,689,401	231,168	582,573	36,929	25,566,776	1,136,289	25,620,175	1,571,352	18,584,848	1,201,395
Apples, green or ripe	34,167	117,871	23,852	80,409	1,468,077	2,305,555	576,941	1,586,256	370,208	1,173,731
Oranges		58,383		38,572		(b)		160,702		201,342
Prunes	1,044,979	62,277	127,832	8,534	(b)	(b)	15,007,539	968,214	5,323,466	365,086
Raisins	476,135	23,427	314,228	20,590	(b)	(b)	2,658,534	147,684	3,783,416	196,027
All other, green, ripe, or dried		104,351		75,980		1,820,454		1,669,537		1,690,260
FRUITS, PRESERVED—										
Canned		171,177		59,228		1,582,196		1,478,992		2,193,752
Other		8,883		1,250		38,115		60,666		56,998
Nuts		21,238		9,182		69,608		119,705		102,777
Total		798,775		330,674		6,972,217		7,763,108		7,181,368
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		348,135		114,297		3,550,321		3,169,466		3,227,619
France		78,250		24,182		268,994		597,727		656,743
Germany		104,190		19,648		959,378		1,536,581		847,604
Other Europe		102,306		15,180		921,853		985,546		886,142
British North America		112,838		75,556		566,584		805,110		797,246
Central American States and										
British Honduras		3,417		2,569		44,478		30,307		21,028
Mexico		4,246		6,334		59,516		44,082		60,181
Santo Domingo		23		33		2,262		1,339		1,627
Cuba		2,767		4,055		42,113		36,930		52,250
Porto Rico		17		408		3,563		2,324		3,466

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other green, ripe, or dried fruit" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				[NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other West Indies and Bermuda		5,178		4,711		47,003		45,805		44,517
Argentina				5,062		4,379		7,095		11,329
Brazil		506		1,018		10,278		10,234		14,397
Colombia		494		866		7,578		8,096		5,805
Other South America		2,094		1,288		30,271		20,688		17,246
China		3,123		1,425		12,514		25,724		18,631
East Indies: British		1,854		1,861		11,123		9,941		9,917
Hongkong		3,689		4,374		(a)		34,766		59,244
British Australasia		12,693		20,376		278,431		262,058		243,691
Other Asia and Oceania		4,834		14,130		87,904		62,924		111,068
Africa		8,108		13,301		63,470		65,617		90,671
Other countries		8				204		740		946
Total fruits and nuts		798,775		330,674		6,972,217		7,763,108		7,181,368
Furniture of metal.		2,708		15,977		(b)		15,343		101,381
Furs and fur skins:										
United Kingdom		245,376		342,461		2,029,502		1,577,150		1,594,058
France		920		12,500		1,000		15,373		41,290
Germany		128,532		120,827		408,266		351,088		368,831
Other Europe		1,794		730		3,413		7,434		6,268
British North America		65,329		111,534		196,634		331,751		345,761
Other countries		588		178		7,994		12,648		4,992
Total		442,539		588,230		2,646,809		2,295,444		2,361,200
Glass and glassware:										
Window glass		3,470		9,137		9,340		18,547		25,582
All other		110,652		110,822		860,286		892,033		1,017,521
Total		114,122		119,959		869,626		910,580		1,043,103
Glucose or grape sugar	26,290,601	398,655	29,929,484	514,963	135,391,242	1,877,889	129,438,257	1,874,619	161,500,767	2,548,247
Glue	261,763	24,544	278,098	27,304	1,119,836	105,211	1,610,853	140,699	1,869,859	173,925
Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock		188,351		277,110		1,500,021		1,336,179		1,856,362
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
Gunpowder	152,562	19,258	158,982	19,132	826,074	87,722	1,009,545	112,676	1,049,558	127,841
Cartridges and other		151,530		116,477		1,020,040		969,028		963,469
Total		170,788		135,609		1,107,762		1,081,704		1,091,310
Hair, and manufactures of		83,074		52,626		394,990		469,775		377,518
Hay	9,829	135,876	5,436	74,623	43,975	602,650	59,317	833,573	49,138	643,150
Hides and skins, other than furs (pounds):										
United Kingdom	14,700	1,056	54,900	4,263	1,931,615	128,217	283,015	25,782	191,261	19,126
France	3,597	412	66,187	7,407	4,048,238	335,388	408,211	37,708	248,151	25,773
Germany	869,995	67,394	633,219	52,872	6,395,238	495,038	3,564,702	281,856	3,926,236	330,990
Other Europe	42,800	3,424	20,000	2,900	1,575,236	143,674	237,689	38,074	476,555	65,284
British North America	234,659	21,418	173,949	17,235	10,292,345	707,298	4,413,593	394,116	3,385,432	308,780
Central American States and British Honduras					12,935	1,411				
Mexico	2,289	342	545	60	255,783	26,681	13,286	1,784	8,291	1,585
West Indies and Bermuda					4,069	554	472	73	3,103	468
Japan					25,058	1,667			1,245	225
Other Asia and Oceania					13,600	1,385				
Africa					99,800	6,300	23,980	1,740		
Other countries							3,750	391	3,600	530
Total	1,168,040	94,046	948,800	84,737	24,653,917	1,857,613	8,948,698	781,524	8,243,874	752,761
Honey		7,289		2,615		18,229		81,222		51,185

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b Not enumerated prior to July, 1897.

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hops (pounds):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	1,309,480	181,710	1,498,734	260,781	9,505,282	1,115,041	15,201,665	2,376,319	17,611,475	2,070,215
Other Europe.....			22,866	3,950			575	80	620,483	110,213
British North America.....	22,634	2,827	14,215	2,196	283,044	23,938	237,688	29,708	434,827	57,149
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,757	306	2,975	452	20,346	2,402	17,123	2,641	19,830	2,823
Mexico.....	26,398	5,179	25	3	338,636	40,561	283,810	31,439	15,232	1,963
Santo Domingo.....	75	12			2,910	287	122	19	263	38
Cuba.....	140	18			1,616	178	3,097	389	5,058	1,132
Porto Rico.....	205	20			2,005	220	445	47	574	81
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	474	60	917	129	5,859	597	4,561	517	3,454	403
South America.....	520	84	2,853	438	8,384	1,021	7,130	1,037	8,752	1,348
East Indies: British.....					36,160	2,824	25,718	3,585	82,706	10,997
British Australasia.....	22,776	3,432	3,200	390	460,871	37,185	504,604	69,493	735,053	110,950
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	160	24	3,185	422	24,578	2,180	21,298	2,739	34,092	4,940
Other countries.....	2,027	213	1,700	136			3,597	379	3,192	289
Total.....	1,386,646	193,885	1,550,690	268,897	10,689,691	1,226,434	16,311,433	2,518,392	19,574,991	3,372,541
Ice..... tons..	3,174	3,504	766	1,489	19,191	39,785	18,506	30,236	18,559	34,675
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:										
Boots and shoes..... pairs..	12,649	11,188	17,111	13,998	253,571	159,037	342,863	195,028	379,119	202,672
All other.....		143,004		153,677		1,246,258		1,094,225		1,052,721
Total.....		154,192		167,675		1,405,295		1,289,853		1,255,393
India rubber, scrap and old.....		21,785		30,660		(a)		194,563		244,129
Ink:										
Printers'.....		7,913		6,812				89,277		66,170
Other.....		8,125		13,100		124,443		68,887		78,035
Total.....		16,038		19,912		124,443		158,164		144,205
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
United Kingdom.....		53,059		83,644		301,809		369,894		693,562
France.....		22,285		84,818		180,699		117,799		249,476
Germany.....		21,853		65,410		170,611		167,058		284,072
Other Europe.....		22,948		36,136		249,773		184,094		192,218
British North America.....		21,086		44,664		210,647		233,664		302,701
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,620		7,842		82,106		46,533		70,490
Mexico.....		24,043		26,435		195,063		206,127		318,549
West Indies and Bermuda.....		9,727		8,477		74,762		70,247		118,741
Argentina.....				13,231		102,199		52,442		153,015
Brazil.....		2,755		8,868		67,469		79,693		89,693
Other South America.....		9,755		12,399		178,965		99,341		80,742
China.....		3,316		6,076		2,912		12,301		27,558
Japan.....		20,455		35,442		121,775		190,445		174,472
British Australasia.....		5,738		29,017		29,387		43,081		128,027
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		6,005		12,629		65,979		79,227		134,497
Africa.....		1,373		6,702		162,949		84,509		53,641
Other countries.....								114		305
Total.....		230,018		481,790		2,197,105		2,036,569		3,071,759
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore..... tons..			40	200	8,770	34,168	8,583	27,762	28,274	60,681
PIG IRON (tons)—										
Ferro-manganese.....	602	25,530	13	816			7,024	287,045	495	20,667
All other.....	19,112	192,336	25,164	273,805	94,423	1,358,507	187,697	1,960,709	243,710	2,511,732
Scrap and old, fit only for re- manufacture..... tons..	6,664	65,444	12,276	137,213	1,242	16,288	39,805	415,130	62,075	674,964

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bar iron.....lbs.	1,435,758	21,015	2,556,082	39,889	4,655,324	82,215	7,823,622	120,195	15,080,245	231,501
Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.....lbs.	4,358,380	45,116	14,153,962	170,005	60,468,933	753,506	23,079,178	301,280	53,229,904	661,530
BARs OR RAILs FOR RAILWAYs—										
Iron.....tons.	217	2,202	1,570	16,376	218	5,906	2,282	31,328	13,292	178,350
Steel (tons)—										
Europe.....	183	4,000	3,227	62,485	(a)	(a)	2,962	68,107	16,853	317,870
British North America.....	3,521	64,304	187	3,533	.....	.....	53,868	982,700	74,115	1,362,199
Central American States and British Honduras.....	.....	.....	52	1,018	.....	.....	581	10,179	1,584	32,540
Mexico.....	5,356	98,775	2,379	47,212	.....	.....	18,412	345,163	21,574	427,762
West Indies and Bermuda.....	47	972	3,380	61,648	.....	.....	3,470	84,582	8,533	172,058
South America.....	369	7,161	130	2,551	.....	.....	3,921	86,408	8,546	204,057
Japan.....	9,425	206,732	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,811	632,315	7,852	177,697
Asia and Oceanica.....	363	7,251	6,249	137,910	.....	.....	16,174	314,868	25,423	528,799
Africa.....	.....	.....	2,615	47,280	.....	.....	2,313	44,882	30,496	574,164
Total, steel.....	19,264	389,195	18,219	363,637	79,860	1,859,081	129,521	2,569,294	194,976	3,798,146
Billets, ingots, and blooms.....tons.	1,090	20,328	4,697	93,130	(b)	(b)	8,640	150,490	34,958	678,233
Hoop, band, and scroll.....lbs.	50,245	887	828,066	13,779	375,099	8,191	2,791,921	36,845	4,748,736	77,912
Rods, wire, of steel.....lbs.	2,163,593	23,065	2,054,410	25,453	(b)	(b)	27,111,127	279,218	39,462,248	382,833
SHEETs AND PLATEs (pounds)—										
Iron.....	609,389	13,053	2,703,922	56,328	3,017,966	64,773	7,123,466	138,529	11,581,724	236,436
Steel.....	3,201,419	39,801	12,354,448	191,158	4,504,260	95,106	16,725,094	221,742	77,089,074	1,111,699
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....	100	8	17,516	876	(c)	(c)	10,333	445	157,047	7,819
Structural iron and steel.....tons.	3,200	120,289	5,605	185,722	(b)	(b)	23,182	885,879	31,773	1,107,798
Wire.....lbs.	10,359,666	208,626	21,478,416	401,889	78,068,242	1,642,429	90,415,956	1,740,801	146,857,130	2,603,227
Car wheels.....No.	1,450	10,566	3,118	12,589	12,976	76,587	15,498	94,717	18,333	97,096
Castings, not elsewhere specified.....	.....	63,125	.....	116,681	.....	728,307	.....	620,281	.....	709,704
CUTLERY—										
Table.....	.....	1,660	.....	1,906	.....	133,040	.....	23,607	.....	21,908
All other.....	.....	9,904	.....	17,149	.....	.....	.....	95,379	.....	119,773
Firearms.....	.....	59,962	.....	65,319	.....	497,423	.....	506,192	.....	485,435
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, AND SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.....	.....	389,045	.....	511,904	.....	3,081,905	.....	2,870,099	.....	3,408,427
Saws.....	.....	25,335	.....	18,330	.....	1,824,970	.....	142,847	.....	165,358
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....	.....	204,721	.....	279,340	.....	.....	.....	1,570,385	.....	1,930,499
Total.....	.....	619,101	.....	809,574	.....	4,906,875	.....	4,583,331	.....	5,504,284
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	.....	176,483	.....	194,238	.....	1,220,511	.....	1,084,127	.....	1,303,385
France.....	.....	12,767	.....	35,848	.....	150,861	.....	113,948	.....	166,436
Germany.....	.....	79,671	.....	95,475	.....	390,739	.....	545,637	.....	593,004
Other Europe.....	.....	82,372	.....	83,139	.....	234,702	.....	416,809	.....	509,115
British North America.....	.....	79,190	.....	96,798	.....	377,549	.....	493,025	.....	627,159
Central American States and British Honduras.....	.....	6,945	.....	7,619	.....	108,982	.....	64,365	.....	60,550
Mexico.....	.....	34,145	.....	33,193	.....	479,183	.....	324,976	.....	234,344
Santo Domingo.....	.....	877	.....	1,611	.....	7,405	.....	10,379	.....	8,902
Cuba.....	.....	8,843	.....	33,366	.....	63,594	.....	52,847	.....	159,666
Porto Rico.....	.....	1,132	.....	889	.....	11,980	.....	9,105	.....	5,351
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	.....	5,879	.....	10,267	.....	56,428	.....	43,923	.....	53,610
Argentina.....	.....	8,632	.....	21,538	.....	174,315	.....	107,437	.....	170,735
Brazil.....	.....	9,924	.....	16,218	.....	188,668	.....	119,401	.....	156,508
Colombia.....	.....	7,699	.....	10,593	.....	92,307	.....	69,156	.....	82,706
Other South America.....	.....	18,826	.....	11,218	.....	198,586	.....	164,995	.....	162,365
China.....	.....	2,406	.....	2,538	.....	24,220	.....	17,069	.....	42,449

a Not reported in detail prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to December, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.—C't'd.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
East Indies—British.....		1,928		5,872		19,999		13,481		29,114
Japan.....		6,200		3,036		39,383		54,637		47,450
British Australasia.....		52,975		106,397		769,608		666,237		786,883
Other Asia and Oceania.....		8,256		25,445		51,562		58,572		118,825
Africa.....		13,323		14,366		183,180		151,027		183,587
Other countries.....		628				3,113		2,178		1,060
Total.....		619,101		809,574		4,906,875		4,583,331		5,504,284
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Electrical.....		243,578		254,092				1,517,498		2,080,739
Metal-working.....		451,855		638,664				3,312,960		4,832,569
Printing presses, and parts of.....		85,284		127,259		435,649		694,030		589,251
Pumps and pumping machinery.....		229,438		233,006				1,507,488		1,974,007
SEWING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		90,123		138,866		810,404		624,883		680,568
France.....		14,390		13,398		100,004		75,788		78,812
Germany.....		69,629		73,321		403,629		579,269		496,722
Other Europe.....		21,737		40,156		132,036		127,275		106,498
British North America.....		20,292		17,113		69,756		101,857		107,573
Central American States and British Honduras.....		1,401		1,701		70,824		24,785		15,570
Mexico.....		24,749		24,667		149,584		161,240		161,376
Santo Domingo.....		315		555		866		1,208		1,894
Cuba.....		15		1,050		2,483		2,785		4,571
Porto Rico.....		76		189		1,951		2,726		1,429
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,715		2,770		12,717		11,290		13,739
Argentina.....		6,226		7,865		80,981		68,630		112,093
Brazil.....		9,708		4,350		94,726		69,080		64,091
Colombia.....		5,981		5,481		86,453		58,981		48,981
Other South America.....		8,468		8,330		95,694		81,587		96,388
China.....						8,202		2,263		2,308
East Indies—British.....		553		2,084		2,814		3,103		6,753
Japan.....		733		517		6,062		4,193		4,927
British Australasia.....		36,317		50,216		177,022		194,853		232,620
Other Asia and Oceania.....		3,732		6,456		27,550		23,480		36,667
Africa.....		303		1,695		11,604		6,975		8,728
Other countries.....						36		133		25
Total.....		316,463		400,780		2,345,407		2,226,384		2,282,333
Shoemachinery.....		77,661		93,492		(a)		640,738		664,092
Steam engines, and parts of (number)—										
Fire.....					2	6,790	5	1,689	1	260
Locomotive.....	68	530,748	30	254,032	270	2,555,278	337	2,791,318	372	3,432,674
Stationary.....	72	57,022	38	19,222	264	223,015	431	307,429	357	214,431
Parts of, and boilers.....		103,825		81,508		559,149		679,484		865,497
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		106,967		134,305		552,686		635,169		712,215
France.....		14,101		22,175		70,744		65,467		111,820
Germany.....		50,247		74,910		178,776		282,404		356,709
Other Europe.....		28,692		42,318		117,241		176,340		252,146
British North America.....		4,021		6,352		22,965		36,541		42,025
Central American States and British Honduras.....		234		58		10,230		2,223		1,933
Mexico.....		2,477		8,002		19,025		21,903		31,460
Santo Domingo.....				58		227		90		188
Cuba.....		138		2,482		1,529		1,280		12,876

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico.....				297		590		65		3,032
Other West Indies and Bermuda		618		430		4,599		2,777		3,554
Argentina.....		465		3,650		10,265		12,471		21,131
Brazil.....		327		714		3,322		3,435		4,509
Colombia.....		164		703		2,433		3,605		3,197
Other South America.....		2,457		1,944		7,128		11,844		15,412
China.....		341		110		3,028		2,338		4,134
East Indies: British.....		1,172		3,786		6,098		7,156		10,153
Japan.....				1,300		3,468		2,935		6,127
British Australasia.....		400		2,983		59,310		45,675		54,531
Other Asia and Oceania.....		324		1,532		3,514		6,387		10,717
Africa.....		2,770		1,472		15,137		21,110		26,135
Other countries.....										75
Total.....		215,915		309,611		1,092,315		1,341,215		1,684,079
All other machinery, etc.....		1,541,447		1,671,946		14,466,915		9,526,821		13,721,604
NAILS AND SPIKES (pounds)—										
Cut.....	2,189,736	39,832	1,676,648	31,196	16,896,356	321,034	25,824,092	495,394	26,693,948	484,220
Wire.....	1,370,654	26,551	4,144,622	82,783			17,508,909	354,874	32,842,357	605,822
All other, including tacks.....	473,037	26,990	398,049	16,022	8,023,527	278,162	2,984,490	182,547	3,722,741	224,765
Pipes and fittings.....		302,150		535,280		(a)		2,056,531		4,231,972
Safes.....No..	130	9,192	253	16,965	(a)	(a)	939	63,531	1,606	105,071
Scales and balances.....		27,045		32,740		297,108		257,294		272,200
Stoves, ranges, and parts of.....		24,957		44,264		235,858		267,017		356,982
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....		819,771		897,466		6,506,263		6,638,520		7,367,786
Total iron and steel, etc., not including ore.....		7,060,937		8,833,622		41,551,177		49,925,199		67,211,406
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....		47,533		77,971				438,929		539,175
Other manufactures of gold and silver.....		22,861		20,098		500,099		140,115		176,010
Total.....		70,394		98,069		500,099		579,044		715,185
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.										
		64,033		70,262		548,682		503,611		567,345
Lead, and manufactures of (lbs):										
Pig, bars, and old.....	960	23	4,920	240	16,455,299	441,512	17,683	787	118,858	4,446
Type.....	22,769	10,019	21,643	7,942			208,007	72,139	165,124	62,172
All other.....		10,338		9,164		139,274		89,978		92,594
Total.....		20,380		17,346		580,786		162,904		159,212
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER, SOLE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,875,419	510,877	4,139,652	669,490	22,760,824	3,750,989	22,149,983	3,771,808	23,375,406	3,837,314
Germany.....	61,812	11,843	10,156	2,027	186,060	36,233	220,674	42,637	266,966	53,841
Other Europe.....	476,622	88,614	396,070	71,959	4,781,595	866,553	3,215,318	601,423	2,246,953	412,922
British North America.....	23,030	4,115	103,670	17,929	391,023	63,282	838,659	163,092	606,755	112,994
West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,838	592	6,011	1,080	32,907	6,559	32,476	6,708	24,183	5,121
South America.....	400	87	3,100	684	13,013	2,488	21,330	4,316	8,584	2,475
Japan.....	166,972	36,340	30,465	6,815	614,545	131,493	1,139,100	241,357	529,426	115,060
British Australasia.....	18,127	3,833	4,260	1,012	143,741	29,770	145,902	30,858	88,290	19,158
Other Asia and Oceania.....	8,830	1,845	49,734	11,427	189,727	38,085	120,195	25,144	235,427	50,895
Africa.....	2,476	581	4,078	851	124,246	23,764	124,985	26,600	91,922	18,969
Other countries.....	8,859	1,462	4,740	1,033	105,493	21,159	33,890	6,614	34,565	7,648
Total.....	3,645,385	660,189	4,751,936	784,307	29,373,174	4,970,375	28,042,512	4,920,557	27,508,486	4,636,397

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Leather, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEATHER, OTHER—										
Upper leather—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Kid, glazed.....		24,015		101,485		266,604		197,100		427,857
Patent or enameled.....		11,766		8,747				67,903		63,282
Splits, buff, grain, and all										
other upper leather.....		866,588		1,225,116		6,080,723		7,065,846		8,676,373
Other leather.....		92,440		139,741		618,424		658,337		748,125
Total.....		994,809		1,475,089		6,965,751		7,989,186		9,915,637
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		675,186		1,049,508		5,252,115		5,703,553		7,217,634
France.....		18,511		32,011		101,399		176,633		229,041
Germany.....		66,745		108,892		217,699		450,361		702,295
Other Europe.....		129,184		166,449		696,732		866,012		862,728
British North America.....		70,797		63,434		473,833		503,182		500,823
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		324		157		3,888		3,023		8,779
Mexico.....		964		2,564		13,299		7,740		6,752
Santo Domingo.....		50		149		510		539		1,386
Cuba.....		837		929		1,034		2,178		5,441
Porto Rico.....		309		1,725		748		1,292		5,112
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		1,461		3,383		12,061		10,668		18,465
Argentina.....				6,114		3,905		2,451		27,170
Brazil.....		4,734		6,551		13,888		39,000		31,504
Colombia.....		451		12		2,001		2,702		1,390
Other South America.....		895		1,989		12,835		10,318		23,358
British Australasia.....		20,403		24,861		126,064		174,496		220,675
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		2,241		2,285		14,460		18,170		32,047
Africa.....		1,480		4,076		19,082		16,419		20,960
Other countries.....		337				198		449		77
Total.....		994,809		1,475,089		6,965,751		7,989,186		9,915,637
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Boots and shoes—										
United Kingdom.....		41,142		64,582		182,253		210,929		255,100
France.....		4,049		15,089		9,340		16,681		31,374
Germany.....		12,390		26,295		9,501		41,697		64,160
Other Europe.....		6,636		13,446		23,331		25,530		43,111
British North America.....		26,040		39,189		174,771		201,372		290,431
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		9,049		8,880		73,107		69,320		65,670
Mexico.....		7,513		33,699		38,179		55,309		127,385
West Indies and Bermuda.....		35,367		67,834		211,276		225,353		276,516
Colombia.....		2,164		1,734		29,442		30,823		24,062
Other South America.....		2,332		3,793		21,678		18,890		31,129
British Australasia.....		18,183		31,916		302,407		169,663		306,735
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		9,615		19,865		93,677		140,458		116,148
Africa.....		10,506		8,496		65,377		67,768		70,198
Other countries.....		1,490				1,566		2,478		662
Total.....		186,476		334,818		1,235,905		1,276,271		1,702,681
Harness and saddles.....		21,630		25,788		186,085		164,604		167,276
All other.....		124,155		70,450		564,819		961,229		586,905
Total leather, and manu-										
factures of.....		1,987,259		2,690,461		13,922,935		15,311,847		17,008,896
Lime.....bbls..	4,946	4,339	7,207	7,777	63,828	60,103	39,555	33,376	49,721	48,061
Malt.....bush..	44,935	34,718	58,684	35,295	(a)	(a)	259,917	201,728	305,366	215,025

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Malt liquors:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
In bottles.....doz..	33,385	40,202	139,195	139,210	377,763	447,403	295,865	359,767	1,026,406	1,184,618
In other coverings.....galls..	22,705	4,822	68,346	18,210	266,573	60,384	290,513	65,225	403,279	104,709
Total		45,024		207,420		507,787		424,992		1,289,327
Marble and stone, and manufac- tures of:										
Unmanufactured		5,315		3,044		46,153		76,817		43,324
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....		123,555		132,447		485,193		1,003,011		1,001,554
All other.....		49,758		64,910		433,727		308,435		301,704
Total		178,628		200,401		965,078		1,388,263		1,346,582
Matches		4,786		14,254		50,203		62,514		72,528
Musical instruments (number):										
Organs	1,002	62,025	1,714	101,906	10,721	618,262	10,526	583,821	13,120	725,413
Pianofortes.....	88	21,816	119	23,975	630	159,478	728	177,133	771	168,132
All other, and parts of.....		39,563		59,025		203,445		281,240		417,263
Total		123,404		184,906		981,185		1,042,194		1,310,808
Naval stores:										
ROSIN, TAR, TURPENTINE, AND PITCH (barrels)—										
Rosin	178,659	323,204	315,395	443,793	1,832,796	3,527,776	1,730,056	2,914,670	1,966,148	2,813,558
Tar	5,350	10,606	6,896	12,974	13,979	26,695	13,639	25,444	22,778	58,514
Turpentine and pitch.....	1,172	3,418	4,079	9,602	14,839	32,442	13,244	34,907	16,512	40,165
Total	185,181	337,228	326,370	466,369	1,861,614	3,586,913	1,756,939	2,975,021	2,005,438	2,912,237
Exported to (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	33,210	51,588	66,305	101,671	554,041	1,140,126	414,097	739,461	590,853	887,390
Germany.....	42,580	84,992	102,693	139,366	427,495	790,000	438,495	718,543	430,091	567,972
Other Europe.....	63,269	118,817	128,524	165,909	545,615	995,242	572,877	916,396	668,270	884,265
British North America	2,781	5,712	6,202	13,499	42,076	89,611	30,865	69,021	37,511	85,135
Central American States and British Honduras.....	870	1,871	217	635	6,655	17,639	3,792	10,770	3,878	11,001
Mexico.....	243	629	121	366	1,689	4,931	2,918	6,942	2,420	6,312
Santo Domingo	37	77	592	1,054	1,358	3,471	2,012	3,985	1,482	3,001
Cuba.....	291	504	968	1,905	4,058	7,889	3,826	7,109	3,465	6,462
Porto Rico.....	39	75	67	130	325	624	388	778	474	947
Other West Indies and Bermuda	342	771	547	1,204	6,574	14,930	5,844	12,140	3,937	8,495
Argentina.....	1,800	4,053			25,050	57,932	31,611	58,966	39,818	70,068
Brazil.....	7,464	14,813	13,987	28,831	106,851	200,445	95,915	161,476	86,974	150,635
Colombia.....	796	1,631	569	1,618	7,046	14,734	4,434	9,355	4,092	9,503
Other South America.....	3,860	7,345	1,565	3,296	38,492	79,539	40,482	76,422	34,366	61,530
China.....	207	387	130	225	2,315	4,492	4,032	4,032	4,867	4,867
Japan.....	271	433	3,121	5,046	6,065	13,890	6,088	13,977	9,724	16,470
British Australasia.....	16,011	26,541	45	88	40,352	77,938	58,291	102,583	50,909	93,998
Other Asia and Oceania.....	11,038	16,820	667	1,422	44,454	71,068	42,452	61,664	33,731	42,264
Africa.....	47	103	50	104	1,080	2,355	644	1,335	975	1,922
Other countries.....	25	66			23	57	25	66		
Total rosin, tar, etc.....	185,181	337,228	326,370	466,369	1,861,614	3,586,913	1,756,939	2,975,021	2,005,438	2,912,237
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—										
United Kingdom	20,000	7,857	44,876	19,899	6,105,061	1,508,550	4,935,475	1,444,444	6,275,540	1,974,568
Germany.....	10,485	3,085	117,680	49,440	1,693,858	428,750	1,651,819	480,913	1,778,993	564,989
Other Europe.....	34,194	10,257	185,981	82,271	4,070,371	1,041,378	4,344,273	1,266,096	3,083,910	1,013,114
British North America.....	53,327	15,893	78,626	32,169	284,350	73,675	408,218	127,447	435,505	146,160
Central American States and British Honduras.....	679	301	623	335	10,406	3,313	5,884	2,369	6,053	2,535
Mexico.....	1,407	545	784	415	4,708	1,715	6,218	2,335	7,950	3,217
Santo Domingo	205	81	74	29	729	243	902	376	1,110	460
Cuba.....	3,285	1,069	10,038	4,427	53,107	15,563	45,007	14,341	55,663	21,368
Porto Rico.....	667	257	1,106	538	9,114	2,930	4,593	1,621	5,440	2,367
Other West Indies and Bermuda	2,424	907	3,314	1,659	21,971	6,905	17,681	6,226	16,459	7,110

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Naval stores—Continued.										
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gallons)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina	20,000	7,777	1,000	518	157,600	46,748	197,120	73,327	74,896	25,485
Brazil	27,698	11,437	18,811	8,025	124,017	38,379	129,810	48,590	114,410	41,382
Colombia	747	355	1,270	664	12,153	4,394	8,771	3,326	10,288	4,812
Other South America	17,686	7,061	2,070	1,040	94,375	29,972	92,408	34,252	63,766	25,323
China	500	200	2,800	1,404	8,250	2,670	5,005	1,860	18,050	7,359
Japan			700	355	26,750	8,321	7,000	2,259	13,200	5,216
British Australasia	4,744	2,005	8,144	3,390	246,511	80,681	175,429	60,818	215,024	77,857
Other Asia and Oceania			6,030	3,388	8,920	2,729	13,950	4,944	28,876	12,570
Africa	3,034	1,304	6,050	3,179	51,040	20,000	41,375	16,727	59,738	27,301
Other countries	103	46			51	18	154	68	50	23
Total	201,185	70,437	489,977	213,145	12,983,372	3,316,934	12,091,092	3,592,339	12,265,011	3,963,216
Total naval stores		407,665		679,514		6,903,847		6,567,360		6,875,453
Nickel, nickel oxide, and matte lbs.	591,124	152,534	521,898	120,060	2,047,880	458,741	3,939,543	963,509	3,814,075	851,577
Nursery stock		8,569		9,087		(a)		82,432		114,117
Oil cake and oil-cake meal (pounds):										
Cotton seed	102,016,945	863,190	111,492,506	975,857	519,009,870	4,639,939	715,398,983	6,227,538	906,954,208	7,719,725
Flaxseed or linseed	33,184,182	361,500	42,187,271	467,449	323,016,710	3,063,667	341,867,529	3,528,388	366,982,548	3,995,803
Total	135,201,127	1,224,690	153,679,777	1,443,306	842,020,580	7,703,606	1,057,266,512	9,755,926	1,273,936,756	11,715,528
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	29,224,301	270,116	56,683,427	542,071	273,519,920	2,471,806	275,259,749	2,560,547	295,147,305	2,751,370
France	2,422,674	22,732	1,074,901	10,526	25,325,860	206,992	61,753,113	573,273	60,182,723	594,675
Germany	66,713,110	566,869	33,111,759	293,832	247,467,808	2,291,609	319,585,081	2,777,038	355,725,784	3,059,129
Other Europe	35,326,420	344,474	61,358,104	578,115	285,083,753	2,624,352	390,071,898	3,711,919	549,207,200	5,149,060
British North America	214,807	2,463	279,000	2,967	802,897	7,586	998,531	11,085	5,584,346	46,774
West Indies and Bermuda	1,259,297	17,498	1,143,752	15,381	9,438,055	97,227	9,228,062	117,506	7,767,628	110,183
South America	16,050	209	28,834	414	325,257	3,418	252,790	3,145	255,590	3,535
Other countries	24,468	329			57,030	616	117,288	1,413	66,180	802
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal	135,201,127	1,224,690	153,679,777	1,443,306	842,020,580	7,703,606	1,057,266,512	9,755,926	1,273,936,756	11,715,528
Oilcloths:										
For floors		4,298		3,440		(b)		21,353		19,449
Other		6,684		12,127		(b)		71,672		70,896
Total		10,982		15,567		(b)		93,025		90,345
Oils:										
ANIMAL (gallons)—										
Fish	1,270	497	4,025	1,321	792,041	153,391	583,548	107,338	930,317	187,567
Lard	73,287	30,251	131,329	59,215	763,414	338,607	561,262	219,799	642,421	294,358
Whale	16,309	8,124	629	275	31,938	12,197	64,537	30,463	66,392	31,145
Other	16,326	6,947	25,171	9,930	82,162	34,954	92,526	39,740	130,984	50,298
Total animal	107,192	45,819	161,154	70,741	1,669,555	539,149	1,301,873	397,340	1,770,114	563,368
MINERAL, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity (gallons)—										
France	9,300,002	354,958	9,946,340	473,910	74,756,521	3,551,742	61,608,186	2,321,691	68,914,971	3,119,033
Other Europe			2,932,262	129,337	12,688,425	590,824	11,169,702	373,051	15,342,090	647,016
British North America					5,897	442			20,270	1,408
Mexico	781,685	33,771	1,320,162	67,387	4,871,643	246,003	6,275,821	254,784	5,339,356	263,797
Cuba	715,075	36,932	233,926	18,191	4,003,779	245,775	3,829,463	207,649	2,423,481	143,528
Porto Rico	99,800	8,980			603,958	57,862	585,290	51,808		
Other countries	526	35			841,140	85,000	1,026	85		
Total	10,897,088	434,676	14,432,690	688,825	97,771,363	4,777,648	83,469,488	3,209,068	92,040,177	4,174,782

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Napthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Illuminating.....	740,555	43,600	909,580	100,115	11,580,681	921,642	11,617,583	812,276	13,463,173	943,206
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	67,748,404	3,164,885	62,115,037	3,720,306	572,898,054	36,561,297	623,067,746	32,774,717	528,307,610	29,484,210
Total.....	5,124,122	627,168	6,235,973	791,904	38,792,153	5,056,363	43,446,614	5,284,411	49,377,009	5,858,484
	73,613,081	3,835,653	69,260,590	4,612,385	623,270,888	42,539,302	678,131,943	38,871,404	591,147,792	36,285,900
Exported to (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	17,010,705	757,618	20,323,782	1,262,751	168,824,751	10,398,790	170,706,697	9,095,028	158,523,946	8,887,213
France.....	1,429,694	89,377	599,882	75,765	8,229,859	807,323	11,283,459	947,249	8,988,217	874,547
Germany.....	15,673,170	687,181	12,054,066	703,013	86,940,723	4,674,911	113,645,167	5,060,519	94,324,786	4,807,557
Other Europe.....	19,954,330	823,955	22,080,770	1,247,352	183,838,379	10,781,107	195,437,410	9,561,675	188,021,102	9,918,293
British North America.....	586,429	40,317	825,400	56,951	8,560,453	602,250	9,467,988	620,460	9,272,064	629,549
Central American States and British Honduras.....	98,553	10,773	120,583	14,183	939,567	110,269	744,412	80,380	839,495	98,348
Mexico.....	87,132	17,434	48,331	10,075	600,677	124,990	790,485	139,751	754,372	119,168
Santo Domingo.....	278,915	21,655	144,330	14,745	234,273	26,546	574,255	48,855	335,850	37,940
Cuba.....	66,822	7,566	387,349	34,794	65,106	9,113	224,967	29,193	948,195	107,661
Porto Rico.....	53,375	5,514	39,000	4,429	227,002	27,338	194,242	21,938	466,514	49,859
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	390,030	34,041	477,889	47,802	3,377,269	301,413	3,121,947	254,489	3,012,832	283,857
Argentina.....	967,821	86,311	34,252	7,230	9,023,414	909,045	7,748,247	700,177	4,413,422	473,496
Brazil.....	1,542,380	115,721	2,031,525	182,499	13,563,118	1,124,433	15,077,814	1,125,791	13,955,728	1,219,662
Colombia.....	90,919	8,651	126,190	12,508	922,959	91,431	690,134	69,807	853,250	84,976
Other South America.....	1,708,065	134,264	733,523	79,491	7,900,660	784,418	7,606,709	644,036	5,372,646	526,034
China.....	2,386,928	158,497	3,369,808	274,219	27,197,927	2,308,537	31,061,807	1,987,186	18,120,110	1,444,065
East Indies—British.....	1,093,290	80,655	138,259	17,192	14,491,538	1,332,391	30,362,252	2,185,721	20,090,728	1,452,591
Hongkong.....	1,825,945	118,934	1,240,007	100,700	(a)	(a)	10,689,211	662,116	9,188,877	689,676
Japan.....	5,220,972	336,440	49,037	8,165	36,998,173	3,333,503	34,314,745	2,608,895	27,756,200	1,987,229
British Australasia.....	2,082,750	209,229	2,166,472	230,090	13,024,117	1,486,779	14,887,010	1,513,754	12,347,735	1,284,176
Other Asia and Oceania.....	668,790	46,972	1,052,270	96,996	29,979,423	2,444,695	9,241,562	623,255	6,101,891	511,904
Africa.....	385,088	43,706	1,215,990	131,268	8,288,618	856,252	10,231,354	888,722	7,440,900	796,429
Other countries.....	10,978	842	1,875	167	42,882	3,768	29,069	2,407	18,932	1,670
Total mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum.....	73,613,081	3,835,653	69,260,590	4,612,385	623,270,888	42,539,302	678,131,943	38,871,404	591,147,792	36,285,900
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled..... bbls..	51,760	42,145	60,799	75,087	39,005	57,371	343,377	386,294	549,230	630,650
Total refined or manufactured, including residuum.....		3,877,798		4,687,472		42,596,673		39,257,698		36,916,550
VEGETABLE—										
Corn.....galls..	323,610	67,798	136,034	31,836	(b)	(b)	1,885,844	408,040	1,454,528	343,145
COTTON SEED (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	328,641	79,790	673,381	151,342	939,068	238,047	1,762,683	433,370	4,320,737	964,070
France.....	459,435	114,144	740,060	186,394	7,152,146	1,804,494	9,840,485	2,484,070	15,540,623	3,697,895
Germany.....	256,240	65,183	351,635	78,103	1,288,039	321,021	1,874,118	449,469	2,654,227	670,582
Other Europe.....	1,594,460	393,422	2,527,780	602,068	8,255,478	2,218,026	11,464,448	2,963,705	14,766,782	3,638,429
British North America.....	29,626	6,856	30,502	8,076	209,782	47,069	306,731	75,897	350,426	79,309
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,639	563	388	141	14,676	4,099	6,408	2,200	7,622	2,893
Mexico.....	67,918	15,661	153,128	28,391	1,247,070	246,104	1,452,991	277,825	1,884,453	331,013
Santo Domingo.....	8,941	2,839	9,306	3,143	26,685	8,906	48,328	16,158	58,950	18,646
Cuba.....	1,000	290	20,851	6,350	600	164	7,833	2,242	40,931	11,670

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
COTTON-SEED—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico			234	98	150	38	100	30	3,140	1,084
Other West Indies and Bermuda	65,721	19,925	76,935	19,857	553,687	147,822	563,213	144,140	515,182	130,672
Argentina	2,566	766	9,293	3,172	33,675	10,971	12,665	3,835	62,082	19,507
Brazil	86,171	24,652	97,201	27,381	396,204	107,830	677,837	182,878	654,119	157,948
Other South America	32,826	10,656	44,369	14,626	179,947	56,926	217,002	69,471	226,680	70,242
British Australasia	10,667	3,066	3,613	1,028	43,781	14,215	43,319	13,075	36,763	11,242
Other Asia and Oceania					2,800	860	300	100	300	100
Africa	118,058	30,208	207,764	49,128	482,150	127,049	665,990	175,622	1,071,165	256,904
Total	3,063,969	768,021	4,946,440	1,179,298	20,825,938	5,353,641	28,944,451	7,294,087	42,194,182	10,062,206
Linseed	7,132	3,227	10,143	4,287	76,696	29,837	64,216	26,572	74,437	32,314
VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL—										
Peppermint	23,029	24,981	7,532	8,535	133,810	216,923	107,536	138,602	79,827	83,676
Other		20,837		24,196		125,251		157,662		116,365
All other		65,446		55,553		814,493		469,935		703,421
Total vegetable		950,310		1,303,705		6,540,145		8,494,898		11,341,127
Paints, pigments, and colors:										
Carbon black, gas black, and lampblack		20,273		19,706	(a)	(a)		135,565		136,345
Zinc, oxide of	705,775	21,196	1,688,587	51,472	(a)	(a)	5,291,804	152,262	7,413,904	236,626
All other		62,684		125,146		682,340		504,062		665,237
Total		104,153		196,324		682,340		791,889		1,038,208
Paper, and manufactures of:										
Paper hangings		26,638		17,330		72,808		141,356		87,798
Printing paper	10,924,618	248,234	8,097,785	210,697			82,322,654	2,078,228	71,338,588	1,728,604
Writing paper and envelopes		10,284		16,075		76,016		128,027		115,680
All other		225,005		279,261		2,066,393		1,751,144		2,053,413
Total		510,161		523,363		2,215,217		4,098,755		3,985,495
Paraffin and paraffin wax (pounds):										
United Kingdom	9,925,046	404,595	9,597,303	378,647	66,401,265	2,529,555	76,273,468	2,920,508	79,605,255	2,953,024
France	192,413	8,100	1,186	65	646,668	26,923	1,814,481	80,991	2,367,298	95,147
Germany	1,721,042	65,954	507,223	22,399	13,241,793	536,727	16,628,378	654,863	17,101,777	685,216
Other Europe	1,752,720	70,371	2,442,000	98,370	10,688,886	441,768	15,024,267	608,915	22,710,766	905,181
British North America	10,665	461	18,100	722	26,093	1,125	59,071	2,617	53,116	2,180
Central American States and British Honduras	40,050	1,949	58,922	3,217	386,985	23,737	322,011	15,908	433,096	21,108
Mexico	232,814	9,936	352,322	14,150	2,441,196	123,636	2,750,551	120,472	3,770,359	171,960
West Indies and Bermuda	2,822	122	17,595	844	77,424	3,271	28,238	1,123	43,341	2,057
Brazil	14,909	630	16,281	838	198,991	11,470	173,430	8,389	199,249	9,384
Other South America	17,975	1,025	22,785	1,232	68,337	3,197	100,985	5,128	102,223	5,087
Japan	765,899	36,067	214,037	8,560	3,053,761	134,636	2,361,684	91,123	2,446,113	93,823
British Australasia	365,476	15,935	912,372	38,543	1,462,915	62,875	1,778,346	77,473	1,815,281	77,636
Other Asia and Oceania	30,637	1,643	63,128	3,090	76,200	3,048	58,154	2,658	87,125	4,033
Africa	31,820	1,700	25,224	1,364	1,002,459	40,006	411,859	18,875	625,308	24,737
Total	15,104,288	618,488	14,248,478	572,041	99,772,973	3,942,024	117,784,923	4,609,043	131,360,307	5,050,573
Perfumery and cosmetics		26,327		34,915		249,156		230,145		218,004
Plated ware		27,436		40,492		314,472		325,809		334,627
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
BEEF PRODUCTS—										
BEEF, CANNED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	1,941,283	187,071	1,488,919	147,104	26,739,994	2,337,778	18,159,881	1,598,747	18,408,644	1,705,670
France	49,035	3,650	54,060	5,550	1,006,378	82,879	386,882	32,353	297,615	27,118
Germany	400,500	36,190	279,720	24,570	3,775,020	304,060	4,677,763	417,241	2,982,861	262,765
Other Europe	247,195	21,221	190,408	15,473	2,795,614	251,982	2,657,555	223,024	1,844,204	163,362

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
BEEF PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CANNED (pounds)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....	24,194	1,938	104,164	7,763	1,091,704	84,259	406,400	30,177	1,502,679	129,500
Central American States and British Honduras....	28,849	3,383	20,850	2,134	205,003	25,151	204,605	23,163	147,399	15,060
Mexico.....	10,432	1,311	15,067	1,780	96,620	11,859	88,530	11,553	100,870	13,414
Santo Domingo.....			96	7	674	51	334	29	594	50
Cuba.....	3,072	246	12,391	1,175	24,888	1,904	76,774	6,068	122,142	11,361
Porto Rico.....					1,584	124	384	30	96	8
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	41,773	3,833	31,595	3,189	275,046	23,490	319,470	29,100	247,267	24,508
Argentina.....			2,628	249	400	30	3,000	357	11,248	1,127
Brazil.....	59,119	5,584	4,533	377	194,100	15,529	142,654	13,580	133,987	14,017
Colombia.....	3,861	372	5,499	536	61,200	5,160	56,349	4,879	39,287	3,439
Other South America.....	11,624	1,100	13,400	1,413	114,388	9,372	105,472	9,878	88,208	8,523
China.....	14,550	1,999	8,780	1,255	81,424	11,788	152,668	21,532	90,745	12,629
East Indies—British.....					5,875	551	3,000	368	2,128	276
Hongkong.....	7,900	1,160	19,400	2,830	(a)	(a)	105,250	15,572	98,398	14,454
Japan.....	19,800	2,887	84,918	8,446	664,415	53,995	212,672	31,269	322,978	37,348
British Australasia.....	1,200	100	610	89	126,790	12,800	52,565	5,343	22,110	2,298
Other Asia and Oceania....	31,240	4,560	59,840	9,003	445,465	62,731	304,300	44,425	382,695	55,536
Africa.....	460,426	36,835	511,476	41,092	5,449,194	423,431	3,373,312	270,692	4,278,912	358,997
Other countries.....	264	20			500	43	264	20		
Total.....	3,356,317	313,460	2,908,354	274,095	43,156,276	3,718,967	31,490,174	2,789,400	31,125,067	2,861,460
FRESH (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	21,949,915	1,825,682	25,407,888	2,070,463	217,691,001	16,875,486	204,737,082	16,909,771	196,104,435	16,377,848
British North America.....	96,835	6,297	425	36	36,091	2,094	100,873	6,557	478,398	38,687
West Indies and Bermuda.....	81,377	7,072	95,414	7,747	259,656	18,331	386,898	30,468	338,990	27,472
Other countries.....			43,300	3,497	1,000	66			43,879	3,549
Total.....	22,128,127	1,839,051	25,547,027	2,081,743	217,987,748	16,895,977	205,224,853	16,946,796	196,965,702	16,447,556
SALTED OR PICKLED, AND OTHER CURED (pounds)—										
Salted or pickled.....	4,384,126	250,347	4,068,171	204,660	57,453,803	3,001,855	33,304,941	1,728,219	35,582,669	1,894,670
Other cured.....	164,024	13,521	418,151	35,097	772,347	71,171	1,200,087	114,017	1,344,237	125,005
Total.....	4,548,150	263,868	4,486,322	239,757	58,226,150	3,073,026	34,505,028	1,842,236	36,926,906	2,019,675
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,319,056	139,246	1,759,026	117,996	33,146,770	1,865,456	14,325,013	823,007	15,171,710	886,729
France.....					196,366	9,145	112,400	5,207	97,400	5,804
Germany.....	486,150	27,674	314,200	16,885	3,973,465	202,293	3,862,925	206,788	4,783,567	261,038
Other Europe.....	429,645	25,584	207,500	11,039	6,559,449	336,072	4,400,654	229,155	5,803,921	302,548
British North America....	377,509	19,977	524,350	25,585	4,713,113	208,195	2,551,384	113,954	2,781,675	136,966
Central American States and British Honduras..	106,329	4,925	93,411	4,331	469,049	22,263	585,609	28,338	462,039	24,139
Mexico.....	1,320	67	100	6	2,250	89	6,931	415	11,154	574
Santo Domingo.....	3,500	165	2,100	102	46,250	2,067	29,050	1,385	45,200	2,344
Cuba.....	8,000	438	49,265	2,762	46,200	2,051	275,989	13,537	458,424	24,336
Porto Rico.....	400	20	4,800	252	55,100	2,596	16,700	859	17,700	905
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	509,411	28,255	597,747	30,852	5,067,603	239,321	4,166,899	209,859	3,419,272	182,516
Brazil.....	1,000	59	1,150	64	71,900	3,101	16,200	838	35,050	2,130
Colombia.....	27,400	1,387	38,973	2,079	180,964	8,247	174,700	8,883	185,689	9,924
Other South America.....	220,830	13,375	46,100	2,559	2,861,611	130,932	2,282,674	121,010	2,437,105	132,944
Asia and Oceania.....	35,200	1,985	791,500	22,182	523,597	26,778	1,138,600	51,554	1,023,600	35,953
Africa.....	2,400	135	51,500	2,733	300,263	13,637	545,300	26,733	183,600	10,335
Other countries.....	11,000	576	4,600	230	11,800	483	14,000	714	9,800	490
Total beef, salted, etc...	4,548,150	263,868	4,486,322	239,757	58,226,150	3,073,026	34,505,028	1,842,236	36,926,906	2,019,675

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
TALLOW (pounds)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	5,490,878	218,596	2,906,058	123,446	18,810,636	683,927	20,804,873	778,239	24,236,878	963,677
France.....	466,188	14,591	1,071,309	42,294	15,439,477	559,941	7,457,550	262,978	12,073,247	458,059
Germany.....	1,281,471	51,896	839,842	40,909	6,464,985	235,921	6,351,465	245,946	13,555,672	530,524
Other Europe.....	955,466	36,781	1,342,576	47,050	11,162,780	415,316	6,797,330	237,418	23,645,578	920,926
British North America.....	43,387	1,105	740	32	72,338	2,280	159,762	4,646	502,474	13,354
Central American States and British Honduras.....	142,973	6,831	128,931	6,244	2,104,711	93,026	1,584,113	68,999	1,411,508	63,496
Mexico.....	61,696	2,278	25,110	1,133	836,291	30,937	522,536	19,659	577,924	23,451
Santo Domingo.....			143,023	6,931	388,931	15,604	495,153	18,442	287,365	12,385
Cuba.....	131,550	4,177	6,000	356	427,096	15,331	306,767	10,266	496,732	19,092
Porto Rico.....			770	44	4,565	256	4,912	261	6,515	347
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	87,152	3,776	150,284	7,860	1,619,169	74,123	1,093,035	69,890	1,021,956	45,841
Brazil.....			17,626	1,060	103,932	4,317	560,579	24,492	611,035	32,891
Colombia.....	10,797	536	31,339	1,868	117,764	6,384	327,451	14,089	171,878	8,216
Other South America.....	67,148	2,940	23,045	1,017	254,025	10,682	221,999	9,820	381,776	17,443
Asia and Oceania.....			342,140	17,245	19,035	718	22,537	858	360,444	18,155
Other countries.....	100	5			1,704	53	2,850	144	3,867	167
Total.....	8,738,806	343,512	7,028,793	297,489	57,827,439	2,148,816	47,312,912	1,766,147	79,344,849	3,128,024
HOG PRODUCTS—										
BACON (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	45,698,069	3,516,338	31,319,355	2,347,969	282,044,413	20,254,611	353,478,223	25,915,294	297,004,466	22,906,158
France.....	305,947	19,830	2,363,883	163,313	1,893,062	126,740	1,368,230	88,578	8,732,312	611,526
Germany.....	5,317,512	337,563	4,254,458	308,449	23,168,674	1,366,263	39,093,491	2,485,236	29,350,951	2,043,695
Other Europe.....	8,094,292	542,207	7,166,246	467,661	34,271,102	2,015,739	64,702,062	4,163,387	69,234,023	4,728,360
British North America.....	611,841	44,304	290,637	18,543	7,478,540	365,419	12,747,657	766,336	9,048,909	551,842
Central American States and British Honduras.....	13,753	1,080	24,301	1,570	194,497	13,052	166,686	12,762	192,986	13,441
Mexico.....	8,421	973	16,338	1,665	78,668	7,308	75,087	7,736	114,289	11,212
Santo Domingo.....	2,969	194	2,537	154	31,894	1,827	18,467	1,221	17,845	1,105
Cuba.....	1,314,838	75,318	2,395,319	114,108	7,185,728	378,750	9,991,800	626,717	7,528,839	423,532
Porto Rico.....	107,740	7,250	158,400	10,099	463,624	24,614	388,110	25,631	799,360	52,558
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	42,616	3,537	97,751	6,260	367,446	27,258	407,013	31,366	561,429	38,373
Brazil.....	258,653	19,327	263,237	18,373	12,404,628	728,744	7,088,420	450,757	5,544,396	383,523
Colombia.....	500	28	838	96	19,752	1,095	14,099	1,025	17,903	1,263
Other South America.....	19,248	1,556	17,592	1,398	225,815	14,460	300,189	23,224	160,972	11,698
China.....	5,500	690	4,710	533	16,882	2,184	26,875	3,474	44,990	5,839
Other Asia and Oceania.....	11,020	1,405	20,630	2,492	62,113	7,994	111,338	14,248	182,727	22,628
Africa.....	3,191	214	2,910	188	77,877	4,777	21,884	1,515	41,252	2,814
Other countries.....					300	22				
Total.....	61,816,110	4,571,814	48,399,142	3,462,871	369,985,015	25,340,857	489,999,631	34,618,507	428,577,649	31,809,567
HAMS (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	14,285,736	1,322,839	17,058,393	1,568,071	92,420,083	8,903,167	110,919,239	10,595,702	130,741,825	11,943,662
France.....	37,765	3,481	157,100	15,453	292,724	27,887	876,007	87,575	678,508	65,161
Germany.....	2,854,836	266,168	872,939	79,351	2,579,799	234,222	9,191,294	852,162	8,483,158	778,875
Other Europe.....	3,832,807	364,236	1,872,465	163,698	11,821,176	1,168,718	12,550,253	1,194,901	16,584,154	1,528,203
British North America.....	134,620	11,154	185,597	15,904	1,902,612	188,116	3,271,109	294,624	5,531,739	474,451
Central American States and British Honduras.....	28,040	2,633	22,480	2,096	222,179	23,673	217,830	22,267	178,559	16,981
Mexico.....	17,284	2,051	25,480	3,085	206,508	22,773	153,768	17,217	221,828	24,834
Santo Domingo.....	7,964	866	8,423	906	48,284	5,676	40,524	4,581	49,953	5,374
Cuba.....	376,908	38,976	741,153	64,495	3,125,202	283,024	3,235,893	334,959	4,172,331	391,480
Porto Rico.....	30,061	2,682	12,344	1,115	694,810	62,418	601,419	50,830	88,786	8,277
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	151,046	12,253	174,527	14,794	959,279	95,909	1,075,755	99,865	1,174,523	101,814
Brazil.....	1,866	224	2,716	327	8,266	843	22,330	2,106	27,668	3,046
Colombia.....	12,440	1,066	23,616	1,890	126,483	10,868	114,807	10,484	121,903	10,393

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HAMS (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America.....	57,606	5,921	53,742	5,645	683,692	74,009	641,016	69,446	594,169	62,204
China.....	7,400	1,048	7,510	900	44,783	5,973	53,659	6,976	76,750	9,868
British Australasia.....			3,302	427	7,000	919	2,186	289	29,410	3,292
Other Asia and Oceania...	41,980	5,050	53,780	6,556	214,977	28,269	278,263	33,162	403,002	50,343
Africa.....	8,070	1,000	13,334	1,349	64,907	6,784	128,536	15,911	148,295	15,807
Other countries.....	6,143	512			3,534	374	11,773	1,081	15,954	1,297
Total.....	21,892,581	2,042,160	21,288,901	1,946,062	115,426,298	11,143,622	143,385,661	13,694,138	169,322,015	15,495,367
PORK (pounds)—										
Fresh.....	1,904,326	129,347	3,554,910	229,621	208,304	13,008	7,538,494	493,108	34,309,223	2,246,178
Salted or pickled.....	10,010,324	580,662	14,576,898	808,535	52,758,553	2,582,613	62,580,847	3,375,467	104,687,593	6,059,761
Total.....	11,914,650	710,009	18,131,808	1,038,156	52,966,857	2,595,621	70,119,341	3,868,575	138,996,816	8,305,939
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	4,821,243	317,349	8,753,837	541,903	13,895,802	793,695	21,538,991	1,330,335	70,684,027	4,500,840
France.....			61,541	4,011	113,700	6,773	78,100	3,760	174,716	10,279
Germany.....	1,767,819	94,218	3,294,993	161,225	1,843,837	98,676	6,678,700	362,999	10,910,688	584,972
Other Europe.....	2,220,965	131,211	2,658,129	159,484	1,898,990	108,442	7,811,332	457,225	22,729,529	1,347,699
British North America...	581,011	30,864	711,276	36,488	10,578,438	476,613	11,359,784	591,188	14,185,821	792,203
Central American States and British Honduras..	141,728	7,173	114,036	5,222	934,120	40,582	1,060,926	50,929	944,150	46,749
Santo Domingo.....	15,400	827	5,300	286	70,800	3,175	50,400	2,601	65,200	3,546
Cuba.....	52,600	2,874	101,466	5,210	193,060	8,687	248,200	13,031	537,490	27,499
Porto Rico.....	386,000	20,737	490,200	25,454	2,511,400	109,626	3,085,700	151,320	2,214,000	117,973
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,568,750	86,145	1,617,230	81,581	17,217,925	779,779	14,658,890	724,589	12,721,177	663,567
Brazil.....	1,000	48			110,900	5,677	10,100	485	90,500	5,840
Colombia.....	16,184	910	27,950	1,577	83,800	4,295	103,089	5,749	109,954	6,249
Other South America.....	283,200	14,393	261,000	13,543	3,213,500	142,060	3,172,250	158,352	3,258,659	176,110
Asia and Oceania.....	6,800	458	13,250	1,031	156,785	10,531	96,490	6,256	114,110	8,419
Africa.....	3,400	195	16,600	867	67,100	3,270	87,200	5,398	79,800	4,607
Other countries.....	48,550	2,607	5,000	274	76,700	3,740	79,129	4,358	176,995	9,387
Total.....	11,914,650	710,009	18,131,808	1,038,156	52,966,857	2,595,621	70,119,341	3,868,575	138,996,816	8,305,939
LARD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	29,458,371	1,716,765	19,258,893	1,163,775	130,662,127	6,890,663	174,271,782	9,570,684	146,704,328	8,850,493
France.....	758,413	40,657	4,022,592	241,908	17,586,334	864,080	17,100,828	879,111	25,163,896	1,439,651
Germany.....	20,938,310	1,180,686	19,652,226	1,182,454	134,091,384	6,739,235	175,883,011	9,298,961	185,846,386	11,049,696
Other Europe.....	17,868,741	996,275	15,097,612	892,824	77,174,944	3,923,241	103,351,897	5,536,677	125,160,118	7,375,558
British North America...	120,404	6,925	32,030	2,174	4,327,574	198,318	2,716,546	136,769	6,863,847	364,606
Central American States and British Honduras....	299,584	17,976	338,224	19,645	1,373,864	73,609	1,806,753	100,351	1,941,093	113,194
Mexico.....	217,824	10,788	265,662	14,024	5,484,863	252,239	3,034,943	146,337	2,280,558	119,335
Santo Domingo.....	37,689	2,194	25,540	1,496	287,301	15,495	269,391	15,335	295,352	17,410
Cuba.....	2,925,047	152,698	2,718,873	154,083	19,644,159	978,892	18,656,555	944,896	18,467,151	1,001,437
Porto Rico.....	531,754	27,537	474,062	26,660	3,291,940	163,667	3,089,099	162,435	3,304,708	178,260
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	486,400	32,721	587,478	40,499	5,414,999	317,391	4,531,493	280,297	4,182,935	277,127
Argentina.....	3,434	255	16,292	1,184	69,627	3,783	26,002	1,754	38,306	2,605
Brazil.....	781,541	53,677	1,167,235	80,429	7,952,053	466,500	12,091,189	739,380	13,197,007	918,306
Colombia.....	137,437	7,665	154,270	9,945	2,154,704	109,923	1,496,609	84,139	1,048,015	60,940
Other South America.....	828,506	53,048	768,787	47,986	8,603,536	480,727	7,597,516	457,529	6,524,238	424,279
Asia and Oceania.....	66,372	4,366	53,370	3,733	201,870	20,909	475,623	32,173	818,177	52,292
Africa.....	148,715	11,071	318,854	22,619	1,090,498	69,091	1,397,997	97,291	2,243,036	163,359
Other countries.....	100	6	600	36	26,771	1,504	31,900	1,813	35,852	2,058
Total.....	75,608,642	4,315,310	64,952,600	3,905,474	410,528,548	21,569,267	527,829,134	28,485,932	544,115,003	32,410,606

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
LARD (pounds)—Continued.										
Lard compounds, and substitutes for (cottonseed, lardine, etc.) lbs.	2,869,306	Dollars. 147,603	1,670,196	Dollars. 89,279	12,515,578	Dollars. 671,602	13,797,930	Dollars. 717,536	16,092,470	Dollars. 878,921
Casings for sausages.		311,634		135,715		1,147,631		1,467,706		1,266,971
Mutton. lbs.	25,883	1,924	42,445	3,155	201,270	15,314	316,050	26,753	327,659	25,441
OLEO AND OLEOMARGARINE										
(pounds)—										
Oleo, the oil.	13,971,409	834,325	13,172,038	942,918	82,425,247	4,935,246	94,786,593	5,622,725	99,326,778	6,254,307
Oleomargarine, imitation butter.	339,441	31,853	353,940	37,571	4,055,795	393,054	2,539,605	234,847	4,299,755	389,258
Total.	14,310,850	866,178	13,525,978	980,489	86,481,042	5,328,300	97,326,198	5,857,572	103,626,533	6,643,565
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.	750,930	45,276	634,561	43,017	5,757,029	358,974	6,392,345	385,367	5,221,490	312,488
Germany.	3,451,933	216,476	2,593,232	191,804	18,732,477	1,080,600	23,750,283	1,408,543	22,646,650	1,494,593
Netherlands.	8,828,822	518,495	8,167,625	585,310	50,231,652	3,116,106	56,845,910	3,898,328	60,626,961	3,796,797
Other Europe.	958,913	55,475	1,791,802	125,069	8,258,745	464,845	8,015,278	461,076	12,366,906	786,234
British North America.	73,297	4,500	23,000	1,500	975,508	49,740	716,413	43,860	660,569	38,770
Central American States and British Honduras.	2,440	281	5,808	573	280	32	5,200	552	17,091	1,902
Mexico.	1,970	184			5,865	626	5,230	532	5,840	573
Porto Rico.			17,180	2,155					131,971	14,623
Other West Indies and Bermuda.	191,845	19,961	243,030	25,963	1,975,192	201,312	1,200,526	116,811	1,513,890	151,717
Colombia.	7,360	734	6,980	672	65,636	5,550	58,670	5,259	75,524	6,895
Other South America.	9,740	830	19,300	2,074	251,205	26,523	124,886	12,578	136,112	14,633
Asia and Oceania.	24,700	3,072	19,100	1,915	65,788	7,355	140,371	16,435	189,745	21,006
Other countries.	8,900	894	4,360	437	161,665	16,637	71,086	8,231	33,784	3,334
Total.	14,310,850	866,178	13,525,978	980,489	86,481,042	5,328,300	97,326,198	5,857,572	103,626,533	6,643,565
Poultry and game.		15,905		42,255		47,456		69,581		117,527
All other meat products.		486,431		563,722		2,240,681		3,039,846		4,296,485
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
BUTTER (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.	900,986	149,499	806,650	124,609	16,825,231	2,568,211	12,968,665	1,989,879	9,127,603	1,528,069
Germany.	64,049	10,980	231,712	35,985	2,178,793	256,763	1,295,099	151,271	776,320	112,024
Other Europe.	50,419	6,900	197,125	28,897	2,195,349	248,573	766,708	91,571	754,556	110,041
British North America.	94,769	21,876	258,885	40,344	1,250,711	194,220	3,082,309	462,626	1,758,131	284,500
Central American States and British Honduras.	27,932	5,012	18,662	3,746	195,105	33,851	217,697	37,508	184,645	34,538
Mexico.	24,543	4,583	28,740	4,910	169,634	28,671	179,603	31,826	210,733	37,441
Santo Domingo.	5,587	812	3,750	600	36,971	5,084	33,875	4,715	51,991	7,255
Cuba.	5,958	1,150	108,407	18,243	43,308	7,815	39,793	7,474	485,563	82,082
Porto Rico.					15,310	1,881	18,900	2,407	38,126	6,642
Other West Indies and Bermuda.	176,784	20,520	153,874	27,704	1,506,244	219,645	1,381,191	211,975	1,505,572	245,001
Brazil.	73,264	9,454	190,842	21,893	225,742	29,160	544,587	67,239	1,004,012	127,411
Colombia.	14,282	2,160	11,023	2,195	90,288	12,305	109,803	15,725	56,208	10,462
Other South America.	59,048	8,778	63,991	10,125	497,856	65,098	450,205	62,388	579,718	89,274
China.	785	189	1,930	455	13,791	2,560	19,385	4,208	19,177	4,487
Japan.	3,276	670	4,600	960	61,060	11,147	90,148	17,880	79,295	15,782
Other Asia and Oceania.	15,520	3,309	25,413	6,064	94,460	17,832	135,974	30,676	167,949	38,332
Africa.	750	134	50	14	10,204	1,814	14,516	2,726	12,807	2,424
Other countries.	10,241	1,522	4,608	683	2,123	283	12,912	2,023	9,166	1,384
Total.	1,528,173	256,557	2,110,262	327,427	25,412,180	3,704,913	21,361,663	3,191,117	16,821,572	2,737,149
CHEESE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.	1,982,791	168,030	584,968	58,499	28,046,407	2,552,279	30,614,823	2,651,695	15,003,327	1,305,424
Germany.					420	46	105	9		
British North America.	5,260	601	3,365	400	4,802,467	407,630	10,281,976	865,999	10,166,759	786,588

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CHEESE (pounds)—Continued.										
Central American States and		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Honduras	17,458	1,985	16,294	2,002	126,096	14,207	121,192	13,726	113,386	13,060
Mexico.....	14,620	1,595	15,946	1,927	98,260	11,936	95,488	11,242	114,217	13,626
Santo Domingo.....	5,825	652	3,963	511	28,846	3,270	23,297	2,776	27,283	3,325
Cuba.....	33,914	3,926	78,534	9,640	44,454	7,734	191,181	22,443	517,979	62,448
Porto Rico.....	1,720	213	67,326	8,810	16,101	1,713	10,106	1,255	133,539	16,933
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	85,803	9,562	89,417	9,398	622,150	74,488	574,576	68,177	533,456	61,643
Brazil.....			233	35	745	80	1,679	182	5,383	603
Colombia.....	7,351	914	4,814	641	64,380	7,909	71,245	8,655	45,478	5,602
Other South America.....	12,716	1,683	4,700	619	95,482	11,637	104,576	13,291	88,536	10,523
China.....	4,615	509	5,150	560	33,680	3,717	38,294	4,148	92,000	10,055
Japan.....	4,400	463	3,940	431	34,525	3,771	29,669	3,190	42,660	4,820
Other Asia and Oceania.....	24,840	2,649	35,010	4,046	143,213	16,305	191,700	20,566	244,658	27,425
Other countries	790	84	203	25	18,800	2,232	9,956	1,096	10,582	1,147
Total.....	2,202,103	192,866	913,863	97,544	34,176,026	3,118,954	42,359,863	3,688,450	27,139,243	2,323,222
Milk		59,162		149,368		437,415		565,110		772,588
Total provisions, etc.....		16,737,444		15,634,601		103,198,419		122,638,402		131,540,063
Quicksilver.....lbs....	125,151	58,804	103,443	46,825	890,281	546,091	654,570	269,446	822,311	373,749
Rice.....lbs....	163,853	7,059	215,879	12,424	(a)	(a)	504,077	22,460	703,842	32,532
Rice bran, meal, and polish .lbs....	501,035	3,700	1,589,700	8,775	2,799,266	15,998	4,018,707	25,047	11,974,050	65,636
Salt.....lbs....	358,410	2,634	4,174,357	10,980	(a)	(a)	5,995,581	34,894	10,525,166	42,728
Seeds:										
Clover.....lbs....	3,679,086	211,639	2,690,853	170,934	11,599,457	894,859	26,256,392	1,613,252	17,792,991	1,123,984
Cotton.....lbs....	4,092,336	25,500	5,332,106	29,489	23,716,312	154,654	30,553,462	185,201	30,058,566	174,383
Flaxseed or linseed.....bush.....			18,083	21,880	4,112,430	3,340,656	257,165	231,170	2,820,615	2,804,243
Timothy.....lbs....	2,579,061	79,226	2,736,661	78,879	13,546,648	476,112	8,166,154	253,339	13,051,875	405,797
Other grass seeds.....		10,350		6,921				154,672		145,561
All other.....		16,539		18,464		390,537		124,014		122,371
Total.....		343,254		326,567		5,256,818		2,561,648		4,776,339
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		95,013		97,686		2,707,996		984,186		796,400
France.....		5,821		745		116,631		34,528		180,841
Germany.....		68,098		94,592		599,156		705,006		788,012
Other Europe.....		18,848		13,564		1,286,811		338,991		1,632,988
British North America.....		130,817		105,595		454,986		389,029		1,295,418
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		2,075		391		8,055		4,260		2,726
Mexico.....		6,253		3,156		16,309		28,143		14,773
Santo Domingo.....		45		36		330		587		134
Cuba.....		356		284		3,186		2,528		3,185
Porto Rico.....				19		255		19		131
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		301		275		3,501		3,398		3,807
Argentina.....		216				742		348		2,432
Brazil.....		20		80		855		858		799
Colombia.....		162		19		2,049		1,409		1,090
Other South America.....		188		213		4,310		1,691		1,484
China.....		148		156		583		709		461
British Australasia.....		14,075		8,355		45,785		60,169		43,424
Other Asia and Oceania.....		500		912		3,782		4,491		5,687
Africa.....		318		489		1,496		1,295		2,547
Total seeds.....		343,254		326,567		5,256,818		2,561,648		4,776,339
Shells.....		811		12,426		(a)		91,831		81,154
Silk, manufactures of		37,625		46,789		158,168		192,853		221,790

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Soap:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Toilet or fancy		36,985		28,871		146,569		184,010		234,210
Other.....lbs..	3,839,565	168,151	3,826,002	133,342	17,881,851	690,406	20,563,535	794,244	22,139,159	719,844
Total.....		205,136		162,213		836,975		978,254		954,054
Spermaceti and spermaceti wax										
.....lbs..	21,178	6,344	35,465	9,492	166,321	53,383	151,794	45,245	164,752	44,932
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
ALCOHOL—										
Wood	35,740	21,425	125,743	72,249			314,289	166,887	487,599	270,725
Other, including pure, neutral, or cologne spirits.....	509,118	102,832	3,133	987	344,843	106,016	831,482	209,141	937,224	265,177
Brandy.....	573	922	2,102	1,678	7,965	8,181	15,415	22,607	17,652	24,668
Ram	21,769	29,933	146,561	203,432	514,260	701,836	331,646	453,782	625,808	866,650
WHISKY—										
Bourbon.....	85,400	56,330	14,274	22,405	345,402	271,913	230,381	182,750	177,297	198,600
Rye	3,381	4,531	11,249	19,408	17,684	31,608	10,947	19,865	55,507	90,706
All other.....	1,126	937	1,587	2,775	307,953	129,682	30,824	24,305	15,987	18,587
Total.....	657,107	216,930	304,649	322,934	1,538,107	1,249,286	1,764,984	1,079,337	2,317,074	1,735,113
Starch	4,869,914	90,718	10,167,903	222,004	45,236,304	983,841	49,265,236	862,465	82,867,837	1,685,068
Stationery, except of paper		99,090		105,000		657,248		732,820		822,185
Stereotype and electrotype plates		4,225		5,393		51,111		48,723		47,547
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of		49,415		71,376		185,953		198,873		220,201
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....galls..	256,892	19,817	441,888	31,744			3,020,353	200,172	5,250,793	449,963
Sirup.....galls..	828,000	100,623	1,057,446	165,714	6,470,855	582,359	5,980,501	568,846	6,370,406	861,077
Sugar, brown.....lbs..	25,061	969	1,695	80	1,027,388	32,598	414,249	15,591	209,304	8,157
SUGAR, REFINED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	290,000	12,000			485,000	19,475	340,432	14,523	308,967	15,051
Germany			180	10	10,390	520	2,075	98	280	15
Other Europe					11,653	570	4,919	262	1,300	60
British North America	3,885	249	565,642	17,752	25,381	1,730	45,713	2,912	993,832	38,651
Central American States and British Honduras	102,609	4,699	46,927	2,040	1,038,803	47,329	839,222	40,672	287,319	13,566
Mexico	29,527	1,226	3,413	201	387,029	19,153	238,227	11,351	283,134	12,524
Santo Domingo	793	40	868	51	37,946	1,752	26,590	1,406	18,390	1,001
Other West Indies and Bermuda	137,576	7,444	158,329	8,424	1,921,190	93,097	1,382,073	74,494	1,634,786	85,051
Colombia	33,080	1,803	51,832	2,253	760,232	36,475	425,672	21,590	235,831	11,291
Other South America			2,451	141	22,433	1,135	89,356	5,018	25,934	1,424
Other Asia and Oceania	71,407	3,619	73,893	2,769	783,672	35,978	861,116	41,331	2,357,230	90,043
Africa	429	28	26,415	1,482	336,726	17,199	271,457	13,878	245,422	13,223
Total.....	669,306	31,108	929,950	35,123	5,820,455	274,413	4,526,852	227,535	6,392,425	281,900
Candy and confectionery		79,617		61,099		397,156		521,544		454,987
Total sugar and molasses		232,134		293,760		1,286,526		1,533,688		2,056,084
Tin, manufactures of		17,346		31,925		213,600		180,087		235,010
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Leaf.....	18,049,013	1,579,993	18,572,824	1,697,420	253,891,533	20,515,132	207,027,136	17,941,061	212,937,096	19,892,668
Stems and trimmings	1,591,029	32,719	714,164	13,954	6,613,860	135,841	7,623,852	153,069	7,316,701	149,112
Total.....	19,640,042	1,612,712	19,286,988	1,711,374	260,505,393	20,650,973	214,650,988	18,094,130	220,253,797	19,951,780
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	9,359,443	869,048	7,750,952	668,637	77,084,816	7,005,134	74,647,799	7,261,100	68,795,145	6,427,994
France	1,120,102	99,440	514,825	50,434	22,365,344	1,721,619	19,219,935	1,519,180	23,108,063	1,871,654
Germany	3,804,098	245,368	1,767,991	144,220	55,207,166	3,835,092	48,398,963	3,377,928	40,202,118	3,237,082
Other Europe	2,988,767	185,099	4,260,111	327,924	86,459,929	6,223,853	56,935,692	4,442,145	60,439,792	5,640,078
British North America	1,219,455	102,136	1,371,892	134,642	10,479,432	1,034,612	5,586,783	540,006	7,967,444	800,880
Central American States and British Honduras	29,021	3,928	25,095	3,879	116,872	13,899	174,683	25,501	122,072	17,685

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Tobacco, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEAF, STEMS AND TRIMMINGS—										
Continued.										
Exported to (pounds)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico.....	72,296	5,027	151,225	9,951	1,190,598	90,278	1,461,093	108,534	1,306,003	107,670
West Indies and Bermuda...	320,134	32,795	299,400	27,057	2,058,996	191,369	2,247,331	222,205	2,082,350	199,984
Argentina.....	44,537	2,810	31,971	2,210	56,990	4,055	60,852	3,375	254,059	16,065
Colombia.....	4,910	713	4,689	701	15,493	2,125	39,281	5,645	31,030	4,350
Other South America.....	106,992	8,117	70,728	6,380	912,304	74,966	848,552	70,974	783,180	72,113
Japan.....	155,921	9,305	2,023,535	228,887	472,666	28,673	1,212,222	79,092	9,996,430	995,831
British Australasia.....	229,615	33,870	409,794	51,096	1,286,372	206,635	1,444,370	211,851	2,052,278	273,809
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	40,465	3,099	9,534	1,131	195,683	15,573	221,281	18,769	496,190	37,342
Africa.....	142,886	11,789	595,246	54,225	2,602,412	203,050	2,150,751	207,657	2,617,043	248,512
Other countries.....	1,400	168			320	40	1,400	168	600	71
Total unmanufactured...	19,640,042	1,612,712	19,286,988	1,711,374	260,505,393	20,650,973	214,650,988	18,094,130	220,253,797	19,951,780
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars.....M.	171	3,546	467	8,873	1,348	29,223	1,269	32,780	2,397	40,670
Cigarettes.....M.	99,007	188,622	83,988	170,258	689,928	1,467,575	730,780	1,471,507	928,150	1,737,806
Plug.....lbs.	965,482	216,120	985,029	239,559				1,598,033	6,716,038	1,576,773
All other.....		71,837		75,549		2,194,295		510,776		588,513
Total.....		480,125		494,239		3,691,093		3,613,096		3,943,762
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		91,949		73,638		1,158,459		968,672		580,322
France.....		2,381		1,219		13,178		16,310		11,201
Germany.....		11,383		4,587		162,760		97,198		60,535
Other Europe.....		26,213		25,311		242,154		236,762		272,160
British North America.....		6,738		11,273		42,741		45,250		55,407
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,744		6,392		46,762		32,323		42,554
Mexico.....		10,231		763		11,610		16,910		8,445
Cuba.....		26,788		29,281		58,913		122,340		110,439
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		12,864		15,629		146,393		106,869		95,912
Argentina.....				10		47,853		1,807		4,171
Brazil.....						1,355		560		500
Colombia.....		642		440		1,070		2,544		3,800
Other South America.....		4,668		5,969		45,078		56,938		61,770
China.....		34,778		24,361		175,253		234,717		225,045
East Indies: British.....		11,980		36,636		104,842		103,035		179,908
Hongkong.....		8,600		5,037		(a)		28,144		51,449
Japan.....		50,041		3,974		279,484		353,488		465,422
British Australasia.....		128,904		206,760		720,687		904,239		1,302,707
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		14,422		19,814		169,008		142,479		198,954
Africa.....		30,439		23,745		262,621		138,477		212,411
Other countries.....		1,360				672		4,034		650
Total manufactures of.....		480,125		494,239		3,691,093		3,613,096		3,943,762
Toys.....		8,972		11,491		113,684		95,480		117,920
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.....		11,233		19,724		65,677		70,769		97,141
Varnish.....galls.	49,939	49,907	51,555	57,651	289,454	304,477	281,571	293,282	317,366	334,095
Vegetables (bush.):										
Beans and pease.....	73,832	100,500	62,556	93,372	656,244	796,690	734,170	927,932	703,147	1,011,848
Onions.....	6,506	7,282	7,377	6,710	62,524	48,887	88,092	76,862	147,714	116,964
Potatoes.....	40,264	29,949	42,925	35,233	747,583	418,501	533,759	410,313	499,774	376,413
Vegetables, canned.....		21,033		44,953		330,476		301,255		479,239
All other, including pickles and sauces.....		34,325		39,668		149,364		252,108		246,805
Total.....		193,080		219,936		1,743,918		1,968,470		2,231,269
Vessels sold to foreigners (tons):										
Steamers.....	275	22,293	11	5,000	448	90,568	573	103,772	102	32,566
Sailing vessels.....			1	125	78	1,600	12	1,300	1,420	16,425
Total.....	275	22,293	12	5,125	526	92,168	585	105,072	1,522	48,991

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Vinegar.....galls..	13,372	1,859	8,858	929	66,291	8,408	76,917	9,402	74,017	9,820
Whalebone.....lbs..	3,763	8,748	5,720	14,602	75,974	269,723	94,520	277,411	82,101	230,659
Wine:										
In bottles.....doz..	955	4,456	1,083	5,220	11,888	48,635	6,516	28,845	8,613	42,393
In other coverings.....galls..	134,239	53,395	106,822	54,912	1,045,795	479,071	911,140	403,137	1,133,519	473,626
Total.....		57,851		60,132		527,706		431,982		515,962
Wood, and manufactures of:										
TIMBER AND UNMANUFACTURED WOOD—										
Sawn.....M feet..	32,241	302,387	40,901	442,591	203,013	2,190,543	220,362	2,279,293	270,256	2,719,112
Hewn.....cubic feet..	394,327	52,438	440,726	55,444	2,271,278	402,853	3,435,062	707,270	2,761,465	458,979
Logs, and other.....		290,006		283,108		2,880,845		2,233,831		2,393,675
Total.....		644,831		781,143		5,474,241		5,220,394		5,571,766
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		321,047		377,646		2,527,413		2,012,669		2,102,392
France.....		36,917		47,358		119,298		235,305		270,858
Germany.....		70,156		124,378		923,649		949,253		833,977
Other Europe.....		117,251		109,603		676,454		804,188		1,012,834
British North America.....		46,613		20,394		465,243		708,613		649,551
Central American States and British Honduras.....		911		119		125,033		45,557		22,552
Mexico.....		26,489		11,450		209,980		166,030		225,476
Cuba.....		6,815		10,398		15,200		14,863		32,521
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		555		106		26,712		4,519		4,410
Argentina.....						33,516		6,490		12,744
Brazil.....						9,694		7,278		4,284
Colombia.....		9,600		405		8,535		22,107		20,599
Other South America.....		270		11,818		14,622		31,140		25,918
British Australasia.....		1,450		53,265		180,161		134,053		186,910
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,429		11,651		38,044		46,354		69,121
Africa.....		4,328		2,552		100,487		31,975		97,589
Total.....		644,831		781,143		5,474,241		5,220,394		5,571,766
LUMBER (M feet)—										
Boards, deals, and planks.....	71,193	1,131,122	82,129	1,248,465	616,993	9,078,630	583,027	8,805,465	677,905	10,434,750
Joists and scantling.....	2,640	26,778	6,879	72,062	26,237	311,334	28,138	310,739	27,082	293,566
Total.....	73,833	1,157,900	89,008	1,320,527	643,230	9,389,964	611,165	9,176,204	704,987	10,728,316
Exported to (M feet)—										
United Kingdom.....	9,148	262,993	9,682	239,904	88,535	2,110,430	87,531	2,075,610	101,817	2,387,642
France.....	3,926	48,895	3,877	50,915	13,803	203,912	21,233	291,688	22,587	324,106
Germany.....	3,712	49,526	5,116	116,707	15,267	350,641	25,199	536,627	34,395	761,204
Other Europe.....	14,603	262,447	16,150	271,243	66,232	983,712	82,432	1,428,362	93,743	1,830,052
British North America.....	5,813	82,653	7,529	101,458	38,492	528,183	52,800	724,559	67,094	946,372
Central American States and British Honduras.....	362	4,645	661	8,359	8,974	103,152	2,724	31,758	3,400	43,444
Mexico.....	6,051	77,413	6,330	69,993	46,840	659,000	47,317	621,864	51,292	549,785
Santo Domingo.....	262	3,096	232	3,987	2,539	41,445	2,343	31,317	1,422	21,918
Cuba.....	3,183	30,984	13,092	141,766	22,302	235,465	23,591	255,903	49,024	559,804
Porto Rico.....	299	3,595	1,711	21,005	7,333	95,761	3,899	49,064	3,155	38,138
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	3,600	51,477	4,384	60,783	46,343	667,296	29,813	422,400	35,142	492,255
Argentina.....	6,966	56,462	4,752	46,734	72,239	875,443	57,621	664,045	64,908	701,879
Brazil.....	4,529	60,383	4,122	43,867	41,630	533,065	41,940	531,337	25,753	327,754
Colombia.....	350	4,561	396	4,280	2,513	36,438	3,683	47,545	2,247	30,654
Other South America.....	2,911	37,971	1,495	21,015	46,713	556,651	30,193	361,078	27,179	343,414
China.....			807	7,606	5,785	50,709	12,666	85,201	11,212	97,982
Hongkong.....			528	5,321	(a)	(a)	619	8,101	2,200	20,621
Japan.....	29	357	9	100	12,679	107,284	6,437	48,747	1,098	11,266

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.										
LUMBER (M feet)—Continued.										
Exported to (M feet)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....	1, 133	20, 754	498	7, 207	47, 541	481, 745	29, 213	321, 888	33, 838	379, 642
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	2, 063	17, 144	6, 320	62, 544	22, 769	233, 514	30, 263	282, 468	39, 904	387, 171
Africa.....	3, 993	52, 544	1, 317	35, 733	34, 450	531, 190	19, 573	355, 247	27, 416	471, 697
Other countries.....					251	4, 908	75	1, 395	101	1, 515
Total boards, deals, etc..	73, 833	1, 157, 900	89, 008	1, 320, 527	643, 230	9, 389, 964	611, 165	9, 176, 204	704, 987	10, 728, 316
Shingles.....M.	6, 029	11, 804	5, 563	9, 570	42, 473	80, 186	34, 692	76, 155	53, 038	92, 497
Shooks—										
Box.....		34, 040		24, 765		406, 656		386, 504		294, 070
Other.....No..	61, 278	77, 003	34, 139	35, 862	583, 127	473, 292	496, 286	491, 685	525, 915	479, 103
Staves.....No..	4, 636, 609	299, 267	3, 096, 159	295, 829		2, 077, 685	40, 908, 035	2, 665, 546	35, 830, 368	2, 902, 042
Heading.....		13, 628		9, 963				153, 191		141, 401
All other.....		294, 877		237, 258		2, 215, 167		2, 378, 019		2, 266, 317
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds.....		78, 385		139, 197		396, 209		555, 253		873, 388
FURNITURE, N. E. S.—										
United Kingdom.....		92, 424		115, 726		640, 088		707, 428		791, 240
France.....		19, 596		6, 966		130, 614		199, 247		63, 097
Germany.....		42, 214		16, 147		155, 042		229, 361		133, 538
Other Europe.....		18, 203		24, 830		155, 641		179, 663		167, 175
British North America.....		36, 679		27, 638		422, 644		363, 828		316, 656
Central American States and British Honduras.....		3, 720		2, 060		118, 885		66, 628		28, 154
Mexico.....		13, 234		22, 156		135, 304		117, 948		167, 879
Santo Domingo.....		628		1, 094		9, 602		9, 075		5, 578
Cuba.....		3, 358		13, 191		26, 225		22, 244		40, 780
Porto Rico.....		68		4, 605		14, 053		5, 877		12, 103
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		10, 325		12, 252		109, 071		88, 894		78, 889
Argentina.....		1, 643		3, 999		75, 576		56, 583		52, 258
Brazil.....		2, 382		3, 157		38, 541		30, 073		23, 136
Colombia.....		2, 474		2, 615		30, 661		26, 970		20, 273
Other South America.....		5, 768		2, 241		86, 701		59, 197		47, 214
China.....		1, 061		1, 019		22, 898		18, 560		8, 176
East Indies: British.....		1, 448		287		15, 287		15, 107		5, 740
Japan.....		300		1, 537		23, 776		24, 200		13, 352
British Australasia.....		12, 816		24, 437		153, 791		145, 010		202, 104
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		9, 054		22, 844		78, 288		116, 389		157, 759
Africa.....		28, 704		25, 791		243, 745		254, 411		256, 891
Other countries.....		125		80		829		2, 240		1, 444
Total furniture, n. e. s.....		306, 224		334, 672		2, 687, 262		2, 738, 933		2, 593, 436
Hogsheads and barrels, empty.....		16, 421		18, 080		193, 234		182, 657		168, 806
Trimmings, moldings, and other house finishings.....		19, 810		34, 583		144, 215		205, 446		278, 371
Wooden ware.....		54, 283		93, 105		398, 899		342, 365		506, 106
Wood pulp.....lbs..	7, 656, 562	59, 340	7, 788, 385	114, 291			39, 312, 564	415, 830	44, 015, 163	521, 852
All other.....		301, 677		275, 921		2, 331, 743		2, 155, 831		2, 165, 977
Total.....		3, 369, 490		3, 724, 766		26, 868, 753		27, 144, 013		29, 583, 448
Wool, and manufactures of:										
Wool, raw.....lbs..			72, 578	4, 778	5, 106, 477	591, 711	104, 869	16, 390	137, 707	16, 116
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets.....yards..	5, 291	3, 905	23, 997	19, 978	166, 878	128, 354	157, 483	135, 682	60, 779	48, 270
Dress goods.....yards..	4, 634	2, 660	6, 340	3, 184			72, 765	36, 050	24, 505	14, 555
Flannels and blankets.....		1, 679		6, 022		43, 099		34, 822		36, 789
Wearing apparel.....		56, 922		54, 314		304, 304		331, 529		400, 216
All other manufactures of.....		28, 321		48, 886		245, 337		342, 914		298, 256
Total manufactures.....		93, 487		132, 384		721, 094		880, 997		798, 086

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Zinc, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ore tons..	1,363	37,180	4,109	117,725	4,073	91,725	7,678	209,892	11,321	329,610
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets lbs..	2,598,877	125,770	3,505,917	180,436	24,341,608	1,174,293	20,863,048	1,000,833	14,963,646	753,164
All other manufactures of.....		13,586		16,880		51,545		58,117		129,553
Total, not including ore.....		139,356		197,316		1,225,838		1,058,950		882,717
ALL OTHER ARTICLES.....		470,333		601,843		3,329,677		3,045,154		4,014,415
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE.....		110,750,861		102,165,958		807,726,317		910,550,631		931,467,879
CARRIED IN—										
CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		5,911,959		7,130,125		44,542,571		49,030,513		54,722,896
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....		3,671,632		5,103,116		40,119,959		36,346,461		37,049,583
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Belgian.....	1,643,639		1,201,427				14,299,391		12,558,080	
British.....	71,328,766		62,874,900				582,731,174		601,536,712	
Dutch.....	2,209,965		2,058,424				15,229,775		19,765,242	
French.....	1,105,980		1,604,623				12,516,660		11,172,154	
German.....	8,170,562	92,590,274	8,501,989	84,415,538		a 650,468,662	65,221,516	743,420,738	80,254,076	780,514,191
Italian.....			49,301				941,986		1,346,476	
Norwegian.....	2,527,908		2,577,687				17,307,567		19,450,450	
All other.....	5,603,454		5,547,187				35,172,729		34,431,001	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS.....		1,291,719		1,752,367		17,866,397		14,105,289		14,253,783
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....									2,889	
British.....	4,540,394		1,299,918				47,063,671		26,219,042	
Dutch.....	15,702		138,690				338,272		690,838	
French.....	179,509		78,633				1,351,405		830,060	
German.....	828,830	7,285,277	852,579	3,764,812		a 54,728,728	6,333,030	67,647,570	5,855,607	44,927,426
Italian.....	268,231		514,439				3,459,382		3,143,017	
Norwegian.....	1,171,241		538,027				6,232,146		5,193,873	
All other.....	281,370		342,526				2,869,664		2,992,100	

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Animals (number):								
Cattle.....dut.....			20	1,500	23	1,230	4,307	63,770
Horses.....free.....					8	2,550	3	102
Do.....dut.....					142	70,998	152	52,160
Sheep.....dut.....					67	390	61	875
All other, including fowls.....free.....						156		9,028
Do.....dut.....		130		275		6,810		5,947
Total.....		130		1,775		82,140		131,882
Antimony ore.....free..lbs.....	2,246	157			2,246	157	32,075	627
Antimony ore, as regulus or metal.....dut..lbs.....					4,086	287		
Articles, the growth, produce, and manufacture of the United States, returned, n. e. s.....free.....		15		33		200		115
Articles for the use of the United States, etc. free.....						144		
Art works.....free.....		3,993				43,824		10,393
Do.....dut.....		53,980		117,617		268,979		328,571
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude.....dut. tons.....			2	55	60	1,765	961	18,852
Bolting cloths.....free.....								1,000
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured.....free.....		315				3,757		2,918
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....		173		193		2,026		616
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....free.....		3,456		1,046		27,317		18,299
Do.....dut.....		3,382		2,224		17,629		18,662
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut.....		24		123		1,343		1,232
Breadstuffs:								
Barley.....dut..bush.....							86	29
Corn.....dut..bush.....							1,480	463
Wheat.....dut..bush.....	2,029	2,028	61,653	46,069	1,764,417	1,668,540	1,922,315	1,441,709
Wheat flour.....dut..bbls.....	547	2,025			1,235	4,190	1,044	3,898
All other, and preparations of, etc.....free.....		82		2,518		6,017		3,884
Do.....dut.....		321		745		3,020		3,177
Total.....		4,456		49,132		1,681,767		1,453,160
Bristles (pounds):								
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....			2,000	1,530	40	18	3,771	2,740
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut.....	4,293	3,201	2,500	1,718	20,828	17,371	36,327	15,850
Total.....	4,293	3,201	4,500	3,248	20,868	17,389	40,098	18,590
Brushes.....dut.....		132		15		1,828		331
Buttons and button forms.....dut.....		135		409		1,866		1,098
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....dut..lbs.....	615,129	2,110	267,600	1,032	3,545,791	13,360	5,667,897	20,202
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:								
Alizarin and alizarin colors or dyes, etc.....free..lbs.....	1,508	211	952	171	5,975	856	25,542	4,064
Argols, or wine lees.....dut..lbs.....					375	19	346	18
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....dut.....		2,804		7,703		36,803		30,315
Cochineal.....free..lbs.....					404	113		
DYEWOODS—								
Logwood.....free. tons.....	13	260	7	146	29	584	71	1,774
All other.....free.....		2,965		209		9,914		1,371
Extracts and decoctions of.....dut..lbs.....	1,625	80	9,703	637	24,543	1,794	127,119	18,201
Total.....		3,305		992		12,292		21,346
Glycerin.....dut..lbs.....					55,646	4,782		
GUMS (pounds)—								
Arabic.....free.....	775	193	900	134	14,277	3,326	26,583	4,864
Camphor, crude.....free.....					587	88	908	294
Chicle.....dut.....			18,087	2,487			135,070	23,198
Copal, cowrie, and dammar.....free.....			69,013	5,324			242,901	24,911
Gambier, or terra japonica.....free.....	29,167	1,109	11,035	779	161,691	5,981	181,718	6,613
Shellac.....free.....	970	210	1,777	341	28,859	6,212	38,635	7,677
All other.....free.....		18,150		18,842		117,771		79,972
Total.....		17,662		27,907		133,378		147,529

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Indigo.....free...lbs..	144,754	83,463	24,907	16,478	187,595	116,659	67,546	49,572
Licorice root.....free...lbs..							245	23
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....free...lbs..					24,660	393		
Do.....dut...lbs..	100	3			34,359	480	110	3
Mineral waters, all not artificial.....free...galls..					155	114		
Mineral waters.....dut...galls..	155	94	2,148	951	2,878	993	6,717	2,797
OPIUM (pounds)—								
Crude or unmanufactured.....free.....					50	100		
Do.....dut.....	1,347	2,700	597	1,300	5,485	10,870	32,995	83,802
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.....					3	25	4	60
POTASH (pounds)—								
Chlorate of.....free.....					1,108	99		
Do.....dut.....	3,913	252	5,600	417	14,194	1,123	33,253	2,647
Muriate of.....free.....	75,820	1,516	28,704	605	75,820	1,516	50,208	1,015
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free.....			22,350	894	12,180	220	22,350	894
All other.....free.....					43,355	2,161	28,874	771
Total.....	79,733	1,768	56,654	1,916	146,657	5,119	134,685	5,327
Quinia, sulphate of, etc.....free...ozs.....					200	55	132	66
SODA—								
Caustic.....dut...lbs..	167,377	2,842	55,426	1,084	1,163,725	21,287	785,725	14,326
Nitrate of.....free...tons.....	104	3,819	36	1,231	882	32,392	691	22,689
Soda ash.....dut...lbs..	147,051	705	56,554	418	1,482,765	6,085	4,408,162	14,668
All other salts of.....dut...lbs..	10,292	102			42,071	454	30,682	338
Total.....		7,468		2,733		60,218		52,021
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude.....free...tons.....	2	38	324	7,447	389	7,530	1,356	31,046
Sumac, ground.....dut...lbs..					23,359	334	24,055	375
Vanilla beans.....free...lbs..	1,317	10,501	572	2,535	7,708	39,769	24,739	88,779
All other.....free.....		28,636		27,346		253,553		198,520
Do.....dut.....		15,015		6,397		111,232		75,090
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....		173,668		103,876		795,687		790,753
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....dut...lbs..	115	24	50	13	5,606	1,108	13,566	1,419
Clays or earths of all kinds.....dut...tons.....	13	109	30	243	56	364	154	553
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):								
Clocks, and parts of.....		11		3,990		519		4,221
Watches, and watch materials, etc.....				581		1,255		813
Coal, bituminous.....dut...tons.....					4,906	5,062	3,482	3,140
Cocoa, or cacao, crude, etc.....free...lbs..	231,194	37,890	209,861	32,542	1,047,681	150,911	1,833,481	230,528
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....dut...lbs..	365	90			1,354	374	373	91
Coffee.....free...lbs..	2,491,974	260,236	6,042,659	553,901	15,025,799	1,855,642	22,934,454	2,237,592
Copper, and manufactures of:								
Ore and regulus.....free...tons.....					593	85,170	3,328	536,460
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc.....free...lbs..					214,132	15,501	1,487,933	71,768
Manufactures of.....dut.....		88		789		3,198		3,357
Total, not including ore.....		98		789		18,699		75,125
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanufactured.....free.....		5,209		4,204		59,208		49,543
Cork, manufactures of.....dut.....		2,348		353		6,751		1,164
Cotton, and manufactures of:								
Unmanufactured.....free...lbs..	14,650	1,212	25,400	3,725	404,604	33,953	249,046	26,345
Waste or flocks.....free...lbs..							10,960	274
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cloth (square yards)—								
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....			816	102	1,525	107	18,901	1,104
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	69,513	5,416	45,466	2,417	862,747	67,649	148,312	11,873
Total.....	69,513	5,416	46,282	2,519	864,272	67,756	167,213	12,977
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		611		594		14,227		8,892
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		423		983		6,046		5,829
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		1,168		1,517		13,928		11,892
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs..					3,140	1,241	3,602	1,244
All other.....		25,335		17,315		137,455		88,461
Total manufactures.....		32,953		22,928		240,653		129,295

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):								
CHINA, PORCELAIN, FARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Not decorated or ornamented.....		160		580		1,233		6,085
Decorated or ornamented.....		5,640		1,777		10,940		16,795
All other.....		2,669		750		12,197		3,290
Total.....		8,469		3,107		24,370		26,150
Eggs..... doz..... dut.							24	50
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc..... dut.		881		11,204		6,031		30,316
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc..... dut.		124		118		5,202		5,688
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, for millinery use..... dut.		217		156		9,894		918
Fertilizers (free, tons):								
Phosphates, crude or native.....	10	306	200	2,241	75	2,088	200	2,241
All other.....				263		794		16,060
Total.....		306		2,504		2,882		18,301
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—								
Flax, hackled..... dut.					25	2,129		
Hemp, and tow of..... free.					57	5,117		
Hemp, hackled..... dut.					196	16,348	75	12,210
Istle or Tampico fiber..... free.	50	4,075	155	12,116	534	38,021	1,012	81,650
Jute and jute butts..... free.	2	95			2	95		
Manila..... free.	113	10,960	375	40,902	509	47,153	534	73,634
Sisal grass..... free.	161	15,968	757	110,544	1,369	105,810	1,382	192,307
All other..... free.		22	181	1,018	75	11,862	152	9,177
Total unmanufactured.....	326	31,120	1,468	173,580	2,767	226,535	3,155	368,978
MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—								
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc..... dut.				31		546		86
Bags for grain, made of burlaps..... free.						350		
Bags of jute..... dut.		197		3,166		9,640		17,816
Burlaps..... free.						24		
Do..... dut.		882				6,394		
Cables, cordage, and twine, n. e. s..... dut.	855	211			5,544	636	586	93
Coir yarn..... free.			6,412	360	57,699	1,670	37,657	1,633
Carpets and carpeting..... sq. yds..... dut.							4,389	1,354
Fabrics, plain, woven of single jute yarn..... dut.				704				33,139
Handkerchiefs..... dut.				54				94
Oil cloths..... dut..... sq. yds.			1,553	1,157			1,553	1,157
Twine, binding..... free.							1,125	124
Yarns or threads..... dut.	5,253	1,311			9,163	2,787		
All other..... dut.		2,301		3,680		47,027		28,462
Total manufactures.....		4,902		9,172		69,074		83,958
Fish (pounds):								
FRESH—								
Lobsters, canned or uncanned..... free.					5,114	999	14,630	2,329
All other..... dut.						22		
CURED OR PRESERVED (dutiable)—								
Anchovies and sardines, etc.....		425		991		10,677		8,769
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	1,575,464	51,558	1,163,970	42,998	9,127,386	292,522	5,977,713	217,413
Herring—								
Dried or smoked.....	632,737	12,870	257,918	6,129	4,487,769	80,755	1,363,440	32,333
Pickled or salted.....	24,164	867			58,774	1,907	62,075	1,708
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....			1,200	75	19,400	1,177	9,200	459
Salmon, pickled or salted.....			465	73	18,800	1,182	153,473	23,932
All other.....		7,849		8,179		20,759		58,556
Total.....		73,569		58,445		410,000		345,499
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):								
Bananas..... free.		4,740		7,200		176,227		147,219
Currants..... dut.	95,563	3,336	21,416	551	1,037,177	33,222	359,522	10,612
Dates..... dut.	25,288	867	27,849	1,104	147,607	5,065	165,742	4,922
Figs..... dut.	798	52	637	77	34,867	1,962	147,538	7,300
Lemons..... dut.		385		490		8,521		5,033

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—Continued.								
Oranges.....dut.....		406		12		9,749		10,327
Plums and prunes.....dut.....					1,775	168	1,660	250
Raisins.....dut.....	21,561	1,100	53,883	2,920	482,894	22,043	235,059	12,299
Prepared or preserved.....dut.....		338		409		16,717		8,088
All other.....free.....		1,191		2,012		28,336		8,300
Do.....dut.....		5,402		7,358		47,595		56,754
Total fruits.....		17,817		22,133		349,605		271,105
Nuts—								
Almonds.....dut.....	2,235	187	18,581	2,596	58,993	4,909	144,040	11,640
Cocoanuts.....free.....		1,502		1,284		2,615		3,770
Do.....dut.....						2,667		
All other.....dut.....		1,498		1,124		15,809		12,210
Total fruits and nuts.....		21,004		27,137		375,605		298,725
Furs:								
Fur and fur skins, undressed.....free.....		7,365		13,417		63,856		112,743
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.....		18,515		13,200		116,183		72,699
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....dut.....doz.....	445	306	425	247	1,514	1,084	1,113	707
Glass and glassware (dutiable):								
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		250		126		942		1,484
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs.....					62,364	1,142	17,752	464
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft.....					22	7		
Plate glass, cast, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft.....					900	215		
All other.....		713		716		10,028		5,522
Total.....		963		842		12,334		7,470
Glue.....dut.....lbs.....	367	44	453	54	16,482	2,311	6,767	634
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free.....		254				558		2,153
Grease, n. e. s.....dut.....		371		418		1,426		2,788
Hair:								
Unmanufactured.....free.....		100		550		1,307		4,427
Manufactures of.....dut.....				323		1,054		1,328
Total.....		100		873		2,361		5,755
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free.....						9,622		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.....		5,630		1,247		23,328		6,481
Materials for, etc.....dut.....		6,571		3,677		45,511		56,167
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):								
Goatskins.....free.....	148,937	41,064	105,302	27,743	500,659	149,147	251,952	75,234
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free.....	143,023	20,272	840	250	612,619	63,864	322,519	54,458
Hides of cattle.....dut.....	299,550	29,749	262,630	34,885	6,325,311	598,238	2,615,426	324,127
Total.....	591,510	91,085	368,772	62,878	7,438,589	811,249	3,189,897	453,819
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....dut.....								2,107
Hops.....dut.....lbs.....	3,872	690	2,232	650	28,990	5,334	21,573	5,576
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		203		279		36,092		5,260
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Gutta-percha.....					11,853	8,320	60,228	41,176
India rubber.....	264,612	156,099	299,880	192,017	2,172,144	1,100,212	2,253,845	1,435,355
Total unmanufactured.....	264,612	156,099	299,880	192,017	2,183,997	1,108,532	2,314,073	1,476,531
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gutta-percha.....		123		8		123		8
India rubber.....		1,660		2		100,689		10,056
Total manufactures.....		1,783		10		100,812		10,064
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Pig iron.....dut.....tons.....	10	122	5	58	121	1,408	530	6,478
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....dut.....tons.....					57	313	74	698
Bar iron.....dut.....lbs.....	4,075	125			37,542	1,310	22,676	769
Bars, railway, of iron or steel.....dut.....tons.....					402	15,400		
Hoop, band, or scroll.....dut.....lbs.....							145	25
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc.....dut.....lbs.....	4,029	383	914	385	28,162	2,640	82,808	2,778
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....dut.....lbs.....	72,310	1,947	29,579	852	1,780,324	48,834	289,042	7,211
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....dut.....lbs.....	26,750	597	3,121	88	448,078	11,868	442,526	12,844
Wire rods.....dut.....lbs.....					293,250	5,865		
Wire, and articles made from.....dut.....lbs.....	88,999	2,628	118	12	114,459	5,031	164,380	3,387

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Anvils.....dut...lbs..	294	30			6, 149	221		
Chains.....dut...lbs..							600	50
Cutlery.....dut.....		2, 840		874		12, 712		7, 584
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.....						17		132
Firearms.....dut.....		1, 353		5		8, 394		16, 265
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free.....		9				11		129
Machinery.....dut.....		4, 937		2, 547		22, 956		189, 045
Shotgun barrels, forged, rough-bored.....free.....						728		
All other.....dut.....		3, 349		25, 205		89, 013		123, 562
Total, not including ore.....		18, 320		30, 024		226, 721		370, 957
Ivory (free, pounds):								
Animal.....					1, 880	4, 308	2, 310	6, 113
Vegetable.....	135, 772	2, 240	31, 000	659	331, 653	6, 652	640, 089	9, 537
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:								
Diamonds, n. e. s., not set.....dut.....				67		309		67
Other precious stones, rough or uncut.....free.....								405
Other precious stones and imitations of, not set.....dut.....				27		7, 214		49, 442
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....dut.....		250		130		8, 085		19, 821
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
Lead in ore and base bullion.....	17, 960, 294	324, 547	15, 412, 919	218, 270	104, 367, 185	1, 926, 050	119, 173, 383	1, 864, 174
Pigs, bars, and old.....			7, 009	263			7, 009	263
Manufactures of.....		40		308		24, 031		355
Leather, and manufactures of:								
LEATHER (dutiable)—								
Band or belting, and sole leather.....				543		7, 629		4, 913
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		180		8, 043		1, 136		10, 961
Skins for morocco.....		5, 379				5, 379		737
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		1, 570		321		5, 592		35, 045
Total leather.....		7, 129		8, 907		19, 736		51, 656
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....				4, 816		2, 411		13, 220
All other.....		2, 724		7, 889		25, 744		17, 195
Total manufactures.....		2, 724		12, 705		28, 155		30, 415
Malt liquors (dutiable, gallons):								
In bottles or jugs.....	516	438	408	362	6, 991	5, 358	8, 630	5, 494
In other coverings.....							2, 960	655
Total.....	516	438	408	362	6, 991	5, 358	11, 590	6, 149
Manganese ore or oxide.....free.....tons..					15	85	34	268
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
Marble, and manufactures of.....				1, 174		2, 441		1, 364
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		502		26		1, 414		1, 003
Total.....		502		1, 200		3, 855		2, 367
Matting for floors.....free.....rolls..					60	204		
Matting and mats for floors.....dut...sq. yds..	15, 480	798	20, 840	7, 381	47, 057	5, 594	115, 260	12, 948
Metals, metal compositions, and manufs of (dut.):								
Bronze manufactures.....						671		1, 000
All other.....		3, 897		5, 378		30, 314		58, 552
Total.....		3, 897		5, 378		30, 985		59, 552
Musical instruments.....dut.....		627		660		6, 572		4, 991
Oils (gallons):								
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—								
Whale and fish.....dut.....	4, 898	1, 842	4, 667	1, 125	11, 905	4, 968	29, 061	8, 521
Other.....dut.....			63	61			64	62
MINERAL.....free.....							90	10
Do.....dut.....							1, 090	141
VEGETABLE—								
Fixed or expressed—								
Olive.....dut.....	72	99	300	390	1, 063	1, 363	3, 180	3, 191
Other.....free.....		3, 117		6, 738		21, 656		15, 975
Do.....dut.....		5, 754		1, 685		22, 437		21, 794
Volatile or essential and distilled.....free.....		8, 619		3, 128		45, 900		17, 473
Do.....dut.....		203		2, 195		8, 234		6, 984
Total.....		19, 634		15, 322		104, 558		74, 151

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Paints, pigments, and colors.....free.....						1		
Do.....dut.....		1, 673		487		9, 892		15, 754
Paper stock, crude (free; see also Wood pulp):								
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs.....					25, 115	450	9, 464	189
All other.....		446				1, 024		120
Total.....		446				1, 474		309
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s.....dut.....								158
Parchment papers.....dut.....lbs.....							9, 543	571
All other paper.....dut.....		2, 453		1, 953		16, 713		14, 133
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....dut.....		571		934		3, 875		4, 765
Pipes and smokers' articles.....dut.....				71		895		5, 445
Plants, trees, shrubs, and vines.....dut.....				30				6, 028
Plumbago.....free.....tons.....	2	122		9	5	269	163	11, 613
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (dut.):								
MEAT PRODUCTS—								
Meat and meat extracts.....		371		5, 111		1, 834		12, 030
All other.....		143		2, 107		638		63, 673
DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—								
Butter.....	300	73	100	18	2, 894	614	1, 976	423
Cheese.....	13, 083	1, 849	25, 064	3, 278	81, 011	11, 474	207, 353	21, 438
Milk, condensed.....						773		1, 328
Total.....		2, 436		10, 514		15, 333		95, 892
Rice.....dut.....lbs.....	906, 254	15, 936	956, 701	19, 539	7, 390, 671	131, 937	15, 900, 193	349, 466
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....							2, 800	70
Total.....	906, 254	15, 936	956, 701	19, 539	7, 390, 671	131, 937	15, 902, 993	349, 536
Salt.....free.....lbs.....					67, 200	66		
Do.....dut.....lbs.....	34, 280	49	26, 400	100	1, 211, 125	1, 442	1, 308, 842	2, 500
Total.....	34, 280	49	26, 400	100	1, 278, 325	1, 508	1, 308, 842	2, 500
Sausage casings.....free.....		600				750		16, 794
Seeds (bushels):								
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut.....					2, 167	1, 369		
All other.....free.....		1, 750		2, 330		5, 434		9, 706
Do.....dut.....		162		1, 565		9, 508		2, 589
Total.....		1, 912		3, 895		16, 311		12, 295
Shells, unmanufactured.....free.....		13, 440		2, 223		27, 324		32, 034
Silk, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	9, 453	28, 468	11, 643	36, 541	63, 318	179, 132	45, 603	145, 941
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		462		952		8, 288		20, 952
Dress and piece goods.....		1, 840		5, 864		7, 241		65, 877
Laces and embroideries.....		3, 215		117		7, 956		7, 064
Ribbons.....				470		410		1, 667
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs.....			2, 243	7, 201			12, 465	40, 616
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs.....			26	100			1, 257	3, 527
All other.....		4, 130		12, 035		53, 141		86, 221
Total manufactures.....		9, 647		26, 739		77, 036		225, 924
Soap (dutiable, pounds):								
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....			175	62	437	106	1, 806	296
All other.....		443		996		6, 026		5, 464
Total.....		443				6, 132		
Spices:								
UNGROUND (pounds)—								
Nutmega.....free.....	11, 262	3, 652	332	114	20, 196	5, 589	19, 359	6, 908
Pepper, black or white.....free.....	82, 695	6, 753	55, 994	5, 897	793, 867	56, 770	653, 114	65, 834
All other.....free.....	109, 864	10, 129	240, 896	19, 874	569, 058	60, 477	1, 301, 117	116, 307
Do.....dut.....	47, 128	3, 112	3, 237	185	108, 097	5, 561	137, 437	5, 337
Total.....	250, 949	23, 646	300, 459	26, 070	1, 491, 218	128, 397	2, 111, 027	194, 386

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free.....	73	72	328	463	625	541	20,970	21,016
Brandy.....dut.....	276	402	244	567	7,037	8,384	1,621	3,425
All other.....dut.....	2,742	4,104	3,455	5,944	23,441	33,340	34,118	57,692
Total.....	3,091	4,578	4,027	6,974	31,103	42,265	56,718	82,733
Sponges.....dut.....		14,824		7,733		61,397		70,922
Straw and grasses, manufactures of.....dut.....				3,399				6,058
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:								
Molasses.....free.....galls.....					4,009	922		
Molasses above 40° polariscopic test.....dut.....galls.....					56,351	10,293	165,405	25,046
SUGAR (pounds)—								
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet.....dut.....							28,000	650
Cane.....free.....	490	40	183,325	7,333	490	40	183,325	7,333
Cane and other.....dut.....	108,421	1,527	191,500	3,812	7,110,308	124,946	809,369	15,681
Above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet, cane, and other.....dut.....	545,511	13,517	442,367	11,390	4,602,850	117,223	3,633,966	95,168
Total sugar.....	654,422	15,084	817,192	22,535	11,713,648	242,209	4,654,660	118,832
Confectionery.....dut.....		8		351		1,636		1,048
Tea.....free.....lbs.....	558,778	70,406			2,511,566	369,810	170	50
Do.....dut.....lbs.....			62,070	6,881			753,258	101,326
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.....free.....lbs.....	105,114	15,008	22,800	3,735	823,494	115,298	479,772	86,876
Tobacco, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
LEAF—								
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	73,795	63,072	66,451	50,513	788,400	745,907	642,114	571,399
Other.....	84,902	36,266	61,313	22,212	947,010	330,218	891,928	469,053
Total leaf.....	158,697	99,338	130,764	72,725	1,735,010	1,076,125	1,534,042	1,040,452
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	562	829	704	1,182	18,418	24,985	10,287	15,267
All other.....		1		605		460		1,545
Total manufactures.....		830		1,787		25,445		16,812
Toys.....dut.....		402				4,534		2,000
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):								
Beans and dried pease.....	3,318	2,517	2,104	1,573	41,012	39,163	17,485	24,162
Onions.....							118	157
Potatoes.....					40	41	265	4,065
Pickles and sauces.....		118		184		1,427		1,349
All other—								
In their natural state.....		67		115		485		5,084
Prepared or preserved.....		2,622		495		6,502		10,968
Total.....		5,324		2,367		47,618		45,785
Wines (dutiable):								
Champagne, and other sparkling.....doz.....	875	13,576	173	2,367	2,173	30,585	2,096	25,062
STILL WINES—								
In casks.....galls.....	2,505	731	1,134	904	25,380	10,980	13,084	7,075
In other coverings.....doz.....	446	1,281	197	674	3,506	10,969	2,104	6,057
Total.....		15,588		3,945		52,534		38,194
Wood, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED—								
Cabinet woods—								
Mahogany.....free...M feet.....	84	4,628	152	13,510	1,226	84,352	2,221	169,801
All other.....free.....		2,813		72		44,342		20,384
Logs and round timber.....free...M feet.....							7	647
Timber, hewn, etc.....dut...cub. ft.....			6,309	660	27,365	3,923	10,841	1,217
Lumber—								
Boards, planks, etc.....free...M feet.....					4,874	132,809		
Do.....dut...M feet.....	3,586	49,201	1,570	17,821	14,388	217,928	19,765	187,983
Shingles.....dut...M.....					1,523	1,523		
Other lumber.....dut.....				839		1,037		1,515
All other unmanufactured.....free.....		4,681		28,906		93,352		83,771
Do.....dut.....				184		292		808

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Cabinet ware or house furniture.....		37				5,528		4,415
Wood pulp..... tons.....							321	3,497
All other.....		12,577		15,083		86,785		101,373
Total wood, and manufactures of.....		73,937		77,075		671,896		575,471
Wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—								
Class 1—Clothing: In the grease..... free.....					13,084	2,355		
Do..... dut.....	166,367	17,420	491,299	82,196	1,011,749	132,820	4,347,157	561,579
Scoured..... dut.....					17,572	4,070	22,215	2,294
Class 2—Combing: In the grease..... free.....					3,581	895		
Do..... dut.....	2,895	235			275,222	55,292	2,266	328
Class 3—Carpet: In the grease..... dut.....			141,536	11,881	187,816	19,963	453,950	49,924
Scoured..... dut.....					17,269	975		
Total unmanufactured.....	169,262	17,655	632,835	94,077	1,526,293	216,370	4,825,588	614,125
MANUFACTURES OF WOOL (dutiable)—								
Carpets and carpeting..... sq. yds.....	269	811	387	906	3,677	19,044	3,503	10,165
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit goods.....		1,874		2,120		28,772		15,755
Cloths..... lbs.....	5,743	4,088	35,820	19,442	121,882	70,667	69,118	33,283
Dress goods, women's and children's..... sq. yds.....	56,862	8,607	8,916	1,998	266,428	41,327	216,315	38,202
Knit fabrics.....						768		170
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc..... lbs.....	2,689	142	24,407	723	921,428	92,737	53,514	6,228
Shawls.....		6		511		2,425		1,464
Yarns..... lbs.....	200	80	600	234	207	81	1,064	484
All other.....		2,893		4,805		42,276		38,506
Total manufactures.....		18,501		30,739		298,097		144,257
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
In blocks or pigs, and old..... lbs.....			13,080	540	33,815	1,066	24,707	914
Manufactures of.....						241		128
Total.....				540		1,307		1,042
All other articles..... free.....		2,308		13,307		121,580		58,492
Do..... dut.....		12,778		40,494		78,618		185,293
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		905,153		1,248,416		6,121,196		6,902,244
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		964,482		1,051,953		9,233,529		9,529,470
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.....		1,869,635		2,300,369		15,354,725		16,431,714
FROM WAREHOUSE.....		881,410		878,608		7,802,631		8,834,656
NOT FROM WAREHOUSE.....		988,225		1,421,761		7,551,894		7,597,058
CARRIED IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		568,789		707,683		4,737,637		4,931,273
CARRIED IN AMERICAN VESSELS: Steam.....		141,047		187,637		2,084,178		2,013,249
Sailing.....		35,018		42,531		658,471		550,020
CARRIED IN FOREIGN VESSELS: Steam.....		1,077,161		1,346,438		7,675,959		8,772,847
Sailing.....		47,620		16,080		198,480		164,325

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
EUROPE.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	403,991	699,226	724,029	943,602	5,174,615	3,645,874	4,325,287	2,849,903	4,307,118	5,989,049
Azores, and Madeira Islands.	1,226	206	4,606	55,598	8,639	15,322	5,240	187,176	273,639	268,702
Belgium.....	648,479	1,346,515	3,658,021	3,356,543	8,292,689	6,768,919	8,273,051	25,236,991	35,945,676	35,330,820
Denmark.....	18,488	43,527	982,523	1,390,191	248,971	172,331	196,625	7,772,565	8,542,253	12,813,426
France.....	6,302,358	6,113,129	5,640,402	5,412,013	44,415,580	42,284,149	47,738,575	47,199,884	68,644,174	48,531,704
Germany.....	6,233,189	8,331,744	15,713,380	11,607,004	69,734,187	50,749,768	63,944,880	98,002,192	118,981,506	123,221,754
Gibraltar.....	2,226	109	60,449	39,240	12,390	26,977	8,920	273,581	272,078	501,392
Greece.....	16,715	34,951	604	63,214	623,797	830,540	860,730	106,481	121,630	207,874
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....					40,056	135,234	78,408		225	
Italy.....	2,156,702	2,863,787	2,537,806	2,440,379	12,790,377	14,507,932	17,045,557	16,830,292	18,060,863	19,750,407
Malta, Gozo, etc.....			6,163	3,911	7,357	11,889	7,017	20,155	44,081	98,380
Netherlands.....	494,132	739,804	6,019,035	6,706,816	7,551,449	8,106,992	9,832,012	38,303,060	48,185,168	62,371,884
Portugal.....	305,611	609,054	876,369	1,004,537	1,501,978	1,801,936	2,246,554	1,959,885	2,037,120	3,079,340
Roumania.....			73,104	81,992				23,548	104,048	101,614
Russia, Baltic, etc.....	352,860	201,154	1,915,668	905,425	1,295,413	2,067,635	2,097,760	4,054,995	4,302,509	5,724,720
Russia, Black Sea.....	114,883	184,166	273,797	458,356	921,073	1,264,277	1,184,092	1,534,303	663,382	1,059,734
Servia.....					8,696	12,095				217
Spain.....	342,195	358,089	735,850	1,080,008	2,725,676	2,776,405	2,954,095	8,332,073	8,695,090	7,091,043
Sweden and Norway.....	176,569	163,444	695,641	1,066,389	2,021,518	2,235,858	2,074,219	4,202,647	4,050,154	9,334,820
Switzerland.....	1,424,859	1,609,153	19,810	30,930	9,829,969	8,956,048	11,813,203	49,409	199,895	213,007
Turkey in Europe.....	274,003	238,792	14,827	14,514	1,821,045	1,516,910	1,816,158	24,943	109,680	294,969
United Kingdom.....	10,534,605	11,321,573	50,247,745	43,093,253	102,827,363	84,309,337	87,592,531	388,277,971	414,214,747	401,825,236
Total Europe.....	29,803,091	34,858,423	90,199,919	79,813,915	271,852,838	232,196,428	264,095,814	645,241,554	738,355,036	737,810,092
NORTH AMERICA.										
Bermuda.....	19,602	60,592	95,249	108,588	141,759	108,166	143,932	634,550	750,882	773,272
British Honduras.....	17,565	25,911	55,198	49,462	164,808	128,251	138,008	425,885	433,582	375,873
British North America:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	216,799	186,586	428,324	355,131	4,147,542	3,084,868	2,566,880	3,120,174	3,426,321	3,273,032
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,244,717	1,314,792	4,593,876	5,482,677	20,561,430	17,151,447	17,098,700	40,918,560	51,348,958	59,097,831
British Columbia.....	432,431	409,496	449,289	332,267	2,627,779	3,518,458	3,239,574	2,515,434	2,967,655	3,153,119
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	5,779	8,094	43,804	160,290	355,236	359,660	337,511	836,221	829,543	1,129,851
Total British North America.....	1,899,726	1,918,968	5,515,293	6,329,465	27,691,977	24,114,433	23,242,665	47,390,389	58,572,477	66,653,833
Central American States:										
Costa Rica.....	677,548	933,364	162,734	100,847	2,475,763	1,651,672	2,386,067	956,830	1,188,776	943,444
Guatemala.....	279,259	268,580	116,707	88,108	1,078,958	1,209,181	1,129,984	2,295,598	884,866	826,539
Honduras.....	67,242	58,942	85,884	94,449	565,615	511,683	645,191	524,239	547,272	568,062
Nicaragua.....	66,126	146,528	100,284	104,317	711,056	809,423	1,051,626	944,632	784,015	860,241
Salvador.....	195,416	214,300	116,968	64,305	382,944	506,214	459,039	1,229,047	629,971	454,543
Total Central American States.....	1,285,591	1,621,714	582,667	452,026	5,214,336	4,688,173	5,671,907	5,950,346	4,034,900	3,652,834
Mexico.....	2,758,911	2,546,769	2,171,766	2,279,819	12,225,382	13,638,022	16,155,103	17,461,008	15,370,363	17,942,308
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	1,391	4,097	41,251	5,208	123,308	160,107	83,654	112,582	140,105	112,772
West Indies:										
British.....	1,287,758	1,354,964	876,377	852,249	6,646,885	5,780,483	7,374,312	5,987,048	5,923,729	6,452,069
Danish.....	27,838	72,463	48,226	46,285	185,918	133,835	246,100	421,645	422,173	351,515
Dutch.....	11,216	18,234	52,887	45,349	72,690	89,214	94,380	519,036	388,954	341,939
French.....	1,425	24,854	121,067	150,174	3,281	1,850	28,464	1,359,965	1,179,897	1,166,776
Haiti.....	88,306	49,803	241,502	251,518	1,163,162	663,131	690,114	2,993,915	2,465,773	2,054,716
Santo Domingo.....	454,621	395,291	122,867	142,160	1,291,300	1,250,917	1,556,119	811,313	820,298	786,083
Cuba.....	3,150,371	3,398,723	1,246,995	2,503,110	8,841,831	9,563,399	12,577,500	6,084,986	8,936,318	12,646,059
Porto Rico.....	259,240	349,785	149,323	375,529	923,622	785,124	935,673	1,486,780	1,349,390	1,702,192
Total West Indies.....	5,280,775	5,664,117	2,859,244	4,366,374	19,128,689	18,267,953	23,502,662	19,664,688	21,486,532	25,501,349
Total North America.....	11,263,561	11,842,168	11,320,668	13,590,942	64,690,259	61,105,105	68,937,931	91,639,448	100,788,841	115,012,241

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
SOUTH AMERICA.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	559,049	375,804	446,886	554,582	5,040,471	3,636,564	3,151,051	5,130,871	4,920,452	6,836,136
Bolivia.....			9,023	2,534				6,007	16,108	24,852
Brazil.....	5,044,459	8,650,799	1,123,842	944,254	54,675,270	48,250,007	44,285,122	9,121,235	10,337,103	9,441,443
Chile.....	230,499	227,252	277,684	164,593	2,738,882	2,913,740	1,894,599	1,977,980	1,667,969	1,439,122
Colombia.....	406,005	535,813	331,746	297,923	3,246,428	3,763,730	3,633,689	2,814,652	2,497,120	2,133,326
Ecuador.....	63,640	63,563	66,236	72,587	420,782	571,198	853,462	537,990	616,068	600,172
Falkland Islands								800	1,010	
Gulanas:										
British.....	438,757	249,269	170,117	100,455	3,047,388	2,553,960	3,345,899	1,240,385	1,359,851	1,313,322
Dutch.....	210,186	231,086	14,336	14,116	793,687	1,093,332	1,203,947	281,892	311,517	272,818
French.....			14,044	1,003	4,050	12,510	37,929	85,466	96,942	116,434
Paraguay.....				435					699	622
Peru.....	71,734	124,557	140,414	94,441	612,441	544,282	974,027	834,295	872,292	881,509
Uruguay.....	226,926	23,335	124,546	74,834	1,898,101	1,356,967	680,876	1,061,219	805,950	916,926
Venezuela.....	547,112	623,871	272,255	227,190	7,469,330	5,461,168	4,613,435	2,660,503	2,102,533	2,158,003
Total South America.....	7,798,367	11,105,349	2,991,129	2,548,947	79,946,890	70,162,458	64,683,036	25,753,295	25,605,614	26,134,685
ASIA.										
Aden.....	162,751	287,113	41,649	127,134	973,024	1,032,941	1,382,045	850,294	429,628	643,564
China.....	1,732,266	1,735,456	898,007	1,490,216	14,255,221	16,585,126	13,650,820	8,137,924	6,889,081	10,733,954
East Indies:										
British.....	2,491,119	3,161,958	276,989	330,734	12,881,728	17,833,794	19,872,337	2,874,515	3,894,257	3,175,930
Dutch.....	1,230,451	2,776,930	50,901	101,473	12,691,366	10,490,197	18,047,717	1,358,920	617,958	649,240
French.....			100					99,917	91,000	7,001
Portuguese.....					519					
Hongkong.....	139,604	493,152	469,510	637,687	695,245	576,713	1,840,444	4,842,428	4,451,667	5,369,759
Japan.....	2,146,944	2,409,916	2,871,029	1,275,564	15,582,541	20,515,102	21,529,722	10,198,047	15,139,175	11,787,339
Korea.....			506	215				495	68,566	133,524
Russia, Asiatic.....			32,681	200,063	201,421	111,050	113,537	154,559	130,177	1,101,960
Turkey in Asia.....	202,732	324,980	16,062	29,017	3,152,110	2,068,263	2,586,537	51,582	152,940	147,292
All other Asia.....	7,477	2,167	83,552	4,342	59,075	73,831	62,947	321,722	361,271	52,645
Total Asia.....	8,113,344	11,191,672	4,740,986	4,196,445	60,492,850	69,287,017	79,086,106	28,890,403	32,225,720	33,802,208
OCEANICA.										
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....		234,657		1,629			525,326	18,214		7,521
British Australasia.....	953,311	297,602	1,231,674	1,881,176	4,503,199	3,448,019	2,372,597	13,819,779	11,226,040	14,406,541
French Oceania.....	15,687	21,006	19,163	27,381	271,924	149,629	196,211	267,394	234,609	190,878
German Oceania.....			130	150	4,594			2,495	6,236	23,784
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,582,003	1,860,877	436,472	837,988	9,204,059	10,954,089	11,177,787	3,355,920	4,299,000	6,446,144
Spanish Oceania.....					5,047	8,811			4,503	6,883
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	3,442	146	2,592	18,401	16,439	53,155	25,146	30,416	27,837	46,892
Philippine Islands.....	641,324	147,452	6,493	43,180	2,918,981	2,744,213	2,788,627	90,047	75,728	160,201
Total Oceania.....	3,195,767	2,561,800	1,696,524	2,809,905	16,924,243	17,358,516	17,085,694	17,584,265	15,873,953	21,288,844
AFRICA.										
British Africa.....	151,338	206,686	1,224,967	1,143,458	859,364	554,103	1,000,262	10,138,496	8,644,848	11,343,756
Canary Islands.....	3,490	3,025		86,193	43,247	23,478	23,739	248,371	270,530	167,601
French Africa.....	39,124	20,282	50,552	68,526	159,850	363,781	403,566	281,336	552,428	465,897
German Africa.....					96			320	2,319	
Liberia.....	565		1,872	2,946	6,763	6,670	7,962	6,565	8,636	16,783
Madagascar.....					12,550	14,046	1,475	203,244	226,726	50
Portuguese Africa.....	2,729	15	312,123	91,227	19,572	13,800	7,083	1,682,716	2,522,746	1,088,865
Spanish Africa.....	33					33		4,740	29,674	
Turkey in Africa:										
Egypt.....	1,107,064	973,451	48,090	49,739	3,420,864	3,615,093	4,107,866	201,183	305,308	345,582
Tripoli.....	6,213			200	63,373	50,401	52,827			278
All other Africa.....	77,497	63,195	33,666	63,884	374,079	502,433	534,538	404,524	492,977	422,711
Total Africa.....	1,388,053	1,266,654	1,671,270	1,506,173	4,959,758	5,143,838	6,139,318	13,171,495	13,056,192	13,851,523
Grand total.....	61,562,183	72,826,066	112,620,496	104,466,327	498,866,838	455,253,362	500,027,899	822,280,460	925,905,356	947,899,593

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
RECAPITULATION.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe.....	29,803,091	34,858,423	90,199,919	79,813,915	271,852,838	232,196,428	264,095,814	645,241,554	788,355,086	737,810,092
North America	11,263,561	11,842,168	11,320,668	13,590,942	64,690,259	61,105,105	68,937,931	91,639,448	100,788,841	115,012,241
South America	7,798,367	11,105,349	2,991,129	2,548,947	79,946,890	70,162,458	64,683,036	25,753,295	25,605,614	26,134,685
Asia.....	8,113,344	11,191,672	4,740,986	4,196,445	60,492,850	69,287,017	79,086,106	28,890,403	32,225,720	33,802,208
Oceanica.....	3,195,767	2,501,800	1,696,524	2,809,905	16,924,243	17,358,516	17,085,694	17,584,265	15,873,953	21,288,844
Africa.....	1,388,053	1,266,654	1,671,270	1,506,173	4,959,758	5,143,838	6,139,318	13,171,495	13,056,192	13,851,523

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	458,450,093	183,732,712	102,207,815	113,621,824	8,388,478	866,400,922	661,976,710	119,788,889	32,639,077	27,421,831	5,838,687	847,665,194
1894.....	295,077,865	166,962,559	100,147,107	87,644,320	5,162,771	654,994,622	700,870,822	119,693,212	33,212,310	32,786,943	5,577,285	892,140,572
1895.....	383,645,813	133,915,682	112,167,120	95,077,290	7,164,060	731,969,965	627,927,692	108,575,594	33,525,935	30,434,288	7,074,656	807,538,165
1896.....	418,639,121	126,877,126	108,828,462	114,206,986	11,172,979	779,724,674	673,043,753	116,567,496	36,297,671	42,827,258	13,870,760	882,606,938
1897.....	430,192,205	105,924,053	107,389,405	111,695,036	9,529,713	764,730,412	813,385,644	124,958,461	33,768,646	61,927,678	16,953,127	1,050,993,556
1898.....	305,933,691	91,376,807	92,091,694	119,453,823	7,193,639	616,049,654	973,806,245	139,627,841	33,821,701	66,710,813	17,515,730	1,231,482,330

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Alexandria, Va.					8,603	2,811	1,863			
Arcootook, Me.	24,364	12,207			83,294	94,033	97,379			180
Baltimore, Md. (a)	769,825	942,124	10,740,063	9,217,127	7,356,390	6,372,509	6,284,632	66,655,456	87,968,056	82,249,887
Bangor, Me. (a)	57,537	61,567	280,001	365,167	863,001	589,482	593,942	989,590	1,485,282	2,826,749
Barnstable, Mass.	2,705				2,712	6,268	709			
Bath, Me. (a)	260	2,981			32,182	35,832	55,659	656		4,338
Beaufort, S. C.			425,555	20,596	111,918	66,761	52,125	2,856,915	2,405,663	858,258
Belfast, Me.	84		419		11,606	6,148	5,620	1,765	1,446	1,418
Boston and Charlestown, Mass. (a)	5,730,571	5,389,828	10,746,817	11,566,137	50,106,846	37,659,654	35,768,815	75,745,613	84,826,851	96,125,262
Bridgeton, N. J.						71,222	61,340	28,993		
Bristol and Warren, R. I.					3,468	3,653	2,608			
Brunswick, Ga.	4,266	25	1,130,846	724,236	14,282	31,295	45,947	5,008,086	8,723,588	9,391,791
Castine, Me.	98	422	22,605		2,915	9,032	769	10,154	44,631	6,354
Charleston, S. C. (a)	56,029	43,691	443,001	203,072	896,423	1,095,386	897,365	10,409,280	10,604,507	7,905,828
Delaware (a)	21,925	25,147	293,689	512,628	54,877	184,728	149,205	3,512,868	2,932,901	2,889,605
Edgartown, Mass.					1,707	1,583				210
Fairfield, Conn.	32,934	20,788			139,408	161,086	224,020	1,927		
Fall River, Mass.					45,453	19,649	3,416			
Fernandina, Fla. (a)	16	6	203,071	225,649	26,914	604	25,680	816,769	1,223,092	1,579,556
Frenchman Bay, Me.		180			1,298	1,137	630			
Georgetown, D. C.	6,579	14,632			143,822	106,174	145,784	5,919		
Georgetown, S. C.								1,561	231	
Gloucester, Mass.	8,053	3,143			37,574	33,957	28,124		1,160	
Hartford, Conn.	34,286	15,849			350,199	233,211	165,866			
Machias, Me.		20			1,768	615	893	2,287	1,831	318
Marblehead, Mass.		240			32,228	15,566	1,584			
Newark, N. J.	74,344	18,035	166,074	79,408	110,592	443,330	319,013	383,522	793,790	503,287
New Bedford, Mass.					46,713	16,746	2,154	4,889	7,038	5,834
Newburyport, Mass.					4,272		617	15		
New Haven, Conn.	6,718	34,959			137,905	128,018	121,571			
New London, Conn.		986			18,908	14,530	34,781			
Newport, R. I.					23,193	12,746	5,629			
Newport News, Va. (a)	86,434	130,682	3,403,392	2,580,670	637,424	802,943	878,527	17,158,421	22,103,878	21,812,073
New York, N. Y. (a)	41,239,260	50,700,958	40,359,039	42,061,084	322,329,786	299,875,266	336,600,403	291,514,396	314,580,266	344,259,496
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. (a)	1,409	68	1,007,617	1,696,010	119,073	198,575	172,338	15,953,942	10,912,441	11,294,294
Pamlico, N. C.					1,244	253	116	1,904	2,993	3,855
Passamaquoddy, Me.	19,068	16,839	50,308	61,949	379,195	296,129	239,891	227,708	352,012	382,925
Perth Amboy, N. J.	88,244		112,140	123,795	48,808	118,375	200,005	636,343	693,450	720,757
Petersburg, Va.					681		327			
Philadelphia, Pa. (a)	3,742,613	4,064,502	5,114,991	5,155,016	28,479,755	21,350,221	28,723,932	35,410,897	41,986,993	46,849,581
Plymouth, Mass.					11,699	3,886	4,100			
Portland and Falmouth, Me. (a)	70,235	85,800	1,288,861	1,832,397	373,562	285,467	408,431	3,114,913	5,357,845	7,378,617
Portsmouth, N. H.	3,713				19,134	14,233	16,150			
Providence, R. I.	108,911	78,425		1,043	580,679	552,133	582,601	1,646	1,291	2,198
Richmond, Va.	4,918	3,475			64,391	28,041	42,648		4,000	
Sag Harbor, N. Y.						6,751	2,892			
St. Augustine, Fla.					1,487	13,743	8,963	2,426	300	
St. Johns, Fla.	885	751	2,817	20,866	12,854	15,092	36,504	80,275	100,956	152,708
St. Marys, Ga.				2,436				26,237	36,428	19,273
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	230				28,215	20,234	11,130	25		
Savannah, Ga. (a)	14,429	10,422	2,247,860	957,621	329,881	309,400	336,786	20,396,993	25,417,343	21,285,900
Stonington, Conn.					23,745	11,527	5,245			
Waldoboro, Me.	911				31,941	33,117	26,925			
Wilmington, N. C.	4,495	200	566,751	46,412	131,488	181,370	129,673	7,877,892	9,257,673	7,509,708
Wiscasset, Me.			1,830		78	962	316	4,943	5,020	11,023
Total	52,216,349	61,679,002	78,607,747	77,454,219	414,275,591	371,529,484	413,525,663	559,535,253	611,832,966	666,031,283
GULF PORTS.										
Apalachicola, Fla.			33,453	36,312	2,935		1,366	246,376	230,714	310,510
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.	16,819	4,381	18,597	14,102	93,430	109,446	60,645	149,563	151,411	143,391
Corpus Christi, Tex.	131,754	157,536	449,632	546,648	637,986	812,369	847,269	4,119,241	3,307,694	4,655,951

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
GULF PORTS—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Galveston, Tex. (a).....	146,775	310,335	6,836,524	4,319,766	591,292	532,943	1,750,837	54,246,064	62,634,608	72,151,448
Key West, Fla. (a).....	15,426	30,253	31,623	277,029	408,129	400,974	181,308	237,045	517,454	1,182,425
Mobile, Ala. (a).....	106,204	81,599	1,642,805	697,253	520,750	882,319	968,986	8,438,995	7,788,199	7,357,025
New Orleans, La. (a).....	682,125	1,513,689	12,359,601	8,858,510	11,215,059	7,157,304	7,043,538	84,794,037	89,191,885	71,980,611
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	163,380	77,772	398,878	491,461	1,162,712	972,696	656,650	4,055,914	3,114,587	3,514,678
Pearl River, Miss.....	44	.....	144,249	229,274	4,119	528	439	893,062	960,124	1,210,918
Pensacola, Fla. (a).....	9,830	62	738,776	1,022,278	263,854	170,135	43,875	6,306,887	6,840,448	10,146,328
St. Marks, Fla.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	266	21	.....	.....	.....	3,666
Saluria, Tex.....	57,654	84,799	245,311	268,211	395,522	471,689	643,945	1,161,977	1,386,800	1,833,273
Tampa, Fla. (a).....	105,909	79,094	13,152	126,361	319,215	408,315	477,363	656,829	482,072	713,332
Teche, La.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	2	775	1,857	.....
Total.....	1,435,920	2,339,550	22,912,601	16,887,205	15,615,269	11,918,864	12,676,223	165,356,765	176,663,853	175,203,556
PACIFIC PORTS.										
Alaska.....	.....	.....	1,238	22	70,601	75,665	129,154	17,706	6,745	38,845
Arizona.....	578,054	23,799	157,691	137,470	428,988	1,290,457	1,108,253	767,751	792,866	1,016,326
Humboldt, Cal.....	.....	.....	.....	5,527	1,177	.....	780	128,848	107,025	147,866
Los Angeles, Cal. (a).....	54,189	97,879	632	.....	364,433	331,016	556,185	3,912	108,068	3,399
Oregon, Oreg.....	7,052	716	19,874	12,566	320,714	86,978	17,934	400,742	364,832	123,424
Puget Sound, Wash. (a).....	469,474	442,231	1,472,210	828,254	3,732,056	4,302,975	6,107,125	9,498,191	13,770,345	11,277,205
San Diego, Cal. (a).....	18,280	89,305	8,455	212,567	157,705	152,138	311,065	171,593	465,187	510,083
San Francisco, Cal. (a).....	3,339,089	4,295,267	3,062,857	2,180,517	23,215,561	31,349,264	24,923,651	33,529,410	34,204,710	23,188,266
Southern Oregon, Oreg.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	16,833	6,166	.....
Willamette, Oreg. (a).....	130,358	148,640	1,604,659	956,579	886,124	1,056,252	1,184,903	6,220,286	11,084,528	7,765,989
Total.....	4,596,496	5,097,837	6,327,616	4,333,502	29,177,360	38,644,745	34,339,050	50,755,272	60,910,472	44,051,403
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.										
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	177,454	182,059	623,469	771,174	2,990,535	2,971,885	2,967,121	3,810,908	5,527,334	5,709,668
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....	8,524	5,500	9,244	10,955	163,553	135,678	141,417	58,484	229,271	136,179
Champlain, N. Y.....	158,900	125,406	406,054	667,116	3,324,127	1,921,149	1,902,845	3,380,558	4,273,825	4,699,128
Chicago, Ill. (a).....	966,539	894,571	1,093	8,685	8,522,649	7,240,825	8,985,833	1,586,817	2,618,746	5,234,314
Cuyahoga, Ohio (a).....	83,787	115,453	39,535	13,852	1,015,603	723,235	922,450	1,041,534	1,013,445	1,574,497
Detroit, Mich. (a).....	130,326	151,186	911,450	1,030,698	2,414,155	1,697,905	1,570,955	8,490,559	10,014,777	9,598,154
Duluth, Minn. (a).....	5,823	49,184	4,623	48,632	783,785	1,716,443	1,277,033	2,731,734	3,282,231	3,274,912
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,079	136	7,452	.....	.....	.....
Erie, Pa.....	754	12,325	.....	.....	15,307	6,243	14,765	11,638	3,341	928
Genesee, N. Y. (a).....	65,383	64,505	.....	.....	471,758	416,350	514,050	559,893	479,701	719,604
Huron, Mich. (a).....	42,835	76,052	392,349	552,220	1,615,318	1,615,207	1,744,005	4,911,569	5,071,326	4,967,599
Memphremagog, Vt.....	145,820	129,306	231,004	214,956	.....	829,940	1,373,705	.....	1,194,301	1,750,816
Miami, Ohio (a).....	3,298	6,187	.....	.....	229,975	42,377	150,393	310,029	638,924	535,775
Michigan, Mich. (a).....	.....	.....	.....	.....	273,106	132,181	277,815	2,555	6,677	.....
Milwaukee, Wis.....	50,100	61,767	.....	.....	389,238	486,018	461,919	2,761	.....	748
Minnesota, Minn.....	86,290	110,122	4,737	166	840,762	498,272	1,020,765	65,817	17,988	237,474
Montana and Idaho.....	6,567	12,984	3,333	3,154	133,688	124,254	173,428	27,817	65,224	74,178
Niagara, N. Y.....	110,404	154,410	646,802	795,244	1,982,060	1,264,563	1,197,775	4,389,413	5,505,636	5,084,618
North and South Dakota.....	97,676	39,805	563,053	631,498	349,791	612,038	494,370	1,403,416	2,976,327	4,304,260
Oswegatchie, N. Y. (a).....	376,079	634,581	232,246	268,755	3,417,392	3,350,743	6,416,503	2,595,589	3,934,893	2,582,601
Oswego, N. Y.....	.....	.....	702	.....	524,081	440,941	346,035	1,156,329	1,328,582	1,159,893
Sandusky, Ohio.....	1,488	.....	3,175	.....	40,916	62,786	38,763	10,601	21,525	99,294
Superior, Mich. (a).....	9,201	24,047	18,942	72,244	239,537	198,223	263,684	3,462,371	2,486,743	5,105,824
Vermont, Vt.....	206,319	224,138	680,721	690,971	4,556,015	2,068,862	1,578,306	6,626,642	5,789,248	5,432,130
Total.....	2,734,167	3,073,588	4,772,532	5,780,320	34,326,430	28,556,254	33,841,387	48,633,034	56,498,065	62,282,599
INTERIOR PORTS. (b)										
Albany, N. Y.....	10,678	11,661	.....	.....	85,660	69,598	90,023	133	.....	1,550
Atlanta, Ga.....	1,940	1,973	.....	.....	16,738	8,681	12,009	.....	.....	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	89,056	103,231	.....	.....	898,487	693,679	850,874	.....	.....	.....
Columbus, Ohio.....	8,091	6,324	.....	.....	75,601	65,841	79,585	.....	.....	.....
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....	1,536	3,614	.....	.....	6,208	9,592	16,389	.....	.....	.....
Denver, Colo.....	5,728	10,805	.....	.....	61,015	55,648	90,805	.....	.....	193,067
Des Moines, Iowa.....	909	3,286	20,656	15,455	24,166
Dubuque, Iowa.....	1,765	1,250	24,317	12,479	43,030

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	MARCH—				NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS (a)— Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Evansville, Ind.....	812	2,131	.....	.....	5,758	4,067	9,334	.....	.....	.....
Grand Rapids, Mich.....	6,545	14,020	.....	.....	78,865	59,342	135,854	.....	.....	.....
Indianapolis, Ind.....	36,285	27,311	.....	.....	200,422	210,185	224,390	.....	.....	.....
Kansas City, Mo.....	19,036	22,147	.....	.....	317,622	228,041	209,444	.....	.....	1,143
Knoxville, Tenn.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln, Nebr.....	1,286	1,251	.....	.....	12,479	17,423	16,645	.....	.....	.....
Louisville, Ky.....	26,224	27,392	.....	.....	350,183	197,843	168,048	.....	.....	.....
Memphis, Tenn.....	2,334	5,696	.....	.....	67,184	39,570	41,064	.....	.....	.....
Nashville, Tenn.....	2,141	92	.....	.....	24,615	39,246	13,301	.....	.....	.....
Omaha, Nebr.....	27,012	29,144	.....	11,080	192,078	230,607	340,172	.....	.....	134,991
Pittsburg, Pa.....	61,774	49,715	.....	.....	814,281	574,188	712,351	.....	.....	.....
St. Joseph, Mo.....	16,341	10,044	.....	.....	77,556	83,941	105,761	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis, Mo.....	228,258	273,506	.....	.....	1,953,137	1,819,393	2,248,310	.....	.....	.....
Sioux City, Iowa.....	.....	49	.....	.....	24,927	3,921	26,065	.....	.....	.....
Springfield, Mass.....	11,210	7,150	.....	.....	108,363	71,500	58,041	.....	.....	.....
Syracuse, N. Y.....	19,690	24,287	.....	.....	56,036	93,775	129,905	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	579,251	636,089	.....	11,080	5,472,188	4,604,015	5,645,576	133	.....	330,751
Grand total.....	61,562,183	72,826,066	112,620,496	104,466,326	498,866,838	455,253,362	500,027,899	822,280,460	925,905,356	947,899,592
RECAPITULATION.										
Atlantic ports.....	52,216,349	61,679,002	78,607,747	77,454,219	414,275,591	371,529,484	413,525,663	559,535,256	631,832,966	666,031,283
Gulf ports.....	1,435,920	2,339,550	22,912,601	16,887,205	15,615,269	11,918,864	12,676,223	165,356,765	176,663,853	175,203,556
Pacific ports.....	4,596,496	5,097,837	6,827,616	4,333,502	29,177,300	38,644,745	34,339,050	50,755,272	60,910,472	44,051,403
Northern border and lake ports.....	2,734,167	3,073,588	4,772,532	5,780,320	34,326,430	28,556,254	33,841,387	46,633,034	56,498,065	62,282,599
Interior ports.....	579,251	636,089	.....	11,080	5,472,188	4,604,015	5,645,576	133	.....	330,751

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1893.....	717,360,074	35,755,310	51,067,607	52,923,430	9,294,501	866,400,922	624,278,456	137,623,470	42,349,866	43,413,402	.....	847,665,194
1894.....	537,643,885	27,796,090	42,353,998	41,692,558	5,507,485	654,994,622	652,921,714	133,211,018	34,302,557	48,769,648	.....	869,204,937
1895.....	613,737,342	18,865,503	40,568,501	51,016,783	7,781,536	731,969,965	590,392,743	130,275,045	36,879,310	49,991,007	.....	807,538,165
1896.....	645,204,456	20,728,964	49,079,945	56,153,380	7,957,929	779,724,674	635,841,697	141,362,346	45,012,888	60,389,603	404	882,606,938
1897.....	639,407,219	23,358,166	44,674,612	50,066,412	7,224,003	764,730,412	733,204,968	194,240,199	59,952,662	63,595,594	133	1,050,993,556
1898.....	502,145,575	16,370,453	52,021,213	39,478,025	6,034,388	616,049,654	862,325,006	212,794,182	75,371,603	80,980,660	10,879	1,231,482,330

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MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON MARCH 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	MARCH—				ARTICLES.	MARCH—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals (number):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Earthen, stone, and china ware:				
Horses	11	3,850	5	5,030	CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, BISQUE,				
All other, including fowls		20		80	ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Total		3,870		5,110	Not decorated or ornamented		44,289		51,909
Antimony, as regulus or metal .. lbs.	23,135	1,559			Decorated or ornamented		188,330		182,898
Art works		91,939		53,299	All other		3,964		9,628
Asphaltum, or bitumen, crude .. tons.	317	4,248	174	1,515	Total		236,583		244,435
Bones and horns, manufactures of ..		6,068		4,193	Eggs	doz.		50	2
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.		30,731		30,835	Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed,				
Brass, manufactures of		908		9,884	etc		23,599		33,095
Breadstuffs:					Feathers and downs, natural, dressed,				
Oatmeal	2,688	115	2,688	115	colored, etc		50,554		17,358
All other, and preparations of, etc.		48,506		13,122	Feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., arti-				
Total		48,621		13,237	ficial		43,318		51,251
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or pre-					Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufac-				
pared	106,615	71,669	114,566	72,386	tures of:				
Brushes		18,303		14,473	UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—				
Buttons and button forms		8,761		7,457	Hemp	25	5,241	25	5,269
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. lbs.	5,258,185	15,406	4,742,116	14,507	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:					Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.		8,232		33,171
Coal-tar colors and dyes		237,735		194,963	Bags, of jute		7,135		15,809
Glycerin	371,454	28,114	152,877	10,534	Burlaps, except for bagging for				
Gum chicle			671,546	96,628	cotton		495,594		
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching			255,319	2,544	Cables, cordage, and twine .. lbs.	10,214	1,896	10,293	2,599
powder					Carpets and carpeting .. sq. yds.			22,753	5,514
Logwood and other dyewoods, ex-					Fabrics, plain, woven, of single				
tracts and decoctions of .. lbs.	242,843	18,833	472,234	26,311	jute yarn				30,748
Mineral waters	45,380	12,629	73,482	13,652	Handkerchiefs				23,063
OPIMUM—					Oilcloths	sq. yds.		7,575	4,485
Crude, or unmanufactured .. lbs.	26,039	52,368	174,769	395,320	Yarns or threads	lbs.	21,630	4,126	41,500
Prepared for smoking, and					All other		739,788		1,149,379
other, etc	16,380	106,493	15,622	109,649	Total manufactures		1,256,771		1,273,341
Potash, chlorate of	38,747	2,574	28,447	1,188	Fish (pounds):				
SODA—					FRESH—				
Caustic	1,389,295	25,666	1,173,933	15,075	All other				6
Soda ash	151,702	1,609	61,281	646	CURED OR PRESERVED—				
All other salts of	190,999	1,459	77,470	589	Anchovies and sardines, etc.		189,622		218,014
Sumac, ground	268,525	3,056	282,321	3,706	Cod, haddock, etc., dried,				
All other		249,487		267,304	smoked, etc	2,437,065	82,355	2,393,898	82,835
Total chemicals, drugs, etc. ..		740,023		1,138,109	Herring—				
Chicory root, raw, unground .. lbs.			7,876	343	Dried or smoked	1,003,926	23,242	1,639,525	40,160
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confec-					Pickled or salted	341,257	11,717	339,556	11,683
tionery)	52,227	7,751	3,863	972	Mackerel, pickled or salted	36,421	2,379	23,514	2,075
Clays or earths of all kinds .. tons.	608	3,883	1,518	12,264	Salmon, pickled or salted	43,700	2,605	40,600	2,509
Clocks and watches, and parts of:					All other		41,337		20,917
Clocks, and parts of		40,140		55,887	Total		353,257		378,199
Watches, and parts of, etc		24,577		25,080	Fruits, including nuts (pounds):				
Total		64,717		60,967	Currants	3,002,265	111,521	4,835,650	102,097
Coal, bituminous	152	535	1,402	3,507	Dates	2,234,211	50,093	997,138	28,035
Cocoa, prepared, etc	11,120	1,978	7,361	1,456	Figs	335,418	18,837	1,166,538	34,175
Copper, manufactures of		3,568		3,011	Plums and prunes		658	1,930	291
Cork, manufactures of		17,148		16,201	Raisins	410,927	18,572	31,806	2,003
Cotton, manufactures of:					Prepared or preserved		44,328		35,846
CLOTHS (square yards)—					All other		1,599		920
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	46,547	2,885	11,826	1,146	Total fruits		254,608		203,367
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	2,123,772	262,303	362,525	46,872	NUTS—				
Total	2,170,319	265,188	374,351	48,018	Almonds	557,323	69,563	1,478,384	208,224
Clothing, ready made, etc		21,040		33,809	All other		66,311		72,267
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.		315,942		299,905	Total fruits and nuts		399,482		483,858
Laces, edgings, cmbroideries, etc.		70,668		114,783	Furs, and manufactures of		166,947		242,675
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps,					Ginger ale or ginger beer	doz.	8,475	6,269	11,354
etc	64,002	20,403	124,801	33,766					8,093
All other		171,131		359,289					
Total manufactures		864,372		889,570					

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				ARTICLES.	MARCH—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Leather, and manufactures of:				
Bottles, vials, etc., empty or filled.....		36,244		36,767	LEATHER—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....					Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		29,354		21,070
.....lbs..	895,708	17,236	1,886,140	45,456	Skins for morocco.....		175,079		39,188
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—					Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		62,537		1,139
Unsilvered.....	10,341	2,081	25,271	5,176	Total leather.....		266,970		61,397
Silvered.....	26,486	6,366	14,225	1,773	MANUFACTURES OF—				
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—					Gloves, of kid or other leather..		254,942		193,376
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	27,242	5,540	15,290	2,666	All other.....		57,286		61,074
Cast, polished, silvered.....	20,656	9,148	67	103	Total manufactures.....		312,328		254,450
All other.....		190,453		199,213	Malt liquors (gallons):				
Total.....		267,068		291,154	In bottles or jugs.....	87,236	87,404	37,220	38,487
Glue.....lbs..	151,007	16,520	135,292	19,052	In other coverings.....	900	361	1,649	665
Grease, not elsewhere specified.....		3,935		4,698	Total.....	88,226	87,765	38,869	39,152
Hair, manufactures of.....		18,633		20,249	Marble and stone, and manufactures of:				
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....		8,224		28,818	Marble, and manufactures of.....		47,681		19,400
Materials for, etc.....		195,007		226,099	Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		2,689		8,224
Hides of cattle.....lbs..	5,187,950	593,222	4,768,648	527,956	Total.....		50,370		27,624
Hops.....lbs..	57,452	13,932	16,161	16,986	Matting and mats for floors...sq. yds..	1,654,513	110,374	4,606,431	288,054
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:					Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of:				
Gutta-percha.....		2,515		1,437	Bronze manufactures.....		16,477		35,733
India rubber.....		21,052		20,118	All other.....		44,365		79,201
Total manufactures.....		23,567		21,555	Total.....		60,842		114,934
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:					Musical instruments.....		65,632		62,227
Pig iron.....tons..	866	9,897	351	3,901	Oils (gallons):				
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....tons..	107	858	60	1,269	ANIMAL OR RENDERED—				
Bar iron.....lbs..	8,024,693	190,870	7,935,844	198,201	Whale and fish.....	21,151	13,391	51,706	23,846
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, etc.....lbs..	3,576,413	104,390	585,504	13,750	Other.....	6,979	1,655		
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....lbs..	523,716	10,702	426,956	10,234	Mineral.....	1,251	436	1,251	436
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....lbs..	5,451,438	122,707	2,904,125	64,870	VEGETABLE—				
Wire rods.....lbs..	347,265	4,799	365,598	6,409	Fixed or expressed—				
Wire, and articles made from.....lbs..	493,373	28,861	384,407	21,086	Olive.....	27,167	37,536	18,466	21,898
MANUFACTURES OF—					Other.....		24,939		34,228
Chains.....lbs..	6,347	908	6,353	908	Volatile or essential and distilled		12,513		7,849
Cutlery.....		19,509		7,196	Total.....		90,470		88,257
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....		18		45	Paints, pigments, and colors.....		14,654		13,928
Firearms.....		5,774		5,397	Paper, and manufactures of:				
Machinery.....		83,598		82,116	Lithographic labels and prints.....				3,872
All other.....		113,095		26,223	All other.....		53,965		50,281
Total, not including ore.....		695,896		441,605	Total.....		53,965		54,153
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:					Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....		20,076		17,477
Other precious stones, cut, but not set.....		2,931		3,292	Pipes and smokers' articles.....		3,561		6,406
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....		20,204		35,161	Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:				
Lead, and manufactures of:					MEAT PRODUCTS—				
Lead in ore and base bullion...lbs..	16,119,918	264,734	20,593,091	379,755	Meat and meat extracts.....		36,768		27,471
Pigs, bars, and old.....lbs..	7,834	167	62,154	1,101	All other.....		345		323
Manufactures of.....		14,394		14,479	DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—				
					Butter.....	290	30	266	42
					Cheese.....	82,242	11,255	48,224	6,815
					Total.....		48,398		34,651
					Rice (pounds):				
					Rice.....	11,462,812	216,230	16,081,549	336,792
					Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....	384,174	8,050	447,447	9,141
					Total.....	11,846,986	224,280	16,528,996	345,933

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ARTICLES.	MARCH—				ARTICLES.	MARCH—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.			Dollars.		Dollars.
Salt.....lbs..	20,127,078	16,772	16,715,307	13,764	Wines:				
Seeds, all other.....		12,799		32,766	Champagne, and other sparkling		Dollars.		Dollars.
					.....doz..	29,974	441,535	28,412	349,893
Silk, manufactures of:					STILL WINES—				
Clothing, ready-made, and other					In casks.....galls..	258,231	171,220	281,589	267,986
wearing apparel.....		88,062		103,604	In other coverings.....doz..	14,693	72,685	16,168	71,977
Dress and piece goods.....		433,332		630,828	Total.....		685,453		629,856
Laces and embroideries.....		102,793		78,116	Wood, n. e. s., and manufactures of:				
Ribbons.....		91,370		116,542	LUMBER—				
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs..			28,876	31,828	Boards, planks, etc....M feet..	7,768	97,656	16,518	166,424
Velvets, plushes, and other pile					Shingles.....M.....			308	412
fabrics.....lbs..			582	4,577	Other lumber.....		12		765
All other.....		477,771		375,024	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Total.....		1,193,328		1,340,519	Cabinet ware or house furni-				
Soap:					ture.....		26,090		27,605
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	7,991	3,806	8,630	3,423	All other.....		26,620		8,960
All other.....		1,822		1,263	Total.....		150,378		204,167
Total.....		5,128		4,686	Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca,				
Spices, n. e. s.....lbs..	434,364	17,552	158,071	10,478	etc., and manufactures of:				
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):					UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—				
Of domestic manufacture, returned					Class 1, clothing—				
(subject to internal-revenue tax).....	720,889	788,488	575,659	628,443	In the grease.....	10,646,466	2,888,239	21,956,316	3,847,255
Brandy.....	53,477	131,573	65,031	172,785	Scoured.....	82,251	13,147	60,297	10,946
All other.....	154,087	130,944	168,303	169,243	Class 2, combing—In the				
Total.....	928,453	1,051,005	808,998	970,473	grease.....	64,878	11,532	93,901	19,937
Sponges.....		48,314		21,661	Class 3, carpet—In the grease.....	29,892,688	2,930,781	33,713,859	3,246,095
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				717	Total unmanufactured.....	46,686,283	5,843,699	55,827,375	7,124,233
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:					MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—				
Molasses above 40° polariscopic					Carpets and carpeting				
test.....galls..	255,290	34,157	101,147	9,526	.....sq. yds..	149,423	388,248	157,972	401,995
SUGAR (pounds)—					Clothing, ready-made, etc.,				
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand-					except shawls and knit				
ard—					goods.....		29,650		31,138
Beet sugar.....	22,387,695	487,070	39,218,491	791,008	Cloths.....lbs..	631,838	386,235	480,685	271,874
Cane and other.....	331,426,488	6,553,717	73,058,016	1,718,505	Dress goods, women's and				
Above No. 16 Dutch standard..	9,219,378	229,097	18,156,557	433,450	children's.....sq. yds..	3,180,524	667,571	4,726,219	693,229
Total sugar.....	362,033,561	7,270,784	130,433,064	2,942,963	Knit fabrics.....		106,075		102,988
Confectionery.....		2,945		970	Mungo, flocks, shoddy, etc.				
Tea.....lbs..			30,605,638	3,664,593	.....lbs..	169,832	53,303	145,502	45,333
Tobacco, and manufactures of:					Shawls.....		242		1,188
LEAF (pounds)—					Yarns.....lbs..	115,779	60,222	85,396	47,977
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	941,806	854,051	2,968,222	3,062,796	All other.....		409,813		416,688
Other.....	6,187,455	3,292,183	6,336,357	3,322,704	Total manufactures.....		2,101,359		2,012,415
Total leaf.....	7,129,261	4,146,234	9,304,579	6,385,502	Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of:				
MANUFACTURES OF—					In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs..			4,409	207
Cigars, cigarettes, etc....lbs..	10,841	43,038	9,531	50,731	Manufactures of.....		1,167		1,100
All other.....		5,217		17,173	Total.....		1,167		1,307
Total manufactures.....		48,255		67,910	All other articles.....free..		438,902		541,689
Toys.....		16,418		13,111	All other articles.....dut..		90,205		69,020
Vegetables:					Total value of merchandise				
Beans and dried pease.....bush..	1,592	1,705	6,396	6,714	FREE OF DUTY.....		1,227,390		1,170,132
Pickles and sauces.....		4,661		4,513	Total value of merchandise				
ALL OTHER—					DUTIABLE.....		30,073,790		33,458,801
In their natural state.....		992		21	Total value of imports of				
Prepared or preserved.....		31,770		23,884	merchandise REMAINING				
Total.....		39,128		35,132	IN WAREHOUSE.....		31,301,180		34,628,933

WAREHOUSE TRANSACTIONS, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	IN WARE- HOUSE AT COMMENCE- MENT OF MONTH.	WAREHOUSED DURING MONTH—		ADDITIONS BY LIQUIDA- TION.	TOTAL REMAIN- ING IN, AND ENTERED, WARE- HOUSE.	WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE DURING THE MONTH—							DEDUCTIONS BY LIQUIDA- TION.	REMAINING IN WARE- HOUSE AT CLOSE OF MONTH.
		Direct im- portation.	From other districts.			For exportation—				For trans- portation.	For con- sumption.			
						To adja- cent British provin- ces.	To Mexico.	To other foreign coun- tries.	Total.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894—July	44,882,579	13,868,752	1,062,880	102,094	59,916,305	78,998	5,710	388,057	472,765	520,533	6,668,110	962,178	51,292,719	
August	51,292,719	16,310,684	1,488,412	410,599	69,502,414	123,921	5,772	473,935	608,628	821,052	20,042,001	825,832	47,204,901	
September	47,204,901	5,558,127	1,023,072	1,434,690	55,220,790	115,400	6,073	329,705	451,178	845,958	18,624,120	1,763,015	33,530,519	
October	33,536,519	7,624,625	1,125,414	771,935	43,058,513	71,138	6,471	475,181	552,790	1,007,049	8,540,232	1,259,609	31,689,833	
November	31,689,833	7,303,944	986,172	463,658	40,443,607	167,054	7,526	247,920	422,500	689,587	5,912,432	819,875	32,599,213	
December	32,599,213	9,985,710	1,228,525	422,837	44,236,305	146,454	8,863	465,485	620,802	445,038	6,156,104	1,036,270	35,978,091	
1895—January	35,978,091	8,120,144	955,730	711,313	45,765,278	96,033	3,422	280,406	379,861	530,261	11,482,648	1,147,544	32,224,964	
February	32,224,964	6,039,140	780,684	683,636	39,728,424	106,189	10,966	202,986	320,141	442,247	6,410,830	1,051,507	31,503,699	
March	31,503,699	8,290,505	1,197,837	713,545	41,705,636	186,167	11,888	354,817	552,872	465,787	8,031,743	1,224,700	31,430,534	
April	31,430,534	9,436,104	1,204,219	663,610	42,734,467	80,482	6,659	351,424	438,565	394,340	6,219,506	1,258,223	34,423,833	
May	34,423,833	11,073,751	721,474	832,455	47,051,513	297,096	27,960	257,316	582,372	462,586	7,760,620	1,112,143	37,133,792	
June	37,133,792	9,883,507	677,504	650,242	48,345,045	278,574	44,973	240,768	562,315	400,558	6,852,528	816,832	39,712,762	
July	39,712,762	11,253,930	1,041,677	735,644	52,744,013	213,506	23,559	402,583	630,648	501,027	8,025,409	1,094,809	42,483,120	
August	42,483,120	9,005,593	970,024	773,715	53,233,052	180,076	35,023	309,326	524,430	604,024	9,790,610	1,083,007	41,230,972	
September	41,230,972	9,144,223	772,558	940,332	52,088,085	225,587	46,495	379,938	652,020	660,444	10,035,354	1,013,033	39,727,234	
October	39,727,234	11,218,379	787,644	609,867	52,343,124	378,491	46,783	734,366	1,157,640	663,312	9,253,061	786,987	40,482,124	
November	40,482,124	8,811,935	1,248,942	467,574	51,010,575	523,150	51,159	859,698	1,444,007	766,302	6,849,868	1,019,163	40,931,235	
December	40,931,235	9,175,807	1,332,257	396,189	51,835,488	227,858	43,686	491,487	763,031	682,725	8,083,877	760,379	41,545,476	
1896—January	41,545,476	9,466,098	1,241,533	697,197	52,950,304	146,027	45,074	386,728	577,829	398,049	10,264,199	1,052,015	40,657,612	
February	40,657,612	8,974,632	856,198	733,361	51,221,803	95,406	23,354	396,597	515,357	543,973	8,615,265	1,064,494	40,482,714	
March	40,482,714	10,325,929	820,902	754,055	52,383,600	172,850	34,153	330,335	546,338	615,749	7,821,668	909,520	42,490,325	
April	42,490,325	9,811,316	977,521	1,002,051	54,281,213	109,902	30,087	372,214	512,203	543,601	8,530,049	1,362,973	43,332,387	
May	43,332,387	12,457,105	634,267	653,113	57,276,877	276,522	41,826	608,443	926,791	553,406	7,284,658	913,030	47,598,983	
June	47,598,983	11,867,773	1,003,044	671,741	61,141,541	315,172	57,473	447,859	820,504	902,943	7,153,257	810,495	51,454,342	
July	51,454,342	9,218,544	906,877	1,140,745	62,720,508	303,540	26,112	509,258	838,910	762,222	7,990,075	1,088,193	52,041,108	
August	52,041,108	7,608,876	575,996	940,474	61,166,454	225,638	28,297	501,437	845,372	551,274	8,435,757	1,060,429	50,273,622	
September	50,273,622	8,265,443	472,529	847,929	59,859,523	76,967	28,933	449,976	555,876	483,583	9,087,057	826,766	48,906,241	
October	48,906,241	8,677,983	548,095	716,753	58,849,072	326,658	46,108	353,497	726,263	563,137	9,203,632	907,165	47,448,855	
November	47,448,855	6,342,498	647,308	74,734	54,513,395	136,020	31,166	530,236	697,422	520,006	9,141,684	473,911	43,080,372	
December	43,080,372	7,411,054	643,422	94,881	51,929,729	176,293	27,095	335,934	539,322	608,604	6,856,639	344,217	43,480,947	
1897—January	43,480,947	5,708,144	612,362	139,322	49,940,775	188,507	17,192	414,658	620,357	786,396	7,421,592	288,303	40,824,125	
February	40,824,125	5,648,020	694,940	191,146	47,358,231	322,527	11,213	525,157	858,897	415,781	6,942,467	198,303	38,942,783	
March	38,942,783	7,486,989	756,754	569,851	47,756,377	360,967	15,416	530,152	906,535	774,205	24,330,634	624,318	21,120,685	
April	21,120,685	13,443,307	543,508	599,366	35,706,866	245,315	18,091	271,752	535,158	427,325	16,215,000	312,949	18,216,434	
May	18,216,434	15,169,909	453,962	36,184	33,876,489	399,116	22,464	412,251	833,831	471,116	6,600,612	82,683	25,888,242	
June	25,888,242	12,024,945	413,165	761,639	39,087,991	97,142	33,120	428,950	559,212	475,870	19,284,520	632,666	18,135,722	
July	18,135,722	8,772,463	490,110	1,132,449	23,539,745	81,061	15,537	443,560	540,158	468,645	10,199,988	648,574	11,682,380	
August	11,682,380	4,218,947	352,105	171,952	16,425,384	98,355	17,276	465,974	581,605	355,533	1,820,558	96,404	13,571,284	
September	13,571,284	5,361,482	421,153	148,787	19,502,706	130,572	16,991	635,201	782,764	531,483	2,588,551	135,818	15,464,090	
October	15,464,090	7,435,478	467,150	31,354	23,398,072	180,144	16,296	1,205,956	1,402,396	624,463	3,099,132	53,468	18,218,613	
November	18,218,613	7,171,571	651,409	143,214	26,184,807	201,880	28,633	1,071,471	1,391,984	583,478	3,200,007	77,109	20,842,229	
December	20,842,229	8,071,225	643,884	100,459	29,657,797	112,929	35,779	441,735	590,443	530,405	4,206,761	168,046	24,162,142	
1898—January	24,162,142	6,788,515	545,379	75,157	31,571,193	189,936	10,673	542,701	743,310	621,001	5,168,343	104,254	24,934,285	
February	24,934,285	8,114,135	727,532	73,110	32,849,062	107,843	18,550	762,368	888,761	477,076	5,649,263	70,682	26,763,180	
March	26,763,180	11,527,973	649,357	71,374	39,011,884	150,804	29,850	700,756	881,410	557,988	6,165,171	106,185	31,301,190	
April	31,301,190	11,370,513	597,121	72,837	43,341,651	212,228	23,947	466,122	702,297	405,237	6,366,573	143,407	35,724,137	
May	35,724,137	9,465,432	500,639	63,254	45,753,482	210,564	32,272	403,390	646,226	601,056	7,125,815	88,000	37,292,385	
June	37,292,385	9,371,937	987,892	50,567	47,702,781	236,890	13,023	824,422	1,074,335	678,546	8,065,410	157,526	37,726,964	
July	37,726,964	9,600,498	576,516	28,121	47,932,099	191,347	8,708	415,125	615,180	705,872	6,917,202	96,981	39,596,864	
August	39,596,864	7,312,925	689,229	39,430	47,638,448	160,267	14,231	468,649	643,117	742,394	8,448,496	40,087	37,764,324	
September	37,764,324	7,181,238	498,895	77,892	45,522,349	187,765	70,885	363,825	631,455	633,127	8,950,022	80,281	35,207,434	
October	35,207,434	9,893,310	678,663	112,710	45,892,117	632,815	9,747	685,131	1,327,693	810,738	7,776,906	1,329,927	34,646,853	
November	34,646,853	8,253,449	1,043,486	185,475	44,129,263	506,572	24,581	958,428	1,489,641	676,265	7,303,894	157,196	34,502,267	
December	34,502,267	9,716,618	791,831	97,158	45,107,874	358,262	18,486	1,040,246	1,416,994	608,415	7,251,008	124,287	35,507,140	
1899—January	35,507,140	8,356,904	720,825	92,469	44,677,338	345,486	27,190	663,907	1,036,583	755,367	8,814,558	100,129	33,970,701	
February	33,970,701	8,373,108	695,149	149,687	43,188,645	186,026	23,730	528,807	738,563	650,536	7,114,645	134,359	34,550,542	
March	34,550,542	10,859,636	827,855	409,783	46,647,816	227,971	21,229	632,577	881,777	677,070	10,003,206	456,830	34,628,933	

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY MONTHS.

MERCHANDISE.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Per cent of free.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	32,815,769	40,209,877	73,025,646	44.9	55,156,878	1,384,711	56,541,589	16,484,057	.....
August	35,650,550	35,461,393	71,111,943	50.1	54,821,159	1,159,460	55,980,619	15,131,324	.....
September	30,568,563	34,736,757	65,305,320	46.8	57,063,808	1,476,255	58,540,063	6,765,257	.....
October	37,765,403	37,314,941	75,080,344	50.3	85,089,206	2,001,766	87,090,972	.....	12,010,628
November	32,559,971	30,784,846	63,344,817	51.4	85,152,500	2,160,081	87,312,581	.....	23,967,764
December	29,452,757	32,748,280	62,201,047	47.3	91,076,350	1,452,767	92,529,117	.....	30,328,070
1896—January	32,900,589	35,747,011	68,647,600	47.9	85,543,304	1,426,724	86,970,028	.....	18,322,428
February	28,513,192	33,964,924	62,478,116	45.6	76,378,143	1,323,761	77,701,904	.....	15,223,788
March	31,016,387	35,439,276	66,455,663	46.7	74,000,616	1,573,568	75,574,184	.....	9,118,521
April	28,595,639	30,053,940	58,649,579	48.8	69,402,585	1,689,162	71,091,747	.....	12,442,162
May	24,788,242	32,472,617	57,260,859	43.3	64,587,491	1,980,772	66,568,263	.....	9,307,404
June	25,130,398	31,033,342	56,163,740	44.7	64,928,447	1,777,424	66,705,871	.....	10,542,131
Total, 12 months	363,757,470	409,967,204	773,724,674	47.4	667,260,487	13,416,451	680,676,938	.....	102,882,264
July	22,674,353	29,434,199	52,108,552	43.5	65,686,419	2,031,370	67,717,789	.....	15,603,237
August	20,645,161	28,823,029	49,468,190	41.7	66,689,981	1,911,025	68,601,006	.....	19,132,816
September	23,955,772	26,900,218	50,855,990	47.1	83,746,362	1,384,736	85,131,098	.....	24,275,108
October	24,013,430	26,453,889	50,467,319	47.6	111,957,796	1,558,796	113,516,586	.....	63,049,267
November	27,819,906	22,223,382	50,043,288	55.0	107,821,778	1,251,061	109,072,839	.....	59,029,551
December	32,899,388	26,081,272	58,980,660	55.8	116,087,158	1,098,768	117,185,926	.....	58,205,266
1897—January	27,299,139	24,054,879	51,354,018	53.2	92,474,282	1,477,601	93,951,883	.....	42,567,865
February	32,764,969	26,472,408	59,237,377	55.3	77,842,500	1,978,586	79,821,086	.....	20,533,709
March	41,114,784	35,236,660	76,351,444	53.8	85,420,041	1,862,206	87,282,247	.....	10,930,803
April	50,889,374	50,433,032	101,322,406	50.3	76,098,128	1,550,658	77,648,786	23,673,620	.....
May	36,702,676	42,635,471	79,338,147	46.3	76,295,675	1,575,601	77,871,276	1,486,871	.....
June	41,159,291	44,028,780	85,188,071	48.3	71,887,483	1,305,551	73,193,034	11,989,987	.....
Total, 12 months	331,938,243	382,792,169	714,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,955,953	1,050,963,556	.....	281,263,144
July	29,271,389	24,403,370	53,674,759	54.5	69,911,444	1,192,524	71,103,968	.....	17,429,209
August	21,182,871	18,661,734	39,844,605	53.1	79,481,695	1,343,355	80,825,050	.....	40,980,445
September	22,059,214	20,369,912	42,429,126	52	103,097,617	1,443,295	104,540,912	.....	62,111,786
October	24,332,909	25,646,803	49,979,712	48.7	109,527,345	2,217,172	111,744,517	.....	61,764,805
November	26,383,165	25,971,486	52,354,651	50.4	114,645,003	2,027,322	116,672,325	.....	64,317,674
December	24,128,615	27,377,348	51,505,963	46.8	123,153,083	1,900,878	125,053,961	.....	73,547,998
1898—January	22,116,649	28,711,065	50,827,714	43.5	106,698,651	1,728,023	108,426,674	.....	57,598,960
February	22,588,894	30,485,755	53,074,649	42.6	93,284,932	1,632,521	94,917,453	.....	41,842,804
March	26,642,887	34,919,296	61,562,183	43.3	110,750,861	1,899,635	112,650,496	.....	51,058,313
April	24,443,855	31,502,555	55,946,410	43.6	98,013,579	1,301,237	99,314,816	.....	43,368,406
May	25,343,291	28,241,360	53,584,651	47.3	108,715,405	2,568,029	111,283,435	.....	57,098,784
June	22,920,436	28,344,795	51,265,231	44.7	93,012,297	1,926,426	94,978,723	.....	43,713,492
Total, 12 months	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
July	19,575,833	31,408,548	50,984,381	38.4	71,250,815	1,274,204	72,525,049	.....	21,540,668
August	21,304,444	28,372,905	49,677,349	42.9	83,157,397	1,408,164	84,565,561	.....	34,888,212
September	19,658,433	28,797,954	48,456,387	40.6	89,304,880	1,341,057	90,645,937	.....	42,189,550
October	20,163,538	32,185,988	52,349,526	38.3	116,416,821	2,202,742	118,619,563	.....	66,270,037
November	22,125,620	29,971,208	52,096,828	42.3	127,474,112	2,323,853	129,797,965	.....	77,701,137
December	21,500,293	33,638,846	55,139,139	39	135,478,359	2,372,235	137,850,594	.....	82,711,455
1899—January	26,362,783	31,876,988	58,239,771	45.2	113,855,890	1,735,556	115,591,446	.....	57,351,675
February	28,065,413	32,193,039	60,258,452	46.6	92,363,617	1,473,534	93,837,151	.....	33,578,699
March	34,495,050	38,331,016	72,826,066	47.3	102,165,958	2,300,360	104,466,327	.....	31,640,261
Total, 9 months	213,251,407	286,776,492	500,027,899	42.6	931,467,879	16,431,714	947,899,593	.....	447,871,694
Twelve months ending June 30—									
1890	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	33.5	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	43.3	872,279,283	12,210,527	884,489,810	.....	39,564,614
1892	457,999,658	360,402,804	827,402,462	55.4	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	51.3	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	58	860,204,937	22,935,635	882,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	49.6	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,496,451	882,696,938	.....	102,882,264
1897	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July.....	171,683	571,451	743,134		3,490,845		376,673	3,867,518		3,124,384
August.....	129,500	1,534,086	1,663,586	3,240	15,428,861		1,238,400	16,670,501		15,006,915
September.....	173,935	749,456	923,391	5,884	17,348,088		75,977	17,429,949		16,506,558
October.....	214,019	1,797,040	2,011,059	13,810	881,978		991,919	1,887,707	123,352	
November.....	227,308	591,309	818,617	14,760	14,045,981		13,516	14,074,257		13,255,640
December.....	110,217	1,310,448	1,420,665	7,156	14,211,410		1,269,937	15,488,503		14,067,838
1896.										
January.....	179,012	10,367,940	10,546,952	5,002	10,566,327		199	10,571,528		24,576
February.....	100,008	11,559,089	11,659,097	7,101	1,361,850		821,850	2,190,801	9,468,296	
March.....	78,883	677,733	756,616	17,940	384,080			402,020	354,596	
April.....	155,400	1,119,768	1,275,168	5,426	3,210,734		571,532	3,787,692		2,512,524
May.....	107,276	604,498	711,774	7,022	19,038,188		65,725	19,110,935		18,399,161
June.....	157,337	837,669	995,006	13,470	6,865,183		49,883	6,928,536		5,933,530
Total, 12 months.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525		5,475,611	112,409,947		78,884,882
July.....	162,058	1,505,928	1,667,986	23,295	11,391,141		517,000	11,931,436		10,263,450
August.....	232,437	4,057,101	4,289,538	2,440	1,951,104		19,000	1,972,544	2,316,994	
September.....	187,879	34,159,130	34,347,009	32,505	59,750		1,300	93,555	34,253,454	
October.....	232,686	27,961,083	28,193,769	24,839	343,168			368,007	27,825,762	
November.....	143,072	7,344,228	7,487,300	44,611	423,399			468,010	7,019,290	
December.....	233,929	2,567,115	2,801,044	25,970	404,416		1,440	431,826	2,369,218	
1897.										
January.....	386,685	556,621	943,306	70,411	371,944			442,355	500,951	
February.....	285,480	544,700	830,180	16,450	153,266		183,431	353,147	477,033	
March.....	555,273	884,166	1,439,439	3,137	173,418		398,650	575,205	864,234	
April.....	352,054	619,452	971,506	1,800	6,622,002	10	7,404	6,631,216		5,659,710
May.....	389,849	561,666	951,515	1,260	9,389,682		77,529	9,468,471		8,516,956
June.....	441,845	650,343	1,092,188	130	7,622,384		3,294	7,625,808		6,533,620
Total, 12 months.....	2,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	
July.....	346,754	502,197	938,951	2,750	5,459,119		1,000	5,462,869		4,523,918
August.....	344,174	4,376,395	4,720,569		1,983,588			1,983,588	2,736,981	
September.....	433,758	4,289,423	4,723,181		142,922			142,922	4,580,259	
October.....	423,717	11,351,766	11,775,483	1,640	281,667		30,004	313,311	11,462,172	
November.....	509,071	2,545,018	3,054,089	173	694,138		5,202	699,513	2,354,576	
December.....	472,392	2,110,013	2,582,405	4,458	573,233		305	577,995	2,004,409	
1898.										
January.....	776,638	5,716,776	6,493,414	2,468	205,945		2,450,250	2,658,663	3,834,751	
February.....	833,572	5,329,109	6,162,681		151,896		878,516	1,030,412	5,132,269	
March.....	493,575	30,214,745	30,708,320	69,873	322,788		336,046	728,707	29,979,613	
April.....	234,720	32,345,138	32,579,858	100	97,068		1,226,556	1,323,724	31,256,134	
May.....	203,477	13,118,634	13,322,111		109,016		141	109,157	13,212,954	
June.....	145,838	3,184,774	3,330,612		367,529		8,000	375,529	2,955,083	
Total, 12 months.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909		4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	
July.....	149,437	2,492,231	2,641,668	3,200	1,490,582		3,231	1,497,013	1,144,655	
August.....	226,475	15,070,336	15,296,811		1,449,712		506,196	1,955,908	13,340,903	
September.....	318,922	16,489,419	16,808,341	3,245	202,783		2,896,782	3,102,810	13,705,531	
October.....	435,896	16,302,457	16,738,353	100	356,596		923,230	1,279,926	15,458,427	
November.....	697,864	4,716,737	5,414,601	2,710	302,003		608,754	913,467	4,411,134	
December.....	591,379	8,165,803	8,757,182		159,138		1,060,500	1,219,638	7,537,544	
1899.										
January.....	549,237	5,843,107	6,392,344		1,280,053		475,398	1,755,451	4,636,893	
February.....	306,973	4,841,933	5,148,906		179,759		388,203	567,962	4,580,944	
March.....	363,641	2,823,834	3,187,575	2,810	612,251		494,784	1,109,845	2,077,730	
Total, 9 months.....	3,549,824	76,745,957	80,295,781	12,065	6,032,877		7,357,078	13,402,020	66,893,761	
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1899.....	91,679	12,943,342	13,035,021	a 1,973,976	13,403,632	1,952	3,870,859	19,250,419		6,215,398
1891.....	214,803	18,232,567	18,447,370	a 34,542	84,939,551	209	1,423,103	86,397,405		67,950,035
1892.....	249,304	49,699,454	49,948,758	a 39,325	43,321,351	13,004	6,873,976	50,247,656		298,898
1893.....	894,999	21,174,381	22,069,380	a 225,524	102,068,153	16,607	6,612,691	108,922,975		86,853,595
1894.....	540,444	72,449,119	72,989,563	a 146,779	64,487,354	17,069	12,490,707	77,141,999		4,152,346
1895.....	1,238,026	35,146,734	36,384,760	328,012	55,890,295	9,286	10,240,888	66,468,481		30,682,721
1896.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525		5,475,611	112,409,947		78,884,882
1897.....	3,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	
1898.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909		4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July.....	955,085	772,363	1,727,448	.....	4,420,201	.....	393,890	4,814,091	.....	3,086,643
August.....	1,112,598	1,114,677	2,227,275	25,778	4,200,615	.....	353,083	4,579,476	.....	2,352,201
September.....	982,997	1,781,193	2,764,190	38,065	4,067,753	.....	1,331,641	5,437,459	.....	2,673,269
October.....	1,178,995	1,391,831	2,570,826	99,840	3,679,888	.....	914,559	4,694,287	.....	2,123,461
November.....	1,092,377	1,030,023	2,122,400	72,293	4,587,416	.....	827,143	5,486,854	.....	3,364,454
December.....	1,687,485	883,489	2,570,974	105,813	4,646,741	.....	512,796	5,265,350	.....	2,694,376
1896.										
January.....	1,433,622	1,057,597	2,491,219	84,670	4,547,372	730	355,927	4,988,699	.....	2,497,480
February.....	1,388,938	1,411,967	2,800,905	38,115	4,549,684	.....	812,635	5,400,434	.....	2,590,529
March.....	1,468,100	1,353,526	2,821,626	67,568	4,125,859	.....	888,867	5,082,294	.....	2,260,063
April.....	1,574,353	569,301	2,143,654	14,665	4,936,508	.....	203,470	5,154,643	.....	3,010,989
May.....	1,386,140	564,332	1,950,472	35,807	4,941,150	.....	217,971	5,194,937	.....	3,244,465
June.....	1,598,538	987,659	2,586,197	93,368	3,815,379	.....	532,399	4,443,146	.....	1,856,949
Total, 12 months.....	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
July.....	1,804,296	839,155	2,643,361	33,652	5,373,037	.....	364,717	5,771,406	.....	3,128,045
August.....	1,350,066	929,422	2,279,488	25,387	4,808,737	.....	467,210	5,301,334	.....	3,021,846
September.....	1,237,622	741,678	1,979,300	168,880	5,337,641	.....	196,469	5,702,990	.....	3,723,690
October.....	1,489,353	993,440	2,482,793	179,046	4,492,814	.....	301,525	4,973,385	.....	2,496,592
November.....	1,338,333	1,776,699	3,115,032	148,232	4,340,865	.....	633,546	5,122,643	.....	2,967,611
December.....	1,705,892	1,279,801	2,985,693	101,285	5,062,996	.....	1,756,549	6,920,830	.....	3,935,137
1897.										
January.....	1,907,479	877,067	2,784,546	156,903	3,742,415	.....	255,339	4,154,657	.....	1,370,111
February.....	1,568,369	763,563	2,331,932	66,158	4,208,697	.....	451,665	4,726,520	.....	2,394,588
March.....	1,518,765	480,170	1,998,935	23,639	4,681,238	.....	234,446	4,930,323	.....	2,946,368
April.....	1,604,104	578,124	2,182,228	250	4,807,377	.....	89,518	4,897,145	.....	2,714,917
May.....	1,984,320	766,704	2,751,024	12,200	4,148,920	.....	188,422	4,340,542	.....	1,568,513
June.....	2,044,013	954,882	2,998,895	.....	4,621,454	.....	465,409	5,086,863	.....	2,087,968
Total, 12 months.....	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
July.....	1,681,473	1,012,391	2,693,864	180	4,068,884	.....	636,090	4,705,154	.....	2,011,200
August.....	1,563,457	1,491,752	3,055,209	.....	4,817,093	.....	817,899	5,164,992	.....	2,169,783
September.....	2,228,231	856,393	3,084,624	.....	3,625,000	.....	956,878	4,582,478	.....	1,497,854
October.....	1,591,762	1,691,661	3,283,423	95	3,939,347	.....	1,285,995	5,225,437	.....	1,942,014
November.....	1,540,145	1,610,691	3,150,836	1,334	3,939,895	.....	1,039,422	4,980,651	.....	1,829,815
December.....	1,703,434	1,063,352	2,766,786	48,259	4,661,185	.....	1,139,086	5,848,530	.....	3,081,744
1898.										
January.....	1,990,631	544,830	2,535,461	39,424	3,841,239	.....	421,157	4,301,820	.....	1,766,359
February.....	1,703,601	382,034	2,085,635	6,820	3,631,065	.....	122,066	3,759,971	.....	1,674,336
March.....	2,120,018	457,577	2,577,595	7,695	3,974,363	.....	113,965	4,095,963	.....	1,518,368
April.....	1,601,909	489,157	2,091,066	58,860	3,880,402	.....	159,899	4,039,161	.....	2,008,665
May.....	1,083,811	490,668	1,574,479	.....	4,006,265	.....	178,167	4,184,432	.....	2,609,953
June.....	1,229,048	799,755	2,028,803	.....	3,751,640	.....	405,010	4,156,650	.....	2,127,847
Total, 12 months.....	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458
July.....	1,350,588	1,303,158	2,653,746	150	3,643,118	.....	1,241,654	4,884,922	.....	2,231,176
August.....	2,093,589	1,458,154	3,551,743	.....	3,837,786	.....	960,692	4,798,478	.....	1,216,735
September.....	1,031,392	969,394	2,000,696	860	4,157,422	.....	993,821	5,152,103	.....	3,151,407
October.....	1,722,767	830,677	2,553,444	.....	4,248,479	.....	264,348	4,512,827	.....	1,959,383
November.....	1,422,381	846,878	2,269,259	165	3,586,013	.....	436,901	4,023,079	.....	1,753,820
December.....	2,209,425	1,000,028	3,209,453	9,525	5,288,326	.....	529,847	5,827,698	.....	2,618,245
1899.										
January.....	2,469,092	659,760	3,128,852	4,520	5,206,007	.....	170,279	5,380,806	.....	2,251,954
February.....	1,046,110	380,917	1,427,027	9,390	4,122,382	.....	187,302	4,319,074	.....	2,892,047
March.....	2,565,598	560,261	3,125,859	150	4,936,189	.....	121,314	5,057,653	.....	1,931,794
Total, 9 months.....	15,910,852	8,009,227	23,920,079	24,760	39,025,722	.....	4,906,158	43,956,640	.....	20,036,561
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890.....	7,748,572	21,032,984	28,781,556	.....	22,378,557	75,673	12,495,372	34,949,602	.....	6,168,046
1891.....	8,953,608	18,026,890	26,980,498	.....	14,033,714	104,175	8,537,274	22,605,163	4,285,325	.....
1892.....	9,656,761	19,955,086	29,611,847	.....	16,765,967	332,336	16,045,492	33,142,895	.....	3,531,048
1893.....	11,100,747	23,193,252	34,293,999	.....	23,559,254	144,338	17,178,065	40,831,657	.....	6,587,658
1894.....	6,679,161	13,286,552	19,965,713	.....	39,069,087	69,015	11,382,178	50,520,280	.....	30,554,567
1895.....	10,658,059	9,552,520	20,211,179	46,206	40,073,222	21,733	7,154,095	47,295,286	.....	27,084,107
1896.....	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
1897.....	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
1898.....	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.

IMPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	March—		Nine months ending March—		March—		Nine months ending March—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....	136,915	22,673	318,326	185,649	364	415	9,540	12,690
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	526,843	6,700	604,913	53,250				
Newark, N. J.....	15,828		27,248	237,463	64,418		111,459	122,482
New York, N. Y.....	26,868,692	1,057,846	43,109,594	34,452,129	1,202,544	1,896,499	10,769,898	10,800,841
Perth Amboy, N. J.....	6,925		6,925	28,801	286,871		286,871	1,055,436
Philadelphia, Pa.....	100		110	75			2,560	500
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....						7,632	11,220	11,137
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	41,179	79,580	399,601	736,734	39,177	94,047	746,454	1,438,811
Galveston, Tex.....			2,220					
Mobile, Ala.....	6,513	4,428	14,534	17,329	705	54	11,997	9,843
New Orleans, La.....	24,179	30,735	184,927	202,450	15,939	41,256	199,261	263,302
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	68,515	14,551	702,115	150,552	280,619	335,604	6,459,505	4,866,930
Pensacola, Fla.....								1,500
Saluria, Tex.....	34,480		332,274	137,944	62,225	11,925	1,031,772	364,015
Alaska.....			50	9,065,000				100
Arizona.....	129,840	133,284	1,214,161	1,348,878	106,706	145,574	805,547	988,767
Puget Sound, Wash.....	207,800	203,047	2,754,678	1,013,260	256,794	177,018	1,948,069	1,188,261
San Diego, Cal.....	7,193	2,753	65,792	33,099				
San Francisco, Cal.....	1,761,348	1,161,478	16,893,160	28,668,694	239,916	269,275	1,979,325	1,892,045
Champlain, N. Y.....	866,970	441,999	3,684,108	3,362,074	6,183	2,398	43,310	30,138
Chicago, Ill.....				1,278	13,860	6,155	15,537	83,931
Detroit, Mich.....		1,000	1,590	4,031	60	100	458	11,437
Huron, Mich.....			85	900				800
Minnesota, Minn.....							8,589	
Montana and Idaho.....			983	234	1,214	55,584	87,216	108,332
Niagara, N. Y.....	5,000	3,310	923,574	79,087		2,100	17,740	91,231
North and South Dakota.....			40					
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....		24,191		515,870		9,758		68,106
Vermont, Vt.....						70,465		508,844
Kansas City, Mo.....			7,365				182,381	
Omaha, Nebr.....			720	1,000			504,724	
Total.....	30,708,320	3,187,575	71,150,093	80,295,781	2,577,595	3,125,859	25,233,433	23,920,079

IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	March—		Nine months ending March—		March—		Nine months ending March—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....	14,215,416	848,200	19,888,183	8,382,745	151		23,218	1,175
Germany.....	812,810		812,990	185,046	409		1,699	1,940
United Kingdom.....	11,549,201	34,036	17,484,466	23,963,232		14,843	14,519	87,871
Other Europe.....		5,589	510,823	15,363			1,026	73
British Honduras.....	8,349	4,262	22,944	27,047	16,114	25,809	158,926	217,374
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	871,970	470,500	4,517,477	12,955,397	6,243	14,356	60,670	127,341
British Columbia.....	237,679	216,167	3,164,695	1,627,861	336,286	302,594	2,870,577	2,038,745
Central American States.....	47,708	44,252	407,736	483,046	43,496	25,034	623,221	504,359
Mexico.....	573,676	408,154	4,040,359	4,261,294	1,982,087	2,576,568	20,232,253	19,938,381
West Indies:								
Cuba.....	584,000	1,250	2,721,810	76,764		2,077	2,095	13,108
British.....	32,944	1,200	119,270	24,464	135		17,922	31,739
Other West Indies.....	55,690	53,174	496,523	247,353	40,613	105,393	531,967	213,812
Other North America.....	179,840	23,373	440,244	239,433	364	415	9,540	14,693
Colombia.....	25,190	10,659	212,467	152,748	7,500	8,671	121,995	241,727
Venezuela.....	3,260	1,070	606,613	196,053			417	3,809
Other South America.....		2,700	14,364	559,498	132,105	11,414	499,599	396,168
China.....				244,235		30,690	45	53,780
Japan.....	50,547		57,047	5,020,424				18,000
British Australasia.....	1,459,950	1,001,573	15,510,232	21,528,362		8,685		15,471
Hawaiian Islands.....		55,416	130,000	105,416				
Other Oceanica.....			850		12,392		13,744	
Total.....	30,708,320	3,187,575	71,150,093	80,295,781	2,577,595	3,125,859	25,233,433	23,920,079
Ore and bullion.....	7,861,106	757,176	16,857,989	33,510,678	2,426,225	2,849,145	18,444,926	19,170,739
Coin.....	22,844,154	2,430,399	54,301,104	46,785,103	151,370	276,714	6,788,507	4,749,340

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	March—		Nine months ending March—		March—		Nine months ending March—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....		110	773	5,082	150	23	3,106	1,728
Bangor, Me.....			75,207		221	7	1,739	1,161
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			8,100	5				8,000
New York, N. Y.....	492,809	723,738	9,940,362	8,849,490	2,950,332	4,829,938	32,968,168	39,737,294
Philadelphia, Pa.....					1,352		2,415	
Corpus Christi, Tex.....					483,905		483,905	
Galveston, Tex.....							100	
Mobile, Ala.....			5,000					
New Orleans, La.....				1,896				
Paso del Norte, Tex.....					176,711		522,379	5,090
Saluria, Tex.....			8,158		98,320		170,552	12,409
Alaska.....			1,055					
Puget Sound, Wash.....	800	3,888	77,446	54,218	854	123	17,133	17,388
San Diego, Cal.....							1,150	
San Francisco, Cal.....	3,656	381,169	1,098,128	1,282,752	367,604	212,910	8,387,179	4,055,223
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	822		1,715		507	1,484	1,948	10,739
Champlain, N. Y.....	230,000		2,137,565	2,920,083	5,400	7,824	66,430	55,856
Detroit, Mich.....								1,202
Memphremagog, Vt.....				10				827
Niagara, N. Y.....	620	940	244,387	288,239	1,607	5,300	38,772	47,259
Vermont, Vt.....			85	245		44	20	2,554
Total.....	728,707	1,109,845	13,597,981	13,402,020	4,095,963	5,057,653	42,664,996	43,956,640

EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	March—		Nine months ending March—		March—		Nine months ending March—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....			4,008,535		191,000	390,644	757,000	1,022,816
Germany.....	1,650	2,700	1,260,840	15,900	100	650	945	53,812
United Kingdom.....	68,223	110	440,359	27,215	2,699,710	4,258,065	31,685,454	37,757,482
Other Europe.....							100	
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	231,442	940	2,383,752	3,208,577	7,514	14,652	107,170	118,437
British Columbia.....	800	3,888	78,501	54,218	854	123	17,133	17,388
Central American States.....	293	1,379	105,563	22,404	20,125	9,027	191,319	28,710
Mexico.....		4,500	11,158	15,075	758,936		1,196,770	40,909
West Indies:								
Cuba.....	322,077	647,113	3,630,743	8,106,552		161,000		392,680
Haiti.....	10,500	8,000	284,615	198,856			960	
Santo Domingo.....	3,590	4,196	93,259	67,858	49,000		285,746	379,500
Other West Indies.....	12,004	4,850	20,049	53,604	2,172	4,785	20,431	25,011
Other North America.....			93,307	133,446	221	7	1,739	9,161
Colombia.....	7,000	1,000	25,100	19,922	1,502	23	26,277	2,923
Venezuela.....	67,472	50,000	106,422	208,441				
Other South America.....			22,710	975	4,225	11,712	44,038	72,078
China.....						61,408	805,180	660,304
East Indies: British.....					140,904		1,340,988	
Hongkong.....	3,656	5,169	52,928	65,977	140,904	69,057	6,072,841	3,162,425
Japan.....							60,530	
Hawaiian Islands.....		376,000	980,140	1,203,000		70,500	50,000	211,704
All other countries.....							375	1,400
Total.....	728,707	1,109,845	13,597,981	13,402,020	4,095,963	5,057,653	42,664,996	43,956,640
Ore and bullion.....	70,695	3,719	2,055,121	70,528	3,980,997	4,693,447	36,052,337	38,437,923
Coin.....	658,012	1,106,126	11,542,860	13,331,492	114,966	364,206	6,612,659	5,518,717

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN DURING MONTH OF MARCH, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.					SILVER.						TOTAL GOLD AND SILVER, INCLUDING ORE.
	Ore.	Bullion.	Coin.		Total gold, including ore.	Ore.	Bullion.		Coin.		Total sil- ver, includ- ing ore.	
			United States.	Foreign.			United States.	Foreign.				
IMPORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Ounces.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Bangor, Me.....		21,535	1,138		22,673				415		415	23,088
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		6,700			6,700							6,700
New York, N. Y.....	117,887	21,630	64,594	853,735	1,057,846	1,749,263	40,078	24,047	7,864	115,325	1,896,499	2,954,345
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....										7,632	7,632	7,632
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	533	56,291	16,032	6,724	79,580	76,375	19,202	11,948		5,724	94,047	173,627
Mobile, Ala.....		2,300	1,678	450	4,428				54		54	4,482
New Orleans, La.....		30,185	550		30,735				7,900	33,356	41,256	71,991
Pasodel Norte, Tex.....	11,729	2,822			14,551	264,616	127,421	60,780		10,208	335,604	350,155
Saluria, Tex.....										11,925	11,925	11,925
Arizona.....	29,175	104,109			133,284	114,953	52,795	30,621			145,574	278,858
Puget Sound, Wash.....	173,697	29,350			203,047	177,018					177,018	380,065
San Diego, Cal.....	1,582	1,171			2,753							2,753
San Francisco, Cal.....	4,847	114,132	59,466	983,033	1,161,478	41,411	215,100	156,151	30,000	41,713	269,275	1,430,753
Champlain, N. Y.....			400,000	41,999	441,999				2,398		2,398	444,397
Chicago, Ill.....						6,155					6,155	6,155
Detroit, Mich.....			1,000		1,000				100		100	1,100
Montana and Idaho.....						55,584					55,584	55,584
Niagara, N. Y.....		3,310			3,310				2,100		2,100	5,410
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	24,191				24,191	9,758					9,758	33,949
Omaha, Nebr.....						70,465					70,465	70,465
Total imports.....	363,641	393,535	544,458	1,885,941	3,187,575	2,565,598	454,596	283,547	50,831	225,883	3,125,859	6,313,434
EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC.												
Baltimore, Md.....	110				110							110
Bangor, Me.....						9	7				7	7
New York, N. Y.....	2,700		226,254		228,954	150	7,469,419	4,585,309	163,800		4,749,259	4,978,213
Puget Sound, Wash.....			3,888		3,888				123		123	4,011
San Francisco, Cal.....		594	380,575		381,169		166,771	101,153	76,500		177,653	558,822
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....							2,473	1,484			1,484	1,484
Champlain, N. Y.....									2,500		2,500	2,500
Niagara, N. Y.....		315	625		940		5,112	5,300			5,300	6,240
Vermont, Vt.....							20	13			13	13
Total domestic exports.....	2,810	909	611,342		615,061	150	7,643,804	4,693,266	242,923		4,936,339	5,551,400
EXPORTS OF FOREIGN.												
Baltimore, Md.....										23	23	23
New York, N. Y.....				494,784	494,784					80,679	80,679	575,463
San Francisco, Cal.....										35,257	35,257	35,257
Champlain, N. Y.....										5,324	5,324	5,324
Vermont, Vt.....							50	31			31	31
Total foreign exports.....				494,784	494,784		50	31		121,283	121,314	616,098

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM 1835 TO 1898—(Specie values).

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1835.....	64,809,046	71,955,249	136,764,295	100,459,481	14,756,321	115,215,802	21,548,493	.....
1836.....	78,655,600	97,923,554	176,579,154	106,570,942	17,767,762	124,338,704	52,240,450	.....
1837.....	58,733,617	71,739,186	130,472,803	94,280,895	17,162,232	111,443,127	19,029,676	.....
1838.....	43,112,889	52,857,399	95,970,288	95,560,880	9,417,690	104,978,570	.....	9,008,282
1839.....	70,806,616	85,690,340	156,496,956	101,625,533	10,626,140	112,251,673	44,245,283	.....
1840.....	48,313,391	49,945,315	98,258,706	111,660,561	12,008,371	123,668,932	.....	25,410,226
1841.....	61,031,098	61,926,446	122,957,544	103,636,236	8,181,235	111,817,471	11,140,073	.....
1842.....	26,540,470	66,534,601	96,075,071	91,799,242	8,078,753	99,877,995	.....	3,802,924
June 30—								
1843 (9 months).....	13,254,249	29,179,215	42,433,464	77,686,354	5,139,335	82,825,689	.....	40,392,225
1844.....	18,936,452	83,668,154	102,604,606	99,531,774	6,214,058	105,745,832	.....	3,141,226
1845.....	18,077,598	95,106,724	113,184,322	98,455,330	7,584,781	106,040,111	7,144,211	.....
1846.....	20,990,007	96,924,058	117,914,065	101,718,042	7,865,206	109,583,248	8,330,817	.....
1847.....	17,651,347	104,773,002	122,424,349	150,574,844	6,166,754	156,741,598	.....	34,317,249
1848.....	16,356,319	132,282,325	148,638,644	130,203,709	7,986,806	138,190,515	10,448,129	.....
1849.....	15,726,425	125,479,774	141,206,199	131,710,081	8,641,091	140,351,172	855,027	.....
1850.....	18,081,590	155,427,936	173,509,526	134,900,233	9,475,493	144,375,726	29,133,800	.....
1851.....	19,653,084	191,118,345	210,771,429	178,620,138	10,295,121	188,915,259	21,856,170	.....
1852.....	24,187,890	183,252,508	207,440,398	154,931,147	12,053,084	166,984,231	40,456,167	.....
1853.....	27,182,152	236,595,113	263,777,265	189,869,162	13,620,120	203,489,282	60,287,983	.....
1854.....	25,760,447	272,043,347	297,803,794	215,328,300	21,715,464	237,043,764	60,760,030	.....
1855.....	36,430,524	221,378,184	257,808,708	192,751,135	26,158,368	218,909,503	38,899,205	.....
1856.....	52,718,074	257,684,236	310,402,310	266,438,051	14,781,372	281,219,423	29,212,887	.....
1857.....	54,267,507	294,160,835	348,428,342	278,906,713	14,917,047	293,823,760	54,604,582	.....
1858.....	61,044,779	202,293,875	263,338,654	251,351,033	20,660,241	272,011,274	.....	8,672,620
1859.....	72,286,327	259,047,014	331,333,341	278,392,080	14,509,971	292,902,051	38,431,290	.....
1860.....	73,741,479	279,874,610	353,616,119	316,242,423	17,333,634	333,576,057	20,040,062	.....
1861.....	71,130,351	218,180,191	289,310,542	204,899,616	14,654,217	219,553,833	69,756,709	.....
1862.....	52,721,653	136,635,024	189,356,677	179,644,024	11,026,477	190,670,501	.....	1,313,824
1863.....	35,241,924	208,093,891	243,335,815	186,003,912	17,960,535	203,964,447	39,371,368	.....
1864.....	41,126,332	275,320,951	316,447,283	143,504,027	15,333,961	158,837,988	157,609,295	.....
1865.....	44,519,516	194,226,064	238,745,580	136,940,248	29,089,055	166,029,303	72,716,277	.....
1866.....	59,028,526	375,783,540	434,812,066	337,518,102	11,341,420	348,859,522	85,952,544	.....
1867.....	23,133,495	372,627,601	395,761,096	279,786,809	14,719,332	294,506,141	101,254,955	.....
1868.....	15,190,781	342,245,659	357,436,440	269,389,900	12,562,999	281,952,899	75,483,541	.....
1869.....	21,046,092	395,859,687	417,506,379	275,166,697	10,951,000	286,117,697	131,388,682	.....
1870.....	20,140,786	415,817,622	435,958,408	376,616,473	16,155,295	392,771,768	43,186,610	.....
1871.....	36,587,737	483,635,947	520,223,684	428,398,908	14,421,270	442,820,178	77,403,506	.....
1872.....	47,267,213	579,327,864	626,595,077	428,487,131	15,690,455	444,177,586	182,417,491	.....
1873.....	144,815,884	497,320,326	642,136,210	505,033,439	17,446,483	522,479,922	119,656,288	.....
1874.....	151,481,762	415,924,580	567,406,342	569,433,421	16,849,619	586,283,040	.....	13,876,698
1875.....	146,279,927	386,725,509	533,005,436	499,284,100	14,158,611	513,442,711	19,562,725	.....
1876.....	140,361,913	320,379,277	460,741,190	525,582,247	14,802,424	540,384,671	.....	79,643,481
1877.....	140,788,452	310,534,674	451,323,126	589,670,224	12,804,996	602,475,220	.....	151,152,094
1878.....	141,278,265	295,773,267	437,051,532	680,709,268	14,156,498	694,865,766	.....	257,814,234
1879.....	142,681,505	303,096,270	445,777,775	698,340,790	12,098,651	710,439,441	.....	264,661,666
1880.....	208,301,863	459,652,883	667,954,746	823,946,353	11,692,305	835,638,658	.....	167,683,912
1881.....	202,491,547	440,173,081	642,664,628	883,925,947	18,451,399	902,377,346	.....	259,712,718
1882.....	210,579,007	514,060,567	724,639,574	733,239,732	17,302,525	750,542,257	.....	25,992,683
1883.....	207,504,718	515,676,196	723,180,914	804,223,632	19,615,770	823,839,402	.....	100,638,488
1884.....	209,884,184	457,813,509	667,697,693	724,964,852	15,548,757	740,513,609	.....	72,815,916
1885.....	193,213,624	384,813,705	577,527,329	726,682,946	15,506,809	742,189,755	.....	164,662,426
1886.....	212,159,296	423,276,840	635,436,136	665,964,529	13,560,301	879,524,830	.....	44,088,694
1887.....	234,221,131	458,098,637	692,319,768	703,022,923	13,160,288	716,183,211	.....	23,863,443
1888.....	244,071,015	479,885,499	723,957,114	683,862,104	12,092,403	695,954,507	28,002,607	.....
1889.....	256,487,078	488,644,574	745,131,652	730,282,609	12,118,766	742,401,375	2,730,277	.....
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	793,392,539	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION FROM 1835 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	GOLD.				SILVER.		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of—		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports over imports.
			Imports over exports.	Exports over imports.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—							
1835.....	2,325,196	1,355,280			10,806,251	5,122,495	
1836.....	7,231,862	647,455			6,169,019	3,676,881	
1837.....	2,431,814	3,213,735			8,084,600	2,762,514	
1838.....	11,674,883	1,213,204			6,072,233	2,294,842	
1839.....	1,164,580	4,800,668			4,430,596	3,976,075	
1840.....	3,085,157	3,703,373			5,797,656	4,713,641	
1841.....	1,269,440	3,589,869			3,719,154	6,444,403	
1842.....	757,294	2,304,756			3,329,722	2,508,783	
June 30—							
1843 (nine months).....	17,066,437	407,687			5,253,898	1,113,104	
1844.....	1,612,304	1,366,521			4,217,125	4,087,693	
1845.....	818,850	3,055,425			3,251,392	5,551,070	
1846.....	910,413	2,053,199			2,867,319	1,852,069	
1847.....	21,574,931	1,037,921			2,540,358	869,103	
1848.....	3,408,755	11,071,197			2,951,529	4,770,419	
1849.....	4,068,647	1,972,233			2,582,593	3,432,415	
1850.....	1,776,706	4,560,627			2,852,086	2,962,367	
1851.....	3,569,090	22,829,913			1,884,413	6,635,839	
1852.....	3,658,059	40,073,979			1,846,985	2,600,156	
1853.....	2,427,356	25,442,858			1,774,026	2,044,017	
1854.....	3,031,961	40,470,260			3,726,623	727,040	
1855.....	1,092,802	55,109,215			2,567,010	1,138,129	
1856.....	990,305	45,000,977			3,217,327	744,508	
1857.....	6,654,636	65,232,653			5,807,163	3,904,260	
1858.....	11,566,068	50,002,804			7,708,428	2,630,343	
1859.....	2,125,397	61,108,053			5,309,302	2,779,358	
1860.....	2,568,786	58,446,039			6,041,349	8,100,200	
1861.....	42,291,930	27,423,973			4,047,681	2,367,107	
1862.....	13,907,011	35,439,903			2,508,041	1,447,737	
1863.....	5,530,538	62,162,838			4,053,567	1,993,773	
1864.....	11,176,769	100,661,634		89,484,865	1,938,843	4,734,907	2,796,064
1865.....	6,498,228	58,381,033		51,882,805	3,311,844	9,262,193	5,950,349
1866.....	8,196,261	71,197,309		63,001,048	2,503,831	14,646,762	12,342,931
1867.....	17,024,866	39,026,627		22,001,761	5,045,609	21,841,745	16,796,136
1868.....	8,737,443	72,396,344		63,658,901	5,450,925	21,387,758	15,936,833
1869.....	14,132,568	36,003,498		21,870,930	5,675,308	21,134,882	15,459,574
1870.....	12,056,950	33,635,962		21,579,012	14,362,229	24,519,704	10,157,475
1871.....	6,883,561	66,686,208		59,802,647	14,386,463	31,755,780	17,369,317
1872.....	8,717,458	49,548,760		40,831,302	5,026,231	30,328,774	25,362,543
1873.....	8,682,447	44,856,715		36,174,268	12,798,490	39,751,859	26,953,369
1874.....	19,503,137	34,042,420		14,539,283	8,951,709	32,587,985	23,636,216
1875.....	13,696,793	66,980,977		53,284,184	7,203,924	25,151,165	17,947,241
1876.....	7,992,709	31,177,050		23,184,341	7,943,972	25,329,252	17,385,280
1877.....	26,246,234	26,590,374		344,140	14,528,180	29,571,863	15,043,683
1878.....	13,330,215	9,204,445	4,125,760		16,401,099	24,535,670	8,044,571
1879.....	5,624,948	4,587,614	1,037,334		14,671,052	20,409,827	5,738,775
1880.....	80,758,396	3,639,025	77,119,371		12,275,914	13,503,894	1,227,980
1881.....	100,031,259	2,565,132	97,466,127		10,544,238	16,841,715	6,297,477
1882.....	34,377,054	32,587,880	1,789,174		8,095,336	16,829,599	8,734,263
1883.....	17,734,149	11,600,888	6,133,261		10,755,242	20,219,445	9,464,203
1884.....	22,831,317	41,081,957		18,250,640	14,594,945	26,051,426	11,456,481
1885.....	28,691,696	8,477,892	18,213,804		16,550,027	33,753,633	17,203,606
1886.....	20,743,349	42,952,191		22,208,842	17,850,307	29,511,219	11,660,912
1887.....	42,910,601	9,701,187	33,209,414		17,260,191	25,296,504	9,036,313
1888.....	43,964,317	18,376,234	25,588,083		15,403,069	28,037,949	12,634,880
1889.....	10,284,858	59,952,285		49,667,427	18,078,215	36,689,248	18,611,033
1890.....	12,943,342	17,274,491		4,331,140	21,032,984	34,873,929	13,840,945
1891.....	18,232,567	86,362,654		68,130,087	18,026,880	22,590,988	4,564,108
1892.....	49,699,454	50,195,327		495,873	19,955,086	32,810,559	12,855,473
1893.....	21,174,381	108,680,844		87,506,463	23,193,252	40,737,319	17,544,067
1894 a.....	72,449,119	76,978,061		4,528,942	13,288,552	50,451,265	37,164,713
1895 a.....	36,384,760	66,468,481		30,083,721	20,211,179	47,295,286	27,084,107
1896 a.....	33,525,065	112,409,947		78,884,882	28,777,186	60,541,670	31,764,484
1897 a.....	85,014,780	40,361,580	44,653,200		30,533,227	61,946,638	31,413,411
1898 a.....	120,391,674	15,406,391	104,985,283		30,927,781	55,105,239	24,177,458

a Includes gold and silver in ore.

NOTE.—Gold and silver can not be separately stated in domestic exports before 1864, but it is probable that the greater portion of the exports was gold.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Aroostook, Me.....Imports..	24,364	12,207										
Baltimore, Md.....Imports..	72	747	258,757	129,036			344,919	708,230	500	79	2,068	2,730
Baltimore, Md.....Exports..			77,720	49,135	71,158		9,312,975	7,739,292	301,507	92,229		
Bangor, Me.....Imports..	57,537	61,533		11								
Bangor, Me.....Exports..	320,984	362,253										
Barnstable, Mass.....Imports..							2,705					
Bath, Me.....Imports..	260	2,981										
Beaufort, S. C.....Exports..							425,555	20,596				
Belfast, Me.....Imports..							84					
Belfast, Me.....Exports..			419									
Boston and Charles-Imports..	4,829	4,357	430,789	356,112	6,640	6,310	4,639,054	4,176,013	1,604	21,460	23,993	27,634
town, Mass.....Exports..			5,220	208,258			10,495,339	11,009,451			38,137	
Brunswick, Ga.....Imports..							3,528	25				
Brunswick, Ga.....Exports..				5,597			751,491	484,401				
Castine, Me.....Imports..							98					
Castine, Me.....Exports..												
Charleston, S. C.....Imports..			301	234			30,488	30,053				
Charleston, S. C.....Exports..							343,621	72,767				
Delaware.....Imports..				5	487		20,032	23,042		100		
Delaware.....Exports..							182,278	351,004				32,287
Fairfield, Conn.....Imports..			15,854	918		5,387	7,751	10,284			130	1,472
Fernandina, Fla.....Imports..								5				
Fernandina, Fla.....Exports..			3,468				176,449	192,649				
Frenchmans Bay.....Imports..				180								
Georgetown, D. C.....Imports..			176	2,199			3,224	4,794			2,440	1,263
Gloucester, Mass.....Imports..							4,539	3,143				
Hartford, Conn.....Imports..			648	188	4,628	4,886	13,186	7,621			1,228	2,264
Machias, Me.....Imports..				20								
Newark, N. J.....Imports..	39,737	7,953	6,687		23,955	278	3,957	6,825	177	34	869	1,661
Newark, N. J.....Exports..							5,473	1,610				
Marblehead, Me.....Imports..								240				
New Haven, Conn.....Imports..			968	24,944		267	4,041	5,406		61	456	2,650
New London, Conn.....Imports..				986								
Newport News, Va.....Imports..							85,436	85,106				
Newport News, Va.....Exports..			8,605	10,966			2,474,886	2,223,497				
New York, N. Y.....Imports..	143,939	83,006	7,323,312	6,155,512	1,386,074	2,251,780	19,905,379	27,539,191	1,581,525	1,609,976	3,756,824	4,549,283
New York, N. Y.....Exports..			3,011,311	3,905,037	883,175	689,359	24,669,457	23,845,866	1,867,359	2,036,966	1,059,167	1,572,336
Norfolk and Ports-Imports..							105	68			170	
mouth, Va.....Exports..			18,555	31,874			888,582	1,597,306				
Passamaquoddy, Me.....Imports..	5,112	2,148	12,599	13,335			1,357	1,406				
Passamaquoddy, Me.....Exports..	13,619	12,540	26,265	49,409								
Perth Amboy, N. J.....Imports..												
Perth Amboy, N. J.....Exports..				22,872			10,118	5,234				
Philadelphia, Pa.....Imports..			345,587	210,333	584,359	267,931	2,341,893	2,851,825	62,603	6,180	134,322	133,153
Philadelphia, Pa.....Exports..			93,560	60,644	689,306	451,668	3,367,988	3,244,913		67,919	11,304	16,383
Portland and Fal-Imports..	387	18	2,511	399			64,367	84,677			60	
mouth, Me.....Exports..			49,174	8,541			1,058,750	1,737,237				
Portsmouth, N. H.....Imports..			3,713									
Providence, R. I.....Imports..			4,838	1,982	379	13	20,460	21,716	30	683	69,044	33,554
Providence, R. I.....Exports..				1,943								
Richmond, Va.....Imports..							4,820	3,568			58	107

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS.
										24,364	12,207	Imports.....Aroostook, Me.
78,576	72,744	24,690	10,391	15,349	18,167	44,894		510,996	812,341	769,825	942,124	Imports.....Baltimore, Md.
1,051,611	482,667	14,419		6,191	168,895	102,428	683,118	10,660,289	9,165,541	10,738,009	9,214,676	Exports.....Bangor, Me.
	23								23	57,537	61,567	Imports.....Barnstable, Mass.
								2,705		320,984	362,233	Exports.....Bath, Me.
										2,705		Imports.....Beaufort, S. C.
										260	2,981	Imports.....Belfast, Me.
								425,555	20,596	425,555	20,596	Exports.....Boston & Charles-
								84		84		Exports.....town, Mass.
										419		Imports.....Brunswick, Ga.
174,040	250,499		98,411	420,794	231,018	28,828	218,014	5,294,953	5,029,359	5,730,571	5,389,828	Imports.....Castine, Me.
50,541	64,064				1,056		84,824	10,584,017	11,159,395	10,589,237	11,367,753	Exports.....Charleston, S. C.
				728		10		4,266	25	4,266	25	Imports.....Delaware.
	26,825	10,816		82,624	171,067	285,615	33,346	1,130,846	718,639	1,130,846	724,236	Exports.....Fairfield, Conn.
			422									Imports.....Fernandina, Fla.
				22,605				98	422	98	422	Exports.....Frenchmans Bay.
17,007	12,417			8,223	987			55,728	43,457	56,029	43,691	Imports.....Georgetown, D. C.
	129,905			48,170	400	51,210		443,001	203,072	443,001	203,072	Imports.....Gloucester, Mass.
				1,406				21,925	25,142	21,925	25,147	Imports.....Hartford, Conn.
56,100	47,736					55,311	81,601	293,689	512,628	293,689	512,628	Imports.....Machias, Me.
9,199	2,727							17,080	19,870	32,934	20,788	Imports.....Marblehead, Me.
				16				16	6	16	6	Imports.....Newark, N. J.
17,000	33,000			6,154				199,603	225,649	203,071	225,649	Exports.....New Haven, Conn.
											180	Imports.....New London, Conn.
326	1,416	14	4,732			399	228	6,403	12,433	6,579	14,632	Imports.....Newport News, Va.
				3,514				8,053	3,143	8,053	3,143	Exports.....New York, N. Y.
14,596	884		6					33,638	15,661	34,286	15,849	Imports.....Norfolk and Ports-
											20	Exports.....mouth, Va.
538	1,284							29,496	10,082	75,920	18,035	Imports.....Passamaquoddy,
								5,473	1,610	5,473	1,610	Exports.....Me.
									240		240	Imports.....Perth Amboy, N. J.
1,233	1,624		7			20		5,750	10,015	6,718	34,959	Imports.....Philadelphia, Pa.
											986	Exports.....Portland and Fal-
998	25,225		3		20,332	16		86,434	130,682	86,434	130,682	Imports.....Portsmouth, N. H.
251,096	107,750		21,000	469,595	84,053	181,712	43,404	3,377,199	2,569,704	3,385,804	2,580,670	Imports.....Providence, R. I.
4,748,366	5,620,548	462,666	141,305	664,062	1,239,980	1,267,113	1,510,377	33,772,009	44,462,440	41,239,260	50,700,958	Exports.....Richmond, Va.
5,619,972	6,213,802	89,990	196,581	1,326,084	960,337	1,027,703	1,396,527	36,542,847	36,911,774	39,554,158	40,816,811	Imports.....
		1,134						1,409	68	1,409	68	Imports.....
72,960	44,822	27,520			22,008			989,062	1,664,136	1,007,617	1,696,010	Exports.....
								1,357	1,406	19,068	16,889	Imports.....
				87,167		1,077				49,884	61,949	Exports.....
								88,244		88,244		Imports.....
								10,118	5,234	10,118	28,106	Exports.....
132,184	518,301	5,691		94,803	66,804	41,171	9,975	3,397,026	3,854,169	3,742,613	4,064,502	Imports.....
336,286	705,984			227,719	506,636	361,064	91,318	4,993,667	5,084,821	5,087,227	5,145,465	Exports.....
2,910	706							67,337	85,383	70,235	85,800	Imports.....
173,477	81,326							1,232,227	1,818,563	1,281,401	1,827,104	Exports.....
										3,713		Imports.....
14,160	20,447							104,073	76,443	108,911	78,425	Imports.....
											1,943	Exports.....
40								4,918	3,475	4,918	3,475	Imports.....

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
St. Johns, Fla. {Imports..				24	258		93	192			283	249
St. Johns, Fla. {Exports..				9,595			2,817	6,082				
St. Marys, Fla. Exports..								2,436				
Salem and Beverly, Mass. {Imports..	5						225					
Savannah, Ga. {Imports..			3,601			1,607	3,530	341			50	
Savannah, Ga. {Exports..			5,644	2,469		60,400	1,378,011	267,332				
Waldoboro, Me. Imports..			165				746					
Wilmington, N. C. {Imports..				200								
Wilmington, N. C. {Exports..			8,114	12,649			531,631	3,036				
Wiscasset, Me. Exports..			1,830									
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla. Exports..			8,962				11,325	3,644				
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. {Imports..			16,819	4,331								
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. {Exports..			12,007	8,459								
Corpus Christi, Tex. {Imports..	131,754	157,566										
Corpus Christi, Tex. {Exports..	445,960	545,033										
Galveston, Tex. {Imports..		90	1,631				2,323	57,779				
Galveston, Tex. {Exports..			31,148	28,911			5,016,203	3,013,841	242,102			
Key West, Fla. {Imports..			14,419	30,099			1,007	154				
Key West, Fla. {Exports..			29,707	207,424			25	308				
Mobile, Ala. {Imports..			307	1,094			9,538	26,858				
Mobile, Ala. {Exports..			5,926	26,592			1,484,037	486,012				
New Orleans, La. {Imports..	1,825	148	58,198	106,780			496,972	881,237			293	95,563
New Orleans, La. {Exports..			228,581	174,625			9,187,427	5,822,387				
Paso del Norte, Tex. {Imports..	163,380	77,772										
Paso del Norte, Tex. {Exports..	376,550	438,526										
Pearl River, Miss. {Imports..												
Pearl River, Miss. {Exports..			15,278	64,051			61,637	49,122				
Pensacola, Fla. {Imports..				4				5				
Pensacola, Fla. {Exports..			7,124	11,717			342,669	506,980	14,699			
Saluria, Tex. {Imports..	57,654	84,466		31								
Saluria, Tex. {Exports..	240,350	258,577										
Tampa, Fla. {Imports..			105,677	78,042			232	1,052				
Tampa, Fla. {Exports..			902	17,644			12,250	55,673				
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska. Exports..	1,038	22	200									
Arizona. {Imports..	576,627	23,799	1,427									
Arizona. {Exports..	88,695	112,351										
Humboldt, Cal. Exports..				5,527								
Los Angeles, Cal. {Imports..			9,192	105	293		1,570	6,135	79	21	399	1,274
Los Angeles, Cal. {Exports..			623									
Oregon, Oreg. {Imports..							7,052	716				
Oregon, Oreg. {Exports..				12,560			19,874					
Puget Sound, Wash. {Imports..	118,758	124,814	14,777	160,658			195,247	614				
Puget Sound, Wash. {Exports..	110,817	140,706	179,424	424,098			797,087	235,595			8,436	
San Diego, Cal. {Imports..	351	2,568	245	325				86,412				
San Diego, Cal. {Exports..	1,935	1,266		1,681				208,842				
San Francisco, Cal. {Imports..			1,571,146	1,555,898		3,341	1,071,224	1,860,752		716	27,633	24,018
San Francisco, Cal. {Exports..			1,041,311	1,433,657			1,343,169	269,333			168,505	
Willamette, Oreg. {Imports..		85	1,304	4,573			113,743	143,982			92	
Willamette, Oreg. {Exports..							1,526,873	714,972				62,250

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.
251	286							885	727	885	751	Imports...St. Johns, Fla.
							5,166	2,817	11,248	2,817	20,843	Exports...St. Marys, Fla.
									2,436		2,436	Imports...Salem and Bever-ly, Mass.
								225		230		Imports...Savannah, Ga.
3,222	136			4,026	8,338			10,828	10,422	14,429	10,422	Exports...Waldoboro, Me.
	159,276	36,739	39,073	804,928	144,639	22,538	283,944	2,242,216	954,664	2,247,860	957,133	Imports...Wilmington, N. C.
								746		911		Exports...Wiscasset, Me.
				1,047		3,448		4,495		4,495	200	Imports...Galveston, Tex.
				40,506	17,241		13,486	572,137	33,763	580,251	46,412	Exports...Key West, Fla.
										1,830		Imports...Mobile, Ala.
				10,543	21,293	2,623	11,376	24,491	36,313	33,453	36,313	Exports...New Orleans, La.
										16,819	4,381	Imports...Paso del Norte, Tex.
										12,007	8,459	Exports...Pearl River, Miss.
										131,754	157,566	Imports...Brazos de Santi-ago, Tex.
										445,960	545,033	Exports...Corpus Christi, Tex.
37,747	18,075			104,980	234,343	44	48	145,094	310,245	146,775	310,335	Imports...Galveston, Tex.
444,460	466,924	10,143		148,629	374,788	952,638	435,302	6,794,174	4,290,855	6,825,322	4,319,766	Exports...Key West, Fla.
								1,007	154	15,426	30,253	Imports...Mobile, Ala.
									25	29,732	273,622	Exports...Mobile, Ala.
		6,964	22,000	96,359	53,647			105,897	80,505	106,204	81,599	Imports...New Orleans, La.
				121,890	141,810	14,385	19,567	1,636,776	669,389	1,642,702	695,981	Exports...New Orleans, La.
38,517	28,594		45,882	83,215	348,610	3,105	6,875	622,102	1,406,761	682,125	1,513,689	Imports...Paso del Norte, Tex.
758,325	471,396			208,874	344,398	1,920,820	2,018,207	12,075,446	8,656,388	12,304,027	8,831,013	Exports...Pearl River, Miss.
										163,380	77,772	Imports...Pensacola, Fla.
										396,550	438,526	Exports...Pensacola, Fla.
						44		44		44		Imports...Saluria, Tex.
16,746		6,973	27,604	37,095	80,420	6,520	7,477	128,971	164,623	144,249	229,274	Exports...Saluria, Tex.
		6,072	15	3,713	38	45		9,830	58	9,830	62	Imports...Tampa, Fla.
	15,050	64,667	48,378	116,081	42,758	193,536	397,395	731,652	1,010,561	738,776	1,022,278	Exports...Tampa, Fla.
	302								302	57,654	84,799	Imports...Alaska.
										240,350	258,577	Exports...Alaska.
								232	1,052	105,909	79,094	Imports...Arizona.
	23,574		10,104				19,366	12,250	108,717	13,152	126,361	Exports...Arizona.
										1,238	22	Exports...Humboldt, Cal.
										578,054	23,799	Imports...Humboldt, Cal.
										88,695	112,351	Exports...Los Angeles, Cal.
											5,527	Exports...Los Angeles, Cal.
823	2,852			17,643	38,329	24,190	49,163	44,997	97,774	54,189	97,879	Imports...Oregon, Oreg.
										623		Exports...Oregon, Oreg.
								7,052	716	7,052	716	Imports...Puget Sound
								19,874		19,874	12,566	Exports...Puget Sound
490				95		140,197	156,145	335,939	156,759	469,474	442,231	Imports...Wash.
				10,900	6,705	362,720		1,179,143	242,300	1,469,384	807,704	Exports...Wash.
				17,560		124		17,684	86,412	18,280	89,305	Imports...San Diego, Cal.
						6,201		6,201	208,842	8,136	211,789	Exports...San Diego, Cal.
59,838	38,129	28,776	11,429	43,193	120,998	541,445	679,986	1,772,109	2,739,369	3,343,255	4,295,267	Imports...San Francisco, Cal.
93,633	11,946		199,000	1,538		337,500	222,609	1,944,345	702,888	2,985,656	2,136,545	Exports...San Francisco, Cal.
2,721						12,498		129,054	143,982	130,358	148,640	Imports...Willamette, Oreg.
77,276	179,181							1,604,149	956,403	1,604,149	956,403	Exports...Willamette, Oreg.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Buffalo Creek, N. Y. {Imports..	139, 157	152, 533	4, 431	1, 557	.....	2, 198	18, 339	9, 204	2, 249	6, 930	5, 476	5, 708
Exports..	615, 824	762, 687	2, 473	2, 261	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cape Vincent, N. Y. {Imports..	5, 088	5, 500	112	.....	.....	.....	3, 324	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	4, 620	10, 955	.....	.....	.....	.....	4, 624	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Champlain, N. Y. {Imports..	158, 900	125, 406	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	337, 156	497, 965	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chicago, Ill. Imports..	36, 083	17, 220	200, 499	100, 468	132, 948	131, 066	393, 430	421, 591	19, 721	47, 371	30, 712	37, 446
Cuyahoga, Ohio. {Imports..	.....	1, 253	.....	19, 397	.....	.....	62, 112	66, 035	150	167	13, 815	11, 753
Exports..	.....	.....	37, 418	13, 852	.....	.....	2, 117	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detroit, Mich. {Imports..	78, 427	100, 270	20, 920	18, 566	1, 701	.....	20, 545	12, 584	2, 419	10, 162	719	3, 350
Exports..	871, 367	984, 040	36, 655	37, 512	.....	.....	39	3, 400	.....	.....	.....	.....
Duluth, Minn. Imports..	2, 885	49, 078	343	.....	.....	.....	2, 595	106	.....	.....	.....	.....
Eric, Pa. Imports..	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	12, 294	749	28	.....	.....
Genesee, N. Y. Imports..	180	.....	2, 025	1, 206	2, 447	.....	9, 228	15, 646	542	7, 813	2, 046	6, 963
Huron, Mich. {Imports..	41, 487	67, 714	591	364	.....	.....	757	7, 677	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	387, 173	537, 020	.....	1, 258	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Memphremagog, Vt. {Imports..	145, 820	129, 306	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	118, 228	139, 682	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miami, Ohio. Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 110	2, 769	3, 884	.....	.....	134	363
Milwaukee, Wis. Imports..	4, 248	524	1, 893	1, 758	10, 441	798	15, 403	39, 820	3, 428	4, 022	10, 078	.....
Minnesota, Minn. {Imports..	21, 495	520	3, 965	1, 079	.....	.....	40, 693	55, 394	2, 485	1, 923	814	958
Exports..	4, 703	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montana and Idaho. {Imports..	6, 560	12, 984	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	1, 907	3, 154	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 426	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Niagara, N. Y. Imports..	110, 404	154, 410	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	595, 947	745, 337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North and South Dakota. {Imports..	97, 676	39, 805	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	558, 545	629, 236	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oswegatchie, N. Y. {Imports..	372, 485	631, 142	2, 744	3, 303	.....	.....	850	136	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	217, 388	249, 970	4, 575	3, 359	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oswego, N. Y. Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	702	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sandusky, Ohio {Imports..	1, 330	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	1, 152	.....	.....	.....	2, 023	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Superior, Mich. {Imports..	9, 201	24, 047	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	18, 942	72, 244	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vermont, Vt. Imports..	206, 319	224, 138	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	601, 928	626, 561	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
INTERIOR PORTS.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Albany, N. Y. Imports..	.....	.....	586	.....	226	.....	404	6, 067	.....	.....	3, 216	1, 444
Atlanta, Ga. Imports..	.....	.....	455	85	.....	.....	1, 485	1, 888	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio. Imports..	2, 189	242	6, 553	3, 892	10, 442	1, 375	44, 981	47, 609	797	.....	7, 020	53
Columbus, Ohio. Imports..	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2, 940	1, 458	.....	463	1, 193	1, 473
Council Bluffs, Iowa. Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 536	3, 585	.....	.....	.....	29
Denver, Colo. Imports..	150	150	.....	445	.....	.....	3, 332	3, 926	202	.....	1, 080	3, 469
Des Moines, Iowa. Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	909	3, 101	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dubuque, Iowa. Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 765	1, 250	.....	.....	.....	.....
Evansville, Ind. Imports..	282	2, 006	71	46
Grand Rapids, Mich. Imports..	71	5, 464	11, 418	968	863

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars. 7,802	Dollars. 3,601	Dollars.	Dollars. 228	Dollars.	Dollars. 100	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars. 33,866	Dollars. 27,969	Dollars. 177,454	Dollars. 182,059	NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	618,297	764,948	Imports... Buffalo Creek Exports... N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,324	.....	8,524	5,500	Imports... Cape Vincent, N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,624	.....	9,244	10,955	Exports... Champlain, N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	158,900	125,406	Imports... Chicago, Ill.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	337,156	497,965	Exports... Cuyahoga, Ohio.
148,124	127,951	.....	2,385	.....	4,262	5,022	4,781	729,957	776,883	966,539	894,571	Imports... Detroit, Mich.
7,710	16,848	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83,787	94,803	83,787	115,453	Imports... Duluth, Minn.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,117	.....	39,535	13,852	Imports... Erie, Pa.
5,533	4,840	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	1,414	30,977	32,350	130,326	151,186	Imports... Genesee, N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	3,400	908,061	1,024,952	Exports... Huron, Mich.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,295	106	5,823	49,184	Imports... Memphremagog, Exports... Vt.
5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	754	12,322	754	12,325	Imports... Miami, Ohio.
48,915	32,579	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	298	63,178	63,299	65,383	64,505	Imports... Milwaukee, Wis.
.....	297	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	757	7,974	42,835	76,052	Imports... Minnesota, Minn.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	387,173	538,278	Exports... Montana and Exports... Idaho.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	145,820	129,306	Imports... Niagara, N. Y.
995	830	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,898	6,187	118,288	139,682	Imports... North and South Exports... Dakota.
3,683	14,399	.....	.....	.....	.....	926	446	43,959	59,485	3,898	6,187	Imports... Oswegatchie, N. Y.
12,084	11,662	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,754	38,586	60,830	108,523	50,100	61,767	Exports... Oswego, N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86,290	110,122	Imports... Sandusky, Ohio.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,703	.....	Exports... Superior, Mich.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	6,567	12,984	Imports... Vermont, Vt.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,426	.....	3,333	3,154	Exports... Albany, N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110,404	154,410	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	595,947	745,337	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	97,076	39,805	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	558,545	629,236	Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	850	136	376,079	634,581	Imports... Denver, Colo.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	221,963	253,329	Imports... Des Moines, Iowa.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	702	.....	702	.....	Imports... Dubuque, Iowa.
145	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	145	.....	1,488	.....	Imports... Evansville, Ind.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,023	.....	3,175	.....	Imports... Grand Rapids, Mich.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,201	24,047	Exports... Albany, N. Y.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,942	72,244	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	206,319	224,138	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	601,928	626,561	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.
6,246	3,975	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	10,092	11,661	10,678	11,661	Imports... Denver, Colo.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,485	1,888	1,940	1,973	Imports... Des Moines, Iowa.
15,657	48,962	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,417	798	80,314	99,097	89,056	103,231	Imports... Dubuque, Iowa.
4,483	2,930	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,616	6,324	8,601	6,324	Imports... Evansville, Ind.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,536	3,614	1,536	3,614	Imports... Grand Rapids, Mich.
965	2,821	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	5,578	10,210	5,728	10,805	Exports... Albany, N. Y.
.....	185	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	909	3,286	903	3,286	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,765	1,250	1,765	1,250	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
450	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	812	2,131	812	2,131	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
113	1,668	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,545	13,949	6,545	14,020	Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Indianapolis, Ind. Imports ..	.....	.....	428	494	.....	.....	14,646	21,814	203	179	125	58
Kansas City, Mo. Imports ..	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	13,993	14,658	.....	4,069	202	787
Knoxville, Tenn. Imports ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
Lincoln, Nebr. Imports ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	675	921	.....	.....	.....	.....
Louisville, Ky. Imports ..	.....	.....	.....	290	186	.....	10,119	13,469	.....	324	276	6
Memphis, Tenn. Imports ..	.....	.....	185	265	.....	.....	1,931	5,024	32	.....	.....	.....
Nashville, Tenn. Imports ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	266	74	.....	.....	.....	.....
Omaha, Nebr. Imports ..	.....	15,515	.....	.....	.....	.....	26,374	13,409	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pittsburg, Pa. Imports ..	.....	1,966	20,643	5,402	1,314	1,962	29,445	22,411	324	9,012	6,728	2,292
St. Joseph, Mo. Imports ..	.....	.....	785	2,255	.....	.....	11,485	6,670	.....	.....	56	55
St. Louis, Mo. Imports ..	19	.....	5,994	4,042	3,548	8,105	144,046	174,663	4,327	6,552	7,335	10,888
Sioux City, Iowa Imports ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springfield, Mass. Imports ..	.....	.....	1,704	74	.....	.....	2,501	1,450	.....	.....	.....	1,215
Syracuse, N. Y. Imports ..	2,040	6,648	3,296	.....	.....	.....	2,763	11,150	474	.....	7,218	3,990
Total Imports ..	2,768,809	2,406,629	10,483,863	9,003,698	2,170,326	2,688,444	30,296,309	39,644,033	1,685,659	1,739,234	4,118,655	4,969,185
Exports ..	5,953,736	7,130,125	4,963,351	6,855,483	1,643,639	1,201,427	75,888,928	64,174,818	2,225,667	2,197,114	1,285,489	1,683,256

RECAPITULATION.

Atlantic ports Imports ..	276,242	174,950	8,410,506	6,896,618	2,006,780	2,538,459	27,506,017	35,565,602	1,646,439	1,638,573	3,991,905	4,756,020
Exports ..	334,603	374,793	3,319,885	4,379,089	1,643,639	1,201,427	56,075,421	52,804,709	1,968,866	2,197,114	1,108,548	1,621,006
Gulf ports Imports ..	354,613	320,042	197,101	220,431	.....	.....	510,072	967,085	.....	.....	293	95,563
Exports ..	1,082,860	1,242,136	339,635	540,023	.....	.....	16,115,573	9,937,967	256,801	.....	.....	.....
Pacific ports Imports ..	695,736	151,266	1,598,091	1,721,559	293	3,341	1,388,836	2,098,611	79	737	28,124	25,292
Exports ..	202,485	254,345	1,221,558	1,878,129	.....	.....	3,687,003	1,428,742	.....	.....	176,941	62,250
Northern border and lake ports Imports ..	1,437,745	1,735,850	237,536	147,701	147,537	135,202	570,052	644,371	31,743	78,416	63,794	66,541
Exports ..	4,333,788	5,258,851	82,273	58,242	.....	.....	10,931	3,400	.....	.....	.....	.....
Interior ports Imports ..	4,473	24,521	40,629	17,389	15,716	11,442	321,332	368,364	7,398	21,508	34,449	25,769

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	INTERIOR PORTS—continued.
20,507	4,766			376				35,857	26,817	36,285	27,311	Imports...Indianapolis, Ind.
4,841	2,619							19,036	22,133	19,036	22,147	Imports...Kansas City, Mo.
									10		10	Imports...Knoxville, Tenn.
611	330							1,286	1,251	1,286	1,251	Imports...Lincoln, Nebr.
15,643	11,803				1,500			26,224	27,102	26,224	27,392	Imports...Louisville, Ky.
186	407							2,149	5,431	2,334	5,696	Imports...Memphis, Tenn.
1,875	18							2,141	92	2,141	92	Imports...Nashville, Tenn.
638	220							27,012	13,629	27,012	23,144	Imports...Omaha, Nebr.
3,320	6,610							41,131	42,287	61,774	49,715	Imports...Pittsburg, Pa.
4,015	1,064							15,556	7,789	16,341	10,044	Imports...St. Joseph, Mo.
55,401	68,196		1,066			7,588		222,245	269,461	228,258	273,506	Imports...St. Louis, Mo.
									49		49	Imports...Sioux City, Iowa.
7,005	4,411							9,506	7,076	11,210	7,150	Imports...Springfield, Mass.
3,899	2,499							14,354	17,639	19,690	24,287	Imports...Syracuse, N. Y.
5,718,552	6,993,789	529,043	316,276	1,668,279	2,387,453	2,128,430	2,677,325	48,315,253	61,415,739	61,567,925	72,826,066	Imports...}
8,999,392	9,354,568	268,231	563,740	3,699,626	3,115,714	5,884,824	5,889,713	99,895,796	88,180,350	110,812,883	102,165,958	Exports...}..Total.

RECAPITULATION.

5,197,646	6,529,267	494,195	255,277	1,301,145	1,585,626	1,386,960	1,738,610	43,531,177	54,607,434	52,217,925	61,679,002	Imports...}
7,628,953	8,186,497	179,484	256,654	3,034,576	2,076,332	2,087,881	2,719,734	73,727,368	71,063,473	77,381,856	75,817,355	Exports...}..Atlantic ports.
76,264	46,971	6,072	45,897	288,267	636,638	3,238	6,923	884,206	1,799,077	1,435,920	2,339,550	Imports...}
1,199,530	976,944	88,747	108,086	652,612	1,032,677	3,090,522	2,947,370	21,403,785	15,003,044	22,826,280	16,785,203	Exports...}..Gulf ports.
63,782	40,981	28,776	11,429	78,491	159,327	718,454	885,294	2,306,835	3,225,012	4,600,662	5,097,837	Imports...}
170,999	191,127	.....	199,000	12,438	6,705	706,421	222,609	4,753,712	2,110,433	6,177,755	4,242,907	Exports...}..Pacific ports.
234,996	213,007	.....	2,613	.....	4,362	10,764	45,525	1,058,886	1,190,037	2,734,167	3,073,588	Imports...}
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,931	3,400	4,426,992	5,320,493	Exports...}..Northern border and lake ports.
145,864	163,563	.....	1,060	376	1,500	9,014	973	534,149	594,179	579,251	636,089	Imports....Interior ports.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
EUROPE.												
<i>Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars. Dollars.</i>												
Austria-Hungary	Imports..		2,033	193	7,756	4,247	106,712	223,587	10,007	27,153	590	
	Exports..	150				145	408,178	339,061		2,250		
Azores, and Madeira Islands	Imports..						710	206				
	Exports..							20,096				
Belgium	Imports..		4,113	1,217	281,077	661,699	305,020	657,347	18	98	2,508	9,524
	Exports..				848,797	523,301	2,588,770	2,341,153	38,436	55,300		
Denmark	Imports..						590	14,687				
	Exports..						259,093	609,160				
France	Imports..	13	1,520,979	823,339	175,387	218,973	1,391,880	1,303,744	1,916	5,896	2,994,022	3,513,844
	Exports..		14,814	22,469		2,075	3,156,425	2,635,723		9,635	1,006,855	1,520,915
Germany	Imports..	301	3,232	23,985	599,806	735,323	1,190,369	1,811,430	743,297	693,420	68,093	48,239
	Exports..				5,794	5,806	8,036,547	4,728,128	39,346	100,142		
Gibraltar	Imports..											
	Exports..						36,950	38,755				
Greece	Imports..						16,215	21,782	305	2,340	195	264
	Exports..						604	1,583				274
Italy	Imports..		7,358	23,063	51,142	297,422	746,333	1,615,905			45,887	45,907
	Exports..						1,323,925	1,227,674			11,101	75
Malta	Exports..						6,163	3,911				
Netherlands	Imports..		6,483	514	3,523	114	100,346	136,097	316,056	481,811	63,597	99,449
	Exports..				74,092		3,237,906	3,757,812	2,039,231	1,780,473		
Portugal	Imports..		2,144	21,401			25,168	43,410				
	Exports..			10,895			492,534	620,720				69,210
Roumania	Exports..						104	33,596				
Russia	Imports..				22,474		410,834	297,729	13,670		10,339	
	Exports..						1,038,902	264,161				
Spain	Imports..		49,978	3,284	13,395	253	233,055	329,161			1,352	9,223
	Exports..						355,363	110,790			31,665	26,085
Sweden and Norway	Imports..		300		2,009	7,334	113,505	94,490	27,696	13,000		
	Exports..						305,366	353,620		420		
Switzerland	Imports..	27	161,221	85,636	184,346	267,095	215,711	195,422	964	21,100	845,793	1,018,991
	Exports..				14,925	15,310	650	10,092	4,087	4,855		
Turkey in Europe	Imports..						239,877	200,405		729	32,595	14,901
	Exports..					70	14,827	13,796				
United Kingdom	Imports..	13,087	2,180	858,790	497,505	553,963	212,471	8,947,127	10,345,703	3,412	4,727	27,412
	Exports..	239,941	329,598	852,063	1,277,508	520,858	566,100	45,402,433	38,727,941			80,190
NORTH AMERICA.												
Bermuda	Imports..						19,602	60,592				
	Exports..				4,367		93,629	100,745				
British Honduras	Imports..			4,433			15,985	19,238				
	Exports..			10,840			36,662	26,199				
British North Amer- ica	Imports..	1,468,775	1,477,594	172,169	149,345		129,384	184,986				5,577
	Exports..	4,332,520	5,098,397	409,121	305,630		256,984	263,451				
Central American States	Imports..		638,975	586,657			576,682	940,788				
	Exports..		330,412	225,481			145,442	117,811				
Mexico	Imports..	929,587	346,054	897,707	727,884		339,039	837,626	964			
	Exports..	1,173,490	1,355,532	622,101	347,900		89,853	132,074				
Miquelon, etc.	Imports..						19				1,372	4,097
	Exports..		1				1,964	5,165			38,137	

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	EUROPE.
252,258	347,653	.....	.....	2,530	243	22,105	96,150	401,958	699,033	403,991	699,226	Imports... ..Austria-Hungary.
45,468	230,172	.....	12,249	.....	.....	206,052	321,100	659,698	905,577	659,848	905,577	Exports... ..Austria-Hungary.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	516	.....	1,226	206	1,226	206	Imports... ..Azores, and Ma-
12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,684	35,465	4,696	55,561	4,696	55,561	Exports... ..deira Islands.
26,967	5,248	28,776	.....	.....	11,382	.....	.....	644,366	1,345,298	648,479	1,346,515	Imports... ..Belgium.
103,605	195,923	.....	.....	17,400	162,367	21,727	5,300	3,618,735	3,283,344	3,618,735	3,283,344	Exports... ..Belgium.
1,574	.....	.....	.....	3,899	313	12,425	28,527	18,488	43,527	18,488	43,527	Imports... ..Denmark.
36,008	771	.....	.....	66,976	.....	619,666	778,989	981,743	1,388,920	981,743	1,388,920	Exports... ..Denmark.
188,978	244,351	13,830	2,355	6,357	614	.....	.....	4,772,379	5,289,777	6,302,358	6,113,129	Imports... ..France.
144,241	15,185	23,201	19,981	940,017	125,331	258,326	986,969	5,529,065	5,315,814	5,543,879	5,338,283	Exports... ..France.
3,496,369	4,020,970	6,045	.....	91,925	373,143	12,999	636,763	6,208,903	8,319,288	6,233,189	8,331,744	Imports... ..Germany.
6,929,662	5,907,268	6,768	.....	407,353	133,655	84,480	435,026	15,509,950	11,310,025	15,509,950	11,310,025	Exports... ..Germany.
2,226	109	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,226	109	2,226	109	Imports... ..Gibraltar.
22,977	485	.....	.....	.....	.....	522	.....	60,449	39,240	60,449	39,240	Exports... ..Gibraltar.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,565	.....	.....	16,715	34,951	16,715	34,951	Imports... ..Greece.
.....	517	.....	.....	.....	60,590	.....	250	604	63,214	604	63,214	Exports... ..Greece.
1,035,958	784,183	19,709	95,267	3,514	1,649	246,801	391	2,140,344	2,840,724	2,156,702	2,863,787	Imports... ..Italy.
383,299	537,987	89,985	122,873	.....	.....	711,239	543,986	2,519,549	2,432,595	2,519,549	2,432,595	Exports... ..Italy.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,163	3,911	6,163	3,911	Exports... ..Malta.
953	2,587	.....	.....	3,174	19,232	.....	.....	487,649	739,290	494,132	739,804	Imports... ..Netherlands.
168,116	537,893	.....	.....	279,513	538,451	175,768	112,656	5,974,626	6,727,285	5,974,626	6,727,285	Exports... ..Netherlands.
.....	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	278,278	544,243	303,467	587,653	305,611	609,054	Imports... ..Portugal.
9,837	15,992	11,223	.....	4,240	32,350	358,535	255,370	876,369	993,642	876,369	1,004,537	Exports... ..Portugal.
73,000	48,396	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73,104	81,992	73,104	81,992	Exports... ..Roumania.
10,422	18,577	.....	.....	.....	2,086	.....	66,928	467,743	385,320	467,743	385,320	Imports... ..Russia.
554,470	537,064	.....	21,026	530,778	444,773	62,037	46,757	2,186,187	1,363,781	2,186,187	1,363,781	Exports... ..Russia.
13,510	8,971	6,129	.....	.....	4,072	24,776	3,125	292,217	354,805	342,195	358,089	Imports... ..Spain.
.....	.....	8,315	38,031	9,703	.....	328,287	903,872	733,333	1,078,778	733,333	1,078,778	Exports... ..Spain.
11,304	15,021	.....	.....	1,416	3,408	20,339	30,191	176,269	163,444	176,569	163,444	Imports... ..Sweden and Nor-
6,102	206,181	.....	.....	188,884	.....	195,289	506,163	695,641	1,066,389	695,641	1,066,389	Exports... ..way.
16,797	20,909	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,263,611	1,523,517	1,424,859	1,609,153	Imports... ..Switzerland.
148	497	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,810	30,754	19,810	30,754	Exports... ..Switzerland.
1,531	267	.....	1,001	.....	21,489	.....	.....	274,003	238,792	274,003	238,792	Imports... ..Turkey in Europe.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	648	14,827	14,514	14,827	14,514	Exports... ..Turkey in Europe.
74,842	197,125	14,707	6,548	42,413	22,926	428	18,971	9,664,304	10,821,888	10,536,181	11,321,573	Imports... ..United Kingdom.
106,230	435,270	36,852	68,500	669,804	384,068	1,938,220	460,083	48,754,587	40,704,212	49,846,591	42,311,318	Exports... ..United Kingdom.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,602	60,592	19,602	60,592	Imports... ..NORTH AMERICA.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93,629	100,745	93,629	105,112	Exports... ..Bermuda.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,580	2,240	.....	.....	17,565	21,478	17,565	25,911	Imports... ..British Honduras.
.....	.....	.....	.....	16,862	11,782	.....	.....	53,524	37,891	53,524	48,731	Exports... ..British Honduras.
.....	.....	.....	.....	78,396	35,520	51,002	65,937	258,782	292,029	1,899,725	1,918,968	Imports... ..British North
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,538	28,177	530	2,224	259,052	293,852	5,000,693	5,097,879	Exports... ..America.
.....	.....	.....	.....	78,279	94,269	.....	.....	654,961	1,035,057	1,293,936	1,621,714	Imports... ..Central American
.....	.....	.....	.....	71,760	78,677	.....	.....	217,202	196,661	547,614	422,142	Exports... ..States.
.....	288,355	.....	.....	499,365	335,631	92,249	11,219	931,617	1,472,831	2,758,911	2,546,769	Imports... ..Mexico.
5,074	121,382	.....	.....	115,294	161,060	42,252	42,462	252,473	456,978	2,048,064	2,169,410	Exports... ..Mexico.
.....	1,391	4,097	1,391	4,097	Imports... ..Miquelon, etc.
.....	40,101	5,165	40,101	5,166	Exports... ..Miquelon, etc.

NORTH AMERICA.

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.
BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTH AMERICA—continued.												
West Indies:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British.....	Imports..		299,393	279,830			688,377	735,876	253,274	279,913		
	Exports..		212,178	235,016			608,914	474,753	668	2,577		
Danish.....	Imports..		27,825	1,005			3	71,458				
	Exports..		11,921	6,829			35,229	31,389				
Dutch.....	Imports..		4,743	14,946				905	6,473	2,383		
	Exports..		37,593	7,726			14,628	26,943	559	1,847		
French.....	Imports..		23	3			1,402	24,851				
	Exports..		41,992	33,852			65,405	81,989				
Haiti.....	Imports..		28,489				26,796	24,633	2,333	16,923		
	Exports..		61,642	19,398			44,844	163,201	51,447	51,634		
Santo Domingo..	Imports..		382,039	379,199			65,582	1,829				
	Exports..		89,021	98,113			810	3,792				
Cuba.....	Imports..		1,314,974	1,469,238			1,374,446	925,763				
	Exports..		829,286	1,536,927			90,044	332,250		440		
Porto Rico.....	Imports..		55,243	349,485			170,826	300				
	Exports..		29,152	362,044			117,614	4,883				
SOUTH AMERICA.												
Argentina.....	Imports..		101,160	63,987			457,889	298,008				
	Exports..		39,814	13,416			319,427	494,663				
Bolivia.....	Exports..		830	443			8,131	2,027				
Brazil.....	Imports..		228,162	108,769	275,448	283,513	4,058,309	7,850,554	50			92,099
	Exports..		141,801	74,343	151,208	88,081	606,017	501,276	15,702			
Chile.....	Imports..		120,370	38,621			110,129	188,631				
	Exports..		15,202	15,642		30	262,121	148,802				
Colombia.....	Imports..	20	80,769	88,021			267,073	385,114				
	Exports..		90,299	118,234			204,027	160,067				
Ecuador.....	Imports..		61,066	62,071			2,574	1,492				
	Exports..		40,956	62,581			16,839	218			8,436	
Guianas.....	Imports..		219,042	27,753			294,796	31,109	135,028	80,530		
	Exports..		29,052	2,433			68,301	24,754	11,192	14,491		
Paraguay.....	Exports..			358				72				
Peru.....	Imports..		71,431	116,113			303	8,444				
	Exports..		26,230	49,236			89,843	45,205				
Uruguay.....	Imports..		150,495	8,047			76,406	15,288				
	Exports..		46,026				68,900	74,465				
Venezuela.....	Imports..		498,134	407,510			1,004	101,726	47,974	27,025		
	Exports..		212,462	155,168			16,397	29,704	21,079	13,414		
ASIA.												
Aden.....	Imports..						125,827	177,337			20,514	74,818
	Exports..						41,649	127,134				
China.....	Imports..	98,872	211,893	367,797	286,476		1,030,529	1,116,989				
	Exports..	410	227,681	28,506	140,047		781,213	1,092,297				
East Indies:	Imports..						2,145,700	2,894,759				
British.....	Imports..		9,092	224,737			271,245	310,777				
	Exports..		1,531	2,409		479						
Dutch.....	Imports..		406	4,810			913,089	2,222,347	121,687	82,186		
	Exports..		2,168	90			7,959	14,509	3,920	20,946		
French.....	Exports..						100					
Hongkong.....	Imports..	1,228	2,061	32,329	131,857		61,702	297,496				
	Exports..	19,813	36,033	126,048	141,863		227,408	274,689				
Japan.....	Imports..	254,051	344,843	408,711	472,850		996,200	1,023,209				14,839
	Exports..	89,449	28,028	205,779	227,252		2,180,821	601,362				
Korea.....	Exports..							215				
Russia, Asiatic.....	Exports..			160,543			3,372	28,843				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.
 Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.
 BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	NORTH AMERICA—continued.
23				38,470	59,345	8,221		988,365	1,075,134	1,287,758	1,354,964	West Indies:
1,162	25,044			31,347	103,589	45		642,136	605,963	854,314	840,979	Imports... British.
						10		13	71,458	27,838	72,463	Imports... Danish.
					8,000			35,229	39,389	47,150	46,218	Exports... Dutch.
								6,473	3,288	11,216	18,234	Imports... French.
					8,833			15,187	37,623	52,780	45,349	Exports... Haiti.
								1,402	24,851	1,425	24,854	Imports... Santo Domingo.
				12,936	32,805			78,341	114,854	120,333	148,706	Exports... Cuba.
28,194	8,247					2,494		59,817	49,803	88,306	49,803	Imports... Porto Rico.
39,403							605	135,694	215,440	197,336	228,838	Exports... SOUTH AMERICA.
			3,963	7,000	10,300			72,582	16,092	454,621	395,291	Imports... Argentina.
		3,383	26,437	22,406	8,497			26,599	38,726	115,620	136,839	Exports... Bolivia.
	475,610			230,280	458,989	230,671	69,123	1,835,897	1,929,485	3,150,371	3,398,723	Imports... Brazil.
	221,705			145,789	156,603	119,412	194,726	353,245	905,724	1,184,531	2,442,651	Exports... Chile.
				33,171				203,997	300	259,240	349,785	Imports... Colombia.
					2,680			117,614	7,563	146,766	369,607	Exports... Ecuador.
			13,809					457,889	311,817	559,049	375,804	Imports... Guianas.
		26,234	6,900	16,391	15,455			362,052	516,118	401,866	529,534	Exports... Paraguay.
	64							8,131	2,091	8,961	2,534	Imports... Peru.
440,892	315,843		15	41,613	6	45		4,816,297	8,542,030	5,044,459	8,650,799	Exports... Uruguay.
188,717	221,958			14,500	22,797	29,310		976,144	863,422	1,117,945	937,765	Imports... Venezuela.
								110,129	188,631	230,499	227,252	Exports... ASIA.
333	40							262,454	148,872	277,656	164,514	Imports... Aden.
7,424	8,129			44,751	49,579	5,988	4,950	325,236	447,772	406,005	535,813	Imports... China.
3,133				19,630	17,366	6,679		233,469	177,433	323,768	295,667	Exports... East Indies:
								2,574	1,492	63,640	63,563	Imports... British.
			9,623					25,275	9,841	66,231	72,422	Exports... Dutch.
				77	340,963			429,901	452,602	648,943	480,355	Imports... French.
				85,744	71,578			165,237	110,823	194,289	113,256	Exports... Hongkong.
	5								77		435	Imports... Japan.
								303	8,444	71,734	124,557	Exports... Korea.
				24,331				114,174	45,205	140,404	94,441	Imports... Russia, Asiatic.
				25				76,431	15,288	226,926	23,335	Exports...
				6,430				75,330	74,465	121,356	74,465	Imports...
					87,610			48,978	216,361	547,112	623,871	Exports...
					25,549	17,901		55,377	68,667	267,839	223,775	Imports...
16,410	28,243				6,715			162,751	287,113	162,751	287,113	Exports...
								41,649	127,134	41,649	127,134	Imports...
	513				2,332	235,068	117,253	1,265,597	1,237,087	1,732,266	1,735,456	Exports...
					6,550	87,878	5,886	869,091	1,104,733	898,007	1,472,461	Imports...
24	40,562	300,890	1,333			35,413	567	2,482,027	2,937,221	2,491,119	3,161,958	Exports...
	9,480		3,959			4,213	3,570	275,458	328,265	276,989	330,674	Imports...
73,273	116,305	82,866	96,169	39,130	255,113			1,230,045	2,772,120	1,230,451	2,776,930	Exports...
535	560	36,122			65,368	197		48,723	101,383	50,901	101,473	Imports...
								100		100		Exports... French.
	13,116				46,880	41,345	1,742	106,047	359,234	139,604	493,152	Imports...
					99,249	85,526	85,782	312,934	459,700	458,795	637,596	Exports...
797	535					487,185	553,640	1,484,182	1,592,223	2,146,944	2,409,916	Imports...
	23,574				307,420	406,021	80,782	2,566,842	1,013,138	2,862,070	1,269,018	Exports...
						506		506	215	506	215	Exports... Korea.
29,309	8,643				2,034			32,681	39,520	32,681	200,063	Exports... Russia, Asiatic.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.								
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
ASIA—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Turkey in Asia.....	{Imports..	.....	264	.....	.....	.....	122,543	211,101	535	.....	2,050	3,996
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	16,062	20,565	.....	.....	.....	507
All other Asia.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,477	2,167	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83,552	4,242	.....	.....	.....	.....
OCEANICA.													
Auckland	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	234,657	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	1,629	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British Australasia.....	{Imports..	2,551	18,739	14,508	39,492	.....	504,054	238,377	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	97,513	44,741	34,825	117,933	3,412	1,044,500	1,394,401	.....	138,690	.....	.....
French Oceanica.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	15,687	21,006	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	18,513	26,641	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
German Oceanica.....	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hawaiian Islands.....	{Imports..	.....	1,296,796	1,313,799	.....	.....	28,633	1,726	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	450	7,510	296,022	710,338	.....	770	62,613	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	146	.....	.....	3,442	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	18,192	.....	.....	2,539	209	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philippine Islands.....	{Imports..	330	.....	307,698	127,274	.....	329,117	16,831	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	375	388	15,059	.....	5,385	24,501	.....	.....	.....	.....
AFRICA.													
British Africa.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	27,147	32,958	.....	.....	124,138	173,728	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	65,583	233,495	68	.....	977,113	909,340	.....	88,315	.....
Canary Islands.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,490	3,025	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	68,669	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
French Africa.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,097	12,880	.....	.....	2,336	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	1,845	25,998	.....	.....	20,533	3,940
Liberia.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	565	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,732	2,946	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,685	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	2,163	.....	301,135	83,706	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spanish Africa.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Africa.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,070,239	971,547	.....	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,485	.....	48,353	.....	.....	257	.....
All other Africa.....	{Imports..	.....	.....	4,835	.....	.....	.....	72,662	45,541	.....	.....	.....
	{Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33,666	63,858	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	{Imports..	2,768,809	2,406,629	10,483,863	9,003,698	2,170,326	2,688,444	30,296,309	39,644,033	1,685,659	1,739,234	4,118,655	4,969,185
	{Exports..	5,953,736	7,130,125	4,963,351	6,855,483	1,643,639	1,201,427	75,888,928	64,174,818	2,225,667	2,197,114	1,285,489	1,683,256

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Europe.....	Imports..	13,415	5,425	2,646,384	1,465,376	1,894,878	2,404,931	14,043,461	17,291,105	1,117,341	1,250,274	4,092,383	4,773,759
	Exports..	240,091	329,598	866,877	1,310,872	1,464,466	1,112,807	66,664,740	55,838,372	2,121,100	1,953,075	1,129,811	1,678,809
North America.....	Imports..	2,398,262	1,823,648	3,821,580	3,962,025			3,408,143	3,828,845	263,044	299,219	1,372	9,674
	Exports..	5,506,010	6,453,930	2,674,419	3,188,123			1,602,022	1,764,555	52,674	56,498	38,137	
South America.....	Imports..		20	1,530,629	920,892	275,448	283,513	5,268,483	8,880,366	183,052	107,555		92,099
	Exports..			642,672	491,794	151,208	88,111	1,660,003	1,481,253	47,973	27,905	8,436	
Asia.....	Imports..	354,151	558,797	818,599	1,120,730			5,406,067	7,945,405	122,222	82,186	22,564	93,653
	Exports..	109,672	292,342	364,032	672,204		509	3,593,381	2,474,713	3,920	20,946		507
Oceanica.....	Imports..	2,881	18,739	1,634,689	1,501,717			365,246	491,591				
	Exports..	97,963	54,255	349,748	888,163	3,412		1,033,291	1,481,724		138,690		
Africa.....	Imports..			31,982	32,958			1,304,909	1,206,721			2,336	
	Exports..			65,603	304,327	24,553		1,315,491	1,134,201			109,105	3,940

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i> 554	<i>Dollars.</i> 2,828	<i>Dollars.</i> 46,244	<i>Dollars.</i> 93,987	<i>Dollars.</i> -----	<i>Dollars.</i> 9,817	<i>Dollars.</i> 30,452	<i>Dollars.</i> 3,251	<i>Dollars.</i> 202,398	<i>Dollars.</i> 324,980	<i>Dollars.</i> 202,642	<i>Dollars.</i> 324,980	ASIA—continued.
			7,150				765	16,062	29,017	16,012	29,017	Imports..}..Turkey in Asia.
												Exports..}
								7,477	2,167	7,477	2,167	Imports..}..All other Asia.
								83,552	4,342	83,552	4,342	Exports..}
												OCEANICA.
									234,657		234,657	Imports..}..Auckland.
											1,629	Exports..}
11,404	1,054			420,794				936,252	239,431	953,311	297,662	Imports..}..British Austral.
51,113	378		173,023			61		1,099,086	1,706,492	1,231,424	1,869,166	Exports..}..asia.
										15,687	21,006	Imports..}..French Oceanica.
										18,513	26,641	Exports..}
33	150							130	150	130	150	Exports....}..German Oceanica.
				95	120,998	256,479	424,354	235,207	547,078	1,582,003	1,860,877	Imports..}..Hawaiian Islands.
						115,288	41,360	116,058	103,973	412,530	821,821	Exports..}
								3,442		3,442	146	Imports..}..Tonga, Samoa, etc.
53								2,592	209	2,592	18,401	Exports..}
	3,347							329,117	20,178	637,145	147,452	Imports..}..Philippine Isl'ds.
720	240						3,005	6,105	27,746	6,493	43,180	Exports..}
												AFRICA.
		0		25		22		124,191	173,728	151,338	206,686	Imports..}..British Africa.
93,693								1,159,129	909,340	1,224,712	1,142,835	Exports..}
								3,490	3,025	3,490	3,025	Imports..}..Canary Islands.
			16,300				1,224		17,524		86,193	Exports..}
	5,573	5,691	1,929					39,124	20,282	89,124	20,282	Imports..}..French Africa.
33		26,148	38,588			1,973		50,532	68,526	50,532	68,526	Exports..}
								565		565		Imports..}..Liberia.
140								1,872	2,946	1,872	2,946	Exports..}
						15	44	2,729	15	2,729	15	Imports..}..Portuguese Af.
2,826	1,211					8,162	4,147	312,123	89,064	312,123	91,227	Exports..}..rica.
								33		33		Imports..}..Spanish Africa.
												Exports..}
5,924	1,904	4,129				32,985		1,113,277	973,451	1,113,277	973,451	Imports..}..Turkey in Africa.
	360					23,348	1,226	48,090	49,939	48,090	49,939	Exports..}
	17,654							72,662	63,195	77,497	63,195	Imports..}..All other Africa.
								33,666	63,858	33,666	63,858	Exports..}
5,718,552	6,993,789	529,043	316,276	1,063,279	2,387,453	2,128,340	2,677,325	48,315,253	61,415,739	61,567,835	72,826,066	Imports..}..Total.
8,999,392	9,354,568	268,231	563,740	3,699,626	3,115,714	5,884,824	5,889,713	99,895,796	88,180,350	110,812,883	102,165,958	Exports..}

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5,133,693	5,065,971	89,217	105,171	155,228	471,122	618,067	1,425,209	27,144,868	33,387,622	29,804,667	34,858,423	Imports..}..Europe.
8,583,175	8,719,001	176,344	282,060	3,114,068	1,881,585	4,964,832	5,392,639	88,219,136	76,859,548	89,326,104	78,500,018	Exports..}..Europe.
28,217	772,212	.....	3,963	966,541	996,303	384,647	146,279	5,051,964	6,056,495	11,271,906	11,842,168	Imports..}..North America.
45,639	363,304	3,383	26,437	417,932	600,763	162,239	240,017	2,322,026	3,056,574	10,502,455	12,698,627	Exports..}..North America.
448,256	323,972	.....	13,824	86,466	478,158	6,033	4,950	6,267,738	10,184,437	7,798,367	11,105,349	Imports..}..South America.
192,183	222,067	26,234	15,023	167,026	152,745	24,580	29,310	2,277,613	2,017,014	2,920,315	2,508,808	Exports..}..South America.
91,058	202,102	430,000	191,489	39,130	320,857	829,463	676,453	6,910,504	9,512,145	8,113,254	11,191,672	Imports..}..Asia.
29,844	42,257	36,122	11,109	.....	480,621	584,341	176,785	4,247,608	3,207,447	4,721,312	4,171,993	Exports..}..Asia.
11,404	4,401	.....	.....	420,889	120,998	256,479	424,354	1,534,018	1,011,344	3,191,588	2,561,800	Imports..}..Oceanica.
51,910	768	.....	173,023	.....	.....	115,349	44,365	1,223,971	1,838,570	1,671,682	2,780,988	Exports..}..Oceanica.
5,924	25,131	9,826	1,829	25	15	33,051	.....	1,356,071	1,233,696	1,388,033	1,266,654	Imports..}..Africa.
96,632	1,571	26,148	54,888	.....	.....	33,483	6,597	1,605,412	1,201,197	1,671,015	1,505,524	Exports..}..Africa.

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES, FOR MARCH, 1899.

DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane and other.					
DISTRICTS.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.			21, 177, 829	441, 070	23, 788, 315	534, 344	71, 399	2, 414	45, 037, 543	977, 828
Newark, N. J.					340	6			340	6
New York, N. Y.	21, 354, 078	816, 817	51, 082, 943	1, 055, 196	203, 753, 507	4, 628, 032	129, 365	4, 115	276, 319, 893	6, 504, 160
Philadelphia, Pa.			17, 271, 029	371, 022	71, 240, 236	1, 506, 174	22, 046	556	88, 533, 311	1, 877, 752
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.					2, 800	66			2, 800	66
Corpus Christi, Tex.					27, 256	593			27, 256	593
Galveston, Tex.							60, 090	1, 607	60, 090	1, 607
New Orleans, La.					21, 525, 983	551, 816	2, 300	104	21, 528, 283	551, 920
Paso del Norte, Tex.					7, 150	171			7, 150	171
Saluria, Tex.					2, 206	51			2, 206	51
Arizona.					6, 930	149			6, 930	149
Los Angeles, Cal.							49, 967	1, 450	49, 967	1, 450
Puget Sound, Wash.					725	13	150, 800	4, 331	151, 525	4, 344
San Diego, Cal.							583, 500	15, 844	583, 500	15, 844
San Francisco, Cal.	26, 317, 032	1, 006, 002			1, 755, 085	32, 373	927, 382	26, 402	28, 999, 499	1, 064, 777
Willamette, Oreg.					700	13	100, 480	2, 877	101, 180	2, 890
Chicago, Ill.							1, 206	54	1, 206	54
Detroit, Mich.							248	21	248	21
Huron, Mich.							60	3	60	3
Memphremagog, Vt.							70	3	70	3
Total	47, 671, 110	1, 822, 819	89, 531, 801	1, 867, 288	322, 111, 233	7, 253, 801	2, 098, 913	59, 781	461, 413, 057	11, 003, 689
COUNTRIES.										
Austria-Hungary			9, 739, 136	196, 763			129, 365	4, 115	9, 868, 501	200, 878
Germany			79, 792, 665	1, 670, 525			110, 925	3, 460	79, 903, 590	1, 673, 985
Netherlands							60, 090	1, 607	60, 090	1, 607
United Kingdom.					1, 066, 156	25, 627			1, 066, 156	25, 627
Dominion of Canada:										
Quebec, Ontario, etc.							1, 584	81	1, 584	81
British Columbia							600	28	600	28
Central American States:										
Guatemala.					197, 440	4, 334			197, 440	4, 334
Salvador.							30, 000	900	30, 000	900
Mexico					142, 587	2, 307			142, 587	2, 307
West Indies:										
British					17, 240, 787	389, 884			17, 240, 787	389, 884
Cuba.					96, 121, 200	2, 384, 164			96, 121, 200	2, 384, 164
Danish					2, 944, 482	70, 611			2, 944, 482	70, 611
Dutch					537, 673	12, 704			537, 673	12, 704
Porto Rico.					10, 201, 361	250, 677			10, 201, 361	250, 677
Santo Domingo					16, 999, 046	376, 772			16, 999, 046	376, 772
Brazil.					12, 209, 331	231, 972			12, 209, 331	231, 972
Guianas:										
British					9, 671, 112	249, 079			9, 671, 112	249, 079
Dutch					6, 007, 150	155, 804			6, 007, 150	155, 804
Peru.					3, 542, 326	88, 890			3, 542, 326	88, 890
Venezuela					1, 482	27			1, 482	27
China.					91, 630	1, 566	882, 202	25, 116	973, 832	26, 682
East Indies—Dutch.					119, 535, 386	2, 473, 362			119, 535, 386	2, 473, 362
Hongkong					16, 408	221	883, 947	24, 466	900, 355	24, 687
Japan							200	8	200	8
Hawaiian Islands.	47, 671, 110	1, 822, 819							47, 671, 110	1, 822, 819
British Africa					8, 946, 048	129, 091			8, 946, 048	120, 091
Turkey in Africa—Egypt					16, 639, 628	415, 709			16, 639, 628	415, 709
Total	47, 671, 110	1, 822, 819	89, 531, 801	1, 867, 288	322, 111, 233	7, 253, 801	2, 098, 913	59, 781	461, 413, 057	11, 003, 689

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane.					
1895.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
January	15,099,372	434,990	92,367,162	1,662,634	79,208,409	1,379,367	2,526,886	65,068	189,201,829	3,542,059
February	39,730,222	1,099,618	31,349,975	508,429	161,291,283	2,927,178	3,117,125	74,477	235,488,605	4,009,702
March	36,605,359	976,428	6,899,701	122,719	347,940,355	6,236,740	4,574,839	102,841	396,020,254	7,438,728
April	33,686,680	858,390	3,999,603	57,526	335,594,151	5,946,794	4,656,846	113,510	377,937,280	6,976,220
May	45,374,104	1,153,050	1,651,638	25,076	485,620,203	9,162,322	6,018,965	143,782	538,664,910	10,484,230
June	31,085,554	796,696	15,384,879	250,595	334,403,000	6,515,080	7,930,215	198,380	388,808,648	7,760,751
July	28,977,905	781,195	41,001,194	775,758	282,068,349	5,332,334	12,665,220	322,073	364,712,668	7,211,960
August	15,725,350	416,699	3,015,472	52,365	221,438,138	3,977,136	16,599,428	440,903	256,778,388	4,887,103
September	6,421,165	179,750	531,974	9,735	188,552,342	3,577,552	9,014,503	233,249	204,519,984	4,000,286
October	27,908,040	717,813	1,260,740	22,744	247,230,260	4,726,432	9,164,095	243,996	285,563,135	5,711,030
November	6,627,464	188,479	56,128	1,230	145,650,731	3,011,063	7,323,819	205,572	159,658,142	3,406,344
December	2,978,139	85,117	6,088,963	122,835	165,621,681	3,320,457	7,782,128	211,651	182,470,911	3,739,460
1896.										
January	16,135,501	449,307	35,377,666	751,785	203,371,778	4,445,265	9,110,184	250,821	263,995,129	5,897,178
February	38,515,917	1,221,550	104,872,111	2,352,915	179,391,305	3,881,040	15,233,327	429,936	337,992,660	7,885,441
March	49,532,132	1,658,124	116,958,698	2,820,212	258,254,407	6,011,454	10,756,645	318,805	435,501,882	10,807,738
April	49,676,539	1,773,366	60,471,717	1,436,517	259,361,810	6,210,436	18,871,764	571,557	388,381,830	9,991,876
May	49,044,692	1,743,775	134,676,241	3,332,471	323,892,483	7,629,611	36,493,036	1,111,620	544,106,452	13,817,477
June	60,632,425	2,121,621	100,376,081	2,370,347	277,182,334	6,357,875	34,446,536	1,013,225	472,637,376	11,863,068
July	47,490,421	1,660,666	86,129,647	1,770,513	171,359,487	3,488,579	15,195,736	444,321	320,175,291	7,364,079
August	35,319,387	1,172,769	111,699,299	2,211,428	135,067,599	2,671,593	10,421,169	285,751	292,507,454	6,341,541
September	45,036,651	1,468,448	143,135,512	2,746,813	186,909,188	3,840,207	12,666,545	330,173	387,747,896	8,385,641
October	18,504,923	574,390	61,389,479	1,089,619	216,200,222	4,551,527	12,599,775	309,368	308,694,399	6,524,904
November	17,631,371	551,250	41,795,607	781,991	103,680,551	2,072,371	9,204,489	219,568	172,312,018	3,625,180
December	11,360,104	332,275	65,506,946	1,238,430	94,909,606	1,831,992	12,345,858	306,735	184,122,514	3,709,432
1897.										
January	13,953,295	415,031	75,089,083	1,386,565	110,848,403	1,990,720	8,589,972	205,621	208,480,753	3,997,937
February	36,124,491	1,060,405	130,054,470	2,394,358	114,017,832	2,021,901	6,408,657	156,849	286,605,450	5,633,513
March	53,532,407	1,545,084	167,653,100	2,918,826	248,127,014	4,556,941	16,213,469	393,049	485,525,990	9,413,910
April	40,932,737	1,191,799	325,858,788	5,699,356	373,322,520	7,444,939	33,413,432	789,315	773,527,477	15,125,409
May	43,730,125	1,248,942	400,368,077	6,961,874	316,054,212	6,138,524	30,501,581	705,437	790,653,995	15,054,777
June	67,694,447	1,946,492	264,166,562	4,652,045	345,229,380	6,512,534	31,466,107	778,791	708,552,496	13,889,862
July	65,541,110	1,898,191	16,156,314	303,277	75,137,465	1,464,299	22,135,496	513,711	178,970,385	4,179,478
August	77,428,884	2,287,474	101,531	2,469	18,804,080	348,493	14,180,818	318,118	110,515,313	2,956,554
September	35,795,014	1,101,708	335,922	7,946	64,658,118	1,119,510	9,325,983	203,499	110,115,037	2,432,663
October	26,426,128	843,599	380,591	9,388	149,474,394	2,619,088	6,717,832	171,538	182,998,945	3,643,613
November	35,626,044	1,080,325	180	5	118,249,590	2,142,963	5,129,082	132,438	159,004,896	3,355,731
December	5,103,593	166,789	334,819	8,255	98,310,454	1,775,926	2,466,308	62,740	106,215,174	2,013,710
1898.										
January	18,043,839	656,511	220	4	127,090,240	2,508,432	6,269,324	155,526	151,403,623	3,320,473
February	25,054,849	927,103			211,462,662	4,490,307	3,290,573	84,296	239,808,084	5,501,706
March	43,787,235	1,563,175			313,991,691	6,415,958	8,866,473	214,373	366,645,399	8,193,506
April	42,102,485	1,588,276	5,336,175	79,200	354,607,352	7,473,758	4,407,690	106,409	406,453,702	9,247,643
May	62,972,464	2,345,690	17,276,714	270,718	260,373,703	5,220,973	7,063,566	179,518	437,686,447	8,016,899
June	60,885,153	2,201,268	100,719,019	2,036,693	156,263,763	3,080,047	11,098,587	260,705	328,966,522	7,578,713
July	48,207,929	1,809,218	127,558,185	2,597,963	121,578,520	2,560,734	5,824,337	146,779	303,169,021	7,114,694
August	50,574,174	1,856,794	20,309,152	370,579	120,769,323	2,502,875	11,226,046	270,150	202,878,695	5,000,398
September	35,723,373	1,280,369	35,555,484	723,651	169,312,859	3,563,090	6,589,584	169,115	247,181,300	5,736,225
October	22,191,810	794,661	30,337,483	621,143	269,334,493	5,539,807	6,203,147	163,521	328,066,933	7,119,132
November	27,626,057	956,399	2,194,459	45,649	170,688,236	3,508,770	3,010,145	83,472	203,518,897	4,594,290
December	2,967,016	105,480	79,694,439	1,676,420	213,957,823	4,634,355	3,735,911	91,985	300,355,189	6,508,240
1899.										
January	24,029,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709
February	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,430
March	47,671,110	1,822,819	89,531,801	1,867,288	322,111,233	7,253,801	2,098,913	59,781	461,413,057	11,003,689

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING MARCH, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
France.....	France.....			583	583
Germany.....	Germany.....			71,228	71,228
Russia, Baltic.....	Russia, Baltic.....			130,894	133,540
	France.....			2,646	
Russia, Black Sea.....	Russia, Black Sea.....			901,636	901,636
	(Russia, Baltic.....			21,783	290,441
Russia, not specified.....	Russia, Black.....			241,434	
	England.....			36,224	
Servia.....	Germany.....			38,479	28,479
Turkey in Europe.....	Turkey in Europe.....		8,464	1,203	19,667
	England.....		10,000		
England.....	England.....	4,774	125	94,471	99,370
Scotland.....	Scotland.....			504,675	833,172
	England.....			328,497	
Argentina.....	Argentina.....	165,614			165,614
Brazil.....	Brazil.....			6,592	141,932
	Argentina.....			135,340	
Chile.....	Chile.....			321,141	321,141
Venezuela.....	Venezuela.....	95		22,944	23,039
China.....	China.....		60	408,322	408,382
British East Indies.....	British East Indies.....			1,930	71,710
	England.....			60,780	
Russia, Asiatic.....	Russia, Black.....			124,241	124,241
	Turkey in Asia.....			151,076	339,126
Turkey in Asia.....	Austria.....			30,634	
	Franco.....			95,378	
	Turkey in Europe.....		29,466		
	England.....		32,572		
	France.....			209,561	661,393
Asia, not otherwise specified.....	Russia, Black.....			231,559	
	Turkey in Europe.....			25,180	
	England.....		58,575	120,046	
	Turkey in Asia.....			15,472	
British Australasia.....	British Australasia.....	314,337			1,434,650
	England.....	1,118,438		1,875	
British Africa.....	British Africa.....	260,233	1,367		296,254
	Germany.....	24,864			
	England.....		9,790		
	Total.....	1,888,355	150,419	4,345,824	6,384,598
Imported into.....	Boston.....	1,475,255	139,358	675,433	2,290,046
	New York.....	285,790	10,936	3,374,796	3,671,531
	Philadelphia.....	127,301	125	295,595	423,021

WOOL, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND
PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

BY COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

MONTHS.	Russia.	Turkey.	United Kingdom.	Argentina.	Uruguay.	China.	British East Indies.	British Australasia.	All other countries.	TOTAL.
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1895—January	1,291,349	1,582,817	634,418	831,420	7,392	2,067,127	229,572	2,963,682	1,178,768	10,786,545
February	279,402	1,858,878	486,946	1,864,876	2,819	870,365	639,029	7,773,343	659,683	14,435,341
March	693,013	1,321,825	935,436	2,543,670	3,186,484	5,598,160	99,466	5,037,213	1,401,471	20,821,738
April	710,412	2,028,064	729,649	6,374,584	1,636,144	2,197,809	836,000	12,420,792	2,107,522	29,041,576
May	738,517	696,185	1,072,037	6,254,059	1,264,509	667,292	453,248	5,415,629	1,965,010	18,526,486
June	142,182	720,245	1,052,464	4,906,523	82,827	516,158	1,754,867	6,918,884	3,246,317	19,346,467
July	364,918	2,562,529	1,698,127	2,181,481	719,522	1,443,955	494,589	10,303,769	1,674,155	21,443,045
August	385,242	2,093,858	1,806,290	4,004,278	2,697,327	2,432,945	1,839,463	17,032,579	3,125,520	35,417,502
September	639,975	2,516,781	1,341,858	1,053,941	1,676,863	916,059	360,845	2,535,472	3,223,300	14,265,184
October	1,851,408	2,507,714	2,185,722	1,253,956	189,919	2,414,609	861,935	3,140,508	2,246,635	16,652,456
November	2,167,790	2,490,156	1,356,149	1,752,170	.....	300,644	886,711	1,915,205	2,642,085	13,510,919
December	3,222,793	2,846,323	1,046,835	2,088,648	201,912	5,428,510	1,779,506	4,722,947	2,534,562	23,872,036
1896—January	2,201,636	1,604,048	1,762,177	2,713,789	251,438	4,375,258	261,477	7,421,236	2,752,665	23,343,724
February	1,177,142	714,321	1,369,561	2,705,824	824,616	5,119,457	1,880,064	10,816,767	4,406,793	29,014,545
March	407,019	470,552	321,722	2,443,134	2,377,075	1,267,902	4,368	8,910,947	1,281,360	17,484,079
April	132,645	353,617	572,631	5,617,857	72,145	465,397	785,068	1,569,822	2,610,623	12,179,805
May	197,614	66,844	434,114	4,573,104	15,463	1,729,954	5,400	3,894,769	2,521,580	13,438,842
June	400,327	71,430	333,873	1,893,150	22,070	189,542	738,055	731,069	936,669	5,316,185
July	28,676	250,905	477,397	848,117	.....	1,053,519	.....	806,366	782,677	4,247,657
August	222,518	160,004	359,278	216,253	20,000	1,186,974	1,087,400	617,004	850,347	4,719,778
September	904,024	569,123	933,766	751,345	.....	962,473	39,397	74,107	887,060	4,781,295
October	190,425	1,988,369	128,097	107,796	10,439	1,266,411	932,940	942,852	435,290	6,002,628
November	1,352,459	467,580	785,831	1,856,304	14,958	325,281	433,942	2,517,615	1,630,672	9,384,042
December	2,432,582	1,784,391	3,807,169	1,588,090	13,702	1,757,134	1,124,785	9,389,215	3,502,457	25,399,525
1897—January	2,572,372	1,383,008	1,556,858	2,175,508	1,730,000	3,861,605	49,390	3,842,512	3,091,734	29,262,987
February	1,411,816	2,000,110	1,502,894	3,602,254	400,611	4,392,283	2,434,912	9,866,878	4,335,137	29,946,895
March	3,220,004	2,910,302	5,365,531	9,831,689	3,483,976	1,723,911	637,247	22,331,931	5,172,241	54,676,832
April	5,002,237	4,281,876	6,917,932	17,763,421	4,381,529	1,696,639	2,414,084	41,968,292	11,133,923	95,550,933
May	1,272,264	2,471,190	2,662,826	19,579,999	1,545,072	975,561	6,696	9,346,050	6,084,027	43,943,685
June	1,097,072	2,003,688	3,601,840	6,648,780	3,403,970	2,259,687	1,829,187	8,210,029	4,514,932	33,569,185
July	320,450	480,029	2,413,986	3,748,806	.....	2,933,917	305,840	9,345,020	1,937,661	21,485,709
August	62,386	63,087	599,591	148,493	.....	655,531	139,574	986,373	220,864	2,875,899
September	190,370	89,121	328,822	1,638,168	.....	127,684	25,660	.....	30,048	2,429,873
October	821,113	1,462,392	1,541,063	1,153,694	.....	411,579	1,088,564	342,592	303,234	7,124,231
November	3,581,564	1,471,130	1,579,534	93,604	9,262	1,976,263	209,065	440,140	800,742	10,161,313
December	4,434,765	2,250,227	2,688,570	301,332	96,874	3,980,963	1,569,416	938,272	1,508,208	17,768,627
1898—January	2,128,333	1,355,205	1,603,657	859,194	225,939	1,715,624	29,762	1,159,728	1,939,647	11,017,089
February	1,482,288	281,863	360,299	57	29,705	5,040,311	415,797	6,458,797	1,733,664	15,802,781
March	2,253,496	673,217	345,221	156,257	334,660	1,204,978	68,848	4,232,126	2,544,889	11,818,692
April	400,175	171,766	787,221	3,557,321	610,276	576,658	1,398,850	3,293,410	2,227,441	13,023,118
May	1,004,381	954,230	164,264	2,547,560	.....	729,183	123,932	1,370,675	987,469	7,861,694
June	276,281	67,877	67,922	2,530,486	3,258	1,016,603	961,483	3,310,110	479,966	8,713,986
July	137,113	180,797	293,509	131,628	.....	3,927,862	87,083	137,293	878,557	5,773,842
August	263,397	37,215	1,020,545	435,680	.....	2,214,707	616,672	328,463	530,313	5,476,992
September	547,524	445,317	686,263	1,675	.....	474,747	19,608	29,816	65,618	2,270,563
October	1,385,122	433,960	862,719	1,101,177	.....	506,353	699,369	8,312	700,200	5,697,212
November	3,420,476	1,293,178	483,011	.....	.....	403,792	166,371	4,201	729,821	6,500,850
December	683,682	419,033	790,807	154,574	3,053	440,648	990,001	237,628	898,496	4,617,922
1899—January	844,365	903,609	1,230,369	1,061,780	146,520	1,760,758	175,230	730,443	763,329	7,616,408
February	1,438,512	383,819	765,142	551,908	.....	1,075,100	1,082,265	1,973,486	1,110,846	8,381,078
March	1,458,858	358,793	932,542	165,614	.....	408,382	71,710	1,434,650	1,554,049	6,384,598
Years ending June 30—										
1890	15,602,337	15,858,245	17,035,103	13,699,451	228,808	8,742,541	6,642,153	11,950,158	13,159,878	102,918,764
1891	23,772,189	15,426,451	14,668,949	14,099,835	1,042,102	11,080,814	3,889,519	26,576,276	13,890,238	124,446,373
1892	32,578,873	17,060,052	8,267,335	14,217,037	4,944,465	14,742,851	1,853,284	39,764,079	12,125,179	146,453,155
1893	32,067,247	22,041,320	15,893,343	13,930,262	708,940	21,135,791	5,849,878	37,389,843	15,901,916	164,918,540
1894	9,296,030	7,379,686	4,130,118	9,035,568	247,797	10,339,859	2,359,023	8,488,563	4,308,224	55,586,888
1895	13,133,691	21,530,410	8,874,609	31,773,290	11,495,380	26,119,599	8,087,982	53,226,432	16,825,046	191,066,439
1896	13,150,509	17,987,753	14,229,668	32,281,341	9,048,350	26,084,232	9,897,531	72,995,090	30,264,448	225,938,322
1897	19,706,449	20,239,717	27,759,419	64,969,556	15,004,257	21,461,478	10,989,980	109,912,851	42,451,335	332,495,042
1898	16,999,224	9,282,762	12,434,332	16,734,279	1,309,974	20,369,294	6,445,063	31,877,252	14,630,832	130,083,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

WOOL IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND CLASSES.

BY PORTS AND CLASSES.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.			NEW YORK.			PHILADELPHIA.			TOTAL.
	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	
1895—January	2,634,883	401,800	588,905	732,054	89,479	4,603,380	266,181	289,793	1,160,070	10,786,545
February	7,564,709	542,728	1,769,584	1,226,219	29,212	2,028,319	217,027	125,802	931,741	14,435,341
March	3,730,670	303,914	919,499	5,366,957	124,170	7,375,054	1,397,360	234,140	1,369,974	20,821,738
April	12,630,922	550,041	4,386,786	4,663,039	128,324	3,822,776	921,187	268,884	1,669,617	29,041,576
May	6,614,693	858,804	3,775,202	2,785,373	25,827	2,463,451	445,354	88,703	1,469,073	18,520,486
June	8,186,692	547,295	3,195,594	2,352,414	90,772	3,483,595	13,743	48,301	1,428,061	19,346,467
July	11,110,320	1,271,708	2,459,897	1,737,119	105,916	1,447,799	616,921	236,008	2,457,357	21,443,045
August	17,181,391	2,000,501	4,160,775	5,514,065	77,392	4,371,191	593,007	188,029	1,330,551	35,417,502
September	4,216,822	817,675	1,760,158	2,341,646	107,469	2,347,089	485,821	522,903	1,065,601	14,263,184
October	3,473,217	497,103	2,764,098	2,374,000	39,423	5,535,492	263,729	271,496	1,433,898	16,052,456
November	2,201,670	665,026	3,138,419	1,412,372	184	3,493,655	479,941	364,856	1,754,796	13,510,919
December	5,200,570	330,581	2,356,845	2,472,829	1,910	10,632,962	674,371	23,139	2,178,829	23,872,036
1896—January	7,408,045	610,796	2,060,498	2,396,039	68,568	8,158,268	1,437,956	50,228	1,152,734	23,343,724
February	10,555,134	489,170	963,215	5,290,182	56,622	8,552,290	1,738,351	70,151	1,299,424	29,014,545
March	10,671,770	1,239,815	884,959	1,401,547	10,768	1,080,111	998,049	6,278	290,782	17,484,079
April	2,004,339	1,039,962	3,219,830	1,670,660	24,467	2,427,429	812,884	85,892	894,342	12,179,805
May	3,866,983	372,500	4,247,408	1,948,639	41,104	2,225,209	125,555	233,974	377,470	13,438,842
June	507,251	205,044	2,309,571	379,995	9,529	1,593,121	74,694	17,654	219,326	5,316,185
July	838,377	149,289	1,042,268	280,140	64,514	1,483,763	.....	6,235	383,071	4,247,057
August	518,895	205,257	371,267	267,578	25,516	2,449,710	.....	39,870	841,685	4,719,778
September	143,709	31,897	1,776,481	556,740	14,794	1,809,190	76,567	.....	371,917	4,781,295
October	1,028,044	135,111	1,263,111	140,562	.....	3,260,379	23,341	.....	152,080	6,002,628
November	3,124,768	397,597	2,317,145	920,944	101,783	1,821,876	245,297	102,344	352,891	9,384,642
December	11,144,566	596,658	4,234,074	1,635,224	288,676	5,547,437	170,512	138,342	1,644,036	25,399,525
1897—January	4,323,049	462,665	1,412,746	4,020,903	25,620	7,637,930	463,140	22,454	1,894,480	20,262,987
February	11,308,017	1,556,474	2,388,117	4,002,408	188,251	9,099,483	582,258	30,709	761,178	29,946,895
March	23,715,522	3,331,523	2,673,890	12,755,340	667,129	5,178,465	1,403,553	398,550	552,850	54,676,832
April	48,107,356	7,352,542	6,435,949	15,271,603	198,327	9,612,394	4,033,186	548,844	3,399,732	95,559,933
May	21,026,656	4,413,636	6,316,502	4,424,901	211,986	4,594,715	1,413,523	152,701	1,389,065	43,943,685
June	11,912,488	4,524,194	3,190,179	4,151,671	585,011	6,027,219	873,548	371,349	1,933,526	33,569,185
July	11,016,229	1,936,068	281,957	2,412,256	388,252	5,095,792	224,538	49	130,568	21,485,709
August	986,373	171,026	10,156	77,150	3,421	1,535,245	.....	.....	92,528	2,875,899
September	1,638,168	35	61,859	341	.....	599,599	.....	3,752	126,119	2,429,873
October	419,755	10,852	1,964,032	6,595	13,075	3,599,210	.....	.....	1,110,112	7,124,231
November	240,066	.....	1,725,185	114,391	.....	5,481,008	213,853	.....	1,386,810	10,161,313
December	1,097,198	53,441	3,993,654	583,154	4,300	10,370,808	.....	.....	1,666,072	17,768,627
1898—January	1,087,065	3,113	2,349,339	752,363	13,361	5,042,622	411,329	.....	1,357,897	11,017,085
February	6,284,750	3,505	740,571	370,896	504	6,686,657	369,834	1,700	1,344,364	15,802,781
March	4,187,017	297,139	1,841,946	503,324	5,020	3,810,283	384,027	745	789,191	11,818,692
April	4,693,453	7,856	3,848,550	711,896	6,685	2,681,567	288,877	5,943	778,291	13,023,118
May	1,430,159	28,076	3,158,208	245,942	10,450	2,195,777	374,954	.....	499,128	7,861,694
June	3,206,479	161,002	2,847,080	87,608	13,664	1,973,431	38,601	5,316	380,805	8,713,086
July	137,250	39,648	299,786	97,015	50,635	4,849,433	4,151	4,923	291,001	5,773,842
August	331,244	52,793	924,302	45,926	2,504	3,770,247	47,549	12,394	290,033	5,476,092
September	2,218	111,182	170,563	687	2,485	1,716,281	27,598	20,872	218,682	2,270,568
October	115,845	58,880	1,566,042	11,487	21,885	2,776,029	37,915	5,644	1,103,485	5,697,212
November	2,920	77,830	738,877	54,541	8,235	5,219,451	4,266	1,858	392,872	6,500,850
December	28,368	109,643	1,532,860	113,882	.....	2,409,492	237,800	6,900	178,917	4,617,922
1899—January	1,081,338	116,827	1,399,857	150,756	13,710	4,358,237	301,797	.....	193,886	7,616,408
February	1,645,907	464,036	1,335,105	321,127	3,395	3,792,763	302,160	100	156,485	8,381,078
March	1,475,255	139,358	675,433	285,799	10,936	3,374,796	127,301	125	295,595	6,384,598
Years ending June 30—										
1890	11,154,247	5,196,059	29,277,193	2,716,348	1,178,465	39,413,896	1,621,512	899,649	11,461,395	102,918,764
1891	23,574,857	4,060,718	26,878,778	4,748,593	675,697	46,402,122	2,415,588	987,922	14,702,618	124,446,373
1892	35,389,751	2,139,084	32,691,164	9,205,840	686,577	50,889,755	4,140,263	2,122,551	9,188,170	140,453,155
1893	33,258,891	2,756,142	41,160,922	6,958,992	763,265	58,176,030	1,466,961	1,930,577	18,066,760	164,918,540
1894	7,602,884	969,432	11,463,487	2,292,895	224,905	26,657,324	569,747	266,859	5,539,355	55,586,883
1895	55,992,782	5,017,210	29,840,260	24,823,191	814,650	55,510,709	3,591,566	1,397,276	14,078,795	191,066,439
1896	78,398,112	9,539,881	30,325,673	28,939,693	543,352	52,764,614	8,301,279	2,070,608	15,055,110	225,938,322
1897	137,221,457	23,156,843	41,160,922	48,428,014	2,371,604	62,622,561	9,884,925	1,811,398	13,676,511	332,495,042
1898	36,205,712	2,672,113	22,823,137	5,865,916	458,732	50,071,806	2,306,013	17,505	9,661,885	130,083,012

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, MARCH, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	AMERICAN.				FOREIGN.			
	Entered.		Cleared.		Entered.		Cleared.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Baltimore, Md.	111		2,902		685	127,049	319	139,536
Barnstable, Mass.					298			
Beaufort, S. C.	361							4,114
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	4,603	2,670	3,021	2,670	6,664	159,543	2,438	143,630
Brunswick, Ga.	4,268		549		20,291	7,249	18,756	9,513
Castine, Me.					306			
Charleston, S. C.	1,401					6,304		3,965
Delaware.					606	11,838		16,966
Fairfield, Conn.					240			
Fernandina, Fla.	4,259				470	5,003	824	10,562
Frenchman Bay, Me.	43				314			
Georgetown, D. C.	546							
Gloucester, Mass.	596				55	1,229		
Machias, Me.	1,022		713		1,804			
Marblehead, Mass.					94		94	
Newark, N. J.					163		235	
New Bedford, Mass.			185					
New Haven, Conn.	743				269		90	
New London, Conn.	299							
Newport, R. I.	164			33				
Newport News, Va.		431	1,144	862	509	27,230	1,836	51,929
New York, N. Y.	23,053	67,099	13,493	68,832	20,407	539,190	20,080	528,518
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.	2,765	431	6,509	431	885	9,487		33,526
Passamaquoddy, Me.	138	8,142	882	8,142	862	2,784	326	2,784
Perth Amboy, N. J.			1,518			550	344	550
Philadelphia, Pa.	4,452	8,078	5,479	9,321	4,157	117,884	2,461	132,902
Portland and Falmouth, Me.			1,703			65,971		59,046
Providence, R. I.	313		218		831			
St. Johns, Fla.	1,804		797		223		954	
St. Marys, Ga.	331						227	
Salem and Beverly, Mass.					609			
Savannah, Ga.	1,671		85		14,137	6,561	18,269	8,376
Wilmington, N. C.	126		1,114		1,802		2,481	
Wiscasset, Me.	826		70		486		97	
GULF PORTS.								
Apalachicola, Fla.	2,444				2,708		3,372	
Galveston, Tex.	1,961		2,733		1,028	32,946		58,904
Key West, Fla.	2,826	38,812	1,560	42,926	145	1,026	145	5,032
Mobile, Ala.	2,174		3,322		15,188	21,474	17,263	26,039
New Orleans, La.	3,080	13,247	927	9,059	2,798	113,881	7,014	128,598
Pearl River, Miss.	5,400		7,199		9,718		17,113	1,648
Pensacola, Fla.	1,758		2,365	68	27,266	20,018	19,068	26,061
St. Marks, Fla.	388							
Tampa, Fla.	3,472	2,396	929	1,596	121	9,306	1,169	15,243
PACIFIC PORTS.								
Humboldt, Cal.			345		942			
Los Angeles, Cal.						10,473		10,473
Oregon, Oreg.	1,754		914		6,905	3,281	3,936	
Puget Sound, Wash.	7,372	58,074	11,658	62,677	9,571	6,513	7,943	6,513
San Diego, Cal.	190		166			3,988	1,499	3,686
San Francisco, Cal.	23,032	32,775	20,926	44,668	23,823	21,461	19,457	18,146
Willamette, Oreg.	512				3,269	3,280	21,978	3,280
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.								
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.		7		7				
Cuyahoga, Ohio.		5,280		5,280				
Detroit, Mich.	161	136	161	134		230		437
Huron, Mich.		292		116				
Grand total.	110,419	287,810	93,632	256,822	180,649	1,335,749	190,388	1,449,997
RECAPITULATION.								
Atlantic ports	53,895	86,851	40,427	90,291	77,167	1,037,872	70,431	1,145,937
Gulf ports	23,503	54,455	19,035	53,649	58,972	198,651	65,144	261,525
Pacific ports	32,860	90,849	34,009	107,345	44,510	48,996	54,813	42,098
Northern border and lake ports	161	5,655	161	5,537		230		437

VESSELS CLEARED WITH CARGO IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES, FROM AND TO THE PORTS NAMED, DURING THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1899.

PORTS.	ALL-GRAIN CARGO. ^a		GENERAL CARGO. ^a		TOTAL.	
	Steam.		Steam.		Steam.	
	Num-ber.	Tons.	Num-ber.	Tons.	Num-ber.	Tons.
BOSTON:						
Antwerp			3	7,318	3	7,318
Glasgow			3	5,897	3	5,897
Hamburg			2	7,506	2	7,506
Liverpool			19	81,690	19	81,690
London			6	20,470	6	20,470
Total			33	122,941	33	122,941
NEW YORK:						
Antwerp			9	31,672	9	31,672
Amsterdam			1	2,036	1	2,036
Bremen			7	28,662	7	28,662
Glasgow			4	10,322	4	10,322
Hamburg			6	36,439	6	36,439
Havre			8	23,839	8	23,839
Liverpool			14	68,423	14	68,423
London			10	35,889	10	35,889
Rotterdam			5	15,548	5	15,548
Total			64	252,830	64	252,830
PHILADELPHIA:						
Antwerp			2	5,683	2	5,683
Amsterdam			1	2,003	1	2,003
Glasgow			3	6,718	3	6,718
Hamburg			2	7,617	3	7,617
Liverpool			3	8,434	3	8,434
London	1	1,968	7	16,213	8	18,181
Rotterdam			5	10,286	5	10,286
Total	1	1,968	24	56,954	25	58,922
BALTIMORE:						
Antwerp			3	7,044	3	7,044
Amsterdam						
Bremen			4	11,187	4	11,187
Glasgow			3	7,525	3	7,525
Hamburg	1	2,116	2	5,374	3	7,493
Havre			1	2,121	1	2,121
Liverpool			5	21,313	5	21,313
London			6	14,134	6	14,134
Rotterdam	1	1,808	5	9,617	6	11,425
Total	2	3,924	29	78,315	31	82,239
NORFOLK:						
Glasgow						
Hamburg			5	10,431	5	10,431
Liverpool			1	5,013	1	5,013
London			1	2,472	1	2,472
Rotterdam			2	3,412	2	3,412
Total			9	21,328	9	21,328
NEWPORT NEWS:						
Antwerp			1	2,364	1	2,364
Glasgow						
Hamburg	1	2,244	4	8,555	5	10,799
London			5	11,589	5	11,589
Liverpool			3	9,759	3	9,759
Rotterdam	1	1,764	2	3,328	3	5,092
Total	2	4,008	15	35,595	17	39,603

^a No sail vessels cleared.

REPORT OF ALIEN PASSENGERS ARRIVED AT THE PORTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA DURING
THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1899.

[Compiled by Bureau of Immigration, Treasury Department.]

COUNTRIES.	SEX.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonimmi- grants.	COUNTRIES.	SEX.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonimmi- grants.
	Male.	Female.					Male.	Female.			
Austria-Hungary.....	3,056	1,444	4,500	4,352	148	China.....	37	.....	37	36	1
Belgium.....	62	19	81	46	35	Japan.....	96	3	99	93	6
Denmark.....	129	51	180	146	34	Turkey in Asia.....	64	14	78	72	6
France.....	192	67	259	109	150	Total Asia.....	197	17	214	201	13
German Empire.....	708	259	967	566	401	Africa.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
Greece.....	64	8	72	66	6	Australasia.....	5	29	94	90	4
Italy.....	2,901	1,172	4,073	3,930	143	Hawaiian Islands.....	8	20	28	28	.....
Netherlands.....	81	30	111	49	62	Philippine Islands.....	2	2	4	4	.....
Norway.....	115	30	145	126	19	Pacific islands, not specified.	2	3	5	5	.....
Portugal.....	14	4	18	13	5	British North America.....	140	96	236	123	113
Roumania.....	39	18	57	57	.....	Other Central America.....	10	15	25	10	15
Russian Empire and Finland.	1,931	945	2,876	2,804	72	Mexico.....	9	18	27	17	10
Servia, Bulgaria, and Monte- negro.....	4	3	7	7	.....	South America.....	13	5	18	1	17
Spain.....	109	9	118	53	65	West Indies.....	248	72	320	274	46
Sweden.....	213	125	338	303	35	Grand total.....	11,789	5,121	16,910	14,478	2,432
Switzerland.....	67	24	91	58	33						
Turkey in Europe.....	1	1	2	1	1						
United Kingdom.....	1,468	575	2,043	1,039	1,004						
Total Europe.....	11,154	4,784	15,938	13,725	2,213						

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

TABLE I.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.					COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Bullion value of a United States silver dollar at average price of silver exchange at par.	Commer- cial ratio of silver to gold.	Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			Para Island, fine new.
		With exchange at per (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.				Oak.	Union.	Hemlock nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.					Per pound.				
1898.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
May 7	25½	.56858	.56577	.44615	35.83	6½	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92½
May 14	26¼	.57543	.57436			6½	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92
May 21	26½	.58001	.58073			6½	32	28 @ 29	21	93
May 28	26¾	.58639	.58621			6½	32	28 @ 29	21	94
June 4	27½	.60283	.60233	.45936	34.80	6½	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
June 11	26¾	.58639	.58530			6½	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
June 18	26½	.58502	.58393			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	93
June 25	27½	.59872	.59730			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	
July 2	27½	.59461	.59351	.46320	34.51	6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½
July 9	27½	.59461	.59381			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½
July 16	27½	.59872	.59794			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	97
July 23	27½	.61165	.60960			6	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
July 30	27½	.59735	.59153	.46596	34.31	6	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
August 6	27½	.59735	.59593			6	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	102
August 13	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	103
August 20	27½	.60009	.59836			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	104
August 27	27½	.60831	.60656	.47531	33.62	6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	
September 3	27½	.60831	.60625			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
September 10	27½	.61242	.60971			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	100 @ 102
September 17	28½	.61653	.61317			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
September 24	28½	.61790	.61453	.49305	33.79	6½	32 @ 32½	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
October 1	28½	.61790	.61485			6½	32 @ 32½	29	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
October 8	28½	.61516	.61212			6½	32 @ 32½	29	21 @ 22	92 @ 93
October 15	27½	.60694	.60394			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	85 @ 88
October 22	27½	.61231	.61055	.47359	33.75	6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	86
October 29	28½	.61790	.61676			5½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 5	28½	.61653	.61539			6	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 12	28½	.61516	.61370			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	93
November 19	27½	.61231	.61097	.46519	34.37	6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	
November 26	27½	.60557	.60351			6½	31 @ 32	28	21 @ 22	95
December 3	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 10	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 17	27½	.60146	.59911	.46519	34.37	6½		27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 24	27½	.60009	.59744			7	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
December 31	27½	.59872	.59607			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	95 @ 98
1899.										
January 7	27½	.59872	.59607	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
January 14	27½	.60283	.60047			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94
January 21	27½	.60420	.60184			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
January 28	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
February 4	27½	.60009	.59836	.46514	34.37	6½		28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94 @ 100
February 11	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	101
February 18	27½	.60283	.60233			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
February 25	27½	.60009	.59990			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	98
March 4	27½	.60146	.60004	.46584	34.32	6½	32 @ 34	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
March 11	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
March 18	27½	.60420	.60234			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	103 @ 104
March 25	27½	.60283	.60140			6½	33 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
April 1	27½	.60420	.60127	.46519	34.37	6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	103
April 8	27½	.60420	.60096			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 15	27½	.60420	.60158			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
April 22						6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 29										

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE II.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
May 2.....	5½	6	6	6	5½	2 @ 3¼	½ @ 1½
May 9.....	5½	6	6	6½	5½	2 @ 3¼	½ @ 1½
May 16.....	5½	6	6	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 23.....	5½	6	6	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
May 30.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	8½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 6.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 13.....	5½	6	6	8½	11	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 20.....	5½	6	6	8½	10½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 27.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
July 4.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	10	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
July 11.....	5½	6	6	7½	8	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
July 18.....	5½	6	6	b 7	b 7	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
July 25.....	5½	6	6	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 1.....	5½	5½	5	7½	7 @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 8.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 15.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½ @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 22.....	6	(b)	5½	7½ @ 7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 29.....	5½	(b)	5	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 5.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 12.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 19.....	5½	5½	5	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 26.....	5½	5	5	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
October 10.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 17.....	5½	5	5	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 24.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 31.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 7.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 14.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 21.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 28.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 5.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6 @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 12.....	5½	4½	4½	6	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 19.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 26.....	5½	5	5½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2½
1899.							
January 2.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	5½ @ 6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 9.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 16.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 23.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
January 30.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 6.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 13.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 20.....	5½	5½	5½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 27.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 6.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 13.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 20.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 27.....	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 3.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 10.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 17.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 24.....				8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE III.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.			COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.		
	Pig--			Best mer- chant bar, muck iron. (b)	Bars.	Billets. (b)	Rails. (d)	Furnace.	Crude Pennsylv- ania (per bar- rel, 42 gallons). (b)	Refined. (e)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	Southern No. 2, foundry. (c)							In bar- rels.	In cases.
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
May 4.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00@19.00	1.75	71	5.60	6.25
May 11.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	.....	1.75	83	6.00	6.65
May 18.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00	1.75	82	5.95	6.60
May 25.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	.....	1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 1.....	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	.....	1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 8.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 15.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	85	6.15	6.80
June 22.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 29.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 6.....	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 13.....	10.30@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.60	94	6.25	6.90
July 20.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	93	6.30	6.95
July 27.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.30	7.05
August 3.....	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	6.95
August 10.....	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@15.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 17.....	10.50@10.65	9.15@ 9.25	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	97	6.40	7.05
August 24.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
August 31.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25@18.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 7.....	16.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 14.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 21.....	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	102	6.65	7.30
September 28.....	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	106	6.85	7.50
October 5.....	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	107	6.85	7.50
October 12.....	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	110	7.10	7.85
October 19.....	10.40@10.50	9.40@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
October 26.....	10.35@10.50	9.25@ 9.40	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.75	18.00	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 2.....	10.25@10.40	9.25@ 9.35	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.50	18.00	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 9.....	10.10@10.25	.....	7.50@7.75	.....	.....	15.00@15.25	.....	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 16.....	10.10@10.25	.....	7.50@7.75	1.20	1.00	17.25@17.50	.....	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 23.....	10.00@10.25	.....	7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.00	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
November 30.....	10.00@10.25	.....	7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.25	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
December 7.....	10.65	.....	.....	1.00	1.00	15.75@16.00	18.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
December 14.....	10.75	.....	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00	.....	117	7.40	8.15
December 21.....	10.75@11.00	.....	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
December 28.....	10.85@11.00	.....	8.00	1.00	1.00	16.25@16.50	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
1899.											
January 4.....	10.85@11.00	.....	8.00	1.05	1.07½	16.50@16.75	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
January 11.....	10.85@11.00	.....	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
January 18.....	11.00	.....	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	116	7.40	8.15
January 25.....	11.00	.....	8.50	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	116	7.40	8.15
February 1.....	11.15	.....	8.50@9.00	1.07½	1.07½	17.25	18.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 8.....	11.50@11.65	.....	9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	18.00@19.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 15.....	11.50@11.65	.....	9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	20.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 22.....	12.65	.....	9.50@10.00	1.10	1.10	20.50@21.00	20.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
March 1.....	13.15@13.40	.....	9.75@10.25	1.40	1.25	21.00@22.00	21.00@22.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 8.....	13.50@14.00	.....	10.00@10.50	1.50	1.35@1.40	23.50@24.50	22.00@24.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 15.....	15.50	.....	11.00@11.25	1.65@1.75	1.45@1.50	25.00@26.00	23.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 22.....	15.65	.....	11.00@11.50	1.65@1.75	1.60	25.00@26.00	24.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 29.....	15.50	.....	11.50	1.65@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	24.00	.....	113	7.25	8.00
April 5.....	15.50	.....	11.50	1.60@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	24.00	.....	113	7.25	8.00
April 12.....	15.15@15.50	.....	11.50	1.60@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	25.00	.....	113	7.80	8.05
April 19.....	15.15@15.50	.....	11.50@12.00	1.60@1.75	1.75	26.00	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
April 26.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburgh, for cash.

c At Birmingham, Ala.

d Eastern mills f. o. b.

e Prices at New York.

f Long ton.

g Iron bars after March 2, 1898.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IV.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)				
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleo-stearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco-vados, 89° polarization.	Centrif-u-gals, 96° polarization.	Stand-ard, granu-lated.		
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.								
	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	L.	H.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Per pound.				
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cts.	Cts.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.		
May 5.....	130	145	38½	39½	35	35	6.25	6.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.19	5.15		
May 12.....	150	177	41½	41½	35½	35½	6.90	7.00	5½	6	3½	3½	11.25	11.75	12.50	13.00	3.63	4.19	5.08		
May 19.....	151½	155	39½	40	34½	34½	6.80	6.80	6½	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	12.50	13.00	3.75	4.25	5.08		
May 26.....	148	156	37½	38½	33½	33½	6.45	6.50	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.75	12.00	12.50	13.00	3.75	4.31	5.09		
June 2.....	110	118	37½	37½	31	31½	6.40	6.40	6	6	4	4½	11.00	11.50	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08		
June 9.....	110	111	36½	36½	29½	30	6.27½	6.35	5½	6	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08		
June 16.....	92	93	37½	38½	30½	30½	6.10	6.10	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08		
June 23.....	83	86	36½	36½	29	29	5.90	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08		
June 30.....	83	84	35½	36½	26	26	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08		
July 7.....	89	90	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.70	5.75	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.09		
July 14.....	85½	86	36	36	27	27	5.87½	5.87½	4½	4½	3½	3½	12.25	10.50	11.00	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08		
July 21.....	83	83	37	37½	27	27½	5.85	5.85	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08		
July 28.....	72	75½	37½	38½	27½	28	5.55	5.55	5	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08		
August 4.....	72	73½	36½	36½	27½	28	5.50	5.50	4½	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.00	3.50	4.13	5.08		
August 11.....	76	77	36½	37½	29	29	5.70	5.70	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.09		
August 13.....	76	77	35½	36½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.08		
August 25.....	73	73	35½	35½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.31	5.08		
September 1.....	70	70	35	35½	26	26	5.37½	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.37	5.15		
September 8.....	67½	67½	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.35	5.35	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.37	5.21		
September 15.....	69½	72½	34	34½	25	25	5.15	5.17½	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21		
September 22.....	72½	75	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.10	5.10	5	5	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.21		
September 29.....	72½	74½	34½	34½	26	26	5.10	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.08		
October 6.....	70½	70½	34½	34½	26½	26½	5.15	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	8.75	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.22	4.71		
October 13.....	70½	72½	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.22½	5.22½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.13	4.72		
October 20.....	75½	77½	38½	38½	29	29	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.25	4.72		
October 27.....	74½	75½	38	38½	29	29½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	4.78		
November 3.....	73	74½	38	38½	29½	29½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72		
November 10.....	72	73½	37½	38	29	29½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.31	4.31	4.72		
November 17.....	73½	74½	38	38½	30	30	5.12½	5.12½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96		
November 24.....	74½	77½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.96		
December 1.....	72½	75½	39	39½	32	32	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.44	4.96		
December 8.....	71½	74½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96		
December 15.....	74½	77½	39½	40½	31½	32	5.40	5.40	5	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.84		
December 22.....	75	77½	41½	42½	32½	33	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72		
December 29.....	77	79½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72		
1899.																					
January 5.....	78	78½	41½	42½	33	33	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	4½	4	9.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72		
January 12.....	78½	78½	42½	42½	33½	33½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4	4	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72		
January 19.....	78	78½	42	42½	34	34	5.87½	5.87½	5½	6	4	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	3.25	4.72		
January 26.....	81½	81½	43½	45½	35	35	5.95	6.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	4.25	4.72		
February 2.....	79½	81	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.90	5.90	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.84		
February 9.....	80½	82½	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72		
February 16.....	82½	84½	43½	43½	35½	35½	5.70	5.70	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72		
February 23.....	83	84½	44½	45	35½	35½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72		
March 2.....	82	84½	44½	44½	34½	35	5.62½	5.62½	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72		
March 9.....	80	82½	43½	43½	33½	33½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.41	4.84		
March 16.....	79	80½	41½	43	32	32	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84		
March 23.....	79½	81½	42½	43	33	33	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	11.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84		
March 30.....	81½	84½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	3.87	4.31	4.84		
April 6.....	78½	79½	41½	41½	33	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.84		
April 13.....	79	84	42½	42½	33	33	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.06	4.56	4.96		
April 20.....	80½	83½	43½	44½	33	33	5.50	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96		
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a Prices at New York.

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TABLE V.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best flature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Territorial fine medium (scoured basis). (b)	
					Shanghai, best flature.	Canton, re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1-2 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 1-2 blood.	Good staple.	Ordinary staple.
Per pound.											
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
May 6	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 13	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 20	5 7/8	6 7/8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
May 27	6 1/8	6 7/8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
June 3	6 1/8	6 7/8	3.73 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21	47	44
June 10	6 1/8	6 7/8	3.60 @ 4.00	3.60 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
June 17	6 1/8	6 7/8	3.80 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.00 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
June 24	6	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.95	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 1	5 7/8	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 8	5 7/8	6 1/8	3.60 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 15	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 22	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
July 29	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22 1/2	48	44
August 5	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	29 1/2	22 1/2	48	44
August 12	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	44
August 19	5 1/2	5 7/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	44
August 26	5 1/2	5 7/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.70 @ 3.75	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 2	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 9	5 1/8	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 16	5 7/8	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 23	4 1/2	5 7/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.75 @ 3.80	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
September 30	4 7/8	5 7/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.20 @ 4.25	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
October 7	5	5 7/8	3.95 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
October 14	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.95 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46
October 21	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.95 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	45
October 28	4 7/8	5 1/2	3.95 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	45
November 4	4 1/2	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
November 11	4 1/2	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
November 18	4 1/2	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
November 25	4 1/2	5 1/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2
December 2	5	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.65 @ 3.70	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	28 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
December 9	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.62 1/2 @ 3.67 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27 1/2	28 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
December 16	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.62 1/2 @ 3.67 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	27	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
December 23	5 7/8	5 1/2	3.90 @ 3.95	3.62 1/2 @ 3.67 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
December 30	5 1/8	5 7/8	3.90 @ 3.95	3.62 1/2 @ 3.67 1/2	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
1899.											
January 6	5 1/8	5 7/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.67 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
January 13	5 1/8	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.67 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
January 20	5 7/8	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.67 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
January 27	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.67 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
February 3	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.95 @ 4.15	3.67 1/2 @ 3.75	4.15 @ 4.25	2.15 @ 2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
February 10	5 1/2	6 7/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.10	4.30 @ 4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
February 17	6	6 1/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.10	4.30 @ 4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
February 24	6	6 1/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.10	4.30 @ 4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
March 3	6	6 7/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2
March 10	6	6 7/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	45	41
March 17	5 1/2	6 1/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	26	28	21 1/2	45	41
March 24	5 1/2	6 7/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	43	40
March 31	5 1/2	6 7/8	4.40 @ 4.50	4.15 @ 4.25	4.55 @ 4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40
April 7	5 1/2	6 7/8	4.65 @ 4.75	4.45 @ 4.55	4.65 @ 4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40
April 14	5 1/2	6 1/8	4.65 @ 4.75	4.45 @ 4.55	4.65 @ 4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40
April 21	5 1/2	6 1/8	4.65 @ 4.75	4.45 @ 4.55	4.65 @ 4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40
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a Prices at New York.

b Territorial wools embrace Dakota, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Kansas, and Nebraska.

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TABLE VI.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel 1C 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1898.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
May 6	6.75	12.15	14.60	3.74	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
May 13	6.72½	12.07½	14.50	3.64	4.19	3.85	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
May 20	6.80	12.05	14.60	3.62½	4.26	3.85	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.22½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½
May 27	6.85	12.05	14.82½	3.70	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 3	6.80	12.00	14.85	3.80	4.35	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 10	6.67½	11.95	15.05	3.75	4.55	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
June 17	6.57½	11.87½	15.12½	3.91½	5.12½	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 24	6.60	11.85	15.20	3.97½	5.12½	3.85	4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 1	6.57½	11.77½	15.37½	3.98	5.00	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
July 8	6.57½	11.75	15.70	4.02½	4.85	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
July 15	6.55	11.82½	15.65	4.00	4.62½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
July 22	6.70	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.52½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 29	6.60	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 5	6.62½	11.50	15.80	3.93½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 12	6.87½	11.75	16.22½	4.02½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 19	6.92½	12.00	16.25	4.07½	4.62½	3.85	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 26	6.80	12.20	16.10	4.10	4.75	3.95	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
September 2	7.00	12.30	15.95	4.07½	4.77½	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
September 9	6.90	12.32½	16.12½	4.01½	4.80	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.23½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½
September 16	6.95	12.32½	16.12½	4.02½	4.82½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
September 23	6.95	12.30	16.15	3.99	4.85½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
September 30	7.05	12.30	16.15	3.93½	4.86½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
October 7	7.20	12.32½	16.47½	3.90	4.87½	3.95	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
October 14	7.12½	12.37½	17.00	3.87½	4.95	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
October 21	7.05	12.50	17.75	3.78½	5.00	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
October 28	7.10	12.50	17.95	3.65	5.17½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
November 4	7.10	12.62½	18.25	3.71	5.20	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½
November 11	7.15	12.82½	18.27½	3.72½	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
November 18	7.25	12.92½	17.92½	3.71	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
November 25	7.15	12.87½	17.95	3.67½	5.22½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 40
December 2	7.15	12.87½	18.25	3.66½	5.32½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 9	7.20	12.75	18.05	3.60	5.30	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 16	7.30	12.82½	17.95	3.72½	5.30	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 23	7.50	12.92½	18.22½	3.80	5.25	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½
December 30	7.75	13.00	18.72½	3.87½	5.12½	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
1899.										
January 6	7.87½	13.37½	20.45	3.97½	5.17½	d 2.02½	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 39½
January 13	8.00	13.87½	21.95	4.07½	5.27½	3.07½	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.22½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
January 20	8.25	14.62½	22.30	4.22½	5.37½	3.05	4.82½ @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
January 27	8.50	15.37½	24.25	4.35	5.60	3.20	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
February 3	8.50	17.10	24.75	4.60	5.80	3.25	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
February 10	8.50	17.95	24.00	4.50	6.05	3.30	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40 @ 40½
February 17	8.75	18.10	23.80	4.52½	6.25	3.37½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
February 24	9.25	17.87½	24.57½	4.40	6.55	3.50	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½
March 3	9.75	17.75	24.15	4.30	6.37½	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
March 10	9.87½	17.70	23.67½	4.32½	6.30	3.87½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
March 17	10.37½	17.60	23.85	4.46	6.35	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
March 24	10.75	17.00	23.72½	4.45	6.37½	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
March 31	10.75	17.60	24.00	4.37½	6.37½	3.92½	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
April 7	10.50	18.00	24.50	4.35	6.52½	3.91	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
April 14	10.45	18.37½	25.00	4.32½	6.60	3.92½	4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
April 21	10.65	18.07½	25.00	4.32½	6.70	3.95	4.85 @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
April 23										

a Average prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

d American f. o. b., mill, after December 30, 1893.

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RECEIPTS AND PRICES OF CATTLE AND HIDES AT CHICAGO.

TABLE VII.

[Furnished by the editor of the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review.]

SATURDAY.	CATTLE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.		TOP PRICE PER 100 POUNDS FOR CATTLE ON THE HOOF FOR EACH WEEK.			HIDES.														
	Receipts.	Slaughter.	Native steers.	Texas steers.	Cows and heifers.	No. 1 packers' native steers.	No. 1 packers' Texas steers.		No. 1 packers' Colorado steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy but t. branded steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy native cows.	No. 1 packers' light native cows.	No. 1 packers' branded cows.	Packers' native bulls.	No. 1 country buff.	No. 1 extreme light hides.	No. 1 country native steers.	No. 1 country heavy cows.	No. 1 country calf skins.	No. 1 kips.
							Heavy.	Light.												
1898.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
May 7	50,236	32,395	5.25	4.40	4.15	11½	11	11	9½	10½	11	11½	7½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	10
May 14	46,065	29,197	5.25	4.30	4.20	12	12	11½	10	10½	11½	12	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10	13	10½
May 21	46,824	30,626	5.25	4.65	4.25	12½	12½	11½	10½	11	11½	12	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	13	10½
May 28	50,675	33,764	5.20	4.40	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	11½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	13½	10½
June 4	42,670	28,743	5.50	4.65	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11
June 11	42,207	28,169	5.20	4.75	4.10	13	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	10½
June 18	48,312	32,198	5.35	4.60	4.00	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	10½
June 25	52,271	33,962	5.25	4.50	4.20	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	10½	12	11
July 2	50,182	32,717	5.35	4.60	4.10	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 9	36,488	22,568	5.35	4.65	4.05	12½	11½	11½	10	10½	11	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 16	50,603	34,048	5.50	4.80	4.25	12½	11½	11½	9½	10½	11	11½	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 23	53,336	37,760	5.40	5.00	4.35	12	11½	11	9½	10½	11	11	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 30	49,980	32,836	5.65	4.85	4.25	12	11½	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 6	42,157	26,232	5.60	4.55	4.20	12	11	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 13	45,266	29,637	5.65	4.50	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 20	50,471	33,166	5.75	4.05	4.75	12	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 27	58,816	36,819	5.70	4.20	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 3	56,851	35,389	4.65	3.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 10	53,733	32,340	5.70	3.75	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 17	46,719	29,881	5.70	3.90	4.25	12	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 24	56,177	36,550	5.85	3.90	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 1	56,145	34,254	5.85	3.90	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 8	54,256	34,253	5.85	3.87½	3.90	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 15	44,442	28,229	5.80	4.00	4.30	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 22	54,017	36,308	5.90	4.25	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	11½
October 29	58,187	38,382	5.85	3.80	4.35	11½	10½	10½	8½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 5	40,946	28,208	5.90	3.90	4.00	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 12	46,362	32,232	5.70	3.85	3.85	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 19	43,164	14,808	5.75	4.10	4.15	11½	10½	10	8½	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11½
November 26	38,847	26,554	5.80	4.35	4.00	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 3	52,273	38,775	5.90	4.40	4.60	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 10	54,060	38,253	5.50	4.60	4.15	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 17	38,408	27,487	6.10	4.70	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 24	32,592	23,235	5.95	5.00	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
December 31	35,806	24,873	5.95	4.80	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
1899.																				
January 7	33,017	23,098	5.95	5.20	4.35	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
January 14	42,527	31,284	6.00	5.25	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 21	44,977	33,489	6.10	5.25	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 28	52,666	37,027	6.30	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	9½	10	10½	10	9½	13	12
February 4	43,824	28,155	6.25	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	9½	10	9½	10½	10	9½	13	11
February 11	38,892	27,666	6.15	4.70	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	10	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10½
February 18	47,400	22,646	6.10	4.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
February 25	44,815	29,658	5.85	4.95	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 4	44,835	25,693	5.70	4.90	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 11	44,411	28,767	5.90	5.00	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 18	44,516	26,650	5.80	4.80	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 25	52,323	32,978	5.75	6.00	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10
April 1	40,690	27,935	5.80	4.85	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 8	44,004	29,765	5.75	5.35	4.50	11½	11½	11	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 15	44,061	27,664	5.75	4.85	4.50	11½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 22	43,107	27,195	5.85	4.87½	4.50	12	11½	11½	10½	11	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
April 29																				

a Cows only after April 2, 1898.

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TABLE VIII.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.			COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			New fine Para.
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.		Oak.	Union.	Hemlock, nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.			Per pound.				
1894.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	31½	.69599	.69506	18½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	69 @ 70
February 3.....	30¾	.66722	.66736	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66½
March 3.....	27	.59187	.59381	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66
April 7.....	23¾	.61790	.62025	17½	32 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	66 @ 67
May 5.....	29	.63571	.63845	16½	31 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	65 @ 66
June 2.....	28½	.62476	.62744	15½	31 @ 33	22 @ 23	17½ @ 18	65
July 7.....	28½	.62886	.63060	16½	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	66½ @ 67½
August 4.....	28½	.61653	.63400	16½	28 @ 30	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	65 @ 67
September 1.....	30½	.66291	.66257	16½	28 @ 30	23 @ 24	16 @ 16½	67 @ 69
October 6.....	29½	.64256	.64269	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 26	16 @ 16½	68 @ 71
November 3.....	29½	.64119	.64264	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 25	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
December 1.....	28½	.62475	.62617	15½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
1895.								
January 5.....	27¾	.60146	.60405	16	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	73 @ 75
February 2.....	27½	.60283	.60512	16½		25 @ 26		74 @ 76
March 2.....	27½	.60556	.60849	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	70 @ 70½
April 6.....	29½	.65626	.66010	16½	28 @ 30	27½ @ 28	16½ @ 17	72 @ 73
May 4.....	30½	.67133	.67457	16	32	32 @ 33	20	71 @ 72½
June 1.....	30½	.67270	.67526	16	36 @ 37	34 @ 35	21½ @ 22	74 @ 75
July 6.....	30½	.67133	.67571	15½	38 @ 40	37	23	72½ @ 74
August 3.....	30¾	.66448	.66974	16½	38 @ 40	37	23	70 @ 72
September 7.....	30¾	.66722	.67182	15½	38 @ 40	37	24	73 @ 74
October 5.....	30½	.67270	.67422	16½	35 @ 37	36	24	75 @ 77
November 2.....	30½	.67818	.68110	15½	35	32	24	80
December 7.....	30¾	.66996	.67320	14½	32	28 @ 30	23	74 @ 77
1896.								
January 4.....	30½	.66859	.67216	14½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	20 @ 21	77
February 1.....	30½	.67407	.67663	13½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	72
March 7.....	31½	.70010	.70204	13½	29 @ 30	26	18 @ 19	74
April 4.....	31½	.68229	.68559	13½	29 @ 30	28	18 @ 19	74
May 2.....	31¾	.68092	.68386	13½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	17 @ 18	81
June 6.....	31½	.68778	.69039	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	84 @ 88
July 3.....	31½	.68778	.68968	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	80 @ 85
August 1.....	31½	.68778	.69109	11½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	18 @ 19	83 @ 87
September 5.....	30½	.67133	.66802	10½	28 @ 29	24 @ 25	18 @ 18½	78 @ 83
October 3.....	30¾	.68620	.66257	10½	28 @ 29	25	18 @ 18½	81 @ 84
November 7.....	30	.65763	.65641	10½	29 @ 30	30	20 @ 21	81 @ 83
December 5.....	29½	.65489	.65502	9½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	82½ @ 83
1897.								
January 2.....	29½	.65352	.65298	10½	31 @ 32	28 @ 30	19 @ 20	80
February 6.....	29½	.65215	.65196	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	19 @ 20	80 @ 81
March 6.....	29¾	.64256	.64323	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	80½ @ 81
April 3.....	28½	.62201	.62278	7½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	81 @ 82
May 1.....	28¾	.61790	.61898	7½	29 @ 31	27 @ 28	20 @ 22	84
June 5.....	27¾	.60420	.60463	7½	28	26 @ 27	19 @ 21	83
July 3.....	27¾	.60420	.60463	7½	28 @ 30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	83
August 7.....	26	.56995	.56948	7½	30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	84
September 4.....	24½	.53980	.53396	6½	31	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	87
October 2.....	26½	.57543	.57318	7½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 22	86
November 6.....	26½	.58091	.57983	6½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 21	84½
December 4.....	27¾	.60420	.60308	6½	32 @ 34	30	20 @ 21	83 @ 84
1898.								
January 8.....	26¾	.57909	.57817	6½	32 @ 34	28 @ 29	21	82 @ 83
February 5.....	26½	.57543	.57377	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	88
March 5.....	25½	.55625	.55350	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	93
April 2.....	25½	.56310	.55974	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	96

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TABLE IX.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 1.....	4½	3½	3½	5½ @ 5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
February 5.....	4½	4½	4	5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
March 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5 @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
April 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
May 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 4.....	5	4½	4½	4½ @ 5	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
July 2.....	5	4½	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
August 6.....	5	(b)	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
September 3.....	5	5	4½	6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
October 1.....	4½	4½	4½	5½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
November 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5½ @ 5½	3 @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
December 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 2½	(b)
1895.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 7.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
February 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
March 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2 @ 3½	1½
May 6.....	4½	4	4	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 5.....	4½	4½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 3.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 7.....	4½	4	4	4½	4 @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	1½ @ 1½
November 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 2.....	3½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	2	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1896.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
February 3.....	4½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
March 2.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 6.....	4½	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
August 3.....	5	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
September 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½
October 5.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
November 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 4	1½
1897.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 4½	1½
February 1.....	4½	4	4½	4	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 4½	1½ @ 1½
March 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3½	3 @ 4½	1½ @ 1½
April 5.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
May 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
June 7.....	4½	4½	4	3½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	5	4½	4½	3½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 2.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 6.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
November 1.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½ @ 4	3½	3 @ 4½	1½ @ 1½
February 7.....	5	4½	4½	4½	4	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 7.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 4.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE X.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.		COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.			
	Fig.			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Billets. (b)	Rails. (c)	Furnace.	Crude (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)		Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	No. 1 X. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
	Per ton. (d)			Per pound.	Per ton. (d)		Per ton.	Lowest.	Highest.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	10.75@11.00	10.00	13.25@14.25	1.35@1.40	15.90	24.80	1.05	80½	80½	5.15	6.25
February 7.....	10.75	9.75@10.00	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	24.80	.90@1.00	80½	81	5.15	6.25
March 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.60@ 9.75	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.50	24.00@27.00	.90	81½	82½	5.15	6.25
April 4.....	10.35@10.50	9.35@ 9.60	12.75@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.75	23.50@26.00	.85@ .90	82½	82½	5.15	6.25
May 2.....	11.00@11.50	9.40@ 9.50	12.50@13.25	1.25@1.30	16.75@17.00	22.00@24.00	(e)	85½	85½	5.15	6.25
June 6.....	13.00@13.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	19.00@19.50	22.00@24.00	(e)	87½	87½	5.15	6.25
July 5.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	18.50	.....	(e)	83½	84	5.15	6.35
August 1.....	12.25@12.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	17.00@17.25	.....	(e)	79½	79½	5.15	6.35
September 5.....	11.50@12.00	10.00@10.25	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	18.00	.....	.....	82½	83	5.15	6.35
October 3.....	11.00@11.25	10.00	12.50@13.00	1.05@1.20	16.75@17.00	.....	1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
November 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.25@ 9.50	.....	1.10@1.15	15.45	.....	1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
December 5.....	10.25@10.35	9.25@ 9.50	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.50	22.75	1.00	87½	90	5.15	6.55
1895.											
January 2.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.90	94½	95½	5.70	6.90
February 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	1.00	103	103½	5.80	7.13
March 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.....	105	105½	6.30	7.40
April 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.60	22.75	.....	113	114	7.35	7.70
May 1.....	10.75@10.85	9.50@ 9.75	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.50@15.75	22.75	1.15	183½	185	8.50	9.65
June 5.....	12.00@12.25	10.40@10.50	12.25@12.50	1.20@1.25	17.75@18.00	22.75	.....	147	147	7.85	8.60
July 3.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	9.25	1.25@1.30	20.50@20.75	24.00	.....	149	149	7.80	8.15
August 7.....	15.40@15.50	11.50@11.75	9.25	1.35@1.40	21.50@22.00	.....	1.35	126	126	7.10	7.50
September 4.....	17.25@17.50	12.75@13.00	10.00	1.40@1.45	.....	.....	.....	124½	125½	7.10	7.50
October 2.....	16.75@17.00	12.00@12.75	10.00	1.45@1.50	24.00@24.25	28.00	1.35@1.60	123	123	7.10	7.50
November 6.....	16.00@16.25	12.50@12.75	10.00	1.40@1.50	21.00@21.50	.....	1.60	133	136	7.10	7.50
December 4.....	12.75@13.00	12.00@12.25	9.50@10.00	1.40@1.50	18.00@18.50	.....	.....	134	135	7.50	8.50
1896.											
January 1.....	11.00@11.25	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.75	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	.....	2.00	148	149	7.75	8.50
February 5.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	8.15@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	18.25@18.50	.....	2.00	143	143	7.60	8.50
March 4.....	12.00@12.50	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	17.00	.....	2.00	128	128	7.10	8.00
April 1.....	13.00@13.50	10.75@11.00	7.50	1.20@1.25	20.00	.....	2.00	129	129	7.20	8.10
May 6.....	13.00@13.25	10.75@11.00	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	125	125	6.95	7.85
June 3.....	12.25@12.75	10.75@11.00	7.50@ 7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	109	109	6.55	7.45
July 1.....	12.25@12.50	10.50@11.75	6.90@ 7.20	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	115	115	6.90	7.30
August 5.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	6.40@ 6.60	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	106	106	6.65	7.55
September 2.....	10.50@11.00	11.50@11.75	6.50	1.20@1.25	20.50	.....	2.00	108	108	6.70	7.60
October 7.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	7.00@ 7.25	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	116	116	6.90	7.85
November 4.....	12.00@12.75	10.00@11.25	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	117	117	7.00	7.95
December 2.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	7.50@ 7.75	1.25@1.30	20.25	.....	2.00	105	105	6.70	7.55
1897.											
January 6.....	10.50@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.25@1.30	16.00	25.00	2.00	90	90	6.20	6.90
February 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.50@ 9.75	7.00@ 7.50	1.20@1.25	15.50	25.00	1.75	90	90	6.00	6.70
March 3.....	10.75@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	6.75@ 7.00	1.20@1.25	15.50@16.00	18.00@20.00	1.75	91	91	6.30	7.00
April 7.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	6.50@ 7.00	1.05	15.25	20.00	1.60	88	88	6.20	6.66
May 5.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.50@ 8.75	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.75	19.00@20.00	1.50	86	86	6.05	6.50
June 2.....	9.75@10.00	8.25@ 8.50	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.25@14.50	19.00@20.00	1.50	87	87	6.15	6.60
July 7.....	9.25@ 9.50	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.00@14.25	18.00@20.00	1.50	80	80	6.00	6.45
August 4.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.20
September 1.....	9.75@10.00	8.50@ 8.75	6.75@ 7.00	90@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.15
October 6.....	10.50@10.75	9.75@10.00	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.50	19.00@19.50	1.50@1.75	70	70	5.80	6.15
November 3.....	10.35@10.50	9.60@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.25@16.50	19.00@19.50	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
December 1.....	10.15@10.25	9.25@ 9.40	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
1899.											
January.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00@15.25	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
February 2.....	9.75@10.00	9.00@10.00	7.15@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
March 2.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.25@15.50	19.00@20.00	1.75	82	82	6.20	6.85
April 6.....	10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.05	15.50@15.75	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	75	5.70	6.35

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash

c Prices at New York.

d Long ton.

e Strike.

f Foundry No. 2 at Birmingham, Ala., after June 5, 1895.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XI.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleostearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89° polariza- tion.	Centrif- gals, 96° polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, gran- ulated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.				Per pound.		
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.			
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4	66	67½	41½	42½	34	34½	8.30	8.35	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.75	14.50	14.00	15.50	2.50	2.75	3.74
February 1	65½	66	42½	42½	34	34	7.95	8.00	7½	7½	5½	5½	14.25	14.75	14.00	15.00	2.69	3.06	3.98
March 1	62½	62½	41½	42½	37	37	7.65	7.65	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.81	3.18	4.17
April 5	66½	68½	44½	45	36	36½	7.65	7.65	6½	7	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.50	2.87	3.98
May 3	60½	61	43½	43½	40	40½	7.85	7.85	7½	7½	5	5½	13.75	14.00	12.00	13.00	2.37	2.84	3.88
June 7	59½	60½	44½	44½	48	48	7.00	7.00	7	7	4½	4½	13.25	13.50	10.50	12.00	2.50	3.87	3.80
July 5	59½	60½	45½	46	50	50½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.00	14.25	9.50	11.00	2.69	3.12	3.98
August 2	56½	56½	55½	55½	41	41	7.35	7.35	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	4.35
September 6	58	58½	65	65	34	34½	9.00	9.00	9	9	4½	4½	15.50	15.75	10.50	12.00	3.12	3.81	4.72
October 4	54½	55½	55½	56½	32½	32½	8.10	8.10	9½	9½	4½	4½	14.75	15.50	10.00	12.00	3.12	3.75	4.35
November 1	55	55½	60	60	32½	32½	7.35	7.40	6½	6½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.98
December 6	60½	61	56½	57	34½	34½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.50	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.86
1895.																			
January 3	60½	60½	51	51½	34½	34½	7.10	7.10	7½	7½	4½	4½	12.75	13.25	10.50	12.50	2.63	3.00	3.74
February 7	57½	57½	48½	49	33½	33½	6.95	7.00	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.25	12.00	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	3.68
March 7	58½	58½	49½	49½	33	33	6.72½	6.75	7½	7½	4½	4½	11.75	12.25	10.50	12.00	2.69	3.00	3.80
April 4	60	60½	56	56	33½	33½	7.20	7.20	9	9	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.00	2.69	3.00	3.86
May 2	68½	69½			32½	32½	7.00	7.00	8	8	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.50	2.75	3.09	3.91
June 6	80	82½	56	57½	33½	34	6.75	6.80	7½	8	4½		13.75	14.50	11.50	13.00	2.94	3.37	4.35
July 4	73½	73½	49½	50½	28	28½	6.65	6.70	6½	7	4½	4½	13.25	14.00	10.50	13.50	2.87	3.25	4.35
August 1	72½	74½	48½	49½	28	28	6.45	6.47½	6	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	11.00	12.50	2.94	3.25	4.35
September 5	62½	63½	38½	39½	23½	24	6.25	6.25	6	6	4½	4½	10.25	10.75	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.25	4.16
October 3	66	68	37	37½	23½	23½	6.22½	6.22½	6	6	4½	4½	10.00	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.56	4.47
November 7	67½	68½	36½	36½	23½	23½	5.95	5.95	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.37	4.24
December 5	60½	70	35½	35½	22½	22½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.50	4.35
1896.																			
January 2	69	69½	34½	34½	23½	23½	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	12.00	3.37	3.75	4.50
February 6	81½	82	36½	37	25½	25½	5.87	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	10.00	12.00	3.50	3.87	4.58
March 5	81½	81½	38	39	26	26	5.60	5.65	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.12	4.72
April 2	79½	80	37½	37½	25	25	5.30	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.18	4.89
May 7	72	73½	35½	35½	25	25	5.05	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	10.00	9.50	11.00	3.63	4.25	4.08
June 4	69½	71½	33½	33½	22½	23	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	3.37	3.75	4.72
July 2	64½	65½	33½	33½	21	21½	4.20	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.75	7.50	8.50	3.00	3.50	4.60
August 6	66½	68	30½	30½	23	23½	3.50	3.50	4½	4½	3	3	8.00	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.13	3.50	4.60
September 3	67½	68	26	26	19½	19½	3.70	3.70	4	4½	3½	3½	7.50	8.25	8.00	9.00	2.87	3.25	4.47
October 1	78½	79½	28	29½	22	22	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.50	8.00	9.00	2.69	3.06	4.22
November 5	85½	87½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.55	4.55	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.50	8.00	10.00	2.87	3.25	3.98
December 3	104½	106	29½	29½	23	23½	4.20	4.20	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.87	3.25	4.10
1897.																			
January 7	103½	104½	29½	29½	22½	22½	4.05	4.07½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.81	3.18	4.10
February 4	96½	98½	28½	29	21½	21½	4.00	4.00	4	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.18	3.98
March 4	93½	94½	27	28½	21½	21½	4.32½	4.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.25	3.98
April 1	95½	96½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.45	4.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.00	3.37	3.47
May 6	95½	98½	29½	29½	22½	23	4.25	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.00	10.00	2.75	3.31	4.23
June 3	81½	82½	29	29½	22	22½	3.80	3.80	4½	4½	3	3	8.50	9.00	8.50	9.50	2.75	3.31	4.23
July 1	81½	82	28½	28½	21½	21½	4.25	4.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.50	3.00	3.50	4.47
August 5	84	86½	32½	32½	22	22	4.70	4.70	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.25	3.75	4.72
September 2	100½	103½	36½	37½	24	24½	5.27½	5.27½	6	6	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	9.00	10.00	3.25	3.78	4.72
October 7	97½	98½	32½	32½	23½	23½	4.60	4.70	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.31	3.87	4.85
November 4	100½	102	30½	30½	24½	24½	4.60	4.60	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.25	9.00	10.50	3.31	3.82	4.72
December 2	96	97½	31½	32½	26½	26½	4.47½	4.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.00	3.37	3.94	4.72
1898.																			
January 6	98½	99	33½	33½	28½	28½	5.00	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.50	11.50	3.50	4.19	4.96
February 3	100½	101½	34½	34½	29	29½	5.15	5.15	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.00	10.25	10.00	11.00	3.56	4.06	4.84
March 3	106½	107½	35½	36½	31½	31½	5.52½	5.52½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	11.75	3.69	4.19	4.99
April 7	100	100½	34½	35½	30½	30½	5.47½	5.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XII.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Un-washed.	Fine medium (scoured basis).	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ blood.	Montana.	Wyoming and Utah.
Per pound.											
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 5	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.15 @ 4.25	3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	23	24	19	35	33
February 2	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.95 @ 4.10	3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	35	33
March 2	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.75 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.50	2.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	23	19	35	33
April 6	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	21	23	19	35	33
May 4	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	22	24	20	35	33
June 1	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.60 @ 3.70	3.40 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	21	22	18	34	32
July 6	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	20	17	33	31
August 3	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	22	19	35	33
September 7	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.70 @ 3.85	3.15	2.60	20	22	19	35	33
October 5	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.80 @ 3.90	3.50 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	18	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 2	5 $\frac{3}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	18	34	32
December 7	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18	20	18	33	31
1895.											
January 4	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	32	31
February 1	5	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	17	20	17	32	31
March 1	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	32	31
April 5	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	30	28
May 3	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	30	28
June 7	7	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16	18	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	28
July 5	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.15 @ 4.25	4.00 @ 4.25	3.30 @ 3.45	2.60	18	21	19	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	32
August 2	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.20 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.45	18	21	19	34	32
September 6	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.00 @ 4.25	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	19	34	32
October 4	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	9 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40 @ 4.60	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.00 @ 3.50	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	19	35	33
November 1	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	9	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	19	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	33
December 6	8	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	32
1896.											
January 3	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	21	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	35	33
February 7	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	36	33
March 6	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	36	33
April 3	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	19	21	17	35	31
May 1	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.25 @ 4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	30
June 5	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	29
July 3	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	29
August 7	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	28
September 4	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	26
October 2	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	18	19	15	29	27
November 6	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.40 @ 3.65	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	19	21	16	33	31
December 4	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.70	3.65 @ 3.90	2.05 @ 2.20	19	21	17	33	31
1897.											
January 1	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.50 @ 3.55	3.25 @ 3.50	3.60 @ 3.75	2.05 @ 2.20	19	20	17	33	30
February 5	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.60 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.15	19	21	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	31
March 5	7	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.40 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	31
April 2	7	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.30 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	38	36
May 7	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.75	3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.15	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	38	36
June 4	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.75	3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.15	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	37	34
July 2	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.20 @ 3.55	2.00 @ 2.10	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	40	38
August 6	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.40 @ 3.70	3.45 @ 3.80	2.00 @ 2.10	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	46	44
September 3	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	45
October 1	6	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.55 @ 3.90	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	27	29	23	51	47
November 5	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	3.75 @ 3.90	3.80 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	23	55	52
December 3	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	23	54	49
1898.											
January 7	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	22	53	50
February 4	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	29	31	22	54	50
March 4	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 4.00	3.50 @ 4.00	2.10 @ 2.25	29	31	22	53	49
April 1	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	29	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	48	46

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XIII.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Beasmer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1894.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
January 5.....	11.69	10.07½	20.50	3.15	3.50	4.87½	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
February 2.....	11.25	9.75	19.87½	3.27½	3.62½	4.85	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
March 2.....	11.13	9.55	18.75	3.20	3.75	4.85	4.87½	4.86 @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 6.....	11.00	9.50	19.35	3.35	3.70	4.80	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 4.....	10.75	9.35	19.95	3.40	3.55	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 1.....	10.75	9.25	19.85	3.30	3.40	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 6.....	11.00	9.05	19.30	3.42½	3.47½	4.72½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 3.....	10.75	9.05	18.70	3.60	3.45	4.72½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 7.....	10.75	9.15	16.12½	3.22½	3.42½	4.77½	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
October 5.....	10.75	9.65	15.80	3.17½	3.42½	3.85	4.86½ @ 4.87½	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 2.....	10.75	9.55	14.75	3.15	3.37½	3.75	4.87½	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
December 7.....	10.75	9.55	13.60	3.12½	3.30	3.65	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1895.										
January 4.....	10.50	9.90	13.40	3.05	3.27½	3.60	4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
February 1.....	10.50	9.87½	14.30	3.11½	3.20	3.57½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
March 1.....	10.50	9.62½	13.07½	3.08½	3.10	3.50	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 5.....	10.63	9.37½	13.93	3.11	3.21	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89½	4.88 @ 4.88½	5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 3.....	10.75	9.86	14.21	3.07½	3.17½	3.52½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 7.....	11.50	10.56	14.19	3.29	3.71	3.52½	4.89	4.87½ @ 4.88	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
July 5.....	12.50	10.55	14.12½	3.30	3.61	3.65	4.89 @ 4.89½	4.86½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
August 2.....	12.50	11.79	14.35	3.52	3.84	3.75	4.90	4.88½ @ 4.89	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 6.....	13.13	12.25	14.36	3.45	4.17	3.65	4.89 @ 4.90	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
October 4.....	13.25	12.15	14.54	3.36	4.16	3.65	4.87 @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 1.....	13.00	11.68	14.62	3.29	3.93	3.65	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
December 6.....	12.25	10.77	14.08	3.30	3.53	3.60	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1896.										
January 3.....	12.25	10.00	13.08	3.12	3.57½	3.60	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
February 7.....	12.00	10.15	13.42	3.10½	4.03	3.52½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 6.....	11.88	11.10	13.33	3.20	4.08	3.45	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	39½ @ 40
April 3.....	10.63	10.30	13.40	3.07½	4.12½	3.42½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 1.....	10.63	10.75	13.37	3.06	4.04	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 5.....	10.75	11.50	13.43	3.02½	4.05	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 3.....	10.25	11.50	13.51	3.01	4.07½	3.47½	4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 7.....	10.25	11.08	13.37	2.83½	3.89	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 4.....	10.00	10.77½	13.31	2.72½	3.66	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
October 2.....	10.25	10.70	12.90	2.78	3.62½	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.83	5.20½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
November 6.....	10.50	10.85	12.95	2.88½	3.88	3.65	4.82½ @ 4.83½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
December 4.....	11.00	11.37½	12.95	3.03½	4.25	3.70	4.84½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
1897.										
January 1.....	11.00	11.43	12.97½	3.05	4.09	3.75	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
February 5.....	6.87	12.00	13.50	3.18	4.00	3.80	4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 5.....	6.87	11.92	13.52	3.38½	4.08½	3.75	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
April 2.....	6.60	11.77½	13.17	3.39	4.09	3.60	4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
May 7.....	6.35	11.00	13.22½	3.26	4.12½	3.70	4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 4.....	6.40	11.00	13.50	3.27½	4.25	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 2.....	6.50	11.20	14.05	3.61	4.30	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 6.....	6.37½	11.00	13.77½	3.77½	4.30	3.70	4.86 @ 4.87	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
September 3.....	6.70	11.25	13.61	4.21	4.25	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
October 1.....	7.05	11.25	13.63	4.32½	4.25	3.70	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 40
November 5.....	6.95	10.90	13.72½	3.92½	4.15	3.90	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
December 3.....	6.70	10.80	13.72½	3.77½	4.00	3.70	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
1898.										
January 7.....	6.65	10.90	13.82½	3.66	3.95	3.80	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
February 4.....	6.55	10.95	13.87½	3.60	4.00	3.85	4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
March 4.....	6.82½	11.92½	14.22½	3.77½	4.22½	3.85	4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
April 1.....	6.75	11.95	14.35	3.75	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½

a Prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their values in the foreign markets.

IMPORT PRICES.

IMPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898										1899		
		March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	Janu-ary.	February.	March.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Coal, bituminous.....	Ton	2. 97	2. 87	2. 95	2. 70	2. 81	2. 70	2. 58	2. 99	2. 80	2. 78	2. 94	2. 81	3. 06
Coffee	Pound ..	. 075	. 071	. 064	. 072	. 064	. 064	. 061	. 067	. 056	. 062	. 064	. 067	. 077
Cotton cloth:														
Not bleached, etc.....	Sq. yd....	. 076	. 052	. 073	. 074	. 085	. 077	. 076	. 093	. 089	. 099	. 082	. 079	. 081
Bleached, etc.....	....do ...	. 126	. 124	. 127	. 133	. 137	. 126	. 121	. 124	. 128	. 128	. 131	. 132	. 135
Fibers, vegetable, etc:														
Unmanufactured—														
Flax	Ton.....	295. 66	239. 15	209. 43	186. 96	142. 35	170. 97	176. 34	174. 82	283. 44	214. 44	238. 68	218. 12	229. 53
Hemp .....	....do ...	138. 41	139. 06	138. 18	128. 34	126. 40	129. 53	122. 75	98. 71	124. 90	122. 45	123. 91	111. 77	121. 50
Jute and jute butts .....	....do ...	24. 98	19. 61	18. 99	22. 57	22. 91	21. 25	18. 46	28. 00	47. 01	35. 22	34. 09	44. 11	32. 49
Manila.....	....do ...	60. 64	71. 30	75. 63	76. 43	120. 90	114. 64	100. 08	99. 37	119. 96	114. 13	120. 09	138. 67	120. 10
Sisal grass.....	....do ...	84. 47	78. 04	92. 50	151. 70	175. 40	107. 68	120. 23	124. 88	120. 11	91. 75	102. 63	126. 09	120. 33
Fish:														
Pickled—														
Herring.....	Pound ..	. 031	. 033	. 027	. 027	. 032	. 039	. 037	. 027	. 036	. 033	. 034	. 037	. 030
Mackerel.....	....do ...	. 065	. 068	. 060	. 057	. 058	. 053	. 063	. 077	. 073	. 072	. 068	. 072	. 072
Glass: Cylinder, etc., un-														
polished .....	....do ...	. 028	. 028	. 025	. 026	. 023	. 023	. 026	. 027	. 026	. 032	. 027	. 030	. 031
India rubber, crude.....	....do ...	. 586	. 597	. 604	. 569	. 606	. 636	. 608	. 586	. 588	. 597	. 635	. 663	. 063
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron (a).....	Ton.....	25. 80	30. 77	24. 26	30. 44	28. 91	27. 43	31. 04	29. 94	29. 70	31. 13	28. 23	31. 35	31. 87
Sheet, plate, and tag-														
gers iron.....	Pound ..	. 030	. 033	. 025	. 037	. 041	. 039	. 040	. 051	. 052	. 032	. 040	. 041	. 050
Tin plates .....	....do ...	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 023	. 023	. 023	. 023	. 024	. 024
Molasses.....	dut. Gallon..	. 191	. 167	. 115	. 178	. 160	. 181	. 138	. 160	. 199	. 210	. 194	. 194	. 243
Provisions:														
Cheese.....	Pound ..	. 135	. 138	. 137	. 134	. 131	. 130	. 126	. 142	. 128	. 133	. 142	. 142	. 134
Rice .....	....do ...	. 020	. 020	. 021	. 024	. 025	. 027	. 022	. 021	. 023	. 021	. 022	. 020	. 420
Salt	100 lbs ..	. 155	. 187	. 122	. 156	. 156	. 132	. 165	. 178	. 122	. 189	. 185	. 189	. 176
Silk, raw, or as reeled from														
the cocoon.....	Pound ..	3. 26	3. 28	3. 27	3. 18	3. 03	2. 99	3. 14	3. 00	3. 12	3. 12	3. 14	3. 34	3. 43
Sugar not above No. 16														
Dutch standard:														
Beet .....	....do ...		. 015	. 016	. 020	. 020	. 018	. 020	. 020	. 021	. 022	. 021	. 021	. 021
Cane, and all other.....	....do ...	. 022	. 021	. 023	. 024	. 026	. 025	. 024	. 022	. 021	. 021	. 023	. 023	. 025
Tea.....	....do ...	. 140	. 188	. 139	. 187	. 148	. 142	. 138	. 129	. 119	. 128	. 118	. 117	. 114
Tin: Bars, block, and pig.	....do ...	. 135	. 135	. 140	. 138	. 138	. 139	. 145	. 143	. 138	. 166	. 179	. 181	. 192
Tobacco, leaf:														
Suitable for wrappers.....	....do ...	. 980	. 963	1. 03	1. 02	. 956	1. 02	. 963	1. 03	1. 05	1. 14	1. 53	1. 14	1. 30
Other .....	....do ...	. 632	. 541	. 476	. 367	. 295	. 476	. 459	. 554	. 637	. 565	. 611	. 575	. 558
Wines:														
Still wines—														
Incasks.....	Gallon ..	. 719	. 689	. 765	. 748	. 724	. 683	. 556	. 695	. 687	. 710	. 708	. 619	. 728
Wools, etc., and manufac-														
tures of:														
Raw—														
Class 1.....	Pound ..	. 169	. 164	. 155	. 185	. 142	. 176	. 134	. 114	. 086	. 161	. 134	. 157	. 171
Class 2.....	....do ...	. 234	. 247	. 214	. 152	. 200	. 314	. 315	. 281	. 317	. 312	. 304	. 258	. 314
Class 3.....	....do ...	. 093	. 095	. 091	. 091	. 087	. 091	. 099	. 096	. 097	. 095	. 094	. 097	. 096
Manufactures—														
Carpets and car-														
peting	Sq. yd....	2. 68	3. 17	3. 03	3. 93	2. 67	2. 40	2. 46	2. 50	3. 01	2. 43	2. 99	2. 62	3. 22
Cloths	Pound ..	. 869	. 857	. 888	. 919	. 953	. 959	. 994	. 992	. 923	. 918	1. 02	. 878	1. 02
Dress goods.....	Sq. yd....	. 209	. 192	. 166	. 191	. 206	. 224	. 211	. 183	. 176	. 219	. 222	. 235	. 224

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MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—Cont'd.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their market value at the time of exportation.

DOMESTIC EXPORT PRICES.

EXPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898										1899		
		March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	January.	Febru-ary.	March.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Breadstuffs:														
Corn.....	Bushel..	.357	.361	.397	.384	.377	.380	.357	.359	.382	.405	.418	.419	.413
Wheat.....	do .....	.930	1.01	1.34	1.10	.882	.769	.723	.719	.725	.728	.745	.752	.757
Wheat flour.....	Barrel ..	4.47	4.54	5.22	5.02	4.58	4.39	4.13	3.93	4.02	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.83
Coal:														
Anthracite	Ton.....	4.52	4.37	4.24	4.05	4.14	4.42	4.17	4.07	4.10	4.15	4.05	4.13	4.22
Bituminous	do	2.06	2.17	2.24	2.33	2.18	2.15	2.19	2.20	2.09	2.10	2.02	1.89	1.93
Copper, ingots, bars, and old...	Pound ..	.110	.111	.117	.118	.117	.114	.117	.118	.118	.121	.131	.155	.163
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	do .....	.059	.059	.061	.062	.061	.060	.053	.052	.051	.054	.056	.061	.062
Cloths:														
Colored.....	Yard .....	.052	.051	.049	.050	.047	.048	.047	.046	.048	.048	.046	.047	.050
Uncolored	do .....	.045	.045	.046	.046	.049	.048	.047	.048	.046	.042	.046	.044	.041
Hay	Ton.....	13.82	14.23	13.50	14.44	13.80	12.73	12.34	12.77	12.78	12.79	12.34	13.97	13.72
Hops	Pound ..	.140	.152	.137	.147	.140	.126	.115	.156	.175	.181	.171	.181	.173
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron	Ton.....	11.74	11.12	13.18	11.54	10.81	10.42	10.41	10.15	10.14	10.26	10.31	10.47	10.91
Nails and spikes, cut	Pound ..	.018	.018	.018	.017	.019	.018	.019	.019	.019	.017	.016	.017	.018
Leather, sole.....	do .....	.181	.183	.177	.171	.182	.185	.165	.168	.178	.170	.158	.165	.166
Naval stores:														
Rosin	Barrel ..	1.81	1.74	1.56	1.55	1.48	1.42	1.42	1.54	1.45	1.50	1.37	1.39	1.41
Turpentine, spirits of	Gallon ..	.350	.286	.285	.286	.272	.271	.290	.315	.306	.386	.440	.430	.435
Oil cake and oil-cake meal	Pound ..	.009	.010	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009
Oils:														
Mineral—crude, etc.....	Gallon ..	.040	.037	.039	.038	.039	.043	.046	.047	.047	.046	.048	.047	.047
Refined—illuminating	do .....	.047	.049	.050	.052	.051	.050	.052	.058	.055	.062	.059	.063	.060
Vegetable—cotton-seed.....	do .....	.252	.247	.249	.259	.258	.233	.235	.236	.240	.249	.233	.234	.238
Paraffin and paraffin wax	Pound ..	.041	.039	.039	.037	.039	.039	.039	.039	.033	.038	.040	.041	.040
Provisions:														
Beef—														
Fresh	do .....	.083	.084	.088	.087	.083	.085	.086	.084	.083	.082	.084	.083	.081
Salted or pickled	do .....	.057	.057	.056	.062	.057	.054	.053	.052	.053	.054	.055	.054	.050
Tallow	do .....	.039	.038	.041	.041	.039	.038	.039	.040	.041	.038	.040	.039	.042
Bacon	do .....	.074	.070	.077	.073	.074	.075	.074	.074	.074	.078	.072	.075	.072
Hams.....	do .....	.093	.095	.092	.092	.093	.093	.090	.090	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091
Pork, pickled.....	do .....	.058	.059	.061	.060	.061	.058	.059	.057	.058	.059	.058	.058	.056
Lard.....	do .....	.057	.059	.064	.064	.061	.060	.059	.059	.058	.059	.060	.060	.060
Oleomargarine—the oil.....	do .....	.059	.060	.061	.060	.058	.058	.059	.063	.062	.062	.064	.072	.072
Butter.....	do .....	.168	.171	.150	.152	.150	.165	.161	.170	.161	.167	.168	.161	.155
Cheese.....	do .....	.090	.088	.089	.075	.075	.079	.082	.091	.092	.099	.102	.101	.107
Seeds:														
Clover	do .....	.058	.054	.061	.060	.060	.059	.059	.060	.063	.066	.063	.064	.064
Cotton.....	do .....	.006	.005	.006	.006	.005	.005	.010	.007	.006	.007	.006	.005	.006
Starch.....	do .....	.019	.023	.023	.019	.020	.020	.018	.021	.022	.021	.020	.017	.022
Sugar, refined	do .....	.047	.048	.053	.045	.044	.051	.048	.048	.051	.041	.042	.047	.038
Tobacco, leaf.....	do .....	.087	.088	.086	.089	.087	.093	.096	.100	.096	.089	.090	.090	.091
Wood: Boards, deals, and planks	M feet..	15.88	16.55	14.74	15.43	16.41	14.68	15.40	16.37	14.96	14.88	15.69	14.95	15.20

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

[From the Economist.]

I.—MINERALS.

DATE.	IRON.			COALS.	COPPER.	TIN.	LEAD.	SALTPETER.
	Scotch pig.	Cleveland bars.	Steel rails.	Best Wallsend London.	Chile bars.	Straits.	English pig.	English, refined.
	Per ton.							Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January 4.....	2 1 8½	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 9	40 15 0	60 0 3	9 14 6	1 2 9
February 1.....	2 1 2	4 17 6	3 12 6	14 6	40 1 3	60 15 0	9 13 6	1 2 9
March 1.....	2 2 1	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 0	39 2 6	60 5 0	9 13 9	1 2 9
April 4.....	2 1 9	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	39 6 3	63 8 9	10 2 6	1 3 0
May 3.....	2 3 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	41 3 9	64 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6
June 1.....	2 3 3	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 0 0	64 7 6	10 11 3	1 2 6
July 5.....	2 4 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 8 9	63 15 0	10 10 0	1 2 6
August 2.....	2 5 5½	4 15 0	3 15 0	14 0	43 15 0	64 13 9	11 3 9	1 3 0
September 1.....	2 7 2½	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	46 17 6	64 15 0	11 3 9	1 3 6
October 4.....	2 8 3	4 17 6	4 5 6	14 6	47 6 3	66 12 6	11 5 0	1 3 0
November 1.....	2 6 10	5 0 0	4 10 0	15 6	45 2 6	66 3 0	11 11 3	1 2 0
December 1.....	2 7 1	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 5 0	63 15 0	11 17 6	1 2 0
1896.								
January 1.....	2 5 3	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	41 5 0	58 0 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
February 1.....	2 7 4	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 18 9	60 5 0	11 8 9	1 1 8
March 1.....	2 7 5	5 0 0	4 15 0	14 6	46 6 3	60 2 6	11 12 6	1 1 9
April 2.....	2 6 8	5 0 0	4 15 0	13 6	45 2 6	60 7 6	11 6 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 6 4½	5 0 0	4 12 6	13 6	45 6 3	59 15 0	11 0 3	1 1 9
June 5.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	60 8 9	11 6 3	1 2 3
July 3.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	49 9 3	61 3 9	11 5 0	1 2 0
August 1.....	2 6 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	12 6	48 10 0	60 2 6	11 3 9	1 2 0
September 4.....	2 5 11	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	59 8 9	11 5 0	1 1 9
October 2.....	2 6 6	5 2 6	4 10 0	14 6	47 16 3	57 8 0	11 10 0	1 1 9
November 6.....	2 8 3	5 2 6	4 10 0	16 0	48 13 9	58 7 6	11 10 0	1 1 9
December 4.....	2 8 5½	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	48 12 6	58 4 6	11 15 0	1 1 9
1897.								
January 1.....	2 8 9	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	49 8 9	58 8 9	11 16 3	1 1 9
February 5.....	2 7 8½	5 7 6	4 12 6	17 0	51 11 3	61 17 6	11 17 6	1 1 9
March 5.....	2 5 7½	5 7 6	4 12 6	15 6	50 13 9	60 6 3	11 18 9	1 1 0
April 2.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 14 6	59 12 6	11 16 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 3 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 2 6	60 7 6	11 18 9	1 1 9
June 4.....	2 5 1	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 14 3	61 16 3	12 1 3	1 0 6
July 2.....	2 4 11	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 16 3	62 12 6	12 6 3	1 0 6
August 6.....	2 4 2	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	47 16 3	61 5 0	12 13 9	1 0 0
September 3.....	2 4 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 17 6	61 3 9	13 13 9	1 1 6
October 1.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	15 0	49 2 6	62 2 0	13 18 9	1 1 9
November 5.....	2 5 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 0	47 15 0	62 6 3	13 12 6	1 1 9
December 3.....	2 5 2½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 0 0	62 13 9	13 3 9	1 0 0
1898.								
January 1.....	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 5 0	62 19 3	12 9 3	1 0 0
February 4.....	2 5 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	49 5 0	63 5 0	12 11 3	1 0 0
March 4.....	2 6 7½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	50 5 0	64 16 3	12 13 9	1 0 0
April 1.....	2 6 0½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	50 18 3	65 5 0	12 17 6	1 0 0
May 6.....	2 6 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	51 9 3	65 14 3	14 3 9	1 0 6
June 3.....	2 6 1	5 10 0	4 10 0	15 6	50 19 0	67 12 0	13 15 0	1 0 0
July 1.....	2 5 11	5 7 0	4 10 0	15 6	49 19 3	70 14 3	13 11 3	1 0 0
August 5.....	2 6 5½	5 7 6	4 12 6	16 6	50 7 0	71 10 0	12 17 0	1 0 0
September 2.....	2 7 2½	5 15 0	4 12 6	16 6	51 18 9	73 3 0	13 0 0	1 0 0
October 7.....	2 9 3	5 12 6	4 12 6	16 6	52 18 0	76 0 0	13 3 9	1 0 0
November 4.....	2 9 6	6 0 0	4 12 6	16 6	54 13 9	83 5 0	13 6 3	1 0 0
December 2.....	2 9 4	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	56 16 3	82 0 3	13 0 3	1 0 0
1899.								
January 6.....	2 10 3½	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	18 3 9	91 2 6	13 8 9	1 1 0
February 3.....	2 15 2	6 5 0	4 15 10	17 0	70 5 10	112 10 0	15 5 0	1 1 0
March 3.....	2 14 0½	6 7 6	4 15 0	17 0	70 5 0	107 0 0	14 1 3	1 1 0
April 7.....	2 14 4	6 7 6	4 17 6	17 0	72 10 0	113 10 0	14 15 0	1 1 0

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

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II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

DATE.	COTTON.		WOOL.			SILK.	FLAX.	HEMP.	JUTE.
	Raw, mid- dling upland.	Yarn, 40-mule twist.	Southdown hogs.	Lincoln hogs.	New South Wales greasy, average.		Riga ZK.	Manila.	Good marks.
	Per pound.						Per ton.		
	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
1895.									
January 4.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10	6½	9 9	28 0	17 7½	14 10
February 1.....	2½	6½	10½	0 9½	6½	9 9	27 5	17 12½	11 10
March 1.....	3	6	10	0 9½	6½	9 4½	27 0	17 12½	11 0
April 4.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	7½	9 3	27 5	17 5	12 0
May 3.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	6½	9 3	27 10	17 15	12 10
June 1.....	3½	7	10	0 10	6½	9 3	27 10	17 5	12 10
July 5.....	3½	7	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	27 10	18 5	12 10
August 2.....	3½	6½	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	28 0	17 15	12 10
September 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 3½	7½	9 9	27 15	19 10	13 10
October 3.....	4½	7½	11½	1 4	8½	9 9	27 0	21 5	13 0
November 1.....	4½	7½	11½	1 4	8½	9 9	27 10	21 0	12 10
December 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	7½	9 9	28 0	18 10	12 0
1896.									
January 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	8	9 10½	27 15	17 5	12 0
February 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3	8½	9 10½	27 15	18 5	12 0
March 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2½	8½	9 10½	28 10	17 17½	12 0
April 2.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	9	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
May 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	8½	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
June 5.....	3½	7½	10½	1 0	8	9 9	27 0	17 15	12 0
July 3.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	16 17½	12 0
August 1.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	17 0	12 0
September 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	7½	9 6	27 10	18 1½	12 0
October 2.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	6½	9 6	27 10	18 8½	12 10
November 6.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	6½	8 10½	27 10	18 10	13 10
December 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	8 10½	27 17½	18 5	13 10
1897.									
January 1.....	4	7	10½	0 11	7½	8 10½	27 10	17 7½	13 10
February 5.....	3½	7	10½	0 10½	7½	9 4½	26 10	16 5	13 10
March 5.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7	9 4½	26 10	16 15	14 0
April 2.....	4	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 4½	26 10	16 0	14 10
May 1.....	4½	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 7½	27 0	15 17½	14 0
June 4.....	4½	7	10½	0 9½	7	9 6	26 5	15 5	13 0
July 2.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7	9 4½	25 15	14 15	13 0
August 6.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 5	15 12½	13 13
September 3.....	4½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 1½	25 5	15 6	13 13
October 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 3	25 5	15 15	13 13
November 5.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8	9 4½	26 0	15 17½	12 0
December 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	26 0	17 0	12 0
1898.									
January 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 10	17 0	12 0
February 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 4½	25 5	18 15	11 0
March 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9	8½	10 9	24 10	18 15	11 0
April 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 0	18 17½	11 0
May 6.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8	10 9	24 10	25 10	11 0
June 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8	10 9	25 0	25 0	12 0
July 1.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	25 0	33 10	12 0
August 5.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	30 10	12 0
September 2.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	30 10	12 0
October 7.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	31 10	13 0
November 4.....	3	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 15	26 10	13 0
December 2.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	23 15	13 0
1899.									
January 6.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
February 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	12 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
March 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	12 9	23 15	31 0	13 0
October 1.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7½	10 0	23 10	31 0	13 10
April 7.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	9	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

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III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

DATE.	AMERICAN WHEAT, RED WINTER.	GAZETTE AVERAGES (ENGLISH GRAIN).			FLOUR. Town-made, seconds.	BEEF.		MUTTON.	POTATOES.	RICE.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.		Inferior.	Prime.	Prime.	Good Eng- lish.	
		Per quarter.			Per 280 lbs.	Per 8 pounds.			Per ton.	Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 4.....	1 3 9	1 6 5	1 0 10	0 13 9	0 19 0	2 8	4 4	6 4	3 15 0	5 8½
February 1.....	1 3 3	1 0 9	1 1 11	0 13 10	0 19 0	2 8	4 2	6 2	4 5 0	5 8½
March 1.....	1 3 3	0 19 10	1 2 2	0 13 9	0 18 9	2 8	4 4	6 0	5 0 0	5 6
April 4.....	1 4 3	1 0 3	1 0 10	0 14 0	0 18 9	2 8	4 6	6 6	4 17 6	5 6
May 3.....	1 4 3	1 0 9	1 0 8	0 14 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 10½
June 1.....	1 9 0	1 3 5	1 0 1	0 15 9	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	3 15 0	6 1½
July 5.....	1 8 0	1 6 1	1 0 2	0 16 7	1 2 6	2 8	4 6	5 6	3 0 0	5 1½
August 2.....	1 6 0	1 4 2	0 18 2	0 15 9	1 1 9	2 8	4 6	5 8	a 4 5 0	5 8½
September 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 10	1 3 5	0 14 5	1 1 3	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	5 8½
October 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 0	1 4 8	0 13 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 4	5 10	3 0 0	5 8
November 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 5	1 5 4	0 13 7	0 19 7½	2 8	4 2	5 10	2 15 0	5 6½
December 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 7	1 5 1	0 14 4	0 19 10½	2 4	4 4	5 10	2 15 0	5 4
1896.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 0	1 3 11	0 13 10	0 19 4½	2 6	4 4	5 10	2 10 0	5 2½
February 1.....	1 7 0	1 6 1	1 3 7	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 6	5 8	2 10 0	5 5½
March 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 8	1 1 10	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	2 5 0	5 7½
April 2.....	1 8 3	1 4 10	1 1 4	0 13 4	1 1 3	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 0 0	5 6½
May 1.....	1 7 3	1 5 6	1 1 0	0 13 11	1 1 0	2 4	4 4	5 0	2 0 0	5 7½
June 5.....	1 7 0	1 5 4	1 1 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 2	5 4	1 5 0	5 9
July 3.....	1 7 0	1 4 10	1 19 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 0	5 4	a 6 0 0	5 6
August 1.....	1 6 3	1 4 0	0 19 8	0 15 0	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 2	a 4 0 0	5 9
September 4.....	1 5 6	1 2 5	1 1 10	0 13 7	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 6	3 0 0	5 9
October 2.....	1 4 4	1 6 3	0 14 1	1 2 0	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 15 0	5 9	5 9
November 6.....	1 16 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	0 17 3	1 6 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 0 0	7 6
December 4.....	1 17 0	1 13 4	1 6 9	0 17 7	1 7 3	2 4	4 4	5 4	3 0 0	7 2½
1897.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 15 5	1 10 9	1 4 1	0 16 1	1 6 9	2 8	4 8	5 6	3 5 0	6 9
February 5.....	1 15 9	1 11 3	1 4 7	0 16 8	1 6 6	2 6	4 2	5 4	3 10 0	6 11
March 5.....	1 14 9	1 8 2	1 3 8	0 16 3	1 5 9	2 4	4 6	6 0	3 10 6	6 7½
April 2.....	1 12 6	1 7 9	1 2 5	0 16 3	1 4 3	2 6	4 4	6 2	3 10 0	6 6
May 1.....	1 11 9	1 6 6	1 0 7	0 16 7	1 4 0	2 6	4 6	5 6	3 5 0	6 6
June 4.....	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 1 3	0 17 10	1 5 0	2 4	4 6	5 8	3 0 0	6 10½
July 2.....	1 9 3	1 7 0	0 19 9	0 18 5	1 3 9	2 4	4 8	5 10	a 10 0 0	7 0
August 6.....	1 12 0	1 8 10	0 17 10	0 19 0	1 4 0	2 4	4 6	5 6	a 4 0 0	7 4½
September 3.....	1 16 6	1 11 8	1 2 5	0 17 1	1 11 6	2 4	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 3
October 1.....	1 18 6	1 13 11	1 9 7	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 4	5 8	3 5 0	7 7½
November 5.....	1 18 5	1 12 10	1 7 5	0 16 0	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
December 3.....	1 17 0	1 13 8	1 5 9	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
1898.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 17 9	1 14 5	1 7 3	0 17 1	1 10 6	2 8	4 4	5 8	4 5 0	5 9
February 4.....	1 18 2	1 14 10	1 8 0	0 17 6	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 5 0	5 9
March 4.....	2 0 6	1 15 10	1 8 0	0 17 11	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 0 0	6 3
April 1.....	1 18 3	1 15 3	1 7 11	0 17 10	1 11 0	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 10 0	6 10½
May 6.....	2 10 0	2 2 4	1 7 8	1 0 4	1 15 6	2 4	4 2	5 0	5 10 0	8 0
Town house-holds.										
June 3.....	2 5 6	2 6 3	1 6 10	1 1 0	1 17 6	2 4	4 2	5 2	5 10 0	8 0
July 1.....	1 16 6	1 18 2	1 3 4	1 0 8	1 14 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	a 6 0 0	7 10
August 5.....	1 14 6	1 15 7	1 6 11	1 0 7	1 10 8	2 4	4 2	5 4	a 4 0 0	7 4
September 2.....	1 9 6	1 10 7	1 7 6	0 19 8	1 7 0	2 0	3 10	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
October 7.....	1 9 6	1 5 9	1 7 0	0 16 7	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 2
November 4.....	1 12 6	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 17 2	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 3
December 2.....	1 11 6	1 7 7	1 8 6	0 17 1	1 4 6	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 10 0	.....
1899.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 11 6	1 7 6	1 8 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 8	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 1
February 3.....	1 11 6	1 6 6	1 7 2	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 6	4 4	5 4	3 10 0	7 7½
March 3.....	1 11 6	1 5 8	1 0 7	0 17 0	1 3 0	2 6	4 4	5 8	3 5 0	7 7½
April 7.....	1 11 6	1 4 11	1 6 2	0 16 11	1 2 0	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 1	7 1½

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IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

DATE.	SUGAR.		TEA, CONGOU.		COFFEE.	OILS.		TALLOW.	Quarterly and monthly index number.
	Manila, low brown.	West India refining, sirups.	Common.	Good.	Ceylon, plantation low mid-dling.	Petroleum.	Olive, Spanish.	Town.	
	Per cwt.	Per cwt.	Per pound.	Per pound.	Per cwt.	Per gallon.	Per tun.	Per cwt.	
1895.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
January 4.....	6 9	9 3	4	1 1	5 3 0	4 ¹ / ₁₀	37 5 0	1 3 0	1923
February 1.....	6 9	9 6	4 ¹ / ₂	1 1	5 4 0	4 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 0	
March 1.....	6 9	9 3	4 ¹ / ₂	1 1	5 5 0	4 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 9	
April 4.....	6 9	9 3	3 ³ / ₄	1 0	5 1 0	5 ⁷ / ₁₀	37 0 0	1 3 6	1921
May 3.....	6 9	10 0	3 ³ / ₄	1 0	4 19 0	7 ¹ / ₁₀	37 10 0	1 3 9	
June 1.....	7 3	10 9	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 19 0	5 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 9	
July 5.....	6 10 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 9	1931
August 2.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	10 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 19 0	5 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 0	
September 1.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 0	
October 3.....		11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	36 0 0	1 3 0	2009
November 1.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 6	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	34 10 0	1 3 0	
December 1.....	7 3	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 16 0	6 ¹ / ₂	34 0 0	1 3 0	
1896.									
January 1.....	7 4 ¹ / ₂	10 6	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 15 0	6 ¹ / ₂	33 0 0	1 3 0	1999
February 1.....	8 0	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₂	32 0 0	1 3 0	1990
March 1.....	8 3	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 16 0	5 ¹ / ₂	31 0 0	1 3 0	1992
April 2.....	8 3	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	1983
May 1.....	8 3	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ⁷ / ₁₀	29 10 0	1 0 0	1959
June 5.....	8 3	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 0	1966
	Manila low tacl.								
July 3.....	8 3	11 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₁₀	29 10 0	1 0 0	1947
August 1.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 0 0	0 19 3	1925
September 4.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	0 18 6	
October 2.....	7 0	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 0	1958
November 6.....	7 0	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 9	
December 4.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ¹ / ₂	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 9	
1897.									
January 1.....	7 7 ¹ / ₂	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ¹ / ₂	4 16 0	5	29 10 0	1 0 9	1950
February 5.....		10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ¹ / ₂	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 0 0	1 0 9	
March 5.....		10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 3 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	1 0 9	
April 2.....	7 6	10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 3 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	1 0 9	1942
May 1.....	7 4 ¹ / ₂	10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 2 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	1 0 9	
June 4.....	7 3 ¹ / ₂	10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 2 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	0 19 3	
July 2.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 0	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 0 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	0 19 3	1885
August 6.....		10 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 16 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	0 19 3	
September 3.....	6 9	9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	0 19 3	1896
October 1.....		9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	1 0 0	
November 5.....		9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	1 0 0	
	Beet.								
December 3.....	9 0 ¹ / ₂	10 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 13 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	1 0 0	1891
1898.									
January 1.....	9 7 ¹ / ₂	9 9	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	1 1 8	
February 4.....	9 1 ¹ / ₂	9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	5 0 0	4 ¹ / ₂	33 5 0	1 1 6	1890
March 4.....	9 3 ¹ / ₂	9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 13 0	4 ¹ / ₂	33 0 0	1 1 6	
April 1.....	9 2 ¹ / ₂	9 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	5 0 0	4 ¹ / ₂	33 0 0	1 1 6	1885
May 6.....	9 4 ¹ / ₂	10 9	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₂	33 0 0	1 1 6	
June 3.....	9 10 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₂	33 0 0	1 4 6	
July 1.....	9 7	11 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 5 0	4 ¹ / ₂	33 0 0	1 3 0	1915
August 5.....	9 4 ¹ / ₂	11 0	6	1 1	4 12 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 8	
September 2.....	9 6	10 6	7	1 1	4 18 0	5	30 10 0	1 1 6	1905
October 7.....	9 8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	6	1 1	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	
November 4.....	9 8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	
December 2.....	10 1 ¹ / ₂	12 6	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 19 0	1 1 6	1918
1899.									
January 6.....	9 5 ¹ / ₂	12 0	5	1 1	5 0 0	6 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	
February 3.....	9 10 ¹ / ₂	12 0	5	1 1	4 15 0	6 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 3 9	
March 3.....	9 10 ¹ / ₂	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	6	30 10 0	1 3 9	
April 7.....	10 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₂	31 0 0	1 3 9	1973

TREASURY FINANCIAL TABLES.

PUBLIC DEBT AND THE CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1899.

INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Title of loan.	Authorizing act.	Rate.	When redeemable.	Amount issued.	Outstanding March 31, 1899.			Outstanding March 1, 1885.	Outstanding March 1, 1889.	Outstanding March 1, 1893.
					Registered.	Coupon.	Total.			
				<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Loan of July 12, 1882.	July 12, 1882.	3 per cent.	Option U. S.	305,529,000				194,190,500		
Funded loan of 1891.	July 14, 1870, and Jan. 20, 1871.	4½ per cent. Continued at 2 per cent.	Sept. 1, 1891. } Option U. S. }	250,000,000	25,364,500		25,364,500	250,000,000	162,842,200	25,364,500
Funded loan of 1907.	do	4 per cent.	July 1, 1907.	740,911,850	491,246,600	68,403,900	559,650,500	737,707,200	681,138,000	559,595,900
Refunding certificates.	Feb. 26, 1879.	do		40,012,750			38,890	251,350	126,020	73,860
Loan of 1904.	Jan. 14, 1875.	5 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1904.	100,000,000	67,509,950	32,490,050	100,000,000			
Loan of 1925.	do	4 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1925.	162,315,400	113,755,600	48,559,800	162,315,400			
Ten-twenties of 1898	June 13, 1898.	3 per cent.	After Aug. 1, 1908.	198,406,000	93,348,540	105,057,460	198,406,000			
Aggregate of interest-bearing debt.				1,797,175,000	791,225,190	254,511,210	1,045,775,290	1,182,149,050	844,106,220	585,034,260

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

	<i>Dollars.</i>
Funded loan of 1891, matured Sept. 2, 1891.	113,350.00
Old debt matured at various dates prior to Jan. 1, 1861, and other items of debt matured at various dates subsequent to Jan. 1, 1861.	1,106,070.26
Aggregate of debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,219,420.26
Bonds issued to Pacific railroads matured but not yet presented: Union Pacific, \$48,000; Central Pacific, \$72,000; Kansas Pacific, \$11,000; Sioux City and Pacific, \$1,000; total.	132,000.00

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States notes.	346,681,016.00
Old-demand notes.	53,997.50
National bank notes:	
Redemption account.	32,935,782.00
Fractional currency.	6,883,220.66
Aggregate of debt bearing no interest.	386,554,016.16

CERTIFICATES AND NOTES ISSUED ON DEPOSITS OF COIN AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES AND PURCHASES OF SILVER BULLION.

Classification.		In Treasury.	In circulation.	Amount issued.
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold certificates.	Mar. 3, 1863; July 12, 1882.	1,634,180.00	32,892,649.00	34,526,829.00
Silver certificates.	Feb. 28, 1878; Aug. 4, 1886; Mar. 3, 1887.	3,753,498.00	398,874,006.00	402,627,504.00
Certificates of deposit.	June 8, 1872.	560,000.00	22,335,000.00	22,895,000.00
Treasury notes of 1890.	July 14, 1890.	878,579.00	94,075,701.00	94,954,280.00
Aggregate of certificates and Treasury notes offset by cash in the Treasury.		6,826,257.00	548,177,356.00	555,003,613.00

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	March 31, 1899.	February 28, 1899.	Increase.	Decrease.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Interest-bearing debt.	1,045,775,290.00	1,040,735,270.00	5,040,020.00	
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,219,420.26	1,231,670.26		12,250.00
Debt bearing no interest.	386,554,016.16	385,040,964.64	1,513,051.52	
Aggregate of interest and noninterest-bearing debt.	1,433,548,726.42	1,427,007,904.90	6,553,071.52	12,250.00
Certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury.	555,003,613.00	555,528,513.00		524,900.00
Aggregate of debt, including certificates and Treasury notes.	1,988,552,339.42	1,982,536,417.90	6,553,071.52	537,150.00

PUBLIC DEBT AND CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1899—Continued.

CASH IN THE TREASURY.

CLASSIFICATION.			DEMAND LIABILITIES.		
Gold:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Coin.....	156,745,506.34		Gold certificates.....	34,526,829.00	
Bars.....	121,560,849.38	278,306,355.72	Silver certificates.....	402,627,504.00	
Silver:			Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872....	22,895,000.00	
Dollars.....	410,656,670.00		Treasury notes of 1890.....	94,954,280.00	555,003,613.00
Subsidiary coin.....	6,894,374.56		Fund for redemption of uncurrent national-		
Bars.....	88,825,936.93	506,376,981.49	bank notes.....	9,241,402.82	
Paper:			Outstanding checks and drafts.....	4,470,848.34	
United States notes.....	36,161,899.00		Disbursing officers' balances.....	58,151,738.61	
Treasury notes of 1890.....	878,579.00		Agency accounts, etc.....	8,651,320.80	80,515,310.57
Gold certificates.....	1,634,180.00				
Silver certificates.....	3,753,498.00		<i>Dollars.</i>		
Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872..	560,000.00		Gold reserve.....	100,000,000.00	
National bank notes.....	2,873,461.59	45,861,617.59	Net cash balance.....	184,043,163.75	284,043,163.75
Other:					
Bonds, interest and coupons paid, await-					
ing reimbursement.....	31,300.94				
Minor coin and fractional currency.....	445,092.42				
Deposits in national bank depositaries—					
General account.....	82,688,638.87				
Disbursing officers' balances.....	5,852,100.29	89,017,132.52			
Aggregate.....		919,562,087.32	Aggregate.....		919,562,087.32
Cash balance in the Treasury February 28, 1899.....					269,103,513.21
Cash balance in the Treasury March 31, 1899.....					284,043,163.75
Increase during the month.....					14,939,650.54

AMOUNTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND CERTIFICATES, UNITED STATES NOTES, AND NATIONAL-BANK NOTES IN CIRCULATION APRIL 1, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

CLASSIFICATION.	April 1, 1898.			April 1, 1899.		
	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin.....	729,385,818	147,256,076	582,129,742	851,601,448	156,745,506	694,855,942
Silver, standard dollars.....	459,200,422	409,637,825	58,562,597	475,193,158	410,656,670	64,536,488
Subsidiary.....	76,584,080	11,965,278	64,618,802	76,390,984	6,894,375	69,496,609
Notes, United States.....	346,681,016	79,375,429	267,305,587	346,681,016	36,161,899	310,519,117
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890.....	103,615,280	3,905,848	99,709,432	94,954,280	878,579	94,075,701
National bank.....	224,481,879	2,739,491	221,742,388	243,134,892	2,873,462	240,261,430
Certificates, gold.....	37,927,149	1,607,950	36,319,199	34,526,820	1,634,180	32,892,649
silver.....	394,630,504	6,859,606	387,770,898	402,627,504	3,753,498	398,874,006
currency.....	41,230,000	3,330,000	37,900,000	22,895,000	560,000	22,335,000
Total.....		657,677,503	1,756,058,645		620,158,169	1,927,846,942

Population of the United States April 1, 1898, estimated at 74,122,000; circulation per capita, \$23.69. April 1, 1899, population estimated at 75,737,000; circulation per capita, \$25.45.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION ON MARCH 1 AND APRIL 1, 1898 AND 1899, AND THE CHANGES IN CIRCULATION DURING MARCH, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	In circulation—				From March 1, 1899.	
	Mar. 1, 1898.	Apr. 1, 1898.	Mar. 1, 1899.	Apr. 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin.....	553,884,882	582,129,742	702,305,269	694,855,942	7,449,327	
Silver, standard dollars.....	59,020,904	58,562,597	63,135,375	61,536,488		1,401,113
Subsidiary.....	64,270,811	64,618,802	69,143,844	69,496,609		352,765
Notes, United States.....	264,164,186	267,305,587	308,305,398	310,519,117		2,213,719
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890.....	98,464,430	99,709,432	94,204,459	94,075,701	128,758	
National bank.....	221,413,230	221,742,388	239,275,723	240,261,430		985,707
Certificates, gold.....	36,440,789	36,319,199	32,966,839	32,892,649	74,190	
silver.....	380,287,427	387,770,898	396,400,705	398,874,006		2,473,301
currency.....	48,430,000	37,900,000	23,105,000	22,335,000	770,000	
Total.....	1,726,376,659	1,756,058,645	1,928,842,612	1,927,846,942	995,670	

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MONEY AND BULLION IN TREASURY DURING MARCH,
1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.**

CLASSIFICATION.	In Treasury—				From March 1, 1899.	
	Mar. 1, 1898.	Apr. 1, 1898.	Mar. 1, 1899.	Apr. 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin.....	151,609,155	147,256,076	136,706,410	156,745,506	.....	20,039,096
Standard silver dollars.....	399,079,443	400,637,825	410,157,482	410,656,670	.....	499,188
Subsidiary silver.....	11,960,092	11,965,278	7,185,217	6,894,375	290,842	.....
Treasury notes, act July 14, 1890.....	6,204,850	3,905,848	1,306,821	878,579	428,242	.....
United States notes.....	82,516,830	79,375,429	38,375,618	36,161,899	2,213,719	.....
National-bank notes.....	3,417,842	2,739,491	3,709,359	2,873,462	835,897	.....
Total.....	654,788,212	645,879,947	597,440,907	614,210,491	3,768,700	20,538,284
Gold bullion.....	52,454,816	63,647,258	127,385,067	121,560,849	5,824,218	.....
Silver bullion.....	100,819,300	99,829,432	90,189,188	88,825,937	1,363,251	.....
Total.....	808,062,328	809,356,637	815,015,162	824,597,277	.....	9,582,115

PAPER CURRENCY OF EACH DENOMINATION OUTSTANDING MARCH 31, 1899.

DENOMINATION.	United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Gold certificates.	Silver certificates.	Total.	Currency certificates. (a)
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
One dollar.....	2,308,253	12,624,518	349,175	.....	38,993,336	54,275,282	.....
Two dollars.....	2,171,868	9,956,232	168,200	.....	21,245,362	33,541,662	.....
Five dollars.....	73,076,022	31,897,510	74,349,765	.....	106,997,615	286,320,912	.....
Ten dollars.....	93,070,151	27,725,620	75,890,330	.....	125,492,616	322,178,717	.....
Twenty dollars.....	78,249,272	9,017,850	56,702,640	4,530,374	80,177,670	228,677,806	.....
Fifty dollars.....	13,732,150	159,550	11,729,800	2,560,955	23,341,535	51,523,990	.....
One hundred dollars.....	23,967,300	1,649,000	23,777,200	3,513,000	6,089,370	58,995,870	.....
Five hundred dollars.....	12,691,000	.....	108,500	3,307,000	120,000	16,226,500	.....
One thousand dollars.....	48,390,000	1,924,000	28,000	5,380,500	170,000	55,892,500	.....
Five thousand dollars.....	15,000	.....	.....	4,815,000	.....	4,830,000	505,000
Ten thousand dollars.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,420,000	.....	10,430,000	22,390,000
Fractional parts.....	.....	.....	31,281	.....	.....	31,281	.....
Total.....	347,681,016	94,954,280	243,134,891	34,526,829	402,627,504	1,122,924,520	22,895,000
Unknown, destroyed.....	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000,000	.....
Net.....	346,681,016	94,954,280	243,134,891	34,526,825	402,627,504	1,121,924,520	22,895,000

^a Issued under act of June 8, 1872, and representing United States notes deposited in the Treasury.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Warrant Division, Secretary's office.]

RECEIPTS.

SOURCE OF REVENUE AND OBJECT OF EXPENDITURE.	March—		Three months ending March—		Nine months ending March—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Customs.....	15,450,431.94	20,933,436.07	44,760,604.76	55,846,749.95	107,502,147.68	151,810,087.29
Internal revenue.....	12,888,234.03	22,671,107.33	37,334,752.66	62,895,463.82	123,707,423.81	201,299,560.60
Miscellaneous.....	4,620,084.53	13,425,096.28	16,769,379.80	18,042,288.83	76,367,141.77	29,334,779.59
Total.....	32,958,750.50	57,030,239.68	98,864,737.22	136,784,502.60	307,516,713.26	382,444,427.48

EXPENDITURES.

Civil and miscellaneous.....	6,118,243.17	9,142,563.16	20,149,483.35	25,256,405.59	75,634,799.02	75,761,620.07
War.....	5,159,571.11	14,696,466.19	13,886,419.30	48,485,119.20	48,896,883.23	194,708,377.34
Navy.....	5,241,442.99	4,842,434.58	10,528,316.06	14,499,304.19	27,692,978.23	50,895,028.48
Indians.....	2,716,526.47	2,583,053.97	4,492,941.11	4,618,604.53	9,438,677.98	10,292,779.85
Pensions.....	12,290,628.25	11,251,944.20	36,644,776.46	35,010,451.53	113,129,626.65	106,519,974.95
Interest.....	356,032.46	462,108.99	9,476,475.09	10,150,386.29	28,577,305.33	29,324,522.70
Total.....	31,882,444.45	42,978,571.09	95,178,411.37	138,020,271.33	303,370,270.44	467,502,303.39

GOLD IN THE TREASURY AND REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD.

[Prepared in the office of the Treasurer of the United States.]

MONTHS.	GOLD AND GOLD BULLION IN TREASURY, AND GOLD CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.				REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD DURING EACH MONTH.		
	Total gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	Gold certificates in Treasury.	Gold certificates in circulation.	Net gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	United States notes. (a)	Treasury notes of 1890. (b)	Total.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January.....	142,665,594.37	78,350	77,015,419	65,650,175.37	118,841	237,515	356,356
February.....	177,462,797.49	106,490	70,935,729	106,527,068.49	10,982,624	8,210,730	19,193,354
March.....	176,456,044.63	137,310	70,306,900	106,149,135.63	2,266,426	1,194,766	3,461,192
April.....	170,192,457.63	102,770	69,990,449	100,202,038.63	6,072,042	1,594,085	7,666,127
May.....	148,067,816.58	41,650	69,374,549	78,693,267.58	25,131,412	1,409,670	26,541,082
June.....	131,217,433.55	43,490	66,344,409	64,873,024.55	20,708,492	1,461,401	22,169,893
July.....	124,922,836.41	103,470	65,947,229	54,975,607.41	13,367,864	555,511	13,923,375
August.....	120,885,869.49	34,730	65,668,963	55,216,960.49	4,209,853	531,560	4,741,413
September.....	123,663,756.92	55,260	64,790,439	58,875,317.92	636,031	300,487	936,518
October.....	125,612,895.73	56,280	64,252,069	61,361,826.73	2,542,719	505,171	3,047,890
November.....	164,350,468.01	751,370	58,925,899	105,424,569.01	7,085,133	714,614	7,799,747
December.....	139,606,354.05	58,960	53,361,909	86,244,445.05	30,819,622	1,087,599	31,907,221
1895.							
January.....	97,353,770.27	837,060	52,647,809	44,705,967.27	43,415,283	1,702,455	45,117,738
February.....	138,593,280.14	80,100	51,507,769	87,085,511.14	4,784,907	770,045	5,560,952
March.....	139,486,496.08	84,660	48,843,189	90,463,307.08	809,495	279,590	1,089,085
April.....	139,998,153.35	63,640	48,751,009	91,247,144.35	733,525	284,046	1,017,571
May.....	147,690,977.53	102,390	48,539,560	99,151,408.53	734,747	431,745	1,166,492
June.....	155,893,331.46	88,390	48,381,560	107,512,362.46	644,621	401,575	1,046,196
July.....	155,354,065.79	219,330	48,117,579	107,236,486.79	3,122,620	704,175	3,826,795
August.....	149,410,926.27	209,820	49,081,080	100,329,837.27	16,218,815	345,252	16,564,067
September.....	143,557,512.75	103,370	50,645,539	92,911,973.75	17,119,814	257,670	17,377,484
October.....	143,360,838.92	168,230	50,417,659	92,943,179.92	1,849,018	317,865	2,166,883
November.....	129,567,945.32	107,910	50,233,979	79,333,966.32	15,616,190	418,400	16,034,590
December.....	113,198,707.67	163,450	40,936,439	63,262,268.67	19,787,951	424,744	20,212,695
1896.							
January.....	99,693,356.57	131,140	49,847,840	49,845,507.57	15,686,024	762,484	16,448,508
February.....	167,695,998.46	651,470	43,733,019	123,962,979.46	21,080,551	656,325	21,736,876
March.....	171,885,709.86	583,220	43,239,249	128,646,460.86	6,381,296	475,250	6,856,546
April.....	168,446,450.31	764,910	43,052,559	125,393,900.31	6,754,718	375,900	7,130,618
May.....	151,307,742.91	687,280	42,961,909	108,345,233.91	21,726,600	312,947	22,039,547
June.....	144,020,363.91	497,430	42,320,759	101,699,604.91	7,963,994	297,353	8,261,347
July.....	150,012,224.73	1,393,710	39,293,479	110,718,745.73	16,275,406	1,009,672	17,285,078
August.....	139,825,200.09	1,618,550	38,867,639	100,957,561.09	11,388,806	980,919	12,369,725
September.....	162,771,311.21	1,591,900	38,736,639	124,034,672.21	3,430,733	1,224,713	4,661,446
October.....	155,323,832.63	1,390,890	38,197,309	117,126,523.63	9,906,832	2,167,003	12,073,835
November.....	169,527,101.24	1,416,390	38,016,749	131,510,352.24	3,137,149	925,261	4,062,410
December.....	175,203,982.52	1,392,350	37,887,439	137,316,543.52	858,444	273,402	1,131,846
1897.							
January.....	182,387,121.93	1,460,160	37,586,629	144,800,492.93	594,412	351,566	946,063
February.....	186,206,028.43	1,501,970	37,544,819	148,661,209.43	521,355	402,769	924,124
March.....	189,242,803.04	1,483,350	37,456,339	152,786,464.04	679,382	569,947	1,249,329
April.....	190,762,888.81	1,517,690	37,421,999	153,340,889.81	6,934,575	567,433	7,502,008
May.....	181,707,391.74	1,455,340	37,387,829	144,319,562.74	8,044,965	837,635	8,882,600
June.....	178,076,656.79	1,496,250	37,285,919	140,790,737.79	6,594,864	518,581	7,113,445
July.....	178,044,577.73	1,473,290	37,226,879	140,817,698.73	5,072,203	202,935	5,275,143
August.....	181,234,165.59	1,509,380	37,017,789	144,216,376.59	2,875,606	240,670	3,116,276
September.....	184,561,664.39	1,535,610	36,898,559	147,663,105.39	2,598,140	144,033	2,742,173
October.....	190,387,256.36	1,534,060	36,814,109	153,573,147.36	2,505,376	190,925	2,696,301
November.....	194,089,260.35	1,548,740	36,725,409	157,363,851.35	1,786,711	323,705	2,110,416
December.....	197,469,235.88	1,570,460	36,557,689	160,911,546.88	1,815,734	203,665	2,019,399
1898.							
January.....	200,731,551.98	1,567,390	36,494,759	164,236,792.98	1,106,548	103,368	1,209,916
February.....	204,063,971.24	1,574,360	36,440,789	167,623,182.24	1,407,273	228,540	1,635,813
March.....	210,903,334.51	1,607,950	36,319,199	174,584,115.51	1,329,038	254,732	1,583,770
April.....	217,190,135.89	1,603,150	35,951,999	181,238,136.89	779,668	376,239	1,155,907
May.....	207,701,263.97	1,602,940	35,883,209	171,818,054.97	268,041	280,956	548,997
June.....	202,825,048.56	1,599,510	35,820,639	167,004,409.56	757,367	146,485	903,852
July.....	225,138,393.10	1,593,470	35,693,679	189,444,714.10	3,860,995	230,072	4,091,067
August.....	253,377,493.83	1,646,146	35,473,009	217,904,484.83	552,111	61,651	613,762
September.....	278,691,452.19	1,596,890	35,393,909	243,297,543.19	381,082	62,789	443,871
October.....	275,224,071.48	1,601,240	35,338,909	239,885,162.48	313,242	34,336	347,578
November.....	276,944,092.75	1,620,400	35,280,649	241,663,443.75	501,398	151,855	653,253
December.....	281,729,434.78	1,608,740	35,200,259	246,529,175.78	1,740,945	933,809	2,674,754
1899.							
January.....	261,692,270.72	1,630,060	33,039,939	228,652,340.72	2,556,940	1,680,782	4,237,722
February.....	264,091,476.65	1,625,890	32,966,839	231,124,637.65	2,155,856	846,049	3,001,905
March.....	278,306,355.72	1,634,180	32,892,649	245,413,706.72	1,600,532	669,221	2,269,753

a Legal-tender notes, commonly called "greenbacks."

b Notes issued in payment of silver bullion also a full legal tender.

SILVER COINAGE AND CIRCULATION.

STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS COINED, IN THE TREASURY, AND IN CIRCULATION; SILVER BULLION IN THE TREASURY; TREASURY NOTES OF 1890 OUTSTANDING; AND SILVER CERTIFICATES IN THE TREASURY AND IN CIRCULATION, AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

MONTHS.	Estimated dollars in country.	Bullion in Treasury.	Dollars in Treasury.	Dollars in circulation.	Treasury notes of 1890 outstanding.	Certificates in Treasury.	Certificates in circulation.	Net silver in Treasury.	Standard silver dollars coined.
1893.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January	419,332,777	127,215,171	363,597,057	55,735,720	153,070,908	6,758,196	330,161,308	7,580,012	-----
February	419,332,777	127,216,957	364,758,231	54,574,546	153,001,184	6,942,257	331,119,247	7,854,757	-----
March	419,333,029	127,220,207	365,807,734	53,525,295	152,900,317	8,755,240	329,447,264	10,680,360	252
April	419,333,029	127,228,437	366,677,908	52,655,121	152,813,072	9,367,624	330,305,980	10,787,293	-----
May	419,333,029	127,231,643	367,380,338	51,952,691	152,679,742	9,702,545	329,959,959	11,972,280	-----
June	419,333,208	127,267,347	368,141,831	51,191,377	152,584,417	10,054,123	327,094,381	15,730,380	179
July	419,756,208	127,113,753	368,796,668	50,959,540	152,447,126	12,027,766	324,491,738	18,971,557	423,000
August	420,504,208	126,454,771	368,991,724	51,512,484	152,151,369	13,492,527	325,217,977	18,507,631	748,000
September	421,176,408	126,104,475	366,900,165	54,276,243	151,609,267	9,155,785	330,520,719	10,874,654	672,200
October	421,776,408	125,261,863	365,332,738	56,443,670	151,140,568	6,569,203	331,143,301	8,310,732	600,000
November	422,176,408	125,351,523	364,726,543	57,449,865	150,979,070	5,312,420	332,317,084	6,781,912	400,000
December	422,426,749	125,014,161	364,537,659	57,889,090	150,823,731	5,846,720	331,077,784	7,650,305	250,341
1895.									
January	422,626,749	124,852,679	366,753,119	55,873,630	150,751,541	7,329,232	326,467,272	14,386,985	200,000
February	422,826,749	124,551,374	368,177,389	54,649,360	150,705,157	7,291,089	325,816,415	16,207,191	200,000
March	422,927,039	124,673,187	369,009,182	53,917,857	150,330,089	7,374,748	323,746,756	19,605,524	100,290
April	423,127,039	124,583,685	369,713,330	53,413,709	149,584,471	7,699,233	323,215,271	21,497,273	200,000
May	423,277,219	124,528,559	370,464,649	52,812,570	148,044,280	6,692,333	321,553,171	25,395,757	150,180
June	423,289,219	124,479,849	371,306,057	51,983,162	146,088,400	9,162,752	319,731,752	29,965,754	12,000
July	423,289,219	124,670,701	371,542,513	51,746,706	145,490,280	10,577,386	320,355,118	30,367,816	-----
August	423,289,219	124,687,226	370,704,376	52,584,843	144,495,280	7,741,243	323,772,261	27,124,061	-----
September	423,289,309	124,652,406	368,142,782	55,146,527	143,666,280	7,862,667	330,434,837	18,694,071	90
October	423,289,309	124,721,501	364,935,217	58,354,092	141,092,280	8,953,268	333,456,236	15,108,202	-----
November	423,289,309	124,603,759	364,528,596	58,760,713	139,583,280	8,471,611	335,855,893	13,693,182	-----
December	423,289,629	124,612,532	364,083,702	59,205,927	137,771,280	9,625,856	336,076,648	13,257,061	320
1896.									
January	423,289,629	124,575,129	366,659,953	56,629,676	137,324,280	14,380,165	331,614,339	22,296,463	-----
February	424,789,629	123,171,286	369,273,688	55,515,941	136,719,280	11,831,561	332,545,943	23,179,751	1,500,000
March	426,289,916	122,187,206	371,497,164	54,792,752	136,081,280	11,290,078	337,032,426	20,570,664	1,500,287
April	427,789,916	120,939,560	374,187,554	53,602,362	133,069,280	11,678,091	338,834,413	23,223,421	1,500,000
May	429,289,916	119,989,914	376,572,499	52,717,417	131,385,280	10,629,424	336,313,080	28,864,053	1,500,000
June	430,790,041	119,053,695	378,614,043	52,175,998	129,683,280	11,359,995	331,259,509	36,724,949	1,500,125
July	431,852,041	118,753,758	379,852,244	51,999,797	128,343,280	12,375,833	331,656,671	38,606,051	1,062,000
August	434,502,041	116,681,740	381,056,160	53,445,881	126,741,280	11,464,610	345,739,894	25,256,726	2,650,000
September	437,202,141	114,829,399	380,688,963	56,513,178	125,004,280	10,045,030	354,431,474	11,082,608	2,700,100
October	439,552,141	113,064,557	381,361,339	58,190,802	123,229,280	8,686,382	357,777,122	13,419,494	2,350,000
November	441,466,141	112,137,954	382,972,296	58,493,845	121,677,280	11,591,383	356,312,121	17,120,849	1,914,000
December	443,166,391	110,815,247	384,584,572	58,581,819	119,816,280	14,227,704	356,655,800	18,927,729	1,700,250
1897.									
January	444,978,391	109,704,519	388,617,255	56,361,136	118,398,280	11,678,971	361,336,533	18,586,953	1,812,000
February	446,318,391	108,914,614	390,939,629	55,378,762	117,550,280	9,876,003	363,709,501	18,594,462	1,340,000
March	447,718,641	107,802,463	393,211,322	54,507,319	117,131,280	12,535,351	364,026,153	19,916,351	1,400,250
April	449,118,641	106,990,150	395,342,193	53,776,448	116,696,280	13,777,565	363,753,939	21,882,124	1,400,000
May	450,518,641	106,042,492	397,511,546	53,007,095	115,782,280	11,676,696	362,768,808	25,002,950	1,400,000
June	451,993,742	104,591,039	399,992,540	52,001,202	114,867,280	17,143,136	358,336,368	31,379,931	1,475,101
July	451,993,742	105,109,460	400,338,020	51,655,722	113,914,280	14,465,854	357,938,650	33,594,550	-----
August	451,993,742	105,125,123	398,908,078	53,085,664	112,672,280	11,249,167	367,863,337	23,497,584	-----
September	452,093,792	105,078,550	394,948,022	57,145,770	111,334,280	10,532,205	374,620,299	14,071,993	100,050
October	452,713,792	104,853,852	392,517,014	60,196,778	109,313,280	11,331,585	372,838,919	15,218,667	620,000
November	454,213,792	103,531,722	392,933,031	61,280,761	107,793,280	11,664,537	373,298,967	15,372,506	1,500,000
December	455,818,122	102,284,736	394,327,049	61,488,073	106,348,280	11,229,912	376,095,592	13,567,913	1,604,330
1899.									
January	457,068,122	101,379,158	397,589,829	59,478,293	105,531,280	14,959,564	373,515,940	19,921,767	1,250,000
February	458,100,347	100,819,300	399,079,443	59,020,904	104,669,280	11,621,077	380,287,427	14,942,036	1,032,225
March	459,200,422	99,829,432	400,637,825	58,562,597	103,615,280	6,859,606	387,770,898	9,081,079	1,100,075
April	459,884,422	99,551,902	401,323,414	58,561,008	102,691,280	3,638,930	382,686,574	5,497,462	684,000
May	461,180,422	98,443,952	403,583,990	57,596,423	101,981,280	6,507,239	391,225,265	8,821,406	1,296,000
June	461,996,522	98,195,494	404,736,731	57,259,791	101,207,280	7,897,424	390,659,080	11,065,865	816,100
July	462,306,522	97,871,696	405,013,186	57,293,336	100,213,280	9,803,068	389,119,436	13,552,166	310,000
August	464,004,522	96,141,237	406,266,209	57,738,313	99,260,280	8,117,131	392,990,373	10,156,793	1,698,000
September	464,834,597	96,066,097	404,045,709	60,788,828	98,549,280	6,636,769	393,425,735	8,136,362	830,075
October	466,836,597	94,675,773	403,399,342	63,437,255	97,833,280	7,575,929	391,177,575	9,064,260	2,002,000
November	468,238,597	93,359,250	404,258,264	63,980,333	97,193,280	6,345,358	392,818,146	7,606,088	1,402,000
December	470,244,857	92,192,207	405,061,304	65,183,553	96,523,280	7,098,509	392,331,995	8,398,236	2,066,260
1899.									
January	471,780,857	91,228,953	408,351,769	63,429,088	95,982,280	7,293,820	392,337,684	11,260,758	1,536,000
February	473,292,857	90,189,188	410,157,482	63,135,375	95,511,280	5,888,799	396,400,705	8,434,685	1,512,000
March	475,193,158	88,825,937	410,656,670	64,536,488	94,954,280	3,753,498	398,874,006	5,654,121	2,308,591

PAPER MONEY AND SUBSIDIARY COIN IN THE TREASURY, CASH BALANCE, CIRCULATION, AND PER CAPITA CIRCULATION, BY MONTHS.

AT THE END OF MONTH OF—	POPULATION.	CIRCULATION.	PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.	IN THE TREASURY.				
				Net United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Subsidiary coin.	Cash balance.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894.								
January	67,789,000	1,739,783,511	25.66	2,367,190	2,315,506	14,526,887	15,932,847	84,082,100
February	67,910,000	1,695,765,152	24.90	5,285,488	11,962,418	12,640,479	16,594,888	138,662,305
March	68,032,000	1,690,714,808	24.85	3,369,660	11,583,462	10,758,809	17,073,268	133,950,025
April	68,153,000	1,691,793,990	24.82	4,967,328	11,786,958	8,750,430	17,502,120	125,097,786
May	68,275,000	1,675,669,401	24.54	16,840,927	12,605,052	7,520,998	17,582,973	117,854,336
June	68,397,000	1,664,061,232	24.33	18,973,645	17,722,408	6,598,893	17,889,531	117,584,438
July	68,519,000	1,657,574,239	24.19	20,421,791	22,528,599	4,895,465	17,970,261	119,085,352
August	68,642,000	1,646,671,481	23.99	24,840,913	27,598,929	5,567,162	17,720,835	127,148,097
September	68,764,000	1,655,038,982	24.07	23,642,535	30,113,893	5,017,748	16,809,713	119,919,719
October	68,887,000	1,672,093,422	24.27	12,161,311	28,425,172	4,970,188	15,424,113	107,340,146
November	69,010,000	1,637,226,451	23.72	12,635,527	26,404,164	4,169,283	14,724,392	144,507,606
December	69,134,000	1,626,568,622	23.52	34,914,158	28,369,950	4,759,972	14,483,636	153,337,580
1895.								
January	69,257,000	1,613,657,515	23.30	52,056,673	33,571,316	6,333,175	15,481,586	144,603,304
February	69,381,000	1,574,534,557	22.69	47,767,758	36,455,457	5,154,293	16,131,145	178,197,586
March	69,505,000	1,584,184,424	22.79	52,920,257	28,872,489	4,449,893	16,577,511	187,917,261
April	69,629,000	1,599,434,154	22.97	41,992,111	27,743,971	5,067,625	16,516,559	180,817,916
May	69,753,000	1,606,179,556	23.02	31,497,984	30,089,473	4,899,226	16,589,443	185,370,100
June	69,878,000	1,604,131,968	22.96	26,166,500	30,109,692	4,643,489	16,552,845	195,240,154
July	70,002,000	1,614,533,786	23.46	18,411,899	31,485,689	5,642,488	16,532,936	187,149,531
August	70,127,000	1,603,583,028	22.87	22,589,263	35,058,618	7,600,591	16,055,743	184,039,156
September	70,253,000	1,585,593,509	22.57	42,476,600	36,630,845	6,018,775	14,882,336	185,405,363
October	70,378,000	1,598,859,316	22.72	50,954,735	26,565,611	6,523,602	13,426,421	179,947,998
November	70,504,000	1,594,195,479	22.61	63,833,519	24,322,958	6,391,746	13,032,387	177,406,387
December	70,630,000	1,579,206,724	22.66	83,220,143	22,044,511	7,063,137	12,764,321	178,027,201
1896.								
January	70,756,000	1,589,720,607	22.47	72,010,176	27,103,095	10,409,650	14,186,737	171,591,778
February	70,882,000	1,528,742,057	21.59	73,397,443	30,644,730	8,630,538	14,820,486	262,707,007
March	71,009,000	1,528,629,463	21.53	79,932,534	32,352,314	7,110,998	15,246,374	271,641,748
April	71,136,000	1,540,007,082	21.65	76,401,635	32,148,255	7,587,158	15,459,003	270,090,661
May	71,263,000	1,521,584,283	21.35	87,688,261	33,304,774	10,002,385	15,637,424	267,193,211
June	71,390,000	1,509,725,200	21.15	89,389,658	34,465,919	10,668,620	15,730,976	267,432,037
July	71,518,000	1,514,903,142	21.18	67,730,478	34,394,748	11,933,422	16,004,145	256,158,472
August	71,645,000	1,539,169,634	21.48	76,321,282	35,478,756	13,815,370	15,909,801	243,348,401
September	71,774,000	1,582,302,289	22.05	62,823,716	36,040,233	12,834,494	15,126,483	241,154,455
October	71,902,000	1,627,055,614	22.63	57,265,690	39,269,516	12,981,868	14,632,846	233,572,762
November	72,030,000	1,646,444,746	22.86	33,505,533	41,529,379	13,063,471	14,570,200	225,357,098
December	72,159,000	1,650,223,400	22.87	34,983,258	35,645,059	14,278,970	14,215,766	228,320,380
1897.								
January	72,288,000	1,665,977,688	23.05	12,844,780	35,664,898	17,328,389	15,414,575	215,362,421
February	72,418,000	1,675,694,953	23.14	9,421,400	32,003,659	15,005,984	15,805,023	212,837,258
March	72,547,000	1,669,000,694	23.01	23,707,376	26,886,470	11,374,958	15,974,428	222,045,600
April	72,677,000	1,666,560,383	22.93	29,037,880	24,442,650	8,676,050	16,163,767	228,090,517
May	72,807,000	1,659,733,895	22.80	32,047,213	29,140,874	7,109,698	16,210,920	230,113,813
June	72,937,000	1,646,028,246	22.57	36,967,438	30,962,083	5,030,919	16,210,344	240,137,627
July	73,068,000	1,646,471,139	22.53	31,956,064	32,350,393	5,688,791	16,286,660	233,016,457
August	73,199,000	1,665,680,098	22.76	28,973,702	29,526,968	4,517,847	15,335,285	218,561,207
September	73,330,000	1,678,840,538	22.89	42,060,472	21,518,217	3,814,835	13,455,175	215,192,787
October	73,461,000	1,706,732,904	23.23	39,399,018	7,553,325	4,998,012	11,981,078	207,756,100
November	73,593,000	1,721,084,538	23.39	35,858,016	3,116,582	4,678,007	11,191,630	220,663,560
December	73,725,000	1,721,100,640	23.34	40,885,089	2,904,344	5,186,886	10,679,899	235,474,769
1898.								
January	73,857,000	1,729,991,228	23.42	23,883,606	4,733,614	6,162,923	11,707,173	223,871,786
February	73,990,000	1,726,576,659	23.33	34,086,830	6,204,850	3,417,842	11,960,092	225,564,204
March	74,122,000	1,756,058,645	23.69	41,475,429	3,905,848	2,739,491	11,965,278	226,166,944
April	74,255,000	1,806,761,442	24.33	31,717,698	3,102,310	2,728,961	12,018,967	215,810,622
May	74,389,000	1,839,898,256	24.73	29,938,029	1,754,425	3,086,734	12,044,089	195,754,815
June	74,522,000	1,843,435,749	24.74	34,063,687	2,541,700	4,770,474	12,097,682	205,657,571
July	74,656,000	1,809,198,344	24.23	46,621,829	4,477,727	4,723,423	11,995,083	254,844,215
August	74,790,000	1,792,096,545	23.96	54,005,435	4,339,626	4,415,724	10,993,448	294,487,085
September	74,925,000	1,816,596,392	24.24	37,385,851	1,844,997	3,689,265	9,196,708	307,557,504
October	75,059,000	1,866,575,782	24.87	20,324,396	1,263,500	4,659,172	7,854,660	300,238,275
November	75,194,000	1,886,879,504	25.09	14,754,970	1,411,798	4,675,744	6,673,204	292,376,790
December	75,330,000	1,897,361,412	25.19	13,800,268	1,580,529	5,480,141	5,959,343	294,761,695
1899.								
January	75,465,000	1,918,260,557	25.42	14,867,858	1,988,527	5,748,207	6,931,831	274,584,076
February	75,601,000	1,928,842,612	25.51	15,270,618	1,306,821	3,709,359	7,185,217	269,103,513
March	75,737,000	1,927,846,942	25.45	13,826,899	878,579	2,873,462	6,894,375	284,043,164

RECEIPTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CUSTOMS.	INTERNAL REVENUE.						MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTAL.
		Spirits.	Tobacco.	Fermented liquors.	Stamp taxes.	Other sources.	Total.		
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1895—July.....	14,076,984.39	6,425,496.35	2,621,675.78	3,667,785.90	.....	183,447.22	12,898,405.25	2,094,308.25	29,069,697.89
August.....	15,639,047.10	5,645,032.93	2,777,802.58	3,632,792.06	.....	116,477.39	12,172,104.96	1,141,544.64	28,952,696.70
September.....	14,653,967.45	6,307,542.50	2,676,066.69	3,088,522.26	.....	127,877.28	12,260,008.73	635,701.87	27,549,678.05
October.....	13,773,055.12	7,491,978.27	2,960,814.10	2,575,511.91	.....	188,278.89	13,216,583.17	912,109.87	27,901,748.16
November.....	11,455,314.76	7,850,891.32	2,577,687.71	2,457,446.11	.....	154,059.73	13,040,084.87	1,491,103.37	25,986,503.00
December.....	12,169,172.51	7,908,125.09	2,311,907.15	2,368,874.62	.....	161,864.51	12,750,771.37	1,368,993.99	26,288,937.87
1896—January.....	16,380,796.30	6,340,157.58	2,539,340.65	2,014,711.75	.....	147,191.34	11,041,401.32	1,815,472.59	29,237,670.21
February.....	13,906,393.38	6,383,119.83	2,260,057.27	2,042,781.61	.....	120,794.01	10,806,752.72	1,346,082.32	26,059,228.42
March.....	13,344,215.85	6,656,415.50	2,532,155.33	2,211,310.60	.....	136,383.22	11,536,264.65	1,160,668.56	26,041,140.06
April.....	11,815,731.20	5,884,154.02	2,372,695.20	2,851,673.99	.....	117,053.92	11,225,577.13	1,241,584.76	24,282,893.09
May.....	10,949,793.79	5,711,203.97	2,500,105.67	3,255,169.70	.....	83,629.72	11,550,109.06	2,143,814.06	24,643,717.81
June.....	11,351,803.65	7,026,121.58	2,581,320.98	3,617,653.97	.....	127,620.53	13,352,717.06	3,089,698.74	27,794,219.45
Total, 12 months.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	.....	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
Total, 12 months a.....	160,021,751.67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.38
July.....	12,157,330.70	7,795,306.80	2,458,443.64	3,890,347.62	.....	158,434.09	14,302,532.15	2,569,346.48	29,029,209.33
August.....	12,329,495.55	6,091,702.08	2,378,555.76	3,412,556.57	.....	78,523.94	11,961,338.35	1,271,262.61	25,562,096.51
September.....	11,374,116.28	6,205,756.85	2,533,408.25	2,830,667.53	.....	109,304.30	11,679,136.93	1,530,991.36	24,584,244.57
October.....	11,105,493.12	7,996,896.16	2,633,167.34	2,597,599.12	.....	135,493.68	13,363,156.30	1,814,180.51	26,282,829.93
November.....	9,930,385.81	8,260,662.47	2,411,325.53	2,318,144.02	.....	114,696.13	13,104,828.15	2,175,482.34	25,210,696.30
December.....	10,779,412.67	8,301,378.12	2,421,874.63	2,328,195.90	.....	147,549.77	13,198,998.42	1,878,703.15	25,857,114.24
1897—January.....	11,276,874.15	6,701,616.93	2,432,249.15	1,785,324.00	.....	112,649.89	11,031,839.97	2,008,279.93	24,816,994.05
February.....	11,587,260.37	6,504,421.64	2,355,402.66	1,908,429.20	.....	120,168.45	10,888,421.95	1,925,315.06	24,400,997.38
March.....	22,833,856.46	6,794,420.89	2,680,903.44	2,309,188.51	.....	141,181.46	11,925,694.30	1,458,111.32	36,217,662.08
April.....	24,454,351.74	6,142,290.08	2,570,146.25	2,620,932.07	.....	113,844.64	11,447,213.04	1,910,570.26	37,812,135.04
May.....	16,885,011.55	4,964,522.68	2,735,302.94	2,883,618.68	.....	89,567.53	10,673,011.83	2,239,367.21	29,797,390.59
June.....	21,560,152.36	6,088,952.53	3,099,411.24	3,586,733.77	.....	111,988.06	12,887,083.60	2,137,470.29	36,584,708.25
Total, 12 months.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	.....	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
Total, 12 months a.....	176,554,126.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
July.....	16,968,801.65	8,432,767.40	2,445,515.20	8,758,798.80	.....	130,750.58	19,767,831.98	2,292,730.62	39,027,364.25
August.....	6,987,702.84	6,723,185.14	2,742,403.91	1,634,801.08	.....	92,804.76	11,193,194.89	842,717.24	19,023,614.97
September.....	7,943,100.28	7,287,568.96	3,026,453.68	2,277,545.89	.....	110,407.24	12,701,975.77	1,288,022.39	21,933,098.44
October.....	9,713,494.62	7,852,696.73	3,088,652.52	2,510,301.34	.....	163,222.21	13,614,872.80	1,063,047.84	24,391,415.26
November.....	9,830,025.00	8,243,332.40	2,849,997.82	2,249,062.55	.....	188,256.71	13,530,649.48	b 20,002,930.81	43,363,605.29
December.....	11,660,788.74	9,113,764.48	2,615,101.12	2,431,319.57	.....	182,743.80	14,342,928.97	c 33,642,980.61	59,646,698.35
1898—January.....	14,269,492.08	7,572,290.21	2,613,176.94	2,111,936.82	.....	145,795.76	12,443,199.73	d 10,620,936.58	37,333,628.39
February.....	15,040,680.74	7,007,035.66	2,661,754.35	2,162,277.65	.....	172,251.24	12,003,318.90	1,528,358.69	28,572,358.33
March.....	15,450,431.94	7,021,296.21	2,941,139.46	2,777,774.03	.....	148,024.33	12,888,234.03	e 4,620,084.53	32,958,750.50
April.....	14,193,976.99	7,208,232.27	4,207,209.02	3,248,735.73	.....	154,860.02	14,819,037.04	f 3,999,928.99	33,012,943.62
May.....	13,466,534.17	7,490,551.27	3,754,062.82	3,131,505.92	.....	116,088.69	14,492,208.70	2,116,075.41	30,074,818.28
June.....	14,555,729.11	6,206,082.07	3,285,055.53	6,221,361.76	.....	970,866.44	16,683,365.80	2,270,218.32	33,509,313.23
Total, 12 months.....	150,078,758.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,608.31
July.....	15,169,680.96	6,660,377.23	3,444,877.67	7,352,821.23	.....	6,133,695.03	2,578,926.13	26,170,697.29	2,506,730.33
August.....	16,249,099.00	8,331,945.03	4,111,128.06	7,053,661.39	.....	3,067,514.98	1,451,685.52	24,015,934.98	1,517,073.81
September.....	16,759,574.06	7,504,130.09	4,229,028.84	6,448,178.73	.....	2,822,027.45	551,923.43	21,555,288.54	1,463,207.44
October.....	15,555,234.17	9,372,259.20	4,319,480.60	5,327,075.82	.....	2,968,217.49	368,848.76	22,356,511.87	1,718,305.04
November.....	15,335,200.88	8,470,798.74	4,337,018.81	4,814,022.75	.....	3,217,698.20	497,205.08	21,336,743.58	2,228,970.95
December.....	16,764,324.82	10,397,753.61	8,830,432.15	4,649,733.73	.....	3,344,877.41	398,521.80	22,621,318.70	2,019,150.02
1899—January.....	17,991,741.40	8,292,801.02	4,313,505.44	3,881,704.80	.....	4,035,072.98	458,972.56	20,982,056.80	2,801,132.00
February.....	16,921,572.48	7,618,071.13	4,348,233.57	3,787,531.31	.....	3,211,484.73	276,978.95	19,242,299.69	1,815,460.55
March.....	20,933,436.07	8,892,828.91	4,493,766.83	4,967,553.48	.....	3,892,100.54	424,857.57	22,671,107.33	13,425,696.28
Total, 9 months.....	151,680,463.84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200,951,958.78	29,495,726.42	382,128,149.04
Twelve months ending—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
June 30, 1892.....	177,336,944.84	90,068,757.28	31,000,493.07	30,037,452.77	.....	1,508,956.36	152,615,659.48	20,120,411.34	350,073,015.66
1892 a.....	177,452,964.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	153,971,072.57	23,513,747.52	354,937,784.24
1893.....	203,142,670.81	93,744,446.80	31,889,711.74	32,548,983.07	.....	1,846,034.31	160,020,175.92	18,392,902.71	381,564,749.44
1893 a.....	203,355,016.73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	161,027,623.93	21,436,988.12	355,819,628.78
1894.....	131,807,758.88	84,813,592.06	28,617,898.62	31,414,788.04	.....	1,876,481.45	146,722,760.17	15,133,841.84	293,664,360.89
1894 a.....	131,818,530.62	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	147,111,232.81	18,792,255.82	297,722,019.25
1895.....	151,907,588.94	80,186,767.84	29,704,910.63	31,640,617.53	.....	2,037,914.55	143,570,210.55	14,085,577.23	309,563,376.72
1895 a.....	152,158,617.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	143,421,672.02	17,889,785.64	313,390,075.11
1896.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	.....	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
1896 a.....	160,021,751.67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.38
1897.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	.....	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
1897 a.....	176,554,126.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
1898.....	150,078,758.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,608.31

a Corrected figures.

b Includes \$18,194,618.26 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

c Includes \$31,715,204.14 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

d Includes \$8,538,401.35 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

e Includes \$3,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.

f Includes \$2,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.

EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS.	WAR.	NAVY.	INDIANS.	PENSIONS.	INTEREST.	TOTAL.	EXCESS OF—	
								Receipts.	Expenditures.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	10,407,562.11	5,378,939.67	2,380,486.94	677,874.53	12,755,427.42	7,307,773.14	38,548,063.81	.....	9,478,866
August	7,758,621.49	6,551,124.55	2,341,435.71	1,785,610.49	12,302,349.48	1,849,043.25	32,688,184.97	.....	3,635,488
September	4,918,899.66	5,745,339.32	1,855,477.02	798,508.84	10,707,909.14	296,347.99	24,320,481.97	3,229,196	.....
October	9,964,099.90	4,444,914.04	2,322,992.94	712,511.97	11,890,475.06	5,168,431.32	34,503,425.23	.....	6,601,677
November	6,138,883.49	3,823,488.39	2,138,186.80	764,794.54	12,235,039.26	2,098,890.94	27,199,283.42	.....	1,212,780
December	6,106,797.88	4,553,113.52	2,512,895.43	952,671.28	11,366,825.71	322,013.42	25,814,317.24	474,621	.....
1896—January	8,643,635.72	3,807,816.50	2,488,229.32	841,126.13	9,965,237.21	6,983,295.77	32,529,340.65	.....	3,291,670
February	5,819,461.68	3,029,772.12	2,232,231.60	1,082,720.93	12,317,467.48	2,268,302.64	26,749,956.45	.....	690,728
March	6,782,825.05	3,477,914.14	2,305,774.20	2,326,141.16	11,709,996.83	672,342.57	27,274,993.95	.....	1,233,845
April	7,520,508.90	3,278,732.20	2,288,478.72	680,886.38	10,077,392.98	5,141,382.40	28,987,381.58	.....	4,704,488
May	6,691,440.00	3,453,332.64	1,820,864.70	837,149.22	12,803,696.37	2,820,109.65	28,426,592.58	.....	3,782,875
June	6,898,052.06	3,587,040.63	2,475,241.09	726,825.78	11,299,615.98	458,013.76	25,444,789.30	2,349,430	.....
Total, 12 months	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,021.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
Total, 12 months a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,434,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
July	12,343,931.46	5,225,425.33	3,756,250.99	951,582.22	13,100,774.51	6,710,503.54	42,088,468.05	.....	13,059,259
August	11,907,121.21	4,512,522.35	2,216,720.17	1,731,155.29	12,396,341.04	2,937,816.59	35,701,676.65	.....	10,139,580
September	5,972,532.70	4,848,095.54	3,130,471.95	711,076.81	11,485,675.15	422,682.88	26,579,535.03	.....	1,995,290
October	10,352,715.23	4,148,470.28	3,377,090.89	721,025.76	10,346,052.29	5,032,923.04	33,978,277.49	.....	7,095,448
November	8,452,859.26	4,877,976.24	2,456,108.26	1,098,282.58	13,178,930.96	3,196,562.84	33,260,720.14	.....	8,050,024
December	4,481,720.37	3,887,275.70	2,542,238.88	982,139.02	11,431,331.16	487,959.73	23,812,664.86	2,044,449	.....
1897—January	4,940,484.03	3,842,874.49	3,187,993.52	999,245.07	10,534,740.78	6,764,051.40	30,269,389.29	.....	5,952,395
February	6,159,172.15	3,128,621.39	2,374,674.69	967,127.31	13,208,413.69	2,958,047.43	28,796,056.66	.....	4,395,059
March	5,929,795.97	3,046,103.81	2,694,834.97	2,918,751.93	12,166,775.60	456,735.56	27,212,907.84	9,004,664	.....
April	8,101,335.64	4,287,020.47	2,744,078.93	573,820.93	10,763,090.76	5,602,750.74	32,072,097.47	5,740,038	.....
May	6,419,410.97	4,214,955.76	2,537,576.03	470,406.29	12,393,334.35	3,073,575.77	29,109,259.17	688,131	.....
June	5,405,764.79	2,886,016.91	3,563,922.73	894,870.72	10,039,147.44	144,971.96	22,934,694.55	13,650,014	.....
Total, 12 months	90,466,843.78	48,905,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,014,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
Total, 12 months a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
July	13,977,446.41	10,736,758.90	2,998,809.47	769,238.53	14,958,378.20	6,660,277.33	50,100,908.84	.....	11,073,545
August	7,597,311.96	5,622,852.65	2,672,691.83	976,595.91	13,792,376.34	2,926,218.72	33,588,047.41	.....	14,564,432
September	6,201,757.29	4,276,022.16	2,787,253.20	723,857.33	10,992,078.37	387,847.36	25,368,815.71	.....	3,435,718
October	8,746,118.06	5,268,718.99	2,988,575.75	600,954.14	10,885,319.63	5,211,825.54	33,701,512.11	.....	9,310,097
November	5,117,943.19	5,376,080.29	2,736,454.83	1,236,658.28	13,649,843.72	3,016,818.55	37,810,838.86	5,552,766	.....
December	7,179,796.08	3,728,420.73	2,984,358.81	638,166.07	12,205,327.64	897,842.74	27,634,092.07	32,012,606	.....
1898—January	8,986,127.38	4,946,098.41	3,230,106.51	1,040,429.36	12,375,223.33	6,138,726.07	36,696,711.06	636,917	.....
February	5,065,112.80	3,780,749.78	2,036,766.56	735,985.28	11,978,924.88	2,981,716.56	26,599,255.86	1,973,102	.....
March	6,118,243.17	5,159,571.11	5,241,442.99	2,716,526.47	12,290,628.25	356,032.46	31,882,444.45	1,076,306	.....
April	9,024,995.14	6,223,814.48	12,556,932.74	532,599.28	10,867,716.66	5,108,003.75	44,214,062.05	.....	11,301,119
May	5,706,900.11	17,093,595.86	9,093,577.20	566,437.67	12,382,085.55	3,007,313.06	47,849,909.45	.....	17,775,091
June	6,213,628.59	19,723,804.77	9,506,021.10	448,372.98	11,068,020.12	892,434.09	47,852,281.65	.....	14,343,968
Total, 12 months	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
July	12,061,387.26	34,774,153.27	8,514,279.61	669,868.55	12,657,894.50	5,585,892.25	74,263,475.44	.....	30,416,367
August	7,782,314.74	25,163,235.94	6,386,277.49	766,084.26	13,084,735.14	3,078,070.30	56,260,717.87	.....	14,478,010
September	6,393,964.28	24,643,374.99	7,231,219.89	1,162,509.97	10,997,670.22	3,855,181.79	54,223,921.14	.....	14,445,851
October	10,991,284.64	22,895,029.54	5,314,567.82	937,969.74	9,965,960.26	3,877,464.68	53,982,276.68	.....	14,352,226
November	6,905,766.22	20,391,876.06	4,676,181.03	1,225,482.56	13,688,918.66	2,202,755.20	49,090,980.73	.....	10,190,065
December	6,663,466.77	18,184,676.06	4,373,729.90	897,254.51	11,171,893.17	573,787.15	41,864,807.56	.....	460,014
1899—January	9,814,421.24	18,656,554.96	5,226,653.74	950,676.41	10,967,015.51	5,507,448.89	51,122,770.75	.....	9,347,841
February	6,299,421.19	15,132,098.05	4,430,215.87	1,084,874.15	12,791,491.82	4,180,828.41	43,918,929.49	.....	5,939,597
March	9,142,563.16	14,696,466.19	4,842,434.58	2,583,053.97	11,251,944.20	462,108.99	42,978,571.09	14,051,669	.....
Total, 9 months	76,054,589.50	194,537,465.06	50,995,559.93	10,277,775.12	106,517,523.48	29,323,537.06	407,706,450.75	.....	85,578,302
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892	100,077,639.63	46,903,851.31	29,214,672.13	11,100,063.59	134,097,755.97	23,379,550.97	314,773,533.60	5,299,482	.....
1892 a	99,841,988.61	46,895,456.30	29,174,138.98	11,150,577.67	134,583,052.79	23,378,116.23	345,023,330.58	9,914,454	.....
1893	103,605,015.02	49,646,517.55	30,138,207.72	13,330,073.80	159,347,202.31	27,264,728.18	383,331,743.58	.....	1,766,994
1893 a	103,732,799.27	49,641,773.47	30,136,084.43	13,345,347.27	159,357,557.87	27,264,392.18	383,477,954.49	2,341,674	.....
1894	100,960,010.70	54,325,644.35	31,383,463.16	10,282,279.56	141,169,383.42	27,869,027.56	365,989,808.75	.....	72,325,448
1894 a	101,943,884.07	54,567,929.85	31,701,293.79	10,293,481.52	141,177,284.96	27,841,405.64	367,525,279.83	.....	69,803,261
1895	93,262,213.09	51,810,378.10	28,812,287.67	9,922,267.74	141,386,902.86	30,928,236.37	356,122,285.83	.....	46,558,909
1895 a	93,279,730.14	51,804,759.13	28,797,795.73	9,939,754.21	141,395,228.87	30,978,030.21	356,195,298.29	.....	42,805,223
1896	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,021.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
1896 a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,434,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
1897	90,466,843.78	48,905,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,014,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
1897 a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
1898	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21

a Corrected figures.

b Includes \$4,549,368.26 on account of sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

NATIONAL-BANK STATISTICS.

[From Report of Comptroller of the Currency.]

DATE, FIRST OF EACH MONTH.	No. of banks.	Authorized capital stock.	SPECIE HELD.		U. S. bonds on deposit to secure circulation.	Circulation secured by U. S. bonds.	Lawful money on deposit to redeem circulation.	Total national-bank notes outstanding.
			Gold.	Silver.				
1894.								
January	3,787	Dollars. 693,353,165	Dollars. 203,508,089	Dollars. 47,745,559	Dollars. 205,961,600	Dollars. 185,194,522	Dollars. 23,344,322	Dollars. 208,538,844
February		691,893,165			203,594,500	182,887,853	24,974,254	207,862,107
March	3,777	684,690,165	199,185,936	56,980,649	202,052,350	181,148,710	26,330,810	207,479,520
April		682,538,165			202,933,850	181,666,268	26,209,427	207,875,095
May	3,774	680,438,165	204,829,488	55,112,435	201,330,250	180,601,247	27,231,785	207,833,032
June		678,998,165			201,251,500	180,613,585	26,631,434	207,245,019
July		678,023,165			201,691,750	180,662,521	26,690,723	207,353,244
August	3,770	677,258,165	199,635,167	51,035,485	202,268,500	181,149,511	26,389,555	207,539,066
September		676,568,165			202,276,950	181,300,217	26,211,998	207,592,215
October	3,755	674,866,365	196,927,230	40,323,424	200,953,700	180,251,065	27,220,463	207,471,501
November		672,671,365			199,706,200	179,401,364	28,071,239	207,472,603
December		671,471,365			197,349,700	177,073,359	29,612,978	206,686,337
1895.								
January	3,737	670,906,365	175,794,767	42,246,456	196,707,700	176,667,467	29,838,243	206,605,710
February		669,156,365			195,826,100	175,674,250	29,623,321	205,297,571
March	3,728	668,146,365	178,160,435	42,771,206	197,116,700	176,485,063	28,558,588	205,043,651
April		667,193,265			201,176,200	179,847,383	27,693,828	207,541,211
May	3,711	665,893,265	177,264,387	41,382,213	204,356,800	182,534,324	27,185,526	209,719,850
June		665,123,265			206,652,300	184,069,578	26,509,138	211,478,716
July	3,715	666,363,265	171,217,437	43,209,757	207,680,800	186,062,098	25,628,937	211,691,035
August		664,659,265			207,832,800	186,577,433	24,794,612	211,372,045
September		664,855,265			209,447,550	187,090,343	24,348,857	212,339,200
October	3,712	664,425,265	162,925,290	33,312,021	210,196,550	188,596,877	24,255,057	212,851,934
November		664,136,915			211,717,800	190,180,961	23,706,669	213,887,630
December	3,706	664,091,915	168,244,431	38,467,979	212,048,950	190,469,526	23,491,072	213,960,598
1896.								
January	3,711	664,076,915			212,495,100	190,616,160	23,100,813	213,716,973
February		663,851,915			212,655,300	190,989,637	22,506,910	213,496,547
March	3,699	661,946,915	156,894,031	39,123,429	217,944,950	195,048,955	22,132,963	217,181,917
April		661,431,915			222,998,800	199,723,005	21,593,022	221,316,027
May	3,694	660,496,915	157,761,800	44,611,646	226,478,550	203,403,239	20,786,098	224,189,337
June		659,951,915			228,651,800	205,215,839	20,072,096	225,287,935
July	3,689	659,106,915	161,853,560	41,981,889	228,915,950	205,538,929	20,461,618	226,000,547
August		658,376,915			229,544,450	206,103,504	19,926,538	226,030,040
September		658,126,915			235,078,700	210,293,574	19,320,322	229,613,896
October	3,676	658,126,915	160,723,890	40,084,742	238,773,200	214,667,694	18,971,663	233,699,357
November		658,304,915			241,103,350	216,510,014	18,474,430	234,984,444
December	3,661	657,909,915	181,020,260	44,520,449	241,272,150	216,609,684	18,789,206	235,398,890
1897.								
January	3,667	655,334,715			240,236,150	215,850,307	19,812,811	235,663,118
February		654,174,915			237,190,100	213,186,711	21,907,951	235,094,662
March	3,634	653,719,895	188,304,756	45,644,107	234,797,800	210,915,415	23,320,912	234,236,327
April		651,658,395			233,693,350	209,767,702	24,027,439	233,795,141
May	3,614	648,613,395	190,396,251	45,680,132	232,749,300	208,768,549	24,119,435	232,887,984
June	3,620	646,788,395			230,915,550	207,139,381	24,736,460	231,875,841
July	3,619	643,933,395	193,686,596	47,236,006	230,471,550	206,775,898	24,665,788	231,441,686
August	3,617	641,229,395			230,111,300	205,944,175	24,322,499	230,266,734
September	3,614	639,488,295			229,471,100	207,100,170	24,752,547	229,908,497
October	3,614	638,903,295	195,895,108	43,492,594	229,348,550	205,604,781	25,120,710	230,193,900
November	3,617	637,915,295			227,742,550	203,926,950	26,120,685	230,047,635
December	3,615	636,310,295	207,093,145	45,070,408	225,359,300	201,735,572	27,814,135	229,549,707
1898.								
January	3,611	639,440,295			218,992,950	196,146,090	32,784,190	228,930,280
February	3,602	637,527,295	222,855,517	48,522,409	215,487,650	192,724,299	33,720,607	226,444,906
March	3,596	638,385,295			213,414,650	191,056,818	33,774,253	224,831,071
April	3,594	635,060,295			214,365,400	191,611,600	32,786,419	224,398,019
May	3,590	631,635,295	267,644,954	49,537,819	217,162,650	194,138,732	31,891,404	226,030,136
June	3,588	631,035,295			219,377,900	196,155,935	31,456,910	227,612,845
July	3,590	630,025,295	284,921,377	50,755,754	220,201,400	197,078,092	30,738,610	227,816,702
August	3,589	629,315,295			218,525,650	195,692,685	31,004,185	226,696,870
September	3,589	629,151,295	250,670,426	43,203,732	220,496,160	196,775,704	30,402,911	227,178,615
October	3,592	625,356,295			229,960,120	205,056,063	30,300,887	235,356,950
November	3,598	624,552,195			235,618,470	210,045,456	29,500,825	239,546,281
December	3,594	625,967,195	281,475,196	47,125,515	239,349,130	213,918,643	28,783,395	242,702,038
1899.								
January	3,590	622,482,195			239,943,050	214,016,088	29,719,017	243,735,105
February	3,585	613,076,895	321,915,796	49,927,699	236,479,840	211,041,299	32,200,202	243,241,501
March	3,589	612,881,895			236,075,690	211,155,017	31,747,351	242,902,367
April	3,583	610,813,895			234,433,890	209,925,989	33,126,328	243,052,317

VALUES OF FOREIGN COINS, 1889-1899.

[Prepared by the Director of the Mint.]

COUNTRY.	Standard.	Monetary unit.	Value January 1—											Apr. 1—
			1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1899	1899
Argentina.....	Gold and silver.	Peso.....	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5
Austria-Hungary.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3
Belgium.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Bolivia.....	Silver.....	Boliviano.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	.43, 4
Brazil.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6
British Possessions, N. A. (except Newfoundland).	do.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
British Honduras.....	do.....	do.....										1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Central American States:														
Costa Rica.....	Gold.....	Colon.....									.46, 5	.46, 5	.46, 5	.46, 5
Do.....	Silver.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4				
Guatemala.....														
Honduras.....	do.....	do.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 9	.43, 9
Nicaragua.....														
Salvador.....														
Chile.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	c. 36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5
		Amoy.....								.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0	.70, 2	.70, 2
		Canton.....								.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8	.70, 0	.70, 0
		Chefoo.....						.70, 4	.75, 9	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9	.67, 2	.67, 2
		Chin Kiang.....								.74, 9	.66, 9	.69, 3	.68, 6	.68, 6
		Fuchau.....								.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6	.65, 0	.65, 0
		Haikwan (customs).....	1.14, 8	1.27, 0	1.13, 7	1.01, 0	.84, 9	.74, 9	.80, 8	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2	.71, 4	.71, 4
China.....	Silver.....	Tael.....								.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4	.65, 7	.65, 7
		Hankow.....								(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
		Hongkong.....												
		Niuchwang.....								.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5	.65, 9	.65, 9
		Ningpo.....								.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2	.67, 5	.67, 5
		Shanghai.....	1.03, 1	1.13, 9	1.02, 1	.90, 6	.76, 2	.67, 3	.72, 5	.70, 0	.62, 6	.64, 8	.64, 1	.64, 1
		Swatow.....								.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5	.64, 9	.64, 9
		Takao.....								.77, 2	.69, 0	.71, 4	.70, 7	.70, 7
		Tien-Tsin.....						.71, 4	.76, 9	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.68, 0	.68, 0
Colombia.....	do.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	.43, 4
Cuba.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6
Denmark.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Ecuador.....	Silver.....	Sucre.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	.43, 4
Egypt.....	Gold.....	Pound (100 piasters).....	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3
Finland.....	do.....	Mark.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
France.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
German Empire.....	Gold.....	Mark.....	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8
Great Britain.....	do.....	Pound sterling.....	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½
Greece.....	Gold and silver.	Drachma.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Haiti.....	do.....	Gourde.....	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5
India.....	Silver.....	Rupree (d).....	.33, 2	.36, 6	.32, 8	.29, 2	.24, 5	.21, 6	.23, 3	.22, 5	.20, 1	.20, 8	.20, 6	.20, 6
Italy.....	Gold and silver.	Lira.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Japan.....	do.....	Yen.....	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7
		Gold.....	.75, 2	.83, 1	.74, 5	.66, 1	.55, 6	.49, 1	.52, 9	.51, 1				
		Silver.....												
Liberia.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Mexico.....	Silver.....	do.....	.75, 8	.83, 7	.75, 0	.66, 6	.56, 0	.49, 5	.53, 8	.51, 5	.46, 0	.47, 7	.47, 2	.47, 2
Netherlands.....	Gold and silver.	Florin.....	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2
Newfoundland.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4
Norway.....	do.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Persia.....	Silver.....	Kran.....							.09, 0	.08, 7	.07, 8	.08, 1	.08, 0	.08, 0
Peru.....	do.....	Sol.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.48, 6	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	.43, 4
Portugal.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0
Russia.....	do.....	Ruble (e).....	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2
		Gold.....	.55, 8	.61, 7	.55, 3	.49, 1	.41, 3	.36, 4	.39, 3	.37, 9				
		Silver.....												
Spain.....	Gold and silver.	Peseta.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Sweden.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Switzerland.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Tripoli.....	Silver.....	Mahbub of 20 piasters.....	.62, 9	.69, 5	.62, 3	.55, 3	.46, 5	.41, 1	.44, 3					
Turkey.....	Gold.....	Piaster.....	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4
Uruguay.....	do.....	Peso.....								1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4
Venezuela.....	Gold and silver.	Bolivar.....	b. 14, 0	b. 15, 4	b. 13, 8	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3

a The "British dollar" has the same legal value as the Mexican dollar in Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and Labuan.

b Value of the silver bolivar.

c The law of February 11, 1895, introduced the gold standard, with an ideal gold peso weighing .599 grams as the monetary unit.

d Value of the rupee to be determined by consular certificate.

e By Imperial ukase January 3-15, 1897, 1½ paper rubles = 1 gold ruble.

BANKING AND CLEARING-HOUSE STATISTICS, NEW YORK AND LONDON.

MONTHS.	CLEARING-HOUSE RETURNS.			ASSOCIATED BANKS OF NEW YORK. (b)	BANK OF ENGLAND. (b)		
	New York City. (a)	Outside of New York. (a)	London. (a)	Specie.	Coin and bul- lion.	Reserve.	Circulation.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,165,564,056	1,888,002,030	2,842,357,189	111,073,400	121,417,200	75,681,200	125,303,177
February	1,724,039,790	1,482,614,610	2,518,214,224	129,558,900	138,439,500	99,440,100	119,053,277
March	2,048,811,551	1,705,763,757	2,661,888,770	97,526,300	147,594,100	111,409,400	117,941,817
April	2,018,318,188	1,704,410,893	2,675,324,310	99,623,000	150,361,200	109,616,300	122,502,117
May	2,093,135,412	1,801,476,972	2,597,601,438	100,082,100	155,436,594	113,075,974	124,117,820
June	1,898,580,234	1,703,067,084	2,503,755,852	99,018,600	180,355,361	140,589,949	121,522,613
July	1,843,418,776	1,671,682,872	2,610,250,338	91,223,000	189,313,454	142,590,917	128,479,737
August	1,871,609,351	1,693,598,268	2,394,614,851	90,546,900	186,831,350	140,893,074	127,695,476
September	1,865,031,613	1,660,111,815	2,232,711,268	91,187,800	193,754,238	150,346,517	125,164,921
October	2,281,509,977	2,007,489,621	2,581,639,318	92,215,100	182,274,899	135,735,294	128,296,805
November	2,241,483,312	1,931,581,376	2,519,776,370	93,755,600	171,071,199	128,690,821	124,137,578
December	2,336,304,760	1,977,583,869	2,702,253,935	76,527,600	166,415,919	125,259,588	122,913,581
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,394,672,415	2,007,996,504	2,961,128,988	75,867,000	161,037,736	116,661,217	126,133,719
February	1,864,441,227	1,546,705,226	2,743,426,111	81,555,500	179,095,960	138,607,240	122,245,921
March	2,240,741,015	1,797,494,058	2,911,369,026	69,592,500	180,969,708	140,718,352	122,008,557
April	2,373,478,979	1,886,085,068	2,863,633,527	64,471,200	183,681,273	138,307,171	127,131,302
May	2,833,846,640	2,030,511,248	3,149,350,609	69,728,200	180,237,013	134,303,701	127,690,512
June	2,480,839,052	1,923,480,085	2,762,994,807	70,641,000	180,166,960	134,977,444	126,946,717
July	2,527,267,496	2,042,828,904	3,453,516,592	64,496,500	184,605,023	138,325,396	128,036,740
August	2,316,813,044	1,830,241,274	3,210,196,458	65,474,800	185,394,447	136,925,859	130,225,789
September	2,372,980,009	1,808,379,604	2,974,599,460	64,427,100	202,507,956	155,028,849	153,583,273
October	2,933,618,760	2,311,092,416	3,572,896,703	60,937,900	208,151,471	157,863,135	131,945,537
November	2,593,205,250	2,152,394,884	3,318,802,139	64,208,800	199,052,717	153,127,533	127,682,385
December	2,909,892,035	2,169,407,592	3,028,865,802	67,371,900	215,774,600	171,902,908	125,628,892
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,562,413,708	2,046,320,782	3,182,019,423	68,954,700	218,798,113	171,746,723	128,808,590
February	2,372,991,630	1,728,770,777	3,029,250,255	76,845,900	236,490,921	194,400,927	123,847,194
March	2,316,256,654	1,811,813,648	3,042,214,611	61,538,100	238,219,966	196,524,644	123,482,523
April	2,393,455,325	1,895,399,642	2,856,100,185	59,251,600	229,030,605	180,690,542	130,097,382
May	2,340,091,793	1,886,793,797	3,115,134,247	59,324,000	229,328,260	183,313,799	127,771,661
June	2,414,383,739	1,879,465,515	3,220,445,307	61,808,500	233,791,709	186,270,402	128,278,507
July	2,480,389,690	1,832,860,393	3,393,755,972	61,866,300	235,953,499	181,630,000	136,080,699
August	1,971,162,104	1,580,390,199	2,856,679,299	46,254,700	229,422,125	175,789,788	135,389,607
September	2,063,034,193	1,638,933,015	2,771,072,697	49,196,900	214,341,503	171,159,946	133,938,757
October	2,613,816,577	1,981,164,613	3,290,089,789	55,801,100	192,292,171	136,963,229	137,086,142
November	2,686,840,544	1,920,616,048	2,985,563,685	63,702,600	174,255,773	123,953,585	132,059,388
December	2,655,939,099	2,051,632,108	3,120,696,655	75,676,900	173,157,409	127,625,292	127,289,318
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,589,347,332	1,910,870,148	3,101,619,977	76,342,300	167,982,295	120,430,507	129,309,135
February	2,045,130,179	1,646,078,618	2,889,927,227	79,634,600	181,559,373	137,451,582	125,864,991
March	2,387,110,544	1,830,313,900	3,167,965,893	85,061,700	189,937,432	144,802,661	126,891,968
April	2,249,763,759	1,861,834,318	2,818,642,735	85,988,300	186,856,723	134,222,484	134,387,440
May	2,315,157,306	1,858,145,811	2,958,277,219	87,329,800	176,428,705	123,945,400	134,239,969
June	2,561,546,708	1,905,041,273	2,807,868,304	89,310,900	175,321,653	122,861,318	134,217,535
July	2,833,918,896	1,978,735,980	3,175,415,583	90,496,600	178,696,674	122,925,440	137,528,434
August	2,936,856,960	1,969,390,044	3,035,289,582	92,129,800	175,127,368	118,211,777	138,672,792
September	3,452,329,044	2,119,369,296	2,827,217,507	92,423,400	174,088,025	119,563,296	136,281,928
October	3,336,060,361	2,296,614,664	3,287,491,078	92,365,100	161,548,860	105,032,832	138,273,228
November	3,121,440,430	2,271,452,169	3,140,556,843	102,176,000	153,267,989	100,811,694	134,213,496
December	3,588,361,952	2,382,327,130	3,306,047,038	104,150,500	157,564,472	106,257,740	133,063,931
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	3,690,282,724	2,321,724,811	3,497,217,762	106,588,500	151,942,116	96,770,387	136,928,930
February	3,516,257,710	2,036,091,681	3,146,927,092	114,088,200	160,274,221	110,830,045	131,201,375
March	3,418,019,443	2,222,720,082	3,410,029,548	120,125,960	164,694,302	114,876,891	131,574,612
April	2,808,945,026	2,103,431,502	3,205,602,482	141,556,200	146,160,228	89,304,884	187,282,410
May	3,145,411,058	2,191,088,998	3,245,074,664	159,791,500	164,062,937	110,565,601	135,254,537
June	3,265,851,790	2,233,533,405	3,176,354,817	175,502,100	180,173,978	126,754,188	135,176,990
July	2,977,035,218	2,039,810,281	3,349,573,018	186,070,200	180,562,003	123,145,892	139,173,311
August	3,511,768,974	2,080,547,676	3,033,858,831	168,988,000	167,792,531	111,308,013	138,241,721
September	3,418,988,061	2,082,656,049	3,074,844,494	148,378,300	169,120,856	115,778,902	135,099,102
October	3,534,241,280	2,394,923,013	3,368,523,169	136,314,400	154,406,493	99,211,082	137,042,611
November	3,972,632,292	2,501,101,963	3,249,726,038	157,428,800	155,107,750	102,681,479	134,182,472
December	4,052,357,561	2,704,839,800	3,647,733,740	158,462,300	152,081,741	101,560,828	140,221,628
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	5,600,749,776	2,801,939,029	3,895,988,505	173,442,100	147,653,625	94,355,975	135,054,841
February	4,550,639,231	2,429,704,424	.....	197,207,800	160,462,322	111,784,230	130,455,025
March	5,902,084,979	2,824,514,154	.....	198,407,100	164,214,738	115,639,510	130,326,427
April .....	.....	.....	.....	187,144,300	146,436,859	92,443,066	135,751,993

a Entire months.

b First week of month.

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	BANK OF FRANCE.			AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN BANK.			IMPERIAL GERMAN BANK.	
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894.								
January.....	330,625,100	245,120,700	703,121,653	51,730,800	79,489,400	242,964,870	196,801,200	261,004,995
February.....	331,282,000	245,510,000	702,343,013	49,482,500	79,080,600	208,690,120	216,223,400	227,007,628
March.....	333,437,900	246,789,900	686,585,286	50,027,600	79,027,100	202,096,012	222,267,700	221,080,229
April.....	336,163,200	247,719,400	686,711,815	50,095,800	79,400,700	212,325,395	207,113,400	253,573,249
May.....	342,050,265	248,191,500	697,924,231	49,365,776	79,674,338	220,379,453	213,376,559	240,804,153
June.....	346,421,803	248,945,808	669,104,818	50,134,683	79,528,343	210,772,982	227,606,205	224,574,376
July.....	352,762,852	248,512,689	675,616,195	51,268,578	79,786,268	219,956,067	218,622,648	257,890,435
August.....	362,865,706	247,310,664	671,659,731	61,400,631	77,518,479	231,280,413	225,980,794	238,526,631
September.....	371,075,492	246,278,966	654,573,449	63,332,631	75,367,466	233,484,937	230,891,093	234,789,159
October.....	370,024,328	244,113,373	672,589,232	67,907,141	72,647,112	244,780,084	221,201,891	271,531,234
November.....	370,486,645	241,217,806	686,901,609	72,797,974	70,515,585	249,276,730	242,668,023	258,571,746
December.....	390,380,897	241,402,733	676,745,223	73,347,888	69,094,567	238,682,359	260,649,740	253,267,260
1895.								
January.....	402,795,339	240,521,896	716,197,930	74,228,725	67,941,207	237,339,205	240,369,193	283,240,033
February.....	416,849,791	240,585,161	707,000,254	74,330,921	66,831,645	218,768,641	267,209,782	249,184,266
March.....	418,207,544	241,120,476	701,656,837	83,582,139	66,744,048	226,920,020	264,664,603	238,658,027
April.....	406,347,884	241,344,335	707,370,108	86,594,501	66,573,720	230,110,611	251,807,310	275,005,915
May.....	400,527,550	240,463,498	705,710,631	95,232,539	65,989,740	245,840,981	259,253,055	261,404,048
June.....	398,795,076	243,529,393	684,585,155	98,424,963	65,619,886	244,152,305	261,457,579	255,033,799
July.....	397,622,249	243,373,665	685,475,424	101,763,382	65,172,168	257,617,911	268,093,907	288,695,380
August.....	398,843,741	245,344,598	676,107,712	104,450,190	64,583,822	259,545,545	247,690,251	286,193,999
September.....	398,702,612	245,091,540	656,841,238	103,646,717	64,082,072	274,640,928	238,784,556	258,299,221
October.....	390,405,230	243,154,673	678,622,692	106,547,151	63,308,299	287,542,019	219,065,498	302,925,026
November.....	381,071,283	239,519,397	687,524,521	110,401,419	62,729,185	299,065,891	221,883,201	282,631,721
December.....	381,509,268	240,132,576	682,166,504	114,679,073	62,334,999	284,656,185	218,719,976	266,134,286
1896.								
January.....	379,640,532	240,332,103	709,944,486	118,835,064	62,116,000	284,067,601	211,483,491	298,708,440
February.....	376,959,090	241,538,995	708,873,856	120,810,863	62,257,135	268,455,066	229,640,402	253,724,711
March.....	379,932,522	242,400,365	706,727,730	125,117,715	61,838,616	267,589,369	229,148,886	248,755,620
April.....	379,776,794	242,731,287	710,698,794	127,842,955	62,047,875	272,455,869	211,916,609	287,907,007
May.....	381,903,454	242,702,088	710,075,882	131,074,311	62,247,402	279,424,697	219,868,470	264,557,540
June.....	391,519,658	244,497,827	703,846,762	133,006,312	62,636,722	288,325,526	222,992,200	247,329,500
July.....	397,344,859	244,687,620	703,875,961	132,918,715	62,909,246	292,865,970	211,493,491	282,982,109
August.....	403,685,908	244,424,829	690,337,358	135,634,222	62,918,979	291,702,877	220,467,050	253,992,368
September.....	398,279,227	244,162,038	688,400,491	141,240,430	63,143,656	301,757,066	216,753,910	253,510,585
October.....	384,599,495	242,122,975	693,099,425	141,634,616	62,286,334	318,741,151	195,677,099	293,717,608
November.....	375,771,664	239,295,538	715,565,294	110,552,281	62,656,118	298,472,178	202,509,665	268,664,866
December.....	375,980,924	240,176,375	718,339,199	111,603,445	62,709,719	282,276,466	208,160,404	253,447,320
1897.								
January.....	371,474,545	238,677,493	734,345,117	147,430,618	61,220,570	310,852,554	200,674,994	286,802,311
February.....	372,404,993	239,587,528	732,924,099	148,705,641	61,527,160	291,887,804	215,508,086	245,748,517
March.....	372,724,369	239,553,463	717,015,511	150,661,974	61,629,356	286,262,130	222,856,501	239,071,679
April.....	373,435,744	238,813,754	720,641,053	126,835,596	51,112,850	244,551,358	208,291,067	280,485,594
May.....	375,596,470	238,112,979	720,762,716	132,806,785	51,122,583	249,485,989	218,953,568	263,307,983
June.....	386,984,080	239,451,266	721,667,885	140,048,137	51,219,913	245,111,006	222,569,378	249,456,796
July.....	390,250,235	239,860,785	714,591,994	191,895,828	51,351,308	250,186,765	209,381,163	282,237,034
August.....	393,660,918	238,434,168	708,475,303	152,530,710	51,093,384	252,775,743	210,880,045	256,007,099
September.....	394,974,873	237,626,329	703,978,157	154,642,771	50,859,792	269,063,919	207,541,626	259,574,244
October.....	386,400,100	235,553,200	721,580,288	155,718,267	50,499,671	280,408,230	182,050,899	302,233,983
November.....	381,154,013	235,008,152	729,235,292	151,197,289	50,144,416	286,286,462	197,570,167	277,594,893
December.....	381,475,202	235,485,069	726,602,516	152,769,168	50,193,081	271,794,025	211,683,017	293,301,983
1898.								
January.....	377,820,461	234,881,623	751,898,583	147,766,406	50,027,620	275,619,094	206,451,530	300,039,191
February.....	375,095,221	235,446,137	751,270,804	147,688,542	50,343,943	254,075,099	225,382,215	257,082,596
March.....	373,898,062	236,341,573	740,715,366	149,669,208	50,621,333	252,590,816	233,538,460	248,473,757
April.....	361,673,414	236,969,351	731,551,746	148,807,837	50,850,059	257,194,525	210,573,455	295,381,951
May.....	362,315,792	237,159,145	729,498,083	143,406,022	50,820,860	258,231,090	208,038,009	274,733,391
June.....	363,420,487	239,164,143	723,624,218	141,264,762	51,020,386	251,544,519	212,155,068	255,895,170
July.....	365,143,228	241,008,546	710,212,144	141,255,029	51,224,779	259,671,574	196,776,928	308,025,118
August.....	365,785,606	241,835,851	720,825,980	141,853,609	51,156,648	264,839,797	208,490,593	267,730,629
September.....	366,865,969	242,643,690	689,378,657	142,184,531	51,195,580	271,331,708	209,055,107	258,805,337
October.....	361,683,147	240,843,085	711,832,688	142,379,191	50,806,260	289,331,556	176,683,149	314,774,953
November.....	356,850,712	237,898,853	742,000,122	143,454,687	50,528,870	297,401,548	177,461,789	288,573,717
December.....	356,130,470	235,923,054	737,392,080	143,289,226	79,703,537	283,979,741	192,577,138	271,789,156
1899.								
January.....	352,636,323	232,652,766	767,651,443	174,829,013	60,305,668	345,589,631	189,754,568	304,355,777
February.....	354,171,004	233,178,348	763,417,588	145,133,630	50,465,605	270,241,612	208,125,606	260,649,740
March.....	354,821,382	233,105,350	750,458,099	145,727,343	50,684,598	262,990,527	216,272,127	252,746,544
April.....	353,921,079	234,370,640	742,866,359	145,639,746	50,879,256	264,523,474	202,285,806	295,075,361

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	NATIONAL BANK, BELGIUM.		NETHERLANDS BANK.			BANK OF SPAIN.		
	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollar.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January.....	22,541,600	85,188,083	18,711,600	33,041,100	84,750,098	38,532,900	34,479,100	181,802,707
February.....	24,751,000	84,170,984	20,585,200	34,123,800	83,917,926	38,532,900	35,262,600	182,907,403
March.....	25,354,500	81,766,933	20,857,800	34,172,600	81,217,019	38,532,900	37,233,600	180,571,483
April.....	22,843,351	82,092,988	21,096,277	34,445,087	82,915,427	38,532,947	39,720,373	182,046,032
May.....	20,960,000	83,061,422	21,631,593	33,900,039	86,570,169	38,532,947	40,795,870	182,460,418
June.....	22,454,031	77,917,532	21,967,381	34,201,762	83,153,886	38,532,947	42,508,878	180,118,898
July.....	21,899,250	81,470,077	22,006,313	33,924,372	84,112,586	38,532,947	44,810,732	183,291,856
August.....	21,724,056	74,827,304	22,030,645	33,593,449	83,095,487	38,581,612	44,708,536	183,476,783
September.....	21,169,275	77,907,799	22,035,512	33,530,185	81,601,472	38,654,610	45,423,911	181,549,649
October.....	23,733,921	76,423,516	19,801,789	33,019,203	82,516,374	38,951,466	47,000,657	183,038,798
November.....	23,412,732	80,603,840	19,816,388	32,819,676	84,375,377	38,951,466	47,681,967	181,427,987
December.....	24,376,299	81,489,543	19,855,320	33,238,193	83,528,606	38,951,466	51,263,711	177,826,777
1895.								
January.....	26,074,707	88,701,696	19,903,985	33,311,193	85,304,879	38,951,466	54,154,412	177,890,041
February.....	25,583,190	93,212,941	19,991,582	33,525,318	84,691,700	38,951,466	56,115,612	179,938,838
March.....	25,500,460	86,356,043	21,539,129	34,031,435	85,368,143	38,951,466	57,891,884	177,145,467
April.....	24,965,145	87,538,602	20,809,154	34,211,495	84,278,047	38,951,466	60,227,804	180,342,757
May.....	23,252,137	87,207,080	20,857,819	34,265,027	88,142,048	38,951,466	60,607,391	181,384,188
June.....	21,310,404	85,742,864	20,891,885	34,323,425	85,217,282	38,951,466	60,631,724	181,510,717
July.....	20,390,635	86,828,093	20,833,353	34,192,029	85,105,352	38,951,466	60,038,012	185,725,106
August.....	20,268,993	86,652,899	20,848,086	33,875,707	85,139,418	38,951,466	58,977,114	187,486,779
September.....	21,237,406	83,202,551	20,852,953	33,544,785	82,365,513	38,951,466	57,429,567	187,623,041
October.....	21,709,457	83,898,460	20,794,555	33,145,732	85,373,010	38,951,466	56,281,073	190,035,490
November.....	21,062,212	86,784,295	20,789,688	32,912,140	88,122,582	38,951,466	53,930,553	191,438,377
December.....	20,176,509	85,703,932	18,083,914	33,189,530	83,333,946	38,951,466	51,945,021	192,445,743
1896.								
January.....	20,113,245	89,903,721	17,115,481	33,243,082	88,200,440	38,951,466	49,210,048	196,140,149
February.....	20,069,446	86,813,404	15,115,349	33,330,659	87,086,320	38,951,466	49,648,033	197,735,628
March.....	19,303,003	85,519,005	12,764,830	33,544,785	81,090,400	38,951,466	50,392,608	197,803,759
April.....	19,397,869	86,214,914	12,764,830	33,681,047	81,148,888	38,951,466	50,538,603	197,944,888
May.....	19,646,061	87,621,233	12,784,296	33,865,974	85,275,680	40,747,205	52,929,475	202,378,269
June.....	20,103,512	85,630,934	12,823,228	34,046,034	80,068,525	40,907,799	52,825,858	203,721,423
July.....	20,098,645	86,102,985	12,818,361	33,890,206	82,024,858	40,902,933	55,964,750	205,025,645
August.....	19,728,524	85,986,189	12,818,361	33,651,848	81,319,215	40,907,799	55,093,647	207,527,026
September.....	20,361,436	83,776,798	12,818,361	33,350,125	79,051,426	41,501,512	50,640,799	207,329,698
October.....	19,723,925	86,273,312	12,818,361	33,009,470	81,338,681	41,501,512	50,519,137	207,517,293
November.....	20,147,310	86,283,045	12,818,361	32,610,417	85,119,952	41,501,512	47,784,164	211,756,015
December.....	20,259,240	87,246,612	12,818,361	32,941,339	82,565,039	41,501,512	49,633,434	209,110,480
1897.								
January.....	20,405,235	93,480,599	12,818,861	33,369,591	84,292,647	41,501,512	49,346,310	201,356,304
February.....	20,823,754	91,801,656	12,813,495	33,306,326	81,737,734	41,501,512	50,913,323	207,867,681
March.....	20,930,817	88,735,761	12,813,495	33,681,047	80,472,444	41,501,512	51,842,825	207,478,361
April.....	21,154,676	91,071,681	12,808,628	33,194,397	82,195,185	41,501,512	52,543,601	208,797,183
May.....	21,140,076	91,777,324	12,798,895	33,204,130	80,166,249	41,559,910	51,020,386	211,400,760
June.....	20,755,623	89,558,200	12,701,565	32,079,968	81,460,344	42,460,213	49,847,560	214,203,864
July.....	19,354,071	92,682,493	12,798,895	34,021,702	84,190,450	43,472,446	52,436,538	217,931,603
August.....	20,916,217	90,7066,94	12,807,628	33,554,518	81,421,412	43,856,898	50,777,061	220,175,060
September.....	21,203,341	89,903,721	12,808,628	33,367,457	81,328,948	43,929,896	51,726,289	220,958,566
October.....	20,434,434	91,816,256	12,794,029	32,990,004	84,268,314	43,929,896	51,667,631	224,399,182
November.....	20,930,817	92,059,581	12,789,162	32,342,759	86,716,164	44,903,196	52,514,402	231,445,874
December.....	20,643,693	92,731,158	12,789,162	32,732,079	84,136,919	45,039,458	53,658,029	231,484,806
1898.								
January.....	20,882,152	95,106,010	12,704,029	33,038,660	86,735,630	45,895,962	50,193,081	236,098,248
February.....	21,519,663	93,480,599	12,789,162	33,281,994	84,399,710	46,207,418	51,195,580	242,875,083
March.....	21,115,744	91,976,850	13,324,477	33,535,052	82,321,714	46,523,740	52,918,321	244,273,968
April.....	20,118,110	93,891,788	13,451,006	33,676,180	83,080,888	46,869,262	52,144,548	248,551,621
May.....	21,368,802	95,033,012	13,884,125	33,612,916	87,601,867	47,852,205	28,528,557	254,479,018
June.....	21,558,595	93,164,276	13,913,324	33,846,508	84,477,574	47,852,295	20,483,099	255,744,308
July.....	20,838,353	93,660,659	14,857,425	34,011,969	84,823,095	48,431,408	21,977,114	262,839,666
August.....	22,123,109	93,261,606	20,887,018	33,880,573	84,029,856	50,407,207	25,797,317	272,694,328
September.....	21,295,804	95,539,128	20,984,348	33,973,037	83,163,619	51,526,502	27,194,002	272,329,340
October.....	20,887,018	95,422,332	20,989,215	32,848,875	86,604,234	52,923,188	26,045,508	274,757,724
November.....	21,320,137	96,969,879	20,998,948	32,221,097	89,699,328	53,833,223	26,648,954	283,726,683
December.....	22,434,565	97,475,995	20,994,081	32,629,882	88,005,786	53,833,223	31,914,374	279,755,619
1899.								
January.....	23,505,199	102,280,204	20,994,081	32,839,142	92,054,714	53,833,223	39,696,041	282,101,272
February.....	23,607,392	102,498,223	20,994,081	33,014,336	89,407,338	53,833,223	42,499,145	286,724,447
March.....	23,772,833	100,551,623	20,989,215	33,359,858	88,180,980	54,689,727	49,910,824	286,534,654

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From L'Economiste Européen, Paris.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	ITALY.						RUSSIA.		
	National bank.			Institutions of issue. ^a			Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.			
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	52,167,900	8,048,100	174,742,200	.....	.....	.....	293,495,100	2,605,500	786,436,440
February	54,792,700	12,506,400	182,192,000	.....	.....	.....	294,228,500	2,740,600	775,837,100
March	55,391,000	12,332,700	173,449,100	.....	.....	.....	317,928,900	2,856,400	764,666,000
April	55,661,200	9,302,600	166,037,900	.....	.....	.....	282,281,800	2,895,000	755,884,500
May	57,880,700	8,569,200	161,869,100	.....	.....	.....	293,263,500	2,972,200	760,670,900
June	57,784,200	8,492,000	159,688,200	.....	.....	.....	294,421,500	3,088,000	760,265,600
July	57,726,300	10,036,000	167,717,000	24,781,200	2,316,000	58,150,900	288,650,800	2,779,200	740,830,500
August	58,922,900	10,788,700	165,923,800	24,897,000	2,296,700	58,691,300	289,114,000	3,377,500	742,123,600
September	59,579,100	10,808,000	158,086,300	26,055,000	2,316,000	55,854,200	290,272,000	3,281,000	749,264,000
October	59,482,600	10,962,400	161,541,000	26,711,200	2,316,000	55,777,000	290,947,500	3,126,600	764,801,100
November	58,691,300	11,888,800	162,506,000	26,769,100	2,316,000	54,773,400	293,302,100	3,088,000	760,458,600
December	56,433,200	13,413,500	159,398,700	26,769,100	2,316,000	55,120,800	292,302,100	3,030,100	755,730,100
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	56,491,100	13,317,000	156,947,600	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,185,900	300,539,600	2,856,400	830,710,600
February	58,150,900	14,745,200	150,269,800	27,155,100	2,316,000	58,286,000	300,308,000	3,088,000	818,320,000
March	57,900,000	11,580,000	143,341,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	52,631,100	300,925,600	3,242,400	810,349,100
April	57,977,200	11,541,400	144,711,400	27,155,100	2,316,000	54,831,300	301,427,400	3,088,000	821,253,600
May	57,842,100	10,537,800	137,493,200	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,869,900	302,469,600	3,242,400	820,829,000
June	58,073,700	11,058,900	140,484,700	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,889,200	299,343,000	3,319,600	829,417,500
July	58,266,700	11,078,200	154,728,100	27,174,400	2,296,700	58,942,200	378,318,600	2,637,600	830,421,100
August	58,421,100	11,522,100	151,582,200	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,413,900	377,894,000	2,605,500	829,900,000
September	57,629,800	9,707,900	148,513,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	378,473,000	4,979,400	839,357,000
October	57,571,900	9,804,400	150,021,200	27,193,700	2,277,400	55,931,400	375,095,500	4,439,000	856,669,100
November	57,514,000	9,920,200	150,501,400	27,174,400	2,296,700	55,912,100	372,876,000	3,705,600	850,203,600
December	57,764,900	10,286,900	147,876,600	27,174,400	2,296,700	56,413,900	371,389,900	3,667,000	836,172,500
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	57,957,900	10,422,000	151,176,900	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,536,900	368,861,600	4,303,900	829,571,900
February	59,212,400	10,576,400	147,741,500	27,174,400	2,354,600	57,649,100	368,089,600	4,767,100	818,049,800
March	57,957,900	10,808,000	150,424,200	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,919,300	408,445,900	5,751,400	813,340,000
April	60,312,500	10,827,300	152,605,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	56,915,700	417,286,000	5,539,100	820,944,800
May	59,135,200	10,692,200	143,263,900	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,224,500	424,194,700	7,777,900	823,338,000
June	58,556,200	10,692,200	139,925,000	27,155,100	2,316,000	59,386,100	436,257,200	9,399,100	812,877,400
July	58,479,000	10,904,500	151,929,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,549,000	434,365,800	8,935,900	813,417,800
August	59,231,700	11,271,200	150,636,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,668,400	432,262,100	8,472,700	808,322,600
September	59,405,400	11,811,600	144,576,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,645,500	428,151,200	7,083,100	817,702,400
October	58,942,200	12,506,400	152,643,700	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	433,748,200	5,597,000	843,796,000
November	57,822,800	12,101,100	149,131,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,440,400	442,992,900	5,365,400	843,892,500
December	57,687,700	12,294,100	148,185,400	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,710,600	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	58,787,800	12,409,900	151,157,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,857,800	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
February	59,637,000	12,023,900	146,815,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	54,059,300	461,424,400	10,537,800	386,144,364
March	58,382,500	12,139,700	141,025,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	53,210,100	446,717,800	11,348,400	516,757,500
April	58,517,600	12,101,100	144,769,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,399,500	467,330,200	18,605,200	489,023,400
May	57,919,300	12,120,400	141,777,800	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,936,300	461,270,000	19,435,100	492,323,700
June	58,566,500	11,078,200	141,700,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,218,600	458,452,200	21,172,100	494,388,800
July	69,607,200	13,124,000	152,894,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,666,100	461,231,400	23,603,900	490,374,400
August	60,582,700	13,934,600	152,701,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,527,400	463,315,800	24,221,500	493,366,000
September	59,945,800	12,583,600	148,610,000	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,438,100	459,841,800	24,221,500	515,117,000
October	59,251,000	12,506,400	154,496,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,178,700	580,640,500	21,715,500	506,509,200
November	57,822,800	11,020,300	150,443,500	18,624,500	2,316,000	55,584,000	588,765,800	20,168,500	491,185,000
December	57,957,900	10,788,700	150,559,300	18,682,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	587,434,100	20,072,000	478,948,800
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	57,900,000	10,943,100	153,801,700	18,682,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	598,917,600	19,608,800	461,810,400
February	57,957,900	11,116,800	148,841,600	18,682,400	2,316,000	53,904,900	592,432,800	21,210,700	450,693,600
March	58,170,200	9,688,600	144,904,400	18,814,500	2,316,000	51,839,800	585,272,500	21,886,200	442,143,700
April	58,324,600	9,707,900	147,799,400	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,496,000	575,912,000	21,924,800	435,099,200
May	58,556,200	10,171,100	140,446,100	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,592,500	567,149,800	23,835,500	435,562,400
June	58,073,700	10,209,700	138,998,600	18,817,500	2,316,000	53,268,000	567,420,000	23,005,600	429,386,400
July	58,614,100	10,904,500	156,523,000	18,875,400	2,316,000	56,836,500	557,982,300	22,561,700	417,555,500
August	59,135,200	11,348,400	154,554,400	18,856,100	2,316,000	55,159,400	553,273,700	23,044,200	409,217,900
September	58,768,500	11,541,400	148,320,500	18,875,400	2,316,000	54,734,800	536,636,500	21,820,300	407,558,100
October	58,421,100	11,908,100	156,272,100	19,010,500	2,316,000	56,838,500	507,976,000	18,875,400	391,499,500
November	58,363,200	11,985,300	156,021,200	19,009,500	2,316,000	57,880,700	500,835,000	18,470,100	375,597,300
December	58,556,200	12,216,900	154,361,400	19,010,500	2,316,000	58,228,100	503,440,500	20,844,000	355,621,800
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	58,614,100	12,390,600	161,888,400	19,049,100	2,316,000	55,738,400	510,292,000	21,519,500	340,760,800
February	58,498,300	12,371,300	158,684,600	18,914,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	503,845,800	22,909,100	329,335,200

^a By a law of August 10, 1893, the Banca Nazionale del Regno d'Italia combined with two Tuscan banks and became the Banca d'Italia. This bank and the banks of Naples and of Sicily alone enjoy the privilege of issuing circulating notes.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, AND BANK RATES IN LEADING FINANCIAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.

[From New York Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY.	MONEY MARKET.		BANK RATES.						
	New York.		London.	Paris.	Berlin.	Ham- burg.	Amster- dam.	Vienna.	St. Pe- tersburg.
	Call.	Prime com- mercial.							
1898.									
March 4	2 @ 2½	4 @ 4½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 11	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 18	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
March 25	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 1	2½ @ 5	5 @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 8	2½ @ 2½	5½ @ 6	4	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 15	2½ @ 3½	5½ @ 6	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 22	1½ @ 3	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 29	2½ @ 3½	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 6	2½ @ 3	5½ @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 13	1½ @ 2½	5 @ 6½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 20	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 27	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 3	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 10	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 17	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 24	1 @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 1	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 8	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 15	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 22	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 29	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 5	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 12	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 19	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 26	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
September 2	2½ @ 3	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 9	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 16	3½ @ 5	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 23	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 30	3 @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 7	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 14	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	2	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 21	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 28	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 4	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 11	1½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 18	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 25	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 2	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 9	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 16	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 23	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 30	2 @ 4	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
1899.									
January 6	2½ @ 6	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 13	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 20	2 @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
January 27	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 3	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 10	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 17	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 24	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 3	2½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 10	2½ @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 17	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 24	4 @ 4½	4 @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 31	6 @ 12	3½ @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 7	5 @ 15	3½ @ 4½	3						
April 14	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½							
April 21	3 @ 4½	3½ @ 4½							
April 28									

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	JANUARY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries and nails.....	1	8	11	12	30,000	334,500	1,549,500	536,500	39,000	41,812	140,864	44,708
Machinery and tools.....	6	18	15	20	134,177	301,601	488,200	733,415	22,363	17,009	32,547	36,655
Woolen, carpets, and knit goods.....	2	.....	4	7	143,000	.....	125,500	190,500	71,500	.....	31,375	27,214
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	1	3	4	3	.....	56,800	23,500	10,000	.....	18,933	5,875	3,333
Lumber, carpenters and coopers.....	29	34	36	47	259,511	771,263	764,743	1,263,617	9,949	22,684	21,243	26,885
Clothing and millinery.....	17	20	27	30	267,656	95,911	172,776	376,139	15,744	4,796	6,399	12,537
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	1	2	4	8	20,000	52,319	22,229	175,000	20,000	26,159	5,557	21,875
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	4	8	11	10	83,000	44,702	90,302	118,624	20,750	5,588	8,209	11,862
Printing and engraving.....	16	11	14	24	175,765	41,498	195,523	333,827	10,985	3,772	13,966	13,909
Milling and bakers.....	7	21	9	22	7,777	104,622	362,900	222,972	1,111	4,982	40,322	10,135
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	9	17	18	20	93,824	243,338	453,622	805,250	10,425	14,314	25,201	40,262
Liquors and tobacco.....	5	11	19	26	305,656	187,300	1,948,241	1,455,550	61,131	17,027	102,539	55,962
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	7	9	10	9	142,500	198,976	285,913	107,136	20,357	22,108	28,591	11,904
All other.....	55	71	84	80	546,702	621,225	2,089,997	2,257,166	9,940	8,750	24,681	28,214
Total manufacturing.....	160	233	266	318	2,209,568	3,054,055	8,572,946	8,585,696	13,810	13,108	32,229	26,999
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	185	199	222	216	1,269,747	1,003,659	1,109,147	1,473,307	6,863	5,043	4,996	6,820
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	181	265	279	298	510,798	778,617	875,014	1,678,256	2,822	2,938	3,136	5,631
Hotels and restaurants.....	27	38	45	35	147,548	357,817	321,135	151,629	5,465	9,403	7,136	4,332
Liquors and tobacco.....	75	85	103	101	391,181	471,107	536,326	665,798	5,216	5,542	5,207	6,592
Clothing and furnishing.....	60	83	99	98	484,413	858,554	761,859	1,353,208	8,073	10,356	7,695	13,808
Dry goods and carpets.....	61	70	92	111	975,432	439,028	1,091,510	1,373,115	15,991	6,272	11,864	12,370
Shoes, rubbers and trunks.....	35	56	68	69	225,242	356,403	623,932	2,054,604	6,435	6,365	9,261	29,776
Furniture and crockery.....	21	35	41	37	150,992	328,462	239,439	247,758	7,190	9,385	5,840	6,696
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	33	34	62	45	134,091	303,292	528,092	334,183	4,063	8,920	8,517	7,426
Drugs and paints.....	28	54	61	74	199,113	269,098	299,408	484,516	7,111	4,983	4,908	6,549
Jewelry and clocks.....	28	30	49	56	192,575	165,785	1,127,099	389,557	6,877	5,526	23,002	6,956
Books and papers.....	4	15	36	30	7,683	91,964	228,736	409,578	1,921	6,131	6,354	13,652
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	4	11	6	15	51,640	236,600	34,533	100,150	12,910	76,055	5,755	6,676
All other.....	95	118	160	157	529,837	761,128	1,604,727	1,426,970	5,577	6,450	10,029	9,088
Total trading.....	837	1,093	1,323	1,342	5,270,292	7,022,014	9,386,957	12,142,629	6,297	6,424	7,095	9,048
Brokers and transporters.....	22	29	32	25	242,037	375,444	399,682	1,007,418	11,010	12,946	12,490	40,296
Total commercial.....	1,019	1,355	1,621	1,685	7,721,897	10,451,513	18,359,585	21,735,743	7,572	7,713	11,326	12,899

NOTE.—Iron, woollens, and cottons include all the branches of those manufactures; machinery includes implements and tools; lumber includes saw, planing, sash and door mills, carpenters, and coopers; clothing includes millinery and furnishings; hats include furs and gloves; chemicals include drugs, fertilizers, paints, and oils; printing and books include engraving and maps; milling includes baking; leather and shoes include makers of harness, saddlery, trunks, and rubber goods; liquors include tobacco, wine, brewers, and beer; glass includes earthenware, pottery, brick, lime, and cement; groceries include meats and fish; hotels include restaurants; dry goods include carpets and curtains; furniture includes crockery; hardware includes stores and tools, and jewelry includes clocks and watches; brokers include all real-estate, note, insurance, or produce dealers whose main business is not the handling of actual products, with mortgage and other loan concerns, and transporters include all except incorporated railway companies.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

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BUSINESS.	FEBRUARY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries and nails	1	3	8	8	250,000	7,000	522,695	244,300	250,000	2,333	65,337	31,787
Machinery and tools	9	18	13	8	1,159,257	1,113,862	638,591	97,100	128,806	61,881	49,122	12,137
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	4	6	5	4	325,000	314,800	293,000	67,500	81,250	52,466	58,600	16,875
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	2	2	5	4	43,000	38,000	305,000	821,324	21,500	19,000	61,000	205,331
Lumber, carpenters and coopers	28	31	37	44	566,990	636,791	835,400	617,511	20,249	20,542	22,579	14,134
Clothing and millinery	16	14	17	33	216,060	216,982	473,265	220,980	13,504	15,499	27,839	6,696
Hats, gloves, and furs	1	5	2	5	8,300	75,300	4,000	29,500	8,300	12,550	2,000	5,900
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	3	8	11	8	34,790	136,907	166,000	62,500	11,597	17,113	15,090	7,812
Printing and engraving	14	10	13	14	402,455	36,603	189,040	433,000	28,746	3,660	14,541	30,928
Milling and bakers	10	13	10	13	48,699	93,200	131,300	66,200	4,870	7,169	13,130	5,092
Leather, shoes, and harness	11	17	18	12	263,289	163,650	231,645	299,973	23,935	9,626	12,313	24,997
Liquors and tobacco	10	10	11	10	121,165	104,003	147,050	536,367	12,116	10,400	13,368	53,636
Glass, earthenware, and brick	4	5	8	5	178,000	110,942	535,853	180,923	44,500	13,868	66,981	36,184
All other	40	64	83	81	708,543	591,299	2,634,202	1,825,130	17,713	9,239	31,737	22,532
Total manufacturing	153	210	241	249	4,325,548	3,639,339	7,167,041	5,502,308	28,271	17,330	29,489	22,097
TRADERS.												
General stores	114	146	145	149	889,017	679,041	807,896	1,125,732	7,798	4,651	5,571	7,555
Groceries, meats, and fish	128	233	180	196	590,379	716,051	659,006	910,636	4,612	3,073	3,661	4,646
Hotels and restaurants	28	27	32	25	159,039	55,450	344,458	198,247	5,679	2,054	10,764	7,929
Liquors and tobacco	66	73	92	81	432,676	209,279	399,032	494,506	6,555	2,867	4,337	6,105
Clothing and furnishing	50	59	67	54	333,904	313,902	541,300	373,799	6,678	5,320	8,079	6,922
Dry goods and carpets	36	61	57	59	270,282	830,812	743,743	600,948	7,508	13,620	13,048	10,185
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	35	54	49	57	409,737	304,297	518,612	512,089	11,706	5,635	10,584	8,984
Furniture and crockery	14	33	31	18	139,415	207,100	289,465	146,746	9,958	6,276	9,337	8,152
Hardware, stoves, and tools	11	37	55	61	82,054	401,238	468,518	590,028	7,459	10,849	8,518	9,672
Drugs and paints	25	47	45	38	66,984	172,316	191,346	94,561	2,679	3,666	4,252	2,486
Jewelry and clocks	16	18	22	24	71,208	142,769	132,551	232,262	4,450	7,931	6,025	9,677
Books and papers	3	14	7	14	19,670	223,382	51,500	95,570	6,557	15,956	7,357	6,826
Hats, furs, and gloves	2	5	12	8	9,828	14,854	55,875	62,500	4,914	2,971	4,656	7,812
All other	67	117	97	100	875,137	877,541	929,956	1,168,512	13,062	7,500	9,587	11,685
Total trading	595	924	891	884	4,349,330	5,148,032	6,133,258	6,606,076	7,310	5,571	6,884	7,472
Brokers and transporters	22	21	26	30	337,729	713,270	432,213	1,022,067	15,351	33,965	16,624	34,068
Total commercial	770	1,155	1,158	1,163	9,012,607	9,500,641	13,672,512	13,130,451	11,705	8,226	11,807	11,290

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FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	MARCH.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	2	9	7	11	18,800	186,000	192,900	633,545	9,400	20,666	27,557	57,595
Machinery and tools.....	10	27	15	8	184,900	607,156	569,161	1,130,889	18,490	22,487	37,944	141,361
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	3	5	6	5	152,800	26,800	140,000	1,093,200	50,933	5,360	23,333	218,640
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	3	2	11	3	142,781	370,000	147,500	74,500	47,594	185,000	13,409	24,833
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	38	31	42	55	765,318	1,215,475	915,494	2,838,321	20,140	39,209	21,795	51,905
Clothing and millinery.....	26	22	14	31	515,950	154,312	101,793	528,147	19,844	7,014	7,270	17,037
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	4	3	3	3	27,135	62,781	21,255	178,896	6,783	20,927	7,085	59,632
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	5	14	13	12	155,463	2,173,644	147,150	607,850	31,093	155,260	11,319	50,654
Printing and engraving.....	13	20	26	13	112,591	122,266	556,542	394,599	8,661	6,113	21,405	30,353
Milling and baking.....	11	11	15	19	212,598	79,900	447,710	680,850	19,327	7,264	29,847	35,834
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	10	12	16	15	188,767	199,600	553,215	143,517	18,876	16,633	34,575	9,567
Liquors and tobacco.....	5	12	15	16	1,027,200	307,334	122,707	236,904	205,440	25,611	8,180	14,806
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	2	6	4	6	79,982	73,358	124,100	179,000	39,991	12,226	31,025	29,833
All other.....	66	70	84	71	622,663	1,374,136	2,692,720	699,104	9,434	19,630	32,056	9,846
Total manufacturing.....	108	244	271	268	4,206,948	6,952,762	6,792,157	9,419,322	21,247	28,495	24,841	35,146
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	108	139	138	129	939,717	969,333	779,442	1,281,733	8,701	6,973	5,648	9,935
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	216	277	187	172	702,451	861,367	1,140,277	1,220,555	3,232	3,109	6,097	7,096
Hotels and restaurants.....	32	24	29	37	334,088	102,925	91,523	212,343	10,440	4,288	3,155	5,739
Liquors and tobacco.....	75	89	91	80	393,667	291,586	528,710	444,083	5,249	3,276	5,810	5,551
Clothing and furnishing.....	48	71	56	72	279,360	520,817	680,204	1,591,055	5,820	7,335	12,142	22,097
Dry goods and carpets.....	41	44	58	66	453,254	467,802	829,272	2,765,309	11,055	10,632	14,297	41,898
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	40	38	50	48	543,476	204,244	532,208	702,955	13,587	5,374	10,644	14,644
Furniture and crockery.....	16	30	35	36	145,323	270,970	416,593	544,998	9,083	9,032	11,902	15,138
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	26	28	58	50	331,296	377,508	522,274	375,297	12,742	13,482	9,004	7,505
Drugs and paints.....	34	44	43	41	224,488	177,095	304,890	239,885	6,602	4,025	7,090	5,850
Jewelry and clocks.....	13	12	17	23	48,801	151,064	397,212	294,826	3,754	12,589	23,365	12,818
Books and papers.....	6	7	15	12	26,595	57,200	168,300	175,849	4,432	8,171	11,220	14,654
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	4	8	3	8	95,602	68,700	27,067	60,222	23,900	22,900	9,022	7,527
All other.....	84	94	79	118	899,878	780,158	2,108,417	2,766,497	10,713	8,299	26,688	23,444
Total trading.....	743	900	859	892	5,417,996	5,300,769	8,526,389	12,675,607	7,292	5,889	9,925	14,210
Brokers and transporters.....	42	33	23	23	792,583	740,880	717,268	464,012	18,871	22,451	31,185	20,174
Total commercial.....	983	1,177	1,153	1,183	10,417,527	12,994,411	15,975,814	22,558,941	10,598	11,040	13,857	19,068

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FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING MARCH.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	4	20	26	31	298,800	527,500	2,265,095	1,414,345	74,700	26,375	87,119	45,624
Machinery and tools.....	25	63	43	36	1,478,334	2,022,619	1,695,952	1,961,404	59,133	32,105	39,441	54,483
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	9	11	15	16	620,800	341,600	558,500	1,351,200	68,977	31,055	37,233	84,450
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	0	7	20	10	185,781	464,800	476,000	905,824	30,963	66,400	23,800	90,582
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	95	96	115	146	1,591,819	2,623,529	2,515,547	4,719,449	16,756	27,328	21,674	32,325
Clothing and millinery.....	59	56	58	94	999,666	467,205	747,834	1,125,266	16,943	8,342	12,894	11,971
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	6	11	9	16	55,435	190,400	47,484	383,396	9,239	17,309	5,276	23,962
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	12	30	35	30	273,253	2,355,253	403,452	788,974	22,771	78,508	11,527	26,325
Printing and engraving.....	43	41	53	51	690,811	200,367	941,105	1,161,426	16,065	4,887	17,757	22,773
Milling and baking.....	28	45	34	54	269,074	277,722	941,910	970,022	9,610	6,171	27,703	17,963
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	30	46	52	47	515,880	606,588	1,238,482	1,248,740	18,196	13,197	23,817	26,569
Liquors and tobacco.....	20	33	45	52	1,454,021	598,637	2,217,998	2,228,821	72,701	18,140	49,288	42,862
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	13	23	22	20	400,482	383,276	945,866	467,059	30,806	16,664	42,994	23,253
All other.....	161	205	251	232	1,877,908	2,586,660	7,416,919	4,781,400	11,664	12,618	29,547	20,699
Total manufacturing.....	511	687	778	835	10,742,064	13,646,156	22,412,144	23,507,326	21,021	19,861	28,807	28,152
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	407	484	505	494	3,098,481	2,652,033	2,696,485	3,880,772	7,613	5,479	5,339	7,855
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	525	775	646	666	1,803,628	2,356,035	2,674,297	3,809,447	3,435	3,040	4,139	5,720
Hotels and restaurants.....	87	89	106	97	640,675	515,692	757,116	562,219	7,364	5,794	7,142	5,796
Liquors and tobacco.....	216	247	286	262	1,217,524	971,972	1,464,068	1,604,387	5,637	3,935	5,119	6,124
Clothing and furnishing.....	158	213	222	224	1,097,677	1,694,273	1,983,363	3,318,062	6,947	7,954	8,934	14,813
Dry goods and carpets.....	138	175	207	236	1,698,968	1,737,642	2,664,525	4,739,372	12,311	9,357	12,872	20,082
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	110	148	167	174	1,178,455	864,944	1,680,752	3,269,648	10,713	5,844	10,065	18,791
Furniture and crockery.....	51	98	107	91	435,730	806,532	945,497	939,502	8,543	8,230	8,836	10,323
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	70	99	175	156	547,441	1,082,038	1,518,884	1,299,508	7,820	10,929	8,679	8,330
Drugs and paints.....	87	145	149	153	490,585	618,509	795,644	818,902	5,639	4,265	5,339	5,352
Jewelry and clocks.....	57	60	88	103	312,584	459,618	1,656,862	916,645	5,484	7,660	18,828	8,899
Books and papers.....	13	36	58	56	53,948	372,546	448,536	680,997	4,149	10,348	7,733	12,161
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	10	19	21	31	157,070	920,154	117,475	222,872	15,707	48,429	5,594	7,190
All other.....	246	329	336	375	2,304,852	2,418,827	4,643,100	5,361,979	9,369	7,352	13,819	14,300
Total trading.....	2,175	2,917	3,073	3,118	15,037,618	17,470,815	24,046,604	31,424,312	6,914	5,989	7,825	10,078
Brokers and transporters.....	86	83	81	78	1,372,349	1,829,594	1,549,163	2,493,497	15,958	22,043	19,125	31,711
Total commercial.....	2,772	3,687	3,932	4,031	27,152,031	32,946,565	48,007,911	57,425,135	9,795	8,936	12,210	14,246

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FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	MANUFACTURERS.														
	Iron, foundries and rails.	Machinery and tools.	Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.	Cottons, lace, and hosiery.	Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.	Clothing and millinery.	Hats, gloves, and furs.	Chemicals, drugs, and paints.	Printing and engraving.	Milling and baking.	Leather, shoes, and harness.	Liquors and tobacco.	Glass, earthenware, and brick.	All other.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—January	180,000	80,000	30,000	50,000	240,000	110,000	70,000	30,000	80,000	230,000	280,000	80,000	240,000	1,590,000	3,310,000
February	360,000	50,000	100,000	60,000	480,000	260,000	190,000	40,000	60,000	90,000	90,000	110,000	270,000	1,710,000	3,900,000
March	510,000	990,000	.....	60,000	490,000	430,000	160,000	280,000	130,000	200,000	170,000	1,960,000	20,000	4,610,000	13,010,000
April	290,000	190,000	10,000	560,000	370,000	160,000	210,000	180,000	70,000	580,000	210,000	400,000	110,000	1,160,000	4,520,000
May	140,000	40,000	90,000	30,000	340,000	70,000	370,000	50,000	80,000	180,000	120,000	140,000	170,000	1,580,000	3,400,000
June	180,000	210,000	130,000	100,000	320,000	320,000	.....	480,000	70,000	180,000	190,000	340,000	40,000	9,580,000	12,160,000
July	60,000	150,000	120,000	40,000	120,000	230,000	.....	30,000	70,000	140,000	30,000	140,000	40,000	1,690,000	2,870,000
August	190,000	510,000	50,000	10,000	120,000	190,000	50,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	80,000	90,000	100,000	2,510,000	4,130,000
September ..	90,000	120,000	90,000	40,000	720,000	1,110,000	90,000	70,000	760,000	40,000	150,000	290,000	80,000	1,550,000	5,210,000
October	860,000	80,000	1,290,000	240,000	1,580,000	1,060,000	110,000	150,000	70,000	90,000	50,000	240,000	210,000	860,000	6,900,000
November ..	140,000	540,000	180,000	50,000	500,000	340,000	130,000	320,000	60,000	40,000	200,000	220,000	230,000	1,300,000	4,250,000
December ..	1,120,000	400,000	200,000	60,000	780,000	440,000	510,000	40,000	200,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	60,000	6,220,000	10,260,000
	4,120,000	3,360,000	2,290,000	1,300,000	6,060,000	4,720,000	1,890,000	1,690,000	1,780,000	1,860,000	1,700,000	7,080,000	1,570,000	34,360,000	73,920,000
1896—January	530,000	730,000	190,000	10,000	1,260,000	370,000	170,000	120,000	330,000	220,000	800,000	1,450,000	110,000	2,260,000	8,580,000
February	240,000	100,000	70,000	820,000	620,000	220,000	30,000	60,000	430,000	70,000	300,000	530,000	180,000	1,820,000	5,500,000
March	630,000	1,130,000	1,090,000	70,000	2,840,000	530,000	180,000	610,000	390,000	680,000	140,000	240,000	180,000	700,000	9,420,000
April	670,000	30,000	940,000	210,000	1,560,000	460,000	40,000	210,000	160,000	230,000	190,000	670,000	110,000	1,160,000	6,850,000
May	120,000	580,000	450,000	90,000	500,000	380,000	100,000	220,000	390,000	30,000	280,000	90,000	20,000	1,350,000	4,620,000
June	380,000	680,000	1,480,000	60,000	700,000	260,000	.....	150,000	220,000	440,000	420,000	40,000	90,000	3,230,000	8,210,000
July	700,000	280,000	460,000	60,000	1,460,000	320,000	50,000	570,000	850,000	130,000	80,000	230,000	730,000	1,680,000	7,570,000
August	600,000	370,000	160,000	120,000	3,790,000	110,000	20,000	50,000	40,000	650,000	60,000	230,300	190,000	6,160,000	13,100,000
September ..	350,000	580,000	600,000	720,000	1,310,000	330,000	50,000	170,000	80,000	230,000	880,000	1,600,000	20,000	4,890,000	11,810,000
October	190,000	330,000	2,070,000	80,000	730,000	690,000	30,000	150,000	170,000	220,000	180,000	450,000	50,000	1,580,000	6,940,000
November ..	70,000	540,000	150,000	280,000	560,000	520,000	70,000	100,000	180,000	100,000	140,000	240,000	40,000	1,660,000	4,660,000
December ..	580,000	390,000	690,000	130,000	970,000	370,000	350,000	240,000	270,000	1,010,000	500,000	2,510,000	340,000	3,040,000	11,390,000
	5,060,000	5,740,000	8,350,000	2,650,000	16,300,000	4,580,000	1,090,000	2,650,000	3,510,000	4,010,000	3,970,000	8,280,000	2,060,000	29,530,000	98,450,000
1897—January	1,550,000	490,000	120,000	20,000	760,000	170,000	20,000	90,000	190,000	360,000	450,000	1,950,000	280,000	2,090,000	3,570,000
February	520,000	640,000	290,000	30,000	830,000	470,000	.....	170,000	190,000	130,000	230,000	150,000	540,000	2,530,000	7,110,000
March	190,000	570,000	140,000	150,000	910,000	100,000	20,000	150,000	560,000	450,000	550,000	120,000	120,000	2,690,000	6,730,000
April	760,000	40,000	260,000	8,540,000	590,000	100,000	.....	.....	90,000	850,000	80,000	200,000	40,000	1,260,000	12,140,000
May	680,000	90,000	80,000	520,000	290,000	130,000	70,000	40,000	100,000	170,000	740,000	250,000	220,000	1,210,000	4,600,000
June	1,490,000	630,000	120,000	10,000	460,000	170,000	30,000	70,000	360,000	350,000	280,000	220,000	150,000	2,120,000	6,360,000
July	20,000	190,000	250,000	110,000	190,000	190,000	30,000	20,000	50,000	110,000	40,000	30,000	160,000	1,150,000	2,550,000
August	120,000	350,000	10,000	220,000	420,000	120,000	10,000	30,000	220,000	110,000	240,000	260,000	50,000	1,430,000	3,580,000
September ..	380,000	410,000	40,000	40,000	510,000	140,000	30,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	460,000	180,000	110,000	680,000	3,320,000
October	20,000	130,000	10,000	30,000	320,000	360,000	30,000	90,000	160,000	80,000	60,000	440,000	140,000	990,000	2,890,000
November ..	80,000	180,000	.....	120,000	1,610,000	260,000	90,000	70,000	880,000	50,000	230,000	150,000	10,000	590,000	4,330,000
December ..	130,000	990,000	260,000	30,000	580,000	250,000	360,000	30,000	210,000	210,000	150,000	580,000	150,000	1,530,000	5,340,000
	5,940,000	4,710,000	1,580,000	10,090,000	7,380,000	2,460,000	490,000	820,000	3,220,000	2,940,000	3,510,000	4,530,000	1,970,000	18,370,000	68,510,000
1898—January	334,500	301,601	.....	56,800	771,263	95,911	52,319	44,702	41,498	104,622	243,338	187,300	198,976	621,225	3,054,055
February	7,000	1,113,862	314,800	38,000	636,791	216,982	75,300	136,907	36,603	93,200	163,650	104,003	110,942	591,299	3,639,339
March	186,000	607,156	26,800	370,000	1,215,475	154,312	62,781	2,173,644	122,266	79,900	199,600	307,334	73,358	1,374,136	6,952,762
April	23,000	564,648	168,000	255,000	468,363	403,938	750	1,700	80,602	76,483	263,800	44,000	144,687	2,539,787	5,034,708
May	75,000	634,354	1,117,000	50,000	697,710	145,759	83,505	76,775	339,100	40,768	525,282	258,392	52,356	1,191,700	5,287,701
June	268,569	982,925	40,000	21,750	594,275	486,169	28,178	39,151	1,135,348	52,800	99,700	274,092	150,767	2,625,855	6,799,579
July	301,000	824,400	53,500	25,000	259,000	52,943	.....	52,000	153,100	361,559	184,913	148,392	186,900	1,700,958	4,303,665
August	2,600	195,100	89,500	12,200	105,136	80,755	700	47,300	20,695	71,200	176,500	88,300	152,600	838,647	1,881,233
September ..	121,709	509,700	.....	1,084,300	320,313	137,354	30,500	16,767	157,524	45,832	127,050	12,400	118,000	1,241,810	3,923,199
October	65,000	822,000	1,987,600	70,123	555,715	195,380	15,500	61,670	21,248	49,000	1,312,801	159,800	28,500	1,802,373	7,146,710
November ..	215,635	188,900	35,500	600	254,449	268,216	68,177	21,500	62,700	5,050	7,230	86,350	12,800	1,996,506	4,323,613
December ..	506,176	541,743	2,596,000	32,800	455,955	189,225	87,500	161,300	93,413	139,200	292,586	180,455	176,194	845,250	6,297,797
	2,106,189	7,286,389	6,428,700	2,016,573	6,334,445	2,426,944	505,210	2,833,356	2,624,097	1,119,564	3,596,450	1,850,818	1,406,080	17,369,546	57,544,361
1899—January	30,000	134,177	143,000	.....	259,511	267,656	20,000	83,000	175,765	7,777	93,824	305,656	142,500	546,702	2,209,568
February	250,000	1,159,257	325,000	43,000	566,990	216,060	8,300	34,790	402,455	48,699	263,289	121,165	178,000	708,543	4,325,548
March	18,800	184,900	152,800	142,781	765,318	515,950	27,135	155,463	112,591	212,598	188,767	1,027,200	79,982	622,663	4,206,948
Twelve months ending June 30—															
1895	3,770,000	2,590,000	1,730,000	2,340,000	3,790,000	2,660,000	1,760,000	1,560,000	1,020,000	2,020,000	2,280,000	6,940,000	1,440,000	32,110,000	66,130,000
1896	5,030,000	5,050,000	6,150,000	1,800,000	11,300,000	5,610,000	1,410,000	2,000,000	3,210,000	2,070,000	2,770,000	4,070,000	1,410,000	24,700,000	76,600,000
1897	7,680,000	4,950,000	5,140,000	10,930,000	12,570,000	3,480,000	710,000	1,800,000	3,080,000	4,650,000	4,170,000	8,150,000	2,720,000	30,900,000	100,980,000
1898	1,644,069	6,454,546	2,236,600	1,341,550	8,013,877	2,823,071	852,833	2,772,879	3,485,417	1,077,723	2,675,370	2,815,121	1,351,086	15,314,002	52,768,144

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	TRADERS.															Total.
	General stores.	Groceries, meats, and fish.	Hotels and restaurants.	Liquors and tobacco.	Clothing and furnishing.	Dry goods and carpets.	Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.	Furniture and crockery.	Hardware, stoves, and tools.	Drugs and paints.	Jewelry and clocks.	Books and papers.	Hats, furs, and gloves.	All other.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1895—January	2,110,000	1,060,000	190,000	710,000	680,000	2,070,000	490,000	320,000	370,000	350,000	490,000	180,000	310,000	1,870,000	11,220,000	
February	1,030,000	1,000,000	180,000	1,060,000	540,000	1,160,000	480,000	230,000	140,000	250,000	130,000	110,000	40,000	1,040,000	7,430,000	
March	970,000	480,000	230,000	740,000	780,000	840,000	350,000	370,000	210,000	130,000	260,000	100,000	40,000	1,320,000	6,830,000	
April	1,650,000	800,000	130,000	380,000	510,000	630,000	240,000	190,000	280,000	170,000	230,000	130,000	30,000	910,000	6,320,000	
May	1,110,000	660,000	220,000	490,000	460,000	430,000	310,000	110,000	340,000	80,000	20,000	100,000	270,000	1,550,000	6,140,000	
June	520,000	730,000	130,000	550,000	570,000	1,610,000	300,000	100,000	140,000	140,000	260,000	100,000	220,000	1,830,000	7,230,000	
July	440,000	410,000	500,000	180,000	520,000	790,000	170,000	90,000	230,000	130,000	70,000	160,000	150,000	2,870,000	6,700,000	
August	490,000	520,000	540,000	250,000	820,000	1,090,000	170,000	50,000	680,000	210,000	90,000	110,000	30,000	1,220,000	6,270,000	
September ..	620,000	510,000	270,000	170,000	490,000	270,000	150,000	100,000	250,000	950,000	220,000	80,000	.....	1,360,000	5,460,000
October	1,400,000	620,000	380,000	530,000	1,490,000	890,000	740,000	130,000	430,000	220,000	150,000	70,000	50,000	1,180,000	8,280,000	
November ..	1,340,000	530,000	90,000	310,000	1,230,000	1,000,000	210,000	100,000	420,000	150,000	80,000	80,000	150,000	1,310,000	6,990,000	
December ..	1,570,000	810,000	660,000	630,000	1,660,000	1,450,000	440,000	280,000	520,000	230,000	480,000	80,000	160,000	4,850,000	13,830,000	
	13,250,000	8,130,000	3,520,000	6,000,000	9,750,000	12,230,000	4,050,000	2,070,000	4,010,000	3,010,000	2,480,000	1,300,000	1,450,000	21,310,000	92,700,000	
1896—January	1,470,000	1,680,000	150,000	600,000	1,350,000	1,370,000	2,050,000	250,000	330,000	480,000	390,000	410,000	100,000	1,430,000	12,140,000	
February ..	1,120,000	910,000	190,000	490,000	370,000	600,000	510,000	140,000	590,000	90,000	230,000	90,000	60,000	1,170,000	6,610,000	
March	1,280,000	1,220,000	210,000	440,000	1,590,000	2,760,000	700,000	540,000	370,000	240,000	290,000	170,000	60,000	2,770,000	12,670,000	
April	850,000	550,000	200,000	460,000	470,000	550,000	390,000	210,000	200,000	480,000	240,000	100,000	.....	830,000	5,530,000
May	500,000	950,000	680,000	400,000	520,000	930,000	250,000	90,000	360,000	330,000	170,000	100,000	330,000	1,490,000	7,090,000	
June	690,000	580,000	160,000	680,000	890,000	880,000	470,000	180,000	340,000	170,000	290,000	40,000	40,000	1,920,000	7,320,000	
July	690,000	700,000	80,000	730,000	240,000	760,000	210,000	150,000	350,000	180,000	100,000	240,000	30,000	2,460,000	6,910,000	
August	460,000	620,000	160,000	340,000	870,000	2,470,000	450,000	600,000	320,000	100,000	700,000	20,000	50,000	1,880,000	9,060,000	
September ..	1,110,000	920,000	480,000	820,000	930,000	2,630,000	490,000	880,000	720,000	390,000	470,000	270,000	20,000	2,650,000	12,780,000	
October	1,030,000	690,000	270,000	350,000	1,070,000	1,640,000	380,000	150,000	430,000	150,000	150,000	90,000	70,000	920,000	7,420,000	
November ..	1,350,000	510,000	200,000	350,000	1,730,000	1,160,000	220,000	260,000	400,000	170,000	90,000	10,000	20,000	1,020,000	7,480,000	
December ..	1,840,000	1,490,000	390,000	700,000	1,750,000	2,960,000	1,440,000	420,000	710,000	340,000	480,000	60,000	120,000	1,340,000	14,040,000	
	12,390,000	10,820,000	3,170,000	6,420,000	11,780,000	18,710,000	7,560,000	3,870,000	5,120,000	3,120,000	3,600,000	1,610,000	900,000	19,880,000	109,050,000	
1897—January	1,110,000	870,000	320,000	540,000	760,000	1,090,000	630,000	240,000	520,000	300,000	1,130,000	230,000	30,000	1,600,000	9,390,000	
February ..	810,000	660,000	340,000	400,000	540,000	740,000	520,000	290,000	470,000	190,000	130,000	50,000	60,000	930,000	6,130,000	
March	780,000	1,140,000	90,000	530,000	680,000	830,000	530,000	420,000	520,000	300,000	400,000	170,000	30,000	2,110,000	8,530,000	
April	730,000	540,000	110,000	270,000	330,000	600,000	290,000	200,000	190,000	190,000	60,000	120,000	.....	1,000,000	4,660,000
May	330,000	470,000	160,000	490,000	690,000	700,000	140,000	230,000	490,000	160,000	110,000	50,000	20,000	790,000	4,840,000	
June	670,000	620,000	320,000	680,000	860,000	700,000	410,000	620,000	450,000	170,000	140,000	80,000	60,000	1,930,000	7,730,000	
July	420,000	380,000	470,000	310,000	460,000	510,000	160,000	280,000	200,000	120,000	50,000	70,000	20,000	690,000	4,140,000	
August	430,000	410,000	150,000	510,000	340,000	350,000	340,000	80,000	430,000	180,000	110,000	170,000	10,000	660,000	4,180,000	
September ..	580,000	520,000	140,000	270,000	510,000	400,000	530,000	160,000	280,000	180,000	70,000	50,000	10,000	810,000	4,510,000	
October	590,000	360,000	130,000	460,000	340,000	1,480,000	260,000	60,000	270,000	170,000	30,000	20,000	210,000	570,000	4,940,000	
November ..	1,050,000	470,000	350,000	220,000	730,000	1,150,000	170,000	90,000	310,000	170,000	140,000	60,000	60,000	480,000	5,450,000	
December ..	1,730,000	1,230,000	240,000	430,000	1,060,000	1,490,000	580,000	310,000	790,000	240,000	340,000	180,000	90,000	1,210,000	9,990,000	
	9,230,000	7,670,000	2,820,000	5,110,000	7,300,000	10,040,000	4,510,000	2,980,000	4,930,000	2,370,000	2,710,000	1,250,000	610,000	12,780,000	74,490,000	
1898—January	1,003,659	778,617	357,317	471,107	859,554	439,028	356,403	328,462	303,292	269,098	165,785	91,964	836,600	761,128	7,022,014	
February ..	679,041	716,051	55,456	209,279	313,902	830,812	304,297	207,100	401,238	172,316	142,769	223,382	14,854	877,541	5,148,032	
March	969,333	861,367	102,925	291,586	520,817	467,802	204,244	270,970	377,508	177,095	151,064	57,200	68,700	780,158	5,300,769	
April	361,548	737,963	186,491	113,373	422,041	468,350	242,253	132,580	256,414	80,081	49,442	22,500	28,842	885,589	3,987,467	
May	568,942	685,717	127,562	464,972	873,711	291,558	315,971	80,420	163,162	182,511	328,271	17,600	32,000	955,658	5,087,995	
June	739,167	924,323	276,810	407,597	877,350	775,650	489,227	146,331	126,546	154,288	150,388	23,156	101,736	1,217,780	6,410,349	
July	326,090	471,346	216,113	333,724	135,611	366,085	222,525	118,084	111,806	126,884	56,124	11,700	15,000	860,322	3,371,414	
August	268,439	374,883	50,467	338,459	265,295	438,034	917,265	31,353	215,409	77,465	25,127	46,286	158,500	612,174	3,819,156	
September ..	491,302	574,009	241,050	253,534	205,720	352,112	236,867	334,940	447,950	130,105	82,374	29,627	170,837	854,425	4,404,852	
October	676,559	434,849	116,543	241,451	324,806	1,067,302	403,904	58,794	269,499	168,480	22,400	11,200	3,560	398,186	5,097,533	
November ..	790,930	502,077	141,399	153,709	732,299	323,931	72,364	276,685	157,616	119,351	69,673	105,178	21,000	510,835	3,977,051	
December ..	1,646,351	1,510,329	507,271	302,174	9											

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

QUARTERLY STATEMENTS OF FAILURES AND AVERAGE OF LIABILITIES, 1875-1890.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR THE YEAR.		
	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabil- ities.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabil- ities.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabil- ities.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabil- ities.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabil- ities.
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1875.....	1,982	43,173,000	21,782	1,582	33,667,000	21,295	1,771	54,328,000	30,676	2,405	70,888,000	29,475	7,740	201,060,333	25,960
1876.....	2,806	64,644,000	23,039	1,794	43,771,000	24,398	2,450	47,857,371	19,533	2,042	34,844,893	17,064	9,092	191,117,786	21,020
1877.....	2,869	54,538,074	19,010	1,880	45,068,097	23,972	1,816	42,346,085	23,318	2,307	48,717,680	21,117	8,872	190,669,936	21,491
1878.....	3,355	82,078,826	24,464	2,470	48,753,940	19,738	2,853	66,378,363	23,266	1,800	37,172,003	20,651	10,478	234,383,132	22,369
1879.....	2,524	43,112,665	17,081	1,534	22,666,725	14,776	1,202	15,275,550	12,104	1,338	17,094,113	12,775	6,658	98,140,053	14,741
1880.....	1,432	12,777,074	8,922	1,065	20,111,689	18,884	979	12,121,422	12,381	1,259	20,741,815	16,474	4,735	65,752,000	13,886
1881.....	1,761	24,447,250	13,900	1,105	16,499,395	14,931	1,024	10,112,365	9,875	1,692	30,096,922	17,600	5,582	81,155,932	14,530
1882.....	2,127	33,338,271	15,670	1,470	17,242,649	11,722	1,300	18,942,893	14,571	1,841	32,023,751	17,394	6,738	101,547,564	15,070
1883.....	2,821	38,372,643	13,602	1,816	27,816,391	15,317	1,803	52,072,884	28,881	2,744	54,612,254	19,902	9,184	172,874,172	18,823
1884.....	3,296	40,186,978	12,193	2,214	84,204,304	37,998	2,346	56,627,821	24,138	3,112	45,324,324	14,547	10,968	226,343,427	20,032
1885.....	3,658	46,121,051	12,608	2,346	28,601,304	12,091	2,173	23,874,391	10,986	2,460	25,023,575	10,416	10,637	124,220,321	11,678
1886.....	3,203	29,681,726	9,266	1,953	20,752,734	15,740	1,932	27,227,630	14,090	2,746	36,982,029	13,467	9,834	114,644,119	11,651
1887.....	3,007	32,161,762	10,695	1,905	22,976,330	12,061	1,938	73,022,556	37,674	2,784	39,400,296	14,152	9,634	167,560,944	17,392
1888.....	2,948	38,884,789	13,190	2,241	29,229,370	13,043	2,361	22,114,254	9,366	3,129	33,601,560	10,738	10,679	123,829,973	11,595
1889.....	3,311	42,972,516	12,979	2,292	22,856,337	9,972	2,276	39,227,045	17,235	3,003	43,728,439	14,561	10,882	148,784,337	13,672
1890.....	3,223	37,852,968	11,747	2,162	27,466,416	12,704	2,196	35,452,436	16,144	3,326	89,085,144	26,784	10,907	189,856,964	17,406
1891.....	3,545	42,167,631	11,894	2,529	50,248,636	19,868	2,754	44,302,494	16,086	3,445	53,149,877	15,428	12,273	189,868,638	15,471
1892.....	3,384	39,284,349	11,609	2,119	22,989,331	10,849	1,984	18,659,235	9,405	2,867	33,111,252	11,549	10,344	114,044,167	11,025
1893.....	3,202	47,338,300	14,784	3,199	121,541,239	37,984	4,015	82,469,821	20,402	4,826	95,430,529	19,770	15,242	346,779,889	22,751
1894.....	4,304	64,137,333	14,900	2,734	37,595,973	13,751	2,868	29,411,196	10,028	3,979	41,848,354	10,172	13,885	172,992,856	12,458
1895.....	3,802	47,813,683	12,577	2,855	41,026,261	14,370	2,792	32,167,179	11,528	3,748	52,188,737	13,924	13,197	173,196,060	13,124
1896.....	4,031	57,425,135	14,246	2,995	40,444,547	13,504	3,757	73,285,349	19,507	4,305	54,941,803	12,762	15,088	226,096,834	14,992
1897.....	3,932	48,007,911	12,210	2,889	43,684,876	15,121	2,881	25,601,188	8,886	3,649	37,038,096	10,150	13,351	154,332,071	11,559
1898.....	3,687	32,946,565	8,936	3,031	34,498,074	11,381	2,540	25,104,778	9,886	2,928	38,113,482	13,017	12,186	130,662,899	19,722
1899.....	2,772	27,152,031	9,795												

FAILURES AND AGGREGATE LIABILITIES, 1879-1893.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.	CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.
				Dollars.					Dollars.
1879.....	6,658	702,157	.95	98,149,053	1889.....	10,882	1,051,140	1.04	148,784,337
1880.....	4,735	746,823	.63	65,752,000	1890.....	10,907	1,110,590	.98	189,856,964
1881.....	5,582	781,689	.71	81,155,932	1891.....	12,273	1,142,951	1.07	189,868,638
1882.....	6,738	822,256	.82	101,547,546	1892.....	10,344	1,172,705	.88	114,044,167
1883.....	9,184	863,993	1.06	172,874,172	1893.....	15,242	1,193,113	1.28	346,779,889
1884.....	10,968	904,759	1.21	226,343,427	1894.....	13,885	1,114,174	1.25	172,992,856
1885.....	10,637	919,990	1.16	124,220,321	1895.....	13,197	1,209,282	1.09	173,196,060
1886.....	9,834	969,841	1.01	114,644,119	1896.....	15,088	1,151,579	1.31	226,096,834
1887.....	9,634	994,281	.90	167,560,944	1897.....	13,351	1,058,521	1.26	154,332,071
1888.....	10,679	1,046,662	1.02	123,829,973	1898.....	12,186	1,005,830	1.10	130,662,899

MISCELLANEOUS TABLES.

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PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION OF WOOL.

[From Helmuth Schwartz & Co.'s Annual Wool Circular, London.]

The total quantity of raw wool available for consumption in 1898, exclusive of old stocks, was 2,261 million pounds against 2,304 million pounds in the preceding year. The decrease in the Australian production was not quite so heavy as at first expected, while the imports of Cape wool were swelled by early arrivals in December. The imports of River Plate bales for the calendar year (Europe and North America together) were somewhat less than in the previous year, but the average weight of the bales was again heavier, thus indicating an increase in the total quantity. Sundry sorts show a reduction.

Calculated in clean wool the falling off in the total supply is comparatively greater, viz, 30 million pounds, or about $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

The quantity of clean wool left for consumption was on the average of periods as follows, per head of population :

Period.	Pounds and decimals.	Increase on previous period.
1861-1870.....	2.26	.....
1871-1880.....	2.43	+ $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.
1881-1890.....	2.57	+ 6 per cent.
1891-1898.....	2.80	+ 9 per cent.

The supplies in 1895 were the largest on record, and heavy stocks were carried over to the following years. Averaging the last four years, and comparing them with the two preceding periods of four years, the result is as follows:

PRODUCTION OF CLEAN WOOL.

Period.	Total million pounds.	Per head of population, pounds and decimals.	Average value per bale of Colonial wool, £ and decimal.
1887-1890.....	1,053	2.61	14.4
1891-1894.....	1,169	2.78	12.4
1895-1898.....	1,238	2.83	11.7

The increase in the quantities since 1887-1890 amounts to $17\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, or allowing for the growth of population, to $8\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, while the value of Colonial wool is 19 per cent less.

The quantity of raw wool left for consumption in Europe last year was larger than ever before, owing to the insignificance of the American demand, but if the last two years are taken together the total is less than in the two preceding years, viz, 3,556 million pounds in 1897-98 against 3,619 million pounds in 1895-96. The quantity retained by North America is the smallest since 1881; the net imports into the United States, which amounted to 354 million pounds in 1897, were only 95 million pounds in 1898, and of these only 62 million pounds went into consumption, the stock in bond being increased from 25 to 58 million pounds. The actual consumption in the United States was probably smaller than usual, and the general stock appears to be still very large.

This year's supply of wool will not show any material increase so far as can be judged at present, and if the United States will only take a moderate quantity it will go far to lighten the supplies for the European industry. With regard to the character of the supplies we can only repeat what we said in previous reports, that the production of merino wool will be less than at any time since 1888.

PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION OF WOOL (IN MILLIONS OF POUNDS) IN EUROPE AND NORTH AMERICA.

[Figures for Europe exclude the Balkan Peninsula.]

RAW WOOL, IN THE STATE AS RECEIVED.

YEAR.	PRODUCTION.				IMPORTS.					SUPPLY.
	United Kingdom (fleece washed).	Continent (fleece washed).	North America. (a)	Total Europe and North America.	Australasian.	Cape.	River Plate.	Other sorts.	Total imports.	
1887.....	134	450	315	899	418	69	292	163	942	1,841
1888.....	134	450	315	899	471	87	329	161	1,048	1,947
1889.....	133	450	309	892	478	93	375	184	1,130	2,022
1890.....	138	450	322	910	511	91	272	160	1,034	1,944
1891.....	148	450	320	918	592	102	330	179	1,203	2,121
1892.....	153	450	346	949	644	88	369	175	1,276	2,225
1893.....	151	450	361	962	632	91	360	164	1,247	2,209
1894.....	142	450	338	930	659	73	376	174	1,282	2,212
1895.....	135	450	307	892	730	84	439	197	1,450	2,342
1896.....	136	450	285	871	646	96	464	186	1,392	2,263
1897.....	139	450	272	861	660	83	496	204	1,443	2,304
1898.....	139	450	280	869	608	90	513	181	1,392	2,261

a Production of the United States and 13 million pounds added for British North America.

CLEAN WOOL, ESTIMATED YIELD AFTER WASHING.

YEAR.	United Kingdom.	Continent.	North America.	Total Europe and North America.	Australasian.	Cape.	River Plate.	Other sorts.	Total imports.	Grand total.
1887.....	100	300	151	551	209	42	108	105	464	1,015
1888.....	100	300	151	551	231	49	122	106	508	1,059
1889.....	100	300	145	545	234	49	139	118	540	1,085
1890.....	104	300	150	554	250	47	101	102	500	1,054
1891.....	111	300	148	559	290	52	122	114	578	1,137
1892.....	115	300	154	569	315	47	140	113	615	1,184
1893.....	113	300	160	573	310	46	140	106	602	1,175
1894.....	106	300	149	555	323	38	150	113	624	1,179
1895.....	101	300	134	535	365	45	184	128	722	1,257
1896.....	102	300	124	526	329	49	195	122	695	1,221
1897.....	104	300	120	524	337	41	218	132	728	1,252
1898.....	104	300	121	525	310	42	226	119	697	1,222

YEAR.	LEFT FOR CONSUMPTION, RAW WOOL.				POPULATION.	CONSUMPTION, PER HEAD OF POPULATION (IN POUNDS AND DECIMALS).	
	United Kingdom.	Continent.	North America.	Grand total.		Europe and North America.	Clean wool.
1887.....	392	1,030	419	1,841	397	4.64	2.56
1888.....	433	1,090	424	1,947	401	4.86	2.64
1889.....	470	1,115	437	2,022	405	4.99	2.68
1890.....	428	1,085	431	1,944	410	4.74	2.57
1891.....	487	1,174	460	2,121	414	5.12	2.75
1892.....	467	1,244	514	2,225	418	5.32	2.83
1893.....	485	1,254	470	2,209	423	5.22	2.78
1894.....	507	1,247	458	2,212	428	5.17	2.76
1895.....	510	1,281	551	2,342	432	5.42	2.91
1896.....	520	1,308	435	2,263	436	5.19	2.80
1897.....	495	1,179	630	2,304	440	5.24	2.85
1898.....	562	1,320	379	2,261	445	5.08	2.75

**NUMBER OF PASSENGERS DEPARTED FROM SEAPORTS OF THE UNITED STATES FOR FOREIGN COUNTRIES,
OTHER THAN BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, DURING THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1898.**

[In the absence of law requiring masters of vessels departing from the United States for foreign countries to deliver to collectors of customs returns of the passengers embarking on such vessels, reliance is had upon the courtesy of the agents of steamship and packet lines for information on the outward passenger movement. The following statistics relate only to the departure from the seaports indicated in the table, and comprise only the data secured in the manner above indicated, but it is probable that the departures given embrace nearly the entire passenger movement from the United States to foreign countries from our seaports.]

LINE OF VESSELS.	Port of destination.	CABIN PASSENGERS.							PASSENGERS OTHER THAN CABIN.							Total passengers departed.
		Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total cabin.	Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total other than cabin.	
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	<i>From Baltimore, Md.</i>															
Buckman Fruit Co	Port Antonio, Jamaica	1	2	3	28	16	44	47				4		4	4	51
Hamburg-American	Hamburg, Germany								49	47	96	199	70	269	365	365
North German Lloyd	Bremen, Germany	42	41	83	285	359	644	727	206	200	406	993	859	1,852	2,258	2,985
Sailing vessels	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil				1		1	1								1
	Melbourne, Australia				1		1	1								1
	Eleuthera, British West Indies				1		1	1								1
	Total Baltimore	43	43	86	316	375	691	777	255	247	502	1,196	929	2,125	2,627	3,404
	<i>From Boston, Mass.</i>															
Boston Fruit Co	Port Antonio, Jamaica	2	4	6	276	121	397	403								403
Cunard	Liverpool, England	69	77	146	630	738	1,368	1,514	306	230	536	1,481	1,571	3,052	3,588	5,102
Leyland	do	17	15	32	210	195	405	437								437
Warren	do	67	63	130	612	704	1,316	1,446	235	204	439	1,040	1,140	2,180	2,619	4,065
Sailing vessels	Buenos Ayres, Argentina				1		1	1								1
	Gorée, French Africa				1	1	2	2								2
	Montevideo, Uruguay				1		1	1								1
	St. Johns, Newfoundland				1		1	1								1
	St. Pierre, Miquelon				2		2	2								2
	Surinam, Dutch Guiana				2		2	2								2
	Total Boston	155	159	314	1,736	1,759	3,495	3,809	541	434	975	2,521	2,711	5,232	6,207	10,016
	<i>From New Bedford, Mass.</i>															
Sailing vessel	Brava, Cape Verde Islands				16	2	18	18	1		1	27	2	29	30	48
	<i>From Newport News, Va.</i>															
C. and O.	London, England		3	3	3	1	4	7								7
	<i>From New York.</i>															
Allan State	Glasgow, Scotland	108	71	179	350	449	799	978	53	54	107	205	156	361	468	1,446
Anchor	do	269	250	519	1,454	1,749	3,203	3,722	335	304	639	1,849	1,526	3,375	4,014	7,736
	Naples, Italy	2	3	5	26	24	50	55	67	67	134	1,085	371	1,456	1,590	1,645
	Total	271	253	524	1,480	1,773	3,253	3,777	402	371	773	2,934	1,897	4,831	5,604	9,381
American	Southampton, England	407	271	678	4,093	2,016	6,109	6,787	339	226	565	3,406	1,678	5,084	5,649	12,436
Atlantic Transportation	London, England	49	60	109	810	964	1,774	1,883				271		271	271	2,154
Atlas	Kingston, Jamaica	13	9	22	277	138	415	437								437
	Sabanilla, Colombia	6	3	9	126	24	150	159								159
	Cartagena, Colombia				44	3	47	47								47
	Limon, Costa Rica	10	6	16	172	61	233	249								249
	Greytown, Nicaragua	6	3	9	52	12	64	73								73
	Port au Prince, Haiti				14	4	18	18								18
	Aux Cayes, Haiti				2		2	2								2
	Jeremie, Haiti				4	5	9	9								9
	Gonaives, Haiti				7	2	9	9								9
	Total	35	21	56	698	249	947	1,003								1,003
Booth S. S. Co.	Brazil	3		3	51	8	59	62				4	1	5	5	67
Cunard	Liverpool and Queens- town, United Kingdom	434	217	651	7,890	4,523	12,413	13,064	447	273	720	8,612	4,421	13,063	13,783	26,847
Clyde and West Indies ..	West Indies	9	16	25	182	34	216	241								241
Fabre	Naples, Italy				12	6	18	18	279	139	418	1,957	978	2,935	3,353	3,371
French	Havre, France	344	230	574	3,455	1,702	5,157	5,731	615	409	1,024	6,178	3,043	9,221	10,245	15,976
Hamburg-American	Plymouth, Cherbourg, and Hamburg	360	240	600	3,618	1,781	5,399	5,999	220	147	367	2,213	1,090	3,303	3,670	9,669
	Direct to Hamburg	188	126	314	1,894	933	2,827	3,141	292	194	486	2,930	1,443	4,373	4,859	8,000
	Gibraltar, Naples, and Genoa	79	53	132	796	392	1,188	1,320	291	195	486	1,772	873	2,645	3,131	4,451
	Stettin, Prussia								24	16	40	244	120	364	404	404
	Total	627	419	1,046	6,308	3,106	9,414	10,460	827	552	1,379	7,159	3,526	10,685	12,064	22,524

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LINE OF VESSELS.	Port of destination.	CABIN PASSENGERS.							PASSENGERS OTHER THAN CABIN.							Total passengers departed.
		Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total cabin.	Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total other than cabin.	
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	<i>From New York—Cont'd.</i>															
Holland-American.....	Rotterdam, via Boulogne-sur-Mer, Amsterdam.	165	110	275	1,426	750	2,176	2,451	306	204	510	2,541	372	2,913	3,423	5,874
Lamport & Holt.....	Brazil and River Plate ...	11	7	18	109	48	157	175	42	48	90	342	58	400	490	665
New York and Porto Rico	San Juan, Porto Rico	10	.....	10	63	32	95	105	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105
North German Lloyd ...	Bremen, Germany	664	442	1,106	6,781	3,340	10,121	11,227	2,452	102	2,554	8,400	4,138	12,538	15,092	26,319
	Gibraltar, Spain	4	3	7	192	94	286	293	202	134	336	1,075	530	1,605	1,941	2,234
	Genoa and Naples	72	42	114	1,685	820	2,511	2,625	940	628	1,568	7,620	3,752	11,372	12,940	15,565
	Total	740	487	1,227	8,658	4,260	12,918	14,145	3,594	864	4,458	17,095	8,420	25,515	29,973	44,118
Panama R. R	Colon, Colombia	28	26	54	555	146	701	755	11	15	26	200	78	278	304	1,059
Quebec	Bermuda	7	9	16	750	460	1,210	1,226	7	5	12	40	45	85	97	1,323
	West Indies	10	5	15	135	94	229	244	5	1	6	24	7	31	37	281
	Total	17	14	31	885	554	1,439	1,470	12	6	18	64	52	116	134	1,604
Red Cross	Brazil	2	2	4	51	16	67	71	2	2	4	14	5	19	23	94
Red Star.....	Antwerp, Belgium.....	232	155	387	2,335	1,149	3,484	3,871	323	214	537	3,237	1,594	4,831	5,368	9,239
Royal Dutch West Indies	Haiti	9	.....	9	114	42	156	165	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	165
Spanish	Havana, Cuba	94	28	122	5	16	21	143	33	200	233	7	11	18	251	394
Thingvalla	Norway	45	53	98	114	183	297	395	165	176	341	781	475	1,256	1,597	1,992
	Sweden	10	8	18	19	41	60	78	112	97	209	432	404	836	1,045	1,123
	Denmark	36	36	72	120	165	285	357	102	94	196	363	273	636	832	1,189
	Total	91	97	188	253	389	642	830	379	367	746	1,576	1,152	2,728	3,474	4,304
Trinidad.....	Trinidad, British West Indies.	7	5	12	128	48	176	188	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	188
	Grenada, British West Indies.	.....	2	2	7	2	9	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
	Total.....	7	7	14	135	50	185	199	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	199
White Star.....	Queenstown and Liverpool.	634	423	1,057	5,756	2,758	8,514	9,571	1,053	701	1,754	7,852	3,867	11,719	13,473	23,044
Wilson	Hull, England .....	.....	2	2	16	21	37	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39
Wilson & Furness.....	London, England	28	27	55	409	405	814	869	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	869
	Total New York.....	4,355	2,943	7,298	45,999	25,566	71,565	78,863	8,717	4,645	13,362	63,684	31,309	94,993	108,355	187,218
	<i>From Providence, R. I.</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sailing vessel.....	Brava, Cape Verde Islands.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	18	4	22	24	24
	<i>From Philadelphia, Pa.</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allan	Glasgow, Scotland .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	415	.....	415	415	415
American.....	Liverpool, England.....	133	128	261	1,028	976	2,004	2,265	374	347	721	1,657	984	2,641	3,362	5,627
Philadelphia Shipping Co.	London, England .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	250	250	250
Philadelphia Trans-Atlantic.	.....do .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	.....	44	44	44
Quaker City Fruit Co....	Jamaica	2	4	6	53	22	75	81	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	81
Red Star.....	Antwerp, Belgium.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	55	105	212	136	348	453	453
Sailing vessel.....	Japan .....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
	Total Philadelphia	135	132	267	1,083	998	2,081	2,348	424	402	826	2,578	1,120	3,698	4,524	6,872
	<i>From St. Augustine, Fla.</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sailing vessel	British West Indies .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
	<i>From St. Johns, Fla.</i>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Steamer	Hope Town, British West Indies.	1	1	7	4	11	12	12
	Nassau, British West Indies.	1	1	2	2	2
	Total St. Johns	1	1	8	5	13	14	14

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LINE OF VESSELS.	Port of destination.	CABIN PASSENGERS.							PASSENGERS OTHER THAN CABIN.							Total passengers departed.
		Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total cabin.	Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total other than cabin.	
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	<i>From Galveston, Tex.</i>															
H. Diedrichsen	Hamburg, Germany				1	2	3	3		1	1	16	8	24	25	28
	Antwerp, Belgium	11	13	24	27	28	55	79	14	9	23	124	40	164	187	266
North German Lloyd	Bremen, Germany				4	13	17	17	7	7	14	48	25	73	87	104
West India and Pacific	Liverpool, England	4	3	7	4	6	10	17								17
French steamer	Genoa, Italy											2		2	2	2
	Total Galveston	15	16	31	36	49	85	116	21	17	38	190	73	263	301	417
	<i>From Key West, Fla.</i>															
Plant Line	Havana, Cuba	13	12	25	272	25	297	322								322
Morgan Line	do	115	210	325	1,375	415	1,790	2,115								2,115
Sailing vessel	Honduras				3		3	3								3
	Nassau, British West Indies.	89	106	195	627	483	1,110	1,305								1,305
	Total Key West	217	328	545	2,277	923	3,200	3,745								3,745
	<i>From Mobile, Ala.</i>															
Snyder Bar. Co	Boca del Toro, Colombia				53	6	59	59								59
Royal Mail	Puerto Cortez				53	7	62	62		2	2	1	1	2	4	66
Mobile S. S. Co	Havana, Cuba				6		6	6								6
	Total Mobile				114	13	127	127		2	2	1	1	2	4	131
	<i>From New Orleans, La.</i>															
Bluefields S. S. Co.	Bluefields, Nicaragua				48	8	56	56				52	1	53	53	109
	Cape Gracias, Nicaragua				5	2	7	7				3		3	3	10
Caribbean Fruit Co.	Bluefields, Nicaragua	1	1	2	9	5	14	16								16
Central American	Ceiba				17	5	22	22				4		4	4	26
Commercial S. S. Co.	Boca del Toro, Colombia				7	2	9	9				8		8	8	17
Costa Rica S. S.	Port Limon	3	7	10	93	25	118	128				78	10	88	83	216
New Orleans and Belize	Belize, Honduras	1	5	6	76	34	110	116				15	2	17	17	133
Royal Mail and Central	Livingston				54	21	75	75				22		22	22	97
American S. S. Co.	Port Barrios	1	1	2	46	12	58	60				16	1	17	17	77
	Puerto Cortez	6	6	12	175	40	215	227				37	4	41	41	263
	Ceiba				16		16	16								16
Oteris Pioneer Line	Port Barrios				2		2	2								2
	Tonxillo				1		1	1				5		5	5	6
	Ceiba				1		1	1								1
	Cienfuegos, Cuba				4		4	4				4		4	4	8
Southern Pacific Co.	Havana, Cuba				31	5	36	36								36
Weinberger S. S. Co.	Bluefields, Nicaragua				31	17	48	48				33	1	34	34	82
West India and Pacific	Liverpool, England	3	1	4	60	38	98	102								102
French steamers	Genoa, Italy								13	10	23	123	15	138	161	161
	Marseilles, France				1		1	1								1
	Total New Orleans	15	21	36	677	214	891	927	13	10	23	400	34	434	457	1,384
	<i>From Tampa, Fla.</i>															
Steamers	Cuba	4	7	11	125	14	139	150								150
Sailing vessel	do				2		2	2								2
Steamer	Honduras				6	2	8	8								8
Sailing vessels	do				40		40	40								40
	Total Tampa	4	7	11	173	16	189	200								200
	<i>From Puget Sound, Wash.</i>															
N. Y. K. & P. C. S. S. Co.	London, England				1	1	2	2								2
	Hongkong, China	2	2	4	14	14	28	32				693	8	701	701	733
	Shanghai, China	4	7	11	25	35	60	71				5	1	6	6	77
	Kobe, Japan	4	1	5	15	7	22	27				20	2	22	22	49
	Yokohama, Japan	3	1	4	30	16	46	50	3	3	6	61	1	62	68	118
	Nagasaki, Japan		1	1	1	1	2	3								3
	Vladivostok, Russia											1		1	1	1
Sailing vessel	Sydney, Australia	1	1	2		1	1	3								3
	Total Puget Sound	14	13	27	86	75	161	188	3	3	6	760	12	792	798	986

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LINE OF VESSELS.	Port of destination.	CABIN PASSENGERS.							PASSENGERS OTHER THAN CABIN.							Total passengers departed.
		Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total cabin.	Under 12 years of age.			12 years of age and over.			Total other than cabin.	
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	<i>From San Francisco, Cal.</i>															
Oceanic S. S. Co.	Australia.....	34	19	53	226	101	327	380	8	6	14	176	70	246	260	640
	Hawaiian Islands.....	43	31	74	646	474	1,120	1,194	18	21	39	458	154	612	651	1,845
	Colombia.....	12	7	19	166	30	196	215				129	17	146	146	361
Pacific Mail and Oriental and Occidental S. S. Co.	China.....	51	42	93	521	310	831	924				34	7	41	41	965
	China—Chinese.....				18	7	25	25				5,563		5,563	5,563	5,588
	Japan.....	6	8	14	202	92	294	308				742		742	742	1,050
Sailing vessels.....	Hawaiian Islands.....	8	6	14	159	98	257	271								271
	Society Isles.....	3	2	5	68	21	89	94								94
	Total San Francisco..	157	115	272	2,006	1,133	3,139	3,411	26	27	53	7,102	248	7,350	7,403	10,814
	<i>From Willamette, Oreg.</i>															
Steamer.....	China.....				3		3	3				124	3	127	127	130
	Total passengers de- parted.	5,111	3,780	8,891	54,533	31,130	85,663	94,554	10,001	5,789	15,790	78,621	36,446	115,067	130,857	225,411
RECAPITULATION.																
From Baltimore, Md.		43	43	86	316	375	691	777	255	247	502	1,196	929	2,125	2,027	3,404
Boston, Mass.		155	159	314	1,736	1,759	3,495	3,809	541	434	975	2,521	2,711	5,232	6,207	10,016
New Bedford, Mass.					16	2	18	18	1		1	27	2	29	30	48
Newport News, Va.			3	3	3	1	4	7								7
New York, N. Y.		4,355	2,943	7,298	45,999	25,566	71,565	78,863	8,717	4,645	13,362	63,684	31,309	94,993	108,355	187,218
Providence, R. I.										2	2	18	4	22	24	24
Philadelphia, Pa.		135	132	267	1,083	998	2,081	2,348	424	402	826	2,578	1,120	3,698	4,524	6,872
St. Augustine, Fla.						1	1	1								1
St. Johns, Fla.		1		1	8	5	13	14								14
Galveston, Tex.		15	16	31	36	49	85	116	21	17	38	190	73	263	301	417
Key West, Fla.		217	328	545	2,277	923	3,200	3,745								3,745
Mobile, Ala.					114	13	127	127		2	2	1	1	2	4	131
New Orleans, La.		15	21	36	677	214	891	927	13	10	23	400	34	434	457	1,384
Tampa, Fla.		4	7	11	173	16	189	200								200
Puget Sound, Wash.		14	13	27	86	75	161	188	3	3	6	780	12	792	798	986
San Francisco, Cal.		157	115	272	2,006	1,133	3,139	3,411	26	27	53	7,102	248	7,350	7,403	10,814
Willamette, Oreg.					3		3	3				124	3	127	127	130
DESTINATION.																
Europe.....		4,472	3,166	7,638	46,017	27,432	73,449	81,087	9,871	5,484	15,355	69,658	35,952	105,610	120,965	202,052
Mexico, Central America, Bermuda, West Indies, and South America.....		480	493	973	6,568	2,528	9,096	10,069	100	273	373	1,042	242	1,284	1,657	11,726
Asia and Oceanica.....		159	121	280	1,931	1,167	3,098	3,378	29	30	59	7,876	246	8,122	8,181	11,559
Africa.....					17	3	20	20	1	2	3	45	6	51	54	74
SHIPPED BY—																
Steamers.....		5,099	3,771	8,870	54,231	31,008	85,239	94,109	10,000	5,789	15,787	78,576	36,440	115,016	130,803	224,912
Sailing vessels.....		12	9	21	302	122	424	445	1	2	3	45	6	51	54	499

**TRAFFIC THROUGH THE MANCHESTER SHIP CANAL, ENGLAND, FROM 1894 (WHEN OPENED TO TRAFFIC) TO
1898.**

[Furnished by the Secretary of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce.]

YEAR.	In seagoing craft.	In barges.	Total traffic.	Gross reve- nue.
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	
1894	686,158	239,501	925,659	£87,470
1895	1,087,443	271,432	1,358,875	136,759
1896	1,509,658	316,579	1,826,237	179,834
1897	1,700,479	365,336	2,065,815	204,414
1898	2,218,005	377,580	2,595,585	235,278

NOTE.—These statistics do not include the tonnage carried upon nor the revenues derived from the old Bridgewater Barge Canal, opened rather more than a century ago, and now the property of the Manchester Ship Canal Company.

COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH AND THREE MONTHS ENDING MARCH, 1897, 1898, AND 1899.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of March—			Three months ending March—			Month of March—			Three months ending March—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Animals, living (for food):							£	£	£	£	£	£
Cattle.....No..	32,526	37,660	27,564	100,953	110,789	72,700	571,680	635,940	475,048	1,759,040	1,897,165	1,257,264
Sheep and lambs.....No..	16,596	19,739	19,755	53,051	59,901	58,627	25,101	29,815	30,192	77,879	90,225	88,830
Corn:												
Wheat—												
On the Atlantic...cwt..	1,141,700	2,160,700	2,498,200	4,810,500	6,452,600	9,785,670	399,956	917,967	846,355	1,727,937	2,747,720	3,362,839
On the Pacific...cwt..	2,490,900	1,511,400	663,800	4,929,900	2,843,100	986,900	880,914	650,168	215,956	1,786,676	1,219,614	330,964
Meal and flour...cwt..	1,107,700	1,850,100	2,000,800	4,013,900	5,782,700	6,284,200	536,327	1,008,887	928,577	1,942,261	3,177,750	2,979,751
Oats.....cwt..	369,040	1,089,100	254,500	1,630,200	2,818,240	982,600	83,557	294,731	71,809	377,376	757,422	268,331
Indian corn or maize...cwt..	5,008,300	4,604,300	4,059,400	12,537,800	11,826,500	11,436,700	796,383	894,413	896,901	2,042,112	2,228,495	2,501,706
Bacon.....cwt..	339,503	407,831	404,516	995,766	1,168,371	1,182,619	481,714	626,357	642,674	1,431,792	1,787,500	1,869,272
Beef:												
Salted.....cwt..	11,192	19,972	16,010	35,698	48,789	46,667	14,829	26,537	20,393	46,020	63,533	60,739
Fresh.....cwt..	186,226	203,333	219,315	526,404	552,880	592,519	374,593	437,824	464,077	1,068,888	1,167,424	1,235,001
Hams.....cwt..	106,324	143,846	165,828	305,292	415,764	447,463	221,447	284,302	314,981	637,129	824,975	864,726
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh.....cwt..	5,050	10,890	12,003	16,359	25,916	28,102	6,655	21,420	21,048	22,502	47,133	48,691
Pork, salted (not hams).....cwt..	17,260	17,917	22,027	43,794	52,415	61,364	20,330	24,895	29,158	56,311	70,421	78,897
Butter.....cwt..	3,775	8,042	14,915	50,648	16,452	64,322	15,717	34,430	66,934	214,308	71,148	287,153
Cheese.....cwt..	43,654	55,802	90,638	201,572	178,498	216,083	106,380	126,109	212,556	464,309	388,221	494,905
Fish, cured or salted.....cwt..	62,201	105,062	82,080	188,670	146,220	102,781	132,102	188,524	164,708	388,249	265,988	213,565
Hops.....cwt..	9,868	13,178	10,574	29,845	92,196	69,191	32,418	54,949	50,044	96,762	377,162	350,830
Lard.....cwt..	122,810	214,446	206,091	310,735	556,617	514,869	139,815	281,036	292,256	356,807	711,670	727,631
Sugar, refined, and candy.....cwt..	1,492	1,360	579	2,379	3,485	752	1,199	1,572	939	2,565	4,223	1,091
Copper, ore.....tons..	103	131	50	518	411	220	1,881	2,986	2,300	5,567	7,592	8,267
Regulus and precipitate.....tons..	1,911	1,345	1,243	5,778	3,569	2,903	60,399	43,850	43,480	173,684	115,950	96,019
Unwrought and part unwrought.....tons..	2,374	3,382	3,071	6,481	8,249	7,734	119,599	171,097	215,339	326,767	414,494	514,351
Iron and steel: Iron, pig and puddled.....tons..	3,701	5,156	9,401	20,456	21,401	37,550	10,555	10,951	23,591	49,806	46,824	89,680
Lead, pig and sheet.....tons..	3,167	3,833	3,210	7,428	7,740	8,397	36,022	47,055	44,256	85,324	93,958	114,945
Oils: Petroleum.....galls..	7,696,372	16,196,063	14,393,897	29,207,933	53,831,171	43,706,065	156,560	248,337	296,443	597,078	856,193	866,701
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	1,032,791	1,507,966	1,099,840	4,818,662	5,270,288	5,601,301	2,186,092	2,635,943	1,847,711	10,370,009	9,178,788	9,357,65
Pulp of wood:												
Chemical.....tons..		443	888		2,035	2,743		3,182	4,660		13,912	16,952
Mechanical.....tons..		122	61		4,324	99		1,048	488		17,381	712
Tallow and stearin.....cwt..	23,447	48,563	50,257	54,651	119,661	156,674	21,347	41,163	50,791	50,328	104,790	158,096
Wood and timber:												
Hewn.....loads..	9,887	12,646	9,130	28,091	28,380	31,486	51,215	60,762	46,406	149,096	139,582	146,860
Sawn or split, planed or dressed.....loads..	24,242	23,533	22,847	75,485	71,676	58,243	72,155	65,264	69,711	228,623	195,830	178,957
Clocks, and parts of.....							8,329	8,251	9,307	20,994	21,183	23,571
Leather.....cwt..	51,006	57,803	67,096	116,722	163,814	185,981	251,120	314,156	340,434	580,296	862,367	961,886
Paper:												
Unprinted.....cwt..	21,091	57,249	45,807	52,878	196,227	101,502	17,308	40,561	30,920	42,859	131,123	72,727
Printed.....cwt..	899	2,144	1,133	2,688	5,272	2,725	2,035	3,600	2,590	4,696	9,410	6,143
Animals: Horses.....No..	3,842	4,994	3,721	8,407	10,970	7,745	103,591	145,529	118,581	235,043	324,171	241,848
Flaxseed or linseed.....qrs..	4,939		40	50,304	1,370	1,488	7,785		75	77,916	2,350	2,740

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EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of March—			Three months ending March—			Month of March—			Three months ending March—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
							£	£	£	£	£	£
Beer and ale.....bbls..	3,927	3,221	2,973	10,733	8,047	10,472	20,097	12,391	12,838	49,966	38,141	41,147
Salt, rock and white.....tons..	11,639	8,874	4,741	32,986	27,956	19,894	9,498	7,731	5,110	28,845	24,357	21,776
Spirits, British and Irish												
.....proof galls..	63,729	26,894	40,420	116,318	66,033	95,367	25,972	12,761	19,159	49,123	30,393	44,816
Wool, sheep and lambs'....lbs..	5,049,300	247,500	451,200	8,911,600	1,623,000	2,448,800	179,635	8,414	9,850	314,470	43,903	56,701
Cotton manufactures:												
Piece goods—												
Gray or unbleached												
.....yds..	494,400	121,500	218,900	1,249,000	484,900	1,051,300	9,808	2,524	3,541	23,266	9,067	17,522
Bleached.....yds..	1,551,200	1,323,400	1,954,200	5,555,100	4,349,900	6,299,400	27,790	27,640	42,054	99,536	87,957	134,455
Printed.....yds..	381,900	322,600	245,400	1,999,400	1,300,360	1,082,800	7,899	7,259	5,504	44,208	28,618	24,585
Dyed or manufactured												
of dyed yarn.....yds..	3,439,900	3,538,400	3,995,700	8,801,500	11,024,300	13,291,400	99,536	93,299	106,820	250,211	282,240	339,366
Total piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	5,866,400	5,305,900	6,414,200	17,605,000	17,159,400	21,734,900	145,033	130,722	157,919	417,221	407,882	515,928
Jute yarn.....lbs..	52,200	42,000	70,700	56,600	72,800	197,000	516	425	701	565	746	1,919
Jute manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	24,887,900	9,438,300	7,379,800	47,045,600	23,035,700	18,709,109	196,680	73,767	62,072	378,744	191,765	160,390
Linen yarn.....lbs..	45,400	177,400	83,400	200,100	450,000	226,800	2,716	4,252	3,113	11,444	11,480	7,754
Linen manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	11,741,200	9,726,800	8,376,800	30,704,900	29,402,500	25,852,200	218,865	171,693	161,438	567,801	514,082	503,663
Silk: Thrown, twist, and yarn												
.....lbs..	28,238	71,370	79,717	67,033	163,118	211,241	8,443	15,910	15,492	19,662	39,630	43,264
Silk manufactures:												
Wholly of silk—												
Broad stuffs of silk or satin.....yds..	12,855	19,571	35,311	49,944	102,764	88,815	1,526	2,818	4,188	7,318	10,702	11,159
Lace.....							7,559	5,142	4,307	21,391	16,226	13,546
Other articles, of silk only.....							1,519	1,957	1,973	2,842	4,513	4,154
Of silk and other materials.....							6,097	6,393	5,236	18,645	25,108	20,031
Woolen yarn.....lbs..	20,100	1,300		23,400	1,900	500	1,565	111		1,898	170	88
Worsted yarn.....lbs..	83,100	23,500	9,600	156,000	57,900	26,500	8,561	2,410	1,220	16,839	5,551	3,271
Woolen and worsted manufactures:												
Woolen tissues.....yds..	1,422,600	57,700	175,200	2,799,000	483,300	605,000	141,500	5,875	25,923	297,713	82,558	112,018
Worsted tissues.....yds..	5,615,100	1,353,900	944,700	11,439,700	5,202,400	4,048,500	376,428	76,063	55,775	717,077	299,244	238,154
Carpets, not being rugs												
.....yds..	28,300	12,800	13,500	89,700	69,800	69,900	5,655	2,772	3,659	15,437	11,874	14,377
Metals, and articles manufactured therefrom, except machinery:												
Hardwares, unenumerated.....							21,611	1,610	2,540	45,199	5,187	6,415
Cutlery.....							(a)	6,604	4,770		17,895	17,840
Iron and steel:												
Iron, pig.....tons..	946	2,061	1,049	2,704	5,008	4,492	4,912	10,376	8,347	14,643	25,962	31,196
Bar, angle, bolt and rod												
.....tons..	95	217	226	415	663	847	1,490	3,503	3,879	6,669	10,743	13,366
Wire of iron and steel and manufactures of (except telegraph wires).....tons..	207	347	247	515	566	520	3,804	5,821	4,091	9,785	10,931	10,162
Hoops, sheets, and boiler and armor plates.....tons..	8	28	17	149	60	23	72	217	170	1,267	553	276
Tin plates and sheets.....tons..	10,358	7,233	4,302	28,846	25,040	10,536	113,787	75,824	44,384	323,737	260,506	112,671
Cast and wrought iron, and all other manufactures unenumerated (except ordnance).....tons..	111	100	263	474	281	444	2,624	2,914	4,886	13,036	6,889	9,746

a Included with hardwares unenumerated.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of March—			Three months ending March—			Month of March—			Three months ending March—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Iron and steel—Continued.												
Old, for remanufacture							£	£	£	£	£	£
.....tons.....				12	10					35	30	
Steel, unwrought.....tons..	1,304	1,125	1,065	3,408	3,623	2,633	24,293	22,574	24,515	65,427	68,537	61,587
Black plates for tinning												
(iron and steel) .....tons..	173	109	10	272	280	63	1,742	975	136	2,556	2,600	721
Manufactures of steel, or of												
steel and iron combined												
.....tons.....	323	58	27	415	151	101	17,347	8,145	7,036	29,830	20,435	21,235
Lead:												
Pig, and manufactures of												
.....tons.....	28	10	5	46	17	7	388	160	110	685	279	158
Tin, unwrought.....cwt..	221	10	101	706	400	801	669	33	561	2,366	1,315	4,184
Machinery and millwork, or												
parts thereof:												
Steam engines—												
Locomotives.....							70	54	435	252	54	593
Agricultural.....									790	15		3,790
Other descriptions.....							554	73	110	2,493	824	394
Not steam engines—												
Agricultural.....							45	56	12	97	293	12
Mining.....							70			70		
Textile.....							23,933	30,697	26,582	55,173	82,504	67,706
Other descriptions.....							3,755	7,939	6,976	9,986	13,301	15,597
Apparel and articles of per-												
sonal use:												
Apparel and slops.....							8,108	4,650	6,057	13,831	9,158	10,653
Haberdashery and milli-												
nery, including embroid-												
ery and needlework.....							3,326	4,076	1,953	10,821	12,256	8,610
Chemicals, and chemical and												
medicinal preparations:												
Alkali.....cwt..	253,040	89,149	63,889	586,378	280,780	134,584	56,081	18,725	13,382	129,357	55,566	28,274
Bleaching materials or												
preparations.....cwt..	58,758	58,662	79,747	166,374	179,671	216,265	18,882	16,145	18,159	53,352	51,016	50,251
All other articles:												
Bags and sacks, empty, for												
packing merchandise												
.....doz.....	4,525	1,673		9,929	4,047	10,198	611	214		1,364	496	1,185
Cement.....tons..	11,621	1,106	892	18,458	9,072	1,913	19,345	2,035	2,134	2,237	16,665	4,738
Earthen and china ware:												
Earthenware, chinaware,												
parian, and porcelain.....							70,914	62,816	59,525	158,109	143,158	133,609
Paper:												
Writing or printing, and												
envelopes.....cwt..	859	571	393	2,680	3,159	873	2,125	1,128	745	6,996	5,073	2,115
All other descriptions.cwt..	1,568	764	707	3,068	1,671	1,744	5,535	2,292	2,638	10,815	5,465	6,268
Saddlery and harness.....							3,502	4,628	3,585	7,452	7,926	7,652
Skins and furs of all sorts.....							55,971	70,472	60,662	109,864	170,713	135,928
Stationery, other than paper.....							5,363	3,824	5,938	12,148	12,940	13,836

COMMERCIAL CHINA

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AREA,
POPULATION,
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COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CHINA.

COMMERCIAL CHINA

IN

1899.

COMMERCIAL CHINA IN 1899.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

The rapid growth of the foreign trade of China and of its trade with the United States, coupled with other recent developments in that part of the world, seems to warrant the presentation of some facts bearing upon present commercial conditions in that vast Empire.

Comprising as it does one-twelfth of the land area and nearly one-fourth the population of the globe, it is not surprising that events which indicate a marked change in its business condition or the methods of its people should attract wide attention. With an area of 4,000,000 square miles and a population of 400,000,000 people, its written history covering thousands of years shows that its doors have been firmly closed against foreign trade until within the memory of the present generation, while during the short time in which foreigners have been admitted to its commerce no period has been so marked with important commercial developments as that of the past three years. With hundreds of miles of railways now in operation and thousands of miles projected; with telegraphs connecting its capital with every province and even its far away dependencies and also with the outside world; with steam navigation and foreign steam vessels penetrating to the very head of its many navigable waterways; with new treaty ports opening upon the coast and far inland, and with foreigners permitted to travel for business or pleasure to the remotest corners of the Empire and carry with them their merchandise and the machinery with which it is manufactured, the changes in conditions are such as to attract unusual attention.

BEGINNING OF AMERICAN COMMERCE WITH CHINA.

American commerce with China began in 1784, the first vessel leaving New York February 22 (Washington's birthday) of that year, and returning May 11, 1785, thus occupying nearly fifteen months in the voyage. The success of the venture was such as to warrant its repetition, and from that time forward trade between the United States and China was continued without material interruption until it came to be greater in importance and value than that of any other nation trading with China, with the single exception of Great Britain. Even now, with all the rapid developments of modern commerce and the pressure which the people of all commercial nations are bringing in that direction, our sales to China are rapidly growing, having quadrupled during the last decade.

EARLY METHODS OF FOREIGN COMMERCE WITH CHINA.

All trade with China prior to 1842 was carried on through the "hong merchants" at the few ports where travelers were permitted to send their vessels on land their goods. The Portuguese who sent the first trading vessel to the coast of China in 1516 met with varying success in their attempts to establish business relations, but finally succeeded in bringing about business relations and in establishing a trading post called a "factory" at Ningpo in 1522, and in 1537 another on the island of Macao, off the southern coast, near Canton, which island they still hold, but were only permitted to sell through the Chinese merchants having "hongs" or warehouses at Canton. This was also the case with the Spanish, who conquered the Philippines in 1543 and began a trade with China, commerce between Manila and China having been established in the same manner and continued from that time to the present. The Dutch, whose commerce with the East began soon after they had thrown off the Spanish yoke, established themselves on the Pescadore Islands, off the eastern coast, in 1624, but owing to their wars with China their commerce with the mainland was small and necessarily carried on through the "hong merchants" at Canton. The British, whose first ship landed off Macao in 1635, were denied trading privileges until they had commanded respect by the use of their guns, when they were given the same trading privileges through the "hong merchants" at Canton that were granted to other nations, and their trade through the East India Company grew rapidly after 1664, but with access only through the "hong merchants" or by the smuggling of goods, especially opium, which was brought from their possessions in India and soon became extremely popular with the Chinese. Numerous embassies were sent to the capital by the various nations with the hope of establishing closer commercial relations, but as the dignitaries sent were invariably required to perform the "kotow," which consisted in kneeling three times and striking the forehead nine times upon the ground before the Emperor, progress in

establishing closer relations was not rapid. American trade, which, as already indicated, began in 1784, was also carried on through the "hong merchants" until the events of 1842 and 1844, within the memory of many yet living, changed conditions and began the development which has now resulted in almost unlimited trade and foreign intercourse with all parts of that great Empire.

OPENING OF TREATY PORTS AND DIRECT TRADE WITH THE WORLD.

The event which began the new order of things was the "opium war" between Great Britain and China, growing out of the seizure of opium brought in British vessels, which war resulted in the signing of a treaty of peace between China and Great Britain in 1842, in which it was agreed that British subjects should be permitted to reside at the ports of Canton, Shanghai, Amoy, Foochow, and Ningpo, all located on the eastern coast, and to trade with whatever persons they pleased; and British consuls were appointed who became answerable to the Chinese Government (in lieu of the "hong merchants") for dues and charges payable by British subjects. In 1844 Caleb Cushing, of the United States, arrived in China with a letter from President Tyler asking for a treaty of friendship and commerce, and this treaty was soon negotiated, signed and ratified, thus giving to citizens of the United States the same privileges of residence and trade at the five treaty ports that had been granted to the British. A few months later a similar treaty with France was signed, and the ports thus opened to commerce became known as "treaty ports," which name has been applied to others similarly opened through other and later treaties until the number thus opened to foreign trade and residence now reaches nearly 30, many of them far in the interior.

Meantime the privileges of foreigners have been slowly but steadily increased. It was not until 1858 that ministers of foreign Governments were permitted to reside at Peking, the capital, and not until 1873 that they were permitted to visit the Emperor in person, while it remained for the year 1898 to witness the first reception of the wives of foreign ministers by the Empress.

(A list of the treaty ports, with dates of opening, population, number of foreign residents, and a general description of their conditions and trade methods, will be found on pages 2190 and 2265.)

RECENT COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENTS.

The more rapid development of the privileges of foreigners in China and of the introduction of modern commercial methods dates from the treaty of Shimonoseki, made between China and Japan in 1895, at the close of the war between those nations, and followed by a commercial treaty in 1896. The important features of these treaties were that they opened the waters of the principal rivers and canals to citizens of other nations, giving foreigners the right to purchase goods or produce in the interior of China, to rent warehouses without the payment of special taxes or exactions, and to engage freely in all kinds of manufacturing industries in the treaty ports, also to import all kinds of machinery, paying only the stipulated import duties thereon, and upon products manufactured by them in China paying only such inland transit dues as are leviable on imported merchandise (the latter provision having been somewhat modified, however, by the commercial treaty). While the China-Japan treaty specifically conferred these privileges only on Japanese subjects, they at once became applicable to the subjects of other nations having full treaty relations with China under the "most favored nation" principle. The prompt result of this was a movement from all parts of the business world in the direction of China, and the establishment of business and manufacturing industries, not only in the old treaty ports but in the new ones which were opened by the Japanese treaty, and by subsequent action of the Chinese Government. This was followed by other evidences of a disposition to adopt modern methods. The railroad from Peking to Tientsin was quickly completed by the Chinese Government, and agreements made looking to the construction by foreign capital of other lines thousands of miles in length; telegraphs were extended; electric roads, electric lights and telephones introduced in the principal cities; mining and manufacturing concessions freely granted; the West River, which penetrates southern China from Canton westward, was opened to commerce, and, finally, small steamers under foreign control were given permission to penetrate to the interior limits of navigation on all the rivers of the provinces containing treaty ports. The effect of this is already seen in the establishment of factories and business houses, the construction of railroads, the extension and multiplication of steam navigation lines, and the opening of mines in the great sections where the iron and coal deposits are said to be the greatest in the known world.

(For details of mining concessions, see page 2208.)

PORTS LEASED TO FOREIGN NATIONS.

Among the recent events that have attracted especial attention to China is the lease to foreign nations of important strategic or commercial ports on the coast of the Empire. While the Portuguese have controlled the island of Macao, near Canton, since 1537, and the English became owners of the island of Hongkong, in the same

vicinity, by the treaty of 1842, no other nation had possessions on or near the coast of China until within a comparatively recent date. One result of the war between China and Japan was that Japan obtained the island of Formosa, lying 90 miles off the coast of central China. By this treaty Japan was also to have certain territory on the peninsula of Liaotung, which commands from the north the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili, the gateway to the capital of China; but on the urgent protest of Russia, France, and Germany this was abandoned, and the mainland of China up to that time thus remained intact.

On November 4, 1897, however, the German Government seized the port of Kiaochau, on the northeastern coast of China, asserting as the cause of its action the desire to obtain satisfaction for the murder of German missionaries by Chinese on November 1 of that year. This port was held by a German war ship until the announcement of a treaty with China by which the port of Kiaochau and adjacent territory were leased to Germany for a term of ninety-nine years, the German Government being given the right to land troops, construct fortifications, and establish a coaling and naval station, while German subjects were to have the right to construct railways, open mines, and transact business in the rich mineral and agricultural province of Shantung, in which Kiaochau is located, Chinese vessels, however, to have the same privileges in the port of Kiaochau that the German Government might decide to give to other nations.

One month later, on December 22, 1897, the Russian Government obtained permission for its naval squadron to winter at Port Arthur, on the Liaotung Peninsula, which it had, with Germany and France, in 1895, required Japan to abandon. On March 27, 1898, an agreement was signed by the Chinese Government by which Port Arthur and the adjacent port of Talienwan were leased for a term of twenty-five years to the Russian Government, the lease to be subsequently extended by mutual agreement. This lease included 800 square miles of territory and all harbors between Port Arthur and Talienwan, the harbor of Port Arthur and a part of Talienwan to be for the sole use of Russian and Chinese men-of-war, Russia to have the privilege of extending its trans-Siberian railroad line through Manchuria to Port Arthur and Talienwan and to protect the same, during and after its construction, by Russian troops.

This action, by which the northern side of the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili, leading to the capital of China, was placed under control of Russia, being unsatisfactory to the English Government, a lease of the harbor of Weihaiwei, on the opposite or southern side of the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili, was made to Great Britain on April 2 of the same year, 1898, the lease to be upon the same terms as that by which Port Arthur was granted to Russia and to continue as long as Russia should occupy the peninsula of Liaotung. Weihaiwei was occupied by Great Britain May 24, 1898, permission being given also to occupy the islands of the Bay of Liukung and a strip of land 10 miles broad along its entire length, with the privilege of erecting fortifications and occupying the adjacent coast for military and naval purposes, the walled city of Weihaiwei, lying within these limits, however, to remain under control of the Chinese Government. On June 9, 1898, a lease was also made by England of an area of about 200 square miles on the mainland opposite its island of Hongkong, and surrounding the Chinese city of Kowloon, which city, however, was to remain under Chinese jurisdiction, the lease to continue for a term of ninety-nine years.

The concessions of territory to Germany, Russia, and England led to a demand for similar privileges by the French Government, and on April 13, 1898, the Chinese Government leased to France the harbor of Kwangchauwan, in the Leichau peninsula, on the southern coast, near to the French possession of Tonkin, and protecting in some degree the Gulf of Tonkin. This lease was also accompanied by the privilege of connecting the French territory of Tonkin with the Chinese province of Yunnan and the city of Yunnanfu, the harbor of Kwangchauwan to be used as a naval station. The lease was for ninety-nine years and similar in terms to that made with the German Government for Kiaochau, carrying with it exclusive mining privileges in the area to be traversed by the proposed railroads. In view of this agreement, Great Britain therefore assumes that she has now the right to extend her Burmese railroads into the province of Yunnan, in southwest China, through an agreement made with China, January 15, 1896, by which all privileges to France or Great Britain in the provinces of Yunnan and Szechuan should be given to both countries.

These concessions to Germany, Russia, Great Britain, and France, which followed each other so rapidly in 1897 and 1898, were followed in March, 1899, by a demand by the Italian Government for similar privileges at the port of San Mun, and in April, 1899, somewhat similar demands are reported to have been made by Japan regarding certain territory on the coast opposite her island of Formosa, both of which demands are now pending adjustment. (For location of the ports so leased, see accompanying map.)

In all of the above cases the countries obtaining possession of these ports have announced that at least a portion of each port will be freely open to the commerce of all nations (Port Arthur excepted), and the German Government has already arranged for the location of Chinese custom-houses at the docks which it is building at Kiaochau, in order to permit goods passing to or from the interior of China to be examined and pay duty at that point, and a reexamination at the limits of the German territory thus obviated. An official report to the German

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

Reichstag, in 1898, announces that no duties will be levied in the port of Kiaochau upon goods intended for consumption in German territory, excepting the excise duty on opium.

Thus during the eighteen months ending with April, 1899, four great European nations—England, Germany, France, and Russia—have obtained long leases of ports and naval stations on the coast of China, in addition to the three islands just off its coast, already controlled by England, Portugal, and Japan, and Italy and Japan are now demanding similar concessions.

FOREIGN COMMERCE OF CHINA.

The foreign commerce of China has increased rapidly since the treaty ports were opened and especially in the last quarter of a century. The earliest attainable reports of the details of importations and exportations are for the year 1873, when the exportations were valued at 69,451,000 haikwan taels. In 1897 they had reached 163,501,000 haikwan taels. The importations in 1873 were valued at 76,637,000 haikwan taels, and in 1897, 202,829,000 haikwan taels. It must be borne in mind, however, that the haikwan tael, in which all imports and exports are stated, is merely a given weight of silver ($1\frac{1}{3}$ ounces avoirdupois), and therefore varies in value with the fluctuations in the price of silver, and that the actual increase in commerce during that time may not be as great as the increase in figures would indicate. The further fact, however, that many articles, both of import and export, have decreased materially in value during that period renders any attempt to accurately determine the actual growth difficult, if not impossible. A reduction of the haikwan tael to dollars, determining the same by the weight of silver indicated by the tael, puts the exportations of 1873 at \$106,956,000 in value and in 1897 at \$127,531,000, and the imports in 1873 at \$102,621,000 and in 1897 at \$158,207,000. This calculation, however, would be equally misleading, because of the very great reduction meantime in the value of many articles, both of export and import. An attempt to determine accurately the growth of the commerce of China during that period could only be made by a detailed examination of the imports and exports of each article by quantities.

SPHERES OF INFLUENCE.

Much has been said of late regarding the so-called "spheres of influence." While this term can scarcely be considered applicable in the sense in which it is used in other parts of the world, especially Africa and parts of India, a recent official utterance by the Chinese Government indicates that certain privileges in certain provinces are no longer open to all nations. An official announcement issued by the "Bureau of Control for Mines and Railways" in December, 1898, says that "the mines and railways of Manchuria, Shantung, and Lungchow are affected by international relations, and therefore will not be allowed to form precedents either for Chinese or foreigners" in the matter of railway and mining concessions provided for in the regulations quoted. As the Russian ports of Port Arthur and Talienwan are located in Manchuria, the German port of Kiao-chau in the Province of Shantung, and the French possessions of Tonking and Kwang-chau-wan are in the immediate vicinity of Lungchow, this official statement that their mines and railways are "affected by international relations" seems at least significant. In addition to this, unofficial statements have been made that an agreement exists between China and Japan to the effect that the Province of Fuh-kien, directly opposite the island of Formosa, now controlled by Japan, shall not be alienated to any other government, while an agreement with the British Government has been made by the Chinese Government during the past year that the valley of the Yangtze will not be "alienated" or its trade allowed to pass under the control of any individual nation. The most strongly marked case of the existence of a sphere of influence, if such exists within China, is probably that of the Province of Manchuria, through which the Russian Government has been given authority to construct a railway and to guard the same with its troops, the consequence being that large numbers of Russian troops are now within that section of Chinese territory, the total number being unofficially estimated at from 20,000 to 40,000.

TREATY PORTS, AND THEIR RELATION TO BUSINESS.

The "treaty ports" are the doors through which foreign commerce enters and at which citizens of foreign nations may personally engage in trade with the people of that country. Through these doors enters and must continue to enter the merchandise for which other nations find a market in China, and upon the facilities which they offer the residents of foreign nations are dependent for their intercourse, business, and otherwise with the 400,000,000 people of that great Empire. A study somewhat in detail of these entrance ways to the commerce and people of that great nation is therefore appropriate.

The "treaty ports" are not, as might naturally be supposed, located exclusively on the coast. Indeed more than one-half of the cities which are now open to foreign commerce under treaty regulation are located in the interior, some of them thousands of miles from the coast. Only 13 of the 28 cities classed as treaty ports are upon or immediately adjacent to the coast, and while most of the remainder are located upon navigable streams in the

interior, some are not even accessible by waterways or land-transportation systems other than the mere carriages or carts, wheelbarrows, or pack animals and men. Chungking, located in the populous Province of Szechuan, at the head of navigation on the Yangtze-kiang, is 2,000 miles from the coast, while Yatung, recently opened in the dependency of Tibet and reached only by pack trains and loads carried by men, is nearly 3,000 miles inland, measuring from China's greatest port of entry, Shanghai. While all of the cities opened to trade in the early history of this development of foreign commercial relations were upon the coast, the privilege has gradually been extended toward the interior, until now the Yangtze valley is thickly dotted with cities open to trade, and cities along the valley of other navigable streams are also thus privileged. With an apparent disposition to open cities to foreign trade wherever conveniences for transportation are available, it is reasonable to expect that the multiplication of transportation conveniences through the introduction of railways and steam navigation on the smaller streams will be followed by a multiplication of treaty ports and trade privileges, and perhaps finally a general opening of all trade centers without limitation to privileges of this character. With the right of navigation and mining and manufacturing freely opened already to citizens of foreign countries, it is not improbable that privileges of trade and residence will be more rapidly extended to them in the future than has been the case in the past, and thus the experience and skill and customs and inventions and business manufacturing methods of other nations be rapidly distributed among the people of this great Empire.

RAILWAYS IN CHINA.

The 400,000,000 people of China are now served by 350 miles of railway, or less than 1 mile for each million people. More than ten times this length of railway, however, is now projected, and not only projected in the ordinary sense of the term, but in many cases being actively pushed forward and with prospect of a comparatively early completion. The roads thus far constructed belong to the Chinese Government, and were constructed under its control and direction and at its expense. They connect Peking, the capital, with Tientsin, the most important treaty port of northern China, and thence to Shan-hai-kwan, lying, as does Tientsin, on the Gulf of Pechili; while another part of the line runs southwestwardly from Peking to Paoting, the capital of the Province of Chili, in which Peking is located.

China's first railroad was opened in 1876 between Shanghai, the New York of China, and Wusung, 14 miles distant, lying more directly upon the seacoast on an estuary of the Yangtse, with which Shanghai is connected by the Wusung River. Its existence, however, was very brief, for native prejudice and superstition were so strong that local authorities bought up the line, which had been constructed by British enterprise, tore up the rails, and abandoned it. Five years later, however, Mr. G. E. Kindler, an English engineer, who had been placed in charge of some coal mines near Tientsin, found in existence a tramway over which coal was transported on cars pushed by Chinese workmen, and gradually extending it north and south, finally placed a steam engine upon it for use in transporting coal, and Chinese prejudice, after finding that the use of the engines did not bring the disaster anticipated, gave way and the roadway developed into one for general traffic, and extended little by little until it reached Tientsin at the south and the treaty port of Shan-hai-kwan on the north, and proving successful and popular, was further extended from Tientsin to within a short distance of Peking, with which it was connected by an electric road, the entire system proving so popular that it soon became necessary to enlarge its facilities, its patronage being gathered from native as well as foreign interests and individuals. From Peking it has been extended, as already indicated, southwestwardly to Paoting, and thence is expected to penetrate the important coal and iron regions lying within easy reach.

This comparatively short system of 350 miles, connecting the capital of the Empire with two of the important treaty ports on the coast and with Paoting, the capital of the province in the interior, is the germ from which has sprung a prospective railway system of more than ten times its length.

In this prospective railway enterprise all the great nations, or at least representatives of all the great nations, are interested. Starting from Manchuria, the extreme northeasterly dependency of China, is a projected Russian line to connect with the great Russian trans-Siberian railway, now nearing completion, and which will bring its great traffic to the ice-free ports of Port Arthur and Talienwan on the Gulf of Pechili, which lies directly east of Peking and Tientsin, the most important treaty port of north China. To this proposed Russian line the Chinese Government has already given assent and work upon it is in progress, the men and property utilized in its construction being guarded by Russian troops, thus bringing into northern China a Russian influence and military force which have led the map makers and students of the great affairs of nations to already shade, whether justly or unjustly, that portion of the map of China as a "Russian sphere of influence." This Russian line passes near to the important treaty port of Newchwang, where American and British commerce is already well established, and in order to minimize the danger to this commerce by the proximity of the Russian line and Russian interests, British capital has arranged for the construction of a road from Shan-hai-kwan, already touched by a completed line from Peking to Tientsin, to Newchwang, thus giving a ready railway communication with the capital, the

great port of Tientsin, and thence toward the Yangtze valley, where the British have arranged with China that there shall at least be no concessions in favor of any other government, and which valley is thus by some, though with doubtful propriety, termed a "British sphere of influence."

The important territory lying between Peking and Tientsin at the north and the great Yangtze Valley in central China is already a checkerboard of proposed railway lines. One of these runs from Tientsin southeastwardly to Shanghai, at a distance of from 100 to 350 miles from the coast, following the general course of the Grand Canal, but at considerable distance from it at places, and having a length of probably 700 miles. A small portion of this from Shanghai northward is a British concession; but as a part of the proposed line extends through the province of Shantung, in which the Germans claim railway and mining rights under their Kiaochau concession, British and German capital have combined for the construction of the large proportion of the road. At two points midway it is tapped by purely German lines, which run eastwardly to the German possession and port of Kiaochau, penetrating important coal and iron regions, the population of the province through which they extend, Shantung, being more than 36,000,000.

Lying west of the British-German line which connects Shanghai with Tientsin and Peking, and from 200 to 400 miles distant, is another important line, which is to connect Peking with Hankow, the most important interior city of China. Hankow is on the Yangtze River, at the head of what may be termed deep-water navigation, being reached by large seaworthy steamers that bring it into direct water communication with Shanghai and all the other great ports along the coast. The importance of a line which connects this great business center of nearly a million people with the capital of the Empire, and at the same time passes through an important agricultural and mining section having a population of 100,000,000, can scarcely be overrated. This proposed line, about 650 miles long, is in the hands of a Belgian syndicate, though expression has been given to the belief that Russian influence and Russian funds cooperate in its proposed construction and prospective control, and some color is given to this belief by the fact that a shorter line under admittedly Russian control is to connect it at the north with the important coal and iron regions of Shansi province.

Still west of this important line is a series of lines of several hundred miles in length penetrating the great iron and coal districts of northwestern China, which are designated as the greatest coal deposits of the world, the proposed line being under a combination of British and Italian interests, and the concession granted being not only the privilege of constructing the proposed roads, but also the mining of coal and iron and other business opportunities. Some of these lines extend southwestwardly toward the Yangtze Valley, in whose development British interests are especially concerned, but the connections are with the proposed Hankau-Peking line, which, as already indicated, is in the hands of a Belgian syndicate.

In the great territory south of the Yangtze American and British lines are the only ones to which concessions have yet been granted, except in the extreme south adjacent to the French territory of Tonkin, where several comparatively short concessions have been granted to lines under French control. Running southward from Shanghai, at a short distance from the coast, is a British line to connect the treaty ports of Wenchow, Ningpo, and Hangchow with Shanghai, and which is quite likely to be extended to the treaty ports farther down the coast and finally to Hongkong, or rather the recently acquired British territory adjacent to Hongkong, where it would connect with a short British line now under construction and with the great southern commercial center of Canton. The length of this line now projected, and for which concessions have been made, is about 200 miles. From Shanghai westwardly there is also a short British line proposed to extend to Soochow and Nankin.

American railway concessions in China are up to the present time confined to a single but very important line which is to connect Canton, the great commercial center of southern China, with Hankau, the great interior city and commercial center already described. This line, which is about 600 miles in length, passes through a rich and important agricultural section, having a population equal to that of the United States, and at its center taps an important iron and coal area. The direction of the proposed line is almost due north and south, and while it practically touches the seaboard at its southern terminus, where it reaches the Yangtze, at the north is several hundred miles interior, thus bringing into direction with the great port of Canton the products of the Upper Yangtze Valley, which section is quite similar to that of the Upper Mississippi in our own country. At Hankau the proposed American line will connect with the proposed Belgian line, which will bring it into direct communication with Peking, the capital of the Empire, thus placing in direct communication the capital of the Empire at the north, the great commercial center, Hankow, in the interior, and the great producing center in the western interior, with the great seaport at the south, Canton. This concession was granted to American capitalists in April, 1893, under an agreement executed after due imperial sanction by the present Chinese minister at Washington, and a corps of engineers and officials is now in China, under the charge of Mr. W. B. Parsons, of New York, engaged in an elaborate survey of the route, which it is expected will be completed within a few weeks.

The Railway Age recently gave the names of the Americans most prominently connected with this enterprises as Hugh J. Grant, Samuel Thomas, and Thurlow Weed Barnes, of New York; George J. Bippers, of Indiana, and the Carnegie Steel Company of Pennsylvania. The sum to be advanced by this company is named as

\$20,000,000 for the Canton-Hankow Road, and \$25,000,000 for the Hankow-Peking Road, should that contract be also given them. American enterprise in railway building seems to be well recognized by the Chinese, who, in July, 1898, selected Capt. Watson W. Rider, of the United States, as chief engineer of the Chinese Imperial Railway system, and during the year ordered several locomotives from American workshops and a quantity of rails through an American contractor.

In the extreme south of China French interests are proposing sundry railway lines to connect their ports and navigable rivers of Tonkin with the cities and provinces of southern China. These proposed lines not only connect the French territory of Tonkin with the treaty ports of Mengtsz, Woochow, and Pakhoi, but also the important points of Yunnan, Nanning, and the navigable waters of the West River, which form a connection with the port of Canton and the railway lines that are to center there, and thus give connection with the great railway system of China.

Lying several hundred miles west of the proposed American line is a British line to connect the province of Szechuan in the west of China with Canton and Hongkong. Szechuan is the largest, the most populous, and perhaps the most productive of the provinces of China, being an elevated table-land lying at the head of navigation on the Yangtze, and whose varied productions and enterprising population give it a character quite similar to that of the region of the Upper Mississippi in the United States. This proposed British line connects Chengtoo, the capital of Szechuan, with Wuchow on the West River, which has recently been opened to commerce, and from which point traffic will reach Canton either by the West River or by an already projected line from Wuchow to Canton. This proposed British line connecting Szechuan with the lines which reach Canton is about 600 miles in length.

Another extremely important British line proposed differs entirely from any of those already described, in the fact that it is an effort to connect China and her railway systems with the railway systems of British India. This bold project is now to extend the existing railway line from Mandalay in Burmah to the Chinese border at Kunlong Ferry. From that point it is proposed to build a British line northeastwardly into the Chinese province of Yunnan and to the city of Yunnan itself, and thence farther northeastwardly to Chunking, in the great province of Szechuan, to the head of navigation on the Yangtze. This proposed line would cross the British line connecting Szechuan with Canton, thus not only putting the railway system of Burmah into direct communication with Canton, but also bringing it into communication with the head of navigation in the great Yangtze Valley, where Great Britain has already obtained an agreement that no exclusive territorial concessions to foreign governments shall be made, and whose commerce is looked upon as the most important of that of all China. While this project of tapping southern, western, and central China by a connection with the Burmah and Indian railway systems necessarily encounters many serious obstacles, because of the character of the territory through which the connecting lines must pass, it is one of great importance and almost startling in its conception and possibilities, since, if successful, it would bring the existing railway system of India, having a total length of 25,000 miles, into touch with the proposed railway system of China and connecting through China with the great Russian trans-Siberian road, thus giving a direct and connecting railway line from St. Petersburg eastwardly through Russia and Siberia, southwardly through China, and again westwardly into and extending through British India.

The cost of these proposed railway lines in China will be, if carried out, an enormous sum. The lines constructed up to the present time have been built under the control and at the expense of the Chinese Government. The recent concessions propose to permit the construction of lines by capital and organizations composed of residents of other countries. The funds for this purpose are in most cases to be secured by mortgage upon the railways thus created, the disbursement and future management to remain in control of the foreign lenders during the term of the mortgage, but the lines themselves, after the mortgage lien is paid, are in most if not in all cases to become the property of the Chinese Government. Thus far efforts of foreigners to obtain a share or stock interest in addition to the mortgage lien have usually been unsuccessful, though in many cases the length of time in which the loans are to run and the control of the lines remaining in the hands of those furnishing the funds may be considered as approaching an equivalent to ownership, so far at least as the present generation is concerned. In the American contract an issue of debentures is permitted which to a certain extent may participate in the prospective profits of the enterprise, and in the Belgian contract those supplying the funds are to participate in the profits during the thirty years' term in which the loan is to run before payment. That the intention of the Chinese Government is to finally and absolutely control its railways is further evidenced by the fact that in its agreements with those proposing to construct lines it requires that schools of instruction for Chinese in the construction and management of railways shall be established, and that a certain proportion of the employees of the road shall be natives and citizens of the Empire, thus providing for the education in railway construction and management of its own people by the time that the system of roads now proposed shall revert to the direct control and ownership of the Government. A series of regulations for railways and mines issued in December, 1898, requires that "in all cases every endeavor must be made to have the Chinese proportion of the

capital of such enterprise the greater, and there must be a proportion of at least three-tenths of the shares owned by the Chinese. Sanction will not be given in cases where all of the money is foreign." The regulations further provide that "the proportion of profits to be paid to the Government for railways will be four-tenths and for mines 25 per cent, to be handed to the board of revenue," a requirement which seems likely to prove, to say the least, embarrassing to railway enterprises which have not already secured concessions.

(Further details upon this subject will be found in a statement entitled *China's Present and Prospective Railways*, pages 2205 and 2207. See also accompanying map.)

INTERIOR WATERWAYS.

The waterways of China have been, up to the present time, its most important means of communication. Some recent events have added greatly to their value in this particular, and especially their relation to foreign commerce. Formerly they were not open to foreigners or their vessels, nor were any cities on their shores open to foreign commerce. In 1862 Hankow, located 582 miles from the coast, and readily accessible by the lower Yangtze, was made a treaty port, and in 1877 a number of other cities in the interior were opened to foreign residence and commerce. With these openings went the privilege of carrying foreign goods by steamers under foreign control, and to this list of interior cities several have been recently added. The most important developments, however, in the opening of interior waterways have occurred within a comparatively recent period. Not only has the Yangtze, the principal river of China, been opened for a distance of more than 2,000 miles, but the West River, the next in importance, which runs westward from Canton through the southern part of China, has also been opened for navigation by foreigners and a number of treaty ports established along its course, while other cities and towns have been designated as "stations" or "stages," at which privileges similar to those of treaty ports are accorded to foreign trade, but not to permanent foreign residence. Similar action has been taken with reference to a number of the smaller rivers in various parts of the Empire. Equally important with these, and of far-reaching value in the personal intercourse between Europeans and Americans on the one hand, and the Chinese citizens on the other, is the fact that recent action by the Chinese Government permits the navigation of all streams by small steam vessels of all nations, while other official acts permit foreign citizens to visit any and all parts of the interior of the Empire when carrying properly signed passports, whether for pleasure or business. These developments—the opening of numbers of rivers to foreign commerce and to the establishment of treaty ports and stations upon their banks, the right of travel to all interior points for business or pleasure by foreigners, and the privilege of navigating all streams with small steam vessels by which foreigners on business explorations may travel—seem likely to permeate the entire Empire and each community with foreign opinions, foreign methods, and sooner or later a market for foreign productions.

In addition to the rivers, numerous canals and lakes form a vast network of waterways which seem likely to rapidly become accessible to foreign commerce and foreign enterprise. The natural waterways of China probably aggregate 10,000 miles in length, while the canals and continuous waterways formed by connecting lakes and sections of streams add greatly to this length of navigable waters. On these waters vessels of all characters—steamers, vessels with sails, junks, rowboats, and house boats—are found in great numbers; the freight boats being in many cases towed on their upstream passage by parties of men specially employed for this purpose.

(For details see special article on this subject, pages 2210 and 2211.)

INTERIOR LAND TRAVEL.

Land traffic in the interior of China is a tedious process, and will doubtless so continue until the railways now projected shall come into active operation. Roads are proverbially and actually bad. Wheeled vehicles are confined almost exclusively to the wheelbarrow, and land transportation therefore carried on either by barrows engineered by individuals, or by packs upon ponies, donkeys, or the backs of men, while travelers by land must content themselves with similar conveniences of travel, either in wheelbarrows, upon the backs of ponies and donkeys, or by sedan chair carried by porters. Wagon roads are few and bad, and wagon transportation therefore is seldom undertaken. For details see pages 2212 and 2213.

TELEGRAPHS.

The telegraph system was introduced in China even earlier than the railway, which is described elsewhere. While it also met with considerable opposition in the beginning, its advantages were soon recognized by the Government in the opportunity which it gave for instant communication between Peking, the seat of government, and the capitals of the provinces. So important a factor in the maintenance of order and preparation for the insurrections and local troubles which have been so frequent a feature of Chinese history could not be neglected,

and as a consequence telegraph lines now connect Peking with the capitals of practically all of the provinces and extend far into the dependencies, connecting also with the ocean cables and the Russian trans-Siberian telegraph lines, thus putting not only the capital, but all of the provinces of China into speaking relations with all parts of the world. The telegraph lines of China are now between 3,000 and 4,000 miles in length, and being rapidly increased.

That this development is important both in its dissemination of general information and modern methods is evident, and that it is likely to be one of the important factors in the introduction of English as the general language of the far east is the belief of Lord Curzon, the present governor-general of India, for whose views upon this subject see page 2202.

POSTAL SYSTEM.

Until recently the postal system in China was very crude, and carried on largely through individual enterprise by runners and carriers. Within the past two years, however, an official postal system has been established by the Government and placed under control of Sir Robert Hart, who has so admirably conducted the customs service of the Empire for many years. Through this China has given notice that she will enter the Universal Postal Union of the World, and in conjunction with the already existing service a postal money-order system has been established which is described elsewhere in conjunction with the statement on banking and currency. (See articles on "Chinese postal system and money-order system," page 65.)

MONEY AND BANKING.

The money of China is uncertain as to quantity and quality. No accurate estimate has been made of the amount of money in circulation in the Empire, while no accurate statement can be made to-day of what its value will be to-morrow. Based upon silver, its value fluctuates with the changes in the market price of silver. The copper "cash," valued at about one-tenth of a cent, is the actual circulating medium, while the tael is the nominal standard for larger sums, it being merely a given weight of silver, and not a coin. Actual silver circulates in two forms, the "dollar" and the "sycee." The dollar was originally the Mexican dollar, and became a popular and generally accepted form of currency wherever obtained. So convenient was it that large quantities were imported for use as currency. More recently, however, mints for the coinage of "dollars" purporting to be of weight and fineness equal to Mexican coin have been established, not by the central government, but by the authorities of the various provinces, and the result is that the rivalry between these provincial mints has reduced the weight and fineness of the "dollars" which they issue until the provincial silver "dollars" are looked upon with distrust. Additional mints, however, are being established, the machinery for them being from the United States. Some half dozen of the cities of China have now their mints for the coinage of "dollars," and work is in progress upon local mints in other cities, so that by the end of the present year, according to a recent issue of the North China Daily News, at least ten different kinds of silver coins purporting to be "dollars" will be upon the market. In addition to this uncertainty may be pointed out the fact that the "tael" differs in various cities and provinces, the weight of silver recognized as a tael being greater at some points than at others. The consequence is that while the haikwan, or customs, tael was worth, on January 1, 1899, 72.2 cents (gold), the Amoy tael was worth but 71 cents, the Canton tael 70.8 cents, the Chinkiang tael 69.3 cents, the Ningpo tael 68.2 cents, the Chefoo tael 67.9 cents, the Hankow tael 66.4 cents, the Foochow tael 65.6 cents, and the Shanghai tael 64.8 cents. Even the "sycee," which is an actual quantity of silver cast in the form of a shoe with the weight written upon it in Chinese characters, is somewhat uncertain as to its value, both by reason of the constant fluctuation in the price of the silver which it contains and the uncertainty as to the fineness of the silver utilized.

All efforts to learn the exact fineness of the standard silver used in the sycee have been unsuccessful, though the estimates put the rate at ninety-seven one-hundredths, which is considerably in excess of the American coin, which is ninety one-hundredths fine. The sycee is merely an indefinite quantity of silver cast in the form of a woman's shoe, its actual weight being determined by agents or officers appointed by the merchants to weigh the sycees, accuracy and integrity on their part being insured by actual physical decapitation of those who are found dishonest. Even the "cash," a copper and zinc coin about the size of our 25-cent piece, having a square hole in the center for convenience in stringing quantities of them together, varies greatly both in fineness and weight, in some cases 1,000 of them being equal to a "dollar," while in others nearly 2,000 are required to equal a "dollar." Gold coin is practically unknown in China, no coins of this metal being made at the mints, and gold coins of other countries have seldom, if ever, circulated, though the value of the metal is fully recognized, and gold, whether in coin or bulk, proves a medium of exchange upon determination of its weight and fineness when occasion requires.

The uncertainty as to the quality and quantity of the metals contained in the various coins and measures of weight makes an attempt to indicate the relative value of the monetary units difficult and somewhat uncertain, though a recent official (consular) statement puts the relative values as follows:

10 cash = 1 conderin.
 10 conderin = 1 mace.
 10 mace = 1 tael.
 1 tael = 1½ ounces (avoirdupois) of silver.
 (Value of haikwan tael on January 1, 1899, 72.2 cents.)

Mexican dollars and local dollars thus equal about three-fourths of one haikwan tael in value, though no official relationship exists save in the weight and fineness of metal in the dollars compared with the standard tael.

All customs duties are collected in what is known as the "haikwan tael," which has a somewhat higher value than the tael standard accepted in the respective cities.

The paper money is under even less legal regulation than the metallic. There are few banks of issue in China, and those mainly located at Peking. These issue notes as low as 10 cents in value, but these have usually only a local circulation. Paper money was issued in China more than 2,000 years ago, and its use continued in a greater or less degree until about 1450, when it was suspended and has been but recently resumed, and that in but small quantities.

Chinese banks, especially those of Peking and the discount banks in the cities of the provinces, are under governmental supervision by reason of the fact that they perform the functions of a treasury for the Government, and therefore have a high standing with the business public. Foreign interests in the banking line are represented in nearly all cities where foreigners reside or visit, agents representing a number of great banking establishments being found in all cities of this class. The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, incorporated in 1864, has a capital of \$10,000,000, and has its representatives in all the treaty ports and some of the other important cities of China, while the Imperial Bank of China, the Mercantile National Bank of India, the Russian Bank of Foreign Trade, the Bank of China and Japan, the Deutsch-Asiatische Bank, and the Central Bank of India, Australia, and China, also have agents and in some cases regularly established banking houses in many of the more important cities. Exchange quotations are published daily by bankers and brokers, and business transactions between any of the treaty ports and the great financial circles of America or Europe are thus rendered practicable. Business between the various treaty ports may thus readily be carried on through the banker's agents, and transactions between these points, in small sums, are facilitated by a postal money-order system which was put into operation by the Government about a year since, by which sums from \$1 upward may be transmitted on payment of a fee at the rate of about 2 cents per dollar, each remittance being limited to \$10, but there is no limit as to the number of remittances issuable to the same applicant.

The following shows the value of the taels of the respective provinces where issued on January 1 in 1897, 1898, and 1899, and on April 1, 1899:

VALUE OF TAEI IN TERMS OF UNITED STATES GOLD DOLLAR.

PROVINCE OR CITY.	JANUARY 1—			APRIL 1—
	1897	1898	1899	1899
Amoy .....	.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0	.70, 2
Canton .....	.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8	.70
Chefoo .....	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9	.67, 2
Chinkiang .....	.74, 9	.66, 9	.69, 3	.68, 6
Fuchau .....	.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6	.65
Haikwan (customs) .....	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2	.71, 4
Hankow .....	.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4	.65, 7
Niuchwang .....	.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5	.65, 9
Ningpo .....	.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2	.67, 5
Shanghai .....	.70, 0	.62, 6	.64, 8	.64, 1
Swatow .....	.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5	.64, 9
Takao .....	.77, 2	.69, 0	.71, 4	.70, 7
Tientsin .....	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.68

The value of the haikwan tael, as computed by the Director of the Mint, has been as follows: 1874, \$1.52242; 1875, \$1.47896; 1876, \$1.38588; 1877, \$1.43082; 1878, \$1.37331; 1879, \$1.338; 1880, \$1.36318; 1881, \$1.34796; 1882, \$1.35193; 1883, \$1.31993; 1884, \$1.32224; 1885, \$1.26797; 1886, \$1.18413; 1887, \$1.16602; 1888, \$1.15, 1; 1890, \$1.14, 8; 1891, \$1.27; 1892, \$1.13, 7; 1893, \$1.01; 1894, \$0.84, 9; 1895, \$0.74, 9; 1896, \$0.80, 8; 1897, \$0.78; 1898, \$0.69, 7.

(The details of banking and currency in China will be found in special articles on this subject, pages 2232 and 2236.)

LABOR AND WAGES.

With the ports of China open to foreign capital and enterprise, in manufacturing, transportation, and the construction of railways, the question of labor and wages becomes an important one. While the introduction of local industries has at the points where they exist already led to a material increase in wages, up to the present time these incidents have had but a slight effect upon a nation of nearly 400,000,000 industrious, plodding, persistent workers. Reports of consuls and others who have opportunity to study the details of labor conditions in China indicate that the rate of wages of laborers ranges from 3 cents to 10 cents per day, except in the case of skilled labor, where prices are from 18 cents to 22 cents per day. Consul Gracy, of Fuchau, writing in October, 1897, said that cooley labor could be hired for from \$1.50 to \$3, Mexican, per month—equal, in American currency, to from 75 cents to \$1.50; good mechanics for from 20 cents to 30 cents per day—equal to from 10 cents to 15 cents, gold; and added that the wages of the laboring classes have not materially increased since 1890, when the Mexican dollar was quoted at 94 cents, as against 45 cents at the date of his report upon this subject. An official report received by the State Department in 1895 gives the wages of barbers at 3 cents per day, tailors, 10 cents; carpenters, 11 cents; cabinet makers and blacksmiths, 13 cents; brass workers, 16 cents; cotton-factory hands, 18 cents, and cotton-mill machinists, 21 cents per day.

(For details regarding wages and prices, see article under that title, page 2223.)

MANUFACTURING.

That manufacturing in China is likely to assume an important position and aspect must be apparent from an examination of the rapid development in this industry during the past few years. The treaty of Shimoneseki, which followed the war between China and Japan, permitted the introduction of foreign machinery for manufacturing purposes, and gave to citizens of Japan many rights as manufacturers which did not formerly exist, but which under the "favored-nation" clause of other treaties were thus granted to representatives of all nations having treaties with China. The result of this has been a rapid enlargement of the manufacturing industries of China, the introduction of modern machinery, especially for the manufacture of cotton goods, steam "filatures" for reeling the silk from cocoons, electric railways, electric lights, telephones, and many other features tending to quicken enterprise and develop the manufacturing industry. This development is as yet very small compared with the population of this vast Empire and with its demands, but that it is the seed which may prove the beginning of elaborate manufacturing industries is evident from the details of the statements which will be found on subsequent pages. That the probability of increased manufactures in China reduces materially the prospect for a general market for American merchandise, however, is not considered likely. On the contrary, the increased occupation, earnings, and requirements which the manufacture of a few staple articles will give will open a market for a greater variety of the goods now manufactured in the United States and of which the facilities for manufacture in China can not be expected to be developed for many years.

(For statements regarding manufacturing conditions and prospects in China, see page 2219.)

COTTON AND COTTON GOODS.

The cotton industry and cotton demand in China are an especially important subject in considering that country from the standpoint of American commerce. Cotton and cotton goods now form the largest item of our exports to China, and reports of the British officials who control the customs service of China state that American cotton goods are gaining in the markets of that country, while those from Great Britain are falling off in importations. It is also a fact, however, that the production of cotton and the manufacture of cotton goods in China are being stimulated and rapidly developed, and that the importation of raw cotton and cotton yarn from India and of cotton yarn from Japan has rapidly increased. While neither the native nor the Indian cottons compare favorably with those from the United States, their proximity and the willingness of the masses to be content with the coarser goods which are thus produced make it apparent that American cottons, whether raw or manufactured, will meet with sharp competition, as they are already doing, in the native products and those of the countries more immediately adjacent. The demand for American cotton goods, however, continues, and especially for the finer grades and varieties, which are not manufactured in the local mills; and while a rapid increase in the local manufacture of the coarser grades may be expected, it is believed that American cottons of the finer grades will not only continue their present relations with the trade of China, but increase the proportion which they now have in the imports into that country.

(For details on this subject, see articles on page 2222.)

TARIFF AND "LIKIN."

Chinese tariff rates, where they exist, average about 5 per cent ad valorem. Many articles are admitted free of duty, and on some the rates are higher than 5 per cent, but in general terms this is about the average rate. To this, however, there is a material addition where the goods are intended for interior points. The Chinese Government, while it collects a part of its revenue from customs, relies largely upon the provinces to supply revenue, and arbitrarily names each year the sum which each province must supply, leaving to the officers of that province the methods by which this is obtained. The consequence is that each province is permitted to collect a tax on goods entering it from the adjacent provinces, and this custom has been extended to the subdivision of the provinces, so that goods in transit are frequently compelled to pay taxes every few miles. As a consequence, the interior taxes, known as "likin," became not only the terror of importers, but sometimes almost prohibitory. So serious was this system in its effects upon attempts to introduce foreign goods that, upon the insistence of foreign ministers, the Chinese Government announced that an addition of 50 per cent to the rates paid at the custom-houses would insure passage of the goods to any point in the interior without the exaction of likin taxes. This was gladly accepted by foreigners desiring to do business in the interior of China. The additional 50 per cent on duties was paid and "transit passes" issued for the goods in question, purporting to authorize their free transit to any point in the Empire. Actual experience, however, shows that these transit passes do not always accomplish what was expected. The local authorities in many cases refused to recognize them, insisting upon their right to raise revenue, since the additional revenue paid at the custom-house goes directly into the treasury of the general Government, while in other cases, where the likin is not insisted upon, local taxation is imposed in other forms; so that there are still obstacles to internal traffic through the vexatious likin and other systems of local taxation.

The Chinese tariff does not exist by the methods which create tariffs in countries having legislative bodies, but was created by edict and treaty agreements with Great Britain and other countries, and as the assent of the nations having commercial treaties with China would now be necessary to its change, the recent agitation in behalf of its revision has made little progress.

There is also an export duty on a number of important articles, including tea, silk, and raw cotton, the collections from the duties on exports being in excess of those on imports. The duties collected on imports in 1896 were 7,669,640 haikwan taels, and those on exports 8,455,528.

One important feature of the Shimonoseki treaty in its effect upon the imports into China is in the fact that it provides for the admission of all foreign goods not specifically prohibited, while before that time the Chinese authorities held that all goods not specifically mentioned in the tariffs should be excluded.

(For full Chinese tariff, see page 2256; for statements regarding Chinese taxation, likin, etc., see page 2231.)

THE CUSTOM SERVICE.

The requirement that consuls should become answerable to the Chinese Government for the duties and dues payable by citizens subjects of the countries represented by them was abolished in 1851, and in 1854 a foreign inspectorate was established at Shanghai at the request of the Chinese authorities to assist in the administration of the customs. It was agreed that representatives of the countries having ministers or consuls in China should jointly take charge of the customs service of China, thus in fact transferring the collection of customs dues of that country into the hands of foreigners. The first paragraph of the agreement, which was made on June 20, 1854, was as follows:

Rule 1. The chief difficulty experienced by the superintendent of customs having consisted in the impossibility of obtaining custom-house officials with the necessary qualifications as to probity, vigilance, and knowledge of foreign languages required for an enforcement of a close observance of treaty and customs regulations, the only adequate remedy appears to be in the introduction of a foreign element into the custom-house establishment in the persons of foreigners carefully selected and appointed by the "taotai," who shall supply the deficiency complained of and give him efficient and trustworthy instruments wherewith to work.

The result of this agreement was the appointment of a board of inspectors, L. Carr being the American, T. F. Wade the British, and Arthur Smith the French member of that board. The chief responsibility for the organization fell upon the British member, Mr. Wade, because he alone of the members was familiar with the Chinese language, and this, coupled with the fact that a large proportion of the foreign trade of China was with British merchants, resulted in a retention of British citizens as the head of the customs service from that to the present time, Mr. Wade having been succeeded by H. N. Lay, a clerk in the British consulate, who was in turn succeeded by Sir Robert Hart, the present efficient inspector-general of customs. He names the inspectors of customs at each of the treaty ports, selecting them from representatives of the various nations having treaty and trade relations with China, and they enforce the customs laws and regulations, collect the duties, and report to the inspector-general, who in turn is responsible to the Chinese Government for the entire foreign customs service. Recently his duties have been greatly enlarged by the placing in his hands of the light-house service, and more recently the postal system, which has been within the last two years established and China brought into the Universal Postal Union.

HISTORY OF TREATY PORTS.

Prior to 1842 all trade of foreign nations with the people of China was conducted at a single port, Canton, and through Chinese merchants located at that port. These were termed "hong merchants," the word "hong" meaning warehouse. Foreign merchants who desired to offer their goods for sale in China were required to place them in the "hongs" or warehouses of these merchants, who, representing the owners, disposed of them to the native merchants and were answerable to the Chinese Government for the customs revenue derived from the foreign trade. The East India Company, which then controlled British trade with China, had a "factory" at Canton under supercargoes prior to 1834, but was permitted to trade only through Chinese "hong" merchants. The term "factory," it may be remarked, was not used under these conditions in the sense now ordinarily recognized, but meant simply a trading station or warehouse, the term growing out of the word "factor," meaning agent or representative. The monopoly of the East India Company having been abolished in 1834, British merchants were represented at Canton by superintendents of trade, but were still required to transact business with and through the "hong" merchants, and similar requirements also existed with reference to American, French, Portuguese, and, indeed, all merchants or traders desiring to transact business and maintain commercial relations with the people of China. A result of the war between Great Britain and China in 1842 was a treaty by which each agreed that the ports of Canton, Shanghai, Foochow, Ningpo, and Amoy should be opened to the commerce of Great Britain, British subjects to be permitted to reside in those cities and trade with whatever persons they pleased, and British consuls to be appointed and become answerable to the Chinese authorities (in lieu of the "hong" merchants) for the dues and duties payable by British subjects. By the treaty made between China and the United States July 13, 1844, and with France October 23 of the same year, similar provisions were extended to the citizens of those countries.

The five ports above named remained for nearly twenty years the sole gateways for foreign citizens and foreign commerce to the interior of China. They were all located on the coast, Shanghai near the entrance to the great Yangtze River, the Mississippi of China, Canton at the mouth of West River, the next important navigable stream of the Empire, and Ningpo, Foochow, and Amoy at points on the coast between Shanghai and Hongkong, no treaty port during that time being permitted within several hundred miles of the capital, although its location is near the coast and near to suitable ports at which foreign citizens and merchandise might have been readily admitted had the Government so desired. It was not until 1860 that the number of treaty ports was increased, and then by the addition of a single one, Swatow, also a long distance from the capital. In 1861, however, six new treaty ports were opened, one of these, Tientsin, being within 80 miles of the capital, Pekin, and 30 miles from the mouth of the river which admits ocean traffic to its wharves. This group of ports opened in 1861 contained the first interior ports of the Empire opened to foreign trade, Hankow, located on the Yangtze, 582 miles from the ocean, being the most important, while Kiukiang, also located on the Yangtze, lay midway between Hankow and the ocean. Chefoo, near the entrance to the Gulf of Pechili, the gateway of Tientsin and Pekin, and also near to the recently acquired British port of Wei-hai-wei, was likewise opened by this treaty, as was also Newchwang on the opposite (northern) side of the Gulf of Pechili, thus giving three treaty ports—Chefoo, Tientsin, and Newchwang—upon the borders of the great gateway to the capital, the Gulf of Pechili. In 1876, Kiungchow, located upon the island of Hainan at the southernmost part of the Empire, was opened as a treaty port, and in 1877 four additional ports, Ichang, Wuhu, Wenchow, and Pakhoi, two of these—Ichang and Wuhu—being in the interior on the Yangtze, Wenchow on the eastern coast, and Pakhoi on the extreme south upon the Gulf of Tonking.

In 1887 Kowloon and Lappa, lying between Hongkong and Canton at the mouth of the West River, were opened under the opium agreements of 1886 and 1887. In 1889, by the French treaty of Tientsin, Lungchow and Mengtsz, in the extreme south and immediately adjacent to French Indo-China, both of them distant from the coast, but near to the border line between southern China and French Indo-China, were opened as treaty ports. In 1891, Chungking, the principal city of Szechuan, the largest and most populous province of the Empire, lying 2,000 miles from the coast at the head of navigation on the Yangtze, was opened as a treaty port. In 1894, by the Sikkim-Tibet convention, Yatung, lying in the dependency of Tibet, nearly 3,000 miles from Shanghai, the great gateway of China, was made a treaty port, though only accessible by pack animals and carriers. In 1896, under the Japanese treaty of Shimonoseki, signed in 1895, Hangchow, on the coast near Shanghai, and Soochow and Shasi in the interior, were opened; and in 1897 Samshui, Wuchow, and Szemao, in the southern part of the Empire, were opened as treaty ports at the solicitation of the French Government, which is pressing for an opening for its commerce from its possession, Tonkin, lying on the southern border of the Empire. In 1898 three additional ports were opened as treaty ports—Funing, on the coast nearly opposite the island of Formosa, Yochow, far in the interior and located upon Lake Tunking, and Chinwang, on the Gulf of Pechili, connected by rail with Pekin, the capital.

It is proper to observe that the slight discrepancies between the dates above mentioned and those given in the table of treaty ports, with dates of opening, population, and trade, are due to the fact that the actual opening

was in some cases slightly delayed beyond the time named in the agreements from which the above statements are quoted.

At the ports open to foreign trade the foreign maritime customs take cognizance only of cargoes carried in foreign bottoms, i. e., foreign-built ships, whether foreign owned or Chinese. Side by side with the foreign customs at every port is the old native custom-house, which still controls the trade in native junks, and levies duties according to a tariff which is not necessarily the same as the foreign tariff. Besides the ports open to foreign trade there are a great number of places both on the coast and inland where the Chinese Government has from time immemorial established custom-houses. These are known by the generic name of "kwan," and as such are readily distinguished from the modern likin stations which are generally termed "chia" or "ka." It would be tedious to enumerate all these places, but briefly they include every port of any importance on the coast and inland waters, and certain passes on the main trade routes, such as Chang-chiakou and Shan-hai-kwan on the northern frontier, and Taiping and Kanchow between Kwangtung and Kiangsi.

A few of the richer collectorates have always been and still continue to be filled by a nominee of the court—a Manchu, of course. This is notably the case at Canton, where the controller is known as the "hoppo." He is independent of the local officials, and sends his reports and accounts direct to Peking, and not through the provincial authorities. The other collectorates are managed through the local authorities, and all their returns and accounts are sent forward in the usual way through the governor of the province.

PRIVILEGES OF FOREIGNERS IN TREATY PORTS.

Foreigners in treaty ports, while they have permission to trade with the citizens of China, are subject in a large degree to the regulations established by their own authorities. A definite area is set aside for their occupancy, a certain allotment being made to each nation, these being under the supervision of municipal councils composed exclusively of foreigners and policed by foreign policemen. The local regulations are established and administered by the occupants of these districts so set aside and under direction of the consuls appointed by the governments of their respective countries. Questions of law and justice are decided in the consular courts in all cases where they arise between foreign residents, while in certain classes of cases between the foreigners and Chinese, some are brought in the consular courts and others in the Chinese courts, those in which the foreigner is defendant being tried in the consular courts, while those in which Chinese citizens are defendants are tried in their own courts. At Shanghai, for instance, the foreign settlement lies outside the north gate and stretches north and northeast for two miles along the banks of the river and consists of three "concessions" known as the French, British, and American concessions, respectively. The first mentioned is a narrow stretch, bounded on the north by a canal; thence for three-fifths of a mile to the Woosung River stretches the British settlement, which was the first laid out. Beyond this lies the American settlement, called Houkew, which in 1863 was incorporated with the British settlement for municipal purposes. The French settlement has its own municipal government. There is no restriction, however, as to the nationality of residents or land renters in any of these concessions. The municipal management has been so satisfactory that Shanghai has earned the distinction of being the "model settlement" of the East. The streets are well made and kept and are lined with imposing buildings, those parallel with the river being named after Chinese provinces and the cross streets after cities. The western half of the settlement is occupied largely by Chinese, for whose benefit a mixed court has been provided. In all civil, criminal, and political matters, subjects and citizens of the different treaty powers are, as elsewhere in China, subject to the jurisdiction of their own consuls, except in the cases of Great Britain and Germany, which have provided special courts. A handsome street stretches along the river frontage of the three foreign settlements, and the public buildings are large and fine, while the municipal offices, club house, hospitals, and churches are all admirable.

In Canton the foreign settlement is located upon the so-called "sand flats," an artificial island about 3,000 feet long and 1,000 feet broad, surrounded with a substantial embankment of granite, and separated from the Chinese city by a canal 100 feet wide. Good roads have been constructed along the margin of the concession, and that part facing the river is planted with trees and shrubs, forming a pleasant promenade. Streets are laid out and houses built, and the residents have formed themselves into a committee for municipal purposes. There are a large number of "hongs," or warehouses, and wholesale as well as retail establishments, a club house, a good library, churches, and residences, though some of the English and Portuguese merchants doing business at this point retain their residence and business headquarters at Hongkong and Macao, which are a few hours distant by boat. The land occupied by these foreign settlements is not considered the property of the governments whose people occupy it, but is merely leased to the occupants by the Chinese Government.

At Tientsin, the foreign settlement, called "Tsz'-ch'lin," or Red Balmy Grove, is located two miles below the city, and consists of three "concessions," as in Shanghai—the French nearest the city, then the British (the largest and most important), and lastly the American. In the other and less important treaty ports conditions as to

the residence and government of foreigners are similar, though modified necessarily by the number of residents and other conditions.

The foreign population in the various treaty ports of China, according to the latest estimates, is as follows:

NATIONALITY.	FIRMS.		SETTLERS.	
	1897	1896	1897	1896
British	374	363	4,929	4,362
German	104	99	950	870
American	32	40	1,564	1,439
French	29	29	698	933
Dutch	6	4	81	69
Danish	4	4	147	146
Spanish	5	4	362	410
Swedish and Norwegian	3	2	439	407
Russian	12	14	116	125
Austrian	6	4	106	74
Belgian	4	5	68	72
Italian	5	5	120	138
Japanese	44	87	1,106	852
Portuguese	8	6	975	871
Not under treaties		5	6	87
Total	636	672	11,667	10,855

DESCRIPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL TREATY PORTS.

The treaty ports being the doors through which foreign trade must enter China, it seems appropriate to present somewhat in detail the trade conditions at each of those places, and especially the popularity of, and demand for American products, the class of goods imported, and the details of importations for a term of years, thus showing the increase or reduction for each class of goods at each port, and enabling American manufacturers and merchants to determine not only the general demand for their particular classes of goods, but the point at which that demand seems greatest and most likely to increase if properly cultivated.

SHANGHAI.

Shanghai is the New York of China. It occupies a position on the coast quite similar to that of New York on our own eastern coast, and its percentage of importations into China is about the same as that which New York enjoys in the United States. The large share of the foreign trade of China which Shanghai controls is due largely to its position at the mouth of the great artery through which trade flows to and from China—the Yangtze-Kiang. Transportation in bulk in China up to the present time having been almost exclusively by water, and the Yangtze being navigable by steamers and junks for more than 2,000 miles, thus reaching the most populous, productive, and wealthy sections of the country, naturally a very large share of the foreign commerce entering or leaving that country passes through Shanghai, where foreign merchants, bankers, trade representatives, trade facilities, and excellent docking and steamship conveniences exist. The lines of no less than eight great steamship companies center at Shanghai, where they land freight and passengers from their fleets of vessels which are counted by hundreds, while the smaller vessels, for river and coastwise service, and the native junks are counted literally by thousands.

The Yangtze from Shanghai westward to Hankow, a distance of 582 miles, is navigable for very large steamships that are capable of coasting as well as river service. Hankow, which with its suburbs has nearly a million people, is the most important of the interior cities, being a great distributing center for trade to all parts of central and western China, and thus the river trade between Shanghai and Hankow is of itself enormous, while the coastwise trade from Shanghai, both to the north and south, and that by the Grand Canal to Tientsin, the most important city of northern China, is also very large. Prices of lands and rentals have increased with great rapidity in the past few years, rents having increased by from 50 to 100 per cent, and the enhanced cost of living is placed by competent judges from 20 to 30 per cent. These advances are due, it is said, to the rapid increase of manufacturing industries at that point by which employment has been given to a large number of people at better wages than ever before. The local cotton mills during 1897 and 1898 were working night and day, the number of spindles having been increased to the full capacity of the various factories, while other manufacturing establishments were also pushed to their utmost capacity. The number of steamers entering the port of Shanghai in 1897 was no less than 2,888, with a tonnage of 3,805,440, while the sail vessels numbered 3,318, with a tonnage of 3,973,028. The total number of vessels entering and clearing during the year was 12,437, or more than

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure, see page 2256.]

1,000 per month. The foreign imports, which in 1891 amounted to 77,336,115 haikwan taels (value of tael in 1891, \$1.27), amounted in 1897 to 131,114,307 haikwan taels (value of tael in 1897, 78 cents). The native produce imported amounted to 47,000,000 taels in 1891 and 55,000,000 taels in 1897. The imports from the United States in 1896 amounted to 11,726,393 haikwan taels out of a total of 130,098,304 haikwan taels, while in 1893 they amounted to but 5,193,534 out of a total of 83,974,245. Thus, while the total imports of Shanghai increased a little over 50 per cent in the three years, those from the United States more than doubled.

In 1893 the imports from Japan were larger than those from the United States, while in 1896 those from the United States exceeded those from Japan. Great Britain, Hongkong, and India still exceed the United States in the amount of their imports at Shanghai, those of India in 1896 being 23,027,056, Hongkong 27,421,723, and Great Britain 42,738,204 haikwan taels, while from the continent of Europe (Russia excepted) the imports were 8,573,575, from Russia 1,759,787, and from British North America 1,947,332. American drills, jeans, and sheetings formed an important part of the importation of cotton goods. The total importation of cotton drills in 1897 was 1,700,000 pieces, of which 1,500,000 pieces were from the United States and 143,000 pieces from England. Of sheetings the number of pieces in 1897 was 3,000, of which 2,426 pieces were American. Of the 67,000,000 gallons of kerosene imported at Shanghai in 1897, 37,000,000 gallons came from the United States, while, as shown by the total value figures quoted above, the United States had a large share in nearly all of the important importations of the year. Commenting upon the commerce of the port in 1897 the commissioner of customs in his official report says:

In cotton goods, with the exception of India T-cloths, American drills, English jeans, American sheetings, cotton lastings, and Japanese cotton cloth, all of which show a substantial increase, there was a downward tendency. Shirtings and drills from the United States and Canada largely outnumbered those of English make, for the reason that, it was alleged, freight from America was much less than from England. The reexports of cotton goods improved 6 per cent, American makes counting for a good half of the appreciation. A considerable increase in the kerosene oil trade is still to be noted. Arrivals and deliveries for 1897 were nearly 50 per cent in advance of 1896 and 86 per cent over 1895. This increase has every prospect to continue, though American oil retains its premier position, while Russian and Sumatra have taken their fair share in the increase. The proximity of Sumatra to the China market gives its oil production an advantage which has been fully availed of and followed up by the establishment of bonded and storage tanks.

In his report for 1896 the collector calls attention to the fact that American sheetings show an advance in that year of 360,000 pieces, and that American jeans have risen from 39,000 to 53,000 pieces, and American drills have nearly doubled as compared with those of 1895. In his 1894 report the collector points out the danger to American oils in the fact that the Russian kerosene oil company had arranged for a tank for conveying oil in bulk to Shanghai and its storage in tanks, though he adds that American oil has, in spite of this fact, more than held its own. In 1895 he pointed out the fact that American oil had, probably as a result of this fact, greatly decreased, and that Russian "case" and tank oil had nearly doubled, though in 1896 and 1897 an increase in the receipts and sales of American oil is again noted.

(For details of imports at Shanghai see page 2282.)

CANTON.

Of the treaty ports of China the next in importance and age is Canton. Indeed, the foreign trade with China began at this point, though it was carried on, as already indicated, through the "hong merchants" prior to the treaty of 1842, by which it was agreed that foreign merchants should have the right to reside and conduct business at certain places in China. The agreement of the treaty of 1842 to open Canton was not carried out in a satisfactory manner, and it was not until after a second war between Great Britain and China, in 1856, that the city was freely opened to foreigners and direct foreign trade. The customs statements of imports at Canton do not give a fair picture of its real business, because of the fact that a large share of the imports which come from Hongkong and Macao pay customs duties at Kowloon and Lappa, which are mere customs "stages" lying between Canton and those two important trade stations lying at the mouth of the river upon which Canton is located a few miles inland. The customs report of Canton shows foreign importations of but 14,000,000 haikwan taels, though those of Kowloon and Lappa, insignificant places at the seat of customs collection, show for Kowloon foreign importations in 1897 valued at 13,000,000 haikwan taels and those of Lappa 3,500,000 haikwan taels. Canton is deemed especially important in its relations to the trade of China because of the recent opening to trade of the West River, which seems likely to prove to the trade of southern China what the Yangtze is to the central part of the Empire, and as Canton lies at the mouth of that river it is expected that its commerce will greatly increase. The opening of the West River gives water transportation several hundred miles into the interior of southern China through the western part of the provinces of Kwangtung, whose population is over 29,000,000, and Kwangsi, with a population of over 5,000,000. This insures water communication with the important city of Nanning and with the already opened treaty ports of Wuchow and Samshui. In addition to these four other places, Kongmoon, Kumchuk, Shiuhing, and Takhing, have been established as "places of call" or "stages" for the landing and shipping of passengers and goods by steamers supplied with special river certificates for that purpose. Canton

alone has a population of 1,600,000, being the largest city of China. Commenting upon the foreign trade of Canton, the commissioner of customs, Mr. E. B. Drew, writing in May, 1898, of the business of 1897, says:

The comparative table of imports shows an increased importation of several of the chief articles of foreign trade, conspicuously white and gray shirtings, T-cloths, Indian yarn, matches, and kerosene oil. The key to this gain lies chiefly in the reassertion of the treaty transit pass right. The enforcement of this right, with the effect it has wrought, must be pronounced the one distinctive and potent feature of the year's trade. And it is not alone that this revival of the transit privilege has promoted the import of a certain few articles which have literally availed of it—notably those just named—but it has also operated unseen, so to speak, in compelling the reduction of duty charges on junk-borne imports, not included in our statistics, lest certain articles hitherto availing of the junk as their carrier might desert it and patronize the steamer for the sake of gaining the privilege of the pass. Furthermore, this transit revival has compelled the reduction of the likin rates, lest otherwise all sorts of articles should seek pass protection and likin revenue thereby disappear altogether—so far as derivable from foreign goods. The treaty transit pass acts, as it were, to prevent the provincial authorities from building up the containing sides of the revenue reservoir above the height which its own unchangeable gauge fixed. The importation of white shirtings is 26 per cent above that of 1896, and of gray shirtings and T-cloths it is 28 and 38 per cent, respectively. The Chinese dealers at Canton have not been satisfied with their year's trade. The low exchange of July, August, and October was against them, and diverted their country buyers to Hongkong in search of lower prices. The opening of the West River has put the Wuchow, Kumchuk, and Kongmoon buyers in more direct touch with Hongkong than before, and the transit privilege has enabled interior and distant buyers to get their purchases laid down on the spot through foreigners cheaper than if bought in Canton of the piece-goods hong. The actual quantity of piece goods which took out transit passes can not be called large, and yet in the case of white shirtings it amounted to 11 per cent of the entire import, and, similarly, to 18 and 38 per cent of the import of gray shirtings and T-cloths. The great dealers—the piece-goods guild—of Canton are not favorable to the use of transit passes. They themselves undertake to pay the Tso-li tax on all piece-goods, and to collect certain other kindred taxes for a commission; and if the country buyers can get out the passes (through foreigners, for Chinese do not yet apply for them direct) these buyers will give the piece-goods hong and their wares, as well as the Tso-li tax, the go-by altogether. I stated above that the revival of the transit pass privilege has compelled the reduction of provincial likin rates. In no case is this better exemplified than in that of cotton yarn. With the opening of the West River the yarn trade was leaving the junk for the steamer to an extent startling both to the superintendent of the native customs (the hoppo) and to the likin board. The hoppo reduced his tariff by 45 per cent and the likin board devised a transit pass of its own, to be issued on payment of a single sum representing the aggregate of the three or four likins of diverse kinds hitherto leviable. This arrangement was accompanied by facilities in the details of issue and treatment, and the pass itself is guaranteed to frank yarn throughout the province, and to protect it from any and all delay at likin barriers, on pain of summary punishment for the offending likin officer. The importation of kerosene oil is 32 times as great as in the preceding year. This speaks volumes for the value of the treaty transit pass, under which 95 per cent went inland, some to places 600 miles distant.

Vice-consul Alf, writing from Canton to the State Department in October, 1897, says of the trade of that city:

The consular district of Canton embraces the two southernmost provinces of the Chinese Empire, Kwangtung and Kwangsi, literally the broad east and the broad west, with a population estimated between twenty and twenty-five millions, including also the island of Hainan.

The value of declared exports to the United States from this port was, from July 1, 1896, to June 30, 1897, both dates included, \$3,751,332.73, a decrease of \$543,739.53 as compared with the previous year. This decrease was probably due to the disturbed commercial relations caused by the anticipation of the new tariff act of this year.

There are no direct imports from the United States to this port. These are effected chiefly through Hongkong. Hence, it is a most difficult matter to obtain correct statistics as to the value of these imports. But a rough estimate of these imports for the calendar year of 1896 is given in the subjoined table, believed to be approximately correct:

ESTIMATED VALUE OF IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES, AT CANTON.

ARTICLES.	Taels.	United States currency. (a)	ARTICLES.	Taels.	United States currency. a
		Dollars.			Dollars.
Shirting, white.....	125,251	91,400	India-rubber shoes.....	11,132	8,100
Drills, American.....	1,135	800	Sewing machines.....	370	270
Chintzes and furnitures.....	3,732	2,700	Meats, preserved and dried.....	1,489	1,080
Blue mottles.....	27	19	Condensed milk.....	4,390	3,200
Cottonades.....	106	77	Kerosene.....	28,395	20,900
Cotton flannel.....	194	140	Perfumery.....	3,097	2,260
Broadcloth.....	7,005	5,100	Preserves.....	817	570
Alpacas, merinos, and blankets.....	1,795	1,300	Raisins.....	3,356	2,440
Canvas.....	523	380	Sago.....	22,166	16,140
Quicksilver.....	10,696	7,800	Soap.....	4,273	3,110
Awabi.....	15,569	11,300	Household stores.....	3,386	2,470
Pearl barley.....	5,480	4,000	Matches.....	364	265
Biscuits.....	741	540	Paraffin wax.....	1,516	1,100
Clocks.....	1,787	1,280			
Flour.....	542,080	395,700	Total.....	828,331	604,441
Ginseng, clarified and crude.....	27,459	20,000			

a The reductions to United States currency (round numbers) in this report have been made on the basis of the valuation of the tael given by Vice-Consul Alf—73 cents.

In the following table is given the summary of the trade in foreign goods at the port of Canton for 1896:

	Haikwan taels.	United States currency.
Imports from—		<i>Dollars.</i>
Hongkong	11,486,169	8,385,200
Japan	79,635	58,100
Cochin China, Tonkin, and Annam	429,879	313,800
Siam	137,913	100,670
Other places	24,161	17,630
Total from foreign countries	12,157,757	8,875,100
Imports from Chinese ports	150,669	109,680
Total foreign imports	12,308,426	8,984,780

Of the above imports, the sum of 109,340 haikwan taels (\$79,818) was reexported to foreign countries and Chinese ports, leaving a net total of foreign imports amounting to 12,199,086 taels (\$8,905,000).

TIENTSIN.

Tientsin is the most important city of northern China, being located at the head of the Gulf of Pechili and but 80 miles from the capital, Pekin, with which it is connected by water and by a railway line. Another completed railway line runs northeastwardly to Shanhai-kwan, and an elaborate railway system is projected southward from this point through the populous provinces of Shantung and Kiangsu to connect Tientsin with Shanghai. In addition to these, the Grand Canal, the most important of the great artificial waterways of China, has for centuries connected Tientsin with the Yangtze-Kiang and Shanghai. Its population is in round numbers 1,000,000, and its imports, which in 1888 were less than 29,000,000 haikwan taels, were in 1897 more than 53,000,000 haikwan taels, having thus nearly doubled during the decade. The commissioner of customs, Mr. Alfred Hippisley, writing in 1898 of the 1897 trade, calls attention to the importance of American trade at that port, and adds that it is the only trade which increased in 1898 over that of 1897, saying that American drills, American sheetings, and American kerosene had especially increased in imports during the year, while the cotton goods from other countries were showing a decrease. Another interesting fact to which Commissioner Hippisley calls attention is that the new railway line recently built to connect Tientsin with Pekin is already proving extremely popular with the Chinese. On this subject he says:

It is astonishing how speedily Chinese, despite their reputed conservatism, adapt themselves to a new environment and make the most of increased transport facilities offered them. Already Pekin fruit is sent direct to Tanku for shipment south, and Pekin is similarly supplied with southern fruit, and traffic generally developed so rapidly that it soon became necessary to double the line.

Consul Reade, of the United States, says that Tientsin ranks in commercial importance next to Shanghai and Canton, and in a report to the State Department dated October 14, 1897, says:

Tientsin, by its geographical position, is the point of accumulation and distribution of all the merchandise destined for the United States or intended for consumption in the northern provinces of China. Direct shipments from the United States to Tientsin are impracticable, it being in all cases more advantageous to ship to Shanghai or Hongkong and thence transship to the steamers of light draft that ply between those ports and Tientsin. * * * The main articles of export from Tientsin are bristles, feathers, skins and furs, sheep's intestines, straw braid, and sheep's wool. The exports of all these articles have greatly increased over the corresponding three quarters of 1896. The causes are easy to state. In the early part of this year merchants were making shipments in order to have them entered under the provisions of the Wilson tariff bill.

During the past quarter there was a decided slump in the price of silver, and in a silver-using country cheap silver always stimulates exports.

Wool, especially, is still going forward in large quantities, and the volume of business in exports from Tientsin to the United States will exceed that of any previous year in the history of this consulate.

I am pleased to state that the sale of our wines (from California), provisions, and manufactured articles, such as clocks, lamps, locks, bicycles, etc., has increased considerably more than usual during the past year.

I would advise manufacturers of boots and shoes to send illustrated catalogues and price lists to the general storekeepers mentioned elsewhere in this report. American boots and shoes are not as yet known in this port.

HANKOW.

As Shanghai, Canton, and Tientsin, located at the central, southern, and northern extremes of the coast of China, are the most important of its exterior treaty ports, Hankow is the most important of the interior points designated as treaty ports. It is located on the Yangtze-Kiang, 582 miles from the ocean, and is reached by lines of large seaworthy steamers. Designated as a treaty port in the treaty of 1858, it was not opened until 1861. It is splendidly situated, in the very heart of the country, in the center of a network of rivers and lakes unsurpassed elsewhere, and, with its suburbs, has a population of nearly 1,000,000, while the province of Hupeh,

of which it is the capital, has a population of 22,000,000; while Ngannhei, which adjoins it on the east, has a population of over 20,000,000; Honan, on the north, 22,000,000; Kiangse, on the south, 24,000,000, and Hunan, on the southwest, 21,000,000, all of them accessible by the waterways, natural and artificial, of this section. The gross value of the trade of Hankow in 1897 exceeded that of any previous year by nearly 8,000,000 haikwan taels, the imports of foreign merchandise alone amounting to 23,000,000 haikwan taels, against 19,000,000 haikwan taels in 1895.

Practically all of the imports of foreign goods reach Hankow from Shanghai and other ports of China, where they have been entered and duty paid, the value of that imported direct from foreign countries being but 175,000 haikwan taels. The importance of Hankow is rapidly increasing by reason of the proposed construction of a railway line or lines to connect it with Peking at the north and Canton at the south. A line has already been constructed from Peking southward past Tientsin to Chinting by a Russian company, while another is projected from Chinting to Hankow by a Belgian company, and from Chinting to Hankow an American company is proposing to build a line. This will put Hankow in direct rail communication with Canton at the south of China and Peking at the north, while it will at the same time be in direct water communication by numerous lines of large and swift steamers with Shanghai, the greatest port of the country, and lying almost directly east of it. At the west it is already in direct water communication with the largest and most populous province of China, Szechuan, which alone has a population of over 65,000,000 and is one of the most productive and important of the sections of interior China. Upon the commerce of Hankow, and especially the demand for goods from the United States, Consul Child in October, 1897, reported to the State Department as follows:

As Hankow and the other cities in this district are located on the upper or central Yangtze River, most of the goods received here have to pass through the Shanghai custom-house and are reshipped up the river to local purchasers, mainly Chinese, either by the various lines of steamers, or by junks and larchas. The high water in the river at present jeopardizing the crops, the famine that has been prevailing on the borders of the provinces of Hupeh and Sze-Chuan and the fluctuation of silver have had a tendency to prostrate business; but the merchants look forward for an increased trade this winter with the upper country as far as Sze-Chuan. It is thought that an effort will be made to start a line of small steamers from Ichang to Chungking, as the navigation of that portion of the river is now under the control of the trackers (coolies that convey the junks up the rapids), most of whom have been pressed by the officials to carry rice to the suffering persons.

The import of United States kerosene has held its own, being 1,870,050 gallons for the quarter ending June 30 last, against 1,431,000 for the quarter ending June 30, 1896. During the same quarter, the importation of Russian oil was 1,916,400 gallons, against 1,515,700 gallons ending the same quarter June 30, 1896. One reason that the Russian oil is obtaining a foothold here is that it sells at about 8 per cent less than the American oil. There were also, during the last quarter, 387 gallons of Langkat (Dutch oil) imported here.

The demand for United States textile goods, especially drills, is steadily increasing on account of their superior quality. The inquiry for American bicycles is also increasing, and there are now about sixty in use here; they are considered superior to all others. United States flour is used largely in the Yangtze Valley, as well as all kinds of American canned goods, hams, bacon, cheese, California fruits, etc. An American firm has been located here in the last month, and will do a general export and import business.

In regard to the importation of agricultural machinery, nothing can be done at present; but Professor Brill, of Cornell University, New York, has just arrived at Wuchang for the purpose of establishing a model farm under the auspices of the viceroy, and he will endeavor to introduce the latest agricultural machinery here.

American clocks and lamps are the only ones in use here, the native stores being filled with them. United States axes are coming into general use. Boots and shoes are manufactured by native workmen at less than one-half the cost of the imported article, but they are not so good and are badly finished. The same may be said of clothing. As a general thing, hides and skins are exported, and the leather used here imported, mainly from Europe.

I think that China will shortly become a vast field for American mercantile enterprise, as the goods manufactured in the United States are generally popular.

It would be impossible to give a correct report in regard to the fluctuation of silver, the currency in vogue in this country being based on the Mexican dollar, which has vacillated about 20 per cent since January 1. As a general thing, the Mexican dollar passes locally two for one United States gold dollar. The common coin of the country is the "cash," now quoted at 850 for a Mexican dollar. Owing to the fluctuation in silver, considerable confusion has been created in exchange, especially in large business transactions.

This being an inland port, there are no harbor rates or tariff dues paid by American importers, all being paid in Shanghai; freights are also adjudicated there. The time en route from here to the United States, including stoppages at Shanghai and other ports, will average fifty days; with no detention, about forty days. A daily line of steamers runs from Shanghai to Hankow. The boats are excellent, and make the trip in four days; passage costs \$40 (Mexican). There has been no increase or decrease in freight rates during this year, but as the Japanese propose to put on a line of steamers early next year, a freight war may ensue. As regards commercial travelers, no restrictions whatever are thrown in their way. Armed with a passport, they can go anywhere within the Empire of China with impunity, nothing being contraband but opium, firearms, and gunpowder.

Regarding the railroad proposed to be built from Hankow to Peking, but little is known definitely. The routes have been gone over, but no permanent survey made. From here to the hills, 14 miles distant, a trestle will have to be built above the high-water mark, in many places 50 feet in height. Boats are now unloading stone for that purpose. In the valley of the Yellow River, on the route, the engineers anticipate much trouble in bridging that stream, and it will require skillful engineering to cross the mountains that lie along the line. Most of the country en route is magnificent and susceptible of a high state of cultivation. At places extensive coal fields can easily be developed, and all that is needed for that purpose is a railway to carry the carbon off, as it can be mined at a small outlay. The iron works at Hanyang, under the charge of an American expert, have demonstrated the fact that rails can be made out of Chinese iron and coke at an output of 130 per day (30-foot 850-pound rails).

As a general thing, business here has been sluggish, the only excitement being the purchase of tea, which did not command as high a price as it did last year, the quality being not so good and it being reported that the American market was overstocked.

NIUCHWANG.

Niuchwang, while a comparatively small city of but 60,000 population, is of especial importance to the United States as a treaty port. It is located at the extreme north of the Gulf of Pechili, considerably farther north than Tientsin, and is of especial importance to the United States because of the demand for goods from this country in that section. American cottons, American oil, and American manufactures generally are in great demand in the province of Shingking, of which Niuchwang is the treaty port and most important city, and goods reach the interior by the Muren River, which is navigable nearly to the northern border of the province. The proposed Russian railway line, which is projected through Manchuria and the province of Shingking to the port of Port Arthur, passes near Niuchwang and is to be connected by a short line. Another line, to be built by British capital, will connect Niuchwang with Shanhaikwan, which is already in railway connection with Peking, the capital of the Empire. The demand for American goods at this treaty port and the country adjacent to it is shown by the following extract from the report of Walter Lay, commissioner of customs at that point, written in January, 1898, and covering the commerce of Niuchwang during the year 1897:

The rapidity with which English drills have been disappearing may be seen by noting that the importation only four years ago amounted to 80,000 pieces, while during the period under review only 3,000 pieces arrived. The predominant position secured by American drills and sheetings, referred to in past reports, is now one of sheer supremacy. The value of these two items aggregates 3,125,000 haikwan taels—that is, not far short of the half gross value of all foreign arrivals coastwise. Cotton yarn did not recede from the advanced position assumed in the previous year, for the falling off of the Indian yarn was neutralized by the increase in Japanese yarn. The inelastic character of the trade in woolen goods continues. As to metals, while most of the items have declined, the gross quantity compares very favorably with that of 1896. The loss in nail-rod iron and horseshoes was compensated for by the gain in old iron plates and scraps. The most striking feature in the category of sundries is the overwhelming importation of kerosene oil, in which trade the supremacy of the American brands is exceedingly pronounced, for the large importation of 526,000 gallons in 1896 has been eclipsed by the 2,041,000 gallons to the credit of the period under review. While the growing popularity of kerosene oil is undoubted, the extreme dearth of bean oil throughout the season was the principal factor in determining the remarkable development in question. * * * The net value of the imports, which is practically the same as the large figure of the previous year, may be considered fairly to represent a volume of trade equivalent to that year. With reference to the leading articles, native cloth, medicines, silk piece goods, green tea, and prepared tobacco have gained, while raw cotton, paper, and sugar have lost. Cotton yarn, manufactured by Chinese steam cotton mills, advanced from 30 piculs, valued at 600 haikwan taels, to 4,560 piculs, valued at 77,888 haikwan taels.

CHUNGKING.

Chungking, which lies nearly 2,000 miles inland, is, despite its interior position, one of the most important of the more recently opened ports of China. Located at practically the head of navigation on the Yangtze, it is the chief city of the largest, most populous, and perhaps the most productive province of China, whose relative position, industries, population, and diversified products make it quite similar to the great productive valley of the upper Mississippi. The province of Szechuan is the largest province of China, having an area of 166,800 square miles, and a population of 67,000,000, or but little less than that of the entire United States. Its area and density of population may be more readily recognized in the fact that its size is about the same as that of the States of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Kentucky combined, but that its population is six times as great as that of those States. Its productions include wheat, tobacco, buckwheat, hemp, maize, millet, barley, sugar cane, cotton, and silk. Mines of coal and iron, and springs of petroleum, and native manufacturing establishments are operated, but upon a small scale and supplying but a small proportion of the goods required by the large population. Chungking was opened as a treaty port in March, 1891, in which year the imports amounted to 1,371,027 haikwan taels. By 1887 they had reached 4,574,298 haikwan taels, and in 1897 they amounted to 8,444,081 haikwan taels. American drills, of which the importations in 1895 were 5,115 pieces, were in 1897 10,651 pieces. Imports of American kerosene, which in 1895 were 12,700 gallons, had by 1897 reached 75,780 gallons.

On the importance of the trade of this port and the business openings of the section of which it is the center, Consul Smithers, in a report to the State Department in October, 1897, says that the prospect of introducing American goods, other than kerosene oil and a few piece goods, is not, in his opinion, bright as to the immediate future, but adds:

The richness of the province is undisputed, and if the natural resources, which to a great extent still lie dormant, could only be properly developed, the people would be enriched to a great extent. As it is, they must content themselves with products of their own district that they can buy at a less figure than imported articles.

The existing conditions of transportation facilities, either by land or by water, between Ichang, the treaty port on the Yangtze, 450 miles below Chungking, are very imperfect. Reliance must be had upon water on native craft, which are tracked up the river the entire distance when the wind does not permit the hoisting of a sail. A large junk takes sixty days to make the up trip, whereas a light-draft steamer could do it in one-tenth the time, allowing for all likely delays. In my opinion, the navigation of the upper Yangtze by steam is worth looking after by some enterprising steamship company in the United States. The right to run steamers on this section of the river has been secured by the Shimonoseki, Japan, treaty, concluded in 1895, but no company has yet tried the experiment.

AMOI.

Amoy, a port located on the coast of China directly opposite the island of Formosa, is especially important in its relations to the prospective trade of the United States with China. Fuh-kien, the province in which Amoy is located, while the smallest of the provinces of China—its area being less than that of the State of Ohio—has a population of 23,000,000, or more than six times as much as that of Ohio. Consul Johnson, in a report to the State Department on the trade of Amoy, says:

Amoy's trade with the United States leads that of all other Chinese ports. America took no less than about \$3,731,597.15 (gold) worth of tea from this port alone during 1896, as against about \$2,574,919.20 (gold) worth for 1895. (The rate for Mexican dollars was 52.3 cents for 1896 and 55 cents for 1895, being the mean average for each year.)

In exports the United States was the principal customer, while of the imports she supplied a very insignificant per cent. According to the system in vogue of handling our goods in this market, they are, with one or two exceptions, all classed as English goods, to the great injury of United States farmers and manufacturers. There simply are no statistics of the imports from America available except those of kerosene oil, which comes direct to Amoy by sailing vessels. Even for that, this office is dependent upon the report of the Chinese customs. The bulk of the trade passes through Hongkong, an English colony, where the cargoes are landed and reexported to Chinese ports, and the goods are classed as English goods, and are so regarded by the merchants and consumers. This is particularly true of United States canned goods, bacon, hams, oat flake, etc. In case of kerosene, there is a noted exception. If one should give America credit for all the kerosene sold as our native product, our showing would be most gratifying. The record for 1896 shows an increase over 1895 of 120,000 gallons in case oils. There is a heavy falling off in the receipts of Russian oils. It is claimed that United States tins, after being emptied, are frequently filled with an inferior foreign oil, which is sold as American oil. Faulty cases or tins sometimes afford an excuse for the dealer tampering with the United States product as delivered and a corresponding facility in perpetrating the fraud.

Cotton piece goods of all kinds exhibit an increase, especially in white shirtings, Turkey reds, lawns, and Japanese cotton cloth and crape. Formosa has afforded a steady market for many kinds of cotton goods locally manufactured from Bombay spinnings. These importations for 1896 amounted to 65,990 piculs, or 8,776,670 pounds, a gain over 1895 of 15,242 piculs, or 2,027,186 pounds.

With the present low price of cotton in the United States and the thousands of idle spindles, it would seem that a fair proportion of these spinnings might be supplied from the United States.

It is important in this connection to note that American cotton fabrics are preferred by the Chinese, and they buy them when possible to obtain them, even though they are sold at a much higher price than other importations. The wealthy Chinese would buy nothing else if they could secure the goods readily.

There are many evidences of increased prosperity among the native population, chief among which is the increase in importations of table luxuries, such as *bêche de mer*, birds' nests, sharks' fins, etc. It is possible to account for much of this by the fact that many native merchants who have spent a few years in the Straits Settlements and Manila have accumulated fortunes and returned to their native land to live in luxury. Many others, dissatisfied with the Japanese rule in Formosa and apprehensive of the results, have come to Amoy and bought the finest foreign houses on the little island of Kulangsoo, which commanded fabulous prices, and have settled down among the foreigners.

There is an increasing market for United States flour. The fields formerly used for the cultivation of various grains, rice, and vegetables are now largely given to the growth of the poppy. As a result, the staple article of food must come from abroad.

American flour can be imported at such a low figure, quality considered, that it is more economical than the native flour, which is prepared by a somewhat wasteful process. United States flour is slowly penetrating into the interior, though it is not making the progress one would like to see. Wheat goes begging for a market in the United States, when right here, in this one country, might be found a market for millions of bushels annually. The great corn fields of the interior Western States could also find here a market for much of the surplus product.

Corn flour is used to a limited extent, and should receive the attention of the importer. It is both cheap and wholesome, two qualities essential to enable a product to gain a foothold in the Flowery Kingdom.

CHEFOO.

Chefoo is considered an especially important treaty port by reason of the constant and growing demand for American goods at that point. It is located on the Gulf of Pechili, comparatively near to Tientsin, but nearer to the new British port of Wei-hai-wei, and its importance to American interests is pictured by Consul Fowler in a report to the State Department recently published, in which he says:

It is satisfactory to see that during the six months under review the following American goods show a gain over the same period of 1896:

Drills	pieces..	13,214
Sheetings.....	do....	111,040
Oil, kerosene.....	gallons..	942,050

It is worthy of note that of the 36 classes of foreign merchandise showing a gain in the table of imports 27 are imported from gold-standard countries and only 9 are from Asia or silver-standard countries; this in spite of the enhanced values due to the tremendous fall in silver.

Of the 22 classes of foreign merchandise that show a decline 8 are imports from gold-standard countries and 14 from silver-standard countries.

The above tables, unfortunately, do not show the exact state of affairs, as immense quantities of merchandise come into this district overland from Shanghai on the south and Tientsin on the north. Moreover, the first six months of the year show the smallest returns, as during January and February there is but little coast traffic on account of the entrance to the harbors of Tientsin and Newchwang being frozen. Chefoo is then the terminus of the run.

Imports of the principal American merchandise at Chefoo for 1892, 1894, and 1896.

	1892.	1894.	1896.
Drills, American .....pieces..	64,215	45,025	106,326
Jeans, American .....do....	2,290	1,220	2,500
Sheetings, American.....do....	198,235	108,647	217,560
Flour, American (gold value)		\$7,794.83	\$10,596.55
Oil, kerosene, American.....gallons..	1,056,580	1,833,790	2,388,250

This table shows that while the value of silver is rapidly declining and thus enhancing the cost of United States goods, the imports of our merchandise have increased by leaps and bounds. On the other hand, the imports of similar goods from England have decreased.

English goods imported in 1892, 1894, and 1896.

	1892.	1894.	1896.
Drills, English .....pieces ..	31,750	19,215	18,570
Jeans, English .....do....	3,056	5,720	4,850
Sheetings, English.....do....	76,331	44,510	61,363
Yarn, cotton.....pounds..	206,656	117,466	156,500

The first importation of Russian kerosene oil was in 1895 610,000 gallons; in 1896 it had fallen to 243,000, while our oil had increased from 1,967,900 gallons imported in 1895 to 2,388,250 gallons in 1896, and even this increase would have been greater but for the unfortunate loss of the ship *Governor Goodwin* in August of that year, bound for Chefoo with oil.

The imports of our oil for the six months ended June 30, 1897, were 1,642,100 gallons, a gain of 942,050 gallons over the same period of the previous year and 585,020 gallons more than the importation for the whole year of 1892. This tremendous increase will be shortly added to by the arrival of two ships shortly due from New York with oil.

The customs returns do not show, nor is it possible for us to ascertain exactly, the state of our trade with Chefoo, for, excepting in the articles named above, the returns do not specify their origin; but a glance in the shops reveals immense quantities of American food stuffs, notions and small wares, canned fruits, vegetables, biscuits, clocks, watches, small machinery, and stoves of American origin, for which the demand is very rapidly increasing. There is one store here that makes a specialty of our goods, and singularly enough, while it keeps the freshest and best goods, coming from the much nearer port of San Francisco, it is the cheapest store in the town.

The Chinese are rapidly acquiring a taste for our canned goods, milk especially. In Shanghai alone there were imported in 1896 41,500 dozen tins of milk. In fact there is no better market anywhere for our exports than China.

OTHER PORTS.

A group of ports recently opened in the southern part of China is the subject of considerable attention because of the effort of French interests to open a market for their manufactures by way of their possessions Tonkin and Annam, in close proximity to southern China. These ports are Lungchow, Mengtsz, Chinwang, and Pakhoi. Already a railroad is constructed from the head of navigation on the Red River in Tonkin to the border of China, and other lines are projected thence to these various ports and to a number of other cities, including Nanning and Laokai, with which the French expect to establish trade relations. In some particulars the French are especially successful in their commercial relations with China, they having accomplished more in their efforts to abolish likin taxes at way stations through the country by payment of a transit pass rate of duty than has been the case with other nations, though the further fact that a higher rate of duty is levied on goods imported into Tonkin and Annam places them at a disadvantage as compared with countries whose goods enter at the other ports of China where a rate of duty of but 5 per cent is collected.

On the coast between Canton and Shanghai are located the treaty ports of Swatow, Foochau, Wenchow, Ningpo, Hangchow, and Amoy, already named. Three of these, Hangchow, Ningpo, and Wenchow, are to be connected with Shanghai by a proposed railway line to be built under British control. North of Shanghai there are few treaty ports, the only ones aside from Tientsin and Ninchwang, already described, being Chefoo, on the Gulf of Pechili and immediately adjacent to the new British port of Weihaiwei. In the Yangtze Valley are several smaller treaty ports not already mentioned, among them Wusung, Suchow, Chinkiang, Nanking, Wuhu, Kukiang, Yochow, Shasi, and Ichang, the latter having been formerly considered the head of navigation on the Yangtze.

In the dependency of Tibet is Yatung, a treaty port opened in 1893 under somewhat peculiar circumstances. Yatung is almost due north from Calcutta in British India, and foreign goods reach it only by packs carried upon the backs of men or animals. A railway runs north from Calcutta to the foot of the Himalayas, where the traveler

changes to a narrow-gauge line which carries him in eight hours 50 miles through magnificent scenery to an elevation of 7,400 feet, the railway being pronounced one of the most interesting feats of engineering in the world. From the terminus of the railway—Darjeeling—to Yatung, although the distance is little over 80 miles, the trip requires seven days, and all goods are carried by men or pack animals. The buildings at Yatung consist of a house for an officer who may be appointed by the Indian Government to reside there, a cluster of rude hovels for the accommodation of traders, two Tibetan houses, and accommodations for the commissioner of customs, though no customs duties are to be collected during the first five years of its existence as a treaty port. In the first year of its operation no less than 29,186 loads, carried by men or pack animals, arrived and departed from this point, while in 1897 the number of loads by men and pack animals was 64,477. The articles brought into Yatung in this manner included 1,391,652 yards of cotton goods, 58,196 yards of woolen cloth, 10,299 yards of woolen and cotton mixtures, 10,458 yards of silk, 5,470 umbrellas, 40,000 “maunds” of sheep’s wool, 4,821 maunds of maize, 1,717 gross of matches, and 3,386 maunds of metal. The commissioner of customs reports that in 1897 an increased demand existed for blue piece goods, Japanese and Nepalese cottons, printed and fancy cottons, white and dyed yarn, cotton thread, cambrics (of which 654,890 yards were imported), and white and dyed drills. Among the metals and metal work most in request were ironware, tin plates, tinware, copper sheets, copper ware, German silver in sheets, and pewter, while satisfactory increases occurred in beads, dyes, incense, indigo, mirrors, kerosene oil, silk, sugar, candy, tobacco, and umbrellas.

POPULATION AND AREA.

That China’s population is one-fourth that of the world and her area one-twelfth that of the land surface of the globe is too well known to require repetition here. That her area is 60 per cent of that of the United States and her population five times as much as that of the United States is also well known. It is practicable, however, to obtain a clearer view of the relative size and density of population of her various provinces by a comparison with States in our own country. The table which follows gives the area and population of each province of China, comparing them with those of States in the United States. This, with the aid of the map given herewith, will make it practicable for those so desiring to determine the relative size of each province and compare its density of population with that of the various sections of the United States.

COMPARISON OF AREA AND POPULATION OF CHINESE PROVINCES WITH STATES OF THE UNITED STATES.

	Area.	Population.		Area.	Population.
Hupei	70,450	33,365,005	Shansi	56,268	12,211,453
Ohio and Indiana	76,670	5,864,720	Illinois	56,000	3,826,851
Honan	65,104	22,115,827	Shensi	67,400	8,432,193
Missouri	68,735	2,679,184	Nebraska	76,840	1,058,910
Chebkang	39,150	11,588,692	Kansuh	125,450	9,285,377
Kentucky	40,000	1,858,635	California	155,980	1,208,130
Kiangai	72,176	24,534,118	Szechuan	166,800	67,712,897
Kentucky and Tennessee	81,750	3,626,252	Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Kentucky	173,430	11,550,209
Kweichow	64,554	7,669,181	Ngan Hway	48,461	20,596,288
Virginia and West Virginia	64,770	2,418,774	New York	47,620	5,997,853
Yunnan	107,969	11,721,576	Kiangsu	44,500	20,905,171
Michigan and Wisconsin	111,880	3,780,769	Pennsylvania	44,985	5,258,014
Fukien	38,480	23,000,000	Kwangtung	79,456	29,706,249
Ohio	40,700	3,672,316	Kansas	81,700	1,427,096
Chihli	58,949	17,937,000	Kwangsi	78,250	5,151,327
Georgia	58,980	1,837,353	Minnesota	79,205	1,301,826
Shantung	65,104	36,248,000	Shingkiang	43,000	6,000,000
New England	62,005	4,700,945	Louisiana	45,000	1,118,569

CHINA'S RELATION WITH THE WEST.

ADDRESS OF THE CHINESE MINISTER, HIS EXCELLENCY, WU TING-FANG, AT THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCE, ON APRIL 8, 1899.

We have all read about the dispute between two ancient knights over a shield, one claiming it to be gold and the other claiming it to be silver. The story is an old one, but the lesson it teaches is worth remembering. It is the failure to look at the other side of the shield that has given rise to all the misunderstanding in the intercourse between the East and the West. The different nations in the West have, within the present century, advanced so much in science, knowledge, and wealth that it has become the fashion to speak of them as the most civilized nations on the face of the earth, and to consider the nations in the East as much below them in civilization—in fact, as barbarous or semicivilized. It has been too much the habit to ignore the good points the Eastern nations possess, and to leave out of account what they have done. This is hardly just. The East also has a civilization of its own. Of that civilization China is the chief exponent. Among its achievements may be mentioned the invention of the mariners' compass, gunpowder, and printing. It is not a civilization of mushroom growth. There is not a nation standing to-day that can trace its history as far back as China. She has witnessed the rise and fall of the ancient Egyptian dynasties; the expansion of the Persian Empire; the conquests of Alexander; the irresistible advance of the Roman legion; the deluge of Teutonic hordes from the North; the dissolution of the empire of Charlemagne, and the birth of all the modern nations of Europe. During the forty centuries of her existence there have gradually grown up institutions and laws adapted to the needs and character of the people; a literature as extensive and varied as that of ancient and modern Europe; a system of morality that can challenge comparison with any the world has ever produced; and those useful arts that have never ceased to excite the wonder and admiration of the world. You may ask why Egypt, Persia, Greece, and even mighty Rome have successively succumbed to the ravages of time, while China alone has survived. The answer is not far to seek. It is the survival of the fittest. The working of this inexorable law of nature constantly weeds out those nations that can not adapt themselves to the ever-changing conditions of life, and the fact that China is standing to-day shows conclusively that she has not outlived her usefulness to the cause of civilization.

Thus Chinese civilization has been weighed in the balance of time and not found wanting. But the conditions that have fostered that civilization have in recent years been greatly modified by steam and electricity. With the Himalayas on the west, vast deserts on the north, and large bodies of water on the east and south, China was a country extremely difficult to approach from all sides in days not very long ago. There she was left for centuries to work out her destiny practically free from outside influence and foreign molestation. But the steamboat and the telegraph have changed the whole situation of things, and rendered it impossible for her to lead such a national life as she could before. It has taken her some time to awake to this fact. On this account she has been called an unprogressive nation. This sentiment is voiced by Tennyson when he says, "Better fifty years of Europe than a cycle of Cathay."

But it is a mistake to think that China has been stationary. Compare China of the present day with China of fifty years ago, and the progress she has made will be at once apparent. There is a well-known law in physics that when a body is at rest or in motion it will remain at rest or continue to move in a straight line unless acted upon by some outside force. This law holds good in the political as well as in the physical world. It is unreasonable to expect China to break away from the long-established sway of custom in a moment. The inertia of centuries must be first overcome. The meeting of the Chinese and Western civilizations is a meeting of two social forces. We must look for the result not in the complete neutralization of one force by the other, but in the union of the two forces. It is the recovery from the shock of the collision that requires time. After the union of the forces is effected, movement in the resultant direction may be expected to be rapid.

Mechanics also teaches us that if the same force acts for the same period of time upon bodies of different masses, the velocity generated is inversely proportional to their masses. According to this law, when two balls, one weighing twice as much as the other, are thrown from the hand, the heavier one will go only half as far as the other. Now the population of the United States is estimated at 76,000,000, and the population of China is estimated at from 350,000,000 to 400,000,000, or about five times as large. We should expect, therefore, that a social or political movement which would stir up the whole people of the United States would, other conditions being equal, produce only one-fifth as much effect upon the people of China. But in order to obtain the same effect in China as in the United States the force must be five times as great; or, if the force be the same, the time it is allowed to act must be five times as long. Thus for the apparently slow progress of the Chinese nation we have a scientific explanation.

Though China may not have made very rapid progress from a western point of view in times past, there are signs everywhere at the present day indicative of a general awakening among the people. We have already established a system of telegraphs which is now in operation in every province of China, and a message can be sent from 1,000 miles in the interior to the furthest seaport in a few hours. With regard to the railroad, it was introduced in the north of China fourteen years ago, and I had the honor of being one of the promoters and directors that organized the first company. Since then it has been extended in different directions. A journey from Tientsin to Peking, which by boat would have taken three or four days a few years ago, can be accomplished now in a few hours. The grand trunk line from north to south is being now rapidly pushed forward and in the near future a traveler from the extreme south of China will be able to go up by the "iron horse" to Peking in forty-eight hours. So is the case with water communication. We have steamers plying along the coast of China, and steamboats of light draft are seen on most of the navigable rivers.

It will be tedious to enumerate all the new improvements that have been introduced within the last twenty or thirty years, but from what I have above indicated it is sufficient to show that China has not been napping. I do not say that all necessary reforms have been made, and I frankly admit that something more will have to be done. Our government and people are aware of this, and they are taking steps in that direction, but it should be remembered that it is not necessary to import by wholesale the Western civilization into China. What is suited in one country may not be suited in another. Wise statesmen do not rush forward to introduce new measures without serious consideration lest their introduction may cause disruption and harm not counterpoised by the good produced.

You have so many conflicting stories about China and the Chinese nowadays that I must admit it is a difficult matter for anybody to distinguish what is true from what is false. Every globe trotter upon his return home generally has something to say about China, and is ever ready to give his impressions of the country and its people. A rocky hill may have the appearance of a sand dune on the

outside. A passing observer is apt to mistake the one for the other. In order to find out the true character of the elevation we must dig down below the surface. The same may be said of China. The words of a globe trotter must be taken *cum grano salis* with reference to all things Chinese.

The spirit of commercialism has lately risen to a dangerous pitch. As a market for the world's goods China indisputably holds the first place, for the wants of 350,000,000 to 400,000,000 people have to be supplied in some way. It has been said that as a market one province in China is worth more than the whole continent of Africa. It has always been the policy of China to treat all foreign nations alike. They are all most-favored nations in a literal sense. The maintenance of an "open door" is exactly in the line of her policy. But unhappily human nature is never contented. When a man gets an inch he wants an ell. It is now the turn of missionaries to tell us that if there were no foreign adventurers in China there would be no foreign complications. Twenty-five centuries ago our sage Confucius, the greatest philosopher that ever flourished in China, said, "Wealth gotten by improper ways will take its departure by the same." This is equivalent to your proverb, "Goods ill-gotten go ill-spent." Nations as well as individuals should not forget this, as the maxim of Confucius as well as your proverb will always come true if any nation or individual should unjustly obtain possession of any property. Some people call themselves highly civilized, and stigmatize others as uncivilized. What is civilization? Does it mean solely the possession of superior force and ample supply of offensive and defensive weapons? I take it to mean something more. I understand that a civilized nation should respect the rights of another nation, just the same as in society a man is bound to respect the rights of his neighbor. Civilization, as I understand it, does not teach people to ignore the rights of others, nor does it approve the seizure of another's property against his will. It would be a sorry spectacle if such a glaring breach of the fundamental rights of man could be committed with impunity at the end of this nineteenth century. What would the future historian say when he should come to write about the events of this century? Is it not time that we should at least recognize the principle of righteousness, justice, and fair play?

Mencius, a great philosopher of China, twenty-three centuries ago said thus: "I like life and I also like righteousness; but if I can not keep the two together I will let life go and choose righteousness. Now, if people professing Christianity and priding themselves on being highly civilized should still so far misconduct themselves as to disregard the rights of the weak and inexcusably take what does not belong to them, then it would be better not to become so civilized. It would be better to live amongst the people who practice the tenets of Confucius and Mencius than amongst a people who profess to believe in the highest standard of morality but do not practice what they believe. The aphorism of Tennyson should be changed so as to read: "Better fifty years in Cathay than a cycle in Europe."

But I do not believe such practice of ignoring other people's rights is generally resorted to, and I am persuaded there are many people who denounce it. China welcomes to her shores the people of all nations. Her ports are open to all, and she treats all alike, without distinction of race, color, nationality, or creed. Her people trade with all foreigners. In return she wishes only to be treated in the same way. She wants peace—to be let alone—and not to be molested with unreasonable demands. Is this unfair? She asks you to treat her in the same way as you would like to be treated. Surely this reasonable request can not be refused. We are about to enter into the twentieth century, and are we to go back to the Middle Ages and witness again the scenes enacted in that period? I can not bring myself to think that the world is deteriorating. I believe that in every country there are men and women of noble character—and I know in this country there are many such—whose principle is to be fair and just to all, especially to the weak, and that they would not themselves nor allow their respective governments to commit acts of oppression and tyranny. It is such men and women that shed luster on their respective countries. It is due to the noble and unselfish efforts of such good people that the scheme of a tribunal for the settlement of international disputes has been brought prominently before the world. May their grand scheme soon be carried into effect! The good such an institution will produce to the world will be manifold. All international disputes will then be settled in an amicable way without resort to arms and without bloodshed. There will be practically no more war. The blessings of peace will be permanent. Commerce and trade will be more steady and prosperous, and merchants will have more confidence in each other. All men will follow their respective avocations uninterruptedly. Nations will be brought into closer touch with each other, and their friendly relations will be more cordial.

These and many other beneficial results will, in my humble opinion, naturally follow from the establishment of an international court of arbitration. It is gratifying to hear that the project of a general disarmament, so nobly proposed by His Majesty the Czar of Russia and so readily seconded by the leading nations of the world, will soon lead to a conference. May it bear good fruit! May it be the precursor of an international court of arbitration! This is my earnest wish and I am sure it is your wish and the wish of every man and woman who has the peace and well-being of the world at heart.

THE UNITED STATES AND THE TRADE OF CHINA.

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The United States are deeply concerned in the China question, both from the industrial and political point of view. Already compelled by the force of circumstances to embark on a foreign policy and to look increasingly to foreign markets, they can not but feel that the question is of vital importance to themselves. It is evident that the Pacific Slope, though at present playing but a small part, is more closely concerned in the ultimate development of China than any other section of the States. These Pacific States are possessed of enormous natural resources; their manufactures, while of minor importance, have quadrupled in twenty years, and will in the course of time find a most advantageous market in the far east. When the Nicaragua Canal is made, the Atlantic States also will be brought into close connection with China and the whole of the far east. The volume of the United States trade with China represented more than one-seventh of the entire trade of the Empire in 1896. While the import trade of the United States from China has increased slowly, the export trade to China has increased 126 per cent in ten years and is over 50 per cent larger than the German exports. The exports of cotton cloths amounted to 1,497,000 pounds sterling in 1897, or nearly one-half the entire value of cotton cloths sent abroad by the United States. The export of kerosene oil from the States to China now ranks second in importance to that of cotton goods, and is likely to increase at a rapid rate. The Chinese demand is quickly growing, and the export from the United States to China has more than trebled in the past ten years. The Russian oil has hitherto been the only serious competitor, but Langkat is coming rapidly into use. The exports of wheat from the United States fully reached a value in 1897 of 678,000 pounds sterling, and chemicals, dyes, etc., 200,000 pounds sterling. The United States export to China chiefly cotton and mineral oils. And while England, which so far practically controls the China trade, has most to lose by the partition of China, even should she receive a large share, the United States are deeply concerned in the question, for their trade is considerable and of great promise.

FIRST OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND CHINA.

[President Tyler to Chinese Emperor, 1843.]

I, John Tyler, President of the United States of America—which States are Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, Louisiana, Indiana, Mississippi, Illinois, Alabama, Missouri, Arkansas, and Michigan—send you this letter of peace and friendship, signed by my own hand.

I hope your health is good. China is a great Empire, extending over a great part of the world. The Chinese are numerous. You have millions and millions of subjects. The twenty-six United States are as large as China, though our people are not so numerous. The rising sun looks upon the great mountains and great rivers of China. When he sets he looks upon rivers and mountains equally large in the United States. Our territories extend from one great ocean to the other; and on the west we are divided from your dominions only by the sea. Leaving the mouth of one of our great rivers and going constantly toward the setting sun we sail to Japan and to the Yellow Sea.

Now, my words are that the governments of two such great countries should be at peace. It is proper, and according to the will of heaven, that they should respect each other and act wisely. I therefore send to your court Caleb Cushing, one of the wise and learned men of this country. On his first arrival in China he will inquire for your health. He has strict orders to go to your great city of Peking and there to deliver this letter. He will have with him secretaries and interpreters.

The Chinese love to trade with our people and to sell them tea and silk, for which our people pay silver, and sometimes other articles. But if the Chinese and the Americans will trade there should be rules, so that they shall not break your laws or our laws. Our minister, Caleb Cushing, is authorized to make a treaty to regulate trade. Let it be just. Let there be no unfair advantage on either side. Let the people trade not only at Canton, but also at Amoy, Ningpo, Shanghai, Fuchau, and all such other places as may offer profitable exchanges both to China and the United States, provided they do not break your laws nor our laws. We shall not take the part of evildoers. We shall not uphold them that break your laws. Therefore, we doubt not that you will be pleased that our messenger of peace, with this letter in his hand, shall come to Peking, and there deliver it; and that your great officers will, by your order, make a treaty with him to regulate affairs of trade, so that nothing may happen to disturb the peace between China and America. Let the treaty be signed by your own imperial hand. It shall be signed by mine, by the authority of our great council, the Senate.

And so may your health be good and may peace reign.

Written at Washington, this twelfth of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

Your good friend,

JOHN TYLER,
President.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE IN THE FAR EAST.

[Lord Curzon in "Problems in the Far East," 1894.]

The improvement of existing and the creation of new means of communication are rapidly developing a solidarity between the East and the West which our grandparents would have deemed impossible. Fusion, and not disintegration, will be the keynote of the progress of the coming century. There remains now but few countries to which access has not already been gained, * * * * * and this task will be facilitated by the increasing diffusion of the English tongue. Already spoken in every store from Yokohama to Rangoon, already taught in the military and naval colleges of China and in the schools of Japan and of Siam, already employed in the telegraphic service of Japan, China, and Corea, and stamped upon the silver coins that issue from the mints of Osaka and Canton, already used by Chinamen themselves as a means of communication between subjects of different provinces of their mighty Empire, it is destined with absolute certainty to be the language of the far east. Its sound will go out into all lands and its words unto the ends of the world.

RAILWAYS IN CHINA.—A FRENCH AND ENGLISH VIEW OF THEIR ACTUAL OPERATION.

An interesting letter from M. Leroy Beaulien, dealing with the question of the construction of railways in China, has recently appeared in the *Economiste Francaise*. He gives an account of Tientsin, the capital of Pechili, which ranks third in importance among the open ports of China, its trade consisting chiefly of goat and sheep skins from Mongolia and camels' hair from the same place, the staple articles of export from China (tea and silk) not being produced in this rigorous climate; and he points out that the opening of the railway on the one hand toward the northeast, where coal deposits are to be found, and on the other toward Peking must undoubtedly improve the commercial condition of Tientsin.

The first city in the interior which the Chinese decided to connect with the coast by railway was the capital, and the railway system of the province of Pechili is still the only one existing in the Empire. It consists of 290 miles open for traffic—a length of 79 miles from Peking to Tientsin; 27 miles from Tientsin to Tangkou, a little above the forts of Takou, which protect the mouth of the Peiho; 144 miles from Tangkou to Shanhaikwan, a point where the great wall of China touches upon the sea; and, finally, an extension of 40 miles beyond this great wall toward the northeast. If the Tientsin-Shanhaikwan Railway had been pushed with more activity from the coast, it would, according to M. Beaulien, have been in a position to render the most invaluable services during the Chino-Japanese war. It is proposed to prolong it as far as Moukden, in Manchuria, with a branch to Newchwang, the open port of Pechili, which was occupied by the Japanese in 1895. The work, however, is advancing very slowly from the coast, while on the other hand the line from Tientsin to Peking was constructed in twelve months.

Upon all the lines the traffic is well managed. There are four trains a day each way between Tientsin and Tangkou, two from Tangkou to Shanhaikwan, and since the 1st of October last two from Tientsin to Peking. The receipts from the line from Peking to Tientsin average 3,000 taels a day (about £400 at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of M. Beaulien's communication, namely, the

8th of October last). The construction is well carried out, the ordinary European gauge being adopted. The technical difficulties which had to be overcome were not great, although, the district through which it runs being periodically inundated, it was necessary to exercise great care and judgment in building the line. The Peiho and one or two other water courses are crossed by means of bridges on stone piles which are not yet entirely finished. The railway, which belongs to the Chinese Government, has been built by English and American engineers, and these still direct the technical working, while the engine drivers are all Europeans. The rest of the staff employed on the permanent way and at the various stations and that forming the financial administration is composed of Chinese. The carriages are not luxurious, but are sufficiently comfortable for a short journey. Many of the Chinese travel in the goods trucks. As regards luggage, which may be carried by Europeans in reasonable quantities, this is usually piled into the carriage with the passengers. The fares are moderate. Passengers alight from the carriages a few hundred yards from the walls of Pekin, amidst a crowd of spectators who are attracted by the novelty of the sight.

M. Beaulieu goes on to say that certain members of the Tsung-li Yamèn still protest against the construction of railways, chiefly on religious grounds; but notwithstanding the opposition it appears certain that China must construct further railways. That from Tientsin to Shanhaikwan ought to be extended to a point in the neighborhood of Kirin, in Manchuria, when it would meet the line that the Russians are going to build; but this moves very slowly, the Chinese probably not being anxious to place their capital into direct communication with Russia. There are other lines under consideration, notably one from Pekin to Hankau, on the Yang-tse-Kiang, and one starting from Shanghai, while European engineers are studying a line from Pekin toward the southwest, the terminal point of which would be Tai Yuen, principal town of Shansi, about 279 miles from the capital.

RAILWAYS IN CHINA—FUTURE PROSPECTS.

The following extract is made from the report upon the trade of China for 1896, prepared by Mr. Grosvenor, of the British legation at Pekin:

"The year 1896 has witnessed a real advance in the direction of opening up the country by means of railways. The line connecting Tientsin with the capital had, at the close of the year, been completed to within 30 miles of Pekin, and at the present moment trains are running to within half an hour's ride of the city gate.

"A beginning has already been made by the construction of the line from Pekin to Lu Kou Chiao, a distance of some 16 English miles, this being the first stage of the railway which is to connect the capital with the Yangtze port of Hankau. Shêng Taotai, to whom the arrangements for the construction of the Pekin-Hankau line have been intrusted by the Chinese Government, is endeavoring to raise the necessary capital, which will unquestionably have to be drawn from a foreign source, as the Chinese have proved to be unable or unwilling to subscribe it.

"The development of the country by means of railways can have none but beneficial results upon foreign commerce with China; but the adoption of particular western methods, such as the telegraph, has not hitherto been attended by any revolution in the attitude of the Chinese toward western ideas or modes of thought, and in the absence of other indications it would be easy to exaggerate the importance of the movement in favor of railways as a sign of general progress in this direction.

"Rapid changes are inconsistent with the Chinese character, and a year is a short space in the life of a nation whose civilization has remained stationary for twenty centuries; but during the year under review evidences, such as increased friendliness to foreigners on the part of the educated classes and eager competition among the officials for foreign posts, have not been wanting to show that China is beginning to assume a better attitude toward the ideas and institutions of the West. Progress is slow and almost imperceptible, but progress there is, and it is possible that the new ideas, having once gained admittance, may act with cumulative force on the philosophic apathy of the mercantile and moneyed classes and on the unreasoning conservatism of the masses, so that public opinion may be led to demand an administration more capable and less corrupt, a less irrational fiscal system, and more adequate means of communication; and the chief bars to progress being thus removed, a rich field for commercial and industrial activity may be opened up in this Empire at a date less distant than could be hoped from its present condition. Englishmen should watch carefully the development of events, remembering that the great rewards of enterprise will be to those who are first in the field."

ELECTRIC RAILWAYS IN SHANGHAI.

[From Consular Reports, 1898.]

Consul-General Goodnow, of Shanghai, under date of July 9, 1898, says:

I inclose a clipping from the published report of the proceedings of the city council with reference to the proposed street railway in Shanghai. This plan contemplates about 18 miles of railway of the overhead wire and trolley system. It appears to me that our electric railway builders should bid for this concession. The extract reads:

"The report of the special commission is again under discussion, and it is decided to include in the particulars both systems of gauge ('standard' and 'meter').

"The following general particulars are ordered for publication:

"The electric overhead trolley system is to be adopted.

"The routes are to be three in number, viz:

"(1) From the French waterworks along the Chinese Bund (if practicable), and thence along the French and English Bunds to the point by way of Broadway, Seward, and Yangtzepoo roads.

"(2) From the Bund to the Bubbling Well by way of the Kinkiang, Kiangse, Hankau, and Nankin roads.

"(3) From the Shanghai station of the Woosung-Shanghai Railway to the west gate of the Chinese city.

"A concession is to be given for the construction of the line and all accessories to a syndicate or company, to be known as the 'Shanghai Tramway Company.' The concession is to be for thirty, forty, or fifty years, according to the tender that the ratepayers may decide to accept, and the company is to pay the council a percentage of the total gross receipts for the period of the concession.

"Notification to tenderers by public advertisement will follow in due course, and the tender finally selected will be submitted to the ratepayers for ratification."

TELEPHONE AND TRAMWAY SYSTEMS IN SHANGHAI.

(From Advance Sheets Consular Reports, 1899.)

In reply to an editor of a New York publication, Consul-General Goodnow, of Shanghai, writes as follows under date of November 17:

The council of the city of Shanghai is now advertising for proposals for telephone and electric-railway systems. The specifications can be seen at the council's agency in New York City, or copies can be obtained from the city engineer here for 25 taels each (a Shanghai tael is equivalent to about 65 cents gold). Bids on the telephone franchise must be in by March 31, 1899, while bids for the tramway franchise must be in by March 15, 1899.

Shanghai lies on the west bank of the Whangpoo River, about 12 miles from the Yangtze River. The city extends about 3 miles along the river and from half a mile to 1 mile back from it. It is densely populated, principally by Chinese, the estimated population being over 300 per acre. Negotiations are in progress between the Chinese authorities and the English, French, and American consuls-general, whereby it is hoped that such an extension of the settlements will be made that the city will be enlarged to more than three times its present area. The present settlements, three in number, were originally ceded (1845) to the American, English, and French Governments for the residences for their citizens, the land being held by the separate owners on perpetual lease from the Emperor. The American and English settlements are in one municipality, governed by a council elected annually by the ratepayers. The French settlement is governed by a council elected by the ratepayers of that settlement. Actions brought against the municipality are tried by a court of consuls, now consisting of the American, English, and German consuls-general. In all suits against individuals or companies the defendant is entitled to trial before the court of his own nationality and under its laws. The municipal police and other local regulations are recognized as law by the various consuls. So thoroughly is this a cosmopolitan city that any changes in its regulations must be approved by the entire consular body and the diplomatic body at Peking before they become operative.

The city is almost perfectly flat and the average height above high water is about 2 feet. The soil is alluvial. The yearly rainfall is 44.24 inches. The highest temperature ever observed was 102.5° F. in the shade, and the minimum 10.5° F. Coolie labor is paid about 25 cents Mexican per day; but this can not be compared with the white labor of the United States for efficiency.

From the foregoing it will be seen that a contractor for city work must deal with the council of the Anglo-American settlement with that of the French settlement, and with the Chinese authorities for any franchise which is to include all Shanghai and the surrounding country. This fact, and the additional one that the foreigners are divided from the Chinese and from one another by racial and national antagonisms, will make it difficult to obtain any franchise covering the entire city. But the necessities of the case may force the granting of the two franchises in question. There are about 5,650 foreigners in the settlements and 410,000 Chinese. There are 200,000 Chinese in the suburbs. The city's income is about 730,000 taels (\$474,500), and its debt is 1,131,800 taels (\$735,670).

The telephone company in Shanghai operates 338 telephones, charging an annual rental of from 60 to 70 taels. The instruments are of the oldest style and the service is not good; but, as is usual when a company is already in possession, it will have an advantage in the coming competition, knowing the local conditions and the people. The council proposes to give a thirty years' exclusive franchise, reserving an option to purchase after fifteen years. It requires a deposit of 10,000 taels (about \$6,500) with the bid as an evidence of good faith. If good telephones could be furnished at a reasonable rental, I believe that many times the present number would be used, for the Chinese seem very partial to electrical appliances. In the matter of cost the telephone has a sharp competitor in the cheap labor of the country. A coolie can be hired to carry chits (letters) for \$5 Mexican (\$2.37 gold) per month. With a poor telephone service the coolie is more reliable and much less wearing on the temper than is the wire. Probably nine-tenths of the messages are carried by coolies at the present time.

The tramway problem is a much more complex one. It is proposed to give a franchise for thirty, forty, or fifty years; but the tender accepted by the council must afterwards be ratified by the ratepayers. The specifications fix a maximum first-class fare of 10 Mexican cents and a maximum second-class fare of 5 Mexican cents for transporting passengers from one point to another on the lines. A deposit of £10,000 is required with the bid as an evidence of good faith. About 23 miles of track are to be laid at once. An overhead-trolley system, supported by iron poles, is asked for, as it is not thought an underground system is practicable where the water stands so near the surface of the ground. The streets along which the proposed roads are to run are macadamized with broken granite on a foundation of broken brick. There are twelve small bridges which will have to be strengthened.

The details of construction and operation are largely matters of experiment, as there has been no rapid transit in this country; and they should be carefully studied by experts on the ground. An American gets little realizing sense of conditions here by what is written. Everything is so foreign to his ways, ideas, and manners that only the evidence of his eyes will convey a clear conception.

Since the Japan-China war Shanghai has rapidly developed into a manufacturing as well as a distributing center. Rents and values of real estates have trebled, but wages and profits have not increased proportionally. The immediate need is for means by which the suburban territory can be brought within reach of the business center. Present methods of locomotion are too slow and expensive to enable the clerk with an average salary to live beyond walking distance from his work. The population here is sufficient to support a tramway system, and the congested condition of the present city will force people to build at once along the proposed lines of railway extension.

At present the ordinary conveyance is the two-wheeled jinrikisha, of which there are about 7,000 now in use in this city, drawn by coolies. The fare is 15 cents Mexican per hour. The passenger is carried directly to his destination and landed at the curb or doorstep, instead of in the middle of a possibly muddy street.

The streets of Shanghai are, generally speaking, both narrow and crooked. The Chinese have a habit of walking in the middle of the street, in sublime indifference to everything and everybody. They are as curious as children, and will want to discover what there is in the wire to make the car go. How much difficulty will be occasioned by these peculiarities will be learned only after experiment.

While a tramway franchise here, on proper terms, will undoubtedly be remunerative, I can not too much emphasize the necessity of study and care in bidding. The conditions here are new to our people. The people of Shanghai know nothing of the essential elements of electric transportation. Only an expert, after a careful study of the situation on the ground, can make an intelligent bid.

CHINA'S RAILWAYS IN 1899.

[From "China's Present and Prospective Railways," by Clarence Carey, New York, 1899.]

In actualities in Chinese railway affairs we first encounter a short line of some 14 miles, opened in 1876 between Shanghai and its deep-water or below-bar port of Woosung. After a brief existence of but little more than a year, which even under adverse conditions of local superstition and native official protest gave ample promise of success for its British promoters, this tentative line was presently bought up by the local authorities and summarily removed.

That an unfortunate first step of this kind was destined to be followed twenty years later by the creation of the railway since constructed between the same termini, and that the project in its regenerated form has on its recent opening been received with the unqualified approval and acclaim of the native population, is a significant fact.

A beginning of railway development is here, as elsewhere, visible within the Empire, which demonstrates that some of the light of Western progress may penetrate the fog of conservatism heretofore persistently obstructing all such innovations.

The Woosung-Shanghai line, however, need not be reckoned as the only effective result thus far shown. Thanks to the untiring efforts of Mr. G. E. Kinder, an English engineer, who for the last twenty years has labored under many discouragements and against manifold obstacles in the field of China's development, the Taku, Tientsin, Shanhaikuan section of the Imperial Railway system has likewise been perfected. Begun in a furtive manner in 1881 as a mere tramway of a few miles in length to serve the Kaiping coal mines near Tong-Shan, this equally modest venture has been gradually prolonged both north and south of that point until it reaches Tientsin and Taku on the one hand and Shanhaikuan on the other.

A continuation of this road is partially graded north of Shan-hai-kuan, and it is this unfinished section, together with a further projected extension to Niuchwang, which has of late so prominently figured in British and Russian controversy.

We shall have occasion to revert to this subject presently; it may for the moment suffice to observe that another more important extension of the general Chinese Imperial Railway system has also been recently completed under Mr. Kinder's capable direction from Tientsin to Machiapu—a point about 2 miles from the Tartar part of the city of Peking—whence a short electric railway connection, extending to one of the principal gates of the Chinese capital, is already constructed.

The Tientsin-Peking branch of the main railway affords an illustration, if not indeed a conclusive proof, that profitable results may certainly be obtained by any judiciously planned railway in the Chinese Empire. From the earliest days of its opening during the past year this road has been constantly overburdened with freight and passenger traffic, and is believed to have repaid ample profit. As connecting the capital city of Peking with its important seaport of Tientsin, the line should long enjoy like and increasing advantages.

Another scarcely less important section of the Imperial Railway is found in a line of about 80 miles in length, extending from Lukouchiao (or Lukou Bridge) near Peking, southward to Pao-ting-fu, the capital of the Province of Chihili. This latest venture, which, for the moment, completes the present achievement of the Government system, has been under active construction for somewhat more than a year past, and is now in partial operation to a point near Chocho, a little north of Paotingfu. Whether as prospectively a part of the Hankau-Peking, or "Lu Han" Railway—to be presently described—or because of certain lien rights therein, supposed to be possessed by the Russo-Chinese Bank, this section is of particular interest, for the bank here mentioned is an important politico-financial institution through which Russia operates in China, and the funds for building not only this line, but a projected extension of the same further south to Chengtingfu, are believed to have been advanced by it.

That such a possibility could exist has been the cause of much British anxiety and protest, and in this quarter it is confidently believed that behind what here purports to be merely a native railway operation will sooner or later appear an aggressive Muscovite hand grasping at the sacred British reservation of the Yangtze region.

So, too, it is suspected that certain projected Belgian railway operations in respect of a connecting road from Hankau on the Yangtze River, northward to Paotingfu, likewise disguises secret Russian intent. British apprehension is still excited on both of these points, but has been recently diverted to that more acute stage of the perennial Anglo-Russian friction which normally exists in North China. What is there the subject of immediate dispute is a proposed extension of the Imperial Chinese Railway from Shanhaikuan, some 260 miles northward to Niuchwang, a project to which we have before referred and must presently return.

As already indicated the existing Imperial Chinese system consists, thus far, of not more than about 340 miles of railway now in operation, viz: The lines from Tientsin to Shanhaikuan, via Tangku, and from Tientsin to Machiapu, near one of the gates of Peking, together with the Woosung-Shanghai road, and a small affair of about 20 miles in length which serves the Tien-shan-pu coal mines on the upper Yangtze River.

To these initial railways, however, must presently be added the road already mentioned, of about 80 miles in length, now under construction from Lukouchiao (bridge) near Peking, southwardly to Pao-ting-fu, with later the projected extension from Shan-hai-kuan northwardly to Niuchwang, and perhaps the more ambitious project generally known as the Lu Han Line, if matters improve for the Belgian contractors who now are fumbling with this latter enterprise.

Next in order should be the undertaking of the American China Development Company with the construction of the Hankau-Canton Railroad, and there are various minor schemes of like nature, chiefly as additions to the imperial system to follow.

The Lu-Han road, if completed, will result in an important trunk line of about 650 miles in length, extending from the prominent interior treaty port of Hankau—the highest point of deep-draft navigation of the Yangtze Kiang—northwardly to Pao-ting-fu, where it will join and later absorb the partially completed section, reaching thence north to Lu-kou-chiao, near Peking, which has already been described.

It is worth remark that this, the Lukouchiao-Hankau Railway, takes its more familiar or sub-title of "Lu-Han," from what appears to be a Chinese custom of linking together parts of the names of the termini of a proposed route, and is thus generally designated in local reports and press dispatches, although also popularly known as the "Belgian concession."

This important project, which was at first the object of much futile native undertaking, was later, for a considerable period, the subject of active negotiation between the Chinese officials and an American group which had been invited to undertake its construction and, as well, to provide a loan of the necessary funds for this purpose. When, however, the representatives of the American company visited China in the winter of 1896-97, in response to native invitation, and for the purpose of consummating a supposed contract for the road, they soon found that the concession thus afforded to them was of little or no commercial avail.

His Excellency Sheng Hsüan-huai, or, as he is more commonly styled, Sheng Tajen, the Chinese official who, as director-general of the Imperial Chinese Railway Administration, acted for the Imperial Government in these negotiations, able, astute, and progressive as

he is, had not then sufficient experience in western railway requirements to make the business, as he sought to shape it, a possibility of the time.

After securing a survey of the line thus proposed, under the direction of Capt. Watson W. Rich, an experienced American engineer, who has since obtained the important post of chief engineering adviser of the Imperial Chinese Railway Administration of the South, the American party finally declined the proposed contract, preferring to wait for further developments and for the more promising opportunities which seemed probable, and, indeed, have since arisen.

That the Lu Han contract thus rejected by the Americans was presently thereafter snapped up by a less prudent Belgian group or syndicate is well known, as also that the latter have experienced many unhappy moments over their undertaking, with which, indeed they are still struggling.

In a previous article on this general subject the writer ventured to predict that the adventurous Belgians would here inevitably stumble, if not wholly fall by the wayside, in the effort to carry out a wholly inadequate contract. Subsequent events have thus far justified this forecast, and demonstrated their undertaking to have been fruitful of vexation and delay, both to themselves and to the Chinese, as also, thus far, without material result in the way of railroad construction. This, notwithstanding sundry radical changes of contract, since obtained under the amended Chino-Belgian agreement of June 26, 1898.

In the various negotiations of 1896-97, here under consideration, the Chinese officials deemed it expedient to limit their dealings to those of the various foreign nationalities, who, like Belgians or Americans, might reasonably be supposed to have no schemes of territorial grab or aggrandizement hidden up their sleeves. China has since then, however, been forced into granting many railway, and other concessions, whether to Russians, French, or Germans, and it is perhaps a necessary consequence of these conditions that she seems to be now more openhanded in like transactions with the British.

Leaving the Belgians, for the present, to their arduous undertaking, we pass in proper sequence to the American project, and to what seems destined to become another chief north-and-south trunk line of the future railway system of China.

This is a proposed road from Wuchang, on the south bank of the Yangtze opposite Hankau, extending southward to Canton, via the chief intervening provincial capitals, with various cross lines or branches and a possible extension from Canton to the vicinity of Hongkong.

The contract affecting this considerable railway, including a promise of sundry mining rights and other collateral privileges, has recently been granted to the American China Development Company, already mentioned, a corporation which is promoted by a syndicate of prominent American capitalists, whose business character, experience, and financial standing are such as to reasonably insure the carrying out of whatever project they may finally undertake.

The Hankau-Canton franchise, thus concerned, has long been an object of solicitous consideration on the part of concession seekers of all nationalities, for here may readily be discerned a possible railway of the future, which, with branch lines traversing and amply serving the southern half of China, would not only create and control a great traffic, but as well dominate whatever minor railways there might be established in its vicinity.

That the contract for the same has now been readily granted to the American company is due not only to the fact that, in the course of its negotiations in China during the past three years, the latter has gained the confidence of the native officials, but, as well, because the rapidly increasing political complications with which the Empire has lately been affected have convinced the Imperial Government of the need of railways for its preservation. We have already seen that in dealing with Americans the Chinese deem themselves free from menace of territorial aggression, and, in this instance, what was particularly sought to be gained by them is the barrier an American railway undertaking in the southern provinces will afford against aggressions of the French from the south.

A glance at the accompanying map of China will demonstrate that the proposed Hankau-Canton road must cross or reach the fertile, well developed, and densely populated provinces of Hupeh, Hunan, Kiangsi, Kwangsi, and Kwangtung, and that, incidentally, it may likewise serve their various provincial capitals with suitable cross lines for tributary traffic, as also develop the valuable deposits of coal and other minerals which some of these provinces are known to afford.

The American undertaking of the Hankau-Canton railway, with its branches and cross lines, is still in the stage of preliminary physical investigation. An engineering party, under the charge of Mr. William Barclay Parsons, of New York, has recently begun an elaborate survey of the route, which, it is expected, will require from four to five months for its completion. At present, it would appear, although definite information is still beyond our reach, that the projected line will encounter no great physical obstacles in the way of river crossings or mountain ranges, nor any lasting obstruction arising from unsettled political conditions. The Yangtze, at least, unlike its more formidable northern neighbor, the Yellow River, which the Belgian Lu Han system will have to meet and overcome, may be crossed at all seasons by means of a train-ferry service of an effective kind.

The remaining railway projects of the Middle Kingdom, other than those already averted to, although few in number, are yet well worthy of consideration.

Taking these in their order, we may first turn to the proposed line between Tientsin and Chingkiang, a scheme of unquestioned importance and prospective value, which many foreigners have sought to control. This, with good reason, for the line here concerned, as following that of the Grand Canal, is generally level and easy of access for the supply of water-borne railway building material, and in occupying a great north-and-south trade route which the natives have used for centuries past, is reasonably sure, whenever constructed, to command a great and lasting traffic.

There is still a confused clamor of both native and foreign applicants for this concession. A native company, largely identified with Mr. Yung Wing, a well-known Americanized Chinese, appears to have obtained from the Tsung li Yamèn a preliminary grant of it, but at the same time to have run counter to a rival Anglo-German project which, as actively patronized by the governments of these strong outside nationalities, seems thus far likely to gain the more effective right of way.

In this region lies one of the chief debatable grounds of the Empire. Already what only a year ago purported to be merely a tentative German occupation of the adjacent port of Kiaochau has since, with the usual mushroom growth of such aggressions, so rapidly extended as to embrace a large "Hinterland," and, as it now appears, any railway invasion of other nationalities within or near the western borders of the extended Shantung province, is wholly inconsistent with Teutonic views. But, although these conditions obtain, and there are various exclusively German railway lines projected throughout Shantung, it still seems that in respect of the Tientsin-Chingkiang line the Germans have found it expedient to compromise with the rival British project which has threatened to cross the border of their sphere.

The British, ever alert and in the front rank of the advance of business enterprises in the Orient, as elsewhere, have thus far embarked upon the Niuchwang extension before referred to, and have obtained a mortgage lien upon the important line between Tientsin and Peking, as also entered into their prospective joint-purse arrangement with the Germans in respect of the last-mentioned railway project between Tientsin and Chingkiang.

That they do not pause here may be expected, and thus we find the well-known English firm of Jardine, Mathieson & Co. to have also secured a valuable concession for a line to extend from Shanghai via Soochau to Nanking, and northwestward toward the Lu Han line, over a route running generally west from the sea and connecting some of the most important trade centers which lie along or near the southern bank of the Yangtze. Another English group, known as the British-Chinese Corporation, is said to have secured a concession covering the route from Soochau via Hangchow to Ningpo, while a still more recent important British movement is reported in the latest China dispatches in the shape of a concession which appears to have been obtained by the Anglo-Chinese Railway Syndicate, of London, for a railway extending from Canton westwardly to Chengtufu, the capital of the province of Szechuan.

This latest road is designed to cross the Yangtze at its junction with the Min River, near Suifu, and that it may ultimately somewhere meet a projected extension of the Burma Railway system, before alluded to, adds to its interest; for such a line, as, in effect, affording a possible connection for the Burmese system with Hongkong, would be of the highest consequence.

A railway from Bahmo for this purpose has long been planned and desired, if only as a means to effectually protect the British sphere in the western Yangtze region; but of late the better opinion seems to be that the physical difficulties such a line would encounter between Bahmo and the southwestern Chinese provinces are almost prohibitory. Mr. Colquhoun, in his recent work, cited above, points out that this railway connection from Burma will be made via the Kuolon Ferry, on the Salween River, near the southwest corner of Yunnan.

In this regard, a late cable dispatch, to the effect that the French Government have decided to approve a loan by Indo-China of 200,000,000 francs for railway extensions, is of great significance; since, as is well known, the French colonial officials, for a long time past, have been aiming their Tong King railway system toward Yunnanfu, in the Chinese province of Yunnan, within the territory thus concerned. It is, indeed, no secret that French railway projectors are keen to thus reach and control the trade of Szechuan, as also that they will not lament if, by so doing, a possible British railway advance from Burma toward this important section of China may thus be even partially headed off.

Following the always wise policy of taking half a loaf, where otherwise there may be no bread, the British, as we have seen, have combined with the Germans in respect of the Tientsin-Chingkiang line, in the disputed territory above referred to. They have also since shared in what is popularly known as the "Luzzati Concession," an important Italian-English project, lately brought out on the London stock market under the title of the Peking Syndicate, Limited, with an effective "boom." This concession is concerned with the development of vast coal and iron deposits of the Shansi and Honan provinces, for which, and the appropriate railway outlets to a navigable tributary of the Yangtze, and also to the Lu Han line, ample contract rights seem to have been duly obtained from the Imperial Government.

A further franchise, of no less importance, it may be remarked, appears to have been recently granted to W. Pritchard Morgan, M. P., for working the mineral deposits of the province of Szechuan, one of the largest and richest districts of western China.

As to other railway projects of the various foreign nationalities in China, these, although yet but few in number, now seem to promise an early and plentiful crop, since a great and growing pressure for concessions exists at the present time in Peking. The Russo-Chinese Bank appears to have contracted to construct a line of 140 miles from Taiyuanfu, the capital of the Shansi province, to Chengtingfu, in the province of Chihili, a large city south of Paotingfu on the Lu Han line. This, although not in itself an extensive railroad project, has attracted attention, as seeming to involve another Russian encroachment within the British Yangtze sphere. Other contracts are from day to day reported, and Russian and English interests are competing for the concession covering a further line to Kalgan in the north, over a route long used for a great caravan trade. As we have seen, the Germans have many railway schemes developed within their Shangtung Hinterland.

So much for the actual or projected lines of railway thus far created or discussed in China.

RAILWAY AND MINING CONCESSIONS BY THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT.

[Report to State Department by Consul Ragsdale; from Consular Reports, 1898.]

I have the honor to report the first concession ever granted by the Imperial Chinese Government to a foreign syndicate, by the terms of which foreigners have the right to open and work mines, construct and operate railways, and all entirely free from Chinese control other than the payment of a royalty and conformity with the general laws of the Empire as applicable to foreigners.

On the 21st day of May, 1898, there were signed, in the presence of the ministers of the Tsung-li Yamén, articles of agreement which ceded to the Pekin Syndicate, Limited, of London, the sole right to open and work the coal and iron deposits of central and southern Shansi and the petroleum deposits of the entire province; also, the right to construct and operate all necessary railways to main trunk lines and navigable waters for exporting the mining products.

The agreement was signed by order of imperial edict, stamped with the seal of the Tsung-li Yamén as a visible sign of imperial sanction and authority, and the whole proceedings were verified and ratified by the British and Italian ministers to China.

The signing of this contract marks the most important epoch in the industrial policy of China. The precedent has been established of allowing foreigners, for commercial purposes, to own real estate in the interior of China, open and operate mines, and construct and maintain railways.

There have been many so-called mining concessions granted in China, but not one of them is worth the paper it is written on.

Of the railway concessions, only one—the Belgian Syndicate for the Pekin-Hankau Railway—has gotten beyond the preliminary stage, and in none is the syndicate more than the financial agent of the Chinese. These railway syndicates have no voice in the management and not too much security for their money. As a matter of fact, up to date neither the Belgian Syndicate nor any other syndicate has furnished one cent of money.

The following is a synopsis of the articles of agreement between the Pekin Syndicate and the Chinese Government:

The right to open and work coal and iron deposits in certain (named) districts in the province of Shansi, and the sole right to all petroleum—these rights to exist for sixty years—are granted.

Private lands are to be purchased, and on government lands the syndicate is to pay double the present land tax.

All matters of administration, exploitation, management of employees, and finances shall be controlled by the board of directors of the Pekin Syndicate. Each mine is to have foreign managers and one Chinaman to arrange disputes with natives. All accounts are to be kept by foreign methods, but audited annually by a native of China. All salaries are to be paid by the Pekin Syndicate, and all receipts and payments shall be controlled by foreigners.

All damage done private property in prospecting is to be paid for; cemeteries and mortuary shrines are not to be disturbed.

The Chinese Government is to receive 5 per cent producer's tax on the actual cost of extracting coal, iron, or other material. The syndicate is to receive 6 per cent interest on the capital of the company, and 10 per cent shall be set aside as a sinking fund with which to repay the capital. Of the balance net profit the Chinese Government is to receive 25 per cent and the Pekin Syndicate 75 per cent. All future coal or iron mines worked with foreign capital shall pay the 5 per cent producer's tax.

The Chinese Government is not to be held responsible for losses.

All important machinery and material shall pay $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent the regular maritime customs dues, but no likin taxes. Mining products exported from a seaport shall pay regular export duty.

At the expiration of sixty years all machinery, plant, buildings, mines, railways, etc., revert gratis to the Chinese Government.

The syndicate shall establish a school of civil engineering and mining for about twenty Chinese students.

Chinese may buy shares in the company. (The Imperial Chinese Government has reserved £250,000 worth of shares, for which it pays cash the par value.)

When Chinese own 75 per cent of the shares of any one mine they may redeem the balance from the syndicate and operate the mine. Private mines now in operation may continue to work or sell out to the syndicate.

The syndicate has the right to build all necessary roads and bridges, open or deepen canals or rivers, and construct all railways to connect mines with main trunk railways or navigable waters.

In case China goes to war the syndicate will obey the orders of the Chinese Government prohibiting aid to the enemy.

The Pekin Syndicate is composed of a few men who control immense capital and who have obtained the most valuable concessions China could make. The preliminary work has been in progress for over two years. The concessions will be worked by the Anglo-Italian Syndicate, with a capital of £6,000,000.

The success of this enterprise is due, first, to the fact that the syndicate was willing to spend money upon the chance of getting a concession, and that, after sending their general agent to China, they simply allowed him to manage affairs here and kept him supplied with money. Then the agent, Mr. A. Luzzatti, has shown wonderful tact in dealing with Chinese officials, judgment in selecting his assistants and in utilizing all available means to success, and untiring perseverance.

The province of Shansi lies to the west of Chihli. It consists of an interior plateau of 3,000 feet elevation, more or less cut up by rivers. This plateau is bounded on all sides by mountains rising to 8,000 and 14,000 feet above the sea. In some places these ranges have been cut through by rivers; but in all parts they are rugged, and transportation must be effected by pack mules or camels. In the eastern portion of the province, and running into the province of Honan, are deposits of anthracite coal. The western half has bituminous coal covering some 12,000 square miles, and all along the western boundary are deposits of petroleum. At many different points in the coal region are deposits of rich iron ore.

The coal strata are practically horizontal, and at an elevation of about 2,500 feet. They show wherever erosion has cut to a sufficient depth. This anthracite-coal vein is unbroken over an area of 13,500 square miles, and its thickness varies from 25 to 50 feet, an average of 40 feet. All of this deposit is within the limits of the concession. There are thousands of native coal mines now in operation, and the coal has been used for probably three thousand years. The iron ore is now worked by the natives. This entire region has been examined by William H. Shockley, mining engineer, and Charles D. Jameson, civil engineer, both Americans and in the employ of the syndicate.

There is probably no coal field known in the world that can compare with this of Shansi, either in quality or quantity of coal or the possibility of cheap production. In addition to the concession in Shansi, there was signed on the 21st of June an identical agreement ceding to the Pekin Syndicate all of that portion of Honan north of the Yellow River (about 10,000 square miles), and another agreement by the terms of which all of the mountainous part of Honan south of the Yellow River is ceded to the syndicate as soon as work is begun on the Shansi concession. The total area of these concessions is 71,000 square miles, equal to England and Scotland. The accompanying map *a* shows the area of the concession and the proposed railway.

REGULATIONS FOR MINES AND RAILWAYS IN CHINA.

[From Advance Sheets, Consular Reports, 1899.]

Minister Conger sends from Pekin, under date of December 6, 1898, translation of the regulations prepared by the bureau of control for mines and railways, with a view to protecting and encouraging honest promoters, as follows:

(1) There are three ways in which railways and mines can be managed—by officials, by merchants, and by the two in combination. The second is the best and will be encouraged and promoted by the Government as much as possible in the future. The officials should do all in their power to encourage such enterprises, but will not be allowed to conduct them themselves.

(2) All such enterprises for which contracts have not been completed before the establishment of the Government board must be sent up to the Throne for sanction, but from the date of the establishment of the said board they will be subject to the regulations of the board. Enterprises which have been previously arranged will not be allowed to form precedents.

(3) The mines and railways of Manchuria, Shantung, and Lungchou are affected by international relations and therefore will not be allowed to form precedents either for Chinese or foreigners.

(4) Railways and mines are entirely separate affairs, and therefore must not be worked in combination. Railway agreements giving mining rights along the route will not be allowed to form precedents in future. In cases where permission is given to mining companies to construct branch railways to connect with water ways and for the purpose of carrying the produce of the mines, such lines must only be carried as far as the nearest water communication. Such railways must not carry passengers or cargo so as to interfere with the profits of other lines. Plans of such proposed railways must be submitted to the Government for approval.

(5) All mining and railway companies must provide a school of instruction, as already ordered by the Throne.

(6) When applications are made by Chinese gentry or merchants to the local officials for permission to engage in mining or railway enterprise, the said officials must inquire into the character and standing of the applicants, and if the latter are found to be reliable people and their applications are not in opposition to the regulations, they may be submitted to the Government board. The local

officials have no power to grant such applications. If such applications are made to the board direct, inquiries must be made through the officials of the applicants' district, and only such applications will be granted in which the report of the local authorities is of a favorable nature.

(7) When it is necessary to acquire land for mining and railway purposes, the people must be notified by the local authorities, and the former must not show wanton opposition. When land is so acquired, houses and graves must be respected so as not to offend the feelings of the people.

(8) All enterprises sanctioned by the board must be commenced within six months of the date of sanction; otherwise the sanction will be withdrawn, unless it can be shown that the delay was unavoidable.

(9) In all cases every endeavor must be made to have the Chinese proportion of the capital of such enterprise the greater. There must be a proportion of at least three-tenths of the shares owned by Chinese. When this proportion has been raised, foreigners may be invited to buy shares or foreign money may be borrowed. Sanction will not be given in cases where all the money employed is foreign.

(10) When it is proposed to borrow foreign money, the sanction of the board must first be asked. If such sanction is given, the loan must be regarded as being made by merchants and to be repaid by merchants—that is to say, the Chinese Government will accept no responsibility. If loans are concluded without the sanction of the board, they will not be recognized, even though an agreement has been signed.

(11) In case of foreign loans the preliminary agreements must be submitted to the board for their approval. If such agreements are contrary to these regulations, they will be sent back for amendment. In case they are not amended properly, negotiations may be entered into with other parties. Should foreign merchants enter into private contracts for loans and thereby suffer loss, the Tsung-li Yamén and the board will not help them recover their money.

(12) When Chinese companies are authorized to borrow foreign money, the board will advise the Tsung-li Yamén, which will communicate with the minister of the power concerned, who will reply, and their permission will then be considered to be given. When foreign merchants are desirous of lending money to Chinese companies, they must request their minister to communicate with the Tsung-li Yamén, who will ask the board if the company is authorized to borrow and will reply accordingly to the minister. Money lent in any other way will be treated as a private loan.

(13) In order to protect the sovereign rights of China, the control of all railways and mining companies, irrespective of the foreign capital concerned, must remain in the hands of the Chinese merchants; but the accounts of such companies must be open to the inspection of foreign shareholders.

(14) Promoters professing to have a certain amount of capital must show satisfactory proof of their assertion.

(15) The local authorities must in all cases encourage and protect mining and railway companies in carrying out their duly authorized enterprises.

(16) In case of disputes between companies or any interference with the rights of any company, the local authorities must decide the question fairly. Appeal may be made against their decisions to the Government board. Should disputes arise between Chinese and foreign merchants in connection with railway or mining enterprises, they must be settled by arbitration; the Governments concerned will not interfere.

(17) Foreign engineers and surveyors sent to inspect mines and railways must be protected by the local authorities.

(18) Rewards will be given to Chinese merchants investing 500,000 taels and upward in mining or railway enterprises, or doing extra good work in connection therewith.

(19) All such enterprises will be granted a monopoly for a fixed period, the duration of which will be determined by the circumstances of the case.

(20) Customs stations will be established on all railways for the levying of duties. The duties on mining produce and on the export of the same will be decided by the Government board in conjunction with the board of revenue, which will draw up regulations for submission to the Throne. The proportion of profits to be paid to the Government for railways will be four-tenths, and for mines 25 per cent, to be handed to the board of revenue.

(21) The affairs and accounts of each company will be examined from time to time by the Government board, either by having the books sent to the offices of the board or by deputing an officer to examine on the spot.

FOREIGN LOANS IN CHINA.

[From United States Consular Reports, April, 1899.]

The State Department has received from the Chinese legation, under date of Washington, January 17, 1899, translation of a dispatch from the Tsung-li Yamén at Peking, prescribing the necessary course to be pursued in contracting foreign loans for opening mines and constructing railroads in China. The legation requests that this be brought to the attention of American capitalists. The dispatch reads:

On the 4th day of the eleventh moon in the seventeenth year of Kwanghsu (December 4, 1891) this Yamén transmitted to the representatives of foreign powers at Peking copies of a joint memorial presented on the 24th day of the tenth moon in the seventeenth year of Kwanghsu (November 25, 1891), by the board of revenue and this Yamén, which provides that in the negotiation of a foreign loan by Chinese officials, of whatever rank, the agent for the interested foreign capitalists is required to report first to the representative of his country at Peking and ascertain from the Tsung-li Yamén whether the matter has been reported to and sanctioned by the Throne before making the loan; and that if a loan is made privately, notwithstanding the fact that there is no evidence of imperial sanction, the Government will neither recognize the claim nor undertake to compel restitution in case of trouble, though the official seal may have been affixed to the contract. On the 7th day of the eleventh moon (December 7, 1891) copies of the above-mentioned memorial were sent to the diplomatic representatives of China abroad, with the request that copies be communicated to the departments for foreign affairs of the respective countries to which they were accredited, in order that the same might be published for the information of foreign capitalists.

On the 24th day of the sixth moon in the twenty-fourth year of Kwanghsu (August 11, 1898) a memorial was presented to the Throne by the department of mining and railroads, reporting the establishment of that department at Peking and recommending that the various propositions started by officials and private individuals before the establishment of the department but not adopted should not be deemed as settled, and was duly approved by the Emperor.

Now, on the 28th day of the seventh moon (September 13, 1898) copy of a memorial to the Throne presented by Hu Yu-fan, governor of Peking, was received from the privy council, proposing that the Tsung-li Yamèn be commanded to inform all the diplomatic representatives of foreign powers at Peking, with the view of their notifying the capitalists of their respective countries, that all contracts for foreign loans entered into by the provincial authorities for the opening of mines and the construction of railroads without the written approval of the Imperial Government shall be deemed null and void, together with an imperial decree ordering the Tsung-li Yamèn to devise means for carrying the same into effect.

In view of the undeveloped state of the mineral resources of the various provinces of the Empire and the initial stage in the construction of trunk and branch lines of railroads, it has been this Yamèn's policy to allow foreign capital to be used for these purposes, to the end that both Chinese and foreigners may derive advantages therefrom. But, in order to obtain good results, affairs must be well managed and money must be economically expended. It is feared that there may be unscrupulous Chinese persons who, claiming with fraudulent intent to be concessionnaires of this road or that mine, may enter into private agreements with foreign capitalists for the purpose of obtaining money under false pretenses, and that foreign capitalists may become unwitting victims of such fraud and waste their substance to no purpose. This certainly is not the object of our Government in developing the resources of the Empire, by opening mines and constructing railroads for the mutual benefit of Chinese and foreigners. Now, this Government desires to give it the widest publicity that all contracts for foreign loans to be expended for the opening of mines and construction of railroads in China, in order to be valid, must be certified and approved by the department of mining and railroads, and that all agreements privately entered into with foreign capitalists without the certification and approval of the department, no matter how large the amount of subscribed capital may be, for the purpose of opening mines and constructing railroads, shall be deemed null and void, so as to put a stop to all fraud and deception and encourage fair and honest dealing. Copies of this communication have been transmitted to the diplomatic representatives of foreign powers at Peking, and you are requested to communicate a copy of the same to the Secretary of State for his information, and when you have received a reply, to send a copy to this Yamèn.

Dated this 12th day of the ninth moon in the twenty-fourth year of Kwanghsu (October 26, 1898).

(22) A detailed account of the affairs of the railway and mining companies at present in existence must be sent to the board for consideration. The board will also prepare forms for setting forth such details. These will be sent to all the provinces, and must be filled up at the end of each year by such companies and sent to the board for inspection.

The regulations, adds the minister, have received imperial approval.

Under date of December 10, 1898, Mr. Conger transmits translation of a report by the bureau of control for mines and railways, stating that no records are kept of rates of freight and fares for passengers on certain railways, on which the traffic is already considerable, nor is there any available information about the status of construction, number of trains, time-tables, etc. The Mo-ho gold mine and the Kaiping colliery, the report says, have been successful, yet the bureau has no detailed report of the output, etc. In the regulations for coal and iron mining in the provinces of Shansi and Honan, a Government tax of 5 per cent has been levied on the value of the mineral output. This rule, the report urges, should be followed with other mines. The bureau recommends that all companies organized but not officially approved before the date of the edict establishing the bureau shall be considered unauthorized.

OPENING OF THE INLAND WATERS OF CHINA TO STEAM NAVIGATION BY FOREIGNERS.

The following important announcement of the opening of the inland waters of China to steam navigation by foreigners was presented to United States Minister Denby in June, 1898, and recently published in the consular reports:

THE TSUNG-LI YAMÈN TO MR. DENBY.

PEKIN, June 3, 1898.

YOUR EXCELLENCY: The prince and ministers have the honor to state that ever since China entered into commercial relations with foreign powers steamers have been running at their pleasure to the coast and river treaty ports. The result is that trade has daily increased. Steamers, however, have hitherto never been permitted to run on the inland rivers.

Soochow and Hangchow have in recent years been opened as treaty ports, and native craft plying to and from these ports carrying passengers and merchandise have for the most part been towed by steamers. This is in every way a convenient and expeditious system. Both Chinese and foreign merchants have requested that companies be formed and vessels built to ply to various ports. It seems, therefore, right to do what is suitable for the occasion and make such changes as will redound to the utmost benefit of the interests concerned.

The Yamèn have now decided to allow small steamers, foreign or Chinese, to ply on the inland rivers in the provinces where commercial intercourse with foreign nations is carried on, in the hope that trade will thereby expand and the revenue be increased.

In obedience to instructions, the inspector-general of customs has drawn up and submitted a set of rules, nine in all, to be put in operation. These have been carefully examined and can be put in force experimentally.

The Yamèn memorialized the Emperor on the subject and received His Majesty's decree to put the rules into operation. The Yamèn have also addressed the ministers superintendent of northern and southern trade, the viceroys, governors, tartar-generals, lieutenant-generals, and have also instructed the inspector-general of customs, the custom taotais, and the superintendent of customs at Canton to act accordingly.

As in duty bound, the prince and ministers send a copy of the rules drawn up by the inspector-general of customs and beg that the minister of the United States will instruct the United States consuls in China to notify American merchants that they must duly observe them. It is to be hoped that in future the trade of Chinese and of foreigners will increase and that this source of revenue to China will not be interfered with.

INLAND STEAM NAVIGATION REGULATIONS OF 1898.

A.—Registration.

(1) The inland waters of the treaty-port provinces are hereby opened to small steamers, native or foreign, plying from treaty ports.

(2) Small steamers at treaty ports, whether plying only in the waters of the port or going thence inland, are to be registered at the customs and to take out papers at the customs containing owner's name and residence, name and type of steamer, number, crew, etc., in addition to whatever national papers they are allowed or required by law to carry. Such customs papers are to be renewed annually, and are to be surrendered on change of ownership or when the vessel ceases to ply. The fee for the first issue of customs papers will be 10 taels, and for each renewal 2 taels.

(3) Small steamers thus registered at the customs may ply freely in the waters of the port without reporting their movements at the customs; but if they go inland they must report both departure and return. No unregistered steamer will be allowed to proceed inland.

(4) As regards exhibition of lights, prevention of collision, shipping of crews, and inspection of machinery, etc., all such steamers are to observe the rules in force at the ports to which they belong.

B.—Revenue.

(5) Cargo shipped at treaty ports is to be reported to the customs and is to pay such duties as the customs decide to be leviable. Cargo brought to a treaty port from inland is to be summarily dealt with.

(6) Cargo landed or shipped inland is to pay at the place of landing or shipment whatever dues or duties the local regulations call for.

(7) If such steamers have vessels in tow, they must halt at whatever stations the vessels towed are required to stop, in order that the cargoes may be dealt with as local rules prescribe.

C.—Judicial.

(8) Offenses inland, whether against revenue laws or affecting persons or property, are to be dealt with by the local authorities of the district in the same way as if there committed by their own people; but if the vessel concerned is foreign owned or the person implicated is a Chinese employed on board such foreign-owned vessel, the local authorities are to communicate with the nearest commissioner of customs, and the commissioner in turn with the consul, who may send a deputy to watch the proceedings. If the offender is a foreigner, he is to be sent to the consul at the nearest treaty port, in the manner prescribed by treaties where foreigners without passports are arrested.

(9) If any such steamer passes inland stations where a stop should be made without stopping, or if the crew, etc., creates trouble inland, the customs may withdraw the customs papers and refuse the vessel permission to proceed inland again.

The above rules are for the inauguration of steam traffic on inland waters, and are subject to such changes as may from time to time be found necessary.

TRADE REGULATIONS ON THE YANGTZE-KIANG RIVER.

The Yangtze-Kiang being by far the most important river of China, and now open to trade for a distance of 2,000 miles, and penetrating the most densely populated and wealthiest sections of the Empire, the following new trade regulations, issued in May, 1898 (to take effect on approval of the foreign representatives at Peking), are published in full:

YANGTZE REGULATIONS.

ARTICLE 1. The revised regulations of trade on the Yangtze-Kiang (1862) having been amended and the substance of their provisions having been incorporated in the present Yangtze regulations, the said revised regulations of trade on the Yangtze-Kiang are hereby abrogated, together with the port and customs regulations thereon dependent.

ART. 2. The merchant vessels of the treaty powers are authorized to trade on the Yangtze-Kiang at the following treaty ports: Chinkiang, Nankin, Wuhu, Kiukiang, Hankau, Shasi, Ichang, and Chungking; and to land and ship goods in accordance with special regulations at the following nontreaty ports: Tatung and Ngan-King, in Ngan-hui; Hukow, in Kiangsi; Luchikow and Wusueh, in Hu-Kwang. Shipment or discharge of cargo at any other ports on the river is prohibited, and any violation of the prohibition will be dealt with in accordance with the treaty provisions applicable to clandestine trade along the coast; but passengers and their baggage may be landed and shipped at any of the regular passenger stations (at present consisting of Kiangyin and Iching, in Liang-Kiang; Hwangtsze Kang and Huang Chow, in Hu-Kwang). Passengers' baggage must not contain articles subject to duty, and the presence of dutiable articles will render the whole liable to confiscation.

ART. 3. Merchant vessels trading on the river are to be divided into three classes—

First class: Seagoing vessels trading for the voyage up river beyond Chinkiang.

Second class: Steamers running regularly between any of the river ports or between Shanghai and any river port.

Third class: Lorchas, papichos, junks, etc.

These three classes of vessels will be dealt with according to treaty and the rules for the various ports.

ART. 4. *Seagoing vessels.*—Seagoing vessels trading no farther up river than Chinkiang will be dealt with at Chinkiang in every respect like vessels trading at other coast ports, but seagoing vessels on a voyage farther up river than Chinkiang become thereby vessels trading on the river of the first class, set forth in the preceding article. Such merchantmen, whether steamers or sailing vessels, must deposit their registers with the consul, or, if there is no consular representative, with the custom-houses at Shanghai, Woosung,

or Chinkiang, which, on receipt of a consular application or on deposit of papers, will issue a certificate to the vessel, to be called a "special river pass," on which shall be entered the vessel's name, flag, registered tonnage, general cargo, and armament. The vessel may then proceed up river; and at whatever treaty ports she trades must report and clear, load and unload cargo, and pay dues and duties in the same manner as at other treaty ports along the coast. On return to the port that issued it—Chinkiang, Woosung, or Shanghai—the "special river pass" is to be surrendered to the customs, which, having ascertained that all dues and duties have been paid and all other conditions satisfied, will grant the clearance to enable the vessel to proceed to sea.

ART. 5. *River steamers.*—Any steamer intended to trade regularly on the river may deposit her register at the consulate at Shanghai, or, if without consular representative, at the custom-house, when the customs, on receipt of a consular application or on deposit of the register, will issue a certificate on which shall be entered the vessel's name, flag, registered tonnage, and armament, to be called a "river pass," that shall be valid during the current year. Such pass must be renewed every year, either at Shanghai or at Hankau or Ichang in the case of river steamers trading above those places and not returning to Shanghai.

River-pass steamers will report and clear, load and discharge, and pay dues and duties in accordance with the customs regulations of the port concerned. Their tonnage dues are to be paid at the ports which issue or renew the river pass (Shanghai, Hankau, or Ichang).

Infringement of river port regulations will be punished by the infliction of the penalties in force at the other treaty ports; for a second offense the river pass may be canceled and the steamer refused permission to trade thenceforward above Chinkiang.

Any steamer not provided with a river pass, if proceeding above Chinkiang, will come under the rule affecting seagoing vessels laid down in article 4, and will be treated accordingly.

ART. 6. *Cargo of river-pass steamers.*—The former regulations, which made it obligatory to deposit coast-trade duties simultaneously with paying export duties, having been abrogated, river-pass steamers will now pay duties in the same way as vessels at other treaty ports along the coast, that is, export duties at the port of departure before shipment of exports, and import or coast-trade duties at the port of discharge before release of imports; and similarly they will ship, transship, and discharge cargo after examination and issue of permit in the same way as vessels at treaty ports along the coast.

When tea is landed by a river-pass steamer, the consignee, instead of paying coast-trade duty, may deposit a bond for the amount. On proof of reshipment within a year the bond will be canceled. When reshipped tea is relanded at another port—e. g., reshipped at Hankau and relanded at Shanghai—a new bond will be required in lieu of coast-trade duty, to be canceled on reshipment, and so on.

ART. 7. *Small craft (lorchas, papichos, junks, etc.):*

(a) Lorchas, etc., owned by foreigners, if provided with registers and entitled to fly national flags, are required to take out a special river pass, either through the consulate or from the customs direct at Chinkiang, if proceeding farther up the river. They will report, work cargo, and pay duties like other seagoing special river-pass vessels.

(b) Papichos, etc., owned by foreigners, but not provided with registers or entitled to fly national flags, are to take out customs registers at the port they belong to and report, work cargo, and pay duties in the same way as lorchas, etc.

(c) Chinese junks chartered by foreigners are available only for conveying foreign-owned cargo from treaty ports to treaty ports. They must take out special junk papers at the customs, to be obtained in exchange for bonds executed at and deposited with the customs, the condition of the bond being that the cargoes are bona fide foreign property and will be landed and pay duty at a treaty port, the penalty being that if the cargoes fail to be so landed and pay duty, no chartered junk will thereafter be cleared for the foreigner in question. Such junks are to report, work cargo, and pay duties in the same way as lorchas and papichos.

ART. 8. *Cargo certificates.*—Special river-pass merchantmen, river-pass steamers, and lorchas, papichos, junks, etc., must apply to the customs at the port of departure for a cargo certificate (tsung tan), which, on the vessel's arrival at the port of destination, must be handed to the customs before permission to discharge can be given. The vessel will be responsible for the duties on all goods entered on the said cargo certificate and not landed on permit at the port of discharge.

ART. 9. *Miscellaneous.*—Any trading vessel falling in with a revenue cruiser or customs boat on the Yangtze-Kiang is to produce her papers for inspection, if examination of them is required. Vessels unprovided with proper papers will be dealt with under the treaty articles penalizing clandestine trade along the coast. The customs may seal the hatches of any vessel trading on the Yangtze-Kiang, and may place a customs officer on board to accompany her on the trip, whether up stream or down. Special river-pass vessels of the first class are not required to anchor to exhibit their papers at the intermediate ports passed and not traded at.

ART. 10. *Yangtze customs and port regulations.*—The adoption and promulgation of new regulations for vessels trading on the Yangtze having rendered meaningless sundry customs and port regulations which guided procedure under the former system, and having necessitated the substitution of fresh regulations and different practice under the system now introduced, the ports concerned (Shanghai, Chinkiang, Nankin, Wuhu, Kiukiang, Hankau, Shasi, Ichang, and Chungking) will proceed forthwith to arrange and publish new rules and regulations; and these are meant, on the one hand, to facilitate trade, and on the other to protect revenue and prevent smuggling.

The above regulations are open to revision when and if necessary.

TRANSPORTATION CHARGES IN CHINA.

[From advance sheets Consular Reports, 1899.]

In reply to an inquiry from the director of the Philadelphia Museums (to whom the original letter has been forwarded), Consul Smithers, of Chungking, writes, under date of October 29, 1898:

Foreign goods, on arrival from abroad at any seaport in China, pay duty in accordance with the treaty tariff, and are then forwarded to any treaty port without payment of further duties. Goods arriving in Shanghai are shipped on board steamers to Hankau and thence to Ichang, the present terminus of steam traffic of the Yangtze. From Ichang they are sent on native boats to Chungking. If goods are sent to the interior from here, half the import duty is levied and collected by the foreign customs, and the goods go to their destination under transit passes issued by the customs.

As to the expense of sending goods from the United States to China, this is no easy matter to estimate. To begin with, there is as yet no direct trade with foreign countries. The trade is with Shanghai or Hankau, and the expense of sending goods to Shanghai, I presume, can be learned in New York or San Francisco, as there are many lines of steamers from both cities to Shanghai. From

Shanghai to Chungking the following tariff of the Chungking Transport Company, issued in 1896, will give an idea of the expenses at different seasons of the year:

Description.	May 1 to October 31.		November 1 to April 30.	
	<i>Tael.</i>		<i>Tael.</i>	
Merchandise.....per ton..	25	<i>a</i> \$16. 13	22	<i>a</i> \$14. 19
Parcels and all shipments less than 1 ton...per foot..	1	.645	.75	.483
Do.....per pound..	.02	.0129	.015	.0096

a Taking the value of the Shanghai tael, as estimated by the United States Director of the Mint, October 1, 1898, at 64.5 cents. The haikwan tael equals 71.8 cents.

The ton is 40 cubic feet, or 2,000 pounds. Freight is payable on measurement or weight, at the option of the company.

The three or four steamship lines plying on the lower river have a combination with respect to freight and passenger charges which stops competition. The tendency therefore is to keep up the freight rates, which are very high, considering the distance the goods are carried.

TRAVEL AND TRAFFIC IN CHINA.

ROUTES OF TRANSPORTATION IN THE INTERIOR, METHOD AND COST OF TRAVEL, AND RATES FOR FREIGHT CARRIAGE.

The right of travel for business or pleasure in all parts of China having recently been granted to foreigners, the following description of the methods and conveniences of travel and transportation in the interior will be both interesting and useful. It was supplied to the State Department in 1896 by the United States consul-general to China, and published in *Commercial Relations*.

Outside of the foreign settlements, with their macadamized streets, there is scarcely a road in the whole Empire that deserves to be called a road. Exception must be made of a drive some 5 miles in length, recently built by Chang Chitung at Nankin, and a few miles of roadway, built some years ago at Tientsin under the direction of Li Hung Chang, the beginning of a highway to Peking. The road through the pass from Nan-keo to the Great Wall is also fairly well built and kept in tolerably good condition.

The ordinary road is a mere path, generally undefined by ditches or hedges, winding through the paddy fields or over the uplands, wherever the traveler can find the fewest obstacles to his progress. In the north, where carts are used, it is a common thing to see a new track cut right across a field of growing wheat in spite of the efforts of the owner to prevent it. A few attempts have been made at various times in the past to construct good roads, such as those from Tung-chow to Peking, Hanchung to Chingtu, and from Nankin to Fungyang, but for lack of proper repairs they were soon permitted to fall into ruin. The road from Nankin to Fungyang, 120 miles in length, was built by the founder of the Ming dynasty, who made Nankin his capital. It was a creditable piece of engineering. The roadway is some 25 feet wide, and in some places built up 12 to 15 feet above the surrounding country. There are remains in many places of ancient pavement, but this has almost wholly disappeared, and the road is simply a bank of earth which in rainy weather becomes altogether impassible. There are three splendid bridges on the road, built of stone, one of five, one of seven, and another of ten arches. Bridge building is regarded as a virtue in China, and there are some fine specimens in all parts of the country. In the neighborhood of the cities in central China the roads are partially covered with a pavement about 5 feet wide, composed of old bricks set on edge, with sometimes a line of cut stone in the middle for wheelbarrow traffic. On the larger rivers, which Chinese engineering skill has not been equal to bridging, there are ferries on which men and animals, carts and barrows, are carried across for a few cash. For crossing the Yangtze at Nankin the fare is 35 cash (2 cents United States money) for each passenger, 100 cash (5 cents United States money) for a donkey, and 150 cash (8 cents United States money) for a horse. Considering the wages paid, these rates are exorbitant. In many places relief is hopeless, since the ferries are in the nature of monopolies protected by the local officials. In contrast with the rule is the establishment occasionally of a free ferry by charitably-disposed persons who wish to store up a little merit against the day of settling in the world to come.

At present the least possible amount of money is spent in the making or repairing of roads. Sometimes improvements are made by private enterprise, but nothing of a substantial character is done. Where dikes are built along the banks of rivers or canals they become public thoroughfares, and as they must be kept in a fairly safe condition, they may be counted among the best roads in the country. Under such circumstances land travel is difficult, tedious, and disagreeable. In the transport of goods there is great economic waste. In bad weather there are long and vexatious delays. The roads in the north are cut up by cart wheels into deep ruts, which minister to the wrath and agony of the traveler and the destruction of any wares of a breakable character. Eight and ten horses may be seen at times tugging at a loaded cart which on a western highway would be drawn by a single team. In central or southern China, except in the treaty ports, the only wheeled vehicle seen is the wheelbarrow, which is used both for passengers and freight. In transporting freight, the barrow men travel in companies and aid one another over difficult portions of the road. This is also a protection against robbers, who infest certain districts. A single barrow man will sometimes wheel 400 catties (533½ pounds). The ordinary load is 200 to 300 catties. For land travel, the principal means of conveyance are the sedan chair, the mule litter, the cart (used only in the north), horses, mules, and donkeys. The most comfortable is the chair, but the use of this is denied to ordinary people in Peking and vicinity. The most expeditious is the horse. For transportation there are barrows, pack horses, mules, donkeys, and camels. Journeys are divided into stages of about 30 miles each, but the first stage on leaving a large city or the last on approaching it is always a short one, perhaps 15 or 20 miles. By forced marches a traveler can do much more than the ordinary stage, but he will find himself put to many inconveniences by being obliged to stop in small villages where no preparations are made for his entertainment. Even where such accommodations are found at the usual stopping places, they are of the rudest sort. The best are those found in the highway from Tientsin to Peking. A large courtyard, half filled with carts, is surrounded on the four sides with one-storied buildings of burned or unburned brick, covered with tiles or thatch. In these buildings are found the stables, kitchen,

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

sleeping rooms, and on the side next the street a tea house or shop. The bed at night and the table by day is the kang or brick structure, which is heated by flues passing through it. The rooms are fairly clean, sometimes papered; the fare, pork or mutton, with vegetables, is savory, and the charges exorbitant, as compared with other parts of China, due no doubt to the great number of "globe trotters" who pass up and down, and pay whatever the "Tientsin boy" may say. Through the central provinces the inns are much less comfortable, built usually of beaten earth and covered with thatch, the floor the native unsmoothed ground. You share your room with five or six other travelers, some of whom probably smoke opium until the small hours of the morning. The room may have a door, but often is without one. A small opening in the wall on one side is barred with a wooden lattice, which at one time was covered with paper, but this has been torn to shreds. A couple of trestles supporting four or five narrow boards form the bedstead, on which you spread your own bedding, to be thoroughly infested with flees and other vermin before morning. A saucer with a spout contains a little oil, in which a bit of wick is placed, and forms the lamp. There is a rude table for your meals and a trestle for a seat. The waiter brushes the bones and leavings of your humble repast on the ground, where a hungry dog is waiting to gather them up. In the smaller villages, your animals will be stabled in your bedroom and the whole village will assemble to see you eat or go to bed.

Travel by boat is by far the most convenient and most comfortable method in this Empire. In the maritime provinces and the Yangtze Valley waterways are numerous. A number of steamship companies are running steamers regularly on the Yangtze as far as Ichang. Boats leave Shanghai and Hankau daily, except Sunday. There is steam communication between Shanghai and Soochow and between Shanghai and Hangchow, also through the canals connecting these cities. Elsewhere, as yet, steam is forbidden and one must depend upon the native house boats, which are of various sizes but can be made comfortable. One must be prepared to suffer long delays at times when the wind and tide are unfavorable. The cost of travel and transportation varies in different parts of the Empire.

In central China, chair bearers will receive 360 cash (20 cents) a day apiece; in the southern provinces, twice as much. A donkey, with a boy, will cost 250 cash (14 cents) per diem without food, or 200 cash (11 cents) for one who furnishes food for the beast and his driver. A horse or mule will cost 300 to 400 cash (17 to 22 cents); a wheelbarrow for passenger and his luggage, 400 cash (22 cents). The barrow will not make over 18 to 20 miles in a day. Mule litters cost from 50 to 75 cents per diem, and carts from 50 to 80 cents. In the central provinces, food and a place to sleep will cost 200 cash (11 cents) per diem. In the north, it may cost 50 cents to \$1 Mexican (25 to 50 cents).

Boat traveling is much cheaper. On the smaller boats each person will pay 120 cash (7 cents) for one day's journey, which is about 100 li, or 33½ miles. On the larger boats, where there is no competition with steamers, as on the Grand Canal, 185 cash (10 cents) a stage is asked, and where there is competition with steamers this is cut down to 133 cash (8 cents). In addition, one must pay wine money and incense money, the latter to propitiate the gods and secure good weather. Food on the boats is usually extra, and costs some 35 cash (2 cents) a meal for rice. The passenger tariff on the river steamers depends upon the amount of competition. At present native fares on the Yangtze are very low, about 50 cents for every 100 miles. This includes two meals a day. Foreign rates are \$1.80 for 100 miles.

The cost of carrying goods varies with the means of transportation. A donkey will carry 100 to 150 catties (133½ to 200 pounds), and will cost 200 to 300 cash (11½ to 17 cents) for each day, with extras for food for the animal and his driver. One driver will take a number of animals. A horse or mule will carry 240 to 320 pounds, and will cost 350 to 500 cash (20 to 28 cents) a day. Camels will carry still more, but are used only in the north, where the cost is about 28 to 34 cents a day. A wheelbarrow will carry, as a rule, 180 to 300 catties (240 to 400 pounds), and will make about 16 miles a day at a cost of 17 to 28 cents. Where carts are used, freight is about 25 cents per picul. The average cost by land is estimated at 290 cash (16 cents) for every picul—that is, 133½ pounds carried 100 li (33½ miles).

Water freight is much cheaper. A boat capable of carrying 100 piculs may be hired at 1,000 cash (44 cents) a stage, or at 600 cash (34 cents) per diem. Larger boats, with a capacity of 300 piculs each, may be hired at 60 to 90 cents a day. The average cost by water will be about 7 cash for each picul for 100 li, wine and incense money extra. Freight rates on steamers are not so fixed, but vary from time to time. They are reasonably cheap. The principal trade routes are the following: From Tientsin by river to Tungchow, thence by land to Peking, or by land the whole way from Tientsin to Peking (a railway is in process of construction between the two cities); from Peking through the Nankeo Pass to Kalgan, and thence to Kiakhta and Siberia. There is an old road from Peking northeast into Mongolia, one branch of which leads to Shanghai kwan and thence to Kincheo, Moukden, and Kirin. But there is now a railroad from Tientsin direct to Shanghai kwan, and as there is an open port at Newchwang, the trade of Moukden and Kirin, as well as of the Liaotung Peninsula, naturally passes in and out at this port.

From Peking there is a road to Paoting Fu and water communication from Tientsin to Paoting Fu. From Paoting Fu there is the great northern route to the west, which goes via Taiyuen Fu, the capital of Shansi, thence to Pucheo on the Yellow River, which is crossed by a ferry, and from this point to Singan Fu, the capital of Shensi, and from thence to Lancheo, the capital of Kansuh, and beyond to Urumtsi, or by another route to Yarkand and Kulga.

From Taiyuen Fu a branch road goes westward, via Fungcheo and Yungningcheo, to Ninghwa in Kansuh. From Lancheo another road goes to Chengtu in Szechuen. It is forty-eight days' journey from Peking to Lancheo, and fifty-eight thence to Chengtu. There is also an important road from Paoting Fu leading to the southwest via Shenteh Fu, and thence to Kaifung, the capital of Honan, whence various roads diverge, the most important perhaps being via Cheekiakao to Hankau, whither we may go by land or partly by land and water. Another road leads to the west from Kaifung to Tung Kuan, where it joins the main line to Singan Fu, mentioned above. Another road leads south by way of Fungyang Fu in Nganhwiu to P'ukeo in the Yangtze Kiang opposite Nankin. From Tientsin there is connection also with Shantung and the south. The much talked of Grand Canal is practically worthless in its northern portion, and is abandoned by all boats from Tsining to Lintsingcheo, except by the tribute rice boats, which at great expense are annually dragged through to furnish employment to those whose interest in the traffic the Government seems unwilling to disturb. It must be understood, however, that but a small part of the tribute rice now takes this course, most of it going by steamer to Tientsin. The Yellow River though crossing all the northern provinces, is not utilized except for local traffic, although it is said by competent engineers that it can be made navigable as far as Kaifung Fu.

From Chefoo there are roads inland to Weihsien, Lai cheo, Tsingcheo, and the capital of Shantung province, Tsinan Fu, where connection is made with other roads north and south.

The great artery of commerce is of course the Yangtze Kiang, which is navigable for some 2,000 miles. Steamers ply between Shanghai and Ichang, about 800 miles. Above this point navigation is made somewhat difficult by a series of rapids, and the Chinese Government so far has successfully opposed the introduction of steam, although the difficulties are not insurmountable. Our American

stern-wheel boats would be able easily to ascend the rapids. A boat of this sort was indeed built for this purpose, but permission to use it was not obtained. As there is now an open port at Chunking, it is not improbable that steam communication with Szechuen will soon be obtained. At present communication is kept up by native boats, which are dragged through the rapids by towlines pulled by men.

From Chinkiang, 156 miles from Shanghai, communication is had north and south by the Grand Canal, which is available for large junks from Hangchow to Tsingkiangpu, whence connection is made by the Hwai River with northern Nganlwui and Cheokiako, the great distributing center of Honan. This is the most natural route to these districts, but owing to the heavy likin charges, the greater part of the traffic goes via Hankow or across from Nankin, overland. In fact, much traffic is diverted from all the main channels by likin charges, and a great deal of distribution is done by bypaths. An extension of the canal supplies good navigation to Tsi-ning in Shantung, and rice boats, as said before, are taken clear through to Peking. A perfect network of waterways, partly natural and partly artificial, in Kiangsu, is connected with the Grand Canal and the Yangtze, and furnishes cheap and comfortable communication with all parts of that province.

From Nankin, a caravan route mentioned above, extends from Pukeo on the north side of the river to Fungyang Fu, 120 miles, with connection beyond to the north and northwest, connecting with the Hwai River route and farther on with the great northern road to the western provinces.

From Wuhu there are waterways inland both north and south. From Kiukiang via the Poyang Lake there is good water communication with Nanchang Fu, the capital of Kiangsi, and thence overland by the Meiling Pass to Nanhung Cheo in Kwantung, from which there is water communication by the eastern branch of the North River. Before the development of steamship traffic by the opening of the treaty ports trade between the central provinces and Canton all went by this route. From Kiukiang northward, there is a highway to Lucheo, where connection is had with Nganking on one side and northern Nganhwui on the other.

Connection between the Yangtse Valley and the south is also had via the Siang River to Ningyuen Hsien, and thence overland by two routes, one into Kwangsi and the other to Lincheo in Kwantung and by the North River to Canton.

Through the Tungting Lake, by the Chang River, communication is made with the provinces of Kweichow and Yunnan.

The most important center on the Yangtse doubtless is Hankow, whence there is an overland route northeast into Honan and thence to Peking, and a water route via the Han and T'ang rivers to the same region.

A very important trade route is from Kankaw by the Han River to Lao-ho-keo and thence by boat to Kongsih kuan, and from there by mule over the mountains to Sinngan Fu, where connection is made with the roads mentioned above. The principal trade route into Szechuen is naturally by the Yangtse, but from Chingtu there are roads branching in various directions. One, called the Great South road, leads to Yachou, two days beyond which place, at Tsingli Hsien, it divides, one branch going west to Tatsienlu, Litang, and on via Batang to Lhasa, the capital of Tibet, 1,500 miles from Chingtu, the second branch connected with Yunnan by the valley of the Kienkiang.

The Great East road connects Chengtu with Chunking, 340 miles. The Great North road leads to Singan and thence to Peking. The West road furnishes communication with Sungpwan and Kokonor.

From Chunking, there is connection by water with Lucheo Fu, whence there is an important overland route to the capital of Yunnan. At Lucheo it is joined by a road from Chungtu. A more popular route to the northeast from Yunnan Fu is by Kweiyang, the capital of Kweichow, through Chengyuan, on the river Chang down, through Hunan to the Yangtse, a route referred to above.

From Yunnan Fu, the chief trade route is overland via Mengtze to Manhai and thence by boat to Laokai, and from that point down the Red River to Haiphong, in French Tonkin. It is twenty-one days by this route from Yunnan Fu to Haiphong. This is the most natural route from the south into Szechuen.

The old tribute road from Burma to Peking passes through Yunnan Fu, coming from Bhamo by way of Tengyueh and Tali Fu. It is about 350 miles from Yunnan Fu to Tengyueh and seven days from the latter place to Bhamo. This route has been proposed for trade with British Burma, but is regarded as an impossible one by some of those who have been over it, owing to the natural difficulties. It crosses nine distinct mountain ranges by lofty passes accessible only by very steep paths. Engineers have nevertheless indicated a practicable route for a railway in this direction. A better route is said to exist by the Irrawaddy, from whose head waters there is easy connection with the highway from Lhasa to Chingtu.

From Mengtze, there is another route of importance, which connects with Canton by way of the West River. It is 350 miles from Mengtze to Poknay, the head of navigation on the left branch of the West River, whence a boat journey of a month or more will bring one to Canton. From Poknay, there is connection also with Kweichow. By leaving the West River below Nanning Fu at Nanh-siang, a land journey of three days and a water journey of seven more will bring one to Pakhoi. The West River seems the most easy and practicable route to this region, but here, as elsewhere, undue exactions in the way of likin dues have diverted the bulk of the trade into other and more difficult routes. From Wucheo on the West River there are land routes to Kweilin and Nanning, and from Nanning to Peisch and Lungcheo, whence there is connection overland through Tonkin to Haiphong. The foreign goods for Lungcheo, Nanning, and Peisch come mostly from Pakhoi instead of by the natural route via West River from Canton.

From Pakhoi to Nanning, by the usual trade route, is 262 miles, all but 53 miles of which may be made by water. From Nanning to Peisch is 283 miles by water, and thence one can go directly to Yunnan Fu, which is 600 miles by land. The French have secured a concession for the construction of a railway from Lungcheo to Chengnankwan, where it will connect with the Tonkin system of railways. This will give the French port some advantage over Pakhoi.

THE "MIDDLEMEN" OF CHINA.

[From British Board of Trade Review for August, 1898.]

Manufacturers sending goods to China should be represented there by intelligent, respectable, and competent agents.

These agents should be authorized to (and be capable of) discussing industrial questions and of availing themselves of the best markets.

The Belgian consul at Shanghai says also that the indispensable intermediary (or, as they are called in England, "middlemen") between the European and Chinese traders is the "compradore," whose name is derived from the Spanish *comprador*, i. e., buyer.

The earliest foreigners who came to settle in China for purposes of trade carried on business on the principle of exchange only, receiving merchandise in return for that which they brought with them, and the interior of China being closed to foreigners they were obliged to have recourse to intermediaries to procure what they required.

This method has been adhered to and attained its greatest importance at the time of the "merchant princes," whose profits were so enormous that the heads of foreign firms did not condescend to occupy themselves with their business, but left the conduct of their affairs to their "compradores."

The desire of the Chinese to obtain large profits and the carelessness evinced in the direction of affairs on the part of the Europeans combined to bring about the inevitable state of affairs, viz, that a large portion of the profits were pocketed by the "compradores."

Not only the purchases but the sales also were intrusted to them, and, as an explanation of such a state of affairs, it was urged that the Chinese language is difficult, that the Chinese pay with bills at long dates on banks in the interior of China, and that, consequently, a man of business was required conversant with the commercial customs of the country; but the true reason was that, notwithstanding the personal pickings of the "compradores," the profits were so large that they only went into business affairs when they had the time.

The result was, as stated, that the compradores amassed wealth and gained the important position which is theirs to-day.

At the present time the method of conducting business has completely changed; the merchant princes have disappeared from the scene, leaving only the memory of a time of profits and extravagance.

Telegraphic communications and the opening up of rapid and easy routes by steam, especially by means of the Suez Canal, have introduced a new generation in the Chinese markets with small capital, and sometimes none at all, but with a love of work and a spirit of economy.

An enormous competition has been created among these newcomers—all workers—a keen, constant struggle, in which the old wealthy firms have succumbed.

The rôle of the "compradore" has thus been modified; he continues, as before, to hold all the business in his hands, both in the buying and selling markets; but to these professions he has added an important one—that of money lender.

Under such conditions, and considering the mercantile spirit of the Chinaman, it may be concluded that the firm who employs the "compradore" serves for him simply as a means of speculation. It may be asked why this costly and ruinous middleman is not suppressed; and it may be answered, because it is impossible, and because a firm that had no "compradore" would do no business. These middlemen have been incorporated for a long time; their corporation is the richest and most important in all China, and any merchant wishing to do business with a foreign firm must deal first with the "compradores."

If a trader tries to trade direct, he is annoyed in so many ways that he hastens to return to what are called "old customs," and China, it should be remembered, is an essentially conservative country, where an established custom has the force of law.

The consul adds: "It may be seen, therefore, that the guild of 'compradores' is a commercial institution in China, and that it is useless to think of suppressing it or diminishing its importance."

DEVELOPMENT OF GERMAN TRADE IN THE FAR EAST.

[British Board of Trade Journal, April, 1898.]

A dispatch dated March 13 last has been received at the foreign office from Her Majesty's minister at Dresden, inclosing translation of an article which has appeared in the Dresden Journal concerning the development of German trade in the far east.

The writer of the article referred to states that the last ten years have been characterized by a remarkable growth of German trade with the far east; indeed during the past seven years this increase has assumed such dimensions that a consideration of some of the more striking facts in this connection should not prove uninteresting.

The three main factors which claim attention are (1) the increase of German firms in eastern Asia both numerically and also as regards the volume of their trade, (2) the expansion of the market for German goods, and (3) the development of German shipping.

To the German firms in the far east the chief credit for this development of German trade is naturally due. A fact of still greater moment, however, is that some of these firms were established in eastern Asia long before there was any idea of a considerable trade in German goods, and that consequently by this time they have acquired an extremely wide connection, and have thereby become most effective agencies for the spread of German influence and the expansion of German trade. The influence of the old-established German houses on the development of German trade in the far east has greatly lightened the task of the younger firms.

These latter have in most cases sprung from the former, since employees of the older houses, after acquiring practical experience of the business, have frequently established themselves independently. The new firms have derived considerable benefit from the steady progress which German goods have made in the market and the ever-growing consumption of them in China. A further essential stimulus toward the foundation of new German houses is supplied by the institution of subsidized lines of mail steamers, which by establishing regular communication have materially increased the facilities of travel in the far east, extended the knowledge of local conditions, and reduced the difficulties attendant on the carriage of imports and exports.

The combined effect of these circumstances alone accounts for the fact that during the decade commencing with 1886 the number of German firms in eastern Asia has risen from 56 to 92 in China, and from 38 to 57 in Japan.

As regards the actual trade in merchandise, it is extremely difficult to obtain statistics previous to the inclusion of Hamburg and Bremen in the German Customs Union in 1889. But even during the short space of time which has elapsed since that inclusion, the German goods trade with China and Japan has increased in so remarkable a manner as to call for attentive study by all parties concerned. From 1889 to 1896 the exports from the German Customs Union to China have increased from 24,250,000 marks (£1,212,500) to 45,250,000 marks (£2,262,500); that is to say, by 86.72 per cent, while to Japan the increase has been from 18,500,000 marks (£925,000) to 35,500,000 marks (£1,775,000), amounting to a rise of 92.2 per cent.

Still more considerable is the development of the import trade not so much in absolute value as in relative growth. During the above-mentioned years the imports from China into Germany have risen from 8,500,000 marks (£425,000) to 20,000,000 marks (£1,000,000);

that is to say, by 136.5 per cent, whereas the imports from Japan have increased from 3,500,000 marks (£175,000) to something over 9,000,000 marks (£450,000), a rise of 162.7 per cent.

Particular interest attaches to the fact that Germany's share in the development of the countries of eastern Asia is relatively greater than that of other nations. "No other nation," says the correspondent of the Dresden Journal, "can show so great a relative increase of trade as Germany." Nevertheless, an unusually wide and rich field remains open to German enterprise, as is proved by the fact that even now Germany's imports into China only amount to one-sixth and into Japan not more than two-sevenths of the English import trade. Germany's share in the total imports of both countries amounts roughly to 10 per cent. As regards the exports from China, the German trade only amounts to one-sixth of that of Great Britain and to one-third of the total; of Japanese exports Germany's share is one-third of that of England and one thirty-eighth of the total.

Finally, with reference to the development of German shipping it should be noted that the tonnage of German vessels trading with China and Japan has risen from 84,000 in 1886 to 219,392 in 1896, and mention should also be made of the trade now carried on by German coasting steamers in China, which is steadily increasing in volume.

The doubling of the subsidized mail service to eastern Asia, as well as the opening of Kiao-Chau as a free port, will provide German trade in the far east with new facilities and the widest of spheres for its development.

The skill of Germans in obtaining foreign trade is well known. Occasionally, however, new and interesting details of their methods come to light. The latest information is furnished by Mr. Leroux, French consul at Hongkong. He states that the Germans have abandoned the idea of relying entirely upon the trade of Chinese whosale houses. Their principal efforts are now directed to retailers. It appears that as soon as German commercial travelers land they begin to study the language; a slight knowledge obtained, they undertake, with unequalled persistency, to persuade some native merchant to give them a trial order. As soon as the goods arrive they visit their client, and if he makes any complaint they assure him that the fault or error can be readily corrected or avoided in the next order. If necessary they finally make a considerable reduction in the amount of the bill.

When the day of payment arrives another visit is made. This time the purchaser is told he need not press himself to settle the whole account; a partial payment will suffice if he is willing to give a new order. If the client consents he is trapped. Although the merchandise may be inferior to French or English makes it offers to the dealer the great advantage of cheaper prices and greater profits. The consumer becomes accustomed to it and hesitates to pay the higher price for the better article.

Thus, at the expense of many apparent concessions and much hard labor—relatively small, however, in proportion to the results—the market is opened to German goods. It is afterwards comparatively easy to enlarge it.

THE GERMAN COMMERCIAL MISSION TO CHINA.

[From the British Board of Trade Journal.]

A dispatch has been received at the foreign office from Sir Frank C. Lacelles, H. M. ambassador at Berlin, inclosing a report by Mr. Harriss Gastrell, commercial attaché to the embassy, which states that a brief report appears, according to newspapers, to have been finished by the members of the German commercial mission to eastern Asia on their labors. It will be remembered that some fifteen months ago this mission left Genoa for the East, and that it had been organized by Germans interested in trade and industry, with help from both the German and Prussian governments.

Five months' work was devoted to a study of China, and another five to Japan. Hongkong was first visited and then the treaty ports of Canton, Swatow, Amoy, etc. The mission penetrated 1,100 miles up the Yangtze-kiang and visited the chief towns on its banks, and especially the lately opened and populous Shashi. The newly opened treaty ports of Samshui and Wuchow were also visited. An accurate knowledge of the rich province of Chekiang and of the southern portion of that of Kiangsu was obtained. The silk districts, of which the center is Canton, were also seen. Some members of the mission also made a land journey from Tientsin to Newchwang and neighboring districts. Japan, being so much smaller, was thoroughly visited, and a short time was even given to Korea; limited to a visit to the chief port, Chemulpo, and to Söoul.

As to the practical results of the long journeys undertaken by this German mission an exhibition of the samples gathered in China and the other countries visited was opened in Berlin in April, 1898. This collection was to remain in Berlin until April 28, and then go to Dresden, as Saxony is particularly interested in the collected samples. The exhibition is only open to those persons actually interested in the trades concerned and to members of the chambers of commerce and some officials; no other persons are admitted, and entrance is only permitted on the presentation of a permit from the society of industrialists. The general report, and the valuable special reports on the different branches of particular trades to the east will not be published, except for private circulation among those persons interested in each particular branch. Copies of these reports are not to be obtained anywhere for the general information of the public.

The Nord Deutsche Zeitung of April 20, however, gives a general account of the said exhibition, of which the following is a précis:

The exhibition took place in two large rooms of the Reichstag building, where over 5,000 samples were displayed, which show that the collection is the result of the close study of technical men who thoroughly understand their work. The exhibits have a twofold object, and show, firstly, what European and American goods are exported to east Asia, and, secondly, what goods can be purchased out there.

The most important exhibits are by far those of the clothing industries. The cotton industry is represented by over 1,000 samples; the silk industry has almost as many, and the woolen industry has several hundred. There are large numbers of wonderful art colored silks and embroideries; but these are less important to Germany than the small samples of plain silks, especially Chinese "pougees," which are exported from China in such large quantities to France and India. Beside them is a collection of all kinds of Japanese "habutayes." The samples give a good idea of the colors and taste in favor in China and Japan.

Alongside these native productions are seen samples of imported wares, such as black satins, velvets, and plushes in those colors and quantities which are in demand in the far east. There is a large collection of ribbons and trimmings; of raw silk of all kinds and in all stages, and especially of so-called Canton silk exported from south China; of tsatlees from the country behind Shanghai. Such a

complete collection has never before been brought together in Germany. It may also be mentioned that a new method of unwinding the silk from the cocoons has been found, by which the quality of the so-called "wild silk" of northern China will be much improved. Specimens of Korean silk productions are also shown.

In cottons the collection especially shows the labor expended on this branch; all kinds of native and imported goods are shown, including those of the new mills in China and Japan. Samples are shown of all the leading cotton imports from England and in which Germans can not yet compete.

Ramie, hemp, jute, banana fiber, and articles made of them, are there also.

FRENCH COMMERCIAL MISSION TO CHINA.

Consul Covert sends from Lyons to the State Department, under date of December 6, 1897, the following report:

Two French commissions have visited China for the purpose of discovering means of extending their trade in that Empire. The first, in 1843, published its findings to the world, and England derived more profit therefrom than France. The conclusions arrived at by the last commission, which left France a little over two years ago and returned in October last, after a thorough investigation of the agricultural, industrial, and commercial conditions of China, will not be made public, but will be recorded for the use of the several chambers of commerce which shared in the expedition.

The brief report of the commission just made by its director, M. Henri Bernier, to the minister of colonies and the Lyons Chamber of Commerce, contains many facts and statements, which are herein briefly translated, as they may prove valuable to American business men.

The commission found that the Germans had become redoubtable rivals of the English in China; that they and the Russians had established cotton factories and tanneries and feather-cleaning shops (the yolk of eggs being used in the process of tanning); that the Russians have tea factories (factories Russes pour le thé), and are growing coffee.

The country is reported to be rich in copper, iron, lead, silver-bearing lead ores, tin, zinc, native silver, and oils, and to have immense deposits of coal. The development of these mines, says the report, will open up a great field for the use of French tools and machinery and furnish employment for thousands of French mechanics. One hundred thousand tons of coal were transported from Tonkin to Hongkong in 1896, and retransported to Canton and Shanghai. The lack of facilities for transportation is illustrated by the fact that copper mines worked near a river believed to be navigable depend upon carts to haul the ore over a bad road in a journey of fifteen days.

The commission made a thorough investigation of the silk industry, and brought back over "thirty specimens of silk absolutely unknown heretofore in the Lyons market."

The commission reports that there are much better means of reaching the rich Yunnan country from the French possessions in Indo-China by the Red River than the English have in Burmah. It styles Wuchang, the capital of Hoo-pe, and Hanyang, "the commercial heart and the Chicago of China." It is a city of a million and a half inhabitants, the central market of about 70,000,000 people, the seat of a number of industries conducted by Europeans, and will soon be united to Peking by a railroad now in course of construction by Belgians.

The commission sees a great agricultural future in store for Tonkin, Cambodia, and Cochin-China. The exceedingly rich soil is capable of producing incalculable quantities of cotton. Of the 2,000,000 hectares (nearly 5,000,000 acres) of cultivable land in Cochin-China, but 700,000 hectares (1,700,000 acres) have been cultivated. Rice is the staple product. Saigon annually exports 500,000 tons. All the rice grown there would be consumed by the 350,000,000 inhabitants of China. Better silk is produced in Tonkin than in Canton. Coffee grown in Tonkin and tea in Anam are beginning to be remunerative.

The commission reports that French cotton fabrics are preferred in Tonkin and Cochin-China to those of other countries.

This brief abstract of the report embodies the chief points of commercial interest. The most important findings of the commission are held in reserve for the exclusive use of French business men. It may be inferred from what has been given to the public that the commission recommends the establishing of mills and factories in China, cooperation with Chinamen in the opening and management of mines, the development of certain lines of agriculture, and the opening of better wagon roads. The building of railroads by French companies is also advised, as well as general improvements in industry, and the creation of trade conditions by which the swarming population of China may find means to purchase, or to acquire by exchange, the products of France and of the French province of Indo-China. An effort will probably be made to convert this province into a workshop for China and an entrepôt for French goods destined to the Chinese market. The incessant travel and constant interchange of domestic products, notwithstanding the primitive methods of transportation, are cited as arguments that better facilities would be readily adopted. France has been taught by experience that colonies are a burden until they produce commodities that can be exchanged for the products of the mother country. Senegal buys forty times as much from France to-day as she did thirty years ago, solely because she produces that much more of what France needs. The aim of France will be to make China productive in order that her 350,000,000 inhabitants may have something to sell and the wherewith to buy. France, with ten times less population, has seven times more foreign commerce than China. With European facilities for production and distribution, the annual output of China will approximate more nearly the quota which her population should render to the aggregate of the world's production.

Four great nations—England, France, Germany, and Russia—are engaged in a determined struggle for the trade of China. United States business men will leave nothing undone to advance their interests in that Empire. While the great nations of Europe are grasping for Chinese territory, it is probable that the most durable conquests may be achieved by peaceful methods. Civilized nations have equal interests in opening the trade of China to the world, and the powers that attempt to accomplish it by war and conquest do no more than strengthen the Chinese wall. The advantage that France has consists in her open frontier through Indo-China, which will furnish a short route when the Red River is dredged. Another advantage is the possession of an abundance of cheap capital. But all this will be met if the Americans build the railroads that they have long contemplated constructing in China.

BRITISH COMMERCIAL MISSION TO CHINA.

[The value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

The following statement of the condition, present and prospective, of the market for cotton and cotton goods in China is from a report by Mr. F. S. A. Bourne, the head of a British commercial mission which traveled through central and southern China during eight months of 1896 and 1897 for purposes of observation of commercial conditions. The report was presented to the British Parliament in May, 1898:

In the staple of our import trade, namely, gray and white shirtings, there is no direct competition—that is, no other country is making the same class of goods; but there is indirect competition, especially from Japanese figured fabrics, and from Indian, Japanese, and Chinese yarn, woven at home. These compete with shirtings by tending to displace them. In coarse cotton yarn Lancashire is out of the market, beaten by India, Japan, and China. In drills and sheetings, which came little within the area of our inquiry, as they are used in the colder provinces north of the Yang-tze, we have a most redoubtable competitor in the United States.

We can only compete with Japan in her specialties by the adoption of far-eastern design and by constant changes of pattern. Li Chung-t'ang, with whom we crossed the Pacific, told me that, in his opinion, improvement in design was essential in order to keep our cotton trade in China. Whether we could, or rather would, so far comprehend the *motif* of Chinese design as to copy and develop it in England is perhaps doubtful, although it seems to be limited in range and often of artistic merit, based, of course, in that case on true principles to be discovered by analysis. A study by good designers of the collection brought home by the mission of the best patterns in silk brocades, which are said to be the traditional basis of all native textile design, may throw light on the question.

There has been a rapid increase in the import of Bombay yarn into China, the figures for Shanghai being:

Year.	Quantity.
	<i>Piculs.</i>
1892.....	393,400
1893.....	485,245
1894.....	553,806
1895.....	559,921
1896.....	857,891

The fact is that all over the west of China Indian yarn is killing what little local cultivation of cotton there was, and when woven is encroaching on homespun cloths, and to a much less degree on imported gray shirtings.

The Chinese masses have always worn homespun cotton cloth for the most part, supplemented with imported drills and sheetings in the north and northwest, where it is cold and where domestic weaving is not common. The finer imported cottons, like shirtings, have been for the well to do only. About twenty-five years ago the import of foreign yarn—English, and later Indian—led to the weaving of a cheaper cloth, which is displacing more and more the native homespun. Before the war with Japan the Chinese were beginning to erect spinning mills, the enterprise being conducted in the half-hearted and incompetent way usual with them in large undertakings, and when, by the treaty of Shimonoseki (1895), foreigners obtained the long-coveted right to manufacture in China, four foreign-owned mills were put up in Shanghai and others will follow. By the end of 1898 there should be about 500,000 spindles running in China. Mills here run in day and night shifts of twenty-one to twenty-two hours out of the twenty-four in a year of three hundred to three hundred and twenty days, allowing for holidays. Taking the production per spindle at 10 ounces per day of twenty-four hours in a year of three hundred working days, we arrive at an output of about 700,000 piculs of yarn. But considering that the operatives will nearly all themselves have to be first made out of raw hands that have never seen a power machine, it can scarcely be expected that even this result will be reached for a year or two. The import of cotton yarn into China during 1896 was 1,461,365 piculs.

It might be expected that the native yarn would reduce this foreign import, and some day this will no doubt happen, but I believe not yet. If the country were opened up by the abolition or systematization of inland taxation and by improved means of communication its capacity for the absorption of cotton yarn would be enormous. In 1895 there was a difficulty in the way of the import of Chinese-spun yarn into the prefecture of Huai-ngan Fu (latitude 33° 25', longitude 119° 22'). A syndicate had been formed, in which the local importers and the likin officials were all interested, by which yarn spun at the Chinese Government mill in Shanghai was excluded. When the difficulty had been overcome and the yarn admitted, this one district took the whole output of a mill of 60,000 spindles for six months. This I heard on excellent authority. If greater facilities were granted, the same thing might happen more or less all over southern and western China.

The import from Lancashire, being of the finer counts, will not be lessened by the native mills. On the contrary, it is probable that as the Chinese improve in hand-loom manufactures and take to weaving finer cloths, the import from England may increase. The Indian import is of counts 8s, 10s, 12s, little of 14s, and a great deal of 20s. The Chinese mills spin mostly 14s, some 10s and 16s, but not finer. It seems quite likely that local manufacture and Indian import may run on together at all events for a few years. Should Indian yarn improve in fineness, it is possible that the handmade cloth from this yarn may displace Lancashire shirtings to some extent; but in the long run I am not apprehensive on this score. Even if the Chinese began to import fine enough yarn—28s, 30s, and above—and this at present would have to come from England, their hand-loom fabrics could not have the finish of Lancashire cloth, and as the masses began to wear finer homespun, fashion would demand that the classes should wear something better, so that it seems probable the richer the Chinese get by what they make themselves the more they will be able to buy of our finer fabrics. Only let us take care that our fabrics are finer, better woven, better designed, and especially that we have the organization in China to bring our goods to the notice of those likely to buy them. The more of the commoner yarns and cloths the Japanese have made themselves the more of the finer they have bought from us. There is every reason to suppose the same will happen in China. It must be remembered that the Chinese do not use cloth woven of Indian yarn because they like it, but because it is cheap and because they are very poor. They buy Lancashire cloth as soon as they can afford it. And it is better for Lancashire that coarse yarn should be spun by machinery

in China and India than that it should be spun there by hand, for the enormous saving in spinning by machinery means increased power to pay for Lancashire goods. Still better is it than that it should be spun in foreign countries closed to our goods by hostile tariffs.

The saving in weaving by machinery is relatively much less than that of spinning, and the day of the power loom in China seems scarcely to have dawned. There are looms in several existing mills, but they seem to be little used, spinning being found more profitable.

The future of manufacture by Western methods in China is a subject of the utmost importance to every Englishman. The following facts and opinions may help experts to a judgment:

In regard to wages employers in China are at a great advantage. The wages of an adult man on the Lower Yang-tze for a day of twelve hours for, say, three hundred and twenty days in the year in such industries as native hand weaving and dyeing average, at the present gold price of silver, 10s. to 12s. a month, all included. Wages may be expected to rise somewhat in the future for the more skilled classes of labor, as the number actually efficient must be limited, at least until the system of apprenticeship, which is universal in China, has had time to take root in regard to the new industry, but any great change in the level of wages among the plain workers must be very slow, as the operatives will have pressing upon them the mass of millions of cheap workers, with just as good capacity as themselves—unless, indeed, manufacture is congested in one place and labor allowed to get into the power of Chinese middlemen. The truth is that a man of good physical and intellectual qualities, regarded merely as an economical factor, is turned out cheaper by the Chinese than by any other race. He is deficient in the higher moral qualities, individual trustworthiness, public spirit, sense of duty, and active courage, a group of qualities perhaps best represented in our language by the word *manliness*, but in the humbler moral qualities of patience, mental and physical, and perseverance in labor he is unrivaled. Physically he is a hard man—I am speaking of the laboring class—far from an Asiatic as we use that word in English.

It seems probable that under the leadership of skilled European managers and foremen of character and temper, firm, just, and reasonable, the Chinese coolie and his wife will make excellent textile factory hands. European superintendence is essential precisely because of their moral shortcomings above stated. Judged by our standards, we must pronounce all organizations in China (with a few exceptions noted in secs. 31 and 36) above the family and the small business partnerships to be hopeless failures. The upper class seem to lack the moral tone to carry on big enterprises; indeed the laws and the courts of justice are wanting as well as the men.

Still here these millions of patient reasonable workers are only wanting leaders to make them producers on a gigantic scale, and leaders they will most certainly find. Whatever the future in politics of China may be here these workers must remain; and they are, in my opinion, destined to modify profoundly the condition of the world's industries.

To return to cotton manufacture, all Western employers and overseers of Chinese agree that they excel in lightness and deftness of hand, and that they are well suited in physique and intelligence for work in cotton mills. They show extraordinary powers of endurance; for instance, boys in the Hankow mill work through the whole night without leaving the mill, and with only a little rice congee by way of food. There may be temporary difficulties with labor. The Chinese have always practiced a form of strike against bad government, directed at the officials, by ceasing to do business, shutting their shops, etc.; but we hear little of combinations of workmen directed against employers, probably because these latter are many, scattered, and in a small way. It is probable that workmen employed in cotton mills will combine, but there is in China a dreadful poverty of the masses, due to rapid increase of population, wherever a district has been spared rebellion and famine for a few tens of years, and nothing can keep up the wages of common labor which must remain, under the present system, close on starvation point.

In regard to land, the Lower Yang-tze Valley is as perfect a site for manufacturing industries as can anywhere be found, with coal and iron in easy reach, a temperate climate, and good means of communication by water.

I am told that the samples of Yang-tze cotton used in the Shanghai and Hankow mills will show that it is not capable of being spun into finer yarn than about 20s, nor is there much likelihood that the cotton plant will be shortly improved here by careful selection of seed and cultivation. The Chinese never try to improve the breed of animal or plant, and the farming class, small holders, is very hard to move—witness their failure to grow and make tea to suit the altered taste of consumers in England. How far the cotton crop can be increased it is difficult to say, but it seems probable that it could be greatly increased, that is, of cotton of poor quality. Broadly speaking, China derives her supply of cotton from the Yang-tze plain—i. e., 100 miles on either side of that river from Ichang to the sea. Before the rebellion, 50 years ago, China had many millions more to clothe, while she imported less cotton goods; she then grew more cotton than she does now.

In regard to capital, the third agent besides land and labor in production, the Chinese have not sufficient to develop their country even with the present backward methods of industry; and interest is accordingly very high. The country does not now produce the precious metals to any extent; and the Chinese have, it is believed, no more of silver and copper than is required for the ordinary circulation; but they are likely to get ample capital for enterprises under foreign management from abroad, and there is no more promising field for the investment of English capital. No English money has been lost in China through the act of the Chinese Government, and little in any other way than by bad business.

In regard to the next few years it is to be expected, granting moderate taxation, that the spinning mills under foreign management will do well, and that those under native management will be driven to the wall.

Regarded by itself, and not in connection with the interests of British trade generally in China (see sec. 51), Shanghai is in a very prosperous condition. Still there are points of detail in which improvement is possible.

The privilege of bonding is one that would greatly assist the import trade, with little expense or inconvenience to the Chinese customs. One merchant told me that he had £7,000 out in duties on Lancashire piece goods. Should the duties be raised on a revision of the tariff, this burden would be proportionately more onerous. At present bonding is allowed only in the warehouses of the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company, a Chinese association of which the resources are not known, and which would have to be sued in a Chinese court, so that the more substantial foreign houses make little use of the privilege. Instead, merchants charge against the goods 6 per cent on money out in duties. Small houses, chiefly German, bond sometimes. They have little to lose and can run the risk. No one can wonder that the larger firms fight shy of bonding under these conditions. There is no one to sue and no court to sue in. In case of difference there is nothing but the discouraging prospect of a prolonged negotiation, followed even in the clearest case by a compromise. But there is in Shanghai a British joint stock company, the Associated Wharves, with large capital, and able to give the best security both to the Chinese Government and to the merchants.

It is difficult to see how the privilege of bonding can reasonably be denied to this company. It is understood that the interest on money lying to the customs credit in Shanghai goes into the pocket of the local authorities, while the increase in duties that may be expected to accrue from bonding facilities would go to the Chinese Government.

There is a delay of from two to eighteen months before payment of drawbacks of duty after the reexport of the goods has been proved, the money being kept meantime by the Taotai. One English merchant told me he was 14,000 taels (about £2,000) out in

this way. The local authorities lend this money on their own account to the native banks at 7 per cent per annum. Besides the loss of interest, the foreigner and the native alike suffer from the power which the command of these large funds gives the local authorities of manipulating the native money market.

The head of the largest British shipping firm in Shanghai told me they themselves were out 15,000 taels (about £2,100) in drawback duty, but that their Chinese shippers were out 50,000 to 60,000 taels (about £8,000). In Shanghai these drawbacks are for import duty, but at Hankow and the river ports the same firm was out in coast-trade duty—i. e., 2½ per cent ad valorem—repayable if native exports are shipped to a foreign port 20,000 taels (about £3,000). Why can not all drawback certificates be issued by the customs within one month, and be available at once and in any hands for payment of all duties, including tonnage dues?

I was told by one merchant that American drills pay 3d. or 4d. a piece less freight to China going in British ships by way of Liverpool than Manchester goods by the same steamship and under the same bill of lading; and I was told that Dutch piece goods from Antwerp and German from Hamburg have the same kind of advantage. Another merchant put the difference at 17s. 6d. a ton from New York and 30s. from Liverpool by the same steamer. There is much to be said from the shipowner's point of view no doubt but it certainly seems at the first glance an anomaly that a British line of steamships should give our rivals in trade so much better terms.

120. I have shown in the above report that likin is a great obstacle to our trade, that our right to transit passes is withheld over a great part of the Empire, that our goods are heavily taxed by octroi in great cities long open to our trade, and that steamers might ply in many places now closed to them with very great advantage. On all these points it is quite clear what should be done.

But granted that all the above obstacles were removed and rights obtained to the satisfaction of the most exacting Englishman, could they bring about any great development of China's foreign trade? Perhaps our imports might cost the consumer on the average all over the Empire 10 per cent less than they do now, but I believe this to be the limit of improvement possible in that respect. Variations in price from year to year of 20 per cent and more, due to silver exchange, are not found to cause any great difference in demand. Our manufactured cottons reach the ends of the Empire and are there selling at prices by no means exorbitant. It is true that the opening of the internal waterways would be a really great advantage to our trade, if his profits as a carrier enabled the British merchant to establish himself up country, to find exports and develop imports, at all events it would help to break down the likin system besides improving communications; but otherwise it will only result in a profit to the shipowner on the carriage of native cargo.

121. It seems to me that without a revolutionary increase in the value of exports from China there can be no such development as is contemplated when the foreign commerce of China is compared with that of India; and that such an increase can only be brought about by the greater activity of Englishmen in the interior of the country. As things are, Shanghai and Hongkong are tending more and more every year to become merely suburbs of London and Manchester. The mercantile recruit who goes there is often required to do in Shanghai the same work and no other work than he did in London. All that is done after the home methods is very well done, and Hongkong and Shanghai are places of which every Englishman must be proud, but there is little attempt to do in China what was not done at home, to understand the language, the country, and the people, to specialize as the agent in China of British interests, as the link between the provincials of China and the English market. In all this there would be nothing to regret if there were flourishing British settlements in the interior acting as intermediaries and feeders of Shanghai; but I have explained that British capital is being withdrawn from the outports. The result is that the whole work of finding exports and providing imports is left to the natives, who, although often driven to great exertions to earn a living, are naturally apathetic and will attempt nothing new.

In withdrawing from ports like Hankow and not establishing themselves at ports more recently opened, British merchants acted, there is no doubt, on business principles and on a very correct judgment of the facts of the case. Forbidden to manufacture, to plant or to mine, hedged in by customs regulations strictly administered by a foreign staff, they were confined to bare export and import, and this they found could be carried on more profitably at Shanghai and Hongkong.

The right to manufacture in China seems to give our merchants and capitalists an opportunity of inaugurating a better state of things. I have shown in section 5 what may be expected of Chinese labor under foreign superintendence. The value of China's exports would be greatly raised by partial manufacture, sorting and grading in China of many staples, such as silk, wool, hides, furs, paper, and tobacco. Much is now being done in this direction in Shanghai, in silk filatures, for instance, and something in Tientsin, Foochow, and Chinkiang. The increased value of these exports would add to China's capacity to take our imports.

And we ought, I believe, to encourage the manufacture in China of those products which we can not make at a profit in England, provided that we have in China an organization by which our manufacturers are informed of what the Chinese want to buy, and by which our goods are pressed on their notice. For this reason I can see no danger to Lancashire in the cotton spinning mills now being erected in China. Lancashire can not compete in coarse yarn with Japan and India, and the value created in China and not imported will enable the Chinese to buy more of our finer goods, our monopoly in the manufacture of which is not and can not under present conditions of cotton supply be threatened in China.

The arguments generally adduced against doing business and sinking capital at the outports in China are: The depreciation of silver; the difficulty of learning the language; native competition, and want of security.

In regard to silver, there is good reason to believe that capital fixed in manufactories, in land, houses, and godowns used in an active trade with gold-standard countries will keep their gold value; sudden fluctuations in exchange are, of course, embarrassing, but a low value of silver does not trouble merchants as such, and will favor the preparation of exports in China, as wages are likely to rise but slowly.

Native competition must bear heavily on Englishmen without capital, who, indeed, as independent merchants, can do little to forward their own or their country's interests in China, as things are at present, except in Shanghai. There are no rivals among the Chinese to be dreaded by rich firms and corporations, because the Chinese can not carry on large undertakings, and because Chinese riches are very fleeting. To succeed in China a foreign undertaking must be large and native undertaking small.

The difficulty of learning to speak the language has been greatly exaggerated. Excepting the neighborhood of the coast between Shanghai and Canton, one language is spoken over the length and breadth of China. We heard the same language spoken in the streets from Chinkiang to Liu Chow in Kwangsi. This language is Mandarin—with variations slight, considering the huge extent of country. All that is necessary for a merchant is that the recruit selected at home for his business capacity should be required to learn enough colloquial Chinese to talk about a very narrow range of subjects. For this, the only difficulty is the pronunciation, to master which some perseverance is required. My companion, Mr. Bell, picked up easily, without any study, in six months enough Mandarin to make himself understood on everyday subjects. In China a clever and determined youth would learn enough in a year to be useful, doing his ordinary work meantime; to make a Chinese scholar of him would be to ruin him, in all probability, for purposes of trade—it would take more of his time than he could spare.

In regard to security, foreign life and property is almost as safe in the richer provinces of China as in England.

Perhaps the thread of my argument has not been very clear, and I would, therefore, recapitulate its tenor, as follows:

In order to improve China's demand for our imports, her exports must be increased in value, and this can best be done by Englishmen living in settlements, like that at Shanghai, at suitable places in the interior, who, while managing steam shipping and developing the export trade, could at the same time distribute imports and be ready to engage in mining and engineering enterprises as the opportunity offered. Rich men will not live in the outports, and poor men can not make a living independently; therefore the work must be done by rich firms or corporations able to wait and train in the Chinese spoken language and mercantile customs youths selected in England for their business capacity. In ten years such a system would give us a hold over the foreign trade of China that the present methods can never do.

It may occur to an Englishman unacquainted with the east, that such a programme is much too far-reaching, and that the Chinese can be trusted shortly to enter upon the path of progress when our existing agencies in Shanghai and Hongkong will be quite sufficient links of foreign trade. This is the view which has brought our trade into its present condition of deadlock; it is based on a much too sanguine estimate of Chinese institutions and character. It is not that the Chinese will not progress in the modern sense, but that they can not. They have not the institutions, the laws, or the character on which to base the elaborate structure of modern commerce. The analogy from Japanese progress is delusive; the Japanese had till recently a feudal system; they have an aristocracy, and a healthy social hierarchy based on a sound subordination; they are an organized body, and their leaders have made them a nation; the Chinese, although, individually, in physique and intellect, more than a match for the Japanese, have none of these things, nor the least desire to attain them.

Therefore it is better to base our hope of future development of foreign trade in China on Englishmen living in the country and pursuing their own interests; when they have achieved success, the Chinese will certainly try to follow in their wake.

THE COTTON INDUSTRY OF THE FAR EAST.

Probably of all the industrial developments which are taking place in Japan and China, the one which is likely to have the most direct results on the manufactures of India and of Britain, according to the Indian and Eastern Engineer, is that connected with the cotton industry.

The article in the above journal goes on to say that, in order to understand the nature of the evolution which has been going on in Japan for some years past, it must be remembered that spinning and weaving were the most important native industries. The returns for 1895 show that there were over one million weavers. Women spend all their spare time in spinning or weaving, and it is no exaggeration to say that, in nearly every house in rural Japan, the spinning-wheel and loom were kept going from morning till night. The introduction of steam and water-power is having the same effects in Japan as it had in Britain and India, and the domestic industries are being crushed out before the increasing factories, which, however, find a large supply of workers who are very deft in the manipulation of cotton, and who soon become skilled workers of machines.

The first cotton-spinning and cotton-weaving factory in Japan, in which steam power was employed, was that started at Kagoshima in 1865-67 by Prince Shimadzu, who was then daimio of the province. The machinery, which was imported from England, consisted of 6,000 spindles, and the object was to give employment to the retainers of the clan. Some years later another factory was opened by Prince Shimadzu in Sakai, Izumi Province. About 1880 a great impetus was given to the erection of cotton factories, and for some years past the progress has been very rapid, with the result that home-spun yarn is now almost unknown in the Japanese market at the present time. Not only is the home demand met to a considerable extent, but in certain departments the Japanese factories now compete with the goods imported into the far east from Europe and America.

The hope is expressed in Japan that cotton yarn will become one of its most important products in the markets of the east in the future. Not long ago, at a meeting of the Oriental Society of Tokyo, the vice-minister of agriculture of Japan, after giving statistics showing recent progress, expressed the opinion that, in the near future, Japan would be able to wrest the bulk of the yarn trade of China from India and England, and sufficient progress has already been made to justify the position of affairs in Japan being carefully studied by British and Indian manufacturers.

It is still too early to say much regarding the position and prospects of the cotton industry in China, but as three of the foreign-owned cotton mills in Shanghai, which commenced working in 1897, have recently published their first reports and balance sheets, it will be interesting to note a few points in them. The average cost of a 40,000 spindle mill may be set down at about a million and a quarter taels (say £160,000). None of the establishments, whose reports have been published, have yet attained their maximum capacity, the best result shown being 34,000 spindles working night and day for eleven weeks; but notwithstanding this fact, dividends, varying between 3½ and 7 per cent, have been declared. Moreover this result has been obtained with labor that is practically unskilled, very few trained hands being obtainable at the outset. Three women are required to do the work at a frame which in England would be superintended by one operative; but as the managers report that the quality of labor is steadily improving, and the supply thereof is unlimited, this factor is likely to disappear in time. Under present conditions, if we take the total wages of three women per day of eleven hours at 90 cents (about 1s. 9d.) and allow the output per frame to be 25 per cent less than that obtained in Lancashire, the conditions of manufacture are still considerably in favor of the local mills. The yarn produced by the Shanghai mills is found to be superior both in color and in quality to that of Bombay and of Osaka, selling at three to five taels higher than either of these per bale of 400 pounds. The present price of local yarn varies between 70 and 78 taels per bale according to count.

It is quite evident, however, that the foreign capitalist is not going to have it all his own way, as the Chinese are now eagerly investing their money in cotton mills. When discussing the prospects of Japan-made cotton yarn capturing the China market, Mr. Brennan, His Majesty's consul at Canton, arrives at the conclusion that it is more probable that, while Osaka and Bombay are competing for the prize, the Chinese operative will arise and seize it for himself. Whatever may be thought of the future action of the Chinese operative, it is quite evident that the Chinese capitalist is awaking to the importance of industrial undertakings as means of making money. A month or two ago, the North China Herald published a list of the cotton-spinning mills in Central China, which were chiefly owned by Chinese, and it showed that 378,052 spindles were running and 525,252 projected in these establishments, which, considering the short time since they were started, is very considerable progress.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure, see page 2256.]

It is still too early to say much regarding the effects of the development of the cotton industry in the far east—so much depends on the economic and industrial conditions; and as these are changing very rapidly, opinions on the subject are likely to vary according to the point of view from which it is looked at. Meantime, all that can be done is to observe carefully the conditions which are being evolved in the far east, and gradually it will be possible to form conclusions as to the effects which they are likely to have on British manufacturing industry.

COTTON SPINNING IN CENTRAL CHINA.

The following table, showing the present status of the cotton-spinning industry in central China, is taken from the North China Herald of January 28 last:

MILLS IN SHANGHAI.	SPINDLES.	
	Projected.	Running.
	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Number.</i>
The Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	100,000	29,600
The Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	25,000	25,000
The International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	45,000	34,000
The Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	40,040	40,040
The Hua Sheng Chong Cotton Cloth and Yarn Co.	65,000	65,000
The Ta Sheng Chong Cotton Cloth and Yarn Co.	25,000	25,000
The Yah Loong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	20,000	18,000
The Chinese New Cotton Spinning Co.	15,000	15,000
The Yu Yuen Cotton Mill.	40,020	40,020
	375,060	289,660
MILLS AT OUTPORTS, ETC.		
Tung Kau Yuen Mill, Ningpo.	10,000	10,000
Hupei Government Cotton Mill.	30,000	30,000
Wuchang Cotton Mill.	50,000	20,000
Soochow Cotton Mill.	30,000	18,200
Wusieh Cotton Mill.	10,192	10,192
Hangchow Cotton Mill.	20,000	.....
Total in Central China.	525,252	378,052

WOOLEN MANUFACTURING IN CHINA.

Consul Read, of Tientsin, under date of January 5, 1897, says a woollen mill is soon to be erected in Tientsin, on the river bank just below the foreign settlement. On making inquiries, Mr. Read learned that the complete plant for this mill was purchased from the Danish Oriental Company, Limited, of Copenhagen, which firm has a representative in Shanghai, who made the agreement. The machinery purchased by the Danish Oriental Company was made in England and cost about 300,000 Tientsin taels (\$230,000 United States gold). The present customs taotai of Tientsin, Li Mingsam, is interested in this mill, adds Mr. Read, as is also, I understand, Sheng, the director-general of the imperial railways. As soon as the machinery arrives, in the spring, building operations will be begun. This mill will begin to deal with about 10,000 pounds of wool per week, which will yield about 50 to 60 pieces per day of camlets, lastings, long ells, etc.—goods similar to those now imported. Arrangements have been made to extend the mill for cotton spinning with 10,000 spindles and 100 looms, but this is not likely to occur until the woollen mill is in good working order. The output of this mill is to be taken by the army; hence the officials interested will, no doubt, have a large profit on the capital invested.

MONEY, WAGES, AND PRICES IN CHINA.

[From a report by United States Minister Denby in 1896.]

I.—STANDARD OF VALUE.

No standard of value and no unit of value are established by law in China. The money of the country consists of gold, silver, copper, and paper. Gold and silver are commodities which circulate by weight. The ratio of value between them fluctuates constantly.

Copper is coined into small coins, about 1,260 of which are worth one Shanghai tael, or ounce, of silver, Shanghai weight, the Shanghai tael being now worth 73½ cents United States currency. The real standard of value in China for small transactions is copper, which has been used many centuries in the payment of wages, in the purchase of food, etc. The stability of the copper currency is accounted for by the fact that the goods it is employed to represent commercially remain just what they were year by year. Rice and wheat are brought to market every season after the employment of the same amount of labor and skill on the part of the farmer, and their value is practically measured by the same amount of coin.

In practice, silver by weight is the standard for all commodities bought in large quantities, interchanged between provinces, or imported from abroad.

The standard of value in China is therefore copper coin locally and for small transactions, silver by weight for larger commercial transactions and trade between distant places.

The commercial supremacy of Shanghai makes the Shanghai tael, or ounce, practically the standard for other places. It is 513.0572 grains silver fine, and its actual present value, London exchange, is 2s. 11.1715d. (71 cents).

II.—AMOUNT IN CIRCULATION.

No statistics exist as to the amount of money in circulation, and no estimate can be made. No paper money is issued by the Government. No provision is made by law for the redemption of the paper notes of the private banks. Their circulation rests on the credit of each bank.

III.—PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.

The amount of money in circulation per capita can not be ascertained.

IV.—CHANGES IN THE SYSTEM.

There has been no change in the monetary system of the country in recent decades, nor has there been any abandonment or curtailment of the use of silver or paper currency. Mints have been established by imperial decree for the coinage of silver dollars and subsidiary silver coins. These circulate at their value as bullion in the cities of China. On account of the greater convenience of coined money, the tendency is to its wider adoption.

V.—CURRENCY AND WAGES.

It is noticeable that while silver has depreciated abroad, its purchasing power in China for articles of domestic production and its value for the payment of wages have not diminished. The appreciation of gold abroad, enhancing the cost in silver of manufactured articles, has tended, however, to stimulate the manufacture of such articles in China. This is particularly noticeable in the cotton trade, and the same cause will produce like effects in other industries. The wages of skilled and unskilled labor have not been increased, but the creation of manufacturing industries has opened a new field to labor, the greater extension of which may lead to higher wages.

The actual rate of wages in China seems small to one unacquainted with the cheapness of the necessities of life here and unfamiliar with the narrow scope of a Chinese laborer's needs. Agricultural laborers are paid in copper the equivalent of about \$1.50 to \$2 United States currency per month. Unskilled laborers in the city are paid about 2½ cents per diem and supplied with two meals. Skilled carpenters receive 20 to 30 cents per day, masons and painters the same, domestic servants \$3 to \$10 per month, hostlers \$3 per month. In all branches of labor it is difficult to give exact figures. The minimum at which a laborer can be hired is the actual cost or the most frugal subsistence.

VI.—PRICES.

It is not practicable to answer in detail the interrogatories under this paragraph without great delay. The statistics of the Chinese Government are not published in a form to make them available for the purposes of the circular. Accurate and reliable information on the subject can only be obtained through some mercantile source at Shanghai.

In general, it may be said that prices have not been affected by tariff changes, as there have been no tariff changes for more than ten years, nor have they been affected by Chinese financial or currency laws, as none of importance have been enacted. Articles produced in China have not felt the depreciation of silver, while articles imported from gold-standard countries have largely increased in their silver value as compared with ten years ago.

The customs statistical secretary, in his report for 1895, makes a comparison between the two halves of the decade 1886-1895. After saying that the demand for foreign cottons improved in 1895 over the preceding year, he adds:

"But to determine whether the trade has really developed concurrently with enhanced prices, the enormous consumption of yarn, and the opening of new markets, it is necessary to compare the total offtake of principal cloths during the first and second half of the decade, and the result shows that there has been a significant decline in the importation of cottons specified hereunder:

DESCRIPTION.	1886-1890.	1891-1895.
Shirtings:	<i>Pieces.</i>	<i>Pieces.</i>
Gray	29,836,000	29,973,000
White	11,930,000	11,213,000
Tea cloths	10,851,000	8,709,000
Drills:		
English	1,742,000	1,117,000
American	2,802,000	3,156,000
Sheetings:		
English	3,003,000	3,440,000
American	6,359,000	6,276,000
Total	66,613,000	60,884,000

"The increased cost of cotton goods is accountable for this annual shrinkage of over a million pieces, and as an instance of the enhanced price which the consumer has to pay for British and American cottons, owing to the fall in the gold value of the tael, one example, taken from Mr. G. W. Noel's market report of December 20, last, giving past and present quotations, will suffice. It is there shown that at the close of 1886, with exchange at 4s. 6½d. (\$1.09) and cotton in Liverpool at 5½d. (11 cents) per pound, a Chinese could buy at auction in this market an assortment totaling 17 pieces of standard chop a shirtings, tea cloths, jeans, sheetings, and drills at a cost of 31.85 taels (\$23.41), whereas the same goods in 1895, with exchange at 2s. 11d. (71 cents) and cotton at 4½d. (9 cents) per pound, would cost 40.71 taels (\$28.62), or an advance of over 27 per cent."

He goes on to say that no trade has suffered so much from the rise in the silver price of gold as the trade in metals.

He says: "In 1891, when the Haikwan tael averaged 4s. 11d. (\$1.19), the aggregate weight of all kinds of metals demanded by this market reached 2,203,000 piculs (291,059,800 pounds), but under the influence of low exchange the total quantity landed has dwindled to 1,550,000 piculs (206,615,000 pounds) in 1895. Importations of iron of all descriptions—bar, hoop, wire, pig, and old scrap—amounted in 1891 to 1,726,000 piculs (230,075,800 pounds), whereas, at present high prices, 1,071,000 piculs (142,764,300 pounds) fulfilled the requirements of the year. For old scrap iron, which always constituted the bulk of the importations, there was a large and almost limitless market, and in 1891 deliveries reached 859,000 piculs (114,504,700 pounds), but the appreciation of gold appears to have so effectually stunted this traffic that consumption is reduced to 413,000 piculs (55,052,900 pounds), or more than 50 per cent less than the demand five years ago."

The low exchange value of silver has also greatly stimulated exports in some lines. For example, in 1885 the export of silk and satin goods, including pongees, only attained 10,280 piculs (1,370,324 pounds), as compared with 23,120 piculs (3,081,896 pounds) in 1895. The same cause largely accounts for the increase in the export of skins. The growth of this trade, fostered by the depreciated gold price of the tael, has been from 881,000 Haikwan taels (\$1,001,697) in 1891, to 2,649,000 (\$2,119,200) in 1895.

VII.—WHETHER MINTS ARE OPEN TO BOTH METALS.

The mints of China do not coin gold. They are not open to the unlimited coinage of silver, but they coin annually a sum decided according to circumstances by the officials in charge.

EFFECT OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS UPON WAGES AND COST OF LIVING IN CHINA.

The American consul-general at Shanghai, in a recent report to the State Department, discussing wages and prices in China, says:

Trades unionism has for ages been firmly established in China. It receives official recognition; its rules are stringent; it is tenacious of its privileges. But human hands are all too plentiful and human life is cheap, so that it comes to pass that many skilled mechanics receive but 15 cents Mexican a day, while master workmen get 20 to 25 cents, and the common laborer saves himself from starving on two Mexican dollars a month. These wages must be cut almost in half for expression in United States money. Frequently there are wives and children to be supported, too; but in the poorest families these members frequently find employment in some of the minor industries, the women, perhaps, in the manufacture of shoe soles, the children in making paper money for offerings to the dead, or, as in Shanghai, in the manufacture of match boxes, and so the slender earnings of the husband and father are eked out. A gradual introduction of some Western industries—the building of railways and other improvements in communication, the opening of mines, and the development of the other resources of the Empire—will no doubt improve matters to some extent by giving a better market to the productions of China, by diverting labor from overcrowded channels to new enterprises, and by creating a greater demand for labor, which will somewhat improve the wages. But as things are at present we can not view with indifference the prospect of bringing the products of our own wage-earners into competition with these cheap toilers.

How the masses of China can live on the wages paid will appear from the following table, in which the present retail prices of some of the commoner articles are given in Mexican silver:

MARKET PRICES AT SHANGHAI OCTOBER 30, 1896.

ARTICLES.	Price.	ARTICLES.	Price.
Beef.....per pound..	\$0.08	Marrows.....per pound..	\$0.02
Pork.....do.....	.14	Onions.....do.....	.06
Fish.....do.....	.10	Rice.....per picul..	4.00
Eggs.....per dozen..	.12	Bean oil.....per catty..	.09
Cabbage.....per pound..	.03	Peanut oil.....do.....	.10
Carrots.....do.....	.02	Flaxseed oil.....do.....	.14
Celery.....per dozen..	.12	Bean curd, per cake.....do.....	.002

NOTE.—One picul=33½ pounds; 1 catty=1½ pounds.

a The word "chop" here means brand or trade-mark.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

These are the published prices, but natives do not ordinarily pay as much as is here represented. These prices are somewhat higher than prevail outside of treaty ports, as the wages paid in Shanghai are also better than those received in the interior. The poorer families can not, of course, afford to eat meat often. Some will eat it twice a week; these are fortunate. Others count it a luxury to have meat once or twice a month. The vegetables are cooked in vegetable oil, so that even when there is no meat, the food is savory and a certain amount of fat is obtained. Beans, too, are in a measure a substitute for meat. They are eaten in the form of bean curd, costing about 2 cash, or one-ninth of a cent in our currency, for a small cake that will suffice for one person at a meal. The poorest of families will live on 50 cash apiece per diem, which, at the present rate of exchange, is about 3 cents.

The prices of native food stuffs measured in silver have remained about steady at Shanghai for the past ten years. The published lists indicate in other staples only such changes as would be expected from changing of season and local supply. Inquiries farther inland have elicited reports showing that prices of all articles have risen slightly, even when measured in the ordinary copper currency, the cash. The advance is of course still more noticeable in silver. A Mexican dollar in 1886 exchanged for 1,050 to 1,090 cash; in 1896 it has brought but 910 to 940. There has been perhaps some appreciation in copper, but probably more depreciation in silver. The heavy imports of silver, rising from 7,860,000 taels in 1890 to 40,550,000 taels in 1895, and the coining of considerable sums at the new mints established at Canton and Hankan may have had some effect upon the exchange.

The prices of foreign imports from gold-using countries have of course greatly increased since the fall of silver. In this connection it may be noted that foreign residents in the far East do not receive much benefit from the low prices of native goods, since their food and clothing are largely imported from the West. The cost of living for the foreigner has increased within the last ten years very considerably, keeping pace, or very nearly so, with the appreciation of his drafts if he be paid in gold, and reducing him to straitened circumstances if paid, as many are, in the silver currency of the country. In Shanghai another cause has operated to greatly augment the expenses of living—the rapid growth of the settlement and the consequent rise of rents.

That there has been a considerable advance in the price of native products will appear from the following table, showing the fluctuations of 17 staple articles of export, the prices prevailing in 1870–1874 being taken as 100. It must be noted that in these articles there has been a decided decline in the total average price from 1886 to 1895.

VARIATIONS IN PRICES OF STAPLE ARTICLES OF EXPORT FROM SHANGHAI FROM 1870–1895.

[Average prices 1870–1874=100.]

ARTICLES.	1870–1874	1875	1880	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895
Silk:														
Raw (blue elephant grade).....	100	96	99	96	91	88	86	94	88	84	97	101	98	99
Piece goods.....	100	111	106	113	110	111	111	112	109	110	110	113	126	126
Tea:														
Black.....	100	89	76	70	70	65	66	70	77	89	80	80	81	82
Green.....	100	73	68	60	57	49	60	59	57	53	57	74	77	60
Cotton, raw.....	100	99	97	112	105	97	107	97	97	105	97	104	96	122
Bean cake.....	100	100	100	101	121	119	119	133	121	110	113	143	134	120
Hides.....	100	111	152	159	159	150	125	125	103	98	103	99	115	107
Hemp.....	100	109	124	110	111	96	94	98	84	83	85	90	91	98
Rice.....	100	100	103	131	148	107	115	115	107	148	123	115	148	204
Straw braid.....	100	116	134	130	134	131	131	123	131	108	124	130	112	112
Wood oil.....	100	93	103	117	114	94	83	68	80	90	91	87	87	89
Tallow, vegetable.....	100	78	85	69	69	69	58	79	77	73	73	85	73	105
Wax, white.....	100	83	97	90	88	82	87	60	61	59	78	125	176	225
Tobacco, leaf.....	100	88	99	108	94	80	80	88	72	89	89	87	108	108
Sugar, brown.....	100	106	133	103	105	103	103	105	101	102	102	111	128	114
Rhubarb.....	100	115	94	109	106	109	107	94	108	98	87	80	80	82
Wheat.....	100	104	107	102	133	109	109	109	109	132	118	109	121	119
Total.....	1,700	1,671	1,787	1,780	1,815	1,659	1,641	1,629	1,582	1,631	1,627	1,733	1,857	1,972

The decline in the value of the tael or the ounce of silver is shown by the figures given below. The tael is not coined. It is a measure of weight, and represents $1\frac{1}{2}$ ounces avoirdupois.

1886.....	\$1.22	1891.....	\$1.20
1887.....	1.20	1892.....	1.07
1888.....	1.15	1893.....	.96
1889.....	1.15	1894.....	.77
1890.....	1.27	1895.....	.80

It may be a matter of interest to compare the rise in prices here with that which has taken place in the neighboring Empire of Japan. Representing the prices prevailing in 1873 as 100, we have the following table:

1873.....	100	1881.....	114
1875.....	106	1885.....	119
1876.....	105	1886.....	115
1877.....	107	1888.....	119
1878.....	109	1889.....	125
1879.....	111	1890.....	133
1880.....	106	1891.....	131
1881.....	100	1892.....	131
1883.....	108		

Comparing this table with those for China and all with the table of exchange for the tael, it will be noted that the variations in the prices of the two countries have differed very decidedly. In the case of the cottons imported into China, however, the prices have closely followed the fluctuations in the silver market.

WAGES OF CHINESE AT SHANGHAI SEPTEMBER 30, 1895, REDUCED TO AMERICAN CURRENCY.

Description.	Wages with food.		Description.	Wages with food.	
	Per day.	Per month.		Per day.	Per month.
Blacksmith	\$0. 13	.....	Lithographer <i>a</i> .....	.....	\$10. 56
Brass worker .....	. 16	.....	Furniture polisher	\$0. 21	.....
Barber .....	. 03	.....	Tailor:		
Bootmaker:			Native .....	. 10	.....
Native .....	. 10	.....	Foreign .....	.....	6. 34
Foreign .....	.....	\$5. 23	Pressman .....	.....	6. 34
Bamboo cabinetmaker .....	. 11	.....	Coachman:		
Bricklayer .....	. 10	.....	Native .....	.....	3. 17
Compositor:			Foreign .....	.....	6. 34
Native .....	.....	5. 28	House boy:		
Foreign .....	.....	\$7. 92 to 15. 84	Native <i>a</i> .....	.....	2. 11
Carpenter .....	. 11	.....	Foreign .....	.....	4. 75
Cabinetmaker .....	. 13	.....	Cotton-mill machinist <i>a</i>	\$0. 11 to . 22	.....
Coolie <i>a</i> .....	. 13	.....	Cotton-factory hands <i>a</i> .....	. 18	.....
Bookbinder:					
Native .....	.....	4. 22			
Foreign <i>a</i> .....	.....	6. 34			

a Without food.

LABORERS AND ARTISANS' WAGES IN THE CONSULAR DISTRICT OF NINGPO (1889).

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
Barbers	per month.. \$4. 00	Fan makers	per day.. \$0. 30
Blacksmiths	do.. 5. 00	Fishermen (per season of about two months)	\$15. 00 to 20. 00
Block cutters	per day.. . 30	Gold and silver workers	per day.. . 25 to . 40
Boat builders	do.. . 30	Harvesters	do.. . 20
Boatmen	do.. . 30	Painters	do.. . 21
Bricklayers	do.. . 20	Plumbers	do.. . 24
Brickmakers	per month.. 4. 00	Potters	do.. . 24
Cabinetmakers	per day.. . 30	Rice cleaners and reapers	do.. . 25
Carpenters	do.. . 22	Sailors (with board)	per month.. 4. 00 to 8. 00
Carvers	do.. . 30	Salt makers	per day.. . 20
Chair bearers	do.. . 30	Silk spinners	do.. . 20
Coffin makers	do.. . 25	Silk weavers	do.. . 30
Coolies	do.. . 20	Silk winders (female)	do.. . 14
Coopers	do.. . 30	Soldiers (with uniforms)	per month.. 5. 00
Coppersmiths	do.. . 30	Straw-hat makers	per day.. . 12
Cotton pickers	per month.. 5. 00	Salesmen (with board)	per month.. 4. 00
Cotton cleaners	per day.. . 20	Stewards of vessels	per year.. 120. 00
Cotton spinners (female)	do.. . 10	Tea pickers	per day.. . 10
Cotton weavers	do.. . 20	Tea sorters	do.. . 10
Clerks (with board)	per month.. 5. 00	Tea firers	do.. . 30
Cooks	do.. 5. 00	Tea packers	per month.. 8. 00
Dyers	do.. 8. 00	Tailors (with board)	per day.. . 14
Embroiderers	per day.. . 30	Umbrella makers	do.. . 20
Farmers (with board)	per month.. \$3. 00 to 4. 00		

The above rates are paid by Chinese masters.

SERVANTS FOR FOREIGN HOUSEHOLD ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
Boy (head servant)	per month.. \$6. 00 to \$12. 00	Chair bearer (seldom employed by the month)	per month.. \$5. 00 to \$8. 00
Cook	do.. 8. 00 to 14. 00	Tailor (ladies', to work in house)	per day.. . 37
Coolie	do.. 5. 00 to 7. 00	Nurse	per month.. 5. 00 to 10. 00
Boatman (seldom employed by the month)	do.. 6. 00 to 9. 00		

Consul Gracey, of Foochow, writing in October, 1897, said:

The wages of the common people are very low. The laborer of the coolie class can be hired for from \$1.50 to \$3, Mexican, per month, equal in American currency to from 75 cents to \$1.50; good mechanics for 20 to 30 cents per day, equal to from 10 to 15 cents gold.

The wages of the laboring classes have not materially increased in this province since 1890, when the Mexican dollar was quoted at 94 cents. Neither have native products largely increased in value, although the Mexican dollar is quoted at 45 cents and the price of all foreign products sold in this market has nearly doubled.

BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL CHANGES IN CHINA—INTRODUCTION OF RAILWAYS, STEAM POWER, AND MODERN MACHINERY, AND THEIR EFFECT.

[Consul-General Jernigan, in Commercial Relations, 1895-96.]

There are evidences of great industrial changes in China. The introduction of foreign machinery and the building of railways can not but create an entire revolution in methods of manufacture and distribution. There are other and far reaching changes—social, political, moral—that will probably follow in the wake of the industrial revolution, but these are not relevant to a trade report. In two or three branches of trade the change has already begun. This has been the effect chiefly of the Shimonoseki treaty between Japan and China, since the ratification of which ginning mills, weaving mills, and silk filatures have been springing up as if by magic in Shanghai and vicinity, and this flourishing port seems destined to become an oriental Lowell. At the beginning of 1895 there were already a half dozen native steam cotton mills, with 105,000 spindles, in operation in Shanghai, and 30,000 more spindles were in process of construction. Besides these, four foreign companies—three English and one German—were floated and began at once the erection of mills with a total of 145,000 spindles. In addition to these, two Japanese mills were planned, but for reasons hereafter given were abandoned. The native mills spoken of had been running night and day the whole year round, and were understood to be paying large profits. During 1894, 180,000 bales of Indian yarn were imported for their use, at 10,000,000 taels (\$8,000,000). Since the beginning of 1895 much yarn has been imported from Japan also, at 72 taels per bale—4 taels more than was paid for the Bombay article. This Japanese yarn was made almost wholly of Chinese cotton which had paid export duty going to Japan, and which paid import duty as yarn on its return. Yet the manufacturers could employ it at a profit. This shows very plainly that if China could make her own yarn, as she will do, she would be able to produce cotton goods at a price which will defy competition, for there is practically an inexhaustible supply of labor at wages on which American employees would starve, although these wages are not so low at Shanghai, by any means, as those that prevail in other parts of China. On the contrary, they are so much better than the usual wages paid in the interior as to attract men and women from distant homes to seek employment here, and that in a land where ties of family are of the very strongest.

Beside the weaving mills, a large number of ginning mills, too, have been built. Eight of the largest of these operate between 500 and 600 gins, mostly of Japanese construction. But there are, besides these, multitudes of Chinese who work a small number of these gins by hand power in their own homes. To anyone who has seen the primitive method of preparing the cotton which prevails generally in the interior the change is most marked. All of this is tending to stimulate the production of cotton, and unless the Government ruins the enterprise by unwise legislation, the planting and manufacture of cotton must greatly increase the wealth of this district and furnish considerable revenue to the state. From this port alone there was exported to foreign countries in 1895 raw cotton valued at nearly 10,000,000 taels.

Equally successful has been the introduction of the steam silk filatures, of which there are now no less than twenty-five in operation at Shanghai, with a number of others in process of construction at the newly opened ports of Hangchow and Soochow.

Four or five years ago there were but two or three all told. Those now in operation contain over 8,000 bassines, with a producing capacity of 14,000 bales, or 1,866,666 pounds, per annum. The effect of introducing this new method of reeling silk will be no doubt to greatly encourage silk raising. Formerly the cocoons were reeled within ten days after the worms had done spinning, else the moths would hatch out and the silk be spoiled. This was done by putting the cocoons in a kettle of boiling water and catching up the ends of a half dozen at once, which were then reeled off by hand on a rude wheel. The production of silk under such circumstances was limited. By the new process the cocoons are baked or kiln-dried on the spot where they are purchased, and stored to be reeled as they may be needed. By the employment of this method there need be no limit to the production of cocoons, save the supply of mulberry leaves. In the vicinity of Shanghai the natives themselves are learning how to bake the cocoons so as to kill the pupa, and can henceforth give their attention wholly to the rearing of worms, leaving the reeling to be done entirely by foreign machinery, which produces a much better thread than can be obtained by the old process. The cost, too, is somewhat cheapened. Good silk can be bought at Shanghai now from \$1 to \$2 Mexican, or 50 cents to \$1 United States currency, per yard.

Steam filatures are also in use at Canton, where, in 1895, out of a total of 24,375 piculs of fine and thrown silk exported, 20,779 piculs were steam filature products, valued at 7,569,884 taels. The silk trade at that port has been growing steadily. In the decade 1886-1895, the export of fine and thrown silk grew from 19,406 to 24,375 piculs.

Reference was made in another part of this report to the decline of the tea trade at Foochow. There is now a fine prospect of reviving this once most flourishing industry, and making the Foochow tea a strong rival of the India and Ceylon teas, which have so largely supplanted those of China. This change, too, is to be brought about by the introduction of foreign machinery. A prominent merchant of Foochow made a visit to India and Ceylon with the object of studying the methods of treating tea there, and on his return imported a tea-rolling machine. To avoid the exasperating interference of the mandarins, the machinery was not all brought into the factory at one time, but carried up in pieces at odd times, without exciting suspicion, and after being placed together a good quantity of tea was put through the new process with most gratifying results. A company has been formed to prepare tea by this improved method, and if the mandarins do not "squeeze" the life out of it, the new industry will flourish. At present, however, the export duty, which amounts to some 40 per cent of the annual value, makes it all but impossible for dealers to compete with those of India and Japan.

Mining has been carried on for ages in China, but after a very primitive fashion. The mineral resources of the Empire are rich and varied. It only needs foreign engineering skill and foreign machinery to make these treasures available. In recent years some foreign machinery has been used in mining coal, but not to any remarkable extent. Orders have been given in several places within a few months, however, for such machinery, and now that an era of railway building has begun, there is no doubt that there will be, in the near future, a great development of mining interests in regions which have hitherto been practically inaccessible.

The attempt to establish iron mills at Hanyang, on the Yangtze, so far has not met with much success, but the demand for railway materials will doubtless give new life to the enterprise; and there is no reason why it should not, in competent hands, prove most profitable. Mention has already been made of the organization of a company to undertake woolen manufacture at Tientsin. The affair is still in an embryonic condition.

As it was by virtue of the Shimonoseki treaty that foreign machinery was admitted into China, the comments of a leading foreign journal of the East, the Japan Mail, will be of interest in connection with the commercial treaty between China and Japan, the consequence of the Shimonoseki treaty. Editorially, the Mail says:

JAPANESE-CHINESE TREATY.

The new treaty between China and Japan secures to the latter power all the privileges enjoyed by the most favored Western nation having treaty relations with China. The treaty is more complete than any of those already existing, inasmuch as it embodies various provisions which, in the case of other countries, appear not in their original treaties with China, but in subsequent conventions. This remark applies to trading passports and, above all, to the much-vexed question of *likin*. After endless complaints from foreign merchants and long negotiations with the Government in Peking, arrangements were ultimately concluded guaranteeing exports and imports against domestic taxation greater than one-half of the customs duties. In other words, it was agreed that an article of foreign produce or manufacture might be carried from its port of arrival to any market in the interior of China on payment of a tax equal to one-half the duty levied on it by the customs; and that an article of Chinese produce and manufacture purchased in the interior of China might be carried to a place of export on payment of one-half the duty leviable on it when leaving China. These provisions as to "commutation taxes" appear in the body of the new treaty. It is also worthy of note that the Japanese negotiators have been careful to provide against all obscurity as to the duration of the treaty. The vagueness that disfigured Japan's treaties with foreign powers in this respect was responsible for a situation that all must be anxious to avoid in future. The new treaty is to run for ten years, certain, at the end of which time either of the high contracting parties has the right to demand a revision; but if no such demand be made nor revision be effected within six months from the termination of the ten-year period, then the treaty and tariffs are to remain in force without alteration for ten years longer. The most noteworthy changes, however, are embodied in the eleventh article. Hitherto the mercantile privileges secured to foreigners under treaties with China or Japan have been personal, not national. Thus, articles imported or exported by the subjects or citizens of such and such powers were to receive such and such treatment, the articles being distinguished by the nationality of their exporters and importers, not by the country from or to which they were carried. The new treaty, however, provides distinctly that "the tariffs and tariff rules shall be applicable to all articles upon importation into China by Japanese subjects or from Japan, or upon exportation from China by Japanese subjects or to Japan."

The words here italicized indicate the new departure. Another innovation is that freedom of importation and exportation is greatly extended, inasmuch as the treaty provides that all articles not expressly limited or prohibited by the tariffs and tariff rules may be freely imported into and exported from China. As an example of the working of this provision, the case of machinery may be instanced. The fact that machines and machinery were omitted in former treaties furnished to the Chinese a pretext for refusing to allow their import. All limitations of that character are now finally precluded. It is further to be noted that the tariff guaranteed to Japan by this treaty is the tariff now in force between China and Western powers. Thus no change can be made in that tariff unless Japan is a consenting party. On the other hand, Japan recovers complete tariff autonomy vis-a-vis China. She also recovers judicial autonomy. In those important respects the treaty is not reciprocal. As for additional and generally enjoyable privileges secured by the treaty, they seem to be, first, the nonexclusive character of the schedule of importable and exportable articles, as noted above; secondly, a greatly improved system of customs drawbacks; and, thirdly, provision for the establishment of bonded warehouses. The drafting of the treaty is incomparably superior to that of any of its predecessors, and is evidently the work of men familiar with all the difficulties and misunderstandings due to the inexperience or ignorance of previous negotiators.

Not the least important feature of the treaty is the omission of any reference to the manufacturing privilege secured by the Shimonoseki negotiators. Japan has, in fact, waived that privilege so far as concerns China's right to tax articles manufactured by Japanese subjects within her territory. We have already commented on this subject, and need not again refer to its significance and probable consequences.

The comments referred to in the closing paragraph of the Mail's editorial appear to be also of special interest in this connection. The Mainichi is a Japanese journal, and its views on Japan's surrender of the privilege of free manufacture in China is made the subject of the following summary by the Mail:

The Mainichi gives a very clear exposé of the relative circumstances of the spinning industry in Japan and China, especially with respect to Japan's recent surrender of the privilege of free manufacture. Our contemporary's purpose is to prove that the abandonment of that privilege really confers a substantial benefit on Japanese spinners and enables them to compete successfully with spinners working in China. Those that seek, writes the Mainichi, to minimize the advantage accruing from the excision of the free-manufacture clause and the consequent imposition of a tax by the Chinese Government on goods manufactured by natives or aliens within its own dominions, hold that even if an impost of 10 per cent be levied on commodities in China, Europeans and Americans will not be deterred from investing capital in the shipping industry, since they are contented with a narrow margin of profit, say 5 to 7 per cent. Thus they can compete with success against Japanese spinners. Our contemporary does not, of course, maintain that the imposition of a 10 per cent duty will prove prohibitive to the foreign spinning industry in China, seeing that even the Osaka capitalists who declined from the outset to erect a mill in Shanghai are steadily proceeding with the enterprise. But it is certainly true that were no such duty imposed, Japanese producers of yarns would be entirely precluded from shipping commodities to China. There are in China seven mills, at which the spindles in operation and those to be newly added total 135,000 and 90,000, respectively. There are also seven other mills in course of construction, their spindles aggregating 255,000. In this latter figure the portion representing Japanese enterprise is only 60,000, the remaining 170,000 being the property of Western capitalists.

The Japanese are not so devoid of the spirit of enterprise as to shrink from starting industries in China or elsewhere, but everybody must admit that, other things being equal, no people carrying on business in a foreign land can reasonably hope to achieve the same measure of success as they would if working at home. Suppose, then, that China imposes a tax of 10 per cent on the spinning industry within her own dominions, how will the case stand as compared with the same industry conducted in Japan? According to information from most trustworthy sources, the spinning business in China, if free from all taxes, should give a net profit of 15.04 per cent, which will therefore be reduced to 5.04 per cent after the imposition of a 10 per cent tax. Turning to Japan, we find at present 57 mills, with

spindles aggregating 1,300,000, of which only 610,000 are in operation. During the last half year, after adding 12,071 yen to their reserves, these mills declared an average profit of 10.5 per cent. However, as various miscellaneous expenses must be incurred in shipping yarns to Shanghai, a Japanese mill can not expect to clear more than 9.57 per cent on the sale of its products to China. Even at that rate a clear margin of 4.53 per cent appears in favor of the Japanese producers—a margin sufficient to guarantee success in competition with producers carrying on business in Shanghai. If, as some estimate, the clear profit accruing on the spinning industry in China, after a tax of 10 per cent is deducted, amounts to 7 per cent instead of 5, then, in the same way, there remains on Japanese yarns shipped to China a margin of some 2½ per cent. Hence, the Mainichi concludes, the retrocession of the free-manufacture clause confers a substantial gain on the Japanese spinning industry.

These figures are very interesting so far as they go, but their value would much enhance by a clear statement of the reasons that enable cotton mills in China to realize a profit of from 15½ to 10½ per cent, whereas cotton mills in Japan yield only 10½ per cent. So far as we can see, the salient difference in the conditions under which the industry is carried on in the two countries is that, whereas the Chinese mills obtain their supplies of raw material in China, the Japanese have to carry theirs from China to Japan, so that the cost of the cotton is enhanced by export duty and freight. But, on the other hand, Chinese manufacturers have to pay freight and import, and it would consequently seem that neither side possesses any special advantage over the other—at all events, nothing to account for a difference of from 5 to 7 per cent in the net profits realized. It is evident that some explanation of this point possesses the greatest interest, for upon it seems to depend the relative capacity of Japanese and Chinese labor and organization for industrial purposes.

ASIATIC COMPETITION IN THE GREAT MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.

Consul-General Jernigan, writing from Shanghai to the State Department, discusses the question of Asiatic competition in the great manufacturing industries of the world, as follows:

Goods manufactured in India, Japan, and China are now in the Asiatic markets, but are as yet too imperceptible to affect the sum total of the heretofore usual sources from which importation has been made. The competition from the manufacturers of India, Japan, and China is not so much to be feared in our home markets as in the Asiatic markets. China and Japan can not manufacture goods that will seriously compete in our markets with our manufactured goods. The laborer of the United States would very justly refuse for his labor the depreciated currency the Asiatic laborer receives for his labor, nor would the former be content to wear the clothes of the latter, but the day is not far distant when the products of Asiatic labor will, to a material extent, supply the demands of the Asiatic markets, and it is in Asiatic markets that the competition will be first encountered. It is the demand for cheap clothes in China that will enable cheap labor to supply such a demand. The energy and skill of the American laborer fear no rival in his home markets, but a new civilization is lighting up China, and competition in Chinese markets for our manufacturers will be one of the consequences. I have not failed to consider that civilization will increase the wants of the Chinese, but their progress may enable them to supply their wants. It is, therefore, Chinese competition in Chinese markets that is first to be feared, and not so much in our home markets.

The success which has attended the cotton mills at Shanghai within a few years past has stimulated the formation of companies for similar enterprises elsewhere in China. The Japanese seem to have taken alarm at the outlook, for, after securing the right in the treaty of Shimonoseki to manufacture goods in China without taxation, the prospect of thus injuring their home industries was the motive power that probably influenced them to grant to China in the recently established protocol to the commercial treaty the right to tax such manufactures, and the projected Japanese cotton spinning and weaving mills at Shanghai have been abandoned.

It is noticeable that our cotton goods find their largest sale in the three northern ports—Newchwang, Tientsin, and Chefoo—though quite an amount is distributed in the Yangtse Valley. This is probably due to the fact that they come into competition in these regions with none but the inferior quality of native goods, evidencing a preference for a somewhat better quality than the native manufacture. In the south, where cotton is grown more extensively and more attention is given to its manufacture, the Chinese are less willing to purchase the foreign manufacture, and this impresses the importance of studying closely their tastes with the view of conforming as near as possible in the interest of the extension of our trade. An English committee, appointed by the Blackburn Chamber of Commerce, is now in China prepared to spend a year or more in collecting information and finding new routes that will advance British trade. The example is worth the serious consideration of our own manufacturers.

American oil still maintains the first place in most of the ports under discussion, but in a few places, notably Kiukiang and Wenchow, there has been considerable decline in this item. At Kiukiang the import was 283,900 gallons as against 547,100 gallons for the third quarter of 1895 and 609,800 gallons for the second quarter of this year. At Wenchow there were but 3,000 gallons imported in the last quarter as against 38,000 in the second quarter and 60,000 in the corresponding quarter of 1895.

Much of this falling off is doubtless due, however, to the overstocking of the market, but at both these ports and some others, Russian oil has managed in some way, despite its poorer quality, to secure the lion's share of the trade. Even where the American oil has not lost ground, it has in many cases gained but little, owing to this competition. At Chinkiang, for instance, where the imports were 568,000, the Russian imports for the same period were 378,000 gallons, having attained this figure by a rapid and steady growth from 52,000 gallons in 1893. At Hankow the situation is still more striking. While American kerosene has declined since 1893 from 1,712,700 gallons to 1,241,120 gallons, the Russian oil in the same time has advanced from 142,000 gallons to 1,802,060 gallons. At Amoy a similar condition prevails, the total Russian import for this quarter being 471,120 gallons, more than double that of the American oil. At this latter port there is further competition from the Javanese product, as there is also at Swatow and elsewhere.

The influence of the cheap labor of Asia and its products upon future prices has become a subject of international importance, but the products of this labor in China in its competitive bearing upon the products of American labor is of more interest to us. The American laborer is very properly protected against the competition of the Chinese laborer on American soil, and such protection in no sense discredits the industry of the former; but whether the products of the Chinese laborer will seriously compete in American markets with the products of the American laborer is more the question of the hour. In this report I have indicated the belief that

competition is not so much to be apprehended in our home markets as it is in the markets of China for our home products, and the plain facts would seem to justify the belief. There has been and is now a valuable demand in the markets of China for the products of British and American looms, but when the desired quality of cotton goods at present imported from Great Britain and the United States can be manufactured in China from the products of her soil, it is unreasonable to expect the importation from foreign countries to continue in such large quantities; and when the products can be produced in necessary quantity on the soil of China and at a far cheaper price, as well as manufactured in China also at a far cheaper price, it is no longer a question that cotton made and manufactured in China will supply the demand of Chinese for cotton goods. It will; and it therefore follows that the competition will first begin in the markets of China. The prices—elsewhere given in this report—paid a Chinese laborer are starvation prices to the American laborer, but the price of Chinese food is in proportion to the price of Chinese labor, and the money is received and the food eaten with contentment. Another consideration tending to cause this competition to be more energetic is that the machinery in the cotton mills of China is of the most improved pattern, and that quality as well as the quantity of the cotton goods will enter into the competition. It is certain that there can be produced in China a much superior grade of cotton to that now produced, and with improved machinery Chinese cotton mills will be able to supply the demand for a finer quality of cotton goods as they are now supplying the demand for the more inferior quality.

It is probable that for years hence China will be more employed with her internal affairs than engaged in the extension of her trade relations with foreign countries, but if China would adopt a properly organized business system for the collection of the internal revenue of the Empire, there would soon be relief from the debt incurred as the result of the war with Japan, and commercial relations could be valuably extended. Japan must, as does Great Britain, look to maritime commerce as the source of her greatest wealth, and China, like the United States, is not only self-sustaining, but can be made rich by internal commerce, and, later, a formidable competitor on the sea and in the markets of the world. The soil of China is fertile, and Chinese are industrious and frugal, peaceably disposed, and natural business men.

TAXATION IN CHINA—RATES IMPOSED AND METHOD OF COLLECTION.

[From a report by the United States consul-general in China; Commercial Relations, 1896.]

One obstacle to the industrial and commercial progress of China is the irregular system of taxation which prevails. Aside from the import and export duties collected by the imperial maritime customs under the administration of Sir Robert Hart and his European and American assistants, there are other duties levied on nearly all goods, native or foreign, and levied repeatedly on the same goods, whether carried inland from the seaports or from the interior to the coast, or even from one town or city to another. These are the likin and octroi dues, which at present are exciting so much discussion. Every 8 or 10 miles along the principal waterways or caravan routes a likin station is found, where a tax is levied upon some article or articles carried through by boat, pack animal, or wheelbarrow. At some points every article is taxed. This is the usual rule at the gates of cities. In some cases the tax is as little as 2 per cent ad valorem; in others, such as silk, satin, and native opium, much more, amounting at times to 6, 8, or even 10 per cent. Between Shanghai and Soochow, a distance of 84 miles, there are 8 likin stations. At the first and last stations all goods are dutiable; at the rest all goods must be examined, and there is scarcely a single article that does not in that distance pay at least three taxes. It is easily seen that under such a system foreign goods can not be carried very far from the coast before their prices become prohibitive for ordinary people.

By article 28 of the Tientsin treaty of 1858 it was proposed to substitute for these likin dues a fixed tax of 2½ per cent ad valorem, payable at the ports where imports were landed or at the first barrier passed by exports in their outward journey, a certificate being granted to exempt the goods of any further charges. This provision has found but limited employment. Transit passes, except on certain main lines of traffic, did not protect the merchant against the exactions which long custom had sanctioned. Local and provincial authorities depended upon these collections for their support, and no provision seems to have been made to compensate them for their losses by appropriations from the Imperial treasury. The question has come to the front again in connection with the proposed revision of treaties. Since the war with Japan, China is burdened with a public debt amounting now to about \$200,000,000 gold. To meet the annual interest and other expenses connected with this debt, the sum of \$12,000,000 per annum will be needed. For such a large Empire as China these sums seem insignificant, but at present China's revenue, aside from likin dues amounts to about 56,000,000 taels, (\$44,000,000), viz:

	Taels.
Customs.....	21,000,000
Land tax.....	25,000,000
Salt gabelle.....	10,000,000
Total.....	56,000,000

The customs revenue is pledged to the debt; but when the interest on the debt and the expenses of maintaining the customs service are deducted, there remains from this source not more than 3,000,000 taels for the Imperial Government. This leaves some 38,000,000 taels (\$30,400,000) for the whole imperial administration, and it is quite evident that such a sum is altogether insufficient. It has been suggested that the customs duties should be increased, and the request does not seem unreasonable; but there is a strong feeling among foreign merchants, our own among them, that this increase should not be agreed to unless some definite arrangement be made for the abolition of likin. At the same time, it has been proposed to levy an extra tax on the products of all steam cotton mills and silk filatures, and this has called out a protest from the various chambers of commerce in China. A special committee of the Shanghai chamber has recently formulated its views on the subject. It is set forth that these mills are built under the provisions of the Shimonoseki treaty, which guaranteed them freedom from taxation; that the protocol of October 19, permitting the Chinese Government to tax the product of these mills was, in effect, an abrogation of one of the principal articles of the Shimonoseki treaty, and unfair to those who had acted in good faith upon the assurances therein given.

The Japanese Government, it is believed, found that untaxed mills in China would ruin existing industries of a similar character in Japan, and were quite willing to withdraw from the position taken at Shimonoseki, and gave their nationals due notice beforehand, so that the proposed Japanese mills at Shanghai were abandoned. The Shanghai chamber pleads that an industry of such manifest benefit to China as cotton manufacturing should be fostered by freedom from taxation. If this be impossible, the tax levied should not exceed the duty on imported yarn less the transit tax on the cotton used in the yarns to be manufactured at these mills, viz: Import duty on 3 piculs' yarn, 2.10 taels (\$1.68); less transit duty on 3 piculs 40 catties cotton, 0.60 taels (48 cents), or 5 mace per picul. The point emphasized is that as imported yarns pay duty only as yarns and not as cotton, so the native yarns should not be compelled to pay duty both as cotton and as yarns. It is also asked that on payment of this duty the goods shall have the same privileges as imported yarns and on payment of a further half duty be freed from all further exactions when sent inland. Similarly, raw cotton bought in the interior for the mills is to be treated as if an export and freed by one payment from all further akin; and it is suggested that this payment should go to the provincial authorities.

All cotton, whether native or foreign, imported to these mills, it is urged, should be admitted free of duty, or, if the duty be paid, it should afterwards be deducted on payment of full excise.

It is pointed out that in India and America, China's competitors in cotton raising, cotton is not taxed; and that in India and Japan, China's nearest competitors in cotton manufacturing, the product of cotton mills is not taxed. The inference is that to levy heavy taxes on the raw cotton and the manufactured product would make the industry unprofitable.

The governor of Chekiang recently proposed to levy a tax on seed cotton of 0.40 cent per bale = 2.65 taels on a bale of yarn. The proposal of certain members of the Tsung-li Yamen was that a tax of 10 per cent should be levied on the product of the mills. This would raise the tax on local yarns to 8.05 taels as against 2.10 taels on imported yarns, much to the advantage, therefore, of the foreign article. As Shanghai yarns at present are not taxed at all, the schedule proposed by the chamber would no doubt add a considerable amount to the revenue of the Government, while its moderate character would greatly stimulate the industry, and thus in the end the treasury would gain more than by a heavier tax.

BANKS, BANKING METHODS, AND RATES OF EXCHANGE IN CHINA.

[From Commercial Relations, 1896-97.]

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation is the principal but not the only foreign banking corporation in Asia, as France, Germany, and Russia have banking institutions at Shanghai. The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank is a British corporation, and has its branch banks at nearly all of the open ports of Asia, and its officers are men of large experience, as is proved by the recent balance sheet submitted by the directors to the proprietors for the half year ended June 30, 1896. The net profits for that period, including \$312,780.12 balance brought forward from last account, after paying all charges and deducting interest paid and due and making provisions for bad and doubtful debts, was \$1,470,795.86. The influence of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank is great in the interest of British trade, and its patriotic loyalty in fostering and promoting that trade merits high praise. The banking institutions of the other nationalities named are no less capable in thoughtful consideration of the trade of their nationals, but if there is one agency more than another that has strengthened British trade influence in China and enthroned it against the internal and external attacks upon the Empire, the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank is that one agency. Other European nations are beginning to realize that a bank is a primary element of business success, but America does not seem to comprehend the situation in Asia. In my first report on the trade relations between the United States and China, the attention of the business men of the United States was directed to the importance of establishing an American bank at Shanghai. If evidence were necessary to prove the influence of the United States upon the business of the world, the intense suspense of the business centers preceding the Presidential election is ample testimony to our greatness as a nation, and it is surprising that our business men do not utilize their acknowledged influence in Asiatic fields of business. During my residence of two years at Shanghai most valuable contracts have been made and negotiations carried on through the agency of the foreign banks at Shanghai.

In one transaction it is estimated that a bank here made a clear profit of \$2,000,000. It will be understood that Americans are placed at a disadvantage in their efforts to contract for the building of railroads and the internal development of China generally. Not only are our countrymen compelled to transact their mercantile business through foreign banks, but other contracts they may make necessarily, directly or indirectly, come under review or to the knowledge of such banks, which are naturally more interested in furthering the interest of their respective nationals, the business rivals of our countrymen.

The Chinese have a banking system, and, while conducted somewhat upon the general principles of banking, it is crude and unsuited to modern trade and enterprise. My own opinion is that there should be an American bank at Shanghai organized upon American principles and conducted after American methods and officered by American citizens. There are difficulties to the quick awakening of China, but these difficulties must give way before the civilization now so firmly rooted within her borders. The very conservatism of the Chinese encourages the belief that the Empire will be more steady in her step along the new highways of civilization, a step which the most conservative Chinese statesmen realize must soon be made.

In this report the value of Chinese foreign trade is given from the most authentic source, and even now it is great when only a few seaports are open to trade. The business man has only to look at the map to measure the value when China is fully opened to development. The field is inviting and the harvest likely to be valuable.

The equivalent rates of values for 1895 were the following: The haikwan tael, in which the customs revenue and all values are stated, is equivalent in English money to 3s. 4d.; in United States money to 80 cents; in French money, 4.11 francs; in German money, 3.31 marks; in Indian money, 2.94 rupees; in Mexican dollars, 1.53 at the average sight exchange on London, New York, Paris, Berlin, Calcutta, and Hongkong, respectively, for 1895.

The picul, in which weights are generally stated, is equivalent to 100 catties, or 133½ pounds avoirdupois or 60.453 kilograms.

The catty, in which weights are sometimes stated, is equivalent to 16 taels, or 1½ pounds avoirdupois or 0.60453 kilogram. The tael, in which weights are sometimes stated, is equivalent to 1½ ounces avoirdupois or 0.037753 kilogram.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

SPECIAL BANK RATES.

[Shanghai sight draft on New York.]

1896.	Gold rate of taels.	Mexican dollars.	1896.	Gold rate of taels.	Mexican dollars.
September 4.....	139½	73.0375	October 30.....	141½	73.2375
September 11.....	140½	72.85	November 6.....	141½	73.675
September 18.....	140½	72.9375	November 13.....	141	73.675
September 25.....	141½	73.0375	November 20.....	141	63.5375
October 2.....	140½	75.10	November 27.....	140	73.70
October 9.....	141½	75.0625	Total.....	1,833½	951.95
October 16.....	142½	72.925	Average rate.....	141.0193	73.22692
October 23.....	142	73.125			

RATES ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

London: May, 1895, for one, two, or three years, at 4 per cent; July, 1895, on new deposits, at 3½ per cent; on renewals at 4 per cent. Shanghai: August, 1895, for twelve months at 4 per cent; for six months at 3½ per cent; for three months at 2½ per cent.

The following are the banks established in Tientsin. They do a general banking business, receive deposits, discount local bills, and buy and sell foreign exchange:

Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China. Head office, London. Correspondents, New York, Canadian Bank of Commerce,

Deutsch-Asiatische Bank. Head office, Berlin. Correspondents, New York, Messrs. Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Head office, Hongkong. Branches, New York and San Francisco.

Russo-Chinese Bank. This bank was opened in Tientsin on the 13th of January, 1897. Head office, St. Petersburg. Correspondents, New York, Messrs. Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co.

Exchange quotations in Tientsin taels are published daily by several brokers.

Currency values as given by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, in 1898, are as follows:

Exchange on London, bank bills on demand.....	1s. 10½d.
Credits, four months sight.....	1s. 10½d.
Credits, six months sight.....	1s. 11½d.
Documents, four months sight.....	1s. 11½d.
Hamburg credits, four months sight.....	1.96 marks.
New York, four months sight.....	47½ cents.

The "chop" Mexican dollar, which is used commercially at this port, is 3 per cent less in value than the clean Mexican dollar used in Shanghai and elsewhere, and is now quoted at 45 cents American currency. These values vary daily, and during the last three months have fluctuated between 42 and 47 cents American currency.

In 1890, says Consul Fowler in October, 1897, a Mexican dollar was worth by the mint valuation 92.3 cents; to-day it is worth 0.446. Then it cost me \$160, gold, to buy 100 Shanghai taels; to-day it costs only 60 gold dollars to buy that amount of silver; then we got 1,200 to 1,400 copper cash for 1 Mexican dollar; to-day only 850 to 870; thus, while the Mexican dollar has been getting cheaper to the foreigner, it has also been getting cheaper to the native, for the currency of China is the copper cash.

In 1890 I paid a servant 10 Mexican dollars a month wages, which cost me \$9.23, gold. For his 10 Mexican dollars he received 14,000 cash, out of which he paid his expenses; to-day he receives the same number of Mexican dollars (10), but they cost me now \$1.45, gold, and he receives but 8,700 cash at the most; thus we see the Chinaman is hit either way. The purchasing power of his copper cash has decreased as well as the silver value. It is strange, but true, that copper cash is more valuable as a metal melted down. A man can melt his cash into ingots and get more silver for it than he can as coin; he would do it, too, but the penalty is death.

The foreigners in the employ of the customs service of China are paid in haikwan taels—customs ounce of silver. In 1890 for every tael they received 1.53 Mexican dollars. To-day the haikwan tael is valued at 1.36 Mexican dollars, so the foreign official not only loses in the fall in the price of silver, but he actually gets less silver. On the other hand, the man who receives a gold salary pays from 40 to 50 per cent more for his food and clothing than he did in 1890. The one universal coin is the Mexican dollar, but every port has its own exchange. There is no country in the world where the rate of exchange is so prominent a factor. The lady of the house must calculate on the rate of cash per Mexican dollar; the man of business, the rates between Mexican dollar, taels, and gold, not forgetting the local taels.

To the newcomer it is bewildering, for now he can not buy a postage stamp to send a letter to the United States without being told the rate of exchange and paying accordingly.

The recent adoption of a gold standard by Japan is bound to be of untold value to China, and in another way to the United States. Japan is now increasing the prices of everything. The past week we have been notified that we must pay 10 Mexican cents per half ounce on our letters to the United States. Before, we paid 5 cents (Mexican). The Japanese steamers have increased the cost of freight and passage money over 10 per cent, as they now charge in gold values. In a short time we shall hear of her manufacturers increasing their prices. Thus the United States, having been a keen competitor, will now be able to obtain a large part of Japan's trade with China; and on the part of China, as her local bills and wages are payable in silver, she will be able to undersell Japan in the silk, tea, and straw-braid markets; and the coasting steamers, with their rates in silver, will get more freight, now that their competitors have demanded gold.

Take the post as an example. There is a regular Japanese post-office here. Last week I could send a letter to Hongkong for 5 cents Mexican, by the Japanese post—say 2½ cents gold; the Chinese post charges for same letter to same place 4 cents, or, say, 2 cents gold. To-day it costs me 10 cents Mexican, or 5 cents gold, by the Japanese post. Of course no one is going to pay 5 cents gold for a thing he can get done equally as well for 2 cents.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

ABSENCE OF A FIXED STANDARD OF VALUE.

[From the North China Daily News, Shanghai, October 21, 1897.]

MINTS.

No surer sign of the incoherency of the Government of China could be found than is now shown in the large number of mints that are being built in all parts of the Empire. Instead of establishing one large mint, which would issue currency usable in all parts of the provinces, we have the present spectacle of each province putting forth coins in competition with others. Canton has its mint, which is said to be one of the largest plants in the world; the Tientsin arsenal has put out a currency of its own; Nanking has almost completed the buildings for its new mint; Ngankin is building one; Hangchow is doing likewise; Wuchang has had its mint in operation for several years; Szechuen, it is rumored, is soon to commence work; Shantung is falling into line, and so is Shansi. These will give us at least ten different kinds of dollars in the market, each seeking to oust the other. The design of these dollars is different, and their weights are not uniform, not to mention that the quality of silver varies widely. The result will be confusion worse confounded. Though the Canton and Wuchang dollars have been in circulation for several years, and Viceroy Chang Chih-tung has been transferred from Canton to Wuchang and then to Nanking—thus having an opportunity to use its influence in all of these seven provinces for the circulation of the dollars issued under his patronage—up to the present they remain a dead weight upon the market. Merchants prefer to use the Mexican dollar, which has a specific and recognized value. It is probable that they will continue to do so until the Central Government at Peking is able to control the viceroys and governors of the various provinces enough to cause them to act in concert for the good of their country and not allow them to keep up a destructive rivalry. A national dollar issued in many different places, but with a fixed weight of uniform silver, would soon become current both in foreign and native trade, and would displace the inconvenient and unreliable method of using sycee taels. The tael weight of an ounce of silver differs in almost every city, and the new dollars seem about to rival it in capriciousness.

THE PROPOSED JAPAN-CHINA BANK.

[Yokohama, Japan, Weekly Mail, January, 1899.]

The projectors of the Japan-China Bank (Nisshin Ginko) are of the opinion that the treasury should be their foster parent to the extent of 3,000,000 yen. Their scheme is extensive. They hope to finance all the trade that Japan does with China, Korea, and South Sea ports, and they talk of establishing their head office in Kobe, with branches or agencies in Yokohama, Nagasaki, Hakodate, Shanghai, Hongkong, Amoy, Tientsin, Newchwang, Hankau, Canton, Cheefoo, Chemulpo, and Fusan. Their capital is to be 10,000,000 yen, and they expect to get three millions of it from the treasury without interest, which sum they would hold as a reserve against losses. Public opinion, however, does not appear to be altogether favorable to the scheme. Some writers see no reason why a new institution should be started, while the Specie Bank, with its twenty years' experience and its established credit, is ready to do the work.

The difficulty calling for removal in the interests of trade is said to be that the Specie Bank will not grant bills for longer periods than ten days' sight, which time is insufficient for transactions either in China or in Japan. Hence, the whole trade between the two empires—a trade aggregating something like 100,000,000 yen—tends to pass into the hands of Chinese merchants, though it is not explained why these latter enjoy greater financial facilities than their Japanese rivals, unless, indeed, the foreign banks are open to one and closed to the other, as seems to be the case. Recent incidents in Shanghai showed that Chinese traders receive large accommodation from the foreign banks there, and we presume that the same rules apply to Chinese traders in Japan, but assuredly Japanese merchants are not similarly favored by foreign banks. The Jiji Shimpō acts as spokesman of the objectors. Its chief argument is that as the Specie Bank works on a gold basis it is not properly qualified to carry on the required business. It seems to us that such a contention is not very convincing. Japan is now a gold monometallic country, and the Japanese shareholders of the new bank would scarcely consent to have their capital converted into silver and to receive their dividends in that metal. They might be willing to take the risk of working with silver, but they would naturally insist on having their dividends in gold, and on forming a special reserve to guarantee them against heavy losses from exchange on advances made in terms of silver. A bank with its head office in a gold monometallic country and with shareholders and customers who must ultimately convert everything into gold could not derive profit from keeping its accounts in silver.

NATIVE BANKING METHODS IN THE INTERIOR CITIES OF CHINA.

[From a report by Mr. F. S. A. Bourne to the British Parliament, May, 1898.]

Exchange banks (in Szechuan, the most populous and largest interior province, located in the extreme central west of the Empire), which sell drafts on distant places, are almost all in the hands of men of the Shansi province (located in northern China, near Peking, the capital), who excel in this business. They have marked out among themselves a very high commercial morality, by centuries of rigorous domestic discipline. If an employee defrauds a Shansi bank, no appeal is made to the law or the magistrate; he is sent home to his native district, tried by his family elders, and treated in a very drastic manner, sometimes, it is said, buried alive. There are 17 Shansi banks doing business in Chungking, and 20 large "cash shops" or local banks exchanging "cash" against silver, and vice versa. An average exchange bank would lend about 200,000 taels here to business houses on personal security, on which they would pay 10 to 12 per cent per annum. This is security given to the public that the bank can meet its drafts. A piece-goods merchant with ample resources told me that he would have to give 7 to 12 per cent per annum for such an advance, according to the state of the money market. These exchange banks do not care to receive deposits from the public, as this would damage their credit. They employ agents who are always about the business quarter inquiring into the proceedings of their customers so as to gauge their credit. When they want money, they sell their bills on other places. They are often intrusted with money by the officials, sometimes Government,

but usually private funds, and on this they give, more or less as a favor, 5 to 6 per cent per annum. They do not lend money on land or houses, but they lend to local banks that advance it in trade on personal security. There are no bank notes in circulation at Chungking. When the merchants in the foreign import trade get in their debts, as on the three settling days, they buy bank drafts on Shanghai; they would send round to two or three banks with which the firm in question did business, and inquire their rate. No exchange brokers are employed. When a retail shopkeeper has gathered enough cash, he buys a shoo of silver (about 10 taels), and takes it at once to the merchant to reduce his indebtedness and save interest. Very little money is lying idle in business; but there is some hoarding of silver among the country squire (liang-fu) and farming class.

The most curious feature in this system of banking is that there are no advances against goods, but only on personal security. The only instance of an advance against goods I heard of in Ssü-chuan was at Chiating Fu, where an owner sometimes places insect wax in the house of a man who advances against it; but this is a clumsy transaction, only applicable to goods of fixed quality and of high value.

There are exchange banks at a very few of the largest places only; in Ssüchuan nowhere except at Chungking, Chengtu, and Wan Hsien. This accounts for the long journeys men make with goods. Thus, a merchant at Tungchuan Fu told me he was in the habit of taking raw silk down to Chungking for sale, and bringing back Lancashire cottons bought with the proceeds.

The division of the business of banking between exchange banks and local banks (cash shops) is much as follows: The former sell drafts on distant places and pay those of their other branches, put out silver at interest on personal security, do some financial business for the Government, but not much, to meet payments due to Peking, for instance, but for short periods, and take deposits, but not from the public generally, but rather as a favor. The local banks in some places issue paper money, but not in Chungking, borrow money from the exchange banks, and lend it to the smaller traders and shopkeepers, and change cash for silver and vice versa. The cancellation of indebtedness, one of the great functions of banking in Europe, is not undertaken by either class of banks. There are no current accounts and no checks.

AMERICAN MINTING MACHINERY IN CHINA.

[From a report by Consul-General Goodnow, Shanghai, August, 1898.]

Machinery for a mint at Chengtu has just been set up and tested. It was furnished by a machine company of Bridgeton, N. J., and is of sufficient capacity to turn out 5,000 dollars and 18,000 coins smaller than the dollar per hour. It is intended to make dollars, half dollars, twenty-five cent pieces, dimes, and five-cent pieces. This company also supplied the machinery for a new mint for making copper cash at Wuchang. This mint, with a capacity of 36,000 cash per hour, has been in operation two weeks.

The machinery for the mint at Chengtu was delivered by the company supplying it free on board at Ichang, the head of navigation of the Yangtze River, where it was taken in charge by the Chinese authorities. Its subsequent treatment was characteristic. The machinery was in boxes, as shipped from the factory. It was left on the bank at Ichang for a month, so close to the water that when a slight flood came the boxes were under water, and the muddy water deposited sediment until the boxes were full of mud. In this condition they were taken to Chengtu, being about two months on the way. When the boxes were opened, they were found to be caked up solidly with mud, except where the rats had dug holes and made nests while the boxes lay at the arsenal. The machinery finally was gotten into condition to be put together, but the dies were so badly rusted that they would be condemned in an American mint. The Chinese, however, made no objections to the imperfect pieces in the coins, apparently thinking them additional safeguards against counterfeiting. Some parts of the machinery were entirely ruined and others were so badly rusted that they can not last long.

POSTAL MONEY-ORDER SYSTEM IN CHINA.

The following announcement shows the introduction of an additional convenience of commerce in China in the adoption of modern methods for transmission of money between treaty ports through the postal system. The order was issued in November, 1897:

It is hereby notified that, in order to facilitate the transmission of small sums of money between the various treaty ports of China, the Imperial Postal Administration has decided to place on trial a system of money remittances under the following rules:

1. Persons wishing to make a remittance to or from any place where functions an imperial post-office must apply at the imperial post-office and pay in clean dollars or their equivalent the exact sum they wish to remit, plus a fee calculated at the rate of 2 cents per dollar or fraction of a dollar. In exchange they will receive a remittance certificate, sealed, signed, and dated by the postmaster, which they can forward in a letter to the person for whom the money is intended.

2. On the remittance certificate issued by the postmaster there appears on the left side one or more unobliterated postage stamps representing the value of the remittance and on the right side one or more obliterated postage stamps representing the value of the fee. The certificate itself is a mere statement that the stamps affixed on it were purchased at the issuing post-office on the date of issue and are to be redeemed at face value at the post-office addressed. Stamps purchased elsewhere or at other times can not be accepted for money remittances.

3. Each remittance is limited to \$10. Any sum between 1 cent and \$10 may be remitted. There is no limit to the number of remittances issuable to the same applicant.

4. Remittance certificates are documents payable at sight and to bearer. It therefore behooves the parties interested to take care that their certificates do not go astray. The Imperial Administration will not in any case be responsible for certificates after they have left the issuing postmaster's hands, nor will certificates be taken back or cashed, except at the offices named in the documents.

5. Remittance certificates can be forwarded in ordinary letters; but in case of loss or miscarriage no inquiries whatever will be made unless the covers have been duly registered. The registration rules do not provide indemnities for registered articles lost through

causes arising from force majeure, such as shipwreck, highway robbery, etc., but they do provide for articles lost through the fault of the post-office.

6. Remittance certificates must be presented for payment within six months from the date of issue. If any erasure or alteration appears on the face of a certificate, or if it or the postage stamps on it be cut, soiled, changed, or otherwise tampered with, payment may, at the discretion of the postmaster, be refused.

7. Remittance certificates are issued or cashed only on the days and during the hours the post-office is open for the registration of mail matter.

8. These rules are provisional and subject to revision. It is also within the discretion of the Imperial Postal Administration to suspend their action at any time, with or without previous notice.

By order of the Inspector-General.

CHINA'S CURRENCIES.

[Consul-General Jernigan in "A History of Banking in all Nations," edited and published by the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, 1896.]

Some time ago I attended a session of the Mixed Court at Shanghai, China, and observing that the Chinese judge was asking questions of and receiving answers from the witness through an interpreter of his own nationality, I inquired if such was the usual form of conducting examinations in the courts of China. I was somewhat surprised to receive the answer that the witness resided in another province, and that the presiding judge was not familiar with the dialect of the province; and thus it is with the currency of China, the variations and peculiarities of which are as numerous as the dialects spoken in the different provinces. The difficulty, therefore, of writing logically of the currency of China will readily occur to the reader, and if the subject can be made intelligible by a general review more should not at present be expected.

"CASH" MONEY.

The coin which is more national in character than any other in use by the Chinese is called *cash*. It is thin and circular, rather more than an inch in diameter, with a square hole in the middle for the convenience of stringing, and should consist of equal parts of copper and zinc, and each piece should weigh 58 grains troy; but their only national coin has been so debased and reduced in size within the last fifty years that most of it now in circulation will not weigh more than 30 grains. The cash well illustrates the size of commercial transactions among Chinese, as its fluctuating value in the provinces shows the unreliability as to the value of all transactions. About one thousand cash should be required in exchange for a dollar, but in some provinces as many as eighteen hundred are required, and often in the same province the value is so uncertain that it is not known one day what the purchasing power of a cash will be another; and to add to such apparent business perplexity debasement has been so energetically and skillfully practiced as to invest the genuineness of the coin with so great suspicion that purchasers in the markets have to supply themselves with genuine and debased cash to facilitate purchases, as there are articles which the genuine cash only will buy and others which are sold for the debased.

The antiquity of the use of *cash* is established by authentic proof. Chinese writers discuss, with every assurance of accuracy, events happening several thousand years ago, and, while in no country in the world does age receive greater reverence than in China, there is a national sentiment which places so little value on the importance of time as an element of consideration in the affairs of life that native historians may not always have fully appreciated the studious research demanded by modern scholars as a first qualification to write authentically of remote events. From the collections of numismatists there appears to have been in existence as early as B. C. 524 a Chinese coin with a square hole in the middle, similar to that seen in the cash now in daily use, while another account credits the origination of round cash to a chief minister of the Han dynasty, in the twelfth century before our era. But however the issue may be decided as to the precise time when cash was first used as a coin, the date is sufficiently remote to prove that copper has existed as a purchasing power, and that it has maintained such in more or less degree, for centuries in China.

This small copper coin, the tenth part in value of a cent, is the chief aim of acquisition by the Chinese laborer, for it supplies his wants and satisfies his aspirations. The use of such small denominational currency indicates wants which, to the laborers of the Occident, must appear easy to satisfy; but the returns of labor in the Orient demand the industry of a day as in the other parts of the world, and the Chinese laborer must bestir himself from early dawn until evening to win the requisite number of cash to supply his necessities. Amid changing dynasties this coin has remained unchanged in the performance of its monetary functions, and the merchants of China trade on as small margins to-day as they did at the date of the earliest records of commercial transactions in China.

PAPER CURRENCY.

The introduction of paper currency into China appears to have been due to the use of seals, and is very closely connected with the history of printing. When it became the custom of certain Chinese officials to give a money value to certain articles by impressing their seals upon them, the idea of paper money was naturally suggested. Seals were borrowed from western Asia, and the Chinese having made them and cut upon them their own writing they were used in giving validity to official documents as well as a manifest proof of their genuineness. Their use was extended by subsequent legislation by giving one to every officer, and the grade of the official was indicated by the metal from which the seal was made, those made of silver being given to officers of the first and second rank, and the copper seals of the Taotais being a continuation of the old rule which has come down from 221 B. C. The seal may also be accepted as marking the visible sign of the change from feudalism to centralization. The official who carried it admitted his representative capacity and acknowledged the imperial head of the State from whom he received it.

The most reliable date of the introduction of paper into China is stated to be about A. D. 200, but seven centuries passed before books were printed and as many as eight before paper currency was systematically adopted by the Chinese Government. The long interval between the introduction of paper and the adoption of a paper currency is attributed to the habit of the workmen of first cutting into the material of the seal instead of cutting the inscription in relief; but when the thought occurred that relief cutting would leave a white ground with a red or black inscription the invention of blank forms and the printing of books followed.

"FLYING MONEY."

A. D. 806 is the most reliable date of the first appearance of paper currency, and it was then that bills of exchange were called "flying money." By an imperial ordinance, then first made, merchants in the capital could receive Government bills in return for copper money, and at any of the provincial capitals the provincial treasurer could pay the amount stated upon the bill. This system of banking was a facility offered to merchants by the Government, and was again in operation about the year A. D. 960, a bureau being instituted at the capital for the transaction of the business. And in A. D. 1023, when copper became so scarce in the province of Szechuen that an attempt was made by the Government to relieve the wants of the situation by the introduction of iron cash coinage, the failure was so seriously felt that paper notes were again put in circulation at Chengtu, it being stipulated that such notes were to be returned every three years, an idea which originated with the wealthy merchants, and, being accepted by the Government, the merchants were left to conduct the business. When the Golden Tartars conquered north China in A. D. 1150, they adopted a paper currency, because of the scarcity of copper, and during the succeeding century of their reign, as during the century following of Mongol domination, the most strenuous efforts were made to maintain a paper medium.

The following details of the progress of paper money are given by Martin, in his history of China: In the year 119 B. C. paper money was used by the Chinese; sometimes a nominal currency was issued on pieces of skin a foot square, or on pasteboard; in the Tang dynasty, A. D. 807, the currency was more regular and copper only used for coining. Contributions were obliged to be made to the treasury, for which "the Sian," voluntary money, was issued; A. D. 960, notes were issued for merchandise deposited in the public treasuries like pawnbrokers' duplicates; they were called "Pien Ch'ien," or accommodation money, were everywhere negotiable, made on paper a foot square, with their current value stamped on them, and had an official seal. Subsequently a system of checks was issued to replace the heavy iron coinage used. About the tenth century a better system of banking was introduced; bills of exchange were issued, payable every three years. About the twelfth century the public creditors were paid by the issue of notes, or contracts in nominal value, ranging from 200 to 1,000 cash. The extent to which these were issued toward the close of the century is stated to have been 28,000,000 ounces of silver. Different provinces also issued their own paper, and a great monetary confusion arose.

PAPER MONEY IN THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY.

Marco Polo, the Venetian traveler, who resided in China for upward of twenty years, about the year A. D. 1256 thus describes the mode in which paper money was then made and issued by the Emperor, or Grand Khan, in the city of Peking. The bark is stripped from a tree (the mulberry), on the leaves of which the silkworm feeds. It is first well soaked in water, then pounded in a mortar into a pulpy consistency, and then made into paper of a dark color, which is cut into oblongs of different sizes and values. These notes are signed by special officers and stamped with the Emperor's seal, which attaches value to it. The penalty for forgery is death. This money is circulated throughout the Empire, and any article can be procured by those who have this money. When these notes are damaged from use, they are exchanged at the mint for new ones at the charge of 3 per cent; the holders could obtain gold or silver for them any time by applying at the mint, provided the metal was intended to be manufactured into ornaments, drinking cups, etc. The armies of the Emperor were paid with this currency. One of the Government notes extant during the Ming dynasty has the following on one half of it: "At the petition of the treasury board, it is ordained that paper money thus marked with the Imperial seal of the Ming shall have currency and be used in all respects as if it were copper money; whosoever disobeys will have his head cut off."

ABOLITION OF PAPER FOR SILVER.

When the Mongols were driven from power, says Klaproth, they had ruined China by their paper money; and notwithstanding the effort of the Ming dynasty to revive paper currency by recalling the old and issuing new notes for 100 to 1,000 cash and trying to keep up their value by forbidding traffic in gold or silver, the value of the notes declined in 1448 to 3 cash of copper to 1,000 cash paper. And in A. D. 1455, although the Government decreed the taxes to be paid in paper money, forbidding the use of metal money, the nominal Government currency gradually declined and was finally abandoned, as the products of the Mexican and Peruvian silver mines flowed into the ports of southern China through the agency of foreign trade. Notes were finally abolished about A. D. 1620, the conquest of silver over paper having occupied about a century. But silver had been used in China as money long before the introduction of American silver, though the importation of American silver was found the unfailing stream through which the ruling currency of China was kept in circulation; and the discovery of the silver mines in America is the cause of the dominance of silver in China as the currency in all large transactions. Eighty years after the discovery of America, and sixty-one years after the Pacific Ocean was first seen by Balboa from the mountain tops of Nicaragua, the import of silver had been so large that seven or eight ounces had the value of one ounce of gold.

In a work by Wang-lin, published in 1831, the point is made that silver was not employed as money before the Tang dynasty, A. D. 618, and that it was then introduced. In another work, called Si-chien, by Ku-Yen-Wu, who died two centuries ago, it is stated that before the Tang dynasty copper cash was the medium of exchange between the Government and people, and silver had never come into use; but other authorities maintain that at that time silver was already introduced in south China, meaning by that term Canton and Kuangsi.

THE THREE BELTS OF CIRCULATION.

The exposition of Chinese history by Ku-Yen-Wu shows that there were, in regard to money circulation, three belts of country; that in the extreme south gold and silver were in use, Canton being the center of trade; in middle China, all along the Yangtze into Szechuen, copper cash were used everywhere as the medium of exchange—the first and second belt being ruled from Nankin as the center; and in the north, which was under Tartar administration, copper coin and grain were employed as a double medium of exchange. From this account of the circulation of silver it appears that it began to be a currency in south China first, and at a time when China sent her prefects regularly to rule in Cochinchina and Cambodian cities; and the silver, which circulated by weight in Canton in A. D. 500, would be partly Burmese, as it was then abundantly produced in Burma, and partly what Arabian merchants and others brought from distant ports; for Arabian merchants probably shared the commerce of the southern provinces of China, as there are many proofs of the activity of Arab merchants from the Han dynasty downward. So much for remote history.

CURRENCY OF THE PRESENT.

But the date of the introduction of silver into China and the capacity of the silver mines of China are not of so much practical interest to the business man as a knowledge of the silver currency now in use. It is doubtful if the traveler or merchant can now visit any province of China where he will not find in circulation the Mexican dollar, which seems to supply a great desideratum of the Chinese merchant, and passes current throughout the Empire. The tael is the money of account and the base of all monetary transactions in China. It is supposed to be a certain weight of silver, called sycee silver, and in shape resembles the shoe of a Chinese woman. The tael is not issued by the Government; it is in no way vouched for or guaranteed by any legal authority, and yet it is the standard of value in all money transactions, while in appearance only a rough ingot of silver, with variable weight and fineness, and having no fixed standard. To add to the confusion of such a money—circulated without authority, stamped by no government, varying in weight in different parts of China—not only is there a difference in the value, but often more than one kind of tael is used at the same port. It would be perplexing to attempt any minute account of all these current taels, and as Shanghai is the largest treaty port in China it would probably be more intelligent to give a general explanation of the tael currency as it is found in Shanghai, an interesting paper on which has been written by James K. Morrison.

There is at Shanghai what is called a Shanghai tael weight and a Shanghai tael currency, the latter having no existence as a coin and yet being the money of account, and, as stated, being "only a certain weight of silver, called sycee silver, of a variable fineness within certain limits, but adjusted by the addition of a premium or betterness to a fancied standard, and the product dealt with or worked out in an arbitrary manner ruled by custom. The standard is called fancied, because it can not be found to be clearly laid down by the Chinese what the standard of fineness is on which they work."

SYCEE SILVER.

A word as to what is meant by sycee silver may be of intelligent interest. The word sycee is called by the Chinese "wan yin," meaning pure silver; and sycee, as used in Shanghai, is cast into ingots, or shoes, weighing about 50 Shanghai or Chauping taels weight. In some parts of China ingots of lesser weight may be seen, but this is seldom. In making sycee, which is usually done at Shanghai by melting down silver bars imported from Europe and America, the melter's impress on each shoe their "chop," or name, and one or two characters giving reference to the record of the date of casting, the weight, and premium. When the "shoes" are cast they are inspected by an official called the "kung koo," not appointed by the Government, but selected by the Chinese bankers and money changers, and paid a small fee of so many cash on each shoe he inspects; and when satisfied, the kung koo writes on each shoe in black ink in large Chinese characters its weight and the premium it bears, and then the shoes of sycee are ready for circulation. In order to guard more effectively against fraud, not only are the melter and inspector individually responsible, but deadly penalties are enforced against their heirs for all time. Mr. Morrison gives an example of the method used for arriving at the value of the sycee in Shanghai currency as follows:

1. The weight of the sycee is taken in Chauping taels.
2. To this is added the premium or betterness that the sycee bears, and which is marked by the kung koo on each shoe.
3. The combined sum of weight and premium is then divided by .98, and the result is taels Shanghai currency.

The calculation in figures is given as follows:

Say 60 shoes of sycee weigh Chauping taels	2,992.57
Premium averaging 2.707 taels per shoe, or 5.43 per cent.....	192.45
Divide by .98	3,155.02
Gives in Shanghai taels currency.....	3,219.41

The premium represents the fineness of sycee, and ranges from 4 to 6 per cent, or from 2 to 3 taels on each shoe of about 50 taels weight. Different reasons are given for the 2 per cent mentioned under No. 3, or the dividing by .98. One is that it is an old custom; another that it represents the kung koo's fees and melter's profits, while a third is that it did not originally exist, but is the arbitrary act of an impecunious viceroy, who desired to fill his exhausted treasury. However, the 2 per cent in no way affects the value of the Shanghai currency.

THE STANDARD OF SYCEE.

The necessity of having a standard of fineness, as well as a working standard, is apparent, particularly as the premium added to the weight of the silver varies, and yet it is difficult to ascertain from the Chinese, with their characteristic disregard for accuracy in such matters, what the standard of sycee is. Some place the standard of sycee at 6 per cent under 1,000 (pure silver); others say it is 998, and still others fix the standard at 916.66. The shipment of sycee to the Indian mints, extending over a long term of years, has made it possible to ascertain with reasonable accuracy the proportion of pure silver in 1,000 taels of Shanghai sycee. While particular shipments varied as much as from one-half of 1 per cent below to one-half of 1 per cent above the usual standard, it was found that 916.66 Chauping taels weight of pure silver was the average output of 1,000 taels of Shanghai currency. This (916.66) is the standard accepted by foreign bankers in China for the Shanghai tael currency—that is, if the Shanghai tael existed as a coin it would contain 916.66 parts of pure silver in 1,000 parts. There is a difficulty, however, in accepting 916.66 as the standard on which the Chinese work their system of premiums. It is necessary to eliminate the 2 per cent "custom," which makes the working standard on which the Chinese calculate the premium to be 935.37. Working on this standard, and assuming the highest premium sycee can bear to be 6 per cent, we arrive at a maximum fineness for Shanghai sycee of 991.50. This is nearly 1 per cent short of being pure silver, but it is above the average fineness of sycee as now met with. To bring it up to pure-silver (1,000) touch, it will require a premium of about 6.91 per cent on the standard named. The original standard of sycee, which must have been founded on the difference between a standard and pure silver, was probably 943.396. Although this standard is much higher than the present working standard, it is believed to be the one on which the currency system of Shanghai was originally founded.

Assuming that this is substantially correct, it shows that "sycee, like everything else connected with coinage in China, has deteriorated very considerably." If the 2 per cent referred to above did not originally exist, but was brought into force when the standard was 943.396, it would reduce the value of the tael to 924.528; or it is not at all improbable that "various squeezes" gradually brought the standard down to 935.374, and, finally, the 2 per cent reduction was made, further reducing the intrinsic worth of the currency tael to 916.66, as it is at present, but leaving the system of premium to be calculated on the previous quality of 935.374.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

However this may be, the present Shanghai currency tael contains 916.666 parts of pure silver in 1,000 parts; or, in other words, 1,000 taels of Shanghai sycee ought to contain on an average 916.666 Chauping taels of pure silver. The assays in India practically confirm this standard. The actual weight of sycee required to equal a Shanghai tael varies according to the premium the sycee bears; but actual weighing and experience fix the ratio at 930 Chauping taels to 1,000 taels Shanghai currency. If a Shanghai tael coin were to be issued based exactly on the present tael currency, it would weigh 565.697 grains troy, of which 916.666 parts would be pure silver and 83.334 parts alloy.

THE STATUS OF GOLD IN CHINA.

From the earliest dawn of civilization gold has retained its preeminence among the precious metals. A Chinese author of the second century writes that gold early attracted attention because of its weight and beauty, and gives the following reasons why it has retained superior value and been held in higher esteem than other metals: It does not tarnish with time; it does not become lighter when melted even if it goes into the crucible a hundred times, and it yields without manipulation to the artificer. Writing on the subject a century later Pliny substantially affirms this account of the superior estimate placed upon gold, and says that the superiority of gold is in its losing no weight when in the melting pot or in a funeral pyre on the occasion of a cremation; even when drawn into wire the hands are not soiled by it, as in the case when silver, copper, or lead is handled. It is also capable of being spread out into a thinner leaf than any other metal and is divisible into a greater number of parts, and there is no other metal which can vie with gold in the facility with which it can be spun and woven like wool, so as to take the place among materials which compose textile fabrics. It is related that some of the Roman kings wore golden tunics when they triumphed, and Pliny records that he saw at a naval sham fight at which the Emperor Claudius was present, the Empress Agrippina seated beside him, who wore a robe woven entirely of gold thread.

From the ancient records it can be learned that gold was abundant in Europe and Asia at the earliest date of authentic history. In Europe it was found in the Tagus, the Po, the Hebrus, and in Thrace, during the time of the Roman Empire; while in Asia it was found in the Pactolus, in Asia Minor. The Ganges was famed for its gold. The Persian Monarchy was enabled to use gold for coin because of the quantities brought from the Ural and Altai mountains and the rivers which flowed from them; and in Spain mountains otherwise unproductive were found to produce gold. In China the chief places mentioned as producing this metal are Yunnan and Szechuan, Kiangsi, Canton, Kuangsi, and Fukien.

The Chinese collect gold in the sands of rivers, melt rocky masses, persevering until they separate the metal from its stony envelope. Formerly the Chinese treated the ore in a furnace, but there is no account, until recently, of their using powder to break up rocks, for which both dynamite and powder are now used. The gold mines of China, however, have never been worked according to any system now recognized as effective. The gold which has been extracted has been hoarded or sold to goldsmiths, and its use in buying and selling has been in the form of uncoined metal, sold by weight, its important stability of value having caused it to be everywhere acceptable in payment for commodities.

Translations from the Peking Gazette show that the rich families of Peking are parting with their hoards of gold because of the large price it commands in silver; and as the property holders of China count their treasures in taels of silver, the satisfaction of seeing their wealth apparently increased so rapidly is a temptation they find it difficult to resist. It is related that in Chinese life it is quite common for rich families to become poor, and that in such cases gold ornaments will be exchanged for silver, thus proving that the ambition to count wealth by numbers, without a proper regard for real value, has added to the quantity of gold in the markets of China and increased the amount exported to foreign countries.

As China is a silver-using country, and as there has been no rise in the average prices of native commodities simultaneously with the fall in the value of silver, these facts have naturally stimulated the desire of the Chinese to exchange their gold for silver, thus doubling the purchasing power of their means in the markets of their country. The demands of the gold-using countries have also been felt in the money markets of China, opening wider the door for the exportation of gold, infusing life and activity into the markets, and adding to the advantages in exchange in favor of the resident Chinaman who owned gold and who lived on the native products of China. With such forces at work in business, the purchasing power of gold continued to appreciate, and although the value of silver as compared with gold depreciated, yet, as stated, the purchasing power of silver remained virtually unchanged. In 1866 the price of gold bars of a fixed weight and fineness was 164.50 taels per bar; on July 3, 1894, the price was 341.50 taels per bar, or an advance in taels of 177, or 107 per cent. In July, 1894, a bar of gold would buy 341.50 taels of silver against 164.50 taels in 1866; and, as 100 taels of silver will buy as much now as then in the way of commodities, it follows that a gold bar will buy 107 per cent more of commodities. From the above facts, which have been compiled from a trustworthy source, it is clear that legislation with reference to gold and silver has apparently brought no disadvantage to the laborer in the silver-using country; but this conclusion, in order to be sound, must be supported by another fact, that the wages of labor have proportionately increased in the silver-using countries, which is not the case with China. The Chinaman who has a hundred dollars in gold may buy two hundred Mexican dollars; but the Chinaman who has no gold, and must work to secure enough silver to purchase the necessities of life for himself and family, receives almost the same price in silver for his labor as he did when a hundred dollars in gold would not buy more than one hundred and twenty-five Mexican dollars. These two facts go together in considering the benefits and evils resulting from the monetary changes as such changes affect the labor and commerce of the world.

HINTS TO AMERICAN PRODUCERS AND MERCHANTS.

[From reports of American consuls in China.]

The trade in cotton goods is, of course, one of the most important to American merchants, and it will be noted with pleasure that while there has been so large a decrease in the total importation, this decrease has been in goods from other countries than the United States, and that there has been a marked and steady advance in the American varieties during the period covered by the table. We must not conceal the fact, however, that even American cotton goods suffered a sharp decline during 1895, the number of pieces imported being 704,488 less than in 1894.

Of the whole loss in the value of our trade for 1895, amounting to 5,000,000 taels (\$4,030,000), as above stated, the greater part is to be charged to imports, which fell from 9,263,082 taels (\$7,466,044) in 1894 to 5,093,182 taels (\$4,105,105) in the year under review. There was, however, a loss of over 1,000,000 taels in exports also.

In imports the principal items affected were cotton and kerosene. I have already dealt with the former in a general way. The accompanying table, however, will make the matter clearer:

GOODS.	1894			1895		
	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	
		<i>Taels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Taels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Drills .....pieces..	705,031	2,045,783	1,648,901	518,402	1,760,356	1,418,847
Jeans .....do.....	26,008	52,026	41,933	21,798	43,689	35,213
Sheetings.....do.....	1,275,744	3,699,655	2,981,922	762,092	2,286,269	1,842,733
Total cotton.....		5,797,464	4,672,756		4,090,314	3,296,793
Kerosene.....gallons..	51,670,853	5,905,228	4,759,614	23,055,940	3,098,214	2,497,160

It will be seen from this table that the decline in quantity was somewhat atoned for by the improvement in price; but I ought rather to note that the enhanced price was the real cause of the decline in quantity imported. The increased value as measured in taels was doubtless due to the depreciation of silver as compared with gold.

AMERICAN OIL.

The decrease in imports of kerosene is charged to an excessive supply at the close of 1894, and to an insufficient stock, temporarily, in the United States, which led to an advance in price. This reduction in shipments from the United States afforded a fine opportunity to our Russian and Dutch competitors to improve their trade, of which they were not slow to avail themselves, so that for the year under review their imports of kerosene show a remarkable increase. The situation will be best exhibited by a tabular statement, as below:

Year.	American.	Russian.	Sumatran.
	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>
1891.....	39,348,477	10,000,902	
1892.....	31,884,013	8,649,318	
1893.....	36,720,382	13,286,198	
1894.....	51,670,853	17,500,283	534,280
1895.....	23,055,940	26,566,679	2,395,035

Another item of interest to American merchants is flour, and the trade in this article is rapidly expanding. It is entered free of duty. The value of the import doubled during the five years ending with 1895, having risen from 704,000 taels (\$567,424) in 1891 to 1,495,895 taels (\$1,205,691) in 1895, an increase of 377,115 taels (\$303,955) over that for 1894. American flour is growing more and more popular in China.

Notwithstanding the general improvement in foreign trade, the value of our own trade considerably decreased, the whole amount being 20,476,584 taels (\$16,504,127), a loss of more than 5,000,000 taels as compared with the returns of the preceding year, when American trade reached its high-water mark, 25,705,870 taels (\$20,718,931). The comparison, however, is hardly calculated to give a true estimate of the condition of American commerce in China. A review of the eight years (1888-1895) shows that with the exception of two slight reverses, one of which is that under discussion, there has been a steady improvement in the volume of our trade. The figures for the eight years mentioned are:

Year.	Chinese currency.	United States currency.	Year.	Chinese currency.	United States currency.
	<i>Taels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Taels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1888.....	12,108,281	9,759,274	1892.....	16,846,555	13,578,323
1889.....	10,889,785	8,777,167	1893.....	17,169,213	13,838,386
1890.....	11,840,805	9,543,689	1894.....	25,705,870	20,718,931
1891.....	16,765,382	13,512,898	1895.....	20,476,584	16,504,127

CARRYING TRADE.

Although our commerce with China, as will be seen by these figures, is not small, there is but an insignificant part of the carrying trade in our hands. The total number of vessels entered and cleared during the year was 37,132, with a tonnage of 29,737,078, of which 92 vessels, with a tonnage of 86,427, were covered by the American flag. The only treaty powers showing a smaller number of vessels were Holland, Hawaii, Italy, Russia (90), Siam, and Spain. Trade was helped by the easy condition of the money market. Interest on advances fell to 6 per cent and on deposit to 4 per cent per annum. There was considerable fluctuation in exchange, but less than in the preceding year. The average value of the tael in United States gold was 80 cents.

DIFFERENCE IN BUSINESS METHODS.

The advance agents for business in China on behalf of European and American companies have different methods for promoting their business success. Within the last twelve months there have been several Americans at this port (Shanghai) soliciting contracts to build railways in China, but, unfortunately, the majority have come with letters of introduction only to their diplomatic and consular representatives and with no legal evidence on record that they represented incorporated companies capable of contracting and executing contracts to the credit of American workmanship. It is not meant to discredit the statements of any of such agents, but I do mean to impress the fact that those who come to China to undertake works of internal improvement should come with the proper credentials for business. It will not do for an agent to adduce letters of introduction, but he must show that he represents an incorporated company of reputation and undoubted solvency. For an American to undertake to build a railroad or develop a mine in China without making his work representative in every particular would work injury to his countrymen and prove an insuperable objection to the employment of other Americans. It is therefore highly important that there should be no mistake in this regard. There is, however, an agent in China, and he is a patriotic American citizen, representing an American company legally incorporated and well known to be financially capable and competent to build railroads and develop China on any other lines; and it is probable

that this agent, properly equipped, will secure some valuable contracts for his company. It will be a mistake to presume that the business Chinaman is incapable of looking through character. He can look quite through the deeds of men as well as other human beings, and the "scalpers in the market" seldom escape his observation. My experience is that our countrymen coming to China for business do not recognize the sound business principles I have indicated to the extent of some of their foreign rivals.

The necessity for an exhibition building at Shanghai in which samples of American machinery and products could be exhibited should be promptly recognized and the means for its establishment as promptly supplied. Ocular proof of an article is what the Chinese prefer before buying. Illustrated circulars do not convey to them the desired information. They want to see a sample of the machinery, and now is the time to build the exhibition hall.

KEROSENE.

[By Consul Smithers, at Chung King.]

I would recommend that the owners of kerosene-oil wells in America, with a view to increase the demand as well as to provide unadulterated oil, establish a depot here for the sale of their product, with, if possible, a foreigner as agent. A great help to the sale of the same would be to give away with each case sold a cheap but noncombustible lamp. A great many fires have resulted through the use of defective lamps, causing the authorities to issue a proclamation stopping importation of the oil into the city. This, however, has now been rescinded, and the oil enters, but a limit is put on the quantity.

OPENING FOR UNITED STATES PRODUCTS.

[From Consul Child, at Hankau, October, 1897.]

The demand for United States textile goods, especially drills, is steadily increasing on account of their superior quality. The inquiry for American bicycles is also increasing, and there are now about sixty in use here; they are considered superior to all others. United States flour is used largely in the Yangtze Valley, as well as all kinds of American canned goods, hams, bacon, cheese, California fruits, etc. An American firm has been located here in the last month, and will do a general export and import business.

In regard to the importation of agricultural machinery, nothing can be done at present; but Professor Brill, of Cornell University, New York, has just arrived at Wuchang for the purpose of establishing a model farm under the auspices of the viceroy, and he will endeavor to introduce the latest agricultural machinery here.

American clocks and lamps are the only ones in use here, the native stores being filled with them. United States axes are coming into general use. Boots and shoes are manufactured by native workmen at less than one-half the cost of the imported article, but they are not so good and are badly finished. The same may be said of clothing. As a general thing, hides and skins are exported, and the leather used here imported, mainly from Europe.

I think that China will shortly become a vast field for American mercantile enterprise, as the goods manufactured in the United States are generally popular.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES WANTED.

[By United States consul at Chung King.]

As to other articles of United States manufacture which would find a sale in the city and neighborhood, I would recommend the importation of clocks and watches, locks of every description, and hinges for doors and windows.

The fall in the price of silver, I am told by a local foreign dealer in these articles, will affect the ready sale of the same. The Chinese, not being able to pay over a certain price for the foreign articles which are sold at a gold rate, resort to the native article in consequence, which of course can not be compared to American goods. If some fixed exchange could be adopted between the buyers abroad and the sellers at home, it would help the sale of these goods a great deal.

From my own observation among the natives in general, apart from foreign piece goods and petroleum, their use or consumption of foreign articles is infinitesimal.

The port has been open to foreign trade only about five years, and its long distance from Shanghai and the defective means of communication, except by telegraph, have prevented a demand for articles of foreign manufacture.

There are no direct imports from the United States to Canton. These are effected chiefly through Hongkong. Hence it is a most difficult matter to obtain correct statistics as to the value of these imports; but a rough estimate of these imports for the calendar year of 1896 is given in the subjoined table, believed to be approximately correct.

ESTIMATED VALUE OF IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO CANTON.

ARTICLES.	Taels.	United States currency. (a)	ARTICLES.	Taels.	United States currency. (a)
		<i>Dollars.</i>			<i>Dollars.</i>
Shirting, white.....	125,251	91,400	India-rubber shoes.....	11,132	8,100
Drills, American.....	1,135	800	Sewing machines.....	370	270
Chintzes and furniture.....	3,732	2,700	Meats, preserved and dried.....	1,489	1,080
Blue mottles.....	27	19	Condensed milk.....	4,390	3,200
Cottonades.....	106	77	Kerosene.....	28,395	20,900
Cotton flannel.....	194	140	Perfumery.....	3,097	2,260
Broadcloth.....	7,005	5,100	Preserves.....	817	570
Alpacas, merinos, and blankets.....	1,795	1,300	Raisins.....	3,356	2,440
Canvas.....	523	380	Sago.....	22,166	16,140
Quicksilver.....	10,696	7,800	Soap.....	4,273	3,110
Awabi.....	15,569	11,300	Household stores.....	3,386	2,470
Pearl barley.....	5,480	4,000	Matches.....	364	265
Biscuits.....	741	540	Paraffin wax.....	1,516	1,100
Clocks.....	1,787	1,280			
Flour.....	542,080	395,700	Total.....	828,331	604,441
Ginseng, clarified and crude.....	27,459	20,000			

a The reductions to United States currency (round numbers) in this report have been made on the basis of the valuation of the tael given by Vice-Consul Alf-73 cents

In the following table is given the summary of the trade in foreign goods at the port of Canton for 1896:

	Haikwan taels.	United States currency.
Imports—		<i>Dollars.</i>
Hongkong	11,486,169	8,385,200
Japan	79,635	58,100
Cochin China, Tonkin, and Annam	429,879	313,800
Siam	137,913	100,670
Other places	24,161	17,630
Total from foreign countries	12,157,757	8,875,100
Imports from Chinese ports	150,699	109,680
Total foreign imports	12,308,426	8,984,780

Of the above imports the sum of 103,310 haikwan taels (\$79,818) was reexported to foreign countries and Chinese ports, leaving a net total of foreign imports amounting to 12,199,086 taels (\$8,905,000).

AMERICAN WHEAT AND FLOUR IN CHINA.

The use of wheat is increasing in favor every day, but that from California, except when manufactured into flour, is so dear that the merchants have to depend entirely upon the import from the north. Of these articles Siam and Tonkin contribute large shares, and the United States can easily secure the market, provided the prices can be brought down to meet the demand of common people. United States flour is more than 20 per cent higher than that from the northern provinces and Hongkong. However, the rich people prefer the flour and wheat from America to any other, and the prospect for American wheat is better than ever. A perceptible decline in the imports is noticeable on account of the rise in exchange. Hence the return on these articles is placed under the head of "Native sundries."

RIVER TRAFFIC.

[By Consul Smithers, of Chung King.]

As to the question of steam traffic to Chung King up the river Yangtse. In my opinion it would be profitable for some American shipbuilding association to make a detailed survey of a section of the river between Ichang and Kueichow for a distance of 150 miles, which is the only part required to be surveyed.

A British expedition ascended the Yangtse in 1869 as far as Kueichow and reported on the conditions then existing. There are many places in this section of the river which would require the use of dynamite, and if pressure were brought to bear the Government of China would probably employ foreign engineers and conduct these operations, for it would be useless to grant the right to run steamers if rocks can not be removed from the river. Of course there are other difficulties, but it remains to be seen whether they are any greater than those met with on the section of the river between Hankau and Ichang, between which ports steamers of light draft are running. I have reference to the rise and fall of the river, which in summer months is 50 feet more than during the winter, and frequently very sudden. I am of the opinion, however, that a survey should be made, and would result in benefit to those undertaking it.

AMERICAN GINSENG IN GREAT DEMAND.

The United States consul at Amoy, writing to the State Department under a recent date, says: I wish to call especial attention to an article now imported from the United States to a limited extent and from Korea—ginseng. It is a native of Colorado, Wyoming, and Utah, as well as of other mountainous districts of America, also of Korea and northern Asia. I do not exaggerate when I state that it is possible to market annually in China \$20,000,000 worth of these roots. They are now being grown in the United States to a limited extent, and prices obtained by the grower are entirely out of proportion to those realized by the thrifty exporter. It sells in Amoy at from \$25 to \$35 (Mexican) per pound. It costs in America from \$2 to \$3 (gold) or \$4 to \$6 (Mexican). Yet at these figures Amoy handled during 1896 to the value of 109,823 haikwan taels, or \$88,517.34 United States gold (at \$80.6 cents, October, 1896, rate), of these roots from America alone, and from Korea 54,867 haikwan taels, or \$44,222.80 United States gold. The Korean article is much higher priced and more skillfully cured, although not otherwise superior in quality to the United States product. It was formerly bought from the Americans by Chinese dealers at a few cents per pound, and is still regarded as a profitable crop. The discovery that the Chinese were making fortunes from these purchases caused an advance in the price; but the real facts and possibilities in this line seem never to have dawned upon the struggling farmers in the mountainous districts of America, so well adapted to the growth of the plant. I have searched in vain for a report upon the subject which afforded any idea of the field open here for American enterprise. It seems to me that if our people realized that at least \$3 gold could be fairly demanded by the grower for every pound of well-cured root, the market would be practically unlimited, a new mine of wealth affording employment for a vast population would be opened, and the industry would tend to relieve the distress caused by the decline in the value of our carbonates and galenas. The ginseng, a plant of the genus *Aralia*, somewhat resembles the horse-radish root. It grows wild in the mountains. The species *A. quinquefolium* is the article of export. It is used as an invigorating tea by all the wealthy Chinese and as a medicine by the native physicians. It enters largely into the list of presents sent by the wealthy to friends and the articles exchanged between high officials. It is bought by the middle classes throughout the entire Empire, and even the poor peasants give up their hard-earned silver for this national panacea.

TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES.

[From report by United States consul at Chinkiang, 1897.]

There seems to be a considerable want of knowledge in the United States regarding articles suitable to the natives of China, and I might say a want of enterprise on the part of our merchants in not putting suitable goods forward. I am continually receiving from our merchants price lists of articles, such as bicycles, boots and shoes, beer, etc., of which there is no use or consumption by the Chinese. Even in the case of suitable articles it is hopeless to expect natives to order from price lists, however well illustrated. They want to

see the articles themselves. It is absolutely necessary to send samples. Prices accompanying samples should be inclusive of cost, freight, and insurance to this port, as it is difficult, if not impossible, to calculate these charges on this side.

Chinkiang is a very important center for the consumption and distribution of cloths manufactured abroad. Drills and sheetings are the only articles in which any business has been done heretofore with the United States. Few varieties of American manufactured cloths have been seen here. The whole of the import trade in cotton and woolen piece goods has been done with Shanghai. Country dealers, who are the largest consumers, have not had opportunities of seeing our manufactures. The only way to accomplish this is for manufacturers to send out samples and trial shipments of their cloths. If they will communicate with me, I will see that their samples are put into proper hands. In September last a British firm was established here for the importation of piece goods direct from Manchester, and has been doing a good trade. It is the custom for this firm to receive by every mail samples of all kinds, which are immediately shown to dealers. Their verdict is communicated to the manufacturers, and if it be favorable a trial shipment (say of 10 bales of each) is made of those lines which promise to sell. At first, most likely, there would be a loss on these, for no one can expect to make a profit on new cloths and chops, but as the latter begin gradually to become known the loss would in the same proportion diminish, until the result would be profit. British firms are fully alive to the fact that to introduce goods into China a sacrifice must undoubtedly be made, and it is owing to their recognition of this that they have maintained their supremacy in the commerce of this country. American firms seem to lose sight of this, and consequently have not made the progress they should have made. Another very important factor in the development of our trade is that the qualities of the goods must be consistently maintained. Reports have reached me from several ports in China of shipments of gray sheetings and shirtings having to be disposed of at a loss, owing to inferiority. In one case a Chinese dealer bought 20 bales on a reference sample which arrived by mail. The goods came about a fortnight later, but when they were received the quality was found to be much lower than that of the sale sample. These differences do infinite damage, and at once condemn the quality and chop. A chop on a certain cloth soon becomes well known to buyers, and if cargo is always consistent in quality the cloth can command a substantially higher price than exactly the same article without the chop. Consequently, should at any time a shipment be found inferior, the reputation of the chop is destroyed.

AMERICAN INTERESTS IN CHINA.

[From report by U. S. Consul at Chefoo.]

In the province there are altogether 165 American men, women, and children, all of whom, except one mercantile house (L. H. Smith & Co.) and the members of this consulate, are connected with the various missions.

L. H. Smith & Co. are general agents trading in coal, doing commission work and banking. They virtually control the trade with Russia.

The missionaries are located in Chefoo, Chiningchou, P'angchiachuang, Taianfu, Weihsien, Ichowfu, Chuanfu, Tungchow, Shupei, Hwanghsien, Linghingcho, and Pingtu. To them we owe most of our knowledge of the interior. In their hospitals they treat annually 60,000 patients. Their modern dwellings and hospitals, supplied with all the latest appliances, in some cases heated with steam and lighted with electricity, their dress, food, and superior manner of living, can not but affect favorably the multitudes that come into contact with them in the scattered towns and cities of the interior, in which they live. The native, with this object lesson before him, in time shows a desire to own some of the things that he sees, and then a demand is created.

Since I arrived in China, in 1890, a gradual change for the better has spread over this vast Empire. In 1890 no native official would dream of calling in the services of a foreign medical man; to-day it is a common occurrence. There was then but one short line of railroad; now there are lines in several places, and many more being built or under consideration. There was then but one mill with foreign machinery, that at Ningpo; to-day at Ningpo there are several very large cotton mills, with the latest and best machinery, besides others near by. In Shanghai there are over 100 mills, and scattered all over the Empire tall chimney stacks loom on the horizon. Iron, steel, paper, cotton, in fact every description of a mill, is being erected. In 1890 not a steam vessel of any description was allowed to run in any waters except at the treaty ports; now the rivers are covered with small steamers and steam launches. Telegraph lines run through the most anteforeign provinces.

In 1890 I had a long conversation with a high native official who had then just returned from Hunan, where he had tried unsuccessfully to run telegraph lines under imperial authority. He had to flee for his life, and the telegraph material was destroyed. To-day that province is eagerly pushing forward enterprises of all kinds; schools for the teaching of English are to be found everywhere, thousands of miles from the coast; the electric light is used; bicycles are common; the foreigner is no longer stoned or reviled. For fifty years the missionary has been abused and massacred, but his day has come. He no longer needs go to the Chinaman; the Chinaman now goes to him, perhaps not for religious instruction, it is true, but for advice and to learn modern sciences, inventions, and languages. Thus to-day, in spite of the great disadvantages China is now under, we find a great and growing market for our products and manufactures.

In 1890 there was but one store in China where I could purchase American canned goods, confections, groceries, butter; to-day there is not a store that sells canned goods, dry provisions, or groceries that does not carry a full line of American goods, and many of them—German, Chinese, and English—have larger and better supplies of that character from the United States than from Europe.

In 1890 there was only one line of steamers from the American continent to Shanghai, China—the Canadian Pacific, running a few old ships about once a month; to-day the Canadian Line runs the magnificent Empress steamers. Besides, there are the lines from Tacoma, Portland, Oreg., and San Francisco, and the Japanese Line, and another is shortly to be added.

In 1890 a traveler from the United States was a novelty; now not a week passes but away up here in Chefoo we see three or four.

In 1890 there was not a single American life-insurance company doing business in China; to-day nine-tenths of that business is in the hands of American (New York) companies; and scattered all over the Empire are American engineers, mining experts, prospectors, and men experienced in making steel, in Chinese employ.

Our friends can say what they may, but to-day the American influence in China in all sound business schemes is felt as it never was before, and those men who sit in their offices in New York, San Francisco, or Pittsburg owe whatever prospects they have in China to the American missionary.

While the prestige of the United States has grown wonderfully since 1890, it has not had the increase that it ought to have.

In order to hold our own, we ought to have a consul in every port in China and not a single foreigner in the consulate except the Chinese clerks.

We ought to have commercial museums at Canton, Shanghai, Tientsin, and Hankau similar to that at Caracas, Venezuela. The National Association of Manufacturers of the United States can find no better field in the world now than China. We ought to have, as every consul in China has advocated, a newspaper. Every newspaper in China is owned by Englishmen or Chinese.

To my mind, nothing would help our merchants and manufacturers as much as the following plan:

Let all the boards of trade, chambers of commerce, export associations, and manufacturers' associations subscribe an annual sum, according to the interest they have in the Chinese trade, to establish showrooms, a paper, and a general information bureau in China.

The advertisements alone would pay for the paper, which must be an up-to-date daily, with all the latest American news. This paper would cost but little in China, each subscribing organization would receive a certain number of copies for the use of its members, the staff in China would be able to give information to the Chinese in regard to our goods, and the people at home could obtain the latest expert knowledge of the market here; Americans in China would have a meeting place or exchange, the expenses would be small pro rata, and the benefits would be incalculable.

With this organization in the field we could compete for the building all kinds of mills, mints, railroads, forts, ships, electric works, for furnishing supplies to the Government, for opening mines—in fact, we would be able to compete in enterprises of which we now know nothing. The Americans in China could cooperate. The English have a powerful society—in fact, two; one covering Shanghai, the other, the China Association, all China. This society is first, last, and all the time for British prestige and commerce; all the British merchants belong to it, and all old employees of the Chinese service in England; their head office is in London. This is the most powerful agent the British have; it watches the interests of the humblest merchant or British subject in China as jealously as it guards the great and princely houses. It is strange that Americans have no such organization.

HINDRANCES TO AMERICAN OIL TRADE IN CHINA.

(Consul Bedloe, of Canton, in Consular Reports 1898.)

A few suggestions as to the protection of trade in American oil in China are respectfully submitted for the benefit of our industries.

The recent discovery of petroleum in the very heart of China, in the rich and populous province of Szechuan, is reported by the Tientsin correspondent of the Hongkong Telegraph, as follows:

"Very rich petroleum wells have been found near Chungking, which suggest endless possibilities in this line alone. These oil wells are said to be far superior to those discovered in Kyaochau, and more important than any yet worked by native methods; but they need foreign capital and management, with which, it is thought, they will yield colossal quantities of oil. Of course what would be required to place the product on a sound commercial basis would be a big oil refinery."

This discovery is very important, and, in view of the oil wells in the Japanese island of Formosa, and of other oil wells near the German possession of Kyaochau, in the province of Shantung, our trade in American kerosene is bound to be affected, unless prompt efforts are made to control the output and, and if possible, the trade in the Chinese product.

We have already in this growing district of Canton—which has over three times the area and population it had in 1896, and which comprises the three provinces of Kwangtung, Kwangsi, and Yunan, with more than 80,000,000 of people—two powerful competitors in Russian and Dutch oils, as will be seen by the customs statistics of the trade at Canton. Until 1896 Dutch oil was unknown in China. It comes from Sumatra, and the Royal Dutch Petroleum Company is vigorously pushing it in Hongkong and Chinese coast ports, including the seven treaty ports in this consular district, viz, Swatow, Macao, Hoihow, Pakhoi, Canton, Samshui, and Wuchow. The inland waters of China were opened to the trade of all nations on June 1, 1898, and this extension of markets will afford greater facilities for increasing our commerce in China.

In 1896 the German agents for the Dutch oil purchased a site in Hongkong, built a pier for the use of tank steamers, and constructed several large reservoirs to store oil in bulk, as well as warehouses for canning and boxing the same. Our Dutch rivals in kerosene began to develop their enterprise with characteristic energy, and in 1897, after just one year, had such a demand, that it was necessary to run several tank steamers between Sumatra and Hongkong to supply the constantly increasing market in China for cheap oil. Previous to the erection of these tanks by the Royal Dutch Petroleum Company oil was imported in cases of two cans each.

In these oil works in Hongkong there were canned in 1897 upward of 2,600,000 gallons of oil for the Canton market alone. Customs returns show 2,025,780 gallons of American oil imported into Canton between January, 1894, and January, 1897. Of Russian oil there were imported during the same period 2,703,320 gallons.

The Dutch oil is an inferior article, and much cheaper, of course, than that from America. It is well known that large quantities of Dutch oil are being palmed off on the unsuspecting Chinese as genuine American kerosene. It is canned in Hongkong in old American tins that are bought throughout China for that purpose at 10 cents a tin and are marked with popular American trade-marks of various kinds. The Chinaman is a practical business man, and if he can buy Dutch or Russian oil, or, as is frequently the case, a combination of both these smoky, inflammable, and dangerous oils, made up in a way that will enable him to sell it in China as American "Brilliant," "Comet," "Sunlight," or other popular brands, and at a lower price than the genuine article, he will, of course, jump at the opportunity. At Wuchow (opened to trade in June, 1897), British, German, and other agencies were soon established, and besides "pushing" piece goods, thread, cheap lamps, matches, etc., they introduced Russian and Dutch oil into the innumerable cities, towns, and villages on the great West River and its various branches, where our oil had held the market until last year.

The whole of the great West River and all the inland waters of China are now open to the navigation and the trade of all nations. American exporting firms can establish agencies in the great trade centers of this vast district, which has more than 1,000 miles of seacoast, including the large Island of Hainan, and which extends into the interior as far as Thibet, a distance of over 2,000 miles. This territory is larger in area and in population than that of Austria, Germany, France, and Spain combined, and probably will be as important to United States trade.

The United States is fully able to supply the demands of this great market, and vigorous efforts should be made to do so. We have active and determined competitors in the field. For many years our oil producers supplied China's millions. We can now send our oil hundreds of miles into the interior under the American flag. We should hasten to avail ourselves of this opportunity. With increased competition should come increased effort.

American trade with the far East in recent years has not, in certain lines, increased as rapidly as has that of other countries. In no branch of commerce is this more evident than in oil. In 1894 imports into Shanghai in this line were:

	Gallons.
American oil	36,241,924
Russian oil	4,059,700
Dutch oil	Nil.

In 1897 our oil remained about the same, while Russian oil rose to over 20,000,000 gallons, and Dutch oil, of which there were no exports in 1894, rose to 1,581,000 gallons in 1896 and to 5,570,400 gallons in 1897.

Notwithstanding the great increase in the demand in China during the past four years we have not received our share of the oil trade.

The Dutch product has advantages in freight and difference in exchange. The points whence American oil is shipped to the far East are thousands of miles away. Would it not be advisable to select some point on the Pacific coast for the export of oil to China? We could ship oil in tank steamers across the Pacific to the Chinese markets quicker and cheaper than is possible by sailing ships as at present. The old methods were good when we monopolized the market; now, however, we must find better ones.

NEED OF AN AMERICAN EXPOSITION AND WAREHOUSE IN CHINA.

(From Advance Sheets, Consular Reports 1899.)

Under date of November 19, Consul-General Goodnow, of Shanghai, writes to a correspondent in New York as follows:

I sincerely hope that an American-Chinese exposition will be established in Shanghai. In my report dated April 5 I said:

I would suggest to other American manufacturers looking to the Chinese trade, as well as to the cycle makers, the advisability of establishing a permanent exposition in Shanghai for American goods. Practically all foreign trade for the middle and north of China goes through Shanghai. An exposition here will reach the trade of the Yangtze Valley and of the north.

The customs report of 1897 shows that in many important products the imports from the United States have increased at the expense of imports from other nations. We are nearer to the market, freights are accordingly less, and the feeling of the Chinese people is more friendly to Americans than to the people of any other nation. Now is the time to push our trade on this coast. I do not believe that any other method will give better or more permanent results than an exposition of United States products at Shanghai.

The rapidly moving events of the past year have still more confirmed me in my belief in the advisability of such an exposition of our goods. It will surely pay indirectly through an increase of trade to the exhibitors, and I believe it will pay directly in dividends to the stockholders. It should be built in consultation with the United States authorities, and, if possible, an arrangement should be made by which the consulate-general would be in the exposition building. It ought to be located in the American settlement and become American headquarters, and everything done to emphasize its national character.

I need not impress it upon you that Americans must now push more strongly than ever for the trade of China. You have seen the situation, its possibilities, and dangers. If the trade goes into other hands now it is lost to us for many years to come. Most of our manufacturers, having had a sufficient home market (which is the best in the world), have not felt the necessity of reaching out for this, our next best market, and one yet to be developed. They have been content to do business in a half-hearted way in Asia, and have not taken the trouble to make themselves acquainted with the banking methods, the shipping methods, the various laws in force, the climate, the superstitions, and the details of the needs and customs of the people. In cases which have been brought to my knowledge manufacturers of cotton goods have refused to make any except the width which is best suited for American markets, although the demand here is for another width. This is a peculiar people, who will buy nothing if they can not get exactly what they want, put up and labeled as their customs and superstitions dictate. The supply must fit the demand.

Our people do not realize their opportunities here. A Chinese viceroy, who is considered antipathetic, stated a few days ago that he was always willing to have Americans come into his viceroyalty to open mines, establish manufactures, and do any kind of business, but he did not want other foreigners. "But," he said, "Americans do not ask for these things, while other foreigners are always asking for them."

An exposition here will increase the variety of our trade, which is now largely in a few great staples only. Many of our important manufactures are unrepresented here. You can not buy an American hat in Shanghai. I know of only one store where American shoes are sold, and it has very few for ladies. Collars, stockings, ties, and like articles of gentlemen's wearing apparel of American make are not found in Shanghai. House furniture is very costly, and none comes from America. American underwear can not be bought here, except the coarsest kind. The American magazines are not for sale and do not come here, unless ordered from home. Practically all the books are of English print and are very expensive. A paper-bound book which can be bought at home for from 10 to 25 cents costs \$1.50 Mexican, or 72 cents gold. I asked a member of one of the book firms why he did not bring in some of the cheap American books. He answered: "We are a British firm and prefer to handle British goods." On the other hand, an agent of an American manufacturer said to me: "I would as quickly put my goods into the hands of a German, Englishman, or any other foreigner as into the hands of an American. I have no nationality in business." The shortsightedness of this arises from the fact that those very agents to whom he gave his products for sale have a national feeling in their business, and always, on even terms, push the products of their own country. English prefer to do business with English, Germans with Germans, and French with French; but Americans in this part of the world are lacking in national business pride, and have suffered for it. No European will sell an American manufacture unless he can make much more money out of it than he could from similar goods from his own country. If American manufacturers expect to handle this market as their situation entitles them to do, they must be represented here by Americans. A long step toward this would be the exposition.

I might multiply instances of American business which is done here by men of other nationalities. A leading American commercial body is to-day represented in China by a German, an able, scientific man; but his friends, his thoughts, and his ambitions are all German. Our steel manufacturers are all represented here by firms of foreign nationality, as is also true of our steamship lines. The bulk of our cotton goods is handled by firms of other nationality. Even some of our American firms are officered by Englishmen; and I was told within the week by the head salesman of an American firm, himself an Englishman, that none but the coarsest prints were made in America—that it was necessary to go to England for fine prints.

There is another side of this matter. The Chinese know only the man with whom they come directly in contact. They do not look to the original makers or sellers of the goods, but to the agent whom they personally know. When they become accustomed to trading with a particular man and have found him reliable, they are easily moved by him to take other brands of goods than those

they have been buying upon his assurance that the new brand is better than the one which they have been using. It will be easily seen from this what power to divert our trade we put into the hands of a foreign agent.

Should this exposition be undertaken, the Chinese merchants who are tributary to Shanghai (and that includes middle and northern China) can see for themselves the modern appliances for which America has become famous. The Chinese are now buying bicycles and phonographs in large quantities, and none were sold until samples were brought here and exhibited. We can not expect to sell our goods here on description. It seems to me that an exposition at Shanghai is almost necessary to direct connection between the American manufacturer and the Chinese merchant and consumer.

HONGKONG.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS AND THE OPENINGS FOR GOODS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

[Consul Wildman in Commercial Relations.]

Hongkong being a free port, precise returns of trade can not be compiled, owing to the absence of any statistics of imports and exports, with the single exception of opium.

SHIPPING.

The international importance of Hongkong among the shipping points of the world is shown by the fact that during the year 1896 34,526 vessels entered the ports of the colony, with a total tonnage and cargoes of 8,051,085 tons. Of this number, 56 were American, with a total tonnage of 87,872 tons, as against 3,230 British ships, total tonnage 4,382,546. Of German vessels, 721 entered; of Norwegian, 130, and of French, 120. I have not mentioned the Chinese vessels, which number nearly 30,000.

In order to compare the standing of the port of Hongkong with that of other great ports, it is interesting to note that the total tonnage entering and clearing at Hongkong in 1895 (exclusive of local trade) exceeded the tonnage of 1894 (exclusive of coasting trade) by 775,706 tons; also that, excluding the junk trade, the tonnage in 1895 exceeded the 1894 tonnage at Liverpool (exclusive of coasting trade) by 1,636,008 tons, and of Cardiff by 1,647,195 tons.

IMPORTS.

In 1895, an attempt was made by the harbor master of the colony to prepare a tabulation of imports and exports by name and amount. Although I am informed by leading merchants that it is far from correct, I include it, as showing the articles that are most in demand here and the approximate consumption.

Articles.	Tons.	Articles.	Tons.
Beans	3,848	Opium	2,464
Bones	2,340	Pease	1,060
Coal	536,767	Rice	764,368
Coffee	500	Salt	6,250
Cotton	50	Sandalwood	1,262
Ebony	400	Sapan wood	600
Flour	101,767	Sulphur	500
Hemp	1,200	Sugar	185,616
Kerosene (bulk)	24,450	Tea	20
Kerosene (cases)	42,601	Timber	26,389
Lead	1,350	Vermicelli	800
Oil	3,348	General	1,026,064

Total accounted for, 2,760,954 tons.

It is interesting to note that two of the largest imports into Hongkong are from the United States, namely, flour (mostly Pacific coast), 101,767 tons, which is an increase of 41,517 tons over the previous year; and kerosene, 67,051 tons. Our kerosene oil has held its own since 1890, against the determined attempts of Russian producers to capture the market with a cheaper and inferior article. No oil is too good for the Chinese.

A committee appointed to inquire into the condition of British trade in Hongkong reported on June 6, 1896, stating, among other things: "In this connection the committee wishes to make special reference to the advantages conferred on American cotton piece goods in the China market by the rate of freight charged by the conference steamers from New York to Hongkong and Shanghai, which averages from 25s. to 30s. (\$6 to \$7.30) per ton as compared with 57s. 6d. (nearly \$14) from London and Liverpool outward." The same remarks apply to the shipment of machinery from the United States to China, the freight for which is about 40 per cent lower than that from British ports.

It is evident that other European-made goods are displacing in many directions British goods. This is brought about by German, Belgian, and Japanese firms having representatives on the ground to study the needs and demands of the market, these firms sending consignments on trial and keeping up the quality of the goods. The great trouble in introducing American goods into these markets is the indifference and lax business methods of the Americans themselves. There is a good market here for California wines, Pacific coast redwood and pine, and a limited market for American whisky. The trouble with the introduction of California wines has been that our exporters send a low-grade wine to compete with a good grade French and Italian. There is almost no demand on this coast for a cheap wine. The people want the best and can afford to pay for it. I know of a small shipment of high-grade California wine that was sent on trial to this coast. It met with universal commendation, and a large order was sent to San Francisco in consequence. The second order came and it was absolutely bad. People commented on it as an example of Yankee sharpness. There never has been a third order.

Regarding lumber, which is one of the principal imports, there would be no trouble at all in introducing our best grades if some broad-minded exporter would send a shipment subject to approval. A case has been cited to me where an entire shipload was ordered by one of the largest firms here, with the proviso that it should come up to a very modest standard. The American firm refused to fill the order unless it could draw against it on board ship in San Francisco. Naturally, the buyer refused to take all the chances. Regarding the so-called American whisky that comes to this coast, it ought to be forbidden export by our port officials. It is bad enough for the days of 1849, and yet Americans wonder why our wines and liquors are not popular on this coast.

There is no use in writing report after report, filled with suggestions as to how to capture the Asiatic trade, when our people practice such frauds. There is, of course, another side. Often our goods are too good for the market, or too heavy, like cotton goods, shoes, leather articles, etc. In other words, they are not suitable to this climate. As before said, there are instances in which British manufactures have been entirely ousted by foreign goods, as in the case of llama braids and aniline dyes, while others, such as Spanish stripes and broadcloths, have been in great measure replaced by similar goods imported from Germany.

In other cases, there have been attempts to cut into British trade by foreign imitations, with only a qualified or temporary success. These articles are represented by hosiery, lamps, paper, umbrellas, rubber shoes, soaps, biscuits, beer, locks, files, needles, cutlery, etc., in which Germany and Japan are the principal competitors. Germany is also competing to supply the colony with gold, being greatly aided by lower freight rates from German ports. Belgium supplies most of the bar iron, nail, rod, and scrap iron, and window glass; Australia sends pig lead; Japan supplies cotton waste, washing soda, and sulphuric acid, and is competing in cotton goods, paper, ships, lanterns, and cheap substitutes for cretonnes, blankets, towels, soaps, etc. Among other items, Japan is exporting well-made cotton half hose 50 per cent below the cost of similar goods from Germany; and Japanese cement, though inferior in quality, is cheaper than any European cement that can be imported. From these examples, it will be seen that there is an open field here for all the world, and that other nations are taking advantage of it. Only the disinclination of American manufacturers to study the taste of the consumer keeps them out. Everything is in their favor—a free port, connected with San Francisco by two regular lines of steamers, with Tacoma by one, and with Vancouver by one. No licenses are required for carrying on legitimate business, except a nominal one for hawkers and rickshaws, and there are no regulations of a discriminating character that affect American vessels.

EXPORTS.

As to goods exported from Hongkong to the United States, I can not do better than make a sample exhibit of the digest of the consular invoice book for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897:

Articles.	Value (gold).	Articles.	Value (gold).
Aniseed oil.....	\$51,390	Preserves.....	\$28,875
Bustles.....	8,610	Provisions, Chinese.....	130,950
Cassia.....	89,555	Rattan and ware.....	20,355
Cassia oil.....	95,315	Rice.....	427,995
China ware.....	12,630	Sauce, Chinese.....	10,730
Clothing.....	96,970	Shoes, Chinese.....	29,730
Essential oil.....	21,985	Silk piece goods.....	43,930
Fans.....	3,495	Sugar, refined.....	321,260
Firecrackers.....	49,125	Tea.....	105,795
Flour.....	23,495	Tobacco.....	34,900
Matting.....	53,490	Wine.....	34,690
Medicines.....	18,360	Wood and wooden ware.....	10,755
Oil, peanut.....	103,315	Sundries.....	35,050
Opium, prepared.....	65,600	Total.....	1,950,785
Paper.....	16,375		

CURRENCY.

The currency of Hongkong is on a silver basis, and the low price of silver, taken in connection with daily fluctuations of the silver dollar from 43 to 46 cents gold, has had, it is claimed by merchants, a disastrous effect on trade. The newspapers here are now advocating the adoption of a gold currency, but it is pointed out that such a measure will be a very much greater experiment here than in Singapore or Japan, as Hongkong stands at the portal of the greatest silver-using nation in the world—China—a nation that from its very unwieldiness and vastness could not lay down new currency laws with any hope of their becoming effective within the next decade.

I think, however, that the question will have the early consideration of the colonial legislature. The matter will be watched with interest by all.

POSTAL RATES.

The postage rates in Hongkong are as follows (Mexican currency):

	Letters, per one- half ounce.	News- papers, per 2 ounces.
	Cents.	Cents.
Union countries.....	10	2
Nonunion countries.....	10 to 20	2 to 5
Local.....	2	2

The mail is delivered by Government carriers at Government expense.

QUARANTINE.

The quarantine regulations are much the same as those of any other great port. Ships with infectious or contagious diseases aboard are compelled to go to the quarantine station, while persons aboard are sent to the hospital ship *Hygeia*. The regulations are strictly enforced and have proven effective.

THE PORT OF SHANGHAI AND THE TRADE OF CHINA.

The port of Shanghai having two-thirds of the entire foreign imports into China, the following statement of its commerce and carrying trade, by the United States consul-general at that point, is republished from the United States Consular Reports, 1896:

As China comes more under the influence of western civilization and commercial enterprise, Shanghai will increase in importance as a distributing center of foreign trade. It is now the commercial capital of the Empire, and it will then be a center of political, military, and diplomatic influence. At present it is a port of call for tourists and the starting point for all who, for pleasure, information, or business, seek to penetrate the interior of China. In this respect the unique position of Shanghai lends importance to the inquiry as to how the visitors and settlers from Europe and America are conveyed to China, and the routes likely to be patronized in the future.

There are at present eight steamship companies engaged in this passenger traffic: The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company (British), the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes (French), the North German Lloyd (German), the Austrian Lloyd (Austrian), the Canadian Pacific (British), the Pacific Mail, and the Occidental and Oriental Steamship Company.

The Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Company possess a fleet of fifty-five vessels (including seven now building or fitting out), with a total registered tonnage of 264,257 tons. This company maintains a fortnightly service to Shanghai, but passengers coming hither by it from Europe have to be transferred at Colombo from the best ships of the fleet to others of smaller dimensions and inferior accommodations, but fairly comfortable.

The Messageries Maritimes have a fleet of fifty-nine vessels, with a total gross tonnage of 195,933 tons. They render a fortnightly service between Marseilles and Shanghai, alternating with the Peninsular and Oriental. But the Messageries Maritimes passengers are not subjected to the inconvenience of a transfer from one ship to another. With the exception of the *Ernest Simons*, the tonnage of the French vessels employed on the China route does not exceed 4,259 tons.

The North German Lloyds have a fleet of thirteen vessels, with a total registered tonnage of 213,351 tons. Of this fleet, nine come to Shanghai from Bremen, their tonnage ranging from 5,316 to 6,613. The service is monthly.

The Austrian Lloyds have a fleet of seventy-four vessels, with a total gross tonnage of 138,273 tons. The service of this line to Shanghai, which is also monthly, is performed by eleven ships, of which the *Marquis Bacquehem* has the highest tonnage (4,409) and the *Berenice* the lowest (2,625). The service is an accelerated one between Trieste and Bombay, where passengers to China are transferred to one of the eleven ships referred to.

In addition to the first-class companies conveying mails and passengers to and from Europe through the Suez Canal, there are four others on the same route, which, while chiefly carrying freight, afford passenger accommodations to a limited extent. They are the Glen Line, the Shire Line, the Ocean Steamship Company (Blue Funnel Line), and the China Mutual.

Regular direct communication between Shanghai and the American continent is maintained by the three steamers of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company—*Empress of India*, *Empress of China*, and *Empress of Japan*, all three of 6,000 tons. The service performed by this line consists of fifteen voyages each way in twelve months.

From the foregoing it will be seen that the passenger traffic to Shanghai is well catered for by the leading European countries and Canada, and, in this connection, it may be pointed out that the first-class steamship companies named are subsidized by their governments, who do all in their power to foster the carrying trade under their respective flags.

With reference to vessels flying the American flag, the facts are: There are three American steamship companies carrying mails and passengers across the Pacific to China—two from San Francisco, viz, the Pacific Mail and the Occidental and Oriental, which, however, have a working arrangement which makes their interests identical, and the Northern Pacific Steamship Company, whose port of departure is Tacoma.

Not oftener than once a year has a steamer of the San Francisco lines anchored off Woosung or Shanghai. Indeed, it is not easy to obtain reliable information here about them, the agency being in the hands of a Japanese steamship company, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

The Pacific Mail and the Occidental and Oriental have between them a fleet of eight ships, several of which are as fine as those of any line, large, and all comfortable, but the aggregate gross tonnage I do not know. These steamers bring passengers and mail to Japan, where those destined for Shanghai are transferred to the steamship lines from Japan to Shanghai.

The Northern Pacific (Tacoma) Company have a fleet of three vessels of a gross tonnage of 9,310 tons; to these must be added two chartered steamers, and there is a prospect of the fleet being increased at an early date. These steamers, however, only call at Shanghai during the summer months, when inducements are offered, the prescribed route being Tacoma, Victoria, British Columbia, Yokohama, Kóbé, and Hongkong. During the winter they never touch at Shanghai, and homeward passengers are not even booked from here, but have to find their way first to Japan as best they can.

That the future route to China, with or without the Nicaragua Canal, will be across the Pacific is a fact admitted here even by persons interested in and connected with the carrying trade through the Suez Canal. The question is into whose lap the fruit now ripening will drop. Every natural advantage is on the side of America. The Canadian Pacific steamers accomplish the voyage from Vancouver to Shanghai in nineteen days, and could reduce the time to seventeen. The Tacoma and San Francisco lines should be able to make equally good time. The time required to Marseilles, via the Suez Canal, is thirty-three days. A passenger bound from Shanghai to London, via Vancouver, over the American continent and across the Atlantic, would reach his destination four days earlier than if he traveled by way of the Suez Canal. The fares by the Pacific route compare favorably with those of the British and French lines, and could possibly be still further reduced, for the North German Lloyd Company states that passengers to China from Europe by way of America can obtain through tickets in Bremen at prices considerably lower than those charged in New York.

It would seem from the above facts that the time has come when something should be done to modify the present disparity between the United States and European countries in the carrying trade of Shanghai. Freight will follow in the wake of passenger traffic, and it should be remembered that half of the whole trade of China in foreign vessels is credited in the official returns to Shanghai.

POPULATION OF PRINCIPAL CITIES OF CHINA.

[From Century Dictionary and Cyclopedia.]

Canton	2,000,000	Tengchau	230,000	Onhwei	75,000
Tientsin	950,000	Chaochau	200,000	Shasi	73,000
Peking	900,000	Nanche	200,000	Kalgan	70,000
Hangchau	800,000	Nankang	150,000	Macao	68,000
Siangtan	700,000	Nanchang	130,000	Newchwang	60,000
Fuchau	636,000	Nanking	130,000	Sining	60,000
Hankau	600,000	Chink	130,000	Kinkiang	53,000
Changchau	500,000	Paoting	125,000	Changte (Hunan)	50,000
Kingtechen	500,000	Chifu	120,000	Kungchang	50,000
Shaohing	500,000	Kirin (Manchur)	120,000	Taian	45,000
Singanfu	500,000	Huchau	100,000	Kiungchau	41,000
Suchau (Kiangsu)	500,000	Hanyang	100,000	Nanning	40,000
Tatsienlu	500,000	Kaifeng	100,000	Ichang	34,000
Shanghai	418,000	Taku	100,000	Guma (Turkest.)	30,000
Suchau (Szechu)	300,000	Amoy	96,000	Swatow	30,000
Changsha	300,000	Hanchung	80,000	Pakhoi	25,000
Chengtun	250,000	Kukukhoto	80,000	Kiating	25,000
Ningpo	250,000	Wenchau	80,000	Lungchau	22,000
Taiyuan	250,000	Wuhu	78,000	Kuldja	12,500
Hongkong	248,498	Chengting	75,000	Mengtsz	12,000

DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR REPRESENTATIVES.

AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES IN CHINA AND THOSE OF CHINA IN THE UNITED STATES.

AMERICAN LEGATION IN CHINA.

Edwin H. Conger, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Peking.

H. G. Squiers, Secretary of Legation, Peking.

William E. Bainbridge, Second Secretary, Peking.

Lieut. Albert L. Key, Naval Attaché.

Fleming D. Cheshire, Interpreter, Peking.

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Mr. Wu Ting-fang, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.

Mr. Shen Tung, First Secretary.

Mr. Shou Ting, Second Secretary.

Mr. Chow Tsz-chi, Second Secretary.

Mr. Chung Mun-yew, Secretary Interpreter.

Mr. Yung Kwai, Interpreter, 1506 R street.

Mr. Hwang Chung-huei, Attaché.

Mr. Chwang Hai-Kwan, Attaché.

Mr. Hsu Chao, Attaché.

Mr. Li Kwang Heng, Student Interpreter.

Shen Hsun-ye, Student.

CHINESE CONSULS IN UNITED STATES.

Chang Yin-tung, San Francisco, Consul-general.

Ho Yow, San Francisco, Consul.

Chung Pao-Hsi, New York, Acting consul.

AMERICAN CONSULATES IN CHINA.

CITY.	NAMES.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.
Amoy	Anson B. Johnson	Consul.
	Carl Johnson	Vice-consul and marshal.
	Li Ung Bing	Interpreter.
Canton	Edward Bedloe	Consul.
	Henry R. Williams	Vice-consul.
	Tsin Ching Chung	Interpreter.
Chefoo	John Fowler	Consul.
	Henry A. C. Emery	Vice and deputy consul and interpreter.
Chinkiang	William Martin	Consul.
	George E. Sevey	Vice-consul.
	Wau Bing Chung	Marshal.
Chung King	George F. Smithers	Interpreter.
	Wm. Tseug Laisun	Consul.
Fuchau	Samuel L. Gracey	Interpreter.
	Spencer P. Gracey	Consul.
	Thomas Ling	Vice-consul.
Hankau	Levi S. Wilcox	Interpreter.
	Jacob T. Child, jr.	Consul.
		Vice-consul.
		Interpreter.
		Marshal.

AMERICAN CONSULATES IN CHINA—continued.

CITY.	NAMES.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.
Hongkong	R. Wildman	Consul-general.
	Edwin Wildman	Vice and deputy consul-general.
	Chin Poy Woo	Interpreter.
Niuchwang	J. J. Frederick Bandinell	Vice and deputy consul.
Shanghai	John Goodnow	Consul-general.
	E. T. Williams	Vice consul-general.
	Arthur H. White	Deputy consul-general.
	George H. Eichelberger	Marshal.
	Stephen P. Barchet	Interpreter.
Tientsin	James W. Ragsdale	Consul.
	Sylvester G. Hill	Vice-consul.
	Bertrand Ragsdale	Marshal.
	.....	Interpreter.

LEASE OF KIAO-CHOU TO GERMANY. DETAILS FROM OFFICIAL REPORTS.

Consul Fowler, of Chefoo, in August, 1898, forwarded to the State Department the following official reports relating to the seizure and subsequent lease of Kiao-Chow Bay and vicinity, saying that the exclusive mining and railroad privileges granted in Shantung province are very valuable.

GERMANY'S PROCLAMATION.

[Translated from the Chinese.]

A PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY ADMIRAL VON DIEDERICH, COMMANDING HIS IMPERIAL GERMAN MAJESTY'S NAVAL FORCE ON THE ASIATIC STATION.

To all concerned, with reference to a cession (of territory).

I, high commissioner, in obedience to the commands of His Imperial German Majesty, have landed a force of marines, and have taken and occupied Kiao-Chow Bay, with the cluster of islands to the left, within the boundaries as set forth below:

On the west, in a straight line from the coast through Tungshan to a point 18 li (7½ miles) from Kiao-Chow, on the west at high tide; thence in a northerly direction to Tapuerh, where a custom-house is situated; thence to the confluence of the two rivers Kiao and Ta-koo, and proceeding eastward to the seacoast and on to the center of Laoshan Bay; the eastern boundary to run from the said center southward to the Chia Ti and Chalien islands.

The above-described territory is to be held by Germany for occupation, owing to the murder of German missionaries in the province of Shantung; and, as it is but right that China should be called upon to make due reparation, the said territory is therefore taken as a guaranty that it will be given as my Government may desire.

This proclamation is accordingly issued for general information, and merchants and others of the various towns in Ch'ing Tao are expected to understand that they are to pursue their usual avocations, and not give a willing ear to the inflammatory rumors of evil doers.

I also have to observe that relations of amity and friendship have always existed between my Empire and China, and, in the interruption of peace some days since, Germany made every effort in coming to the rescue, exhibiting thereby a spirit of neighborly friendliness.

The landing of a force at present must not be construed as an act of hostility to China, and you need not harbor any misgivings or suspicions (on this point); moreover, it will be the duty of the officials of my Government to protect all law-abiding people, to the end that tranquillity and peace may be attained. On the other hand, severe punishment, in accordance with Chinese law, will be inflicted on all evil doers creating a disturbance. Should there be any fierce ruffians daring to injure German subjects (or interests), it will rest with Germany to take measures for their protection, and no interference will be permitted. A willful violation of this not only will be of no advantage, but calamity may overtake the evil doer.

The officers of the Chinese Government will, however, still continue to exercise their official functions within the territory occupied by German forces; but hereafter, should there be appeals and for cases which can not be disposed of by them, they should be presented to the governor and the brigadier-general at the military yamèn for their attention and adjustment.

As regards the buying and selling of land, it will not be permitted unless the sanction of the governor be first obtained.

GERMAN EMPIRE, October 19, 1897.

Proclamation posted at the port of Kiao-Chow.

STATEMENT OF THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT.

[Extract from Shanghai Gazette of May 30, 1898.]

The following is a translation of the official memorandum of the Tsungli Yamèn with reference to the settlement of the German claims in Shantung:

An amicable arrangement of the missionary troubles at Tsaichowfu, Shantung, having been arrived at by Germany and China, the two powers immediately interested, China makes the following concessions as a mark of friendly feeling toward Germany, in the hope that the good relations existing between the two countries may always continue, that they may become more intimate, and that

their mutual commerce may expand and prosper to their mutual advantage. The first concession is the leasing of Kyao-chau and adjacent territories to Germany, to which the following conditions appertain:

I. His Majesty the Emperor of China, being desirous of preserving the existing good relations with His Majesty the Emperor of Germany and of promoting an increase of German power and influence in the Far East, sanctions the acquirement under lease by Germany of the land extending for 100 li at high tide (at Kyao-chau).

His Majesty the Emperor of China is willing that German troops should take possession of the above-mentioned territory at any time the Emperor of Germany chooses. China retains her sovereignty over this territory, and, should she at any time wish to enact laws or carry out plans within the leased area, she shall be at liberty to enter into negotiations with Germany with reference thereto; provided always that such laws or plans shall not be prejudicial to German interests. Germany may engage in works for the public benefit, such as waterworks, within the territory covered by the lease, without reference to China. Should China wish to march troops or establish garrisons therein she can only do so after negotiating with and obtaining the express permission of Germany.

II. His Majesty the Emperor of Germany being desirous, like the rulers of certain other countries, of establishing a naval and coaling station and constructing dockyards on the coast of China, the Emperor of China agrees to lease to him for the purpose all the land on the southern and northern sides of Kiao-Chou Bay for a term of ninety-nine years. Germany is to be at liberty to erect forts on this land for the defense of her possessions therein.

III. During the continuance of the lease China shall have no voice in the government or administration of the leased territory. It will be governed and administered during the whole term of ninety-nine years solely by Germany, so that the possibility of friction between the two powers may be reduced to the smallest magnitude. The lease covers the following districts:

(a) All the land in the northeast of Lienhan, adjacent to the northeastern mouth of the bay, within a straight line drawn from the northeastern corner of Yintao to Laoshanwan.

(b) All the land in the southwest of Lienhan, adjacent to the southern mouth of the bay, within a straight line drawn from a point on the shore of the bay bearing southwest by south from Tsipeshan.

(c) Tsipeshan and Yintao.

(d) The whole area of the bay of Kiao-Chou covered at high water.

(e) Certain islands at the entrance of the bay, which are ceded for the purpose of erecting forts for the defense of the German possessions.

The boundaries of the leased territory shall hereafter be more exactly defined by a commission appointed jointly by the Chinese and German Governments and consisting of Chinese and German subjects. Chinese ships of war and merchant ships and ships of war and merchant ships of countries having treaties and in a state of amity with China shall receive equal treatment with German ships of war and merchant ships in Kiao-Chou Bay during the continuance of the lease. Germany is at liberty to enact any regulations she desires for the government of the territory and harbor, provided such regulations apply impartially to the ships of all nations, Germany and China included.

IV. Germany shall be at liberty to erect whatever light-houses, beacons, and other aids to navigation she chooses within the territory leased and along the islands and coasts approaching the entrance to the harbor. Vessels of China and vessels of other countries entering the harbor shall be liable to special duties for the repair and maintenance of all light-houses, beacons, and other aids to navigation which Germany may erect and establish. Chinese vessels shall be exempt from other special duties.

V. Should Germany desire to give up her interest in the leased territory before the expiration of ninety-nine years, China shall take over the whole area and pay Germany for whatever German property may at the time of surrender be there situated. In case of such surrender taking place, Germany shall be at liberty to lease some other point along the coast. Germany shall not cede the territory leased to any other power than China. Germany shall pay a reasonable price to the native proprietors for whatever lands her Government or subjects require.

The second important concession by China to Germany is the railway and mining concession, the principal provisions of which are as follows:

I. The Chinese Government sanctions the construction by Germany of two lines of railway in Shantung. The first will run from Keao-Chou and Tsinan-fu to the boundary of Shantung province, via Wei-hsien, Tsinchow, Pashan, Tsechuen, and Suiping. The second line will connect Keao-Chou with Chinchow, whence an extension will be constructed to Tsinan through Laiwuhsien.

II. In order to carry out the above-mentioned railway works, a Chinese-German company shall be formed, with branches at whatever places may be necessary, and in this company both German and Chinese subjects shall be at liberty to invest money, if they so choose, and appoint directors for the management of the undertaking.

III. All arrangements in connection with the works specified shall be determined by a future conference of German and Chinese representatives. The Chinese Government shall afford every facility and protection and extend every welcome to representatives of the German railway company operating in Chinese territory. Profits derived from the working of these railways shall be justly divided pro rata between the shareholders without regard to nationality. The object of constructing these lines is solely the development of commerce. In inaugurating a railway system in Shantung, Germany entertains no treacherous intention toward China, and undertakes not to unlawfully seize any land in the Province.

IV. The Chinese Government shall allow German subjects to hold and develop mining property for a distance of 30 li from each side of these railways and along the whole extent of the lines. The following places where mining operations may be carried on are particularly specified: Along the northern railway from Keao-Chou to Tsinan, Wei-hsien, Pa-shan-hsien, and various other points, and along the southern Keao-Chou-Tsinan-Chinchau line, Chinchau-fu, Laiwuhsien, etc. In trying to develop mining property in China, Germany is actuated by no treacherous motives against this country, but seeks solely to increase commerce and improve the relations between the two countries.

If at any time the Chinese should form schemes for the development of Shantung, for the execution of which it is necessary to obtain foreign capital, the Chinese Government, or whatever Chinese may be interested in such schemes, shall, in the first instance, apply to German capitalists. Application shall also be made to German manufacturers for the necessary machinery and materials before the manufacturers of any other power are approached. Should German capitalists or manufacturers decline to take up the business, the Chinese shall then be at liberty to obtain money and materials from other nations.

THE CHINESE EMPIRE.

ITS GOVERNMENT, AREA, POPULATION, RELIGION, INSTRUCTION, FINANCE, DEFENSE, PRODUCTION, INDUSTRIES, COMMERCE, INTERNAL COMMUNICATION, MONEY, WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

[From Statesman's Yearbook, 1898.]

Tsait'ien, Emperor—*Hwangti*—of China; was born 1871; the son of Prince *Ch'un*, seventh brother of the Emperor *Hien-Fêng*; succeeded to the throne by proclamation, at the death of Emperor *T'ung-chi*, January 22, 1875, reigning under the style of *Kwangsi*, the ninth Emperor of China of the Manchu dynasty of Ts'ing, which overthrew the native dynasty of Ming in the year 1644. There exists no law of hereditary succession to the throne, but it is left to each sovereign to appoint his successor from among the members of his family of a younger generation than his own. The late Emperor, dying suddenly in the eighteenth year of his age, did not designate a successor, and it was in consequence of arrangements directed by the Empress Dowager, widow of the Emperor *Hien-Fêng*, predecessor and father of *T'ung-chi*, in concert with Prince *Ch'un*, that the infant son of the latter was made the nominal occupant of the throne. Having become of age, the young Emperor nominally assumed government in March, 1887, but did not assume full control of the Government till February, 1889, when the Empress Dowager withdrew. [NOTE.—The Emperor on September 22, 1898, resigned his power to the Empress Dowager, who resumed the conduct of the affairs of the Empire.]

GOVERNMENT.

The laws of the Empire are laid down in the *Ta-ts'ing-hwei-tien*, or "Collected Regulations of the Ts'ing dynasty," which prescribe the government of the State to be based upon the government of the family.

The supreme direction of the Empire is vested in the *Chün Chi Ch'u*, the Privy Council, or Grand Council. The administration is under the supreme direction of the *Nei-ko* or Cabinet, comprising four members, two of Manchu and two of Chinese origin, besides two assistants from the *Han-lin*, or Great College, who have to see that nothing is done contrary to the civil and religious laws of the Empire, contained in the *Ta-ts'ing-hwei-tien* and in the sacred books of Confucius. These members are denominated "*Ta-hsio-shih*," or ministers of state. Under their orders are the *Ch'i-pu*, or seven boards of government, each of which is presided over by a Manchu and a Chinese. These boards are: (1) the board of civil appointments, which takes cognizance of the conduct and administration of all civil officers; (2) the board of revenues, regulating all financial affairs; (3) the board of rites and ceremonies, which enforces the laws and customs to be observed by the people; (4) the military board; (5) the board of public works; (6) the high tribunal of criminal jurisdiction; and (7) the admiralty board at Tientsin, established in 1885.

Independent of the Government, and theoretically above the central administration, is the *Tu-ch'a-yuen*, or board of public censors. It consists of from 40 to 50 members, under two presidents, the one of Manchu and the other of Chinese birth. By the ancient custom of the Empire all the members of this board are privileged to present any remonstrance to the sovereign. One censor must be present at the meetings of each of the Government boards.

The *Tsungli Yamèn*, or foreign office, was created by a decree of January 19, 1861, and comprises among its members all those of the council of state and six other officials of the highest rank. It controls not merely the matters with foreign nations, but also those institutions in which foreigners form part of the working staff, such as the maritime customs, Peking University (*Tung Wên Kwan*), etc.

Local government.

Each of the 18 provinces is ruled by a governor or governor-general, who is responsible to the Emperor for the entire administration—political, judicial, military, and fiscal. He is assisted by a council and various other officials, such as the treasurer, the subcommissioner, and the literary chancellor. Each province is subdivided into departments ruled by prefects, and each department into districts, each with a district ruler. Two or more departments are sometimes united into a *tau*, the ruler of which is called a *tautai*. Each town and village has also its governing body, and among the various rulers there is regular gradation of rank, each being responsible to his immediate superior. Political office in the general administration of the Empire is less sought after than the position of viceroy or governor in the provinces, where the opportunities of acquiring wealth, not from official salaries, but from gifts, etc., are abundant.

AREA AND POPULATION.

Hitherto the population has been much overestimated. A recent estimate of the population of China proper will be found below. The following table gives a statement of the area and population of the whole of the Chinese Empire according to the latest estimates:

	Area.	Population.
	<i>Eng. sq. miles.</i>	
China proper	1,336,841	386,000,000
Dependencies:		
Manchuria.....	362,310	7,500,000
Mongolia	1,288,000	2,000,000
Tibet	651,500	6,000,000
Jungaria.....	147,950	600,000
East Tarkestan.....	431,800	580,000
Total	4,218,401	402,680,000

According to official data referring to 1842, the population of the 18 provinces of China proper and Formosa was 413,000,000; other estimates gave 350,000,000. In the following table the figures with an asterisk (*) are from Chinese official data for 1882; those with a dagger (†) have the population of 1879. Fukien is estimated on the basis of the census of 1844.

PROVINCES.	Area (English square miles).	Population.	Population per square mile.
Chili.....	58,949	17,937,000	304
Shantung.....	53,762	36,247,835	557
Shansi.....	56,268	12,211,453	221
Honan.....	66,913	22,115,827	340
Kiangsu.....	44,500	20,905,171	470
Nganhwei.....	48,461	20,596,288	425
Kiangsi.....	72,176	24,534,118	340
Chéhkíang.....	39,150	11,588,692	296
Fukien.....	38,500	22,190,556	574
Hupei.....	70,450	33,322,850	473
Hunan.....	74,320	21,002,604	282
Shensi.....	67,400	8,432,193	126
Kansu.....	125,450	9,285,377	74
Szechuen.....	166,800	67,712,897	406
Kwangtung (with Hainan).....	79,456	29,706,249	377
Kwangsi.....	78,250	5,151,327	65
Kweichau.....	64,554	7,669,181	118
Yünnan.....	107,969	11,721,576	108
Total.....	1,312,328	383,253,029	292

The island of Formosa was ceded to Japan in accordance with the terms of the treaty of peace ratified and exchanged at Chefoo on the 8th of May, 1895. The formal transfer of the island was effected on the 2d of June, 1895.

In December, 1897, the Germans seized the port of Kiau-Chau, on the east coast of Shantung, and in January, 1898, obtained from the Chinese a 99 years' lease of the town, harbor, and district. The harbor of Port Arthur, by agreement with the Chinese Government, has been occupied by the Russians.

According to a return of the imperial customs authorities, the total number of foreigners resident in the open ports of China was 10,855 at the end of 1896. Among them were 4,362 British subjects, 1,439 Americans, 852 Japanese, 933 Frenchmen, 870 Germans, 871 Portuguese, 410 Spaniards, and 407 Swedes and Norwegians, all other nationalities being represented by very few members. About one-half of the total number of foreigners resided at Shanghai.

RELIGION.

Three religions are acknowledged by the Chinese as indigenous and adopted, viz, Confucianism, Buddhism, and Taoism.

The Emperor is considered the sole high priest of the Empire, and can alone, with his immediate representatives and ministers, perform the great religious ceremonies. No ecclesiastical hierarchy is maintained at the public expense, nor any priesthood attached to the Confucian religion. The Confucian is the State religion, if the respect paid to the memory of the great teacher can be called religion at all. But distinct and totally separate from the stated periodic observances of respect offered to the memory of Confucius as the holy man of old, and totally unconnected therewith, there is the distinct worship of heaven (t'ien), in which the Emperor, as the "sole high priest," worships and sacrifices to "heaven" every year at the time of the winter solstice at the Altar of Heaven, in Pekin. With the exception of the practice of ancestral worship, which is everywhere observed throughout the Empire and was fully commended by Confucius, Confucianism has little outward ceremonial. The study and contemplation and attempted performance of the moral precepts of the ancients constitute the duties of a Confucianist. Buddhism and Taoism present a very gorgeous and elaborate ritual in China, Taoism (originally a pure philosophy) having abjectly copied Buddhist ceremonial on the arrival of Buddhism one thousand eight hundred years ago. Large numbers of the Chinese in middle and southern China profess and practice all three religions. The bulk of the people, however, are Buddhist. There are probably about 30,000,000 Mohammedans, chiefly in the northeast and southwest. Roman Catholicism has long had a footing in China, and is estimated to have about 1,000,000 adherents, with 25 bishoprics besides those of Manchuria, Thibet, Mongolia, and Korea. Other Christian societies have stations in many parts of the country, the number of Protestant adherents being estimated at 50,000. Most of the aboriginal hill tribes are still nature worshipers, and ethnically are distinct from the prevailing Mongoloid population.

INSTRUCTION.

Education of a certain type is very general, but still there are vast masses of adult countrymen in China who can neither read nor write. There is a special literary class, who alone know the literature of their country, to the study of which they devote their lives. There are boarding schools and day schools for boys and young men, the latter being held in the entrance halls of temples and in the spare chambers of guilds, and in all the important cities there are colleges for training candidates for degrees. Examinations, mainly confined to moral philosophy and literature, are held in the prefectorial cities of each province twice in three years for the lower degree necessary as a passport to the public service, but of the six or seven thousand candidates who come forward not more than sixty can be admitted to the degree of literary chancellor. For the higher degree examinations are held in each provincial capital once in three years, and the successful candidates are subjected to a third and a fourth examination, those who finally emerge being divided into four classes to wait for appointments to offices of different grades. There are, however, other means (e. g., military service) by which such appointments may be obtained. In 1887, for the first time, mathematics were admitted with the Chinese classics among the subjects of examination, and schools for the propagation of western science and literature are now on the increase. The "Tung Wên Kwan," or College of Foreign Knowledge, at Pekin, is a Government institution, where the English, French, German, and Russian languages and mathematics, chemistry, physiology, etc., are taught by European and American professors, while the Chinese education of the pupils is intrusted to Chinese teachers. There are, besides, numerous Catholic and Protestant mission schools and colleges at

Shanghai and other ports, where the English language and lower branches of western science are taught. The Chinese Government has of late years established naval and military colleges and torpedo schools in connection with the different arsenals at Tientsin, Nanking, Shanghai, and Foochow, in which foreign instructors are engaged to teach such young Chinese as intend to make their career in the army or navy of their country western modes of warfare, besides western languages and literature. Seven Chinese newspapers are published at Shanghai, and the success they have achieved has led to the establishment of others at some of the other treaty ports.

FINANCE.

No general statement of the revenue and expenditure of China is made public, and such estimates as have been formed by Europeans are founded on financial reports of provincial governors published in the Pekin Gazette. Except the foreign maritime and a few native customs, the entire revenue is collected by provincial agents. The board of revenue at Pekin issues annually to each of the provincial governors a statement of the amount required from his province for the following year, and when to this amount is added the sum necessary for local administration, civil and military, the revenue to be provided by each collector is ascertained. The amount actually levied, however, greatly exceeds this, and the surplus, which may amount to 50 or 70 per cent of the total, disappears in the form of costs, or in presents to official superiors, or remains in the hands of the collectors. The following estimate, taken from a report by Consul Jamieson, of Shanghai, is based on figures for the three years preceding the Japanese war, and shows the sums accounted for by the provincial authorities:

SOURCES OF REVENUE.		Amount.
		<i>Taels.</i>
Land tax, silver.....		25,088,000
Land tax, grain.....		6,562,000
Salt duty and likin.....		13,659,000
Likin on merchandise.....		12,952,000
Foreign maritime customs (1893).....		21,989,000
Native custom-houses.....		1,000,000
Duty and likin on native opium.....		2,229,000
Miscellaneous duties.....		5,550,000
Total.....		88,979,000
BRANCHES OF EXPENDITURE.		Amount.
Remittances:		<i>Taels.</i>
Metropolitan administration, Manchu garrisons, and the imperial household.....		19,478,000
Board of admiralty (Peiyang squadron).....		5,000,000
Southern naval squadrons.....		5,000,000
Forts, guns, and coast defense.....		8,000,000
Defense of Manchuria.....		1,848,000
Kansuh and central Asia.....		4,800,000
Aids to Yunnan and Kweichow.....		1,655,000
Interest and repayment of foreign loans.....		2,500,000
Railway construction.....		500,000
Public works, river embankments, sea wall, etc.....		1,500,000
Customs administration, including maintenance of light-houses, beacons, and revenue cruisers.....		2,478,000
Administration of 18 provinces, including cost of troops.....		36,220,000
Total.....		88,979,000

The land tax varies in different provinces from 10d. or 1s. to 6s. 6d. or more per acre. The rate of incidence is theoretically fixed, but under other names additional taxes are imposed on land. Salt is a Government monopoly, all producers being required to sell to Government agents, who, at a price which covers the duty, resell to merchants provided with "salt warrants." Likin is a tax imposed on merchandise in course of transportation, payable at appointed barriers; with it is now united a producers' tax.

The collection of the revenue on the Chinese foreign trade and the administration of the lights on the coast of China are under the management of the imperial customs department, the head of which is a foreigner (British), under whom is a large staff of European, American, and Chinese subordinates, the department being organized somewhat similarly to the English civil service. It has an agency in London.

The receipts amounted to 7,872,257 haikwan taels, or £2,361,677 (ex. 6s.), in 1864, and, gradually increasing, have risen to 21,989,300 haikwan taels (including 5,362,733 taels, opium likin), or £4,329,143 (ex. 3s. 11½d.), in 1893; to 22,523,605 haikwan taels (including 5,050,303 taels, opium likin), or £3,601,430 (ex. 3s. 2½d.), in 1894; to 21,385,389 haikwan taels (including 4,104,145 taels, opium likin), or £3,497,402 (ex. 3s. 3½d.), in 1895; to 22,579,366 haikwan taels (including 3,919,759 taels, opium likin), or £3,763,227 (ex. 3s. 4d.), in 1896.

The existing debt of China has arisen almost entirely out of the recent war with Japan. In 1887 there was contracted a German loan of 5,000,000 marks in gold at 5½ per cent. In 1894 a foreign silver loan of £1,635,000 was raised at 7 per cent, and in February, 1895, a gold loan of £3,000,000, both on the security of the customs revenue, while other advances, on the same security, amounting to over £2,000,000 were obtained from local banks and foreign syndicates. Internal loans were also obtained amounting to nearly £5,000,000. The war indemnity to be paid to Japan amounted to 200,000,000 kuping, or imperial treasury, taels, and the compensation for the retrocession for the Leao-tong peninsula to 30,000,000 taels. Consequently, in 1895, another foreign loan was raised amounting to £15,820,000 at 5 per cent, and in March, 1896, an Anglo-German loan of £16,000,000 at 5 per cent was contracted. The outstanding amount of the foreign debt is put at about £38,800,000.

During 1897 negotiations were carried on for the issue of a new loan of £16,000,000, and had not been concluded in January, 1898.

DEFENSE.

The army of China comprises—

1. The Eight Banners, nominally containing about 300,000 men, descendants of the Manchu conquerors and their allies. The number maintained on a war footing is from 80,000 to 100,000. The whole force is subdivided into three groups, consisting, respectively, of Manchus, Mongols, and Chinese, and forms a sort of hereditary profession within which intermarriage is compulsory. About 37,000 are stationed in garrisons in Manchuria; the Imperial Guard at Pekin contains from 4,000 to 6,000.

2. The Ying Ping, or National Army, called also the Green Flags and the Five Camps (five being the unit of subdivision). This army consists of 18 corps, one for each province, under the governor or governor-general. The nominal strength is from 540,000 to 660,000 men, of whom about 200,000 are available for war, never more than one-third being called out. The most important contingent is the Tientsin Army Corps, nominally 100,000 strong, really about 35,000, with modern organization, drill, and arms, employed in garrison duty at Tientsin, and at Taku and other forts.

Besides these forces there are mercenary troops, raised in emergencies, and Mongolian and other irregular cavalry, nominally 200,000 strong, really about 20,000, but of no military value. The total land army on peace footing is put at 300,000 men, and on war footing at about 1,000,000, but the army, as a whole, has no unity or cohesion; there is no proper discipline, the drill is mere physical exercise, the weapons are long since obsolete, and there is no transport, commissariat, or medical service.

The Chinese navy, during the war with Japan, disappointed those who regarded it as an effective fighting force. At the opening of hostilities, on July 25, 1894, when the *Kowshing* transport was sunk, an engagement took place between the Japanese cruiser *Yoshino* and the *Tai Yuen*, with other vessels, and the small Chinese cruiser *Kuang Yi* was driven ashore and destroyed. In the battle of the Yalu (September 17), or in immediate consequence of that action, the barbette armor-clad *King Yuen*, 2,850 tons, and the cruisers *Chih Yuen*, 2,300 tons, *Chao Yung*, 1,350 tons, *Yang Wei*, 1,350 tons, and *Kuang Ki*, 1,030 tons, were sunk or burned. Subsequently, at Wei Hai Wei, the barbette ship *Ting Yuen* and the cruiser *Ching Yuen* were sunk, and the armor-clad *Chen Yuen* was captured. The Chinese fleet is organized in district squadrons, which are severally raised and maintained by the provincial viceroys. At the conclusion of the war the *Chen Hai* and the *Kang Chi* alone remained to China of her effective Pei Yang squadron. Some smaller vessels had been put in hand of the torpedo class, and have since been added to the fleet. Among these are the torpedo cruisers *Feiyang*, 850 tons, and the *Feiting*, 1,000 tons. The small cruiser *Hai Yung*, 2,950 tons, has been launched at Stettin, where two sister ships are being constructed. Messrs. Armstrong launched a protected cruiser of 4,300 tons, the *Hai Tien*, in November, 1897, and have a sister ship in hand.

PRODUCTION AND INDUSTRY.

China is essentially an agricultural country, and the land is all freehold, held by families on the payment of an annual tax. Lands and houses are registered, and when a sale takes place the purchaser, on informing the district ruler, receives, besides the document given by the seller, an official statement of the transfer, for which he pays at the rate of 6 per cent of the purchase money. Land, however, can not be sold until all the near kindred have successively refused to purchase. The holdings are, in general, small; the farm animals are oxen and buffaloes; the implements used are primitive; irrigation is common. Horticulture is a favorite pursuit, and fruit trees are grown in great variety. Wheat, barley, maize, and millet, and other cereals, with pease and beans, are chiefly cultivated in the north, and rice in the south. Sugar, indigo, and cotton are cultivated in the south provinces. Opium has become a crop of increasing importance. Tea is cultivated exclusively in the west and south, in Fu Chien, Hupei, Hu Nan, Chianghsi, Cheh Chiang, Anhui, Kuangtung, and Szech'wan. The culture of silk is equally important with that of tea. The mulberry tree grows everywhere, but the best and the most silk comes from Kuangtung, Szech'wan, Cheh Chiang, and Kiangsu. An important feature in the development of the Chinese industries is the erection of cotton mills in Shanghai, and of silk filatures in Shanghai, Canton, and elsewhere. Two native cotton mills were started in 1890, and recently four foreign mill companies have been successfully floated.

All the eighteen provinces contain coal, and China may be regarded as one of the first coal countries of the world. The coal mines at Kaip'ing, northern Chihli, under foreign supervision, have been very productive. At Hankow coal mines have also been worked. There are also considerable stores of iron and copper remaining to be worked, and in Yunnan Japanese mining engineers have been employed to teach the people how to apply modern methods to copper mining, which is an industry of some antiquity in that province.

COMMERCE.

For details of commerce see statements of imports and exports in accompanying tables.

INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS.

China is traversed in all directions by numerous roads, and, though none are paved or metaled, and all are badly kept, a vast internal trade is carried on partly over them, but chiefly by means of numerous canals and navigable rivers. The railway from Tientsin to Pekin, a distance of 73 miles, has been completed, and was opened to public traffic on June 30, 1897. The construction of the Shanghai-Woosung railway (12 miles) has already been commenced, and will be completed by the spring of 1898. A small railway was constructed from the Kaip'ing mines for conveyance of coal to Hokau, situated on the Petang, a river 10 miles north of the Peiho, and was subsequently extended to deep water on the Petang. A continuation has been completed from Petang, via Taku, to Tientsin and Linsi, and is being carried on to Shanhaikwan. The imperial Chinese telegraphs are being rapidly extended all over the Empire. There is a line between Pekin and Tientsin, one which connects the capital with the principal places in Manchuria up to the Russian frontier on the Amur and the Ussuri; while Newchang, Chifu, Shanghai, Yangchow, Suchau, all the seven treaty ports on the Yangtze, Canton, Wuchau, Lungchau, and all the principal cities in the Empire are now connected with each other and with the capital. The line from Canton, westerly, has penetrated to Yunnanfu, the capital of Yunnan Province, and beyond it to Manwyne, near the borders of Burmah. Shanghai is also in communication with Fuchau, Amoy, Kashing, Shaoshing, Ningpo, etc. Lines have been constructed between Fuchau and Canton, and between Taku, Port Arthur, and Seoul, the capital of Korea, and the line along the Yangtze Valley has been extended to Chungking, in Szechuen Province. By an arrangement recently made with the Russian telegraph authorities the Chinese and Siberian lines in the Amur Valley were joined in the latter part of 1882, so that there is now direct overland communication between Pekin and Europe.

The postal work of the Empire is carried on, under the minister of war, by means of post carts and runners. In the eighteen provinces are 8,000 offices for postcards, and scattered over the whole of the Chinese territories are 2,040 offices for runners. There are also numerous private postal couriers, and during the winter a service between the office of the foreign customs at Pekin and the

outports. The imperial Chinese post-office was opened on February 2, 1897, the management being confided to the inspector-general of the imperial maritime customs. China has also notified the Swiss Government of her intention of joining the Universal Postal Union.

MONEY, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES.

The sole official coinage and the monetary unit of China is the copper cash, of which about 1,600—1,700 = 1 haikwan tael, and about 22 = 1 penny. The silver sycee is the usual medium of exchange. Large payments are made, by weight, of silver bullion, the standard being the liang or tael, which varies at different places. The haikwan (or customs) tael, being one tael weight of pure silver, was equal in October, 1896, to 3s. 4½d., or 5.95 haikwan taels to a pound sterling.

By an imperial decree, issued during 1890, the silver dollar coined at the new Canton mint is made current all over the Empire. It is of the same value as the Mexican and the United States silver dollars, and as the Japanese silver yen. Foreign coins are looked upon but as bullion, and usually taken by weight, except at the treaty ports.

WEIGHT.

10 sze	= 1 hu.
10 hu	= 1 hao.
10 hao	= 1 li (nominal cash).
10 li	= 1 fun (candaren).
10 fun	= 1 tsien (mace).
10 tsien	= 1 liang (tael) = 1½ oz. avoirdupois by treaty.
16 liang	= 1 kin (catty) = 1½ lbs. avoirdupois by treaty.
100 kin	= 1 tan (picul) = 133½ lbs. avoirdupois by treaty.

CAPACITY.

10 ko	= 1 sheng.
10 sheng	= 1 tou (holding from 6½ to 10 kin of rice and measuring from 1.13 to 1.63 gallons). Commodities, even liquids, such as oil, spirits, etc., are commonly bought and sold by weight.

LENGTH.

10 fun	= 1 tsun (inch).
10 tsun	= 1 chih (foot) = 14.1 English inches by treaty.
10 chih	= 1 chang = 2 fathoms.
1 li	= approximately 3 cables.

In the tariff settled by treaty between Great Britain and China, the chih of 14½ English inches has been adopted as the legal standard. The standards of weight and length vary all over the Empire, the chih, for example, ranging from 9 to 16 English inches, and the chang (= 10 chih) in proportion, but at the treaty ports the use of the foreign treaty standard of chih and chang is becoming common.

VALUE OF HAIKWAN TAEI IN EACH YEAR FROM 1874 TO 1899.

The value of the Haikwan tael, obtained from the average price of silver for each year, as computed by the Director of the Mint, has been as follows: 1874, \$1.52242; 1875, \$1.47896; 1876, \$1.38588; 1877, \$1.43082; 1878, \$1.37331; 1879, \$1.338; 1880, \$1.36318; 1881, \$1.34796; 1882, \$1.35193; 1883, \$1.31993; 1884, \$1.32224; 1885, \$1.26797; 1886, \$1.18413; 1887, \$1.16602. Since 1887, the value of the Haikwan tael, as computed by the Director of the Mint on January 1 of each year, has been as follows: 1888, \$1.15,1; 1890, \$1.14,8; 1891, \$1.27; 1892, \$1.13,7; 1893, \$1.01; 1894, \$0.84,9; 1895, \$0.74,9; 1896, \$0.80,8; 1897, \$0.78; 1898, \$0.69,7.

CUSTOMS TARIFF OF CHINA.

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MONEY, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES.

MONEY: Tael = 72.2 cents (approximate value = 10 mace or 100 conderin or 1,000 cash).

WEIGHTS: Picul = 133½ pounds avoirdupois. Catty = 1½ avoirdupois.

LENGTH: Chang = 2 fathoms.

	Tls. m. c. c.		Tls. m. c. c.
Agar-agar	100 catties..	0	1 5 0
Agaric (<i>see</i> Fungus).			
Almonds (<i>see</i> Apricot seeds).			
Alum	do....	0	0 4 5
Alum, green, or copperas	do....	0	1 0 0
Aniseed, broken	do....	0	2 5 0
Aniseed oil	do....	5	0 0 0
Aniseed, star	100 catties..	0	5 0 0
Antimacassars (<i>see</i> Articles de tapisserie).			
Antiques (<i>see</i> Curiosities).			
Apricot seeds, or almonds	do....	0	4 5 0
Armlets, glass (<i>see</i> Bangles).			
Arrowroot (<i>see</i> Sago).			
Arsenic	do....	0	4 5 0

	Tls. m. c. c.		Tls. m. c. c.
Articles de ménage (including drawing-room, dining room, bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, pantry and counting-house furniture; furniture for billiard room, bowling alley, and racket court; safes, stoves, grates, cooking ranges, fire irons, fenders, coal scuttles, etc.; cornices and curtains, etc.; gas fittings, bells, etc.; books, music, musical instruments, scientific instruments and apparatus, etc.; saddlery, harness, and carriages; foreign carpeting and drug-geting, etc. Excluding clocks, musical boxes, pictures, paintings, looking glasses, mirrors, curiosities, lampwicks, mats, quilts, blankets, rugs of hair or skin, Chinese carpets and druggets, leather trunks, native chinaware, pottery, and earthenware)	Free.	Building materials not specified in tariff, imported for other than official purposes, ad valorem.....	5 per cent.
Articles de tapisserie (including Berlin wool work, antimacassars, etc.)	Free.	Building materials imported for official residences or offices.....	Free.
Artificial flowers.....100 catties..	1 5 0 0	Bullion, gold and silver.....	Free.
Asafetida.....do.....	0 6 5 0	Bunting (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).	
Bambooware.....do.....	0 7 5 0	Butter (including condensed and desiccated milk)....	Free.
Bangles or armlets, glass.....do.....	0 5 0 0	Buttons, brass (<i>see</i> Brass buttons).	
Bar iron (<i>see</i> Metals).		Cakes (<i>see</i> Confectionery).	
Beams (<i>see</i> Timber).		Camagon wood (<i>see</i> Wood, camagon).	
Beancake (including guano a.).....do.....	0 0 3 5	Cambrics (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).	
Bean oil (<i>see</i> Oil).		Camels' hair (<i>see</i> Hair, camels').	
Beans and pease.....do.....	0 0 6 0	Camels' wool (<i>see</i> Wool, camels').	
Beaver skins (<i>see</i> Skins, beaver).		Camlets (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).	
Bed quilts, cotton (<i>see</i> Palampore).		Camphor.....100 catties..	0 7 5 0
Beef and pork (<i>see</i> Meats).		Camphor, Baroos, clean.....catty..	1 3 0 0
Beer (<i>see</i> Wines)	Free.	Camphor, Baroos, refuse.....do.....	0 7 2 0
Beeswax, yellow.....100 catties..	1 0 0 0	Candles, foreign.....	Free.
Bells (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).		Canes.....thousand..	0 5 0 0
Berlin wool work (<i>see</i> Articles de tapisserie).		Cannon (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).	
Betel-nuts.....do.....	0 1 5 0	Cantharides.....100 catties..	2 0 0 0
Betel-nut husk.....do.....	0 0 7 5	Canvas and cotton duck, not exceeding 50 yards long.....piece..	0 4 0 0
Bezoar, cow (<i>see</i> Cow bezoar).		Capoor cutchery.....100 catties..	0 3 0 0
Bicho de mar, black.....do.....	1 5 0 0	Caps, felt (<i>see</i> Felt caps).	
Bicho de mar, white.....do.....	0 3 5 0	Caps, silk (<i>see</i> Silk).	
Birds' nests, first quality.....catty..	0 5 5 0	Cardamoms, superior.....do.....	1 0 0 0
Birds' nests, second quality.....do.....	0 4 5 0	Cardamoms, inferior, or grains of Paradise.....do.....	0 5 0 0
Birds' nests, third quality, or uncleaned.....do.....	0 1 5 0	Carpeting, foreign (including oil floor cloth; excluding Chinese carpets).....	Free.
Biscuit, all kinds, plain and fancy	Free.	Carpeting, foreign (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Bitters (<i>see</i> Wines).		Carpets and druggets (not including foreign carpeting and druggeting).....hundred..	3 5 0 0
Blankets (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).		Carriages (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Blotting paper (<i>see</i> Stationery).		Cash (<i>see</i> Copper cash).	
Bombazettes, (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).		Cassia buds.....100 catties..	0 8 0 0
Bonbons (<i>see</i> Confectionery).		Cassia lignea.....do.....	0 6 0 0
Boneware and hornware.....100 catties..	1 5 0 0	Cassia oil.....do.....	9 0 0 0
Books, Chinese (<i>see</i> Paper, first quality).		Cassia twigs.....do.....	0 1 5 0
Books, foreign (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).		Cassimeres (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).	
Boots, Chinese (<i>see</i> Shoes and boots).		Castor oil.....do.....	0 2 0 0
Boots, foreign (<i>see</i> Clothing, foreign).		Castor oil, foreign, if arriving in quantities of less than 100 catties weight.....	Free.
Bracelets, foreign (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).		Caviare (<i>see</i> Meats).	
Brass buttons (export tariff).....do.....	3 0 0 0	Ceruse (<i>see</i> Lead, white).	
Brass buttons (import tariff).....gross..	0 0 5 5	Charcoal.....	Free.
Brass foil.....100 catties..	1 5 0 0	Charms, foreign (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).	
Brassware.....do.....	1 0 0 0	Cheese.....	Free.
Brass wire.....do.....	1 1 5 0	Chestnuts.....100 catties..	0 1 0 0
Brick tea (<i>see</i> Tea, brick).		China root.....do.....	0 1 3 0
Brimstone and sulphur (can not be imported or exported except under special authority). 100 catties..	0 2 0 0	Chinaware, coarse (including Swatow native china-ware; not including coarse chinaware of the value of tael 1 to tael 1.50 per picul exported from Pakhoi, which pays as pottery, earthenware).....100 catties..	0 4 5 0
Broadcloth (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).		Chinaware, fine.....do.....	0 9 0 0
Brocades (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).		Chintzes (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).	
Brooches (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).		Chocolate (<i>see</i> Confectionery).	
Buffalo hides (<i>see</i> Hides, buffalo).		Chutneys (<i>see</i> Vegetables).	
Buffalo horns (<i>see</i> Horns, buffalo).		Cigar cases (<i>see</i> Cigars).	
Buffalo sinews (<i>see</i> Sinews).		Cigar holders (<i>see</i> Cigars).	
		Cigars, foreign (including cigar cases, cigar holders, and pipes).....	Free.
		Cinnabar.....100 catties..	0 7 5 0
		Cinnamon.....do.....	1 5 0 0

a Guano is allowed to pay 5 per cent ad valorem at importer's option.

Citrons (<i>see</i> Vegetables).	Tls. m. c. c.
Clocks .....ad valorem..	5 per cent.
Clothing, cotton.....100 catties..	1 5 0 0
Clothing, foreign (including ready-made clothing of all kinds for head, person, or foot, or first materials for foreign clothing, male and female, if imported in reasonable quantities by foreign retail dealers, tailors, and milliners, for foreign use; foreign boots and shoes, hosiery, haberdashery, and millinery; excluding umbrellas, cotton handkerchiefs, silk ribbons, silk thread, silk shawls, silk scarfs, silk tassels, silk caps, Chinese felt caps, Chinese boots and shoes)...	Free.
Clothing, silk.....100 catties..	10 0 0 0
Cloves.....do....	0 5 0 0
Cloves, mother.....do....	0 1 8 0
Coal, foreign.....ton..	0 0 5 0
Coal, native: Formosa, Hupeh, Anhwei, Kwangsi, and K'aip'ing.....ton..	0 1 0 0
Coal, native, other sorts.....do....	0 3 0 0
Coal shipped by yachts for their own use.....	Free.
Coal scuttles (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Cochineal.....100 catties..	5 0 0 0
Cocoa (<i>see</i> Confectionery).	
Cocoanuts (<i>see</i> Vegetables).	
Cocoons (<i>see</i> Silk).	
Cocoons, refuse.....ad valorem..	5 per cent.
Cocoa skins (shells).....do....	5 per cent.
Coffee (<i>see</i> Confectionery).	
Coins, foreign.....	Free.
Coir.....100 catties..	0 1 0 0
Coke.....ton..	0 1 5 0
Comfits (<i>see</i> Preserves).	
Confectionery (including pastry, cakes, bonbons, coffee, chocolate, cocoa, spices, sauces, seasonings, flavoring essences, foreign pepper, mustard, table salt in small jars, catchup, vinegar, and oil; anchovy, tomato, and Worcestershire sauces; excluding cinnamon, cloves, mace, nutmegs, honey, licorice, sugar candy, Chinese preserves, comfits, and sweetmeats)...	Free.
Cooking ranges (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Copper (<i>see</i> Metals).	
Copper cash (can only be exported under bond to a Chinese treaty port).	
Copper cash, Japanese (may be imported).	
Copper, in sheets (<i>see</i> Metals).	
Copper, in slabs (<i>see</i> Metals).	
Copper nails (<i>see</i> Metals).	
Copper rods (<i>see</i> Metals).	
Copperware and pewterware (including white metal pipes, inferior).....100 catties..	1 1 5 0
Copper, old sheathing.....do....	0 5 0 0
Copper ore.....do....	0 5 0 0
Copperas (<i>see</i> Alum, green).	
Coppying presses (<i>see</i> Stationery).	
Coral.....catty..	0 1 0 0
Corals, false.....100 catties..	0 3 5 0
Cordage, manila.....do....	0 3 5 0
Cordials (<i>see</i> Wines).	
Cornelian beads.....do....	7 0 0 0
Cornelians.....100 stones..	0 3 0 0
Corn flour (<i>see</i> Sago).	
Cornices (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Cotton cloth, native (<i>see</i> Nankcen).	
Cotton duck (<i>see</i> Canvas).	
Cotton piece goods:	
Grey, white, plain, and twilled, exceeding 34 inches wide and not exceeding 40 yards long (including T-cloths 36 inches wide and 24 yards long). piece..	0 0 8 0
Exceeding 34 inches wide and exceeding 40 yards long.....every 10 yards..	0 0 2 0

Cotton piece goods—Continued.	Tls. m. c. c.
Drills and jeans—	
Not exceeding 30 inches wide and not exceeding 40 yards long.....piece..	0 1 0 0
Not exceeding 30 inches wide and not exceeding 30 yards long.....piece..	0 0 7 5
T-cloths—	
Not exceeding 34 inches wide and not exceeding 48 yards long.....piece..	0 0 8 0
Not exceeding 34 inches wide and not exceeding 24 yards long.....piece..	0 0 4 0
Dyed, figured, and plain, not exceeding 36 inches wide and not exceeding 40 yards long (excluding foreign cottons dyed in China) (<i>see</i> Nankcen and native cotton cloth).....piece..	0 1 5 0
Fancy, white brocades and white spotted shirtings, not exceeding 36 inches wide and not exceeding 40 yards long.....piece..	0 1 0 0
Printed, chintzes and furnitures not exceeding 31 inches wide and not exceeding 30 yards long, piece.....	0 0 7 0
Cambrics—	
Not exceeding 46 inches wide and not exceeding 24 yards long.....piece..	0 0 7 0
Not exceeding 46 inches wide and not exceeding 12 yards long.....piece..	0 0 3 5
Muslins—	
Not exceeding 46 inches wide and not exceeding 24 yards long.....piece..	0 0 7 5
Not exceeding 46 inches wide and not exceeding 12 yards long.....piece..	0 0 3 5
Damasks, not exceeding 36 inches wide and not exceeding 40 yards long.....piece..	0 2 0 0
Dimities, or quiltings, not exceeding 40 inches wide and not exceeding 12 yards long.....piece..	0 0 6 5
Ginghams, not exceeding 28 inches wide and not exceeding 30 yards long.....piece..	0 0 3 5
Handkerchiefs, not exceeding 1 yard square, dozen.....	0 0 2 5
Fustians, not exceeding 35 yards long.....piece..	0 2 0 0
Velveteens, not exceeding 34 yards long.....do....	0 1 5 0
Cotton rags.....100 catties..	0 0 4 5
Cotton, raw.....do....	0 3 5 0
Cotton-seed oil (<i>see</i> Oil).	
Cotton thread.....do....	0 7 2 0
Cotton yarn.....do....	0 7 0 0
Cow bezoar (export tariff).....catty..	0 3 6 0
Cow bezoar, Indian (import tariff).....do....	1 5 0 0
Cow hides (<i>see</i> Hides, buffalo).	
Crackers, fireworks.....100 catties..	0 5 0 0
Crape, silk (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).	
Crockery, foreign (<i>see</i> Glassware).	
Crystalware (<i>see</i> Glassware and crystalware).	
Cubebs.....100 catties..	1 5 0 0
Cumquots (<i>see</i> Vegetables).	
Curiosities, antiques (excluding curios, presents, etc., when forming part of a traveler's personal baggage and not being carried in such quantity as to suggest a trading operation; free).....ad valorem..	5 per cent.
Curtains (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Cutch.....100 catties..	0 1 8 0
Cutlery.....	Free.
Cuttlefish (<i>see</i> Fish, salt).	
Damasks (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).	
Dates, black.....100 catties..	0 1 5 0
Dates, red.....do....	0 0 9 0
Deer horns (<i>see</i> Horns, deer).	
Deer sinews (<i>see</i> Sinews).	
Dimities (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).	
Dispatch boxes (<i>see</i> Stationery).	

	Tls. m. c. c.		Tls. m. c. c.
Dock stores (under special regulations) (not including ships' side lights, not imported for specified vessels)	Free.	Ginseng, American, crude.....	100 catties.. 6 0 0 0
Doeskins (<i>see</i> Skins, doe).		Ginseng, Korean or Japan, first quality, i. e., valued at 5 teals and over a catty	catty.. 0 5 0 0
Dragon's blood (<i>see</i> Gum, dragon's blood).		Ginseng, Korean or Japan, second quality, i. e., valued at more than 1 teal and less than 5 teals a catty	catty.. 0 3 5 0
Drills (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).		Ginseng, Korean or Japan, unclassified, i. e., valued at 1 teal and less a catty (to include Korean or Japan ginseng cuttings and beard)	catty.. 0 0 5 0
Druggeting, foreign (excluding Chinese druggets)....	Free.	Ginseng, native.....	ad valorem.. 5 per cent.
Druggets (<i>see</i> Carpets).		Glass bangles, or armlets	100 catties.. 0 5 0 0
Duck, cotton (<i>see</i> Canvas).		Glass beads.....	do.... 0 5 0 0
Dye, green (native; Lü-kiao).....	catty.. 0 8 0 0	Glass, or vitrified ware.....	do.... 0 5 0 0
Dyed cottons (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).		Glassware and crystalware. (Including foreign crockery and foreign chinaware and porcelain. Excluding native chinaware, native pottery, and native earthenware; window glass, telescopes, spy and opera glasses, looking-glasses and mirrors; also Chinese glass beads and glassware of all kinds) ...	Free.
Earrings, foreign (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).		Glass, window (glass imported for the use of churches is liable to duty)	box 100 sq. ft.. 0 1 5 0
Earthenware (<i>see</i> Pottery).		Glue.....	100 catties.. 0 1 5 0
Ebony (<i>see</i> Wood, ebony).		Goats' hair (<i>see</i> Hair, goats').	
Eggs, preserved.....	thousand.. 0 3 5 0	Gold and silver bullion (<i>see</i> Bullion).	
Elephants' teeth, broken	100 catties.. 3 0 0 0	Gold thread, imitation. (To comprehend foreign imitation gold thread made of copper and silver and afterwards gilt)	catty.. 0 0 3 0
Elephants' teeth, whole	do.... 4 0 0 0	Gold thread, real.....	catty.. 1 6 0 0
Embroideries, silk (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).		Goldware (<i>see</i> Silverware and goldware).	
Essences, flavoring (<i>see</i> Confectionery).		Grain of all kinds (<i>see</i> Rice).....	100 catties.. 0 1 0 0
False pearls (<i>see</i> Pearls).		Grains of Paradise (<i>see</i> Cardamoms).	
Fancy cottons (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).		Grass cloth, coarse (having 40 or less threads in the warp to an inch).....	100 catties.. 0 7 5 0
Fans, feather.....	hundred.. 0 7 5 0	Grass cloth, fine (having over 40 threads in the warp to an inch).....	100 catties.. 2 5 0 0
Fans, palm leaf, trimmed.....	thousand.. 0 3 6 0	Grates (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Fans, palm leaf, untrimmed.....	do.... 0 2 0 0	Green alum (<i>see</i> Alum, green).	
Fans, paper.....	hundred.. 0 0 4 5	Green dye (<i>see</i> Dye, green).	
Feathers, kingfishers', peacocks'	do.... 0 4 0 0	Green paint (<i>see</i> Paint).	
Felt caps	do.... 1 2 5 0	Ground-nut cake.....	do.... 0 0 3 0
Felt cuttings.....	100 catties.. 0 1 0 0	Ground-nuts	do.... 0 1 0 0
Fenders (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).		Guano (<i>see</i> Bean cake).	
Fire irons (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).		Gum (<i>see</i> Stationery).	
Firewood.....	Free.	Gum benjamin.....	do.... 0 6 0 0
Fireworks (<i>see</i> Crackers).		Gum benjamin, oil of.....	do.... 0 6 0 0
Fish, dried (<i>see</i> Stock fish).		Gum, dragon's blood	do.... 0 4 5 0
Fish, salt (including cuttlefish).....	100 catties.. 0 1 8 0	Gum myrrh.....	do.... 0 4 5 0
Fish maws.....	do.... 1 0 0 0	Gum olibanum.....	do.... 0 4 5 0
Fish skins (not including sharks' skins).....	do.... 0 2 0 0	Gunpowder (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).	
Flannel (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).		Gypsun, ground, or plaster of paris.....	100 catties.. 0 0 3 0
Flints	do.... 0 0 3 0	Haberdashery (<i>see</i> Clothing, foreign).	
Floss silk (<i>see</i> Silk).		Habit cloth (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).	
Flour	Free.	Hair, camels'	ad valorem.. 5 per cent.
Flowers, artificial (<i>see</i> Artificial flowers).		Hair, goats'.....	100 catties.. 0 1 8 0
Fowling pieces (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).		Hairpins, foreign (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).	
Fox skins (<i>see</i> Skins, fox).		Hair rugs (<i>see</i> Rugs).	
Fragrant wood (<i>see</i> Wood, fragrant).		Hams	do.... 0 5 5 0
Fruits, foreign (<i>see</i> Vegetables).		Handkerchiefs, cotton (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).	
Fruits, fresh and preserved (<i>see</i> Vegetables).		Hare skins (<i>see</i> Skins, hare).	
Fungus, or agaric	100 catties.. 0 6 0 0	Harness (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).	
Furniture of all kinds (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).		Hartall, or orpiment.....	100 catties.. 0 3 5 0
Furnitures, cotton (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).		Hemp	do.... 0 3 5 0
Fustians (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).		Hemp, raw, or China grass (rhea).....	ad valorem.. 5 per cent.
Galangal	100 catties.. 0 1 0 0	Hemp-seed oil (<i>see</i> Oil).	
Gambier.....	do.... 0 1 5 0	Hemp twine (<i>see</i> Twine).	
Gamboge	do.... 1 0 0 0	Hides, buffalo and cow.....	100 catties.. 0 5 0 0
Game, tinned (<i>see</i> Meats, preserved, foreign).		Hides, rhinoceros	do.... 0 4 2 0
Garlic	do.... 0 0 3 5	Honey (to comprehend wild uncleaned honey) 100 catties	0 9 0 0
Garoo wood (<i>see</i> Wood, garoo).		Hoop iron (<i>see</i> Metals).	
Gas fittings (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).			
Gauze silk (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).			
Gear, ships': Old ropes, old sails, old spars—landed under permit.....	Free.		
Gear, ships': Anchors, chains, and old metal, when removed from a vessel not intended to be broken up,	ad valorem.. 5 per cent.		
Ginghams (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).			
Ginseng, American, clarified	100 catties.. 8 0 0 0		
Ginseng, reclarified, i. e., crude ginseng imported and clarified at a treaty port and shipped coastwise, to pay export and coast trade duty as though it were native produce.			

	Tls.	m.	c.	c.		Tls.	m.	c.	c.
Horns, buffalo.....100 catties..	0	2	5	0	Lily seeds, or lotus nuts.....100 catties..	0	5	0	0
Horns, deer (import tariff).....do....	0	2	5	0	Linen and cotton mixtures (see Linen).				
Horns, deer, young (export tariff).....pair..	0	9	0	0	Linen, coarse, as linen and cotton or silk and linen				
Horns, deer, old (export tariff).....100 catties..	1	3	5	0	mixtures, not exceeding 50 yards long.....	0	2	0	0
Horns, rhinoceros.....do....	2	0	0	0	Linen, fine, as Irish or Scotch, not exceeding 50 yards				
Hornware (see Boneware).					long.....	0	5	0	0
Hosiery (see Clothing, foreign).					Liquors (see Wines).				
Household stores, etc. (articles not named in the					Licorice.....100 catties..	0	1	3	5
tariff as dutiable, nor being articles, or one or more					Locketts (see Jewelry, foreign).				
of a class of articles, specifically mentioned in the					Long ells (see Woolen manufactures).				
duty-free list, if imported or exported for the spe-					Looking-glasses (see Telescopes).				
cial and personal use of specified individuals, hong-					Lotus nuts (see Lily seeds).				
panies, or ships, and in reasonable quantities,					Lucraban seed.....do....	0	0	3	5
may, when declared to be household stores, ships'					Lung-ngans.....do....	0	2	5	0
stores, or personal baggage, be passed free. Tariff-					Lung-ngans without the stone.....do....	0	3	5	0
named articles declared as household stores are					Lusters (see Woolen and cotton mixtures).				
dutiable. See also Dock stores).....				Free.	Mace.....do....	1	0	0	0
Implements of war. (Can not be imported or exported					Machinery (including machinery for Government				
except under special authority.)					docks, arsenals, etc., duty is leviable on the cost of				
Indigo, dry.....100 catties..	1	0	0	0	the machinery as laid down at its port of arrival,				
Indigo, liquid.....do....	0	1	8	0	i. e., original price plus expenses for commission,				
Ink, foreign (see Stationery).					freight, and other charges; if the expenses can not				
Ink, India.....do....	4	0	0	0	be ascertained, 10 per cent of the invoice price added				
Insect wax (see Wax, white).					to the latter constitute the value on which duty is				
Iron bars (see Metals).					to be charged).....ad valorem..				5 per cent.
Iron hoops (see Metals).					Maizena (see Sago).				
Iron hoops, old (see Metals).					Mangrove bark.....100 catties..	0	0	3	0
Iron, in pigs (see Metals).					Manure cakes, or poudrette.....do....	0	0	9	0
Iron, in sheets (see Metals).					Marble slabs.....do....	0	2	0	0
Iron nails (see Metals).					Marten skins (see Skins, marten).				
Iron pans (see Metals).					Massicot (see Lead, yellow).				
Iron rods (see Metals).					Masts (see Timber).				
Iron wire (see Metals).					Mats, of all kinds.....hundred..	0	2	0	0
Isinglass.....do....	0	6	5	0	Matting.....roll of 40 yards..	0	2	0	0
Ivoryware.....catty..	0	1	5	0	Maws, fish (see Fish maws).				
Jeans (see Cotton piece goods).					Meal, Indian and oat.....				Free.
Jewelry, foreign (including foreign shirt studs, sleeve					Meats, preserved, foreign (including fish, flesh, fowl,				Do.
links, watch chains, rings, charms, pencil cases, ear-					tinned game of all kinds, shellfish, patties, sau-				
rings, necklets, brooches, bracelets, lockets, hairpins,					sages, caviare, beef, and pork in casks for ships; ex-				
scent bottles; excluding coral, cornelians, bangles,					cluding hams and salt fish).....				Free.
glass beads, false pearls, goldware, and silverware.)				Free.	Medicated wines.....ad valorem..				5 per cent.
Joists (see Timber).					Medicines, foreign (including surgical instruments,				
Joss sticks.....100 catties..	0	2	0	0	photographic chemicals and apparatus; also medi-				
Jute.....do....	0	2	0	0	cines of foreign origin made up for Chinese; ex-				
Kentledge (see Metals).					cluding castor oil, if arriving in quantities of more				
Ketchup (see Confectionery).					than 100 catties weight at a time).....				Free.
Kingfisher's feathers (see Feathers).					Medium cloth (see Woolen manufactures).				
Kittysols, or paper umbrellas.....hundred..	0	5	0	0	Melon seeds.....100 catties..	0	1	0	0
Kranjee wood (see Wood, kranjee).					Metals:				
Lacquer, crude (see Varnish).					Copper, manufactured, as in sheets, rods, nails,				
Lacquered ware.....100 catties..	1	0	0	0	.....100 catties..	1	5	0	0
Laka wood (see Wood, laka).					Copper, unmanufactured, as in slabs.....do....	1	0	0	0
Lampwicks.....do....	0	6	0	0	Copper, yellow metal, sheathing and nails,				
Lastings (see Woolen manufactures).					.....100 catties..	0	9	0	0
Lead, in pigs (see Metals).					Copper, Japan.....do....	0	6	0	0
Lead, in sheets (see Metals).					Iron, manufactured, as in sheets, rods, bars, hoops,				
Lead, red (minimum).....do....	0	3	5	0	.....100 catties..	0	1	2	5
Lead, white (ceruse).....do....	0	3	5	0	Iron, unmanufactured, as in pigs.....do....	0	0	7	5
Lead, yellow (massicot).....do....	0	3	5	0	Iron, kentledge.....do....	0	0	1	0
Leather.....do....	0	4	2	0	Iron wire (including trusses to bind silk bales,				
Leather articles, as pouches, purses.....do....	1	5	0	0	manufactured wholly from iron wire), 100 catties	0	2	5	0
Leather, green.....do....	1	8	0	0	Iron pans of foreign origin or of Chinese origin and				
Leather, strips of ass.....ad valorem..				5 per cent.	manufactured by Chinese; iron pans manufac-				
Leather trunks (see Trunks).					tured by foreigners at Chinese treaty ports can				
Lemonade (see Wines).					not be imported or exported).....ad valorem..				5 per cent.
Leopard skins (see Skins, leopard).					Iron nails.....do....				5 per cent.
Lichees.....100 catties..	0	2	0	0	Iron hoops, old (when shipped coastwise to be ex-				
Lights, ships' side, not imported for specified vessels,					empt at the port of shipment and to be charged				
.....ad valorem..				5 per cent.	5 per cent ad valorem coast trade duty at the				
Lily flowers, dried.....100 catties..	0	2	7	0	port of discharge).....ad valorem..				5 per cent.

Metals—Continued.		Tls.	m.	c.	c.	Pans, iron (<i>see</i> Metals).		Tls.	m.	c.	c.
Lead, in pigs.....	100 catties..	0	2	5	0	Paper (<i>see</i> Stationery).					
Lead, in sheets.....	do.....	0	5	5	0	Paper, first quality (including Weising lottery books and all Chinese books, with the exception of books either officially provided or purchased for Chinese public institutions. Books circulated by missionaries or dealt in by ordinary Chinese booksellers are to pay duty. Chinese newspapers free),					
Quicksilver.....	do.....	2	0	0	0	.....100 catties..	0	7	0	0	
Spelter (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).....	100 catties..	0	2	5	0	Paper, second quality.....	do.....	0	4	0	0
Steel.....	do.....	0	2	5	0	Paper, black tinsel.....	ad valorem..	5	per cent.		
Tin (Yunnan tin may be passed coastwise at half the tariff rate on being proved to be property of privileged mining association).....	100 catties..	0	2	5	0	Paper, oiled (<i>see</i> Oiled paper).					
Tinplates.....	100 catties..	0	4	0	0	Paper umbrellas (<i>see</i> Kittysols).					
Trusses, metal, to bind silk bales, not of iron wire,	ad valorem..	5	per cent.			Pastry (<i>see</i> Confectionery).					
Trusses, metal, of iron wire (<i>see</i> Iron wire).						Patties (<i>see</i> Meats).					
Milk, condensed and desiccated (<i>see</i> Butter).						Peacocks' feathers (<i>see</i> Feathers).					
Millet (<i>see</i> Rice).						Pearl barley.....	do.....	5	per cent.		
Millinery (<i>see</i> Clothing, foreign).						Pearls, false.....	100 catties..	2	0	0	0
Mineral water (<i>see</i> Wines).						Pease (<i>see</i> Beans).					
Minium (<i>see</i> Lead, red).						Peel, orange.....	do.....	0	3	0	0
Mirror (<i>see</i> Telescopes).						Peel, pumelo, first quality.....	do.....	0	4	5	0
Mother-of-pearl shell.....	100 catties..	0	2	0	0	Peel, pumelo, second quality.....	do.....	0	1	5	0
Mother-of-pearl ware.....	catty..	0	1	0	0	Pencil cases (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).					
Munitions of war (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).						Pencils, foreign (<i>see</i> Stationery).					
Mushrooms.....	100 catties	1	5	0	0	Pens, foreign (<i>see</i> Stationery).					
Music (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).						Pepper, black.....	do.....	0	3	6	0
Musical boxes.....	ad valorem..	5	per cent.			Pepper, white.....	do.....	0	5	0	0
Musical instruments (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).						Pepper, foreign (<i>see</i> Confectionery).					
Musk.....	catty..	0	9	0	0	Peppermint leaf.....	do.....	0	1	0	0
Muskets (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).						Peppermint oil.....	do.....	3	5	0	0
Muslins (<i>see</i> Cottons).						Perfumery (excluding musk).....					Free.
Mussels, dried.....	100 catties..	0	2	0	0	Personal baggage (<i>see</i> Household stores).					
Mustard (<i>see</i> Confectionery).						Pewter ware (<i>see</i> Copper ware).					
Musters (<i>see</i> Samples).						Photographic apparatus (<i>see</i> Medicines).					
Myrrh (<i>see</i> Gum).						Photographic chemicals (<i>see</i> Medicines).					
Nails, copper (<i>see</i> Metals).						Pickled olives (<i>see</i> Olives).					
Nails, iron, (<i>see</i> Metals).						Pickles (<i>see</i> Vegetables).					
Nankeen and native cotton cloths (including cottons dyed in China).....	100 catties..	1	5	0	0	Pictures and paintings.....	each..	0	1	0	0
Narrow cloth (<i>see</i> Woolens).						Pictures on pith or rice paper.....	hundred..	0	1	0	0
Necklets (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).						Pig iron (<i>see</i> Metals).					
Newspapers, Chinese.....					Free.	Piles (<i>see</i> Timber).					
Nutgalls.....	100 catties..	0	5	0	0	Pineapples (<i>see</i> Vegetables).					
Nutmegs.....	do.....	2	5	0	0	Pipes (<i>see</i> Cigars).					
Oil, as bean, tea, wood, cotton, and hemp seed (up to 10 piculs, if reported to be for steamer's use, free)	100 catties..	0	3	0	0	Pipes, white metal, inferior (<i>see</i> Copper ware and Pewter ware).					
Oil floor cloth (<i>see</i> Carpeting, foreign).						Pistols (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).					
Oil, salad (<i>see</i> Confectionery).						Pith pictures (<i>see</i> Pictures).					
Oiled paper.....	do.....	0	4	5	0	Planks (<i>see</i> Timber).					
Olibanum (<i>see</i> Gum olibanum).						Plaster of paris (<i>see</i> Gypsum).					
Olive seeds.....	do.....	0	3	0	0	Plated ware, foreign.....					Free.
Olives, unpickled, salted, or pickled.....	do.....	0	1	8	0	Poles (<i>see</i> Timber).					
Opera glasses (<i>see</i> Telescopes).						Pongees, silk (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).					
Opium, foreign (under special regulations).....	do.....	Tls.	110	00		Porcelain, foreign (<i>see</i> Glassware).					
Opium (boiled or prepared (under special regulations)	100 catties..	Tls.	137	50		Pork (<i>see</i> Meats, preserved, foreign).					
Orange peel (<i>see</i> Peel, orange).						Portfolios (<i>see</i> Stationery).					
Oranges (<i>see</i> Vegetables).						Pottery (earthenware, including coarse china ware of the value of taels 1 to taels 1.50 per picul exported from Pakhoi, but not including Swatow native china ware.....	100 catties..	0	0	5	0
Orleans (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).						Pouches, leather (<i>see</i> Leather articles).					
Orpiment (<i>see</i> Hartall).						Poudrette (<i>see</i> Manure cakes).					
Otter skins (<i>see</i> Skins, otter).						Prawns, dried.....	do.....	0	3	6	0
Oyster shell, seashells.....	do.....	0	0	9	0	Presents (<i>see</i> Curiosities).					
Packing twine (<i>see</i> Stationery).						Preserves, comfits, and sweetmeats.....	do.....	0	5	0	0
Paddy (<i>see</i> Rice).						Printed cottons (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).					
Paint, green.....	do.....	0	4	5	0	Printing presses (<i>see</i> Stationery).					
Paintings (<i>see</i> Pictures).						Pumelo peel (<i>see</i> Peel, pumelo).					
Palampore, or cotton bed quilts.....	hundred..	2	7	5	0	Pumeloes (<i>see</i> Vegetables).					
Palm-leaf fans (<i>see</i> Fans, palm leaf).						Purses, leather (<i>see</i> Leather articles).					

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Putchuck	100 catties..	0	6	0	0	Sesamum seed.....	100 catties..	0	1	3	5
Quicksilver (<i>see</i> Metals).						Sharks' fins, black	do....	0	5	0	0
Quiltings (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).						Sharks' fins, clarified	ad val..	5	per	cent.	
Quilts, cotton (<i>see</i> Palampore).						Sharks' fins, white	100 catties..	1	5	0	0
Rabbit skins (<i>see</i> Skins, rabbit).						Sharks' skins.....	hundred..	2	0	0	0
Raccoon skins (<i>see</i> Skins, racoon).						Shawls, silk (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).					
Rags, cotton (<i>see</i> Cotton rags).						Shellfish, tinned (<i>see</i> Meats).					
Raisins (<i>see</i> Vegetables).						Ships' stores (<i>see</i> Household stores.).....				Free.	
Raspberry vinegar (<i>see</i> Wines).						Shirtings (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).					
Rattans.....	do....	0	1	5	0	Shirtings, dyed in China (<i>see</i> Nankeen and native cotton cloths).					
Rattans, split.....	do....	0	2	5	0	Shirtings, spotted (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).					
Rattan ware	do....	0	3	0	0	Shoes and boots, leather or satin.....	100 pairs..	3	0	0	0
Red tape (<i>see</i> Stationery).						Shoes, fereign (<i>see</i> Clothing, foreign).					
Red-wood (<i>see</i> Wood, red).						Shoes, straw	do....	0	1	8	0
Rhinoceros hides (<i>see</i> Hides, rhinoceros).						Shot (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).					
Rhinoceros horns (<i>see</i> Horns, rhinoceros).						Side lights, ships', not imported for specified vessels	ad val..	5	per	cent.	
Rhubarb.....	do....	1	2	5	0	Silk:					
Ribbons, silk (<i>see</i> Silk).						Raw and thrown	100 catties..	10	0	0	0
Ribbons, silk, interwoven with imitation gold or silver thread.....	{ do.... 18 0 0 0 or ad val. 5 per cent optional.					Yellow, from Szechwan.....	id....	7	0	0	0
Rice or paddy, wheat, millet, and other grains. (Duty free on importation from abroad. Can only be exported under bond to Chinese ports. Native grain is to pay export duty at port of shipment and coast trade duty at port of discharge, and leaving Yangtze ports by river steamers, coast trade duty is to be deposited in advance. Foreign grain not landed may be reexported to foreign countries. Foreign grain reexported to Chinese ports must pay export duty)	100 catties..	0	1	0	0	Reeled from dupions.....	id....	5	0	0	0
Rice paper pictures (<i>see</i> Pictures).						Wild raw	id....	2	5	0	0
Rifles (can not be imported or exported except under special authority).						Refuse	id....	1	0	0	0
Rings, foreign (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).						Cocoons.....	id....	3	0	0	0
Rosemaloes.....	100 catties..	1	0	0	0	Cocoons, refuse.....	ad val..	5	per	cent.	
Rugs, of hair or skin	each..	0	0	9	0	Cocoon skids (shells).....	do....	5	per	cent.	
Saddlery (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).						Floss, Canton	100 catties..	4	3	0	0
Safes (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).						Floss, from other provinces	do....	10	0	0	0
Sago (including arrowroot, corn flour, maizena).....	Free.					Ribbons and thread	do....	10	0	0	0
Salt (trade in, prohibited).						Ribbons, interwoven with imitation gold or silver thread (<i>see</i> Ribbons, silk, etc.).					
Salt fish (<i>see</i> Fish, salt).						Piece goods, viz, pongees, shawls, scarfs, crape, satin, gauze, velvet, and embroidered goods	100 catties..	12	0	0	0
Salted olives (<i>see</i> Olives).						Piece goods, Szechman, Shantung.....	do....	4	5	0	0
Salt, table (<i>see</i> Confectionery).						Tassels	do....	10	0	0	0
Saltpeter (can not be imported or exported except under special authority)	100 catties..	0	5	0	0	Caps	hundred..	0	9	0	0
Samples and musters of goods for sale, in reasonable quantities. (Excess of reasonable quantity to pay tariff duty)	Free.					Silk and cotton mixtures (not including French sateen or satin)	100 catties..	5	5	0	0
Samshu (including Japanese wine, <i>see</i> Wines, foreign)	0	1	5	0		Silk and linen mixtures (<i>see</i> Linen).					
Sandalwood	do....	0	4	0	0	Silver thread, imitation	catty..	0	0	3	0
Sandalwood ware	catty..	0	1	0	0	Silver thread, real	do....	1	3	0	0
Sapanwood	100 catties..	0	1	0	0	Silverware and goldware.....	100 catties..	10	0	0	0
Satin (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).						Sinews, buffalo and deer	do....	0	5	5	0
Satinet, or French sateen, with a cotton warp and a silk weft.....	ad val..	5	per	cent.		Skin rugs (<i>see</i> Rugs).					
Sauces (<i>see</i> Confectionery).						Skins, beaver	hundred..	5	0	0	0
Sausages (<i>see</i> Meats).						Skins, doe, hare, and rabbit.....	do....	0	5	0	0
Scarfs (<i>see</i> Silk piece goods).						Skins, fox, large	each..	0	1	5	0
Scent bottles (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).						Skins, fox, small.....	do....	0	0	7	5
Scientific instruments (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).						Skins, land otter.....	hundred..	2	0	0	0
Sea otter skins (<i>see</i> Skins, sea otter).						Skins, marten	each..	0	1	5	0
Sea shells (<i>see</i> Oyster shell).						Skins, raccoon	hundred..	2	0	0	0
Seahorse teeth	100 catties..	2	0	0	0	Skins, sea-otter	each..	1	5	0	0
Sealing wax (<i>see</i> Stationery).						Skins, squirrel	hundred..	0	5	0	0
Seasonings (<i>see</i> Confectionery).						Skins, tiger and leopard.....	each..	0	1	5	0
Seaweed	do....	0	1	5	0	Sleeve links (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).					
Seaweed, Russian, superior.....	do....	0	1	5	0	Smalt	100 catties..	1	5	0	0
Seaweed, Russian, inferior	do....	0	1	0	0	Snuff, native	do....	0	8	0	0
Seltzer water (<i>see</i> Wines).						Snuff, foreign	do....	7	2	0	0
						Soap, foreign				Free.	
						Soap, Chinese	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.	
						Soda water (<i>see</i> Wines).					
						Soy.....	100 catties..	0	4	0	0
						Spanish stripes (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures).					
						Spars (<i>see</i> Timber).					
						Spelter (<i>see</i> Metals).					
						Spices (<i>see</i> Confectionery).					
						Spirits (<i>see</i> Wine).....				Free.	

	Tls.	m.	c.	c.		Tls.	m.	c.	c.		
Spyglasses (<i>see</i> Telescopes).					Timber—Continued.						
Squirrel skins (<i>see</i> Skins, squirrel)					Masts and spars, soft-wood, exceeding 60 feet, each.	6	5	0	0		
Stationery, foreign (including pens, pencils, ink, paper, blotting paper, gum, sealingwax, copying presses, printing presses, type, dispatch boxes, red tape, portfolios, packing twine [excluding Chinese paper, Indian ink, and Chinese books]).....				Free.	Beams, hard-wood, not exceeding 26 feet long and under 12 inches square	0	1	5	0		
Steel (<i>see</i> Metals).					Beams other than square	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		
Sticklac.....100 catties..	0	3	0	0	or tariff duty.....	Optional.					
Stockfish (including dried fish).....do.....	0	5	0	0	Beams, soft-wood, i. e., planks over 6 inches in thickness.....	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		
Stoves (<i>see</i> Articles de ménage).					Planks, hard-wood, not exceeding 24 feet long, 12 inches wide, and 3 inches thick.....	hundred..	3	5	0	0	
Straw braid.....do.....	0	7	0	0	Planks, hard-wood, not exceeding 16 feet long, 12 inches wide, and 3 inches thick.....	hundred..	2	0	0	0	
Straw shoes (<i>see</i> Shoes, straw).					Planks, soft-wood	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		
Studs (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).					Planks, teak.....	cubic foot..	0	0	3	5	
Sugar, brown (Nos. 1 to 10, inclusive, Dutch standard).....100 catties..	0	1	2	0	Piles, poles, and joists (to comprehend soft-wood poles of any length).....	each..	0	0	3	0	
Sugar candy.....do.....	0	2	5	0	Tin (<i>see</i> Metals).						
Sugar, white (Nos. 11 and upward, Dutch standard), 100 catties	0	2	0	0	Tinder.....100 catties..	0	3	5	0		
Sulphur and brimstone (can not be imported or exported except under special authority)..100 catties..	0	2	0	0	Tin foil.....do.....	1	2	5	0		
Surgical instruments (<i>see</i> Medicines).					Tinned meats (<i>see</i> Meats).						
Sweetmeats (<i>see</i> Preserves).					Tin plates (<i>see</i> Metals).						
Tallow, animal.....do.....	0	2	0	0	Tinsel paper, black	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		
Tallow, vegetable.....do.....	0	3	0	0	Tobacco, foreign (excluding Japanese tobacco, <i>see</i> Tobacco, prepared)	Free.					
Tassels, silk (<i>see</i> Silk tassels).					Tobacco, leaf.....100 catties..	0	1	5	0		
T-cloths (<i>see</i> Cotton piece goods).					Tobacco, prepared (excluding foreign tobacco, but including Japanese tobacco, except when imported by Japanese officials or merchants, for private use, up to 40 catties at a time)	100 catties..	0	4	5	0	
Tea, black and green	do	2	5	0	0	Tortoise shell	catty..	0	2	5	0
Tea, brick (no transit dues are to be levied on brick tea made from Huahsiang-ch'a-mo, bought in Hankow, at the time of export from Hankow).....100 catties..	0	6	0	0	Tortoise shell, broken	do	0	0	7	2	
Tea dust, not exceeding Hk. Tls. 10 per picul in value and shipped for a Chinese port; tea dust shipped for a foreign port, or for a Chinese port if exceeding Hk. Tls. 10 per picul in value, to pay as tea,	100 catties..	1	2	5	0	Tortoise-shell ware.....do.....	0	2	0	0	
Tea, log; varieties:					Trunks, leather.....100 catties..	1	5	0	0		
Ch'ien liang.....do.....	0	5	0	0	Trusses, metal (<i>see</i> Metals, iron ware; Metals, trusses).						
Pai-liang Kung-chien	do	0	8	0	0	Turmeric	100 catties..	0	1	0	0
Pai-liang T'ien-chien.....do.....	1	0	0	0	Turnips, salted.....do.....	0	1	8	0		
Pai-liang Ching-chien.....do.....	1	2	5	0	Twine, hemp, Canton.....do.....	0	1	5	0		
Tea-box boards (<i>see</i> Wood boards, tea box).					Twine, hemp, Soochow	do	0	5	0	0	
Tea chests, or materials for making tea chests,	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.	Type (<i>see</i> Stationery).						
Exported to another treaty port for use in packing tea.....	Free.				Umbrellas	each..	0	0	3	5	
Tea oil (<i>see</i> Oil).					Umbrellas, paper (<i>see</i> Kittysols).						
Teak wood (<i>see</i> Timber).					Union cloth (<i>see</i> Woolen manufactures; Spanish stripes, inferior).						
Telegraph material for Chinese Government telegraphs (excluding telegraph material for other than Chinese Government telegraphs)	Free.				Varnish, or crude lacquer.....100 catties..	0	5	0	0		
Telescopes, spy and opera glasses, looking glasses, and mirrors	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.	Vegetables, preserved, foreign (including foreign fruits, fresh and preserved, pickles, chutneys, raisins, Chinese fresh vegetables and fresh fruits; excluding olives, dates, almonds, chestnuts, ground nuts, lichees, lung-ngans, garlic, melon seeds, mushrooms, fungus, salted turnips, oranges, cumquots, citrons, pumeloes, cocoanuts, and pineapples)	Free.					
Thread, cotton (<i>see</i> Cotton thread).					Velvet, silk (<i>see</i> Silk).						
Thread, gold (<i>see</i> Gold thread).					Velveteens (<i>see</i> Cottons).						
Thread, silk (<i>see</i> Silk thread).					Velvets, not exceeding 34 yards long.....	piece..	0	1	8	0	
Tiger skins (<i>see</i> Skins, tiger).					Vermicelli	100 catties..	0	1	8	0	
Tigers' bones.....100 catties..	1	5	5	0	Vermilion	do	2	5	0	0	
Timber:					Vessels broken up in port, materials from (a) (must be certified by consul to be condemned and sold in port) ..	Free.					
Masts and spars, hard-wood, not exceeding 40 feet, each	4	0	0	0	Vessels wrecked, materials from (if wrecked in port, free of import duty, but liable to export and coast-trade duty)	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		
Masts and spars, hard-wood, not exceeding 60 feet, each	6	0	0	0	Vessels wrecked within the harbor limits, export cargo relanded	Free.					
Masts and spars, hard-wood, exceeding 60 feet, each	10	0	0	0	Vinegar (<i>see</i> Confectionery).						
Masts and spars, soft-wood, not exceeding 40 feet, each	2	0	0	0	Vitrified ware (<i>see</i> Glassware).						
Masts and spars, soft-wood, not exceeding 60 feet, each	4	5	0	0	Watch chains, foreign (<i>see</i> Jewelry, foreign).						
					Watches	ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		
					(Or tariff duty optional.)						
					Watches	pair..	1	0	0	0	

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure, see page 2256.]

	Tls.	m.	c.	c.		Tls.	m.	c.	c.
Watches, émaillées à perles .....pair..	4	5	0	0	Woodware .....100 catties..	1	1	5	0
Wax, bees' (<i>see</i> Beeswax).					Wool .....do....	0	3	5	0
Wax, Japan .....100 catties..	0	6	5	0	Wool, camels' .....ad valorem..	5	per	cent.	
Wax, white, or insect .....do....	1	5	0	0	Woolen and cotton mixtures, viz, lusters, plain and brocaded, not exceeding 31 yards long.....piece..	0	2	0	0
Weising lottery books (<i>see</i> Paper, first quality).					Woolen manufactures:(a)				
Wheat (<i>see</i> Rice).					Blankets .....pair..	0	2	0	0
White wax (<i>see</i> Wax, white).					Broadcloth and Spanish stripes, habit and medium cloth, 51 to 61 inches wide.....chang..	0	1	2	0
Window glass (<i>see</i> Glass, window).					Long ells, 31 inches wide .....do....	0	0	4	5
Wines, foreign (including beer, spirits, foreign bitters, liqueurs, cordials, raspberry vinegar, soda, seltzer, and mineral waters, lemonade, etc.; excluding sam- shu and Chinese wine; also Japanese wine, except when imported by Japanese officials or merchants, for private use, up to 200 catties at a time) .....Free.					Camlets, English, 31 inches wide.....do....	0	0	5	0
Wines, medicated.....ad valorem..	5	per	cent.		Camlets, Dutch, 33 inches wide .....do....	0	1	0	0
Wood, camagon .....100 catties..	0	0	3	0	Camlets, imitation, and bombazettes .....do....	0	0	3	5
Wood, ebony .....do....	0	1	5	0	Cassimeres, flannel, and narrow cloth .....do....	0	0	4	0
Wood, fragrant .....do....	0	4	5	0	Lastings, 31 inches wide.....do....	0	0	5	0
Wood, garoo .....do....	2	0	0	0	Lastings, imitation, and orleans, 34 inches wide.....chang..	0	0	3	5
Wood, kranjee, 35 feet long, 1 foot 8 inches wide, and 1 foot thick .....each..	0	8	0	0	Bunting, not exceeding 24 inches wide and 40 yards long .....piece..	0	2	0	0
Wood, laka .....100 catties..	0	1	4	5	Spanish stripes, inferior (including union cloth) .....chang..	0	1	0	0
Wood, red .....do....	0	1	1	5	Woolen yarn .....100 catties..	3	0	0	0
Wood boards, tea box, if exported to a foreign country, ad valorem.....	5	per	cent.		Wrecks, materials from (<i>see</i> Vessels wrecked, etc.).				
Wood oil (<i>see</i> Oil).					Yarn, cotton (<i>see</i> Cottons).				
Wood, piles, poles, and joists (<i>see</i> Timber, piles, etc.).					Yarn, woolen (<i>see</i> Woolen yarn).				
					Yellow metal (<i>see</i> Metals, copper, etc.).				

a Proportionate duty is to be charged on extra width in woollens.

NOTE.—The present tariff, in which the import and export divisions of the original tariff of 1858, and the lists of duty-free, of exceptional and of contraband goods have been amalgamated and arranged alphabetically is applicable in Chinese ports which, at different dates, have been opened to commerce. These ports, known as treaty ports, are the following: Shanghai, Nanking, Kelang, Taiwan, Ningpo, Foochow, Amoy, Canton, Swatow, Chinkiang, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Hankau, Kiungchow, Tamsui, Takow, Ichang, Wenchow, Pakhoi, Kiukiang, Wuhu, and Chung King.

The assimilation of import with export duties results from the regulations annexed to the treaties concluded by China with Austria-Hungary, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, and the United States of America.

N. B.—Customs permits are necessary for the shipment and discharge of whatever is not allowed to accompany passengers as personal baggage, e. g., duty-free goods, treasure, parcels, etc., and all such articles must be entered on the manifest of the vessel concerned.

TREATY PORTS OF CHINA.

DATE OF OPENING TO FOREIGN COMMERCE, POPULATION, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

PORT.	Province.	Date of opening.	Population.	Treaty under which opened.	1897.	
					Imports (foreign).	Exports.
Shanghai	Kiangsu	May, 1843	400,000	Treaty of Nanking, 1842	<i>Haikwan taels.</i> 31,725,393	<i>Haikwan taels.</i> 59,166,376
Canton	Kwangtung	October, 1859	1,600,000	do	13,770,036	22,899,671
Swatow	do	January, 1860	40,000	Treaty of Tientsin, 1858	9,653,938	10,309,288
Chinkiang	Kiangsu	April, 1861	135,000	do	13,285,419	5,078,723
Tientsin	Chihli	May, 1861	950,000	Pekin convention of 1860	30,212,260	11,000,044
Ningpo	Chehkiang	do	250,000	Treaty of Nanking, 1842	8,990,251	4,936,495
Foochow	Fukien	July, 1861	636,000	do	5,196,884	6,841,266
Newchwang	Shingking	October, 1861	60,000	Treaty of Tientsin, 1858	8,995,929	13,808,612
Kiukiang	Kiangsi	January, 1862	53,000	do	6,563,311	7,080,576
Hankow	Hupei	do	800,000	Treaty of Tientsin, 1858	17,172,351	24,540,382
Chefoo	Shantung	March, 1862	32,500	Treaty of Tientsin, 1858	11,066,410	7,717,413
Amoy	Fukien	April, 1862	96,000	Treaty of Nanking, 1842	7,285,683	2,441,231
Kiungchow	Kwangtung	April, 1876	40,000	Treaty of Tientsin, 1858	1,461,940	1,826,241
Wenchow	Chehkiang	April, 1877	80,000	Chefoo agreement, 1876	722,040	335,596
Pakhoi	Kwangtung	do	25,000	do	2,656,724	1,512,750
Ichang	Hupei	do	34,000	do	647,902	423,950
Lungchow	Kwangsi	August, 1889	20,000	French Tientsin convention	83,074	25,873
Mengtsz	Tunnan	do	12,000	do	2,394,028	1,057,737
Chungking	Szechuen	March, 1891	250,000	Chefoo agreement, additional article, 1890	8,443,947	6,751,258
Yatung	Tibet	May, 1895		Sikkim Tibet convention, regulations, 1893		
Soochow	Kiangsu	September, 1896	500,000	Japanese treaty of Shimonoseki, 1895	921,034	599,224
Shasi	Hupei	do	400,000	do	48,428	181,220
Hangchow	Chehkiang	do	800,000	do	1,259,544	6,169,372
Szema	Tunnan	January, 1897	15,000	French Tonkin frontier convention	154,596	31,378
Samshui	Kwangtung	February, 1897	50,000	do	37,759	42,496
Wuhu	Nganhui	May, 1897	78,000	Chefoo agreement, 1876	3,700,373	3,232,121
Nanking	Kiangsu	do	150,000			
Wuchow	Kwangsi	June, 1897	50,000		1,392,415	472,902
Funing	Fokien	April, 1898	20,000			
Tochau	Hunan	do	18,000			
Chinwang	Chihli	do	37,000			

NOTE.—Kowloon and Lappa are customs "stations" at which goods passing from Hongkong and Macao, respectively, to Canton pay customs duties, and are therefore included in the lists of ports where customs are collected, but are not usually classified as treaty ports. Kongmoon, Kumchuk, Shihing, and Takhing, on the West River, have been established as "stages" or "places of call" for the landing and shipping of passengers and goods by steamers furnished with a special six-months' river certificate.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure, see page 2256.]

Population, 402,680,000; area, 4,218,401 square miles.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO CHINA FOR HOME CONSUMPTION (MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1876-1897, SHOWING QUANTITIES AND VALUES.

[From the British Foreign Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886
Bicho de mar.....piculs.....					19,819	27,034	26,180	28,289	22,204	28,547	33,156
.....H. taels.....					475,000	617,000	635,000	551,000	475,000	529,000	592,000
Coal.....tons.....	127,565	168,251	203,746	175,763	214,421	252,726	253,099	241,870	263,378	301,932	310,988
.....H. taels.....	729,422	1,066,000	1,141,000	803,000	968,337	1,309,000	1,220,000	1,184,000	1,493,000	1,735,000	1,799,000
Cotton:											
Raw.....piculs.....	236,917	154,892	106,026	175,534	87,486	137,868	178,478	211,306	187,105	181,405	94,382
.....H. taels.....	2,251,000	1,463,000	970,000	1,554,000	903,822	1,487,000	917,000	2,100,000	1,784,000	1,298,000	826,000
Yarn, and manufactures of total.....H. taels.....	20,216,000	18,800,000	16,029,000	22,600,000	23,382,000	26,046,000	22,707,000	22,047,000	22,141,000	31,494,000	29,050,000
Yarn and thread.....piculs.....	112,908	116,162	108,360	137,888	151,518	172,482	184,939	228,005	261,458	387,820	384,581
.....H. taels.....	2,839,000	2,841,000	2,521,000	3,191,000	3,648,112	4,228,000	4,505,000	5,242,000	5,584,000	7,871,000	7,869,000
Gray shirtings.....pieces.....	5,196,033	4,494,523	2,787,639	5,602,552	4,653,736	5,830,371	5,270,875	4,417,235	4,311,551	6,123,685	5,294,664
.....H. taels.....	7,505,000	6,437,000	3,846,000	8,141,000	6,441,000	7,854,000	7,014,000	5,962,000	5,723,000	8,108,000	7,011,000
Shirtings, other.....pieces.....	941,625	1,007,694	994,155	1,462,168	1,637,139	2,265,724	1,776,000	1,699,841	2,031,226	2,713,081	2,038,209
.....H. taels.....	1,827,000	1,865,000	1,863,000	2,624,000	2,876,000	3,769,000	3,082,000	2,856,000	3,113,000	4,158,000	3,260,000
Manufactures, other, do.....	8,045,000	7,657,000	7,799,000	8,644,000	10,417,000	10,196,000	8,106,000	7,987,000	7,721,000	11,357,000	10,910,000
Fish and fishery products.....piculs.....		63,471	111,704	63,396	66,582	98,914	82,109	110,350	83,161	91,704	54,225
.....H. taels.....		398,000	600,000	400,000	442,000	535,000	490,000	745,000	560,000	665,000	313,000
Flour.....H. taels.....											664,000
Ginseng.....piculs.....	3,090	2,090	3,532	3,585	3,614	3,676	4,731	3,500	3,015	3,848	2,399
.....H. taels.....	980,000	1,004,000	998,000	976,000	451,737	526,000	763,000	739,000	603,000	783,000	583,000
Machinery.....do.....											181,000
Matches.....Gr. lbs.....		559,117	926,969	1,027,010	1,419,540	1,766,480	1,904,629	1,371,698	1,198,912	2,430,633	1,973,731
.....H. taels.....		289,000	403,000	415,000	533,000	747,000	853,000	602,000	717,000	1,027,000	805,000
Metals of all kinds, total.....	3,693,000	4,348,000	4,178,000	4,132,000	4,079,000	4,828,000	4,700,000	4,671,000	4,097,000	5,503,000	5,319,000
Copper, and manufactures of.....piculs.....	13,238	21,079	12,297	20,697	16,045	21,143	23,812	19,025	22,510	47,109	46,193
.....H. taels.....	223,844	366,000	208,000	327,000	248,000	329,000	370,000	306,000	370,000	661,000	550,000
Iron, and manufactures of.....piculs.....	325,036	462,585	541,160	810,683	855,204	748,553	746,624	817,521	843,582	1,202,881	1,083,372
.....H. taels.....	749,000	906,000	959,000	1,381,000	1,533,000	1,293,000	1,281,000	1,484,000	1,483,000	1,993,000	1,758,000
Lead and quick-silver.....piculs.....	191,193	242,394	298,957	180,872	160,972	283,004	254,664	197,824	107,838	164,726	219,182
.....H. taels.....	1,292,000	1,414,000	1,431,000	965,000	813,000	1,234,000	1,099,000	801,000	482,000	688,000	940,000
Tin and tin plates.....piculs.....	72,381	103,466	97,428	69,733	61,159	95,513	72,673	75,599	72,533	87,467	62,337
.....H. taels.....	1,044,405	1,491,571	1,337,000	1,003,000	1,052,000	1,503,000	1,461,000	1,490,000	1,229,000	1,640,000	1,311,000
Oil, kerosene:											
American.....galls.....											23,038,101
.....H. taels.....											
Russian.....galls.....											
.....H. taels.....											2,211,000
Opium, total of.....piculs.....	69,851	70,179	72,422	83,048	71,653	79,074	65,709	67,405	67,181	66,645	67,788
.....H. taels.....	28,019,000	30,257,000	32,263,000	36,537,000	32,343,000	37,592,000	26,746,000	25,346,000	26,150,000	25,439,000	24,089,000
Malwa.....piculs.....	43,909	41,705	37,004	40,139	32,892	36,481	29,336	35,218	36,796	33,635	37,183
.....H. taels.....	18,026,000	19,141,000	19,311,000	20,777,000	17,369,000	20,324,000	13,690,000	13,523,000	14,735,000	13,173,000	14,484,000
Patna.....piculs.....	16,020	15,237	18,588	21,150	16,503	17,996	15,379	12,825	13,646	14,217	13,703
.....H. taels.....	6,264,000	6,140,000	6,949,000	7,895,000	6,569,000	7,348,000	5,958,000	4,990,000	5,164,000	5,284,000	4,637,000
Benares.....piculs.....	8,618	10,822	12,373	16,278	17,297	18,067	15,017	13,950	12,374	14,288	11,614
.....H. taels.....	3,212,000	4,083,000	4,406,000	5,645,000	6,355,000	7,161,000	5,493,000	5,063,000	4,469,000	5,084,000	3,859,000
Other.....piculs.....	1,304	2,415	4,457	5,481	4,961	6,530	5,977	5,412	4,365	4,505	5,288
.....H. taels.....	517,000	893,000	1,607,000	2,220,000	2,050,000	2,759,000	2,109,000	1,770,000	1,782,000	1,898,000	2,009,000
Pepper, black and white.....piculs.....					36,840	56,461	37,692	31,180	36,718	37,954	27,972
.....H. taels.....					255,000	460,000	298,000	271,000	358,000	528,000	421,000
Rice.....piculs.....					30,433	197,877	233,149	253,210	151,952	316,999	540,290
.....H. taels.....					44,000	247,000	288,000	303,000	292,000	467,000	920,000
Seaweed and agar-agar.....piculs.....	296,824	252,093	333,863	443,795	439,984	388,103	400,196	339,342	302,951	433,585	491,465
.....H. taels.....	609,000	522,582	739,000	958,000	795,000	747,000	1,344,000	1,030,000	777,000	894,000	1,057,000
Sugar, brown, white, refined, and candy.....piculs.....					57,382	35,740	76,911	104,035	110,410	119,055	118,655
.....H. taels.....					279,000	164,000	370,000	462,000	441,000	499,000	542,000
Timber of all kinds.....H. taels.....					592,000	737,000	974,000	754,000	355,000	678,000	695,000
Wool, manufactures.....do.....	4,259,000	4,831,000	4,876,000	4,954,000	5,811,000	5,854,000	4,496,000	3,893,000	3,710,000	4,824,000	5,631,000
Total value of principal and other articles.....H. taels.....	70,270,000	73,234,000	70,804,000	82,227,000	79,293,000	91,911,000	77,715,000	73,568,000	72,761,000	88,200,000	87,479,000
.....dolls.....	101,880,000	106,917,000	102,654,000	111,710,000	111,744,000	123,935,000	107,944,000	100,318,000	98,848,000	113,565,000	141,693,014

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure, see page 2256.]

Population, 402,680,000; area, 4,218,401 square miles.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO CHINA FOR HOME CONSUMPTION (MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1876-1897, SHOWING QUANTITIES AND VALUES.

[From the British Foreign Statistical Abstract.]

1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.
35,575	32,199	33,150	36,226	36,065	40,353	41,518	35,344	30,864	38,108	44,142	piculs ..
681,000	656,000	864,000	936,000	855,000	1,031,000	1,053,000	853,000	837,000	767,000	1,092,000	H. taels. } Bicho de mar.
304,542	268,308	370,569	306,027	369,994	398,230	428,940	486,295	572,431	624,914	549,359	tons
1,819,000	1,657,000	2,377,000	1,973,000	1,708,000	2,008,000	2,096,000	3,221,000	3,394,000	3,540,000	3,693,000	H. taels. } Coal.
											Cotton:
173,728	156,579	113,545	119,562	110,618	106,635	53,419	43,103	44,711	99,129	160,256	piculs ..
1,433,000	1,513,000	1,213,000	1,577,000	1,195,000	1,157,000	661,000	556,000	569,000	1,308,000	2,260,000	H. taels. } Raw.
37,048,000	44,438,000	36,136,000	45,020,000	53,290,000	52,707,000	45,138,000	52,105,000	53,074,000	79,243,000	78,663,000	H. taels. { Yarn and manu- factures of, total.
593,728	684,959	679,728	1,083,405	1,212,921	1,305,572	983,399	1,161,694	1,134,000	1,625,000	1,573,000	piculs ..
12,591,000	13,496,000	13,019,000	19,392,000	20,984,000	22,153,000	17,862,000	21,397,000	21,209,000	32,010,000	34,421,000	H. taels. } Yarn and thread.
5,340,363	6,094,638	6,504,417	6,604,956	5,985,598	6,460,792	4,302,000	4,839,445	5,387,000	5,517,000	4,958,000	pieces ..
7,122,000	8,390,000	8,626,000	8,323,000	10,206,000	10,992,000	8,543,000	9,930,000	12,314,000	12,328,000	11,200,000	H. taels. } Gray shirtings.
2,423,910	3,241,053	2,301,970	3,112,762	3,049,812	2,672,550	2,089,615	2,813,252	2,054,000	2,047,000	2,596,000	pieces ..
4,101,000	5,649,000	4,079,000	5,270,000	6,075,000	5,672,000	4,788,000	6,824,000	6,119,000	7,983,000	8,438,000	H. taels. } Shirtings, other.
13,234,000	16,903,000	10,412,000	12,035,000	16,025,000	13,890,000	13,945,000	13,954,000	13,432,000	26,922,000	24,604,000	.....do ..
											{ Manufactures, other.
234,403	309,697	270,750	300,068	284,676	292,906	334,504	305,643	282,000	282,000	308,000	piculs ..
1,941,000	2,637,000	2,635,000	2,805,000	2,640,000	2,686,000	3,111,000	3,191,000	3,159,000	3,128,000	3,445,000	H. taels. } Fish and fishery products.
567,000	571,000	612,000	776,000	705,000	671,000	772,000	1,080,000	1,466,000	1,500,000	1,222,000	H. taels. } Flour.
3,180	2,438	2,589	3,270	2,924	3,348	3,447	3,632	4,381	4,023	4,892	piculs ..
727,000	619,000	669,000	795,000	710,000	847,000	859,000	840,000	1,223,000	1,620,000	2,149,000	H. taels. } Ginseng.
398,000	373,000	346,000	410,000	901,000	593,000	931,000	1,120,000	2,385,000	2,064,000	2,717,000	.....do ..
2,276,863	3,195,389	3,378,284	4,146,895	4,894,611	5,227,598	6,098,356	6,615,327	8,116,000	8,360,000	9,254,000	Machinery.
672,000	1,090,000	1,123,000	1,341,000	1,507,000	1,424,000	1,540,000	1,639,000	1,914,000	2,100,000	2,052,000	H. taels. } Matches.
5,797,000	6,887,000	6,728,000	6,872,000	7,254,000	7,131,000	7,198,000	7,527,000	7,189,000	9,759,000	8,147,000	Metals of all kinds, total.
61,579	33,820	54,389	36,413	47,801	42,304	47,019	42,576	27,163	50,252	51,937	piculs ..
756,000	508,000	726,000	517,000	654,000	621,000	710,000	674,000	471,000	871,000	1,041,000	H. taels. } Copper, and manufactures of.
1,023,060	1,298,408	1,148,729	1,124,341	1,803,829	1,359,343	1,083,415	1,185,410	1,071,000	1,779,000	989,508	piculs ..
1,680,000	2,185,000	2,076,000	2,127,000	3,183,000	2,559,000	2,226,000	2,468,000	2,311,000	3,808,000	2,596,000	H. taels. } Iron, and manu- factures of.
227,083	233,879	261,311	224,334	161,996	226,182	180,530	214,836	183,000	173,000	130,123	Gr. bxs ..
1,007,000	1,165,000	1,315,000	1,069,000	760,000	1,003,000	771,000	1,025,000	905,000	916,000	772,000	H. taels. } Lead and quick- silver.
65,402	107,466	82,676	91,561	88,169	84,936	83,062	97,008	131,000	122,000	126,918	piculs ..
1,403,000	2,275,000	1,880,000	1,903,000	1,627,000	1,839,000	1,944,000	2,047,000	2,170,000	2,357,000	2,230,000	H. taels. } Tin and tin plates.
											Oil, kerosene:
12,015,135	16,613,090	14,999,942	23,591,113	39,348,477	31,884,013	36,720,382	51,670,853	23,056,000	33,521,000	48,213,000	galls.
											H. taels. } American.
1,365,000	2,219,000	697,000	831,000	10,000,902	8,649,318	13,286,198	18,034,563	26,567,000	28,285,000	36,924,000	galls.
											H. taels. } Russian.
74,350	82,402	76,041	76,636	77,227	70,929	67,912	63,051	51,525	48,930	49,217	piculs ..
27,927,000	32,331,000	30,445,000	28,956,000	28,333,000	27,418,000	31,691,000	33,336,000	29,165,000	28,652,000	27,901,000	H. taels. } Opium, total of.
35,144	32,907	28,478	28,902	29,294	28,867	28,531	29,634	26,789	22,979	19,541	piculs ..
13,688,000	14,067,000	12,102,000	11,459,000	11,373,000	11,481,000	14,175,000	16,389,000	15,667,000	14,321,000	12,692,000	H. taels. } Malwa.
20,041	28,817	24,657	25,436	23,256	18,892	20,297	19,743	14,675	16,748	18,640	piculs ..
6,971,000	10,605,000	9,411,000	9,189,000	8,379,000	7,427,000	9,002,000	9,725,000	7,819,000	9,209,000	9,537,000	H. taels. } Patna.
14,281	16,192	17,816	17,291	18,813	15,362	12,097	9,223	7,740	6,555	8,174	piculs ..
5,262,000	5,897,000	6,832,000	6,279,000	6,672,000	5,936,000	5,393,000	4,608,000	4,137,000	3,747,000	4,240,000	H. taels. } Benares.
4,884	4,486	5,090	5,007	5,864	7,808	6,987	4,451	2,321	2,648	2,862	piculs ..
2,006,000	1,762,000	2,070,000	2,029,000	1,909,000	2,574,000	3,121,000	2,614,000	1,542,000	1,375,000	1,432,000	H. taels. } Other.
36,416	39,351	42,345	58,546	57,444	66,542	48,905	70,708	52,788	65,702	26,803	piculs ..
560,000	610,000	616,000	826,000	503,000	596,000	466,000	620,000	479,000	543,000	278,000	H. taels. } Pepper, black and white.
1,944,251	7,132,212	4,270,879	44,000	4,684,675	3,948,202	9,474,502	6,440,718	10,096,000	9,415,000	2,104,000	piculs ..
2,756,000	9,634,000	6,021,000	616,000	6,597,000	5,826,000	12,965,000	9,743,000	15,622,000	15,022,000	4,011,000	H. taels. } Rice.
428,036	491,605	437,189	480,010	429,896	522,549	454,365	560,342	479,000	469,000	544,000	piculs ..
969,000	1,055,000	887,000	975,000	766,000	1,035,000	893,000	884,000	1,009,000	874,000	1,111,000	H. taels. } Seaweed and agar- agar.
271,719	145,871	104,794	209,121	290,036	531,615	1,549,298	1,823,891	1,483,000	1,636,000	2,298,000	piculs ..
1,199,000	667,000	511,000	1,076,000	1,774,000	2,448,000	7,429,000	9,507,000	7,391,000	7,002,000	10,226,000	H. taels. } Sugar, brown, white, refined, and candy.
585,000	939,000	813,000	834,000	896,000	1,082,000	1,032,000	1,278,000	1,225,000	1,182,000	1,324,084	H. taels. } Timber of all kinds
5,425,000	5,098,000	3,975,000	3,643,000	4,695,000	4,794,000	4,587,000	3,540,000	3,723,000	5,363,000	4,838,000	.....do ..
											{ Wool, manufac- tures.
102,261,000	124,783,000	110,884,000	127,093,000	134,004,000	135,101,000	151,363,000	162,103,000	171,697,000	202,590,000	202,829,000	II. taels. } Total value of principal and other articles.
118,300,482	142,641,982	127,594,764	160,424,173	160,317,110	143,138,365	145,021,700	126,134,814	136,651,320	164,317,373	158,207,000	dolls.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure, see page 2256.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE EXPORTED FROM CHINA (MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1876-1897,
SHOWING QUANTITIES AND VALUES.

[From the British Foreign Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886
Cassia lignea.....	piculs.... 38,090	52,417	72,171	90,633	38,784	57,456	58,170	76,196	13,822	12,892	51,365
	H. taels.. 199,958	309,945	336,217	570,494	225,692	300,303	272,000	295,000	46,000	37,000	161,000
China ware, earth-ware, and pottery	piculs.... 82,245	81,446	91,360	89,913	75,142	78,503	98,243	90,558	87,142	89,642	108,857
	H. taels.. 307,882	295,421	384,862	338,371	379,574	387,006	471,000	336,000	242,000	273,000	213,000
Clothing (Chinese), boots, and shoes	do 462,133	333,166	303,316	448,598	327,548	358,301	389,000	410,000	454,000	385,000	944,000
Cotton, raw.....	piculs....		23,311	12,362	18,077	22,908	41,690	22,074	53,572	61,850	47,572
	H. taels..		237,000	123,000	180,000	228,000	404,000	241,000	615,000	717,000	523,000
Firecrackers and fireworks	piculs....		17,067	35,521	27,051	34,380	40,617	56,187	51,530	29,875	67,971
	H. taels..		160,000	335,000	261,000	323,000	377,000	522,000	483,000	289,000	623,000
Fruits of all kinds.....	do					107,000	152,000	130,000	159,000	160,000	230,000
Hides of all kinds.....	piculs.... 41,360	25,514		20,623	38,518	34,946	64,017	88,023	90,412	86,721	
	H. taels.. 353,000	242,000		253,000	474,000	386,000	679,000	961,000	941,000	996,000	
Mats and matting.....	do 213,434	346,811	346,104	290,021	533,027	358,537	486,000	548,000	337,000	287,000	506,000
Paper of all kinds (including books)	piculs.... 40,636	48,480	54,841	44,533	43,580	53,439	57,853	59,287	42,889	67,592	71,719
	H. taels.. 447,150	486,732	628,322	554,065	512,720	597,496	623,000	710,000	622,000	596,000	674,000
Provisions and vegetables	do				79,000	52,000	78,000	85,000	197,000	101,000	165,000
Silk, and manufactures of, total.....	do 35,816,000	22,755,000	25,126,000	28,621,000	29,831,000	26,868,000	22,837,000	23,938,000	23,182,000	20,000,000	28,834,000
Raw, white, or yellow.....	piculs.... 76,291	56,236	63,143	75,828	78,100	60,483	60,419	59,142	61,140	50,113	64,488
	H. taels.. 30,542,016	17,257,883	19,418,757	22,596,481	22,604,465	19,614,716	16,990,000	16,959,000	15,847,000	12,846,000	17,921,000
Coarse and wild.....	piculs.... 3,095	3,029	4,200	4,716	4,101	5,199	4,069	5,836	6,652	7,871	12,555
	H. taels.. 366,183	365,190	410,942	409,466	385,876	509,441	345,000	511,000	609,000	724,000	1,289,000
Refuse.....	piculs.... 10,331	8,586	11,469	13,794	18,861	27,817	23,657	28,497	35,001	30,907	45,541
	H. taels.. 493,736	303,076	416,919	616,184	947,393	1,594,346	1,357,000	1,605,000	1,730,000	1,625,000	2,272,000
Cocoons	piculs.... 3,198	2,355	2,204	3,889	4,557	4,589	3,847	2,662	2,618	1,342	5,388
	H. taels.. 251,965	208,223	129,619	250,257	238,222	298,503	207,000	183,000	119,000	60,000	350,000
Piece goods (including pongees)	piculs.... 5,888	6,460	7,440	6,919	8,390	7,188	6,598	7,731	8,807	10,279	12,495
	H. taels.. 3,986,038	4,452,121	4,507,047	4,498,992	5,421,721	4,612,273	3,396,000	4,023,000	4,427,000	4,556,000	6,754,000
Manufactures, other.....	piculs.... 470	512	690	684	710	494	2,701	3,286	2,215	632	809
	H. taels.. 172,400	188,175	242,920	249,953	233,767	238,921	542,000	657,000	450,000	189,000	248,000
Straw braid	piculs.... 20,894	25,930	36,116	35,898	48,970	50,502	55,498	58,627	78,166	76,494	82,413
	H. taels.. 417,457	619,135	795,088	964,280	1,227,670	1,363,984	1,499,000	1,466,000	1,954,000	1,874,000	2,089,000
Sugar, brown, white, and candy	piculs.... 1,263,444	1,275,656	585,246	726,834	1,238,194	957,564	1,061,760	1,373,169	1,571,106	827,236	612,478
	H. taels.. 2,316,401	3,725,316	1,864,756	2,223,882	3,263,889	2,584,000	3,103,000	3,802,000	3,860,000	1,886,000	1,683,000
Tea, total of.....	do 36,648,000	33,332,000	32,013,000	33,272,000	35,728,000	32,890,000	31,332,000	32,174,000	29,055,000	32,260,000	33,505,000
Black.....	piculs.... 1,415,348	1,552,173	1,517,617	1,523,418	1,661,325	1,636,724	1,611,916	1,571,092	1,564,452	1,618,404	1,654,058
	H. taels.. 30,159,983	27,147,234	27,132,417	27,520,754	29,298,788	26,200,569	25,878,000	26,730,000	23,146,000	26,528,000	27,694,000
Green	piculs.... 189,714	197,521	172,826	183,233	188,623	238,064	178,839	191,115	202,557	214,693	192,930
	H. taels.. 4,641,691	4,338,175	3,422,227	4,308,777	4,196,441	5,106,554	4,091,000	3,903,000	4,405,000	4,167,000	3,552,000
Brick	piculs.... 153,950	147,809	194,277	275,540	232,969	247,498	219,026	218,744	244,996	280,112	361,492
	H. taels.. 1,819,483	1,759,028	1,354,267	1,392,616	2,132,304	1,468,184	1,304,000	1,501,000	1,483,000	1,512,000	2,218,000
Tablet.....	piculs....										
	H. taels..										
Dust	piculs.... 3,793	12,157	14,236	5,269	14,200	15,186	7,387	6,125	4,212	15,505	8,719
	H. taels.. 26,769	87,950	104,273	49,502	100,636	114,961	59,000	40,000	21,000	62,000	41,000
Tobacco, leaf and prepared.....	piculs....					7,250	7,004	11,403	24,443	24,042	20,803
	H. taels..					73,000	82,000	129,000	216,000	246,000	230,000
Wool	piculs....					5,986	22,755	33,825	34,799	43,005	48,360
	H. taels..					39,000	199,000	275,000	269,000	328,000	454,000
Total value of principal articles.....	H. taels.. 80,851,000	67,445,000	67,172,000	72,281,000	77,884,000	71,452,974	67,337,000	70,198,000	67,148,000	65,006,000	77,207,000
	dollars.. 117,219,000	98,400,000	97,388,398	98,196,237	109,759,041	96,346,967	93,528,763	95,723,555	91,222,542	83,698,933	94,127,343

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS (MERCHANDISE ONLY) INTO CHINA, DISTINGUISHING PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES
WHENCE IMPORTED, 1868-1897.**

[From the British Foreign Statistical Abstract.]

COUNTRIES.	1868	1869	1870	1871	1872	1873	1874	1875	1876	1877
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United Kingdom	21,782,000	24,830,000	24,181,000	26,137,000	26,253,000	20,991,000	20,069,000	21,133,000	20,873,000	19,994,000
Hongkong	13,946,000	19,193,000	19,175,000	22,752,000	20,927,000	24,956,000	23,667,000	27,525,000	27,372,000	27,002,000
India	23,223,000	17,686,000	17,785,000	18,759,000	16,630,000	16,709,000	16,322,000	14,855,000	16,614,000	19,733,000
Straits Settlements	662,000	827,000	708,000	614,000	727,000	569,000	636,000	700,000	870,000	1,028,000
Australia and New Zealand	654,000	765,000	472,000	374,000	447,000	538,000	596,000	557,000	523,000	533,000
South Africa and Mauritius										
British North America				113,000	160,000	153,000	164,000	60,000	55,000	81,000
Total British Empire	60,267,000	63,301,000	62,321,000	68,749,000	65,144,000	63,916,000	63,454,000	64,830,000	66,307,000	68,971,000
United States	742,000	1,383,000	374,000	449,000	369,000	244,000	266,000	1,016,000	739,000	1,138,000
Continent of Europe	290,000	614,000	482,000	236,000	386,000	662,000	517,000	768,000	824,000	888,000
Russian Manchuria	84,000	112,000	77,000	122,000	193,000	26,000	75,000	101,000	99,000	114,000
Japan	2,326,000	1,961,000	1,286,000	1,891,000	2,831,000	3,207,000	2,414,000	2,486,000	3,136,000	3,509,000
Philippine Islands										44,000
Cochin China, Tonquin, and Annam	1,173,000	977,000	801,000	750,000	1,286,000	1,097,000	488,000	748,000	1,155,000	789,000
Siam										430,000
Java and Sumatra										112,000
Other countries	61,000	117,000	284,000		13,000	6,000	29,000	48,000	131,000	82,000
Total	<i>Haikwan taels.</i> 102,610,000	68,495,000 108,222,000	65,625,000 103,688,000	72,197,000 114,071,000	70,222,000 110,249,000	69,158,000 106,503,000	67,243,000 103,642,000	69,995,000 105,019,000	72,391,000 104,951,000	76,077,000 111,068,000

COUNTRIES.	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United Kingdom	14,952,000	20,333,000	21,881,000	23,738,000	18,756,000	16,930,000	16,945,000	23,992,000	22,035,000	25,667,000
Hongkong	27,445,000	29,641,000	30,253,000	31,190,000	29,063,000	29,091,000	30,770,000	35,268,000	34,890,000	57,761,000
India	21,077,000	24,678,000	20,706,000	26,819,000	18,264,000	17,154,000	16,339,000	16,149,000	16,980,000	57,377,000
Straits Settlements	824,000	834,000	863,000	1,137,000	1,585,000	1,430,000	1,470,000	1,725,000	1,236,000	1,391,000
Australia and New Zealand	352,000	356,000	222,000	426,000	530,000	422,000	118,000	256,000	298,000	270,000
South Africa and Mauritius										
British North America	294,000	103,000	102,000	225,000	219,000	167,000	67,000	51,000	28,000	94,000
Total British Empire	64,944,000	75,945,000	74,027,000	83,535,000	68,397,000	65,194,000	65,709,000	77,441,000	75,467,000	90,720,000
United States	2,253,000	2,541,000	1,205,000	3,300,000	3,277,000	2,708,000	2,418,000	3,315,000	4,647,000	3,398,000
Continent of Europe	820,000	1,750,000	2,297,000	2,474,000	2,494,000	2,385,000	1,762,000	2,520,000	2,750,000	2,588,000
Russian Manchuria	149,000	277,000	173,000	113,000	152,000	155,000	248,000	193,000	202,000	118,000
Japan	4,050,000	3,417,000	3,501,000	3,782,000	4,442,000	3,738,000	3,656,000	5,264,000	5,691,000	5,565,000
Macao										1,365,000
Philippine Islands	113,000	103,000	28,000	48,000	19,000	32,000	43,000	61,000	52,000	69,000
Cochin China, Tonquin, and Annam	285,000	271,000	104,000	385,000	487,000	477,000	273,000	228,000	210,000	338,000
Siam	314,000	347,000	136,000	155,000	197,000	192,000	134,000	278,000	192,000	152,000
Java and Sumatra	158,000	120,000	159,000	87,000	39,000	50,000	55,000	72,000	44,000	56,000
Other countries	96,000	25,000	10,000	5,000		23,000	32,000	35,000	55,000	127,000
Total	<i>Haikwan taels.</i> 106,109,000	84,796,000 115,200,000	81,640,000 115,054,000	93,884,000 126,597,000	79,504,000 110,431,000	74,954,000 102,211,000	74,330,000 100,980,000	89,407,000 115,122,000	89,310,000 108,883,071	104,496,000 123,424,173

COUNTRIES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United Kingdom	30,393,000	21,167,000	24,608,000	29,628,000	23,870,000	28,156,000	29,944,000	33,960,000	44,571,000	40,016,000
Hongkong	69,841,000	63,371,000	72,057,000	68,156,000	69,817,000	80,891,000	82,424,000	88,191,000	91,357,000	90,126,000
India	6,628,000	7,907,000	10,300,000	12,473,000	13,861,000	16,740,000	19,929,000	16,944,000	23,027,000	20,068,000
Straits Settlements	2,041,000	1,874,000	1,772,000	1,769,000	1,920,000	2,448,000	2,333,000	2,536,000	3,240,000	2,856,000
Australia and New Zealand	152,000	310,000	226,000	110,000	320,000	108,000	362,000	409,000	585,000	81,000
South Africa and Mauritius						2,000	1,000			
British North America	1,147,000	946,000	612,000	935,000	695,000	1,311,000	1,073,000	1,561,000	2,148,000	6,504,000
Total British Empire	110,202,000	95,575,000	109,575,000	113,071,000	115,483,000	129,656,000	136,066,000	143,601,000	164,928,000	159,651,000
United States	3,146,000	3,806,000	3,676,000	7,732,000	6,062,000	5,444,000	9,263,000	5,093,000	11,930,000	12,440,000
Continent of Europe	3,246,000	2,792,000	3,158,000	5,265,000	5,519,000	5,920,000	6,629,000	9,344,000	11,464,000	11,800,000
Russian Manchuria	176,000	180,000	211,000	181,000	160,000	179,000	200,000	110,000	193,000	207,000
Japan	5,775,000	6,602,000	7,389,000	5,705,000	6,702,000	7,852,000	9,130,000	17,195,000	17,390,000	22,564,000
Macao	3,485,000	3,775,000	4,271,000	3,656,000	3,179,000	2,864,000	3,093,000	3,076,000	3,985,000	3,515,000
Philippine Islands	68,000	71,000	38,000	48,000	44,000	26,000	82,000	17,000	17,000	76,000
Cochin China, Tonquin, and Annam	347,000	165,000	342,000	250,000	200,000	1,213,000	1,091,000	1,405,000	1,000,000	503,000
Siam	54,000	56,000	93,000	30,000	37,000	159,000	81,000	43,000	194,000	42,331
Java and Sumatra	99,000	64,000		37,000	21,000	4,000	7,000		5,000	679,000
Other countries	229,000	175,000	5,000	36,000	16,000	10,000	4,000	62,000	517,000	757,000
Total	<i>Haikwan taels.</i> 144,977,902	113,261,000 130,329,737	128,758,000 162,517,501	136,011,000 162,716,294	137,423,000 145,595,947	153,327,000 146,900,169	165,646,000 128,894,119	179,947,000 143,216,229	211,623,000 171,641,455	202,829,000 158,207,000

**TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE (MERCHANDISE ONLY) FROM CHINA, DISTINGUISHING
PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED, 1868-1897.**

COUNTRIES.	1868	1869	1870	1871	1872	1873	1874	1875	1876	1877
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United Kingdom.....	38,181,000	31,863,000	23,027,000	33,845,000	38,689,000	37,278,000	33,617,000	29,165,000	35,268,000	27,784,000
Hongkong ^b	8,027,000	11,025,000	10,161,000	11,169,000	12,087,000	7,828,000	11,304,000	12,747,000	14,477,000	15,256,000
India.....	235,000	134,000	102,000	209,000	411,000	2,343,000	895,000	241,000	188,000	578,000
Straits Settlements.....	261,000	656,000	264,000	357,000	413,000	447,000	606,000	793,000	593,000	950,000
Australia and New Zealand.....	2,645,000	1,768,000	1,430,000	1,771,000	2,146,000	2,095,000	2,219,000	2,226,000	1,954,000	1,952,000
South Africa and Mauritius.....	39,000	.....	16,000	24,000	118,000	.....	60,000	93,000	73,000	115,000
British North America.....	211,000	.....	22,000	180,000	.....	18,000	78,000	44,000	7,000	.....
Total British Empire.....	49,599,000	45,446,000	41,022,000	49,555,000	53,864,000	50,009,000	48,773,000	45,309,000	52,560,000	46,035,000
United States.....	5,891,000	8,174,000	7,599,000	10,358,000	11,943,000	7,524,000	6,452,000	7,674,000	7,259,000	7,911,000
Continent of Europe (except Russia).....	4,104,000	3,027,000	2,671,000	3,647,000	4,361,000	6,547,000	6,406,000	8,579,000	14,109,000	6,148,000
Russia in Europe.....	.....	.....	.....	398,000	914,000	965,000	904,000	1,369,000	1,000,000	.....
Russia in Asia.....	708,000	1,748,000	821,000	971,000	1,708,000	1,967,000	1,422,000	3,022,000	3,281,000	3,815,000
Russian Manchuria.....	7,000	7,000	9,000	17,000	40,000	88,000	74,000	72,000	97,000	72,000
Japan.....	834,000	1,172,000	2,481,000	1,175,000	1,314,000	1,144,000	1,756,000	1,953,000	1,717,000	1,870,000
Macao.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200,000
Philippine Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	118,000
Cochin China, Tonquin, and Annam.....	477,000	435,000	564,000	624,000	846,000	852,000	858,000	922,000	779,000	169,000
Siam.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	468,000
Java and Sumatra.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Asia, Persia, Egypt, Algeria, Aden, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other countries.....	206,000	129,300	129,000	107,000	298,000	355,000	61,000	11,000	48,000	.....
Total.....	Haikwan taels.. 61,826,000 dollars.. 97,685,000	60,138,300 95,018,000	55,296,000 87,368,000	66,852,000 105,594,000	75,290,000 118,205,000	69,452,000 106,956,000	66,712,000 102,810,000	68,911,000 103,403,000	80,850,000 117,219,000	67,445,000 98,409,000

COUNTRIES.	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United Kingdom.....	27,610,000	26,125,000	27,824,000	22,731,000	22,309,000	24,570,000	19,465,000	21,992,000	19,746,000	16,483,000
Hongkong ^b	14,979,000	16,403,000	16,609,000	17,661,000	16,487,000	18,852,000	17,240,000	15,870,000	22,553,000	31,393,000
India.....	374,000	550,000	1,106,000	494,000	477,000	556,000	636,000	589,000	532,000	798,000
Straits Settlements.....	1,077,000	879,000	975,000	1,173,000	1,028,000	932,000	855,000	999,000	940,000	1,337,000
Australia and New Zealand.....	1,760,000	1,774,000	1,898,000	2,148,000	2,223,000	1,613,000	1,666,000	1,830,000	2,062,000	2,101,000
South Africa and Mauritius.....	222,000	153,000	59,000	132,000	111,000	153,000	147,000	186,000	58,000	188,000
British North America.....	.....	.....	63,000	17,000	58,000	80,000	231,000	2,000	68,000	129,000
Total British Empire.....	46,022,000	45,884,000	48,534,000	44,358,000	42,693,000	46,756,000	40,240,000	41,518,000	45,959,000	52,429,000
United States.....	6,576,000	8,967,000	9,107,000	10,222,000	8,420,000	7,352,000	8,280,000	8,292,000	9,686,000	8,916,000
Continent of Europe (except Russia).....	8,460,000	9,849,000	11,861,000	9,806,000	8,752,000	7,817,000	10,070,000	7,304,000	11,928,000	11,545,000
Russia in Europe.....	5,000	314,000	1,059,000	1,030,000	946,000	1,755,000	1,251,000	947,000	1,470,000	1,314,000
Russia in Asia.....	3,207,000	3,588,000	4,055,000	3,183,000	3,286,000	3,666,000	3,740,000	3,428,000	4,948,000	5,704,000
Russian Manchuria.....	130,000	200,000	240,000	340,000	569,000	385,000	498,000	468,000	621,000	633,000
Japan.....	1,683,000	2,233,000	2,203,000	1,764,000	1,767,000	1,411,000	1,796,000	1,491,000	1,222,000	2,113,000
Macao.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,538,000
Philippine Islands.....	243,000	149,000	212,000	260,000	249,000	294,000	200,000	264,000	205,000	288,000
Cochin China, Tonquin, and Annam.....	135,000	90,000	53,000	12,000	65,000	61,000	155,000	76,000	140,000	90,000
Siam.....	164,000	242,000	138,000	63,000	268,000	243,000	241,000	303,000	312,000	382,000
Java and Sumatra.....	511,000	294,000	268,000	257,000	266,000	221,000	316,000	413,000	420,000	448,000
Turkey in Asia, Persia, Egypt, Algeria, Aden, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	188,000	278,000
Other countries.....	6,000	71,000	154,000	157,000	56,000	134,000	361,000	483,000	108,000	182,000
Total.....	Haikwan taels.. 67,172,000 dollars.. 97,388,000	72,281,000 98,196,000	77,884,000 109,759,000	71,452,000 96,347,000	67,337,000 93,529,000	70,198,000 95,724,000	67,118,000 91,222,000	65,006,000 83,690,000	77,297,000 91,127,843	85,810,000 101,412,894

COUNTRIES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United Kingdom.....	16,701,000	15,657,000	13,095,000	13,772,000	10,476,000	11,663,000	11,500,000	10,571,000	11,232,000	12,945,000
Hongkong ^b	33,552,000	35,187,000	32,931,000	37,708,000	40,701,000	48,290,000	50,794,000	51,775,000	54,053,000	63,402,000
India.....	1,037,000	1,090,000	1,056,000	1,563,000	1,403,000	2,735,000	2,543,000	2,764,000	2,176,000	1,046,000
Straits Settlements.....	1,352,000	1,287,000	1,465,000	1,379,000	1,404,000	1,792,000	1,923,000	1,887,000	1,739,000	1,858,000
Australia and New Zealand.....	3,141,000	1,922,000	1,265,000	1,197,000	1,626,000	1,048,000	938,000	1,212,000	688,000	537,000
South Africa and Mauritius.....	269,000	266,000	215,000	190,000	215,000	222,000	198,000	273,000	336,000	202,000
British North America.....	265,000	197,000	485,000	519,000	159,000	293,000	154,000	233,000	427,000	299,000
Total British Empire.....	56,317,000	55,546,000	50,512,000	56,328,000	55,984,000	66,053,000	68,050,000	71,715,000	70,701,000	77,289,000
United States.....	8,963,000	7,084,000	8,165,000	9,031,000	10,785,000	11,726,000	16,443,000	15,383,000	11,124,000	17,828,000
Continent of Europe (except Russia).....	12,945,000	17,534,000	11,630,000	14,899,000	17,167,000	15,855,000	10,119,000	21,172,000	18,077,000	25,878,000
Russia in Europe.....	1,927,000	2,829,000	3,712,000	5,777,000	1,555,000	3,038,000	3,370,000	4,472,000	4,266,000	3,927,000
Russia in Asia.....	4,699,000	3,961,000	4,528,000	4,434,000	4,003,000	5,093,000	6,257,000	8,370,000	8,316,000	9,470,000
Russian Manchuria.....	707,000	499,000	616,000	918,000	1,025,000	1,251,000	1,396,000	2,761,000	2,325,000	3,014,000
Japan.....	3,562,000	6,469,000	4,832,000	5,801,000	8,054,000	9,338,000	9,256,000	14,822,000	11,379,000	16,027,000
Macao.....	1,629,000	1,542,000	1,846,000	1,919,000	1,635,000	2,046,000	1,634,000	1,739,000	2,223,000	5,894,000
Philippine Islands.....	314,000	342,000	221,000	233,000	161,000	178,000	205,000	161,000	128,000	132,000
Cochin China, Tonquin, and Annam.....	95,000	62,000	133,000	209,000	197,000	256,000	526,000	500,000	412,000	532,000
Siam.....	358,000	355,000	352,000	358,000	345,000	362,000	500,000	569,000	536,000	641,000
Java and Sumatra.....	381,000	342,000	230,000	370,000	433,000	542,000	563,000	532,000	570,000	420,000
Turkey in Asia, Persia, Egypt, Algeria, Aden, etc.....	259,000	180,000	366,000	668,000	730,000	891,000	736,000	453,000	746,000	1,847,000
Other countries.....	245,000	203,000	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	638,000	478,000	2,000
Total.....	Haikwan taels.. 92,401,000 dollars.. 105,627,383	96,918,000 111,559,646	87,144,000 109,997,500	100,948,000 120,767,064	102,584,000 108,863,554	116,632,000 111,744,573	128,105,000 99,683,520	143,293,000 114,041,561	131,181,000 106,318,426	163,501,000 127,531,000

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

IMPORTS (NET) OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES INTO THE CHINESE EMPIRE, BY ARTICLES, 1888 TO 1897.

[From the official returns of the inspector-general of customs of the Chinese Empire.]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
OPIUM:										
Malwa.....piculs..							29,634	26,789	22,979	19,541
Patna.....do.....							19,743	14,675	16,748	18,640
Benares.....do.....							9,223	7,740	6,555	8,174
Other kinds.....do.....							4,451	2,321	2,648	2,862
Total opium.....do.....	82,402	76,041	76,636	77,227	70,929	67,912	63,051	51,525	48,930	49,217
COTTON GOODS:										
Shirtings—										
Gray, plain.....pieces..	6,094,638	6,504,417	6,604,956	5,985,598	6,460,792	4,302,000	4,839,445	5,387,489	5,516,836	4,957,538
White, plain.....do.....	2,941,433	2,124,982	2,812,073	2,732,779	2,288,629	1,823,415	2,527,088	1,843,645	2,568,504	2,292,555
White, figured, brocaded, and spotted.....pieces..	25,678		26,266	59,301	84,887	65,847	99,006		26,330	7,191
Dyed, plain.....do.....	195,581	121,989	194,874	165,617	165,667	54,559	51,813	45,409	83,735	111,953
Dyed, figured, brocaded, and spotted.....pieces..	78,361	57,251	79,540	92,115	133,367	145,794	135,345	163,698	254,484	181,964
Japanese.....do.....							10,826	856	14,197	2,206
T cloths.....do.....	2,610,426	1,846,428	2,054,272	2,046,043	2,090,369	1,537,649	996,211	1,414,302	1,404,845	1,215,059
T cloths, Indian.....do.....							249,535	369,628	289,863	367,781
T cloths, Japanese.....do.....							2,154	11,837	12,843	24,957
Drills—										
English.....do.....	542,826	262,668	231,437	235,766	102,057	403,213	208,455	149,018	132,373	76,202
Indian.....do.....							2,710	15,346	39,775	11,243
Dutch.....do.....	56,970	14,356	27,060	23,400	34,680	63,120	100,975	71,842	84,334	25,862
American.....do.....	496,096	621,743	597,903	861,591	644,532	426,804	705,031	518,402	1,226,759	1,531,647
Japanese.....do.....							11,741	10,425	9,136	1,250
Jeans—										
English.....do.....	106,342	107,880	195,313	145,811	123,960	93,052	177,292	110,940	127,728	183,451
Dutch.....do.....	22,650	10,500	23,510	47,511	16,220	26,660	40,800	39,030	54,260	50,890
American.....do.....	8,412	9,533	38,090	17,317	20,101	24,360	26,008	21,798	52,480	68,076
Sheetings—										
English.....do.....	1,039,642	407,779	744,079	890,017	686,528	797,763	399,837	506,239	1,019,991	389,569
Indian.....do.....							95,374	62,995	156,709	23,700
Dutch.....do.....							8,240	5,036	1,040	
American.....do.....	1,557,830	875,568	1,201,791	2,008,455	1,326,406	903,334	1,275,744	762,035	2,251,600	2,418,971
Japanese.....do.....							10,471	3,091	25,537	24,744
Chintzes, furnitures, and plain cotton prints.....pieces..	556,414	341,317	568,006	540,615	645,579	551,015	417,946	616,959	1,204,280	932,494
Twills, printed.....do.....	182,788	66,706	117,778	80,650	191,378	117,272	22,178	76,464	183,368	82,315
Turkey-red cottons.....do.....	494,868	345,061	435,093	776,632	367,418	174,140	208,662	278,934	363,954	174,396
Cotton lastings, plain and figured.....pieces..	920,741	248,554	430,837	533,244	600,747	565,906	530,248	450,123	978,824	1,141,064
Cotton damasks.....do.....	3,238	1,169	1,649	1,372	2,171	4,733	3,477	1,565	978	3,077
Velvets.....do.....	51,645	47,683	37,043	42,901	53,386	50,090	37,636	38,088	58,130	42,090
Velveteens.....do.....	24,294	18,173	6,869	13,016	13,752	11,391	9,500	10,291	23,155	16,010
Jaconets, cambrics, lawns, muslins, and dimities.....pieces..	368,965	243,897	133,012	296,491	306,164	356,314	178,602	146,612	351,313	146,219
Handkerchiefs.....doz.....	604,032	402,427	513,941	430,991	606,874	551,523	237,996	441,467	1,077,116	413,724
Handkerchiefs, Japanese.....do.....							20,055	23,805	48,088	23,071
Towels.....do.....	648,472	769,389	322,164	638,306	582,799	883,332	367,569	189,113	990,174	584,789
Towels, Japanese.....do.....							89,605	92,708	155,170	141,728
Cotton flannel.....pieces..							68,685	90,692	205,467	125,277
Cotton flannel, Japanese.....do.....							47,611	77,399	50,232	60,532
Japanese cotton cloth.....do.....							194,397	85,794	90,160	172,731
Japanese cotton crape.....do.....							102,841	83,073	56,157	50,993
Cotton goods, unclassified.....do.....	284,229	343,902								
yarn, English.....piculs..		50,144	86,350	73,059	40,019	43,940	67,950	56,007	58,133	51,298
yarn, Indian.....do.....	683,468	628,413	993,145	1,138,084	1,254,490	937,883	1,060,542	1,057,046	1,461,365	1,235,537
yarn, Japanese.....do.....							31,104	19,148	101,381	283,817
thread.....do.....	1,491	1,170	1,910	1,779	2,063	1,576	2,098	1,909	3,927	2,464
Total cotton goods.....do.....										
WOOLEN GOODS:										
Camlets, English.....pieces..	104,990	138,983	110,810	121,772	99,048	96,911	68,930	78,418	65,562	60,113
Camlets, Dutch.....do.....	1,701	356	227	100	265	46		2		18
Lastings.....do.....	144,371	99,405	84,985	118,328	117,343	86,483	33,700	53,950	61,725	83,849

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

IMPORTS (NET) OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES INTO THE CHINESE EMPIRE, BY ARTICLES, 1888 TO 1897.

[From the official returns of the inspector-general of customs of the Chinese Empire.]

VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	
Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	Hk. Taels.	
						16,388,663	15,666,593	14,320,581	12,692,267	OPIMUM:
						9,724,765	7,819,541	9,208,592	9,536,902	piculs...Malwa.
						4,608,237	4,136,579	3,747,039	4,239,609	...do....Patna.
						2,614,402	1,542,082	1,375,380	1,432,278	...do....Benares.
										...do....Other kinds.
32,330,506	30,444,869	28,956,329	28,333,156	27,418,152	31,691,399	33,336,067	29,164,800	28,651,592	27,901,056	...do.... Total opium.
										COTTON GOODS:
										Shirtings--
8,369,516	8,626,208	8,323,075	10,206,236	10,992,034	8,543,158	9,930,056	12,314,561	12,328,400	11,199,561	pieces... Gray, plain.
5,108,698	3,657,769	4,593,355	5,413,608	4,717,850	4,187,730	6,149,033	5,520,785	6,984,500	7,638,120	...do.... White, plain.
39,726		37,586	73,237	110,070	108,178	209,138		50,006	14,897	...do.... { White, figured, brocaded, and spotted.
330,106	299,877	480,970	406,767	411,545	158,278	154,060	152,343	270,704	356,968	...do.... Dyed, plain.
169,973	124,870	158,083	181,872	431,842	333,502	311,687	444,480	578,288	422,661	...do.... { Dyed, figured, brocaded, and spotted.
						21,658	1,709	29,819	5,390	...do.... Japanese.
2,973,875	2,137,110	2,184,175	2,504,939	2,556,902	2,114,148	1,586,282	2,177,723	2,369,721	2,424,495	...do.... T cloths.
						300,751	418,394	328,044	445,491	...do.... T cloths, Indian.
						2,926	17,091	14,324	49,877	...do.... T cloths, Japanese.
										Drills--
982,324	470,067	376,857	466,112	208,397	931,131	523,859	421,272	352,276	205,991	...do.... English.
						6,491	37,146	100,340	30,249	...do.... Indian.
113,940	29,430	50,061	48,280	52,020	113,616	222,145	161,869	201,630	72,694	...do.... Dutch.
1,244,193	1,586,860	1,377,656	1,897,768	1,452,848	1,110,905	2,045,783	1,760,356	3,531,320	4,469,692	...do.... American.
						29,268	26,063	26,246	3,166	...do.... Japanese.
										Jeans--
149,251	153,484	250,154	218,951	192,313	167,710	354,754	233,016	263,178	411,527	...do.... English.
35,787	16,800	34,325	77,918	25,952	50,654	77,520	81,963	108,479	101,264	...do.... Dutch.
15,603	17,313	62,540	29,700	35,274	48,790	52,026	43,689	118,104	157,419	...do.... American.
										Sheetings--
2,128,646	837,484	1,450,493	1,789,563	1,399,130	1,825,823	959,910	1,366,906	2,083,272	1,051,928	...do.... English.
						210,567	151,319	373,020	52,842	...do.... Indian.
						18,952	11,583	2,621		...do.... Dutch.
2,894,641	2,276,451	2,812,331	4,519,159	3,184,174	2,438,958	3,699,655	2,286,269	6,607,357	6,800,141	...do.... American.
						26,178	8,148	63,360	60,408	...do.... Japanese.
689,394	414,390	619,029	655,541	863,830	789,573	678,901	990,478	2,003,743	1,570,312	...do.... { Chintzes, furnitures, and plain cotton prints.
350,925	123,018	193,335	155,541	385,162	249,281	48,536	160,639	586,095	258,391	...do.... Twills, printed.
513,133	473,194	501,775	1,133,612	481,043	239,110	320,685	413,322	814,233	350,102	...do.... Turkey-red cottons.
2,454,678	697,960	1,066,089	1,256,678	1,444,676	1,479,967	1,339,613	1,137,742	3,272,842	3,742,787	...do.... { Cotton lastings, plain and figured.
10,718	3,975	5,672	4,954	7,692	17,438	15,269	7,477	4,070	17,469	...do.... Cotton damasks.
256,099	183,550	172,486	201,451	309,528	301,335	227,842	234,226	314,213	275,164	...do.... Velvets.
120,140	99,863	31,775	55,479	59,568	52,949	43,681	45,832	161,422	103,018	...do.... Velvetens.
220,686	151,646	106,525	180,117	184,951	232,017	126,305	111,678	375,677	144,583	pieces... { Jacenets, cambrics, lawns, mus- lins, and dimities.
241,695	161,014	185,844	173,844	243,347	244,402	108,026	199,229	369,224	173,146	doz.... Handkerchiefs.
						10,852	11,244	16,725	10,853	...do.... Handkerchiefs, Japanese.
184,403	229,212	103,978	191,190	176,644	249,646	112,003	61,676	238,605	217,207	...do.... Towels.
						35,255	35,961	59,500	55,240	...do.... Towels, Japanese.
						149,040	224,136	546,648	381,594	pieces... Cotton flannel.
						50,006	81,817	62,552	68,243	...do.... Cotton flannel, Japanese.
						104,544	62,842	70,094	113,403	...do.... Japanese cotton cloth.
						65,990	66,480	37,694	32,987	...do.... Japanese cotton crape.
323,043	347,811	450,437	464,144	626,986	1,287,429	378,808	391,521	784,991	743,583	...do.... Cotton goods, unclassified.
13,427,150	1,077,081	1,797,171	1,507,239	1,002,945	987,102	1,697,296	1,304,850	1,213,247	1,280,510	piculs... yarn, English.
	11,884,404	17,507,547	19,306,855	21,056,464	16,807,647	19,072,824	19,417,110	28,612,223	26,582,946	...do.... yarn, Indian.
68,582	57,891	86,978	79,445	93,245	67,803	98,250	104,188	175,085	157,156	...do.... yarn, Japanese.
										thread.
44,437,525	36,135,596	45,020,302	53,290,200	52,707,432	45,137,970	52,105,448	53,074,164	79,243,431	78,663,280	Total cotton goods.
										WOOLEN GOODS:
880,014	1,157,890	860,681	1,020,621	869,727	977,159	750,753	871,220	746,074	758,876	pieces... Camlets, English.
30,516	6,605	3,917	1,756	4,590	808		45		378	...do.... Camlets, Dutch.
1,018,851	681,665	560,377	785,749	808,994	705,846	298,891	491,534	571,796	742,966	...do.... Lastings.

IMPORTS (NET) OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES INTO THE CHINESE EMPIRE, BY ARTICLES, 1888 TO 1897—Continued.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
WOOLEN GOODS—Continued.										
Lastings, crape.....pieces..	1,803	945	516	1,381	149					
Long ells.....do.....	125,508	122,930	111,070	133,334	106,370	119,614	103,028	105,209	103,180	72,109
Spanish stripes.....do.....	63,753	44,963	49,861	56,127	55,595	55,386	33,667	46,184	57,418	45,542
Cloth, broad, medium, habit, and } Russian.....pieces..	43,344	22,472	20,314	32,210	44,817	23,945	20,591	17,882	32,185	32,041
Lusters and Orleans, plain.....do....	7,772	7,943	8,870	6,892	8,233	14,804	5,493	2,875	5,006	3,769
Lusters and Orleans, figured.....do....	36,231	17,893	14,227	14,936	14,552	6,463	758	1,285	2,146	1,352
Blankets.....pairs..	28,643	8,440	10,611	19,282	26,159	42,416	5,006	12,421	45,721	16,029
Union or poncho cloth.....pieces..							3,183	3,551	10,064	3,265
Flannel.....do.....							3,474	4,152	5,662	3,127
Italian cloth.....do.....							85,266	63,138	161,121	119,550
Woolen goods, unclassified.....										
Woolen yarn and cord.....piculs..					1,281		1,765	2,712	3,566	3,130
Total woolen goods.....										
MISCELLANEOUS PIECE GOODS:										
Canvas.....bolts..	3,922	3,608	5,573	3,804	7,135	3,997	3,818	5,045	8,736	3,771
Gunny cloth.....yards..							659,420	848,232	1,317,677	757,154
Miscellaneous piece goods, unclassified }pieces..	21,456	19,600								
Total miscellaneous piece goods.....										
METALS:										
Iron—										
Nail rod.....piculs..	395,428	359,529	272,007	453,630	300,385	296,927	345,002	270,589	441,278	192,074
Bar.....do.....	139,554	117,049	122,586	198,648	133,821	107,727	125,145	144,672	163,457	105,336
Hoop.....do.....	14,212	12,102	13,379	18,472	12,221	15,397	24,075	23,179	32,247	21,495
Sheets and plates.....do.....	35,000	40,754	43,028	68,786	44,315	38,347	56,949	60,615	80,412	57,725
Wire.....do.....	32,168	50,357	52,119	63,318	67,258	61,498	34,375	36,629	49,482	41,836
Pig and kentledge.....do.....	51,447	40,188	66,343	64,185	97,089	62,088	90,209	122,054	144,779	24,127
Old.....do.....	597,971	496,436	501,666	859,018	704,254	501,431	509,656	413,686	867,362	543,915
Ironware, unclassified.....	32,629	32,315	53,215	77,773						
Tin, in slabs.....piculs..	77,225	64,135	73,525	67,451	66,966	67,501	73,366	75,931	91,251	68,299
Tin plates.....do.....	30,241	18,541	18,037	20,718	17,970	15,561	23,642	54,892	31,110	58,619
Lead, in pigs.....do.....	229,768	256,033	221,014	154,575	221,386	176,891	211,727	179,618	167,306	127,518
Lead, tea and sheet.....do.....	1,931	3,339	1,234	5,275	2,203	2,347	1,993	2,023	4,105	1,690
Copper, bar, rod, sheets, plates, and } nails.....piculs..	17,730	17,209	11,954	7,709	9,170	9,414	13,427	8,925	8,921	8,265
Copper wire.....do.....	510	961	1,311	1,260	1,416	1,369	1,513	1,156	1,882	1,322
Copper, unmanufactured, slabs, and } ore.....piculs..	15,047	35,905	21,860	38,254	31,206	34,607	26,415	15,388	37,805	41,781
Copper ware, unclassified.....do....	533	314	1,284	579	512	1,629	1,216	1,694	1,644	569
Yellow metal, bar, rod, sheets, and } nails.....piculs..	11,805	17,479	27,788	30,834	26,336	28,215	25,432	22,953	28,440	29,008
Press wire.....do.....	1,719	1,996	2,300	3,075	3,164	2,353	3,600	2,645	3,185	2,210
Steel.....do.....	50,681	39,387	56,135	57,176	53,443	122,115	50,148	45,755	85,718	53,048
Steel, mild, or iron ingots.....do....							51,543	59,110	161,430	11,768
Spelter.....do.....	33,597	24,746	62,727	13,540	44,557	78,309	7,784	3,148	18,461	30,097
Quicksilver.....do.....	2,181	1,939	2,086	2,145	2,592	1,292	1,117	1,219	1,505	915
White metal or German silver.....do..							2,850	2,311	3,013	3,994
Nickel.....do.....							638	1,990	1,722	613
Metals, unclassified.....										
Total metals.....										
SUNDRIES:										
Bags of all kinds.....pieces..							9,886,110	15,042,688	8,276,737	6,072,141
Betel nuts.....piculs..	49,926	40,826	42,143	59,346	59,514	53,579	55,164	59,002	61,489	47,097
Bicho de mar.....do.....	32,199	33,150	36,226	36,065	40,353	41,518	35,344	30,864	38,108	44,142
Birds' nests.....do.....	845	903	793	734	842	766	891	936	1,048	929
Braid, Llana.....										
Butter and cheese.....										
Buttons, brass and fancy.....gross..							185,549	384,659	617,916	840,443
Candles.....										
Cement.....							164,599	109,718		
Charcoal.....piculs..							120,899	129,531	120,709	124,156
Chinaware, fine and coarse.....do....							8,512	3,363	6,668	6,639
Cigars and cigarettes.....										
Clocks and watches.....pieces..	123,107	65,521	101,828	142,951	104,803	111,514	68,250	82,160	179,104	128,700

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	
<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	WOOLEN GOODS—Continued.
7,868	4,478	2,214	5,485	775						pieces...Lastings, crape.
584,896	565,539	482,025	596,936	495,071	600,154	551,716	569,274	587,686	386,594	...do...Long ells.
621,112	444,044	458,031	533,413	542,007	552,888	352,092	494,791	573,561	501,253	...do...Spanish stripes.
1,089,300	531,763	432,791	665,452	1,017,900	550,750	469,736	413,964	843,817	925,218	...do...{Cloth, broad, medium, habit, and Russian.
33,413	35,365	35,113	33,219	42,657	76,708	42,090	24,012	43,097	37,626	...do...Lusters and Orleans, plain.
100,400	52,594	37,281	42,444	41,382	20,247	3,648	4,883	5,657	8,922	...do...Lusters and Orleans, figured.
80,421	24,915	29,115	46,833	72,714	77,480	27,037	44,023	129,891	70,181	pairs...Blankets.
						57,358	61,129	176,222	79,520	pieces...Union or poncho cloth.
						44,924	52,274	100,590	48,375	...do...Flannel.
						550,702	391,160	1,126,801	883,483	...do...Italian cloth.
649,914	470,618	741,237	973,348	797,749	1,024,966	233,734	89,692	174,862	114,749	...do...Woollen goods, unclassified.
				100,664		157,514	215,245	283,089	279,964	piculs...Woollen yarn and cord.
5,097,665	3,075,476	3,642,782	4,695,256	4,794,230	4,587,006	3,540,195	3,723,246	5,363,143	4,838,105	Total woollen goods.
										MISCELLANEOUS PIECE GOODS:
24,232	22,102	31,644	20,249	56,377	31,569	32,852	46,739	93,883	40,319	bolts...Canvas.
						31,180	35,804	51,917	52,224	yards...Gunny cloth.
97,634	101,045	103,571	80,955	149,490	323,526	177,263	158,189	230,752	311,306	pieces...{Miscellaneous piece goods, un- classified.
121,866	123,147	135,215	101,204	205,867	355,095	241,295	240,732	376,552	403,849	Total miscellaneous piece goods.
										METALS:
										Iron—
765,227	699,725	537,220	858,814	564,499	581,453	745,227	623,998	939,976	491,577	piculs...Nail rod.
318,958	270,614	278,599	412,088	293,647	262,062	304,509	386,925	388,564	290,672	...do...Bar.
31,621	32,741	38,555	45,622	24,720	39,172	68,539	60,680	100,860	75,453	...do...Hoop.
89,975	112,956	126,816	210,531	131,502	148,618	204,826	230,493	283,230	228,198	...do...Sheets and plates.
118,547	176,006	220,181	251,445	261,022	214,141	148,743	166,882	214,165	227,007	...do...Wire.
63,671	49,708	84,289	64,894	111,981	80,259	133,369	173,121	192,445	50,942	...do...Pig and kentledge.
681,796	612,414	642,848	1,072,111	831,685	622,527	702,397	524,123	1,168,935	815,664	...do...Old.
115,491	121,614	198,855	267,108	340,154	277,909	159,980	144,625	519,855	416,174	...do...Ironware, unclassified.
2,135,721	1,797,880	1,825,965	1,551,920	1,758,054	1,873,913	1,941,566	1,925,740	2,204,371	1,939,308	piculs...Tin, in slabs.
139,198	81,938	76,584	75,217	81,395	69,697	105,331	244,095	152,841	290,899	...do...Tin plates.
1,005,271	1,168,074	911,096	599,895	830,187	675,558	936,069	807,817	768,753	687,113	...do...Lead, in pigs.
10,316	20,600	7,935	21,112	10,954	12,757	11,831	10,249	21,393	10,099	...do...Lead, tea and sheet.
204,642	212,909	145,445	116,018	142,751	118,846	231,992	131,768	152,767	150,440	...do...{Copper, bar, rod, sheets, plates, and nails.
9,890	19,647	18,065	24,826	28,040	27,409	28,564	23,644	37,019	28,810	...do...Copper wire.
277,639	485,790	328,610	500,393	437,163	511,493	385,607	280,296	631,697	842,503	...do...{Copper, unmanufactured, slabs, and ore.
16,262	7,238	24,591	12,557	13,134	32,594	28,185	34,913	50,110	19,410	...do...Copper ware, unclassified.
190,493	211,723	350,034	364,952	306,296	365,138	316,525	296,222	377,178	440,468	...do...{Yellow metal, bar, rod, sheets, and nails.
34,420	40,097	46,424	55,885	57,558	42,771	65,039	47,929	57,754	47,104	...do...Brass wire.
180,649	149,805	241,939	209,077	174,677	348,922	276,232	210,077	456,496	275,632	...do...Steel.
						123,703	147,905	272,280	30,865	...do...Steel, mild, or iron ingots.
177,265	100,551	256,606	102,901	275,281	490,397	54,845	17,619	119,778	235,606	...do...Spelter.
149,456	126,409	150,271	139,164	161,715	82,780	77,329	87,240	125,531	75,032	...do...Quicksilver.
						107,955	93,492	102,411	170,697	...do...White metal or German silver.
						38,773	116,525	83,499	32,408	...do...Nickel.
170,615	229,955	361,156	297,918	294,451	300,006	329,515	403,031	337,226	274,527	...do...Metals, unclassified.
6,887,123	6,728,394	6,872,084	7,254,448	7,130,866	7,198,422	7,526,651	7,189,409	9,759,134	8,146,608	.....Total metals.
										SUNDRIES:
						316,717	621,426	223,125	182,463	pieces...Bags of all kinds.
263,430	210,736	207,976	296,868	282,191	265,883	285,090	289,803	307,063	260,922	piculs...Betel nuts.
656,090	863,673	935,687	854,954	1,030,905	1,052,993	853,028	837,287	766,982	1,091,557	...do...Bicho de mar.
492,248	523,792	489,584	411,508	449,356	402,790	499,383	499,177	686,144	567,071	...do...Birds' nests.
						161,729	340,019	347,593	286,216	.....Braid, Llama.
						85,208	82,548	94,253	89,199	.....Butter and cheese.
						92,937	130,361	294,498	390,677	gross...Buttons, brass and fancy.
						155,250	90,368	157,877	159,489	.....Candles.
						160,583	132,429	209,927	109,800	.....Cement.
						61,353	69,358	66,919	73,981	piculs...Charcoal.
						90,372	46,898	65,534	151,554	...do...Chinaware, fine and coarse.
						227,588	279,276	400,818	514,406	.....Cigars and cigarettes.
228,323	142,391	210,997	247,829	235,330	236,380	211,454	168,708	360,159	334,874	pieces...Clocks and watches.

IMPORTS (NET) OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES INTO THE CHINESE EMPIRE, BY ARTICLE, 1888 TO 1897—Continued.

VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	
<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	<i>Hk. Taels.</i>	
						217,815	213,437	378,871	364,606	SUNDRIES—Continued.
						546,338	564,159	614,773	569,878	.....Clothing, hats, etc.
387,725	354,091	389,861	535,105	467,577	561,696	3,221,343	3,394,272	3,539,804	3,692,669	piculs...Cloves and spices.
1,657,164	2,376,777	1,973,173	1,708,293	2,007,685	2,096,063	161,052	153,177	288,234	192,671	tons.....Coal.
85,662	48,422	70,372	93,567	69,535	66,072	556,203	568,917	1,307,975	2,260,191	piculs....Colors.
1,513,651	1,213,349	1,577,018	1,195,262	1,157,001	660,707	1,169,061	859,483	1,546,100	1,469,789	...do.....Cotton, raw.
930,715	683,252	839,619	976,016	978,921	1,017,406	220,128	229,532	272,574	335,962	.....Dyes, aniline.
										pieces...Fans, palm-leaf.
										piculs { Fish and fishery products (not
2,637,132	2,634,563	2,804,657	2,640,444	2,686,228	3,111,321	3,190,865	3,159,247	3,128,246	3,445,333	including bicho de mar, isin-
										glass, and seaweed).
18,072	34,636	36,202	31,233	21,061	6,941	15,599	21,734	40,893	42,648	...do.....Flint stones.
570,536	612,285	775,548	704,869	670,905	772,430	1,088,780	1,465,895	1,505,653	1,221,516	.....Flour.
619,226	668,729	794,881	710,141	847,465	859,619	848,870	1,223,270	1,619,527	2,149,183	piculs....Ginseng.
201,738	158,735	260,601	232,192	159,242	278,775	253,242	206,069	348,128	406,017	boxes....Glass, window.
						210,542	232,185	334,015	331,645	.....Glassware.
2,881	2,944	8,501	17,955	50,840	252,232	232,632	252,752	203,712	325,823	piculs....Indigo.
169,178	123,207	142,378	234,388	204,614	263,308	229,736	130,817	218,919	248,123	...do.....Isinglass.
156,553	134,625	125,926	95,058	113,067	153,813	117,405	281,971	267,566	242,315	...do.....Jade stone.
						145,636	139,782	272,616	306,727	.....Lamps and lamp ware.
						335,421	325,698	442,712	698,198	piculs....Leather.
372,790	345,863	410,348	900,500	593,440	930,651	1,119,777	2,385,205	2,064,441	2,716,737	.....Machinery.
77,699	101,933	93,297	140,477	109,025	113,355	98,841	136,443	208,030	227,353	piculs....Mangrove bark.
1,089,842	1,123,022	1,341,291	1,506,591	1,423,866	1,540,587	426,967	420,545	422,314	218,669	gross....Matches.
						1,211,964	1,493,947	1,677,296	1,832,556	...do.....Matches, Japan.
						124,126	115,310	144,290	174,432	.....Matchmaking materials.
						165,891	272,349	493,650	470,006	pieces....Mats, straw and rush.
						532,303	711,424	670,988	755,709	.....Medicines.
						71,436	87,022	106,451	136,339	oz.....Morphia.
483,326	397,553	449,574	402,865	433,014	415,139	408,077	443,535	596,288	504,838	piculs....Mushrooms.
299,136	242,375	316,578	404,945	364,345	382,494	247,963	289,736	633,273	654,095	mille....Needles.
										Oil, kerosene—
2,219,332	2,178,722	3,262,049	4,308,839	3,330,116	4,086,661	5,905,228	3,098,214	4,833,573	6,935,155	galls....American.
	696,768	830,825	958,212	872,795	1,484,534	2,036,175	3,195,106	3,521,873	4,618,148	...do.....Russian.
						63,911	321,977	727,875	1,745,833	...do.....Sumatra.
122,950	141,436	120,744	159,023	337,462	640,127	511,484	525,173	771,223	635,560	.....Paints.
669,514	616,474	825,757	503,337	596,139	465,792	619,990	478,567	543,262	277,851	piculs...Pepper, black and white.
43,632	39,674	37,653	42,083	51,237	51,714	50,405	58,003	70,856	64,008	.....Perfumery.
306,297	348,931	358,186	392,532	429,299	481,019	514,559	450,748	452,008	571,431	piculs....Rattans.
9,633,229	6,021,090	11,445,779	6,597,259	5,826,415	12,965,249	9,743,005	15,622,509	15,021,979	4,011,053	...do.....Rice.
468,796	722,618	795,128	489,670	760,907	669,672	628,894	607,014	1,209,438	1,182,133	...do.....Sandalwood.
203,764	219,784	178,066	209,840	239,486	216,811	228,827	178,584	178,470	241,390	...do.....Sapanwood.
1,054,744	887,493	974,730	765,707	1,035,313	892,611	883,987	1,008,551	874,281	1,111,077	...do.....Seaweed and agar-agar.
						159,318	207,696	233,710	280,848	...do.....Silk piece goods.
						143,769	97,879	273,340	302,594	.....Silk and cotton ribbons.
148,194	205,843	193,309	184,634	291,806	387,576	380,903	356,529	519,924	446,686	.....Soap.
						96,391	114,308	144,802	203,125	.....Stationery.
						232,915	322,278	416,447	427,337	.....Stores, household.
										Sugar—
666,912	510,586	1,075,674	1,774,111	2,447,807	7,428,655	3,481,807	2,517,123	2,835,430	5,127,803	piculs....Brown.
						2,885,973	1,174,653	1,077,375	1,214,744	...do.....White.
						2,754,179	3,402,739	2,845,954	3,547,801	...do.....Refined.
						385,194	296,515	242,872	335,725	...do.....Candy.
59,762	28,838	42,648	37,742	51,284	60,825	73,265	962,093		470,029	...do.....Tea, Japan (Formosa).
938,506	913,418	834,148	895,840	1,082,227	1,032,190	1,278,136	1,224,016	1,182,494	1,324,084	.....Timber of all kinds.
234,482	209,557	116,117	132,712	188,450	171,845	27,333	23,461	81,433	133,475	pieces....Umbrellas, European.
276,850	306,076	320,893	327,073	364,977	372,428	82,109	120,870	135,426	288,362	...do.....Umbrellas, Japanese.
						419,016	613,584	644,927	677,547	.....Wines, beer, and spirits.
210,926	333,446	282,776	210,454	261,341	295,382	411,517	269,569	384,734	373,165	Wood of all kinds (sandalwood,
5,607,751	6,199,355	6,467,678	7,981,491	10,321,938	15,249,959	10,890,251	17,689,934	12,996,472	16,062,526	sapanwood, and timber ex-
										cepted).
35,908,268	33,476,873	42,466,769	40,329,599	42,844,651	62,392,927	65,353,255	78,304,364	79,548,418	82,875,727	.....Sundries, unenumerated.
								352,276		.....Total.
										Less excess of reexports over
35,908,268	33,476,873	42,466,769	40,329,599	42,844,651	62,392,927	65,353,255	78,304,364	79,196,142	82,875,727	imports.
124,782,893	110,884,355	127,093,481	134,003,863	135,101,198	151,362,819	162,102,911	171,096,715	202,589,994	202,828,625	.....Total sundries.
										.....Grand total.

a Value of Haikwan tael on January 1, 1888, in United States money, \$1.15, 1; 1890, \$1.14, 8; 1891, \$1.27; 1892, \$1.13, 7; 1893, \$1.01; 1894, \$0.84, 9; 1895, \$0.74, 9; 1896, \$0.80, 8; 1897, \$0.78; 1898, \$0.69, 7.

b Pical=133½ pounds avoirdupois; catty=1½ pounds; tael=1½ ounces.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM THE CHINESE EMPIRE TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES,
1888-1897.

[From the official returns of the inspector-general of customs of the Chinese Empire.]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
DOMESTIC EXPORTS.										
Aniseed, star.....piculs..	6,532	6,084	8,636	5,851	12,958	9,035	6,036	3,268	6,710	5,950
Bamboo and bamboo ware.....										
Bean cake.....piculs..							510,560	56,038	1,544,396	1,810,338
Beans.....do....	39,986	91,183	293,128	682,651	1,704,497	1,967,272	1,585,870	176,556	1,332,685	2,046,662
Bristles.....do....							18,378	27,142	21,886	24,351
Camphor.....do....	3,893	4,170	7,261	18,515	17,786	32,563	39,024	17,513	2,173	602
Cassia lignea.....do....	62,095	58,219	79,634	60,886	90,901	34,329	57,352	136,943	71,843	56,841
Cattle, sheep, pigs, and goats.....number..							159,092	223,668		
China root.....piculs..							18,041	16,506	19,424	13,784
Chinaware, earthenware, and pot- tery.....do....	294,722	268,758	234,704	266,511	269,573	317,515	308,718	542,287	360,379	338,326
Clothing, Chinese, boots and shoes.....										
Cotton, raw.....piculs..	202,546	504,420	293,887	355,585	508,843	576,155	747,231	890,096	418,102	403,139
Curios.....										
Fans, of all kinds.....pieces..	27,828,164	28,256,437	30,926,524	32,093,263	26,089,749	27,692,705	26,483,723	53,837,062	36,812,887	54,624,792
Feathers, duck, fowl, etc.....piculs..	32,046	38,099	33,466	40,392	43,882	54,187	43,268	65,245	64,329	75,649
Firecrackers and fireworks.....do....	129,467	134,078	122,707	110,122	130,957	121,268	165,359	329,100	183,559	175,304
Fish and fishery products.....										
Fruits, of all kinds.....										
Fungus.....piculs..							9,431	4,605	5,055	9,464
Galangal.....do....	5,315	10,816	10,106	8,078	16,379	16,556	20,378	17,233	22,327	39,135
Glassware, bangles, etc.....do....	18,455	26,269	20,138	21,811	21,699	23,113	22,296	24,988	18,392	17,648
Gold and silver ware.....do....	38	42	31	30	30	34	36	52	51	43
Grass cloth.....do....	3,586	4,408	3,156	2,320	2,831	2,605	3,662	5,716	6,087	8,634
Hair, of all kinds.....										
Hats, rush.....pieces..	13,989,750	6,389,845	1,019,900	1,706,692	1,362,000	2,909,630	2,912,375	2,354,762	2,236,500	4,359,578
Hemp.....piculs..	43,840	53,916	35,596	42,506	61,598	79,662	96,661	97,926	86,913	99,474
Hides, cow and buffalo.....do....	87,824	60,975	60,271	67,521	62,911	95,597	119,020	115,408	158,367	216,525
Horns.....do....	5,890	6,897	8,425	11,900	14,478	14,542	8,938	8,999	11,687	14,281
Leather.....do....	5,649	3,037	2,002	2,084	4,819	7,875	6,455	8,671	7,304	10,837
Lily flowers, dried.....do....							54,625	40,618	49,477	46,423
Mats (not including matting).....pieces..	16,214,752	24,263,750	16,403,974	16,439,546	17,283,012	17,267,381	16,650,238	33,220,860	17,363,803	37,472,062
Matting.....piculs..	164,290	231,600	189,542	238,050	223,894	406,806	273,890	483,487	502,017	418,105
Medicines.....										
Musk.....piculs..	28	28	17	26	22	26	25	23	23	25
Nankeens.....do....	6,483	6,112	6,185	8,112	10,343	17,086	16,324	36,663	21,016	29,378
Nutgalls.....do....	31,201	38,158	22,166	38,933	38,477	47,974	50,507	37,827	26,055	33,666
Oil (bean, ground nut, tea, wood, etc. .....piculs..	64,952	43,390	49,643	44,589	44,062	152,069	196,929	222,853	218,508	294,906
Oils, essential (aniseed, cassia, leaf, etc. .....piculs..	2,346	2,075	2,207	2,175	3,168	2,274	2,686	1,184	3,067	3,576
Paper.....do....	202,902	191,140	184,939	205,237	223,809	241,916	253,181	418,940	266,744	296,827
Preserves.....do....	25,990	25,616	29,097	24,128	18,560	18,774	7,133	13,213	9,129	10,434
Provisions and vegetables.....										
Rhubarb.....piculs..	4,265	6,039	4,226	3,771	6,599	6,587	8,556	7,412	6,317	7,174
Safflower.....do....	395	383	329	281	256	295	325	269	232	293
Samshu.....do....	130,510	111,015	90,762	90,015	87,328	100,144	93,974	104,094	97,305	133,328
Seed, sesamum.....do....							115,263	198,463	33,481	44,899
Silk:										
Raw—										
White.....do....	54,704	65,517	50,599	74,489	75,722	68,052	68,920	56,258	38,223	48,468
Yellow.....do....	8,939	9,264	9,775	10,460	9,032	12,345	9,934	11,365	6,775	7,610
Wild.....do....	13,129	17,827	19,980	17,043	16,433	13,759	16,241	15,942	16,370	19,046
Steam flature.....do....	11	151	48	13	14	10	4,344	27,056	27,041	41,485
Cocoons.....do....	8,854	14,167	10,537	10,120	6,540	9,635	9,631	24,060	17,845	20,145
Refuse.....do....	53,826	59,456	55,111	60,701	55,891	57,615	66,475	56,744	44,937	58,350
Piece goods.....do....	14,181	12,780	9,858	11,886	13,111	14,611	16,363	20,501	18,260	18,438
Shantung pongees.....do....	1,855	1,902	1,282	1,280	2,751	2,524	2,718	2,621	2,590	1,963
Products, unclassified.....do....	3,786	1,878	1,238	1,584	1,750	3,949	1,633	5,545	5,432	1,887
Skins (furs), skin clothing, and rugs.....										

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM THE CHINESE EMPIRE TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES,
1888-1897.

VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	
<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	DOMESTIC EXPORTS.
80,392	72,904	103,581	70,331	155,636	108,409	91,595	58,197	133,894	130,193	piculs....Aniseed, star.
231,420	261,311	281,614	310,941	349,765	380,828	348,557	421,930	416,259	434,126	.....Bamboo and bamboo ware.
						508,136	56,471	1,815,162	2,337,495	piculs....Bean cake.
52,767	114,833	371,076	791,318	1,629,164	2,522,020	1,957,609	332,971	2,065,785	3,607,701	...do.....Beans.
						567,221	650,367	714,836	810,020	...do.....Bristles.
33,631	37,123	109,015	279,250	307,992	711,942	825,345	472,201	67,738	16,116	...do.....Camphor.
295,448	268,580	454,425	405,265	589,329	229,689	378,824	557,844	508,430	429,597	...do.....Cassia lignea.
						889,852	977,087	981,855	1,283,941	number...Cattle, sheep, pigs, and goats.
						102,452	74,916	95,589	75,422	piculs....China root.
761,128	638,428	617,491	808,239	1,084,008	1,178,834	1,231,136	1,541,132	1,628,340	1,384,336	...do.....{China ware, earthenware, and pottery.
2,106,970	1,709,591	1,428,210	1,406,435	1,592,969	1,829,597	1,850,635	2,189,969	2,088,482	2,177,690	.....{Clothing, Chinese, boots, and shoes.
2,228,284	5,044,806	2,989,274	3,841,129	5,089,361	6,166,182	7,361,343	11,202,661	5,017,899	7,393,456	piculs....Cotton, raw.
15,654	12,043	11,230	36,164	30,838	16,774	19,093	61,574	69,925	82,779	.....Curios.
211,803	226,115	301,446	466,048	350,665	348,651	359,997	500,840	462,638	530,471	pieces....Fans, of all kinds.
182,196	216,522	194,231	231,671	275,992	356,271	283,523	320,035	422,404	636,500	piculs....Feathers, duck, fowl, etc.
1,213,057	1,214,893	1,124,214	1,012,530	1,181,128	1,098,983	1,576,482	1,061,123	1,827,580	1,746,113	...do.....Firecrackers and fireworks.
342,650	429,082	500,723	470,402	496,282	761,190	848,948	940,611	1,012,265	1,057,618	.....Fish and fishery products.
604,810	577,342	716,015	517,653	665,796	778,723	825,073	869,714	804,932	1,046,769	.....Fruits, of all kinds.
						188,865	103,642	125,759	311,324	piculs....Fungus.
3,700	8,052	9,590	8,049	18,845	21,000	22,542	20,080	37,968	66,666	...do.....Galangal.
328,894	461,570	335,007	365,402	348,758	394,040	395,013	442,411	391,224	350,796	...do.....Glassware, bangles, etc.
250,024	164,235	92,776	82,065	77,613	88,971	96,545	119,621	148,332	129,965	...do.....Gold and silver ware.
486,596	403,198	390,061	200,093	238,940	199,195	305,238	386,516	434,318	596,372	...do.....Grass cloth.
228,681	300,587	302,312	340,998	357,937	551,191	719,080	228,527	271,143	255,491	.....Hair, of all kinds.
143,270	60,453	11,217	17,026	11,023	24,998	26,295	17,259	20,120	42,284	pieces....Hats, rush.
252,834	247,520	162,419	230,510	356,437	475,344	600,267	552,639	642,801	783,965	piculs....Hemp.
922,343	701,890	714,951	653,231	495,065	752,747	1,089,919	980,944	1,826,281	3,070,329	...do.....Hides, cow and buffalo.
45,127	49,120	62,033	87,498	110,377	131,230	70,157	59,932	98,105	111,234	...do.....Horns.
101,624	56,034	37,022	40,393	72,405	113,327	98,767	133,856	120,659	170,400	...do.....Leather.
						232,737	186,296	234,714	276,067	...do.....Lily flowers, dried.
527,456	611,038	437,323	451,568	485,574	462,228	455,546	668,072	719,849	1,397,222	pieces....Mats (not including matting).
562,653	629,913	683,750	859,065	806,479	1,466,748	987,274	1,308,366	1,814,032	1,572,353	piculs....Matting.
361,507	306,174	324,639	374,487	420,609	988,218	1,117,286	1,161,404	1,163,579	1,276,255	.....Medicines.
221,473	228,503	137,265	329,608	224,445	363,098	270,148	372,133	366,281	460,988	piculs....Musk.
222,403	210,829	229,827	302,392	383,290	645,304	613,896	1,343,801	828,290	1,240,197	...do.....Nankeens.
310,372	383,095	222,132	363,125	460,880	570,624	385,286	334,843	327,076	830,921	...do.....Nutmalls.
311,272	243,150	282,716	248,439	256,401	802,287	1,002,922	1,017,675	1,421,747	2,212,330	...do.....{Oil (bean, ground nut, tea, wood, etc.
250,475	207,772	225,766	249,212	383,362	288,126	477,920	201,953	581,121	680,110	...do.....{Oils, essential (aniseed, cassia, leaf, etc.
1,650,298	1,422,825	1,359,915	1,570,709	1,572,524	1,756,807	1,784,366	1,986,423	1,858,000	2,121,661	...do.....Paper.
216,850	223,446	251,835	221,102	182,249	169,718	63,006	95,349	78,173	89,189	...do.....Preserves.
578,256	673,676	734,973	597,640	742,515	936,254	931,657	1,167,990	1,314,977	1,381,350	.....Provisions and vegetables.
167,528	206,978	168,132	135,659	208,941	190,142	207,837	190,233	174,087	302,494	piculs....Rhubarb.
22,990	20,924	19,237	16,152	11,455	13,724	15,002	11,872	10,824	13,122	...do.....Safflower.
390,152	361,864	323,747	321,452	311,320	383,387	373,137	394,203	376,124	488,415	...do.....Samshu.
						381,289	662,307	140,124	203,980	...do.....Seed, sesamum.
										Silk:
										Raw—
16,762,041	20,835,854	16,756,668	22,109,749	23,810,567	21,847,170	22,972,894	19,139,947	13,285,843	17,441,327	...do.....White.
1,916,109	1,995,725	1,830,899	2,405,742	2,032,252	2,537,757	1,982,686	2,258,490	1,894,784	1,773,815	...do.....Yellow.
1,369,881	1,951,615	2,092,408	1,513,670	1,479,229	1,402,577	1,939,594	1,967,038	2,403,827	3,059,157	...do.....Wild.
1,320	18,068	5,808	645	869	985	2,324,254	11,210,167	11,126,022	18,718,378	...do.....Steam filature.
500,881	792,110	745,186	590,686	414,455	617,583	645,377	1,082,742	858,950	835,294	...do.....Cocoons.
3,194,235	3,049,046	3,120,401	3,263,883	2,603,745	2,920,083	3,730,506	3,065,487	2,102,114	2,633,019	...do.....Refuse.
7,596,922	6,874,600	5,119,436	6,262,654	6,899,906	7,847,408	7,980,124	10,910,996	9,133,439	9,674,959	...do.....Piece goods.
297,065	300,348	201,374	202,035	471,944	405,589	435,425	419,701	589,874	419,788	...do.....Shantung pongees.
520,844	584,511	443,725	552,962	579,167	534,983	624,742	632,534	694,482	694,923	...do.....Products, unclassified.
582,209	750,892	457,315	881,225	1,315,532	1,299,159	1,681,710	2,040,670	2,644,989	3,083,517{Skins (furs), skin clothing, and rugs.

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM THE CHINESE EMPIRE TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES,
1888-1898.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	
<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	DOMESTIC EXPORTS—continued.
1,989,842	2,033,775	2,008,775	1,605,224	2,056,856	2,429,079	2,531,219	2,494,073	3,907,242	6,659,388	piculs....Straw braid.
										Sugar:
1,772,691	1,847,701	1,982,761	1,997,563	1,609,192	2,003,472	2,109,514	1,660,524	1,225,637	1,477,106	...do..... Brown.
588,744	774,587	567,798	502,682	416,194	291,522	293,023	376,907	205,298	264,165	...do..... White.
135,554	100,774	114,305	94,215	48,016	23,721	34,088	92,348	46,793	36,189	...do..... Candy.
										Tallow:
						329,676	192,278	76,897	72,790	...do..... Animal.
						395,444	616,930	175,193	396,474	...do..... Vegetable.
										Tea:
23,739,972	22,013,926	20,579,818	24,979,259	19,990,502	21,940,046	22,945,997	23,109,512	19,409,486	17,146,031	...do..... Black.
4,067,222	3,819,035	3,700,488	3,545,911	3,486,604	5,705,291	5,809,078	4,892,725	5,630,070	6,002,967	...do..... Green.
12,040	37,001	40,959	18,978	3,176	9,430	22,366	1,464	1,391	6,572	...do..... Dust.
2,453,417	2,229,583	2,136,720	2,328,755	2,313,179	2,678,514	2,521,219	3,640,209	4,241,980	5,357,791	...do..... Brick, black.
	157,769	205,465	155,681	189,979	227,442	274,694	458,902	509,315	543,762	...do..... green.
737,860	905,935	990,958	1,052,358	1,074,752	1,203,878	1,336,226	347,050	364,644	159,423	...do..... Tablet.
						132,338	198,620	226,273	343,430	...do..... Tobacco, leaf and prepared.
242,220	246,659	259,269	210,727	305,034	626,889	627,912	685,261	733,811	794,860	...do..... Varnish.
						552,569	534,995	440,828	436,034	...do..... Vermicelli and macaroni.
653,995	934,106	853,496	1,111,704	1,545,432	1,324,481	2,089,496	1,904,146	1,213,579	2,088,675	...do..... Wax, white.
						265,495	215,815	234,892	301,906	...do..... Wool.
6,304,515	5,687,703	6,269,254	6,845,190	7,600,528	10,480,301	8,288,837	9,779,324	10,598,972	15,320,269	...do..... Camel's.
										.....Sundries, unenumerated.
92,491,067	96,947,832	87,144,480	100,947,849	102,583,525	116,632,311	128,104,522	143,293,211	131,081,421	163,501,358	..... Total domestic exports.
2,043,750	2,376,551	1,664,809	2,006,983	2,321,474	1,964,067	3,543,280	8,250,245	9,033,425	9,406,369	..... Total foreign exports.
94,444,817	99,324,383	88,809,289	102,954,832	104,904,999	118,596,378	131,647,802	151,543,456	140,114,846	172,907,727	..... Total exports.

IMPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE INTO THE PORT OF SHANGHAI FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES AND HONG-KONG DURING THE YEAR 1897.

[From the official returns of the inspector-general of customs of the Chinese Empire.]

[NOTE.—The imports of foreign merchandise into the port of Shanghai form over 60 per cent of the total foreign merchandise imported into the Chinese Empire.]

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.		DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.
OPIMUM:		<i>Hk. taels. a.</i>	COTTON GOODS—Continued.		<i>Hk. taels. a.</i>
Malwa.....piculs b..	16,049.02	10,672,599	Dyed drills.....pieces..	13,659	27,318
Patna.....do.....	8,212.92	4,402,125	T-cloth checks.....do....	2,770	3,466
Benares.....do.....	4,293.60	2,327,131	Cotton—		
Persian.....do.....	20.00	10,200	Checks, dyed.....do....	10,759	26,898
Boiled.....do.....	1.32	1,255	Figures.....do.....	4,906	7,604
COTTON GOODS:			Figures, dyed.....do....	53,853	83,472
Shirtings—			Damasks, white.....do....		
Gray, plain.....pieces..	5,019,499	11,344,068	Crimps.....do.....	46,649	102,093
Gray, plain, Indian.....do....	4,160	9,277	Crimps, Japanese.....do....	38,042	33,779
Gray, plain, Japanese.....do....	2,010	4,724	Velvets.....do.....	32,284	214,689
White, plain.....do....	1,643,141	5,553,817	Velvets, printed.....do....		
White, Irish.....do....	98,973	352,344	Velveteens.....do.....	14,136	88,915
Long cloth.....do....	442	1,144	Velveteens, embossed.....do....	280	4,300
White, figured, brocaded, and spotted.....do....	3,905	9,138	Cambrics, plain and printed.....do....	6,321	11,567
White cotton balzarines.....do....	14,827	28,616	Lawns, plain and printed.....do....	65,118	119,166
White cotton lenos.....do....	21,658	35,736	Muslins, plain and printed.....do....	91,546	60,420
Dyed, plain.....do....	48,617	150,713	Dimities.....do.....	16	140
T-cloths, dyed.....do....	3,500	12,042	Handkerchiefs, cotton.....dozen..	342,815	137,126
Dyed, figured, brocaded, and spotted.....do....	121,567	249,212	Handkerchiefs, cotton, Japanese.....do....	12,176	4,870
Dyed cotton balzarines.....do....	1,203	2,129	Handkerchiefs, cambric.....do....	11,260	4,166
Dyed cotton lenos.....do....	8,569	14,996	Handkerchiefs, imitation silk.....do....		
Dyed cotton Metz cords.....do....	41,690	105,893	Towels.....do.....	510,753	197,448
T-cloths—			Towels, Japanese.....do....	78,657	30,142
32 inches.....do....	736,922	1,385,413	Taffachellas.....pieces..	5,919	7,224
36 inches.....do....	147,803	387,244	Blankets, cotton.....do....	29,547	18,312
Indian, 32 inches.....do....	369,675	447,307	Blankets, cotton, Japanese.....do....	6,555	3,792
Indian, 36 inches.....do....	2,906	4,068	Mahomedans.....do....	2,100	6,587
Japanese, 32 inches.....do....	9,192	18,384	Ginghams.....do.....	116	186
Drills—			Cotton—		
English.....do.....	143,847	372,564	Camlets.....do.....		
Indian.....do.....	11,298	30,392	Long ells.....do.....	305	1,120
Dutch.....do.....	12,990	32,995	Lusters, dyed.....do.....	5,941	10,100
American.....do.....	1,499,042	4,347,222	Spanish stripes.....do.....	39,188	121,339
Japanese.....do.....	1,230	3,112	Flannel.....do.....	117,789	355,199
Jeans—			Flannel, Japanese.....do.....	34,338	34,968
English.....do.....	179,461	400,198	Dyed shirtings, short cuts (5 yards and under)		
Dutch.....do.....	49,185	96,403	.....pieces..	133,090	42,144
American.....do.....	68,000	157,080	Cotton ticks.....do.....	8,302	24,871
Sheetings—			Oxford shirtings.....do.....	8,000	12,958
English.....do.....	492,528	1,329,826	Harvard shirtings.....do.....	18,519	23,211
Indian.....do.....	24,280	54,144	Cotton creton.....do.....	15,329	166,780
Dutch.....do.....			Japanese cotton cloth.....do.....	82,425	45,988
American.....do.....	2,426,068	6,817,251	Japanese cotton crape.....do.....	28,249	17,627
Japanese.....do.....	24,004	57,610	Mosquito netting.....do.....	29,382	41,185
Chintzes and furnitures.....do....	269,692	412,629	Cottonades and cottons, unclassified.....do....	16,378	39,062
Cotton prints, plain.....do....	473,994	824,750	Cotton yarn—		
Cotton prints, plain, Japanese.....do....	30	33	English.....piculs..	18,895	623,533
Printed—			Indian.....do.....	630,303	14,282,656
T-cloths.....do.....	96,824	154,918	Japanese.....do.....	189,298	4,416,320
Cotton balzarines.....do....	3,614	5,132	Cotton thread.....do.....	1,349	39,111
Cotton lenos.....do.....	1,464	2,416	Cotton thread, spooled.....do....		431
Cotton twills.....do.....	75,526	239,417	WOOLEN GOODS:		
Turkey red—			Camlets, English.....pieces..	42,989	554,558
Shirtings.....do.....	77,147	93,348	Camlets, Dutch.....do.....	20	420
Shirtings, Japanese.....do....	50	113	Lastings, plain.....do.....	77,135	675,703
T-cloths.....do.....			Lastings, figured.....do.....		
Cambrics.....do.....	66,793	187,020	Lastings, crape.....do.....	32	214
Cotton—			Long ells.....do.....	44,725	232,570
Lastings, plain.....do.....	266,457	652,820	Spanish stripes.....do.....	37,879	382,578
Lastings, figured.....do.....	303,058	790,981	Cloth, broad, medium, and habit.....do....	16,547	569,548
Italians, plain.....do.....	333,862	1,408,898	Cloth, Russian.....do.....	7,907	106,359
Italians, figured.....do.....	173,038	730,220	Lusters and Orleans, plain.....do....	300	705
Silesians.....do.....	1,237	3,631	Alpacas.....do.....	146	2,439
Twills, dyed.....do.....	40	120	Merinos.....do.....	17	478

a For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.

IMPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE INTO THE PORT OF SHANGHAI FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES AND HONG-KONG DURING THE YEAR 1897—Continued.

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.		DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value. <i>Hk. taels.</i>		Quantity.	Value. <i>Hk. taels.</i>
COTTON GOODS—Continued.			METALS—Continued.		
Lusters and Orleans, figured.....pieces..	280	848	Iron—Continued.		
Balzarines, woolen and cotton.....do....	697	3,857	Chains, galvanized.....piculs..	9	64
Blankets and rugs.....pairs..	18,623	74,213	Screws.....gross..	33,946	5,318
Astrakhan.....pieces..	5	204	Nuts, bolts, and washers.....piculs..	2,947	22,834
Union or poncho cloth.....do....	3,374	87,724	Swage blocks and anvils.....do....	171	1,824
Flannel.....do....	3,006	45,180	Castings.....do....	20,802	59,831
Flannel crape.....do....	504	7,575	Tubes.....do....	3,090	16,782
Tweeds.....do....	613	14,623	Tubes, galvanized.....do....	308	2,432
Serges.....do....	486	16,224	Rails.....do....	184	620
Italian cloth, plain and figured.....do....	121,911	889,751	Ironware, unclassified.....do....	908	9,300
Metz cords.....do....	541	4,489	Tin, in slabs.....do....	40,827	124,736
Reps.....do....	4	93	Tin refuse.....do....	2,685	12,596
Cashmeres.....do....	87	2,134	Tin plates.....do....	48,176	240,878
Grenadine.....do....			Tin plates, old.....do....		
Bunting.....do....	786	3,734	Lead, in pigs.....do....	66,289	404,263
Woolen goods, unclassified.....do....	3,532	74,037	Lead, in sheets, and tea lead.....do....	1,406	8,297
Woolen yarn and cord.....piculs b..	1,975	173,765	Lead pipes.....do....	227	1,527
MISCELLANEOUS PIECE GOODS:			Copper—		
Canvas.....bolts..	2,110	24,265	Bar and rod.....do....	114	2,805
Cotton duck.....pieces..	1,774	19,514	Sheets and plates.....do....	4,186	87,907
Linen, fine.....do....	112	1,568	Nails.....do....	79	2,085
Linen, coarse.....do....	991	6,706	Old.....do....	663	8,569
Linen and cotton mixtures.....do....	173	1,706	Wire.....do....	532	11,316
Union drills.....do....	48	730	Wire rope.....do....	3	298
Union lastings.....do....	3,436	25,017	Ingot.....do....	6,358	156,766
Silk and cotton mixtures.....do....	358	7,060	Slabs, Japan.....do....	29,108	582,170
Silk and cotton mixtures, Japanese.....piculs..	1,256	179,615	Tubes.....do....	322	11,453
Woolen and cotton mixtures.....pieces..	1,940	18,066	Nuts, bolts, rivets, and washers.....do....	94	3,446
Gunny cloth.....yards..	707,878	40,872	Copper ware, unclassified.....do....	23	933
Hessian cloth.....do....	209,357	13,002	Yellow metal—		
Plush.....pieces..	897	22,836	Bar and rod.....do....	323	5,806
Tapestry.....do....	55	3,010	Sheets and plates.....do....	5,038	90,682
Toweling.....do....	735	1,166	Nails.....do....	80	2,105
Linen thread.....piculs..	1	118	Old.....do....	153	1,740
Miscellaneous piece goods, unclassified.....pieces..	916	22,210	Nuts and bolts.....do....	165	2,810
METALS:			Brass—		
Iron—			Wire.....do....	2,072	43,511
Nail-rod.....piculs..	129,782	343,921	Screws.....gross..	5,619	3,439
Bar.....do....	77,835	212,491	Bolts and nuts.....piculs..	1	18
Hoop.....do....	7,858	18,859	Rod.....do....	20	401
Galvanized.....do....	5,622	28,704	Ingot.....do....	16	240
Sheets and plates.....do....	31,927	95,780	Sheets and plates.....do....	41	1,148
Sheets and plates, galvanized.....do....	27,567	139,148	Tubes.....do....	322	10,464
Wire.....do....	22,963	137,779	Tubes, old.....do....	196	2,266
Wire, galvanized.....do....	9,938	31,213	Old.....do....	658	6,440
Wire cobbles.....do....	25,802	58,054	Brass ware.....do....		
Wire rope.....do....	207	1,832		485	14,553
Wire rope, galvanized.....do....	463	3,552	Steel—		
Cobbles.....do....	4,866	74,587	Bars.....do....	30,572	152,859
Pig and kentledge.....do....	31,078	74,587	Cast.....do....	1,587	29,517
Old iron—			Sheets and plates.....do....	8,257	30,887
Plates.....do....	39,825	55,578	Wire.....do....	281	5,900
Tubes.....do....	14,508	19,950	Wire rope.....do....	385	5,994
Cart tires.....do....	47,273	78,127	Angles.....do....	879	3,078
Horseshoes.....do....	126,243	199,242	Hoops.....do....	1,707	6,828
Railway spikes.....do....	8,613	14,457	Rivets.....do....	352	1,637
Wire.....do....	17,976	29,399	Mild, bars.....do....	2,048	5,633
Wire rope.....do....	5,498	7,524	Mild, angles.....do....	254	699
Hoops.....do....	15,134	23,293	Mild, hoops.....do....	1,146	3,151
Scraps.....do....	42,398	63,433	Mild, sheets and plates.....do....	4,492	12,353
Unclassified.....do....	49,608	73,373	Mild, rivets.....do....	431	1,926
Iron—			Mild, cuttings.....do....	10,294	21,618
Nails.....do....	15,623	72,681	Pewter ware.....do....	2	82
Rivets.....do....	1,756	7,894	Spelter.....do....	24,841	195,253
Anchors and chains.....do....	10,722	52,511	Quicksilver.....do....	202	19,391
			Babbitt metal.....do....	121	2,976

IMPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE INTO THE PORT OF SHANGHAI FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES AND HONG-KONG DURING THE YEAR 1897—Continued.

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.		DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.
METALS—Continued.		<i>Hk. taels.</i>	SUNDRIES—Continued.		<i>Hk. taels.</i>
White metal and German silver piculs ..	3,701	159,306	Butter and cheese.....		90,474
White-metal wire.....do.....	569	14,932	Buttons, brass.....gross..	290,883	125,080
Nickel.....do.....	662	34,551	Buttons, fancy.....do.....	421,850	172,144
Compound tin.....do.....	2,795	46,064	Camphor.....piculs.....	847	31,754
Zinc, sheets.....do.....	5,089	47,870	Camphor baroos, clean.....catties..	135	7,379
Colored and decorated tin plates.....do.....	645	4,582	Camphor baroos, refuse.....do.....	90	540
Wire netting and gauze.....		3,094	Candles.....piculs.....	12,572	168,191
Bronze ware.....		1,422	Canes, Malacca.....pieces..	43,906	1,802
Antimony.....piculs.....	53	656	Canes, Tsung-chu.....piculs..	3,154	9,467
Platinum.....		259	Capoor cutchery.....do.....	136	542
Metals, unclassified.....piculs.....	799	11,152	Cardamoms, superior.....do.....	470	103,462
SUNDRIES:			Cardamoms, inferior.....do.....	3,678	73,562
Agar-agar.....do.....	11,292	84,689	Carpets and carpeting.....		22,167
Aniseed, star.....do.....	2,056	84,988	Carriages and carriage materials.....		19,457
Aniseed, star, Japan.....do.....	1,908	15,263	Cassia buds.....piculs.....	44	650
Arsenic.....do.....	140	1,535	Cassia lignea.....do.....	2,701	48,618
Articles de Paris.....		7,839	Cassia lignea, broken.....do.....	149	354
Asafetida.....piculs.....	39	772	Cassia twigs.....do.....	7,147	25,015
Asbestos, sheets, and packing.....do.....	547	14,828	Cement.....do.....	80,500	96,288
Asphalt roofing.....		1,279	Charcoal.....do.....	123,533	73,662
Awabi.....piculs.....	991	27,614	Chemical products.....		30,738
Awabi, preserved.....doz.....	3,852	6,962	China ware, fine.....piculs.....	1,142	91,359
Bags—			China ware, coarse.....do.....	2,603	26,027
Gunny.....pieces.....	1,422,010	72,138	Cigarettes.....		407,156
Cotton.....do.....	69,705	4,515	Cigars.....		100,678
Hemp.....do.....	1,700	85	Cinnabar.....piculs.....	39	2,430
Straw and grass.....do.....	3,382,966	61,468	Cinnamon.....do.....	87	7,786
Bamboo ware.....piculs.....	153	3,814	Clams, dried.....do.....	2,245	22,071
Bark, plum-tree.....do.....	1,403	2,108	Clocks.....pieces.....	66,255	137,920
Bark, yellow.....do.....	1,609	3,484	Cloisonné.....		67
Barley, pearl.....do.....	81	573	Cloth, native (Nankeens).....piculs..	57	2,523
Basins, tin.....gross.....	1,012	5,426	Clothing.....		117,056
Bed hangings.....doz.....	19,503	15,797	Cloves.....piculs.....	1,502	19,531
Bedsteads and bedding.....		20,920	Cloves, mother.....do.....	116	926
Beer and porter.....		158,258	Coal.....tons.....	396,285	2,773,995
Belting, machine.....		58,559	Cockles.....piculs.....	20,888	21,829
Betel-nut husk.....piculs.....	2,152	3,658	Coffee.....do.....	710	21,651
Betel nuts.....do.....	4,906	24,531	Coir and coir ware.....do.....	1,983	8,923
Bicho de Mar, black.....do.....	11,932	441,468	Coke.....tons.....	2,974	54,276
Bicho de Mar, white.....do.....	8,111	121,659	Comforters.....doz.....	4,806	8,144
Bicycles and bicycle materials.....do.....		73,167	Compoys.....piculs.....	1,763	53,963
Birds' nests—			Confectionery, in bottles.....		19,233
First quality.....catties.....	5,881	188,192	Coral.....catties.....	258	6,192
Second quality.....do.....	12,839	128,390	Coral beads.....do.....	1,353	13,510
Third quality.....do.....	43,321	140,793	Corks.....gross.....	20,997	12,109
Biscuits.....		23,322	Cosmetics, hair.....piculs.....	699	6,981
Bobbins, wood.....		34,422	Cotton gins.....pieces.....	5,088	79,822
Bone and horn ware.....piculs.....	18	663	Cotton gins, parts of.....		57,179
Bones, tiger.....do.....	16	1,041	Cotton, raw.....piculs.....	57,483	919,720
Books and charts.....		76,051	Cotton waste.....do.....	1,234	9,902
Books, Chinese.....piculs.....	245	17,748	Covers, bed.....pieces.....	9,706	9,022
Borax.....do.....	807	6,652	Covers, table.....do.....	10,328	8,609
Bottles, empty.....		25,581	Cow bezoar, Indian.....taels..	416	23,400
Bottling materials.....		8,730	Crabs' flesh, dried.....piculs.....	299	2,991
Boxes, fancy.....gross.....	32,970	43,071	Crockery.....		50,824
Braid.....cartoons.....	469,467	165,613	Crocodile scales.....piculs.....	107	5,350
Brass foil.....piculs.....	42	1,611	Crucibles.....		19,463
Bricks and tiles.....pieces.....	149,182	6,821	Curiosities.....		11,869
Bristles.....piculs.....	45	1,755	Curtains, bed.....		897
Bronze powder.....do.....	82	3,885	Curtains, window.....		5,077
Brooms, bamboo.....pieces.....	30,886	1,297	Cutch.....piculs.....	1,087	7,612
Brushes and brooms.....doz.....	4,317	8,012	Cutlery.....		46,814
Buckets, iron, galvanized.....do.....	1,187	3,044	Cuttlefish.....piculs.....	13,539	153,394
Building materials.....		139,529	Diving gear.....		523

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DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.		DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.
SUNDRIES—Continued.			SUNDRIES—Continued.		
Dyes and colors—		<i>Hk. taels.</i>	Ginseng—Continued.		<i>Hk. taels.</i>
Aniline		1,080,112	Native	14	2,871
Gamboge	73	4,743	Wild	1	4,588
Green, emerald	475	14,262	Beard, root, cuttings, etc	42	3,193
Logwood extract	3,099	38,100	Unclassed		176
Ocher	27	290	Glass, window	102,999	360,497
Picric acid	542	11,336	Glass, plate		47,810
Prussian blue	1,152	35,854	Glassware	5,322	81,153
Smalt	52	1,560			76,593
Ultramarine	1,309	13,578	Gloves	12,224	20,067
Unclassed	74	1,312	Glue	1,673	30,115
Electric materials		71,440	Glue, cow	1,333	18,667
Electro-plated ware		19,178	Grass cloth, fine	41	2,877
Elephants' teeth, whole	58	20,388	Grass cloth, coarse	483	16,000
Elephants' teeth, broken	43	3,422	Grindstones		1,160
Embroideries		5,199	Gum—		
Emery cloth and sandpaper	1,360	7,201	Dragon's blood	318	27,358
Engine and boiler fittings		55,356	Myrrh	495	5,194
Fan handles	258,390	1,594	Olibanum	2,199	20,890
Fans, fancy	342,486	2,758	Resin	4,925	10,148
Fans, palm-leaf, fancy	1,208,596	24,730	Haberdashery and millinery		86,344
Fans, palm-leaf, fine	3,958,010	39,580	Hair, horse	116	3,141
Fans, palm-leaf, coarse	32,433,098	210,815	Hams	988	24,700
Fans, paper	423,665	2,790	Hardware		128,532
Feathers, kingfishers', whole	149,639	13,468	Harness and saddlery		12,580
Feathers, kingfishers', broken	34,500	1,444	Hartall	132	1,052
Feathers, peacocks'	96,800	117	Hats, foreign	42,334	21,505
Felt		3,184	Hides, specific	286	8,519
Felt sheathing	27,513	2,059	Hides, cow and buffalo	109	1,642
Fennel seed	129	676	Hoof ware	10	830
Filature fittings		2,549	Hops	260	1,737
Files	9,358	27,319	Horns—		
Filters		4,680	Cow and buffalo	64	511
Fire bricks	80,021	6,384	Deer	820	24,589
Fire clay	3,455	3,425	Deer, young	371	7,943
Firecrackers and fireworks	162	1,455	Deer, old	1	241
Fire extinguishing apparatus		12,700	Rhinoceros	6,328	442,960
Firewood	14,744	3,185	Hose		11,101
Fish—			Hosiery	39,313	55,592
Dried	68	956	India rubber	219	13,860
Salt	518	1,553	India-rubber goods		10,742
Maws	532	42,543	Indigo, dried	188	3,938
Skins	747	11,204	Indigo, liquid	66,515	299,317
Bones	54	5,234	Instruments and apparatus, scientific and surgical		27,281
Fishery products, unclassified	161	1,080	Isinglass	5,692	216,298
Flint stones	37,781	37,781	Jadestone	20	7,077
Flour	46,114	173,315	Jewelry		35,647
Flour, yam, arrowroot, and potato	4,577	13,656	Jewels and jewelry, imitation		28,978
Flour, miscellaneous	1,770	5,184	Joss ornaments		583
Flowers, artificial		2,153	Joss sticks	544	7,615
Fodder		2,546	Lace		56,824
Fox claws	4,370	350	Lacquer ware	175	14,036
Fruit and vegetables, fresh		5,046	Lamps and lamp wares		208,382
Fruit, dried and salted, unclassified	85	548	Lamp wicks		9,772
Fungus	266	9,969	Lanterns, paper	51,634	1,143
Furniture and cabinet makers' materials		29,401	Launches and boats		1,835
Galangal	8,379	33,515	Lead, red	1,012	9,611
Gambier	510	3,058	Lead, white	5,600	47,604
Gas plant and fittings		49,671	Lead, yellow	1,172	11,130
Ginseng—			Leather	6,370	522,356
Korean, first quality	10	18,692	Leather, fancy		11,761
Korean, second quality	2	1,657	Leather articles		49,016
Japanese, first quality	206	149,546	Leather cloth	1,944	5,902
Japanese, second quality	2,022	303,237	Litchi, dried	781	7,025
American, clarified	797	797,080	Light-house materials and apparatus		330

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DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.		DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.
SUNDRIES—Continued.		<i>Hk. taels.</i>	SUNDRIES—Continued.		<i>Hk. taels.</i>
Linen, household		9,217	Paints, assorted piculs..	8,843	80,441
Liqueurs		20,217	Paper—		
Live stock	68	2,334	First quality do.....	7,635	217,605
Looking-glasses and mirrors pieces..	340,335	31,976	Second quality do.....	2,568	12,840
Lung-ngan pulp piculs..	4,132	45,453	Printing reams..	17,913	44,770
Lung-ngans, dried do.....	9,549	133,681	Printing, Japanese piculs..	812	9,624
Machinery		2,242,473	Wall		11,114
Machines, sewing and knitting pieces..	1,444	18,157	Paris white (or plaster of paris) piculs..	1,301	1,933
Machines, sewing, parts and accessories		1,511	Pearls, false catties..	2,245	20,940
Malt piculs..	234	1,133	Peel, orange piculs..	2,969	48,991
Mangrove bark do.....	89,720	143,552	Peel, pumelo, first quality do.....	42	790
Marble slabs do.....	358	2,148	Pepper, black do.....	18,158	177,944
Matches, wax gross..	2,465	5,569	Pepper, white do.....	267	3,839
Matches, wood, European do.....	17,619	13,669	Perfumery		48,860
Matches, wood, Japan do.....	3,124,600	583,906	Personal effects		49,078
Match-making materials—			Photographic materials		32,203
Glass powder piculs..	925	1,900	Photographs		1,152
Paper, packing do.....	2,178	17,081	Pictures and engravings		8,434
Phosphorus do.....	585	51,722	Pitch piculs..	2,377	2,552
Wax, paraffin do.....	60	617	Plants and shrubs		4,076
Wood shavings do.....	9,745	20,018	Plumbago piculs..	258	2,241
Wood splints do.....	40,059	62,537	Ponies No..	29	3,965
Unclassed		2,613	Potash, chlorate of piculs..	1,513	22,973
Mats, bamboo and rattan pieces..	2,150	1,639	Potatoes do.....	1,588	1,605
Mats, straw and rush do.....	3,249,600	350,957	Pottery and earthenware do.....	402	6,927
Mats and matting, coir and cocoa do.....		7,541	Prawns and shrimps, dried do.....	12,143	209,469
Matting, straw rolls..	1,551	7,631	Preserves do.....	2,024	18,218
Medical appliances and druggists' sundries		29,837	Printing and lithographic materials		23,887
Medicines piculs..	13,300	148,196	Provisions (for Chinese use)		2,683
Milk, condensed, in tins doz..	27,631	44,975	Pumps pieces..	152	14,200
Milk, condensed, in tins, Japanese do.....	1,493	2,956	Putchuck piculs..	2,096	34,580
Milk supplies		65,092	Quartz (or corundum sand) do.....	2,033	7,050
Morphia ounces..	68,170	112,796	Railway plant and materials		85,860
Molding feet..	527,607	12,855	Raisins piculs..	2,653	21,678
Mushrooms piculs..	4,562	190,060	Rattan skin do.....	258	3,031
Musical boxes pieces..	10,479	27,819	Rattans, whole do.....	33,255	216,150
Musical instruments—pianos and organs		31,217	Rattans, split do.....	3,587	25,107
Musical instruments, unclassified		13,565	Recreation requisites		14,095
Musk taels..	1,032	11,739	Religious objects		12,118
Mussels, dried piculs..	8,198	103,792	Rice, curry piculs..	512	2,048
Needles mille	2,293,618	482,077	Rope, cotton do.....	114	4,649
Nutgalls piculs..	523	13,034	Rope, hemp do.....	3,440	50,279
Nutmegs do.....	337	11,443	Rope, manila do.....	724	9,852
Oakum do.....	734	7,155	Rose maloes do.....	43	1,425
Oil, kerosene—			Rugs and druggets do.....		4,403
American galls..	36,909,060	5,194,481	Safes pieces..	256	14,568
Russian do.....	17,467,940	2,293,357	Safflower piculs..	297	2,366
Russian, in bulk do.....	7,411,900	718,960	Salt peter do.....	10,492	80,620
Sumatra do.....	3,218,395	401,239	Samshu do.....	182	911
Sumatra, in bulk do.....	2,352,028	231,914	Sand, red do.....	1,402	1,138
Oil—			Sandalwood do.....	58,715	807,335
Castor piculs..	71	730	Sapanwood do.....	39,650	99,124
Cocoonut do.....	192	1,526	Scales pieces..	4,261	15,036
Engine galls..	208,234	77,482	Sea shells piculs..	5,476	21,903
Olive do.....	1,513	1,593	Seaweed, first quality do.....	364,436	728,871
Paint do.....	46,681	30,572	Seaweed, second quality do.....	34,711	50,330
(Kerosene) cases and tins, empty pieces..	26,539	2,747	Seaweed, red do.....	909	4,091
(Kerosene) cases, planks for do.....		20,847	Seed—		
Oilcloth do.....		13,976	Flower do.....	302	2,419
Opium pipes and apparatus do.....		1,606	Lucraban do.....	1,235	14,825
Ornaments, heads do.....		1,605	Pine do.....	1,041	3,442
Paint, green piculs..	237	1,305	Sesamum do.....	149	692
			Vegetable tallow do.....	514	1,027

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DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.		DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	IMPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value. <i>Hk. taels.</i>		Quantity.	Value. <i>Hk. taels.</i>
SUNDRIES—Continued.			SUNDRIES—Continued.		
Shark's fin—			Telegraphic materials.....		225,242
Black.....piculs..	1,651	64,786	Telescopes, spyglasses, and optical goods.....		17,785
White.....do....	3,437	309,319	Thread, gold, imitation.....piculs..	14	9,068
Prepared.....do....	712	68,946	Thread, silver, imitation.....do....	25	11,376
Shellac.....do....	113	3,625	Thread, tinsel.....do....		452
Shoes and boots, leather and rubber.....pairs..	26,840	28,748	Timber—		
Silk—			Beams, hard-wood.....cub. feet..	658,609	263,444
Raw, white.....piculs..	7	4,738	Beams, soft-wood.....sq. feet..	1,041,172	18,741
Raw, Japan.....do....	45	18,080	Beams, teak.....cub. feet..	12,294	18,441
Raw, wild.....do....	4	728	Planks, hard-wood.....do....	662,034	264,814
Cocoons.....do....	93	5,651	Planks, soft-wood.....sq. feet..	18,016,577	387,356
Refuse or waste.....do....	9	346	Planks, teak.....cub. feet..	45,739	68,609
Noil yarn.....do....	471	19,534	Piles and poles.....pieces..	1,038	882
Piece goods.....do....	84	45,936	Masts and spars.....do....	113	5,465
Ribbons.....do....		29,193	Logs.....do....	799	864
And cotton ribbons.....do....		182,456	Tinder.....piculs..	622	5,229
Thread and yarn.....piculs..	23	4,900	Tin foil.....do....	263	8,417
Silverware.....do....		3,445	Tin-plate ware.....do....	61	677
Singlets.....doz..	6,291	16,720	Tobacco.....do....		23,663
Skins (furs)—			Leaf.....piculs..	1,422	26,311
Fox, large and small.....pieces..	1,487	1,606	Prepared.....do....	483	8,213
Lamb.....do....	4,740	2,532	Stalk.....do....	3,780	4,934
Sheep.....do....	1,776	1,201	Tobacconists' sundries.....do....		49,587
Land otter.....do....	911	1,458	Toilet requisites.....do....		41,852
Lynx.....do....	10,805	24,138	Tombstones and monuments.....do....		3,253
Marten.....do....	875	1,531	Tortoise shell.....piculs..	26	25,780
Rabbit.....do....	57,060	5,706	Tortoise-shell ware.....do....		
Raccoon.....do....	2,524	833	Toys.....do....		31,286
Seal.....do....	229	776	Traveling requisites.....do....		2,311
Squirrel.....do....	11,094	2,200	Trays, tin.....gross..	2,823	11,119
Sundry.....do....	22,955	1,905	Turmeric.....piculs..	7,511	30,045
Snuff.....piculs..	7	3,410	Turpentine.....galls..	10,916	5,267
Soap—			Twine.....piculs..	256	6,538
Bar.....do....	43,557	211,388	Umbrellas—		
Bombay.....do....	92	357	Silk.....pieces..	30,055	67,624
Soft.....do....	290	1,723	Silk and cotton.....do....	1,572	1,638
Toilet.....do....	27,332	214,132	Cotton.....do....	8,778	4,023
Soapstone powder.....piculs..	449	677	Cotton, Japanese.....do....	788,713	262,904
Soda.....do....	1,483	4,267	Alpaca.....do....	1,392	812
Spirits.....do....		128,097	Varnish.....piculs..	880	42,223
Spirits of wine.....galls..	14,931	7,398	Vermilion.....galls..	6,879	8,740
Stationery.....do....		186,956	Watchmakers' requisites.....piculs..	1,852	148,140
Sticklac.....piculs..	601	9,010	Watches.....pieces..	32,571	127,651
Stores, engineers'.....do....		35,274	Watchmakers' requisites.....do....		8,136
Stores, household.....do....		283,579	Water fittings.....do....		23,088
Stores, marine.....do....		26,514	Waters, aerated and mineral.....do....		30,489
Stoves and grates.....do....		31,040	Wax, white.....piculs..	181	18,461
Sugar—			Wine.....do....		301,196
Brown.....piculs..	749,450	2,735,494	Wine, Japanese.....piculs..	351	4,743
White.....do....	69,182	335,535	Wood—		
Refined.....do....	474,888	2,659,372	Camagon.....piculs..	21,514	43,028
Candy.....do....	24,831	191,198	Ebony.....do....	4,136	19,441
Cane.....do....	14,385	10,977	Garoo.....do....	43	9,713
Sulphur.....do....	8,874	70,991	Kranjee.....pieces..	205	4,510
Sulphuric acid.....do....	4,846	13,811	Laka.....piculs..	4,859	9,233
Tallow, animal.....do....	122	881	Lignum-vitæ.....do....	52	327
Tar.....galls..	14,297	2,440	Puru.....do....	6,721	7,633
Tassels, rice-bead.....do....		1,682	Rose and red.....do....	14,927	67,919
Tea—			Scale sticks.....pieces..	118,119	11,796
Green, Japan (for local consumption).....piculs..	1	24	Scented and fragrant.....piculs..	277	9,697
Japan (for reexportation).....do....	11	187	Woodware.....do....	84	2,021
Black.....do....	8	98	Wool, sheep's.....do....	82	820
Black, Formosa.....do....			Worm tablets, in bottles.....dozens..	14,590	10,258
Green.....do....	1	17	Sundries, unenumerated.....do....		23,877
Ceylon.....do....	47	1,892	Total.....Hk. taels..		132,219,185
Molds.....sets..	3,518	22,440			

A COMPARISON OF IMPORTS OF COTTON GOODS AND YARNS INTO ALL CHINA, 1887 AND 1897.

[From United States Consular Reports, April, 1899.]

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS AND ORIGIN.	1887.			1897.			Quantity.		Value.		IMPORTED FROM COUNTRY OF ORIGIN.			
	Quantity.		Value.	Quantity.		Value.	In-crease.	De-crease.	In-crease.	De-crease.	1887.		1897.	
											Quan-tity.	Value.	Quan-tity.	Value.
<i>Plain gray and white goods.</i>	<i>Pieces.</i>	£	\$	<i>Pieces.</i>	£	\$	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>	<i>Per ct.</i>
English.....	11,037,745	3,767,700	18,335,512	a 9,114,374	3,392,000	16,507,168	}-----	13.77	-----	7.9	84.94	76.90	{ 65	64.16
Indian b.....				402,724	78,200	380,560								
American c.....	1,874,274	1,095,500	5,331,251	4,143,971	1,746,800	8,500,802	121.11	-----	59.45	-----	14.43	22.36	29.55	33.04
Dutch.....	82,635	36,600	178,114	76,752	25,750	125,312	-----	7.12	-----	30.13	.63	.74	.54	.48
Japanese.....	-----	-----	-----	286,480	44,500	216,559	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	2.04	.84
Total.....	12,994,654	4,899,800	23,844,877	14,024,301	5,287,250	25,730,401	7.92	-----	7.91	-----	100	100	100	100
<i>Fancy goods.</i>														
English d.....	2,799,523	1,061,700	5,166,763	3,837,286	1,241,100	6,039,813	36.71	-----	16.9	-----	100	100	94.68	98.83
Japanese.....	-----	-----	-----	215,702	14,600	71,051	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5.32	1.17
Total.....	2,799,523	1,061,700	5,166,763	4,052,988	1,255,700	6,110,864	44.77	-----	18.27	-----	100	100	100	100
<i>Yarn.</i>	<i>Piculs. e</i>			<i>Piculs. e</i>										
English.....	592,867	3,058,500	14,884,190	51,298	189,400	921,715	f117.05	-----	34.75	-----	100	100	{ 3.27	3.73
Indian b.....				1,235,537	3,932,100	19,135,565								
Japanese.....	-----	-----	-----	283,817	948,100	4,613,929	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	18.07	18.71
Total.....	592,867	3,058,500	14,884,190	1,570,652	5,069,600	24,671,209	164.94	-----	66.06	-----	100	100	100	100
<i>Thread.</i>														
English.....	860	10,450	50,855	2,464	15,650	76,161	186.5	-----	49.75	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Grand total.....	-----	9,030,450	43,946,685	-----	11,628,200	56,588,635	-----	-----	28.76	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

a English plain goods.—The falling off is entirely in gray goods (very largely in common T cloths), no doubt owing to the increased importation of Indian yarn, coupled with American competition.

b Indian goods and yarn.—In 1897 Indian imports were not kept separately by the customs. The importation of Indian goods was probably very small, but business in yarns had already become important; the weight imported in 1887 was probably about 300,000 piculs, since increased fourfold.

c American plain goods.—The increase of 121 per cent in quantity, as against an increase of only 59½ per cent in value, shows plainly that American manufacturers are now competing with Manchester in lower-grade goods, which formerly they did not touch; in fact that, whereas ten years ago America contented herself with simply exporting the surplus of her domestic manufactures, she is now laying herself out for direct competition with the Lancashire export trade.

d English fancy goods.—The discrepancy between increase in quantity and increase in value shows how the tendency of this trade is running in the direction of turning out common fancy goods to meet the Chinese requirement for cheapness.

e 1 picul = 133½ pounds.

f Indian yarn.—The difference between the percentages of increase in quantity and value shows how enormously the cheapness of Indian low-count yarns has stimulated this trade.

VALUE OF TRADE WITH COUNTRY OF ORIGIN.

Description.	1887.			1897.			Increase.			Decrease.	
	£	Dollars.	Per cent.	£	Dollars.	Per cent.	£	Dollars.	Per cent.	£	Dollars.
English.....	7,898,350	38,437,320	87.46	4,838,150	23,544,857	41.6	950,100	4,623,662	12.03	-----	-----
Indian.....				4,010,300	19,516,125	34.49					
American.....	1,095,500	5,331,251	12.13	1,746,800	8,500,802	15.02	651,300	3,169,551	59.45	-----	-----
Japanese.....	-----	-----	-----	1,007,200	4,901,539	8.67	1,007,200	4,901,539	-----	-----	-----
Dutch.....	36,600	178,114	.41	25,750	125,312	.22	-----	-----	-----	10,850	52,802
Total.....	9,030,450	43,946,685	100	11,628,200	56,588,635	100	2,597,750	12,641,950	-----	-----	-----

TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM CHINA TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES, 1888-1897.

[From official Chinese reports.]

COUNTRIES.	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
United States.....	9,400	438	1,125	9,325	31,822	12,571	16,892	1,345,639	4,444,741	3,241,101
United Kingdom.....	193,377	194,488	277,481	206,716	124,684	164,886	106,735	229,960	314,454	181,159
India.....	2,431	31,881	21	2,212	338	3,535	8,431	12,016	2,050	9,592
Singapore and Straits.....	6,271	19,508	13,311	7,456	32,683	5,832	12,195	103,012	84,546	153,123
Australia, New Zealand, etc.....	6,415	750	451	2,612	4,115	-----	180	2,084	154	721
British America.....	-----	-----	138	1,078	60	248	400	2,338	8,156	2,463
Continent of Europe (except Russia).....	9,635	13,290	6,859	19,200	21,885	24,096	106,085	285,007	62,485	50,330
Russia:										
Odessa by sea.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	3	4,765	4,182
Manchuria.....	181,436	273,262	252,580	419,129	540,476	533,356	960,656	1,255,248	1,136,234	1,451,432
Korea.....	300,367	418,317	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	803,274	938,383	1,529,240
Japan, including Formosa.....	768,812	1,033,299	394,761	428,075	506,478	465,490	1,371,347	3,356,842	964,771	1,801,912
Macao.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	10
Philippine Islands.....	25,288	9,035	5,063	8,745	13,565	7,937	4,446	4,035	6,581	3,640
Cochin China, Tonkin, and Annam.....	2,928	33	167	302	1,803	1,638	8,499	2,629	16,304	19,520
Siam.....	12,165	198	1,517	624	109	743	709	6,636	11,491	914
Java.....	96	203	-----	5,515	701	666	401	63,540	166,031	219,739
Turkey in Asia, Persia, Egypt, and Aden.....	-----	-----	855	5	122	9	145	2,920	5,583	3,617
To foreign countries direct.....	1,518,621	1,994,702	954,329	1,110,994	1,278,841	1,221,007	2,597,121	7,475,183	8,166,729	8,172,695
To Hongkong.....	525,129	381,849	710,480	895,989	1,042,633	743,060	946,159	775,062	866,696	1,233,674
Total.....	2,043,750	2,376,551	1,664,809	2,006,983	2,321,474	1,964,067	3,543,280	8,250,245	9,033,425	9,406,369

EXPORTS OF TEA FROM CHINA TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES FOR 1897.

[From official Chinese reports.]

DESTINATION.	Black.	Green.	Dust.	Brick.	Tablet.	Total.
	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>	<i>Piculs.</i>
United States.....	96,589	111,299	-----	-----	-----	207,888
United Kingdom.....	141,946	38,666	1,127	62,741	-----	244,480
Hongkong.....	52,609	2,161	25	-----	-----	54,795
India.....	27	11,414	-----	-----	-----	11,441
Singapore and Straits.....	3,417	459	-----	-----	-----	3,876
Australia.....	33,327	-----	-----	-----	-----	33,327
New Zealand.....	210	-----	-----	-----	-----	210
South Africa, including Mauritius.....	9,439	3	-----	-----	-----	9,442
British America.....	3,995	7,096	-----	-----	-----	11,091
South America.....	83	-----	-----	-----	-----	83
Continent of Europe, except Russia.....	34,170	4,607	127	16	-----	38,920
Russia, Odessa, etc., by sea.....	147,567	21,192	-----	-----	-----	168,759
Russia and Siberia, via Kiakhta.....	118,009	-----	-----	407,763	2,443	528,215
Russia, Manchuria.....	25,028	8	-----	87,778	3,706	116,520
Korea.....	34	-----	-----	-----	-----	34
Japan.....	698	1,725	-----	-----	-----	2,423
Philippine Islands.....	508	-----	-----	-----	-----	508
Cochin China, Tonkin, and Annam.....	4,026	103	-----	-----	-----	4,129
Siam.....	2,173	17	-----	-----	-----	2,190
Java.....	1,974	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,974
Turkey in Asia, Persia, Egypt, and Aden.....	49	396	-----	-----	-----	445
Other places.....	348	-----	-----	-----	-----	348
Total.....	676,226	199,146	1,279	558,298	6,149	1,441,098
Hongkong, from Kowloon by junk.....	62,952	1,976	-----	-----	-----	64,928
Macao, from Lappa by junk.....	25,737	46	349	-----	-----	26,132
Grand total.....	764,915	201,168	1,628	558,298	6,149	1,532,158
1888.....	1,542,299	209,378	3,233	412,642	-----	2,167,552
1889.....	1,356,554	192,326	10,390	310,178	7,883	1,877,331
1890.....	1,151,092	199,504	7,359	297,168	10,273	1,665,396
1891.....	1,203,641	206,760	3,531	328,861	7,241	1,750,034
1892.....	1,101,229	188,440	855	323,112	9,045	1,622,681
1893.....	1,190,206	236,237	1,273	382,361	10,754	1,820,831
1894.....	1,217,215	233,465	3,173	395,506	12,953	1,862,312
1895.....	1,123,952	244,202	320	481,392	15,814	1,865,680
1896.....	912,417	216,909	292	566,899	16,234	1,712,841
1897.....	764,915	201,168	1,628	558,298	6,149	1,532,581

a Besides the leaf and brick teas forwarded via Tientsin and Kiakhta to Siberia and Russia, considerable quantities are sent from Hankow and vicinity up the Han River to Fancheng, where overland carriage is resorted to.

CARRYING TRADE OF CHINA FROM AND TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES AND BETWEEN TREATY PORTS, WITH THE SHARE THEREIN OF EACH COUNTRY, FOR 1897.

[From official Chinese reports.]

FLAG.	TOTAL TONNAGE.		TOTAL VALUE.						Per cent of total foreign.
	Foreign and coastwise, inward and outward.		Foreign trade.		Coast trade.		Total value foreign and coast trade.		
	Entries and clearances at treaty ports.	Total tonnage of entries and clearances at treaty ports.	Imports. <i>a</i>	Exports. <i>b</i>	Outward. <i>c</i>	Inward. <i>d</i>			
	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Haikwan taels.</i>	<i>Haikwan taels.</i>	<i>Haikwan taels.</i>	<i>Haikwan taels.</i>	<i>Haikwan taels.</i>		
American.....	333	269,780	2,182,235	2,769,625	210,264	183,268	5,345,392	0.85	
British.....	21,140	21,891,043	130,644,338	83,731,734	141,299,940	153,878,280	509,554,292	80.84	
German.....	1,858	1,658,094	26,120,449	14,284,742	5,765,092	6,103,019	52,273,302	8.29	
French.....	464	423,122	5,371,413	13,980,043	27,713	19,032	19,398,201	3.08	
Dutch.....	20	16,440	225,727	114,743	78,262	67,465	486,197	.08	
Danish.....	276	142,932	850,622	580,358	101,686	16,493	1,549,159	.24	
Swedish and Norwegian.....	729	619,742	5,230,440	3,321,486	1,579,548	1,708,411	11,839,885	1.88	
Russian.....	70	145,669	49,659	4,652,964	64,702	58,470	4,825,795	.77	
Austrian.....	32	68,484	1,921,669	626,471	2,240	.....	2,550,380	.40
Italian.....	.....	.....	2,891	.....	.....	.....	2,891	.....
Japanese.....	653	660,707	11,074,081	8,769,932	634,452	601,143	21,079,608	3.34	
Portuguese.....	12	466	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Korean.....	2	888	440,533	2,119	.....	.....	442,652	.07
Nontreaty powers.....	22	35,024	301,654	688,125	.....	.....	989,779	.16
Total foreign.....	25,611	25,932,382	184,415,711	133,522,342	149,763,899	162,635,545	630,337,533	100	
Chinese.....	18,889	7,819,980	27,819,283	39,385,385	121,195,948	137,726,092	326,126,708	.....
Grand total.....	44,500	33,752,362	212,234,994	172,907,727	270,959,847	300,361,637	956,464,241	.....
AMERICAN.									
1890.....	155	82,946	539,379	514,817	189,203	251,765	1,495,164	.37	
1891.....	113	67,095	551,926	330,037	166,777	140,844	1,189,584	.27	
1892.....	111	61,328	443,181	279,614	179,916	202,291	1,105,002	.24	
1893.....	63	78,173	687,961	1,412,204	.....	22,939	2,123,101	.46
1894.....	107	129,127	1,111,482	1,465,077	113,532	198,969	2,889,060	.52	
1895.....	92	86,427	1,176,398	556,895	58,133	57,645	1,849,071	.31	
1896.....	143	165,578	2,136,892	1,362,120	23,867	1,055	3,523,934	.62	
1897.....	333	269,780	2,182,235	2,769,625	210,264	183,268	5,345,392	.85	

a All goods arriving in vessels direct from foreign ports.

b All goods (domestic and foreign) departing in vessels cleared for foreign ports.

c All goods shipped at one treaty port for another.

d All goods arriving from other treaty ports.

VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED AT CHINESE PORTS, 1892 TO 1897.

[From official Chinese reports.]

FLAG.	1892		1893		1894		1895		1896		1897	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
American.....	111	61,328	63	78,175	107	129,127	92	86,427	143	165,578	333	269,780
Austrian.....	610	639,744	400	353,530	35	60,851	101	106,531	24	59,372	32	68,484
British.....	18,973	19,316,815	19,365	19,203,978	20,527	20,496,347	19,579	20,525,798	19,711	21,847,082	21,140	21,891,043
Korean.....									10	4,440	2	888
Danish.....	380	164,781	491	210,963	530	227,912	495	224,096	333	171,826	276	142,932
Dutch.....	70	77,659	34	22,848	31	27,519	85	89,379	38	53,238	20	16,440
French.....	144	252,920	167	259,687	293	348,291	266	341,345	427	434,415	464	423,122
German.....	2,016	1,466,133	2,142	1,508,015	2,429	1,983,605	2,684	2,442,185	2,090	1,945,019	1,858	1,658,094
Hawaiian.....					1	878	3	2,634	2	3,036	14	31,128
Japanese.....	719	630,868	623	566,379	420	379,044	108	121,691	546	565,992	653	660,707
Portuguese.....											12	466
Russian.....	84	111,570	101	132,613	92	138,472	90	130,218	66	113,656	70	145,660
Siamese.....					2	1,312	2	1,312	6	2,550	2	1,314
Spanish.....	28	18,312	20	10,732			2	5,520				
Swedish and Norwegian.....	260	139,255	224	140,173	471	288,051	595	429,485	1,126	870,173	729	619,742
Nontreaty powers.....			2	1,768	2	1,346	16	10,316	4	3,188	6	2,582
Total foreign.....	23,395	22,879,385	23,632	22,488,861	14,940	24,082,755	24,118	24,516,957	24,526	26,239,565	25,611	25,932,382
Per cent of American.....		.27		.35		.53		.35		.63		1.04
Chinese: Shipping <i>a</i>	8,246	6,308,523	8,730	6,572,418	7,896	5,333,955	6,822	4,965,177	9,917	6,989,208	12,706	7,543,529
Junks <i>b</i>	6,286	252,667	5,540	257,432	5,227	205,291	6,192	254,944	6,052	262,084	6,183	276,451
Grand total.....	37,927	29,440,575	37,902	29,318,811	38,063	29,622,001	37,132	29,737,078	40,495	33,490,857	44,500	33,752,362

a Vessels of foreign type owned by Chinese and sailing under the Chinese flag.*b* Vessels built and owned by Chinese, but licensed to trade under the treaty tariff.

The shipping for the last ten years has been divided between steamers and sailing vessels in the following proportions:

YEAR.	STEAMERS ENTERED AND CLEARED.		SAILING VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED.		TOTAL ENTERED AND CLEARED.	
	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.
1888.....	23,249	21,311,651	4,912	996,208	28,161	22,307,859
1889.....	24,604	22,684,132	4,541	833,752	29,145	23,517,884
1890.....	25,838	23,928,557	5,295	947,902	31,133	24,876,459
1891.....	28,040	26,720,841	5,952	989,947	33,992	27,710,788
1892.....	28,974	28,410,156	8,953	1,030,419	37,927	29,440,575
1893.....	29,761	28,277,050	8,141	1,041,761	37,902	29,318,811
1894.....	30,027	28,506,074	8,036	1,115,927	38,063	29,622,001
1895.....	28,176	28,683,408	8,956	1,053,670	37,132	29,737,078
1896.....	31,452	32,358,375	9,043	1,132,482	40,495	33,490,857
1897.....	34,566	32,519,729	9,934	1,232,633	44,500	33,752,362

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM CHINA, 1889 TO 1898, SHOWING QUANTITIES AND VALUES, BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
FREE OF DUTY.										
Animals: All other, including fowls										
Antimony ore and regulus or metal } pounds. }							15,434		78,400	537,500
Articles specially imported										
Articles, the growth, etc., of the United } States, returned										
Art works										
Books, music, maps, etc.										
Breadstuffs, farinaceous food, etc.										
Bristles, crude pounds..							1,359	267		
Cabinets of old coins, metals, etc.										
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:										
Gums										
Indigo pounds..								400	100	
Sulphur tons..									80	
All other										
Coal, anthracite tons..						10				
Cocoa, crude, and leaves, etc., of. pounds..		52,304	35,840	22,960		32,000	29,000	22,400		
Coffee do.	389,569	531,707	593,521	1,033,598	1,324,283	861,654	707,853	860,406	781,501	656,003
Cotton, raw do.			40,800	10,000	24,260	61,588	103,986	55,075	64,383	66,321
Eggs dozen..	126,300	92,750	23,225							
Fans, common palm-leaf do.					738,953	625,082	495,001			
Feathers and downs for beds										
Fibers, vegetable, all other tons..		14		2	14	12	6	1	1	1
Fish, fresh:										
Shrimps and other shellfish										
Other										
Fruits:										
Dates pounds..			294,644	134,000	224,890	258,177				
All other										
Nuts, all other										
Fur skins, undressed, etc.										
Hair, unmanufactured										
Hats, bonnets, etc., materials for										
Hides and skins:										
Goat skins pounds..							4,289,505	3,132,598	2,091,144	4,070,737
All other do.							778,485	1,289,372	4,045,266	962,385
Hoofs, horns, etc., unmanufactured										
Household and personal effects, etc.										
India rubber, unmanufactured. pounds..					2,200					1,066
Matting for floors, etc. rolls..									555,444	20
Oil cake pounds..								1,000		
Oils:										
Vegetable, other										
Volatile or essential.										
Paper stock, crude										
Plants, etc., and flowers										
Sausage skins										
Seeds, all other										
Shells, unmanufactured										
Silk, and manufactures of:										
Cocoons pounds..	64	55,111	82,053	118,035	45,191	51,854	139,509	120,056		
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon } pounds. }	1,118,807	1,130,491	1,287,034	1,845,555	1,880,242	1,198,304	2,419,128	2,315,873	1,907,892	2,016,549
Waste do.	52,108	101,207	139,120	111,125	51,339	157,828	212,833	227,535	318,191	470,045
Spices:										
Nutmegs do.	13,069	17,264	33,384	22,810	7,160	13,040	26,505	13,425	4,818	9,334
Pepper do.	109,522	272,331	92,580	431,760	364,060	459,182	135,604	334,319	115,230	298,388
All other, unground do.	229,790	308,337	1,893,959	3,912,197	3,237,740	1,342,839	2,084,341	3,533,899	4,025,757	2,601,982
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses gallons							547			37,175
Cane and other pounds..			769,308	645,257	617,844	1,493,875	130,760			
Tea do.	40,751,779	42,586,968	40,430,769	46,718,019	45,653,172	50,405,188	54,700,393	50,916,111	56,524,546	39,754,736
Tin in bars, blocks, etc. do.							56,770	168,106		1,007
Wax, bees do.						1,241	1,574		1,550	410

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM CHINA, 1889 TO 1898, SHOWING QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.

VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
Dollars. 10	Dollars. 370	Dollars. 1,021	Dollars. 1,152	Dollars. 983	Dollars. 512	Dollars. 827	Dollars. 885	Dollars. 64	Dollars. 208	FREE OF DUTY.
						888		1,467	7,843	Animals: All other, including fowls.
					25	50	161	242	138	Antimony ore and regulus or metal.
1,411	3,876	6,175	4,073	1,043	8,218	787	6,337	1,598	11,043	Articles specially imported.
						4	16	5		Articles, the growth, etc., of the United States, returned.
		669	831	426	764	1,414	1,623	1,975	1,638	Art works.
69,209	65,880	52,599	21,063	13,510	16,851	21,546	16,346	13,853	11,263	Books, music, maps, etc.
						270	58			Breadstuffs, farinaceous food, etc.
				73,835	41,622	26,041	47,274	25,603	62	Bristles, crude.
2,030	824	6,977	5,032	18,411	11,577	17,016	13,930	11,399	11,425	Cabinets of old coins, medals, etc.
							16	4		Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:
								1,351		Gums.
93,624	97,171	108,523	123,192	118,044	81,366	49,031	57,685	88,396	87,824	Indigo.
					40					Sulphur.
	10,227	4,319	4,658		4,018	3,753	1,822			All other.
72,835	104,544	119,599	192,268	262,236	156,579	126,828	159,971	133,556	92,634	Coal, anthracite.
		1,836	1,064	2,273	3,428	7,761	4,807	7,371	5,619	Cocoa, crude, and leaves, etc., of.
6,425	4,559	1,178								Coffee.
				43,210	28,125	21,632	46,771	23,707	36,354	Cotton, raw.
				24,419	34,460	4,738			12,148	Eggs.
	724		161	1,476	1,317	283	43	30	70	Fans, common palm-leaf.
	10,015			16,491	13,325	636				Feathers and downs for beds.
3,691						9,586	13,284	10,988	494	Fibers, vegetable: All other.
		7,554	3,500	7,904	10,154					Fish, fresh:
8,058	7,162	7,607	10,031	9,757	4,283	3,834	6,193	3,790	2,128	Shrimps and other shellfish.
									1	Other.
913	3,308		2,779	8,767	48	11,949	5,042	2,146	2,275	Fruits:
56,308	46,251	9,680	3,822	1,847	4,308	1,718	4,261	1,851	5,508	Dates.
		463,094	500,486	405,320	528,801	563,135	917,843	618,889		All other.
										Nuts, all other.
34,903	45,535	177,046	335,436	428,227	367,892	426,725	400,662	375,617	714,668	Fur skins, undressed, etc.
220,464	81,708	11,080	37,111	35,922	22,919	54,432	119,368	448,792	113,345	Hair, unmanufactured.
					12	202	53	113		Hats, bonnets, etc., materials for.
14,848	12,212	10,472	10,029	23,372	19,617	24,648	12,460	11,637	22,374	Hides and skins:
				632					409	Goat skins.
		1,107,904	1,005,836	755,679	807,635	551,385	668,813	1,453,896	57	All other.
							7			Hoofs, horns, etc., unmanufactured.
	259	157,986	141,726	141,078	113,602	90,335	84,072	100,331	95,652	Household and personal effects, etc.
			13,457	2,825	886	5,137	1,700	136	4,277	India rubber, unmanufactured.
703	8,696	187			155	72	91			Matting for floors, etc.
						1,370	5,215	8,692		Oil cake.
							4,135	15,754	13,185	Oils:
72	1	254	3,410	3,507	6,687	2,528	68	670	333	Vegetable, other.
					3	6		863	200	Volatile or essential.
										Paper stock, crude.
32	29,127	62,145	49,765	25,702	25,928	54,255	44,758			Plants, etc., and flowers.
3,618,288	3,726,997	4,290,429	5,087,858	5,427,531	3,087,749	5,511,960	6,622,692	4,642,457	7,506,409	Sausage skins.
26,198	71,809	96,510	73,380	42,849	75,935	95,386	56,034	69,000	106,144	Seeds, all other.
										Shells, unmanufactured.
4,692	6,336	14,128	10,621	2,983	3,807	5,484	3,576	1,323	2,519	Silk, and manufactures of:
13,911	33,673	10,783	37,893	24,788	24,102	5,194	15,254	6,348	19,564	Cocoons.
28,911	15,004	68,027	122,033	91,103	67,001	73,873	145,575	190,229	164,657	Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.
										Waste.
										Spices:
										Nutmegs.
										Pepper.
										All other, unground.
										Sugar and molasses:
										Molasses.
		25,169	20,149	17,128	48,834	3,771				Cane and other.
7,100,389	6,858,195	7,587,274	7,914,122	7,413,984	7,697,253	7,534,354	6,966,766	7,288,573	5,821,537	Tea.
						7,206	21,945		136	Tin in bars, blocks, etc.
					409	407		236	134	Wax, bees.

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
17,296	9,422	14,827	19,762	19,485	23,048	10,442	9,127	18,982	13,890	Wood, unmanufactured: Cabinet woods. All other.
								67,112	12,288	Wool, hair of the camel, alpaca, etc.: Class one, clothing. Class two, combing. Class three, carpet.
						4,916	562			All other free articles.
140,159	78,830	152,835	179,731	3,189	5,491	1,569,575	1,600,280	1,553,947	195,515	
						44,994	47,651	85,271	23,216	Total free of duty.
11,535,490	11,332,805	14,577,887	15,936,431	15,469,945	13,348,786	16,958,428	18,195,233	17,288,264	15,120,790	
										SUBJECT TO DUTY.
135	313	879	1,091	1,813	697	532	812	342	276	Animals: All other, including fowls.
96	198	27		1,168	125				671	Art works.
				3,790	4,288	1,692	1,666	2,332	3,050	Bones and horns, manufactures of.
6,811	5,260	5,050	2,918	1,536	1,837	1,196	1,641	2,606	3,494	Books, maps, music, etc.
3,010	1,626	19,339	25,992	16,008	6,678	6,940	8,155	7,414	11,001	Breadstuffs: All other preparations of.
6,387	569	14,642	5,671	13,307	27,061	28,633	62,469	53,366	122,214	Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared.
1,251	538	1,470	1,912	1,294	2,210	2,403	1,471	1,909	1,768	Brushes.
							1,054	3,859		Cement.
										Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:
697,153	288,500	415,418	520,275	446,422	309,823	915,307	729,196	1,122,886	650,644	Opium.
33,879	27,469	38,372	34,407	27,095	18,672	16,038	13,728	13,405	25,256	All other.
					6,105	149		4,715	4,867	Coal, bituminous.
				195						Cocoa, prepared, etc.
771	241	155	264	95	99	135	6			Copper, manufactures of.
										Cotton, manufactures of:
							47	7	3	Cloths.
47,396	27,104	40,157	40,936	33,796	24,371	29,580	31,240	23,758	24,976	Clothing and wearing apparel.
3			11	188	2	1				Knit goods.
56,690	28,350	17,378	6,760	7,288	6,489	4,434	6,050	3,903	4,431	All other.
										Earthen, stone, and china ware:
189	343	14	10	105	33	71	7	5	23	Not decorated or ornamented.
21,017	39,851	26,318	20,043	16,137	21,308	13,061	20,894	21,838	22,574	Decorated or ornamented.
2	15				13	10	21	2,318	1,669	All other.
		4,993	4,893	6,025	3,653	3,009	3,328	3,490	3,919	Eggs.
11,773	15,088						3,619	3,316	3,409	Fans, except palm leaf.
393		2		44	272		355	1,515	1,096	Feathers, etc., for millinery ornaments.
1,599	895	903	1,792	1,384	1,809	723	1,473	1,357	27,355	Feathers and flowers, fruits, grains, etc. artificial.
										Fibers, vegetable, manufactures of:
7,483	1,533	338			11,077				10,717	Bags and bagging.
	118		449	767	1,141		30			Cables and cordage.
1,954	3,728	2,197	3,514	3,689	4,266	12,011	3,388	5,400	3,453	All other.
71,953	43,483	46,220	31,518	30,502	24,205	20,783	25,377	21,727	27,371	Fish.
						6,533	5,202	1,619	8,344	Fruits:
1,136	2,284	2,534	1,900	1,810	884	1,237	1,155	780	1,022	Dates.
21,009	22,905	25,903	19,878	19,727	16,408	9,620	12,217	9,546	14,540	Oranges.
	1,309	15	2	4		901	4,339	2,887	1,022	Preserved fruits.
885	806	1,075	790	899	886	336	353	419	533	All other.
4,302	3,696	7,216	3,778	3,266	2,421	1,598	1,788	2,771	1,947	Nuts: Almonds.
372,526	292,604	378,606	371,370	512,382	410,269	274,529	514,146	111,332	204,678	All other.
				10,222	9,618	12,165	18,545	4,989	10,123	Furs, and manufactures of.
2,576	761	682	388	774	868	3,390	1,515	1,489	4,545	Ginger, preserved and pickled.
							212		67	Glass and glassware.
										Glue.
				333,085	256,756	372,441	403,397	491,951	141,132	Gunpowder, and other explosives:
	134		1	20	56	50	599	104	98	Firecrackers.
812,427	892,164	140,770							632,065	Hair, manufactures of.
1,457	16,454	5,662	1,725	699	643	427	4,285	619	754	Hats, bonnets, etc., materials for.
				222	1,146	96	30	425	514	Iron and steel, manufactures of.
										Ivory, manufactures of.
1,854	2,055	2,092	679	540	847	930	2,107	2,186	845	Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
SUBJECT TO DUTY —Cont'd.										
Leather:										
Upper, dressed, etc.										
Other										
Manufactures of										
Metals, etc., manufactures of										
Oils										
Paints, pigments, and colors										
Paper, and manufactures of										
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.										
Pipes and smokers' articles										
Provisions:										
Meat and meat extracts										
All other meat products										
Rice	49,378,653	33,320,591	39,489,429	30,870,205	32,581,616	32,981,956	39,839,086	26,046,736	29,585,141	31,839,429
Rice flour, rice meal, etc.	264,162	301,038	112,332		21,860	745,410	634,180	1,172,927	167,994	259,445
Seed:										
Linseed			62					19,896		
All other										
Silk, manufactures:										
Clothing, etc.										
Dress and piece goods										
Laces and embroideries										
All other										
Spices, ground, etc.			1		1,677	12,404	922	772	5,547	4,998
Spirits, distilled	112,345	77,960	100,231	64,410	74,739	65,473	52,807	104,687	137,875	41,324
Starch					184,667	501,302	870,460	921,336	1,026,845	970,777
Straw, manufactures of										
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses							2,025	18,000		
Beet sugar							346	101		132
Cane and other	558,478	606,644	396,588				2,737,087	783,681	322,284	366,841
Sugar, above No. 16 Dutch standard }		1,730	1,181,445	6,209,829	9,937,372	19,695,200	20,828,730	31,038,077	11,115,476	6,794,691
}										
Tin in bars						128,006	32,953			
Umbrellas, parasols, etc.										
Vegetables:										
Peas and beans		8	6,958	9,596	9,711	8,812	5,142	7,823	5,887	7,870
Potatoes			377	1,494	1,337	1,187	1,150	1,092	1,183	876
Pickles and sauces										
All other										
Vinegar					17	648	3,081	3,362	2,892	1,421
Wax, bees										416
Wood, manufactures:										
Cabinet ware, etc.										
All other										
Wool:										
Unmanufactured—										
Class one, clothing		19,146		9,303	9,204					
Class two, combing	35,706	110,647	9,532	60,955						917
Class three, carpet	5,745,127	8,457,762	10,624,607	13,819,694	20,744,689	10,186,264	1,950,607			16,838,567
Manufactures—										
Carpets, etc.			3,541	1,248	1,236	796	1,081	380	877	416
Clothing, ready made, etc.										
All other										
All other dutiable articles										
Total dutiable										
Total imports										

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
	120		80						3,551	AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS:
									612	Mowers and reapers, and parts of.
139	235	140	12,500	335	63	620	60	795	120	Plows and cultivators, and parts of.
139	355	140	12,580	335	63	620	60	795	4,293	All other, and parts of.
									53	Total.
										Aluminum, and manufactures of.
								1,150		ANIMALS:
			10,000							Cattle.
		100		100				200		Horses.
		100	10,000	100				1,350		All other, and fowls.
		150					300	185	54	Total animals.
								347		Art works: Paintings and statuary.
168	765						148			Asbestos, crude and manufactured.
185	403	1,285	814	563	85		635	163		Babitt metal.
								362	40	Billiard and pool tables, etc.
									28	BLACKING:
		600						200	50	Blacking.
6,687	13,149	6,134	7,259	6,577	11,861	12,301	11,268	16,520	15,836	Stove polish.
956	325	100	6,480	7,949	799	32	360	1,055	96	All other.
										Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.
										Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter.
2,358	1,500	2,001	2,059	2,297	1,779	2,239	2,573	2,926	6,163	Brass and manufactures of.
668	441	765	260	557	371	484	150	364	627	BREADSTUFFS:
43,807	59,045	134,969	67,441	66,699	77,342	103,605	45,815	72,100	89,305	Bread and biscuit.
									1,206	Oats.
2,635	6,483	4,976	4,467	4,485	5,492	5,910	8,109	14,182	12,833	Wheat flour.
49,468	67,469	142,711	74,227	74,038	84,984	112,238	56,647	89,572	110,134	Preparations of, for table food.
										All other.
										Total breadstuffs.
										BRICKS:
	45	600						850	173	Building.
	45	600						850	173	Fire.
186	329	249	4,400	318	379	278	374	427	74	Total.
	130		70					65	784	Brooms and brushes.
										Candles.
										CARRIAGES, CARS, OTHER VEHICLES, AND PARTS OF:
										Cars (passenger and freight), and parts of—
									24,850	For steam railways.
									27,449	Cycles, and parts of—
413	590	533	111	598	1,484	24	141	1,663	4,248	All other carriages, and parts of.
413	590	533	111	598	1,484	24	141	1,663	56,547	Total.
										CHEMICALS, DRUGS, DYES, AND MEDICINES:
	539	114								Acids.
448	1,108				57				29	Dyes and dyestuffs.
			13,035		80,775	91,149	9,525		35,820	Ginseng.
2,536	1,952	2,569	3,517	3,460	2,970	2,188	13,399	13,545	10,494	Medicines, patent or proprietary.
		1,089		90	4,300	23,000			10	Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s.
7,523	7,393	15,082	6,887	7,355	8,600	10,735	20,106	18,413	20,918	All other.
10,507	10,992	18,854	23,439	10,914	96,711	127,072	43,030	31,958	67,271	Total.
					180					Cider.
										CLOCKS AND WATCHES:
18,434	33,940	52,980	46,080	15,128	12,459	8,743	11,108	27,286	11,999	Clocks, and parts of.
758	565	200	53	1,450	1,160	186	1,950	3,956	6,505	Watches, and parts of.
19,192	34,505	53,180	46,133	16,578	13,619	8,929	13,058	31,242	18,504	Total.

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
<i>Dollars.</i> 2,311	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,256	<i>Dollars.</i> 2,325	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i> 2,158	<i>Dollars.</i> 2,015	<i>Dollars.</i> 3,690	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i> 546	<i>Dollars.</i>	Coal, anthracite.
533	132	623	294	697	553	511	429	492	441	{ Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared and chocolate.
250			685				10			Copper, manufactures of.
							27	29		Cork, manufactures of.
										COTTON, AND MANUFACTURES OF:
			11,025				300	9,742	370,670	Unmanufactured—
										Upland and other.
	20,425	13,360	5,986	937	74,155			1,223,265	774,100	Manufactures of —
1,519,265	1,203,540	5,321,500	3,881,746	1,637,720	2,772,065	1,703,023	3,854,146	6,214,938	4,421,745	Cloths (yards)—
										Colored.
1,519,265	1,223,965	5,334,860	3,887,732	1,638,657	2,846,220	1,703,023	3,854,146	7,438,203	5,195,845	Uncolored.
										Total.
984	4,204	1,668	3,488	4,980	5,737	10,808	8,283	6,619	2,569	Other manufactures of—
3,020	2,864	1,510	1,743	996	2,264	9,563	180,895	16,156	5,013	Wearing apparel.
4,004	7,068	3,178	5,231	5,976	8,001	20,371	189,178	22,775	7,582	All other.
										Total.
							4,669	18,410		Cycles, of all kinds, and parts of.
									35	Dental goods.
										EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE:
90	126		32	193	211	292	142	353	576	Earthen and stone ware.
80	275	428	154	436	31	28	23	60	25	China ware.
170	401	428	186	629	242	320	165	413	601	Total.
										FIBERS, VEGETABLE, AND TEXTILE
	50			30	184				730	GRASSES, MANUFACTURES OF:
3,615	1,390	324	16						1,150	Bags.
223	531	116	362	208	43	396	1,614	632	280	Cordage.
441			613	368	385	2,027	566	919	103	Twine.
4,279	1,971	440	991	606	612	2,423	2,180	1,551	2,263	All other.
										Total.
810	687	894	1,067	1,010	950	842	816	897	91	FISH:
26					5	25	10			Cod, haddock, hake, and pollock.
										Herring.
										Other.
									13	Pickled—
										Mackerel.
573	293	441	337	768	448	1,677	1,104	1,174	1,507	Salmon—
						9	9		263	Canned.
										Other, fresh or cured.
107	228	185	78	286	205	781	2,080	820	523	{ Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish.
84	116		142	15	1,073	68	62	48	88	Shellfish—
407	95	164	256	225	383				66	Oysters.
				1,820					600	Other.
2,007	1,419	1,684	1,880	4,124	3,064	3,402	4,081	2,939	3,151	All other fish, and fish products.
										Total.
	6		140				25			FRUITS AND NUTS:
1,207	945	1,526	2,081	1,488	2,191	1,882	2,286	2,232	1,371	Apples, dried.
									105	Apples, green or ripe.
									92	Prunes.
43			8		105	1,099	3,385	3,971	8,490	Raisins.
5,831	9,273	6,616	8,238	10,414	9,636	10,693	8,288	11,431	21,595	All other, green, ripe, or dried.
218	36	15	79	15	11			25	9	Fruits, preserved—
283	233	193	423	398	370	272	374	460	123	Canned.
7,582	10,493	8,350	10,969	12,315	12,313	13,946	14,358	18,119	31,785	Other.
										Nuts.
										Total.
	178		50		750			50	557	Furniture of metal.
									295	Furs and fur skins.
										Ginger ale.

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
53		29								GLASS AND GLASSWARE:
760	484	547	426	267	412	509	1,149	3,381	2,807	Window glass.
813	484	576	426	267	412	509	1,149	3,381	2,807	All other.
	155									Total.
365	544	12,795	428	67	90		1,998	1,745	417	Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock.
										GUNPOWDER AND OTHER EXPLOSIVES:
										Cartridges and other.
205	188	231	108	147	112	51	50	650	96	Hair, and manufactures of.
210								257	175	Hay.
184	48	222	170		27	56	86			Hides and skins, other than furs.
258	103	675	367	431	35	263	208	460	315	Honey.
								1,508	10,572	Hops.
										Household goods and personal effects.
251	725	128	523	513	498	360	254	125	327	INDIA RUBBER AND GUTTA-PERCHA,
2,554	2,724	2,161	2,335	1,570	4,685	4,177	1,515	4,600	2,923	MANUFACTURES OF:
2,805	3,449	2,289	2,858	2,083	5,183	4,537	1,769	4,725	3,250	Boots and shoes.
										All other.
2,370	25		28			199	98	383		Total.
										INK:
										Ink.
										Printers'.
1,869	3,970	4,674	1,872	3,418	2,898	6,190	4,904	5,813	31,199	Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric.
										IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF:
									52,368	Pig iron—all other.
203							150	5,471	7,995	Scrap and old, fit only for remanufacture.
										Bar iron.
									21	{Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.
									17,400	Structural iron and steel.
							125		110	Wire.
575	2,867	15,052	63		20	37	542	3,561	1,331	Car wheels.
146	646	160	298	170	10		300	88	441	Castings, not elsewhere specified.
801	29,630	117,458	29,122	11,382	11,626	693	1,787	23,341	1,662	Cutlery.
4,408	5,750	7,058	8,065	3,321	4,217	9,100	10,331	21,899	11,940	Firearms.
										{Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.
									1,868	Machinery, machines, and parts of—
									19,488	Electrical.
150			950	47		100	936		232	Metal working.
2,836	1,390	2,073	5,252	5,336	2,179	2,414	5,952	9,505	3,848	Printing presses and parts of.
									5,265	Pumps and pumping machinery.
										Sewing machines and parts of.
										Steam engines and parts of—
								138,140	121,000	Locomotive.
	658	500	4,200				650	1,897	790	Stationary.
12,000					1,600	174			12,402	Parts of, and boilers.
								3,672	2,642	{Typewriting machines, and parts of.
14,167	14,335	87,177	7,028	12,270	24,752	61,771	23,240	80,553	84,053	All other.
32	3,623	3,000	3,006	1,890	3,324	6,879	11,694	8,648	14,025	Nails and spikes—
	90	182			25		5	525	40,147	Cut.
									630	Wire.
										All other, including tacks.
									21,914	Pipes and fittings.
									3,464	Safes.
1,166	2,844	1,550	3,799	4,706	3,831	2,246	4,977	9,564	48	Saws and tools.
3,282	2,029	2,819	3,848	7,185	2,365	6,339	7,044	6,389	6,901	Scales and balances.
3,992	7,504	3,832	3,985	2,509	3,445	3,073	9,045	10,118	11,062	Stoves, ranges, and parts of.

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ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
IRON AND STEEL, ETC.—Continued.										
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....										
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....										
Total iron and steel.....										
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver.....										
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.....										
LEAD, AND MANUFACTURES OF:										
Pigs, bars and old.....lbs.							90			
All other.....lbs.										
Total.....										
LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF:										
Upper leather—Splits, buff, grain and all other.....										
Sole leather.....lbs.	9,740	10,560	13,555	3,870	28,200	4,310	14,972	41,691	49,385	19,992
All other leather.....										
Manufactures of—										
Boots and shoes.....pairs..	151	199	115	12	265	158	565	811	603	532
Harness and saddles.....										
All other.....										
Total leather, and manufactures of.										
Lime and cement.....bbls.	3		50							
Malt.....bush.							34,295	49,735	75,694	1,184
Malt liquors: In bottles.....doz.	106	2,482	1,700	1,815	1,450	924	1,807	2,412	15,371	29,260
MARBLE AND STONE, AND MANUFACTURES OF:										
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....										
All other.....										
Total.....										
Matches.....										
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS:										
Organs.....No.	15	28	26	28	32	20	17	44	45	34
Pianofortes.....No.	2		3		1	2		5	5	5
All other, and parts of.....										
Total.....										
NAVAL STORES:										
Rosin, tar, turpentine, and pitch—										
Rosin.....bbls.	200	555	2,110	1,000	1,835	1,850	1,370	1,175	2,325	1,902
Tar.....bbls.			30	10	85	87	597	109	409	37
Turpentine and pitch.....bbls.	50	80	185	135	425	85	310	650	496	200
Total.....	250	635	2,325	1,145	2,345	2,022	2,277	1,934	3,230	2,139
Turpentine, spirits of.....galls.	1,450	3,500	10,600	7,750	14,005	7,200	13,000	13,730	11,250	6,655
Total naval stores.....										
Nickel, nickel oxide and matte.....lbs.										
Notions, n. e. s.....										
Oakum.....										
OILS:										
Mineral, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity.....		532,250								
Mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....									250	1,250
Illuminating.....	9,848,960	13,072,000	27,160,660	17,370,600	27,874,230	40,377,296	18,022,800	25,694,890	42,516,120	44,324,344
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	2,800	2,669	20,518	3,367	3,825	9,793	20,675	48,322	110,814	197,958
Total.....	9,851,760	13,074,669	27,181,178	17,373,967	27,878,055	40,387,089	18,043,475	25,743,212	42,627,184	44,523,552

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
23,456	2,600	7,142	2,523	3,615	7,302	25,183	7,410	9,636	13,493	IRON AND STEEL, ETC.—Continued. Tools, not elsewhere specified. All other manufactures of iron and steel.
67,214	73,976	248,603	72,139	52,431	64,696	118,014	84,548	323,007	464,521	Total iron and steel.
250	.....	137	911	400	292	.....	226	16	226	Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver.
4,097	8,026	9,107	10,813	6,594	5,154	1,441	5,412	4,757	4,690	Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.
.....	.....	43	60	7	.....	3	165	900	605	LEAD, AND MANUFACTURES OF: Pigs, bars and old. All other.
.....	.....	43	60	7	.....	3	165	900	605	Total.
5,000	.....	.....	.....	121	.....	.....	201	2,176	25	LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF: Upper leather—Splits, buff, grain and all other.
2,441	2,394	3,585	977	6,532	847	3,031	8,864	10,040	4,339	Sole leather.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	All other leather.
272	383	235	24	706	443	644	1,316	1,109	1,087	Manufactures of— Boots and shoes.
262	.....	38	156	95	.....	29	90	114	417	Harness and saddles.
2,478	509	463	628	88	462	4,645	4,357	7,366	2,572	All other.
10,453	3,286	4,321	1,785	7,542	1,752	8,349	14,828	20,805	8,615	Total leather, and manufactures of.
9	.....	68	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Lime and cement.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	618	857	1,356	945	Malt.
204	4,755	3,275	3,455	2,810	1,970	2,988	3,655	18,886	33,189	Malt liquors: In bottles.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	MARBLE AND STONE, AND MANUFACTURES OF: Manufactures of— Boofing slate. All other.
.....	84	136	114	307	88	661	39	553	558	Total.
.....	84	136	114	307	88	661	39	553	668	Matches.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	12	.....	.....	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: Organs.
2,053	2,604	2,239	2,310	2,575	1,606	925	3,202	3,005	1,944	Pianofortes.
600	.....	700	.....	200	550	.....	1,400	1,770	1,579	All other, and parts of.
33	40	1,483	100	130	252	82	83	752	662	Total.
2,686	2,644	4,422	2,410	2,905	2,408	1,007	4,685	5,527	4,185	NAVAL STORES: Rosin, tar, turpentine, and pitch— Rosin.
471	970	4,685	2,148	4,205	3,999	2,677	2,261	4,661	4,190	Tar.
.....	.....	84	25	160	250	1,389	257	775	87	Turpentine and pitch.
73	112	323	205	717	163	475	1,124	871	358	Total.
544	1,082	5,092	2,378	5,082	4,412	4,541	3,642	6,307	4,635	Turpentine, spirits of.
729	1,635	4,969	3,178	5,145	2,527	4,382	4,651	3,701	2,494	Total naval stores.
1,273	2,717	10,061	5,554	10,227	6,939	8,923	8,293	10,008	7,129	Nickel, nickel oxide and matte.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	Notions, n. e. s.
998	678	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	128	2,135	493	Oakum.
142	278	784	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	402	785	OILS: Mineral, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity.
.....	49,499	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)— Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.
907,479	1,251,201	2,586,321	1,249,215	1,808,026	2,435,794	1,175,173	2,158,800	3,352,935	2,839,345	Illuminating.
1,095	1,888	5,339	1,810	1,411	2,842	6,037	8,178	18,962	25,625	Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.
908,574	1,253,089	2,591,660	1,251,025	1,809,437	2,438,636	1,181,210	2,166,978	3,371,937	2,865,095	Total.

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ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
OILS—Continued.										
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled..... bbls..										10
Vegetable—										
Cottonseed..... galls..	90	10								
Linseed..... galls..					25					
Volatile or essential.....										
Other.....										
All other.....										
Total vegetable.....										
Paints, pigments, and colors: All other.....										
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF:										
Paper hangings.....										
Printing paper.....										386,376
Writing paper and envelopes.....										
All other.....										
Total.....										
Paraffin and paraffin wax.....					3,946					1,030
Perfumery and cosmetics.....										
Photographic materials.....										
Plated ware.....										
Plants, trees, and shrubs.....										
PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS (POUNDS):										
Meat products—										
Beef products—										
Beef, canned.....	23,150	5,380	19,240	22,395	37,390	33,790	92,400	96,090	117,084	173,858
Beef, salted or pickled.....	4,000		10,000	15,000	2,000			20,200	300	400
Hog products—										
Bacon.....	13,191	8,638	13,241	13,852	18,763	14,767	15,800	23,219	20,372	35,655
Hams.....	26,639	20,121	25,615	32,424	45,706	36,850	46,918	48,625	49,233	68,159
Pork, salted or pickled.....	1,200		3,000	4,000	2,000	900	3,800	20,660	14,300	23,300
Lard.....	540	330	150	590	1,870	670	2,190	1,650	3,427	21,930
Oleo and oleomargarine: Oleomargarine, imitation butter.....			185			1,700	13,576	1,460	4,260	8,130
All other meat products.....										
Dairy products—										
Butter.....	3,547	3,272	1,833	5,712	5,789	5,768	5,528	20,277	25,336	21,555
Cheese.....	34,094	18,882	27,474	40,036	31,009	29,104	28,787	35,290	41,690	44,264
Milk.....										
Total provisions, etc.....										
Quicksilver.....	1,953									
Salt.....	3,000	3,000						8,500		150,000
SEEDS:										
Cotton.....					25,600					8,400
All other.....										
Total.....										
Silk, manufactures of.....										
Silk waste.....								4,030		
SOAP:										
Toilet or fancy.....										
Other.....	3,265	5,861	12,029	5,339	16,390	1,600	1,450	1,100	1,150	60,540
Total.....										
SPIRITS, DISTILLED (proof gallons):										
Alcohol.....	846	79								
Brandy.....				29	4			58	26	28
Rum.....			23	20					261	460

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
									40	OILS—Continued.
										Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled.
										Vegetable—
										Cotton seed.
				12						Linseed.
170										Volatile or essential.
		59	646	49	60					Other.
									160	All other.
239	8	59	646	61	60				160	Total vegetable.
689	263	540	2,810	999	476	656	2,071	784	2,478	Paints, pigments, and colors: All other.
										PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF:
								33		Paper hangings.
									8,802	Printing paper.
			80				20	57		Writing paper and envelopes.
198	702	317	618	1,700	1,462	840	453	3,247	25,070	All other.
198	702	317	698	1,700	1,462	840	473	3,337	33,872	Total.
				227					50	Paraffin and paraffin wax.
12,375	12,471	13,919	9,253	16,490	6,090	13,979	7,486	18,319	6,733	Perfumery and cosmetics.
									13	Photographic materials.
5,326	18,500	33,475	5,825	394	300		920	524	112	Plated ware.
							3			Plants, trees, and shrubs.
										PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS (POUNDS):
										Meat products—
										Beef products—
1,758	448	1,845	3,067	4,885	4,902	12,025	13,554	16,762	24,470	Beef, canned.
183		400	750	120			889	12	20	Beef, salted or pickled.
										Hog products—
1,923	1,227	1,831	1,972	2,827	2,381	2,121	3,153	2,650	4,635	Bacon.
3,913	2,894	3,610	4,554	6,833	5,481	6,244	6,564	6,557	8,788	Hams.
		209	320	185	63	290	1,524	1,077	1,513	Pork, salted or pickled.
	31	13	61	184	67	186	135	245	1,669	Lard.
		22			262	1,803	100	250	1,279	{Oleo and oleomargarine: Oleo-
										margarine, imitation butter.
2,296	7,623	7,059	5,670	3,473	1,400	1,082	703	916	518	All other meat products.
										Dairy products—
796	572	415	1,288	1,303	1,312	1,097	3,709	4,621	4,688	Butter.
4,452	2,404	3,771	5,249	4,122	3,777	3,507	3,779	4,589	4,817	Cheese.
28,820	12,557	34,321	17,390	2,010	34,362	6,286	16,081	7,961	23,748	Milk.
44,090	27,756	53,496	40,321	25,942	54,007	34,641	50,191	45,640	76,145	Total provisions, etc.
986										Quicksilver.
15	18						25		1,500	Salt.
										SEEDS:
				2,400					109	Cotton.
120	336	184	36	85	338	128	545	590	800	All other.
120	336	184	36	2,485	338	128	545	590	909	Total.
325										Silk, manufactures of.
							1,200			Silk waste.
										SOAP:
211	71	269	781	554	189	553	437	396	1,395	Toilet or fancy.
187	307	628	258	767	91	83	71	54	2,035	Other.
398	378	897	1,039	1,321	280	636	508	450	3,430	Total.
										SPIRITS, DISTILLED (proof gallons):
207	60									Alcohol.
			75	10			57	26	39	Brandy.
		60	24					330	662	Rum.

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	SPIRITS DISTILLED (proof gallons)—C't'd
534	38	272	351	997	839	279	1,660	2,831	3,944	Whisky—
201	290					736	301	886	179	Bourbon.
40					130				335	Rye.
982	388	332	450	1,007	969	1,015	2,018	4,073	5,159	All other.
										Total.
498	20	60			49	46			30	Starch.
2,562	4,728	1,264	1,040	707	1,060	204	468	825	2,276	Stationery, except of paper.
100	50		20	18						Stereotype and electrotype plates.
	928									Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of.
										SUGAR AND MOLASSES:
		85			39					Molasses.
1,231	803	468	30	296	731	350	197	551	828	Sugar, refined.
479	595	200	637	269	672	198	635	1,213	1,083	Candy and confectionery.
									224	Teeth, artificial.
3,724	70	2,632	165	461	305	211	183	537	1,216	Tin, manufactures of.
										TOBACCO, AND MANUFACTURES OF:
	2,350			175	1,039	1,055	690	6,952	18,116	Unmanufactured (pounds)—
										Leaf.
	582	195						314	753	Manufactures of—
17,382	28,838	28,407	44,309	64,894	113,952	100,161	184,331	221,102	310,749	Cigars.
									6,718	Cigarettes.
6,180	9,658	11,269	12,917	11,855	4,037	4,752	7,117	8,540	10,184	Plug.
23,562	39,078	39,871	57,226	76,749	118,039	104,913	191,448	229,956	328,404	All other.
										Total.
419	144	177	20	27	287	136	45	459	406	Toys.
	20	220	150		1,170	133	367	182	240	Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.
165	69	630	807	1,576		1,883	94	699	50	Varnish.
										VEGETABLES:
650	621	387	1,280	1,286	460	1,103	1,042	230	433	Beans and pease.
		93			38		8			Onions.
							10		27	Potatoes.
1,012	626	410	475	296	328	936	1,428	597	1,030	Vegetables, canned.
	50	123	82	257	382	417	438	1,298	841	{ All other, including pickles and sauces.
1,662	1,297	1,013	1,837	1,859	1,208	2,456	2,926	2,125	2,331	Total.
	24	5					29	16		Vinegar.
										WINE:
51	498	301	233	132	322	786	378	626	964	In bottles.
1,150	581	898	1,584	3,725	2,307	4,802	6,240	6,253	7,277	In other coverings.
1,201	1,079	1,199	1,817	3,857	2,629	5,588	6,618	6,879	8,241	Total.
										WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF:
							923		4,652	Timber, and unmanufactured wood—
250	787	200	320		917	340	485	350	140	Sawn.
										Logs, and other.
26,724	25,269	55,774	49,635	45,236	23,649	65,257	136,785	60,709	120,251	Lumber—
									1,218	Boards, deals, and planks.
		85	166	70						Joists and scantling.
	338	337								Laths.
										Shingles.
							60	55		Heading.
	242		618		60	1,262	208	10,801	15,376	All other.
										Manufactures of—
400			28	8		146	11	453	49	Doors, sash, and blinds.
24,440	8,970	15,803	24,258	33,039	26,809	20,114	14,202	30,046	21,320	{ Furniture, not elsewhere speci- fied.
									37	{ Trimmings, moldings, and other house finishings.
94	70	41			18	43	379	48	19	Wooden ware.
1,086	810	1,584	1,903	2,375	225	1,620	1,892	11,037	4,819	All other.
52,994	36,486	73,824	76,928	80,728	51,678	88,782	154,945	113,499	167,881	Total.

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VALUES.										ARTICLES.
1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	WOOL, AND MANUFACTURES OF:
							38		310	Manufactures of—
										Carpets.
										Dress goods.
31	7,709	684	180	150			205			Flannels and blankets.
1,440	2,518	952	684	413	895	417	6	13	2,375	Wearing apparel.
345					58	343		81		All other manufactures of.
1,816	10,227	1,636	864	563	953	760	249	94	2,685	Total manufactures.
1,154	1,063	2,393	1,773	361			150			All other articles.
2,790,621	2,943,790	8,700,318	5,663,471	3,900,457	5,858,488	3,602,741	6,921,136	11,916,888	9,992,070	Total value of exports of domestic merchandise.

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM CHINA INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM, 1893 TO 1897.

[Pound sterling=\$4.8665.] [Compiled from "Annual statements of the trade of the United Kingdom."]

PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
						£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
Bristles.....lbs..	1,121,315	1,418,563	1,552,340	1,628,398	1,600,994	130,060	153,096	166,657	168,317	153,842
China and earthenware.....cwt..	716	799	980	1,970	1,954	2,436	3,702	5,845	9,182	11,455
Copper, unwrought.....tons..	1		23		100	45		958		5,100
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	4,408	53,834	740	5,585	543	9,483	93,195	1,444	9,919	1,122
Drugs, unenumerated.....						18,145	26,621	58,436	27,110	43,240
Dye stuffs and substances used in tanning: Cutch and gambier.....tons..	25	184	120	268	208	475	4,844	3,096	5,773	2,850
Feathers, for beds.....cwt..	5,352	4,912	3,122	3,733	2,249	12,917	12,773	10,285	10,814	6,110
Fruits and vegetables, preserved in sugar.....cwt..	947	509	1,321	453	4,998	1,459	848	1,653	873	6,721
Galls.....do....	9,662	9,481	4,280	5,375	1,839	27,125	20,130	10,477	15,128	5,337
Hair:										
Horse.....do....	2,881	3,982	6,215	6,906	7,192	18,182	24,208	46,843	51,557	48,276
Unenumerated.....						72,747	90,993	87,118	68,291	98,176
Hemp:										
Dressed or undressed.....tons..	365	52	85	21	155	10,200	1,448	1,471	506	2,991
Other vegetable substances unenumerated.....tons..	106	277	247	110	256	3,214	7,583	7,403	2,730	4,842
Hides, raw.....cwt..	11,134	18,898	11,026	10,479	7,987	27,318	41,004	25,081	27,705	19,245
Horns and hoofs.....tons..	67	146	122	84	39	2,696	2,940	3,525	2,124	746
Oils, chemical, essential, or perfumed.....lbs..	2,082	133	5,290	6,290	26,132	410	200	1,614	2,099	7,904
Perfumery (not containing spirits).....lbs..	1,689	914	1,189	1,394	628	31,495	23,947	22,590	22,980	21,986
Silk:										
Knubs, or husks, and waste.....cwt..	24,457	30,229	25,330	23,628	20,830	202,710	247,477	189,261	162,638	134,795
Raw.....lbs..	1,255,935	729,315	791,350	571,580	628,442	759,974	422,742	399,729	271,551	298,170
Manufactures, of all sorts.....						61,067	44,389	50,432	44,648	39,033
Skins and furs:										
Goatskins, undressed.....number..	533,612	657,642	1,001,410	865,790	899,586	51,403	65,700	94,893	64,507	65,648
Skins, dressed (not leather).....do....	111,667	188,321	181,351	90,389	7,845	9,941	28,414	28,049	9,606	1,318
Furs, of all sorts.....do....	649,655	423,137	1,768,840	1,450,862	1,147,144	21,902	20,126	163,612	157,970	168,197
Manufactures of skins and furs (including rugs).....						113,989	160,798	164,155	219,175	231,723
Spices, of all sorts.....lbs..	206,722	170,364	62,140	47,102	221,495	2,728	2,027	561	2,615	3,075
Straw plaiting for making hats or bonnets.....lbs..	6,522,729	8,455,323	6,334,530	6,536,935	5,616,030	336,154	497,500	343,948	348,453	287,970
Tallow and stearin.....cwt..	33	17,221	15,274	13,695	10,672	49	21,977	18,047	16,424	11,825
Tea.....lbs..	49,911,926	37,961,745	34,329,421	31,115,707	25,130,786	1,774,368	1,330,939	1,248,507	1,119,972	880,887
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....do....	1,054,997	723,316	948,862	148,506	281,704	23,807	14,135	15,467	2,733	5,040
Wool:										
Goats' wool or hair.....do....	1,145,018	862,261	955,300	611,831	496,450	36,636	23,351	25,434	20,579	15,257
Sheep or lambs.....do....	2,449,812	3,689,340	4,264,400	2,187,000	1,603,860	65,849	94,900	108,442	57,273	38,148
Parcel goods (free of duty), number of parcels.....		896	2,461	2,833	2,884		2,067	6,192	5,322	3,009
All other articles.....						66,265	59,288	32,640	45,313	60,684
Total.....						3,894,258	3,543,362	3,343,865	2,973,887	2,684,722

EXPORTS OF THE PRODUCE AND MANUFACTURES OF THE UNITED KINGDOM TO CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

[Pound sterling=\$4.8665.] [Compiled from "Annual statements of the trade of the United Kingdom."]

PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
						£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
Apparel and haberdashery.....						21,677	18,534	26,651	35,551	28,833
Arms, ammunition, and military stores.....						11,373	11,127	72,860	1,823	3,516
Beer and ale.....bbls..	1,230	854	1,714	2,092	985	4,900	3,339	6,239	7,273	4,175
Books, printed.....cwt..	475	405	479	827	910	4,274	3,631	4,185	7,801	7,770
Candles of all sorts.....lbs..	829,800	935,500	720,600	1,100,500	1,578,500	15,756	16,218	11,923	17,364	21,576
Caoutchouc, manufactures of.....						4,704	7,672	5,572	8,027	8,806
Cement.....tons..	7,607	5,720	2,801	5,001	4,321	11,427	8,570	4,180	7,875	6,932
Chemical products and preparations, unenumerated (including dyestuffs and sulphate of copper).....						23,535	25,246	16,313	20,964	20,248
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	881	16,405	15,211	12,386	20,391	828	10,856	8,873	6,676	12,286
Cotton yarn.....lbs..	3,225,100	3,073,990	3,557,500	4,237,200	3,165,200	106,714	96,764	100,332	139,683	100,836
Cottons entered by the yard.....yds..	296,519,900	342,721,800	425,713,000	458,881,600	351,731,600	2,945,068	3,095,045	3,684,323	4,568,101	3,339,465
Cottons entered at value.....						103,217	60,762	58,371	145,768	80,701
Glass of all sorts.....						9,737	4,608	7,684	8,985	8,503
Hardware and cutlery, unenumerated.....cwt..	1,496	1,088	1,547	3,762	3,244	8,616	6,573	9,441	20,905	18,816
Implements and tools.....						5,527	3,697	6,017	10,647	8,767
Leather, wrought and unwrought.....						7,615	6,668	7,019	9,497	8,326
Linens entered by the yard.....yds..	113,300	236,600	264,700	255,200	183,400	3,645	7,192	8,230	6,486	5,706
Machinery and millwork.....						92,165	161,917	297,193	325,740	249,910
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations.....						17,863	22,173	26,409	28,083	33,413
Metals:										
Iron, wrought and unwrought.....tons..	53,534	44,462	45,529	78,913	65,872	294,052	231,108	219,046	391,677	401,102
Copper, wrought and unwrought.....cwt..	9,599	15,042	8,120	11,822	9,708	25,054	36,853	21,290	32,047	28,052
Lead, pig, sheet, piping, and other manufactures.....tons..	4,882	3,879	2,445	2,495	1,838	48,585	37,363	26,843	29,030	21,416
Zinc, crude, in cakes.....cwt..	24,584	6,028	3,505	18,072	20,557	19,179	3,345	2,183	11,734	14,168
Unenumerated, and manufactures thereof.....						9,595	14,658	9,729	11,270	5,975
Painters' colors and materials.....						14,487	13,875	14,988	23,599	16,915
Paper of all sorts.....cwt..	5,665	4,850	8,208	8,717	9,312	11,567	10,405	12,758	15,344	16,077
Pickles, vinegar, sauces, etc.....						11,293	9,797	11,984	11,991	13,586
Silk manufactures.....						16,189	7,149	5,203	11,719	8,636
Soap.....cwt..	89,076	40,792	67,357	68,600	69,200	65,437	29,214	51,277	50,961	51,109
Spirits, British and Irish proof...galls..	23,516	23,463	29,551	28,570	28,834	9,628	9,392	12,869	12,550	12,425
Stationery, other than paper.....						7,790	6,016	7,086	8,348	9,879
Telegraphic wires and apparatus.....						16,250	11,828	13,883	20,119	17,813
Tobacco of all kinds.....lbs..	3,031	460	92	47,624	65,937	516	110	17	6,219	8,641
Umbrellas and parasols.....						2,341	1,517	1,175	7,590	5,129
Woolens and worsteds:										
Entered by yards.....yds..	13,445,100	9,467,300	9,487,100	12,977,500	9,298,400	547,500	362,228	373,769	541,681	382,404
Entered at value.....						19,161	8,544	14,050	27,472	16,239
Parcel post.....No. of parcels..					4,925	7,045	6,748	8,651	10,015	8,418
All other articles.....						92,356	82,874	89,207	116,738	125,773
Total.....						4,610,666	4,453,616	5,257,832	6,717,353	5,142,342
Total foreign.....						82,670	138,524	105,704	143,543	37,425
Total British and foreign exports.....						4,699,336	4,592,140	5,363,536	6,860,896	5,179,767

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO FRANCE FROM CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

[Franc=19.3 cents.] [Compiled from "Tableau Général du Commerce" of France.]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
						Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.
Articles for collections, not in trade										218,042
Bristles .....kilos..	37,472	39,223	63,629	107,926	98,180	243,568	254,949	432,677	733,897	587,702
Chemicals, drugs, etc.:										
Camphor.....do....	170,295	317,181	292,518	259,742	480,080	681,180	872,248	1,096,943	610,393	1,123,188
Musk.....grs..	882,503	837,374	780,464	617,537	665,140	2,647,509	3,140,152	2,926,740	1,543,843	1,662,850
Medicinal substances						865,497	314,802	400,726	131,155	356,025
All other.....						677,126	869,578	1,076,118		
Earthenware, porcelain, decorated						131,688	165,353	225,270	326,911	326,329
Fancy articles, fans, buttons, toys, etc.								232,631		193,694
Feathers, for beds or ornamental								121,797	231,912	639,051
Hair, unmanufactured .....kilos..		39,180	49,356	42,012	33,167		203,734	256,651	252,072	199,000
Hats, of straw or bark							772,778	686,626	313,277	873,057
Hides and furs .....kilos..	1,739,956	2,319,668	1,610,488	2,365,393	2,293,647	3,213,057	3,033,475	3,586,922	4,185,836	3,192,572
Hides and furs, prepared						722,460	854,644	1,873,968	1,911,560	970,764
Horns, of cattle, etc.....kilos..				127,500	357,869				102,032	286,295
Mats, Chinese .....do....	342,038	492,880	417,924	586,209	657,127	342,038	492,880	417,924	586,209	657,127
Oil, palm .....do....	425,649	556,013				263,902	778,006			
Oils, volatile and essential.....do....	25,553	22,526	28,796	9,044	23,874	894,355	788,410	1,007,860	316,540	835,590
Silk, raw.....do....	5,194,816	4,735,720	5,811,169	3,291,327	5,958,407	121,726,451	90,810,062	121,451,909	73,074,018	133,734,431
Silk, manufactures of						13,848,118	8,048,635	11,075,079	10,332,696	11,532,426
Spices: Cinnamon and cassia bark.kilos..				180,222	154,953				148,364	150,726
Straw and bark, manufactures of, n. e. s.						2,633,360	3,096,140	3,224,748	3,198,551	3,637,219
Tallow .....kilos..	209,956	2,867,067	918,477			149,065	1,519,546	477,608		
Tea.....do....	1,562,664	900,299	1,890,445	1,710,103	1,365,760	4,844,258	2,736,909	5,765,857	6,156,371	5,258,176
Trees, plants, and rattan						439,018	311,828	328,495	515,977	479,281
Other articles						1,920,550	1,919,960	1,826,124	1,349,065	1,199,972
Total.....						156,242,220	120,984,089	158,492,673	106,020,679	168,118,517

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE FROM FRANCE TO CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

Candles, of all kinds .....kilos..	61,434				715,910	86,008				859,092
Cotton, manufactures of.....						570,318	12,590,818	9,743,129	13,914,104	20,610,153
Copper.....kilos..	31,010	17,058	12,168	22,544	10,898	135,491	155,904	100,184	225,155	90,922
Cars and carriages, and parts of.....										53,705
Clocks and watches, and parts of.....						740,206	962,849	1,552,027	3,619,710	2,629,830
Brushes, buttons, toys, etc.....						121,407	149,173	319,835	176,121	115,490
Earthen and glass ware .....kilos..					247,525					74,357
Hats, felt.....No.	109,450	492,146				547,250	2,207,869			
Instruments, optical, and otherscientific.....										43,600
Iron and steel, manufactures:										
Machinery								110,867	75,809	92,243
Tools and hardware.....						905,749	831,332	594,242	344,416	238,216
Leather, and manufactures of.....						119,395	96,672	136,963	126,159	100,760
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....						112,962	189,145	81,108	98,273	93,439
Provisions: Butter and cheese .....kilos..	74,982	98,894	91,709	65,869	101,282	205,747	222,509	183,418	177,846	264,425
Silk, manufactures of						351,429	637,662	583,741	2,125,939	2,506,439
Tobacco, manufactures of.....kilos..					11,179					101,364
Wearing apparel						110,766		95,581	107,960	186,019
Wines .....hectoliters	4,810	4,775	5,415	5,313	3,908	388,512	370,419	425,295	615,265	418,123
Wool, manufactures of.....kilos..		32,775	33,986	55,654	38,796		334,662	396,804	589,874	442,654
Other articles						1,301,360	1,223,049	956,782	1,139,048	563,619
Total.....						5,696,600	19,971,563	15,279,976	23,335,679	29,484,450

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO GERMANY FROM CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

[Mark = 23.8 cents.] [Compiled from "Auswaertiger Handel des deutschen Zollgebiets."]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
						Marks.	Marks.	Marks.	Marks.	Marks.
Bristles.....quintals..	3,280	3,507	4,086	5,153	5,879	1,968,000	2,104,000	2,452,000	3,092,000	10,582,000
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.:										
Camphor.....do.....	5,722	5,313	3,907	6,505	6,198	1,716,000	1,169,000	1,172,000	1,626,000	1,240,000
Gallnuts.....do.....	12,429	21,118	15,565	15,846	11,540	1,243,000	1,858,000	1,365,000	1,442,000	1,362,000
Other.....do.....						900,000	776,000	837,000	591,000	733,000
Copper, and manufactures of.....						5,000	4,000	15,000	97,000	15,000
Cotton, raw.....quintals..	2,775	75,181	18,079	18,184	685	236,000	4,511,000	1,175,000	1,309,000	47,000
Hair, unmanufactured.....do.....	80	404	497	209	253	56,000	92,000	118,000	49,000	48,000
Hides and skins.....do.....	4,372	7,908	7,440	13,306	15,748	444,000	779,000	1,193,000	1,877,000	2,105,000
Feathers, for beds.....do.....	21,565	16,423	25,929	27,051	28,515	1,729,000	1,15,000	2,077,000	2,435,000	2,853,000
Furs, and manufactures of.....						173,000	316,000	611,000	510,000	834,000
Iron, and manufactures of.....						10,000	67,000	3,000	6,000	137,000
Oils and grease.....quintals..	533	1,001	4,041	1,547	6,303	24,000	46,000	177,000	96,000	539,000
Silk:										
Raw.....do.....	144	47	283	580	728	169,000	90,000	585,000	767,000	608,000
Manufactures of.....						60,000	77,000	103,000	106,000	250,000
Spices: Cinnamon and cassia.....quintals..	6,712	6,709	5,981	5,976	6,489	344,000	396,000	354,000	385,000	469,000
Straw, chip, grass, etc., and manufactures of.....						1,489,000	1,606,000	2,076,000	1,685,000	2,003,000
Tea.....quintals.....	20,051	23,215	21,413	23,111	22,734	3,609,000	4,179,000	3,961,000	3,929,000	3,619,000
Tobacco, leaf.....do.....	2,221	3,922	1,760	1,975	3,359	89,000	216,000	97,000	109,000	185,000
Wood, and manufactures of.....						415,000	557,000	571,000	590,000	785,000
Wool, hair of the alpaca, llama, etc.....	73	245	420	1,237	1,866	13,000	52,000	93,000	161,000	257,000
Manufactures of.....							7,000	5,000	42,000	29,000
Other articles.....						1,539,000	511,000	561,000	763,000	3,332,000
Total merchandise.....						15,218,000	20,728,000	19,601,000	21,667,000	29,332,000

EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM GERMANY TO CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

Chemicals, medicines, etc.....						7,861,000	7,745,000	7,413,000	9,341,000	6,383,000
Clocks and watches.....						580,000	275,000	288,000	677,000	325,000
Copper, manufactures.....quintals..	6,955	15,214	22,210	18,627	19,218	1,545,000	3,418,000	5,421,000	3,970,000	3,467,000
Cotton, manufactures of.....						800,000	495,000	884,000	1,095,000	948,000
Earthenware.....						8,000	24,000	13,000	11,000	52,000
Glass and glassware.....						288,000	180,000	194,000	217,000	326,000
India rubber, manufactures of.....						535,000	398,000	51,000	172,000	236,000
Instruments: Musical and other.....						83,000	75,000	103,000	73,000	561,000
Iron, manufactures:										
Firearms.....						2,477,000	585,000	3,534,000	7,729,000	1,329,000
Needles.....quintals..	4,700	4,709	3,774	7,849	5,637	3,760,000	3,767,000	3,397,000	7,064,000	5,073,000
Wire.....do.....	25,105	28,980	30,251	29,399	31,850	331,000	349,000	355,000	371,000	419,000
Other.....						4,946,000	4,170,000	4,393,000	2,981,000	3,030,000
Leather, and manufactures of.....						102,000	423,000	615,000	116,000	168,000
Machinery, n. e. s.....						487,000	298,000	74,000	233,000	336,000
Malt liquors.....quintals.....	4,983	4,669	8,918	15,575	25,334	134,000	126,000	245,000	553,000	834,000
Milk, condensed.....do.....	1,256	898	1,692	2,077	947	103,000	74,000	125,000	160,000	76,000
Paper, and manufactures of.....do.....	3,226	2,740	2,589	4,987	4,120	172,000	137,000	156,000	207,000	212,000
Silk, manufactures.....						70,000	120,000	99,000	198,000	165,000
Soap and perfumeries.....quintals..	724	920	1,001	1,172	1,160	231,000	200,000	211,000	318,000	161,000
Wearing apparel, etc.....						91,000	48,000	41,000	72,000	254,000
Wines.....						92,000	102,000	36,000	174,000	177,000
Wood, manufactures.....						454,000	259,000	500,000	453,000	375,000
Wool, manufactures.....						6,489,000	3,971,000	6,539,000	7,976,000	6,170,000
Other articles.....						1,629,000	916,000	725,000	1,105,000	1,257,000
Total merchandise.....						33,268,000	28,155,000	35,412,000	45,266,000	32,334,000

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO BELGIUM FROM CHINA, 1893-1897.

[Franc = 19.3 cents.] [Compiled from "Statistique Commerciale de la Belgique."]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
						<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>
Animal produce, unmanufactured, n. e. s.						939,000	1,022,000	960,000	1,010,000	911,000
Chemicals, drugs, etc.						50,000	30,000	17,000	145,000	47,000
Coffee .....kilos..	221,500	10,028	20,848	28,441	29,715	476,000	23,000	48,000	61,000	62,000
Earthenware: Porcelain						30,000	30,000	29,000	34,000	24,000
Iron and steel manufactures: Arms						1,000	7,000		20,000	50,000
Hides and skins .....kilos..	98,061	248,331	212,969	755,035	512,731	98,000	248,000	277,000	831,000	667,000
Metals:										
Copper and nickel .....do....	436,028	234,710	887,430	680,526	30,000	523,000	258,000	1,029,000	789,000	36,000
Lead .....do....					851,000					234,000
Tin .....do....	91,680	595,010	397,780		324,000	215,000	1,398,000	796,000		180,000
Oils .....do....	257,329	396,470	8,823	41,565	33,065	129,000	186,000	5,000	20,000	15,000
Provisions:										
Farinaceous food, including rice						1,087,000	148,000	92,000	12,000	21,000
Conserves						146,000	113,000	331,000	182,000	358,000
Paints and colors .....kilos..	703,074	669,456	774,786	1,145,000	784,000	352,000	426,000	387,000	534,000	395,000
Tea .....do....	36,314	135,864	187,039	270,944	172,996	87,000	326,000	411,000	569,000	363,000
Textiles: Silk and other						27,000	36,000	62,000	141,000	40,000
Tobacco:										
Leaf .....kilos..	1,029,000	1,575,000	1,298,000	542,293	544,594	1,235,000	1,575,000	1,428,000	640,000	749,000
Cigars .....do....	396	1,088	759			10,000	27,000	19,000		
Vegetables and vegetable substances						140,000	288,000	134,000	241,000	169,000
Wood, manufactures: Furniture						12,000	8,000	1,000	7,000	6,000
Other articles						525,000	803,000	748,000	1,464,000	418,000
Total imports						6,082,000	6,952,000	6,774,000	6,700,000	4,745,000

EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM BELGIUM TO CHINA, 1893-1897.

Candles .....kilos..	225,363	265,632	145,759	346,373	158,762	270,000	279,000	138,000	341,000	151,000
Cars and carriages						114,000	152,000	132,000	11,000	110,000
Chemical products						31,000	30,000	40,000	21,000	12,000
Coal and coke .....tons..	7,510	8,707	2,450	5,120	8,513	116,000	146,000	39,000	82,000	150,000
Copper and nickel .....kilos..	10,745	34,589	1,360	4,144	6,853	16,000	50,000	2,000	6,000	10,000
Copper: Manufactures of						7,000	25,000	2,000	31,000	
Cordage .....kilos..	9,432	43,493	25,375	7,300	3,442	11,000	52,000	30,000	9,000	4,000
Cotton, manufactures: Yarns .....do....	5,121	3,422	23,920	40,373	46,726	11,000	5,000	49,000	76,000	75,000
Drugs						162,000	109,000	85,000	185,000	147,000
Earthenware: Porcelain						31,000	6,000	16,000	44,000	18,000
Fertilizers: Guano .....kilos..		291,000	12,610	345,320	259,873		64,000	3,000	69,000	47,000
Fibers, vegetable: Yarns						19,000	2,000	3,000	135,000	106,000
Glass:										
Window .....kilos..	9,499,000	6,721,000	6,376,000	10,003,000	7,391,000	1,425,000	941,000	893,000	3,212,000	2,050,000
Other						545,000	409,000	432,000	568,000	439,000
Grease .....kilos..				199,020	124,009				100,000	60,000
Hides .....do....		17,951	396	1,856	2,461		18,000	2,000	7,000	11,000
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron, old .....kilos..	80,000	566,000	522,000	1,850,000	295,000	5,000	34,000	31,000	118,000	19,000
Bars, rods, etc						2,637,000	3,444,000	3,841,000	3,824,000	3,018,000
Steel						347,000	425,000	281,000	384,000	208,000
Arms						192,000	334,000	876,000	377,000	89,000
Machinery						172,000	366,000	655,000	182,000	151,000
Paints and colors						396,000	435,000	321,000	517,000	342,000
Paper .....kilos..	228,727	171,531	169,678	449,556	367,243	99,000	94,000	93,000	243,000	170,000
Precious stones						1,000	5,000	6,000	3,000	15,000
Soap						1,000		17,000	18,000	39,000
Sugar, refined .....kilos..		69,186	4,558		30,250		30,000	2,000		11,000
Tobacco .....do....	218	131	1,466		236	2,000	1,000	15,000		2,000
Wood and manufactures:										
Furniture						4,000		5,000	8,000	21,000
Other						242,000	153,000	170,000	246,000	209,000
Zinc .....kilos..	250,796	431,685	261,115	211,301	165,899	108,000	160,000	94,000	85,000	71,000
Zinc: Manufactures of						5,000	3,000	1,000		6,000
Other articles						617,000	797,000	1,665,000	355,000	393,000
Total exports						7,584,000	8,569,000	9,939,000	11,257,000	8,154,000

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO ITALY FROM CHINA, 1893-1897.

[Lira = 19.3 cents.] [Compiled from "Movimento Commerciale del Regno d' Italia."]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.
Chemicals, dyes, etc.:						<i>Lire.</i>	<i>Lire.</i>	<i>Lire.</i>	<i>Lire.</i>	<i>Lire.</i>
Dyes.....quintals.....		170	207		254		7,000	5,000		9,000
Gums.....do.....					130					22,000
Cotton:										
Raw.....do.....		529	255				53,000	23,000		
Manufactures of.....do.....			9	4	18			6,000	3,000	5,000
Fans:										
Common.....						11,000	5,000	2,000	1,000	1,000
Finished.....						59,000	18,000		6,000	8,000
Breadstuffs, fruits, vegetables, etc.							358,000	1,101,000	993,000	157,000
Grease, stearin, etc.....quintals.....		426	13,543	1,985	4,038		26,000	748,000	89,000	202,000
Hides and skins.....do.....	2,751	3,238	3,266	13,845	9,814	413,000	733,000	621,000	2,490,000	1,742,000
Marble, stone, and earthen ware, etc.							2,000	4,000		
Silk, and manufactures of:										
Silkworm eggs.....kilos.....	35	20			5	9,000	5,000			1,000
Cocoons.....quintals.....	600	279	831	80	473	690,000	279,000	914,000	70,000	402,000
Silk, as reeled from the cocoon.....do.....	1,139	2,892	3,787	2,681	4,315	4,670,000	10,122,000	14,012,000	8,847,000	14,642,000
Spun silk.....do.....	2,854	3,461	4,611	3,241	2,872	1,925,000	1,880,000	2,516,000	1,597,000	1,323,000
Manufactures of.....		87	81		124		8,000	7,000		10,000
Wood, and manufactures of.....							14,000	14,000	12,000	29,000
Other articles.....						6,000	7,000	50,000	37,000	144,000
Total imports.....						7,783,000	13,517,000	20,023,000	14,145,000	18,697,000

EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM ITALY TO CHINA, 1893-1897.

Candles, stearin.....quintals.....				257	196				28,000	20,000
Chemicals, including soaps, dyes, etc.						58,000	5,000	2,000		7,000
Corals, in natural state.....kilos.....	230	4,700	3,509	1,760	9,149	14,000	282,000	212,000	106,000	549,000
Corals, washed, not mounted.....do.....	246	353	2,150	691	700	44,000	64,000	388,000	124,000	98,000
Cotton, manufactures of.....							3,000	10,000	19,000	110,000
Hats, felt.....100 pieces.....	135	249	449	505	64	47,000	75,000	157,000	177,000	22,000
Instruments, machinery, etc.						25,000	388,000	77,000	19,000	31,000
Marble, stone, and glass, and manufactures of.....						4,000	18,000	8,000	7,000	52,000
Paper, books, etc.									1,000	12,000
Silk, manufactures; spun silk.....kilos.....			55	60	17			121,000	126,000	49,000
Silk, other manufactures.....						282,000	15,000	182,000	222,000	14,000
Wine, spirits, etc.							5,000	33,000	24,000	20,000
Other articles.....						51,000	33,000	70,000	14,000	101,000
Total exports.....						525,000	888,000	1,260,000	867,000	1,085,000

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO JAPAN FROM CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

[Compiled from Annual Returns of the Foreign Trade of the Empire of Japan.]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.					VALUE.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Chemicals, drugs, and medicines:						Yens.	Yens.	Yens.	Yens.	Yens.
Alum .....catties..	1,913,366	2,628,564	2,150,358	2,236,283	2,083,322	27,211	38,689	29,863	35,839	33,927
Camphor .....do....	6,762	8,090	12,586	12,292	9,486	29,982	36,843	48,182	44,882	35,083
Licorice .....do....	316,806	153,565	169,519	457,821	369,292	13,129	7,625	12,532	38,162	30,442
Musk .....mommcs..	26,359	75,043	88,390	75,822	71,593	17,289	41,206	63,014	64,464	75,843
All other.....						170,077	119,080	121,666	142,650	147,000
Dyes and paints:										
Lacquer .....catties..		322,770	534,790	501,868	633,850		86,365	142,432	157,488	241,954
Vermilion.....do....	69,692	68,134	84,002	78,271	86,264	68,573	67,557	88,708	89,054	101,093
All other.....						116,883	34,017	25,728	20,235	40,971
Cotton:										
Raw .....catties..	50,183,891	51,783,548	82,171,626	43,671,885	49,112,198	7,806,000	8,120,417	13,786,101	8,158,085	9,527,818
In the seed.....do....	21,152,494	10,356,433	8,597,137	5,946,387	2,208,510	816,335	441,518	374,200	301,224	108,159
Eggs, fresh.....						105,252	51,152	95,074	299,073	335,525
Flax, hemp, and jute.....catties..	2,397,345	3,140,934	4,141,277	4,155,148	3,922,963	185,061	276,711	359,664	376,276	389,198
Hair, unmanufactured.....do....	81,533	52,081	90,371	179,420	166,997	19,270	18,780	36,073	71,246	70,688
Hides: Buffalo and cow.....do....	627,855	253,913	932,729	1,602,770	1,200,639	85,141	34,153	147,698	279,803	191,119
Leather .....do....	181,702	182,049	221,286	166,799	93,481	64,593	74,175	93,006	79,808	57,103
Matting and mats.....						119,123	99,250	132,903	141,180	164,303
Oil cakes.....catties..	40,390,892	52,853,572	56,678,970	163,787,845	170,148,467	592,030	816,910	939,948	3,212,931	3,311,712
Oils.....						28,250	47,990	22,240	41,352	53,380
Paper: Books, atlases, maps, etc., including Chinese paper.....						39,219	28,442	37,674	52,386	55,780
Rice .....catties..	60,919	276,919	65,815	392,875	1,323,301	142,185	719,805	191,763	1,356,413	4,794,267
Silk:										
Raw.....do....	64,206	290,933	286,866	500,054	721,158	50,690	154,787	525,575	356,229	352,682
Manufactures of.....						112,450	112,419	339,522	612,986	468,960
Skins: Deer and sauba.....						7,564	12,518	17,114	36,463	46,266
Sugar:										
Brown .....catties..	83,284,381	68,932,506	65,754,912	39,254,983	47,943,080	2,951,385	2,607,637	2,309,847	1,371,173	1,657,670
White .....do....	5,394,523	362,187	1,382,513	7,458,819	9,436,668	34,304	23,400	82,125	531,812	656,340
Tobacco, and manufactures of.....						68,052	3,892	5,625	3,176	109,076
Vegetables: Beans, pease, pulse.....catties..	122,902,242	107,080,179	66,974,987	89,476,544	161,423,428	2,602,272	2,313,298	1,380,265	1,940,079	4,071,063
Wool.....do....	411,706	744,466	1,145,711	1,152,843	1,225,115	57,593	119,288	134,053	184,880	211,530
All other articles.....						742,275	955,922	1,395,765	1,294,299	1,891,174
Total foreign imports.....						17,072,188	17,464,366	22,920,360	21,293,648	20,230,756
Japanese produce and manufactures brought back.....						23,787	47,140	55,784	50,873	35,089
Total imports.....						17,095,975	17,511,506	22,985,144	21,344,521	20,265,845

EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM JAPAN TO CHINA, 1893 TO 1897.

[Compiled from Annual Returns of the Foreign Trade of the Empire of Japan.]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.					VALUE.				
	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
						<i>Yens.</i>	<i>Yens.</i>	<i>Yens.</i>	<i>Yens.</i>	<i>Yens.</i>
Books and paper.....						89,471	82,453	106,506	121,521	159,779
Brass, and manufactures of.....						47,158	104,679	83,278	122,336	100,444
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc:										
Camphor.....catties..	19,579	4,970	18,365	64,938	58,781	8,472	1,787	10,699	38,561	26,654
Ginseng.....do....	88,687	118,842	97,715	132,328	202,224	156,414	188,675	136,622	193,762	306,932
All other.....						129,377	96,860	156,767	118,499	126,228
Charcoal.....catties..	15,953,003	12,843,660	16,535,532	14,098,989	13,125,797	66,296	54,314	89,346	97,929	109,823
Coal, including coal dust.....tons..	382,232	427,138	529,127	636,811	583,524	1,128,677	1,487,902	1,991,180	2,311,831	3,176,324
Copper, and manufactures of.....						1,091,143	928,366	277,994	833,514	829,689
Cotton:										
Yarn.....catties..	265,117	3,270,560	2,419,760	11,442,087	30,274,747	48,492	876,805	683,087	3,524,046	9,654,584
Flanneis.....pieces..	130,698	68,565	108,280	47,694	43,773	196,718	106,511	140,276	89,938	62,874
Piece goods.....do....	177,433	261,658	234,746	329,649	423,901	140,976	281,203	264,689	458,171	540,134
Earthen and porcelain ware.....						76,068	71,190	33,941	63,039	73,621
Fans.....number..	825,950	1,023,284	328,738	2,028,736	2,041,047	22,882	20,638	7,824	60,090	78,267
Furs.....do....	78,289	65,118	36,662	24,799	39,460	34,527	32,029	26,325	27,456	43,683
Glass.....						118,142	129,932	108,257	196,693	158,416
Grains, beverages, and provisions:										
Fish—										
Cuttle.....catties..	1,869,794	1,582,295	767,526	1,104,993	1,199,625	220,660	170,166	106,401	198,556	211,988
Other, including shellfish.....						222,858	266,943	204,339	271,455	266,209
Mushrooms.....catties..	448,997	486,875	407,659	577,812	435,994	199,166	200,280	156,727	227,572	179,157
Rice.....piculs..	483	22	5,313	16,401	28,598	1,691	81	22,808	66,306	114,448
Seaweeds.....catties..	37,476,035	40,330,433	42,812,989	33,050,789	43,123,782	902,183	580,840	596,825	578,429	796,657
Sharks' fins.....do....	234,385	240,111	223,575	224,405	231,449	85,546	84,346	71,431	79,728	90,065
All other.....						632,909	594,415	762,765	689,496	571,669
Matches.....gross..	2,214,360	2,767,115	4,401,451	4,442,639	5,389,188	635,693	831,764	1,266,892	1,169,993	1,421,443
Silk, manufactures of.....						67,270	42,181	23,470	63,171	55,533
Straw plaits.....bundles..	1	1,722	1,254	28,532	67,404	1	597	627	14,997	44,634
Tea.....catties..	1,569,220	2,154,460	1,607,152	1,124,145	532,691	80,000	86,295	64,127	83,520	33,615
Umbrellas.....number..	978,437	1,095,827	737,792	1,074,684	940,010	297,788	401,038	342,778	429,936	317,300
Tobacco manufactures, cigarettes.....						13,993	13,981	30,382	35,684	80,791
Wood: Timber and planks.....						170,240	211,735	196,125	342,437	313,466
All other articles.....						718,456	748,918	957,221	1,059,740	1,114,512
Total Japanese.....						7,612,327	8,696,924	8,924,709	13,571,406	21,059,939
Total foreign produce.....						102,093	117,063	210,399	252,438	265,126
Total exports.....						7,714,420	8,813,987	9,135,108	13,823,844	21,325,065

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM CHINA INTO BRITISH INDIA, 1894 TO 1898.

[Compiled from "Commercial Statistics of British India."]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Apparel (including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accouterments, boots and shoes, but excluding hosiery).....						<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 16,995	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 88,761	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 132,541	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 58,771	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 42,298
Building and engineering materials:										
Bricks and tiles.....No.		147,353	10,390				4,851	736		
Cabinet ware and furniture.....						1,612	5,604	8,320	4,087	6,171
Cotton:										
Raw.....cwt.	268	184		120	1	8,400	5,166		4,046	56
Manufactures—Piece goods.....yds.	260	176	616	1,500	100,263	58	30	126	246	13,564
Drugs, medicines, and narcotics (excluding chemicals):										
Cassia lignea.....cwt.	3	303	2,466	4,226	2,777	42	6,215	53,968	94,833	75,679
Other sorts of drugs and medicines.....						171	4,689	2,348	10,391	8,182
Tobacco.....lbs.	2	18	44	15	315	10	11	25	37	600
Earthenware and porcelain (excluding earthen piping).....							9,497	2,826	2,220	5
Fireworks.....									14,955	15,340
Glass and glassware:										
Beads and false pearls.....cwt.	77	254	82	7	8	1,912	9,144	4,971	266	1,207
Other ware.....						86,188	288,999	264,479	172,934	148,116
Jewelry, and plate of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....						2,932	55,586	15,550	3,384	8,921
Metals.....cwt.	27	479	80	78	96	2,419	6,207	9,908	9,409	10,101
Paper and pasteboard.....						874	6,380	22,025	31,380	18,173
Provisions.....	29	48	99	113	220	918	1,595	2,742	2,033	4,919
Silk:										
Raw.....lbs.	919,852	775,729	838,045	264,687	347,062	4,635,861	3,899,583	3,944,405	1,231,308	1,560,108
Manufactures—										
Piece goods.....yds.	970,516	2,065,401	3,912,140	2,593,648	1,495,927	721,012	1,516,092	2,590,069	1,616,429	1,103,026
Thread for sewing.....lbs.	18	196		36		280	1,603		288	4
Tea.....do.	5,318,243	4,014,760	5,167,977	5,778,491	1,314,337	4,343,151	3,002,405	3,775,865	3,995,646	942,616
Total.....						9,822,835	8,912,418	10,830,899	7,252,663	3,959,077
Articles (not specified) imported by post.....										30
Other articles:										
Unmanufactured.....						64	1,320	402	3,383	4,578
Manufactured.....						10,033	31,095	55,217	30,406	27,901
Grand total.....						9,832,932	8,944,833	10,886,518	7,286,452	3,991,586

EXPORTS OF INDIAN PRODUCE AND MANUFACTURE FROM BRITISH INDIA TO CHINA, 1894 TO 1898.

[Compiled from "Commercial Statistics of British India."]

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.					VALUES.				
	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Apparel (including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accouterments, boots and shoes, but excluding hosiery)						<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 1,903	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 2,348	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 4,899	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 4,018	<i>Tens of rupees.</i> 4,815
Cabinet ware and furniture							399	767	18,375	40
Chemicals: Saltpeter.....cwt.			1,220	120	4,147			14,479	1,080	43,472
Cordage and rope of vegetable fiber (excluding jute).....cwt.	272	179	241	682	40	4,317	2,855	3,748	10,089	635
Cotton:										
Raw.....cwt.	147	1	456	60,821	35,153	2,940	15	12,794	1,515,945	852,513
Twist and yarn.....lbs.	51,302,152	47,346,084	79,608,856	79,290,640	75,445,100	19,203,582	17,256,720	29,934,742	29,467,496	26,933,526
Manufactures—Piece goods.....yds.	10,011,572	8,028,375	18,641,446	14,044,011	4,409,988	1,462,905	977,100	2,680,362	1,849,249	528,589
Drugs, medicines, and narcotics (excluding chemicals):										
Drugs and medicines							20	28		70
Opium..... chests.	21,483	20,992	17,090	15,918	13,802	24,848,280	27,274,737	23,858,572	21,236,450	16,658,602
Tobacco.....lbs.	92,272	47,818	1,416	123,692	1,116	8,058	3,657	2,555	9,090	1,318
Total of drugs, medicines, and narcotics.....						24,856,338	27,278,414	23,861,155	21,245,540	16,659,990
Grain and pulse:										
Rice not in the husk.....cwt.	14,990	35	4,281	9,040		63,741	153	14,810	35,200	
Other sorts.....do.		336	334	19	8		523	1,336	104	50
Total of grain and pulse.....	14,990	371	4,615	9,059	8	63,741	676	16,146	35,304	50
Jewelry, and plate of gold and silver						100	150	415		
Jute:										
Manufactures—										
Gunny bags.....No.		173,250	576,900	40,800	60,000		36,329	99,890	6,421	10,986
Gunny cloth.....yds.	571,400	707,400	540,200	558,200	1,109,000	82,278	79,698	65,704	68,299	124,924
Metals.....cwt.	1		6	5,000	1	30		405	10,025	98
Provisions.....do.	182	239	450	302	238	7,043	7,539	10,277	10,352	8,543
Spices.....lbs.		33,936	32		445		4,670	15		168
Stone and marble.....cwt.				131	2,636				783	13,909
Wood: Ornamental.....						54,109	43,408	75,742	49,022	50,319
Wool: Manufactures.....							433	10,575	3,349	5,800
Total						45,739,286	45,690,754	56,792,115	54,295,347	45,238,377
Other articles:										
Unmanufactured						1,956	5,155	6,551	668	1,485
Manufactured						2,921	1,721	4,721	6,534	3,406
Grand total						45,744,163	45,697,630	56,803,387	54,302,549	45,243,268
Total foreign						261,935	118,892	185,925	95,508	73,495
Total exports						46,006,098	45,816,522	56,989,312	54,398,057	45,316,763

TRADE OF CHINA AND OF PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES WITH CHINA.

VALUE OF THE FOREIGN TRADE OF CHINA. *a*

[Compiled from official publications.]

CALENDAR YEAR.	Net imports.	Native ex-ports.	Total imports and exports.	Excess of imports.	Import duties.	Export duties.
	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>	<i>Hk. taels.</i>
1888.....	124,782,893	92,401,067	217,183,960	32,381,826	6,635,263	8,280,647
1889.....	110,884,355	96,947,832	207,832,187	13,936,523	5,868,263	8,214,808
1890.....	127,093,481	87,144,480	214,237,961	39,949,001	6,528,914	7,521,288
1891.....	134,003,863	100,947,849	234,951,712	33,056,014	7,159,813	8,200,504
1892.....	135,101,198	102,583,525	237,684,723	32,517,673	6,772,756	8,315,289
1893.....	151,362,819	116,632,311	267,995,130	34,730,508	6,202,087	8,463,060
1894.....	162,102,911	128,104,522	290,207,433	33,998,389	6,546,299	8,820,012
1895.....	171,696,715	143,293,211	314,989,926	28,403,504	6,039,582	9,025,557
1896.....	202,589,994	131,081,421	333,671,415	71,508,573	7,669,640	8,455,528
1897.....	202,828,625	163,501,358	366,329,983	39,327,267	7,575,219	8,427,011

a Not including the goods carried coastwise, nor comprising the whole extent of the foreign trade, inasmuch as vessels of Chinese type which are not within the control of the foreign customs ply between foreign and Chinese ports, both treaty and nontreaty.

TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH CHINA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.			Exports.	Excess of imports.
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.		
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1889.....	11,583,611	5,444,801	17,028,412	2,791,128	14,237,284
1890.....	11,332,805	4,927,666	16,260,471	2,946,209	13,314,262
1891.....	14,577,887	4,743,963	19,321,850	8,701,008	10,620,842
1892.....	15,936,431	4,551,860	20,488,291	5,663,497	14,824,794
1893.....	15,469,945	5,166,590	20,636,535	3,900,457	16,736,078
1894.....	13,348,786	3,786,242	17,135,028	5,862,426	11,272,602
1895.....	16,958,428	3,587,401	20,545,829	3,603,840	16,941,989
1896.....	18,195,233	3,827,771	22,023,004	6,921,933	15,101,071
1897.....	17,288,264	3,115,598	20,403,862	11,924,433	8,479,429
1898.....	15,120,790	5,205,646	20,326,436	9,992,894	10,333,542

TRADE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM WITH CHINA.

[Exclusive of Hongkong and Macao.]

CALENDAR YEAR.	Imports.	EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1888.....	6,457,673	6,203,590	135,713	6,339,303	118,370	.....
1889.....	6,115,591	5,038,895	149,971	5,188,866	926,725	.....
1890.....	4,830,850	6,608,982	154,239	6,763,221	.....	1,932,371
1891.....	4,713,508	6,456,593	69,069	6,525,662	.....	1,812,154
1892.....	3,583,248	5,776,055	60,542	5,836,597	.....	2,253,349
1893.....	3,894,258	4,616,666	82,670	4,699,336	.....	805,078
1894.....	3,543,362	4,453,616	138,524	4,592,140	.....	1,048,778
1895.....	3,343,865	5,257,832	105,704	5,363,536	.....	2,019,671
1896.....	2,973,887	6,717,353	143,543	6,860,896	.....	3,887,009
1897.....	2,684,722	5,142,342	37,425	5,179,767	.....	2,495,045

TRADE OF BELGIUM WITH CHINA.

CALENDAR YEARS.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports.
	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>
1888	2,994,000	7,757,000	4,763,000
1889	3,710,000	6,098,000	2,388,000
1890	3,296,000	8,507,000	5,211,000
1891	4,420,000	7,643,000	3,223,000
1892	4,499,000	7,330,000	2,831,000
1893	6,082,000	7,584,600	1,502,000
1894	6,952,000	8,569,000	1,617,000
1895	6,774,000	9,939,000	3,165,000
1896	6,700,000	11,257,000	4,557,000
1897	4,745,000	8,154,000	3,409,000

TRADE OF FRANCE WITH CHINA.

CALENDAR YEAR.	Imports.	EXPORTS.			Excess of imports.
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>
1888	122,776,989	3,750,572	15,078,460	18,829,032	103,947,957
1889	167,058,065	4,310,402	14,045,683	18,356,085	148,701,980
1890	130,798,377	4,125,229	8,275,155	12,400,384	118,397,993
1891	135,859,134	2,550,108	7,814,832	10,344,940	125,514,194
1892	157,377,141	3,168,507	4,075,979	7,244,486	150,132,655
1893	156,243,220	2,432,499	3,264,101	5,696,600	150,546,620
1894	120,984,089	2,821,682	17,149,881	19,971,563	101,012,526
1895	158,492,673	3,097,332	12,182,644	15,279,976	143,212,697
1896	106,020,679	4,970,819	18,364,860	23,335,679	82,685,000
1897	168,118,517	4,941,037	24,543,413	29,484,450	138,634,067

TRADE OF GERMANY WITH CHINA (INCLUDING HONGKONG AND MACAO).

YEAR ENDED MARCH 31--	Imports.	EXPORTS.			Excess of exports.
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Marks.</i>	<i>Marks.</i>	<i>Marks.</i>	<i>Marks.</i>	<i>Marks.</i>
1888	2,327,000	16,087,000	120,000	16,207,000	13,880,000
1889	9,483,000	24,239,000	730,000	24,969,000	13,486,000
1890	8,806,000	29,863,000	265,000	30,128,000	21,322,000
1891	13,389,000	32,914,000	366,000	33,280,000	19,891,000
1892	13,014,000	29,980,000	135,000	30,115,000	17,101,000
1893	15,218,000	33,208,000	175,000	33,443,000	18,225,000
1894	20,728,000	28,155,000	291,000	28,446,000	7,718,000
1895	19,601,000	35,412,000	576,000	35,988,000	16,387,000
1896	21,667,000	45,266,000	939,000	46,205,000	24,538,000
1897	29,332,000	32,334,000	79,000	32,413,000	3,081,000

TRADE OF ITALY WITH CHINA.

CALENDAR YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports.
	<i>Lire.</i>	<i>Lire.</i>	<i>Lire.</i>
1888	2,439,000	1,043,000	1,396,000
1889	2,983,000	485,000	2,498,000
1890	1,843,000	343,000	1,500,000
1891	2,291,000	353,000	1,938,000
1892	6,447,000	531,000	5,916,000
1893	7,783,000	525,000	7,258,000
1894	13,517,000	888,000	12,629,000
1895	20,023,000	1,260,000	18,763,000
1896	14,145,000	867,000	13,278,000
1897	18,697,000	1,085,000	17,612,000

TRADE OF JAPAN WITH CHINA.

CALENDAR YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports.
	<i>Yen.</i>	<i>Yen.</i>	<i>Yen.</i>
1888	<i>a</i> 10,360,000	<i>a</i> 11,427,000	.....
1889	9,200,000	5,443,000	3,757,000
1890	8,850,000	5,227,000	3,623,000
1891	8,798,000	5,826,000	2,972,000
1892	12,509,000	6,359,000	6,150,000
1893	17,096,000	7,714,000	9,382,000
1894	17,511,000	8,814,000	8,697,000
1895	22,985,000	9,135,000	13,850,000
1896	21,344,521	13,823,844	7,520,677
1897	29,265,845	21,325,065	7,940,780

a Including Hongkong.

TRADE OF BRITISH INDIA WITH CHINA.

YEAR ENDING MARCH 31—	Imports by sea.	Exports by sea.	Excess of exports.
	<i>Rx.</i>	<i>Rx.</i>	<i>Rx.</i>
1888	1,009,117	2,763,273	1,754,156
1889	1,547,893	3,183,286	1,635,393
1890	1,355,983	3,116,885	1,760,902
1891	2,013,835	4,900,925	2,887,090
1892	1,641,356	4,618,599	2,977,243
1893	989,214	5,290,057	4,309,843
1894	1,232,495	4,714,061	3,481,566
1895	960,746	4,591,345	3,630,599
1896	1,150,095	5,709,428	4,559,333
1897	764,760	5,439,806	4,675,046

TRADE OF THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS WITH CHINA.

YEAR ENDING MARCH 31—	Imports. <i>a</i>	Exports. <i>a</i>	Excess of imports (+) and of exports (—).
	£	£	£
1888	859,283	605,386	+253,897
1889	578,882	638,706	— 59,824
1890	748,914	671,671	+ 77,243
1891	669,243	565,167	+104,076
1892	676,504	567,274	+109,230
1893	610,233	582,837	+ 27,396
1894	495,848	559,633	— 63,785
1895	368,680	486,133	—117,453
1896	435,505	598,955	—163,450
1897	530,381	360,679	+169,702

a Including bullion and specie.

TRADE (INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE) OF AUSTRALASIA WITH CHINA, 1888 TO 1897.

[For value of standards of currency, weight, and measure see page 2256.]

	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	New Zealand. ^a	Total.
1888.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Imports	309,934	598,520	22,361	1,100	183,049	1,114,964
Exports	7,651	425	140	6,040	15,423	29,679
Excess of .. { Imports	302,283	598,095	22,221	.....	167,626	1,085,285
Exports .....	.....	.....	.....	4,940	.....	.....
1889.						
Imports	257,353	444,529	16,795	1,316	111,621	831,614
Exports	11,587	8	8,210	38,545	19,907	78,257
Excess of .. { Imports	245,766	444,521	8,585	.....	91,714	753,357
Exports .....	.....	.....	.....	37,229	.....	.....
1890.						
Imports	241,840	399,556	9,083	904	59,421	710,804
Exports	1,037	15	9,228	40,094	16,837	67,211
Excess of .. { Imports	240,803	399,541	.....	.....	42,584	643,593
Exports .....	.....	.....	145	39,190	.....	.....
1891.						
Imports	270,929	395,285	2,084	719	40,718	709,735
Exports	12,164	98	2,642	15,281	7,972	38,157
Excess of .. { Imports	258,765	395,187	.....	.....	32,746	671,578
Exports .....	.....	.....	558	14,562	.....	.....
1892.						
Imports	217,996	220,202	4,602	1,454	51,866	496,120
Exports	9,810	30	17,441	2,670	4,103	34,060
Excess of .. { Imports	208,186	220,172	.....	.....	47,757	462,060
Exports .....	.....	.....	12,839	1,216	.....	.....
1893.						
Imports	164,481	167,879	1,980	290	37,039	371,669
Exports	5,609	61	20,216	.....	4,796	30,682
Excess of .. { Imports	158,872	167,818	.....	290	32,243	340,987
Exports .....	.....	.....	18,236	.....	.....	.....
1894.						
Imports	131,006	118,368	2,869	.....	26,422	278,665
Exports	7,581	99	5,922	123	3,838	17,563
Excess of .. { Imports	123,425	118,269	.....	.....	22,584	261,102
Exports .....	.....	.....	3,053	123	.....	.....
1895.						
Imports	133,870	130,835	3,213	.....	38,664	306,582
Exports	7,943	105	4,011	6,084	4,680	22,823
Excess of .. { Imports	125,927	130,730	.....	.....	33,984	283,759
Exports .....	.....	.....	798	6,084	.....	.....
1896.						
Imports	190,545	83,547	2,318	1	39,427	315,838
Exports	7,877	78	8,032	14,791	8,268	39,046
Excess of .. { Imports	182,668	83,469	.....	.....	31,159	276,792
Exports .....	.....	.....	5,714	14,790	.....	.....
1897.						
Imports	187,646	48,446	728	.....	43,390	280,210
Exports	2,598	314	5,302	.....	6,773	14,987
Excess of .. { Imports	185,048	48,132	36,617	265,223
Exports	4,574

^a Including Hongkong.

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SUMMARY.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

GROUPS.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
IMPORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
FREE OF DUTY:								
Articles of food, and live animals	9,958,069	40.80	8,083,724	27.40	86,541,499	35.59	69,952,094	28.81
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	12,090,062	49.40	18,122,895	61.43	130,191,667	53.54	145,407,356	59.90
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts	1,588,541	6.51	2,041,849	6.93	14,198,633	5.84	15,146,767	6.24
For consumption	622,293	2.56	648,562	2.20	8,059,128	3.31	8,025,766	3.30
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.	181,290	.73	604,228	2.04	4,159,521	1.72	4,220,682	1.75
TOTAL FREE OF DUTY	21,443,855	100.00	29,501,258	100.00	243,150,448	100.00	242,752,665	100.00
DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	9,894,490	31.38	13,158,864	36.87	59,372,631	22.15	96,660,867	29.96
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	5,011,824	15.99	4,295,462	12.04	40,971,233	15.29	37,441,363	11.61
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts	4,677,138	14.83	3,595,332	10.08	43,719,719	16.31	32,529,158	10.09
For consumption	5,885,232	18.67	7,875,518	22.07	62,015,002	23.13	83,148,120	25.78
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.	6,033,871	19.13	6,768,053	18.94	61,970,679	23.12	72,699,213	22.56
TOTAL DUTIABLE	31,502,555	100.00	35,693,229	100.00	268,049,324	100.00	322,469,721	100.00
FREE AND DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	19,853,159	35.50	21,242,588	32.59	145,914,190	28.54	166,612,961	29.44
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	17,101,836	30.57	22,418,357	34.39	171,162,900	33.48	182,848,719	32.35
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts	6,265,679	11.20	5,637,181	8.65	57,918,352	11.33	47,675,925	8.43
For consumption	6,507,525	11.63	8,524,080	13.07	70,074,130	13.71	91,173,886	16.13
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.	6,218,161	11.10	7,372,281	11.30	66,130,200	12.94	76,910,895	13.65
TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE	55,946,410	100.00	65,194,487	100.00	511,199,772	100.00	565,222,386	100.00
PER CENT OF FREE		43.64		45.25		47.56		42.95
DUTIES COLLECTED	14,193,977		17,645,946		121,797,331		169,456,033	
REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE at the end of the month	35,724,137		36,520,458					
EXPORTS.								
DOMESTIC:								
Products of—Agriculture	66,515,494	67.87	47,436,316	54.66	719,012,859	71.29	677,573,345	66.55
Manufactures	25,992,552	26.52	33,015,970	38.65	234,737,002	23.28	275,978,300	27.10
Mining	1,412,893	1.44	2,350,709	2.71	16,049,021	1.59	23,473,665	2.31
Forest	3,319,501	3.38	3,265,663	3.76	30,684,918	3.04	32,862,521	3.23
Fisheries	315,908	.32	368,376	.43	4,958,689	.49	5,443,677	.53
Miscellaneous	457,231	.47	343,607	.39	3,122,321	.31	2,822,355	.28
TOTAL DOMESTIC	98,013,579	100.00	86,789,731	100.00	1,008,564,210	100.00	1,018,158,833	100.00
FOREIGN:								
Free of duty	545,104	41.90	918,712	48.97	6,666,300	40.02	7,825,820	42.74
Dutiable	756,123	58.10	957,799	51.03	9,989,662	59.98	10,486,119	57.26
TOTAL FOREIGN	1,301,227	100.00	1,876,511	100.00	16,655,962	100.00	18,311,939	100.00

GOLD AND SILVER.

TONNAGE.

GOLD AND SILVER.	April—		Ten Months ending April—		VESSELS.	April—		Ten Months ending April—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899		1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Gold—Imports	32,579,858	2,482,871	193,738,951	82,778,652	Entered—Sailing	354,265	288,461	3,800,154	3,403,614
Exports	1,323,724	1,102,484	14,921,705	14,564,564	Steam	1,618,822	1,549,566	17,155,082	17,922,173
Silver—Imports	2,091,066	1,819,231	27,324,499	25,769,310	Cleared—Sailing	396,819	299,159	3,865,309	3,382,930
Exports	4,969,161	4,082,567	46,764,157	48,039,207	Steam	1,611,890	1,456,136	17,222,164	17,972,642

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Agricultural implements.....free..						11,201				
Animals (number):										
Cattle.....free..	89	12,524	60	14,956	161	18,523	456	58,343	481	79,776
Do.....dut..	43,737	397,657	27,621	288,791	224,836	1,731,453	228,491	2,246,261	154,464	1,767,401
Horses.....free..	127	15,649	144	14,655	547	68,906	684	113,513	811	244,936
Do.....dut..	195	17,135	333	33,965	5,007	265,677	1,962	208,672	1,494	197,564
Sheep.....free..			195	3,990	2,254	31,271	2,941	41,140	2,078	40,336
Do.....dut..	153	1,484	1,271	13,619	370,234	945,384	389,007	1,061,729	342,969	1,152,262
All other, including fowls.....free..		6,189		11,634		139,387		137,195		172,110
All other, including live poultry.....dut..		12,313		6,894		57,063		75,234		68,308
Total.....{free..		34,362		45,235				350,191		537,158
{dut..		428,589		343,269		258,087		3,591,926		3,185,535
Total.....		462,951		388,504		299,577		3,942,117		3,722,693
HORSES (free, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....					10	2,182	30	49,127	69	114,392
British North America.....	127	15,649	126	9,792	500	59,059	639	61,164	578	47,870
Other countries.....			18	4,863	37	7,665	15	3,222	164	82,674
Total.....	127	15,649	144	14,655	547	68,906	684	113,513	811	244,936
HORSES (dutiable, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1	50	2	195	16	10,391	27	16,804	47	20,189
British North America.....	192	17,061	330	33,734	3,779	243,073	1,713	189,548	1,439	176,614
Other countries.....	2	24	1	36	1,212	12,213	222	2,320	8	761
Total.....	195	17,135	333	33,965	5,007	265,677	1,962	208,672	1,494	197,564
Antimony ore (pounds).....free..	1,045,309	9,727	102,028	2,239	3,294,388	155,005	4,696,465	69,085	2,206,908	29,129
Antimony, as regulus or metal (pounds).....dut..	53,760	3,264	338,320	26,453			1,693,030	81,902	1,965,008	151,479
Articles the growth, product, and manufacture of the United States, returned.....free..		198,239		225,352		2,605,697		3,260,940		2,797,859
Art works.....free..		7,004		10,384		3,806,723		668,978		388,495
Do.....dut..		50,632		67,340		30		1,380,950		1,760,903
ART WORKS (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		1,049		546		954,810		169,011		123,261
France.....		455		1,338		2,157,085		349,293		201,622
Germany.....		1,285		3,781		210,925		28,053		14,995
Italy.....		1,400		4,634		232,008		56,220		41,788
Other Europe.....		15				150,583		24,425		5,529
British North America.....						87,712		36,038		109
Other countries.....		2,800		85		13,600		5,938		1,191
Total.....		7,004		10,384		3,806,723		668,978		388,495
ART WORKS (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		3,935		14,486				656,822		459,457
France.....		26,159		34,267		30		451,488		1,058,172
Germany.....		5,474		2,241				111,175		104,078
Italy.....		10,579		10,015				106,510		59,484
Other Europe.....		4,243		5,602				46,503		37,128
British North America.....		60		98				5,156		35,385
Other countries.....		182		631				3,206		7,199
Total.....		50,632		67,340		30		1,380,950		1,760,903

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Asphaltum orbitumen, crude (tons)		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
..... free					81,357	271,679	12,440	34,157		
Do. (tons) dut.	6,112	12,454	7,205	19,688			62,172	207,917	49,489	154,762
Bark, hemlock (cords)..... free	3,134	10,642	1,904	6,623	23,298	107,452	20,594	83,685	13,005	45,186
Bolting cloths..... free		18,762		16,003		175,635		154,531		171,794
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured..... free		21,041		46,028				390,243		572,308
Bones and horns, manufactures of..... dut.		14,356		8,197				128,571		140,502
Books:										
Music, maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. free		137,283		120,509		1,547,263		1,310,362		1,395,116
Maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. dut.		99,611		100,524		1,145,826		1,155,007		1,159,808
BOOKS, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		57,065		56,077		640,290		553,793		643,790
France.....		13,373		12,573		167,429		130,179		134,827
Germany.....		52,336		35,569		558,496		479,378		458,066
Other Europe.....		11,187		4,956		136,282		112,136		38,045
British North America.....		2,879		2,552		28,209		27,305		24,498
Other countries.....		443		8,782		16,557		7,611		93,890
Total.....		137,283		120,509		1,547,263		1,310,362		1,395,116
BOOKS, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		67,607		70,754		766,805		813,953		817,548
France.....		4,290		6,369		43,209		56,450		56,734
Germany.....		16,874		15,971		242,140		193,507		198,238
Other Europe.....		6,548		3,782		35,975		47,921		49,787
British North America.....		2,919		2,025		18,229		22,809		21,638
China.....		137		400		1,900		3,057		3,390
Japan.....		892		694		31,174		11,703		9,730
Other countries.....		244		529		6,394		5,607		2,773
Total.....		99,611		100,524		1,145,826		1,155,007		1,159,808
Brass, and manufactures of..... dut.		5,715		5,258		121,684		31,376		36,703
Breadstuffs:										
Barley (bushels)..... dut.	10	7	3,263	1,430	1,130,023	357,068	124,713	43,806	109,796	53,679
Corn (bushels)..... dut.	35	32	74	46	5,927	1,920	3,031	1,239	3,961	1,881
Oats (bushels)..... dut.	1,775	581	3,986	1,440	42,010	10,955	6,026	2,524	8,163	3,154
Oatmeal (pounds)..... dut.	1,818	69	28,600	1,714	1,492,255	30,855	265,061	14,576	284,949	16,954
Rye (bushels)..... dut.		2	7	72		170	32,935	13,321	393	982
Wheat (bushels)..... dut.	62,371	77,003	9,423	6,994	1,080,550	816,949	1,996,349	1,880,922	1,830,043	1,376,617
Wheat flour (barrels)..... dut.	222	841	27	108	2,153	9,524	2,470	10,622	780	3,539
Farinaceous substances, etc., n. e. s. free		7,728		21,939		215,526		165,100		174,910
All other, and preparations of, etc., n. e. s. dut.		80,567		81,512		757,944		767,183		689,276
Total.....		166,825		115,199		2,230,911		2,899,293		2,320,992
Bristles (pounds):										
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared..... free			487	18	630	385	135	43	19,965	8,568
Sorted, bunched, or prepared..... dut.	78,837	53,038	110,260	89,410	1,184,908	1,085,972	1,385,258	1,119,004	1,599,111	1,234,656
Total.....	78,837	53,038	110,747	89,428	1,185,538	1,086,357	1,385,393	1,119,047	1,619,076	1,243,224
Brushes..... dut.		69,932		64,163		614,731		626,506		738,847
Buttons and button forms..... dut.		39,223		32,559		739,936		378,166		375,906
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. (pounds)..... dut.	55,055,876	176,092	55,437,294	212,364	738,855,718	2,344,561	660,949,015	2,143,276	690,231,218	2,293,304
CEMENT (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	2,727,406	8,990	2,098,400	8,418	160,636,139	522,143	108,433,495	361,753	98,388,130	356,056
Belgium.....	19,687,138	57,415	14,499,645	39,731	207,716,543	602,892	192,093,417	578,780	221,143,933	659,053
France.....	606,300	2,188			9,509,388	27,275	12,317,216	36,076	5,418,800	16,829
Germany.....	30,954,732	102,673	36,536,489	157,026	348,480,136	1,143,682	329,170,957	1,105,137	345,824,427	1,214,558

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cement, Roman, etc.—Continued.										
CEMENT, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other Europe	892,800	3,926	2,199,435	6,663	9,526,201	36,196	17,442,181	54,423	18,307,487	41,544
British North America	187,500	900	103,325	526	2,125,300	8,500	1,491,749	7,107	1,146,445	5,255
Other countries					802,011	3,872			2,090	9
Total	55,055,876	176,092	55,437,294	212,384	738,855,718	2,344,561	660,949,015	2,143,276	690,231,218	2,293,304
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. e. s. :										
Alizarin, and alizarin colors or dyes, etc. (pounds)	508,180	64,933	293,882	47,734	5,132,289	850,108	5,103,871	757,668	4,493,049	615,279
Argal, or argol, or crude tartar (pounds)					18,766,262	1,573,376	741,150	65,154		
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)										
.....dut..	1,473,005	120,279	1,631,558	145,738			15,152,194	1,244,095	19,541,323	1,600,124
Barks, cinchona, or other, etc. (pounds)	382,017	30,560	427,455	65,331	1,999,096	101,011	2,074,953	203,334	2,776,972	269,626
Coal-tar colors and dyes		386,723		292,543		2,444,583		2,982,919		3,044,681
Cochineal (pounds)	17,512	5,084	11,371	2,278	113,321	34,611	134,444	39,423	87,184	21,031
DYEWOODS—										
Logwood (tons)	6,685	104,236	4,168	49,874	26,067	474,615	39,786	631,534	32,891	467,071
All other		9,930		20,392		106,448		129,646		176,957
Extracts and decoctions of (pounds)	434,988	28,083	195,621	13,744	4,417,154	239,013	3,695,861	229,187	2,777,606	192,446
Total		142,249		81,010		820,076		990,367		856,474
LOGWOOD (tons), imported from—										
Central America					336	7,535			50	1,570
Mexico	30	583	26	372	470	11,249	810	21,700	1,077	18,932
British West Indies	2,178	31,460	1,835	30,231	5,391	99,017	15,775	251,059	12,967	201,364
Cuba										
Other West Indies	4,477	72,193	2,307	19,271	19,582	350,210	23,134	357,310	18,297	257,043
Other countries					288	6,604	67	1,465	500	8,162
Total	6,685	104,236	4,168	49,874	26,067	474,615	39,786	631,534	32,891	467,071
DYEWOODS, EXTRACTS OF (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	179,848	10,828	26,273	1,810	822,044	49,398	1,277,272	79,204	861,628	52,801
France	118,351	7,662	98,841	5,970	1,408,779	90,410	854,781	57,397	745,535	47,635
Germany	2,472	156	9,303	676	1,259,682	45,563	346,257	15,011	72,263	6,430
Switzerland	22,803	936			492,115	37,409	238,313	22,384	186,590	14,694
Other countries	111,509	8,501	60,604	5,288	434,534	16,233	979,238	55,191	911,590	70,886
Total	434,988	28,083	195,621	13,744	4,417,154	239,013	3,695,861	229,187	2,777,606	192,446
Glycerin (pounds)	912,140	47,278	1,175,969	73,524	11,594,228	1,084,871	10,663,413	675,961	12,474,411	819,085
GUMS (pounds)—										
Arabic	189,916	24,148	67,278	9,585	540,938	72,057	841,240	99,954	745,117	91,180
Camphor, crude	194,892	34,970	101,360	16,328	1,231,997	286,000	1,568,774	283,314	1,514,178	256,885
Chicle			108,262	12,981					1,710,039	252,167
Copal, cowrie, and damar			2,044,624	227,159					15,721,620	1,541,434
Gambier, or terra japonica	2,925,986	65,003	2,563,535	51,069	27,340,717	844,184	34,524,256	849,941	34,743,118	681,734
Shellac	389,323	59,264	1,465,348	222,487	5,568,340	865,534	5,038,442	662,116	7,322,475	1,044,979
All other		378,241		222,888		2,747,410		2,202,178		972,385
Total		561,626		762,497		4,815,185		4,097,503		4,840,764
Indigo (pounds)	990,310	536,617	724,262	390,907	3,049,393	1,479,737	2,753,839	1,639,261	2,871,249	1,588,048
Licorice root (pounds)	6,554,335	114,414	14,179,976	228,007	56,835,117	930,556	60,572,384	1,019,434	89,789,391	1,423,935
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder (pounds)					80,301,931	1,120,632	6,720,638	92,487		
Do. (pounds)	7,679,755	88,516	11,434,226	111,655			87,373,757	1,101,907	93,048,543	979,492
Mineral waters, all not artificial (gallons)					1,763,944	413,813	73,505	17,463		
Mineral waters (gallons)	216,811	56,054	169,604	58,111			1,128,684	340,595	1,160,388	445,233

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Cont'd.										
OPIUM (pounds)—										
Crude, or unmanufactured free		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Do.....dut.	7,888	14,619	21,770	48,323	922,928	1,900,255	14,414	32,340	461,279	1,104,886
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.	21,033	135,690			117,368	853,275	82,102	539,354	82,567	539,475
OPIUM, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			9,676	22,665	168,113	376,362	12,728	29,400	88,252	235,115
Other Europe.....	2,868	5,854	4,617	10,184	267,190	552,256	25,718	48,500	159,995	389,128
Asia and Oceania.....	5,020	8,765	7,477	15,474	487,625	971,637	6,756	11,872	213,032	480,643
Other countries.....							135	342		
Total.....	7,888	14,619	21,770	48,323	922,928	1,900,255	45,337	90,114	461,279	1,104,886
OPIUM, PREPARED (pounds), imported from—										
China.....	21,033	135,690			113,734	837,720	81,877	538,057	81,984	536,302
Other countries.....					3,634	15,555	225	1,297	583	3,173
Total.....	21,033	135,690			117,368	853,275	82,102	539,354	82,567	539,475
POTASH (pounds)—										
Chlorate of.....free					4,340,883	343,276	630,340	45,026		
Do.....dut.	340,984	19,898	33,600	2,297			2,940,777	183,585	2,414,298	147,805
Muriate of.....free	6,397,691	94,840	5,839,987	91,605	80,713,498	1,266,190	91,758,351	1,422,798	83,568,200	1,319,212
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free	514,679	12,794	2,756,288	70,361	15,053,036	322,486	10,799,840	216,407	17,036,374	328,962
All other.....free	3,318,246	85,858	2,100,263	58,266	21,393,133	510,274	31,480,101	777,969	33,028,845	746,101
Total.....	10,571,600	213,390	10,730,138	222,529	121,501,150	2,442,226	137,609,409	2,645,785	136,047,717	2,542,080
Quinia, sulphate of, etc. (ounces)										
.....free..	530,883	121,105	363,110	95,021	2,815,470	472,411	3,437,206	702,719	3,168,578	665,885
SODA—										
Caustic (pounds).....dut.	1,739,047	23,678	680,038	10,308	49,240,838	856,232	25,631,752	419,719	16,624,977	226,506
Nitrate of (tons).....free	8,543	103,575	7,651	129,245	65,622	2,077,261	96,493	2,244,189	102,893	1,569,223
Sal soda (pounds).....dut.	537,600	3,427	597,540	2,992	15,486,711	68,717	7,906,917	36,206	3,585,024	17,895
Soda ash (pounds).....dut.	8,171,746	45,452	5,304,837	43,285	131,732,821	1,016,921	76,454,216	520,487	41,127,280	276,042
All other salts of (pounds).....dut.	2,402,965	20,937	2,073,236	27,403	3,489,239	50,797	17,374,012	176,763	18,735,355	238,056
Total.....		197,069		213,233		4,078,928		3,397,364		2,328,622
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude (tons).....free	15,088	281,273	18,908	339,165	110,232	1,839,688	130,773	2,334,999	107,742	1,996,333
Sumac, ground (pounds).....free	651,537	10,083	159,281	2,505	12,416,379	170,692	6,766,817	96,671	10,229,317	138,387
Vanilla beans (pounds).....free	3,704	5,390	17,871	73,818	145,992	778,905	56,280	246,802	212,155	894,194
All other.....free		525,094		555,457		4,719,780		4,398,684		4,231,996
Do.....dut.		534,673		486,236		3,961,731		4,241,846		4,078,369
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes, (dut.)		2,657,329		2,966,977		26,130,618		21,114,840		20,922,450
Total.....		1,535,390		1,331,745		10,755,832		12,879,409		14,101,549
Total.....		4,192,719		4,298,622		36,886,450		33,994,249		35,023,999
Chicory root, raw, unground (pounds).....free					12,545,955	170,362	176,210	2,137		
Do.....dut.	25,050	217					139,497	2,963	4,947	124
Chicory root, roasted, ground or prepared (pounds).....dut.									172,694	5,691
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not including confectionery) (pounds).....dut.	48,952	7,655	62,361	12,800			642,124	97,216	950,992	165,205
Clays or earths of all kinds (tons).....dut.	7,654	57,709	13,936	88,867	79,624	565,758	84,590	591,133	97,025	658,730
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):										
Clocks, and parts of.....dut.		11,902		17,055		369,922		251,178		241,444
Watches, and parts of.....dut.		59,778		77,769		867,410		587,106		871,466

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Coal:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Anthracite (tons) free..	15	74					5,851	14,729	601	2,684
Bituminous (tons) dut..	95,068	272,997	87,705	285,213	1,073,152	2,984,382	1,033,677	2,722,438	1,021,515	2,923,179
COAL, BITUMINOUS (tons), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	3,307	6,536	3,141	7,953	52,661	146,136	130,540	305,115	102,816	255,209
Other Europe.....	57	99	4	8	1,345	3,972	1,935	3,979	2,738	6,143
British North America.....	65,484	219,731	69,948	250,276	709,040	2,238,905	586,683	1,838,855	668,397	2,199,537
Mexico.....	9,840	17,836	9,739	18,860	80,328	174,653	85,593	160,786	96,876	209,243
Japan.....					1,575	3,908	2,675	8,075	862	2,432
Other Asia and Oceania.....	16,370	28,769	4,867	8,104	224,985	407,723	222,978	398,683	147,638	250,433
Other countries.....	10	26	6	12	3,218	9,085	3,273	6,945	188	382
Total.....	95,068	272,997	87,705	285,213	1,073,152	2,984,382	1,033,677	2,722,438	1,021,515	2,923,179
Cocoa or cacao, crude, etc. (pounds)										
..... free..	1,642,868	239,140	2,443,691	345,066	26,725,637	2,542,713	22,000,065	2,979,417	30,067,180	4,329,282
Prepared, etc. (pounds) dut..	57,710	21,281	101,105	31,918			455,023	158,678	722,241	222,157
COCOA, ETC. (pounds), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....	27,402	4,215	277,252	48,064	2,402,099	318,331	1,837,888	283,377	1,789,186	304,798
Netherlands.....	46,132	7,116	29,642	5,122	1,007,459	121,781	626,233	98,903	525,228	83,262
Other Europe.....	49,063	7,544	28,893	7,786	270,364	31,981	592,586	87,968	356,267	83,707
Central America.....					2,150	209			68,513	8,597
British West Indies.....			840,208	119,761	9,017,638	928,554	7,492,924	1,129,044	12,526,540	1,858,240
Other West Indies.....	750,560	113,153	42,419	5,627	620,883	61,404	1,554,539	219,424	946,136	151,654
Brazil.....			219,986	28,578	4,188,133	318,325	1,286,230	161,206	4,492,500	629,184
Other South America.....	766,652	106,641	706,997	94,974	8,223,583	751,783	8,549,933	989,749	7,806,565	1,033,396
East Indies.....	3,059	471	33,875	4,249	50,413	6,119	11,489	1,893	109,322	14,044
Other countries.....			264,419	30,905	42,915	4,226	48,243	7,943	1,446,032	162,400
Total.....	1,642,868	239,140	2,443,691	345,066	26,725,637	2,542,713	22,000,065	2,979,417	30,067,180	4,329,282
Coffee (pounds) free..	91,764,718	6,537,084	70,092,819	4,976,362	610,677,741	69,358,128	716,605,797	54,703,993	677,635,962	44,633,250
COFFEE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	181,848	17,774	422,673	46,865	2,635,343	434,246	1,428,785	217,361	3,790,308	422,152
France.....	531,091	41,549			464,227	69,404	813,543	58,895	17,780	1,378
Germany.....	2,267,460	134,701	112,126	14,207	5,009,077	676,356	6,026,600	453,414	1,016,680	108,170
Netherlands.....	207,184	31,502	211,109	18,227	2,491,866	453,338	1,965,226	301,031	2,967,462	341,610
Other Europe.....	12,372	444	95,025	4,837	1,591,624	158,315	1,694,611	94,435	219,381	13,142
Central America.....	5,180,234	642,068	7,978,112	841,089	32,272,492	4,742,324	27,678,446	3,497,479	31,655,854	3,835,426
Mexico.....	4,190,779	422,876	3,277,033	356,628	23,390,482	3,842,346	28,058,857	3,009,861	19,652,153	1,959,477
West Indies.....	483,301	38,988	827,317	66,854	9,825,623	1,281,029	5,150,517	550,987	10,062,641	804,090
Brazil.....	61,850,821	3,117,431	47,791,516	2,800,872	450,075,299	45,410,922	551,272,624	35,244,158	524,864,001	29,343,143
Other South America.....	11,531,450	1,108,316	7,845,166	609,233	66,575,538	9,368,085	70,713,215	7,587,559	69,135,891	5,714,647
East Indies.....	4,319,227	792,563	511,775	62,579	11,364,047	2,066,209	16,890,817	2,893,619	8,805,543	1,253,815
Other Asia and Oceania.....	890,805	174,817	850,425	126,777	4,771,274	824,996	3,643,266	604,183	3,965,848	627,199
Africa.....					43,166	6,990	42,305	6,040	82,672	7,475
Other countries.....	118,146	14,055	170,542	28,194	167,683	23,478	1,226,985	184,971	1,399,748	200,926
Total.....	91,764,718	6,537,084	70,092,819	4,976,362	610,677,741	69,358,128	716,605,797	54,703,993	677,635,962	44,633,250
Copper, and manufactures of:										
Ore and regulus (tons) free..	160	25,326	627	145,686	2,749	429,912	4,479	723,676	4,248	967,094
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc. (lbs.) free..	4,647,783	357,730	2,953,758	433,617	8,870,507	756,527	31,408,895	2,558,200	35,631,446	3,339,004
Manufactures of..... dut..		4,334		5,305		59,350		38,516		33,790
Total, not including ore..		362,064		438,922		815,877		2,596,716		3,372,794
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanu-										
factured..... free..		119,030		166,438		1,143,553		904,255		936,501
Cork, manufactures of..... dut..		23,367		41,029				192,582		301,290
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured (pounds) free..	5,665,790	515,499	7,223,226	759,211	42,994,074	4,949,027	43,305,336	4,152,430	41,400,162	4,099,722
Waste or flocks (pounds) free..			867,326	28,540					5,188,008	189,320

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED (lbs.), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	758,613	70,534	1,027,650	117,752	7,609,972	885,167	11,220,271	1,147,049	8,780,734	1,027,745
Other Europe.....					23,460	2,132	26,039	1,963		
South America.....	318,146	27,730	351,221	28,789	771,834	83,933	1,196,005	112,740	1,318,269	120,521
East Indies.....	16,500	1,067	53,383	4,388	29,305	3,230	61,745	4,847	186,804	14,317
Other Asia and Oceania.....	3,734,420	339,117			181,403	15,930	3,931,176	359,382	91,601	8,091
Africa (Egypt).....	730,647	65,506	5,612,520	594,858	34,332,699	3,955,042	26,747,136	2,513,987	30,840,932	2,915,291
Other countries.....	107,464	11,545	178,352	13,424	45,401	3,593	122,964	12,462	181,822	13,757
Total.....	5,665,790	515,499	7,223,226	759,211	42,994,074	4,949,027	43,305,336	4,152,430	41,400,162	4,099,722
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
CLOTHS (square yards)—										
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	62,297	3,259	50,342	4,388	2,874,100	246,850	1,268,475	102,305	1,071,964	83,976
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	3,048,326	379,029	4,107,945	524,781	30,448,151	3,773,238	38,742,584	4,725,128	43,514,836	5,650,054
Total.....	3,110,623	382,288	4,158,287	529,169	33,322,251	4,020,088	40,011,059	4,827,433	44,586,800	5,739,030
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		77,220		89,283		2,158,413		917,755		856,821
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		482,786		383,287		4,367,158		3,358,654		3,724,253
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		907,875		1,109,803		10,623,517		10,501,309		12,547,418
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc. (pounds).....	232,483	78,897	213,746	70,071	1,283,394	502,600	1,500,653	574,651	1,788,462	630,298
All other.....		308,565		337,412		6,264,027		3,668,790		3,668,778
Total manufactures.....		2,237,640		2,519,025		27,935,803		23,848,593		27,166,598
CLOTHS, ETC. (square yards), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	2,671,596	323,024	3,233,032	418,759	24,239,584	2,770,986	31,817,350	3,714,033	34,780,355	4,458,798
France.....	196,284	24,952	494,040	59,488	3,878,923	508,733	3,761,075	494,226	3,849,530	516,473
Germany.....	123,960	20,080	196,802	25,855	2,450,464	378,620	3,081,421	452,246	3,552,087	470,918
Switzerland.....	77,027	8,265	227,784	24,571	2,662,420	355,574	1,073,736	134,357	2,078,202	256,690
Other Europe.....	34,919	5,249	130	9	25,258	3,174	185,728	24,727	198,132	22,226
Japan.....	6,638	692	6,387	463	42,392	2,643	79,426	6,351	62,848	5,061
Other countries.....	199	26	112	24	3,210	358	11,723	1,493	65,646	8,924
Total.....	3,110,623	382,288	4,158,287	529,169	33,322,251	4,020,088	40,011,059	4,827,433	44,586,800	5,739,030
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF COTTON, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		570,759		624,715		8,664,039		5,732,929		5,910,267
Belgium.....		21,332		21,696		364,183		280,641		231,007
France.....		306,806		334,300		2,602,474		2,824,972		3,209,043
Germany.....		664,950		557,686		7,135,961		5,725,214		6,802,471
Switzerland.....		273,649		430,908		4,981,899		4,295,386		5,082,069
Other Europe.....		10,729		4,462		56,082		71,207		75,713
China.....		1,462		1,203		20,417		23,334		26,314
Japan.....		3,790		2,966		58,769		27,487		28,889
Other Asia and Oceania.....		384		3,790		16,683		16,718		26,493
Other countries.....		1,491		8,130		15,208		23,274		35,302
Total.....		1,855,352		1,989,856		23,915,715		19,021,162		21,427,568
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):										
CHINA, PORCELAIN, FAIAN, AND BISQUE—										
Not decorated or ornamented.....		62,436		75,483		1,137,262		680,288		811,439
Decorated or ornamented.....		317,776		358,689		6,275,788		4,660,250		5,154,172
All other.....		32,589		25,174		315,121		227,475		269,697
Total.....		412,801		459,346		7,728,171		5,568,013		6,235,308
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		245,368		242,095		3,099,741		2,196,399		2,345,076
Austria-Hungary.....		30,292		21,566		513,407		428,682		416,310
France.....		15,175		81,029		1,292,260		872,982		1,246,695

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (durable)—Continued.										
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Germany.....		86,312		84,822		2,264,215		1,666,578		1,810,309
Other Europe.....		16,001		5,595		100,369		102,785		122,282
Japan.....		17,925		19,920		405,769		263,032		244,121
Other countries.....		1,728		4,319		52,410		37,555		50,515
Total.....		412,801		459,346		7,728,171		5,568,013		6,235,308
Eggs (dozen).....dut.	5,406	292	8,912	477	543,991	45,603	145,420	7,076	197,153	18,860
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed.....free.						1,720,842		145,448		
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut.		59,778		176,789				1,591,653		1,391,105
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut.		50,746		40,893		562,017		634,862		718,376
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial,.....dut.		131,322		148,939		1,989,290		2,178,402		1,774,161
Total.....		241,846		366,621		4,272,149		4,550,365		3,883,642
Fertilizers (free, tons):										
Guano.....	341	6,809	42	232	5,770	80,473	4,247	55,224	4,183	43,443
Phosphates, crude.....	1,719	8,146	8,955	35,696	8,427	51,983	8,451	52,120	104,960	466,298
All other.....		42,458		26,908		872,342		1,101,407		869,996
Total.....		57,413		62,836		1,004,798		1,208,751		1,379,837
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of, n. e. s.:										
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—										
Flax, and tow of.....free.					5,989	1,004,670	1,779	245,012		
Flax.....dut.	403	96,379	464	117,927	1,278	497,384	2,576	717,317	5,138	993,545
Hemp, and tow of.....free.					3,782	466,766	299	43,729		
Hemp.....dut.	517	71,894	338	43,168	22	6,031	2,870	401,692	3,093	381,972
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free.	167	11,071	391	26,162	5,633	302,006	2,235	115,830	3,584	229,200
Jute and jute butts.....free.	11,208	219,803	25,220	552,691	50,169	1,236,344	89,788	2,078,224	69,178	1,807,525
Manila.....free.	4,790	341,546	9,321	1,076,432	38,398	2,862,672	44,389	2,791,014	45,390	5,285,105
Sisal grass.....free.	5,565	434,281	6,506	938,426	51,031	3,104,769	57,563	3,680,065	60,338	7,623,903
All other.....free.	2,238	116,355	929	53,970	6,732	496,746	8,388	510,395	5,382	355,099
Total unmanufac. (free.....	23,988	1,123,056	42,367	2,647,681	161,734	9,473,973	204,441	9,464,269	183,872	15,300,832
tured.....(dut.....	980	168,273	802	161,095	1,300	503,415		1,119,009	8,231	1,375,517
Total.....	24,968	1,291,329	43,169	2,808,776	163,034	9,977,388		10,583,278	192,103	16,676,349
FLAX (free and dutiable, tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	113	47,866	126	45,778	1,893	560,888	1,904	551,742	1,279	382,865
Other Europe.....	157	28,942	211	54,681	3,136	600,949	1,835	330,113	3,307	532,810
British North America.....	128	19,453	127	17,468	2,222	339,200	616	80,356	552	77,870
Other countries.....		118			16	1,017		118		
Total.....	403	96,379	464	117,927	7,267	1,502,054	4,255	962,329	5,138	993,545
JUTE (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	164	8,299	491	27,113	1,431	85,383	1,780	83,611	3,427	179,729
East Indies.....	11,044	211,504	24,729	525,578	48,648	1,145,231	87,646	1,979,615	65,645	1,622,288
Other countries.....					90	5,730	362	14,998	106	5,508
Total.....	11,208	219,803	25,220	552,691	50,169	1,236,344	89,788	2,078,224	69,178	1,807,525
MANILA (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	195	15,413	643	86,563	6,486	600,586	1,418	115,822	12,438	1,913,895
Philippine Islands.....	4,595	326,133	8,084	924,817	31,263	2,209,235	42,814	2,663,826	27,768	2,713,872
Other countries.....			594	65,052	649	46,851	157	11,366	5,184	657,338
Total.....	4,790	341,546	9,321	1,076,432	38,398	2,862,672	44,389	2,791,014	45,390	5,285,105
SISAL GRASS (tons), imported from—										
Mexico.....	5,422	424,282	6,187	885,231	50,714	3,086,816	56,967	3,644,153	58,508	7,379,376
Other countries.....	143	9,999	319	53,195	317	17,953	596	35,912	1,830	244,527
Total.....	5,565	434,281	6,506	938,426	51,031	3,104,769	57,563	3,680,065	60,338	7,623,903

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. free								24,907		
Do.....dut.		46,937		21,608		296,942		199,222		443,979
Bags for grain made of burlaps free						1,113,928		320,201		
Bags of jute.....dut.		22,085		310,837				142,693		726,054
Burlaps.....free						6,787,327		489,412		
Do.....dut.		631,103						3,981,271		
Cables, cordage, threads, and twine, n. e. s. (pounds).....dut.	37,436	5,727	13,155	4,959	145,736	15,567	469,296	63,989	421,010	62,469
Coir yarn (pounds).....free	240,026	8,672	162,156	5,810	3,160,715	79,803	1,435,740	46,713	1,485,664	56,285
Twine, binding (pounds).....free			594,740	31,067	892,070	50,394	51,660	3,402	1,000,287	62,171
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut.			17,449	4,692					221,133	65,237
Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn.....dut.				832,822						6,328,787
Handkerchiefs.....dut.				102,762						1,475,724
Oilcloths (square yards).....dut.			107,114	27,715					353,152	155,277
Yarns (pounds).....dut.	144,364	30,814	129,639	35,358	1,471,062	418,905	1,666,803	315,238	1,522,294	326,246
All other.....dut.		1,257,468		938,195		15,745,851		11,839,758		10,866,011
Total manufactures.....		2,002,803		2,315,825		24,508,717		17,426,806		20,568,240
Fish (pounds):										
FRESH—										
Lobsters, canned or uncanned free	1,038,842	52,071	902,162	43,311			3,482,276	288,683	3,895,737	426,729
Salmon.....free					1,198,652	104,091	160,083	16,379		
Do.....dut.	51,432	3,668	41,698	3,953			301,980	26,387	573,140	53,044
All other.....free						1,273,978		252,771		
Do.....dut.		35,215		31,074		130,669		747,427		711,139
CURED OR PRESERVED—										
Anchovies and sardines, etc. free										
Do.....dut.		58,083		42,520		817,326		1,005,585		1,029,268
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....dut.	458,918	13,384	342,994	10,597	13,076,155	410,541	15,904,155	520,423	10,936,710	406,624
Herring—										
Dried or smoked.....dut.	940	27	122,667	2,701	3,753,186	72,936	5,268,621	104,141	3,189,693	80,160
Pickled or salted.....dut.	657,726	21,449	821,384	25,478	24,237,500	819,108	27,324,587	1,031,922	30,977,671	1,045,473
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....dut.	186,565	12,692	146,990	10,667	20,298,152	1,155,565	14,639,749	899,565	14,106,910	990,071
Salmon, pickled or salted.....dut.	4,800	393	1,863	165	898,799	61,646	804,112	57,593	462,936	35,459
All other.....dut.		12,170		19,807		392,787		244,419		286,533
Total.....		209,152		190,273		5,268,617		5,198,300		5,064,500
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):										
FRUITS—										
Bananas.....free		548,884		780,846		2,845,836		3,177,061		3,781,036
Currents.....free					77,191	3,599				
Do.....dut.	117,319	5,087	37,242	862	27,993,628	560,236	24,161,437	799,950	29,355,910	767,831
Dates.....dut.	33,887	533	147,660	5,007	11,650,770	278,299	13,544,393	371,710	12,881,371	322,122
Figs.....dut.	204,837	4,291	105,009	5,317	8,843,359	539,429	9,482,195	505,744	7,148,531	350,549
Lemons.....dut.		223,659	23,028,405	432,794		3,092,990		2,004,459	161,777,163	3,100,877
Oranges.....dut.		22,951	3,923,099	80,602		1,977,824		876,603	76,608,422	944,850
Plums and prunes.....dut.	34,564	1,447	33,308	751	703,990	72,739	299,900	38,975	595,390	63,176
Raisins.....dut.	13,239	999	10,450	887	12,431,029	558,168	6,587,671	331,064	4,872,115	278,004
Prepared or preserved fruits.....dut.		80,813		82,777		564,530		783,469		839,791
All other fruits.....free		48,785		41,528		525,951		356,068		342,399
Do.....dut.		31,914		39,974		792,850		701,125		761,243
Total fruits.....		971,363		1,471,345		11,803,451		10,002,228		11,551,878

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)— Continued.										
BANANAS, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....		9,500		6,065		75,047		67,456		71,877
Central American States.....		196,840		187,132		1,106,894		1,193,713		1,405,122
British West Indies.....		274,597		464,895		1,003,336		1,349,024		1,703,601
Cuba.....				19,402		145,663				20,138
South America.....		56,737		94,989		433,555		445,809		437,366
Hawaiian Islands.....		4,460		4,107		57,919		42,068		40,595
Other countries.....		6,750		4,256		29,422		78,991		102,337
Total.....		548,884		780,849		2,845,836		3,177,061		3,781,036
LEMONS, imported from—										
Italy.....		225,659	23,028,405	432,794		2,991,761		1,984,106		3,080,601
British North America.....						41,976		3,963		2,706
Other countries.....						59,253		16,390		17,570
Total.....		225,659	23,028,405	432,794		3,092,990		2,004,459		3,100,877
ORANGES, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			244,290	4,783		434,327		23,149		86,159
Italy.....		16,348	3,447,606	72,612		449,907		234,906		152,341
Mexico.....		109	14,675	262		253,502		134,568		137,035
British West Indies.....		6,489	61,613	1,292		724,705		495,756		546,833
Cuba.....			449	4		8,775		1,991		621
Japan.....			53,493	817		11,788		9,445		5,656
Other countries.....		5	100,973	862		94,820		6,758		16,205
Total.....		22,951	3,923,099	80,602		1,977,824		876,603		944,850
NUTS:										
Almonds.....dut..	499,722	44,459	319,962	56,702	8,579,290	793,813	4,656,205	538,882	8,844,283	1,063,632
Cocoanuts.....free..		46,664		51,668		396,340		464,937		508,107
Do.....dut..						793,432		21,874		
All other.....dut..		59,877		72,091				861,363		778,028
Total fruits and nuts.....		1,122,363		1,651,806		13,787,036		11,889,314		13,921,645
FURS:										
Furs and fur skins, undressed.....free..		584,100		1,047,044		2,141,451		3,132,019		4,498,083
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut..		439,645		642,740		2,453,854		3,299,011		4,215,142
FURS AND FUR SKINS, ETC., im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....		234,314		558,726		647,249		980,981		1,475,745
France.....		36,265		113,838		270,664		292,982		597,480
Germany.....		249,397		284,742		611,379		1,066,925		1,330,933
Other Europe.....		31,737		28,213		54,014		177,768		237,159
British North America.....		25,431		38,510		193,358		227,644		329,968
South America.....		4,590		8,161		16,428		38,777		126,623
Japan.....				249		2,806		71		934
Other countries.....		2,368		14,605		345,463		346,871		399,181
Total.....		584,100		1,047,044		2,141,451		3,132,019		4,498,083
FURS, AND MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		153,943		201,927		917,108		1,088,356		1,079,514
Belgium.....		22,582		53,891		152,631		194,354		391,193
France.....		151,969		215,944		756,964		1,096,500		1,493,324
Germany.....		99,517		149,728		529,020		705,554		857,079
Other Europe.....		1,333		8,527		13,268		13,667		47,259
China.....		8,702		8,715		61,971		181,955		316,188
Other countries.....		1,599		3,998		22,892		18,625		30,585
Total.....		439,645		642,740		2,453,854		3,299,011		4,215,142
Ginger ale or ginger beer (dozen pints).....dut..	22,777	16,570	33,257	23,977			10,062	73,485	262,205	190,504

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware (dutiable):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bottles, etc., empty or filled		32,859		37,979		446,212		272,848		299,477
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished, pounds.....	3,619,779	93,602	2,918,031	89,932	42,273,332	908,157	31,825,842	776,138	38,307,546	1,027,358
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—										
Unsilvered	291,265	56,652	187,188	34,739	947,279	233,523	2,238,239	459,683	2,313,870	455,030
Silvered	31	26	22	23	2,085,141	621,801	211,662	66,427	885	580
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—										
Fluted, rolled, or rough			24,589	1,150	392,108	16,817	162,423	8,755	190,798	7,943
Cast, polished, unsilvered	11,634	3,001	63,112	15,744	965,879	251,936	621,262	152,628	743,954	183,828
Cast, polished, silvered			7	6	43,857	17,257	172	255	233	259
All other		105,835		114,916		1,851,886		1,296,531		1,489,056
Total		297,975		294,494		4,347,589		3,033,265		3,463,531
GLASS, CYLINDER, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	391,516	18,509	414,278	22,190	3,155,524	156,508	2,430,790	125,931	3,343,353	173,176
Belgium	3,196,705	78,125	2,492,684	64,766	38,406,039	712,796	29,090,084	619,264	34,621,159	820,237
France	780	167	159	31	480,812	19,357	140,311	7,981	82,553	3,046
Germany	12,393	2,169	8,751	2,792	198,940	18,347	114,293	21,537	198,703	28,882
Other Europe	18,375	630			2,250	77	18,575	641	23,038	354
Other countries	10	2	2,159	153	29,737	982	22,789	784	38,740	1,663
Total	3,619,779	99,602	2,918,031	89,932	42,273,332	908,157	31,825,842	776,138	38,307,546	1,027,358
Glue (pounds)	366,788	41,107	402,301	38,114			3,187,149	339,626	3,683,496	379,806
Grease and oils, n. e. s. free		40,238		42,822		717,857		375,191		355,653
Grease, n. e. s. dut		18,711		26,898				116,557		223,083
Hair:										
Unmanufactured		123,892		99,948		1,062,211		1,634,754		1,436,333
Manufactures of		24,011		12,966		657,503		258,638		133,672
Total		147,903		112,914		1,719,714		1,893,392		1,570,005
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free						1,808,323		36,308		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods dut		70,391		97,162				546,935		574,857
Materials for		141,040		193,295				1,484,120		1,626,757
Total		211,431		290,457		1,808,323		2,067,363		2,201,614
Hay (tons)	143	1,708	1,011	5,545	108,061	930,663	3,287	28,494	3,346	17,898
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):										
Goatskins	6,595,557	1,650,535	9,410,836	1,994,925	40,195,823	9,103,479	53,895,162	12,926,628	55,299,653	14,358,094
All other, except hides of cattle, etc. free	4,457,803	672,579	8,921,654	1,276,875	113,744,980	12,055,708	45,012,229	6,251,501	51,878,922	7,770,766
Hides of cattle	12,255,492	1,577,104	10,686,139	1,219,297			101,501,503	10,965,994	102,413,486	10,581,109
Total	23,308,852	3,900,218	29,018,629	4,491,097	153,940,803	21,159,187	200,408,894	30,144,123	209,592,061	32,709,969
HIDES AND SKINS (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom	3,485,110	472,880	5,255,338	953,813	24,499,245	3,367,850	38,323,721	5,385,005	40,492,394	5,309,063
France	1,549,766	308,186	1,383,688	290,004	7,144,440	1,335,888	16,989,246	2,988,693	16,651,221	3,068,950
Germany	1,560,533	283,514	2,276,665	352,276	5,492,522	974,760	11,166,266	2,094,371	16,849,926	2,566,408
Other Europe	2,451,892	434,107	3,875,163	224,670	11,347,751	1,748,644	18,110,721	3,166,121	23,773,477	3,207,156
British North America	889,517	69,497	1,082,990	95,527	17,218,026	1,205,314	11,426,815	878,681	11,099,488	942,356
Central American States	233,401	13,091	186,907	21,057	1,585,565	204,160	1,637,360	163,359	1,979,452	285,825
Mexico	863,923	105,198	902,190	140,719	11,416,388	1,560,252	11,569,612	1,494,793	9,811,948	1,558,460
West Indies	159,040	24,828	175,550	26,306	7,374,709	590,491	4,123,400	400,518	2,217,619	313,678
South America	6,965,182	1,293,861	7,956,318	1,305,734	45,007,331	6,857,370	48,964,069	7,463,004	47,525,119	8,149,672
East Indies	2,494,769	397,617	3,335,547	583,043	10,103,408	1,359,909	17,875,088	2,810,845	19,688,450	3,644,254
Other Asia and Oceania	951,214	218,072	713,006	223,332	9,404,144	1,478,111	7,347,142	1,371,406	7,922,686	1,797,768
Africa	963,920	163,149	643,631	44,702	3,350,274	476,438	6,154,817	1,013,280	5,207,013	916,405
Other countries	738,494	116,218	1,231,036	220,905			6,711,687	914,047	6,371,268	1,009,974
Total	23,308,852	3,900,218	29,018,629	4,491,097	153,940,803	21,159,187	200,408,894	30,144,123	209,592,061	32,709,969

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free..				43,482						532,111
Hops (pounds).....dut..	53,440	18,720	46,844	18,551	2,937,065	615,990	2,333,893	638,093	1,276,714	577,324
Household and personal effects, etc.....free..		170,054		171,202		1,737,383		1,550,006		2,738,819
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, lbs.)—										
Gutta-percha.....	27,779	8,177	49,280	11,426	995,893	87,316	592,935	146,524	393,636	129,725
India rubber.....	3,356,561	2,003,401	3,022,761	1,713,436	30,378,097	14,845,150	40,625,629	22,198,834	44,799,552	27,671,036
Total unmanufactured...	3,384,340	2,011,578	3,072,041	1,724,862	31,373,960	14,932,466	41,218,564	22,345,358	45,193,188	27,800,761
INDIA RUBBER, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	766,403	471,521	837,413	422,028	5,708,723	2,636,686	7,590,373	4,518,637	9,901,479	6,337,407
Germany.....	132,589	44,194	166,877	84,003	817,025	297,584	1,537,011	612,405	1,567,694	859,930
Other Europe.....	615,886	391,574	497,825	308,209	1,952,502	936,581	4,650,409	2,543,782	5,644,445	4,044,917
Central America.....	101,536	48,826	143,037	96,075	902,284	373,274	871,083	367,846	1,241,895	701,445
Mexico.....	15,433	4,816	38,639	17,798	85,834	25,186	101,622	29,906	247,531	102,311
West Indies.....	100	12	47	9	46,973	15,119	8,190	2,175	28,998	8,591
Brazil.....	1,602,934	990,918	899,764	608,874	19,511,911	10,094,465	24,209,286	13,515,363	23,583,261	14,518,033
Other South America.....	118,972	50,114	231,139	105,175	1,057,832	397,551	1,349,077	529,894	1,698,125	803,564
East Indies.....			204,105	70,206	280,816	64,299	284,323	69,582	846,973	275,051
Africa.....			2,915	1,009	4,000	1,327	7,168	2,279	6,126	2,283
Other countries.....	2,708	1,426	1,000	50	10,197	3,078	16,887	7,055	33,025	17,504
Total.....	3,356,561	2,003,401	3,022,761	1,713,436	30,378,097	14,845,150	40,625,629	22,198,834	44,799,552	27,671,036
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gutta-percha.....		11,340		7,107		77,832		140,343		91,733
India rubber.....		26,531		30,621		239,377		239,281		296,558
Total manufactures.....		37,871		37,728		317,209		379,624		388,291
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore (tons).....dut..	27,902	30,789	42,482	80,760	469,274	676,207	340,429	447,845	187,967	278,862
Pig iron (tons).....dut..	1,979	60,888	1,870	56,448	19,798	454,437	19,296	511,356	19,571	585,182
Scrap iron and steel, etc. (tons).....dut..	12	285	196	1,478	3,400	72,154	1,336	10,933	2,743	53,180
Bar iron (pounds).....dut..	638,353	17,352	2,183,677	53,504	26,928,857	534,652	28,529,425	573,401	38,292,089	762,466
Bars, railway, of iron or steel, etc. (tons).....dut..	49	1,389			7,776	208,031	529	18,824	154	6,300
Hoop, band, or scroll (pounds).....dut..	63	2	13,409	3,754	5,584	1,930	61,979	2,875	13,409	3,754
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. (pounds).....dut..	1,514,281	72,184	2,095,947	90,184	31,867,405	1,259,305	26,860,711	1,042,057	18,841,820	863,375
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel (pounds).....dut..	514,411	16,845	181,007	8,543	8,603,716	194,963	4,812,862	150,414	2,987,537	128,627
Ties for baling cotton (pounds).....free..					16,265,506	239,498				
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin (pounds).....dut..	14,056,814	312,710	10,529,256	261,145	199,009,841	4,590,253	149,475,941	3,316,322	84,198,442	1,951,330
Wire rods (pounds).....dut..	2,182,769	52,145	2,927,223	62,284	28,739,481	567,622	33,694,836	715,873	27,908,686	585,494
Wire, and articles made from (pounds).....dut..	496,492	29,607	577,241	32,598	5,633,935	335,949	4,796,016	304,805	4,144,163	269,402
MANUFACTURES—										
Anvils (pounds).....dut..	17,038	1,127	44,263	2,704	606,870	36,662	648,027	39,375	401,407	25,060
Chains (pounds).....dut..	960	25	13,637	688	538,596	41,315	160,816	10,092	331,818	18,330
Cutlery.....dut..		83,225		103,417		1,668,112		788,708		968,257
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut..		1,225		5,516		37,476		27,363		33,531
Firearms.....dut..		48,442		40,151		597,792		369,342		694,432
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free..		36,772		29,405		251,938		294,816		340,188
Machinery.....dut..		190,401		107,415		1,054,015		1,558,526		1,324,218

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES—Continued.										
Shotgun barrels, in single tubes, forged, rough bored . . . free		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
All other dut										
Total, not including ore										
TIN PLATES, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	13,859,774	306,916	10,258,614	253,237	198,552,471	4,577,342	148,871,386	3,298,898	83,858,966	1,939,952
British North America	199,100	5,774	270,642	7,908	457,092	12,895	594,025	17,064	339,476	11,378
Other countries	940	20			278	16	10,530	360		
Total	14,056,814	312,710	10,529,256	261,145	199,009,841	4,590,253	149,475,941	3,316,322	84,198,442	1,951,330
Ivory (free, pounds):										
Animal	10,483	23,069	17,914	40,949	108,075	299,110	194,776	406,062	203,698	435,025
Vegetable	916,875	8,537	813,087	7,047	3,261,589	34,202	12,931,079	132,997	6,719,465	66,787
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:										
Diamonds, uncut, including miner's, etc., not set free										
Diamonds, cut, but not set dut										
Other precious stones, rough or uncut free										
Other precious stones, cut, but not set dut										
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver dut										
Total										
PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom		48,308		397,519		6,174		1,045,063		1,888,246
France				369		1,102		113,569		57,972
Netherlands		60,919		41,113		649		1,170,375		929,013
Other Europe				2,646		31,451		67,805		7,587
Brazil						797		1,303		
Other countries		3,900		100		3		6,473		2,995
Total		113,127		441,747		40,176		2,404,618		2,885,813
JEWELRY, AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		94,337		193,141		719,607		1,780,988		2,632,972
France		176,488		262,048		974,008		2,361,089		3,575,312
Germany		38,027		79,045		284,838		477,289		742,035
Netherlands		70,819		164,001		581,289		1,866,620		2,642,260
Other Europe		166		58,318		642,602		29,967		892,033
British North America		229		220		3,934		92,018		5,012
Mexico		528		1,807		3,452		5,628		5,902
East Indies		84				2,215		965		7,142
Other countries		31,396		934		8,085		486,751		15,178
Total		412,074		759,514		3,220,630		7,101,315		10,717,846
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):										
Lead in ore, etc	12,439,888	166,572	10,582,212	176,532			162,585,240	2,269,231	160,993,880	2,328,298
Pigs, bars, and old	168,020	5,020					3,261,067	80,860	386,247	9,725
Pigs, bars, old, and other in ore					134,629,979	1,537,032				
Manufactures of		292		1,676		3,858		3,914		9,610
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	174,740	5,257			987,745	29,619	562,812	16,321	2,242,192	55,168
Germany							336,053	8,944		
Other Europe					222,169	4,224	1,120,528	28,908	111,952	1,940
British North America	2,404,261	56,080	2,309,141	61,777	21,719,366	352,137	39,815,383	873,033	28,356,021	718,636

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Lead, and manufactures of (duti- able, pounds)—Continued.										
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC.—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	10,028,208	110,247	8,133,030	112,361	110,484,940	1,136,140	123,623,767	1,418,482	130,132,881	1,554,902
Other countries.....	699	8	140,032	2,394	1,215,750	14,912	387,764	4,373	537,081	7,977
Total.....	12,607,908	171,592	10,582,212	176,532	134,629,979	1,537,032	165,846,307	2,350,091	161,380,127	2,338,023
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER (duti-able)—										
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		1,856		1,660		142,024		131,089		42,694
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		19,015		18,267		49,823		143,421		230,406
Skins for morocco.....		216,656		286,210		3,031,852		2,600,434		2,060,138
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		235,954		214,606		1,931,013		1,838,706		2,029,115
Total leather.....		473,481		520,743		5,184,712		4,803,650		4,362,353
MANUFACTURES OF (duti-able)—										
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		465,413		279,759		4,924,661		4,921,134		4,916,632
All other.....		28,590		40,131		361,365		336,839		388,034
Total manufactures.....		494,003		319,890		5,286,026		5,258,033		5,304,666
GLOVES, imported from—										
Belgium.....		15,662		19,983		273,389		275,889		260,097
France.....		164,035		100,078		1,732,353		1,497,209		1,859,981
Germany.....		231,617		129,544		2,005,935		2,403,405		2,130,955
Other Europe.....		54,062		30,154		912,838		744,357		665,007
Other countries.....		17				176		274		592
Total.....		465,413		279,759		4,924,661		4,921,134		4,916,632
Malt, barley (bushels).....dut..	786	748	400	325	9,949	8,359	3,968	3,724	4,263	3,768
Malt liquors (duti-able, gallons):										
In bottles or jugs.....	60,579	56,076	101,038	101,395	854,194	839,385	613,666	589,170	744,301	729,684
In other coverings.....	143,648	41,016	151,963	39,442	1,634,319	459,067	1,537,836	442,767	1,622,706	489,019
Total.....	204,227	97,092	253,001	140,837	2,488,513	1,298,452	2,151,502	1,022,037	2,357,007	1,218,903
Manganese, ore and oxide of (tons) .....free..	9,832	79,946	15,807	145,219			67,219	559,669	99,936	762,177
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (duti-able):										
Marble, and manufactures of.....		67,066		35,310		694,483		567,924		538,585
Stone, and manufactures of, in- cluding slate.....		23,414		17,272		269,243		207,832		172,138
Total.....		90,480		52,582		963,726		775,756		710,723
Matting for floors (rolls).....free..					969,097	3,152,661	20,894	61,899		
Matting and mats for floors, etc. (square yards).....dut..	4,767,167	322,719	8,335,149	640,754			15,585,451	1,087,374	34,871,130	2,413,498
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (duti-able):										
Bronze manufactures.....		52,348		39,300		414,318		414,214		471,104
All other.....		223,356		257,050		2,985,558		2,838,391		2,934,741
Total.....		275,704		296,350		3,399,876		3,252,605		3,405,845
Musical instruments, and parts of.....dut..		84,964		76,737		917,732		769,629		860,842
Oils (gallons):										
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—										
Whale and fish.....dut..	32,673	10,955	17,587	6,329	140,249	147,197	651,944	211,724	497,612	182,001
Other.....dut..			6	3	20,052	3,770	13,707	4,801	1,852	450
Mineral.....free..	126,040	9,102	51,464	4,092	13,505	12,778	1,090,864	78,307	1,441,507	107,393
Do.....dut..	185	31			212,195	14,596	14,268	2,681	2,237	493
VEGETABLE—										
Fixed or expressed.....free..		127,530		188,081		1,304,624		1,506,270		1,384,232
Do.....dut..		39,452		61,593		591,068		447,523		335,096
Olive.....dut..	66,265	96,165	77,356	89,976	764,038	911,730	603,545	758,080	704,882	845,963

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils (gallons)—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
Volatile, or essential, and dis-		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
tilled.....free.....		117,404		120,788		1,543,349		927,598		1,131,271
Do.....dut.....		36,886		25,485		189,803		311,484		238,806
Total.....		437,525		496,347		4,518,915		4,248,208		4,426,365
Paints, pigments, and colors...free.....						77,405		8,470		
Do.....dut.....		103,993		107,170		989,295		874,676		947,690
Paper stock, crude (free) (see also										
Wood pulp):										
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs..	3,006,736	46,237	6,803,883	95,022	38,265,862	520,374	40,298,029	576,392	45,350,609	655,850
All other.....		145,239		109,586		1,910,357		1,749,138		1,550,256
Total.....		191,476		204,608		2,430,731		2,325,530		2,215,106
PAPER STOCK, crude, imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....		79,184		90,349		812,359		868,086		861,328
Belgium.....		22,856		14,044		231,121		224,377		223,827
France.....		16,077		19,124		175,009		169,764		157,384
Germany.....		35,888		21,766		350,338		444,934		478,446
Italy.....		16,898		17,214		176,838		205,557		207,106
Other Europe.....		4,102		5,169		104,423		109,445		89,551
British North America.....		8,051		2,977		488,018		197,928		53,633
East Indies.....		620				7,176		9,754		9,051
Japan.....		3,034		28,620		33,924		60,851		82,655
Other countries.....		4,766		5,345		21,525		34,834		52,125
Total.....		191,476		204,608		2,430,731		2,325,530		2,215,106
Paper, and manufactures of (duti-										
able):										
Lithographic labels and prints,				46,142						674,315
n. e. s.....										
Parchment papers.....lbs..			92,547	7,070					553,985	45,513
All other.....		223,245		190,991		2,455,596		2,355,194		1,904,367
Total.....		223,245		244,203		2,455,596		2,355,194		2,624,195
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		37,998		43,536		495,842		421,050		645,267
Belgium.....		5,565		7,343		67,467		49,849		41,375
France.....		23,769		33,477		155,625		208,209		238,017
Germany.....		121,738		124,409		1,590,121		1,438,272		1,424,191
Other Europe.....		4,947		8,075		42,828		44,207		69,761
Japan.....		22,837		23,741		170,591		163,794		169,097
Other countries.....		1,391		3,622		23,122		26,813		36,487
Total.....		223,245		244,203		2,455,596		2,355,194		2,624,195
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc...dut..		39,513		40,574		579,599		369,130		434,451
Pipes and smokers' articles...dut..		30,350		22,703		304,552		197,116		216,535
Plants, shrubs, and vines...dut..				49,370						710,278
Platinum.....free.....lbs..	424	83,431	432	97,674	5,126	841,619	4,323	741,412	5,343	975,316
Plumbago.....free.....tons..	1,408	60,163	1,666	122,031	10,257	267,590	8,215	311,991	11,968	783,813
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products (dutable):										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
Meat and meat extracts.....		11,234		24,673		397,094		320,965		219,032
All other.....		7,753		4,033		46,278		61,727		97,091
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
Butter.....lbs..	1,366	285	927	124	32,225	5,313	29,222	4,939	21,204	3,511
Cheese.....lbs..	768,795	105,800	816,829	110,753	10,581,134	1,437,649	8,106,372	1,084,657	9,579,967	1,283,498
Milk.....		3,102		2,434		53,075		49,021		38,250
Total.....		122,224		142,017		1,939,409		1,521,309		1,641,382

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, etc.—Cont'd.										
CHEESE (pounds) imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	21,127	3,696	9,137	1,670	87,969	16,818	166,975	26,265	139,881	24,094
France.....	60,831	9,692	98,366	16,085	775,208	127,364	771,283	123,134	882,159	154,229
Germany.....	17,883	2,473	30,439	4,133	328,572	41,152	244,509	31,543	277,972	35,254
Italy.....	232,229	29,899	258,185	34,471	2,328,045	478,256	2,396,079	320,179	2,974,669	376,078
Netherlands.....	32,396	4,182	95,120	11,666	843,370	92,653	794,440	87,352	1,036,696	115,540
Switzerland.....	395,955	54,775	270,642	35,448	4,888,578	640,557	3,511,860	468,412	3,926,755	534,571
Other Europe.....	1,914	144	33,110	4,711	295,912	36,274	195,945	24,201	287,477	34,253
British North America.....	6,460	939	21,639	2,533	26,919	3,729	19,569	2,917	49,822	8,646
Other countries.....			201	36	6,561	846	5,712	654	4,536	833
Total.....	768,795	105,800	816,839	110,753	10,581,134	1,437,649	8,106,372	1,084,657	9,579,967	1,283,498
Rice (pounds):										
Rice.....dut.....	10,411,478	209,905	33,196,598	572,118	90,508,109	1,668,160	76,801,195	1,507,115	120,785,746	2,437,056
Rice, free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.....	41,200	881			5,162,600	203,698	4,282,300	182,959	2,595,600	135,683
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....dut.....	3,679,670	55,444	2,066,254	44,727	49,244,871	716,760	47,658,998	750,654	41,482,647	628,999
Total.....	14,132,348	266,230	36,162,852	616,845	144,915,580	2,588,618	128,742,493	2,449,728	164,863,993	3,201,738
Salt (pounds).....free.....					482,785,986	611,492	26,053,890	34,168		
Do.....dut.....	24,100,676	45,045	34,491,990	38,072	10,941,807	14,496	261,272,074	415,573	298,321,380	473,168
Sausage casings.....free.....		44,840		43,582				382,379		487,700
Seeds (bushels):										
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut.....	22,073	25,564	17,566	22,366	105,161	108,784	115,760	129,881	53,650	59,077
Seeds, n. e. s.....free.....		25,822		73,059		744,778		619,181		681,584
Do.....dut.....		8,501		17,258		435,220		355,665		346,815
Total.....		59,887		112,683		1,288,782		1,104,730		1,087,476
Shells, unmanufactured.....free.....		128,055		98,944				792,386		812,652
Silk, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—										
Cocoons.....	1,232	650					3,842	1,340	13,503	2,272
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	429,438	1,410,584	648,343	2,258,356	5,172,783	14,840,542	9,110,097	27,568,488	8,378,295	26,912,518
Waste.....	140,393	65,070	123,775	54,010	1,109,411	300,914	1,604,410	613,160	1,346,981	566,535
Total unmanufactured.....		1,476,304		2,312,366		15,141,456		28,182,988		27,481,325
SILK, RAW (pounds), imported from—										
France.....	26,996	96,224	26,849	101,501	186,478	599,224	272,847	946,118	251,726	940,359
Italy.....	141,993	528,341	152,112	647,970	684,057	2,413,054	1,433,665	5,106,301	1,788,374	6,867,100
China.....	11,075	26,626	217,570	555,834	1,208,017	2,991,485	2,303,708	5,395,566	2,055,612	5,139,154
Japan.....	122,819	400,311	251,712	952,620	2,959,912	8,496,498	4,772,902	15,187,640	4,185,174	13,749,139
Other countries.....	126,555	359,082	100	431	134,319	340,281	326,975	932,863	97,409	216,766
Total.....	429,438	1,410,584	648,343	2,258,356	5,172,783	14,840,542	9,110,097	27,568,488	8,378,295	26,912,518
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Clothing, ready-made, and other wearing apparel.....		100,028		110,636		1,994,995		1,696,475		1,404,231
Dress and piece goods.....		960,265		1,021,610		5,863,292		8,673,382		11,099,023
Laces and embroideries.....		244,898		215,346		1,864,199		3,109,286		2,594,315
Ribbons.....		126,702		75,594		832,282		1,802,608		1,517,631
Spun silks, in skeins, cops, warps, or on beams.....lbs.....			129,201	148,978					1,388,724	1,562,218
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs.....			19,765	69,155					412,037	1,335,819
All other.....		415,381		121,584		9,248,273		4,945,107		1,891,278
Total manufactures.....		1,847,274		1,762,903		19,803,041		20,226,858		21,404,515

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Silk, and manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom		154,740		157,048		1,596,837		1,651,181		2,383,815
Austria-Hungary		9,285		7,256		104,790		91,739		127,765
Belgium		3,603		2,835		23,911		29,096		48,899
France		819,015		734,732		9,028,196		9,724,078		9,104,994
Germany		313,180		278,827		4,189,862		3,745,547		3,733,671
Italy		29,199		21,439		246,827		295,203		326,878
Switzerland		297,045		222,882		2,570,518		2,951,086		3,233,345
Other Europe		3,164		4,157		25,286		38,152		38,841
China		5,797		8,208		121,527		96,971		114,739
Japan		204,456		316,042		1,830,620		1,562,132		2,232,976
Other countries		7,780		9,477		61,637		41,673		58,592
Total		1,847,274		1,762,903		19,803,041		20,226,858		21,404,515
Soap (dutyable):										
Fancy, perfumed, etc. lbs..	80,274	31,121	85,238	31,190	757,269	251,879	494,085	213,959	670,986	275,743
All other		27,035		23,149		357,190		202,201		201,369
Total		58,156		54,339		609,069		416,160		477,112
Spices:										
UNGROUND (pounds)—										
Nutmegs	34,537	7,881	259,196	62,195	1,295,742	349,071	968,487	267,505	1,323,117	325,577
Pepper, black or white. free..	1,380,823	105,471	2,460,244	226,885	10,748,581	485,417	11,649,395	715,599	10,495,473	919,665
All other	675,681	41,019	1,021,074	73,881	15,121,694	769,891	10,492,142	697,975	11,504,833	838,059
Do	195,123	22,042	176,204	27,432	2,341,454	275,707	2,325,862	223,038	2,887,930	272,205
Total		176,413		390,393		1,880,086		1,904,117		2,355,506
NUTMEGS, PEPPER, ETC. (free, pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	292,673	23,743	539,663	40,478	4,985,164	252,531	5,556,508	367,112	3,815,923	307,480
Netherlands	48,004	5,015	142,603	21,109	3,284,238	282,516	1,415,379	173,530	883,080	143,015
Other Europe	639,498	49,988	4,317	157	605,785	29,920	1,044,981	78,675	196,788	17,886
British North America					116,244	6,734	2,500	162	160	29
British West Indies	174,772	14,924	108,361	9,553	3,144,754	150,919	1,990,566	130,094	3,233,820	242,460
China	218,787	14,367	204,576	12,422	3,619,021	169,336	2,145,833	135,584	2,085,602	124,189
East Indies	641,338	42,954	2,356,469	247,336	9,409,284	610,576	9,109,422	697,304	10,146,149	1,039,488
Other Asia and Oceania	5,819	62	188,545	20,750	728,618	58,421	301,959	39,397	1,409,513	129,283
Africa	70,600	3,302	214,000	10,887	1,263,578	40,439	1,575,797	57,057	1,508,783	77,317
Other countries	150	16	6,980	269	18,301	2,997	57,088	2,164	43,605	2,154
Total	2,091,041	154,371	3,760,514	362,961	27,166,017	1,604,379	23,110,024	1,681,079	23,323,423	2,083,301
SPICES, ALL OTHER (dutyable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		10,033		24,202		224,041		155,336		192,394
Other Europe		1,964		1,325		16,192		24,951		24,733
Mexico		385		644		28,872		20,385		35,845
Other countries		60		1,261		6,602		13,366		19,233
Total		22,042		27,432		275,707		223,038		272,205
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax)	48,391	39,321	139,350	116,006	811,601	743,553	756,873	632,438	843,400	709,055
Brandy	12,822	37,111	21,669	61,798	279,941	747,153	116,454	333,210	180,856	520,712
All other	63,277	96,013	94,278	155,528	1,337,727	1,676,498	592,922	787,219	995,893	1,364,022
Total	129,490	172,445	255,588	333,332	2,429,269	3,167,209	1,466,249	1,772,867	2,020,149	2,593,789
SPIRITS (not of domestic manufacture, proof gallons), imported from—										
United Kingdom	27,352	37,022	42,318	95,016	531,592	750,963	267,867	388,117	484,524	728,311
Belgium	4	12	358	332	25,200	26,447	21,357	26,512	20,740	30,651
France	18,444	51,775	29,436	82,467	321,960	873,885	140,010	404,593	218,921	648,361
Germany	4,696	3,996	4,919	4,657	89,140	84,523	36,409	26,465	62,325	41,707
Italy	2,082	3,176	2,480	4,210	22,034	35,726	6,353	11,264	16,463	28,311
Netherlands	10,560	4,971	10,490	5,275	261,214	122,600	85,174	43,492	126,392	66,176
Other Europe	1,828	4,054	821	1,018	32,084	47,658	7,322	12,352	22,194	10,592
British North America	11,009	22,816	10,281	19,647	189,764	366,852	79,453	146,066	114,017	223,957

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons)— Continued.										
SPIRITS (not of domestic manu- facture, etc.)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
West Indies	3,296	4,517	1,529	598	35,756	77,202	18,378	48,407	17,490	45,470
China	577	165	8,127	2,619	71,107	15,798	25,625	6,272	66,721	20,425
Other Asia and Oceania	998	376	659	369	34,649	13,669	18,006	4,761	19,395	11,142
Other countries	253	214	4,829	1,118	3,168	8,328	3,422	2,128	7,567	29,632
Total	81,099	133,124	116,238	217,226	1,617,668	2,423,651	709,376	1,120,429	1,176,749	1,884,734
Sponges	dut..	44,853		25,512		365,396		332,578		315,857
Straw and grass, manufactures of	dut..			17,584						222,343
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:										
Molasses (gallons)	free..				210,363	19,609	49,275	2,346	15,300	542
Molasses (gallons)	dut..	576,647	96,326	1,382,968	2,119,177	366,058	1,774,527	307,510	2,011,648	288,645
SUGAR (pounds):										
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard in color—										
Beet	dut..	5,336,175	79,200	63,325,504	1,344,913	1,201,042,856	22,075,239	22,645,752	410,544	632,899,546
Cane	free..	42,102,485	1,588,276	36,028,774	1,299,045	319,776,408	9,968,945	374,909,181	12,113,151	327,143,766
Cane and other	dut..	351,607,352	7,473,758	339,769,229	7,983,559	1,761,711,497	34,632,436	1,531,786,439	30,358,744	2,074,243,623
Above No. 16 Dutch standard	dut..	4,407,690	106,409	1,272,728	37,165	137,168,481	3,443,922	82,835,713	1,994,652	53,835,898
Total sugar	free..	42,102,485	1,588,276	36,028,774	1,299,045	319,776,408	9,968,945	374,909,181	12,113,151	327,148,766
	dut..	364,351,217	7,659,367	404,367,451	9,371,637	3,099,922,834	60,152,597	1,637,267,904	32,763,940	2,760,979,067
Total		406,453,702	9,247,643	440,395,235	10,670,682	3,419,699,242	70,121,542	2,012,177,085	44,877,091	3,083,127,833
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom		1,278,014	30,907	2,286,067	53,896	31,622,657	609,860	16,551,980	388,472	15,843,445
Austria-Hungary				16,295,223	342,247	67,532,414	1,232,076	715,500	17,639	38,949,810
Belgium						83,188,863	1,473,215			
Germany		5,335,793	79,196	47,029,987	1,002,648	979,724,054	18,209,492	20,550,282	358,050	692,886,904
Netherlands						18,687,413	300,545	2,177,833	51,642	
Other Europe						36,522,976	579,322	77,230	1,698	1,996,400
British North America		66	2	124,486	2,739	745,520	57,131	935,874	44,701	152,269
Central America		2,004,072	79,914	693,942	15,403			2,004,072	79,914	3,413,173
Mexico		179,709	2,197	573,524	10,682	1,059,052	15,923	1,344,236	21,904	1,362,859
West Indies:										
British		50,938,076	1,017,994	29,878,382	683,458	172,236,869	3,189,949	125,919,100	2,446,706	127,245,474
Cuba		162,774,806	3,676,782	120,632,976	3,007,137	350,950,788	7,465,378	381,273,611	8,536,679	434,142,636
Other West Indies		43,446,020	878,426	54,220,973	1,314,689	167,350,059	2,588,465	128,464,253	2,479,283	145,012,080
Brazil		27,082,863	465,483	5,459,858	106,755	139,560,600	2,115,759	109,995,405	1,833,885	34,956,675
Other South America		6,902,103	156,157	12,668,585	276,336	214,158,217	4,415,101	171,139,020	3,531,543	208,706,685
China		7,695	121	41,556	732	267,039	5,635	304,718	4,720	340,831
East Indies		50,759,521	939,260	63,834,699	1,276,798	555,759,621	11,642,658	512,579,070	9,453,827	806,168,316
Hawaiian Islands		42,102,485	1,588,276	36,028,774	1,299,045	319,776,408	9,968,945	374,909,181	12,082,794	322,648,766
Philippine Islands						61,704,869	1,059,149	18,536,000	223,591	51,625,280
Other Asia and Oceania		256,380	6,683	2,999	53	165,528	3,072	285,848	7,236	3,412,015
Africa		8,978,409	219,836	49,301,476	1,238,899	81,508,814	1,745,945	61,578,169	1,315,155	145,428,297
Other countries										
Total		402,046,012	9,141,234	439,123,507	10,633,517	3,282,530,761	66,677,620	1,929,341,372	42,882,439	3,034,291,935
Above No. 16 Dutch standard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom		27,404	695	44,983	1,352	15,068,849	360,015	4,671,733	114,206	2,847,880
Austria-Hungary						8,351,849	196,624	375,633	11,852	934,638
France				3,307	188	26,195	1,346	6,693	324	18,451
Germany		2,981,933	68,351	105,410	2,967	59,879,766	1,435,441	28,191,628	665,118	12,190,826
Netherlands		1,100,000	28,605	200,000	5,256	42,671,905	1,144,403	32,728,997	807,933	6,844,824
China		250,000	6,494	364,797	10,106	7,245,070	209,424	5,352,755	133,846	6,480,522
Other countries		48,353	2,264	554,231	17,296	3,924,817	96,660	11,508,274	262,273	24,518,757
Total		4,407,690	106,409	1,272,728	37,165	137,168,481	3,443,922	82,835,713	1,994,652	53,835,898
Confectionery	dut..		1,487		1,419		26,107		23,330	
Sulphur ore (tons)	free..			21,626	57,217					240,544
										800,436

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Tea (pounds) free..	4,231,139	605,907			90,409,958	11,262,284	64,418,905	8,850,539		
Do			7,091,842	875,171					69,322,525	8,978,829
TEA (pounds) imported from:—										
United Kingdom	482,653	76,613	182,704	40,637	4,041,743	757,147	2,402,287	465,366	1,333,603	295,205
British North America	390,491	59,414	149,350	18,190	888,130	132,925	981,338	148,606	919,320	144,292
China	2,624,473	370,160	5,979,123	700,459	51,601,538	6,564,520	37,899,238	5,580,186	35,673,744	4,347,048
East Indies	211,501	24,614	296,573	35,392	1,958,966	250,288	1,966,677	239,661	1,665,895	252,372
Japan	512,786	73,728	478,678	79,537	31,501,900	3,500,809	20,891,112	2,386,056	28,490,822	3,906,812
Other Asia and Oceanica	8,939	1,243	5,211	678	570,341	48,741	276,026	29,916	1,199,496	29,607
Other countries	316	135	203	278	47,340	7,854	2,227	718	9,645	3,393
Total	4,231,139	605,907	7,691,842	875,171	90,409,958	11,262,284	64,418,905	8,850,539	69,322,525	8,978,829
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.										
(pounds)	4,519,023	611,070	11,719,499	2,343,964	40,323,529	5,204,422	47,385,517	6,465,821	59,409,982	9,953,394
TIN IN BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from:—										
United Kingdom	1,773,022	250,765	975,152	227,048	18,172,297	2,360,189	15,223,154	2,206,361	10,848,741	2,071,540
Netherlands	23,327	3,408	168,267	37,710	3,128,909	420,045	2,948,721	413,704	1,878,535	336,232
East Indies	2,623,064	342,583	10,459,185	2,061,417	16,509,148	2,100,081	27,705,428	3,642,108	45,761,755	7,400,125
Other Asia and Oceanica	89,600	12,766	78,440	14,254	1,770,577	229,273	1,370,486	184,801	571,541	94,255
Other countries	10,000	1,548	38,446	3,535	742,538	94,834	137,728	18,847	349,410	51,242
Total	4,519,023	611,070	11,719,499	2,343,964	40,323,529	5,204,422	47,385,517	6,465,821	59,409,982	9,953,394
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
LEAF (dutiable, pounds)—										
Suitable for cigar wrappers	952,288	917,117	302,580	301,459	4,332,254	3,793,550	2,117,827	1,986,755	2,702,039	2,844,838
Other	521,482	282,070	1,634,450	903,830	6,702,221	3,377,078	6,119,893	3,424,506	8,291,166	4,602,016
Total leaf	1,473,770	1,199,187	1,937,030	1,205,289	11,034,475	7,170,628	8,237,720	5,411,261	10,993,205	7,446,854
Imported from (pounds)—										
Germany	10,637	2,184	43,378	9,745	1,651,365	1,024,603	369,506	199,715	295,383	131,091
Netherlands	938,490	895,569	294,065	263,984	3,828,006	3,500,722	1,869,306	1,709,501	2,418,797	2,373,180
Other Europe	8,401	8,732	13,114	8,194	408,798	131,601	476,049	149,164	451,947	168,480
British North America	68,285	24,653	26,351	23,026	698,551	521,027	297,352	178,711	498,872	431,355
Mexico	25,169	12,077	4,951	770	643,505	250,878	422,797	214,485	580,068	212,916
Cuba	374,704	251,126	1,523,867	895,564	3,738,085	1,916,005	4,296,039	2,814,712	6,369,618	4,024,471
Other countries	48,084	4,846	30,704	4,006	125,765	25,792	506,671	145,173	378,520	105,361
Total	1,473,770	1,199,187	1,937,030	1,205,289	11,034,475	7,170,628	8,237,720	5,411,461	10,993,205	7,446,854
MANUFACTURES OF (dut., lbs.)—										
Cigars, cigarettes, etc	39,577	189,350	40,291	197,028	393,576	1,747,712	313,462	1,474,797	345,513	1,719,068
All other		3,207		6,023		41,692		41,344		52,751
Total manufactures		192,557		203,051		1,789,404		1,516,141		1,771,839
Toys dut..		61,127		45,192		2,392,554		1,763,816		1,861,728
Toys, imported from:—										
France		1,934		3,802		144,588		72,218		80,570
Germany		49,332		39,435		2,164,502		1,605,047		1,713,420
Other Europe		3,180		1,174		63,340		61,137		45,947
Other countries		6,681		781		23,124		25,414		21,791
Total		61,127		45,192		2,392,554		1,763,816		1,861,728
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):										
Beans and dried pease	14,445	11,428	12,048	11,060	488,970	450,450	150,149	140,018	167,798	149,910
Onions	101,692	116,729	155,113	122,960	270,676	296,797	174,095	156,405	330,900	250,665
Potatoes	169,784	85,967	302,067	151,531	179,559	102,833	860,220	332,749	406,457	222,376
Pickles and sauces		25,830		27,091		268,867		182,589		297,707
All other—										
In their natural state		12,705		24,103		238,318		223,942		284,565
Prepared or preserved		30,824		32,040		550,322		424,406		475,164
Total		283,533		368,785		1,907,587		1,400,109		1,680,387
Wines (dutiable):										
Champagne, and other sparkling (dozen)	16,867	247,686	26,890	301,835	194,120	2,833,035	192,406	2,808,655	222,805	2,991,646
STILL WINES—										
In casks (gallons)	283,199	195,009	209,061	144,617	2,476,046	1,693,263	1,442,177	1,022,177	1,067,690	1,140,637
In other coverings (dozen)	26,290	143,085	23,339	124,795	241,668	1,167,858	193,398	972,665	208,913	1,013,969
Total		585,780		571,247		5,694,156		4,803,497		5,146,252

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wines (dutyable)—Continued—										
Wines, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		13,170		18,456		172,519		190,600		138,631
France.....		340,059		369,446		3,410,858		3,169,223		3,426,533
Germany.....		124,498		111,587		1,171,095		661,582		741,354
Italy.....		21,895		16,050		236,507		184,848		176,178
Other Europe.....		83,349		52,599		667,569		570,461		617,028
Other countries.....		2,809		3,109		35,608		26,783		26,798
Total.....		585,780		571,247		5,694,153		4,803,497		5,146,252
Wood, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (M feet)—										
Cabinet woods—										
Mahogany.....free..	1,059	97,583	2,143	48,342	12,354	516,386	12,887	702,062	21,303	982,164
All other.....free..		61,793		79,654		414,891		703,529		665,824
Logs and round timbers.....free..	3,521	36,967	1,536	12,368	219,495	1,709,033	175,882	1,538,295	109,892	1,531,347
Timber, hewn, etc.....free..					2,453	41,612		815		22,416
Timber, hewn, etc. (cu. ft.).....dut..	12,007	1,117	6,378	695		395	92,506	12,200	85,327	11,504
Lumber (M feet)—										
Boards, planks, etc.....free..					601,790	6,259,230	107,953	1,055,126		
Do.....dut..	28,565	253,625	42,438	413,810	34	2,577	170,342	1,710,384	297,187	2,952,649
Shingles.....dut..	35,074	61,434	38,070	68,252			334,326	586,621	376,433	654,457
Other lumber.....dut..		88,717		87,388		12,355		595,653		695,967
All other unmanufact'd.....free..		148,113		134,254		3,631,944		1,916,968		1,570,353
Do.....dut..		296		482		23		12,576		17,621
MANUFACTURES OF (dutyable)—										
Cabinetware or house furniture.....		17,061		16,236		236,058		243,302		285,103
Wood pulp (tons).....	2,005	41,656	1,917	45,403	37,572	710,995	21,749	429,674	28,512	553,762
All other.....		120,337		155,122		1,454,007		1,183,324		1,317,286
Total wood, and mfrs. of.....		928,702		1,062,036		15,019,506		10,712,130		11,238,127
MAHOGANY (M feet), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	270	61,381	1,225	21,733	414	123,258	1,192	238,528	4,628	276,104
Central America.....	612	30,404			3,459	102,069	4,201	139,116	6,005	314,117
Mexico.....	135	3,220	871	24,326	6,990	252,940	6,203	268,626	8,949	298,842
Cuba.....					211	8,738	21	833	106	7,603
Other West Indies.....			29	1,935	424	27,021	125	8,821	938	48,933
South America.....	42	2,578	18	348	940	31,892	1,060	41,457	434	14,759
Other countries.....					6	468	85	4,681	243	21,806
Total.....	1,059	97,583	2,143	48,342	12,354	546,386	12,887	702,062	21,303	982,164
BOARDS, PLANKS, ETC. (M feet), imported from—										
British North America.....	28,561	252,996	42,354	406,815	601,614	6,260,141	278,220	2,763,189	293,595	2,902,304
Other countries.....	4	629	84	6,995	10	1,666	75	2,321	3,592	50,345
Total.....	28,565	253,625	42,438	413,810	601,824	6,261,807	278,295	2,765,510	297,187	2,952,649
WOOD PULP (tons), imported from—										
Germany.....	243	13,781	60	3,383	1,626	83,398	1,583	71,636	576	33,451
Other Europe.....	115	4,172	225	9,897	4,560	181,153	2,431	102,397	3,365	142,046
British North America.....	1,647	23,703	1,632	32,183	31,386	446,444	17,735	255,641	24,571	378,265
Total.....	2,005	41,656	1,917	45,463	37,572	710,995	21,749	429,674	28,512	553,762
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Class 1—clothing—										
In the grease.....free..					138,132,922	22,200,809	10,902,270	1,841,523		
Do.....dut..	5,715,751	935,655	1,963,622	252,828			26,774,005	4,527,239	8,990,367	1,337,979
Scoured.....free..					17,592,012	4,532,328	2,274,045	643,069		
Do.....dut..							107,570	23,701	175	12
Class 2—combing—										
In the grease.....free..					23,410,151	4,632,428	3,197,646	631,929		
Do.....dut..	33,822	8,360	357,073	88,375			885,539	188,103	1,747,579	483,356
Scoured.....free..					233,210	49,521	15,310	3,218		
Do.....dut..			670	98					1,187	196
Class 3—carpet—										
In the grease.....free..					87,222,140	9,216,370	5,186,116	473,820		
Do.....dut..	7,398,703	699,467	7,299,327	693,619			66,756,044	6,471,240	52,418,006	4,954,714
Scoured.....free..					491,780	94,837	2,197	208		
Do.....dut..							1,479	115	669	133
Total.....free..					267,082,215	40,726,293	21,577,584	3,593,767		
Total.....dut..	13,148,276	1,643,482	9,620,692	1,034,920			94,524,637	11,210,448	63,157,983	6,776,390
Total.....	13,148,276	1,643,482					116,102,221	14,804,215		

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
Wools (lbs.), imported from—										
Class 1—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	101,448	19,605	430,035	63,052	90,623,071	16,073,506	19,802,281	2,781,763	4,437,930	702,945
France.....	1,002	265			10,568,513	2,643,302	1,154,422	299,046	115,953	13,591
South America.....	1,915,779	243,615	1,216,456	141,929	24,358,491	3,235,245	6,115,506	751,489	1,883,192	218,275
Asia and Oceania.....	3,208,489	598,379	316,617	47,825	14,752,813	2,506,784	9,770,688	2,714,834	1,470,617	252,251
Other countries.....	489,033	73,791	514	22	15,422,046	2,274,300	3,214,993	468,450	1,082,850	150,929
Total.....	5,715,751	935,655	1,963,622	252,828	155,724,934	26,733,137	40,057,690	7,035,582	8,900,542	1,337,991
Class 2—										
United Kingdom.....	27,090	6,906	299,491	67,921	14,540,452	3,076,487	3,030,112	633,322	1,491,789	399,467
Other Europe.....	6,685	1,446	52,066	18,854	700,613	182,261	13,605	2,631	226,159	77,719
British North America.....	47	8	6,186	1,698	4,884,675	942,664	969,520	177,500	24,227	5,360
South America.....					3,495,167	476,898	81,896	9,598	1,485	106
Asia and Oceania.....					22,454	3,639			109	12
Other countries.....							3,262	199	4,997	883
Total.....	33,822	8,360	357,743	88,473	23,643,361	4,681,949	4,038,495	823,250	1,748,766	483,552
Class 3—										
United Kingdom.....	2,886,441	307,392	2,849,062	299,298	33,227,787	4,077,236	20,524,848	2,369,959	16,362,256	1,720,988
France.....	320,699	32,950	259,862	27,254	6,326,815	834,413	2,670,925	283,043	1,442,295	144,816
Germany.....	29,869	3,127	131,069	13,168	2,032,632	227,209	976,500	103,003	630,928	64,748
Other Europe.....	1,033,368	95,143	1,751,137	174,520	13,893,976	1,585,943	17,603,650	1,776,295	13,293,353	1,335,081
British North America.....					6,504	529	29,988	1,756		
South America.....	2,590,544	218,025	413,791	34,949	8,717,153	756,448	5,753,919	478,093	4,175,260	312,565
China.....	405,584	29,990	1,227,919	78,865	17,796,998	1,274,639	18,866,476	1,383,228	12,463,311	976,368
Other Asia and Oceania.....	72,134	7,764	574,203	54,988	5,690,834	552,335	5,106,367	515,615	3,655,138	362,248
Other countries.....	60,064	5,076	92,284	10,577	21,221	2,455	413,163	34,391	396,134	38,033
Total.....	7,398,703	699,467	7,299,327	693,619	87,713,920	9,311,207	71,945,836	6,945,383	52,418,675	4,954,847
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carbonized (pounds).....dut..					43,726	13,513				
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut..	54,399	172,542	57,402	165,851	376,698	588,699	483,838	1,418,631	535,612	1,476,045
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit fabrics.....dut..		38,408		46,366		834,367		700,665		735,966
Cloths (pounds).....dut..	197,803	169,480	197,296	189,560	21,500,600	13,101,828	4,646,264	3,588,710	3,552,300	3,405,430
Dress goods, women's and children's (square yards).....dut..	1,180,437	226,208	1,030,621	219,163	52,862,992	11,801,129	25,921,034	5,444,885	24,484,237	5,264,866
Knit fabrics.....dut..		20,700		27,541		1,952,040		342,800		592,749
Rags, noils, and wastes (pounds).....free.....					28,885,050	3,569,289	1,724,489	253,779		
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc. (pounds).....dut..	49,534	6,652	41,229	6,626	3,268,119	1,052,066	1,491,338	430,041	293,344	53,229
Shawls.....dut..		4,250		2,391		342,020		30,294		46,987
Yarns (pounds).....dut..	28,508	18,187	12,354	8,010	1,225,474	630,589	302,795	168,247	145,934	91,507
All other.....dut..		38,416		30,314		2,139,656		875,475		492,092
Total manufactures.....		694,843		695,822		36,025,196		13,253,527		12,158,871
CARPETS (sq. yds.), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	10,030	22,413	11,761	29,332	291,644	442,160	194,235	459,564	194,251	441,270
Other Europe.....	30,924	111,382	40,221	117,071	61,390	97,141	177,054	624,445	242,456	744,912
Japan.....	880	1,405			1,990	2,100	9,271	10,061	7,347	9,793
Other Asia and Oceania.....	11,261	31,643	5,248	19,233	21,069	46,969	84,096	259,062	90,115	273,930
Other countries.....	1,304	5,699	172	215	605	309	19,182	65,499	1,443	6,135
Total.....	54,399	172,542	57,402	165,851	376,698	588,699	483,838	1,418,631	535,612	1,476,045
CLOTH (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	137,627	110,052	122,799	118,809	18,073,396	10,031,590	3,817,232	2,796,172	2,398,967	2,304,103
Austria-Hungary.....	2,402	2,748	8,774	8,569	142,784	130,474	37,298	34,009	78,463	70,664
Belgium.....	2,816	2,786	20,595	17,098	427,079	350,154	85,054	72,546	124,219	112,645
France.....	6,592	9,207	3,455	5,285	348,524	374,492	97,539	105,890	184,452	207,056
Germany.....	48,061	44,432	41,332	39,489	2,485,890	2,196,297	599,250	571,133	751,815	698,731
Other Europe.....	27	79	307	274	11,969	8,966	3,247	2,769	7,594	6,212
Other countries.....	278	176	34	36	10,958	9,846	6,644	6,191	6,770	5,969
Total.....	197,803	169,480	197,296	189,560	21,500,600	13,101,828	4,646,264	3,588,710	3,552,300	3,405,430

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
DRESS GOODS (square yards), imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	723,681	116,689	616,455	111,279	20,030,458	3,820,072	11,590,734	2,028,382	11,232,586	2,017,234
France.....	205,387	56,752	219,051	62,970	17,306,303	4,126,706	6,340,493	1,474,666	6,615,189	1,736,470
Germany.....	247,952	51,635	195,004	44,830	15,078,374	3,734,884	6,650,532	1,906,308	6,538,111	1,488,161
Other Europe.....	1,966	675	74	69	445,634	118,798	1,337,049	34,724	97,952	22,851
Other countries.....	1,451	457	37	15	2,223	660	2,226	805	399	90
Total.....	1,180,437	226,208	1,030,621	219,163	52,862,992	11,801,129	25,021,034	5,444,885	24,484,237	5,264,866
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..	271,911	10,934	325,295	16,572	1,231,210	41,246	2,602,267	105,718	1,607,435	71,322
Manufactures of.....		1,893		1,773		16,392		9,509		14,809
Total.....		12,737		18,345		57,548		115,227		86,131
All other articles.....free.....		531,771		721,811		7,881,990		5,449,206		4,746,377
Do.....dut.....		435,194		484,139		6,551,435		4,840,071		4,489,826
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		24,443,855		20,501,258		304,676,276		243,150,448		242,752,665
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		31,502,555		35,693,229		296,112,968		263,040,324		322,469,721
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....		55,946,410		65,194,487		600,187,244		511,199,772		565,222,386
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES.....		52,365,324		61,787,143		567,872,496		479,719,198		520,905,068
IMPORTED THROUGH EXTERIOR PORTS, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT.....		3,581,086		3,407,344		32,316,748		31,480,574		35,317,318
ENTERED FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.....		44,575,511		54,699,844		520,378,386		437,367,083		475,152,738
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSE.....		11,370,899		10,524,643		79,810,858		73,832,689		90,069,648
BROUGHT IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		2,572,786		2,700,992		27,554,173		25,041,320		27,292,075
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....		6,281,183		7,033,033		59,228,496		60,360,698		41,623,439
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:										
Belgian.....		1,817,122		1,261,276		464,189,163		17,058,192		17,908,308
British.....		24,479,676		31,743,245				243,277,120		283,843,590
Dutch.....		2,284,325		1,639,898				16,386,246		17,301,070
French.....		2,830,767		3,449,738				30,979,395		42,856,378
German.....		4,917,960		6,565,338				51,846,361		66,626,289
Italian.....		32,359		102,630				174,224		748,621
Norwegian.....		1,771,239		2,458,328				9,271,061		15,015,030
All other.....		908,180		2,400,829				9,416,219		14,237,695
Total foreign steam.....		39,041,628		49,621,282				378,408,818		458,536,981
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS.....		3,754,792		2,450,865		25,746,772		22,633,032		17,156,287
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....						23,470,640		8		
British.....		2,504,172		2,481,746				15,286,200		13,256,274
Dutch.....		553,394						931,193		557,736
French.....				875				117,267		168,172
German.....		170,679		29,223				1,476,874		1,131,970
Italian.....		91,814		77,117				2,371,649		1,823,948
Norwegian.....		250,267		318,262				2,178,510		1,054,188
All other.....		716,695		481,092				2,394,203		2,621,316
Total foreign sailing.....		4,296,021		3,388,315				24,755,904		20,613,604

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Agricultural implements:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mowers and reapers, and parts of.....		968,246		1,729,408		2,274,549		3,474,199		6,141,723
Plows and cultivators, and parts of.....		81,420		218,072		505,514		727,712		1,284,376
All other, and parts of.....		242,858		271,113		1,242,342		955,153		1,425,027
Total.....		1,292,524		2,218,593		4,022,405		5,157,064		8,851,131
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		209,667		292,332		449,183		661,991		827,789
France.....		251,344		293,139		482,484		914,273		1,192,869
Germany.....		249,285		480,518		527,693		677,820		1,017,182
Other Europe.....		375,989		736,201		885,367		1,078,881		2,030,638
British North America.....		82,429		165,627		291,107		542,364		1,008,076
Central American States and British Honduras.....		181		128		31,482		14,394		5,902
Mexico.....		9,273		31,863		112,886		97,701		173,510
Santo Domingo.....		219		258		1,327		1,056		591
Cuba.....		147		7,204		1,216		7,817		21,051
Porto Rico.....		209		687		3,639		2,504		1,999
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		463		567		5,394		5,133		9,133
Argentina.....		26,266		79,606		370,026		334,601		1,378,034
Brazil.....		2,521		4,221		18,280		23,771		32,620
Colombia.....		279		64		3,234		2,948		1,436
Other South America.....		10,501		18,178		132,896		158,663		253,538
East Indies—British.....		562		94		6,967		7,531		6,648
British Australasia.....		58,358		90,889		304,122		407,908		575,016
Other Asia and Oceania.....		10,473		5,641		28,631		47,442		62,336
Africa.....		10,353		11,376		356,471		169,940		252,763
Other countries.....								323		
Total.....		1,292,524		2,218,593		4,022,405		5,157,064		8,851,131
Aluminum, and manufactures of.....		(a)		23,883		(a)		(a)		378,488
Animals:										
CATTLE (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	29,441	2,726,850	27,555	2,560,045	303,535	28,355,787	323,288	30,181,839	218,272	22,845,992
Other Europe.....					3,140	290,100				
British North America.....	122	4,383	441	15,745	1,275	67,690	12,767	894,049	2,073	105,761
Central American States and British Honduras.....					290	12,015	95	7,018	51	3,320
Mexico.....	616	16,765	84	4,565	540	23,806	1,489	58,680	1,955	85,810
West Indies and Bermuda.....	619	24,259	4,151	100,603	1,604	106,469	41,755	1,202,060	54,898	1,328,404
South America.....	2	82	4	2,250	38	2,737	235	6,902	223	5,193
Asia and Oceania.....	7	450	8	460	145	7,749	34	2,225	171	8,970
Other countries.....					1	350			74	11,373
Total.....	30,807	2,772,789	32,243	2,683,668	310,478	28,866,703	379,663	32,352,833	308,617	24,484,823
HOGS (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	292	3,000	20	125	66	539	1,030	7,987	20	125
British North America.....	116	913	110	509	3,306	16,462	3,903	24,441	970	5,372
Mexico.....	54	287	1,076	13,162	22,056	262,353	4,069	44,366	5,028	58,625
West Indies and Bermuda.....	30	310	2,977	17,209	11	104	1,461	11,536	10,791	59,395
South America.....	7	200	6	30			22	456	15	183
Asia and Oceania.....	60	400	554	3,155	2,402	12,465	3,540	18,193	5,944	32,110
Other countries.....					99	471	122	1,816	120	2,306
Total.....	559	5,110	4,743	34,181	28,030	292,394	14,147	108,795	22,838	158,116

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals—Continued.										
HORSES (number)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	1,848	254,500	2,395	308,400	15,374	2,036,166	18,394	2,550,098	17,192	2,518,570
France.....			1	280	23	8,500	72	9,000	683	97,580
Germany.....	660	91,350	493	79,450	3,755	643,400	6,697	985,350	4,637	665,115
Other Europe.....	1,210	124,900	813	83,000	3,190	355,565	6,315	644,295	3,954	401,200
British North America.....	693	52,362	1,487	85,295	2,863	372,277	6,540	569,506	8,037	529,178
Central American States and British Honduras.....	15	1,000	1	100	452	37,022	152	10,580	90	5,690
Mexico.....	111	8,666	82	7,845	1,636	69,583	1,265	75,100	1,028	69,879
West Indies and Bermuda.....	28	2,498	111	11,131	3,186	178,527	1,891	120,392	1,261	130,466
South America.....	7	1,050			170	11,655	21	5,700	27	3,839
Asia and Oceania.....	53	5,520	86	8,740	308	33,300	328	32,610	572	55,728
Africa.....			12	1,500	1	400	73	10,985	114	14,780
Total.....	4,625	541,546	5,481	585,741	30,958	3,746,395	41,748	5,022,706	37,595	4,498,925
Mules.....No.	1,088	76,936	390	30,180	6,293	463,204	7,370	621,754	5,111	395,501
SHEEP (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	26,662	194,400	16,063	118,215	129,052	942,701	116,115	831,093	76,239	549,110
Other Europe.....					3,751	34,408				
British North America.....	2,822	6,292	1,328	6,235	38,892	67,724	38,542	80,686	27,340	58,432
Mexico.....	145	822	103	824	4,628	11,877	2,211	9,110	3,224	11,492
West Indies and Bermuda.....	437	3,878	688	4,097	4,598	33,178	4,292	32,766	4,294	28,106
South America.....	155	1,157	128	950	1,149	8,403	1,214	10,134	1,055	7,770
Other countries.....			132	8,831	156	11,302	93	3,090	355	20,946
Total.....	30,221	206,609	18,442	139,152	182,826	1,109,591	162,467	972,879	112,507	675,856
All other, including fowls.....		16,471		21,701		42,279		237,707		273,058
Total animals.....		3,619,461		3,494,623		34,520,506		39,316,674		30,485,379
Art works: Paintings and statuary.....		14,885		20,309		202,879		188,780		251,600
Bark, and extract of, for tanning.....		21,824		50,790		196,420		272,183		295,383
Beeswax.....lbs.	12,616	3,556	14,208	4,093	(a)	(a)	133,989	36,956	99,387	26,800
Blacking:										
Stove polish.....		18,030		23,770				310,332		357,571
All other.....		35,800		48,410		322,930		292,512		345,598
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....		18,714		21,585		246,840		147,978		171,778
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
United Kingdom.....		65,826		61,688		779,308		715,473		658,979
France.....		1,718		3,406		35,001		26,186		30,105
Germany.....		7,129		11,766		93,018		88,918		96,734
Other Europe.....		4,150		5,198		32,510		54,758		51,558
British North America.....		54,851		72,657		517,078		596,629		711,198
Central American States and British Honduras.....		1,326		3,553		57,145		33,302		30,215
Mexico.....		4,017		6,829		145,632		111,467		48,545
Santo Domingo.....		12		546		1,240		455		9,572
Cuba.....		94		7,217		186,588		22,506		31,303
Porto Rico.....		10		2,128		2,818		1,332		12,657
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,731		1,289		22,849		21,988		25,492
Argentina.....		1,686		874		18,507		24,735		15,693
Brazil.....		6,105		2,087		84,361		150,725		41,235
Colombia.....		570		5,691		71,349		16,621		46,657
Other South America.....		407		1,836		47,987		35,634		112,883
China.....		1,029		1,403		13,902		14,321		22,830
East Indies—British.....		705		3,164		6,422		11,670		21,148
Japan.....		2,093		2,894		20,699		24,684		22,934
British Australasia.....		6,464		11,895		54,884		73,971		131,687
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,118		4,951		28,335		28,417		43,139
Africa.....		7,847		13,545		26,069		34,456		63,934
Other countries.....				30						45
Total.....		169,888		224,647		2,245,702		2,088,248		2,228,543
Brass, and manufactures of.....		84,167		141,764		945,202		1,105,964		1,040,709

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Barley.....bush..	480,024	276,649	97,703	68,374	16,724,219	6,564,600	10,638,151	5,249,416	1,905,903	1,201,504
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.....tons..	3,531	51,136	7,591	123,701	(a)	(a)	80,682	1,163,328	103,222	1,610,285
Bread and biscuit.....lbs..	1,220,461	61,358	1,485,317	80,684	12,497,757	572,244	13,643,036	652,169	13,751,226	673,275
Buckwheat.....bush..	142,659	65,027	129,881	82,316	61,668,446	675,082	1,340,214	572,818	1,500,786	826,113
CORN (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	7,527,179	2,693,465	5,379,286	2,236,818	66,311,725	20,117,327	68,066,775	23,602,512	56,497,938	22,581,465
France.....	587,996	215,539	678,758	276,312	5,614,795	1,672,652	8,465,059	2,859,703	4,292,633	1,685,457
Germany.....	3,980,749	1,452,957	2,809,078	1,176,342	27,999,750	8,718,640	29,525,876	10,324,417	26,937,238	10,698,014
Other Europe.....	6,135,309	2,255,106	3,215,675	1,331,823	35,966,114	10,580,965	39,695,189	13,793,580	36,767,435	14,000,315
British North America.....	4,344,326	1,516,775	1,059,475	399,400	8,103,306	2,156,189	15,105,053	4,803,661	14,844,437	5,284,528
Central American States and British Honduras.....	10,205	5,355	8,222	4,065	77,111	33,462	102,781	54,845	60,018	29,493
Mexico.....	3,676	1,514	26,885	9,992	8,334,151	3,058,328	118,883	41,146	87,171	34,596
Santo Domingo.....			250	119	937	329	409	166	354	168
Cuba.....	148,601	60,012	35,274	15,201	473,201	168,337	1,055,512	415,803	356,434	156,737
Porto Rico.....					200	76	200	80		
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	54,239	23,700	57,382	28,238	600,581	232,199	587,244	243,524	566,280	260,450
South America.....	2,267	1,022	4,473	2,244	31,249	11,323	89,019	35,169	42,324	19,784
Asia and Oceania.....	1,265	707	3,611	2,423	146,736	50,517	11,726	7,615	272,025	113,997
Africa.....	369,970	146,166	12,273	5,973	1,782,642	692,567	836,802	327,440	1,029,204	452,706
Other countries.....	300	105	1,146	539	4,060	1,277	3,896	1,418	4,964	2,213
Total.....	23,166,082	8,372,423	13,271,788	5,489,489	155,446,558	47,494,208	163,664,424	56,511,079	141,758,455	55,919,523
Corn meal.....bbls..	46,686	107,093	30,667	66,835	367,066	698,043	769,619	1,490,714	698,952	1,559,228
Oats.....bush..	4,447,149	1,470,452	1,385,922	478,348	28,279,914	6,947,532	55,976,712	16,048,522	21,537,258	6,813,691
Oatmeal.....lbs..	9,501,551	191,646	3,423,128	77,650	40,457,027	934,195	67,474,246	1,393,735	51,318,348	1,121,542
Rye.....bush..	1,178,570	694,306	180,332	113,780	6,184,274	2,646,980	11,724,140	6,298,646	8,915,558	5,143,932
Rye flour.....bbls..	297	1,296	239	749	1,827	5,261	2,688	8,829	4,061	12,413
WHEAT (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,989,303	7,044,619	3,080,685	2,304,854	50,255,950	37,577,820	68,405,324	63,040,025	64,619,935	47,734,649
France.....	1,877,230	1,941,404	40,000	30,480	209,522	141,512	20,685,501	20,130,415	2,111,861	1,571,331
Germany.....	206,437	203,778	230,560	173,650	2,781,078	1,829,323	2,604,571	2,447,344	9,661,701	7,181,822
Other Europe.....	956,777	975,303	1,127,896	868,334	7,344,590	5,393,997	19,520,961	18,464,224	37,671,011	28,622,531
British North America.....	429,897	426,203	80,993	54,386	3,943,289	2,640,131	4,476,964	4,312,797	6,786,474	4,975,760
Central American States and British Honduras.....	2,000	2,280	2,867	2,362	73,006	63,451	34,507	35,649	32,878	28,447
Mexico.....			170	107	40	32	45	41	7,082	5,143
West Indies and Bermuda.....	22	22	9	9	1,296	1,122	776	806	529	473
South America.....	86,491	83,037	80,020	49,250	164,082	153,204	1,676,928	1,533,383	258,624	190,393
British Australasia.....					1,760,108	1,473,417	102,316	85,395		
Other Asia and Oceania.....	47,064	26,789	6,247	4,507	993,654	766,969	68,116	57,251	22,298	17,229
Africa.....	439,994	400,606	11,312	9,786	2,904,055	2,511,253	5,231,958	4,588,009	2,384,566	1,790,198
Total.....	11,035,215	11,114,131	4,660,669	3,497,725	70,430,670	52,552,231	122,807,967	114,695,339	123,556,959	92,117,976
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	610,168	2,792,111	634,498	2,483,732	7,426,255	27,602,226	8,092,735	35,817,233	8,717,502	35,674,102
France.....	2,486	9,532	357	1,400	408	1,350	3,188	13,380	3,619	16,080
Germany.....	19,872	93,581	81,160	312,697	127,187	440,559	152,950	673,707	441,527	1,766,964
Other Europe.....	127,495	523,811	218,937	849,943	690,725	2,341,256	1,067,576	4,097,290	1,680,630	6,519,280
British North America.....	22,014	101,133	23,806	82,075	634,919	2,433,333	416,845	1,898,805	673,664	3,118,969
Central American States and British Honduras.....	22,284	108,057	24,010	88,807	223,988	933,511	207,847	958,578	213,632	852,399
Mexico.....	3,122	14,153	4,912	18,560	20,805	80,085	14,876	64,354	27,619	111,714
Santo Domingo.....	4,564	24,000	2,225	9,251	28,564	127,778	28,413	147,687	29,637	127,562
Cuba.....	13,943	65,995	33,576	113,044	118,528	497,862	245,293	1,160,736	353,035	1,383,267
Porto Rico.....	11,706	61,185	13,144	46,261	95,331	377,962	90,578	450,493	112,910	416,140
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	57,753	284,760	65,026	232,419	733,318	3,035,208	624,223	2,092,942	615,285	2,426,564
Brazil.....	42,026	211,530	74,670	301,739	692,895	3,104,966	564,861	2,780,899	683,731	2,838,983
Colombia.....	4,760	20,739	13,678	64,114	110,032	485,431	95,839	438,712	77,475	340,870
Other South America.....	27,413	127,971	39,024	137,375	324,569	1,271,638	315,616	1,464,606	312,135	1,159,987

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs—Continued.										
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....	2,940	14,195	4,520	15,825	13,720	51,928	17,600	81,309	24,176	89,984
East Indies: British.....	2,750	13,188	1,215	4,090	7,091	26,906	8,866	39,678	4,662	17,931
Hongkong.....	122,986	511,291	167,625	508,952	(a)	(a)	770,054	3,122,528	981,948	3,308,522
Japan.....	19,028	89,767	16,134	50,651	196,314	661,227	126,429	496,695	188,338	612,156
British Australasia.....	13,124	52,588			296,838	1,218,997	31,878	127,260	79,729	296,874
Other Asia and Oceania.....	23,570	99,413	43,367	133,702	923,806	3,345,764	89,325	391,239	171,108	587,661
Africa.....	49,452	236,653	20,872	75,535	197,002	878,027	264,874	1,198,592	314,115	1,241,479
Other countries.....	2,602	13,010	2,602	9,708	9,549	57,406	8,441	40,175	15,416	55,832
Total.....	1,206,058	5,469,663	1,485,358	5,539,880	12,871,844	48,953,420	13,238,910	58,457,168	15,721,893	62,963,329
Preparations of, for table food.....		109,152		133,329		3,860,321		1,426,266		1,838,347
All other.....		164,479		128,688				1,392,495		1,369,134
Total breadstuffs.....		28,148,811		15,880,948		171,913,117		265,365,521		233,170,722
Bricks:										
Building.....M.	725	4,723	1,474	15,017	3,645	22,816	3,827	25,357	5,015	43,834
Fire.....		17,422		14,682		86,953		100,294		145,256
Total.....		22,145		29,699		109,769		125,651		189,090
Broomcorn.....		16,170		13,995		110,980		129,407		164,827
Brooms and brushes.....		11,902		25,481		151,100		136,472		158,649
Candles.....lbs.	526,335	35,957	277,598	24,303	2,275,134	185,765	2,636,882	192,421	2,756,663	214,616
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
For steam railways.....		243,168		256,261		602,582		1,262,655		1,186,277
For other railways.....		11,983		13,874				185,671		460,833
All other carriages, and parts of, except cycles.....		157,529		214,929		1,597,936		1,383,648		1,665,309
Total.....		412,680		485,064		2,200,518		2,832,014		3,312,419
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		45,557		66,414		466,001		482,348		658,712
France.....		1,776		26,976		16,242		48,811		86,069
Germany.....		8,168		11,214		47,151		65,510		85,186
Other Europe.....		9,122		3,632		28,090		48,435		55,003
British North America.....		11,517		181,294		100,668		142,523		420,587
Central American States and British Honduras.....		4,786		2,679		129,065		35,243		35,454
Mexico.....		18,824		46,907		319,622		469,431		380,361
Santo Domingo.....		132		762		12,924		23,374		21,687
Cuba.....		4,230		8,161		3,993		22,194		97,948
Porto Rico.....		365		1,953		8,502		5,821		4,417
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		7,869		7,926		94,298		62,350		78,790
Argentina.....		8,592		56,558		120,313		194,403		497,007
Brazil.....		213,535		4,825		162,434		507,606		103,245
Colombia.....		1,698		1,507		47,930		36,336		22,657
Other South America.....		2,250		2,583		36,038		69,114		46,827
China.....		8,313		50		1,632		28,603		10,745
East Indies: British.....		868		1,035		6,934		8,382		13,246
Japan.....						1,371		10,107		6,035
British Australasia.....		21,452		34,832		283,764		273,254		309,121
Other Asia and Oceania.....		3,970		22,357		40,479		49,092		183,663
Africa.....		39,656		3,169		332,159		249,077		195,659
Other countries.....						8				
Total.....		412,680		485,064		2,200,518		2,832,014		3,312,419

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		293,516		118,719		1,824,048		1,435,941		727,056
France.....		76,037		84,138		186,708		354,064		404,218
Germany.....		190,309		163,220		666,591		1,383,511		955,510
Other Europe.....		118,440		156,038		884,895		753,627		1,204,374
British North America.....		152,870		89,020		523,515		418,025		427,432
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		445		49		50,772		6,952		4,733
Mexico.....		5,825		6,788		60,782		53,566		42,804
Santo Domingo.....		196		27		4,220		1,134		253
Cuba.....		304		4,965		2,055		9,214		13,066
Porto Rico.....		713		394		3,645		3,359		2,345
Other West Indies and Bermuda		5,606		5,143		106,020		63,127		54,176
Argentina.....		8,769		32,170		36,061		72,463		181,901
Brazil.....		9,351		1,907		21,504		80,237		48,599
Colombia.....		440		931		19,384		14,691		6,650
Other South America.....		2,996		4,275		62,551		42,245		42,354
China.....		1,593		1,447		11,444		24,606		21,787
East Indies: British.....		22,075		11,854		13,435		68,725		137,604
Hongkong.....		547		685		(a)		5,597		7,015
Japan.....		6,979		4,042		31,357		72,228		103,248
British Australasia.....		9,182		16,746		612,646		267,307		224,664
Other Asia and Oceania.....		9,895		8,573		51,594		58,175		62,373
Africa.....		10,903		16,170		105,277		161,208		156,436
Other countries.....		75		40				620		616
Total.....		927,066		727,341		5,283,504		5,353,532		4,829,214
Total carriages, cars, etc.....		1,339,746		1,212,405		7,484,022		8,185,546		8,141,633
Celluloid, and manufactures of.....		14,172		13,681		(b)		117,862		141,204
Cement.....bbls..	2,037	3,871	10,173	20,158	27,857	51,297	40,469	70,369	50,420	104,003
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines (pounds):										
Acids.....		6,155		17,536		85,162		89,212		184,857
Ashes, pot and pearl.....	25,482	1,266	20,180	946	412,900	18,136	489,710	19,402	651,373	25,877
Copper, sulphate of.....	1,774,443	56,406	5,756,046	252,474	(c)	(c)	13,276,526	427,215	21,255,037	882,606
Dyes and dyestuffs.....		43,925		33,408		378,054		343,598		407,889
Ginseng.....	7,058	24,457	12,966	42,160	166,966	794,934	165,869	613,536	190,980	759,795
Lime, acetate of.....	3,047,814	44,022	4,053,326	59,303	(c)	(c)	29,809,915	428,476	39,773,620	562,915
Medicines, patent or proprietary.....		185,714		261,503		1,842,370		2,030,651		2,159,844
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s.....		8,000		9,818		132,642		115,150		149,994
All other.....		427,588		421,280		4,931,373		3,792,275		3,923,978
Total.....		797,624		1,098,437		8,182,611		7,870,424		9,057,755
Cider.....galls..	94,528	12,498	48,497	6,404	(b)	(b)	390,821	50,538	480,795	62,827
Clocks and watches:										
Clocks, and parts of.....		88,389		108,350		815,153		794,416		845,433
Watches, and parts of.....		80,920		64,870		677,428		639,796		720,593
Total.....		169,309		173,220		1,492,586		1,434,212		1,566,026
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		65,287		70,199		500,961		543,048		546,479
France.....				500		10,365		11,219		2,338
Germany.....		1,348		1,361		13,440		8,761		11,950
Other Europe.....		3,583		5,280		27,373		30,130		28,478
British North America.....		52,192		40,882		307,900		266,649		351,074
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		1,201		274		11,341		6,582		2,295
Mexico.....		1,464		3,217		22,232		17,030		23,861
West Indies and Bermuda.....		669		2,149		10,590		10,043		11,231
Argentina.....		541		3,293		31,835		24,345		21,432
Brazil.....		7,846		3,373		55,399		37,563		58,097

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America		4,855		7,324		88,459		75,178		77,796
China		693		174		23,805		16,956		12,894
East Indies: British		2,153		9,367		31,356		41,290		62,801
Japan		14,201		1,346		142,317		138,893		123,316
British Australasia		6,721		16,023		142,626		120,320		156,364
Other Asia and Oceanica		1,485		3,359		18,213		22,047		22,243
Africa		5,038		5,065		54,239		63,861		51,336
Other countries		32		32		85		279		41
Total		169,309		173,220		1,492,586		1,434,212		1,566,026
Coal and coke:										
COAL (tons)—										
Anthracite	42,655	186,032	71,244	287,212	1,050,166	4,703,968	1,080,743	4,894,877	1,205,419	5,012,368
Bituminous	236,182	511,490	316,566	611,636	1,926,675	4,265,460	2,167,434	4,601,301	2,865,066	5,921,167
Total coal	278,837	697,522	387,810	898,848	2,977,841	8,969,428	3,248,177	9,496,178	4,070,485	10,933,535
Exported to (tons)—										
United Kingdom					45	191	53	550	7,891	30,469
France			1,000	2,295	779	3,985	2,057	11,322	1,010	2,395
Germany					198	470	37	156	27	158
Other Europe			6,295	26,202	3,627	26,153	5,904	37,341	26,535	73,302
British North America	197,535	485,902	242,194	576,818	2,437,571	7,433,275	2,592,792	7,746,990	2,883,393	8,174,453
Central American States and										
British Honduras	228	688	340	914	6,412	24,252	5,498	18,744	3,870	10,538
Mexico	31,705	88,089	51,678	115,636	170,608	513,899	250,370	741,154	265,387	1,003,489
Santo Domingo	54	433	476	1,434	5,299	23,401	2,734	9,284	3,817	11,019
Cuba	13,543	30,368	42,493	78,472	207,707	526,819	208,124	459,805	292,401	565,188
Porto Rico			2,916	7,611	18,072	46,230	9,766	21,014	21,131	42,998
Other West Indies and Bermuda	27,110	59,652	21,467	46,955	100,209	261,358	130,582	305,958	190,104	402,798
Brazil	3,361	18,484			11,249	60,573	11,875	61,546	43,190	130,745
Colombia			964	1,464	8,683	19,064	12,209	32,434	7,663	32,005
Other South America	10	45	663	1,756	6,283	23,743	5,432	17,640	80,531	156,945
Asia and Oceanica	2,290	7,857	17,309	39,236	625	4,206	6,193	19,266	91,269	202,467
Other countries	3,001	6,004	10	55	474	1,809	4,551	9,974	52,266	94,566
Total coal	278,837	697,522	387,810	898,848	2,977,841	8,969,428	3,248,177	9,496,178	4,070,485	10,933,535
Coke	22,191	64,062	21,012	62,859	126,116	446,138	181,617	519,663	167,469	499,396
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate		8,427		14,147		99,397		116,507		159,189
Copper, and manufactures of:										
ORE (tons)—										
United Kingdom	741	44,880	138	17,913	13,517	1,826,108	4,830	478,359	1,593	176,630
Germany							2	300		
Other countries	100	10,590	372	41,000	1,041	170,215	1,838	200,926	3,695	225,540
Total	841	55,380	510	58,913	14,558	1,996,323	6,670	679,585	5,288	402,170
INGOTS, BARS, PLATES, AND OLD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	9,623,572	1,073,225	5,409,343	880,841	60,988,530	6,536,936	56,931,390	6,299,842	67,097,319	8,694,911
France	3,162,124	350,648	4,397,496	748,366	47,956,750	5,336,649	53,803,984	5,955,933	43,059,892	5,850,284
Germany	3,137,947	342,757	4,485,731	802,273	21,995,904	2,444,703	25,000,068	2,732,355	37,277,990	4,967,368
Other Europe	6,913,946	763,254	5,000,699	826,456	92,829,395	10,216,281	95,406,707	10,486,488	79,516,330	10,230,634
British North America	191,675	21,688	70,544	9,077	299,591	32,500	922,411	100,618	1,039,614	128,594
Mexico	61,378	7,639	20,790	3,450	91,379	10,471	155,253	18,705	186,992	24,432
Other countries			33	6	22,113	2,683	45,330	5,358	142,699	19,213
Total	23,090,642	2,559,211	19,334,636	3,270,469	224,183,572	24,580,223	232,265,143	25,599,299	228,320,836	29,915,436
Manufactures of		100,406		123,633		725,600		889,569		1,229,473
Total copper and manufactures of, not including ore		2,659,617		3,394,102		25,305,823		26,488,868		31,144,909
Cork, manufactures of		1,243		2,262		(a)		36,291		46,955

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
UNMANUFACTURED—										
Sea Island.....	bales .. 2,094	149,353	4,987	332,742	52,100	3,808,160	35,960	2,468,872	33,635	2,206,079
	lbs..... 827,187		1,899,300		20,291,250		14,052,024		13,166,847	
Upland and other.....	bales .. 468,701	14,063,693	261,682	8,102,355	5,741,623	212,619,726	6,914,665	208,237,177	6,753,307	189,341,659
	lbs..... 238,492,962		132,498,078		2,893,354,803		3,516,459,601		3,465,260,538	
Total.....	bales .. 470,795	14,213,046	266,669	8,435,097	5,793,723	216,427,886	6,950,634	210,756,049	6,786,942	191,547,738
	lbs..... 239,320,149		134,397,328		2,913,646,053		3,530,511,625		3,478,427,385	
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	bales .. 228,738	6,982,343	102,383	3,407,167	2,986,197	112,671,011	3,150,222	96,405,289	3,295,550	93,727,469
	lbs..... 116,937,522		52,555,781		1,504,198,287		1,612,091,161		1,707,242,462	
France.....	bales .. 32,225	934,416	18,395	539,184	674,348	24,954,364	769,390	23,000,421	680,434	18,945,029
	lbs..... 16,310,145		9,100,345		342,757,779		394,409,361		351,536,626	
Germany.....	bales .. 87,905	2,567,149	31,192	940,070	1,212,041	45,537,459	1,718,937	50,913,913	1,567,732	43,071,599
	lbs..... 44,157,221		15,566,547		622,005,373		854,768,723		793,454,167	
Other Europe.....	bales .. 99,657	2,967,279	82,511	2,464,701	731,793	26,956,606	959,517	28,783,131	978,228	27,361,958
	lbs..... 50,240,383		40,487,045		362,663,314		480,814,910		480,038,696	
British North Amer-ica.....	bales .. 5,061	159,149	2,826	89,475	70,919	2,792,895	115,809	3,771,132	90,643	2,763,611
	lbs..... 2,533,200		1,420,505		35,655,665		58,112,264		45,874,096	
Mexico.....	bales .. 2,227	69,974	2,970	92,229	28,978	1,213,737	38,203	1,274,370	33,683	1,033,590
	lbs..... 1,166,272		1,531,424		14,825,154		20,474,796		17,937,477	
South America.....	bales ..				40	1,497				
	lbs.....				19,020					
Japan.....	bales .. 13,182	471,217	26,336	900,561	59,139	2,289,926	181,406	6,314,928	136,329	4,510,543
	lbs..... 7,046,737		13,707,648		31,313,868		95,609,091		71,778,701	
Other Asia and Oceania.....	bales .. 1,800	61,519	56	1,710	250	9,742	8,132	292,212	4,338	133,752
	lbs..... 928,579		28,000		139,178		4,222,766		2,062,664	
Other countries.....	bales ..				18		18	653	5	187
	lbs.....				8,415		8,553		2,496	
Total unmanufactured.....	bales .. 470,795	14,213,046	266,669	8,435,097	5,793,723	216,427,886	6,950,634	210,756,049	6,786,942	191,547,738
	lbs..... 239,320,149		134,397,328		2,913,646,053		3,530,511,625		3,478,427,385	
Waste.....	lbs..... 1,730,081	59,673	1,378,647	61,085	(a)	(a)	9,300,427	378,906	12,435,014	460,593
MANUFACTURES OF—										
CLOTHS (yards)—										
Colored.....	6,913,640	351,060	8,171,432	401,962	64,026,383	3,868,097	64,805,043	3,415,624	90,259,795	4,301,941
Uncolored.....	17,599,242	786,541	23,580,455	1,054,617	184,271,554	10,176,978	152,978,727	7,389,822	240,361,026	10,895,055
Total.....	24,512,882	1,138,501	31,751,887	1,456,579	248,297,942	14,045,075	217,783,770	10,805,446	330,620,821	15,196,996
Exported to (yards)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,260,811	76,623	234,012	26,785	9,643,771	723,474	8,845,700	604,184	9,458,222	582,562
France.....	7,107	775	1,122	236	201,710	10,533	160,852	8,580	15,429	1,596
Germany.....	25,958	4,685	30,156	2,826	1,501,234	84,700	354,505	34,111	203,258	22,749
Other Europe.....	156,599	9,830	83,936	5,255	573,970	51,969	1,089,779	73,815	1,098,657	69,363
British North America.....	1,202,941	61,694	987,514	51,661	27,324,819	1,647,062	10,442,023	593,718	15,582,632	739,982
Central American States and British Honduras.....	886,911	41,677	1,122,951	47,793	9,431,182	502,334	6,749,183	324,953	10,399,070	434,510
Mexico.....	634,761	38,634	835,341	46,500	4,466,772	298,989	5,508,193	342,381	6,822,602	394,296
Santo Domingo.....	468,734	21,657	598,323	23,386	1,652,721	83,660	1,946,392	90,450	3,260,632	136,599
Cuba.....	10,550	969	1,337,655	68,186	251,803	20,870	138,662	12,163	5,393,444	269,793
Porto Rico.....	1,350	128	583,366	23,956	103,682	6,264	22,878	2,206	1,584,670	66,344
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		46,759	1,360,251	69,400	11,796,665	700,029	11,995,809	704,137	15,624,559	787,460
Argentina.....	305,792	14,558	194,675	12,607	3,159,889	259,863	2,235,809	152,934	2,479,014	164,911
Brazil.....	960,799	59,454	729,361	43,850	7,024,086	569,080	6,980,807	456,861	7,925,632	458,083
Colombia.....	379,479	17,164	689,748	27,651	5,577,731	307,682	4,746,545	232,996	6,424,049	301,939
Other South America.....	1,041,916	53,046	2,018,413	98,170	23,026,052	1,205,850	18,227,523	875,294	27,505,290	1,187,469
China.....	10,953,693	466,524	12,891,842	564,487	101,413,549	5,596,734	88,944,369	4,050,935	171,929,748	7,627,564
East Indies: British.....	1,340,442	58,410	118,897	6,151	2,666,710	147,643	12,486,483	583,803	5,480,343	262,499
Hongkong.....			3,760	572			198,113	19,715	458,305	39,303
Japan.....	295,674	14,661	18,431	1,638	2,318,254	129,342	519,999	39,709	517,724	32,205

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b Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1898.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CLOTHS, colored and uncolored—Continued										
Exported to (yards)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British Australasia	109,260	9,597	387,116	33,536	584,593	60,072	815,938	85,491	1,065,353	175,742
Other Asia and Oceania	3,199,392	123,362	6,395,159	253,542	21,384,395	1,169,409	22,514,570	975,540	29,369,905	1,151,980
Africa	371,884	16,937	1,041,447	45,487	11,140,413	525,803	12,752,997	536,174	7,058,673	285,683
Other countries	25,734	1,357	38,411	2,904	53,941	3,653	100,641	5,296	63,610	4,364
Total cloths	34,512,882	1,138,501	31,751,887	1,456,579	248,297,942	14,045,075	217,783,770	10,805,446	330,620,821	15,195,966
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—										
Wearing apparel		97,579		129,783		721,570		729,429		1,021,068
Waste, cop and mill	617,905	23,971	877,415	43,032		2,384,063	5,600,391	223,135	6,017,276	263,968
All other		220,921		291,156				2,043,429		2,454,309
Total		342,471		454,973		3,105,633		2,995,993		3,739,345
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		39,666		43,517		399,607		295,510		370,171
France		473		1,512		7,549		3,856		18,550
Germany		8,822		12,909		175,463		147,385		107,059
Other Europe		6,420		19,916		41,946		55,210		81,534
British North America		151,242		190,506		1,105,736		1,351,124		1,573,078
Central American States and										
British Honduras		20,575		18,285		198,302		171,722		174,878
Mexico		26,953		41,450		298,735		262,475		326,609
Santo Domingo		2,075		1,167		28,004		17,895		24,910
Cuba		2,703		21,186		38,539		11,715		81,369
Porto Rico		298		5,972		4,410		1,678		16,681
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda		9,489		9,065		71,736		84,143		104,195
Argentina		466		6,207		56,298		25,497		60,071
Brazil		5,296		2,563		60,047		44,779		35,609
Colombia		3,078		3,468		42,559		33,982		37,196
Other South America		2,923		8,480		45,451		30,234		44,844
China		598		1,854		9,621		5,685		17,756
East Indies: British		80		269		3,592		1,409		2,356
Hongkong		195		1,152		(a)		7,785		14,623
British Australasia		12,077		14,692		152,345		120,788		167,178
Other Asia and Oceania		39,865		39,256		305,784		266,232		319,590
Africa		7,619		9,157		50,451		41,169		95,705
Other countries		2,158		2,390		9,548		6,670		5,323
Total other manufac-		342,471		454,973		3,105,633		2,995,993		3,739,345
tures of										
Total manufactures of		1,480,972		1,911,552		17,150,708		13,801,439		18,936,341
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
Earthen and stone ware		14,460		35,123		126,827		156,421		239,791
China ware		2,451		3,469		22,135		25,329		30,123
Total		16,911		38,592		148,962		181,750		269,914
Eggs	344,847	43,890	576,485	83,646	812,294	121,379	2,612,445	426,371	2,624,419	474,401
Feathers		19,325		13,807		(b)		124,877		172,323
Fertilizers (tons):										
Phosphates, crude			91,138	738,396					625,414	4,773,018
All other	40,942	348,660	5,669	112,407	395,869	3,758,374	399,976	3,597,802	29,325	748,120
Total	40,942	348,660	96,807	850,803	395,869	3,758,374	399,976	3,597,802	654,739	5,521,138
Exported to—										
United Kingdom	2,553	25,530	16,257	113,936	111,738	710,525	88,894	702,483	137,519	911,618
France	3,535	17,200	10,367	39,983	21,204	178,132	14,664	78,680	60,261	418,794
Germany	16,764	134,090	34,396	328,323	149,912	1,485,281	152,199	1,445,801	205,021	1,912,153
Other Europe	13,810	116,545	29,985	248,076	96,997	970,952	117,535	896,945	198,464	1,546,004
British North America	995	19,519	1,969	43,822	4,009	80,192	4,162	89,652	5,745	119,211
Central American States and										
British Honduras	1	40	1	26	4	121	1	40	1	26

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b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fertilizers—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico	5	141			10	253	16	431	26	905
West Indies and Bermuda	366	9,622	162	6,020	3,029	69,410	2,232	47,156	4,057	72,102
South America					88	1,268	74	3,279	3	144
Asia and Oceania	913	25,973	3,670	70,617	8,685	258,409	19,989	330,467	43,357	535,635
Other countries					193	3,831	210	2,868	285	4,546
Total	40,942	348,660	96,807	850,803	395,869	3,758,374	399,976	3,597,802	654,739	5,521,138
Fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses, manufactures of:										
Bags		47,798		20,425		404,715		426,750		351,108
Cordage	836,895	52,730	1,222,102	106,248	8,673,349	484,103	8,522,234	464,934	7,151,169	598,584
Twine		91,621		115,159		694,410		798,017		881,967
All other		28,764		67,109		281,495		251,021		378,428
Total		220,913		308,932		1,864,723		1,940,722		2,210,087
Fish:										
Fresh, other than salmon	182,414	5,626	219,901	7,191	976,051	54,483	1,088,510	43,801	1,264,204	46,777
DRIED, SMOKED, OR CURED—										
Cod, haddock, hake, and pol- lock	473,057	17,198	940,364	37,016	9,130,651	341,372	6,802,425	257,638	7,917,311	317,322
Herring	177,627	3,845	237,329	5,074	4,881,334	93,503	3,275,641	65,435	2,558,361	55,366
Other	17,000	1,037	60,990	2,681	580,815	31,311	932,231	38,547	704,657	33,036
PICKLED—										
Mackerel	82	1,041	60	783	2,602	25,513	1,233	13,187	839	10,412
Other	1,005	2,685	1,693	5,986	20,960	77,406	18,707	69,314	11,473	48,918
SALMON—										
Canned	584,508	55,467	316,282	26,309	34,633,444	3,152,248	26,051,199	2,457,526	29,403,365	2,834,632
Other, fresh or cured		10,475		9,356		268,978		312,494		290,874
Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish		9,843		11,465		181,768		122,772		105,171
Caviare		9,789		4,803		(a)		69,597		123,992
SHELLFISH—										
Oysters		107,575		148,067		574,183		547,912		666,787
Other		22,701		31,055		250,994		234,014		207,561
All other fish and fish products		3,577		933		(a)		17,162		9,570
Total		250,859		290,739		5,060,759		4,249,399		4,750,436
Fruits and nuts:										
Apples, dried	2,704,517	161,594	260,389	18,585	28,206,406	1,233,164	28,324,692	1,732,946	18,847,237	1,219,980
Apples, green or ripe	25,547	87,217	8,561	31,978	1,500,985	2,365,337	602,488	1,673,473	378,769	1,205,709
Oranges		48,306		41,629		(b)		209,008		242,971
Praunes	370,714	21,605	137,560	7,630	(b)	(b)	15,378,253	989,819	5,461,026	372,716
Raisins	197,195	8,265	73,574	5,007	(b)	(b)	2,855,729	155,949	3,856,990	201,034
All other, green, ripe, or dried		91,450		70,174		1,938,187		1,760,987		1,760,434
FRUITS, PRESERVED—										
Canned		84,933		40,713		1,631,787		1,563,925		2,234,465
Other		6,401		2,366		40,742		67,067		59,364
Nuts		12,242		12,699		101,781		131,947		115,476
Total		522,013		230,761		7,310,998		8,285,121		7,412,149
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		174,087		37,348		3,645,607		3,343,553		3,264,967
France		53,566		16,468		286,122		653,293		673,211
Germany		34,302		6,356		1,005,808		1,370,883		853,960
Other Europe		100,898		22,725		999,164		1,086,444		908,867
British North America		93,543		92,057		614,675		898,653		889,313
Central American States and British Honduras		2,022		1,884		49,315		32,339		22,912
Mexico		3,466		6,867		64,173		47,548		67,048
Santo Domingo				102		2,293		1,347		1,729
Cuba		1,237		2,768		43,886		38,175		55,018
Porto Rico		24		278		4,009		2,348		3,744

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other green, ripe, or dried fruit" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other West Indies and Bermuda		3,393		3,835		50,865		49,203		48,353
Argentina		565		2,768		4,379		7,660		14,097
Brazil		494		1,161		10,805		10,723		15,558
Colombia		1,211		768		8,295		9,307		6,573
Other South America		1,104		2,064		31,629		21,792		19,310
China		2,867		2,690		13,004		28,591		21,321
East Indies: British		1,355		1,705		12,158		11,206		11,622
Hongkong		3,463		3,947		(a)		33,229		63,191
British Australasia		20,430		3,588		295,915		282,488		247,279
Other Asia and Oceanica		12,603		13,093		97,278		75,527		124,150
Africa		9,328		8,231		71,414		74,945		98,902
Other countries		32		78		204		772		1,024
Total fruits and nuts		522,013		230,781		7,310,998		8,285,121		7,412,149
Furniture of metal		1,560		31,735		(b)		16,903		133,110
Furs and fur skins:										
United Kingdom		217,617		185,423		2,148,479		1,794,767		1,779,481
France		80		2,500		1,000		15,453		43,790
Germany		131,965		78,250		516,798		483,653		447,081
Other Europe		7,493		4,947		3,413		14,927		11,215
British North America		18,263		34,449		228,662		250,014		380,210
Other countries		8,077		201		8,950		20,725		5,193
Total		383,495		305,770		2,907,251		2,678,939		2,666,970
Glass and glassware:										
Window glass		1,996		2,318		10,339		20,543		27,900
All other		99,216		164,745		980,741		991,249		1,182,266
Total		101,212		167,063		991,080		1,011,792		1,210,166
Glucose or grape sugar	20,195,224	303,136	20,533,225	333,133	153,828,449	2,127,377	149,634,481	2,182,755	182,033,992	2,881,380
Glue	250,462	24,000	174,070	16,864	1,218,252	114,608	1,861,315	164,699	2,043,929	190,792
Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock		231,757		234,323		1,728,340		1,567,936		2,090,685
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
Gunpowder	35,584	5,056	155,464	19,400	880,679	94,468	1,045,129	117,732	1,205,022	147,241
Cartridges and other		122,950		178,112		1,172,261		1,091,978		1,141,581
Total		128,006		197,512		1,266,729		1,209,710		1,288,822
Hair, and manufactures of		52,090		42,431		446,510		521,855		419,949
Hay	7,784	110,802	7,190	103,377	49,907	681,660	67,101	944,375	56,328	746,527
Hides and skins, other than furs (pounds):										
United Kingdom	22,936	2,523	82,090	9,330	1,947,573	129,957	305,951	28,305	273,351	28,456
France	126,000	12,801			4,366,816	359,883	534,211	50,509	248,151	25,773
Germany	546,578	40,030	478,222	43,067	7,336,172	573,597	4,111,280	321,886	4,404,458	374,057
Other Europe			667	200	1,649,500	152,600	237,689	38,074	477,222	65,484
British North America	186,554	19,961	186,911	20,475	11,647,021	805,361	4,600,147	414,077	3,572,343	329,255
Central American States and British Honduras										
Mexico	1,250	210	2,102	256	12,935	1,411				
West Indies and Bermuda					260,016	27,101	14,536	1,994	10,393	1,841
Japan			3,730	650	4,069	554	472	73	3,103	468
Other Asia and Oceanica					28,808	1,892			4,975	875
Africa	1,255	190			13,600	1,385				
Other countries					135,700	9,000	25,235	1,930		
Total	884,573	75,715	753,722	73,978	27,402,210	2,072,741	9,833,271	857,239	8,997,596	826,739
Honey		12,316		974		19,614		93,538		52,160

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

b Not enumerated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hops (pounds):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	278,902	43,638	479,505	80,411	9,699,980	1,137,835	15,480,567	2,419,957	18,090,980	3,150,626
Other Europe.....			37,201	5,585			575	80	657,684	115,798
British North America.....	13,600	1,488	10,051	1,307	324,501	28,255	251,288	31,196	444,878	58,456
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,320	220	3,660	523	21,126	2,504	18,443	2,861	23,520	3,346
Mexico.....	3,484	512	580	84	373,791	44,121	237,294	31,951	15,812	2,047
Santo Domingo.....			25	4	2,910	287	122	19	288	42
Cuba.....					1,616	178	3,097	389	5,058	1,132
Porto Rico.....	50	7			2,005	220	495	54	574	81
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	898	103	303	42	6,495	681	5,459	620	3,757	445
South America.....	743	111	2,691	471	9,587	1,168	7,873	1,148	11,443	1,819
East Indies: British.....	1,290	175	2,760	385	36,169	2,824	27,008	3,760	85,406	11,382
British Australasia.....	69,810	9,751	13,430	1,745	512,490	42,720	574,414	79,244	748,483	112,695
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,000	145	4,820	609	30,348	2,762	22,298	2,884	38,912	5,549
Other countries.....	100	14	100	12			3,697	393	3,292	301
Total.....	371,197	56,164	555,096	91,178	11,021,009	1,263,555	16,682,630	2,574,556	20,130,087	3,463,719
Ice..... tons.	1,236	2,579	1,521	3,283	21,538	43,740	19,742	32,815	20,080	37,958
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:										
Boots and shoes..... pairs..	13,764	7,807	14,711	11,658	281,299	173,629	356,627	233,495	393,830	214,330
All other.....		133,829		141,676		1,381,523		1,228,054		1,194,397
Total.....		141,696		153,334		1,555,152		1,431,549		1,408,727
India rubber, scrap and old.....		18,427		34,309		(a)		212,990		278,438
Ink:										
Printers'.....		7,396		20,892				96,673		87,062
Other.....		7,336		7,601		138,074		76,223		85,936
Total.....		14,732		28,493		138,074		172,896		172,998
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
United Kingdom.....		55,120		67,992		364,205		425,014		761,554
France.....		29,912		118,333		205,683		147,717		367,809
Germany.....		16,969		46,447		191,990		184,027		330,519
Other Europe.....		29,679		35,015		276,617		213,773		227,233
British North America.....		23,271		39,158		235,793		256,935		341,859
Central American States and British Honduras.....		4,920		2,594		86,905		51,453		73,084
Mexico.....		29,039		22,516		226,598		235,166		341,065
West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,635		22,681		86,877		75,882		141,422
Argentina.....		34,657		29,757		103,857		87,099		182,772
Brazil.....		2,659		11,700		78,271		82,352		101,393
Other South America.....		6,717		19,347		186,566		106,058		100,089
China.....		10,073		4,284		3,940		22,374		31,942
Japan.....		16,152		19,214		129,664		206,597		193,686
British Australasia.....		3,151		5,186		46,261		46,232		133,213
Other Asia and Oceania.....		12,969		17,394		67,378		92,196		151,891
Africa.....		6,790		4,067		166,482		91,299		57,708
Other countries.....		25		449				139		754
Total.....		287,738		466,234		2,462,987		2,324,307		3,537,993
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore..... tons..	2,008	4,216	20	100	9,770	34,168	10,591	31,978	28,294	60,781
PIG IRON (tons)—										
Ferro-manganese.....	491	20,432					7,515	307,477	495	20,667
All other.....	17,544	180,081	16,532	195,334	126,211	1,778,743	205,241	2,140,790	260,287	2,708,516
Scrap and old, fit only for re- manufacture..... tons..	2,633	27,524	10,460	134,340	5,412	60,855	42,498	442,654	73,569	820,264

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bar iron.....lbs.	1,202,814	18,804	3,626,780	49,057	5,006,622	88,351	9,026,436	138,999	18,707,025	280,558
Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.....lbs.	5,903,150	64,757	6,764,724	92,656	73,231,323	913,963	28,982,328	366,037	59,904,623	754,186
BARS OR RAILS FOR RAILWAYS—										
Iron.....tons.	48	960	1,079	14,934	994	16,688	2,330	32,288	11,810	141,554
Steel (tons)—										
Europe.....	230	6,090	6,559	136,793	(a)	(a)	3,192	74,197	24,932	494,783
British North America.....	7,968	146,781	1,536	29,188			61,836	1,129,571	75,651	1,391,387
Central American States and British Honduras.....	27	540	5	87			608	10,719	1,589	33,627
Mexico.....	6,372	113,658	1,550	28,372			24,784	458,821	23,124	456,134
West Indies and Bermuda.....	5	112	132	3,806			3,484	84,694	8,665	175,864
South America.....	1,086	27,631	546	12,955			5,007	114,039	9,092	217,012
Japan.....	8,416	197,743					36,227	830,058	7,852	177,697
Asia and Oceanica.....	581	11,506	7,447	178,957			16,755	326,374	32,870	707,756
Africa.....	312	6,853	9,987	196,797			2,625	51,735	40,483	770,961
Total steel.....	21,997	510,914	27,762	586,955	83,027	1,930,982	154,518	3,080,208	224,258	4,425,221
Billets, ingots, and blooms.....tons.	1,285	23,985	6,674	123,601	(b)	(b)	9,925	174,475	41,632	807,839
Hoop, band, and scroll.....lbs.	205,008	2,642	1,601,541	22,668	376,774	8,229	2,996,929	39,487	6,350,277	100,580
Rods, wire, of steel.....lbs.	1,396,560	15,287	6,962,755	87,739	(b)	(b)	28,507,687	294,505	46,445,003	470,572
SHEETS AND PLATES (pounds)—										
Iron.....	444,146	10,071	749,970	18,676	3,502,135	75,021	7,567,612	148,600	12,331,694	255,111
Steel.....	1,443,215	17,732	15,646,151	239,538	4,801,104	101,696	18,168,309	239,474	92,735,225	1,351,237
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....	5,250	235	26,928	1,056	(c)	(c)	15,583	680	183,975	8,875
Structural iron and steel.....tons.	3,224	148,812	7,314	242,391	(b)	(b)	26,406	1,034,691	39,094	1,350,589
Wire.....lbs.	10,312,695	206,188	22,409,718	418,891	87,334,222	1,832,880	100,728,651	1,946,989	169,266,848	3,022,028
Car wheels.....No.	1,278	9,280	2,435	13,815	13,612	80,303	16,776	103,997	20,768	110,911
Castings, not elsewhere specified.....		56,467		78,853		797,080		676,748		788,557
CUTLERY—										
Table.....		2,109		3,752				25,716		25,660
All other.....		11,863		11,259		150,206		107,182		131,032
Firearms.....		85,737		69,961		534,907		591,929		555,396
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, AND SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.....		378,010		538,606		3,433,982		3,248,109		3,947,033
Saws.....		20,805		21,478		2,051,196		163,652		186,836
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....		213,052		267,876				1,783,437		2,198,375
Total.....		611,867		827,960		5,485,178		5,195,198		6,332,244
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		167,810		209,235		1,374,092		1,251,937		1,512,620
France.....		29,185		33,210		164,406		143,133		199,646
Germany.....		80,794		92,573		447,693		626,431		686,567
Other Europe.....		49,437		78,132		339,881		466,246		587,247
British North America.....		88,320		103,383		438,556		581,345		730,539
Central American States and British Honduras.....		6,890		6,716		125,606		71,255		67,266
Mexico.....		37,438		43,024		535,712		362,414		277,368
Santo Domingo.....		1,511		882		8,949		11,890		9,784
Cuba.....		4,114		32,039		70,064		56,961		191,705
Porto Rico.....		334		4,717		13,677		9,439		10,068
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,539		7,971		63,586		49,462		61,581
Argentina.....		10,299		15,071		186,613		117,736		185,806
Brazil.....		20,080		25,550		212,484		139,481		182,148
Colombia.....		5,372		8,503		97,482		74,528		91,209
Other South America.....		8,398		32,416		219,330		173,398		194,831
China.....		492		3,765		27,177		17,561		46,214

a Not reported in detail prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to December, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.—C't'd.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
East Indies—British.....		5,221		5,510		22,169		18,702		34,624
Japan.....		4,428		8,942		42,770		59,065		56,392
British Australasia.....		48,632		92,555		831,868		714,809		879,438
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		13,750		6,917		58,661		72,322		125,695
Africa.....		22,548		16,209		200,937		173,575		190,856
Other countries.....		1,275		580		3,465		3,453		1,640
Total.....		611,807		827,960		5,485,178		5,195,198		6,332,244
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Electrical.....		185,314		195,955		(a)		1,702,812		2,276,694
Metal-working.....		390,213		578,151		(a)		3,703,173		5,410,720
Printing presses, and parts of.....		68,915		107,617		541,251		762,945		696,868
Pumps and pumping machinery.....		160,246		255,229		(a)		1,667,734		2,229,236
SEWING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		77,891		86,550		905,146		702,774		767,118
France.....		5,872		7,334		101,992		81,660		86,146
Germany.....		70,562		76,049		513,345		649,831		572,771
Other Europe.....		7,084		30,727		141,231		134,359		137,225
British North America.....		15,838		17,272		76,392		117,695		124,845
Central American States and British Honduras.....		971		1,313		74,847		25,756		16,883
Mexico.....		20,199		50,935		164,228		181,439		212,311
Santo Domingo.....		28		316		972		1,236		2,210
Cuba.....				1,056		2,958		2,785		5,627
Porto Rico.....		394		318		2,214		3,120		1,747
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,236		1,713		15,033		12,526		15,452
Argentina.....		1,586		6,636		81,116		70,216		118,729
Brazil.....		10,376		25,720		103,850		79,456		89,811
Colombia.....		11,495		5,611		96,372		70,476		54,592
Other South America.....		3,888		9,997		102,743		85,475		106,385
China.....		730		150		8,623		2,993		2,458
East Indies—British.....		450		465		2,814		3,553		7,218
Japan.....		590				6,414		4,783		4,927
British Australasia.....		11,290		10,447		220,628		206,143		243,067
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		1,474		6,036		29,756		24,954		42,703
Africa.....		556		392		13,644		7,531		9,120
Other countries.....		26		317		36		159		342
Total.....		242,536		339,354		2,664,354		2,468,920		2,621,687
Shoemachinery.....		81,536		47,614		(a)		722,274		711,706
Steam engines, and parts of (number)—										
Fire.....					2	6,790	5	1,689	1	260
Locomotive.....	29	191,764	42	365,545	278	2,616,528	366	2,983,082	414	3,798,219
Stationary.....	44	48,029	59	42,666	346	267,366	475	355,458	416	257,097
Parts of, and boilers.....		40,986		95,574		593,600		726,470		961,071
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		102,750		136,238		619,386		737,919		848,453
France.....		11,355		13,910		80,222		76,822		125,730
Germany.....		52,221		51,872		201,369		334,625		408,581
Other Europe.....		22,653		42,433		142,591		198,993		294,579
British North America.....		6,747		6,128		26,417		43,288		48,153
Central American States and British Honduras.....		87		185		10,483		2,310		2,118
Mexico.....		662		4,527		19,783		22,565		35,967
Santo Domingo.....						267		90		188
Cuba.....		177		2,321		1,851		1,457		15,197

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Porto Rico.....				591		590		65		3,623
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		476		867		5,003		3,253		4,421
Argentina.....		300		6,723		10,950		12,771		27,854
Brazil.....		1,048		916		3,557		4,483		5,425
Colombia.....		261		125		3,083		3,866		3,322
Other South America.....		1,188		3,542		8,902		13,032		18,954
China.....						3,394		2,338		4,134
East Indies: British.....				1,235		6,498		7,156		11,388
Japan.....		690		80		3,966		3,025		6,207
British Australasia.....		1,720		4,702		62,612		47,395		59,233
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		305		1,908		4,251		6,692		12,625
Africa.....		3,365		3,371		15,337		24,475		29,506
Other countries.....										75
Total.....		206,005		281,674		1,230,547		1,547,220		1,965,753
All other machinery, etc.....		1,235,787		1,776,434		16,193,342		10,762,608		15,498,088
NAILS AND SPIKES (pounds)—										
Cut.....	2,271,208	40,911	2,265,633	39,862	18,478,239	350,215	28,095,300	536,305	28,941,581	524,082
Wire.....	1,136,344	22,251	4,499,192	88,664	8,394,719	298,987	18,645,253	377,125	37,341,549	694,486
All other, including tacks.....	684,297	25,081	337,605	16,067						
Pipes and fittings.....		360,236		523,997		(a)		2,416,767		4,755,969
Safes.....No..	139	10,067	174	11,602	(a)	(a)	1,078	73,598	1,780	116,680
Scales and balances.....		28,617		43,454		338,330		285,911		315,654
Stoves, ranges, and parts of.....		26,541		44,083		263,137		293,558		401,065
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....		912,244		946,236		7,339,581		7,550,764		8,314,022
Total iron and steel, etc., not including ore.....		6,308,966		9,039,131		46,565,116		56,234,165		76,251,736
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....		35,625		87,618		555,512		474,554		626,793
Other manufactures of gold and silver.....		10,848		23,865				150,963		199,875
Total.....		46,473		111,483		555,512		625,517		826,668
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.		62,634		72,533		600,640		566,245		639,878
Lead, and manufactures of (lbs):										
Pig, bars, and old.....	1,778	88	37,449	1,663	616,677,721	448,165	19,461	875	156,307	6,109
Type.....	31,642	12,833	36,678	13,002	156,836	239,649	84,972	201,802	104,280	75,174
All other.....		10,704		11,686						
Total.....		23,625		26,351		605,001		186,529		185,563
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER, SOLE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,842,120	326,464	3,555,545	587,696	25,156,320	4,166,653	23,992,103	4,098,272	26,930,951	4,425,010
Germany.....	8,355	1,809	74,472	15,233	203,680	39,252	229,020	44,416	341,438	69,094
Other Europe.....	316,256	62,680	265,035	48,377	5,248,342	950,547	3,531,574	664,103	2,512,088	461,299
British North America.....	40,775	7,174	92,294	17,528	413,969	67,309	879,434	170,266	698,949	130,522
West Indies and Bermuda.....	4,355	973	3,418	670	40,938	8,036	36,831	7,681	27,601	5,791
South America.....	4,725	952	5,080	1,153	13,013	2,488	26,055	5,268	13,664	3,628
Japan.....	205,875	40,947	49,715	11,040	783,245	159,187	1,344,975	282,304	579,141	126,100
British Australasia.....	6,440	1,230	13,382	3,008	153,981	31,757	151,942	32,088	101,681	22,166
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	36,673	8,407	41,000	9,131	213,813	42,904	156,868	33,551	276,427	60,026
Africa.....	16,776	3,228	8,933	1,964	136,588	25,984	141,761	29,828	100,855	20,933
Other countries.....	903	198	4,496	996	113,260	22,704	34,799	6,812	39,061	8,644
Total.....	2,482,859	454,062	4,113,370	696,816	32,477,098	5,516,821	30,525,371	5,374,619	31,621,856	5,333,213

a Not separately stated prior to July 1, 1897.

b Part of this is foreign lead, returned by collectors of customs, by mistake as domestic lead, prior to July 1, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Leather, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEATHER, OTHER—										
Upper leather—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Kid, glazed.....		26,060		137,354		288,455		224,458		565,211
Patent or enameled.....		7,195		5,594				75,098		68,876
Splits, buff, grain, and all other upper leather.....		1,027,935		935,814		6,956,747		8,093,781		9,612,187
Other leather.....		79,403		108,464		687,790		736,442		856,589
Total.....		1,140,593		1,187,226		7,932,992		9,129,779		11,102,863
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		834,742		826,069		5,952,208		6,538,295		8,043,703
France.....		40,966		39,356		128,752		217,599		268,397
Germany.....		50,661		76,142		256,229		501,022		778,437
Other Europe.....		113,780		148,187		806,310		979,792		1,010,915
British North America.....		61,931		46,423		549,045		565,113		547,245
Central American States and British Honduras.....		1,164		601		4,383		4,187		9,380
Mexico.....		572		468		14,128		8,312		7,220
Santo Domingo.....		30		39		752		569		1,425
Cuba.....		120		2,302		1,047		2,298		7,743
Porto Rico.....		102		866		748		1,394		5,978
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		1,266		2,474		13,439		11,934		20,939
Argentina.....		1,909				3,905		4,360		27,170
Brazil.....		6,960		5,268		16,171		45,960		36,712
Colombia.....		479		749		2,111		3,181		2,139
Other South America.....		1,236		1,961		13,389		11,554		25,319
British Australasia.....		17,786		32,560		133,146		192,282		253,235
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		3,102		875		15,005		21,272		32,922
Africa.....		3,706		2,762		21,986		20,123		23,723
Other countries.....		81		184		238		530		261
Total.....		1,140,593		1,187,226		7,932,992		9,129,779		11,102,863
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Boots and shoes—										
United Kingdom.....		33,607		89,717		224,690		244,536		344,817
France.....		4,798		1,976		11,957		21,479		33,350
Germany.....		14,248		8,133		11,069		55,945		72,293
Other Europe.....		6,882		7,891		29,282		32,412		51,002
British North America.....		33,074		47,785		200,450		234,446		338,216
Central American States and British Honduras.....		6,370		12,714		79,515		75,090		78,384
Mexico.....		5,901		25,837		48,065		61,210		153,222
West Indies and Bermuda.....		23,689		86,728		230,511		249,042		363,244
Colombia.....		1,987		2,688		33,353		32,810		26,750
Other South America.....		4,909		1,523		23,635		23,799		32,652
British Australasia.....		14,488		37,863		321,831		184,151		344,598
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		6,740		15,805		105,149		147,198		131,953
Africa.....		5,600		6,286		67,998		72,368		76,484
Other countries.....		948		1,420		1,850		3,426		2,082
Total.....		163,241		346,366		1,389,355		1,439,512		2,049,047
Harness and saddles.....		14,021		22,275		205,446		178,625		189,551
All other.....		121,374		83,778		627,616		1,082,603		670,683
Total leather, and manu- factures of.....		1,893,291		2,336,461		15,672,230		17,205,138		19,345,357
Lime..... bbls..	3,918	3,877	13,919	14,279	68,422	64,164	43,473	37,253	63,640	62,340
Malt..... bush..	29,227	21,416	46,084	33,723	(a)	(a)	319,144	223,144	351,450	251,748

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Malt liquors:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
In bottles.....doz..	39,128	46,921	143,246	199,614	431,981	507,597	334,993	406,688	1,162,693	1,383,702
In other coverings.....galls..	28,731	6,704	66,254	16,922	300,801	68,056	319,244	71,929	471,612	122,161
Total		53,625		216,536		575,653		478,617		1,505,863
Marble and stone, and manufac- tures of:										
Unmanufactured		6,714		7,054		52,005		83,531		50,378
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....		97,863		117,933		577,184		1,160,874		1,119,487
All other.....		31,942		53,567		473,512		340,377		355,271
Total		136,519		178,554		1,102,701		1,524,782		1,525,136
Matches		2,793		11,280		54,659		65,307		83,808
Musical instruments (number):										
Organs	926	51,609	1,342	95,246	11,848	677,026	11,452	635,430	14,462	810,659
Pianofortes.....	99	19,507	155	36,457	697	178,150	827	196,640	926	204,589
All other, and parts of.....		33,917		44,742		224,716		315,157		462,005
Total		105,033		166,445		1,079,901		1,147,227		1,477,253
Naval stores:										
ROSIN, TAR, TURPENTINE, AND PITCH (barrels)—										
Rosin.....	181,820	316,495	250,587	363,552	2,019,191	3,897,755	1,911,876	3,231,165	2,216,735	3,177,110
Tar.....	2,335	4,269	1,286	2,846	14,805	26,640	15,974	29,713	24,064	61,360
Turpentine and pitch.....	3,669	7,269	2,736	5,726	16,147	36,749	16,913	42,176	19,248	45,891
Total	187,824	328,033	254,609	372,124	2,050,143	3,963,144	1,944,763	3,303,054	2,260,047	3,284,361
Exported to (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	76,543	138,935	47,948	65,271	593,203	1,233,640	490,640	878,396	638,801	952,661
Germany.....	35,329	53,728	81,347	114,323	486,392	898,696	473,824	772,271	511,438	682,295
Other Europe.....	46,451	81,922	68,274	95,715	610,086	1,115,482	619,328	998,318	736,544	979,980
British North America.....	5,604	11,569	5,126	11,784	48,817	106,486	36,460	80,590	42,637	96,919
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,192	2,707	381	784	7,222	19,842	4,984	13,477	4,259	11,785
Mexico.....	555	1,192	476	877	1,827	5,432	3,473	8,134	2,896	7,189
Santo Domingo.....	660	1,532	257	640	1,870	4,540	2,672	5,517	1,739	3,641
Cuba.....	251	434	510	1,076	4,280	8,331	4,077	7,543	4,005	7,538
Porto Rico.....	16	36	24	46	383	750	404	814	498	993
Other West Indies and Bermuda	568	1,392	448	983	7,210	16,467	6,412	13,532	4,385	9,478
Argentina.....	8,612	13,354	1,400	2,752	23,050	57,932	40,223	72,320	41,218	72,820
Brazil.....	8,187	13,551	31,308	51,319	109,855	206,318	104,102	175,027	118,282	201,954
Colombia.....	356	818	1,277	2,373	7,798	16,627	4,790	10,173	5,369	11,876
Other South America.....	1,677	3,390	3,874	7,941	40,590	83,684	42,159	79,812	38,240	69,471
China.....	156	324	100	220	2,505	4,803	2,039	4,356	2,568	5,087
Japan.....	789	1,340	160	170	6,108	14,116	6,877	15,317	9,824	16,640
British Australasia.....	544	1,106	421	837	41,510	80,738	58,835	103,689	51,330	94,835
Other Asia and Oceania.....	260	409	11,135	14,653	54,168	86,481	42,652	62,073	44,866	56,917
Africa.....	123	268	173	360	1,240	2,707	767	1,603	1,148	2,282
Other countries.....	11	26			29	72	36	92		
Total rosin, tar, etc.....	187,824	328,033	254,609	372,124	2,050,143	3,963,144	1,944,763	3,303,054	2,260,047	3,284,361
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—										
United Kingdom.....	571,777	152,437	73,011	28,844	6,120,797	1,512,755	5,507,252	1,596,881	6,348,551	2,003,412
Germany.....	63,653	17,481	139,879	56,815	1,843,897	468,796	1,715,472	498,394	1,918,872	621,804
Other Europe.....	626,994	175,950	86,584	35,323	4,148,780	1,062,886	4,971,267	1,442,046	3,170,494	1,048,437
British North America.....	83,049	25,132	72,665	24,485	345,727	91,704	491,267	152,579	508,260	170,645
Central American States and British Honduras.....	658	243	581	268	11,757	3,797	6,542	2,612	6,634	2,803
Mexico.....	895	324	703	354	6,141	2,203	7,113	2,659	8,653	3,571
Santo Domingo.....	194	71	70	31	819	272	1,096	447	1,180	491
Cuba.....	3,142	1,011	11,103	5,148	55,072	16,165	48,149	15,352	66,766	26,516
Porto Rico.....	82	27	2,033	914	9,164	2,949	4,675	1,648	7,473	3,281
Other West Indies and Bermuda	1,206	426	2,027	975	24,075	7,583	18,887	6,652	18,486	8,085

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Naval stores—Continued.										
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina	53,977	21,918	11,220	5,378	158,100	46,921	251,097	95,245	86,116	30,863
Brazil	26,651	10,016	6,639	3,238	126,298	39,176	156,461	58,606	121,049	44,620
Colombia	864	368	1,667	866	13,584	4,997	9,635	3,694	11,955	5,678
Other South America	7,682	3,103	7,363	3,809	105,394	34,001	100,090	37,355	71,129	29,132
China	750	279			8,250	2,670	5,755	2,139	18,050	7,359
Japan			1,590	780	26,750	8,321	7,000	2,259	14,700	5,996
British Australasia	18,480	7,191	7,410	3,772	260,847	85,522	193,909	68,009	222,434	81,629
Other Asia and Oceania			5,000	2,375	8,920	2,729	13,950	4,944	33,876	14,945
Africa	6,122	2,505	8,132	4,541	57,978	23,126	47,497	19,232	67,870	31,842
Other countries	154	54			101	36	308	122	50	23
Total	1,466,330	418,536	437,587	177,916	13,322,451	3,416,609	13,557,422	4,010,875	12,702,598	4,141,132
Total naval stores		746,569		550,040		7,379,753		7,313,929		7,425,493
Nickel, nickeloxide, and matte.lbs.	698,138	174,032	417,797	99,876	2,264,596	502,723	4,637,081	1,138,441	4,231,872	942,453
Nursery stock		7,059		5,221		(a)		89,491		119,338
Oil cake and oil-cake meal (pounds):										
Cotton seed	62,342,245	559,795	59,547,175	541,895	565,720,708	5,024,136	777,741,228	6,787,333	966,561,383	8,261,620
Flaxseed or linseed	37,635,367	411,023	46,508,321	495,726	361,940,628	3,429,993	379,502,896	3,939,411	413,490,869	4,491,529
Total	99,977,612	970,818	106,055,496	1,037,621	927,661,336	8,454,129	1,157,244,124	10,726,744	1,379,992,252	12,753,149
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	27,670,610	278,170	28,384,348	300,940	302,351,355	2,730,945	302,930,359	2,838,717	323,531,653	3,052,310
France	1,694,747	16,634	1,681,784	16,748	27,129,550	222,777	63,447,860	589,907	61,864,507	611,423
Germany	33,220,383	341,442	38,138,277	340,895	274,520,739	2,511,999	357,805,469	3,118,480	393,864,061	3,400,924
Other Europe	31,478,520	323,198	35,558,764	358,901	312,056,797	2,869,558	421,550,418	4,035,117	584,765,964	5,507,961
British North America	179,583	1,832	269,130	2,615	916,507	8,609	1,178,119	12,967	5,844,476	49,389
West Indies and Bermuda	717,917	9,265	1,989,596	16,904	10,242,751	105,706	9,945,979	126,771	9,757,224	127,087
South America	15,842	227	42,347	615	341,717	3,610	268,632	3,372	297,937	4,150
Other countries			250	3	101,830	1,015	117,288	1,413	66,430	805
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal	99,977,612	970,818	106,055,496	1,037,621	927,661,336	8,454,129	1,157,244,124	10,726,744	1,379,992,252	12,753,149
Oilcloths:										
For floors		1,769		2,576		(b)		23,122		22,025
Other		7,757		10,398		(b)		79,429		81,294
Total		9,526		12,974		(b)		102,551		103,319
Oils:										
ANIMAL (gallons)—										
Fish	684	268	10,223	1,817	792,735	153,614	584,232	107,606	940,540	189,384
Lard	63,518	25,000	85,484	40,330	805,571	356,514	624,780	244,808	727,905	334,688
Whale	9,580	3,692	8,410	3,137	39,990	15,343	74,117	34,155	74,802	34,282
Other	1,550	603	11,883	4,692	89,609	38,168	94,076	40,552	142,867	54,990
Total animal	75,332	29,772	116,000	49,976	1,727,914	563,639	1,377,205	427,121	1,886,114	613,344
MINERAL, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity (gallons)—										
France	5,325,338	207,456	2,958,805	148,456	83,096,754	3,832,301	66,933,524	2,529,147	71,873,776	3,267,489
Other Europe	2,761,074	89,183	1,590,417	79,023	15,116,649	680,156	13,930,776	462,234	16,932,516	726,039
British North America					5,897	442			20,270	1,408
Mexico	655,235	27,868	655,333	33,276	5,663,718	284,066	6,931,053	282,652	5,994,689	297,073
Cuba			200,000	15,640	4,289,611	266,615	3,829,463	207,649	2,623,481	159,168
Porto Rico					623,958	59,676	585,290	51,808		
Other countries					841,140	85,000	1,026	85		
Total	8,741,947	324,507	5,404,555	276,395	109,637,727	5,268,256	92,211,135	3,533,575	97,444,732	4,451,177

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....	1,119,850	<i>Dollars.</i> 67,913	420,576	<i>Dollars.</i> 45,979	11,871,309	<i>Dollars.</i> 944,652	12,737,433	<i>Dollars.</i> 880,189	13,883,749	<i>Dollars.</i> 989,185
Illuminating.....	61,760,088	3,021,785	52,505,955	3,155,581	625,380,766	39,609,437	684,827,834	35,796,502	580,813,565	32,639,791
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	4,727,134	551,333	6,598,151	783,165	42,709,309	5,587,535	48,173,748	5,835,744	55,975,160	6,641,649
Total.....	67,607,072	3,641,031	59,524,682	3,984,725	679,961,384	46,141,624	745,739,015	42,512,435	650,672,474	40,270,625
Exported to (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	14,704,536	694,181	15,173,939	916,084	179,223,156	11,095,016	185,411,233	9,789,209	173,697,885	9,803,297
France.....	358,359	41,962	546,797	67,216	8,540,685	853,807	11,641,818	989,211	9,535,014	941,763
Germany.....	8,663,342	350,840	8,644,985	402,582	97,078,432	5,235,611	122,309,509	5,411,359	102,969,771	5,270,139
Other Europe.....	20,459,316	901,561	18,357,534	1,006,817	201,676,076	11,684,965	215,896,726	10,463,236	206,378,636	10,925,110
British North America.....	596,630	42,789	650,610	51,676	8,990,590	635,194	10,064,618	663,249	9,922,674	681,228
Central American States and British Honduras.....	184,404	15,895	146,301	17,933	987,589	116,643	928,816	96,275	985,796	116,278
Mexico.....	72,655	11,347	134,085	19,944	679,780	139,258	863,140	151,098	888,457	139,112
Santo Domingo.....	4,366	909	3,953	705	278,287	31,070	578,621	49,764	339,803	38,645
Cuba.....	18,235	2,165	68,770	8,662	67,426	9,451	243,202	31,358	1,016,965	116,823
Porto Rico.....	6,300	739	18,668	2,122	245,962	29,785	200,542	22,677	485,182	51,981
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	289,018	25,255	315,955	32,712	3,672,395	327,868	3,410,965	279,744	3,328,787	316,569
Argentina.....	1,042,443	101,610	760,987	94,408	9,244,111	933,787	8,790,690	801,787	5,174,409	567,904
Brazil.....	1,158,434	88,781	1,087,962	108,209	16,347,436	1,291,967	16,236,248	1,214,572	15,043,690	1,327,871
Colombia.....	111,546	9,695	136,940	14,880	1,007,884	93,357	801,680	79,502	990,190	99,856
Other South America.....	495,695	40,848	1,092,432	114,257	8,903,076	867,216	8,102,404	684,884	6,465,078	640,291
China.....	5,028,784	321,904	1,767,525	137,089	31,882,027	2,634,342	36,090,591	2,309,090	19,887,635	1,581,154
East Indies—British.....	1,998,000	145,575	963,814	96,634	14,979,688	1,388,088	32,360,252	2,331,296	21,054,542	1,549,225
Hongkong.....	2,302,982	135,095	3,057,110	239,732	(a)	(a)	12,592,193	797,211	12,245,987	929,408
Japan.....	6,974,074	434,884	1,647,112	129,533	39,125,628	3,502,807	41,288,819	3,043,779	29,403,312	2,116,762
British Australasia.....	1,066,155	110,584	989,303	98,438	14,464,471	1,650,965	15,953,165	1,624,338	13,337,038	1,382,614
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,751,925	116,808	2,604,920	215,287	33,552,768	2,089,553	10,993,487	740,063	8,706,811	727,191
Africa.....	311,713	46,956	1,338,155	148,303	8,964,224	920,663	10,543,067	935,678	8,779,055	944,732
Other countries.....	8,160	648	10,825	1,502	49,693	4,211	37,229	3,055	35,757	3,172
Total mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum.....	67,607,072	3,641,031	59,524,682	3,984,725	679,961,384	46,141,624	745,739,015	42,512,435	650,672,474	40,270,625
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled..... bbls.	22,905	20,574	66,931	94,738	49,052	70,278	366,372	406,868	616,161	725,388
Total refined or manufactured, including residuum.....		3,661,605		4,079,463		46,211,902		42,919,303		40,996,013
VEGETABLE—										
Corn..... galls.	220,643	49,248	237,535	66,042	(b)	(b)	2,106,487	457,288	1,742,063	409,187
COTTON SEED (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	285,677	69,013	576,744	120,676	1,055,402	266,803	2,048,360	502,383	4,897,481	1,084,746
France.....	1,340,423	316,403	346,022	90,906	8,226,308	2,077,545	11,180,908	2,800,473	15,886,645	3,788,801
Germany.....	298,858	74,875	389,366	95,201	1,411,766	348,851	2,172,976	524,344	3,043,593	765,783
Other Europe.....	1,367,589	344,985	1,347,695	359,250	8,815,398	2,357,074	12,832,037	3,308,690	16,114,477	3,997,679
British North America.....	37,736	9,005	36,953	9,098	229,707	51,243	344,467	84,902	387,379	88,407
Central American States and British Honduras.....	290	101	1,435	551	15,687	4,460	6,698	2,301	9,057	3,444
Mexico.....	62,648	11,384	296,769	60,254	1,292,592	255,319	1,515,639	289,209	2,181,222	391,267
Santo Domingo.....	13,403	4,136	12,508	4,387	33,325	11,106	61,731	20,294	71,458	23,033
Cuba.....	1,710	532	2,811	1,031	1,090	290	9,543	2,774	43,742	12,701

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
COTTON-SEED—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico.....			1,200	407	150	38	100	30	4,340	1,491
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	63,665	16,874	82,279	23,175	633,583	167,355	626,878	161,014	597,461	153,847
Argentina.....	1,308	353	13,499	4,192	33,675	10,971	13,973	4,188	75,571	23,699
Brazil.....	122,303	32,881	31,675	9,030	522,774	137,108	800,640	215,759	685,794	166,978
Other South America.....	33,116	10,575	26,989	9,151	193,924	63,508	250,118	80,046	253,660	79,393
British Australasia.....	8,232	2,332	4,628	1,390	46,277	15,057	51,611	15,407	41,391	12,632
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	500	125			2,800	860	800	225	300	100
Africa.....	91,154	25,806	27,433	7,919	510,342	134,265	757,144	201,428	1,098,598	264,823
Total.....	3,729,172	919,380	3,197,987	796,618	23,030,800	5,901,853	32,673,623	8,213,467	45,392,169	10,858,824
Linseed.....galls..	11,756	5,259	15,439	7,488	83,809	34,337	75,972	31,831	89,876	39,816
VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL—										
Peppermint.....lbs..	14,463	15,435	11,597	11,583	143,535	231,087	121,909	154,037	91,424	95,259
Other.....		15,333		11,600		133,254		172,995		128,025
All other.....		117,341		55,800		942,269		587,276		759,221
Total vegetable.....		1,121,936		949,191		7,242,900		9,616,694		12,260,332
Paints, pigments, and colors:										
Carbon black, gas black, and lampblack.....		7,808		31,656		(a)		143,373		168,001
Zinc, oxide of.....lbs..	330,400	10,585	920,990	31,368	(a)	(a)	5,622,204	162,847	8,334,894	267,994
All other.....		65,746		95,539		779,100		569,808		760,776
Total.....		84,139		158,563		779,109		876,028		1,196,771
Paper, and manufactures of:										
Paper hangings.....		22,078		25,599		84,965		163,434		113,397
Printing paper.....lbs..	8,016,701	208,427	8,407,381	208,748	(a)	(a)	90,339,355	2,286,655	79,745,909	1,937,352
Writing paper and envelopes.....		11,412		15,414		80,700		139,439		131,094
All other.....		254,279		260,148		2,448,939		2,005,423		2,313,561
Total.....		496,196		509,909		2,623,604		4,594,951		4,405,404
Paraffin and paraffin wax (pounds):										
United Kingdom.....	7,056,057	276,273	8,860,156	355,147	72,996,616	2,753,461	83,329,525	3,196,781	88,463,411	3,308,171
France.....	317,116	13,325	74,437	3,200	872,398	37,109	2,131,597	94,816	2,441,735	98,347
Germany.....	1,850,616	72,390	1,977,208	74,780	14,434,352	584,985	18,478,994	727,253	19,078,985	750,996
Other Europe.....	1,440,898	61,140	3,041,027	124,091	12,459,659	515,244	16,465,165	670,055	25,751,793	1,029,272
British North America.....	19,487	788	3,943	247	33,023	1,403	78,558	3,405	57,059	2,427
Central American States and British Honduras.....	43,210	2,070	74,041	4,062	472,313	28,175	365,221	17,978	507,137	25,170
Mexico.....	437,852	18,122	201,837	13,283	2,603,299	130,857	3,188,403	138,594	3,972,196	185,243
West Indies and Bermuda.....	50	2	2,339	101	86,073	3,567	28,288	1,125	45,680	2,158
Brazil.....	10,012	840	24,805	1,210	219,071	12,428	192,442	9,238	224,054	10,594
Other South America.....	2,124	102	17,457	1,076	68,937	3,227	103,109	5,230	119,680	6,163
Japan.....	433,987	15,523	203,659	18,185	3,089,836	135,741	2,795,671	106,646	2,649,772	112,008
British Australasia.....	493,062	20,130	161,000	7,700	1,731,685	75,390	2,271,408	97,603	1,976,281	85,336
Other Asia and Oceanica.....			28,692	1,150	76,200	3,048	58,154	2,658	115,817	5,183
Africa.....	149,626	5,154	110,583	4,248	1,023,235	41,119	561,485	24,029	735,891	28,985
Total.....	12,263,097	485,868	14,781,184	608,480	110,166,697	4,328,754	130,048,020	5,094,911	146,141,491	5,659,053
Perfumery and cosmetics.....		22,853		34,131		275,428		252,998		252,135
Plated ware.....		27,714		49,026		355,370		353,523		383,653
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
BEEF PRODUCTS—										
BEEF, CANNED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,209,946	105,118	1,572,982	139,947	28,953,087	2,532,417	19,369,827	1,703,865	19,631,626	1,793,117
France.....	35,135	3,150	11,690	1,084	1,035,778	85,227	422,017	35,503	309,305	28,202
Germany.....	266,800	18,581	124,700	12,180	4,002,293	322,672	4,944,563	435,822	3,107,561	274,945
Other Europe.....	186,490	15,349	249,542	22,206	2,964,251	266,135	2,844,045	238,373	2,093,740	185,508

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
BEEF PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CANNED (pounds)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British North America.....	8,684	814	22,341	2,196	1,172,070	91,180	415,084	30,991	1,525,020	131,696
Central American States and British Honduras....	13,211	1,310	21,348	2,337	237,111	28,070	217,816	24,473	168,747	17,397
Mexico.....	4,784	489	19,530	2,522	103,173	12,640	93,314	12,033	120,400	15,936
Santo Domingo.....	36	4	180	16	674	51	370	33	774	66
Cuba.....	4,272	344	13,836	1,511	26,904	2,063	81,046	6,412	135,978	12,872
Porto Rico.....			504	42	1,584	121	384	30	600	50
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	47,460	4,746	38,903	3,899	312,418	25,854	366,930	33,846	286,170	28,407
Argentina.....					650	51	3,000	357	11,248	1,127
Brazil.....	23,370	2,367	18,514	1,577	207,750	16,569	166,024	15,947	152,501	15,594
Colombia.....	3,006	277	2,616	241	67,818	5,716	59,355	5,156	41,903	3,680
Other South America.....	8,682	682	15,200	1,344	131,152	10,760	114,154	10,560	103,408	9,867
China.....	4,050	550	11,100	1,581	90,984	12,999	156,718	22,082	101,845	14,210
East Indies—British.....			3,140	390	5,875	551	3,000	368	5,268	666
Hongkong.....	10,000	1,500	45,000	6,510			115,250	17,072	143,398	20,964
Japan.....	6,000	855	7,100	1,090	681,901	56,728	218,672	32,124	330,078	38,438
British Australasia.....	980	142	2,400	200	130,042	13,154	53,545	5,485	24,510	2,498
Other Asia and Oceania....	19,985	2,904	50,210	7,280	505,755	71,456	324,375	47,329	432,905	62,816
Africa.....	665,664	53,185	600,000	59,661	5,709,236	445,348	4,038,976	323,877	4,878,972	409,658
Other countries.....					560	43	264	20		
Total.....	2,518,555	212,358	2,830,896	258,814	46,340,006	4,000,808	34,008,729	3,001,758	33,605,963	3,067,774
FRESH (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	22,153,953	1,879,698	25,192,098	2,093,087	241,802,343	18,757,542	226,891,035	18,789,469	221,296,533	18,470,935
British North America....	2,887	231	1,345	109	36,091	2,094	103,760	6,788	479,743	38,796
West Indies and Bermuda....	52,680	4,276	69,996	5,534	328,600	23,029	439,578	34,744	408,986	33,006
Other countries.....			46,792	3,787	1,000	66			90,671	7,336
Total.....	22,209,520	1,884,205	25,310,231	2,102,617	242,168,034	18,782,731	227,434,373	18,831,001	222,275,933	18,550,073
SALTED OR PICKLED, AND OTHER CURED (pounds)—										
Salted or pickled.....	3,983,544	225,895	4,571,092	260,017	61,222,662	3,187,431	37,293,465	1,954,114	39,646,011	2,154,687
Other cured.....	97,308	6,797	176,269	15,369	858,347	75,226	1,297,395	120,814	1,520,506	140,374
Total.....	4,085,852	232,692	4,747,361	275,386	62,081,009	3,262,657	38,590,880	2,074,928	41,166,517	2,295,061
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,010,389	118,600	2,154,406	138,118	34,694,968	1,943,027	16,335,402	941,607	17,323,116	1,024,847
France.....	107,775	6,871	71,000	3,900	218,366	10,095	220,175	12,078	168,400	9,704
Germany.....	254,375	14,400	356,430	17,814	4,400,385	225,788	4,117,300	221,188	5,139,997	278,852
Other Europe.....	398,600	22,847	333,325	16,428	6,957,449	355,186	4,799,254	252,002	6,137,246	318,976
British North America....	376,726	17,752	378,400	17,764	5,013,313	219,909	2,928,110	131,706	3,160,075	154,730
Central American States and British Honduras..	103,820	5,069	75,310	4,019	510,757	24,471	695,429	33,407	528,349	28,158
Mexico.....	1,344	77	100	6	3,340	194	8,275	492	11,254	580
Santo Domingo.....	4,750	258	10,100	553	49,150	2,199	33,800	1,643	55,300	2,897
Cuba.....	3,200	183	20,320	959	62,200	2,822	279,189	13,720	478,744	25,295
Porto Rico.....			400	20	143,900	6,790	16,700	859	18,100	925
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	512,722	28,597	508,706	27,257	5,572,746	264,458	4,679,621	238,456	3,927,978	209,773
Brazil.....	4,200	274	4,400	267	76,900	3,356	20,400	1,112	39,450	2,397
Colombia.....	16,600	919	31,504	1,502	221,964	10,117	191,300	9,802	217,193	11,426
Other South America.....	200,436	11,861	294,760	15,860	3,065,211	141,248	2,483,110	132,871	2,731,865	148,804
Asia and Oceania.....	27,215	1,590	472,000	28,862	738,397	37,172	1,165,815	53,144	996,850	64,815
Africa.....	55,200	3,257	24,900	1,361	338,263	15,262	600,500	29,990	208,500	11,696
Other countries.....	2,500	137	11,300	696	13,700	563	16,500	851	21,100	1,186
Total beef, salted, etc...	4,085,852	232,692	4,747,361	275,386	62,081,009	3,262,657	38,590,880	2,074,928	41,166,517	2,295,061

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
TALLOW (pounds)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	7,057,024	265,157	2,704,726	123,420	19,329,937	702,704	27,861,897	1,043,396	26,941,604	1,087,097
France.....	618,935	24,462	2,054,194	81,482	15,492,694	561,691	8,076,485	287,440	14,127,441	539,541
Germany.....	1,987,519	78,611	1,151,890	51,624	7,063,432	259,934	8,338,984	324,557	14,707,562	582,148
Other Europe.....	1,247,153	49,777	1,762,510	71,946	12,092,133	447,572	8,044,483	287,195	25,408,088	992,872
British North America.....			861	44	72,338	2,280	159,762	4,646	503,335	13,398
Central American States and British Honduras.....	234,482	10,002	164,574	7,707	2,289,414	101,081	1,818,595	79,001	1,576,082	71,203
Mexico.....	50,980	2,042	128,547	5,568	932,832	34,291	573,516	21,701	706,471	29,019
Santo Domingo.....	182,094	7,397	85,125	3,371	525,492	20,546	677,247	25,839	372,490	15,756
Cuba.....	98,000	2,965			432,496	15,538	404,767	13,231	496,732	19,092
Porto Rico.....	395	26			4,565	256	5,307	287	6,515	347
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	147,262	6,431	119,869	6,688	1,808,606	81,950	1,840,297	76,321	1,141,825	52,520
Brazil.....	1,572	68	37,946	1,999	105,432	4,401	562,151	24,560	648,981	34,890
Colombia.....	18,514	784	20,864	1,992	131,938	6,917	345,965	14,873	201,742	10,208
Other South America.....	9,153	404	29,494	1,442	279,499	11,762	231,152	10,224	411,270	18,885
Asia and Oceania.....	3,670	142	18,900	852	19,035	718	26,207	1,000	379,344	19,607
Other countries.....			3,500	175	1,704	53	2,850	144	7,367	342
Total.....	11,656,753	446,268	8,292,000	358,310	60,521,607	2,251,694	58,969,665	2,214,415	87,636,849	3,486,334
HOG PRODUCTS—										
BACON (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	44,494,374	3,199,888	29,156,465	2,208,611	316,931,396	22,754,473	397,972,597	29,115,182	326,160,931	25,114,769
France.....	217,279	16,570	1,598,663	110,937	1,973,838	132,736	1,585,509	105,148	10,330,975	722,463
Germany.....	4,497,704	302,675	4,213,976	311,028	24,733,257	1,451,970	43,591,195	2,787,911	33,564,927	2,354,723
Other Europe.....	7,958,563	504,459	6,821,102	456,445	37,803,073	2,227,239	72,600,625	4,667,846	76,055,125	5,184,805
British North America.....	731,106	51,878	219,119	13,467	7,642,755	376,184	12,478,763	818,214	9,268,028	565,399
Central American States and British Honduras.....	12,323	1,000	19,898	1,281	219,074	14,849	179,009	13,762	212,884	14,722
Mexico.....	4,249	404	9,370	1,024	83,747	7,821	79,336	8,140	123,659	12,236
Santo Domingo.....	2,698	191	4,412	272	38,729	2,241	21,165	1,412	22,257	1,377
Cuba.....	744,582	45,291	741,021	44,396	8,395,767	443,250	10,736,382	672,008	8,269,860	467,928
Porto Rico.....	108,281	7,382	108,316	7,271	569,848	30,358	496,391	33,013	997,676	59,829
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	36,790	3,074	53,761	3,741	423,399	31,418	443,803	34,440	615,190	42,114
Brazil.....	372,512	26,367	164,716	10,762	14,495,120	871,385	7,460,932	477,124	5,709,112	394,985
Colombia.....	338	29	3,532	234	23,592	1,340	14,437	1,054	21,435	1,497
Other South America.....	25,647	1,913	29,238	2,005	271,715	17,943	325,836	25,137	190,210	13,703
China.....	3,500	462	6,900	850	18,002	2,328	30,375	3,936	51,890	6,689
Other Asia and Oceania.....	4,370	540	24,235	3,005	65,794	8,439	115,708	14,788	207,022	25,633
Africa.....	7,503	516			77,877	4,777	29,387	2,031	41,252	2,814
Other countries.....					300	22				
Total.....	59,221,819	4,162,639	43,174,784	3,175,329	413,768,183	28,378,773	519,221,450	38,781,146	471,752,433	34,984,896
HAMS (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	14,637,151	1,390,816	15,271,022	1,390,015	104,447,354	10,079,821	125,556,390	11,936,518	146,012,847	13,331,277
France.....	151,764	14,569	217,802	18,849	310,874	29,675	1,027,771	102,144	896,310	84,010
Germany.....	1,345,425	122,435	564,293	54,028	2,782,725	253,495	10,536,719	974,597	9,047,451	832,903
Other Europe.....	4,134,440	390,965	1,410,129	126,614	12,709,999	1,253,828	16,684,693	1,585,866	17,994,283	1,654,817
British North America.....	182,925	14,407	169,555	9,052	1,925,861	190,596	3,454,034	309,031	5,641,294	433,503
Central American States and British Honduras.....	18,922	1,853	22,581	1,993	251,634	26,856	236,752	24,120	201,140	18,974
Mexico.....	9,934	1,031	16,342	1,838	223,910	24,659	163,702	16,248	237,670	26,672
Santo Domingo.....	7,057	750	8,911	956	55,007	6,449	47,581	5,331	58,864	6,330
Cuba.....	297,047	30,284	444,959	35,554	3,410,326	311,544	3,532,940	365,243	4,617,290	427,034
Porto Rico.....	996	111	26,425	2,204	793,612	70,788	602,415	50,941	115,211	10,481
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	81,463	6,947	151,298	12,391	1,073,808	106,476	1,157,218	106,812	1,325,821	114,205
Brazil.....	7,913	816	1,260	151	9,958	1,008	30,213	2,922	28,928	3,197
Colombia.....	6,770	622	19,073	1,597	145,593	12,489	121,577	11,106	140,976	11,990

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HAMS (pounds)—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other South America.....	40,924	4,162	87,768	8,410	741,209	80,483	681,940	73,608	681,937	70,614
China.....	5,200	612	13,020	1,607	46,033	6,143	58,850	7,588	89,770	11,475
British Australasia.....	300	40	6,160	717	10,540	1,394	2,486	329	35,570	4,009
Other Asia and Oceania.....	21,525	2,595	40,210	4,820	237,494	31,069	299,783	35,667	442,212	55,168
Africa.....	11,795	1,393	18,836	2,006	72,371	7,557	140,331	17,304	167,131	17,813
Other countries.....	548	49	6,265	420	4,809	497	12,921	1,130	22,219	1,717
Total.....	20,962,099	1,984,367	18,435,909	1,673,822	129,253,120	12,494,827	164,347,760	15,678,505	187,757,924	17,169,189
PORK (pounds)—										
Fresh.....	2,109,862	146,700	2,827,680	189,925	550,331	35,267	9,648,356	639,808	37,039,682	2,431,855
Salted or pickled.....	8,160,923	485,096	13,156,470	735,747	58,666,832	2,891,939	70,741,770	3,860,563	117,844,072	6,795,508
Total.....	10,270,785	631,796	15,984,168	925,672	59,217,163	2,927,206	80,390,126	4,500,371	154,883,754	9,227,363
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	4,488,780	305,739	7,260,508	476,249	10,004,261	915,313	26,027,771	1,636,074	77,944,535	4,977,089
France.....					128,500	7,823	78,100	3,760	174,716	10,279
Germany.....	1,006,072	55,033	3,119,776	156,424	1,887,837	100,926	7,684,832	418,032	14,030,464	741,396
Other Europe.....	1,043,031	61,623	1,576,014	94,580	2,475,086	142,210	8,854,363	518,848	24,305,543	1,442,279
British North America.....	1,587,501	95,594	1,451,457	68,476	11,144,214	505,284	12,947,285	686,782	15,637,278	860,679
Central American States and British Honduras..	180,685	9,113	134,034	6,238	1,082,920	47,376	1,241,611	60,042	1,078,184	52,987
Santo Domingo.....	11,000	603	7,800	422	78,400	3,565	61,400	3,204	73,030	3,968
Cuba.....	19,400	1,072	29,062	1,588	193,060	8,687	267,600	14,103	566,552	29,087
Porto Rico.....	471,000	24,899	412,200	21,412	2,911,400	128,107	3,556,700	176,219	2,626,200	139,385
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,128,696	59,244	1,365,427	68,740	18,963,425	862,705	15,787,586	783,833	14,086,604	732,307
Brazil.....	1,000	70			301,400	17,107	11,100	555	90,500	5,840
Colombia.....	8,150	486	19,120	973	106,600	5,424	111,239	6,235	129,074	7,222
Other South America.....	250,670	13,448	500,900	24,495	3,520,150	157,203	3,422,920	171,800	3,765,559	200,605
Asia and Oceania.....	38,200	2,799	25,920	1,881	244,185	16,869	134,690	9,055	140,030	10,250
Africa.....	9,400	573	20,800	1,084	87,100	4,245	96,600	5,371	100,600	5,691
Other countries.....	27,200	1,500	55,150	3,160	88,625	4,362	106,329	5,858	134,915	8,299
Total.....	10,270,785	631,796	15,984,168	925,672	59,217,163	2,927,206	80,390,126	4,500,371	154,883,754	9,227,363
LARD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	20,774,323	1,241,510	18,875,957	1,119,666	150,260,448	7,892,459	195,046,165	10,812,194	165,580,285	9,970,159
France.....	2,044,933	116,590	2,464,958	138,772	18,951,080	931,274	19,145,761	995,701	27,628,854	1,578,423
Germany.....	18,887,614	1,042,582	14,424,374	895,714	144,953,440	7,286,511	194,770,625	10,341,543	200,270,760	11,945,410
Other Europe.....	11,314,350	616,380	9,691,033	554,027	87,417,175	4,440,335	114,666,247	6,153,057	135,051,151	7,929,585
British North America.....	844,907	44,970	95,778	5,276	4,379,358	201,689	3,561,453	181,739	6,959,625	369,882
Central American States and British Honduras....	272,868	16,515	255,308	15,150	1,559,573	83,740	2,079,621	116,866	2,196,401	128,344
Mexico.....	128,783	6,828	347,432	17,582	6,024,766	278,628	3,163,726	153,165	2,725,220	141,165
Santo Domingo.....	53,779	3,209	54,607	3,313	343,615	18,687	323,170	18,544	349,959	20,723
Cuba.....	1,482,960	82,761	2,128,790	110,296	21,115,262	1,049,709	20,139,515	1,027,657	20,595,941	1,111,733
Porto Rico.....	520,032	28,195	422,990	22,312	3,891,800	194,395	3,609,131	190,630	3,727,698	200,572
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	466,610	31,498	443,492	29,791	5,906,422	347,119	4,998,103	311,795	4,626,427	306,918
Argentina.....	17,160	1,200	6,414	401	69,627	3,783	43,162	2,954	44,720	3,006
Brazil.....	2,054,564	142,617	1,228,926	89,545	9,499,703	560,054	14,145,753	881,997	14,425,933	1,007,851
Colombia.....	136,555	9,421	217,696	12,452	2,408,997	124,798	1,633,164	93,560	1,265,711	73,392
Other South America.....	867,264	55,224	1,167,241	75,784	9,708,953	541,057	8,464,780	512,753	7,091,479	500,063
Asia and Oceania.....	89,395	7,281	136,497	9,407	329,529	23,290	565,018	39,454	954,574	61,699
Africa.....	241,945	17,611	256,910	19,251	1,156,223	73,333	1,639,942	114,902	2,500,046	182,610
Other countries.....	9,900	685	17,640	975	37,591	2,061	41,800	2,498	53,492	3,033
Total.....	60,208,002	3,465,077	52,436,043	3,119,714	468,013,562	24,061,922	588,037,136	31,951,009	596,648,276	35,534,568

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
LARD (pounds)—Continued.										
Lard compounds, and substitutes for (cottolene, lardine, etc.) lbs.	2,412,540	<i>Dollars.</i> 123,143	2,260,034	<i>Dollars.</i> 122,092	13,497,185	<i>Dollars.</i> 723,721	16,210,470	<i>Dollars.</i> 840,679	18,351,504	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,001,013
Casings for sausages.		113,373		123,309		1,277,335		1,581,079		1,390,280
Mutton. lbs.	10,328	941	29,930	2,425	265,259	20,208	326,378	27,694	357,649	27,866
OLEO AND OLEOMARGARINE (pounds)—										
Oleo, the oil.	12,364,311	729,064	12,499,677	856,441	91,225,153	5,450,561	107,150,904	6,362,689	111,817,455	7,110,748
Oleomargarine, imitation butter.	434,099	35,592	370,750	36,946	4,367,582	423,813	2,973,704	270,439	4,070,505	426,204
Total.	12,798,410	775,556	12,861,427	893,387	95,592,735	5,874,374	110,124,608	6,633,128	116,487,960	7,536,952
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.	1,262,651	73,345	1,156,770	77,483	6,146,655	381,233	7,654,996	458,712	6,378,260	389,971
Germany.	2,608,749	128,611	2,201,776	163,927	20,558,013	1,178,396	25,819,032	1,537,154	24,848,426	1,600,520
Netherlands.	7,336,484	440,955	7,027,656	469,177	55,916,679	3,473,816	64,182,394	3,839,283	67,654,617	4,265,974
Other Europe.	1,826,766	106,716	2,032,351	141,162	9,097,030	507,069	9,842,044	567,792	14,419,257	927,396
British North America.	68,947	3,438	106,195	8,134	1,046,660	53,133	785,369	47,298	766,764	46,904
Central American States and British Honduras.	2,400	306	1,824	290	639	76	7,600	858	18,915	2,102
Mexico.	2,422	291	1,034	98	5,990	642	7,652	823	6,874	671
Porto Rico.			24,050	2,741					156,021	17,364
Other West Indies and Bermuda.	176,300	17,052	209,327	20,330	2,246,142	227,099	1,376,826	133,863	1,723,217	172,047
Colombia.	14,880	1,273	19,300	1,800	67,636	5,770	73,550	6,532	94,824	8,695
Other South America.	12,389	1,005	19,500	2,007	263,095	27,672	137,266	13,583	155,612	16,640
Asia and Oceania.	4,925	478	10,150	1,115	73,698	8,011	145,296	16,913	199,895	22,121
Other countries.	21,506	2,086	31,494	3,213	170,437	17,557	92,592	10,317	65,278	6,547
Total.	12,798,410	775,556	12,861,427	893,387	95,592,735	5,874,374	110,124,608	6,633,128	116,487,960	7,536,952
Poultry and game.		10,853		30,218		60,999		80,434		147,745
All other meat products.		402,118		427,206		2,408,018		3,441,964		4,776,191
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
BUTTER (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.	156,632	28,825	484,530	78,515	16,944,308	2,584,214	13,125,297	2,018,704	9,612,133	1,606,584
Germany.	14,210	2,280	5,167	872	2,290,798	271,240	1,309,909	153,551	781,487	112,896
Other Europe.			35,657	5,525	2,220,399	251,082	766,706	91,571	780,213	115,566
British North America.	115,241	23,720	64,679	15,336	1,295,615	201,880	3,197,550	486,346	1,842,810	299,836
Central American States and British Honduras.	16,380	3,191	18,627	3,859	217,726	37,560	234,077	40,699	203,232	38,397
Mexico.	14,880	2,577	32,856	5,726	194,828	32,030	194,492	34,403	243,569	43,167
Santo Domingo.	9,838	1,436	14,251	2,148	41,871	5,756	43,763	6,151	66,242	9,403
Cuba.	2,922	613	46,291	7,975	48,174	8,639	42,715	8,087	531,854	90,657
Porto Rico.			1,230	239	23,225	2,813	18,900	2,407	39,356	6,881
Other West Indies and Bermuda.	162,624	24,505	186,652	28,745	1,696,138	247,411	1,543,515	236,480	1,692,224	273,746
Brazil.	74,413	9,741	76,940	8,781	236,988	30,531	619,000	76,980	1,080,952	136,192
Colombia.	5,211	797	9,921	1,838	106,070	14,217	115,014	16,522	66,129	12,300
Other South America.	48,633	7,148	111,729	16,249	562,379	73,330	498,838	69,536	691,447	105,523
China.	700	144	100	22	16,311	2,983	20,085	4,352	19,277	4,509
Japan.	16,460	3,371	7,290	1,540	68,410	12,348	106,608	21,251	86,495	17,322
Other Asia and Oceania.	19,376	4,271	11,085	2,291	107,719	20,005	155,350	34,947	179,074	40,623
Africa.	4,065	893	1,540	400	12,704	2,264	18,581	3,619	14,347	2,824
Other countries.	8,435	1,322	10,270	1,602	4,993	628	21,347	3,245	19,436	2,986
Total.	670,079	114,834	1,138,725	181,602	26,088,656	3,800,731	22,032,047	3,308,951	17,960,297	2,918,612
CHEESE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.	1,098,124	144,948	445,980	43,998	20,702,081	2,724,882	32,312,947	2,796,643	15,449,307	1,349,422
Germany.					520	76	105	9		
British North America.	2,817	364	3,707	418	4,811,229	408,569	10,284,793	866,363	10,170,466	787,006

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CHEESE (pounds)—Continued.										
Central American States and		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Honduras	10,885	1,275	13,594	1,730	140,758	16,045	132,077	15,001	126,980	14,790
Mexico	8,105	934	19,060	2,245	107,760	13,118	103,593	12,176	133,277	15,871
Santo Domingo	4,030	503	5,835	757	34,404	3,919	27,327	3,282	33,118	4,082
Cuba	28,350	3,445	52,511	6,567	51,894	9,053	219,531	25,888	570,499	69,015
Porto Rico	2,061	280	32,781	4,065	20,561	2,252	12,167	1,535	166,320	20,998
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda	48,446	5,695	63,556	8,993	703,699	85,329	623,022	73,872	597,012	70,636
Brazil	606	75	232	25	745	80	2,285	257	5,615	638
Colombia	4,332	561	6,066	713	72,997	9,025	75,577	9,216	51,544	6,315
Other South America	13,257	1,789	10,104	1,323	108,037	13,317	117,833	15,080	98,640	11,846
China	190	24	4,620	508	37,740	4,163	38,484	4,172	96,620	10,563
Japan			5,900	660	35,505	3,871	29,669	3,190	48,560	5,480
Other Asia and Oceania	18,110	1,978	35,815	4,213	156,508	17,728	200,810	22,544	280,473	31,638
Other countries	412	45	1,370	144	19,960	2,334	10,368	1,141	11,952	1,291
Total	1,839,725	161,919	701,131	76,369	36,004,388	3,313,761	44,199,588	3,850,369	27,840,374	2,399,591
Milk		44,825		90,673		468,960		609,935		863,261
Total provisions, etc.		14,768,964		13,836,936		114,108,725		137,407,366		145,376,969
Quicksilver	155,298	72,385	111,929	55,653	976,884	386,171	804,868	341,831	934,240	429,402
Rice	71,282	2,164	32,231	898	(a)	(a)	575,359	24,564	736,073	33,430
Rice bran, meal, and polish ..	547,615	3,846	1,037,711	6,240	2,799,266	15,998	4,563,322	28,893	13,011,761	71,876
Salt	8,567,127	21,989	10,203,812	27,674	(a)	(a)	14,562,708	56,883	20,728,978	70,402
Seeds:										
Clover	2,896,370	156,939	995,526	65,542	12,686,321	972,564	29,152,762	1,770,191	18,788,517	1,189,526
Cotton	1,290,855	6,677	155,107	3,117	25,865,544	166,324	31,844,317	191,878	30,253,673	177,500
Flaxseed or linseed	63	67	10,370	11,201	4,139,930	3,362,106	257,228	231,237	2,890,985	2,815,444
Timothy	1,770,141	55,075	1,882,451	50,243	15,865,242	548,069	9,936,295	308,414	14,934,326	456,040
Other grass seeds		5,063		5,190				159,735		150,751
All other		14,654		12,018		414,376		138,668		134,389
Total		238,475		147,311		5,463,439		2,800,123		4,923,650
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		56,887		26,157		2,726,353		1,041,073		822,557
France		3,341		976		117,941		37,869		181,817
Germany		62,035		40,497		602,245		767,041		828,509
Other Europe		24,331		3,756		1,291,344		363,322		1,636,744
British North America		78,566		64,574		624,669		467,595		1,359,992
Central American States and										
British Honduras		387		582		9,220		4,647		3,308
Mexico		478		319		19,298		28,621		15,092
Santo Domingo		77		55		379		664		189
Cuba		84		137		3,312		2,612		3,322
Porto Rico				266		235		19		397
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda		202		182		3,676		3,600		3,989
Argentina				4,923		782		348		7,355
Brazil				200		1,571		858		999
Colombia		107		259		2,146		1,516		1,349
Other South America		75		229		4,472		1,769		1,713
China				120		590		709		581
British Australasia		11,361		2,236		49,390		71,530		45,660
Other Asia and Oceania		335		676		4,114		4,826		6,363
Africa		209		1,167		1,652		1,504		3,714
Total seeds		238,475		147,311		5,463,439		2,800,123		4,923,650
Shells		5,297		9,698		(a)		97,128		90,852
Silk, manufactures of		44,588		29,922		185,035		237,441		251,712

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Soap:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Toilet or fancy.....		21,635		27,410		166,786		205,645		261,620
Other.....lbs..	3,491,354	160,909	3,571,101	147,660	20,235,454	771,260	24,054,889	955,153	25,710,260	867,504
Total.....		182,544		175,070		938,046		1,160,798		1,129,124
Spermaceti and spermaceti wax										
.....lbs..	22,606	6,186	17,754	4,494	187,884	60,061	174,400	51,431	182,506	49,426
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
ALCOHOL—										
Wood.....	47,535	21,610	45,047	27,275			361,824	188,497	532,646	298,000
Other, including pure, neutral, or cologne spirits.....	524,272	174,734	266,586	78,758	379,114	125,317	1,355,754	383,875	1,203,810	343,925
Brandy.....	5,440	8,605	478	1,015	8,430	8,875	20,855	31,212	18,130	25,683
Rum.....	214,324	310,506	22,971	32,227	623,717	854,785	545,970	764,288	648,779	898,877
WHISKY—										
Bourbon.....	3,753	6,259	35,425	47,950	368,714	291,657	234,134	189,009	212,722	246,550
Rye.....	4,045	6,563	15,237	24,578	19,716	34,896	14,932	26,428	70,744	115,284
All other.....	214	80	1,499	2,102	368,678	164,193	31,038	24,385	17,486	20,689
Total.....	799,583	528,357	387,243	213,905	1,768,369	1,479,723	2,564,567	1,607,694	2,704,317	1,949,016
Starch.....lbs..	6,035,190	138,600	13,099,082	296,513	55,430,866	1,216,173	55,300,426	1,001,065	95,966,919	1,981,581
Stationery, except of paper.....		96,833		103,986		754,720		829,653		926,171
Stereotype and electrotype plates.....		4,047		5,393		57,970		52,770		52,940
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of.....		60,316		65,695		230,516		259,189		285,896
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....galls..	204,983	20,809	110,162	10,204			3,225,336	229,981	5,360,955	460,167
Sirup.....galls..	681,550	90,718	1,518,712	221,511	7,500,954	673,894	6,662,051	659,564	7,889,118	1,982,588
Sugar, brown.....lbs..	23,207	864	160,315	4,831	1,057,540	33,628	437,456	16,455	369,619	12,988
SUGAR, REFINED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	168,060	8,400			491,165	20,093	508,432	22,923	308,967	15,051
Germany.....					10,390	520	2,075	98	280	15
Other Europe.....	1,030	56			11,993	586	5,949	318	1,300	60
British North America.....	13,104	778	553,499	25,298	30,158	2,045	58,817	3,690	1,547,331	71,213
Central American States and British Honduras.....	92,642	4,114	67,671	2,666	1,096,574	50,060	931,864	44,786	354,990	16,232
Mexico.....	45,929	2,062	100,690	4,169	394,077	19,531	288,156	13,413	383,824	16,693
Santo Domingo.....	1,735	98	1,408	74	40,749	1,902	28,325	1,504	19,798	1,075
Other West Indies and Bermuda	180,560	9,319	80,126	4,279	2,076,512	100,734	1,562,373	83,813	1,714,912	89,330
Colombia.....	52,167	2,611	31,605	1,444	824,717	39,407	477,839	24,201	267,436	12,735
Other South America.....			4,721	252	40,033	1,987	89,356	5,018	30,655	1,676
Other Asia and Oceania.....	94,680	4,190	21,835	797	860,026	39,638	955,796	45,521	2,379,065	90,840
Africa.....	210	12			367,356	18,734	271,667	13,850	245,422	13,223
Total.....	652,797	31,640	861,555	38,979	6,243,750	295,237	5,180,649	259,175	7,253,980	328,143
Candy and confectionery.....		67,744		44,674		444,754		589,288		499,661
Total sugar and molasses.....		211,775		320,199		1,447,513		1,745,463		2,383,547
Tin, manufactures of.....		28,374		42,196		241,310		208,461		277,206
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Leaf.....	16,775,711	1,475,738	18,560,195	1,693,334	276,318,573	22,214,807	223,802,847	19,416,799	231,497,291	21,496,092
Stems and trimmings.....	1,023,730	22,247	1,127,566	22,195	7,791,214	169,836	8,617,582	173,316	8,444,267	171,307
Total.....	17,799,441	1,497,985	19,687,761	1,715,529	284,109,787	22,384,643	232,420,429	19,590,115	239,941,558	21,667,399
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,329,213	605,276	5,272,015	451,212	82,255,618	7,466,449	83,977,012	7,866,376	74,067,160	6,879,206
France.....	375,348	34,103	221,381	21,632	22,638,100	1,740,801	19,595,283	1,553,283	23,329,444	1,893,286
Germany.....	1,639,538	103,893	1,688,487	113,363	58,670,854	4,051,486	50,636,501	3,481,821	41,890,605	3,350,445
Other Europe.....	7,192,444	518,796	6,196,446	470,050	96,571,344	6,781,380	64,128,136	4,960,941	66,636,238	6,110,128
British North America.....	765,014	71,668	1,265,408	122,985	13,959,424	1,421,177	6,351,797	611,674	9,232,852	923,865
Central American States and British Honduras.....	21,050	2,513	15,804	2,099	121,238	14,211	195,733	28,014	137,966	19,784

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Tobacco, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEAF, STEMS AND TRIMMINGS—										
Continued.										
Exported to (pounds)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	77,661	5,887	283,484	19,033	1,347,194	102,237	1,538,751	114,421	1,589,487	126,703
West Indies and Bermuda...	246,019	23,970	255,562	29,579	2,387,121	218,768	2,493,350	246,175	2,337,902	229,563
Argentina.....	3,979	529	43,360	3,415	56,990	4,035	70,831	3,904	297,419	20,080
Colombia.....	5,260	787	5,884	629	17,593	2,356	44,541	6,432	36,914	4,979
Other South America.....	151,900	12,525	99,045	7,848	971,894	80,300	1,000,452	83,299	882,225	79,961
Japan.....	334,750	31,624	3,562,695	369,388	593,986	38,180	1,576,972	110,716	13,559,125	1,365,219
British Australasia.....	382,780	61,728	469,202	70,705	1,005,470	235,148	1,827,150	273,579	2,521,480	344,574
Other Asia and Oceania.....	13,464	1,422	15,858	1,029	198,083	15,969	234,745	20,191	512,048	38,971
Africa.....	224,721	23,425	292,250	31,873	2,713,352	211,947	2,375,472	231,082	2,909,293	280,385
Other countries.....	300	39	890	89	1,520	179	1,700	207	1,400	160
Total unmanufactured...	17,799,441	1,497,985	19,687,761	1,715,529	284,109,787	22,384,643	232,450,429	19,592,115	239,941,558	21,667,309
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars.....M.	55	1,253	494	15,706	1,472	32,909	1,324	34,033	2,891	56,376
Cigarettes.....M.	74,051	149,183	67,760	144,378	746,408	1,592,214	804,831	1,620,690	995,910	1,882,184
Plug.....lbs.	804,650	166,961	899,111	217,895			8,068,576	1,764,994	7,615,149	1,791,668
All other.....		44,576		53,215		2,470,700		555,352		641,728
Total.....		361,973		431,194		4,095,823		3,975,069		4,374,956
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		75,795		50,138		1,302,734		1,044,467		639,460
France.....				330		13,907		16,310		11,531
Germany.....		12,700		4,320		171,805		109,898		64,855
Other Europe.....		21,004		25,256		274,927		257,766		297,416
British North America.....		7,425		10,128		55,357		52,675		65,535
Central American States and British Honduras.....		4,872		3,463		53,958		37,195		46,017
Mexico.....		476		637		12,557		17,386		9,082
Cuba.....		23,952		21,716		74,941		146,292		132,155
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		14,135		12,783		170,014		121,004		108,695
Argentina.....				5		48,057		1,807		4,176
Brazil.....						1,355		560		500
Colombia.....		440		552		1,219		2,984		4,352
Other South America.....		7,138		9,420		50,833		64,076		71,190
China.....		32,242		21,070		183,459		266,939		246,115
East Indies: British.....		7,598		30,068		109,639		110,633		209,976
Hongkong.....		8,355		1,729				36,499		53,178
Japan.....		34,489		3,292		317,508		387,977		468,714
British Australasia.....		81,029		183,523		793,871		985,868		1,486,230
Other Asia and Oceania.....		4,314		20,876		186,909		146,793		219,830
Africa.....		25,381		31,654		272,083		163,858		244,065
Other countries.....		28		234		690		4,062		884
Total manufactures of...		361,973		431,194		4,095,823		3,975,069		4,374,956
Toys.....		37,790		10,337		119,169		133,270		128,257
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.....		13,909		10,725		75,855		84,678		107,866
Varnish.....galls.	36,373	42,093	40,140	42,538	326,651	345,790	317,944	335,380	357,506	377,853
Vegetables (bush.):										
Beans and pease.....	43,965	60,391	52,099	61,173	736,430	896,234	778,135	988,323	755,216	1,093,021
Onions.....	3,751	4,356	6,269	6,102	65,870	52,191	91,843	81,218	153,983	123,066
Potatoes.....	34,354	24,500	22,271	22,097	799,218	443,280	568,113	434,813	522,045	398,510
Vegetables, canned.....		39,916		21,981		356,062		341,171		501,220
All other, including pickles and sauces.....		26,934		33,690		167,171		279,042		280,495
Total.....		156,097		165,043		1,914,938		2,121,567		2,396,312
Vessels sold to foreigners (tons):										
Steamers.....	66	3,500	6	5,500	1,106	147,568	639	107,272	108	38,066
Sailing vessels.....	469	3,500	19	800	144	2,427	481	4,800	1,439	17,225
Total.....	535	7,000	25	6,300	1,250	149,995	1,120	112,072	1,547	55,291

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Vinegar.....galls..	3,760	430	11,667	1,275	74,537	9,347	80,677	9,832	85,684	11,095
Whalebone.....lbs..	11,595	34,856	18,663	51,611	82,224	292,363	106,115	312,267	100,764	282,270
Wine:										
In bottles.....doz..	825	4,990	1,020	3,756	13,784	56,966	7,341	33,835	9,633	46,692
In other coverings.....galls..	354,339	125,106	154,755	62,380	1,155,456	526,224	1,263,479	528,243	1,268,274	536,006
Total.....		130,096		66,136		583,190		562,078		582,698
Wood, and manufactures of:										
TIMBER AND UNMANUFACTURED										
WOOD—										
Sawed.....M feet..	44,027	437,390	37,786	404,271	263,122	2,774,040	264,389	2,716,683	308,042	3,123,363
Hewn.....cubic feet..	457,518	101,915	344,281	42,626	3,118,688	559,083	3,892,580	239,185	3,105,746	502,905
Logs, and other.....		318,139		179,429		3,258,055		2,551,970		2,573,104
Total.....		857,444		626,326		6,582,178		6,077,838		6,199,392
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		378,984		324,792		3,171,658		2,391,653		2,427,184
France.....		22,230		17,096		161,840		257,535		287,954
Germany.....		120,948		105,254		1,041,910		1,070,201		939,231
Other Europe.....		142,741		96,421		785,582		946,929		1,110,555
British North America.....		91,771		26,915		595,865		800,384		676,466
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		2,865		4,145		132,005		46,362		26,697
Mexico.....		37,086		4,043		233,321		203,116		229,519
Cuba.....				835		18,901		14,863		33,356
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		133		703		27,097		4,652		5,143
Argentina.....		595		778		33,516		7,085		13,522
Brazil.....				240		16,194		7,278		4,524
Colombia.....		286				16,409		22,303		20,599
Other South America.....		18,160		274		14,836		49,300		26,192
British Australasia.....		18,503		25,037		185,704		152,556		211,947
Other Asia and Oceania.....		19,446		11,677		43,648		65,800		90,798
Africa.....		3,756		8,116		103,692		35,731		105,705
Total.....		857,444		626,326		6,582,178		6,077,838		6,199,392
LUMBER (M feet)—										
Boards, deals, and planks.....	59,653	987,160	89,105	1,385,333	687,194	10,131,728	612,660	9,852,625	766,995	11,820,083
Joists and scantling.....	2,817	28,699	2,865	30,307	28,752	339,586	30,955	339,438	20,967	323,873
Total.....	62,470	1,015,859	91,990	1,415,640	715,946	10,474,314	673,635	10,192,063	796,962	12,143,956
Exported to (M feet)—										
United Kingdom.....	12,266	259,660	8,008	266,748	101,277	2,371,744	92,787	2,335,270	110,425	2,654,435
France.....	2,302	35,491	1,449	32,464	14,920	220,775	23,535	327,179	24,636	359,570
Germany.....	3,789	88,096	4,131	91,732	29,833	443,668	28,988	624,723	38,526	852,936
Other Europe.....	9,565	178,861	16,239	266,098	79,783	1,181,208	91,937	1,697,223	115,982	2,096,151
British North America.....	7,257	94,837	8,144	116,052	42,522	588,922	66,057	819,396	75,239	1,062,424
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	97	1,326	682	6,710	10,141	116,901	2,821	33,084	4,127	50,154
Mexico.....	6,451	77,866	9,547	98,682	54,762	773,821	53,768	699,730	60,839	648,467
Santo Domingo.....	42	872	196	4,506	2,790	44,640	2,385	32,189	1,618	26,424
Cuba.....	306	2,173	4,481	47,759	23,453	247,844	23,897	258,076	53,505	607,563
Porto Rico.....	151	2,065	506	6,769	8,226	106,751	4,050	51,129	3,661	44,907
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	1,241	16,639	4,143	59,567	56,328	722,103	31,054	439,039	39,285	551,777
Argentina.....	7,152	91,839	11,206	136,584	73,748	893,421	64,773	755,884	76,114	898,463
Brazil.....	3,169	44,075	4,307	56,476	45,088	581,368	45,109	575,412	30,060	384,230
Colombia.....	47	805	399	4,684	2,767	39,860	3,730	48,350	2,636	35,338
Other South America.....	1,864	25,175	4,182	55,213	51,315	606,468	32,057	386,253	31,361	398,627
China.....			1,409	13,031	5,785	50,709	12,666	85,201	12,621	111,013
Hongkong.....	103	1,186					722	9,287	2,200	20,621
Japan.....	973	9,291	47	1,025	13,031	112,380	7,410	58,038	1,145	12,291

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.										
LUMBER (M feet)—Continued.										
Exported to (M feet)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British Australasia.....	1,460	21,442	4,500	48,919	52,112	519,902	30,673	343,330	38,338	428,561
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	3,148	31,760	5,154	50,452	26,209	962,986	33,411	314,228	45,058	437,623
Africa.....	1,145	32,340	2,670	52,169	36,600	583,810	20,718	387,587	30,086	523,806
Other countries.....	2	60			256	5,033	77	1,455	101	1,515
Total boards, deals, etc..	62,470	1,015,859	91,990	1,415,640	715,946	10,474,314	673,635	10,192,063	796,962	12,143,956
Shingles.....M..	4,000	6,482	7,649	11,669	49,845	90,875	38,692	82,637	60,687	104,166
Shooks—										
Box.....		26,345		46,625		433,789		412,849		340,695
Other.....No..	20,132	31,695	40,512	40,736	604,173	495,195	516,418	523,380	576,427	519,839
Staves.....No..	5,456,931	362,011	2,574,067	245,597			46,364,966	3,027,557	38,404,435	3,147,639
Heading.....		26,665		15,326		3,064,350		179,856		156,727
All other.....		224,582		262,914		2,536,354		2,602,601		2,529,231
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds.....		104,846		94,196		450,741		660,099		907,584
FURNITURE, N. E. S.—										
United Kingdom.....		107,000		81,441		765,737		814,428		872,681
France.....		9,683		4,756		172,769		208,930		67,853
Germany.....		32,287		17,180		176,190		261,648		150,718
Other Europe.....		36,541		15,094		175,973		216,204		182,269
British North America.....		46,121		44,097		433,117		409,949		360,753
Central American States and British Honduras.....		3,078		1,964		128,555		69,706		30,118
Mexico.....		11,756		28,587		158,727		129,704		196,466
Santo Domingo.....		1,591		1,114		10,302		10,666		6,692
Cuba.....		2,666		17,923		27,515		21,910		58,703
Porto Rico.....		164		3,818		14,563		6,041		15,921
Other West Indies and Bermuda		7,644		1,146		119,895		96,538		80,025
Argentina.....		2,911		5,431		77,603		59,494		57,689
Brazil.....		3,022		3,009		42,332		33,095		26,145
Colombia.....		2,230		3,320		33,252		29,200		23,593
Other South America.....		3,066		7,973		93,160		62,263		55,187
China.....		915		628		24,666		19,475		8,804
East Indies: British.....		879		608		15,313		15,986		6,348
Japan.....		1,274		568		27,104		25,474		13,940
British Australasia.....		9,161		16,262		167,965		154,171		218,366
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		5,855		31,060		86,278		122,244		188,819
Africa.....		36,483		19,145		268,480		290,894		276,036
Other countries.....		835		160		1,149		3,075		1,604
Total furniture, n. e. s.....		325,162		305,304		3,080,645		3,064,095		2,898,740
Hogsheads and barrels, empty.....		17,992		9,956		218,042		200,649		178,762
Trimmings, moldings, and other house finishings.....		24,978		25,517		159,960		230,424		303,888
Wooden ware.....		39,713		71,059		449,972		382,078		577,165
Wood pulp.....lbs..	6,402,458	45,465	6,007,399	85,201	(a)	(a)	45,715,022	461,295	49,992,562	607,143
All other.....		322,503		285,734		2,650,087		2,478,334		2,451,711
Total wood and manufac- tures of.....		3,431,742		3,541,890		30,686,502		30,575,755		33,126,638
Wool, and manufactures of:										
Wool, raw.....lbs..	16,270	1,681	195,430	20,630	5,150,465	598,980	121,139	18,071	333,137	36,746
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets.....yards..	6,671	4,705	22,313	16,253	196,021	150,272	164,154	140,387	83,092	64,523
Dress goods.....yards..	4,295	3,208	1,624	1,213	(a)	(a)	77,060	39,258	26,129	15,768
Flannels and blankets.....		5,769		1,768		49,895		40,591		38,557
Wearing apparel.....		41,433		47,365		336,403		372,962		447,581
All other manufactures of.....		26,523		22,846		273,572		369,437		321,102
Total manufactures.....		81,638		89,445		810,142		962,635		887,531

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Zinc, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ore tons..	74	2,650	1,523	70,875	4,150	95,165	7,752	212,542	12,844	400,485
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets lbs..	23,942	1,472	2,861,330	177,237	28,937,155	1,422,978	20,892,990	1,002,305	17,824,976	930,401
All other manufactures of.....		16,020		29,093		58,373		74,137		149,646
Total, not including ore.....		17,492		197,330		1,481,351		1,076,442		1,080,047
ALL OTHER ARTICLES.....		491,659		688,024		3,775,982		3,536,813		4,702,439
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE.....		98,013,579		83,780,731		883,824,445		1,008,564,210		1,018,153,863
CARRIED IN—										
CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		5,687,874		6,754,257		49,280,344		54,718,387		61,477,153
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....		4,217,373		4,510,189		44,414,388		40,563,834		41,559,997
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Belgian.....	1,733,149		1,330,335				16,032,540		13,938,415	
British.....	60,944,580		50,294,091				643,675,754		651,736,081	
Dutch.....	1,679,437		2,316,274				16,909,212		22,081,516	
French.....	1,296,084		1,591,483				13,812,744		12,763,637	
German.....	7,186,088	79,842,280	9,412,864	70,466,895		a 711,726,608	72,407,604	823,263,073	89,666,940	850,886,112
Italian.....			730,148				941,986		2,076,624	
Norwegian.....	2,367,101		1,478,255				19,674,668		20,928,455	
All other.....	4,635,841		3,263,443				39,808,570		37,694,444	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS.....		1,665,417		1,787,249		13,755,650		15,776,706		16,041,032
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....									2,889	
British.....	3,890,363		1,639,124				50,963,034		27,858,166	
Dutch.....	35,820		99,695				374,092		790,533	
French.....	67,064		43,500				1,418,469		873,560	
German.....	878,895	6,600,635	170,423	3,262,143		a 58,647,455	7,211,925	74,248,205	6,026,030	48,189,569
Italian.....	436,973		370,366				3,896,355		3,513,383	
Norwegian.....	883,303		553,832				7,115,449		5,752,705	
All other.....	390,217		380,202				3,268,881		3,372,303	

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>
Animals (number):								
Cattle.....dut.....					23	1,230	4,307	63,770
Horses.....free.....					8	2,550	3	102
Do.....dut.....	2	300	18	2,245	144	71,298	170	54,405
Sheep.....dut.....					67	390	61	875
All other, including fowls.....free.....		3		22		159		9,050
Do.....dut.....		130		415		6,946		6,362
Total.....		433		2,682		82,573		134,564
Antimony ore.....free...lbs.					2,246	157	32,075	627
Antimony ore, as regulus or metal.....dut...lbs.	24,460	1,665			28,549	1,952		
Articles, the growth, produce, and manufacture of the United States, returned, n. e. s.....free.....				5		200		120
Articles for the use of the United States, etc. free.....						144		
Art works.....free.....		4,003		660		47,827		11,053
Do.....dut.....		8,986		24,561		277,965		353,132
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude.....dut. tons.	50	937	3	81	110	2,702	964	18,533
Bolting cloths.....free.....								1,000
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured.....free.....				1,090		3,757		4,008
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....						2,056		616
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....free.....		4,655		2,276		31,972		20,575
Do.....dut.....		1,066		1,952		18,695		20,614
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut.....				5		1,343		1,237
Breadstuffs:								
Barley.....dut...bush..							86	29
Corn.....dut...bush..							1,480	463
Wheat.....dut...bush..	60,000	75,000	8,114	6,088	1,824,417	1,743,540	1,930,429	1,447,797
Wheat flour.....dut...bbls..	192	710			1,427	4,900	1,044	3,898
All other, and preparations of, etc.....free.....		123		195		6,140		4,079
Do.....dut.....		100				3,120		3,177
Total.....		75,933		6,283		1,757,700		1,459,443
Bristles (pounds):								
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....					40	18	4,321	2,740
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut.....	454	299	4,600	1,329	21,282	17,670	40,927	17,179
Total.....	454	299	4,600	1,329	21,322	17,688	45,248	19,919
Brushes.....dut.....				23		1,828		354
Buttons and button forms.....dut.....		19		803		1,885		1,901
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....dut...lbs.	318,514	1,024	716,458	2,957	3,864,305	14,384	6,384,355	23,159
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:								
Alizarin and alizarin colors or dyes, etc.....free...lbs.	493	69	1,212	260	6,468	925	26,754	4,324
Argols, or wine lees.....dut...lbs.			3,218	644	375	19	3,564	662
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....dut.....		4,516		4,823		41,319		35,138
Cochineal.....free...lbs.					404	113		
DYEWOODS—								
Logwood.....free. tons.	15	316	45	930	44	900	116	2,704
All other.....free.....		552		292		10,466		1,663
Extracts and decoctions of.....dut...lbs.	26,773	1,873	14,702	890	51,316	3,667	141,821	19,091
Total.....		2,741		2,112		15,033		23,458
Glycerin.....dut...lbs.	500	60			56,146	4,842		
GUMS (pounds)—								
Arabic.....free.....	1,680	369	12,104	2,914	15,957	3,695	38,687	7,778
Camphor, crude.....free.....	126	19			713	107	908	294
Chicle.....dut.....			10,195	1,117			145,265	24,315
Copal, cowrie, and dammar.....free.....			51,843	7,445			294,744	32,356
Gambier, or terra japonica.....free.....	24,467	734			186,158	6,715	181,718	6,613
Shellac.....free.....	2,746	586	16,594	3,570	31,605	6,798	55,229	11,247
All other.....free.....		24,650		8,560		142,421		88,532
Total.....		26,358		23,606		159,736		171,135

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ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Continued.								
Indigo.....free..lbs..	400	520	36,089	25,762	187,995	117,179	103,635	75,334
Licorice root.....free..lbs..							245	23
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....free..lbs..					24,660	393		
Do.....dut..lbs..					34,359	480	110	3
Mineral waters, all not artificial.....free..galls..					155	114		
Mineral waters.....dut..galls..	232	118	1,527	951	3,110	1,111	8,244	3,718
OPIMUM (pounds)—								
Crude or unmanufactured.....free.....					50	100		
Do.....dut.....	2,185	4,140	739	1,690	7,670	15,010	33,734	85,492
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.....					3	25	4	60
POTASH (pounds)—								
Chlorate of.....free.....					1,108	99		
Do.....dut.....	3,123	211	20,787	1,319	17,317	1,334	54,040	3,966
Muriate of.....free.....	43,480	969			110,300	2,485	50,208	1,015
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free.....			89,067	3,400	12,180	220	111,417	4,294
All other.....free.....	800	50			44,155	2,211	28,874	771
Total.....	47,403	1,230	109,854	4,710	194,060	6,349	244,539	10,046
Quinia, sulphate of, etc.....free..ozs..					200	55	132	66
SODA—								
Caustic.....dut..lbs..	132,684	2,134	86,710	1,692	1,296,409	23,421	872,435	16,018
Nitrate of.....free..tons..	3	127	103	3,562	885	32,519	794	26,251
Sal soda.....dut..lbs..	1,272	14			1,272	14		
Soda ash.....dut..lbs..	146,160	553	47,320	156	1,628,925	6,638	4,455,482	14,824
All other salts of.....dut..lbs..	4,294	61	1,083	12	46,365	515	31,765	350
Total.....		2,889		5,422		63,107		57,443
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude.....free..tons..			51	1,158	389	7,530	1,407	32,204
Sumac, ground.....dut..lbs..					23,359	334	24,055	375
Vanilla beans.....free..lbs..	156	779	571	2,952	7,864	40,548	25,310	91,731
All other.....free.....		33,913		32,390		287,466		231,405
Do.....dut.....		8,776		6,736		120,008		81,826
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....		86,109		113,225		881,796		904,473
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....dut..lbs..	2,760	328			8,866	1,446	13,566	1,419
Clays or earths of all kinds.....dut..tons..			39	436	56	364	193	989
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):								
Clocks, and parts of.....						519		4,221
Watches, and watch materials, etc.....		4				1,259		813
Coal, bituminous.....dut..tons..	3	43	475	429	4,900	5,105	3,937	3,569
Cocoa, or cacao, crude, etc.....free..lbs..	164,866	26,736	113,944	18,021	1,212,541	177,647	1,947,425	248,549
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....dut..lbs..	949	302	885	230	2,303	676	1,258	521
Coffee.....free..lbs..	908,058	115,001	3,546,992	334,188	15,933,857	1,970,643	26,479,946	2,571,780
Copper, and manufactures of:								
Ore and regulus.....free..tons..	75	11,569			668	96,739	3,391	539,629
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc.....free..lbs..					214,132	15,501	1,487,933	71,768
Manufactures of.....dut.....		2,241		471		5,439		3,828
Total, not including ore.....		2,241		471		20,940		75,596
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanufactured.....free.....		8,837		5,650		68,045		55,193
Cork, manufactures of.....dut.....		42		3,091		6,793		4,255
Cotton, and manufactures of:								
Unmanufactured.....free..lbs..	84,555	6,790	7,800	1,025	489,159	40,743	256,846	27,370
Waste or flocks.....free..lbs..							10,960	274
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cloth (square yards)—								
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....					1,525	107	18,901	1,104
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	107,669	7,470	32,322	3,106	970,416	75,119	180,634	14,979
Total.....	107,669	7,470	32,322	3,106	971,941	75,226	199,535	16,083
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		1,649		1,431		15,876		10,323
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		1,050		1,416		7,096		7,245
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		6,345		1,332		20,273		13,224
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs..					3,140	1,241	3,602	1,244
All other.....		6,601		8,371		144,146		96,832
Total manufactures.....		23,205		15,656		263,858		144,951

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):								
CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Not decorated or ornamented.....		77		955		1,310		7,020
Decorated or ornamented.....		1,097		879		12,037		17,674
All other.....		184		236		12,381		3,526
Total.....		1,358		2,070		25,728		28,220
Eggs.....doz.....dut.....							24	50
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut.....		1,200		150		7,231		30,466
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut.....		127		159		5,329		5,847
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, for millinery use.....dut.....		315				10,209		918
Fertilizers (free, tons):								
Phosphates, crude or native.....					75	2,088	200	2,241
All other.....						794		16,060
Total.....						2,882		18,301
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—								
Flax, hackled.....dut.....					25	2,129		
Hemp, and tow of.....free.....					57	5,117		
Hemp, hackled.....dut.....			64	10,630	196	16,348	139	22,840
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free.....	101	7,575	162	15,728	635	45,596	1,174	97,378
Jute and jute butts.....free.....					2	95		
Manila.....free.....	133	14,985			642	62,138	534	73,634
Sisal grass.....free.....			67	12,500	1,369	105,810	1,449	204,807
All other.....free.....	8	1,689	■	1,059	83	13,551	158	10,236
Total unmanufactured.....	242	24,249	299	39,917	3,009	259,784	3,454	408,895
MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—								
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.....dut.....						546		86
Bags for grain, made of burlaps.....free.....						350		
Bags of jute.....dut.....		1,314		912		10,954		18,728
Burlaps.....free.....						24		
Do.....dut.....		3,573				9,967		
Cables, cordage, and twine, n. e. s.....	33,000	3,359			38,514	3,995	586	93
Coir yarn.....free.....					57,699	1,670	37,657	1,633
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds.....dut.....			4,812	1,017			9,201	2,371
Fabrics, plain, woven of single jute yarn.....dut.....				351				33,499
Handkerchiefs.....dut.....				796				890
Oil cloths.....sq. yds.....dut.....							1,553	1,157
Twine, binding.....free.....							1,125	124
Yarns or threads.....dut.....			65	17	9,163	2,787	66	17
All other.....dut.....		4,577		-7,189		51,604		35,651
Total manufactures.....		12,823		10,282		81,897		94,240
Fish (pounds):								
FRESH—								
Lobsters, canned or uncanned.....free.....			11,000	1,500	5,114	999	25,630	3,829
All other.....dut.....		181				203		
CURED OR PRESERVED (dutiable)—								
Anchovies and sardines, etc.....		873		1,147		11,550		9,916
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	431,460	13,696	635,197	24,461	9,558,846	306,218	6,612,915	241,874
Herring—								
Dried or smoked.....	147,083	3,206	148,411	3,110	4,634,852	83,961	1,511,851	35,443
Pickled or salted.....			9,200	143	58,774	1,907	71,275	1,851
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....			600	40	19,400	1,177	9,800	499
Salmon, pickled or salted.....					18,800	1,182	153,473	23,932
All other.....		602		3,032		21,361		61,588
Total.....		18,558		33,433		428,553		378,932
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):								
Bananas.....free.....		19,188		35,462		195,415		182,681
Currants.....dut.....	21,600	830	5,770	152	1,058,777	34,052	365,292	10,764
Dates.....dut.....	16,336	679	28,820	1,029	163,943	5,744	194,562	5,952
Figs.....dut.....	28,348	1,609	1,250	40	63,215	3,571	148,788	7,340
Lemons.....dut.....		627		2,119		9,148		7,152

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ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—Continued.								
Oranges.....dut.		190		287		9,939		10,614
Plums and prunes.....dut.	1,956	432			3,731	660	1,660	250
Raisins.....dut.	8,858	405	38,686	1,283	491,752	22,448	273,745	13,582
Prepared or preserved.....dut.		172		150		16,889		8,238
All other.....free.		5,670		8,422		34,006		16,722
Do.....dut.		9,785		5,793		57,380		62,547
Total fruits.....		39,587		54,737		389,192		325,842
Nuts—								
Almonds.....dut.	5,724	703	39,374	2,345	64,717	5,612	183,414	13,985
Cocoanuts.....free.		900		1,867		3,515		5,637
Do.....dut.						2,667		
All other.....dut.		295		494		16,104		12,704
Total fruits and nuts.....		41,485		59,443		417,030		358,168
Furs:								
Fur and fur skins, undressed.....free.		648		29,881		64,504		142,624
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.		11,762		8,849		127,945		81,548
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....dut. doz.	230	133	150	102	1,744	1,217	1,263	809
Glass and glassware (dutiable):								
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		102		93		1,014		1,577
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs.			2,430	53	62,364	1,142	20,182	517
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, silvered.....sq. ft.						22		7
Plate glass, cast, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft.						900		215
All other.....		2,771		518		12,799		6,040
Total.....		2,873		664		15,207		8,134
Glue.....dut. lbs.					16,482	2,811	6,767	634
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free.		12				570		2,153
Grease, n. e. s.....dut.		1,353				2,779		2,788
Hair:								
Unmanufactured.....free.		36				1,343		4,427
Manufactures of.....dut.		28				1,082		1,328
Total.....		64				2,425		5,755
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free.						9,622		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.		1,457		254		24,785		6,735
Materials for, etc.....dut.		6,369		3,622		51,880		59,789
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):								
Goatskins.....free.	64,371	19,860	51,300	16,622	565,030	169,007	303,252	91,856
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free.	150,139	17,678	91,762	12,002	762,758	81,542	415,764	67,660
Hides of cattle.....dut.	294,952	34,460	167,075	18,612	6,620,263	632,698	2,781,018	341,539
Total.....	509,462	71,998	310,137	47,236	7,948,051	883,247	3,500,034	501,055
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.								2,107
Hops.....dut. lbs.	1,729	292	468	137	30,719	5,626	22,041	5,713
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.		3,345		160		39,435		5,420
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Gutta-percha.....					11,853	8,320	60,228	41,176
India rubber.....	163,171	103,640	236,883	175,644	2,341,315	1,203,852	2,490,728	1,610,999
Total unmanufactured.....	169,171	103,640	236,883	175,644	2,353,168	1,212,172	2,550,956	1,652,175
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gutta-percha.....		48		41,512		171		41,520
India rubber.....		184		11,063		100,873		21,119
Total manufactures.....		232		52,575		101,044		62,639
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Pig iron.....dut. tons.	185	2,372			306	3,780	530	6,478
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....dut. tons.	9	72			66	385	74	698
Bar iron.....dut. lbs.			2,588	261	37,542	1,310	25,264	1,030
Bars, railway, of iron or steel.....dut. tons.					402	15,400		
Hoops, band, or scroll.....dut. lbs.							145	25
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. dut. lbs.	4,208	344	2,161	513	32,370	2,984	84,909	3,291
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....dut. lbs.	75,842	1,717			1,856,166	50,551	283,042	7,211
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin.....dut. lbs.	1,060	23	44,821	1,300	449,078	11,891	487,347	14,144
Wire rods.....dut. lbs.					293,250	5,665		
Wire, and articles made from.....dut. lbs.	587	47	116	12	114,046	5,078	164,496	3,399

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ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Anvils.....dut..lbs.					6, 149	221		
Chains.....dut..lbs.	843	59			843	59	600	50
Cutlery.....dut.		284		552		12,996		8,136
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.						17		132
Firearms.....dut.		624		212		9,018		16,477
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free						11		129
Machinery.....dut.		420		7,259		23,376		196,304
Shotgun barrels, forged, rough-bored.....free						728		
All other.....dut.		5,136		5,429		94,149		128,991
Total, not including ore.....		11,098		15,538		237,819		386,495
Ivory (free, pounds):								
Animal.....					1,880	4,308	2,310	6,113
Vegetable.....	147,541	1,769			479,194	8,421	640,039	9,537
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:								
Diamonds, n. e. s., not set.....dut.						309		67
Other precious stones, rough or uncut.....free								405
Other precious stones and imitations of, not set.....dut.				3,340		7,214		52,782
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....dut.		405		147		8,490		19,968
Lead, and manufactures of (dutyable, pounds):								
Lead in ore and base bullion.....	12,077,220	212,081	11,916,397	213,121	116,444,405	2,138,131	131,089,780	2,077,295
Pigs, bars, and old.....							7,009	263
Manufactures of.....		17				24,048		355
Leather, and manufactures of:								
LEATHER (dutyable)—								
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		2,358		4,564		9,987		9,477
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		9		370		1,145		11,331
Skins for morocco.....		792				6,171		737
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		791				6,383		35,045
Total leather.....		3,950		4,934		23,689		56,590
MANUFACTURES OF (dutyable)—								
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		134				2,545		13,220
All other.....		58		1,770		25,802		18,965
Total manufactures.....		192		1,770		28,347		32,185
Malt liquors (dutyable, gallons):								
In bottles or jugs.....	94	77	520	349	7,085	5,435	9,150	5,843
In other coverings.....							2,960	655
Total.....	94	77	520	349	7,085	5,435	12,110	6,498
Manganese ore or oxide.....free...tons.					15	85	34	268
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutyable):								
Marble, and manufactures of.....				174		2,441		1,538
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		201		362		1,615		1,365
Total.....		201		536		4,056		2,903
Matting for floors.....free...rolls.					60	204		
Matting and mats for floors.....dut..sq. yds.	5,400	643	2,562	173	52,457	6,237	117,822	13,121
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (dut.):								
Bronze manufactures.....		101		60		772		1,060
All other.....		787		6,481		31,101		65,033
Total.....		888		6,541		31,873		66,093
Musical instruments.....dut.		164		167		6,736		5,158
Oils (gallons):								
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—								
Whale and fish.....dut.	2,667	1,190	2,635	1,264	14,572	6,158	31,696	9,785
Other.....dut.							64	62
MINERAL.....free							90	10
Do.....dut.	1,708	281			1,768	281	1,090	141
VEGETABLE—								
Fixed or expressed—								
Olive.....dut.	316	327	642	664	1,379	1,690	3,822	3,855
Other.....free		1,472		2,457		23,128		18,432
Do.....dut.		1,634		2,064		24,071		23,858
Volatile or essential and distilled.....free		3,030		302		48,930		17,775
Do.....dut.		584		161		8,818		7,145
Total.....		8,518		6,912		113,076		81,063

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ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.
Paints, pigments, and colors.....free						1		
Do.....dut		681		702		10,573		16,456
Paper stock, crude (free; see also Wood pulp):								
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs					25,115	450	9,464	189
All other.....						1,024		120
Total.....						1,474		309
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s. ....dut								158
Parchment papers.....dut.....lbs							9,543	571
All other paper.....dut		124		1,942		16,837		16,075
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....dut		571		5,338		4,446		10,103
Pipes and smokers' articles.....dut		110		27		1,005		5,472
Plants, trees, shrubs, and vines.....dut				110				6,138
Plumbago.....free.....tons			2	54	5	269	165	11,697
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (dut.):								
MEAT PRODUCTS—								
Meat and meat extracts.....		286		290		2,120		12,320
All other.....		261		8		899		63,681
DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—								
Butter.....	505	153			3,399	767	1,976	423
Cheese.....	7,305	1,072	19,386	2,510	88,316	12,546	226,739	23,948
Milk, condensed.....		114		95		887		1,423
Total.....		1,886		2,903		17,219		98,795
Rice.....dut.....lbs	935,798	16,940	622,957	11,904	8,326,469	148,877	16,523,150	361,370
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....							2,890	70
Total.....	935,798	16,940	622,957	11,904	8,326,469	148,877	16,525,950	361,440
Salt.....free.....lbs					67,200	66		
Do.....dut.....lbs	2,547,266	1,862	1,655,976	1,359	3,758,391	3,304	2,964,818	3,859
Total.....	2,547,266	1,862	1,655,976	1,359	3,825,591	3,370	2,964,818	3,859
Sausage casings.....free						750		16,794
Seeds (bushels):								
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut	5	6			2,172	1,375		
All other.....free		332		2,420		5,765		12,126
Do.....dut		52		25		9,560		2,614
Total.....		390		2,445		16,701		14,740
Shells, unmanufactured.....free		4,545		598		31,869		32,632
Silk, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	3,038	9,115	5,847	20,393	66,356	188,247	51,450	166,334
Waste.....dut			180	270			180	270
Total unmanufactured.....	3,038	9,115	6,027	20,663	66,356	188,247	51,630	166,604
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		3,728		3,915		12,016		24,867
Dress and piece goods.....		5,083		4,789		12,324		70,666
Laces and embroideries.....		55				8,011		7,064
Ribbons.....		174				584		1,667
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs			2,077	7,059			14,542	47,675
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs							1,257	3,527
All other.....		1,002		17,978		54,203		104,199
Total manufactures.....		10,102		33,741		87,138		259,665
Soap (dutiable, pounds):								
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....	18	9	230	47	455	115	2,036	343
All other.....		421		1,679		6,447		7,143
Total.....		430		1,726		6,562		7,486
Spices:								
UNGROUND (pounds)—								
Nutmegs.....free	130	59	317	95	20,326	5,648	19,676	7,003
Pepper, black or white.....free	44,737	3,863	51,442	5,551	838,604	60,653	704,556	71,388
All other.....free	32,940	3,335	97,248	11,301	601,998	63,812	1,398,365	127,608
Do.....dut	2,073	125	4,087	235	110,170	5,686	141,524	5,572
Total.....	79,880	7,402	153,094	17,185	1,571,098	135,790	2,264,121	211,571

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free			625	441	625	511	21,004	22,057
Brandy.....dut	253	574	417	923	7,290	8,958	2,038	4,342
All other.....dut	1,342	1,696	1,393	2,378	24,783	35,036	35,511	60,070
Total.....	1,595	2,270	2,435	3,742	32,698	44,535	59,153	86,475
Sponges.....dut		5,521		5,200		66,918		76,122
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....dut				3,229				9,287
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:								
Molasses.....free galls					4,009	922		
Molasses above 40° polariscopic test.....dut galls	8,671	1,043			65,022	11,336	165,405	25,046
SUGAR (pounds)—								
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet.....dut							28,000	650
Cane.....free					490	40	163,325	7,333
Cane and other.....dut	22,401	400			7,132,799	125,346	809,369	15,681
Above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet, cane, and other.....dut	832,672	22,568	607,564	17,564	5,485,522	139,791	4,241,530	112,732
Total sugar.....	905,163	22,968	607,564	17,564	12,618,811	265,177	5,262,224	136,396
Confectionery.....dut		484		19		2,120		1,067
Tea.....free lbs	102,583	14,848			2,614,149	384,638	170	50
Do.....lbs			157,524	16,920			910,782	118,246
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.....free lbs	59,246	8,405	82,003	18,291	882,740	123,703	561,775	105,167
Tobacco, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
LEAF—								
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	35,933	27,729	23,636	19,230	824,333	773,636	665,750	590,689
Other.....	185,404	73,658	98,504	58,932	1,133,014	403,876	990,432	527,985
Total leaf.....	221,337	101,387	122,140	78,222	1,957,347	1,177,512	1,656,182	1,118,674
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	570	721	328	499	18,988	25,706	10,615	15,766
All other.....				81		460		1,626
Total manufactures.....		721		580		26,166		17,392
Toys.....dut		42		26		4,576		2,026
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):								
Beans and dried pease.....	813	977	1,638	1,015	41,825	40,140	19,153	25,177
Onions.....			6	7			124	164
Potatoes.....					40	41	265	4,065
Pickles and sauces.....		625		85		2,052		1,434
All other—								
In their natural state.....				134		485		5,218
Prepared or preserved.....		570		1,818		7,072		12,786
Total.....		2,172		3,059		49,790		48,844
Wines (dutiable):								
Champagne, and other sparkling.....doz	114	1,919	53	734	2,317	32,504	2,149	25,796
STILL WINES—								
In casks.....galls	1,113	606	2,204	355	26,493	11,586	15,288	7,430
In other coverings.....doz	811	1,842	536	1,730	4,317	12,811	2,640	7,787
Total.....		4,367		2,819		56,901		41,013
Wood, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED—								
Cabinet woods—								
Mahogany.....free M feet	19	1,312	151	18,183	1,245	85,664	2,372	187,984
All other.....free		3,099		10,505		47,441		30,889
Logs and round timber.....free M feet							7	647
Timber, hewn, etc.....dut cub. ft			11,488	1,304	27,365	3,928	22,329	2,521
Lumber—								
Boards, planks, etc.....free M feet					4,874	132,809		
Do.....dut M feet	2,739	33,430	4,063	42,569	17,127	251,358	23,828	230,552
Shingles.....dut M					1,523	1,523		
Other lumber.....dut						1,057		1,515
All other unmanufactured.....free		644		54,249		93,996		138,020
Do.....dut				381		292		1,249

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ARTICLES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Cabinet ware or house furniture				590		5,528		5,005
Wood pulp.....tons.							321	3,497
All other.....		12,622		18,616		99,407		119,989
Total wood, and manufactures of.....		51,107		146,397		723,003		721,868
Wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—								
Class 1—Clothing: In the grease.....free..					13,084	2,355		
Do.....dut..	180,585	23,763	921,177	161,657	1,192,334	156,583	5,268,334	723,236
Scoured.....dut..	9,353	844			26,925	4,914	22,215	2,294
Class 2—Combing: In the grease.....free..					3,581	895		
Do.....dut..	480	118			275,702	55,410	2,266	328
Class 3—Carpet: In the grease.....dut..	15,820	1,832	12,066	1,557	203,636	21,795	466,916	51,481
Scoured.....dut..					17,269	975		
Total unmanufactured.....	206,238	26,557	934,143	163,214	1,732,531	242,927	5,759,731	777,330
MANUFACTURES OF WOOL (dutiable)—								
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds..			2,758	4,839	3,677	19,044	6,261	15,004
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit goods.....		2,488		1,297		31,260		17,102
Cloths.....lbs..	9,616	6,281	2,488	2,526	131,438	76,898	71,606	35,809
Dress goods, women's and children's.....sq. yds..	22,045	4,190	45,815	19,877	288,473	45,517	262,130	58,079
Knit fabrics.....						768		170
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc.....lbs..			1,474	117	921,426	92,737	54,988	6,345
Shawls.....		179		621		2,604		2,085
Yarns.....lbs..			9	1	207	81	1,073	485
All other.....		4,440		3,218		46,725		41,724
Total manufactures.....		17,537		32,496		315,634		176,893
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs..	12,369	518			46,184	1,584	24,707	914
Manufactures of.....						241		128
Total.....		518				1,825		1,042
All other articles.....free..		52,662		6,425		174,242		64,917
Do.....dut..		9,939		22,376		88,557		207,669
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		545,104		918,712		6,666,300		7,825,820
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		756,133		957,799		9,989,662		10,486,119
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.....		1,301,237		1,876,511		16,655,962		18,311,939
FROM WAREHOUSE.....		702,297		777,950		8,505,128		9,615,775
NOT FROM WAREHOUSE.....		598,940		1,098,561		8,150,834		8,696,164
CARRIED IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		426,359		562,708		5,163,906		5,494,031
CARRIED IN AMERICAN VESSELS: Steam.....		134,356		115,442		2,218,534		2,129,186
Sailing.....		27,767		35,806		686,238		585,826
CARRIED IN FOREIGN VESSELS: Steam.....		688,283		1,088,459		8,364,242		9,874,026
Sailing.....		24,472		74,096		222,952		228,870

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
EUROPE.										
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	404,919	755,574	514,276	708,194	6,229,282	4,050,823	5,080,943	3,325,606	4,821,394	6,097,263
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	737	264	67,731	14,863	11,444	16,059	5,504	256,585	341,370	294,612
Belgium.....	671,763	626,048	3,626,671	2,628,051	10,491,720	7,440,682	8,899,066	27,900,403	39,572,347	37,953,909
Denmark.....	17,245	24,659	1,569,382	1,096,904	302,752	189,576	221,284	8,761,664	10,111,635	13,901,245
France.....	4,113,102	4,518,546	5,657,758	3,567,964	52,494,643	46,397,251	52,261,634	51,376,430	74,301,932	52,099,668
Germany.....	5,591,448	6,331,208	10,739,774	9,863,829	83,875,408	56,341,216	70,278,265	107,587,265	129,721,280	133,086,446
Gibraltar.....	3,591	4,147	4,588	22,589	21,791	30,568	13,067	303,609	276,666	523,981
Greece.....	30,901	15,857	1,029	1,928	664,054	861,441	874,337	106,981	122,659	209,802
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....					40,056	135,234	78,408		225	
Italy.....	1,737,955	2,284,824	2,257,701	2,322,620	15,381,816	16,245,887	19,332,631	18,476,062	20,318,564	22,073,027
Malta, Gozo, etc.....	406	346	6,081	13,935	8,051	12,295	8,263	25,534	50,162	112,315
Netherlands.....	1,311,513	884,826	4,993,620	5,888,296	9,837,322	9,418,505	10,717,583	42,444,677	53,178,788	68,264,180
Portugal.....	259,751	454,467	418,290	190,621	1,819,643	2,061,687	2,701,041	2,131,192	2,455,410	3,269,961
Roumania.....			3,271	32,752				34,313	107,319	134,366
Russia, Baltic, etc.....	204,244	263,638	519,318	732,924	1,434,084	2,271,879	2,361,398	5,431,749	4,821,827	6,457,644
Russia, Black Sea.....	254,762	355,779	118,557	77,354	1,080,581	1,519,039	1,539,871	1,548,837	781,939	1,137,088
Servia.....					12,646	12,095				217
Spain.....	278,030	276,392	1,361,366	877,315	3,062,862	3,054,435	3,230,487	9,311,090	10,056,456	7,968,358
Sweden and Norway.....	105,724	152,118	558,235	981,641	2,132,325	2,341,582	2,226,337	4,665,831	5,208,389	10,316,161
Switzerland.....	855,167	906,108	27,032	17,831	11,323,646	9,811,215	12,721,311	52,136	226,927	230,823
Turkey in Europe.....	196,973	235,985	6,229	8,237	2,331,180	1,713,833	2,052,143	52,348	115,909	303,206
United Kingdom.....	8,228,803	10,573,791	43,945,893	34,382,112	133,819,381	92,538,140	98,103,565	420,300,029	458,160,867	436,100,360
Total Europe.....	24,267,064	28,664,597	76,396,802	63,429,960	336,374,687	256,463,492	292,707,078	704,092,341	814,752,065	801,137,947
NORTH AMERICA.										
Bermuda.....	150,945	149,975	89,705	95,721	374,230	259,111	293,907	710,752	840,587	868,933
British Honduras.....	7,666	11,415	56,273	41,017	193,786	135,917	149,423	476,298	489,855	417,004
British North America:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	232,502	249,824	389,938	426,598	4,560,978	3,317,370	2,854,329	3,442,163	3,816,259	3,639,673
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,400,787	1,586,839	6,811,260	5,422,631	23,047,938	18,552,234	18,699,461	45,613,071	58,160,463	64,523,610
British Columbia.....	348,649	419,164	399,120	353,111	2,990,744	3,867,107	3,648,245	2,848,345	3,366,775	3,501,434
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	2,829	10,966	157,827	187,952	367,014	362,489	348,503	928,205	987,370	1,325,067
Total British North America.....	1,984,767	2,266,813	7,758,145	6,390,292	30,966,674	26,099,200	25,550,538	52,831,784	66,330,872	73,052,819
Central American States:										
Costa Rica.....	351,691	485,317	118,957	102,435	3,036,957	2,003,363	2,871,384	1,100,811	1,307,733	1,045,879
Guatemala.....	255,547	274,008	121,121	99,372	1,409,700	1,464,728	1,403,992	2,459,319	1,065,987	925,925
Honduras.....	121,395	77,300	66,288	95,597	639,329	633,078	721,983	574,496	613,560	603,545
Nicaragua.....	116,901	139,717	107,899	91,969	885,704	926,324	1,191,343	1,024,510	891,914	951,960
Salvador.....	135,058	203,545	69,710	53,868	696,935	641,272	662,584	1,344,409	690,681	508,446
Total Central American States.....	980,592	1,179,887	474,975	443,241	6,668,625	5,668,765	6,851,286	6,503,545	4,509,875	4,095,755
Mexico.....	1,733,711	1,979,841	2,077,502	2,519,296	15,233,781	15,371,733	18,145,942	19,457,757	17,447,638	20,464,860
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	111	274	35,121	57,057	123,825	160,218	83,928	128,097	175,226	169,829
West Indies:										
British.....	1,592,587	1,440,914	625,066	765,735	8,165,789	7,373,070	8,815,226	6,661,391	6,548,795	7,217,904
Danish.....	84,642	99,857	94,920	27,686	241,725	218,477	345,957	453,471	517,093	379,201
Dutch.....	6,382	8,950	46,584	24,036	79,778	95,596	103,330	561,923	435,538	365,975
French.....	27,952	3	121,647	167,462	6,001	29,802	28,467	1,510,711	1,301,544	1,334,238
Haiti.....	92,243	60,433	118,374	147,138	1,203,369	755,374	750,547	3,318,052	2,584,147	2,201,851
Santo Domingo.....	447,753	524,415	127,084	100,344	1,741,302	1,698,670	2,080,534	907,337	947,362	866,427
Cuba.....	4,196,967	4,419,712	624,602	1,723,062	12,722,446	13,760,366	17,003,536	6,764,767	9,560,920	14,366,434
Porto Rico.....	451,285	782,172	156,494	316,669	1,265,758	1,236,409	1,717,845	1,659,905	1,505,884	2,018,861
Total West Indies.....	6,899,811	7,336,456	1,914,771	3,272,132	25,516,168	25,107,764	30,845,442	21,837,557	23,401,303	28,770,894
Total North America.....	11,757,693	12,924,661	12,406,492	12,818,756	79,077,089	72,862,708	81,923,466	101,945,790	113,195,366	127,840,154

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COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
SOUTH AMERICA.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	1,236,699	551,913	497,399	971,086	7,270,157	4,873,263	3,702,964	5,435,311	5,417,851	7,807,222
Bolivia.....			2,949	2,221				3,486	19,057	27,073
Brazil.....	5,027,144	3,983,467	1,201,557	997,110	59,639,671	53,277,151	48,268,589	10,453,162	11,538,660	10,438,553
Chile.....	356,850	351,385	100,534	222,300	2,901,285	3,275,590	2,245,984	2,249,942	1,768,503	1,661,422
Colombia.....	571,615	480,551	199,101	276,156	3,615,358	4,335,345	4,114,240	3,146,500	2,695,971	2,409,482
Ecuador.....	67,655	71,456	47,625	116,947	445,156	638,853	924,918	616,935	663,693	717,119
Falkland Islands.....								800	1,010	
Guianas:										
British.....	140,863	45	129,854	145,228	3,302,213	2,694,823	3,345,944	1,369,533	1,489,705	1,458,550
Dutch.....	73,078	226,397	13,328	63,250	835,471	1,166,410	1,430,344	320,157	324,845	336,068
French.....	41		6,682	25,759	4,050	12,551	37,929	101,595	103,624	142,193
Paraguay.....		160		9,012			160		699	9,634
Peru.....	49,007	216,221	32,878	216,712	630,403	593,289	1,190,248	943,671	905,170	1,008,221
Uruguay.....	103,733	367,389	101,835	85,212	2,505,636	1,460,700	1,057,265	1,082,641	907,785	1,002,138
Venezuela.....	820,948	485,376	228,995	251,474	8,091,997	6,282,116	5,098,811	2,926,879	2,331,528	2,409,477
Total South America.....	8,447,623	6,734,360	2,562,737	3,382,467	89,241,397	78,610,091	71,417,396	28,659,612	28,168,101	29,517,152
ASIA.										
Aden.....	336,205	174,294	65,149	199,329	1,105,008	1,399,146	1,556,339	893,429	494,777	842,893
China.....	1,374,123	1,992,545	932,018	1,024,756	16,304,844	17,959,249	15,642,637	8,997,085	7,871,099	11,762,710
East Indies:										
British.....	2,821,457	6,101,503	314,997	392,660	15,255,133	20,655,251	23,970,858	3,038,641	4,239,254	3,568,500
Dutch.....	1,610,268	936,710	97,102	229,600	13,615,002	12,100,405	18,984,427	1,587,840	715,060	878,840
French.....			32,000	456				100,285	123,000	7,457
Portuguese.....		9			519		9			
Hongkong.....	56,615	263,286	735,343	912,001	758,197	633,328	2,101,128	5,210,638	5,187,010	6,281,760
Japan.....	1,185,628	2,354,992	1,873,298	1,748,522	18,160,983	21,700,730	23,883,132	11,233,594	17,012,573	13,526,443
Korea.....			46,000	808				495	114,566	126,526
Russia, Asiatic.....			177,492	176,019	201,421	111,050	113,537	328,977	307,669	1,276,305
Turkey in Asia.....	68,543	257,307	31,628	9,635	3,454,626	2,136,806	2,843,844	66,787	184,568	156,811
All other Asia.....	2,521	14,942	34,363	53,408	63,275	76,352	77,889	327,971	395,634	107,863
Total Asia.....	7,485,300	12,095,588	4,419,490	4,747,214	68,919,008	76,772,317	91,173,800	31,785,742	36,645,210	38,536,198
OCEANICA.										
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....		189,691		2,600			715,017	18,214		10,121
British Australasia.....	987,743	239,574	1,167,882	1,833,945	4,698,446	4,435,762	2,614,873	15,664,298	12,393,922	16,240,486
French Oceanica.....	13,102	29,069	22,644	24,779	293,359	162,731	225,280	286,908	257,253	215,657
German Oceanica.....			835	501	4,594			6,341	7,071	24,285
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,627,779	1,335,459	399,003	910,072	10,431,373	12,582,468	12,513,246	3,768,739	4,698,003	7,356,060
Spanish Oceanica.....		10,349			5,047	8,811	10,349		4,503	6,883
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	4,504	18	2,232	3,587	33,730	57,659	25,164	35,363	30,069	50,479
Philippine Islands.....	433,672	937,164	2,805	112,287	3,742,796	3,177,885	3,725,791	91,100	78,533	272,483
Total Oceanica.....	3,066,800	2,741,324	1,595,401	2,887,771	19,209,345	20,425,316	19,829,720	19,270,963	17,469,354	24,176,459
AFRICA.										
British Africa.....	174,210	46,873	1,529,727	1,156,374	1,015,824	728,313	1,047,135	10,873,348	10,174,575	12,500,130
Canary Islands.....	2,805	90	2,541	3,467	45,394	26,283	23,829	252,536	273,071	171,068
French Africa.....	37,200	48,089	71,019	44,384	168,903	400,981	451,655	294,132	623,447	510,281
German Africa.....					96			320	2,319	
Liberia.....			2,780		6,763	6,670	7,962	6,565	11,416	16,783
Madagascar.....				1,084	13,162	14,046	1,475	282,818	226,726	1,134
Portuguese Africa.....			175,096	106,906	21,716	13,800	7,083	1,777,716	2,697,842	1,195,771
Spanish Africa.....						33		4,740	29,674	
Turkey in Africa:										
Egypt.....	639,718	1,846,092	130,910	15,857	5,560,451	4,254,811	5,947,930	205,543	436,218	361,439
Tripoli.....	9,069				93,245	59,470	58,855			278
All other Africa.....	59,008	92,813	21,821	63,062	442,164	561,441	628,002	477,080	514,798	501,008
Total Africa.....	922,010	2,033,957	1,933,894	1,391,074	7,367,718	6,065,848	8,173,926	14,174,798	14,990,066	15,257,892
Grand total.....	55,916,410	65,194,487	99,314,816	88,657,242	600,189,244	511,193,772	565,222,386	899,929,246	1,025,220,172	1,036,465,802

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COUNTRIES.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
RECAPITULATION.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe.....	24,267,064	28,664,597	76,396,802	63,429,960	336,374,637	256,463,492	292,707,078	704,092,341	814,752,065	801,187,947
North America.....	11,757,603	12,924,661	12,406,492	12,818,756	79,077,089	72,862,708	81,920,466	101,945,700	113,193,356	127,840,154
South America.....	8,447,633	6,734,360	2,562,737	3,382,467	89,241,397	78,610,091	71,417,396	28,659,612	28,168,101	29,517,152
Asia.....	7,485,300	12,095,588	4,419,490	4,747,214	68,919,008	76,772,317	91,173,800	31,785,742	36,645,210	38,536,198
Oceanica.....	3,066,800	2,741,324	1,595,401	2,887,771	19,209,345	20,425,316	19,829,720	19,270,963	17,469,354	24,176,459
Africa.....	922,010	2,033,957	1,933,894	1,391,074	7,367,718	6,065,848	8,173,926	14,174,798	14,990,086	15,257,892

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893.....	458,450,093	183,732,712	102,207,815	113,621,824	8,388,478	866,400,922	661,976,710	119,788,689	32,639,077	27,421,831	5,838,687	847,605,194
1894.....	295,077,865	166,962,559	100,147,107	87,644,320	5,162,771	654,994,622	700,870,822	119,693,212	33,212,310	32,786,943	5,577,285	892,140,572
1895.....	383,645,813	133,915,682	112,167,120	95,077,290	7,164,060	731,969,965	627,927,692	108,575,594	33,525,935	30,434,288	7,074,656	807,532,165
1896.....	418,639,121	126,877,126	108,828,462	114,206,986	11,172,979	779,724,674	673,043,753	116,567,496	36,297,071	42,827,258	13,870,760	882,606,938
1897.....	430,192,205	105,924,053	107,389,405	111,695,036	9,529,713	764,730,412	813,385,644	124,958,461	33,768,646	61,927,678	16,953,127	1,050,993,556
1898.....	305,933,691	91,376,807	92,091,694	119,453,823	7,193,639	616,049,654	973,806,245	139,627,841	33,821,701	66,710,813	17,515,730	1,231,462,330

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Alexandria, Va.					8,603	2,811	1,863			
Aroostook, Me.	11,190	51,063			111,488	105,223	148,462			180
Baltimore, Md. (a)	866,502	987,142	9,781,946	9,476,051	8,883,397	7,239,011	7,271,794	72,764,211	97,750,002	91,725,938
Bangor, Me. (a)	44,563	37,307	186,909	355,705	931,653	625,045	631,249	1,057,877	1,672,191	3,182,454
Barnstable, Mass.	225				3,953	6,493	709			
Bath, Me. (a)	978	5,641			35,584	36,810	61,300	656		4,338
Beaufort, S. C.			11,950	28,321	115,933	66,761	52,125	3,085,932	2,417,613	886,579
Belfast, Me.	943	4			12,178	7,091	5,624	1,795	1,446	1,418
Boston and Charlestown, Mass. (a)	5,481,318	5,574,521	10,443,058	9,676,409	68,680,880	43,140,972	41,343,336	83,947,431	95,269,909	105,808,935
Bridgeton, N. J.						71,222	61,340	28,993		
Bristol and Warren, R. I.					3,468	3,653	2,608			
Brunswick, Ga.	255		962,617	234,823	16,885	31,550	45,947	6,479,988	9,686,205	9,626,614
Castine, Me.				4,348	2,915	9,032	769	10,154	44,631	10,702
Charleston, S. C. (a)	82,374	50,544	739,738	18,873	921,956	1,177,760	947,909	10,674,956	11,344,245	7,924,701
Delaware (a)	11,771	41,070	338,035	251,136	55,873	196,499	190,275	3,790,984	3,270,936	3,140,741
Edgartown, Mass.					1,707	1,583				210
Fairfield, Conn.	37,161	26,108			160,175	201,247	250,128	1,927		
Fall River, Mass.					53,798	19,649	3,416			
Fernandina, Fla. (a)		60	115,254	379,886	27,163	604	25,740	1,060,777	1,338,346	1,959,442
Frenchman Bay, Me.	359	186			1,474	1,496	816			
Georgetown, D. C.	44,822	16,453			162,247	150,996	162,237			
Georgetown, S. C.								5,919	231	
Gloucester, Mass.	5,707	6,101	1,759		53,251	39,664	34,225	5,461	2,919	
Hartford, Conn.	15,949	9,489			524,983	249,160	175,355			
Machias, Me.	175				1,768	790	893	2,287	1,831	318
Marblehead, Mass.	559				41,344	16,125	1,584			
Newark, N. J.	50,546	6,417	95,128	25,005	116,995	493,876	325,430	446,555	888,918	528,292
New Bedford, Mass.					485,478	16,746	2,154	4,889	7,038	5,834
Newburyport, Mass.					4,272		617	15		
New Haven, Conn.	22,403	8,734			158,370	150,421	130,305			
New London, Conn.		1,989			20,590	14,530	36,770			
Newport, R. I.		1,360			23,193	12,746	6,989			
Newport News, Va. (a)	66,949	109,746	3,060,887	2,506,731	850,491	860,892	988,273	18,496,727	25,164,765	24,318,804
New York, N. Y. (a)	37,175,334	43,849,067	38,360,795	37,192,714	382,269,034	337,050,600	380,449,470	322,956,764	352,941,061	381,452,210
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. (a)	1,077	32,295	1,255,987	555,700	119,991	169,652	204,633	17,112,866	12,168,428	11,849,994
Pamlico, N. C.	1,623	2,221			1,244	1,876	2,337	1,904	2,993	3,855
Passamaquoddy, Me.	21,317	22,215	22,216	53,915	399,576	317,416	262,106	268,445	374,228	436,840
Perth Amboy, N. J.	300	3,848	102,332	180,084	58,808	118,765	203,853	697,783	795,782	904,010
Petersburg, Va.					681		327			
Philadelphia, Pa. (a)	3,166,864	4,155,544	4,519,947	4,679,053	35,669,215	24,517,085	32,879,476	39,633,541	46,506,940	51,533,084
Plymouth, Mass.		1,149			14,445	3,886	5,249			
Portland and Falmouth, Me. (a)	50,626	24,155	903,352	1,346,982	500,848	336,093	432,586	3,970,468	6,261,197	8,725,599
Portsmouth, N. H.					22,699	14,233	16,150			
Providence, R. I.	49,461	64,623		776	703,358	601,594	647,224	1,646	1,291	2,974
Richmond, Va.	4,226	1,501			66,613	32,267	44,149		4,000	
Sag Harbor, N. Y.						6,751	2,892			
St. Augustine, Fla.		34			1,487	13,751	8,997	2,426	300	
St. Johns, Fla.	48	286	7,690	8,177	13,909	15,140	36,790	84,582	108,646	160,885
St. Marys, Ga.							28,978		36,428	19,273
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	821				34,414	21,055	11,130	25		
Savannah, Ga. (a)	11,176	19,622	1,524,133	653,111	332,625	320,576	356,408	21,563,357	26,941,476	21,939,011
Stonington, Conn.	547				25,352	12,074	5,245			
Waldoboro, Me.	3,408	1,126			35,756	36,525	28,051			
Wilmington, N. C.	253	4,137	327,835	11,987	147,721	181,723	133,810	8,150,138	9,585,508	7,521,695
Wiscasset, Me.		893			78	962	1,119	5,938	5,020	11,023
Total	47,232,028	55,116,581	72,761,568	67,639,787	503,089,924	418,761,512	468,642,244	616,346,400	704,594,534	733,685,953
GULF PORTS.										
Apalachicola, Fla.	16	4	30,447	28,991	2,947	16	1,370	300,074	261,161	339,502
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.	8,818	4,728	24,001	27,443	145,232	118,264	65,373	168,522	175,412	170,834
Corpus Christi, Tex.	101,612	61,790	415,455	484,534	716,371	913,981	909,059	4,501,606	3,723,149	5,140,485

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
GULF PORTS—Cont'd.										
Galveston, Tex. (a).....	167,974	490,749	2,934,076	2,603,192	689,221	700,917	2,231,586	56,241,797	65,618,684	74,754,640
Key West, Fla. (a).....	18,716	25,633	3,530	166,619	472,801	419,690	206,941	353,109	520,984	1,349,044
Mobile, Ala. (a).....	58,199	88,949	1,044,694	358,349	602,516	940,518	1,057,935	9,136,508	8,832,893	7,715,374
New Orleans, La. (a).....	909,976	1,468,811	7,547,615	4,628,016	12,941,187	8,067,280	8,512,349	92,722,121	96,739,500	76,502,661
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	210,800	167,992	325,174	479,922	1,376,595	1,183,496	824,642	4,649,144	3,439,761	3,994,600
Pearl River, Miss.....			69,226	139,736	4,229	528	439	1,089,509	1,029,350	1,350,654
Pensacola, Fla. (a).....	54	29,833	761,796	1,196,627	360,625	170,189	73,708	6,940,873	7,608,244	11,342,955
St. Marks, Fla.....					266	21				3,666
Saluria, Tex.....	73,110	121,404	352,886	315,990	484,976	544,799	765,349	1,256,001	1,739,686	2,149,293
Tampa, Fla. (a).....	41,874	46,415	37,707	107,355	422,294	450,189	523,778	687,829	519,779	820,687
Teche, La.....			743			125	2	775	2,600	
Total.....	1,591,149	2,496,308	13,547,350	10,538,774	18,219,260	13,510,013	15,172,531	178,047,868	190,211,203	185,634,365
PACIFIC PORTS.										
Alaska.....				164	75,215	75,665	129,154	18,006	6,745	39,059
Arizona.....	193,306	27,353	124,107	163,954	545,237	1,483,763	1,135,606	883,361	916,973	1,180,280
Humboldt, Cal.....			8,974	28,777	1,177		780	138,110	115,999	176,613
Los Angeles, Cal. (a).....	84,474	102,973	966		397,729	415,490	659,158	5,868	109,034	3,399
Oregon, Oreg.....	708			18,725	320,714	87,686	17,934	403,471	364,832	142,149
Puget Sound, Wash. (a).....	192,779	596,754	1,407,708	1,175,350	4,518,091	4,495,754	6,703,879	10,638,575	15,178,053	12,452,555
San Diego, Cal. (a).....	8,636	10,416	10,763	211,105	201,682	160,774	321,481	178,244	475,950	721,188
San Francisco, Cal. (a).....	3,102,829	3,212,939	3,198,730	2,440,356	27,036,398	34,452,093	28,136,590	35,676,857	37,403,440	25,608,622
Southern Oregon, Oreg.....					1			16,833	6,166	
Willamette, Oreg. (a).....	66,401	21,169	1,297,533	515,754	1,146,217	1,122,633	1,206,072	6,232,777	12,382,061	8,281,743
Total.....	3,649,133	3,971,604	6,048,781	4,554,185	34,242,461	42,293,878	38,310,654	54,192,102	66,950,253	48,605,638
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.										
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	172,313	167,525	656,463	750,427	3,247,584	3,144,198	3,134,646	4,243,028	6,183,797	6,460,095
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....	10,147	9,939	8,556	15,066	185,074	145,825	151,356	69,589	237,827	151,245
Champlain, N. Y.....	210,961	249,589	413,934	696,618	3,817,877	2,132,110	2,152,434	3,692,148	4,687,759	5,395,746
Chicago, Ill. (a).....	979,155	657,231	1,622,500	244,220	9,314,101	8,219,980	9,643,114	1,944,094	4,241,246	5,478,534
Cuyahoga, Ohio (a).....	73,867	102,904	182,082	75,108	1,276,634	797,102	1,025,354	1,144,553	1,195,527	1,649,605
Detroit, Mich. (a).....	144,150	154,217	919,519	1,094,519	2,580,501	1,842,055	1,725,172	9,367,491	10,934,296	10,692,673
Duluth, Minn. (a).....	75,040	6,121	161,260	6,088	895,858	1,791,483	1,283,154	2,839,736	3,440,491	3,281,000
Dunkirk, N. Y.....					3,079	136	7,452			
Erie, Pa.....	21	33,994	252		15,331	6,264	48,759	12,572	3,593	928
Genesee, N. Y. (a).....	43,082	31,831	62,089	47,113	516,967	459,432	545,681	577,817	541,790	766,717
Huron, Mich. (a).....	40,274	74,510	428,321	457,838	1,732,435	1,655,481	1,818,515	5,277,018	5,499,647	5,425,437
Memphremagog, Vt.....	165,623	198,436	199,098	172,686		995,563	1,572,141		1,393,399	1,923,502
Miami, Ohio (a).....	1,697	2,468	288,220	93,518	233,769	44,074	152,861	430,852	927,144	629,293
Michigan, Mich. (a).....	55				273,106	132,236	277,815	2,555	6,077	
Milwaukee, Wis.....	55,827	41,547		215	442,732	541,845	503,466	2,761		993
Minnesota, Minn.....	63,799	116,899	405	4,331	891,929	562,071	1,137,664	65,924	18,393	241,805
Montana and Idaho.....	6,201	14,984	10,938	4,058	143,056	130,455	183,412	35,309	96,162	78,236
Niagara, N. Y.....	144,704	127,608	566,451	616,289	2,293,701	1,409,267	1,325,383	4,882,822	6,072,087	5,700,907
North and South Dakota.....	63,767	104,073	487,854	603,986	373,748	675,805	598,443	1,512,277	3,464,181	4,908,246
Oswegatchie, N. Y. (a).....	520,519	725,186	204,733	214,530	4,253,850	3,931,262	7,141,689	2,776,111	4,139,626	2,797,131
Oswego, N. Y.....	23,220	11,251	47,483	53,758	606,935	464,161	357,286	1,232,520	1,374,065	1,213,656
Sandusky, Ohio.....	3,140	152	1,332	7,641	41,473	65,926	38,915	11,833	22,857	106,935
Superior, Mich. (a).....	9,045	14,719	42,104	68,443	246,959	207,268	278,403	3,576,902	2,528,937	5,174,267
Vermont, Vt.....	152,937	209,228	650,433	700,014	5,151,372	2,221,799	1,787,534	7,644,831	6,439,681	6,132,144
Total.....	3,019,544	3,054,462	6,957,117	5,926,496	38,538,071	31,575,798	36,895,849	51,342,743	63,455,182	68,209,095
INTERIOR PORTS. (b)										
Albany, N. Y.....	8,037	12,468			98,063	77,635	102,491	133		
Atlanta, Ga.....	367	2,301			25,639	9,048	14,310			1,550
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	83,108	100,392			1,044,156	776,787	951,176			
Columbus, Ohio.....	4,867	7,584			83,189	70,708	87,169			
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....	10	703			6,208	9,602	17,092			
Denver, Colo.....	5,910	6,647			67,947	61,558	97,452			193,067
Des Moines, Iowa.....	1,889	721			20,656	17,344	24,887			
Dubuque, Iowa.....	1,706	1,441			26,679	14,185	44,471			

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	APRIL—				TEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS (a)— Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Evansville, Ind.	348	7,795	.....	.....	7,096	4,415	17,129	.....	.....	.....
Grand Rapids, Mich.	1,345	1,019	.....	.....	87,947	60,687	136,873	.....	.....	.....
Indianapolis, Ind.	17,635	16,369	.....	.....	230,427	227,820	240,759	.....	.....	.....
Kansas City, Mo.	11,721	15,542	.....	.....	348,305	239,762	224,986	.....	.....	1,143
Knoxville, Tenn. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln, Nebr.	424	1,547	.....	.....	12,714	17,847	18,192	.....	.....	.....
Londonville, Ky.	22,937	44,032	.....	.....	376,194	220,830	212,080	.....	.....	.....
Memphis, Tenn.	1,627	1,406	.....	.....	73,495	41,197	42,470	.....	.....	.....
Nashville, Tenn.	297	1,126	.....	.....	25,159	39,543	14,427	.....	.....	.....
Omaha, Nebr.	23,366	22,652	.....	.....	210,977	253,973	362,824	.....	.....	134,991
Pittsburg, Pa.	28,429	54,782	.....	.....	859,995	602,617	767,133	.....	.....	.....
St. Joseph, Mo.	1,683	5,599	.....	.....	88,931	85,624	111,360	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis, Mo.	222,403	231,656	.....	.....	2,198,525	2,041,796	2,479,966	.....	.....	.....
Sioux City, Iowa	48	44	.....	.....	25,053	3,969	26,109	.....	.....	.....
Springfield, Mass.	3,976	3,957	.....	.....	119,686	75,476	61,998	.....	.....	.....
Syracuse, N. Y.	12,373	15,839	.....	.....	62,487	106,148	145,744	.....	.....	.....
Total	454,556	555,532	.....	.....	6,099,528	5,058,571	6,201,108	133	.....	330,751
Grand total	55,946,410	65,194,487	99,314,816	88,637,242	600,189,244	511,199,772	565,222,386	899,929,246	1,025,220,172	1,036,465,802
RECAPITULATION.										
Atlantic ports.	47,232,028	55,116,581	72,761,568	67,639,787	503,089,924	418,761,512	468,642,244	616,346,400	704,594,534	733,685,953
Gulf ports.	1,591,149	2,496,308	13,547,350	10,536,774	18,219,260	13,510,013	15,172,531	178,047,868	190,211,203	185,634,265
Pacific ports.	3,649,133	3,971,604	6,048,781	4,554,185	34,242,461	42,293,878	38,310,654	54,192,102	66,959,253	48,605,638
Northern border and lake ports	3,019,544	3,054,462	6,957,117	5,926,496	38,538,071	31,575,798	36,895,849	51,342,743	63,455,182	68,209,095
Interior ports	454,556	555,532	.....	.....	6,099,528	5,058,571	6,201,108	133	.....	330,751

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893	717,360,074	35,755,310	51,067,607	52,923,430	9,294,501	866,400,922	624,278,456	137,623,470	42,349,866	43,413,402	.....	847,665,194
1894	537,643,885	27,796,096	42,353,998	41,692,558	5,507,485	654,994,022	652,921,714	133,211,018	34,302,557	48,769,648	.....	869,204,937
1895	613,737,342	18,865,503	40,568,501	51,016,783	7,781,836	731,969,965	590,392,743	130,275,045	36,879,310	49,991,067	.....	807,538,165
1896	645,204,456	20,728,964	49,679,945	56,153,380	7,957,929	779,724,674	635,841,697	141,362,346	45,012,888	60,389,603	404	882,606,938
1897	639,407,219	23,358,166	44,674,612	50,066,412	7,224,003	764,730,412	733,204,968	194,240,199	59,952,662	63,595,594	133	1,050,993,556
1898	502,145,575	16,370,453	52,021,213	39,478,025	6,034,388	616,049,654	802,325,006	212,794,182	75,371,603	80,980,660	10,879	1,231,482,330

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MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON APRIL 30, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

APRIL—					APRIL—				
ARTICLES.	1898		1899		ARTICLES.	1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals (number):		Dollars.		Dollars.	Earthen, stone, and china ware:				
Horses	12	3,935	27	10,020	CHINA, PORCELAIN, FARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		Dollars.		Dollars.
All other, including fowls				170	Not decorated or ornamented		42,974		49,975
Total	12	3,935	27	10,190	Decorated or ornamented		206,347		172,301
Antimony, as regulus or metal...lbs..	6,720	422	26,875	2,032	All other		3,595		9,222
Art works		87,559		4,567	Total		252,916		231,498
Asphaltum, or bitumen, crude... tons..	268	3,346	158	1,389	Eggs	doz.		300	13
Bones and horns, manufactures of		7,318		3,958	Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc		27,771		32,863
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.		30,718		30,875	Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.		53,121		14,519
Brass, manufactures of		901		9,884	Feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., artificial		35,651		51,273
Breadstuffs:					Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:				
Oatmeal	2,688	115	2,688	115	UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—				
All other, and preparations of, etc.		64,133		13,378	Hemp	25	5,241	25	5,260
Total		64,248		13,493	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared	97,392	66,256	100,682	69,154	Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.		9,196		32,227
Brushes		19,582		14,589	Bags of jute		5,699		14,856
Buttons and button forms		9,130		6,718	Burlaps, except for bagging for cotton		521,600		
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. ....lbs..	3,476,713	9,146	5,906,210	18,272	Cables, cordage, and twine..lbs..	9,926	1,785	10,193	2,589
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:					Carpets and carpeting ..sq. yds..			12,607	2,994
Coal-tar colors and dyes		234,839		173,634	Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn				50,874
Glycerin	376,983	28,515	158,877	10,534	Hankkerchiefs				18,563
Gum chicle			677,338	95,701	Oilcloths			5,122	2,821
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder			185,600	1,945	Yarns or threads	25,315	4,643	42,600	9,147
Logwood and other dyewoods, extracts and decoctions of	333,312	25,566	460,482	26,179	All other		993,367		1,284,010
Mineral waters	33,946	9,060	71,423	11,399	Total manufactures		1,536,290		1,418,086
OPIMUM—					Fish (pounds):				
Crude, or unmanufactured..lbs..	20,821	41,698	164,929	369,954	Fresh				6
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc. ....lbs..	27,410	177,962	6,192	44,492	CURED OR PRESERVED—				
Potash, chlorate of	7,837	492	18,354	578	Anchovies and sardines, etc.		194,159		189,685
SODA—					Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.	2,319,837	77,080	2,142,541	66,872
Caustic	1,404,750	25,505	1,201,723	15,123	Herring—				
Soda ash	90,198	773	8,697	472	Dried or smoked	806,474	18,843	1,606,119	39,726
All other salts of	218,999	1,760	76,387	577	Pickled or salted	310,307	10,646	266,461	9,902
Sumac, ground	220,525	2,534	362,236	5,154	Mackerel, pickled or salted	36,421	2,379	22,914	2,035
All other		296,812		269,183	Salmon, pickled or salted	43,700	2,605	41,400	2,575
Total chemicals, drugs, etc.		845,516		1,024,925	All other		41,286		20,308
Chicory root, raw, unground			7,870	343	Total		346,998		331,169
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery)	36,269	5,348	4,621	1,185	Fruits, including nuts (pounds):				
Clays or earths of all kinds	531	3,573	1,293	10,914	Currants	2,207,194	83,579	3,585,997	70,505
Clocks and watches, and parts of:					Dates	1,560,884	41,845	704,967	20,603
Clocks, and parts of		40,543		34,021	Figs	268,193	9,400	825,491	24,468
Watches, and parts of, etc.		24,749		21,869	Plums and prunes	1,846	226	1,930	291
Total		65,292		58,890	Raisins	333,532	15,313	11,356	888
Coal, bituminous	652	1,387	1,102	2,687	Prepared or preserved		38,785		50,970
Cocoa, prepared, etc. ....lbs..	9,253	1,838	4,161	904	All other		1,687		920
Copper, manufactures of		5,435		3,504	Total fruits		190,835		168,645
Cork, manufactures of		14,148		15,820	NUTS—				
Cotton, manufactures of:					Almonds	642,026	65,613	1,433,181	204,631
CLOTHS (square yards)—					All other		72,231		79,156
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	31,511	1,723			Total fruits and nuts		328,679		452,432
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	1,953,861	246,128	300,242	38,134	Furs, and manufactures of		168,065		381,093
Total	1,985,372	247,851		38,134	Ginger ale or ginger beer	9,685	7,130	12,810	9,164
Clothing, ready made, etc.		20,792		28,542					
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.		305,631		271,111					
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.		76,374		145,090					
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.lbs..	91,681	27,931	106,572	28,796					
All other		212,350		391,282					
Total manufactures		890,929		902,955					

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ARTICLES.	APRIL—				ARTICLES.	APRIL—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware:		Dollars.		Dollars.	Leather, and manufactures of:		Dollars.		Dollars.
Bottles, vials, etc., empty or filled.....		37,077		40,723	LEATHER—				
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....					Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		40,728		4,431
.....lbs..	1,242,458	25,564	1,990,632	46,852	Skins for morocco.....		221,527		46,349
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—					Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		47,314		35,620
Unsilvered.....	2,001	385	25,271	5,176	Total leather.....		309,569		86,400
Silvered.....	26,486	6,366	14,216	1,769	MANUFACTURES OF—				
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—					Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		242,592		186,651
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	26,200	5,277	21,892	3,842	All other.....		56,312		59,676
Cast, polished, silvered.....	20,656	9,148	67	103	Total manufactures.....		298,904		246,327
All other.....		193,433		202,749	Malt liquors (gallons):				
Total.....		277,250		301,214	In bottles or jugs.....	75,724	74,893	48,003	51,640
Glue.....lbs..	131,009	13,962	106,623	19,343	In other coverings.....	806	361	1,649	665
Grease, not elsewhere specified.....		5,096		4,676	Total.....	76,530	75,254	49,652	52,305
Hair, manufactures of.....		18,722		20,513	Marble and stone, and manufactures of:				
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....		12,184		49,883	Marble, and manufactures of.....		60,712		18,842
Materials for, etc.....		197,420		238,986	Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		9,097		6,404
Hides of cattle.....lbs..	6,241,056	731,367	4,402,248	496,110	Total.....		69,809		25,306
Hops.....lbs..	54,465	14,175	10,602	15,226	Matting and mats for floors...sq. yds..	3,386,115	225,514	4,783,415	312,690
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:					Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of:				
Gutta-percha.....		2,700		1,576	Bronze manufactures.....		23,312		33,931
India rubber.....		21,893		20,030	All other.....		48,402		73,565
Total manufactures.....		24,593		21,606	Total.....		71,714		107,496
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:					Musical instruments.....		68,715		61,888
Pig iron.....tons..	684	7,425	371	4,258	Oils (gallons):				
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....tons..	73	586	60	1,269	ANIMAL OR RENDERED—				
Bar iron.....lbs..	7,784,693	184,935	7,365,750	183,030	Whale and fish.....	29,007	15,623	41,135	21,401
Ingot, blooms, slabs, billets, etc.....lbs..	2,214,705	63,445	584,391	13,642	Other.....	3,039	1,132		
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....lbs..	523,716	10,702	399,708	9,062	Mineral.....	1,251	436	1,251	436
Tin plates, terneplates, and taggers tin.....lbs..	4,664,777	110,399	2,145,626	47,300	VEGETABLE—				
Wire rods.....lbs..	347,265	4,799	363,598	6,409	Fixed or expressed—				
Wire, and articles made from.....lbs..	495,071	29,657	469,406	24,902	Olive.....	23,605	31,104	16,356	18,925
MANUFACTURES OF—					Other.....		23,159		36,327
Chains.....lbs..	6,347	998	6,353	908	Volatile or essential and distilled.....		12,230		7,055
Cutlery.....		19,028		6,742	Total.....		83,684		84,144
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....		18		45	Paints, pigments, and colors.....		18,925		13,658
Firearms.....		6,204		6,770	Paper, and manufactures of:				
Machinery.....		84,061		78,284	Lithographic labels and prints.....				3,899
All other.....		116,369		24,020	All other.....		44,881		36,967
Total.....		638,516		406,611	Total.....		44,881		40,866
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:					Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....		18,258		16,372
Other precious stones, cut, but not set.....		2,931		2,925	Pipes and smokers' articles.....		7,384		5,215
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....		22,960		39,473	Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:				
Lead, and manufactures of:					MEAT PRODUCTS—				
Lead in ore and base bullion...lbs..	11,295,938	200,154	18,453,767	333,401	Meat and meat extracts.....		43,124		30,101
Pigs, bars, and old.....lbs..	7,831	167	62,154	1,101	All other.....		1,204		718
Manufactures of.....		14,394		14,479	DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—				
					Butter.....			266	42
					Cheese.....	19,129	3,546	79,824	10,737
					Total.....		47,874		41,598
					Rice (pounds):				
					Rice.....	11,266,146	215,544	33,318,459	594,232
					Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....	384,174	8,050	462,872	9,413
					Total.....	11,650,320	223,594	33,781,331	603,645

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APRIL—					APRIL—				
ARTICLES.	1898		1899		ARTICLES.	1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.			Dollars.		Dollars.
Salt.....lbs..	16,690,238	14,426	23,071,548	18,583	Wines:				
Seeds.....		13,098		36,274	Champagne, and other sparkling		Dollars.	Dollars.	
					.....doz..	29,511	439,345	25,086	343,738
Silk, manufacturés of:					STILL WINES—				
Clothing, ready-made, and other					In casks.....galls..	284,958	186,410	250,320	192,884
wearing apparel.....		94,200		97,761	In other coverings.....doz..	15,167	77,054	14,214	54,354
Dress and piece goods.....		535,610		647,698	Total.....		702,809		590,976
Laces and embroideries.....		93,714		69,862	Wood, n. e. s., and manufactures of:				
Ribbons.....		87,359		114,641	LUMBER—				
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs..			28,403	31,095	Boards, planks, etc....M feet..	5,957	74,628	14,438	143,091
Velvets, plushes, and other pile					Shingles.....M.....			308	412
fabrics.....lbs..			2,870	10,493	Other lumber.....				268
All other.....		459,032		376,888	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Total.....		1,269,915		1,348,438	Cabinet ware or house furni-		25,507		28,045
Soap:					ture.....				
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	7,518	3,485	5,770	2,858	Wood pulp.....tons..	7	427		
All other.....		833		1,150	All other.....		28,073		5,371
Total.....		4,318		4,008	Total.....		128,635		177,190
Spices, n. e. s.....lbs..	419,509	15,165	159,710	10,758	Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca,				
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):					etc., and manufactures of:				
Of domestic manufacture, returned					UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—				
(subject to internal-revenue tax).	673,964	748,085	639,024	678,862	Class 1, clothing—				
Brandy.....	52,021	125,402	70,779	182,475	In the grease.....	21,761,722	3,735,915	22,253,933	3,795,665
All other.....	155,408	133,995	162,571	171,770	Scoured.....	72,898	12,303	60,297	10,946
Total.....	881,393	1,007,482	872,374	1,033,107	Class 2, combing—In the				
Sponges.....		45,904		20,293	grease.....	49,961	9,942	278,218	62,006
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				771	Class 3, carpet—In the grease	33,099,130	3,248,750	34,350,450	3,292,772
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:					Total unmanufactured.....	54,983,711	7,006,910	53,942,868	7,101,389
Molasses above 40° polariscopic					MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—				
test.....galls..	300,156	37,968	168,910	22,802	Carpets and carpeting				
SUGAR (pounds)—					.....sq. yds..	176,081	469,392	170,068	453,521
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand-					Clothing, ready-made, etc.,				
ard—					except shawls and knit		28,305		28,668
Beet sugar.....	22,387,695	487,070	54,973,010	1,135,329	goods.....				
Cane and other.....	396,619,310	8,159,345	101,736,493	2,430,759	Cloths.....lbs..	653,270	399,545	473,417	270,664
Above No. 16 Dutch standard..	8,449,112	205,759	16,382,941	386,213	Dress goods, women's and				
Total sugar.....	427,456,117	8,852,174	173,092,444	3,952,301	children's.....sq. yds..	3,218,869	675,006	4,678,642	664,566
Confectionery.....		2,898		975	Knit fabrics.....		100,149		98,676
Tea.....lbs..			32,536,332	3,865,680	Mungo, flocks, shoddy, etc.				
Tobacco, and manufactures of:					.....lbs..	164,083	49,429	245,328	44,727
LEAF (pounds)—					Shawls.....		415		1,197
Suitable for cigar wrappers....	1,812,642	1,678,270	2,975,695	3,071,672	Yarns.....lbs..	128,935	69,996	84,702	47,370
Other.....	6,203,905	3,372,571	7,041,137	3,661,119	All other.....		409,359		415,172
Total leaf.....	8,016,547	5,050,841	10,016,832	6,732,791	Total manufactures.....		2,221,596		2,021,591
MANUFACTURES OF—					Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of:				
Cigars, cigarettes, etc....lbs..	10,945	45,963	10,780	56,035	In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs..			14,542	749
All other.....		3,415		18,433	Manufactures of.....		1,167		2,204
Total manufactures.....		49,378		74,528	Total.....		1,167		2,953
Toys.....		18,618		12,997	All other articles.....free..		460,009		562,435
Vegetables:					All other articles.....dut..		143,772		39,407
Beans and dried pease.....bush..	779	728	6,394	6,712	Total value of merchandise				
Pickles and sauces.....		8,205		6,057	FREE OF DUTY.....		1,208,094		1,241,297
ALL OTHER—					Total value of merchandise				
In their natural state.....		597		8	DUTIABLE.....		34,516,043		35,279,161
Prepared or preserved.....		31,635		19,329	Total value of imports of				
Total.....		41,165		32,106	merchandise REMAINING				
					IN WAREHOUSE.....		35,724,137		36,520,458

WAREHOUSE TRANSACTIONS, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	IN WAREHOUSE AT COMMENCEMENT OF MONTH.	WAREHOUSED DURING MONTH—		ADDITIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	TOTAL REMAINING IN, AND ENTERED, WAREHOUSE.	WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE DURING THE MONTH—							DEDUCTIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE AT CLOSE OF MONTH.
		Direct importation.	From other districts.			For exportation—				For transportation.	For consumption.			
						To adjacent British provinces.	To Mexico.	To other foreign countries.	Total.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1894—July	44,882,579	13,868,752	1,062,880	102,094	59,916,305	78,998	5,710	388,057	472,765	520,533	6,668,110	962,178	51,292,719	
August	51,292,719	16,310,684	1,488,412	410,599	69,502,414	128,921	5,772	473,935	608,628	821,052	20,042,001	825,832	47,204,901	
September	47,204,901	5,558,127	1,023,072	1,434,690	55,220,790	115,400	6,073	329,705	451,178	845,958	18,624,120	1,763,015	33,536,519	
October	33,536,519	7,624,625	1,125,414	771,955	43,058,513	71,138	6,471	475,181	552,790	1,007,049	8,549,232	1,259,609	31,689,833	
November	31,689,833	7,303,944	986,172	463,658	40,443,607	167,054	7,526	247,920	422,500	689,587	5,912,432	819,875	32,599,213	
December	32,599,213	9,985,710	1,228,525	422,857	44,236,305	146,454	8,863	465,485	620,802	445,038	6,156,104	1,036,270	35,978,091	
1895—January	35,978,091	8,120,144	955,730	711,313	45,765,278	96,033	3,422	280,406	379,861	530,261	11,482,648	1,147,544	32,224,964	
February	32,224,964	6,039,140	780,684	683,636	39,723,424	106,189	10,966	202,986	320,141	442,247	6,410,830	1,051,507	31,563,699	
March	31,563,699	8,290,505	1,197,887	713,515	41,705,636	186,167	11,888	354,817	552,872	465,787	8,031,743	1,224,700	31,430,534	
April	31,430,534	9,436,104	1,204,219	663,610	42,734,467	80,482	6,659	351,424	438,565	394,340	6,219,506	1,258,223	34,423,833	
May	34,423,833	11,073,751	721,474	832,455	47,051,513	297,096	27,980	257,316	582,372	462,586	7,760,620	1,112,143	37,133,792	
June	37,133,792	9,833,507	677,504	650,242	48,345,045	276,574	44,973	240,768	562,315	400,558	6,852,528	816,882	39,712,762	
July	39,712,762	11,253,930	1,041,677	735,644	52,744,013	213,506	23,559	402,583	639,648	501,027	8,025,409	1,094,800	42,483,120	
August	42,483,120	9,005,593	970,624	773,715	53,233,052	180,076	35,028	309,326	524,400	604,024	9,790,619	1,083,007	41,230,972	
September	41,230,972	9,144,223	772,558	940,332	52,088,085	225,587	46,495	379,938	652,020	660,444	10,035,354	1,013,033	39,727,234	
October	39,727,234	11,218,379	787,644	609,867	52,343,124	376,491	46,783	734,366	1,157,640	663,312	9,253,061	786,987	40,482,124	
November	40,482,124	8,811,935	1,248,942	467,574	51,010,575	523,150	51,159	869,698	1,444,007	766,302	6,849,868	1,019,163	40,931,235	
December	40,931,235	9,175,807	1,332,257	396,189	51,835,488	227,858	43,686	491,487	763,031	682,725	8,083,877	760,379	41,545,476	
1896—January	41,545,476	9,466,098	1,241,533	697,197	52,950,304	146,027	45,074	386,728	577,829	398,049	10,264,199	1,052,615	40,657,612	
February	40,657,612	8,974,632	856,198	733,361	51,221,803	95,406	23,351	396,597	515,357	543,973	8,615,265	1,064,494	40,482,714	
March	40,482,714	10,325,929	820,902	754,055	52,363,600	172,850	34,153	339,335	546,338	615,749	7,821,668	909,520	42,490,325	
April	42,490,325	9,811,316	977,521	1,002,051	54,281,213	109,902	30,087	372,214	512,203	543,601	8,530,049	1,362,973	43,332,387	
May	43,332,387	12,457,105	834,267	653,118	57,276,877	276,522	41,826	603,443	926,791	553,406	7,284,658	913,039	47,598,983	
June	47,598,983	11,867,773	1,003,044	671,741	61,141,541	315,172	57,473	447,859	820,504	902,943	7,153,257	810,495	51,454,342	
July	51,454,342	9,218,544	906,877	1,140,745	62,720,503	303,540	26,112	509,258	838,910	762,222	7,990,075	1,088,193	52,041,108	
August	52,041,108	7,608,876	575,996	940,474	61,166,454	225,638	28,297	591,437	845,372	551,274	8,435,757	1,060,429	50,273,622	
September	50,273,622	8,265,443	472,529	847,929	59,859,523	76,967	28,933	449,976	555,876	483,583	9,087,057	826,766	48,906,241	
October	48,906,241	8,677,983	548,095	716,753	58,849,072	326,658	46,108	353,497	726,263	563,137	9,203,652	907,165	47,448,855	
November	47,448,855	6,342,498	647,308	74,734	54,513,395	136,020	31,166	530,236	697,422	520,006	9,141,684	473,911	43,680,372	
December	43,680,372	7,411,054	643,422	94,881	51,929,729	176,293	27,095	335,934	539,322	608,604	6,856,679	344,217	43,480,947	
1897—January	43,480,947	5,708,144	612,362	139,322	49,940,775	188,507	17,192	414,658	620,357	786,398	7,421,592	288,303	40,824,125	
February	40,824,125	5,648,020	694,940	191,146	47,358,231	322,527	11,213	525,157	858,897	415,781	6,942,467	198,303	38,912,783	
March	38,912,783	7,486,989	756,754	569,851	47,756,377	360,967	15,416	530,152	906,535	774,205	24,330,634	624,318	21,120,685	
April	21,120,685	13,443,307	543,508	599,366	35,706,866	245,315	18,091	271,752	535,158	427,325	16,215,000	312,949	18,216,434	
May	18,216,434	15,169,900	453,962	36,184	33,876,489	399,116	22,464	412,251	833,831	471,116	6,600,612	82,688	25,888,242	
June	25,888,242	12,024,945	413,165	761,639	39,087,991	97,112	33,120	428,950	559,212	475,870	19,284,520	632,666	18,135,723	
July	18,135,723	3,772,463	499,110	1,132,449	23,539,745	81,061	15,537	413,560	540,158	468,645	10,199,988	648,574	11,682,380	
August	11,682,380	4,218,947	352,105	171,952	16,425,384	98,355	17,276	465,974	581,605	355,533	1,820,558	96,404	13,571,284	
September	13,571,284	5,361,482	421,153	148,787	19,502,706	130,572	16,991	635,201	782,764	531,483	2,588,551	135,818	15,464,090	
October	15,464,090	7,435,478	467,150	31,354	23,398,072	180,114	16,296	1,205,956	1,402,396	624,463	3,099,132	53,468	18,218,613	
November	18,218,613	7,171,571	651,409	143,214	26,184,807	291,880	28,633	1,071,471	1,391,984	583,478	3,290,007	77,109	20,842,229	
December	20,842,229	8,071,225	643,884	100,459	29,657,797	112,929	35,779	441,735	590,443	530,405	4,206,761	168,046	24,162,142	
1898—January	24,162,142	6,788,515	545,379	75,157	31,571,193	189,936	10,673	542,701	743,310	621,001	5,168,343	104,234	24,934,285	
February	24,934,285	8,114,135	727,532	73,110	33,849,062	107,843	18,550	762,368	888,761	477,076	5,649,363	70,682	26,763,180	
March	26,763,180	11,527,973	649,357	71,374	39,011,884	150,894	29,850	709,756	881,410	557,988	6,165,171	106,135	31,301,180	
April	31,301,180	11,370,513	597,121	72,837	43,341,651	212,228	23,947	466,122	702,297	405,237	6,366,573	143,407	35,724,137	
May	35,724,137	9,465,432	500,659	63,254	45,753,482	210,564	32,272	403,390	646,226	601,056	7,125,815	83,000	37,292,385	
June	37,292,385	9,371,937	987,892	59,567	47,702,781	236,890	13,023	824,422	1,074,335	678,546	8,065,410	157,526	37,726,964	
July	37,726,964	9,600,498	576,516	28,121	47,392,099	191,347	8,708	415,125	615,180	705,872	6,917,202	96,981	39,596,864	
August	39,596,864	7,312,925	680,229	39,430	47,638,448	160,267	14,231	468,649	643,147	742,364	8,448,496	40,087	37,764,324	
September	37,764,324	7,181,238	498,895	77,892	45,522,349	187,765	79,885	363,835	631,485	653,127	8,950,922	80,281	35,207,494	
October	35,207,494	9,893,310	678,663	112,710	45,892,117	632,815	9,747	685,131	1,327,693	810,738	7,776,006	1,329,027	34,646,853	
November	34,646,853	8,253,449	1,043,486	185,475	44,129,263	506,572	24,581	958,488	1,489,641	676,265	7,393,894	157,196	34,502,267	
December	34,502,267	9,716,618	791,831	97,158	45,107,874	358,262	18,486	1,040,216	1,416,694	808,445	7,251,008	124,287	35,507,140	
1899—January	35,507,140	8,356,904	720,825	92,469	44,677,338	345,486	27,190	663,907	1,030,583	755,367	8,814,558	100,129	33,970,701	
February	32,979,701	8,373,108	695,149	149,687	43,188,645	186,026	23,730	528,807	738,563	650,536	7,114,515	134,359	34,550,542	
March	34,550,542	19,859,636	827,855	409,783	46,647,816	227,971	21,229	632,577	881,777	676,216	10,029,294	462,969	34,597,530	
April	34,597,530	10,530,843	621,002	167,230	45,916,605	114,752	32,650	624,446	771,848	654,372	7,820,995	148,632	36,520,458	

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY MONTHS.

MERCHANDISE.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Per cent of free.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	32,815,769	40,209,877	73,025,646	44.9	55,156,878	1,384,711	56,541,589	16,484,057	.....
August.....	35,650,550	35,461,393	71,111,943	50.1	54,821,159	1,159,460	55,980,619	15,131,324	.....
September.....	30,568,563	34,736,757	65,305,320	46.8	57,063,808	1,476,255	58,540,063	6,765,257	.....
October.....	37,765,403	37,314,941	75,080,344	50.3	85,089,206	2,001,766	87,090,972	.....	12,010,628
November.....	32,559,971	30,784,846	63,344,817	51.4	85,152,500	2,160,081	87,312,581	.....	23,067,764
December.....	29,452,797	32,748,280	62,201,047	47.3	91,076,350	1,452,767	92,529,117	.....	30,328,070
1896—January.....	32,900,583	35,747,011	68,647,600	47.9	85,543,304	1,426,724	86,970,028	.....	18,322,428
February.....	28,513,192	23,964,924	52,478,116	45.6	76,378,143	1,323,761	77,701,904	.....	15,223,788
March.....	31,016,387	35,439,276	66,455,663	46.7	74,000,616	1,573,598	75,574,184	.....	9,118,521
April.....	28,595,639	30,053,940	58,649,579	48.8	69,402,585	1,680,162	71,082,747	.....	12,442,168
May.....	24,788,242	32,472,617	57,260,859	43.3	64,587,491	1,980,772	66,568,263	.....	9,307,404
June.....	25,130,398	31,033,342	56,163,740	44.7	64,928,447	1,777,424	66,705,871	.....	10,512,131
Total, 12 months.....	361,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,436,451	882,636,938	.....	102,881,264
July.....	22,674,353	29,434,199	52,108,552	43.5	65,686,419	2,031,370	67,717,789	.....	15,609,237
August.....	20,645,161	28,823,029	49,468,190	41.7	66,689,981	1,911,025	68,601,006	.....	19,132,816
September.....	23,955,772	26,900,218	50,855,990	47.1	83,746,362	1,384,736	85,131,098	.....	24,275,108
October.....	24,013,430	26,453,889	50,467,319	47.6	111,957,796	1,558,790	113,516,586	.....	63,049,267
November.....	27,819,906	22,223,382	50,043,288	55.6	107,821,778	1,251,061	109,072,839	.....	59,029,551
December.....	32,899,388	26,081,272	58,980,660	55.8	116,087,158	1,098,768	117,185,926	.....	58,205,260
1897—January.....	27,299,139	24,054,879	51,354,018	53.2	92,474,282	1,477,601	93,951,883	.....	42,567,865
February.....	32,764,969	26,472,408	59,237,377	55.3	77,842,500	1,978,596	79,821,096	.....	20,533,709
March.....	41,114,784	35,236,660	76,351,444	53.8	85,420,041	1,862,206	87,282,247	.....	10,930,803
April.....	50,889,374	50,433,032	101,322,406	50.3	76,098,128	1,550,658	77,648,786	.....	23,673,620
May.....	36,702,676	42,655,471	79,358,147	46.3	76,295,675	1,575,601	77,871,276	.....	1,486,871
June.....	41,159,291	44,023,730	85,183,021	48.3	71,887,483	1,305,551	73,193,034	.....	11,989,987
Total, 12 months.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,965,953	1,050,973,556	.....	28,231,114
July.....	29,271,389	24,403,370	53,674,759	54.5	69,911,444	1,192,524	71,103,968	.....	17,429,209
August.....	21,182,871	18,661,734	39,844,605	53.1	79,481,695	1,343,355	80,825,050	.....	40,980,415
September.....	22,059,214	20,369,912	42,429,126	52	103,097,617	1,443,295	104,540,912	.....	62,111,786
October.....	24,332,909	25,646,803	49,979,712	48.7	109,527,345	2,217,172	111,744,517	.....	61,764,505
November.....	26,383,165	25,971,486	52,354,651	50.4	114,645,003	2,027,322	116,672,325	.....	64,517,674
December.....	24,128,615	27,377,348	51,505,963	46.8	123,153,083	1,900,878	125,053,961	.....	73,547,198
1898—January.....	22,116,649	28,711,065	50,827,714	43.5	106,698,651	1,728,023	108,426,674	.....	57,594,960
February.....	22,588,894	30,485,755	53,074,649	42.6	93,284,932	1,632,521	94,917,453	.....	41,842,504
March.....	26,642,887	34,919,206	61,562,183	43.3	110,750,861	1,869,635	112,620,496	.....	51,058,313
April.....	24,443,855	31,502,555	55,946,410	43.6	98,013,579	1,301,237	99,314,816	.....	43,368,406
May.....	25,343,291	28,241,360	53,584,651	47.3	108,715,406	2,568,029	111,283,435	.....	57,698,784
June.....	22,920,436	28,344,795	51,265,231	44.7	93,012,297	1,966,426	94,978,723	.....	43,713,492
Total, 12 months.....	291,414,175	324,635,470	616,049,645	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
July.....	19,575,833	31,408,548	50,984,381	38.4	71,250,845	1,274,204	72,525,049	.....	21,541,663
August.....	21,304,444	28,372,905	49,677,349	42.9	83,157,397	1,408,164	84,565,561	.....	34,888,212
September.....	19,658,433	28,797,934	48,456,367	40.6	89,304,880	1,341,057	90,645,937	.....	42,189,550
October.....	20,163,538	32,185,988	52,349,526	38.3	116,416,821	2,202,742	118,619,563	.....	66,270,037
November.....	22,125,620	29,971,208	52,096,828	42.3	127,474,112	2,323,853	129,797,965	.....	77,701,137
December.....	21,500,293	33,638,846	55,139,139	39	135,478,359	2,372,235	137,850,594	.....	82,711,455
1899—January.....	26,362,783	31,876,988	58,239,771	45.2	113,855,890	1,735,556	115,591,446	.....	57,351,675
February.....	28,065,413	32,193,039	60,258,452	46.6	92,185,372	1,474,029	93,659,401	.....	33,409,949
March.....	34,495,050	38,331,016	72,826,066	47.3	102,249,456	2,303,588	104,553,044	.....	31,726,978
April.....	29,501,258	35,693,229	65,194,487	45.3	86,780,731	1,876,511	88,657,242	.....	23,462,755
Total, 10 months.....	242,752,665	322,469,721	565,222,386	42.9	1,018,153,863	18,311,939	1,036,465,802	.....	471,243,416
Twelve months ending June 30—									
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	33.5	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	43.3	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	360,402,604	827,402,462	55.4	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	51.3	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	.....	18,735,728
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	58	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,705	368,736,170	731,969,875	49.6	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,466,451	882,666,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,965,953	1,050,973,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July.....	171,683	571,451	743,134	.....	3,490,845	.....	376,673	3,867,518	.....	3,124,384
August.....	129,500	1,534,086	1,663,586	3,240	15,428,861	.....	1,238,400	16,670,501	.....	15,006,915
September.....	173,935	749,456	923,391	5,884	17,348,088	.....	75,977	17,429,949	.....	16,506,558
October.....	214,019	1,797,040	2,011,059	13,810	881,978	.....	991,919	1,887,707	123,352	.....
November.....	227,308	591,809	818,617	14,760	14,045,981	.....	13,516	14,074,257	.....	13,255,640
December.....	110,217	1,310,448	1,420,665	7,156	14,211,410	.....	1,269,937	15,488,503	.....	14,067,838
1896.										
January.....	179,012	10,367,940	10,546,952	5,002	10,566,327	.....	199	10,571,528	.....	24,576
February.....	100,008	11,559,089	11,659,097	7,101	1,361,650	.....	821,850	2,190,801	9,468,296	.....
March.....	78,883	677,733	756,616	17,940	384,080	.....	.....	402,020	354,596	.....
April.....	155,400	1,119,768	1,275,168	5,426	3,210,734	.....	571,532	3,787,692	.....	2,512,524
May.....	107,276	604,498	711,774	7,022	19,038,188	.....	65,725	19,110,935	.....	18,399,161
June.....	157,337	837,669	995,006	13,470	6,865,183	.....	49,883	6,928,536	.....	5,933,530
Total, 12 months.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525	.....	5,475,611	112,409,947	.....	78,884,882
July.....	162,058	1,505,928	1,667,986	23,295	11,391,141	.....	517,000	11,931,436	.....	10,263,450
August.....	232,437	4,057,101	4,289,538	2,440	1,951,104	.....	19,000	1,972,544	2,316,994	.....
September.....	187,879	34,159,130	34,347,009	32,505	59,750	.....	1,300	93,555	34,253,454	.....
October.....	232,686	27,961,083	28,193,769	24,839	343,168	.....	.....	368,007	27,825,762	.....
November.....	143,072	7,344,228	7,487,300	44,611	423,399	.....	.....	468,010	7,019,290	.....
December.....	233,929	2,567,115	2,801,044	25,970	404,416	.....	1,440	431,826	2,369,218	.....
1897.										
January.....	386,685	556,621	943,306	70,411	371,944	.....	.....	442,355	500,951	.....
February.....	285,480	544,700	830,180	16,450	153,266	.....	183,431	353,147	477,033	.....
March.....	555,273	884,166	1,439,439	3,137	173,418	.....	398,650	575,205	864,234	.....
April.....	352,054	619,452	971,506	1,800	6,622,002	10	7,404	6,631,216	.....	5,659,710
May.....	389,849	561,666	951,515	1,260	9,389,682	.....	77,529	9,468,471	.....	8,516,956
June.....	441,845	650,343	1,092,188	130	7,622,384	.....	3,294	7,625,808	.....	6,533,620
Total, 12 months.....	2,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	.....
July.....	346,754	592,197	938,951	2,750	5,459,119	.....	1,000	5,462,869	.....	4,523,918
August.....	344,174	4,376,395	4,720,569	.....	1,983,588	.....	.....	1,983,588	2,736,981	.....
September.....	433,758	4,289,423	4,723,181	.....	142,922	.....	.....	142,922	4,580,259	.....
October.....	423,717	11,351,766	11,775,483	1,640	281,667	.....	30,004	313,311	11,462,172	.....
November.....	509,071	2,545,018	3,054,089	173	694,138	.....	5,202	699,513	2,354,576	.....
December.....	472,392	2,110,013	2,582,405	4,458	573,233	.....	305	577,996	2,004,409	.....
1898.										
January.....	776,638	5,716,776	6,493,414	2,468	205,915	.....	2,450,250	2,658,663	3,834,751	.....
February.....	833,572	5,329,109	6,162,681	.....	151,896	.....	878,516	1,030,412	5,132,269	.....
March.....	493,575	30,214,745	30,708,320	69,873	322,788	.....	336,046	728,707	29,979,613	.....
April.....	234,720	32,345,138	32,579,858	100	97,068	.....	1,226,556	1,323,724	31,256,134	.....
May.....	203,477	13,118,634	13,322,111	.....	109,016	.....	141	109,157	13,212,954	.....
June.....	145,838	3,184,774	3,330,612	.....	367,529	.....	8,000	375,529	2,955,083	.....
Total, 12 months.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909	.....	4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	.....
July.....	149,437	2,492,231	2,641,668	3,200	1,490,582	.....	3,231	1,497,013	1,144,655	.....
August.....	226,475	15,070,336	15,296,811	.....	1,449,712	.....	506,196	1,955,908	13,340,903	.....
September.....	318,922	16,489,419	16,808,341	3,245	202,783	.....	2,896,782	3,102,810	13,705,531	.....
October.....	435,896	16,302,457	16,738,353	100	356,596	.....	923,230	1,279,926	15,458,427	.....
November.....	697,864	4,716,737	5,324,601	2,710	302,003	.....	608,754	913,467	4,411,134	.....
December.....	591,379	8,165,803	8,757,182	.....	159,138	.....	1,060,500	1,219,638	7,537,544	.....
1899.										
January.....	549,237	5,843,107	6,392,344	.....	1,280,053	.....	475,398	1,755,451	4,636,893	.....
February.....	306,973	4,841,933	5,148,906	.....	179,759	.....	388,203	567,962	4,580,944	.....
March.....	363,641	2,823,834	3,187,575	2,810	162,251	.....	494,784	1,199,845	2,077,730	.....
April.....	337,153	2,145,718	2,482,871	.....	151,677	.....	1,010,807	1,162,484	1,320,387	.....
Total, 10 months.....	3,886,977	78,891,675	82,778,652	12,065	6,184,554	.....	8,367,885	14,564,504	68,214,148	.....
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1899.....	91,679	12,943,342	13,035,021	a 1,973,976	13,403,632	1,952	3,870,859	19,250,419	.....	6,215,398
1891.....	214,803	18,232,567	18,447,370	a 34,542	81,939,551	269	1,423,103	86,397,405	.....	67,950,035
1892.....	249,304	49,699,454	49,948,758	a 39,325	43,321,351	13,004	6,873,976	50,247,656	.....	298,898
1893.....	894,999	21,174,381	22,069,380	a 225,524	102,068,153	16,607	6,612,691	108,922,975	.....	86,853,595
1894.....	540,444	72,449,119	72,989,563	a 146,779	64,487,354	17,669	12,490,707	77,141,909	.....	4,152,346
1895.....	1,238,026	35,146,734	36,384,760	328,012	55,890,295	9,286	10,240,888	66,468,481	.....	30,083,721
1896.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525	.....	5,475,611	112,409,947	.....	78,884,882
1897.....	2,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	.....
1898.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909	4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July	955,085	772,363	1,727,448	.....	4,420,201	.....	393,890	4,814,091	.....	3,086,643
August	1,112,598	1,114,677	2,227,275	25,778	4,200,615	.....	353,083	4,579,476	.....	2,352,201
September	982,997	1,781,193	2,764,190	38,065	4,067,753	.....	1,331,641	5,437,450	.....	2,673,269
October	1,178,995	1,391,831	2,570,826	99,840	3,679,888	.....	914,559	4,694,287	.....	2,123,461
November	1,092,377	1,030,023	2,122,400	72,295	4,587,416	.....	827,143	5,486,854	.....	3,364,454
December	1,687,485	883,489	2,570,974	105,813	4,646,741	.....	512,796	5,265,350	.....	2,694,376
1896.										
January	1,433,622	1,057,597	2,491,219	84,670	4,547,372	730	355,927	4,988,699	.....	2,497,480
February	1,388,938	1,411,967	2,800,905	38,115	4,549,084	.....	812,635	5,400,434	.....	2,599,529
March	1,468,100	1,353,526	2,821,626	67,568	4,125,859	.....	888,867	5,082,294	.....	2,260,668
April	1,574,353	569,301	2,143,654	14,665	4,936,508	.....	203,470	5,154,643	.....	3,010,989
May	1,386,140	564,332	1,950,472	35,807	4,941,159	.....	217,971	5,194,937	.....	3,244,465
June	1,598,538	987,659	2,586,197	95,368	3,815,379	.....	532,399	4,443,146	.....	1,856,949
Total, 12 months.....	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
July	1,804,206	839,155	2,643,361	33,652	5,373,037	.....	364,717	5,771,406	.....	3,128,045
August	1,350,066	929,422	2,279,488	25,387	4,808,737	.....	467,210	5,301,334	.....	3,021,846
September	1,237,622	741,678	1,979,300	168,880	5,337,641	.....	196,469	5,702,990	.....	3,723,690
October	1,489,353	993,440	2,482,793	179,046	4,492,814	.....	301,525	4,973,385	.....	2,490,592
November	1,338,333	1,776,699	3,115,032	148,232	4,340,865	.....	633,546	5,122,643	.....	2,007,611
December	1,705,892	1,279,801	2,985,693	101,285	5,062,996	.....	1,756,549	6,920,830	.....	3,935,137
1897.										
January	1,907,479	877,067	2,784,546	156,903	3,742,415	.....	255,339	4,154,657	.....	1,370,111
February	1,568,369	763,563	2,331,932	60,158	4,208,097	.....	451,665	4,726,520	.....	2,394,588
March	1,518,765	480,170	1,998,935	23,639	4,681,238	.....	234,446	4,939,323	.....	2,940,388
April	1,604,104	578,124	2,182,228	250	4,807,377	.....	89,518	4,897,145	.....	2,714,917
May	1,984,320	766,704	2,751,024	12,200	4,148,920	.....	188,422	4,349,542	.....	1,568,518
June	2,044,013	954,882	2,998,895	.....	4,621,454	.....	465,409	5,086,863	.....	2,087,968
Total, 12 months.....	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
July	1,681,473	1,012,391	2,693,864	180	4,068,884	.....	636,090	4,705,154	.....	2,011,290
August	1,563,457	1,491,752	3,055,209	.....	4,317,093	.....	817,899	5,164,992	.....	2,103,783
September	2,228,231	856,393	3,084,624	.....	3,625,600	.....	956,878	4,582,478	.....	1,497,854
October	1,591,762	1,691,661	3,283,423	95	3,939,347	.....	1,285,995	5,225,437	.....	1,942,014
November	1,540,145	1,610,691	3,150,836	1,334	3,939,895	.....	1,039,422	4,980,651	.....	1,829,815
December	1,703,434	1,063,352	2,766,786	48,259	4,661,185	.....	1,139,086	5,848,530	.....	3,081,744
1898.										
January	1,990,631	544,830	2,535,461	39,424	3,841,239	.....	421,157	4,301,820	.....	1,766,359
February	1,703,601	382,034	2,085,635	6,820	3,631,065	.....	122,086	3,759,971	.....	1,674,336
March	2,120,018	457,577	2,577,595	7,695	3,974,363	.....	113,905	4,095,963	.....	1,518,368
April	1,601,909	489,157	2,091,066	58,860	3,880,402	.....	159,899	4,099,161	.....	2,008,095
May	1,083,811	490,668	1,574,479	.....	4,006,265	.....	178,167	4,184,432	.....	2,609,953
June	1,229,048	799,755	2,028,803	.....	3,751,640	.....	405,010	4,156,650	.....	2,127,847
Total, 12 months.....	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458
July	1,350,588	1,303,158	2,653,746	150	3,643,118	.....	1,241,654	4,884,922	.....	2,231,176
August	2,093,589	1,458,154	3,551,743	.....	3,837,786	.....	960,692	4,798,478	.....	1,246,735
September	1,031,302	969,394	2,000,696	860	4,157,422	.....	993,821	5,152,103	.....	3,151,407
October	1,722,767	830,677	2,553,444	.....	4,248,479	.....	264,348	4,512,827	.....	1,959,383
November	1,422,381	846,878	2,269,259	165	3,586,013	.....	436,901	4,023,079	.....	1,753,820
December	2,209,425	1,000,028	3,209,453	9,525	5,288,326	.....	529,847	5,827,698	.....	2,618,245
1899.										
January	2,469,092	659,760	3,128,852	4,520	5,205,007	.....	170,279	5,380,806	.....	2,251,954
February	1,046,110	380,917	1,427,027	9,390	4,122,382	.....	187,302	4,319,074	.....	2,892,047
March	2,565,598	560,261	3,125,859	150	4,936,189	.....	121,314	5,057,653	.....	1,931,794
April	1,349,959	499,272	1,849,231	.....	3,928,526	.....	154,041	4,082,567	.....	2,233,336
Total, 10 months.....	17,260,811	8,508,499	25,769,310	24,760	42,954,248	.....	5,060,199	48,039,207	.....	22,269,897
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890.....	7,748,572	21,032,984	28,781,556	.....	22,378,557	75,673	12,495,372	34,949,602	.....	6,168,046
1891.....	8,953,608	18,026,880	26,980,488	.....	14,033,714	104,175	8,537,274	22,695,163	4,285,325	.....
1892.....	9,656,761	19,955,086	29,611,847	.....	16,765,067	332,336	16,045,492	33,142,895	.....	3,531,048
1893.....	11,100,747	23,193,252	34,293,999	.....	23,559,254	144,338	17,178,045	40,881,657	.....	6,587,658
1894.....	6,679,161	13,286,552	19,965,713	.....	39,069,087	69,015	11,382,178	50,520,280	.....	30,554,567
1895.....	10,658,659	9,552,520	20,211,179	46,206	40,073,222	21,762	7,154,045	47,295,286	.....	27,084,107
1896.....	15,859,228	12,917,158	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
1897.....	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
1898.....	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.

IMPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	April—		Ten months ending April—		April—		Ten months ending April—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....	15,510	29,810	333,836	215,459	1,360	167	10,900	12,857
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	29,832	29,882	634,745	83,132	.....	973	.....	973
Newark, N. J.....	11,536	.....	38,784	237,463	54,915	.....	166,374	122,482
New York, N. Y.....	2,889,253	714,495	71,098,847	35,166,624	1,095,285	964,546	11,865,183	11,765,387
Perth Amboy, N. J.....	.....	.....	6,925	28,801	.....	.....	286,871	1,055,436
Philadelphia, Pa.....	.....	10,220	110	10,295	.....	10,150	2,560	10,650
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,608	11,220	17,745
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	48,091	72,382	447,692	809,116	9,362	22,654	755,816	1,461,465
Galveston, Tex.....	.....	.....	2,220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mobile, Ala.....	6,666	1,149	21,200	18,478	563	1,385	12,560	11,228
New Orleans, La.....	23,572	11,276	208,499	213,726	14,217	31,298	213,478	294,600
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	20,721	8,042	731,836	158,594	401,480	277,553	6,860,985	5,144,483
Pensacola, Fla.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500
Saluria, Tex.....	22,881	.....	355,155	137,944	23,427	.....	1,055,199	364,015
Alaska.....	.....	.....	50	9,065,000	.....	.....	.....	100
Arizona.....	184,267	147,816	1,398,428	1,496,694	101,245	125,595	906,792	1,114,362
Puget Sound, Wash.....	85,096	219,249	2,839,774	1,232,509	139,093	145,400	2,087,162	1,333,661
San Diego, Cal.....	2,036	8,130	67,828	41,229	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Francisco, Cal.....	3,071,511	1,045,117	19,874,671	29,713,811	194,776	172,999	2,174,101	2,065,644
Champlain, N. Y.....	157,536	173,550	3,841,644	3,535,624	2,500	808	45,810	30,946
Chicago, Ill.....	.....	.....	.....	1,278	.....	.....	15,537	83,931
Detroit, Mich.....	.....	.....	1,590	4,031	.....	.....	458	11,437
Huron, Mich.....	.....	.....	85	900	.....	.....	.....	800
Minnesota, Minn.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,589	.....
Montana and Idaho.....	.....	.....	983	234	3,408	.....	90,624	108,332
Niagara, N. Y.....	2,350	10,900	925,924	89,987	1,500	2,000	19,240	93,231
North and South Dakota.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	.....	853	.....	516,723	.....	20,181	.....	88,287
Vermont, Vt.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kansas City, Mo.....	.....	.....	7,365	.....	.....	.....	182,381	.....
Omaha, Nebr.....	.....	.....	720	.....	47,935	66,914	552,659	575,758
Total.....	32,579,858	2,482,871	103,738,951	82,778,652	2,091,066	1,849,231	27,324,499	25,769,310

IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	April—		Ten months ending April—		April—		Ten months ending April—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....	1,629,346	575,140	21,517,529	8,957,885	1,500	.....	24,718	1,175
Germany.....	6,168,796	.....	6,981,786	185,046	.....	.....	1,699	1,940
United Kingdom.....	19,346,363	41,166	36,830,829	24,004,398	11,039	4,945	25,558	92,816
Other Europe.....	3,275	.....	514,098	15,363	713	.....	1,739	73
British Honduras.....	6,666	1,414	29,610	28,461	12,021	20,180	170,947	238,154
Dominion of Canada:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	159,886	185,304	4,677,363	13,140,700	4,000	22,989	64,670	150,333
British Columbia.....	129,187	238,543	3,293,882	1,866,404	245,351	208,914	3,115,928	2,247,659
Central American States.....	44,011	31,872	451,747	514,918	69,242	53,741	692,463	558,100
Mexico.....	399,606	325,647	4,439,965	4,586,941	1,682,032	1,350,618	21,965,185	21,288,999
West Indies:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British.....	55	11,357	119,325	35,821	327	5,500	18,249	37,239
Cuba.....	1,668,481	3,300	4,390,291	80,064	.....	11,420	2,095	24,528
Other West Indies.....	24,092	16,701	520,615	264,054	24,127	107,675	556,094	321,487
Other North America.....	21,010	36,705	461,254	276,138	1,360	1,976	10,900	16,579
Colombia.....	12,710	11,433	225,177	164,181	13,979	8,957	135,974	250,684
Venezuela.....	1,940	.....	608,553	196,053	.....	.....	417	3,809
Other South America.....	.....	7,836	14,364	567,334	21,861	42,874	521,460	439,042
China.....	.....	.....	.....	244,235	.....	.....	45	53,780
Japan.....	699,200	.....	756,247	5,020,424	.....	.....	.....	18,000
British Australasia.....	2,265,234	996,454	17,775,466	22,524,816	.....	9,412	.....	24,913
Hawaiian Islands.....	.....	.....	130,000	105,416	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Oceania.....	.....	.....	850	.....	2,614	.....	16,358	.....
Total.....	32,579,858	2,482,871	103,738,951	82,778,652	2,091,066	1,849,231	27,324,499	25,769,310
Ore and bullion.....	8,516,792	656,920	25,374,781	34,167,598	1,920,377	1,630,894	20,365,303	20,801,633
Coin.....	24,063,066	1,825,951	78,364,170	48,611,054	170,689	218,337	6,959,196	4,967,677

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	April—		Ten months ending April—		April—		Ten months ending April—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....			773	5,082			3,106	1,728
Bangor, Me.....			75,207		248		1,987	1,161
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			8,100	5		10,000		18,000
New York, N. Y.....	708,356	1,103,581	10,648,718	9,953,071	3,777,279	3,714,622	36,745,447	43,451,916
Philadelphia, Pa.....							2,415	
Corpus Christi, Tex.....							483,905	
Galveston, Tex.....							100	
Mobile, Ala.....			5,000					
New Orleans, La.....				1,896		4,300		4,300
Paso del Norte, Tex.....							522,379	5,099
Saluria, Tex.....			8,158				170,552	12,409
Alaska.....			1,055					
Puget Sound, Wash.....	4,710	3,487	82,156	57,705	1,674	1,228	18,807	18,616
San Diego, Cal.....							1,150	
San Francisco, Cal.....	10,995	54,580	1,109,123	1,337,332	310,192	340,177	8,697,371	4,395,400
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....		595	1,715	595		2,269	1,948	13,008
Champlain, N. Y.....	591,600		2,729,165	2,920,083	6,228	5,420	72,658	61,276
Detroit, Mich.....								1,292
Memphremagog, Vt.....				10				827
Niagara, N. Y.....	8,063	290	252,450	288,529	3,540	3,850	42,312	51,109
Vermont, Vt.....		41	85	286		701	20	3,255
Total.....	1,323,724	1,162,484	14,921,705	14,564,504	4,099,161	4,082,567	46,764,157	48,039,207

EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	April—		Ten months ending April—		April—		Ten months ending April—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....			4,008,535		28,000	1,012,992	785,000	2,035,898
Germany.....			1,260,840	15,900		2,380	945	56,192
United Kingdom.....	100		440,453	27,215	3,576,026	2,662,145	35,261,480	40,419,027
Other Europe.....							100	
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	599,663	836	2,983,415	3,209,413	9,768	12,240	116,958	130,677
British Columbia.....	4,710	3,487	83,211	57,705	1,674	1,228	18,807	18,616
Central American States.....	6,185	410	111,748	22,814	128,401	4,300	319,720	33,010
Mexico.....			11,158	15,075		16,000	1,196,770	56,809
West Indies:								
Cuba.....	566,803	1,008,828	4,197,546	9,115,380		20,000		412,680
Haiti.....	18,000	8,777	302,615	207,633			960	
Santo Domingo.....	5,300	23,978	98,559	91,836	54,250		339,996	379,500
Other West Indies.....		7,000	20,049	60,604	3,776	7,170	24,207	32,181
Other North America.....	118,153		211,460	133,446	248	10,000	1,987	19,161
Colombia.....			25,100	19,922			26,277	2,923
Venezuela.....		54,998	106,422	263,439				
Other South America.....			22,710	975	15,326	9,955	59,364	82,013
China.....					112,044	108,672	917,224	768,976
East Indies: British.....					95,800		1,436,788	
Hongkong.....	4,810	4,080	57,738	70,057	73,848	215,505	6,146,683	3,377,930
Japan.....							60,530	
Hawaiian Islands.....		50,090	980,140	1,253,090			50,000	211,704
All other countries.....							375	1,400
Total.....	1,323,724	1,162,484	14,921,705	14,564,504	4,099,161	4,082,567	46,764,157	48,039,207
Ore and bullion.....	7,338	746	2,062,459	71,274	3,937,138	3,893,929	39,989,475	42,331,852
Coin.....	1,316,386	1,161,738	12,859,246	14,493,230	162,023	188,638	6,774,682	5,707,355

**IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN DURING MONTH OF
APRIL, 1899.**

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.					SILVER.						TOTAL GOLD AND SILVER, INCLUDING ORE.
	Ore.	Bullion.	Coin.		Total gold, including ore.	Ore.	Bullion.		Coin.		Total sil- ver, includ- ing ore.	
			United States.	Foreign.			United States.	Foreign.				
IMPORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Ounces.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....		29,810			29,810				162	5	167	29,977
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		5,550		24,352	29,882					973	973	30,855
New York, N. Y.....	67,593	28,682	35,051	583,169	714,495	762,768	97,053	58,232	15,507	128,033	964,546	1,679,041
Philadelphia, Pa.....				10,220	10,220					10,150	10,150	20,370
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....										6,608	6,608	6,608
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	419	52,448	19,515		72,382	7,246	25,167	15,408			22,654	95,036
Mobile, Ala.....			1,149		1,149				13	1,372	1,385	2,534
New Orleans, La.....		11,011	265		11,276				287	31,011	31,298	42,574
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	7,994	48			8,042	204,291	89,151	54,382		18,880	277,553	285,595
Arizona.....	41,047	106,769			147,816	101,774	41,428	23,821			123,595	273,411
Puget Sound, Wash.....	208,899	12,350			219,249	145,400					145,400	364,649
San Diego, Cal.....	515	7,615			8,130							8,130
San Francisco, Cal.....	11,833	54,584	5,400	973,300	1,045,117	41,385	182,700	129,092		2,522	172,999	1,218,116
Champlain, N. Y.....			140,000	33,550	173,550				808		808	174,358
Niagara, N. Y.....		10,900			10,900				2,000		2,000	12,900
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	853				853	20,181					20,181	21,034
Omaha, Nebr.....						66,914					66,914	66,914
Total imports.....	337,153	319,767	201,360	1,624,571	2,482,871	1,349,959	435,499	280,935	18,777	199,560	1,849,231	4,332,102
EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC.												
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....									10,000		10,000	10,000
New York, N. Y.....			92,815		92,815	5,941,186	3,579,637	21,000			3,600,637	3,693,452
Puget Sound, Wash.....			3,487		3,487			1,228			1,228	4,715
San Francisco, Cal.....		200	51,380		54,580	485,791	307,472				307,472	362,052
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....		595			595	3,650	2,269				2,269	2,774
Champlain, N. Y.....								2,400			2,400	2,400
Niagara, N. Y.....			290		290	6,409	3,850				3,850	4,140
Vermont, Vt.....						1,089	670				670	670
Total domestic exports.....		705	159,972		151,677	6,433,116	3,893,898	34,628			3,928,526	4,080,203
EXPORTS OF FOREIGN.												
New York, N. Y.....				1,010,766	1,010,766					113,985	113,985	1,124,751
New Orleans, La.....										4,300	4,300	4,300
San Francisco, Cal.....										32,795	32,795	32,795
Champlain, N. Y.....										3,020	3,020	3,020
Vermont, Vt.....		41			41	50	31				31	72
Total foreign exports.....		41		1,010,766	1,010,807	50	31			154,010	154,041	1,164,818

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM 1835 TO 1898—(Specie values).

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
September 30—								
1835.....	64,809,046	71,955,249	136,764,295	100,459,481	14,756,321	115,215,802	21,548,493	.....
1836.....	78,655,600	97,923,554	176,579,154	106,570,942	17,767,762	124,338,704	52,240,450	.....
1837.....	58,733,617	71,739,186	130,472,803	94,280,895	17,162,232	111,443,127	19,029,676	.....
1838.....	43,112,889	52,857,399	95,970,288	95,560,880	9,417,690	104,978,570	.....	9,008,282
1839.....	70,806,616	85,690,340	156,496,956	101,625,533	10,626,140	112,251,673	44,245,283	.....
1840.....	48,313,391	49,945,315	98,258,706	111,660,561	12,008,371	123,668,932	.....	25,410,226
1841.....	61,031,098	61,926,446	122,957,544	103,636,236	8,181,235	111,817,471	11,140,073	.....
1842.....	26,540,470	66,534,601	96,075,071	91,799,242	8,078,753	99,877,995	.....	3,802,924
June 30—								
1843 (9 months).....	13,254,249	29,179,215	42,433,464	77,686,354	5,139,335	82,825,689	.....	40,392,225
1844.....	18,936,452	83,068,154	102,004,606	99,531,774	6,214,058	105,745,832	.....	3,141,226
1845.....	18,077,598	95,106,724	113,184,322	98,455,330	7,584,781	106,040,111	7,144,211	.....
1846.....	20,990,007	96,924,058	117,914,065	101,718,042	7,865,206	109,583,248	8,330,817	.....
1847.....	17,651,347	104,773,002	122,424,349	150,574,844	6,166,754	156,741,598	.....	34,317,249
1848.....	16,356,319	132,282,325	148,638,644	130,203,709	7,986,806	138,190,515	10,448,129	.....
1849.....	15,726,425	125,479,774	141,206,199	131,710,081	8,641,091	140,351,172	855,027	.....
1850.....	18,031,590	155,427,936	173,509,526	134,900,233	9,475,493	144,375,726	29,133,800	.....
1851.....	19,653,084	191,118,345	210,771,429	178,620,138	10,295,121	188,915,259	21,856,170	.....
1852.....	24,187,890	183,252,508	207,440,398	154,931,147	12,053,084	166,984,231	40,456,167	.....
1853.....	27,182,152	236,595,113	263,777,265	189,869,162	13,620,120	203,489,282	60,287,983	.....
1854.....	25,760,447	272,043,347	297,803,794	215,328,300	21,715,464	237,043,764	60,760,030	.....
1855.....	36,430,524	221,378,184	257,808,708	192,751,135	26,158,368	218,909,503	38,899,205	.....
1856.....	52,748,074	257,684,236	310,432,310	266,438,051	14,781,372	281,219,423	29,212,867	.....
1857.....	54,267,507	294,160,835	348,428,342	278,906,713	14,917,047	293,823,760	54,604,582	.....
1858.....	61,044,779	202,293,875	263,338,654	251,351,033	20,669,241	272,020,274	.....	8,672,620
1859.....	72,286,327	259,047,014	331,333,341	278,392,080	14,509,971	292,902,051	38,431,290	.....
1860.....	73,741,479	279,874,640	353,616,119	316,242,423	17,333,634	333,576,057	20,040,062	.....
1861.....	71,130,351	218,180,191	289,310,542	204,899,616	14,654,217	219,553,833	69,756,709	.....
1862.....	52,721,653	136,635,024	189,356,677	179,644,024	11,026,477	190,670,501	.....	1,313,824
1863.....	35,241,924	208,093,891	243,335,815	186,003,912	17,960,535	203,964,447	39,371,368	.....
1864.....	41,126,332	275,320,951	316,447,283	143,504,027	15,333,961	158,837,988	157,609,295	.....
1865.....	44,519,516	194,226,064	238,745,580	136,940,248	29,089,055	166,029,303	72,716,277	.....
1866.....	59,028,526	375,783,540	434,812,066	337,518,102	11,341,420	348,859,522	85,952,544	.....
1867.....	23,133,495	372,627,601	395,761,096	279,786,809	14,719,332	294,506,141	101,254,955	.....
1868.....	15,190,781	342,245,659	357,436,440	269,389,900	12,562,999	281,952,899	75,483,541	.....
1869.....	21,646,692	395,859,687	417,506,379	275,166,697	10,951,000	286,117,697	131,388,682	.....
1870.....	20,140,786	415,817,622	435,958,408	376,616,473	16,155,295	392,771,768	43,186,640	.....
1871.....	36,587,737	483,635,947	520,223,684	428,398,908	14,421,270	442,820,178	77,403,506	.....
1872.....	47,267,213	579,327,864	626,595,077	428,487,131	15,690,455	444,177,586	182,417,491	.....
1873.....	144,815,884	497,320,326	642,136,210	505,033,439	17,446,483	522,479,922	119,656,288	.....
1874.....	151,481,762	415,924,580	567,406,342	569,433,421	16,549,619	586,283,040	.....	18,876,698
1875.....	146,279,927	386,725,509	533,005,436	499,284,700	14,158,611	513,442,711	19,562,725	.....
1876.....	140,361,913	320,379,277	460,741,190	525,582,247	14,802,424	540,384,671	.....	79,643,481
1877.....	140,788,452	310,534,674	451,323,126	589,670,224	12,804,996	602,475,220	.....	151,152,094
1878.....	141,278,265	295,773,267	437,051,532	680,709,268	14,156,498	694,865,766	.....	257,814,234
1879.....	142,681,505	303,096,270	445,777,775	698,340,790	12,098,651	710,439,441	.....	264,661,666
1880.....	208,301,863	459,652,883	667,954,746	823,946,353	11,692,305	835,638,658	.....	167,683,912
1881.....	202,491,547	440,173,081	642,664,628	883,925,947	18,451,399	902,377,346	.....	259,712,718
1882.....	210,579,007	514,060,567	724,639,574	733,239,732	17,302,525	750,542,257	.....	25,902,683
1883.....	207,504,718	515,676,196	723,180,914	804,223,632	19,615,770	823,839,402	.....	100,658,488
1884.....	203,884,184	457,813,509	661,697,693	724,964,852	15,548,757	740,513,609	.....	72,815,916
1885.....	193,213,624	384,313,705	577,527,329	726,682,946	15,506,809	742,189,755	.....	164,662,426
1886.....	212,159,296	423,276,840	635,436,136	665,964,529	13,560,301	679,524,830	.....	44,088,694
1887.....	234,221,131	458,098,637	692,319,768	703,022,923	13,160,288	716,183,211	.....	23,863,443
1888.....	244,071,615	479,885,499	723,957,114	683,862,104	12,092,403	695,954,507	28,002,607	.....
1889.....	256,487,078	488,644,574	745,131,652	730,282,609	12,118,766	742,401,375	2,730,277	.....
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,066	654,994,622	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION FROM 1835 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	GOLD.				SILVER.		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of—		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports over imports.
			Imports over exports.	Exports over imports.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—							
1835.....	2,325,196	1,355,280			10,806,251	5,122,495	
1836.....	7,231,862	647,455			6,169,019	3,676,881	
1837.....	2,431,814	3,213,735			8,084,600	2,762,514	
1838.....	11,674,883	1,213,204			6,072,233	2,294,842	
1839.....	1,164,580	4,800,668			4,430,596	3,976,075	
1840.....	3,085,157	3,703,373			5,797,656	4,713,641	
1841.....	1,269,449	3,589,869			3,719,154	6,444,463	
1842.....	757,294	2,304,756			3,329,722	2,508,783	
June 30—							
1843 (nine months).....	17,066,437	407,687			5,253,898	1,113,104	
1844.....	1,613,304	1,366,521			4,217,125	4,087,693	
1845.....	818,850	3,055,425			3,251,392	5,551,070	
1846.....	910,413	2,053,199			2,867,319	1,852,069	
1847.....	21,574,931	1,037,921			2,546,358	869,103	
1848.....	3,408,755	11,071,197			2,951,529	4,770,419	
1849.....	4,608,647	1,972,233			2,582,593	3,432,415	
1850.....	1,776,706	4,560,627			2,852,066	2,962,367	
1851.....	3,569,090	22,829,913			1,884,413	6,635,839	
1852.....	3,658,059	40,073,979			1,816,945	2,600,156	
1853.....	2,427,356	25,442,856			1,774,026	2,041,017	
1854.....	3,031,961	40,470,260			3,726,623	727,040	
1855.....	1,092,802	55,109,215			2,567,010	1,138,128	
1856.....	990,305	45,000,977			3,217,327	744,508	
1857.....	6,654,036	65,232,653			5,807,163	3,904,269	
1858.....	11,566,068	50,002,604			7,708,428	2,630,343	
1859.....	2,125,497	61,108,053			5,309,392	2,779,858	
1860.....	2,588,786	58,446,039			6,041,349	8,100,200	
1861.....	42,291,930	27,423,973			4,047,681	2,367,107	
1862.....	13,907,011	35,439,993			2,508,041	1,447,737	
1863.....	5,530,538	62,162,838			4,053,567	1,993,773	
1864.....	11,176,769	100,661,634		89,484,865	1,938,843	4,734,907	2,796,064
1865.....	6,498,228	58,581,033		51,882,805	3,311,844	9,262,193	5,950,349
1866.....	8,196,261	71,197,369		63,001,048	2,503,831	14,846,762	12,342,931
1867.....	17,024,866	39,026,627		22,001,761	5,045,609	21,841,745	16,796,136
1868.....	8,737,443	72,396,844		63,658,901	5,450,925	21,387,758	15,936,833
1869.....	14,132,563	36,003,498		21,870,930	5,675,308	21,134,882	15,459,574
1870.....	12,056,950	33,635,962		21,579,012	14,362,229	24,519,704	10,157,475
1871.....	6,883,561	66,686,208		59,802,647	14,386,463	31,755,780	17,369,317
1872.....	8,717,458	49,548,760		5,026,231	30,328,774	25,302,543	
1873.....	8,682,417	44,856,715		36,174,268	12,798,490	39,751,859	26,953,360
1874.....	19,503,137	34,042,420		14,539,283	8,951,709	32,587,985	23,636,216
1875.....	13,696,793	66,980,977		53,284,184	7,203,924	25,151,165	17,947,241
1876.....	7,992,769	31,177,050		23,184,341	7,943,972	25,329,252	17,385,280
1877.....	26,246,234	26,590,374		344,140	14,528,180	29,571,863	15,043,683
1878.....	13,330,215	9,204,445	4,125,760		16,401,099	24,535,670	8,044,571
1879.....	5,624,948	4,587,614	1,037,334		14,671,052	20,409,827	5,738,775
1880.....	80,758,396	3,639,025	77,119,371		12,275,914	13,563,894	1,227,980
1881.....	100,031,259	2,565,132	97,466,127		10,511,238	16,841,715	6,297,477
1882.....	34,377,054	32,587,880	1,789,174		8,095,336	16,829,599	8,734,263
1883.....	17,734,149	11,600,888	6,133,261		10,755,242	20,219,445	9,464,203
1884.....	22,831,317	41,081,957		18,250,640	14,594,945	26,051,426	11,456,481
1885.....	26,691,606	8,477,892	18,213,804		16,550,627	33,753,633	17,203,006
1886.....	20,743,349	42,952,191		22,208,842	17,850,307	29,511,219	11,660,912
1887.....	42,910,601	9,701,187	33,209,414		17,260,191	26,296,504	9,036,313
1888.....	43,954,317	18,376,234	25,558,083		15,403,669	28,037,949	12,634,280
1889.....	10,284,858	59,952,285		49,667,427	18,678,215	36,689,248	18,011,033
1890.....	12,943,342	17,274,491		4,331,149	21,032,984	34,873,929	13,840,945
1891.....	18,232,567	86,362,654		68,130,087	18,026,880	22,590,988	4,564,108
1892.....	49,699,454	50,195,327		495,873	19,955,086	32,810,559	12,855,473
1893.....	21,174,381	108,680,844		87,506,463	23,193,252	40,737,319	17,544,067
1894 a.....	72,449,119	76,978,061		4,528,942	13,286,552	50,451,265	37,164,713
1895 a.....	36,384,760	66,468,481		30,083,721	20,211,179	47,295,286	27,084,107
1896 a.....	33,525,065	112,409,947		78,884,882	28,777,186	60,541,670	31,764,484
1897 a.....	85,014,780	40,361,580	44,653,200		30,533,227	61,946,638	31,413,411
1898 a.....	120,391,674	15,406,391	104,985,283		30,927,781	55,105,239	24,177,458

a Includes gold and silver in ore.

NOTE.—Gold and silver can not be separately stated in domestic exports before 1864, but it is probable that the greater portion of the exports was gold.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899.
Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.
BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Aroostook, Me. Imports..	11, 100	51, 083										
Baltimore, Md. Imports..	356	3, 090	211, 678	64, 559			417, 477	502, 301		121	2, 076	5, 275
Baltimore, Md. Exports..			120, 113	62, 010			8, 037, 988	7, 154, 096	70, 917			
Bangor, Me. Imports..	44, 275	37, 292	63	15			225					
Bangor, Me. Exports..	172, 557	353, 148		1, 071			11, 475					
Barnstable, Mass. Imports..							223					
Bath, Me. Imports..	978	5, 641										
Beaufort, S. C. Exports..								13, 361			11, 950	14, 960
Belfast, Me. Imports..			172				771	4				
Boston and Charles- Imports..	127	2, 943	780, 520	300, 738	19, 124	13, 389	4, 282, 679	4, 644, 681	120, 787	5, 817	6, 717	3, 817
town, Mass. Exports..			31, 784	48, 485			10, 202, 783	9, 181, 086			33, 405	55, 989
Brunswick, Ga. Imports..							255					
Brunswick, Ga. Exports..							706, 200	109, 640				
Castine, Me. Exports..												
Charleston, S. C. Imports..			354	346			73, 080	50, 186				12
Charleston, S. C. Exports..							484, 850					
Delaware. Imports..					781		9, 333	38, 508			97	
Delaware. Exports..							146, 503	85, 262			90, 217	74, 832
Fairfield, Conn. Imports..			21, 271	1, 362		1, 418	9, 241	9, 766				71
Fernandina, Fla. Imports..				50								
Fernandina, Fla. Exports..				3, 774			68, 000	190, 112				
Frenchman Bay, Me. Imports..							359	186				
Georgetown, D. C. Imports..			1, 181				2, 335	3, 671		293	2, 311	864
Gloucester, Mass. Imports..							5, 707	3, 176				
Hartford, Conn. Imports..			484		3, 761	3, 471	6, 870	5, 043		329	1, 233	226
Machias, Me. Imports..							175					
Marblehead, Mass. Imports..							559					
Newark, N. J. Imports..	27, 650		1, 689	522	343	1, 330	19, 441	3, 454			1, 303	126
Newark, N. J. Exports..							3, 277	3, 055				
New Haven, Conn. Imports..			1, 393	528			18, 896	6, 589		250	717	1, 363
New London, Conn. Imports..				593				1, 393				
Newport, R. I. Imports..				1, 360								
Newport News, Va. Imports..				9, 128			64, 825	68, 198				
Newport News, Va. Exports..			5, 532	1, 104			2, 437, 857	2, 287, 943				
New York, N. Y. Imports..	108, 981	105, 754	7, 020, 330	7, 186, 193	1, 063, 927	754, 407	17, 855, 903	23, 325, 510	2, 325, 051	1, 565, 294	2, 636, 954	2, 915, 106
New York, N. Y. Exports..			2, 039, 585	3, 616, 713	802, 048	640, 170	25, 096, 285	20, 884, 394	1, 573, 170	1, 968, 730	1, 227, 576	1, 393, 516
Norfolk and Ports- Imports..							1, 075	32, 248	2	47		
mouth, Va. Exports..			13, 221	20, 065			1, 197, 087	507, 985				
Pamlico, N. C. Imports..			1, 623	2, 221								
Passamaquoddy, Me. Imports..	8, 912	2, 942	8, 307	11, 358			4, 098	7, 915				
Passamaquoddy, Me. Exports..	3, 548		18, 594	39, 662				360				
Perth Amboy, N. J. Imports..							390					
Perth Amboy, N. J. Exports..			2, 250	19, 850			7, 053	1, 286				
Philadelphia, Pa. Imports..			47, 542	159, 184	557, 637	379, 457	1, 676, 620	2, 971, 162	833, 437	1, 756	52, 734	45, 774
Philadelphia, Pa. Exports..				32, 940	657, 795	740, 165	2, 788, 825	2, 166, 882	71, 170	232, 201		
Plymouth, Mass. Imports..								1, 149				
Portland and Fal- Imports..	2, 372			2, 869			48, 254	19, 570				15
mouth, Me. Exports..			5, 654	9, 614			890, 869	1, 124, 243				
Providence, R. I. Imports..			3, 511	7, 811			15, 019	17, 470		1, 951	18, 282	23, 729
Providence, R. I. Exports..								776				
Richmond, Va. Imports..			310				3, 765	1, 500				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899.
Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.
BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS.
										11,190	51,083	Imports.....Aroostook, Me.
142,535	130,945	16,291	89	59,971	179,699	16,118	101,063	654,468	919,493	866,502	987,142	Imports.....Baltimore, Md.
885,259	2,073,241		4,234	500,760	123,878	164,630	54,458	9,659,554	9,409,957	9,779,667	9,471,967	Exports.....Bangor, Me.
								225		44,563	37,307	Imports.....Barnstable, Mass.
								11,475		184,032	354,219	Exports.....Bath, Me.
								225		225		Imports.....Beaufort, S. C.
										578	5,641	Imports.....Belfast, Me.
								11,950	28,321	11,950	28,321	Exports.....Boston & Charles-
								771	4	943	4	Exports.....town, Mass.
218,525	189,625	51,292	4	449	312,067	1,098	101,440	4,700,671	5,270,840	5,481,318	5,574,521	Imports.....Brunswick, Ga.
42,730	116,184				3,432			10,278,918	9,356,691	10,310,702	9,405,176	Exports.....Castine, Me.
								255		255		Imports.....Charleston, S. C.
6,995		24,039		169,028	94,698	56,355	30,515	962,617	234,823	962,617	234,823	Exports.....Delaware.
			4,348						4,348		4,348	Imports.....Fairfield, Conn.
				8,940				82,020	50,198	82,374	50,544	Imports.....Fernandina, Fla.
101,768				153,120	18,873			739,738	18,873	739,738	18,873	Exports.....Frenchman Bay,
				1,560	2,562			11,771	41,070	11,771	41,070	Imports.....Me.
101,315	64,375						26,667	338,035	251,136	338,035	251,136	Imports.....Georgetown, D. C.
6,649	13,491							15,890	24,746	37,161	23,108	Imports.....Gloucester, Mass.
							10		10		60	Imports.....Hartford, Conn.
				23,700	63,000	23,554	123,000	115,254	376,112	115,254	379,886	Imports.....Machias, Me.
								359	186	359	186	Imports.....Marblehead, Mass.
1,336	261	30,403	8,949			7,256	2,475	43,641	16,453	44,822	16,453	Imports.....Newark, N. J.
					2,925			5,707	6,101	5,707	6,101	Exports.....New Haven, Conn.
3,601	420							15,465	9,489	15,949	9,489	Imports.....New London, Conn.
								175		175		Imports.....Newport, R. I.
								559		559		Imports.....Newport News,
120	985							21,207	5,895	50,546	6,417	Exports.....Va.
								3,277	3,055	3,277	3,055	Imports.....New York, N. Y.
1,397	4							21,010	8,206	22,403	8,734	Exports.....Norfolk and Ports-
									1,393		1,989	Imports.....mouth, Va.
											1,623	Imports.....Pamlico, N. C.
								4,098	7,915	21,317	22,215	Imports.....Passamaquoddy,
									360	22,142	40,022	Exports.....Me.
					3,848			390	3,848	390	3,848	Imports.....Perth Amboy, N. J.
								7,053	1,286	9,303	21,136	Exports.....Philadelphia, Pa.
156,410	412,490			337,999	34,369	4,485	151,412	3,110,322	3,996,360	3,166,864	4,155,544	Imports.....Plymouth, Mass.
374,790	1,211,509	47,246	73,524	530,303	197,169	46,192	22,074	4,516,411	4,643,524	4,516,411	4,676,464	Exports.....Portland and Fal-
									1,149		1,149	Imports.....mouth, Me.
	868		842					48,254	21,295	50,626	24,155	Imports.....Providence, R. I.
	200,240							890,869	1,324,483	896,523	1,334,097	Exports.....Richmond, Va.
12,311	13,637					338	25	45,950	56,812	49,461	64,623	Imports.....
									776		776	Exports.....
146						5		3,916	1,501	4,226	1,501	Imports.....

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
St. Augustine, Fla. Imports..			8	34								
St. Johns, Fla. Imports..				60		167	32	59				
St. Johns, Fla. Exports..				7,024			2,607	1,153				
Salem and Beverly, Mass. Imports..							821					
Savannah, Ga. Imports..				348	4,567	323	341	8,534	1,927		20	185
Savannah, Ga. Exports..					181,820		429,841	410,856				
Stonington, Conn. Imports..			547									
Waldoboro, Me. Imports..			479	216			2,929	910				
Wilmington, N. C. Imports..			353					4,137				
Wilmington, N. C. Exports..				2,153			297,291	1,120				
Wiscasset, Me. Imports..				803								
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla. Imports..			16					4				
Apalachicola, Fla. Exports..								7,668				
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. Imports..			8,818	4,728								
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. Exports..			16,497	16,627								
Corpus Christi, Tex. Imports..	101,612	61,790										
Corpus Christi, Tex. Exports..	413,271	479,117										
Galveston, Tex. Imports..			243	673			8,343	65,667			386	77,533
Galveston, Tex. Exports..			21,372	19,882			2,008,193	1,942,802		215,038		52,186
Key West, Fla. Imports..			17,066	25,063			1,650	570				
Key West, Fla. Exports..			3,223	108,089			125	194				
Mobile, Ala. Imports..			728	453			12,010	14,196				
Mobile, Ala. Exports..				6,615			947,421	199,539				
New Orleans, La. Imports..			78,641	57,312			698,331	260,659		864	941	264,143
New Orleans, La. Exports..			47,293	86,323	91,486		5,539,882	2,973,625				
Paso del Norte, Tex. Imports..	210,608	167,992										
Paso del Norte, Tex. Exports..	319,216	449,734										
Pearl River, Miss. Exports..			8,854	24,843			18,059	88,403				
Pensacola, Fla. Imports..								185				
Pensacola, Fla. Exports..				15,376			224,725	562,326				
Saluria, Tex. Imports..	73,110	121,283		7								
Saluria, Tex. Exports..	348,991	307,913										
Tampa, Fla. Imports..			40,789	46,415			1,085					
Tampa, Fla. Exports..				1,280			15,207	85,016				
Teebe, La. Exports..			743									
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska. Exports..		74		80				10				
Arizona Imports..	192,574	27,353	732									
Arizona Exports..	91,294	137,843										
Humboldt, Cal. Exports..			8,974	24,801								
Los Angeles, Cal. Imports..	86		18,604	12,131	112		1,917	4,358		199		1,255
Los Angeles, Cal. Exports..			966									
Oregon, Oreg. Imports..			708									
Oregon, Oreg. Exports..		2,300						16,425				
Puget Sound, Wash. Imports..	59,893	138,888	12,482	20,858			100,924	80,431				
Puget Sound, Wash. Exports..	165,212	138,823	202,825	404,569			839,130	244,717				
San Diego, Cal. Imports..	6,163	4,774	140	173			2,325	5,469				
San Diego, Cal. Exports..	4,249	1,305	2,799	2,118				284,973				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.
								48	226	8	34	Imports.....St. Augustine, Fla.
16						5,083		7,690	1,153	48	286	Imports.....St. Johns, Fla.
										7,690	8,177	Exports.....Salem and Bever- ly, Mass.
								821		821		Imports.....Stonington, Conn.
51	4	973	5,602	3,297	911		3,715	11,176	19,274	11,176	19,622	Imports.....Savannah, Ga.
192,801		19,558	83,853	199,426	136,641	500,687	21,761	1,524,133	653,111	1,524,133	653,111	Exports.....Waldoboro, Me.
										547		Imports.....Wilmington, N. C.
								2,929	910	3,408	1,126	Imports.....Wiscasset, Me.
										4,137	353	Imports.....Apalachicola, Fla.
				30,544			8,714	327,835	9,834	327,835	11,987	Imports.....Brazos de Santi- ago, Tex.
												Imports.....Corpus Christi, Tex.
												Imports.....Galveston, Tex.
												Imports.....Key West, Fla.
												Imports.....Mobile, Ala.
												Imports.....New Orleans, La.
												Imports.....Paso del Norte, Tex.
												Exports.....Pearl River, Miss.
												Imports.....Pensacola, Fla.
												Imports.....Saluria, Tex.
												Imports.....Tampa, Fla.
												Exports.....Teche, La.
												PACIFIC PORTS.
												Exports.....Alaska.
												Imports.....Arizona.
												Exports.....Humboldt, Cal.
												Imports.....Los Angeles, Cal.
												Imports.....Oregon, Oreg.
												Imports.....Puget Sound, Wash.
												Imports.....San Diego, Cal.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
PACIFIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
San Francisco, Cal.	{ Imports..		1,454,670	1,345,437		3,359	776,911	1,249,242	255	3,550	31,919	24,114
	{ Exports..		1,312,816	1,239,379			1,289,379	810,243				
Willamette, Oreg.	{ Imports..	1,201	349	99			61,708	15,206	12		195	12
	{ Exports..			13,129			715,217	459,125				43,500
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	{ Imports..	143,512	149,185	8,530	768	514	8,310	4,099	1,948	4,091	3,702	5,848
	{ Exports..	638,145	742,104	8,129	3,453							
Cape Vincent, N. Y.	{ Imports..		2,233	1,247	1,125		8,900	6,581				
	{ Exports..		7,400				8,556	7,666				
Champlain, N. Y.	{ Imports..	210,961	249,589									
	{ Exports..	361,731	548,601		20							
Chicago, Ill.	{ Imports..	25,814	17,063	204,267	78,647	149,862	71,220	381,088	287,649	32,412	25,266	20,425
	{ Exports..			1,614,851	220,226							33,135
Cuyahoga, Ohio.	{ Imports..			10,997	8,077			30,881	80,697		1,424	12,339
	{ Exports..			169,546	54,692			12,536	20,416			6,759
Detroit, Mich.	{ Imports..	84,519	76,282	41,550	55,107		1,951	13,872	16,061	1,422	1,381	1,147
	{ Exports..	839,386	1,019,687	72,181	48,078			745	24,013			1,904
Duluth, Minn.	{ Imports..	75,000	6,121					40				
	{ Exports..		30,410					58,850				
Erie, Pa.	{ Imports..				250			21	33,170			51
	{ Exports..							252				
Genesee, N. Y.	{ Imports..			4,124	1,825	1,635		11,574	9,241	431		3,924
	{ Exports..			16,470	8,430			45,619	38,683			2,880
Huron, Mich.	{ Imports..	37,810	73,386	422	356			2,042	296			
	{ Exports..	406,950	456,477		1,361			18,640				
Memphremagog, Vt.	{ Imports..	165,623	198,436									
	{ Exports..	123,176	124,530									
Miami, Ohio.	{ Imports..			32	51			276	2,828	380		952
	{ Exports..			63,140	1,255			225,080	92,263			
Michigan, Mich.	Imports..								55			
Milwaukee, Wis.	Imports..	850		310	5,128	7,767	11,142	25,789	15,416	4,827	1,570	3,479
Minnesota, Minn.	{ Imports..	8,104	3,692	899	285	253		30,330	53,548	2,803	3,280	1,873
	{ Exports..		4,192									1,592
Montana and Idaho.	{ Imports..	5,701	11,142					500	3,842			
	{ Exports..	2,693	3,996	1,603				6,642	62			
Niagara, N. Y.	{ Imports..	144,704	127,545						63			
	{ Exports..	522,267	529,833	420								
North and South Dakota.	{ Imports..	63,767	104,073									
	{ Exports..	485,905	598,754									
Oswegatchie, N. Y.	{ Imports..	573,945	716,344	5,993	6,761		581	2,081				
	{ Exports..	178,389	181,434	8,410	4,905		10,990	345				
Oswego, N. Y.	{ Imports..			537	723			22,683	10,528			
	{ Exports..			20,598	30,232			26,885	23,526			
Sandusky, Ohio.	{ Imports..			22	132			3,068	20			
	{ Exports..			20	976			1,312	6,665			
Superior, Mich.	{ Imports..	6,523	14,719	992				1,530				
	{ Exports..	6,670	41,209	13,917	27,234			21,607				
Vermont, Vt.	{ Imports..	151,779	209,228									
	{ Exports..	604,249	625,783									

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	PACIFIC PORTS—continued.
45,234	19,037			22,680	21,775	771,160	546,425	1,648,159	1,867,502	3,102,829	3,212,939	Imports...San Francisco, Cal.
37,079		104,420			620	525,464	268,450	1,956,342	1,079,313	3,269,158	2,378,692	Exports...Willamette, Oreg.
3,186	493						2,593	65,101	18,425	66,401	21,169	Imports...Willamette, Oreg.
574,423						7,361		1,297,001	592,625	1,297,001	515,754	Exports...Willamette, Oreg.
												NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.
4,814	3,008	1,497	12					20,271	17,572	172,313	167,525	Imports...Buffalo Creek, N. Y.
										646,274	745,557	Exports...Buffalo Creek, N. Y.
								8,900	6,581	10,147	9,939	Imports...Cape Vincent, N. Y.
								8,556	7,666	8,556	15,066	Exports...Cape Vincent, N. Y.
										210,961	249,589	Imports...Champlain, N. Y.
										361,731	548,621	Exports...Champlain, N. Y.
160,822	127,163		73	1,576	2,008	2,889	15,027	749,074	561,571	979,155	657,281	Imports...Chicago, Ill.
										1,614,851	229,226	Exports...Chicago, Ill.
10,650	5,808		139					62,870	94,827	73,867	102,904	Imports...Cuyahoga, Ohio.
								12,536	20,416	182,082	75,108	Exports...Cuyahoga, Ohio.
1,568	1,531			72				18,081	22,828	144,150	154,217	Imports...Detroit, Mich.
								745	24,913	912,312	1,092,678	Exports...Detroit, Mich.
								40		75,040	6,121	Imports...Duluth, Minn.
								58,850		89,260		Exports...Duluth, Minn.
	63							21	33,744	21	33,994	Imports...Erie, Pa.
								252		252		Exports...Erie, Pa.
21,394	17,885							38,958	30,006	43,082	31,831	Imports...Genesee, N. Y.
								45,019	38,683	62,089	47,113	Exports...Genesee, N. Y.
	472							2,042	768	40,274	74,510	Imports...Huron, Mich.
								18,640		425,500	457,838	Exports...Huron, Mich.
										165,623	198,436	Imports...Memphremagog, Vt.
										123,176	124,530	Exports...Memphremagog, Vt.
57	89							1,065	2,417	1,697	2,463	Imports...Miami, Ohio.
								225,080	92,263	288,220	93,518	Exports...Miami, Ohio.
								55		55		Imports...Michigan, Mich.
10,447	4,547					2,358		54,667	36,419	55,827	41,547	Imports...Milwaukee, Wis.
10,424	6,400					9,113	48,102	54,796	112,922	63,799	116,899	Imports...Minnesota, Minn.
											4,192	Exports...Minnesota, Minn.
								500	3,842	6,201	14,984	Imports...Montana and Idaho.
								6,642	62	10,938	4,058	Exports...Montana and Idaho.
									63	144,704	127,608	Imports...Niagara, N. Y.
										522,687	529,833	Exports...Niagara, N. Y.
										63,767	104,073	Imports...North and South Dakota.
										485,905	598,754	Exports...North and South Dakota.
								581	2,081	580,519	725,186	Imports...Oswegatchie, N. Y.
								10,990	345	197,789	186,684	Exports...Oswegatchie, N. Y.
								22,683	10,528	23,220	11,251	Imports...Oswego, N. Y.
								26,885	23,526	47,483	53,758	Exports...Oswego, N. Y.
59								3,118	20	3,140	152	Imports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								1,312	6,665	1,332	7,641	Exports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								1,530		9,045	14,719	Imports...Superior, Mich.
								21,607		42,194	68,443	Exports...Superior, Mich.
										151,779	209,228	Imports...Vermont, Vt.
										604,249	625,783	Exports...Vermont, Vt.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Albany, N. Y. Imports			184	326		1,445	2,799	6,770			1,624	1,498
Atlanta, Ga. Imports			13	355	354			279				137
Cincinnati, Ohio Imports	1,028		2,957	7,175	4,575	8,499	41,540	25,055	1,353	3,012	5,824	6,439
Columbus, Ohio Imports				44	471		753	3,541			1,718	792
Council Bluffs, Iowa Imports								703				
Denver, Colo. Imports		120	317	96			2,987	1,870	137		56	215
Des Moines, Iowa Imports							1,672	622				
Dubuque, Iowa Imports							1,706	1,317				
Evansville, Ind. Imports							325	818		6,977		
Grand Rapids, Mich. Imports							188	279	959	277		15
Indianapolis, Ind. Imports	161		50		641	1,043	14,042	14,825	426	32	116	144
Kansas City, Mo. Imports			23		739	80	10,013	13,025	201			538
Lincoln, Nebr. Imports								1,211				34
Louisville, Ky. Imports	190		1,333	49	2,140	55	9,233	32,019	484	2,585	160	943
Memphis, Tenn. Imports							1,264	1,406				
Nashville, Tenn. Imports								1,075			98	
Omaha, Nebr. Imports	20,929	7,128	725	95			11	10,819			40	18
Pittsburg, Pa. Imports			5,170	7,716	1,699	2,509	9,222	19,490	4,086	5,848	3,695	4,391
St. Joseph, Mo. Imports							1,670	5,318			13	
St. Louis, Mo. Imports	428		9,487	42,627	9,137	5,207	134,082	125,997	3,629	3,252	4,889	11,929
Sioux City, Iowa Imports							48	44				
Springfield, Mass. Imports			243	65			2,478	2,878				693
Syracuse, N. Y. Imports		3,532		178		290	23	6,702	695	462	8,808	2,718
Total Imports	2,571,436	2,700,992	10,035,975	9,483,898	1,829,525	1,261,276	26,971,445	34,224,991	2,837,719	1,639,898	2,830,767	3,450,613
Total Exports	5,687,899	6,754,257	5,882,790	6,297,438	1,733,140	1,380,335	64,843,843	51,933,215	1,715,257	2,415,969	1,363,148	1,634,983

RECAPITULATION.

Atlantic ports	Imports	204,841	208,745	8,101,815	7,750,292	1,650,140	1,153,962	24,521,700	31,727,321	2,781,204	1,575,798	2,722,444	2,996,563
	Exports	176,105	353,148	2,236,733	3,864,465	1,641,663	1,380,335	52,808,791	44,123,610	1,715,257	2,200,931	1,363,148	1,539,297
Gulf ports	Imports	385,330	351,065	146,301	134,651			721,419	341,281		864	1,327	341,676
	Exports	1,081,478	1,236,764	97,982	279,035	91,486		8,753,612	5,859,573		215,038		52,186
Pacific ports	Imports	259,917	171,364	1,487,435	1,380,994	112	3,359	943,785	1,354,706	267	3,749	32,114	25,497
	Exports	260,755	280,345	1,528,380	1,744,076			2,843,726	1,735,495				43,500
Northern border and lake ports	Imports	1,698,612	1,959,038	279,922	159,235	159,517	84,827	550,485	525,620	44,278	37,042	47,841	56,373
	Exports	4,169,561	4,884,000	2,019,695	409,862			437,714	214,539				
Interior ports	Imports	22,736	10,780	20,502	58,726	19,756	19,128	234,056	276,063	11,970	22,445	27,041	30,504

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	INTERIOR PORTS.
3,430	2,429							7,853	12,142	8,037	12,468	Imports... Albany, N. Y.
	1,530							354	1,946	367	2,301	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
24,661	45,238		4,884			1,170		79,123	93,127	83,108	100,302	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
1,925	3,207							4,867	7,540	4,867	7,584	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
		10						10	703	10	703	Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.
2,413	4,346							5,593	6,431	5,910	6,647	Imports... Denver, Colo.
217	99							1,889	721	1,889	721	Imports... Des Moines, Iowa.
	124							1,706	1,441	1,706	1,411	Imports... Dubuque, Iowa.
						23		348	7,795	348	7,795	Imports... Evansville, Ind.
198	448							1,345	1,019	1,345	1,019	Imports... Grand Rapids, Mich.
1,470	325	309				420		17,424	16,369	17,365	16,369	Imports... Indianapolis, Ind.
745	1,899							11,698	15,542	11,721	15,542	Imports... Kansas City, Mo.
422	302							422	1,547	422	1,547	Imports... Lincoln, Nebr.
9,447	8,381							21,464	43,983	22,987	44,032	Imports... Louisville, Ky.
363								1,627	1,406	1,627	1,406	Imports... Memphis, Tenn.
59	51	140						297	1,126	297	1,126	Imports... Nashville, Tenn.
1,661	3,692		19				881	1,712	15,429	23,366	22,652	Imports... Omaha, Nebr.
4,557	14,828							23,259	47,066	28,429	54,782	Imports... Pittsburg, Pa.
	281							1,683	5,599	1,683	5,599	Imports... St. Joseph, Mo.
54,714	36,642					6,037	6,002	212,488	189,029	222,403	231,656	Imports... St. Louis, Mo.
								48	44	48	44	Imports... Sioux City, Iowa.
1,255	321							3,733	3,892	3,976	3,957	Imports... Springfield, Mass.
2,847	1,957							12,373	12,129	12,373	15,839	Imports... Syracuse, N. Y.
5,088,637	6,594,561	124,173	179,747	2,030,506	2,776,590	1,624,875	2,881,921	43,337,647	53,009,597	55,945,058	65,194,487	Imports... } Total.
8,064,983	9,583,287	436,973	1,100,514	3,250,404	2,037,087	5,148,774	3,643,646	86,556,531	73,729,036	98,127,220	86,780,731	Exports... }

RECAPITULATION.

4,034,208	6,056,203	122,187	147,687	1,699,172	1,916,341	794,317	1,583,669	38,925,372	47,157,544	47,232,028	55,116,581	Imports... } Atlantic ports.
6,864,567	9,562,291	247,277	354,309	2,886,936	1,404,842	2,010,916	1,579,254	69,538,555	62,144,869	71,951,393	66,362,482	Exports... }
58,993	225,525	30	26,933	270,439	817,366	7,118	256,947	1,059,326	2,010,592	1,590,957	2,496,308	Imports... } Gulf ports.
588,914	9,236	85,276	746,205	363,468	631,625	2,401,906	1,427,823	12,284,662	8,941,686	13,464,122	10,457,485	Exports... }
64,826	19,767			59,247	40,875	801,430	971,293	1,001,781	2,419,246	3,649,133	3,971,604	Imports... } Pacific ports.
611,502	11,760	104,420			620	735,952	636,569	4,295,600	2,427,942	6,084,735	4,452,363	Exports... }
220,226	166,966	1,497	224	1,648	2,008	14,360	63,129	1,039,852	936,189	3,018,386	3,054,462	Imports... } Northern border
								437,714	214,539	6,626,970	5,508,401	Exports... } and lake ports.
110,384	126,100	459	4,903			7,650	6,883	411,316	486,026	454,554	555,532	Imports... Interior ports.

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
EUROPE.												
Austria-Hungary	Imports..			769	2,587	1,301	125,752	437,382	11,204	12,754	1,089	2,951
	Exports..				536	640	220,445	501,763				
Azores, and Madeira Islands	Imports..							1,390				
	Exports..											
Belgium	Imports..		4,296	1,426	230,916	213,419	412,972	389,981		87		974
	Exports..				854,994	506,903	2,621,460	1,683,861	700	88,512		
Denmark	Imports..						745	2,593				
	Exports..	2,300					839,839	645,267	40,920			
France	Imports..	2,406	666,453	874,955	96,370	126,850	927,073	1,080,202	739	6,153	2,199,835	2,292,563
	Exports..		11,171	12,657	500	2,015	3,502,971	1,854,960			1,286,021	1,464,750
Germany	Imports..	1,086	1,704	7,761	480,300	429,151	993,083	1,238,610	716,069	709,708	11,729	25,046
	Exports..		665	12	9,291	14,118	4,357,761	2,552,892	31,517	27,860		
Gibraltar	Imports..						2,777	4,147				
	Exports..						3,598	21,280				
Greece	Imports..						23,073	6,177	290	5,300	1,304	
	Exports..							1,004			229	
Italy	Imports..		55,460	9,175	51,822	6,035	766,914	1,266,077	5	146	19,134	40,782
	Exports..						1,144,897	1,002,977			8,900	10
Malta, Gozo, etc	Imports..			313			406	33				
	Exports..						6,081	13,935				
Netherlands	Imports..		91	28,837	17,013	3,196	89,178	131,529	1,158,912	590,776	46,195	121,191
	Exports..				240		2,855,382	2,970,060	1,510,074	2,121,903		
Portugal	Imports..		1,566	6,881			37,370	37,358				
	Exports..			10,720			98,445	85,965				
Roumania	Exports..						1,620	11,752				
Russia	Imports..	6					402,748	400,592	18,187		5,658	
	Exports..		5				423,275	608,874				
Spain	Imports..		8,959	13,961	2,311	2,912	236,888	186,566		58	7,322	15,865
	Exports..			1,567			413,100	299,040			30,920	69,422
Sweden and Norway	Imports..		4				61,330	90,300	14,539	14,174		
	Exports..	102		2,500			263,588	464,236		145		
Switzerland	Imports..		34,740	70,641	150,688	144,000	139,444	93,731	1,809	462	508,471	583,598
	Exports..				15,901	7,383	9,239	7,606	2,217	2,708	475	
Turkey in Europe	Imports..						172,156	182,090			1,300	
	Exports..					850	4,634	5,105				
United Kingdom	Imports..	9,176	3,024	861,117	926,077	475,325	292,989	6,793,402	9,247,970	1,705	3,591	14,742
	Exports..	79,053	501,342	738,036	1,295,335	732,881	675,990	39,812,037	30,246,340			43,500
NORTH AMERICA.												
Bermuda	Imports..			2,688			150,945	147,287				
	Exports..		1,450	1,625			85,649	92,498				
British Honduras	Imports..			5,842			3,257	2,513				
	Exports..		12,927	11,488			27,926	16,944				
British North Amer- ica	Imports..	1,470,817	1,762,050	185,092	138,308		210,839	254,717				
	Exports..	4,247,602	4,657,424	2,251,079	561,571		773,887	633,141				
Central American States	Imports..		557,359	590,244			338,552	427,659				
	Exports..		245,585	229,379			121,978	107,693				
Mexico	Imports..	584,115	382,478	524,391	492,195		379,862	432,489				
	Exports..	1,177,021	1,375,912	460,371	405,111		233,094	154,407				
Miquelon, etc	Imports..			274							111	
	Exports..							549			33,405	55,989

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
231,241	257,834			4,527	881	28,549	41,702	404,949	754,805	404,949	755,574	Imports...EUROPE.
38,028	78,952		7,441			236,533	106,678	495,542	698,474	495,542	698,474	Exports...Austria-Hungary.
						737	264	737	264	737	264	Imports...Azores, and M
						67,731	13,315	67,731	14,705	67,731	14,705	Exports...deira Islands.
15,127	16,602			2,606	56	5,846	3,503	667,467	624,622	671,763	626,048	Imports...Belgium.
144,104	272,479				12,500		32,575	3,621,168	2,596,830	3,621,168	2,596,830	Exports...Denmark.
2,625				126	48	13,749	22,018	17,245	24,659	17,245	24,659	Imports...France.
28,315	5,495			160,533	16,692	528,711	425,792	1,568,318	1,093,246	1,568,318	1,095,546	Exports...Germany.
175,565	115,221	834	19,791	43,243	310	2,990		3,446,649	3,641,095	4,113,102	4,518,546	Imports...Gibraltar.
86,722	400	17,827	56,206	531,229	91,517	180,372	21,823	5,605,642	3,491,680	5,616,813	3,504,337	Exports...Greece.
3,313,239	3,800,180	1,238		25,617	36,128	44,324	79,271	5,582,599	6,318,094	5,591,446	6,331,208	Imports...Italy.
5,906,768	6,551,227		55,312	75,277	141,065	150,036	274,547	10,560,650	9,616,991	10,560,662	9,631,636	Exports...Malta, Gozo, etc.
814								3,591	4,147	3,591	4,147	Imports...Netherlands.
1,080	1,309							4,588	22,589	4,588	22,589	Exports...Portugal.
				6,234			4,380	30,901	15,857	30,901	15,857	Imports...Roumania.
	924					800		1,029	1,928	1,029	1,928	Exports...Russia.
692,133	803,374	47,412	73,285		2,925	105,075	77,025	1,682,495	2,275,649	1,737,955	2,284,824	Imports...Spain.
401,491	383,960	97,133	799,445		20,684	597,171	72,856	2,249,502	2,288,932	2,249,502	2,288,932	Exports...Sweden and Nor-
								406	33	406	346	Imports...way.
								6,081	13,935	6,081	13,935	Exports...Switzerland.
124	5,582						3,715	1,311,422	855,989	1,311,513	884,826	Imports...Turkey in Europe.
330,218	282,613			233,333	279,568	15,053	194,789	4,944,300	5,848,933	4,944,300	5,848,933	Exports...United Kingdom.
		15,313				205,502	410,248	258,185	447,606	259,751	454,487	Imports...NORTH AMERICA.
45,952		26,383			50,748	247,500	43,188	418,290	179,901	418,290	190,621	Exports...Bermuda.
1,651	21,000							3,271	32,752	3,271	32,752	Imports...British Honduras.
17,165	95,444			15,248			123,375	459,006	619,411	459,006	619,417	Exports...British North
22,982	29,354	12,729	12,800	112,620	13,373	56,579	145,877	633,185	810,278	633,190	810,278	Imports...America.
12,616	1,587	6,753	36,999		5,592	3,181	12,852	269,071	262,431	278,030	276,392	Exports...Central American
		8,050				909,296	506,273	1,361,366	874,735	1,361,366	876,302	Imports...States.
5,364	21,412			2,153	8	19,274	26,224	105,720	152,118	105,724	152,118	Exports...Mexico.
72,196	195,049			89,759	3,691	132,590	304,871	558,133	967,992	558,235	970,492	Imports...Miquelon, etc.
19,995	13,673							820,427	835,404	855,167	906,108	Exports...
100	134							27,032	17,831	27,032	17,831	Imports...
	81				48,602	23,517	5,212	196,973	235,985	196,973	235,985	Exports...
350			620			1,245	1,662	6,229	8,237	6,229	8,237	Imports...
13,688	61,354	973	5,602	56,524	21,007	2,151	3,774	7,358,510	9,644,690	8,228,803	10,573,791	Exports...
563,106	230,220	37,794	15,066	722,239	261,327	1,006,707	542,927	42,874,764	32,015,370	43,691,853	33,812,047	Imports...
								150,945	147,287	150,945	149,975	Exports...
								85,649	92,498	87,099	94,123	Imports...
				4,409			3,060	7,666	5,573	7,666	11,415	Exports...
				14,252	11,680			42,178	28,624	55,105	40,112	Imports...
				57,931	45,935	58,930	65,803	327,700	366,455	1,983,609	2,266,813	Exports...
					620	1,286		775,173	633,761	7,273,854	5,852,756	Imports...
	16,420			84,681	139,627		5,877	423,233	589,643	980,592	1,179,887	Exports...
	3,511			53,740	83,237	9,073		184,791	194,441	430,376	423,820	Imports...
	143,209			222,804	511,374	22,347	18,096	625,013	1,105,168	1,733,519	1,979,841	Exports...
2,758	263,612			81,497	156,652	37,756	44,946	357,105	624,617	1,994,497	2,405,610	Imports...
								111		111	274	Exports...
								33,405	56,538	33,405	56,538	Imports...

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.
BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTH AMERICA—continued.												
West Indies:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British												
Imports			98,973	404,244			1,236,025	573,829	44,769	86,278		
Exports			58,960	206,501			520,272	491,181	318	1,399		
Danish												
Imports			45,417				23,759	99,857	351			
Exports				11,776			57,281	15,806				
Dutch												
Imports			5,026	4,479					1,356	4,471		
Exports			9,084	5,936			34,065	160	2,332	1,935		
French												
Imports				3			19,039				8,913	
Exports				48,695			80,790	109,188				
Haiti												
Imports			57,461				5,735	48,693	27,783	5,964		
Exports			22,054	2,153			20,353	109,336	43,606	23,732		
Santo Domingo												
Imports			357,279	414,890			83,724	105,270				
Exports			112,024	91,782			9,518	1,080				
Cuba												
Imports			1,606,771	1,653,977			1,614,623	813,006				
Exports			291,004	973,795			100,333	232,665				
Porto Rico												
Imports			55,711	748,554			395,246	33,618				
Exports				313,790			144,228					
SOUTH AMERICA.												
Argentina												
Imports			667,578	107,269		14,370	555,183	335,778				
Exports			20,307	29,129			379,332	758,530				
Bolivia												
Exports			1,998	1,011				1,204				
Brazil												
Imports			274,596	61,249	293,003	3,044	4,198,989	3,280,358				338,680
Exports			203,717	75,969	119,092	171,562	628,000	563,629				
Chile												
Imports			95,641	178,444			261,209	172,941				
Exports			8,012	10,751			92,497	211,549				
Colombia												
Imports	1,691		75,529	112,944			440,379	301,985		534		
Exports			68,425	82,069			105,691	164,456				
Ecuador												
Imports			67,635	71,456								
Exports			44,271	30,414			3,354	73,525				
Guianas												
Imports			29,342	44,833			54	830	73,113	67,078		
Exports			3,208	40,721			48,037	81,850	13,987	11,587		
Paraguay												
Exports								160				
Imports								9,010				
Peru												
Imports			15,507	123,815			33,500	86,406				
Exports			13,761	23,192			9,565	176,649				
Uruguay												
Imports							103,733	262,235				
Exports				8,596			90,545	73,204				
Venezuela												
Imports			805,130	406,603			8,114	75,977	7,664	2,746		
Exports			76,589	186,787			122,128	376	22,242	15,038		
ASIA.												
Aden												
Imports								358,194	173,029			
Exports								65,149	103,646			
China												
Imports	305,577	203,029	440,034	157,453			626,705	1,203,019				
Exports	33,077	9,567	145,012	96,125			270,339	257,386			778	
East Indies:												
British												
Imports	459		277,976	89,338		104	2,414,741	5,654,226				
Exports			6,656	750	230	874	279,449	205,030				
Dutch												
Imports	612		51,079	25,216			343,158	666,629	758,916	129,613		
Exports							37,416	123,471	11,524	21,455		
French												
Exports							32,000	456				
Portuguese												
Imports								9				
Hongkong												
Imports	1,477	1,432	32,293	65,503			22,756	163,319				
Exports	26,843	19,769	137,960	251,808			433,558	501,451				
Japan												
Imports	189,585	328,082	430,194	265,573			402,306	1,076,168				
Exports	32,652	143,038	261,484	117,984			921,440	934,449	35,820			
Korea												
Exports				801			40,060					

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.
Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.
BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	NORTH AMERICA—continued.
				205,277	376,563	7,543		1,493,614	1,036,670	1,592,587	1,440,914	West Indies:
1,778	634			35,328	53,496			557,696	516,710	616,656	753,211	Imports.. } British.
						15,115		39,225	99,857	84,642	99,857	Exports.. }
				29,515		8,000		94,796	15,806	94,796	27,582	Imports.. } Danish.
								1,356	4,471	6,382	8,950	Exports.. }
					15,914	1,054		37,451	18,009	46,535	23,945	Imports.. } Dutch.
								27,952		27,952	3	Exports.. }
				40,709	8,242			121,499	117,430	121,499	166,125	Imports.. } French.
1,264							5,776	34,782	60,433	92,243	60,433	Exports.. }
19,105				3,427		2,604	2,178	89,185	135,246	111,239	137,399	Imports.. } Haiti.
				6,750	4,255			90,474	109,525	447,753	524,415	Exports.. }
				662	4,774			10,180	5,854	122,204	97,636	Imports.. } Santo Domingo.
	908,827			863,036	723,353	22,537	319,859	2,530,196	2,765,735	4,196,967	4,419,712	Exports.. }
18,990	179,626			39,803	127,748	155,733	179,962	314,859	720,001	605,923	1,693,796	Imports.. } Cuba.
		328						395,574	33,618	451,285	782,172	Exports.. }
				10,446				154,674		154,674	313,790	Imports.. } Porto Rico.
				13,938			94,496	569,121	444,644	1,236,699	551,913	SOUTH AMERICA.
	270	22,412	69,920	43,897	34,477			445,691	863,201	465,998	892,330	Imports.. } Argentina.
951								951	1,204	2,949	2,221	Exports.. } Bolivia.
260,511	260,709	30		15	39,427			4,752,548	3,922,218	5,027,144	3,983,467	Imports.. } Brazil.
222,665	104,274		16,907	24,152	53,202			993,909	914,574	1,197,626	990,543	Exports.. }
								261,209	172,941	356,850	351,385	Imports.. } Chile.
25								92,522	211,549	100,534	222,300	Exports.. }
2,498				48,007	18,923	3,511	46,165	494,395	367,607	571,615	480,551	Imports.. } Colombia.
				18,232	26,941			123,923	191,427	192,358	273,496	Exports.. }
										67,655	71,456	Imports.. } Ecuador.
			13,008					3,354	86,533	47,625	116,947	Exports.. }
				111,473	113,701			184,640	181,609	213,982	226,442	Imports.. } Guianas.
				82,064	89,764			144,148	183,201	147,356	232,925	Exports.. }
									160		160	Imports.. }
	2								9,012		9,012	Exports.. } Paraguay.
								33,500	86,406	49,007	216,221	Imports.. } Peru.
	12,666					9,552	3,976	19,117	193,321	32,878	216,513	Exports.. }
					105,154			103,733	367,389	103,733	367,389	Imports.. } Uruguay.
				11,290				101,835	73,204	101,835	81,800	Exports.. }
					50			15,818	78,773	820,948	485,376	Imports.. } Venezuela.
					40,949	6,180	5,802	150,550	62,165	227,139	248,952	Exports.. }
8,011					1,265			366,205	174,294	366,205	174,294	Imports.. ASIA.
	95,633							65,149	199,329	65,149	199,329	Exports.. } Aden.
	3,040			1,316	163,360	491	262,704	628,512	1,632,063	1,374,123	1,992,545	Imports.. } China.
	389,693		573	492,212	247,880	40,600	22,590	803,929	918,122	982,018	1,023,814	Exports.. }
128,281	10,967				309,072		37,796	2,543,022	6,012,165	2,821,457	6,101,503	Imports.. East Indies:
26	179,664		3,942	49,919		8,500	2,400	338,118	391,910	344,774	392,660	Exports.. } British.
166,965	7,196	51,292		238,186			108,056	1,558,517	911,491	1,610,208	936,710	Imports.. }
	26,505	38,850	44,169	9,312	14,000			97,102	229,600	97,102	229,600	Exports.. } Dutch.
								32,000	456	32,000	456	Exports.. } French.
									9		9	Imports.. } Portuguese.
	1,145				332	89	31,555	22,845	195,351	56,615	263,286	Imports.. } Hongkong.
	8,100			30,681	8,665	96,379	106,567	560,618	624,783	725,421	896,360	Exports.. }
					21,449	163,543	663,720	565,849	1,761,337	1,185,628	2,354,992	Imports.. } Japan.
53,625	172,896			242,719	18,060	436,161	359,294	1,689,765	1,484,699	1,983,901	1,745,721	Exports.. }
						7	46,000		7	46,000	808	Exports.. Korea.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ASIA—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Asiatic.....	Exports..		122,369	169,859			4,735					
Turkey in Asia.....	Imports..	2	630	328	8,765	11,189	56,005	144,497	248		2,813	3,313
	Exports..						31,141	9,655				
All other Asia.....	Imports..						2,521	14,942				
	Exports..						32,978	1,280				
OCEANICA.												
Auckland, Fiji, etc ..	Imports..	4,367		151,809				33,015				
	Exports..	2,600										
British Australasia.....	Imports..	5,670	11,082	518,936			456,403	194,533				
	Exports..	86,016	33,880	159,912	474		811,240	1,433,683		99,695		
French Oceanica.....	Imports..		13,102	29,069								
	Exports..		21,079	24,501								
German Oceanica.....	Exports..											
Hawaiian Islands.....	Imports..	504	740	751,274			189	1,540				
	Exports..	5,533	7,820	251,490			860	12,144				
Spanish Oceanica.....	Imports..			10,349								
Tonga, Samoa, etc ..	Imports..		4,504	18								
	Exports..		2,232	3,587								
Philippine Islands.....	Imports..	667	226,861	6,865			206,144	907,590				
	Exports..			33,039			981	56,461				
AFRICA.												
British Africa.....	Imports..		64,187	5,969		2,410	110,023	38,492				
	Exports..		75,132	87,410			1,286,600	1,056,181				
Canary Islands.....	Imports..						2,805	90				
	Exports..							3,467				
French Africa.....	Imports..				8,022	955	11,091	25,384			2,131	8,977
	Exports..		29,159	32,828			9,705	5,942			2,270	52
Liberia.....	Exports..						2,780					
Madagascar.....	Exports..											1,084
Portuguese Africa.....	Exports..		16,052				155,036	101,439				
Turkey in Africa.....	Imports..			3	12,403	9,351	621,318	1,622,178				
	Exports..						129,660	14,091			150	167
All other Africa.....	Imports..			4,047			59,008	54,695				2,270
	Exports..		133	523			18,951	53,046				
Total.....	Imports..	2,571,436	2,700,992	10,035,975	1,829,525	1,261,276	26,971,445	34,224,991	2,837,719	1,639,898	2,830,767	3,450,613
	Exports..	5,687,899	6,754,257	5,882,790	1,733,149	1,380,335	64,843,843	51,933,215	1,715,257	2,415,969	1,363,148	1,634,983

RECAPITULATION.

Europe.....	Imports..	10,262	7,230	1,640,447	1,944,446	1,507,332	1,219,853	11,185,311	14,795,338	1,923,519	1,343,214	2,816,799	3,097,373
	Exports..	79,155	504,247	749,224	1,336,819	1,613,353	1,207,690	6,583,192	42,981,277	1,585,428	2,241,128	1,326,545	1,577,691
North America.....	Imports..	2,054,922	2,144,528	3,553,480	4,455,698			4,491,606	2,939,628	74,259	96,713	9,024	
	Exports..	5,424,623	6,033,336	3,464,598	2,863,602			2,211,374	1,964,648	46,256	27,066	33,405	55,989
South America.....	Imports..	1,691		2,030,978	1,112,613	293,003	17,414	5,601,161	4,516,670	80,777	70,358		338,680
	Exports..			440,298	497,648	119,092	171,562	1,479,259	2,114,012	36,229	26,625		
Asia.....	Imports..	497,710	532,545	1,232,206	603,411	8,765	11,293	4,226,386	9,095,838	759,164	120,613	2,813	3,313
	Exports..	92,572	172,374	673,481	637,327	230	874	2,154,205	2,136,824	47,344	21,455	778	
Oceanica.....	Imports..	6,841	16,689	1,514,677	1,357,709			662,736	1,136,678				
	Exports..	91,549	44,300	434,713	841,281	474		813,081	1,502,288		99,695		
Africa.....	Imports..			64,187	10,019	20,425	12,716	804,245	1,740,839			2,131	11,247
	Exports..			120,476	120,761			1,602,732	1,234,166			2,420	1,303

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ASIA—continued.
11,616	3,575			4,108		34,664	2,585	55,123	6,160	177,492	176,019	Exports.....Russia, Asiatic.
20	444		32,992		64,542	62		67,913	256,977	68,543	257,307	Imports...}..Turkey in Asia.
487								31,628	9,655	31,628	9,655	Exports...}
								2,521	14,942	2,521	14,942	Imports...}
	52,128			1,385				34,263	53,408	34,363	53,408	Exports...}..All other Asia.
												OCEANICA.
									33,015		189,691	Imports...}
											2,600	Exports...}..Auckland,Fiji,etc.
6,285	3,077			449				463,137	197,610	987,743	229,574	Imports...}..British Austral-
19,243	230	66,643			127,101	12,400		910,000	1,660,709	1,155,928	1,808,957	Exports...}..asia.
										13,102	29,069	Imports...}
										21,079	24,501	Exports...}..French Oceanica.
835	501							835	501	835	501	Exports.....German Oceanica.
						875,812	204,462	876,001	206,002	1,627,779	1,335,459	Imports...}
						133,431	219,852	134,291	231,996	391,314	905,602	Exports...}..Hawaiian Islands.
											10,349	Imports.....Spanish Oceanica.
										4,504	18	Imports...}
										2,232	3,587	Exports...}..Tonga,Samoa,etc.
					22,709			206,144	930,299	433,672	937,164	Imports...}
1,038	19,581			786			2,640	2,805	78,682	2,805	111,721	Exports...}..Philippine Isl'ds.
												AFRICA.
					2			110,023	40,904	174,210	46,873	Imports...}
63,500		104,420			7,700			1,454,520	1,063,881	1,529,652	1,151,291	Exports...}..British Africa.
								2,805	90	2,805	90	Imports...}
				2,541				2,541	3,467	2,541	3,467	Exports...}..Canary Islands.
	5,891		6,882	15,956				37,200	48,089	37,200	48,089	Imports...}
450		4,732	4,266		820	24,703		41,860	11,089	71,019	43,908	Exports...}..French Africa.
								2,780		2,780		Exports.....Liberia.
									1,084		1,084	Exports.....Madagascar.
3,634	1,793					374	3,674	159,044	106,906	175,096	105,906	Exports.....Portuguese Africa.
15,066	13,627						200,933	648,787	1,846,089	648,787	1,846,092	Imports...}
1,100	764		835					130,910	15,857	130,910	15,857	Exports...}..Turkey in Africa
	27,605		4,196					59,008	88,766	59,008	92,813	Imports...}
	9,433			2,737				21,688	62,479	21,821	63,002	Exports...}..All other Africa.
5,088,637	6,594,561	124,173	179,747	2,030,506	2,776,590	1,624,875	2,881,921	43,337,647	53,009,597	55,945,058	65,194,487	Imports...}
8,064,983	9,583,287	436,973	1,100,514	3,250,404	2,037,087	5,148,774	3,643,646	86,556,531	73,729,036	98,127,220	86,780,731	Exports...}..Total.

RECAPITULATION.

4,499,696	5,192,344	72,523	135,677	156,278	115,557	454,895	813,563	22,616,353	26,712,919	24,267,062	28,664,597	Imports...}
7,643,073	8,053,116	199,916	946,890	1,024,990	900,165	4,130,324	2,687,173	75,006,821	60,595,339	75,835,200	62,436,405	Exports...}
1,264	1,068,516	323		1,444,888	1,801,107	126,472	418,471	6,147,841	6,324,435	11,756,253	12,024,661	Imports...}
42,721	452,283			309,379	462,363	215,506	227,086	2,858,641	3,189,535	11,747,862	12,086,473	Exports...}
263,049	260,709	30		173,433	277,255	3,511	140,661	6,414,964	5,621,747	8,447,633	6,734,360	Imports...}
223,641	117,242	22,412	99,839	179,635	250,323	15,732	9,778	2,076,000	2,789,891	2,516,298	3,287,039	Exports...}
362,277	22,792	51,292	32,992	239,502	559,060	164,185	1,103,831	5,755,384	10,959,632	7,485,300	12,095,588	Imports...}
65,748	923,244	38,850	48,684	830,336	288,605	616,304	493,443	3,753,795	3,918,129	4,519,848	4,727,830	Exports...}
6,285	3,077			449	22,709	875,812	204,462	1,545,262	1,366,926	3,066,800	2,741,324	Imports...}
21,116	20,312	66,643		786	127,101	145,831	222,492	1,047,931	1,971,888	1,574,193	2,657,469	Exports...}
15,066	47,123		11,078	15,956	2		200,933	857,823	2,023,938	922,010	2,033,957	Imports...}
68,684	11,990	109,152	5,101	5,278	8,520	25,077	3,674	1,813,243	1,264,754	1,933,819	1,385,515	Exports...}

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES, FOR APRIL, 1899.

DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane and other.					
DISTRICTS.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Aroostook, Me.....							183	8	183	8
Baltimore, Md.....			132	2			230,612	6,086	230,744	6,088
Bangor, Me.....			162	16					162	16
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			11,028,816	232,217	43,318,013	1,061,943	70,153	2,286	54,416,982	1,296,446
New York, N. Y.....	14,339,466	513,150	26,657,909	572,052	202,646,613	4,750,453	200,000	5,256	243,843,988	5,840,911
Philadelphia, Pa.....			23,170,124	487,627	65,644,178	1,455,867			88,814,302	1,943,494
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....					2,912	62			2,912	62
New Orleans, La.....			2,221,777	48,002	26,819,743	694,446	83,364	2,213	29,154,884	744,661
Paso del Norte, Tex.....					22,018	523			22,018	523
Saluria, Tex.....					171	4			171	4
Tampa, Fla.....					220	6			220	6
Arizona.....					587	16			587	16
Los Angeles, Cal.....							49,375	1,358	49,375	1,358
Puget Sound, Wash.....					1,440	27			1,440	27
San Diego, Cal.....							197,779	5,423	197,779	5,423
San Francisco, Cal.....	21,689,308	785,895			1,283,334	26,212	365,908	10,196	23,338,548	822,303
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....							140	13	140	13
Champlain, N. Y.....							2,661	188	2,661	188
Chicago, Ill.....			246,584	4,997			61,076	3,377	307,660	8,374
Detroit, Mich.....							4,900	333	4,900	333
Huron, Mich.....							2,860	194	2,860	194
Memphremagog, Vt.....							1,794	112	1,794	112
Minnesota, Minn.....							100	6	100	6
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....							719	41	719	41
Vermont, Vt.....							1,106	75	1,106	75
Total	36,028,774	1,299,045	63,325,504	1,344,913	339,769,229	7,989,559	1,272,728	37,165	440,396,235	10,670,682
COUNTRIES.										
Austria-Hungary.....			16,295,223	342,247					16,295,223	342,247
France.....							3,307	188	3,307	188
Germany.....			47,029,987	1,002,648			105,410	2,967	47,135,397	1,095,615
Netherlands.....							200,000	5,256	200,000	5,256
Russia, Baltic.....							230,612	6,086	230,612	6,086
United Kingdom.....			162	16	2,285,905	55,880	44,983	1,352	2,331,050	57,248
Dominion of Canada:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....					124,486	2,739			124,486	2,739
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....							75,356	4,339	75,356	4,339
British Columbia.....							1,109	90	1,109	90
Central American States:										
Guatemala.....					677,642	15,143			677,642	15,143
Salvador.....					16,300	260			16,300	260
Mexico.....					573,524	10,682			573,524	10,682
West Indies:										
British.....					29,878,382	683,458			29,878,382	683,458
Cuba.....					120,682,976	3,007,137			120,682,976	3,007,137
Danish.....					3,990,754	98,345			3,990,754	98,345
Porto Rico.....					29,565,956	712,209			29,565,956	712,209
Santo Domingo.....					20,664,263	504,135			20,664,263	504,135
Brazil.....					5,459,858	106,755			5,459,858	106,755
Guianas—Dutch.....					5,961,304	157,658			5,961,304	157,658
Peru.....					6,707,281	118,678			6,707,281	118,678
China.....					41,556	732	364,797	10,106	406,353	10,838
East Indies:										
British.....					20,477,022	421,148			20,477,022	421,148
Dutch.....					43,357,677	855,650			43,357,677	855,650
Hongkong.....			132	2	2,867	53	247,154	6,781	250,153	6,836
Hawaiian Islands.....	36,028,774	1,299,045							36,028,774	1,299,045
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....					49,301,476	1,238,897			49,301,476	1,238,897
Total	36,028,774	1,299,045	63,325,504	1,344,913	339,769,229	7,989,559	1,272,728	37,165	440,396,235	10,670,682

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane.					
1895.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
January	15,099,372	434,990	92,367,162	1,662,634	79,208,409	1,379,367	2,526,886	65,068	189,201,829	3,542,059
February	39,730,222	1,099,618	31,349,975	508,429	161,291,283	2,927,178	3,117,125	74,477	235,488,605	4,609,702
March	36,605,359	976,428	6,899,701	122,719	347,940,355	6,236,740	4,574,839	102,841	396,020,254	7,438,728
April	33,686,680	858,390	3,999,603	57,526	335,594,151	5,946,794	4,656,846	113,510	377,937,280	6,976,220
May	45,374,104	1,153,050	1,651,638	25,076	485,620,203	9,162,322	6,018,965	143,782	538,664,910	10,484,230
June	31,085,554	796,696	15,384,879	250,595	334,408,000	6,515,080	7,930,215	198,380	388,803,648	7,760,751
July	28,977,905	781,195	41,001,194	775,758	282,068,349	5,332,334	12,665,220	322,673	364,712,668	7,211,960
August	15,725,350	416,699	3,015,472	52,365	221,438,138	3,977,136	16,599,428	440,903	256,778,388	4,887,103
September	6,421,165	179,750	531,974	9,735	188,552,342	3,577,552	9,014,503	233,249	204,519,984	4,000,286
October	27,908,040	717,813	1,260,740	22,744	247,230,260	4,726,432	9,164,095	243,996	285,563,135	5,711,030
November	6,627,464	188,479	56,128	1,230	145,650,731	3,011,063	7,323,819	205,572	159,658,142	3,406,344
December	2,978,139	85,117	6,083,963	122,835	165,621,681	3,320,457	7,782,128	211,651	182,470,911	3,739,460
1896.										
January	16,135,501	449,307	35,377,666	751,785	203,371,778	4,445,265	9,110,184	250,821	263,995,129	5,897,178
February	38,515,917	1,221,550	104,872,111	2,352,915	179,391,305	3,881,040	15,233,327	429,936	337,992,660	7,885,441
March	49,532,132	1,658,124	116,958,698	2,820,212	253,254,407	6,011,454	10,756,645	318,805	435,501,882	10,807,738
April	49,676,539	1,773,366	60,471,717	1,436,517	259,361,810	6,210,436	18,871,764	571,557	388,381,830	9,991,876
May	49,044,692	1,743,775	134,676,241	3,332,471	323,892,483	7,629,611	36,493,036	1,111,620	544,106,452	13,817,477
June	60,632,425	2,121,621	100,376,081	2,370,347	277,182,334	6,357,875	34,446,536	1,013,225	472,637,376	11,863,068
July	47,490,421	1,660,666	86,129,647	1,770,513	171,359,487	3,488,579	15,195,736	444,321	320,175,291	7,364,079
August	35,319,387	1,172,769	111,699,299	2,211,428	135,067,599	2,671,593	10,421,169	285,751	292,507,454	6,341,541
September	45,036,651	1,468,448	143,135,512	2,746,813	186,909,188	3,840,207	12,066,545	330,173	387,747,896	8,385,641
October	18,504,923	574,300	61,389,479	1,089,619	216,200,222	4,551,527	12,599,775	309,368	308,694,399	6,524,904
November	17,631,371	551,250	41,795,607	781,991	103,680,551	2,072,371	9,204,489	219,568	172,312,018	3,625,180
December	11,360,104	332,275	65,506,946	1,238,430	94,909,606	1,831,992	12,345,858	306,735	184,122,514	3,709,432
1897.										
January	13,953,295	415,031	75,089,083	1,386,565	110,848,403	1,990,720	8,589,972	205,621	208,480,753	3,997,937
February	36,124,491	1,060,405	130,054,470	2,394,358	114,017,832	2,021,901	6,408,657	156,649	286,605,450	5,633,513
March	53,532,407	1,545,084	167,653,100	2,918,836	248,127,014	4,556,941	16,213,469	393,049	485,525,990	9,413,910
April	40,932,737	1,191,799	325,858,788	5,099,356	373,322,520	7,444,939	33,413,432	789,215	773,527,477	15,125,409
May	43,730,125	1,248,942	400,368,077	6,961,874	316,054,212	6,138,524	30,501,581	705,437	790,653,995	15,054,777
June	67,604,447	1,946,492	264,166,562	4,652,045	345,229,380	6,512,534	31,466,107	778,791	708,552,496	13,889,862
July	65,541,110	1,898,191	16,156,314	303,277	75,137,465	1,464,299	22,135,496	513,711	178,970,385	4,179,478
August	77,428,884	2,287,474	161,531	2,469	18,804,080	348,493	14,180,818	318,118	110,515,313	2,956,554
September	35,795,014	1,101,708	335,922	7,946	64,658,118	1,119,510	9,325,983	203,499	110,115,037	2,432,663
October	26,426,123	843,599	380,591	9,388	149,474,394	2,619,088	6,717,832	171,538	182,998,945	3,643,613
November	35,626,044	1,080,325	180	5	118,249,590	2,142,963	5,129,082	132,438	159,004,896	3,355,731
December	5,103,593	166,789	334,819	8,255	98,310,454	1,775,926	2,466,308	62,740	106,215,174	2,013,710
1898.										
January	18,043,839	656,511	220	4	127,090,240	2,508,432	6,269,324	155,526	151,403,623	3,320,473
February	25,054,849	927,103			211,462,662	4,490,307	3,290,573	84,296	239,808,084	5,501,706
March	43,787,235	1,563,175			313,991,691	6,415,958	8,866,473	214,373	366,645,399	8,193,506
April	42,102,485	1,588,276	5,336,175	79,200	354,607,352	7,473,758	4,407,690	106,409	406,453,702	9,247,643
May	62,972,464	2,345,690	17,276,714	270,718	260,373,703	5,220,973	7,063,566	179,518	437,686,447	8,016,899
June	60,885,153	2,201,268	100,719,019	2,036,693	156,203,763	3,080,047	11,098,587	269,705	328,966,522	7,578,713
July	48,207,929	1,809,218	127,558,185	2,597,963	121,578,520	2,560,734	5,821,387	146,779	303,169,021	7,114,694
August	50,574,174	1,856,794	20,309,152	370,579	120,769,323	2,502,875	11,226,046	270,150	202,878,695	5,090,398
September	35,723,373	1,280,369	35,555,484	723,651	169,312,859	3,563,090	6,589,584	169,115	247,181,300	5,736,225
October	22,191,810	794,661	30,337,483	621,143	269,334,493	5,539,807	6,203,147	163,521	328,066,933	7,119,132
November	27,626,057	956,399	2,194,459	45,649	170,688,236	3,508,770	3,010,145	83,472	203,518,897	4,594,290
December	2,967,016	105,480	79,694,439	1,676,420	213,957,823	4,634,355	3,735,911	91,985	300,255,189	6,508,240
1899.										
January	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709
February	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,430
March	47,671,110	1,822,819	89,531,801	1,867,288	322,111,233	7,253,801	2,038,913	59,781	461,413,057	11,003,689
April	36,028,774	1,299,045	63,325,504	1,344,913	339,769,229	7,989,559	1,272,728	37,165	440,396,235	10,670,682

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING APRIL, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	Austria-Hungary.....			110,042	110,042
Denmark.....	Denmark.....			34,493	34,493
France.....	France.....			33,919	33,919
Germany.....	Germany.....		450	48,667	49,117
Italy.....	Italy.....			220	
	France.....			3,125	3,345
Russia, Baltic.....	Russia, Baltic.....			145,469	
	England.....			21,176	166,645
Russia, Black.....	Russia, Black.....			1,206,228	1,206,228
Russia, not otherwise specified.....	Russia, Baltic.....			139,716	
	England.....			2,251	141,967
Servia.....	Germany.....			3,703	3,703
Turkey in Europe.....	Turkey in Europe.....		23,494	292	23,786
England.....	England.....		185,721	319,630	505,351
Scotland.....	Scotland.....			370,212	
	England.....			154,447	524,659
Mexico.....	Mexico.....	419			419
Argentina.....	Argentina.....	654,924		138,619	800,426
	England.....	6,883			
Brazil.....	Brazil.....			9,914	9,914
Chile.....	Chile.....	561,532		262,694	816,079
	England.....	21,853			
Peru.....	England.....		17,149		17,149
Venezuela.....	Venezuela.....			2,564	2,564
China.....	China.....			1,227,919	1,227,919
	British East Indies.....			92,284	
British East Indies.....	France.....			111,954	1,417,054
	England.....			1,212,816	
Russia, Asiatic.....	England.....			224,128	224,128
	Turkey in Asia.....			574,203	
	France.....			28,023	
Turkey in Asia.....	Germany.....			78,699	785,742
	Turkey in Europe.....		28,122	24,164	
	England.....		52,531		
	France.....			82,841	
Asia, not otherwise specified.....	Russia, Black.....			90,513	750,955
	England.....		39,199	544,402	
British Australasia.....	British Australasia.....	238,278			
	England.....	401,299			639,577
British Africa.....	British Africa.....	69,271			69,271
	Total.....	1,954,459	346,656	7,299,327	9,600,452
	Boston.....	705,785	161,958	1,109,520	1,977,263
Imported into.....	New York.....	1,067,694	36,552	5,760,635	6,864,881
	Philadelphia.....	180,980	148,156	429,172	758,308

WOOL IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS, PORTS, AND CLASSES.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.			NEW YORK.			PHILADELPHIA.			TOTAL.
	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1895 —January	2,634,883	401,800	588,905	732,054	89,479	4,603,380	266,181	289,793	1,180,070	10,786,545
February	7,564,709	542,728	1,769,584	1,226,219	29,212	2,028,319	217,027	125,802	931,741	14,433,341
March	3,730,670	303,914	919,499	5,366,957	124,170	7,375,054	1,397,360	234,140	1,369,974	20,821,738
April	12,630,922	550,041	4,386,786	4,663,039	128,324	3,822,776	921,187	268,884	1,660,617	29,041,576
May	6,614,699	858,804	3,775,202	2,785,373	25,827	2,463,451	445,354	88,703	1,469,073	18,526,486
June	8,186,692	547,295	3,195,594	2,352,414	90,772	3,483,595	13,743	48,301	1,428,061	19,346,467
July	11,110,320	1,271,708	2,459,897	1,737,119	105,916	1,447,799	616,921	236,008	2,457,357	21,443,045
August	17,181,391	2,000,501	4,160,775	5,514,665	77,392	4,371,191	593,007	188,029	1,330,551	35,417,502
September	4,216,822	817,675	1,760,158	2,341,646	107,469	2,347,089	485,821	522,903	1,665,601	14,265,184
October	3,473,217	497,103	2,764,098	2,374,000	39,423	5,535,492	263,729	271,496	1,433,898	16,652,456
November	2,201,670	665,026	3,138,419	1,412,372	184	3,493,655	479,941	364,856	1,754,796	13,510,919
December	5,200,570	330,581	2,356,845	2,472,829	1,910	10,632,962	674,371	23,139	2,178,829	23,872,030
1896 —January	7,408,645	610,796	2,060,498	2,396,039	68,568	8,158,260	1,437,956	50,228	1,152,734	23,343,724
February	10,555,134	489,170	963,215	5,290,182	56,622	8,552,296	1,738,351	70,151	1,299,424	29,014,545
March	10,671,770	1,239,815	884,959	1,401,547	10,768	1,980,111	998,049	6,278	290,782	17,484,079
April	2,004,339	1,039,962	3,219,830	1,670,660	24,467	2,427,429	812,884	85,892	894,342	12,179,805
May	3,866,983	372,500	4,247,408	1,948,639	41,104	2,225,209	125,555	233,974	377,470	13,438,842
June	507,251	205,044	2,309,571	379,995	9,529	1,593,121	74,694	17,654	219,326	5,316,185
July	838,377	149,289	1,042,268	260,140	64,514	1,483,763	.....	6,235	383,071	4,247,657
August	518,895	205,257	371,267	267,578	25,516	2,440,710	.....	39,870	841,685	4,719,778
September	143,709	31,897	1,776,481	556,740	14,794	1,809,190	76,567	.....	371,917	4,781,295
October	1,028,044	135,111	1,263,111	140,562	.....	3,260,379	23,341	.....	152,080	6,002,628
November	3,124,768	397,597	2,317,145	920,914	101,783	1,821,876	245,297	102,344	352,891	9,384,642
December	11,144,566	596,658	4,234,074	1,635,224	288,676	5,547,437	170,512	138,342	1,644,036	25,399,525
1897 —January	4,323,049	462,665	1,412,746	4,020,903	25,020	7,637,930	463,140	22,454	1,894,480	20,262,987
February	11,338,017	1,556,474	2,388,117	4,002,408	188,251	9,099,483	582,258	30,709	761,178	29,946,895
March	23,715,522	3,331,523	2,673,890	12,755,340	667,129	9,178,465	1,403,553	398,550	552,850	54,676,832
April	48,107,356	7,352,542	6,435,949	15,271,603	198,327	9,612,394	4,633,186	548,844	2,399,732	95,559,933
May	21,026,656	4,413,636	6,316,502	4,424,901	211,986	4,594,715	1,413,523	152,701	1,399,065	43,943,065
June	11,912,488	4,524,194	3,190,179	4,151,671	585,011	6,027,219	873,548	371,349	1,933,526	33,569,185
July	11,016,229	1,936,068	281,957	2,412,256	388,252	5,095,792	224,538	49	130,568	21,485,709
August	986,373	171,026	10,156	77,150	3,421	1,535,245	.....	.....	92,528	2,875,899
September	1,698,168	35	61,859	341	.....	599,599	.....	3,752	126,119	2,429,873
October	419,755	10,852	1,964,632	6,595	13,075	3,599,210	.....	.....	1,110,112	7,124,231
November	240,066	.....	1,725,185	114,391	.....	6,481,008	213,853	.....	1,386,810	10,161,313
December	1,097,198	53,441	3,993,654	583,154	4,300	10,370,808	.....	.....	1,666,072	17,768,627
1898 —January	1,087,065	3,113	2,349,339	752,363	13,361	5,042,622	411,329	.....	1,357,897	11,017,085
February	6,284,750	3,505	740,571	370,896	504	6,686,657	369,834	1,700	1,344,364	15,802,781
March	4,187,017	297,139	1,841,946	503,324	5,020	3,810,283	384,027	745	789,191	11,818,692
April	4,693,453	7,856	3,848,550	711,896	6,685	2,681,567	288,877	5,943	778,291	13,023,118
May	1,349,159	28,076	3,158,208	245,942	10,450	2,195,777	374,954	.....	499,128	7,861,694
June	3,206,479	161,402	2,847,080	87,608	13,664	1,973,431	28,601	5,316	380,805	8,713,986
July	157,250	29,648	299,786	97,015	50,635	4,849,433	4,151	4,923	291,001	5,773,842
August	331,244	52,793	924,302	45,926	2,504	3,770,247	47,549	12,394	290,033	5,476,992
September	2,218	111,182	170,563	687	2,485	1,716,281	27,598	20,872	218,632	2,270,568
October	115,845	58,880	1,566,042	11,487	21,885	2,776,029	37,915	5,644	1,103,485	5,697,212
November	2,920	77,830	738,877	54,541	8,235	5,219,451	4,266	1,858	392,872	6,500,850
December	28,368	109,643	1,532,860	113,882	.....	2,409,492	237,860	6,900	173,917	4,617,922
1899 —January	1,681,338	116,827	1,399,857	150,756	13,710	4,358,237	301,797	.....	193,886	7,616,408
February	1,645,907	464,036	1,335,105	321,127	3,395	3,792,763	302,160	100	516,485	8,381,078
March	1,475,255	139,358	675,433	285,799	10,936	3,374,796	127,301	125	295,595	6,384,598
April	705,785	161,958	1,109,520	1,067,694	36,552	5,760,635	180,989	148,156	429,172	9,600,452
Years ending June 30—										
1890	11,154,247	5,196,059	29,277,193	2,716,348	1,178,465	39,413,896	1,621,512	899,649	11,461,395	102,918,764
1891	23,574,857	4,060,718	26,878,778	4,748,593	675,697	46,402,122	2,415,568	987,922	14,702,618	124,446,379
1892	35,389,751	2,139,084	32,691,164	9,205,840	686,577	50,889,755	4,140,263	2,122,551	9,188,170	146,453,155
1893	33,258,891	2,756,142	41,160,922	6,958,992	763,265	58,176,030	1,846,961	1,930,577	18,066,760	164,918,540
1894	7,602,884	969,432	11,463,487	2,292,895	224,905	26,657,324	569,747	266,859	5,539,355	55,586,888
1895	55,922,782	5,017,210	29,840,260	24,823,191	814,650	55,510,709	3,591,566	1,397,276	14,078,795	191,066,439
1896	78,398,112	9,539,891	30,325,673	28,939,693	543,352	52,764,614	8,301,279	2,070,608	15,055,110	225,938,322
1897	137,221,457	23,156,843	33,421,729	48,428,014	2,371,604	62,622,561	9,884,925	1,811,398	13,676,511	332,495,042
1898	36,205,712	2,672,113	22,823,137	5,865,916	458,732	50,071,808	2,306,013	17,505	9,661,885	130,063,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

WOOL, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND
PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

BY COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

MONTHS.	Russia.	Turkey.	United Kingdom.	Argentina.	Uruguay.	China.	British East Indies.	British Australasia.	All other countries.	TOTAL.
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1895—January	1,291,349	1,582,817	634,418	831,420	7,392	2,067,127	229,572	2,963,682	1,178,768	10,780,545
February	279,402	1,858,878	486,946	1,804,876	2,819	870,365	639,029	7,773,343	659,683	14,435,341
March	698,013	1,321,825	935,436	2,543,670	3,186,484	5,508,160	99,466	5,037,213	1,401,471	20,821,733
April	710,412	2,028,664	729,649	6,374,584	1,636,144	2,197,809	836,000	12,420,792	2,107,522	29,041,576
May	738,517	696,185	1,072,037	6,254,059	1,264,509	667,292	453,248	5,415,629	1,965,010	18,526,486
June	142,182	726,245	1,052,464	4,906,523	82,827	516,156	1,754,867	6,918,884	3,246,317	19,346,467
July	264,918	2,562,529	1,698,127	2,181,481	719,522	1,443,955	494,589	10,303,769	1,674,155	21,443,045
August	385,242	2,093,858	1,806,290	4,004,278	2,697,327	2,432,945	1,839,463	17,032,579	3,125,520	35,417,502
September	639,975	2,516,781	1,341,858	1,053,941	1,676,863	916,059	360,845	2,535,472	3,223,390	14,265,184
October	1,851,408	2,507,714	2,185,722	1,253,956	189,919	2,414,609	861,985	3,140,508	2,246,635	16,652,456
November	2,167,790	2,490,156	1,356,149	1,752,179	.....	300,644	886,711	1,915,205	2,642,085	13,510,919
December	3,222,793	2,846,323	1,046,835	2,088,648	201,912	5,428,510	1,779,506	4,722,947	2,534,562	23,872,036
1896—January	2,201,636	1,604,048	1,762,177	2,713,789	251,438	4,375,258	261,477	7,421,236	2,752,665	23,343,724
February	1,177,142	714,321	1,369,561	2,705,824	824,616	5,119,457	1,880,064	10,816,767	4,406,793	29,014,545
March	407,019	470,552	321,722	2,443,134	2,377,075	1,267,902	4,368	8,910,947	1,281,360	17,484,079
April	132,645	353,617	572,631	5,617,857	72,145	465,397	785,068	1,569,822	2,610,623	12,179,805
May	197,614	66,844	434,114	4,573,104	15,463	1,729,954	5,400	3,894,769	2,521,580	13,438,842
June	400,327	71,430	333,873	1,893,150	22,070	189,542	738,055	731,069	936,069	5,310,185
July	28,676	250,905	477,397	848,117	.....	1,053,519	.....	806,366	782,677	4,247,657
August	222,518	160,004	359,278	216,253	20,000	1,186,974	1,087,400	617,004	850,347	4,719,778
September	904,024	569,123	593,766	751,345	.....	962,473	39,397	74,107	887,060	4,781,295
October	190,425	1,988,369	128,097	107,796	10,439	1,266,411	932,940	942,852	435,299	6,002,628
November	1,352,459	467,580	785,831	1,856,304	14,958	325,281	433,942	2,517,615	1,630,672	9,384,642
December	2,432,582	1,784,391	3,807,169	1,588,090	13,702	1,757,134	1,124,785	9,389,215	3,502,457	25,399,525
1897—January	2,572,372	1,383,008	1,556,858	2,175,508	1,730,000	3,861,605	49,390	3,842,512	3,091,734	20,262,987
February	1,411,816	2,000,110	1,502,894	3,602,254	400,611	4,392,283	2,434,912	9,866,878	4,335,137	29,946,895
March	3,220,004	2,910,302	5,365,531	9,831,689	3,483,976	1,723,911	637,247	22,331,931	5,172,241	54,676,832
April	5,002,237	4,281,876	6,917,932	17,763,421	4,381,529	1,696,639	2,414,084	41,968,292	11,133,923	95,559,933
May	1,272,264	2,471,190	2,662,826	19,579,999	1,545,072	975,561	6,696	9,346,050	6,084,027	43,943,685
June	1,097,072	2,003,688	3,601,840	6,648,780	3,403,970	2,259,687	1,829,187	8,210,029	4,514,932	33,569,185
July	320,450	480,029	2,413,986	3,748,806	.....	2,933,917	305,840	9,345,020	1,937,661	21,485,709
August	62,386	63,087	599,591	148,493	.....	655,531	139,574	986,373	220,864	2,875,890
September	190,370	89,121	328,822	1,638,168	.....	127,684	25,660	.....	30,048	2,429,873
October	821,113	1,462,392	1,541,063	1,153,694	.....	411,579	1,088,564	342,592	303,234	7,124,231
November	3,581,564	1,471,130	1,579,534	93,604	9,262	1,976,263	200,065	440,149	800,742	10,161,313
December	4,434,765	2,250,227	2,688,570	301,332	96,874	3,980,963	1,569,416	938,272	1,508,208	17,768,627
1898—January	2,128,333	1,355,205	1,603,657	859,194	225,939	1,715,624	29,762	1,159,728	1,939,647	11,017,089
February	1,482,288	281,863	360,299	57	29,705	5,040,311	415,797	6,458,797	1,733,664	15,892,781
March	2,253,496	678,217	345,221	156,257	334,660	1,204,978	68,848	4,232,126	2,544,889	11,818,692
April	400,175	171,766	787,221	3,557,321	610,276	576,658	1,398,850	3,293,410	2,227,441	13,023,118
May	1,004,381	954,230	164,264	2,547,560	.....	729,183	123,932	1,370,675	967,469	7,861,694
June	276,281	67,877	67,922	2,530,486	3,258	1,016,603	961,483	3,310,110	479,966	8,713,986
July	137,113	180,797	293,509	131,628	.....	3,927,862	87,083	137,293	878,557	5,773,842
August	263,397	37,215	1,020,545	435,680	.....	2,244,707	616,672	328,463	530,313	5,476,992
September	547,524	445,317	686,263	1,675	.....	474,747	19,608	29,816	65,618	2,270,568
October	1,385,122	433,960	862,719	1,101,177	.....	506,353	699,369	8,312	700,200	5,697,212
November	3,420,476	1,293,178	483,011	.....	.....	403,792	166,371	4,201	729,821	6,500,850
December	683,682	419,033	790,807	154,574	3,053	440,648	990,001	237,628	898,496	4,617,922
1899—January	844,365	903,609	1,230,369	1,061,780	146,520	1,760,758	175,230	730,448	763,329	7,616,408
February	1,438,512	383,819	765,142	551,968	.....	1,075,100	1,082,265	1,973,486	1,110,846	8,361,078
March	1,458,858	358,793	932,542	165,614	.....	408,382	71,710	1,434,650	1,554,049	6,384,598
April	1,738,968	809,528	1,030,010	800,426	.....	1,227,919	1,417,054	639,577	1,936,970	9,600,452
Years ending June 30—										
1890	15,602,337	15,858,245	17,035,193	13,699,451	228,808	8,742,541	6,642,153	11,950,158	13,159,878	102,918,764
1891	23,772,189	15,426,451	14,668,940	14,099,835	1,042,102	11,080,814	3,889,519	26,576,276	13,890,238	124,446,373
1892	32,578,873	17,960,052	8,267,335	14,217,037	4,944,465	14,742,851	1,853,284	39,764,079	12,125,179	146,453,155
1893	32,067,247	22,041,320	15,893,343	13,930,262	708,940	21,135,791	5,849,878	37,389,843	15,901,916	164,918,540
1894	9,298,030	7,379,686	4,130,118	9,035,568	247,797	10,339,859	2,359,023	8,488,583	4,308,224	55,586,888
1895	13,133,691	21,530,410	8,874,609	31,773,200	11,495,380	26,119,599	8,087,982	53,225,432	16,825,032	191,066,439
1896	13,150,509	17,987,753	14,229,068	32,281,341	9,048,350	26,084,232	9,897,531	72,995,090	30,264,448	225,938,322
1897	19,706,449	20,239,717	27,750,419	64,969,556	15,004,257	21,461,478	10,989,980	109,912,851	42,451,335	332,495,042
1898	16,999,224	9,282,762	12,434,332	16,734,279	1,309,974	20,369,294	6,445,063	31,877,252	14,630,832	130,083,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, APRIL, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Baltimore, Md.	1,143			133,322	1,143	133,322	4,203		2,593	152,337	6,796	152,337
Bangor, Me.							342				342	
Beaufort, S. C.				3,639		3,639				6,019		6,019
Belfast, Me.			403		403				236		236	
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	5,096	9,346	17,995	168,065	23,091	177,411	10,015	10,682	9,706	130,064	19,721	140,746
Brunswick, Ga.	2,392		11,830	4,558	14,222	4,558			12,877	5,115	12,877	5,115
Castine, Me.							457		306		763	
Charleston, S. C.	299	266		5,251	299	5,517				870		870
Delaware			5,008	7,212	5,008	7,212			1,207	7,212	1,207	7,212
Edgartown, Mass.							564				564	
Fairfield, Conn.	155		1,365		1,520				222		222	
Fall River, Mass.	85		99		184				99		99	
Fernandina, Fla.	1,017		216	9,780	1,263	9,780	452		216	18,084	698	18,084
Frenchman Bay, Me.	167		222		389		11		98		109	
Gloucester, Mass.	55		136	2,200	191	2,200						
Machias, Me.							1,826				1,826	
Newark, N. J.			221		221				485		485	
New Bedford, Mass.	310		99		439				99		99	
New Haven, Conn.			196		196				98		98	
New London, Conn.	175				175							
Newport, R. I.		33				33			121		121	
Newport News, Va.		241		25,065		25,306	255	484	509	43,719	764	44,203
New York, N. Y.	21,937	62,928	49,279	534,996	71,216	597,924	15,113	76,384	31,620	371,654	46,733	448,038
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.			3,946	8,990	3,946	8,990	5,891			27,205	5,891	27,205
Pamlico, N. C.	104				104							
Passamaquoddy, Me.	157	8,583	2,123	2,833	2,280	11,416	550	8,583	2,178	2,833	2,728	11,416
Perth Amboy, N. J.				1,136		1,136	1,524		219		1,743	
Philadelphia, Pa.	235	1,243	7,658	120,662	7,893	121,905	6,253	4,193	7,375	110,242	13,628	114,435
Plymouth, Mass.			271		271				180		180	
Portland and Falmouth, Me.	61	36	590	24,407	651	24,443	5,566	36	612	36,022	6,178	36,058
Portsmouth, N. H.							805				805	
Providence, R. I.	566		334		900				943		943	
Saco, Me.							199				199	
St. Augustine, Fla.	12				12							
St. Johns, Fla.	647		754		1,401		705		111		816	
St. Marys, Ga.	843				843							
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	333		197		530		710				710	
Savannah, Ga.	1,178	1,307	11,999	2,371	13,177	3,678	1,059	1,458	11,689	7,005	12,748	8,463
Waldoboro, Me.	216		823		1,039		669		753		1,422	
Wilmington, N. C.			963	1,253	963	1,253	199	69	1,017		1,216	69
Wiscasset, Me.	32				32		32				32	
Total Atlantic ports.	37,245	83,983	116,757	1,055,740	154,002	1,139,723	57,400	101,889	85,599	918,381	142,999	1,020,270
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla.	1,379		2,852		4,231				2,988		2,988	
Galveston, Tex.	1,645		913	46,843	2,558	46,813	2,233		1,028	43,573	3,261	43,573
Key West, Fla.	569	32,325	221	2,393	730	34,718	1,027	32,501	221	2,122	1,248	34,623
Mobile, Ala.	3,700		12,415	17,787	16,115	17,787	696		16,644	19,381	17,340	19,381
New Orleans, La.	425	9,107	4,138	59,694	4,563	68,801		7,162	626	81,373	626	88,535
Pearl River, Miss.	3,663		9,500	4,125	13,163	4,125	2,313		4,248	5,179	6,561	5,179
Pensacola, Fla.	1,152	68	22,227	33,123	23,379	33,191	3,519	68	24,310	29,514	27,829	29,582
Tampa, Fla.	186	1,536		6,494	186	8,030	127	1,536		10,145	127	11,681
Total Gulf ports.	12,659	43,036	52,266	170,459	64,925	213,495	9,915	41,267	50,065	191,287	59,980	232,554
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Humboldt, Cal.			350		350		917		1,292		2,209	
Los Angeles, Cal.	23	1,891		10,149	23	12,040		1,891		10,149		12,040
Oregon, Oreg.	339			2,361	339	2,361				4,232		4,232
Puget Sound, Wash.	2,703	50,113	16,931	9,006	19,634	59,719	13,971	51,376	15,819	5,795	29,790	57,171
San Diego, Cal.	103			3,647	103	3,647	196			3,647	196	3,647
San Francisco, Cal.	13,655	39,801	14,805	27,630	28,460	67,431	11,082	36,337	17,611	29,689	28,693	66,026
Willamette, Oreg.				2,361		2,361	885		9,963		10,848	
Total Pacific ports.	16,823	91,805	32,086	55,754	48,909	147,559	27,051	89,604	44,685	53,512	71,736	143,116

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, APRIL, 1899—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.		33				33		33				33
Cape Vincent, N. Y.	62	217	100	229	162	446	89	160	64	306	153	466
Champlain, N. Y.	197		10	23	207	23			10	23	10	23
Chicago, Ill.			1,459	989	1,459	989	2,283	11,893			2,283	11,893
Cuyahoga, Ohio.	2,493	24,666	694	1,184	3,187	25,250	2,514	23,584	694	1,184	3,208	24,768
Detroit, Mich.	844	5,934	299	1,991	1,143	7,925	467	6,963	351	2,271	818	9,234
Erie, Pa.		1,123				1,123						
Genesee, N. Y.	829		3,671	792	4,500	792	3,001		3,715	792	6,716	792
Huron, Mich.	595	1,145	51	292	586	1,437	433	916	51	200	484	1,116
Miami, Ohio.	203	265	2,932	2,242	3,135	2,507	203	479	2,600	1,473	2,803	1,952
Milwaukee, Wis.								1,875				1,875
Niagara, N. Y.				84		84				640		640
Oswegatchie, N. Y.		513	346	560	346	1,073	39	107	2,000	474	2,048	581
Oswego, N. Y.	842	2,360	4,018	2,025	4,860	4,385	1,534	1,710	3,959	2,084	5,493	3,794
Sandusky, Ohio.	612	709	428	1,356	1,040	2,065		709	428	1,509	428	2,218
Superior, Mich.		41		556		597		155		656		811
Total northern border and lake ports.	6,617	36,406	14,008	12,323	20,625	48,729	10,563	48,584	13,881	11,612	24,444	60,196
Grand total, April, 1899.	73,344	255,230	215,117	1,294,276	288,461	1,549,506	104,929	281,344	194,230	1,174,792	299,159	1,456,136
Ten months ending April 30—												
1898.	1,193,141	3,075,704	2,607,013	14,079,378	3,800,154	17,155,082	1,161,192	3,043,153	2,704,117	14,179,011	3,865,309	17,222,164
1899.	1,129,139	2,974,364	2,274,475	14,947,809	3,403,614	17,922,173	1,212,502	3,095,515	2,170,428	14,877,127	3,382,930	17,972,642
Year ending June 30—												
1895.	1,606,269	2,866,561	2,883,000	11,939,085	4,489,269	14,805,646	1,542,680	2,961,547	2,881,343	12,364,976	4,424,023	15,326,523
1896.	1,502,138	3,694,182	2,993,043	12,799,821	4,495,181	16,494,003	1,579,461	3,750,138	2,970,690	13,114,296	4,550,151	16,864,434
1897.	1,607,749	3,917,579	3,147,563	15,087,359	4,755,312	19,004,938	1,616,929	4,001,213	2,997,410	15,093,643	4,614,339	19,094,856
1898.	1,501,865	3,738,181	3,109,229	17,230,124	4,611,094	20,968,305	1,458,843	3,652,604	3,281,742	17,855,043	4,749,585	21,007,647

NUMBER AND TONNAGE OF VESSELS CLEARED WITH CARGO IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES,
TO THE PORTS NAMED, DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1899.

PORTS.	ALL-GRAIN CARGO. ^a		GENERAL CARGO. ^a		TOTAL.	
	Steam.		Steam.		Steam.	
	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.
BOSTON:						
Antwerp			1	2,315	1	2,315
Glasgow			2	5,129	2	5,129
Hamburg			1	1,268	1	1,268
Liverpool			16	70,081	16	70,081
London			6	19,495	6	19,495
Total			26	98,288	26	98,288
NEW YORK:						
Antwerp			7	29,996	7	29,996
Amsterdam			1	2,400	1	2,400
Bremen			8	35,261	8	35,261
Glasgow			4	11,396	4	11,396
Hamburg			7	26,953	7	26,953
Havre			5	15,069	5	15,069
Liverpool			13	60,142	13	60,142
London			8	27,932	8	27,932
Rotterdam			4	15,321	4	15,321
Total			57	224,464	57	224,464
PHILADELPHIA:						
Antwerp			2	5,433	2	5,433
Amsterdam			3	6,335	3	6,335
Glasgow			2	4,514	2	4,514
Hamburg			3	10,182	3	10,182
Liverpool			5	14,402	5	14,402
London			5	10,863	5	10,863
Rotterdam			2	5,046	2	5,046
Total			22	56,775	22	56,775
BALTIMORE:						
Antwerp			2	4,904	2	4,904
Amsterdam						
Bremen			4	11,263	4	11,263
Glasgow			4	10,484	4	10,484
Hamburg			4	19,042	4	19,042
Havre	1	1,691	2	3,529	3	5,220
Liverpool			5	21,797	5	21,797
London			2	3,625	2	3,625
Rotterdam	3	6,842	4	7,323	7	14,170
Total	4	8,533	27	81,972	31	90,505
NORFOLK:						
Glasgow						
Hamburg			2	4,194	2	4,194
Liverpool						
London						
Rotterdam			2	3,626	2	3,626
Total			4	7,820	4	7,820
NEWPORT NEWS:						
Antwerp			1	2,746	1	2,746
Glasgow			1	2,339	1	2,339
Hamburg	4	8,114	1	2,895	5	11,009
London			3	5,461	3	5,461
Liverpool			2	4,982	2	4,982
Rotterdam	1	1,777	3	7,206	4	8,983
Total	5	9,891	11	25,629	16	35,520

^a No sail vessels cleared.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

TABLE I.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.					COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Bullion value of a United States silver dollar at average price of silver exchange at par.	Commercial ratio of silver to gold.		Middle weights.			
		With exchange at per (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of exchange at New York.				Oak.	Union.	Hemlock nonacid.	
Per fine ounce.					Per pound.					
1898.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
June 4.....	27½	.60283	.60233	.45936	34.80	6½	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
June 11.....	26¾	.58639	.58530			6½	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
June 18.....	26½	.58502	.58393			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	93
June 25.....	27½	.59872	.59730			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	
July 2.....	27½	.59461	.59351	.46320	34.51	6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½
July 9.....	27½	.59461	.59381			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½
July 16.....	27½	.59672	.59794			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	97
July 23.....	27½	.61165	.60960			6	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
July 30.....	27½	.59735	.59153	.46596	34.31	6	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
August 6.....	27½	.59735	.59593			6	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	102
August 13.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	103
August 20.....	27½	.60009	.59836			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	104
August 27.....	27½	.60831	.60656	.47531	33.62	6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	
September 3.....	27½	.60831	.60625			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
September 10.....	27½	.61242	.60971			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	100 @ 102
September 17.....	28½	.61653	.61317			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
September 24.....	28½	.61790	.61453	.49305	33.79	6½	32 @ 32	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
October 1.....	28½	.61790	.61485			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
October 8.....	28½	.61516	.61212			6½	32 @ 32½	29	21 @ 22	92 @ 93
October 15.....	27½	.60694	.60394			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	89 @ 88
October 22.....	27½	.61231	.61055	.47359	33.75	6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	86
October 29.....	28½	.61790	.61676			5½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 5.....	28½	.61653	.61539			6	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 12.....	28½	.61516	.61370			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	93
November 19.....	27½	.61231	.61097	.46519	34.37	6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	
November 26.....	27½	.60557	.60351			6½	31 @ 32	28	21 @ 22	95
December 3.....	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 10.....	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 17.....	27½	.60146	.59911	.59872	59607	6½		27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 24.....	27½	.60009	.59744			7	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
December 31.....	27½	.59872	.59607			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	95 @ 98
1899.										
January 7.....	27½	.59872	.59607	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
January 14.....	27½	.60283	.60047			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94
January 21.....	27½	.60420	.60184			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
January 28.....	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
February 4.....	27½	.60009	.59836	.46514	34.37	6½		28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94 @ 100
February 11.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	101
February 18.....	27½	.60283	.60233			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
February 25.....	27½	.60009	.59990			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	98
March 4.....	27½	.60146	.60004	.46584	34.32	6½	32 @ 34	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
March 11.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
March 18.....	27½	.60420	.60234			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	103 @ 104
March 25.....	27½	.60283	.60140			6½	33 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
April 1.....	27½	.60420	.60127	.46892	34.09	6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	103
April 8.....	27½	.60420	.60096			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 15.....	27½	.60420	.60158			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
April 22.....	27½	.60283	.60322			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 29.....	28½	.63023	.63133			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	100
May 6.....	28	.61379	.61454			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	100
May 13.....	28	.61379	.61423			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	100
May 20.....	28	.61379	.61653			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	99
May 27.....						6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	99

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE II.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
June 6.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 13.....	5½	6	6	8½	11	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 20.....	5½	6	6	8½	10½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
June 27.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
July 4.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	10	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
July 11.....	5½	6	6	7½	8	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
July 18.....	5½	6	6	6 7	6 7	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
July 25.....	5½	6	6	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 2
August 1.....	5½	5½	5	7½	7 @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 8.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 15.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½ @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 22.....	6	(b)	5½	7½ @ 7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 29.....	5½	(b)	5	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 5.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 12.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 19.....	5½	5½	5	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 26.....	5½	5	5	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
October 10.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 17.....	5½	5	5	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 24.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 31.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 7.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 14.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 21.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 28.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 5.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6 @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 12.....	5½	4½	4½	6	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 19.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 26.....	5½	5	5½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2½
1899.							
January 2.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	5½ @ 6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 9.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 16.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 23.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
January 30.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 6.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 13.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 20.....	5½	5½	5½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 27.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 6.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 13.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 20.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 27.....	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 3.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 10.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 17.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 24.....	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 1.....	5½	5½	5½	7½ @ 7½	7½ @ 8	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 8.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 15.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 22.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 29.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 30.....				7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE III.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.			COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.		
	Pig—			Bars.	Bars.	Billets. (b)	Rails. (d)	Furnace.	Crude Pennsylv- ania (per bar- rel, 42 gallons). (b)	Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	Southern No. 2, foundry. (c)							In bar- rels.	In cases.
				Per ton. (f)	Per pound.	Per 100 lbs.	Per ton. (f)	Per ton.				Per gall.	Per gall.
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
June 1	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00		1.75	86	6.15	6.80
June 8	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 15	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	85	6.15	6.80
June 22	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	87	6.15	6.80
June 29	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	15.00	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 6	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80
July 13	10.30@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.60	94	6.25	6.90
July 20	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	93	6.30	6.95
July 27	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.30	6.95
August 3	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 10	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@15.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 17	10.50@10.65	9.15@ 9.25	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	97	6.49	7.05
August 24	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
August 31	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25@16.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	103	6.50	7.15
September 7	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 14	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 21	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	102	6.65	7.30
September 28	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	106	6.85	7.50
October 5	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	107	6.85	7.50
October 12	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	110	7.10	7.85
October 19	10.40@10.50	9.40@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.30	8.05
October 26	10.35@10.50	9.25@ 9.40	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.75	18.00	1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 2	10.25@10.40	9.25@ 9.35	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.50	18.00	1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 9	10.10@10.25		7.50@7.75			15.00@15.25		1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 16	10.10@10.25		7.50@7.75	1.20	1.00	17.25@17.50		1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 23	10.00@10.25		7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.30	8.05
November 30	10.00@10.25		7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.30	8.05
December 7	10.65			1.00	1.00	15.75@16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
December 14	10.75		7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00	1.50@1.75	117	7.40	8.15
December 21	10.75@11.00		7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
December 28	10.85@11.00		8.00	1.00	1.00	16.25@16.50	18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
1899.											
January 4	10.85@11.00		8.00	1.05	1.07	16.50@16.75	18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
January 11	10.85@11.00		8.25	1.05	1.07	17.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
January 18	11.00		8.25	1.05	1.07	17.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	116	7.40	8.15
January 25	11.00		8.50	1.05	1.07	17.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	116	7.40	8.15
February 1	11.15	8.50@9.00		1.07	1.07	17.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
February 8	11.50@11.65		9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	18.00@19.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
February 15	11.50@11.65		9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	20.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
February 22	12.65	9.50@10.00		1.10	1.10	20.50@21.00	20.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
March 1	13.15@13.40	9.75@10.25		1.40	1.25	21.00@22.00	21.00@22.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 8	13.50@14.00	10.00@10.50		1.50	1.35@1.40	23.50@24.50	22.00@24.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 15	15.50	11.00@11.25	1.65@1.75	1.45@1.50	25.00@26.00	23.00		1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 22	15.65	11.00@11.50	1.65@1.75	1.60	25.00@26.00	24.00		1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 29	15.50	11.50	1.65@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	24.00		1.50@1.75	113	7.25	8.00
April 5	15.50	11.50	1.60@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	24.00		1.50@1.75	113	7.25	8.00
April 12	15.15@15.50	11.50	1.60@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	25.00		1.50@1.75	113	7.80	8.05
April 19	15.15@15.50	11.50@12.00	1.60@1.75	1.75	26.00	26.00		1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
April 26	15.15@15.25	11.50@12.00	1.60@1.75	1.75	26.50	26.00		1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 3	15.15@15.50	11.50@12.00	1.75	1.65@1.75	26.50	26.00		1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 10	15.00@15.65	11.50@12.00	1.75	1.65@1.75	26.50@27.00	26.00		1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 17	16.00	11.50@12.00	1.75@1.80	1.75@2.00	27.00	26.00		1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 24	17.65	12.00@12.50	2.00	1.80@2.00	28.00	26.00		1.50@1.75	113		
May 31											

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburgh, for cash.

c At Birmingham, Ala.

d Eastern mills f. o. b.

e Prices at New York.

f Long ton.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IV.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleo- stear- ine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89 ² polariza- tion.	Centrif- gals, 96 ² polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.						
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	L.	H.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.				Per pound.
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cts.	Cts.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
June 2.....	110	118	37½	37½	31	31½	6.40	6.40	6	6	4	4½	11.00	11.50	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 9.....	110	111	36½	36½	29½	30	6.27½	6.35	5½	6	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 16.....	92	93	37½	38½	30½	30½	6.10	6.10	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
June 23.....	83	86	36½	36½	29	29	5.90	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08
June 30.....	83	84	35½	36½	26	26	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.25	5.08
July 7.....	89	90	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.70	5.75	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.09
July 14.....	85½	86	36	36	27	27	5.87½	5.87½	4½	4½	3½	3½	12.25	10.50	11.00	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 21.....	83	83	37	37½	27	27½	5.85	5.85	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 28.....	72	75½	37½	38½	27½	28	5.55	5.55	5	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 4.....	72	73½	36½	36½	27½	28	5.50	5.50	4½	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 11.....	76	77	36½	37½	29	29	5.70	5.70	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.09
August 19.....	76	77	35½	36½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
August 25.....	73	73	35½	35½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.31	5.08
September 1....	70	70	35	35½	26	26	5.37½	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.37	5.15
September 8....	67½	67½	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.35	5.35	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.37	5.21
September 15....	69½	72½	34	34½	25	25	5.15	5.17½	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21
September 22....	72½	75	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.10	5.10	5	5	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.21
September 29....	72½	74½	34½	34½	26	26	5.10	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
October 6.....	70½	70½	34½	34½	26½	26½	5.15	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	8.75	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.22	4.71
October 13.....	70½	72½	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.22½	5.22½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.13	4.72
October 20.....	75½	77½	38½	38½	29	29	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.25	4.72
October 27.....	74½	75½	38	38½	29	29½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	4.78
November 3.....	73	74½	38	38½	29½	29½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
November 10....	72	73½	37½	38	29	29½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.31	4.31	4.72
November 17....	73½	74½	38	38½	30	30	5.12½	5.12½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
November 24....	74½	77½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.96
December 1.....	72½	75½	39	39½	32	32	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.44	4.96
December 8.....	71½	74½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
December 15....	74½	77½	39½	40½	31½	32	5.40	5.40	5	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.84
December 22....	75	77½	41½	42½	32½	33	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
December 29....	77	79½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
1899.																			
January 5.....	78	78½	41½	42½	33	33	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	4½	4	9.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 12.....	78½	78½	42½	42½	33½	33½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4	4	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 19.....	78	78½	42	42½	34	34	5.87½	5.87½	5½	6	4	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	3.25	4.72
January 26.....	81½	81½	43½	45½	35	35	5.95	6.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	4.25	4.72
February 2.....	79½	81	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.90	5.90	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.84
February 9.....	80½	82½	43½	43½	34½	34½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 16....	82½	84½	43½	43½	35½	35½	5.70	5.70	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 23....	83	84½	44½	45	35½	35½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 2.....	82	84½	44½	44½	34½	35	5.62½	5.62½	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 9.....	80	82½	43½	43½	33½	33½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.41	4.84
March 16.....	79	80½	41½	43	32	32	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 23.....	79½	81½	42½	43	33	33	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	11.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 30.....	81½	84½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	3.87	4.31	4.84
April 6.....	78½	79½	41½	41½	33	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.84
April 13.....	79	84	42½	42½	33	33	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.06	4.56	4.96
April 20.....	80½	83½	43½	44½	33	33	5.50	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96
April 27.....	77½	79½	43½	44½	32½	32½	5.45	5.50	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96
May 4.....	78	80½	42½	42½	32	32½	5.35	5.35	5½	5½	4	4½	5.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.25	4.75	5.08
May 11.....	78½	81½	40½	42	31	31	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.13	4.63	5.08
May 18.....	78½	82½	40	40	31½	31½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
May 25.....	80½	82½	39½	39½	31½	31½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE V.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Territorial fine medium (scoured basis). (b)	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton, re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{8}$ blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{8}$ blood.	Good staple.	Ordinary staple.
Per pound.											
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
June 3.....	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.73@3.80	3.65 @3.70	4.00@4.10	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	47	44
June 10.....	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00@4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
June 17.....	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00@4.05	2.00@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
June 24.....	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.95	4.00@4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
July 1.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00@4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
July 8.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
July 15.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
July 22.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	44
July 29.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	44
August 5.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	44
August 12.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	46
August 19.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
August 26.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.70 @3.75	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
September 2.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
September 9.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
September 16.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
September 23.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
September 30.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.20@4.25	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
October 7.....	5	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
October 14.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	46
October 21.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	45
October 28.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	45
November 4.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 11.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 18.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 25.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 2.....	5	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 9.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 16.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 23.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 30.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.90@3.95	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
1899.											
January 6.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.95@4.15	3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
January 13.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.95@4.15	3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
January 20.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.95@4.15	3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
January 27.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.95@4.15	3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
February 3.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.95@4.15	3.67 $\frac{1}{2}$ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
February 10.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
February 17.....	6	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
February 24.....	6	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
March 3.....	6	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	46 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
March 10.....	6	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	45	41
March 17.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	26	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	45	41
March 24.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	43	40
March 31.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	40
April 7.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	40
April 14.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	40
April 21.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	40
April 28.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	26	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	43	41
May 5.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	26	28	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	44	42
May 12.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	45	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
May 19.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
May 26.....	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42 $\frac{1}{2}$

a Prices at New York.

b Territorial wools embrace Dakota, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Kansas, and Nebraska.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE VI.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bankers' sterling bills on London.	Prime commercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1899.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
June 3.....	6.80	12.00	14.85	3.80	4.35	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 10.....	6.67½	11.95	15.05	3.75	4.55	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
June 17.....	6.57½	11.87½	15.12½	3.91½	5.12½	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
June 24.....	6.60	11.85	15.20	3.97½	5.12½	3.85	4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 1.....	6.57½	11.77½	15.37½	3.98	5.00	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
July 8.....	6.57½	11.75	15.70	4.02½	4.85	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
July 15.....	6.55	11.82½	15.65	4.00	4.62½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
July 22.....	6.70	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.52½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 29.....	6.60	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 5.....	6.62½	11.50	15.80	3.93½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 12.....	6.87½	11.75	16.22½	4.02½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 19.....	6.92½	12.00	16.25	4.07½	4.62½	3.85	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
August 26.....	6.80	12.20	16.10	4.10	4.75	3.95	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
September 2.....	7.00	12.30	15.95	4.07½	4.77½	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
September 9.....	6.90	12.32½	16.12½	4.01½	4.80	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.23½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½
September 16.....	6.95	12.32½	16.12½	4.02½	4.82½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
September 23.....	6.95	12.30	16.15	3.99	4.85½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
September 30.....	7.05	12.30	16.15	3.93½	4.86½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
October 7.....	7.20	12.32½	16.47½	3.90	4.87½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
October 14.....	7.12½	12.37½	17.00	3.87½	4.95	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
October 21.....	7.05	12.50	17.75	3.78½	5.00	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
October 28.....	7.10	12.50	17.95	3.65	5.17½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
November 4.....	7.10	12.62½	18.25	3.71	5.20	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	40 @ 40½
November 11.....	7.15	12.82½	18.27½	3.72½	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
November 18.....	7.25	12.92½	17.92½	3.71	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40
November 25.....	7.15	12.97½	17.65	3.67½	5.22½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 40
December 2.....	7.15	12.87½	18.25	3.66½	5.32½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 9.....	7.20	12.75	18.05	3.60	5.30	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 16.....	7.30	12.82½	17.95	3.72½	5.30	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
December 23.....	7.50	12.92½	18.22½	3.80	5.25	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½
December 30.....	7.75	13.00	18.72½	3.87½	5.12½	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
1899.										
January 6.....	7.87½	13.37½	20.45	3.97½	5.17½	d 2.92½	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 39½
January 13.....	8.00	13.87½	21.95	4.07½	5.27½	3.07½	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.22½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
January 20.....	8.25	14.62½	22.30	4.22½	5.37½	3.05	4.82½ @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.82½	5.23½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
January 27.....	8.50	15.87½	24.25	4.35	5.60	3.20	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
February 3.....	8.50	17.10	24.75	4.60	5.80	3.25	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
February 10.....	8.50	17.95	24.00	4.50	6.05	3.30	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40 @ 40½
February 17.....	8.75	18.10	23.80	4.52½	6.25	3.37½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
February 24.....	9.25	17.87½	24.57½	4.40	6.55	3.50	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½
March 3.....	9.75	17.75	24.15	4.30	6.37½	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
March 10.....	9.87½	17.70	23.67½	4.32½	6.30	3.87½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
March 17.....	10.37½	17.60	23.85	4.46	6.35	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
March 24.....	10.75	17.00	23.72½	4.45	6.37½	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
March 31.....	10.75	17.60	24.00	4.37½	6.37½	3.92½	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
April 7.....	10.50	18.00	24.50	4.35	6.52½	3.91	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40
April 14.....	10.45	18.37½	25.00	4.32½	6.60	3.92½	4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
April 21.....	10.65	18.67½	25.00	4.32½	6.70	3.95	4.85 @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½
April 28.....	10.87½	19.20	25.60	4.31½	6.87½	3.95	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.84 @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
May 5.....	10.87½	19.12½	25.82½	4.42½	6.87½	3.97½	4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
May 12.....	11.12½	19.00	25.42½	4.45	6.87½	4.00	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½
May 19.....	11.37½	19.00	25.70	4.47½	6.87½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
May 26.....	11.62½	18.50	25.62½	4.47½	6.87½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½

a Average prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

d American f. o. b., mill, after December 30, 1898.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

RECEIPTS AND PRICES OF CATTLE AND HIDES AT CHICAGO.

TABLE VII.

[Furnished by the editor of the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review.]

SATURDAY.	CATTLE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.		TOP PRICE PER 100 POUNDS FOR CATTLE ON THE HOOF FOR EACH WEEK.			HIDES.														
	Receipts.	Slaughter.	Native steers.	Texas steers.	Cows.	No. 1 packers' native steers.	No. 1 packers' Texas steers.		No. 1 packers' Colorado steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy butt-branded steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy native cows.	No. 1 packers' light native cows.	No. 1 packers' branded cows.	Packers' native bulls.	No. 1 country buffs.	No. 1 extreme light hides.	No. 1 country native steers.	No. 1 country heavy cows.	No. 1 country calf-skins.	No. 1 kips.
							Heavy.	Light.												
1898.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
June 4.....	42,670	28,743	5.50	4.65	4.35	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11
June 11.....	42,207	28,109	5.20	4.75	4.10	13	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	12	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12½	10½
June 18.....	48,312	32,198	5.35	4.60	4.00	12½	12½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	10½
June 25.....	52,271	33,962	5.25	4.50	4.20	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	10½	12	11
July 2.....	50,182	32,717	5.35	4.60	4.10	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 9.....	36,488	22,568	5.35	4.65	4.05	12½	11½	11½	10	10½	11	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 16.....	50,603	34,048	5.50	4.80	4.25	12½	11½	11½	9½	10½	11	11½	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 23.....	53,336	37,760	5.40	5.00	4.35	12	11½	11	9½	10½	11	11	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 30.....	49,980	32,836	5.65	4.85	4.25	12	11½	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 6.....	42,157	26,232	5.60	4.55	4.20	12	11	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 13.....	45,266	29,637	5.65	4.50	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 20.....	50,471	33,166	5.75	4.05	4.75	12	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 27.....	58,816	36,819	5.70	4.20	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 3.....	56,851	35,389	4.65	3.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 10.....	53,733	32,340	5.70	3.75	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10	12	11
September 17.....	46,719	29,881	5.70	3.90	4.25	12	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 24.....	56,177	36,550	5.85	3.90	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 1.....	56,145	34,254	5.85	3.90	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 8.....	54,256	34,253	5.85	3.87½	3.90	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 15.....	44,442	28,229	5.80	4.00	4.30	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 22.....	54,017	36,308	5.90	4.25	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	11½
October 29.....	58,187	38,382	5.85	3.80	4.35	11½	10½	10½	8½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 5.....	40,946	28,208	5.90	3.90	4.00	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 12.....	46,362	32,232	5.70	3.85	3.85	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 19.....	43,164	14,808	5.75	4.10	4.15	11½	10½	10	8½	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11½
November 26.....	38,847	26,554	5.80	4.35	4.00	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 3.....	52,273	38,775	5.90	4.40	4.60	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 10.....	51,060	38,253	5.50	4.60	4.15	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 17.....	38,408	27,487	6.10	4.70	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 24.....	32,592	23,235	5.95	5.00	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
December 31.....	35,806	24,873	5.95	4.80	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
1899.																				
January 7.....	33,017	23,098	5.95	5.20	4.35	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
January 14.....	42,527	31,284	6.00	5.25	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 21.....	44,977	33,489	6.10	5.25	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 28.....	52,666	37,027	6.30	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	9½	10	10½	10	9½	13	12
February 4.....	43,824	28,155	6.25	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	9½	10	9½	10½	10	9½	13	11
February 11.....	28,892	27,666	6.15	4.70	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	10	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10½
February 18.....	47,400	22,646	6.10	4.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
February 25.....	44,815	29,658	5.85	4.95	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 4.....	44,835	25,693	5.70	4.90	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 11.....	44,411	28,767	5.90	5.00	4.25	11½	10½	10½	8½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 18.....	44,516	26,650	5.80	4.80	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 25.....	52,323	32,978	5.75	6.00	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10
April 1.....	40,690	27,935	5.80	4.85	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 8.....	44,004	29,765	5.75	5.35	4.50	11½	11½	11	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 15.....	41,061	27,664	5.75	4.85	4.50	11½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
April 22.....	43,107	27,195	5.85	4.87½	4.50	12	11½	11½	10½	11	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
April 29.....	43,426	27,552	5.60	5.10	4.50	12	12	11½	11	11½	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	11½	10½
May 6.....	51,115	32,799	5.50	4.90	4.80	12	12	11½	11	10½	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10
May 13.....	46,578	29,004	5.50	5.00	4.50	12½	12½	11½	11½	11½	11	11½	10½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10½
May 20.....	45,906	27,825	5.50	4.85	4.50	12½	12½	12½	11½	11½	11	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
May 27.....	51,052	38,875	5.65	5.00	4.70	12½	12½	12	11½	11½	11	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE VIII.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.			COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			New fine Para.
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.		Oak.	Union.	Hemlock, nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.			Per pound.				
1894.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	31½	.69599	.69506	18½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	69 @ 70
February 3.....	30½	.66722	.66736	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66½
March 3.....	27	.59187	.59361	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66
April 7.....	28½	.61790	.62025	17½	32 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	66 @ 67
May 5.....	29	.63571	.63845	16½	31 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	65 @ 66
June 2.....	28½	.62476	.62744	15½	31 @ 33	22 @ 23	17½ @ 18	65
July 7.....	28½	.62886	.63060	16½	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	66½ @ 67½
August 4.....	29½	.61653	.63400	16½	28 @ 30	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	65 @ 67
September 1.....	30½	.66291	.66257	16½	28 @ 30	23 @ 24	16 @ 16½	67 @ 69
October 6.....	29½	.64256	.64269	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 26	16 @ 16½	68 @ 71
November 3.....	29½	.64119	.64264	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 25	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
December 1.....	28½	.62475	.62617	15½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
1895.								
January 5.....	27½	.60146	.60405	16	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	73 @ 75
February 2.....	27½	.60283	.60512	16½	25 @ 26			74 @ 76
March 2.....	27½	.60556	.60849	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	70 @ 70½
April 6.....	29½	.65626	.66010	16½	28 @ 30	27½ @ 28	16½ @ 17	72 @ 73
May 4.....	30½	.67133	.67457	16	32	32 @ 33	20	71 @ 72½
June 1.....	30½	.67270	.67526	16	36 @ 37	34 @ 35	21½ @ 22	74 @ 75
July 6.....	30½	.67133	.67571	15½	38 @ 40	37	23	72½ @ 74
August 3.....	30½	.66448	.66974	16½	38 @ 40	37	23	70 @ 72
September 7.....	30½	.66722	.67182	15½	38 @ 40	37	24	73 @ 74
October 5.....	30½	.67270	.67422	16½	35 @ 37	36	24	75 @ 77
November 2.....	30½	.67818	.68110	15½	35	32	24	80
December 7.....	30½	.66996	.67320	14½	32	28 @ 30	23	74 @ 77
1896.								
January 4.....	30½	.66859	.67216	14½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	20 @ 21	77
February 1.....	30½	.67407	.67663	13½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	72
March 7.....	31½	.70010	.70204	13½	29 @ 30	26	18 @ 19	74
April 4.....	31½	.68229	.68559	13½	29 @ 30	28	18 @ 19	74
May 2.....	31½	.68092	.68386	13½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	17 @ 18	81
June 6.....	31½	.68778	.69039	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	84 @ 88
July 3.....	31½	.68778	.68968	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	80 @ 85
August 1.....	31½	.68778	.69109	11½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	18 @ 19	83 @ 87
September 5.....	30½	.67133	.66802	10½	28 @ 29	24 @ 25	18 @ 18½	78 @ 83
October 3.....	30½	.68620	.66257	10½	28 @ 29	25	18 @ 18½	81 @ 84
November 7.....	30	.65763	.65641	10½	29 @ 30	30	20 @ 21	81 @ 83
December 5.....	29½	.65489	.65502	9½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	82½ @ 83
1897.								
January 2.....	29½	.65352	.65298	10½	31 @ 32	28 @ 30	19 @ 20	80
February 6.....	29½	.65215	.65196	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	19 @ 20	80 @ 81
March 6.....	29½	.64256	.64323	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	80½ @ 81
April 3.....	28½	.62201	.62278	7½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	81 @ 82
May 1.....	28½	.61790	.61898	7½	29 @ 31	27 @ 28	20 @ 22	84
June 5.....	27½	.60420	.60463	7½	28	26 @ 27	19 @ 21	83
July 3.....	27½	.60420	.60463	7½	28 @ 30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	83
August 7.....	26	.56995	.56948	7½	30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	84
September 4.....	24½	.53980	.53396	6½	31	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	87
October 2.....	26½	.57543	.57318	7½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 22	86
November 6.....	26½	.58091	.57982	6½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 21	81½
December 4.....	27½	.60420	.60308	6½	32 @ 34	30	20 @ 21	83 @ 84
1898.								
January 8.....	26½	.57909	.57817	6½	32 @ 34	28 @ 29	21	82 @ 83
February 5.....	26½	.57543	.57377	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	88
March 5.....	25½	.55625	.55350	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	93
April 2.....	25½	.56310	.55374	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	96
May 7.....	25½	.56858	.56577	6½	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92½

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IX.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 1.....	4½	3½	3½	5½ @ 5½	3½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
February 5.....	4½	4½	4	5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
March 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5 @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
April 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
May 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 4.....	5	4½	4½	4½ @ 5	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
July 2.....	5	4½	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
August 6.....	5	(b)	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
September 3.....	5	5	4½	6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
October 1.....	4½	4½	4½	5½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
November 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5½ @ 5½	3 @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
December 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 2½	(b)
1895.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 7.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
February 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
March 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2 @ 3½	1½
May 6.....	4½	4	4	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 5.....	4½	4½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 3.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 7.....	4½	4	4	4½	4 @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	1½ @ 1½
November 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 2.....	3½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1896.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
February 3.....	4½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
March 2.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 6.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
August 3.....	5	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
September 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½
October 5.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
November 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
1897.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4½	1½
February 1.....	4½	4	4½	4	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 5.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
May 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
June 7.....	4½	4½	4	3½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	5	4½	4½	3½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 2.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 6.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
November 1.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	3 @ 1½
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½ @ 4	3½	2½ @ 3½	3 @ 1½
February 7.....	5	4½	4½	4½	4	1½ @ 3½	3 @ 1½
March 7.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	3 @ 1½
April 4.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	3 @ 1½
May 2.....	5½	6	6	6	5½	2 @ 3½	3 @ 1½

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE X.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.		COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.			
	Fig.			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Billets. (b)	Rails. (c)	Furnace.	Crude (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)		Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	No. 1 X. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
				Per ton. (d)			Per pound.	Per ton. (d)				Per ton.	Lowest.	Highest.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	10.75@11.00	10.00	13.25@14.25	1.35@1.40	15.90	24.80	1.05	80½	80½	5.15	6.25
February 7.....	10.75	9.75@10.00	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	24.80	.90@1.00	80½	81	5.15	6.25
March 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.60@ 9.75	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.50	24.00@27.00	.90	81½	82½	5.15	6.25
April 4.....	10.35@10.50	9.35@ 9.60	12.75@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.75	23.50@26.00	.85@ .90	82½	82½	5.15	6.25
May 2.....	11.00@11.50	9.40@ 9.50	12.50@13.25	1.25@1.30	16.75@17.00	22.00@24.00	(e)	85½	85½	5.15	6.25
June 6.....	13.00@13.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	19.00@19.50	22.00@24.00	(e)	87½	87½	5.15	6.25
July 5.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	18.50	.....	(e)	83½	84	5.15	6.35
August 1.....	12.25@12.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	17.00@17.25	.....	(e)	79½	79½	5.15	6.35
September 5.....	11.50@12.00	10.00@10.25	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	18.00	.....	.....	82½	83	5.15	6.35
October 3.....	11.00@11.25	10.00	12.50@13.00	1.05@1.20	16.75@17.00	.....	1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
November 7.....	10.50@10.75	9.25@ 9.50	.....	1.10@1.15	15.45	.....	1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
December 5.....	10.25@10.35	9.25@ 9.50	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.50	22.75	1.00	87½	90	5.15	6.55
1895.											
January 2.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.90	94½	95½	5.70	6.90
February 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	1.00	103	103½	5.80	7.13
March 6.....	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.....	105	105½	6.30	7.40
April 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.60	22.75	.....	113	114	7.35	7.70
May 1.....	10.75@10.85	9.50@ 9.75	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.50@15.75	22.75	1.15	183½	185	8.50	9.65
June 5.....	12.00@12.25	10.40@10.50	12.25@12.50	1.20@1.25	17.75@18.00	22.75	.....	147	147	7.85	8.50
July 3.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	f 9.25	1.25@1.30	20.50@20.75	24.00	.....	149	149	7.80	8.15
August 7.....	15.40@15.50	11.50@11.75	9.25	1.35@1.40	21.50@22.00	.....	1.35	126	126	7.10	7.50
September 4.....	17.25@17.50	12.75@13.00	10.00	1.40@1.45	.....	.....	.....	124½	125½	7.10	7.50
October 2.....	16.75@17.00	12.00@12.75	10.00	1.45@1.50	24.00@24.25	28.00	1.35@1.60	123	123	7.10	7.50
November 6.....	16.00@16.25	12.50@12.75	10.00	1.40@1.50	21.00@21.50	.....	1.60	133	136	7.10	7.50
December 4.....	12.75@13.00	12.00@12.25	9.50@10.00	1.40@1.50	18.00@18.50	.....	.....	134	135	7.50	8.50
1896.											
January 1.....	11.00@11.25	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.75	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	.....	2.00	148	149	7.75	8.50
February 5.....	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	8.15@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	18.25@18.50	.....	2.00	143	143	7.60	8.50
March 4.....	12.00@12.50	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	17.00	.....	2.00	128	128	7.10	8.00
April 1.....	13.00@13.50	10.75@11.00	7.50	1.20@1.25	20.00	.....	2.00	129	129	7.20	8.10
May 6.....	13.00@13.25	10.75@11.00	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	125	125	6.95	7.85
June 3.....	12.25@12.75	10.75@11.00	7.50@ 7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	109	109	6.55	7.45
July 1.....	12.25@12.50	10.50@11.75	6.90@ 7.20	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	115	115	6.90	7.30
August 5.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	6.40@ 6.60	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	106	106	6.65	7.55
September 2.....	10.50@11.00	11.50@11.75	6.50	1.20@1.25	20.50	.....	2.00	108	108	6.70	7.60
October 7.....	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	7.00@ 7.25	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	116	116	6.90	7.85
November 4.....	12.00@12.75	10.00@11.25	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25	.....	2.00	117	117	7.00	7.95
December 2.....	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	7.50@ 7.75	1.25@1.30	20.25	.....	2.00	105	105	6.70	7.55
1897.											
January 6.....	10.50@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.25@1.30	16.00	25.00	2.00	90	90	6.20	6.90
February 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.50@ 9.75	7.00@ 7.50	1.20@1.25	15.50	25.00	1.75	90	90	6.00	6.70
March 3.....	10.75@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	6.75@ 7.00	1.20@1.25	15.50@16.00	e 18.00@20.00	1.75	91	91	6.30	7.00
April 7.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	6.50@ 7.00	1.05	15.25	20.00	1.60	88	88	6.20	6.66
May 5.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.50@ 8.75	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.75	19.00@20.00	1.50	86	86	6.05	6.50
June 2.....	9.75@10.00	8.25@ 8.50	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.25@14.50	19.00@20.00	1.50	87	87	6.15	6.60
July 7.....	9.25@ 9.50	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.00@14.25	18.00@20.00	1.50	80	80	6.00	6.45
August 4.....	9.50@ 9.75	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.20
September 1.....	9.75@10.00	8.50@ 8.75	6.75@ 7.00	90@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.15
October 6.....	10.50@10.75	9.75@10.00	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.50	19.00@19.50	1.50@1.75	70	70	5.80	6.15
November 3.....	10.25@10.50	9.60@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.25@16.50	19.00@19.50	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
December 1.....	10.15@10.25	9.25@ 9.40	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
1898.											
January.....	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00@15.25	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
February 2.....	9.75@10.00	9.00@10.00	7.15@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
March 2.....	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.25@15.50	19.00@20.00	1.75	82	82	6.20	6.85
April 6.....	10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.05	15.50@15.75	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	75	5.70	6.35
May 4.....	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.05	15.00@15.25	18.00@19.00	1.75	71	71	5.60	6.25

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash

c Prices at New York.

d Long ton.

e Strike.

f Foundry No. 2 at Birmingham, Ala., after June 5, 1895.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XI.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleostearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89° polariza- tion.	Centrif- uals, 96° polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.				Per pound.		
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4	66	67½	41½	42½	34	34½	8.30	8.35	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.75	14.50	14.00	15.50	2.50	2.75	3.7
February 1	65½	66	42½	42½	34	34	7.95	8.00	7½	7½	5½	5½	14.25	14.75	14.00	15.00	2.09	3.06	3.98
March 1	62½	62½	41½	42½	37	37	7.65	7.65	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.81	3.18	4.17
April 5	66½	68½	44½	45	36	36½	7.65	7.65	6½	7	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.50	2.87	3.98
May 3	60½	61	43½	43½	40	40½	7.85	7.85	7½	7½	5	5½	13.75	14.00	12.00	13.00	2.37	2.84	3.88
June 7	59½	60½	44½	44½	48	48	7.00	7.00	7	7	4½	4½	13.25	13.50	10.50	12.00	2.50	3.87	3.80
July 5	59½	60½	45½	46	50	50½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.00	14.25	9.50	11.00	2.09	3.12	3.98
August 2	56½	56½	55½	55½	41	41	7.35	7.35	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	4.35
September 6...	58	58½	65	65	34	34½	9.00	9.00	9	9	4½	4½	15.50	15.75	10.50	12.00	3.12	3.81	4.72
October 4	54½	55½	55½	56½	32½	32½	8.10	8.10	9½	9½	4½	4½	14.75	15.50	10.00	12.00	3.12	3.75	4.35
November 1...	55	55½	60	60	32½	32½	7.35	7.40	6½	6½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.98
December 6...	60½	61	56½	57	34½	34½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.50	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.86
1895.																			
January 3	60½	60½	51	51½	34½	34½	7.10	7.10	7½	7½	4½	4½	12.75	13.25	10.50	12.50	2.63	3.00	3.74
February 7	57½	57½	48½	49	33½	33½	6.95	7.00	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.25	12.00	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	3.68
March 7	58½	58½	49½	49½	33	33	6.72½	6.75	7½	7½	4½	4½	11.75	12.25	10.50	12.00	2.69	3.00	3.80
April 4	60	60½	56	56	33½	33½	7.20	7.20	9	9	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.00	2.69	3.00	3.86
May 2	68½	69½			32½	32½	7.00	7.00	8	8	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.50	2.75	3.09	3.91
June 6	80	82½	56	57½	33½	34	6.75	6.80	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.75	14.50	11.50	13.00	2.94	3.37	4.35
July 4	73½	73½	49½	50½	28	28½	6.65	6.70	6½	7	4½	4½	13.25	14.00	10.50	13.50	2.87	3.25	4.35
August 1	72½	74½	48½	49½	28	28	6.45	6.47½	6	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	11.00	12.50	2.94	3.25	4.35
September 5...	62½	63½	38½	39½	23½	24	6.25	6.25	6	6	4½	4½	10.25	10.75	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.25	4.16
October 3	66	68	37	37½	23½	23½	6.22½	6.22½	6	6	4½	4½	10.00	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.56	4.47
November 7...	67½	68½	36½	36½	23½	23½	5.95	5.95	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.37	4.24
December 5...	60½	70	35½	35½	22½	22½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.50	4.35
1896.																			
January 2	69	69½	34½	34½	23½	23½	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	12.00	3.37	3.75	4.50
February 6	81½	82	36½	37	25½	25½	5.87	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	10.00	12.00	3.50	3.87	4.58
March 5	81½	81½	38	39	26	26	5.60	5.65	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.12	4.72
April 2	79½	80	37½	37½	25	25	5.30	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.18	4.89
May 7	72	73½	35½	35½	25	25	5.05	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	10.00	9.50	11.00	3.63	4.25	4.08
June 4	69½	71½	33½	33½	22½	23	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	3.37	3.75	4.72
July 2	64½	65½	33½	33½	21	21½	4.20	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.75	7.50	8.50	3.00	3.50	4.60
August 6	66½	68	30½	30½	23	23½	3.50	3.50	4½	4½	3	3	8.00	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.13	3.50	4.60
September 3...	67½	68	26	26	19½	19½	3.70	3.70	4	4½	3½	3½	7.50	8.25	8.00	9.00	2.87	3.25	4.47
October 1	78½	79½	28	29½	22	22	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.50	8.00	9.00	2.69	3.06	4.22
November 5...	85½	87½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.55	4.55	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.50	8.00	10.00	2.87	3.25	3.98
December 3...	104½	106	29½	29½	23	23½	4.20	4.20	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.87	3.25	4.10
1897.																			
January 7	103½	104½	29½	29½	22½	22½	4.05	4.07½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.81	3.18	4.10
February 4	96½	98½	28½	29	21½	21½	4.00	4.00	4	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.18	3.98
March 4	93½	94½	27	28½	21½	21½	4.32½	4.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.25	3.98
April 1	95½	96½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.45	4.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.00	3.37	3.47
May 6	95½	98½	29½	29½	22½	23	4.25	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.00	10.00	2.75	3.31	4.23
June 3	81½	82½	29	29½	22	22½	3.80	3.80	4½	4½	3	3	8.50	9.00	8.50	9.50	2.75	3.31	4.23
July 1	81½	82	28½	28½	21½	21½	4.25	4.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.50	3.00	3.50	4.47
August 5	84	86½	32½	32½	22	22	4.70	4.70	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.25	3.75	4.72
September 2...	100½	103½	36½	37½	24	24½	5.27½	5.27½	6	6	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	9.00	10.00	3.25	3.78	4.72
October 7	97½	98½	32½	32½	23½	23½	4.60	4.70	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.31	3.87	4.85
November 4...	100½	102	30½	30½	24½	24½	4.60	4.60	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.25	9.00	10.50	3.31	3.82	4.72
December 2...	96	97½	31½	32½	26½	26½	4.47½	4.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.00	3.37	3.94	4.72
1898.																			
January 6	98½	99	33½	33½	28½	28½	5.00	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.50	11.50	3.50	4.19	4.96
February 3	100½	101½	34½	34½	29	29½	5.15	5.15	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.00	10.25	10.00	11.00	3.56	4.06	4.84
March 3	106½	107½	35½	36½	31½	31½	5.52½	5.52½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	11.75	3.69	4.19	4.99
April 7	100	100½	34½	35½	30½	30½	5.47½	5.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
May 5	130	145	38½	39½	35	35	6.25	6.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.19	5.15

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XII.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Un-washed.	Fine medium (scoured basis).	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, $\frac{1}{4}$ - $\frac{3}{8}$ blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, $\frac{1}{4}$ - $\frac{3}{8}$ blood.	Montana.	Wyoming and Utah.
Per pound.											
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 5	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.15 @ 4.25	3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	23	24	19	35	33
February 2	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.95 @ 4.10	3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	35	33
March 2	7 $\frac{5}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.75 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.50	2.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	23	19	35	33
April 6	7 $\frac{5}{8}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	21	23	19	35	33
May 4	6 $\frac{7}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	22	24	20	35	33
June 1	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.60 @ 3.70	3.40 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	21	22	18	34	32
July 6	6 $\frac{7}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	20	17	33	31
August 3	6 $\frac{7}{8}$	6 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	22	19	35	33
September 7	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.70 @ 3.85	3.15	2.60	20	22	19	35	33
October 5	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.80 @ 3.90	3.50 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	18	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 2	5 $\frac{3}{8}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	18	34	32
December 7	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18	20	18	33	31
1895.											
January 4	5 $\frac{3}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	32	31
February 1	5	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	17	20	17	32	31
March 1	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	32	31
April 5	5 $\frac{3}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	30	28
May 3	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	17	30	28
June 7	7	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16	18	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	28
July 5	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.15 @ 4.25	4.00 @ 4.25	3.30 @ 3.45	2.60	18	21	19	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	32
August 2	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.20 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.05 @ 3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.45	18	21	19	34	32
September 6	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.00 @ 4.25	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	19	34	32
October 4	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	9 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.40 @ 4.60	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.00 @ 3.50	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	19	35	33
November 1	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	9	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	19	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	33
December 6	8	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	21	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	32
1896.											
January 3	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	21	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	35	32
February 7	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	36	33
March 6	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	36	33
April 3	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	19	21	17	35	31
May 1	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.25 @ 4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	30
June 5	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	29
July 3	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	29
August 7	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	28
September 4	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	17	18	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	26
October 2	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	18	19	15	29	27
November 6	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.40 @ 3.65	3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	19	21	16	33	31
December 4	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.70	3.65 @ 3.90	2.05 @ 2.20	19	21	17	33	31
1897.											
January 1	6 $\frac{7}{8}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.50 @ 3.55	3.25 @ 3.50	3.60 @ 3.75	2.05 @ 2.20	19	20	17	33	30
February 5	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.60 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.15	19	21	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	31
March 5	7	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.40 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	31
April 2	7	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.50 @ 3.55	3.50 @ 3.60	3.30 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	38	36
May 7	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.75	3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.15	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	38	36
June 4	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.75	3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.15	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	37	34
July 2	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{7}{8}$	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.20 @ 3.55	2.00 @ 2.10	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	40	38
August 6	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.40 @ 3.70	3.45 @ 3.80	2.00 @ 2.10	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	46	44
September 3	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{3}{8}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	47	45
October 1	6	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.65 @ 3.75	3.55 @ 3.90	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	27	29	23	51	47
November 5	5 $\frac{3}{8}$	6	3.75 @ 3.90	3.80 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	23	55	52
December 3	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	23	54	49
1898.											
January 7	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	22	53	50
February 4	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	29	31	22	54	50
March 4	5 $\frac{3}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 4.00	3.50 @ 4.00	2.10 @ 2.25	29	31	22	53	49
April 1	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	29	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	48	46
May 6	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{8}$	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	44

Territorial.

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XIII.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bankers' sterling bills on London.	Prime commercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1894.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
January 5.....	11.69	10.07½	20.50	3.15	3.50	4.87½	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
February 2.....	11.25	9.75	19.87½	3.27½	3.62½	4.85	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
March 2.....	11.13	9.55	18.75	3.20	3.75	4.85	4.87½	4.86 @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 6.....	11.00	9.50	19.35	3.35	3.70	4.80	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 4.....	10.75	9.35	19.95	3.40	3.55	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 1.....	10.75	9.25	19.85	3.30	3.40	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 6.....	11.00	9.05	19.30	3.42½	3.47½	4.72½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 3.....	10.75	9.05	18.70	3.60	3.45	4.72½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 7.....	10.75	9.15	16.12½	3.22½	3.42½	4.77½	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
October 5.....	10.75	9.65	15.80	3.17½	3.42½	3.85	4.86½ @ 4.87½	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 2.....	10.75	9.55	14.75	3.15	3.37½	3.75	4.87½	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
December 7.....	10.75	9.55	13.60	3.12½	3.30	3.65	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1895.										
January 4.....	10.50	9.90	13.40	3.05	3.27½	3.60	4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
February 1.....	10.50	9.87½	14.30	3.11½	3.20	3.57½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
March 1.....	10.50	9.62½	13.07½	3.08½	3.10	3.50	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 5.....	10.63	9.37½	13.93	3.11	3.21	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89½	4.88 @ 4.88½	5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 3.....	10.75	9.86	14.21	3.07½	3.17½	3.52½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 7.....	11.50	10.56	14.19	3.29	3.71	3.52½	4.89	4.87½ @ 4.88	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
July 5.....	12.50	10.55	14.12½	3.30	3.61	3.65	4.89 @ 4.89½	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
August 2.....	12.50	11.79	14.35	3.52	3.84	3.75	4.90	4.88½ @ 4.89	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 6.....	13.13	12.25	14.36	3.45	4.17	3.65	4.89 @ 4.90	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
October 4.....	13.25	12.15	14.54	3.36	4.16	3.65	4.87 @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 1.....	13.00	11.68	14.62	3.29	3.93	3.65	4.87½ @ 4.87½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
December 6.....	12.25	10.77	14.08	3.30	3.53	3.60	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1896.										
January 3.....	12.25	10.00	13.08	3.12	3.57½	3.60	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
February 7.....	12.00	10.15	13.42	3.10½	4.03	3.52½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 6.....	11.88	11.10	13.33	3.20	4.08	3.45	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	39½ @ 40
April 3.....	10.63	10.30	13.40	3.07½	4.12½	3.42½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 1.....	10.63	10.75	13.37	3.06	4.04	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 5.....	10.75	11.50	13.43	3.02½	4.05	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 3.....	10.25	11.50	13.51	3.01	4.07½	3.47½	4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 7.....	10.25	11.08	13.37	2.83½	3.89	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 4.....	10.00	10.77½	13.31	2.72½	3.66	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
October 2.....	10.25	10.70	12.90	2.78	3.62½	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 39½
November 6.....	10.50	10.85	12.95	2.88½	3.88	3.65	4.82½ @ 4.83½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
December 4.....	11.00	11.37½	12.95	3.03½	4.25	3.70	4.84½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
1897.										
January 1.....	11.00	11.43	12.97½	3.05	4.09	3.75	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
February 5.....	6.87	12.00	13.50	3.18	4.00	3.80	4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 5.....	6.87	11.92	13.52	3.38½	4.08½	3.75	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
April 2.....	6.60	11.77½	13.17	3.39	4.09	3.60	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
May 7.....	6.35	11.00	13.22½	3.26	4.12½	3.70	4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 4.....	6.40	11.00	13.50	3.27½	4.25	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 2.....	6.50	11.20	14.05	3.61	4.30	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 6.....	6.37½	11.00	13.77½	3.77½	4.30	3.70	4.86 @ 4.87	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
September 3.....	6.70	11.25	13.61	4.21	4.25	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
October 1.....	7.05	11.25	13.63	4.32½	4.25	3.70	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 40
November 5.....	6.95	10.90	13.72½	3.92½	4.15	3.90	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
December 3.....	6.70	10.80	13.72½	3.77½	4.00	3.70	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
1898.										
January 7.....	6.65	10.90	13.82½	3.66	3.95	3.80	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
February 4.....	6.55	10.95	13.87½	3.60	4.00	3.85	4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
March 4.....	6.82½	11.92½	14.22½	3.77½	4.22½	3.85	4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
April 1.....	6.75	11.95	14.35	3.75	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
May 6.....	6.75	12.15	14.60	3.74	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½

a Prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their values in the foreign markets.

IMPORT PRICES.

IMPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898									1899			
		April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	Janu-ary.	February.	March.	April.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Coal, bituminous.....	Ton	2. 87	2. 95	2. 70	2. 81	2. 70	2. 58	2. 99	2. 80	2. 78	2. 94	2. 81	3. 06	3. 25
Coffee	Pound ..	. 071	. 064	. 072	. 064	. 064	. 061	. 067	. 056	. 062	. 064	. 067	. 077	. 071
Cotton cloth:														
Not bleached, etc.....	Sq. yd....	. 052	. 073	. 074	. 085	. 077	. 076	. 093	. 089	. 099	. 082	. 079	. 081	. 087
Bleached, etc .....	....do ...	. 124	. 127	. 133	. 137	. 126	. 121	. 124	. 128	. 128	. 131	. 132	. 135	. 128
Fibers, vegetable, etc:														
Unmanufactured—														
Flax	Ton	239. 15	209. 43	186. 96	142. 35	170. 97	176. 34	174. 82	283. 44	214. 44	238. 68	218. 12	229. 53	254. 26
Hemp .....	....do ...	139. 06	138. 18	128. 34	126. 40	129. 53	122. 75	98. 71	124. 90	122. 45	123. 91	111. 77	121. 50	127. 72
Jute and jute butts ..	....do ...	19. 61	18. 99	22. 57	22. 91	21. 25	18. 46	28. 00	47. 01	35. 22	34. 69	44. 11	32. 49	21. 91
Manila .....	....do ...	71. 30	75. 63	76. 43	120. 90	114. 64	100. 08	99. 37	119. 96	114. 13	120. 09	138. 67	120. 10	115. 48
Sisal grass .....	....do ...	78. 04	92. 50	151. 70	175. 40	107. 68	120. 23	124. 88	120. 11	91. 75	102. 63	126. 09	120. 33	144. 24
Fish:														
Pickled—														
Herring	Pound ..	. 033	. 027	. 027	. 032	. 039	. 037	. 027	. 036	. 033	. 034	. 037	. 030	. 031
Mackerel .....	....do ...	. 068	. 060	. 057	. 058	. 053	. 063	. 077	. 073	. 072	. 068	. 072	. 072	. 072
Glass: Cylinder, etc., un-														
polished .....	....do ...	. 028	. 025	. 026	. 023	. 023	. 026	. 027	. 026	. 032	. 027	. 030	. 031	. 031
India rubber, crude.....	....do ...	. 597	. 604	. 569	. 606	. 636	. 608	. 586	. 588	. 597	. 635	. 663	. 628	. 571
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron (a).....	Ton.....	30. 77	24. 26	30. 44	28. 91	27. 43	31. 04	29. 94	29. 70	31. 13	28. 23	31. 35	31. 87	30. 19
Sheet, plate, and tag-														
gers iron	Pound ..	. 033	. 025	. 037	. 041	. 039	. 040	. 051	. 052	. 032	. 040	. 041	. 050	. 047
Tin plates .....	....do ...	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 022	. 023	. 023	. 023	. 023	. 024	. 024	. 025
Molasses..... dut..	Gallon ..	. 167	. 115	. 178	. 160	. 181	. 138	. 160	. 199	. 210	. 194	. 194	. 243	. 121
Provisions:														
Cheese.....	Pound ..	. 138	. 137	. 134	. 131	. 130	. 126	. 142	. 128	. 133	. 142	. 142	. 134	. 136
Rice .....	....do ...	. 020	. 021	. 024	. 025	. 027	. 022	. 021	. 023	. 021	. 022	. 020	. 020	. 017
Salt	100 lbs ..	. 187	. 122	. 156	. 156	. 132	. 165	. 178	. 122	. 189	. 135	. 189	. 176	. 110
Silk, raw, or as reeled from														
the cocoon	Pound ..	3. 28	3. 27	3. 18	3. 03	2. 99	3. 14	3. 00	3. 12	3. 12	3. 14	3. 34	3. 43	3. 49
Sugar not above No. 16														
Dutch standard:														
Beet .....	....do ...	. 015	. 016	. 020	. 020	. 018	. 020	. 020	. 021	. 022	. 021	. 021	. 021	. 021
Cane, and all other....	....do ...	. 021	. 023	. 024	. 026	. 025	. 024	. 022	. 021	. 021	. 023	. 023	. 025	. 025
Tea .....	....do ...	. 188	. 139	. 187	. 148	. 142	. 138	. 129	. 119	. 128	. 118	. 117	. 114	. 123
Tin: Bars, block, and pig.	....do ...	. 135	. 140	. 138	. 138	. 139	. 145	. 143	. 138	. 166	. 179	. 181	. 192	. 200
Tobacco, leaf:														
Suitable for wrappers....	....do ...	. 963	1. 03	1. 02	. 956	1. 02	. 963	1. 03	1. 05	1. 14	1. 53	1. 14	1. 30	. 996
Other .....	....do ...	. 541	. 476	. 367	. 295	. 476	. 459	. 554	. 637	. 565	. 611	. 575	. 558	. 553
Wines:														
Still wines—														
Incasks	Gallon ..	. 680	. 765	. 748	. 724	. 683	. 556	. 695	. 687	. 710	. 708	. 619	. 728	. 694
Wools, etc., and manufac-														
tures of:														
Raw—														
Class 1.....	Pound ..	. 164	. 155	. 185	. 142	. 176	. 134	. 114	. 086	. 161	. 134	. 157	. 171	. 129
Class 2.....	....do ...	. 247	. 214	. 152	. 200	. 314	. 315	. 281	. 317	. 312	. 304	. 258	. 314	. 248
Class 3.....	....do ...	. 095	. 091	. 091	. 087	. 091	. 099	. 096	. 097	. 095	. 094	. 097	. 096	. 095
Manufactures—														
Carpets and car-														
peting	Sq. yd....	3. 17	3. 03	3. 93	2. 67	2. 40	2. 46	2. 50	3. 01	2. 43	2. 99	2. 62	3. 22	2. 89
Cloths	Pound ..	. 857	. 888	. 919	. 953	. 959	. 994	. 992	. 923	. 918	1. 02	. 878	1. 02	. 961
Dress goods.....	Sq. yd....	. 192	. 166	. 191	. 206	. 224	. 211	. 183	. 176	. 219	. 222	. 235	. 224	. 213

a Mostly spiegeleisen and ferro-manganese.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—Cont'd.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their market value at the time of exportation.

DOMESTIC EXPORT PRICES.

EXPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898									1899			
		April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	January.	Febru-ary.	March.	April.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Breadstuffs:														
Corn.....	Bushel..	.361	.397	.384	.377	.380	.357	.359	.382	.405	.418	.419	.413	.414
Wheat.....	do	1.01	1.34	1.10	.882	.769	.723	.719	.725	.728	.745	.752	.757	.751
Wheat flour.....	Barrel ..	4.54	5.22	5.02	4.58	4.39	4.13	3.93	4.02	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.83	3.76
Coal:														
Anthracite	Ton.....	4.37	4.24	4.05	4.14	4.42	4.17	4.07	4.10	4.15	4.05	4.13	4.22	4.05
Bituminous	do	2.17	2.24	2.33	2.18	2.15	2.19	2.40	2.09	2.10	2.02	1.89	1.93	1.93
Copper, ingots, bars, and old...	Pound ..	.111	.117	.118	.117	.114	.117	.118	.118	.121	.131	.155	.163	.169
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	do .....	.059	.061	.062	.061	.060	.053	.052	.051	.054	.056	.061	.062	.063
Cloths:														
Colored.....	Yard ...	.051	.049	.050	.047	.048	.047	.046	.048	.048	.046	.047	.050	.049
Uncolored	do .....	.045	.046	.046	.049	.048	.047	.048	.046	.042	.046	.044	.041	.045
Hay	Ton.....	14.23	13.50	14.44	13.80	12.73	12.34	12.77	12.78	12.79	12.34	13.97	13.72	14.38
Hops	Pound ..	.152	.137	.147	.140	.126	.115	.156	.175	.181	.171	.181	.173	.164
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron	Ton.....	11.12	13.18	11.54	10.81	10.42	10.41	10.15	10.14	10.26	10.31	10.47	10.91	11.82
Nails and spikes, cut	Pound ..	.018	.018	.017	.019	.018	.019	.019	.019	.017	.016	.017	.018	.018
Leather, sole	do .....	.183	.177	.171	.182	.185	.165	.168	.178	.170	.158	.165	.166	.169
Naval stores:														
Rosin	Barrel ..	1.74	1.56	1.55	1.48	1.42	1.42	1.54	1.45	1.50	1.37	1.39	1.41	1.45
Turpentine, spirits of	Gallon ..	.286	.285	.286	.272	.271	.290	.315	.366	.386	.440	.430	.435	.406
Oil cake and oil-cake meal	Pound ..	.010	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009
Oils:														
Mineral—crude, etc.	Gallon ..	.037	.039	.038	.039	.043	.046	.047	.047	.046	.048	.047	.047	.051
Refined—illuminating	do .....	.049	.050	.052	.051	.050	.052	.058	.056	.062	.059	.063	.060	.060
Vegetable—cotton-seed	do .....	.247	.249	.259	.258	.233	.235	.236	.240	.249	.233	.234	.238	.249
Paraffin and paraffin wax	Pound ..	.039	.039	.037	.039	.039	.039	.039	.033	.038	.040	.041	.040	.041
Provisions:														
Beef—														
Fresh	do .....	.084	.088	.087	.083	.085	.086	.084	.082	.082	.084	.083	.081	.083
Salted or pickled	do .....	.057	.056	.062	.057	.054	.053	.052	.053	.054	.055	.054	.050	.057
Tallow	do .....	.038	.041	.041	.039	.038	.039	.040	.041	.038	.040	.039	.042	.043
Bacon	do .....	.070	.077	.073	.074	.075	.074	.074	.074	.078	.072	.075	.072	.074
Hams.....	do .....	.095	.092	.092	.093	.093	.090	.090	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091
Pork, pickled.....	do .....	.059	.061	.060	.061	.058	.059	.057	.058	.059	.058	.058	.056	.056
Lard	do .....	.059	.064	.064	.061	.060	.059	.059	.058	.059	.060	.060	.060	.060
Oleomargarine—the oil	do .....	.060	.061	.060	.058	.058	.059	.063	.062	.062	.064	.072	.072	.069
Butter.....	do .....	.171	.150	.152	.150	.165	.161	.170	.161	.167	.168	.161	.155	.159
Cheese.....	do .....	.088	.089	.075	.075	.079	.082	.091	.092	.099	.102	.101	.107	.109
Seeds:														
Clover	do .....	.054	.061	.060	.060	.059	.059	.060	.063	.066	.063	.064	.064	.066
Cotton.....	do .....	.005	.006	.006	.005	.005	.010	.007	.006	.007	.006	.005	.006	.006
Starch.....	do .....	.023	.023	.019	.020	.020	.018	.021	.022	.021	.020	.017	.022	.023
Sugar, refined	do .....	.048	.053	.045	.044	.051	.048	.048	.051	.041	.042	.047	.038	.045
Tobacco, leaf	do .....	.088	.086	.089	.087	.093	.096	.100	.096	.089	.090	.090	.091	.091
Wood: Boards, deals, and planks	M feet..	16.55	14.74	15.43	16.41	14.68	15.40	16.37	14.96	14.88	15.69	14.95	15.20	15.57

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

[From the Economist.]

I.—MINERALS.

DATE.	IRON.			COALS.	COPPER.	TIN.	LEAD.	SALTPETER.
	Scotch pig.	Cleveland bars.	Steel rails.	Best Wallsend London.	Chile bars.	Straits.	English pig.	English, refined.
	Per ton.							Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January 4.....	2 1 8½	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 9	40 15 0	60 6 3	9 14 6	1 2 9
February 1.....	2 1 2	4 17 6	3 12 6	14 6	40 1 3	60 15 0	9 13 6	1 2 9
March 1.....	2 2 1	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 0	39 2 6	60 5 0	9 13 9	1 2 9
April 4.....	2 1 9	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	39 6 3	63 8 5	10 2 6	1 3 0
May 3.....	2 3 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	41 3 9	64 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6
June 1.....	2 3 3	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 0 0	64 7 6	10 11 3	1 2 0
July 5.....	2 4 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 8 9	63 15 0	10 10 0	1 2 6
August 2.....	2 5 5½	4 15 0	3 15 0	14 0	43 15 0	64 13 9	11 3 9	1 3 0
September 1.....	2 7 2½	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	46 17 6	64 15 0	11 3 9	1 3 6
October 4.....	2 8 3	4 17 6	4 5 6	14 6	47 6 3	66 12 6	11 5 0	1 3 0
November 1.....	2 6 10	5 0 0	4 10 0	15 6	45 2 6	66 3 0	11 11 3	1 2 6
December 1.....	2 7 1	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 5 0	63 15 0	11 17 6	1 2 0
1896.								
January 1.....	2 5 3	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	41 5 0	53 0 0	11 3 9	1 1 0
February 1.....	2 7 4	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 18 0	60 5 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
March 1.....	2 7 5	5 0 0	4 15 0	14 6	46 6 3	60 2 6	11 12 6	1 1 9
April 2.....	2 6 8	5 0 0	4 15 0	13 6	45 2 6	60 7 8	11 6 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 6 4½	5 0 0	4 12 6	13 6	45 6 3	59 15 0	11 6 3	1 1 9
June 5.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	60 8 9	11 6 3	1 2 3
July 3.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	49 9 3	61 3 9	11 5 0	1 2 0
August 1.....	2 6 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	12 6	48 10 0	60 2 6	11 3 8	1 2 0
September 4.....	2 5 11	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	59 8 9	11 5 0	1 1 9
October 2.....	2 6 6	5 2 6	4 10 0	14 6	47 16 3	57 8 0	11 10 0	1 1 9
November 6.....	2 8 3	5 2 6	4 10 0	16 0	48 13 9	58 7 6	11 10 0	1 1 9
December 4.....	2 8 5½	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	48 12 6	58 4 6	11 15 0	1 1 0
1897.								
January 1.....	2 5 9	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	49 8 9	58 8 9	11 16 3	1 1 9
February 5.....	2 7 8½	5 7 6	4 12 6	17 0	51 11 3	61 17 6	11 17 6	1 1 9
March 5.....	2 5 7½	5 7 6	4 12 6	15 6	50 13 9	60 8 3	11 18 9	1 1 0
April 2.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 14 6	59 12 6	11 16 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 3 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 2 6	60 7 6	11 18 9	1 1 9
June 4.....	2 5 1	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 14 3	61 16 3	12 1 3	1 0 5
July 2.....	2 4 11	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 16 3	62 12 6	12 6 8	1 0 6
August 6.....	2 4 2	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	47 16 3	61 5 0	12 13 9	1 0 0
September 3.....	2 4 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 17 6	61 3 9	13 13 9	1 1 6
October 1.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	15 0	49 2 6	62 2 0	13 18 9	1 1 9
November 5.....	2 5 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 0	47 15 0	62 6 3	13 12 6	1 1 9
December 3.....	2 5 2½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 0 0	62 13 9	13 3 8	1 0 0
1898.								
January 1.....	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 5 0	62 19 3	12 11 3	1 0 0
February 4.....	2 5 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	49 5 0	63 5 0	12 11 3	1 0 0
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March 4.....	2 5 7½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	50 5 0	64 16 3	12 13 9	1 0 0
April 1.....	2 5 0½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	50 18 3	65 5 0	12 17 6	1 0 0
May 6.....	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	51 11 3	65 14 3	14 17 6	1 0 6
June 3.....	2 6 1	5 10 0	4 10 0	15 6	50 19 0	67 12 0	13 15 0	1 0 0
July 1.....	2 5 11	5 7 0	4 10 0	15 6	49 19 3	70 14 3	13 11 3	1 0 0
August 5.....	2 6 5½	5 7 6	4 12 6	16 6	50 7 0	71 10 0	12 17 0	1 0 0
September 2.....	2 7 2½	5 15 0	4 12 6	16 6	51 18 9	73 3 0	13 0 0	1 0 0
October 7.....	2 9 3	5 12 6	4 12 6	16 6	52 18 0	76 0 0	13 3 9	1 0 0
November 4.....	2 9 6	6 0 0	4 12 6	16 6	54 13 9	83 5 0	13 5 3	1 0 0
December 2.....	2 9 4	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	56 16 3	82 6 3	13 6 3	1 0 0
1899.								
January 6.....	2 10 3½	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	58 3 9	91 2 6	13 8 9	1 1 0
February 3.....	2 15 3	6 5 0	4 15 10	17 0	70 5 10	112 10 0	15 5 0	1 1 0
March 3.....	2 14 0½	6 7 6	4 15 0	17 0	70 5 0	107 0 0	14 1 3	1 1 0
April 7.....	2 14 4	6 7 6	4 17 6	17 0	72 10 0	113 10 0	14 15 0	1 1 0
May 6.....	3 2 2	6 7 6	5 2 6	17 0	76 6 0	117 10 0	14 10 0	1 1 0

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II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

DATE.	COTTON.		WOOL.			SILK.	FLAX.	HEMP.	JUTE.
	Raw, mid- dling upland.	Yarn, 40-mule twist.	Southdown hogs.	Lincoln hogs.	New South Wales, greasy, average.		Riga ZK.	Manila.	Good marks.
							Per pound.			Per ton.
	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
1895.						Cossimbuzar.			
January 4.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10	6½	9 9	28 0	17 7½	14 10
February 1.....	2½	6½	10½	0 9½	6½	9 9	27 5	17 12½	11 10
March 1.....	8	6	10	0 9½	6½	9 4½	27 0	17 12½	11 0
April 4.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	7½	9 3	27 5	17 5	12 0
May 3.....	3½	6½	10	0 9½	6½	9 3	27 10	17 15	12 10
June 1.....	3½	7	10	0 10	6½	9 3	27 10	19 5	12 10
July 5.....	3½	7	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	27 10	18 5	12 10
August 2.....	3½	6½	10½	1 2	7½	9 4½	28 0	19 15	12 10
September 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 3½	7½	9 9	27 15	19 10	13 10
October 3.....	4½	7½	11½	1 11	8½	9 9	27 0	21 5	13 0
November 1.....	4½	7½	11½	1 11	8½	9 9	27 10	21 0	12 10
December 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	7½	9 9	28 0	18 10	12 0
1896.									
January 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 3½	8	9 10½	27 15	17 5	12 0
February 1.....	4½	7½	11	1 11	8½	9 10½	27 15	18 5	12 0
March 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2½	8½	9 10½	28 10	17 17½	12 0
April 2.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	9	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
May 1.....	4½	7½	10½	1 2	8½	9 10½	28 0	17 2½	12 0
June 5.....	3½	7½	10½	1 0	8	9 9	27 0	17 15	12 0
July 3.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	16 17½	12 0
August 1.....	3½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	9 9	27 10	17 0	12 0
September 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	7½	9 6	27 10	18 1½	12 11
October 2.....	4½	7½	10½	0 10½	6½	9 6	27 10	18 8½	12 10
November 6.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	6½	8 10½	27 10	18 10	13 10
December 4.....	4½	7½	10½	0 11½	7½	8 10½	27 17½	18 5	13 10
1897.									
January 1.....	4	7	10½	0 11	7½	8 10½	27 10	17 7½	13 10
February 5.....	3½	7	10½	0 10½	7½	9 4½	26 10	16 5	13 10
March 5.....	3½	6½	10½	0 10½	7	9 4½	26 10	16 15	14 0
April 2.....	4	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 4½	26 10	16 0	14 10
May 1.....	4½	7	10½	0 10	6½	9 7½	27 0	15 17½	14 0
June 4.....	4½	7	10½	0 9½	7	9 6	26 5	15 5	13 0
July 2.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7	9 4½	25 15	14 15	13 0
August 6.....	4½	7½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 5	15 12½	13 13
September 3.....	4½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 1½	25 5	15 6	13 13
October 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 3	25 5	15 15	13 13
November 5.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8	9 4½	26 0	15 17½	12 0
December 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	26 0	17 0	12 0
1898.									
January 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	7½	9 4½	25 10	17 0	12 0
February 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9½	8½	9 4½	25 5	18 15	11 0
March 4.....	3½	6½	9½	0 9	8½	10 9	24 10	18 15	11 0
April 1.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 0	18 17½	11 0
May 6.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8	10 9	24 10	25 10	11 0
June 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8	10 9	25 0	25 0	12 0
July 1.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	25 0	33 10	12 0
August 5.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	30 10	12 0
September 2.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	30 10	12 0
October 7.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 5	31 10	13 0
November 4.....	3	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 15	26 10	13 0
December 2.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	24 10	23 15	13 0
1899.									
January 6.....	3½	6½	9	0 8½	8½	10 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
February 3.....	3½	6½	9½	0 8½	8½	12 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
March 3.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	8½	12 9	23 15	31 0	13 0
April 7.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	9	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0
May 6.....	3½	6½	8½	0 8½	10½	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0

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III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

DATE.	AMERICAN WHEAT, RED WINTER.	GAZETTE AVERAGES (ENGLISH GRAIN).			FLOUR.	BEEF.		MUTTON.	POTATOES.	RICE.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Town-made, seconds.	Inferior.	Prime.	Prime.	Good Eng- lish.	Rangoon.
		Per quarter.				Per 280 lbs.	Per 8 pounds.			Per ton.	Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 4.....	1 2 9	1 5 5	1 0 10	0 13 9	0 19 0	2 8	4 4	6 4	3 15 0	5 8½
February 1.....	1 3 3	1 0 9	1 1 11	0 13 10	0 19 0	2 8	4 2	6 2	4 5 0	5 8½
March 1.....	1 3 3	0 19 10	1 2 2	0 13 9	0 18 9	2 8	4 4	6 0	5 0 0	5 6
April 4.....	1 4 3	1 0 3	1 0 10	0 14 0	0 18 9	2 8	4 6	6 6	4 17 6	5 6
May 3.....	1 4 3	1 0 9	1 0 8	0 14 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 0	5 8	4 5 0	5 10½
June 1.....	1 9 0	1 3 5	1 0 1	0 15 9	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	3 15 0	0 1½
July 5.....	1 8 0	1 5 1	1 0 3	0 16 7	1 2 6	2 8	4 6	5 6	3 0 0	5 1½
August 2.....	1 5 0	1 4 2	0 18 2	0 15 9	1 1 9	2 8	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 3½
September 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 10	1 3 5	0 14 5	1 1 3	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	5 3½
October 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 0	1 4 8	0 13 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 4	5 10	3 0 0	5 3
November 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 5	1 5 4	0 13 7	0 19 7½	2 8	4 2	5 10	2 15 0	5 6½
December 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 7	1 5 1	0 14 4	0 19 10½	2 4	4 4	5 10	2 15 0	5 4
1896.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 0	1 3 11	0 13 10	0 19 4½	2 6	4 4	5 10	2 10 0	5 2½
February 1.....	1 7 0	1 6 1	1 3 7	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 6	5 8	2 10 0	5 5½
March 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 6	1 1 10	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	2 5 0	5 7½
April 2.....	1 8 3	1 4 10	1 1 4	0 13 4	1 1 3	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 0 0	5 6½
May 1.....	1 7 3	1 5 5	1 1 0	0 13 11	1 1 0	2 4	4 4	5 0	2 0 0	5 7½
June 5.....	1 7 0	1 5 4	1 1 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 2	5 4	1 5 0	5 9
July 3.....	1 7 0	1 4 10	1 19 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 0	5 4	10 0 0	5 6
August 1.....	1 6 8	1 4 0	0 19 8	0 15 0	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 2	10 0 0	5 9
September 4.....	1 5 0	1 2 5	1 1 10	0 13 7	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 5	10 0 0	5 9
October 2.....		1 4 4	1 6 3	0 14 1	1 2 0	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 15 0	5 9
November 6.....	1 16 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	0 17 3	1 6 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 0 0	7 6
December 4.....	1 17 0	1 13 4	1 5 9	0 17 7	1 7 3	2 4	4 4	5 4	3 0 0	7 2½
1897.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 15 6	1 10 9	1 4 1	0 16 1	1 6 0	2 8	4 8	5 6	3 5 0	6 9
February 5.....	1 15 8	1 11 8	1 4 7	0 16 8	1 6 6	2 6	4 2	5 4	3 10 0	6 11
March 5.....	1 14 9	1 8 2	1 3 8	0 16 3	1 5 9	2 4	4 6	6 0	3 10 6	6 7½
April 2.....	1 12 6	1 7 9	1 2 5	0 16 3	1 4 3	2 6	4 4	6 2	3 19 0	6 6
May 1.....	1 11 9	1 6 6	1 0 7	0 16 7	1 4 0	2 6	4 6	5 6	3 5 0	6 6
June 4.....	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 1 3	0 17 10	1 5 0	2 4	4 6	5 8	3 0 0	6 10½
July 2.....	1 9 3	1 7 0	0 19 9	0 18 6	1 3 9	2 4	4 8	5 10	10 0 0	7 0
August 6.....	1 12 0	1 8 10	0 17 10	0 19 0	1 4 0	2 4	4 6	5 6	10 0 0	7 4½
September 3.....	1 16 6	1 11 8	1 2 5	0 17 1	1 11 6	2 4	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 3
October 1.....	1 18 6	1 13 11	1 9 7	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 5 0	7 7½
November 5.....	1 18 6	1 12 10	1 7 5	0 16 0	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
December 3.....	1 17 0	1 13 8	1 5 9	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 8	3 15 0	6 7½
1898.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 17 9	1 14 6	1 7 3	0 17 1	1 10 6	2 8	4 4	5 8	4 5 0	5 9
February 4.....	1 18 3	1 14 10	1 8 0	0 17 6	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 5 0	5 9
March 4.....	2 0 6	1 15 10	1 8 0	0 17 11	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 0 0	6 3
April 1.....	1 18 3	1 15 3	1 7 11	0 17 10	1 11 0	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 10 0	6 10½
May 6.....	2 10 0	2 2 4	1 7 8	1 0 4	1 15 6	2 4	4 2	5 0	5 10 0	8 0
					Town-house- hold.					
June 3.....	2 6 6	2 6 3	1 6 10	1 1 0	1 17 6	2 4	4 2	5 2	5 10 0	8 0
July 1.....	1 16 6	1 18 3	1 3 4	1 0 8	1 14 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	10 0 0	7 10
August 5.....	1 14 6	1 15 7	1 6 11	1 0 7	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	10 0 0	7 4
September 2.....	1 9 6	1 10 7	1 7 6	0 19 3	1 7 0	2 0	3 10	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
October 7.....	1 9 6	1 5 9	1 7 0	0 16 7	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 2
November 4.....	1 12 6	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 17 2	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 3
December 2.....	1 11 6	1 7 7	1 8 6	0 17 1	1 4 6	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 10 0	
1899.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 11 6	1 7 6	1 8 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 8	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 1
February 3.....	1 11 6	1 6 6	1 7 2	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 6	4 4	5 4	3 10 0	7 7½
March 3.....	1 11 6	1 5 8	1 6 7	0 17 0	1 3 0	2 6	4 4	5 8	3 5 0	7 7½
April 7.....	1 11 6	1 4 11	1 6 2	0 16 11	1 2 0	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	7 1½
May 6.....	1 11 6	1 5 3	1 4 5	0 17 6	1 2 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	4 12 6	6 7½

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IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

DATE.	SUGAR.		TEA, CONGOU.		COFFEE.	OILS.		TALLOW.	Quarterly and monthly index number.
	Manila, low brown.	West India refining, sirups.	Common.	Good.	Ceylon, plantation low mid-dling.	Petroleum.	Olive, Spanish.	Town.	
	Per cwt.		Per pound.		Per cwt.	Per gallon.	Per tun.	Per cwt.	
1895.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
January 1.....	6 9	9 8	4	1 1	5 3 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	37 5 0	1 3 0	1923
February 1.....	6 9	9 6	4 ¹ / ₂	1 1	5 4 0	4 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 0	
March 1.....	6 9	9 3	4 ¹ / ₂	1 1	5 5 0	4 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 9	
April 4.....	6 9	9 3	3 ³ / ₄	1 0	5 1 0	5 ⁷ / ₁₆	37 5 0	1 3 6	1921
May 3.....	6 9	10 0	3 ³ / ₄	1 0	4 19 0	7 ¹ / ₁₆	37 10 0	1 3 9	
June 1.....	7 8	10 9	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 19 0	5 ⁷ / ₈	37 0 0	1 3 9	
July 5.....	6 10 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 18 0	5 ⁷ / ₈	37 0 0	1 3 6	1931
August 2.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	10 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 19 0	5 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 0	
September 1.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	37 0 0	1 3 0	
October 3.....		11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	35 0 0	1 3 0	2009
November 1.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 6	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	34 10 0	1 3 0	
December 1.....	7 3	11 0	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 16 0	6 ¹ / ₂	34 0 0	1 3 0	
1896.									
January 1.....	7 4 ¹ / ₂	10 6	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 15 0	6 ⁷ / ₈	33 0 0	1 3 0	1999
February 1.....	8 0	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₁₆	32 0 0	1 3 0	1990
March 1.....	8 8	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 16 0	5 ¹ / ₂	31 0 0	1 3 0	1992
April 2.....	8 3	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	1983
May 1.....	8 8	11 6	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 17 0	5 ⁷ / ₁₆	29 10 0	1 0 0	1959
June 5.....	8 3	11 3	3 ³ / ₄	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₁₆	29 10 0	1 0 0	1906
	Manila low tael.								
July 3.....	8 3	11 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₁₆	29 10 0	1 0 0	1947
August 1.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 0 0	0 19 3	1925
September 4.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 19 0	0 18 6	
October 2.....	7 0	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 0	1658
November 6.....	7 0	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 9	
December 4.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ¹ / ₂	4 17 0	5 ¹ / ₂	29 10 0	1 0 9	
1897.									
January 1.....	7 7 ¹ / ₂	10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ¹ / ₂	4 16 0	5	29 10 0	1 0 9	1950
February 5.....		10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ¹ / ₂	4 18 0	5 ⁷ / ₁₆	29 0 0	1 0 9	
March 5.....		10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 3 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	1 0 9	
April 2.....	7 6	10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 3 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	1 0 9	1942
May 1.....	7 4 ¹ / ₂	10 3	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 2 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	1 0 9	
June 4.....	7 3 ¹ / ₂	10 6	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 2 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	0 19 3	
July 2.....	7 1 ¹ / ₂	11 0	4	0 9 ¹ / ₂	5 0 0	4 ¹ / ₂	30 0 0	0 19 3	1885
August 6.....		10 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 16 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	0 19 3	
September 3.....	6 9	9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	4 ⁷ / ₁₆	31 10 0	0 19 3	1890
October 1.....		9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	4 ⁷ / ₁₆	31 10 0	1 0 0	
November 5.....		9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 18 0	4 ⁷ / ₁₆	31 10 0	1 0 0	
	Beet.								
December 3.....	9 0 ¹ / ₂	10 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 13 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	1 0 0	1891
1898.									
January 1.....	9 7 ¹ / ₂	9 9	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₂	31 10 0	1 1 6	
February 4.....	9 1 ¹ / ₂	9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	5 0 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	33 5 0	1 1 6	1890
March 4.....	9 2 ¹ / ₂	9 6	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 13 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	33 0 0	1 1 6	
April 1.....	9 2 ¹ / ₂	9 3	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	5 0 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	33 0 0	1 1 6	1885
May 6.....	9 4 ¹ / ₂	10 9	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	33 0 0	1 3 0	
June 3.....	9 10 ¹ / ₂	11 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	33 0 0	1 4 6	
July 1.....	9 7	11 0	3 ¹ / ₂	0 10	4 5 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	33 0 0	1 3 0	1915
August 5.....	9 4 ¹ / ₂	11 0	6	1 1	4 12 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	30 10 0	1 1 6	
September 2.....	9 6	10 6	7	1 1	4 18 0	5	30 10 0	1 1 6	1905
October 7.....	9 8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	6	1 1	4 18 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	
November 4.....	9 8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 10 0	1 1 6	
December 2.....	10 1 ¹ / ₂	12 6	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 ¹ / ₂	30 19 0	1 1 6	1918
1899.									
January 6.....	9 5 ¹ / ₂	12 0	5	1 1	5 0 0	6 ¹ / ₁₆	30 10 0	1 1 6	
February 3.....	9 10 ¹ / ₂	12 0	5	1 1	4 15 0	6 ¹ / ₁₆	30 10 0	1 3 9	
March 3.....	9 10 ¹ / ₂	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	6	30 10 0	1 3 9	
April 7.....	10 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	5 ¹ / ₁₆	31 0 0	1 3 9	1973
May 6.....	11 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	4 ¹ / ₁₆	31 0 0	1 3 9	

TREASURY FINANCIAL TABLES

PUBLIC DEBT AND THE CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1899.

INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Title of loan.	Authorizing act.	Rate.	When redeemable.	Amount issued.	Outstanding April 30, 1899.			Outstanding March 1, 1885.	Outstanding March 1, 1889.	Outstanding March 1, 1893.
					Registered.	Coupon.	Total.			
				<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Loan of July 12, 1882.	July 12, 1882.	3 per cent.	Option U. S.	305,529,000				194,190,500		
Funded loan of 1891.	July 14, 1870, and Jan. 20, 1871.	4½ per cent. Continued at 2 per cent.	Sept. 1, 1891. Option U. S.	250,000,000	25,364,500		25,364,500	250,000,000	162,842,200	25,364,500
Funded loan of 1907.	do	4 per cent.	July 1, 1907.	740,913,400	491,289,500	68,362,550	559,652,050	737,707,200	681,138,000	559,595,900
Refunding certificates.	Feb. 26, 1879.	do		40,012,750			38,010	251,350	126,020	73,860
Loan of 1904.	Jan. 14, 1875.	5 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1904.	100,000,000	67,536,950	32,463,050	100,000,000			
Loan of 1925.	do	4 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1925.	162,315,400	113,779,000	48,535,800	162,315,400			
Ten-twenties of 1898.	June 13, 1898.	3 per cent.	After Aug. 1, 1908.	198,678,720	94,222,540	104,456,180	198,678,720			
Aggregate of interest-bearing debt.				1,797,449,270	792,193,090	253,817,580	1,046,048,680	1,182,149,050	844,106,220	585,034,260

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

Funded loan of 1891, matured Sept. 2, 1891.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old debt matured at various dates prior to Jan. 1, 1861, and other items of debt matured at various dates subsequent to Jan. 1, 1861.	112,853.00
Aggregate of debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,105,510.26
Bonds issued to Pacific railroads matured but not yet presented: Union Pacific, \$33,000; Central Pacific, \$66,000; Kansas Pacific, \$8,000; total.	1,218,390.26
	112,000.00

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

United States notes.	Feb. 25, 1862; July 11, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old-demand notes.	July 17, 1861; Feb. 12, 1862.	346,681,016.00
National bank notes:		53,997.50
Redemption account.	July 14, 1890.	34,830,371.00
Fractional currency.	July 17, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863; June 30, 1864, less \$8,375,934, estimated as lost or destroyed, act of June 21, 1879.	6,882,312.66
Aggregate of debt bearing no interest.		388,447,727.16

CERTIFICATES AND NOTES ISSUED ON DEPOSITS OF COIN AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES AND PURCHASES OF SILVER BULLION.

Classification.		In Treasury.	In circulation.	Amount issued.
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold certificates.	Mar. 3, 1863; July 12, 1882.	1,641,800.00	32,845,029.00	34,486,829.00
Silver certificates.	Feb. 23, 1873; Aug. 4, 1886; Mar. 3, 1887.	3,617,255.00	400,379,249.00	404,026,504.00
Certificates of deposit.	June 8, 1872.	60,000.00	21,265,000.00	21,325,000.00
Treasury notes of 1890.	July 14, 1890.	959,239.00	93,559,041.00	94,518,280.00
Aggregate of certificates and Treasury notes offset by cash in the Treasury.		6,308,294.00	548,048,319.00	554,356,613.00

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	April 30, 1899.	March 31, 1899.	Increase.	Decrease.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Interest-bearing debt.	1,046,048,680.00	1,045,775,290.00	273,390.00	
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,218,390.26	1,219,420.26		1,030.00
Debt bearing no interest.	388,447,727.16	386,551,016.16	1,893,711.00	
Aggregate of interest and noninterest bearing debt.	1,435,714,797.42	1,433,548,726.42	2,167,101.00	1,030.00
Certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury.	554,356,613.00	555,003,613.00		647,000.00
Aggregate of debt, including certificates and Treasury notes.	1,990,071,410.42	1,988,552,339.42	2,167,101.00	648,030.00

PUBLIC DEBT AND CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL,
1899—Continued.

CASH IN THE TREASURY.

CLASSIFICATION.			DEMAND LIABILITIES.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold:			Gold certificates	34,486,829.00	
Coin	158,155,309.22		Silver certificates	404,026,504.00	
Bars	120,829,945.39	278,985,254.61	Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872....	21,325,000.00	
Silver:			Treasury notes of 1890	94,518,280.00	554,356,613.00
Dollars	412,803,833.00		Fund for redemption of uncurrent national-		
Subsidiary coin	6,926,630.75		bank notes	9,443,430.30	
Bars	87,916,328.26	507,646,792.01	Outstanding checks and drafts	24,874,105.98	
Paper:			Disbursing officers' balances	53,264,624.91	
United States notes	34,623,611.00		Agency accounts, etc	7,099,210.22	99,631,371.41
Treasury notes of 1890	959,239.00				
Gold certificates	1,641,800.00		Gold reserve	100,000,000.00	
Silver certificates	3,647,255.00		Net cash balance	163,127,533.05	263,127,533.05
Certificates of deposit, act June 8, 1872....	60,000.00				
National bank notes	3,919,501.14	44,831,406.14			
Other:					
Bonds, interest and coupons paid, await-					
ing reimbursement	132,567.59				
Minor coin and fractional currency	378,902.58				
Deposits in national bank depositories—					
General account	70,380,857.28				
Disbursing officers' balances	5,789,737.25	85,682,064.70			
Aggregate		917,165,517.46	Aggregate		917,165,517.46
Cash balance in the Treasury March 31, 1899.....					284,043,163.75
Cash balance in the Treasury April 30, 1899.....					263,127,533.05
Decrease during the month					20,915,630.70

AMOUNTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND CERTIFICATES, UNITED STATES NOTES, AND NATIONAL-BANK
NOTES IN CIRCULATION MAY 1, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

CLASSIFICATION.	May 1, 1898.			May 1, 1899.		
	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin	750,557,111	133,518,601	617,038,510	859,232,751	158,155,309	701,077,442
Silver, standard dollars	459,884,422	401,323,414	58,561,008	476,827,158	412,803,833	64,023,325
Subsidiary	76,605,249	12,018,967	64,586,273	76,710,825	6,926,631	69,784,194
Notes, United States	346,681,016	58,632,698	288,048,318	346,681,016	34,623,611	312,057,405
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890	102,691,280	3,102,310	99,588,970	94,518,280	959,239	93,559,041
National bank	226,113,751	2,728,961	223,384,790	242,796,708	3,919,501	238,877,207
Certificates, gold	37,555,149	1,603,150	35,951,999	34,486,829	1,641,800	32,845,029
silver	396,325,504	3,638,930	392,686,574	404,026,504	3,647,255	400,379,249
currency	27,735,000	820,000	26,915,000	21,325,000	60,000	21,265,000
Total		617,387,031	1,806,761,442		622,737,179	1,933,867,892

Population of the United States May 1, 1898, estimated at 74,255,000; circulation per capita, \$24.33.
May 1, 1899, population estimated at 75,875,000; circulation per capita, \$25.49.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION ON APRIL 1 AND MAY 1, 1898 AND 1899, AND THE CHANGES
IN CIRCULATION DURING APRIL, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	In circulation—				From April 1, 1899.	
	Apr. 1, 1898.	May 1, 1898.	Apr. 1, 1899.	May 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin	582,129,742	617,038,510	694,855,942	701,077,442		6,221,500
Silver, standard dollars	58,562,557	58,561,008	64,536,483	64,023,325	513,163	
Subsidiary	64,618,802	64,586,273	69,496,609	69,784,194		287,585
Notes, United States	267,305,587	288,048,318	310,519,117	312,057,405		1,538,288
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890	99,709,432	99,588,970	94,075,701	93,559,041	516,660	
National bank	221,742,388	223,384,790	240,261,430	238,877,207	1,384,223	
Certificates, gold	36,319,199	35,951,999	32,892,649	32,845,029	47,620	
silver	387,770,898	392,636,574	398,874,006	400,379,249		1,505,243
currency	37,900,000	26,915,000	22,335,000	21,265,000	1,070,000	
Total	1,756,058,645	1,806,761,442	1,927,846,942	1,933,867,892		6,020,950

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MONEY AND BULLION IN TREASURY DURING APRIL,
1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

CLASSIFICATION.	In Treasury—				From April 1, 1899.	
	Apr. 1, 1898.	May 1, 1898.	Apr. 1, 1899.	May 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin.....	147,256,076	133,518,601	156,745,506	158,155,309	.....	1,409,803
Standard silver dollars.....	400,637,825	401,323,414	410,656,670	412,803,833	.....	2,147,163
Subsidiary silver.....	11,965,278	12,018,967	6,894,375	6,926,631	.....	32,256
Treasury notes, act July 14, 1890.....	3,905,848	3,102,310	878,579	959,239	.....	80,660
United States notes.....	79,375,420	58,632,698	36,161,899	31,623,611	1,538,288	.....
National bank notes.....	2,739,491	2,728,961	2,873,462	3,919,501	.....	1,046,039
Total.....	645,879,047	611,324,951	614,210,491	617,388,124	1,538,288	4,715,921
Gold bullion.....	63,647,258	83,671,535	121,560,849	120,829,945	730,904	.....
Silver bullion.....	99,829,432	99,551,902	88,825,937	87,916,328	909,609	.....
Total.....	809,356,637	794,548,388	824,597,277	826,134,397	.....	1,537,120

PAPER CURRENCY OF EACH DENOMINATION OUTSTANDING APRIL 30, 1899.

[Prepared by Treasurer's office.]

DENOMINATION.	United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National bank notes.	Gold certificates.	Silver certificates.	Total.	Currency certificates. (a)
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
One dollar.....	2,292,203	12,649,668	348,721	.....	39,686,936	54,977,528	.....
Two dollars.....	2,153,718	9,491,782	167,876	.....	21,969,312	33,782,688	.....
Five dollars.....	73,647,872	32,151,810	74,209,360	.....	107,264,315	287,273,357	.....
Ten dollars.....	92,966,801	27,620,720	75,792,880	.....	126,029,166	322,409,567	.....
Twenty dollars.....	78,736,272	8,932,150	56,693,480	4,517,774	79,913,170	223,792,846	.....
Fifty dollars.....	13,023,950	158,450	11,687,400	2,552,155	22,999,735	51,021,690	.....
One hundred dollars.....	23,905,200	1,624,700	23,729,600	3,503,490	5,879,870	58,642,770	.....
Five hundred dollars.....	12,533,000	.....	108,060	3,300,000	118,000	16,059,000	.....
One thousand dollars.....	47,797,000	1,889,000	23,000	5,378,000	166,000	55,258,000	.....
Five thousand dollars.....	15,000	.....	.....	4,815,500	.....	4,839,500	465,000
Ten thousand dollars.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,420,000	.....	10,430,000	20,861,060
Fractional parts.....	.....	.....	31,391	.....	.....	31,391	.....
Total.....	347,681,016	94,518,280	242,796,708	34,486,829	404,026,504	1,123,509,337	21,325,000
Unknown, destroyed.....	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000,000	.....
Net.....	346,681,016	94,518,280	242,796,708	34,486,829	404,026,504	1,122,509,337	21,325,000

a Issued under act of June 8, 1872, and representing United States notes deposited in the Treasury.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Warrant Division, Secretary's office.]

RECEIPTS.

SOURCE OF REVENUE AND OBJECT OF EXPENDITURE.	April—		Four months ending April—		Ten months ending April—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Customs.....	14,193,976.99	17,645,945.98	58,954,581.75	73,492,695.93	121,797,330.97	169,456,033.27
Internal revenue.....	14,819,037.04	22,207,099.61	52,153,789.70	85,102,563.43	138,767,465.34	223,506,660.21
Miscellaneous.....	3,999,928.90	1,758,541.67	20,769,308.79	19,800,830.50	80,362,153.87	31,093,321.26
Total.....	33,012,943.02	41,611,587.26	131,877,680.24	178,396,089.86	340,926,950.18	424,056,014.74

EXPENDITURES.

Civil and miscellaneous.....	9,024,995.14	28,657,604.28	29,174,478.49	53,914,009.87	84,625,774.45	104,419,224.35
War.....	6,223,814.48	15,937,150.13	20,110,233.78	64,422,278.33	55,140,401.08	210,645,536.47
Navy.....	12,556,932.74	4,627,865.53	23,085,248.80	19,127,169.72	40,249,164.43	55,522,894.01
Indians.....	532,599.28	995,963.20	5,025,540.39	5,614,567.73	9,971,712.26	11,288,743.05
Pensions.....	10,867,716.66	10,369,068.09	47,512,493.12	45,379,519.62	124,000,834.68	116,889,043.04
Interest.....	5,108,003.75	5,361,445.69	14,584,478.84	15,511,831.98	33,685,306.08	34,685,968.39
Total.....	44,314,062.05	65,949,105.92	139,492,473.42	203,969,377.25	347,673,195.96	533,451,409.31

The civil and miscellaneous expenditures for April, 1899, include payment of \$20,000,000 in carrying out treaty obligations with Spain.

GOLD IN THE TREASURY AND REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD.

[Prepared in the office of the Treasurer of the United States.]

MONTHS.	GOLD AND GOLD BULLION IN TREASURY, AND GOLD CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.				REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD DURING EACH MONTH.		
	Total gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	Gold certificates in Treasury.	Gold certificates in circulation.	Net gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	United States notes. (a)	Treasury notes of 1890. (b)	Total.
1894.							
January.....	Dollars. 112,665,591.37	Dollars. 78,350	Dollars. 77,015,419	Dollars. 65,650,175.37	Dollars. 113,841	Dollars. 237,515	Dollars. 356,356
February.....	177,462,797.49	106,490	70,935,729	106,527,068.49	10,982,624	8,210,730	19,193,354
March.....	176,456,044.63	137,310	70,306,909	106,149,135.63	2,266,426	1,194,766	3,461,192
April.....	170,192,457.63	102,770	63,990,449	100,202,008.63	6,072,042	1,594,085	7,666,127
May.....	118,067,816.58	41,650	69,374,549	78,693,267.58	25,131,412	1,409,670	26,541,082
June.....	131,217,433.55	43,490	66,344,409	64,873,024.55	20,708,492	1,461,401	22,169,893
July.....	124,922,836.41	103,470	65,947,229	54,975,607.41	13,367,864	555,511	13,923,375
August.....	120,855,869.49	34,730	65,008,969	55,216,900.49	4,200,853	551,560	4,741,413
September.....	123,065,756.92	55,260	64,790,439	58,875,317.92	636,031	300,487	936,518
October.....	125,013,835.73	56,280	64,252,069	61,361,826.73	2,542,719	505,171	3,047,890
November.....	104,350,468.01	751,370	58,925,899	105,424,569.01	7,085,133	714,614	7,799,747
December.....	139,006,354.05	58,960	53,361,909	86,244,445.05	30,819,622	1,087,599	31,907,221
1895.							
January.....	97,353,770.27	837,060	52,047,809	44,705,967.27	43,415,283	1,702,455	45,117,738
February.....	138,593,280.14	80,100	51,507,769	87,085,511.14	4,784,907	776,045	5,560,952
March.....	139,426,436.08	84,660	48,843,189	90,463,307.08	809,495	279,590	1,089,085
April.....	139,998,153.35	63,640	48,751,009	91,247,144.35	733,525	284,046	1,017,571
May.....	147,690,977.53	102,390	48,539,569	99,151,408.53	734,747	431,745	1,166,492
June.....	155,893,931.46	88,390	48,381,569	107,512,362.46	644,021	401,575	1,046,196
July.....	155,354,065.79	219,330	48,117,579	107,236,486.79	3,122,620	704,175	3,826,795
August.....	149,410,920.27	209,820	40,081,089	100,329,837.27	16,218,815	345,252	16,564,067
September.....	143,557,512.75	103,370	50,645,539	92,911,973.75	17,119,814	257,670	17,377,484
October.....	143,360,838.92	168,230	50,417,659	92,943,179.92	1,849,018	317,865	2,166,883
November.....	129,567,945.32	107,910	50,233,979	79,333,966.32	15,616,190	418,400	16,034,590
December.....	113,198,707.67	163,450	49,936,439	63,262,268.67	19,787,951	424,744	20,212,695
1896.							
January.....	99,693,356.57	131,140	49,847,849	49,845,507.57	15,686,024	762,484	16,448,508
February.....	167,695,998.46	651,470	43,733,019	123,962,979.46	21,080,551	656,325	21,736,876
March.....	171,885,709.86	583,220	43,239,249	128,646,460.86	6,381,296	475,250	6,856,546
April.....	168,446,459.31	764,910	43,052,559	125,393,900.31	6,754,718	375,900	7,130,618
May.....	151,307,142.91	687,280	42,961,909	108,345,233.91	21,726,600	312,947	22,039,547
June.....	144,020,263.91	497,430	42,320,759	101,699,604.91	7,963,994	297,353	8,261,347
July.....	150,012,224.73	1,393,710	39,293,479	110,718,745.73	16,275,406	1,009,672	17,285,078
August.....	139,825,200.09	1,618,550	38,867,639	100,957,561.09	11,388,806	980,919	12,369,725
September.....	162,771,311.21	1,591,900	38,736,639	124,034,672.21	3,436,733	1,224,713	4,661,446
October.....	153,323,832.63	1,390,830	38,197,309	117,126,523.63	9,906,832	2,167,003	12,073,835
November.....	169,527,101.34	1,416,390	38,016,749	131,510,352.34	3,137,149	925,261	4,062,410
December.....	175,203,982.52	1,392,350	37,887,439	137,316,543.52	858,444	273,402	1,131,846
1897.							
January.....	182,387,121.93	1,460,160	37,586,629	144,800,492.93	594,412	351,566	946,063
February.....	186,206,028.43	1,501,970	37,544,819	148,661,209.43	521,355	402,769	924,124
March.....	189,242,803.04	1,483,350	37,456,339	152,786,464.04	679,382	569,947	1,249,329
April.....	190,762,888.81	1,517,690	37,421,990	153,340,889.81	6,034,575	567,433	7,502,008
May.....	181,707,391.74	1,455,340	37,387,829	144,319,562.74	8,044,965	837,635	8,882,600
June.....	178,076,656.79	1,496,250	37,285,919	140,790,737.79	6,594,864	518,581	7,113,445
July.....	178,044,577.73	1,473,290	37,226,879	140,817,698.73	5,072,208	202,935	5,275,143
August.....	181,234,165.59	1,509,580	37,017,789	144,216,376.59	2,875,606	240,670	3,116,276
September.....	181,561,664.39	1,535,610	36,898,559	147,663,105.39	2,598,140	144,033	2,742,173
October.....	190,387,256.36	1,534,060	36,814,103	153,573,147.36	2,505,376	190,925	2,696,301
November.....	194,089,260.35	1,548,740	36,725,409	157,363,851.35	1,786,711	324,705	2,110,416
December.....	197,469,235.88	1,570,460	36,557,689	160,911,546.88	1,815,734	203,665	2,019,399
1898.							
January.....	200,731,551.98	1,567,390	36,494,759	164,236,792.98	1,106,548	103,368	1,209,916
February.....	204,063,971.24	1,574,360	36,440,789	167,623,182.24	1,407,273	228,540	1,635,813
March.....	210,903,334.51	1,607,950	36,319,199	174,584,115.51	1,329,038	254,732	1,583,770
April.....	217,190,135.89	1,603,150	35,951,999	181,238,136.89	779,668	376,239	1,155,907
May.....	207,701,263.97	1,602,940	35,883,209	171,818,054.97	268,041	280,956	548,997
June.....	202,825,048.56	1,599,510	35,820,639	167,004,409.56	757,367	146,485	903,852
July.....	225,138,303.10	1,593,470	35,693,679	189,444,714.10	3,860,995	230,072	4,091,067
August.....	253,377,493.83	1,646,146	35,473,009	217,904,484.83	552,111	61,651	613,762
September.....	278,691,452.10	1,596,890	35,393,909	243,297,543.10	381,082	62,789	443,871
October.....	275,224,071.48	1,601,240	35,338,909	239,885,162.48	313,242	34,336	347,578
November.....	276,944,092.75	1,620,400	35,280,649	241,663,443.75	501,398	151,855	653,253
December.....	281,729,434.78	1,608,740	35,200,259	246,529,175.78	1,740,945	933,809	2,674,754
1899.							
January.....	261,692,279.72	1,630,060	33,039,939	228,652,340.72	2,556,940	1,680,782	4,237,722
February.....	264,091,476.65	1,625,890	32,966,839	231,124,637.65	2,155,856	846,049	3,001,905
March.....	278,306,355.72	1,634,180	32,892,649	245,413,706.72	1,600,532	669,221	2,269,753
April.....	278,985,254.61	1,641,800	32,845,029	245,140,225.61	1,255,091	526,179	1,781,270

a Legal-tender notes, commonly called "greenbacks."

b Notes issued in payment of silver bullion also a full legal tender.

SILVER COINAGE AND CIRCULATION.

STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS COINED, IN THE TREASURY, AND IN CIRCULATION; SILVER BULLION IN THE TREASURY; TREASURY NOTES OF 1890 OUTSTANDING; AND SILVER CERTIFICATES IN THE TREASURY AND IN CIRCULATION, AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

MONTHS.	Estimated dollars in country.	Bullion in Treasury.	Dollars in Treasury.	Dollars in circulation.	Treasury notes of 1890 outstanding.	Certificates in Treasury.	Certificates in circulation.	Net silver in Treasury.	Standard silver dollars coined.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	419,332,777	127,213,171	363,597,057	55,735,720	153,070,908	6,758,196	330,161,308	7,580,012	.....
February	419,332,777	127,216,957	364,758,231	54,574,546	153,001,184	6,942,257	331,119,247	7,854,757	.....
March	419,333,029	127,220,207	365,807,734	53,525,295	152,900,317	8,755,240	329,447,264	10,680,360	252
April	419,333,029	127,228,437	366,677,908	52,655,121	152,813,072	9,367,524	330,305,980	10,787,293	.....
May	419,333,029	127,231,643	367,380,338	51,952,691	152,679,742	9,702,545	329,959,959	11,972,280	.....
June	419,333,203	127,267,347	368,141,831	51,191,377	152,584,417	10,054,123	327,094,381	15,730,380	179
July	419,756,208	127,113,753	368,796,068	50,959,540	152,447,126	12,027,766	324,491,738	18,971,557	423,000
August	420,594,268	126,451,771	368,991,724	51,512,484	152,151,369	13,492,527	325,217,977	18,507,631	748,000
September	421,176,408	126,104,475	366,900,165	54,276,243	151,609,267	9,155,785	330,520,719	10,874,654	672,200
October	421,776,408	125,261,663	365,332,738	56,443,670	151,140,568	6,569,203	331,113,301	8,310,732	601,000
November	422,176,408	125,251,323	364,726,543	57,449,865	150,979,070	5,312,420	332,317,084	6,781,912	400,000
December	422,426,749	125,014,161	364,537,659	57,889,090	150,823,731	5,846,720	331,077,784	7,650,305	250,341
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	422,626,749	124,852,679	366,753,119	55,873,630	150,751,541	7,329,232	326,467,272	14,386,985	200,600
February	422,626,749	124,551,374	368,177,389	54,649,360	150,705,157	7,291,089	325,816,415	16,207,191	200,000
March	422,927,039	124,673,187	369,009,182	53,917,857	150,330,089	7,374,748	323,746,756	19,605,524	100,250
April	423,127,039	124,589,685	369,713,330	53,413,709	149,584,471	7,699,233	323,215,271	21,497,273	200,000
May	423,277,219	124,528,559	370,464,649	52,812,570	148,044,280	6,692,333	321,553,171	25,395,757	150,180
June	423,289,219	124,479,849	371,306,057	51,983,162	146,088,400	9,162,752	319,731,752	29,965,754	12,000
July	423,289,219	124,670,701	371,542,513	51,746,706	145,490,280	10,577,386	320,355,118	30,367,816	.....
August	423,289,219	124,687,226	370,704,376	52,584,843	144,495,280	7,741,243	323,772,261	27,124,061	.....
September	423,289,309	124,652,406	368,142,782	55,145,527	143,666,280	7,892,667	330,434,837	18,694,071	90
October	423,289,309	124,721,501	364,935,217	58,354,092	141,092,280	8,953,268	333,456,236	15,103,202	.....
November	423,289,309	124,603,759	364,528,596	58,760,713	139,583,280	8,471,611	335,855,893	13,693,182	.....
December	423,289,629	124,612,532	364,083,702	59,205,927	137,771,280	9,625,856	336,076,648	13,257,061	320
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	423,289,629	124,575,129	366,659,953	56,629,676	137,324,280	14,380,165	331,614,339	22,296,463	.....
February	424,789,629	123,171,286	369,273,688	55,515,941	136,719,280	11,831,561	332,545,943	23,179,751	1,500,000
March	426,289,916	123,187,206	371,497,164	54,792,752	136,081,280	11,290,078	337,032,426	20,570,664	1,500,287
April	427,789,916	120,939,560	374,187,554	53,602,362	133,069,280	11,578,091	338,834,413	23,223,421	1,500,000
May	429,289,916	119,989,914	376,572,499	52,717,417	131,385,280	10,629,424	336,313,080	28,864,033	1,500,000
June	430,790,041	119,053,695	378,614,043	52,175,993	129,683,280	11,359,995	331,253,509	36,724,949	1,500,125
July	431,852,041	118,753,758	379,852,244	51,999,797	128,433,280	12,375,833	331,656,671	38,006,051	1,062,000
August	431,852,041	116,681,740	381,056,160	53,445,881	126,741,280	11,464,610	345,739,894	25,256,726	2,650,000
September	437,202,141	114,829,399	380,688,963	56,513,178	125,004,280	10,045,030	354,431,474	11,082,608	2,700,100
October	439,552,141	113,064,557	381,361,339	58,190,802	123,229,280	8,686,332	357,777,122	13,419,494	2,350,000
November	441,466,141	112,137,954	382,972,296	58,493,845	121,677,280	11,591,383	356,312,121	17,120,849	1,914,000
December	443,166,391	110,815,247	384,584,572	58,581,819	119,816,280	14,227,704	356,655,800	18,927,729	1,700,250
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	444,978,391	109,704,519	388,617,255	56,361,136	118,398,280	11,678,971	361,336,533	18,586,953	1,812,000
February	446,318,391	108,914,614	390,939,629	55,378,762	117,550,280	9,876,003	363,709,501	18,594,462	1,340,000
March	447,718,641	107,862,463	393,211,322	54,507,319	117,131,280	12,535,351	364,026,153	19,916,351	1,400,250
April	449,118,641	106,990,150	395,342,193	53,776,448	116,096,280	13,777,565	363,753,939	21,882,124	1,400,000
May	450,518,641	106,042,492	397,511,546	53,007,095	115,782,280	11,576,696	362,768,808	25,002,950	1,400,600
June	451,993,742	104,591,039	399,992,540	52,001,202	114,867,280	17,143,136	358,336,368	31,379,931	1,475,101
July	451,993,742	105,109,460	400,338,020	51,655,722	113,914,280	14,465,854	357,938,650	33,594,550	.....
August	451,993,742	105,125,123	398,908,078	53,085,664	112,672,280	11,249,167	367,863,337	23,497,584	.....
September	452,093,792	105,078,550	394,948,022	57,145,770	111,334,280	10,532,205	374,620,299	14,071,993	100,050
October	452,713,792	104,853,852	392,517,014	60,196,778	109,313,280	11,331,585	372,838,919	15,218,667	620,000
November	451,213,792	103,531,722	392,933,031	61,280,761	107,793,280	11,664,537	373,298,967	15,372,506	1,500,000
December	455,818,122	102,284,736	394,327,049	61,488,073	106,348,280	11,229,912	376,695,592	13,567,913	1,604,330
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	457,068,122	101,379,158	397,589,829	59,478,293	105,531,280	14,959,564	373,515,940	19,921,767	1,250,000
February	458,100,347	100,819,300	399,079,443	59,020,904	104,669,280	11,621,077	380,287,427	14,942,036	1,032,225
March	459,200,422	99,829,432	400,637,825	58,562,597	103,615,280	6,859,666	387,770,898	9,081,079	1,100,075
April	459,884,422	99,551,902	401,322,414	58,561,008	102,691,280	3,638,930	392,686,574	5,497,462	684,000
May	461,180,422	98,143,952	403,583,999	57,596,423	101,981,280	6,507,239	391,225,265	8,821,406	1,206,000
June	461,893,322	98,195,494	404,736,731	57,259,791	101,207,280	7,897,424	390,659,080	11,085,865	816,100
July	462,306,522	97,871,696	405,013,186	57,293,336	100,213,280	9,803,068	389,119,436	13,552,166	310,000
August	464,004,522	96,141,237	406,266,209	57,738,313	99,260,280	8,117,131	392,990,373	10,156,793	1,098,000
September	464,841,597	96,066,997	401,045,769	60,788,828	98,549,280	6,636,799	393,425,735	8,136,362	890,075
October	466,836,597	94,675,773	403,399,342	63,437,255	97,833,280	7,575,929	391,177,575	9,064,260	2,002,000
November	468,258,597	92,359,250	404,258,264	63,980,333	97,193,280	6,345,358	392,818,146	7,606,088	1,462,000
December	470,244,857	92,192,207	405,061,304	65,183,553	96,523,280	7,098,599	392,331,995	8,398,236	2,006,269
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	471,780,857	91,228,953	408,351,769	63,429,088	95,982,280	7,293,820	392,337,684	11,260,758	1,536,000
February	473,292,857	90,189,188	410,157,482	63,135,575	95,511,280	5,888,780	396,400,705	8,434,085	1,512,000
March	475,193,158	88,825,937	410,656,670	64,536,488	94,954,280	3,753,498	398,874,006	5,654,321	2,308,391
April	476,827,158	87,916,328	412,803,833	64,023,325	94,518,280	3,647,255	400,379,249	5,822,632	1,634,000

PAPER MONEY AND SUBSIDIARY COIN IN THE TREASURY, CASH BALANCE, CIRCULATION, AND PER CAPITA CIRCULATION, BY MONTHS.

AT THE END OF MONTH OF—	POPULATION.	CIRCULATION.	PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.	IN THE TREASURY.				
				Net United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Subsidiary coin.	Cash balance.
1894.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	67,789,000	1,739,783,511	25.66	2,367,190	2,315,506	14,526,887	15,932,847	84,082,100
February	67,910,000	1,695,765,152	24.90	5,265,488	11,962,418	12,640,479	16,594,888	138,662,365
March	68,032,000	1,690,714,808	24.85	3,369,660	11,583,462	10,758,809	17,073,268	133,950,025
April	68,153,000	1,691,793,990	24.82	4,967,328	11,786,958	8,750,430	17,502,120	125,097,780
May	68,275,000	1,675,669,401	24.54	16,840,927	12,005,052	7,520,998	17,582,973	117,854,336
June	68,397,000	1,664,061,232	24.33	18,973,645	17,722,408	6,598,893	17,889,531	117,584,436
July	68,519,000	1,657,574,239	24.19	20,421,701	22,528,599	4,895,405	17,970,261	119,065,352
August	68,642,000	1,646,671,481	23.99	24,840,913	27,598,929	5,567,162	17,720,835	127,148,097
September	68,764,000	1,635,038,982	24.07	23,642,535	30,113,893	5,017,748	10,809,713	119,919,719
October	68,887,000	1,672,093,422	24.27	12,161,311	28,425,172	4,970,188	15,424,113	107,340,146
November	69,010,000	1,637,226,451	23.72	12,635,527	26,404,164	4,169,283	14,724,392	144,507,606
December	69,134,000	1,626,568,622	23.52	34,914,158	28,369,950	4,759,972	14,483,636	153,337,580
1895.								
January	69,257,000	1,613,657,515	23.30	52,056,673	33,571,316	6,333,175	15,481,580	144,603,304
February	69,381,000	1,574,534,557	22.69	47,767,758	36,455,457	5,154,293	16,131,145	178,197,585
March	69,505,000	1,584,184,424	22.79	52,920,257	28,872,489	4,449,893	16,577,511	187,917,261
April	69,629,000	1,599,434,154	22.97	41,992,111	27,743,971	4,959,625	16,516,559	180,817,915
May	69,753,000	1,606,179,556	23.02	31,497,984	30,089,473	4,890,226	16,589,443	185,370,100
June	69,878,000	1,604,131,968	22.96	26,169,500	30,109,692	4,643,489	16,552,845	195,240,154
July	70,002,000	1,614,533,786	23.06	18,411,899	31,485,689	5,642,488	16,532,936	187,149,531
August	70,127,000	1,603,583,028	22.87	22,589,263	35,058,618	7,000,591	16,055,743	184,039,150
September	70,253,000	1,585,593,509	22.57	42,476,000	36,630,845	6,018,775	14,882,336	185,405,363
October	70,378,000	1,598,859,316	22.72	50,954,735	26,565,611	6,523,602	13,426,421	179,947,998
November	70,504,000	1,594,195,479	22.61	65,833,519	24,322,958	6,391,746	13,032,887	177,406,387
December	70,630,000	1,579,206,724	22.36	83,220,143	22,044,511	7,063,137	12,764,321	178,027,201
1896.								
January	70,756,000	1,589,720,607	22.47	72,010,176	27,103,095	10,409,650	14,186,737	171,591,777
February	70,882,000	1,528,742,057	21.59	73,397,443	30,644,730	8,630,538	14,820,480	262,707,008
March	71,009,000	1,528,629,463	21.53	79,932,534	32,352,314	7,110,998	15,246,374	271,641,748
April	71,136,000	1,540,007,082	21.65	76,401,635	32,148,255	7,587,158	15,459,003	270,090,661
May	71,263,000	1,521,584,283	21.35	87,688,261	33,304,774	10,002,385	15,637,424	267,103,211
June	71,390,000	1,509,725,200	21.15	89,389,658	34,465,919	10,668,620	15,730,976	267,432,077
July	71,518,000	1,514,903,112	21.18	67,730,478	34,394,748	11,933,422	16,004,145	256,158,472
August	71,645,000	1,539,169,634	21.48	76,321,282	35,478,756	13,815,370	15,909,801	243,346,401
September	71,774,000	1,582,302,289	22.05	62,828,716	36,040,233	12,834,494	15,126,483	241,154,455
October	71,902,000	1,627,055,614	22.63	57,265,690	39,269,516	12,981,866	14,632,846	233,572,762
November	72,030,000	1,646,444,746	22.86	33,505,533	41,529,379	13,063,471	14,570,200	225,357,098
December	72,159,000	1,659,223,400	22.87	34,983,258	35,645,059	14,278,570	14,215,769	228,320,380
1897.								
January	72,288,000	1,665,977,688	23.05	12,844,780	35,664,898	17,328,389	15,414,575	215,362,421
February	72,418,000	1,675,694,953	23.14	9,421,400	32,003,659	15,005,981	15,805,023	212,837,256
March	72,547,000	1,669,000,694	23.01	23,707,376	26,886,470	11,374,958	15,974,428	222,045,609
April	72,677,000	1,666,560,383	22.93	20,037,880	24,442,650	8,676,050	16,163,767	228,090,517
May	72,807,000	1,659,732,895	22.80	32,047,213	29,140,874	7,109,698	16,210,920	230,113,813
June	72,937,000	1,646,028,246	22.57	36,967,438	30,962,083	5,030,919	16,210,344	240,137,627
July	73,068,000	1,646,471,139	22.53	31,956,054	32,450,293	5,688,791	16,286,660	233,016,457
August	73,199,000	1,665,680,098	22.76	28,973,702	29,526,968	4,517,847	15,335,285	218,561,207
September	73,330,000	1,678,840,538	22.89	42,060,472	21,518,217	3,814,835	13,455,175	215,192,787
October	73,461,000	1,706,732,904	23.23	39,399,018	7,553,325	4,998,012	11,981,078	207,756,100
November	73,593,000	1,721,084,538	23.39	35,858,016	3,116,882	4,678,007	11,191,630	220,663,560
December	73,725,000	1,721,100,640	23.34	40,885,089	2,904,344	5,186,886	10,679,899	235,474,769
1898.								
January	73,857,000	1,729,991,228	23.42	23,883,606	4,733,014	6,162,923	11,707,173	223,871,786
February	73,990,000	1,726,576,659	23.33	34,086,830	6,204,850	3,417,842	11,960,092	225,564,204
March	74,122,000	1,756,058,645	23.69	41,475,429	3,905,848	2,739,491	11,965,278	226,166,944
April	74,255,000	1,896,761,442	24.33	31,717,698	3,102,310	2,728,961	12,018,967	215,810,622
May	74,389,000	1,839,898,256	24.73	29,938,029	1,754,425	3,086,734	12,044,089	195,754,815
June	74,522,000	1,843,435,749	24.74	34,063,687	2,541,700	4,770,474	12,097,682	205,657,571
July	74,656,000	1,809,198,344	24.23	46,621,829	4,477,727	4,723,423	11,995,083	254,844,215
August	74,790,000	1,792,096,545	23.96	44,005,435	4,339,626	4,415,724	10,993,448	294,487,085
September	74,925,000	1,816,596,392	24.24	37,385,851	1,844,997	3,689,265	9,196,708	307,557,534
October	75,059,000	1,866,575,782	24.87	20,324,396	1,263,500	4,659,172	7,854,660	300,238,275
November	75,194,000	1,886,879,504	25.09	14,754,970	1,411,738	4,675,744	6,673,204	292,376,790
December	75,330,000	1,897,301,412	25.19	13,800,268	1,580,539	5,480,141	5,959,343	294,761,095
1899.								
January	75,465,000	1,918,260,557	25.42	14,867,858	1,988,527	5,748,207	6,931,831	274,584,676
February	75,601,000	1,928,842,612	25.51	15,270,618	1,306,821	3,709,359	7,185,217	269,103,513
March	75,737,000	1,927,846,942	25.45	13,826,899	878,579	2,873,462	6,894,375	284,043,164
April	75,875,000	1,933,867,892	25.49	13,358,611	959,239	3,919,501	6,926,631	263,127,333

RECEIPTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CUSTOMS.	INTERNAL REVENUE.						MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTAL.
		Spirits.	Tobacco.	Fermented liquors.	Stamp taxes.	Other sources.	Total.		
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1895—July.....	14,076,984.39	6,425,496.35	2,621,675.78	3,667,785.90	183,447.22	12,898,405.25	2,094,308.25	29,069,697.89	
August.....	15,639,047.10	5,645,032.93	2,777,802.58	3,632,792.06	116,477.39	12,172,104.96	1,141,544.64	28,952,696.70	
September.....	14,653,967.45	6,367,542.50	2,676,066.69	3,088,522.26	127,877.28	12,260,008.73	635,701.87	27,549,678.05	
October.....	13,773,055.12	7,491,978.27	2,960,814.10	2,575,511.91	188,278.89	13,216,583.17	912,109.87	27,901,748.16	
November.....	11,455,314.76	7,850,891.32	2,577,687.71	2,457,446.11	154,059.73	13,040,084.87	1,491,103.37	25,986,503.00	
December.....	12,169,172.51	7,908,125.09	2,311,907.15	2,368,874.62	161,864.51	12,750,771.37	1,368,993.99	26,288,937.87	
1896—January.....	16,380,796.30	6,340,157.58	2,539,340.65	2,014,711.75	147,191.34	11,041,401.32	1,815,472.59	29,237,670.21	
February.....	13,906,303.38	6,383,119.83	2,260,057.27	2,042,781.61	120,794.01	10,806,752.72	1,346,082.32	26,059,228.42	
March.....	13,344,215.85	6,656,415.50	2,532,155.33	2,211,310.60	136,383.22	11,536,264.65	1,160,068.56	26,041,149.06	
April.....	11,815,731.20	5,884,154.02	2,372,695.20	2,851,673.99	117,053.92	11,225,577.13	1,241,584.76	24,282,893.09	
May.....	10,949,793.79	5,711,203.97	2,500,105.67	3,255,169.70	83,629.72	11,550,109.06	2,143,814.96	24,643,717.81	
June.....	11,351,803.65	7,026,121.58	2,581,320.98	3,617,653.97	127,620.53	13,352,717.06	3,089,698.74	27,794,219.45	
Total, 12 months...	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,781,234.48	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71	
Total, 12 months <i>a</i> ...	160,021,751.67					146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.38	
July.....	12,157,330.70	7,795,306.80	2,458,443.64	3,890,347.62	158,434.09	14,302,532.15	2,569,346.48	29,029,209.33	
August.....	12,329,495.55	6,091,702.08	2,378,555.76	3,412,556.57	78,523.94	11,961,338.35	1,271,262.61	25,562,096.51	
September.....	11,374,116.28	6,205,756.85	2,533,408.25	2,830,667.53	109,304.30	11,679,136.93	1,530,991.36	24,584,244.57	
October.....	11,105,493.12	7,996,896.16	2,633,167.34	2,597,599.12	135,493.68	13,363,156.30	1,814,180.51	26,282,829.93	
November.....	9,930,385.81	8,260,662.47	2,411,325.53	2,318,144.02	114,696.13	13,104,828.15	2,175,482.34	25,210,696.30	
December.....	10,779,412.07	8,301,378.12	2,421,874.63	2,328,195.90	147,549.77	13,198,998.42	1,878,703.15	25,857,114.24	
1897—January.....	11,276,874.15	6,791,616.93	2,432,249.15	1,785,324.00	112,649.89	11,031,839.97	2,008,279.93	24,316,994.05	
February.....	11,587,260.37	6,504,421.64	2,355,402.66	1,908,429.20	120,168.45	10,888,421.95	1,925,315.06	24,400,997.38	
March.....	22,833,856.46	6,794,420.89	2,680,903.44	2,309,188.51	141,181.46	11,925,694.30	1,458,111.32	36,217,662.08	
April.....	24,454,351.74	6,142,290.08	2,570,146.25	2,620,932.07	113,844.61	11,447,213.04	1,910,570.26	37,812,135.04	
May.....	16,885,011.55	4,964,522.68	2,735,302.94	2,833,618.68	89,567.53	10,673,011.83	2,239,367.21	29,707,390.59	
June.....	21,560,152.36	6,088,952.53	3,099,411.24	3,586,733.77	111,988.06	12,887,085.60	2,137,470.29	36,584,708.25	
Total, 12 months...	176,273,740.76	81,817,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	1,433,401.94	116,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27	
Total, 12 months <i>a</i> ...	176,551,126.65					146,688,774.29	24,479,094.22	347,721,905.16	
July.....	10,966,891.65	8,432,767.40	2,445,515.20	8,758,798.80	130,750.58	19,767,831.98	2,292,730.62	39,027,364.25	
August.....	6,987,702.84	6,723,185.14	2,742,403.91	1,634,801.08	92,804.76	11,193,194.89	842,717.24	19,023,614.97	
September.....	7,943,100.28	7,287,568.96	3,026,453.68	2,277,545.89	110,407.24	12,701,975.77	1,288,022.39	21,933,098.44	
October.....	9,713,494.62	7,852,696.73	3,088,632.52	2,510,301.34	163,222.21	13,614,872.80	1,063,647.84	24,391,415.26	
November.....	9,830,025.00	8,243,332.40	2,849,997.82	2,219,062.55	188,256.71	13,530,649.48	1,200,002,930.81	43,363,605.29	
December.....	11,660,788.74	9,113,764.48	2,615,101.12	2,431,319.57	182,743.80	14,342,928.97	1,361,612,989.61	59,646,698.35	
1898—January.....	14,269,492.08	7,572,290.21	2,613,176.94	2,111,936.82	145,795.76	12,443,199.73	1,400,936.58	37,333,628.39	
February.....	15,040,680.74	7,007,035.66	2,661,754.35	2,162,277.65	172,251.24	12,003,318.90	1,528,358.69	28,572,353.33	
March.....	15,450,431.94	7,021,296.21	2,941,139.46	2,777,774.03	148,024.33	12,838,234.03	1,620,084.53	32,958,750.50	
April.....	14,193,976.99	7,208,232.27	4,207,209.02	3,248,735.73	154,860.02	14,819,037.04	1,399,928.99	33,012,943.02	
May.....	13,466,534.17	7,490,551.27	3,754,062.82	3,131,505.92	116,088.69	14,492,208.70	2,116,075.41	30,074,818.23	
June.....	14,555,729.11	6,206,082.07	3,285,055.53	6,221,361.76	970,866.44	16,683,365.80	2,270,218.32	33,509,313.23	
Total, 12 months...	150,078,758.16					168,480,818.09	81,288,032.06	402,847,698.31	
July.....	15,169,690.96	6,660,377.23	3,444,877.67	7,352,821.23	6,133,695.03	2,578,926.13	2,509,730.13	43,847,108.58	
August.....	16,249,680.00	6,331,945.03	4,111,128.06	7,053,661.39	3,067,514.98	2,415,685.52	2,415,685.52	41,782,707.79	
September.....	16,759,574.06	7,504,130.09	4,229,038.84	6,448,178.73	2,822,027.45	551,923.43	21,555,288.51	39,778,070.04	
October.....	15,555,234.17	9,372,259.20	4,319,480.60	5,327,075.82	2,968,247.49	368,848.76	22,256,511.87	39,630,051.08	
November.....	15,325,290.68	8,470,798.74	4,337,018.81	4,814,022.75	3,217,098.20	497,205.08	21,336,743.58	38,900,915.41	
December.....	16,764,324.82	10,397,753.61	3,830,432.15	4,649,733.73	3,344,877.41	398,521.80	22,621,318.70	41,404,793.54	
1899—January.....	17,991,741.40	8,292,801.02	4,313,505.44	3,881,704.80	4,035,072.98	458,972.56	20,982,056.80	41,774,930.20	
February.....	16,921,572.48	7,618,071.13	4,348,233.57	3,787,531.31	3,211,484.73	276,978.95	19,242,299.69	37,979,332.72	
March.....	20,933,436.07	8,892,828.91	4,493,766.83	4,967,553.48	3,892,100.54	421,857.57	22,671,107.33	57,030,239.68	
April.....	17,645,945.98	7,423,713.75	4,729,849.79	5,503,796.57	3,843,307.64	706,431.86	22,207,099.61	41,611,587.26	
Total, 10 months...	169,326,403.82						223,159,058.39	31,254,268.09	423,739,736.30
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892.....	177,336,944.84	90,068,757.28	31,000,493.07	30,037,452.77	1,508,956.36	152,615,659.48	20,120,411.34	350,073,015.66	
1892 <i>a</i>	177,452,964.15					153,971,972.57	23,513,747.52	351,937,784.24	
1893.....	203,142,670.81	93,744,446.80	31,889,711.74	32,548,983.07	1,846,034.31	169,029,175.92	18,392,902.71	381,564,749.44	
1893 <i>a</i>	203,355,016.73					161,027,623.93	21,436,988.12	385,819,628.78	
1894.....	131,807,758.88	84,813,592.06	28,617,898.62	31,414,788.04	1,876,481.45	146,722,760.17	15,193,841.84	293,664,360.89	
1894 <i>a</i>	131,818,530.62					147,111,232.83	18,792,255.82	297,722,019.25	
1895.....	151,907,588.94	80,186,767.84	29,704,910.63	31,610,617.53	2,037,914.55	143,570,210.55	14,085,577.23	309,563,376.72	
1895 <i>a</i>	152,158,617.45					143,421,672.62	17,889,785.61	313,990,075.11	
1896.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,781,234.48	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71	
1896 <i>a</i>	160,021,751.67					146,762,864.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.38	
1897.....	176,273,740.76	81,817,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27	
1897 <i>a</i>	176,551,126.65					146,688,774.29	24,479,094.22	347,721,905.16	
1898.....	150,078,758.16					168,480,818.09	81,288,032.06	402,847,698.31	

a Corrected figures.*b* Includes \$18,194,614.26 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*c* Includes \$21,715,291.14 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*d* Includes \$8,538,491.35 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*e* Includes \$3,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*f* Includes \$2,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*g* Includes \$11,798,314.14 on account of Central Pacific Railroad indebtedness.

EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS.	WAR.	NAVY.	INDIANS.	PENSIONS.	INTEREST.	TOTAL.	EXCESS OF—	
								Receipts.	Expenditures.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	10,047,562.11	5,378,939.67	2,380,486.94	677,874.53	12,755,427.42	7,307,773.14	38,548,063.81	.....	9,478,366
August	7,758,621.49	6,551,124.55	2,341,435.71	1,785,610.49	12,302,349.48	1,849,043.25	32,588,184.97	.....	3,635,488
September	4,918,899.66	5,745,330.32	1,855,477.02	766,508.84	10,707,009.14	296,347.99	24,320,481.97	3,229,196	.....
October	9,964,099.90	4,444,914.04	2,322,992.94	712,511.97	11,890,475.06	5,168,431.32	34,503,425.23	.....	6,601,677
November	6,138,883.49	3,823,488.39	2,138,186.80	764,794.54	12,235,039.26	2,098,890.94	27,199,283.42	.....	1,212,780
December	6,106,797.88	4,553,113.52	2,512,895.43	952,671.28	11,366,825.71	322,013.42	25,814,317.24	474,621	.....
1896—January	8,643,635.72	3,607,816.50	2,488,229.32	841,126.13	9,965,237.21	6,983,295.77	32,529,340.65	.....	3,291,670
February	5,819,461.68	3,029,772.12	2,232,231.60	1,082,720.93	12,317,467.48	2,268,302.64	26,740,956.45	.....	690,728
March	6,782,825.05	3,477,914.14	2,305,774.20	2,326,141.16	11,709,996.83	672,342.57	27,274,993.95	.....	1,293,845
April	7,520,508.90	3,278,732.20	2,288,478.72	680,886.38	10,077,392.98	5,141,382.40	23,987,381.58	.....	4,704,488
May	6,691,440.00	3,453,332.64	1,820,864.70	837,149.22	12,803,696.37	2,820,109.65	23,426,592.58	.....	3,782,875
June	6,893,052.06	3,587,040.63	2,475,241.09	726,825.78	11,299,615.98	458,013.76	25,444,789.30	2,349,430	.....
Total, 12 months.	87,290,787.91	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
Total, 12 months ^a ..	87,216,231.62	50,830,920.89	27,117,732.34	12,165,528.28	139,131,099.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
July	12,343,981.46	5,225,425.33	3,756,250.99	951,582.22	13,100,774.51	6,710,503.54	42,088,468.05	.....	13,959,259
August	11,907,121.21	4,512,522.35	2,216,720.17	1,731,155.29	12,396,341.04	2,937,816.59	35,701,676.65	.....	10,139,580
September	5,972,532.70	4,848,095.54	3,139,471.95	711,076.81	11,485,675.15	422,682.88	26,579,535.03	.....	1,995,290
October	10,352,715.23	4,148,470.28	3,377,090.89	721,025.76	10,346,652.29	5,032,923.04	33,978,277.49	.....	7,695,448
November	8,452,859.26	4,877,976.24	2,456,108.26	1,098,282.58	13,178,930.96	3,196,562.84	31,260,720.14	.....	8,050,024
December	4,481,720.37	3,887,275.70	2,542,238.88	982,139.02	11,481,331.16	487,959.73	23,812,664.86	2,044,449	.....
1897—January	4,940,484.03	3,812,874.49	3,187,993.52	969,245.67	10,534,740.78	6,761,051.40	39,269,389.29	.....	5,952,395
February	6,159,172.15	3,128,021.39	2,374,674.69	967,127.31	13,208,413.69	2,958,047.43	28,796,056.66	.....	4,395,039
March	5,929,795.97	3,046,103.81	2,694,834.97	2,918,751.93	12,166,775.60	456,735.56	27,212,997.84	9,004,664	.....
April	8,101,335.64	4,287,020.47	2,744,078.93	573,820.93	10,763,090.76	5,602,750.74	32,072,097.47	5,740,038	.....
May	6,410,410.97	4,214,955.76	2,537,576.03	470,406.29	12,393,334.35	3,073,575.77	29,109,259.17	688,131	.....
June	5,405,764.79	2,886,016.91	3,563,922.73	894,870.72	10,039,147.44	144,971.96	22,934,694.55	13,650,014	.....
Total, 12 months.	90,466,843.73	48,965,358.27	34,590,922.01	13,019,483.93	141,014,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.21	.....	20,159,759
Total, 12 months ^a ..	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,354
July	13,977,446.41	10,736,758.90	2,998,809.47	769,238.53	14,958,378.20	6,660,277.33	59,100,908.81	.....	11,073,545
August	7,597,311.96	5,622,852.65	2,672,691.83	976,595.91	13,792,376.34	2,926,218.72	33,588,047.41	.....	14,564,432
September	6,201,757.29	4,276,022.16	2,787,253.20	723,857.33	10,992,078.37	387,847.36	25,368,515.71	.....	3,435,718
October	8,746,118.06	5,268,718.99	2,988,575.75	600,954.14	10,885,319.63	5,211,825.54	33,701,512.11	.....	9,319,097
November	6,119,983.19	5,376,080.29	2,736,454.83	1,236,686.28	13,649,843.72	3,016,818.55	37,810,838.86	5,552,766	.....
December	7,179,796.08	3,728,420.73	2,984,538.81	638,166.07	12,205,327.64	897,842.74	27,634,092.07	32,012,606	.....
1898—January	8,966,127.38	4,946,098.41	3,230,106.51	1,040,429.26	12,375,223.33	6,138,726.07	36,696,711.06	636,917	.....
February	5,065,112.80	3,780,749.78	2,056,766.56	735,985.28	11,978,924.88	2,981,716.56	26,599,255.86	1,973,102	.....
March	6,118,243.17	5,159,571.11	5,241,442.99	2,716,526.47	12,290,628.25	356,032.46	31,882,444.45	1,076,306	.....
April	9,024,995.14	6,223,814.48	12,556,932.74	532,599.28	10,867,716.66	5,108,003.75	44,314,662.05	.....	11,301,119
May	5,706,900.11	17,093,595.86	9,093,577.20	566,437.07	12,382,085.55	3,007,313.06	47,849,909.45	.....	17,775,091
June	6,213,628.59	19,723,804.77	9,506,921.10	448,372.98	11,068,020.12	892,434.09	47,852,281.65	.....	14,343,968
Total, 12 months.	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
July	12,061,387.26	34,774,153.27	8,514,279.61	689,868.55	12,657,894.50	5,585,892.25	74,263,475.44	.....	30,416,367
August	7,782,314.74	25,163,253.94	6,386,277.49	766,084.26	13,084,735.14	3,078,070.30	56,260,717.87	.....	14,478,010
September	6,393,964.28	24,643,374.99	7,231,219.89	1,162,509.97	10,937,670.22	3,855,181.79	54,223,921.14	.....	14,445,851
October	10,091,284.64	22,895,029.54	5,314,567.82	937,969.74	9,365,960.26	3,877,464.08	53,982,276.68	.....	14,352,226
November	6,905,766.22	20,391,876.06	4,676,181.03	1,225,483.56	13,688,918.66	2,202,755.20	40,099,980.73	.....	10,190,065
December	6,663,466.77	18,184,676.06	4,373,729.90	897,254.51	11,171,893.17	573,787.15	41,864,807.56	.....	400,014
1899—January	9,814,421.24	18,656,551.96	5,223,658.74	950,076.41	10,967,015.51	5,507,448.89	51,122,770.75	.....	9,347,841
February	6,209,421.19	15,132,098.05	4,430,215.87	1,084,874.15	12,791,491.82	4,180,823.41	43,918,929.49	.....	5,939,597
March	9,142,563.16	14,696,466.19	4,842,434.58	2,583,053.97	11,251,944.20	462,108.99	42,978,571.09	14,051,669	.....
April	6,238,657,694.28	15,937,159.13	4,627,865.53	995,963.20	10,369,068.09	5,361,445.09	65,949,105.92	.....	24,337,519
Total, 10 months.	104,712,293.78	210,474,624.19	55,623,425.46	11,273,738.32	116,886,591.57	34,684,983.35	533,655,556.67	.....	109,915,820
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892	100,077,639.63	46,903,851.31	29,214,672.13	11,100,063.59	134,097,755.97	23,379,550.97	344,773,533.60	5,299,482	.....
1892 ^a	99,841,988.61	46,895,456.39	29,174,188.98	11,150,577.67	134,583,052.79	23,378,116.23	345,023,330.58	9,914,454	.....
1893	103,605,015.02	49,646,517.55	30,183,207.72	13,320,072.80	159,347,202.31	27,264,728.18	383,331,743.58	.....	1,706,994
1893 ^a	103,782,799.37	49,641,773.47	30,183,044.13	13,345,347.27	159,357,557.87	27,264,392.18	383,477,954.49	2,341,674	.....
1894	100,960,010.70	51,325,611.35	31,383,463.16	10,282,279.56	141,169,383.42	27,860,027.56	365,989,308.75	.....	72,325,448
1894 ^a	101,943,884.07	54,567,929.85	31,701,283.79	10,293,481.52	141,177,284.96	27,841,405.64	367,525,279.83	.....	69,803,261
1895	93,262,213.09	51,810,378.10	28,812,287.67	9,922,207.74	141,386,902.86	30,928,236.37	356,122,285.83	.....	46,558,909
1895 ^a	93,279,730.14	51,804,759.13	28,797,795.73	9,939,754.21	141,396,228.87	30,978,030.21	356,166,298.29	.....	42,805,223
1896	87,290,787.91	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
1896 ^a	87,216,231.62	50,830,920.89	27,117,732.34	12,165,528.28	139,131,099.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,246
1897	90,466,843.73	48,965,358.27	34,590,922.01	13,019,483.93	141,014,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.21	.....	20,159,759
1897 ^a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,561,546.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,354
1898	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21

^a Corrected figures.^b Includes \$4,549,368.26 on account of sale of Union Pacific Railroad.^c Includes \$20,000,000 paid to Spain.

NATIONAL-BANK STATISTICS.

[From Report of Comptroller of the Currency.]

DATE, FIRST OF EACH MONTH.	No. of banks.	Authorized capital stock.	SPECIE HELD.		U. S. bonds on deposit to secure circulation.	Circulation secured by U. S. bonds.	Lawful money on deposit to redeem circulation.	Total national-bank notes outstanding.
			Gold.	Silver.				
1894.								
January	3,787	Dollars. 693,353,165	Dollars. 203,508,089	Dollars. 47,745,559	Dollars. 205,961,600	Dollars. 185,194,522	Dollars. 23,344,322	Dollars. 208,538,844
February		691,893,165			203,594,500	182,887,853	24,974,254	207,862,107
March	3,777	684,690,165	199,185,930	56,980,649	202,052,350	181,148,710	26,330,810	207,479,520
April		682,538,165			202,933,850	181,666,268	26,209,427	207,875,695
May	3,774	680,438,165	204,829,488	55,112,435	201,330,250	180,601,247	27,231,785	207,833,032
June		673,988,165			201,251,500	180,613,585	26,631,434	207,245,019
July		678,023,165			201,631,750	180,662,521	26,690,723	207,353,244
August	3,770	677,258,165	199,655,167	51,035,455	202,268,500	181,149,511	26,389,555	207,539,066
September		676,598,165			202,276,950	181,360,217	26,211,998	207,592,215
October	3,755	674,866,365	196,927,230	40,223,424	200,953,700	180,251,695	27,220,463	207,471,501
November		672,671,365			199,706,200	179,401,364	28,071,239	207,472,693
December		671,471,365			197,349,700	177,073,359	29,612,978	206,636,337
1895.								
January	3,737	670,906,365	175,794,767	42,246,456	198,707,700	176,697,467	29,938,243	206,605,710
February		669,156,365			195,829,100	175,674,250	29,623,321	205,297,571
March	3,728	668,146,365	178,160,435	42,771,206	197,116,700	176,465,033	28,558,588	205,943,651
April		667,193,265			201,176,200	179,847,333	27,693,828	207,541,211
May	3,711	665,893,265	177,264,387	41,882,213	204,353,800	182,534,324	27,185,526	209,719,850
June		665,123,265			206,632,300	184,969,578	26,509,138	211,478,716
July	3,715	666,363,265	171,217,437	43,209,757	207,689,800	186,062,098	25,628,997	211,691,035
August		664,659,265			207,832,800	186,577,433	24,794,612	211,372,045
September		664,855,265			200,447,550	187,990,343	24,348,857	212,339,200
October	3,712	664,425,265	162,925,290	33,312,021	210,196,550	188,536,877	24,255,057	212,851,934
November		664,136,915			211,717,800	190,189,951	23,706,689	213,887,630
December	3,706	664,091,915	168,244,431	33,467,979	212,048,950	190,469,526	23,491,072	213,900,598
1896.								
January	3,711	664,076,915			212,493,100	190,616,160	23,100,813	213,716,973
February		663,851,915			212,655,300	190,939,637	22,506,910	213,496,547
March	3,699	661,946,915	156,894,031	30,123,429	217,944,950	193,048,955	22,132,963	217,181,917
April		661,431,915			222,638,800	199,723,005	21,593,022	221,316,027
May	3,694	660,499,915	157,761,800	44,611,646	226,478,550	203,403,230	20,786,098	224,189,337
June		659,951,915			228,651,800	205,215,839	20,072,096	225,287,935
July	3,689	659,106,915	161,853,560	41,981,889	228,915,950	205,538,929	20,461,618	225,999,547
August		658,376,915			229,544,450	206,103,504	19,926,538	226,639,040
September		658,126,915			235,678,700	210,293,574	19,320,222	227,613,896
October	3,676	658,126,915	160,723,890	40,084,742	238,773,200	214,667,694	18,971,663	228,699,257
November		658,304,915			241,103,350	213,510,014	18,474,430	229,984,444
December	3,661	657,969,915	181,020,260	44,520,440	241,272,150	216,609,684	18,789,206	229,398,890
1897.								
January	3,667	655,324,715			240,236,150	215,850,307	19,812,811	235,663,118
February		654,174,915			237,190,100	213,186,711	21,907,951	235,094,692
March	3,634	653,719,895	188,304,756	45,614,167	234,797,800	210,915,415	23,320,912	234,236,327
April		651,658,395			233,693,350	209,767,702	24,027,430	233,735,141
May	3,614	648,613,395	190,396,251	45,680,132	232,749,300	208,768,549	24,119,435	232,887,984
June	3,620	646,788,295			239,915,550	207,139,381	24,736,460	231,875,841
July	3,619	643,933,395	193,686,596	47,236,006	230,471,550	206,775,898	24,665,788	231,444,686
August	3,617	641,229,395			239,111,300	205,944,175	24,322,499	230,266,734
September	3,614	639,488,295			229,471,100	207,100,170	24,752,547	229,968,497
October	3,614	638,903,295	195,895,108	43,492,594	229,348,550	205,604,781	25,120,710	230,193,900
November	3,617	637,915,295			227,742,550	203,926,950	26,120,685	230,047,635
December	3,615	636,310,295	207,093,145	45,070,408	225,359,300	201,735,572	27,814,135	229,519,767
1898.								
January	3,611	639,440,295			218,992,950	196,146,090	32,784,190	228,930,280
February	3,602	637,527,295	222,855,517	48,522,409	215,487,650	192,724,299	33,720,607	226,444,906
March	3,596	638,385,295			213,414,650	191,056,818	33,774,253	224,891,071
April	3,594	635,069,295			214,305,400	191,611,600	32,786,419	224,398,019
May	3,590	631,635,295	267,614,954	49,537,819	217,162,650	194,138,732	31,891,404	226,032,136
June	3,588	631,035,295			219,377,900	196,155,935	31,456,910	227,612,845
July	3,590	630,025,295	284,921,377	50,755,754	220,201,400	197,078,092	30,738,610	227,816,792
August	3,589	629,315,295			218,525,650	195,692,685	31,004,185	226,696,870
September	3,589	629,151,295	250,670,426	43,203,732	220,496,160	196,775,704	30,402,911	227,178,615
October	3,592	625,356,295			229,960,120	205,056,063	30,300,887	225,356,950
November	3,598	624,552,195			235,618,470	210,045,456	29,500,825	230,546,281
December	3,591	625,967,195	281,475,196	47,125,515	239,349,130	213,918,643	28,783,395	242,702,038
1899.								
January	3,590	622,482,195			239,943,050	214,016,088	29,719,017	243,735,105
February	3,585	613,076,895	321,915,796	49,927,699	236,479,840	211,041,299	32,200,292	243,241,591
March	3,589	612,131,895			236,075,690	211,155,017	31,717,351	242,992,367
April	3,583	610,313,895	317,210,532	46,952,021	234,433,860	209,925,989	33,126,328	243,052,317
May	3,586	609,053,895			232,167,910	207,966,287	34,748,046	242,714,333

VALUES OF FOREIGN COINS, 1889-1899.

[Prepared by the Director of the Mint.]

COUNTRY.	Standard.	Monetary unit.	Value January 1—										Apr. 1—
			1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1899
Argentina.....	Gold and silver.	Peso.....	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5
Austria-Hungary.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3
Belgium.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Bolivia.....	Silver.....	Boliviano.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4
Brazil.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6
British Possessions, N. A. (except Newfoundland).	do.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
British Honduras.....	do.....	do.....										1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Central American States:													
Costa Rica.....	Gold.....	Colon.....									.46, 5	.46, 5	.46, 5
Do.....	Silver.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4			
Guatemala.....													
Honduras.....	do.....	do.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 9
Nicaragua.....													
Salvador.....													
Chile.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	c. 36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5
		Amoy.....								.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0	.70, 2
		Canton.....								.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8	.70, 0
		Chefoo.....						.70, 4	.75, 9	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9	.67, 2
		Chin Kiang.....								.74, 9	.66, 9	.69, 3	.68, 6
		Fuchau.....								.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6	.65, 0
		Haikwan (customs)	1.14, 8	1.27, 0	1.13, 7	1.01, 0	.84, 9	.74, 9	.80, 8	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2	.71, 4
China.....	Silver.....	Tael											
		Hankow.....								.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4	.65, 7
		Hongkong.....								(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
		Niuchwang.....								.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5	.65, 9
		Ningpo.....								.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2	.67, 5
		Shanghai.....	1.03, 1	1.13, 9	1.02, 1	.90, 6	.76, 2	.67, 3	.72, 5	.70, 0	.62, 6	.64, 8	.61, 1
		Swatow.....								.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5	.64, 9
		Takao.....								.77, 2	.60, 0	.71, 4	.70, 7
		Tien-Tsin.....						.71, 4	.76, 9	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.68, 0
Colombia.....	do.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4
Cuba.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6
Denmark.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Ecuador.....	Silver.....	Sucre.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.42, 4
Egypt.....	Gold.....	Pound (100 piasters).....	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3
Finland.....	do.....	Mark.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
France.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
German Empire.....	Gold.....	Mark.....	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8
Great Britain.....	do.....	Pound sterling.....	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½
Greece.....	Gold and silver.	Drachma.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Haiti.....	do.....	Gourde.....	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5
India.....	Silver.....	Rupree (d).....	.33, 2	.36, 6	.32, 8	.29, 2	.24, 5	.21, 6	.23, 3	.22, 5	.20, 1	.20, 8	.20, 6
Italy.....	Gold and silver.	Lira.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Japan.....	do.....	Yen {Gold.....	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.49, 8	.49, 8	.49, 8
		{Silver.....	.75, 2	.83, 1	.74, 5	.66, 1	.55, 6	.49, 1	.52, 9	.51, 1			
Liberia.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Mexico.....	Silver.....	do.....	.75, 8	.83, 7	.75, 0	.66, 6	.56, 0	.49, 5	.53, 8	.51, 5	.46, 0	.47, 7	.47, 2
Netherlands.....	Gold and silver.	Florin.....	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2
Newfoundland.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4
Norway.....	do.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Persia.....	Silver.....	Kran.....							.09, 0	.08, 7	.07, 8	.08, 1	.08, 0
Peru.....	do.....	Sol.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.48, 6	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4
Portugal.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0
Russia.....	do.....	Ruble (e) {Gold.....	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.51, 5	.51, 5
		{Silver.....	.55, 8	.61, 7	.55, 3	.49, 1	.41, 3	.36, 4	.39, 3	.37, 9			
Spain.....	Gold and silver.	Peseta.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Sweden.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Switzerland.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Tripoli.....	Silver.....	Mahbub of 20 piasters.....	.62, 9	.69, 5	.62, 3	.55, 3	.46, 5	.41, 1	.44, 3				
Turkey.....	Gold.....	Piaster.....	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4
Uruguay.....	do.....	Peso.....								1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4
Venezuela.....	Gold and silver.	Bolivar.....	b. 14, 0	b. 15, 4	b. 13, 8	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3

a The "British dollar" has the same legal value as the Mexican dollar in Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and Labuan.

b Value of the silver bolivar.

c The law of February 11, 1895, introduced the gold standard, with an ideal gold peso weighing .599 grams as the monetary unit.

d Value of the rupee to be determined by consular certificate.

e By Imperial ukase January 3-15, 1897, 1½ paper rubles = 1 gold ruble.

BANKING AND CLEARING-HOUSE STATISTICS, NEW YORK AND LONDON.

MONTHS.	CLEARING-HOUSE RETURNS.			ASSOCIATED BANKS OF NEW YORK. (b)		BANK OF ENGLAND. (b)	
	New York City. (a)	Outside of New York. (a)	London. (a)	Specie.	Coin and bullion.	Reserve.	Circulation.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,165,564,056	1,888,002,030	2,842,357,189	111,073,400	121,417,200	75,681,200	125,303,177
February	1,724,039,790	1,482,614,610	2,518,214,224	129,558,900	138,439,500	99,440,100	119,053,277
March	2,048,811,551	1,705,763,757	2,661,888,770	97,526,300	147,594,100	111,409,400	117,941,817
April	2,018,318,188	1,704,410,893	2,675,324,310	99,623,000	150,361,200	109,616,300	122,502,117
May	2,093,135,412	1,801,476,072	2,597,601,438	100,082,100	155,438,594	113,075,974	124,117,820
June	1,898,580,234	1,703,067,084	2,503,755,852	99,018,600	180,355,361	140,589,949	121,522,613
July	1,843,418,776	1,671,682,872	2,610,250,338	91,223,000	189,313,454	142,590,917	128,479,737
August	1,871,609,351	1,693,598,268	2,394,614,851	90,546,900	180,831,350	140,893,074	127,695,476
September	1,865,031,613	1,660,111,815	2,232,711,268	91,187,800	193,754,238	150,346,517	125,164,921
October	2,281,509,977	2,007,489,621	2,581,639,318	92,215,100	182,274,899	135,735,294	128,296,805
November	2,241,483,312	1,931,581,376	2,519,776,370	93,755,600	171,071,199	128,690,821	124,137,578
December	2,336,304,760	1,977,583,869	2,702,253,935	76,527,600	166,415,919	125,259,588	122,913,531
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,394,672,415	2,007,996,504	2,961,128,988	75,867,000	161,037,736	116,661,217	126,133,719
February	1,864,441,227	1,546,705,226	2,743,426,111	81,555,500	179,095,960	138,607,240	122,245,921
March	2,240,741,015	1,797,494,058	2,911,369,026	69,592,500	180,969,708	140,718,352	122,008,557
April	2,373,478,979	1,896,085,068	2,863,633,527	64,471,200	183,681,273	138,307,171	127,131,302
May	2,833,846,640	2,030,511,248	3,149,350,600	69,728,200	180,237,013	134,303,701	127,690,512
June	2,480,839,052	1,923,480,085	2,762,994,807	70,641,000	180,166,960	134,977,444	126,946,717
July	2,527,267,496	2,012,828,904	3,453,516,592	64,496,500	184,605,023	138,325,396	128,036,740
August	2,316,813,044	1,830,241,274	3,210,196,458	65,474,800	185,394,447	136,925,859	130,225,789
September	2,372,980,009	1,803,379,604	2,974,599,460	64,427,100	202,507,956	155,028,849	153,588,273
October	2,933,618,760	2,311,032,416	3,572,896,703	60,957,900	208,151,471	157,963,135	131,945,537
November	2,593,205,250	2,152,394,884	3,318,802,139	64,208,800	199,052,717	153,127,533	127,682,385
December	2,909,892,035	2,169,407,592	3,028,865,802	67,371,900	215,774,600	171,902,908	125,628,892
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,562,413,708	2,046,320,782	3,182,019,423	68,954,700	218,798,113	171,746,723	128,808,596
February	2,372,931,630	1,728,770,777	3,029,250,255	76,845,900	236,490,921	194,400,927	123,847,194
March	2,316,256,654	1,811,813,648	3,042,214,611	61,538,100	238,249,966	196,524,644	123,482,523
April	2,393,455,325	1,895,399,642	2,836,100,185	59,251,000	229,030,605	180,690,542	130,097,362
May	2,340,091,793	1,886,793,797	3,115,134,247	59,324,000	229,328,260	183,313,799	127,771,601
June	2,414,383,739	1,879,465,515	2,220,445,307	61,808,500	232,791,709	186,270,402	128,278,507
July	2,480,359,690	1,862,869,393	3,393,755,972	61,866,300	235,953,499	181,630,000	136,080,699
August	1,971,162,104	1,580,390,199	2,856,679,299	46,254,700	229,422,125	175,789,788	135,389,007
September	2,063,034,193	1,638,933,015	2,771,072,097	49,196,900	214,241,503	171,159,946	133,938,757
October	2,613,816,577	1,981,164,613	3,290,089,789	55,801,100	192,292,171	136,963,229	137,086,142
November	2,686,840,544	1,920,616,048	2,985,563,685	63,702,600	174,255,773	123,953,585	132,059,385
December	2,655,939,099	2,051,632,108	3,120,696,655	75,676,900	173,157,409	127,625,292	127,289,316
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,589,347,332	1,919,870,148	3,101,619,977	76,342,300	167,982,295	120,430,507	129,360,135
February	2,045,130,179	1,646,078,618	2,880,927,227	79,684,600	181,559,373	137,451,582	125,864,991
March	2,387,110,544	1,830,313,900	3,167,965,893	85,061,700	189,937,432	144,802,664	126,891,968
April	2,249,763,759	1,861,834,318	2,818,042,735	85,988,300	186,856,723	134,222,484	134,387,440
May	2,315,157,306	1,858,145,811	2,958,277,219	87,329,800	176,428,705	123,945,400	134,229,969
June	2,561,546,708	1,905,041,273	2,807,868,304	89,310,900	175,321,653	122,861,318	134,217,535
July	2,833,918,896	1,978,735,980	3,175,415,583	90,496,600	178,606,674	122,925,440	137,528,434
August	2,936,856,960	1,969,390,044	3,035,289,582	92,129,800	175,127,368	118,211,777	138,672,792
September	3,452,329,044	2,119,369,296	2,827,217,507	92,423,400	174,088,025	119,563,296	136,281,923
October	3,336,060,361	2,296,614,064	3,287,491,078	92,365,100	161,548,860	105,032,832	138,273,223
November	3,121,440,430	2,271,452,169	3,140,556,843	102,176,000	153,267,989	100,811,694	134,213,496
December	3,588,361,952	2,382,327,130	3,306,047,038	104,150,500	157,564,472	166,257,746	133,063,931
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	3,690,282,724	2,321,724,811	3,497,217,762	106,588,500	151,942,116	96,770,387	136,928,936
February	3,516,257,710	2,036,091,681	3,146,927,092	114,088,200	160,274,221	110,830,046	131,201,375
March	3,418,019,443	2,222,720,082	3,410,029,548	120,125,900	164,694,302	114,876,891	131,574,612
April	2,868,945,026	2,103,431,502	3,205,602,482	141,556,200	146,160,228	89,304,884	187,282,410
May	3,145,411,658	2,191,088,998	3,245,074,664	159,791,500	164,062,937	110,565,601	135,254,537
June	3,265,851,790	2,233,533,405	3,176,354,817	175,502,100	180,173,978	126,754,188	135,176,990
July	2,977,035,218	2,039,810,281	3,349,573,018	186,070,200	180,562,003	123,145,892	139,173,311
August	3,511,768,974	2,080,547,076	3,033,858,831	168,988,000	167,792,531	111,308,013	138,241,721
September	3,418,988,661	2,082,656,049	3,074,844,494	148,378,300	169,120,856	115,778,902	135,099,102
October	3,534,241,280	2,394,923,013	3,368,523,169	136,314,400	154,496,493	99,211,082	137,042,611
November	3,972,632,392	2,501,101,963	3,249,726,038	157,428,800	155,107,750	102,681,479	134,182,472
December	4,652,357,561	2,704,839,800	3,647,733,740	158,462,300	152,081,741	101,560,828	140,221,628
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	5,690,749,776	2,801,939,029	3,895,988,505	173,442,100	147,653,625	94,355,975	135,054,841
February	4,550,639,291	2,429,704,424	3,719,972,066	197,207,800	160,462,322	111,784,230	130,455,025
March	5,932,081,979	2,824,514,154	.....	198,407,100	164,214,738	115,639,510	130,326,427
April	5,576,911,841	2,705,357,491	.....	187,144,300	146,436,859	92,443,066	135,751,993
May	.....	.....	.....	188,438,700	148,029,723	94,234,897	140,418,483

a Entire months.

b First week of month.

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	BANK OF FRANCE.			AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN BANK.			IMPERIAL GERMAN BANK.	
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894.								
January	330,625,100	245,120,700	703,121,653	51,730,800	79,483,400	242,964,879	196,801,200	261,004,095
February	331,282,000	245,510,000	702,343,013	49,482,500	79,080,600	208,690,120	216,223,400	227,007,626
March	333,437,900	246,789,900	686,585,286	50,027,600	79,027,100	202,096,012	223,267,700	221,080,229
April	336,163,200	247,719,400	686,711,815	50,095,800	79,406,700	212,325,395	207,113,400	253,573,249
May	342,650,265	248,191,500	697,924,231	49,365,776	79,674,338	220,379,453	213,376,559	240,804,153
June	346,421,803	248,945,808	669,104,818	50,134,683	79,528,343	210,772,982	227,606,205	224,574,376
July	352,762,852	248,512,689	675,616,195	51,268,578	79,786,286	219,956,067	218,622,646	257,890,435
August	362,865,706	247,310,664	671,659,731	61,400,631	77,518,479	231,280,413	225,980,794	238,526,031
September	371,075,492	246,278,966	654,573,449	63,332,631	75,367,486	233,484,937	230,891,093	234,789,159
October	370,024,328	244,113,373	672,589,232	67,907,141	72,647,112	244,780,084	221,201,891	271,531,234
November	370,486,645	241,217,806	686,901,009	72,797,974	70,515,585	249,276,730	242,668,023	258,571,746
December	390,380,897	241,402,733	676,745,223	73,347,888	69,094,567	238,682,359	260,649,740	253,287,260
1895.								
January	402,795,339	240,521,896	716,197,939	74,523,725	67,941,207	237,339,205	249,369,193	283,240,033
February	416,849,791	240,585,161	707,000,254	74,330,921	66,831,645	218,768,641	267,209,782	249,184,266
March	418,207,544	241,120,476	701,656,837	83,582,138	66,744,048	226,920,020	264,664,603	238,658,027
April	406,347,884	241,344,335	707,370,108	88,594,501	66,573,720	239,110,611	251,807,310	275,005,915
May	400,527,550	240,463,498	705,710,611	95,232,539	65,989,740	245,810,981	259,253,055	261,404,048
June	398,795,076	243,529,393	684,585,155	98,424,963	65,610,886	244,152,305	261,457,579	255,033,790
July	397,622,249	243,373,065	685,475,424	101,763,382	65,172,168	257,617,911	214,093,907	288,695,380
August	398,843,741	245,344,598	676,107,712	104,450,190	64,583,822	259,545,545	247,090,251	286,193,999
September	398,762,612	245,091,540	656,841,238	103,646,717	64,082,072	274,640,928	238,784,556	258,299,221
October	390,405,230	243,154,673	678,623,692	106,547,151	63,308,209	287,542,019	219,065,498	302,925,026
November	381,671,283	239,510,397	687,524,521	110,401,419	62,729,185	299,065,691	221,883,201	282,631,721
December	381,509,268	240,132,576	682,166,504	114,679,073	62,334,999	284,656,185	218,719,976	269,134,286
1896.								
January	379,640,532	240,332,103	709,944,486	118,835,064	62,116,000	288,067,601	211,483,491	298,608,440
February	376,950,090	241,538,995	708,873,856	120,810,863	62,257,135	268,455,606	229,640,402	253,724,711
March	379,932,522	242,400,365	706,727,730	125,117,715	61,838,616	267,589,369	229,148,886	242,755,620
April	379,776,794	242,731,287	710,698,794	127,842,955	62,047,875	272,455,869	211,916,609	287,907,007
May	381,903,451	242,702,088	710,075,882	131,074,311	62,247,402	279,424,697	219,863,470	264,557,540
June	391,519,653	244,497,827	703,846,762	133,006,312	62,636,722	268,325,526	222,992,200	247,329,560
July	397,344,859	244,687,620	703,875,961	132,918,715	62,909,246	292,865,919	211,493,491	282,982,103
August	403,685,903	244,424,829	690,337,358	135,634,222	62,918,979	291,702,877	220,467,050	253,992,368
September	398,279,227	244,162,038	688,400,491	141,240,430	63,143,656	301,757,066	216,753,910	253,510,585
October	384,599,495	242,122,975	693,099,425	141,634,616	62,286,334	318,741,151	195,677,099	293,717,608
November	375,771,664	239,295,538	715,565,294	110,552,281	62,656,118	298,472,178	208,569,665	268,664,866
December	375,980,924	240,176,375	718,339,199	111,603,445	62,709,719	282,276,466	202,169,404	253,447,320
1897.								
January	371,474,545	238,677,493	734,345,117	147,430,618	61,220,570	310,852,554	200,674,994	286,802,311
February	372,404,993	239,587,528	732,924,099	148,705,641	61,527,160	291,887,804	215,508,086	245,748,517
March	372,724,369	239,553,463	717,015,511	150,661,974	61,629,356	286,262,130	222,856,501	239,071,679
April	373,435,744	238,813,754	720,641,053	126,835,590	51,112,850	244,551,358	208,201,067	284,485,594
May	375,596,470	238,112,979	720,762,716	132,806,785	51,122,583	249,485,989	218,953,568	263,307,983
June	386,984,080	239,451,266	721,667,885	140,048,137	51,219,913	245,111,006	222,569,378	249,456,796
July	390,250,235	239,869,785	714,591,994	191,895,828	51,351,308	250,186,765	209,381,163	282,297,034
August	393,600,918	238,434,168	708,475,303	152,530,710	51,093,381	252,775,743	210,880,045	256,007,099
September	394,974,873	237,626,329	703,978,157	154,642,771	50,859,792	269,063,919	207,541,626	259,574,244
October	386,460,160	235,552,200	721,589,288	155,718,267	50,499,671	280,408,230	182,050,899	302,233,983
November	381,154,013	235,008,152	729,235,292	151,197,289	50,144,416	286,286,462	197,570,167	277,594,893
December	381,475,202	235,485,069	726,602,516	152,769,168	50,193,081	271,794,025	211,683,017	293,301,983
1898.								
January	377,820,461	234,881,623	751,898,583	147,766,496	50,027,620	275,619,094	206,451,530	300,039,191
February	375,995,221	235,448,137	751,270,804	147,688,542	50,343,943	254,075,099	225,382,215	257,082,596
March	373,898,062	236,341,573	746,715,366	149,669,208	50,621,333	252,590,816	233,538,469	248,473,757
April	361,673,414	236,969,351	731,551,746	148,807,837	50,850,059	257,194,525	210,573,455	295,381,951
May	362,315,792	237,159,145	729,498,083	143,406,022	50,839,860	258,231,090	206,038,009	274,783,391
June	363,420,487	239,164,143	723,624,218	141,264,762	51,020,386	251,544,519	212,155,068	255,895,170
July	365,143,228	241,008,546	710,212,144	141,255,029	51,224,779	259,671,574	196,776,928	308,025,118
August	365,785,606	241,835,851	720,825,980	141,853,609	51,156,648	264,839,797	208,490,593	267,730,629
September	366,865,969	242,643,690	680,378,657	142,184,531	51,195,580	271,331,708	209,055,167	258,805,337
October	361,683,147	240,843,085	711,832,088	142,379,191	50,806,260	289,331,556	176,683,149	314,774,953
November	356,850,712	237,898,853	742,000,122	143,454,687	50,528,870	297,401,548	177,461,789	288,573,717
December	356,130,470	235,923,054	737,392,080	143,289,225	79,703,537	283,979,741	192,577,138	271,789,158
1899.								
January	352,636,323	232,632,766	767,651,443	174,829,013	60,305,668	345,589,631	189,754,568	304,355,777
February	354,171,004	233,178,348	763,417,588	145,133,630	50,465,605	270,241,612	208,125,606	260,649,740
March	354,821,382	233,105,350	750,458,099	145,727,343	50,684,598	262,990,527	216,272,127	252,746,544
April	353,921,079	234,370,640	742,866,359	145,639,746	50,879,256	264,523,474	202,285,806	295,075,361
May	355,527,000	234,575,000	736,005,000	146,175,000	51,074,000	272,373,000	214,476,000	278,062,000

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FIRST WEEK IN—	NATIONAL BANK, BELGIUM.		NETHERLANDS BANK.			BANK OF SPAIN.		
	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollar.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January.....	22,541,600	85,188,083	18,711,600	33,041,100	84,750,098	38,532,900	84,479,100	181,802,707
February.....	24,751,000	84,170,984	20,585,200	34,123,800	83,917,926	38,532,900	35,262,600	182,907,403
March.....	25,354,500	81,766,933	20,857,800	34,172,600	81,217,019	38,532,900	37,233,600	180,571,483
April.....	22,843,351	82,092,988	21,096,277	34,445,087	82,915,427	38,532,947	39,720,373	182,046,032
May.....	20,960,000	83,061,422	21,631,593	33,900,039	86,570,169	38,532,947	40,795,870	182,469,418
June.....	22,454,031	77,917,532	21,967,381	34,201,762	83,153,886	38,532,947	42,508,878	180,118,898
July.....	21,899,250	81,470,077	22,006,313	33,924,372	84,112,586	38,532,947	44,810,732	183,291,856
August.....	21,724,056	74,827,304	22,030,645	33,593,449	83,095,487	38,581,612	44,708,536	183,476,783
September.....	21,160,275	77,907,799	22,035,512	33,530,185	81,601,472	38,654,610	45,423,911	181,549,649
October.....	23,733,921	76,423,516	19,801,789	33,019,203	82,516,374	38,951,466	47,000,667	183,038,798
November.....	23,412,732	80,603,840	19,816,388	32,819,676	84,375,377	38,951,466	47,681,967	181,427,987
December.....	24,376,299	81,489,543	19,855,320	33,238,195	83,528,606	38,951,466	51,263,711	177,826,777
1895.								
January.....	26,074,707	88,701,696	19,903,985	33,311,193	85,304,879	38,951,466	54,154,412	177,890,041
February.....	25,583,190	93,212,941	19,991,582	33,525,318	84,691,700	38,951,466	56,115,612	179,938,838
March.....	25,500,460	86,356,043	21,539,129	34,031,435	85,368,143	38,951,466	57,891,884	177,145,467
April.....	24,965,145	87,538,602	20,809,154	34,211,495	84,278,047	38,951,466	60,227,804	180,342,757
May.....	23,252,137	87,207,680	20,857,819	34,265,027	88,142,048	38,951,466	60,607,391	181,384,188
June.....	21,310,404	85,742,864	20,891,885	34,321,425	85,217,282	38,951,466	60,631,724	181,510,717
July.....	20,390,635	86,828,093	20,838,353	34,192,029	85,105,352	38,951,466	60,038,012	185,725,106
August.....	20,268,993	86,652,899	20,848,086	33,875,707	85,139,418	38,951,466	58,977,114	137,486,779
September.....	21,237,406	83,202,551	20,852,933	33,544,785	82,395,513	38,933,946	57,429,567	187,623,041
October.....	21,709,457	83,898,460	20,794,555	33,145,732	85,373,010	38,951,466	56,281,073	190,085,490
November.....	21,062,212	86,784,295	20,789,688	32,912,140	88,122,582	38,951,466	53,930,553	191,438,377
December.....	20,176,509	85,703,932	18,083,914	33,189,530	83,333,940	38,951,466	51,945,021	192,445,743
1896.								
January.....	20,113,245	89,903,721	17,115,481	33,243,062	88,200,446	38,951,466	49,210,048	196,149,149
February.....	20,069,446	86,813,494	15,115,349	33,330,659	87,986,320	38,951,466	49,648,033	197,735,628
March.....	19,393,003	85,519,005	12,764,830	33,544,785	81,090,490	38,951,466	50,392,608	197,803,759
April.....	19,397,860	86,214,914	12,764,830	33,681,047	81,148,888	38,951,466	50,538,603	197,944,888
May.....	19,646,061	87,621,333	12,784,296	33,865,974	85,275,680	40,747,205	52,329,475	202,378,269
June.....	20,103,512	85,630,934	12,823,228	34,046,034	80,068,525	40,907,799	52,825,858	203,721,423
July.....	20,098,645	86,102,985	12,818,361	33,890,306	82,024,858	40,902,933	55,964,750	205,025,645
August.....	19,738,524	85,986,189	12,818,361	33,651,848	81,319,215	40,907,799	55,033,647	207,527,023
September.....	20,261,436	83,776,798	12,818,361	33,350,125	79,051,426	41,501,512	50,640,799	207,329,693
October.....	19,723,925	86,273,312	12,818,361	33,009,470	81,388,681	41,501,512	50,519,137	207,517,293
November.....	20,147,310	86,283,045	12,818,361	32,610,417	85,119,952	41,501,512	47,784,164	211,756,015
December.....	20,259,240	87,246,612	12,818,361	32,941,339	82,565,039	41,501,512	49,633,434	200,110,480
1897.								
January.....	20,405,235	93,480,599	12,818,861	33,360,591	84,292,647	41,501,512	49,346,310	201,356,304
February.....	20,823,754	91,801,656	12,813,495	33,306,326	81,737,734	41,501,512	50,913,323	207,867,681
March.....	20,930,817	88,735,761	12,813,495	33,681,047	80,472,444	41,501,512	51,842,825	207,478,361
April.....	21,154,676	91,071,681	12,808,628	33,194,397	82,195,185	41,501,512	52,543,601	208,797,183
May.....	21,140,076	91,777,324	12,798,895	33,204,130	86,166,249	41,559,910	51,020,386	211,400,760
June.....	20,755,623	89,558,200	12,701,565	32,079,968	81,460,344	42,460,213	49,847,560	214,203,864
July.....	19,354,071	92,082,493	12,798,895	34,021,702	84,190,450	43,472,446	52,436,538	217,931,603
August.....	20,916,217	90,706,94	12,807,628	33,554,518	81,421,412	43,856,898	50,777,061	220,175,060
September.....	21,203,341	89,903,721	12,808,628	33,367,457	81,328,948	43,929,896	51,726,289	220,958,566
October.....	20,434,434	91,816,256	12,794,029	32,990,004	84,268,314	43,929,896	51,667,631	224,399,182
November.....	20,930,817	92,059,581	12,789,162	32,342,759	86,716,164	44,903,196	52,514,402	231,445,874
December.....	20,643,693	92,731,158	12,789,162	32,732,079	84,136,919	45,039,458	53,658,029	231,484,806
1898.								
January.....	20,882,152	95,106,010	12,794,029	33,038,669	86,735,630	45,895,962	50,193,081	236,098,248
February.....	21,519,663	93,480,599	12,789,162	33,281,994	84,399,710	46,207,418	51,195,580	242,875,083
March.....	21,115,744	91,976,850	13,324,477	33,535,052	82,321,714	46,523,740	52,918,321	244,273,968
April.....	20,118,110	93,891,788	13,451,006	33,676,180	83,080,888	46,869,262	52,144,548	248,551,621
May.....	21,368,802	95,033,012	13,884,125	33,612,916	87,601,867	47,852,295	28,528,557	254,479,018
June.....	21,558,595	93,164,276	13,913,324	33,816,508	84,477,574	47,852,295	20,483,099	255,744,308
July.....	20,838,353	93,660,659	14,857,425	34,011,969	84,823,095	48,431,408	21,977,114	262,839,666
August.....	22,123,109	93,261,606	20,887,018	33,880,573	84,029,856	50,407,207	25,797,317	272,694,328
September.....	21,295,804	95,539,128	20,984,348	33,973,037	83,163,619	51,526,502	27,194,002	272,329,340
October.....	20,887,018	95,422,332	20,989,215	32,848,875	86,604,234	52,923,188	26,045,508	274,757,724
November.....	21,320,137	96,969,879	20,998,948	32,221,097	89,699,328	53,833,223	26,648,954	283,726,683
December.....	22,434,565	97,475,995	20,994,081	32,620,882	88,005,786	53,833,223	31,914,374	279,755,619
1899.								
January.....	23,505,199	102,280,204	20,994,081	32,839,142	92,054,714	53,833,223	39,696,041	282,101,272
February.....	23,607,392	102,498,223	20,994,081	33,014,336	89,407,338	53,833,223	42,499,145	286,724,447
March.....	23,772,853	100,551,623	20,989,215	33,359,858	88,180,980	54,089,727	49,910,824	286,534,654
April.....	22,527,000	101,139,000	19,293,000	33,292,000	90,113,000	56,646,000	57,824,000	286,218,000
May.....	22,478,000	103,262,000	18,659,000	33,146,000	92,882,000	56,695,000	61,702,000	289,503,000

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From L'Economiste Européen, Paris.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	ITALY.						RUSSIA.		
	National bank.			Institutions of issue. <i>a</i>			Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.			
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	52,167,900	8,043,100	174,742,200				233,495,100	2,605,500	788,436,440
February	54,792,700	12,508,400	182,192,000				294,228,500	2,740,600	775,837,100
March	55,391,000	12,332,700	173,449,100				317,928,900	2,856,400	764,666,000
April	55,661,200	9,302,600	168,037,900				282,281,800	2,895,000	755,884,500
May	57,880,700	8,569,200	161,869,100				293,283,500	2,972,200	760,670,900
June	57,784,200	8,492,000	159,688,200				294,421,500	3,088,000	760,265,600
July	57,726,300	10,038,000	167,717,000	24,781,200	2,316,000	58,150,900	288,650,800	2,779,200	740,830,500
August	58,922,900	10,788,700	165,323,800	24,897,000	2,298,700	58,691,300	289,114,000	3,377,500	742,123,600
September	59,579,100	10,808,000	158,088,300	26,055,000	2,316,000	55,854,200	290,272,000	3,281,000	749,264,600
October	59,482,000	10,962,400	161,541,000	26,711,200	2,316,000	55,777,000	290,947,500	3,126,600	764,801,100
November	58,691,200	11,888,800	162,506,000	26,769,100	2,316,000	54,773,400	293,302,100	3,088,000	760,458,600
December	56,433,200	13,413,500	159,398,700	26,769,100	2,316,000	55,120,800	292,302,100	3,030,100	755,730,100
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	56,491,100	13,317,000	156,947,600	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,185,900	300,539,600	2,856,400	830,710,600
February	58,150,900	14,745,200	150,269,800	27,155,100	2,316,000	58,286,000	300,308,000	3,088,000	818,320,000
March	57,900,000	11,580,000	143,341,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	52,631,100	300,925,600	3,242,400	810,349,100
April	57,977,200	11,541,400	144,711,400	27,155,100	2,316,000	54,831,300	301,427,400	3,088,000	821,253,600
May	57,842,100	10,537,800	137,493,200	27,174,400	2,298,700	54,869,900	302,469,600	3,242,400	820,829,000
June	58,073,700	11,058,900	140,484,700	27,174,400	2,298,700	54,839,200	299,343,000	3,319,600	829,417,500
July	58,266,700	11,078,200	154,728,100	27,174,400	2,298,700	58,942,200	278,318,600	2,637,600	830,421,100
August	58,421,100	11,522,100	151,582,200	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,413,900	277,894,000	2,605,500	829,900,000
September	57,629,800	9,707,900	148,513,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	278,473,000	4,979,400	839,357,000
October	57,571,900	9,804,400	150,021,200	27,193,700	2,277,400	55,931,400	275,095,500	4,439,000	856,669,100
November	57,514,000	9,820,200	150,501,400	27,174,400	2,298,700	55,912,100	272,876,000	3,705,600	850,203,000
December	57,764,900	10,286,900	147,876,600	27,174,400	2,298,700	56,413,900	271,389,900	3,667,000	836,172,500
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	57,957,900	10,422,000	151,176,900	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,536,900	308,861,600	4,303,900	829,571,900
February	59,212,400	10,576,400	147,741,500	27,174,400	2,354,600	57,649,100	308,089,600	4,767,100	818,049,800
March	57,957,900	10,808,000	150,424,200	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,919,300	308,445,900	5,751,400	813,340,600
April	60,312,500	10,827,300	152,605,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	56,915,700	417,266,000	5,539,100	820,944,800
May	59,135,200	10,692,200	143,263,900	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,224,500	424,194,700	7,777,900	823,338,000
June	58,558,200	10,602,200	139,925,000	27,155,100	2,316,000	59,386,100	430,257,200	9,399,100	812,877,400
July	58,479,000	10,904,500	151,929,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,549,000	434,365,800	8,935,900	813,417,800
August	59,231,700	11,271,200	150,636,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,668,400	432,262,100	8,472,700	808,322,600
September	59,405,400	11,811,600	144,576,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,645,500	428,151,200	7,083,100	817,702,400
October	58,942,200	12,506,400	152,643,700	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	433,748,200	5,597,000	843,796,000
November	57,822,800	12,101,100	149,131,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,440,400	442,992,900	5,365,400	843,892,500
December	57,687,700	12,294,100	148,185,400	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,710,600	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	58,787,800	12,409,900	151,157,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,857,800	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
February	59,637,000	12,023,900	146,815,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	54,059,300	461,424,400	10,537,800	866,144,364
March	58,382,500	12,139,700	141,025,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	53,210,100	446,717,800	11,348,400	516,757,500
April	58,517,600	12,101,100	144,769,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,399,500	467,330,200	18,605,200	489,023,400
May	57,919,300	12,120,400	141,777,800	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,936,300	461,270,000	19,435,100	492,323,700
June	58,566,500	11,078,200	141,700,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,218,600	458,452,200	21,172,100	494,388,800
July	69,607,200	13,124,000	152,894,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,666,100	461,231,400	23,603,900	490,374,400
August	60,582,700	13,934,600	152,701,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,527,400	463,315,800	24,221,500	493,366,000
September	59,945,800	12,583,600	148,610,000	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,438,100	459,841,800	24,221,500	515,117,000
October	59,251,000	12,506,400	154,496,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,178,700	580,640,500	21,715,500	506,509,200
November	57,822,800	11,020,300	150,443,500	18,624,500	2,316,000	55,584,000	588,765,800	20,168,500	491,185,000
December	57,957,900	10,788,700	150,559,300	18,682,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	587,434,100	20,072,000	478,948,800
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	57,900,000	10,943,100	153,861,700	18,682,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	598,917,600	19,608,800	461,810,400
February	57,957,900	11,116,800	148,841,600	18,682,400	2,316,000	58,904,900	592,432,800	21,210,700	450,693,600
March	58,170,200	9,688,600	144,904,400	18,814,500	2,316,000	51,839,800	585,272,500	21,886,200	442,142,700
April	58,324,600	9,707,900	147,799,400	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,496,000	575,912,000	21,924,800	435,099,200
May	58,556,200	10,171,100	140,446,100	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,592,500	567,149,800	23,835,500	435,562,400
June	58,073,700	10,209,700	138,998,600	18,817,500	2,316,000	53,268,000	567,420,000	23,005,600	429,386,400
July	58,614,100	10,904,500	156,523,000	18,875,400	2,316,000	56,836,500	557,982,300	22,561,700	417,555,500
August	59,135,200	11,348,400	154,554,400	18,856,100	2,316,000	55,159,400	553,273,700	23,044,200	409,217,900
September	58,768,500	11,541,400	148,320,500	18,875,400	2,316,000	54,734,800	536,636,500	21,820,300	407,588,100
October	58,421,100	11,908,100	156,272,100	19,010,500	2,316,000	56,838,500	507,976,000	18,875,400	391,499,500
November	58,303,200	11,985,300	156,021,200	19,009,500	2,316,000	57,880,700	500,835,000	18,470,100	375,597,300
December	58,556,200	12,216,900	154,361,400	19,010,500	2,316,000	58,228,100	503,440,500	20,844,000	355,621,800
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	58,614,100	12,399,600	161,888,400	19,049,100	2,316,000	55,738,400	510,292,000	21,519,500	340,760,800
February	58,498,300	12,371,300	153,681,600	19,914,000	2,316,000	52,639,000	503,845,800	22,909,100	329,335,200
March	56,935,000	10,422,000	154,593,000	19,107,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	491,764,000	23,739,000	320,766,000
April	56,935,000	14,082,000	157,293,000	19,107,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	493,115,000	25,669,000	306,677,000

a By a law of August 10. 1893, the Banca Nazionale del Regno d'Italia combined with two Tuscan banks and became the Banca d'Italia. This bank and the banks of Naples and of Sicily alone enjoy the privilege of issuing circulating notes.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, AND BANK RATES IN LEADING FINANCIAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.

[From New York Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY.	MONEY MARKET.		BANK RATES.						
	New York.		London.	Paris.	Berlin.	Ham- burg.	Amster- dam.	Vienna.	St. Pe- tersburg.
	Call.	Prime com- mercial.							
1898.									
April 1	2½ @ 5	5 @ 6	3	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 8	2½ @ 2½	5½ @ 6	4	2	3	3	3	4	5½
April 15	2½ @ 3½	5½ @ 6	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 22	1½ @ 3	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
April 29	2½ @ 3½	6 @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 6	2½ @ 3	5½ @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 13	1½ @ 2½	5 @ 6½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 20	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 27	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 3	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 10	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 17	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 24	1 @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 1	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 8	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 15	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 22	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 29	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 5	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 12	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 19	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 26	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
September 2	2½ @ 3	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 9	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 16	3½ @ 5	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 23	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 30	3 @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 7	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 14	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	2	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 21	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 28	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 4	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 11	1½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 18	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 25	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 2	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 9	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 16	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 23	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 30	2 @ 4	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
1899.									
January 6	2½ @ 6	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 13	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 20	2 @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
January 27	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 3	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 10	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 17	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 24	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 3	2½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 10	2½ @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 17	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 24	4 @ 4½	4 @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 31	6 @ 12	3½ @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 7	5 @ 15	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 14	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 21	3 @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 28	3½ @ 6	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
May 5	3½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
May 12	3½ @ 1	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	5	5½
May 19	2½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½							
May 26	2 @ 3	3½ @ 4½							

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING MARCH.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	4	20	26	31	298,800	527,500	2,265,095	1,414,345	74,700	26,375	87,119	45,624
Machinery and tools.....	25	63	43	36	1,478,334	2,022,619	1,695,952	1,951,404	59,133	32,105	39,441	54,483
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	9	11	15	16	620,800	341,600	558,500	1,351,200	68,977	31,055	37,233	84,450
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	6	7	20	10	185,781	464,800	476,000	905,824	30,963	66,400	23,800	90,582
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	95	98	115	146	1,591,819	2,623,529	2,515,547	4,719,449	16,756	27,328	21,874	32,325
Clothing and millinery.....	59	56	58	94	999,666	467,205	747,834	1,125,266	16,943	8,342	12,894	11,071
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	6	11	9	16	55,435	190,400	47,484	383,396	9,239	17,309	5,276	23,962
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	12	30	35	30	273,253	2,355,253	403,452	788,974	22,771	78,508	11,527	26,325
Printing and engraving.....	43	41	53	51	690,811	200,367	941,105	1,161,426	16,065	4,887	17,757	22,773
Milling and baking.....	28	45	34	54	269,074	277,722	941,910	970,022	9,610	6,171	27,703	17,963
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	30	46	52	47	515,880	606,588	1,238,482	1,248,740	18,196	13,197	23,817	26,569
Liquors and tobacco.....	20	33	45	52	1,454,021	598,637	2,217,998	2,228,821	72,701	18,140	49,288	42,862
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	13	23	22	20	400,482	388,176	945,866	467,059	30,806	16,664	42,994	23,253
All other.....	161	205	251	232	1,877,908	2,586,660	7,416,919	4,781,400	11,664	12,618	29,547	20,609
Total manufacturing.....	511	687	778	835	10,742,064	13,646,156	23,412,144	23,507,326	21,021	19,861	28,807	28,152
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	407	484	505	494	3,098,481	2,652,033	2,696,485	3,880,772	7,613	5,479	5,339	7,855
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	525	775	646	666	1,803,628	2,356,035	2,674,297	3,809,447	3,435	3,010	4,139	5,720
Hotels and restaurants.....	87	89	106	97	640,675	515,092	757,116	562,219	7,364	5,794	7,142	5,796
Liquors and tobacco.....	216	247	286	262	1,217,524	971,972	1,464,068	1,604,387	5,637	3,935	5,119	6,124
Clothing and furnishing.....	158	213	222	224	1,007,677	1,094,273	1,983,363	3,318,062	6,947	7,954	8,934	14,813
Dry goods and carpets.....	138	175	207	236	1,698,968	1,737,642	2,664,525	4,739,372	12,811	9,357	12,872	20,082
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	110	148	167	174	1,178,455	864,944	1,680,752	3,269,648	10,713	5,814	10,065	18,791
Furniture and crockery.....	51	98	107	91	435,730	806,532	945,497	939,502	8,542	8,230	8,836	10,323
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	70	99	175	156	547,441	1,082,038	1,518,884	1,299,508	7,820	10,929	8,679	8,330
Drugs and paints.....	87	145	149	133	490,585	618,509	795,644	818,902	5,639	4,265	5,339	5,352
Jewelry and clocks.....	57	60	88	103	312,584	459,618	1,656,862	916,645	5,484	7,660	18,828	8,899
Books and papers.....	13	36	53	56	53,948	372,546	448,536	680,997	4,149	10,348	7,733	12,161
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	10	19	21	31	157,070	920,154	117,475	222,872	15,707	48,429	5,594	7,190
All other.....	246	329	336	375	2,304,852	2,418,827	4,643,100	5,361,979	9,369	7,352	13,819	14,300
Total trading.....	2,175	2,917	3,073	3,118	15,037,618	17,470,815	24,046,604	31,424,312	6,914	5,989	7,825	10,078
Brokers and transporters.....	86	83	81	78	1,372,349	1,829,594	1,549,163	2,493,497	15,958	22,043	19,125	31,711
Total commercial.....	2,772	3,687	3,932	4,031	27,152,031	32,946,565	48,007,911	57,425,135	9,795	8,936	12,210	14,248

NOTE.—Iron, woolens, and cottons include all the branches of those manufactures; machinery includes implements and tools; lumber includes saw, planing, and door mills, carpenters, and coopers; clothing includes millinery and furnishings; hats include furs and gloves; chemicals include drugs, fertilizers, paints, and oils; printing and books include engraving and maps; milling includes baking; leather and shoes include makers of harness, saddlery, trunks, and rubber goods; liquors include tobacco, wine, brewers, and beer; glass includes earthenware, pottery, brick, lime, and cement; groceries include meats and fish; hotels include restaurants; dry goods include carpets and curtains; furniture includes crockery; hardware includes stoves and tools, and jewelry includes clocks and watches; brokers include all real-estate, note, insurance, or produce dealers whose main business is not the handling of actual products, with mortgage and other loan concerns, and transporters include all except incorporated railway companies.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	APRIL.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	1	3	9	13	250,000	23,000	764,413	668,779	250,000	7,666	81,935	51,444
Machinery and tools.....	13	20	5	6	199,000	561,648	41,258	32,400	15,308	28,232	8,251	5,400
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	8	3	5	15	50,519	168,000	265,300	943,696	16,839	56,000	44,217	62,907
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	2	2	14	10	3,000	255,000	8,244,234	208,000	1,500	127,500	588,874	20,800
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	21	37	26	49	674,363	468,363	496,073	1,560,705	32,112	12,658	19,077	31,851
Clothing and millinery.....	17	21	26	21	61,209	403,938	98,687	463,547	3,600	19,235	3,795	22,073
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	2	1	1	5	23,143	750	3,800	40,500	11,571	750	3,800	8,100
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	2	2	3	4	203,000	1,700	4,700	206,900	101,500	850	1,566	51,725
Printing and engraving.....	12	13	13	16	57,538	80,602	85,904	163,422	4,795	6,200	6,608	10,213
Milling and baking.....	10	11	15	17	354,590	76,433	848,000	232,500	35,459	6,948	56,533	13,676
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	12	10	14	11	92,178	263,800	82,383	190,000	7,681	26,380	5,884	17,272
Liquors and tobacco.....	10	2	11	14	303,666	44,000	201,244	672,721	30,366	22,000	18,295	48,051
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	4	4	4	6	12,400	144,687	36,000	108,321	3,100	36,172	9,000	18,053
All other.....	46	71	73	75	491,053	2,539,787	1,265,977	1,161,120	10,675	35,772	17,342	15,481
Total manufacturing.....	155	200	220	262	2,775,659	5,034,708	12,437,979	6,652,521	24,136	25,173	56,536	25,391
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	80	82	111	117	358,930	361,548	732,985	854,481	4,487	4,409	6,603	7,303
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	145	198	143	154	459,535	737,963	544,241	547,851	3,169	3,727	3,806	3,557
Hotels and restaurants.....	22	25	31	33	51,213	186,491	107,819	203,154	2,328	7,459	3,478	6,156
Liquors and tobacco.....	51	57	72	74	193,743	113,373	274,847	457,668	3,799	1,971	3,817	6,184
Clothing and furnishing.....	24	61	48	48	181,349	422,041	331,519	470,389	7,556	6,919	6,906	9,799
Dry goods and carpets.....	26	37	33	49	181,174	468,350	597,163	545,127	6,968	12,658	18,096	11,125
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	14	36	30	22	99,611	242,253	294,695	388,800	6,472	6,729	9,823	17,672
Furniture and crockery.....	16	25	34	29	154,523	132,580	200,018	212,800	9,658	5,303	5,883	7,337
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	19	27	25	31	91,504	256,414	186,028	202,505	4,816	9,497	7,441	6,532
Drugs and paints.....	16	27	32	35	76,303	80,081	188,902	476,296	4,769	2,966	5,872	13,608
Jewelry and clocks.....	11	16	12	26	100,903	49,442	60,507	238,605	9,173	3,090	5,042	9,177
Books and papers.....	5	5	7	16	39,069	22,500	117,800	100,645	7,814	4,500	16,828	6,230
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	2	5			36,050	28,842			18,025	5,768		
All other.....	59	108	126	88	480,992	885,589	1,002,040	831,424	8,152	8,199	7,952	9,448
Total trading.....	490	709	704	722	2,495,899	3,987,467	4,658,564	5,529,745	5,094	5,624	6,617	7,658
Brokers and transporters.....	21	19	17	16	518,538	345,627	516,934	305,431	24,692	19,207	30,408	19,089
Total commercial.....	666	927	941	1,000	5,790,096	9,367,802	17,613,477	12,487,697	8,694	10,105	18,718	12,467

See note on page 2466.

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MANUFACTURERS.															
MONTHS.	Iron, foundries and rails.	Machinery and tools.	Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.	Cottons, lace, and hosiery.	Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.	Clothing and millinery.	Hats, gloves, and furs.	Chemicals, drugs, and paints.	Printing and engraving.	Milling and baking.	Leather, shoes, and harness.	Liquors and tobacco.	Glass, earthenware, and brick.	All other.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—January	180,000	80,000	30,000	50,000	210,000	110,000	70,000	30,000	80,000	230,000	280,000	80,000	210,000	1,590,000	3,310,000
February	360,000	50,000	100,000	60,000	480,000	260,000	190,000	40,000	60,000	90,000	90,000	110,000	270,000	1,710,000	3,900,000
March	510,000	990,000	.....	60,000	490,000	430,000	160,000	280,000	130,000	200,000	170,000	1,960,000	20,000	4,610,000	13,010,000
April	290,000	190,000	10,000	550,000	370,000	160,000	210,000	180,000	70,000	580,000	210,000	400,000	110,000	1,160,000	4,520,000
May	140,000	40,000	90,000	30,000	310,000	70,000	370,000	50,000	80,000	180,000	120,000	140,000	170,000	1,580,000	3,400,000
June	180,000	210,000	130,000	100,000	320,000	320,000	.....	480,000	70,000	180,000	190,000	340,000	40,000	9,580,000	12,160,000
July	60,000	150,000	120,000	40,000	120,000	230,000	.....	20,000	70,000	140,000	30,000	140,000	40,000	2,690,000	2,870,000
August	190,000	510,000	50,000	10,000	120,000	190,000	50,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	80,000	90,000	100,000	2,510,000	4,130,000
September	90,000	120,000	90,000	40,000	720,000	1,110,000	90,000	70,000	760,000	40,000	150,000	290,000	80,000	1,550,000	5,210,000
October	860,000	80,000	1,290,000	210,000	1,580,000	1,060,000	110,000	150,000	70,000	90,000	50,000	240,000	210,000	860,000	6,900,000
November	140,000	540,000	180,000	50,000	500,000	310,000	130,000	320,000	60,000	42,000	200,000	220,000	230,000	1,300,000	4,250,000
December	1,120,000	400,000	200,000	60,000	780,000	440,000	510,000	40,000	200,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	60,000	6,220,000	10,290,000
	4,120,000	3,360,000	2,290,000	1,300,000	6,060,000	4,720,000	1,890,000	1,690,000	1,720,000	1,860,000	1,700,000	7,080,000	1,570,000	34,360,000	73,920,000
1896—January	530,000	730,000	190,000	10,000	1,260,000	370,000	170,000	120,000	330,000	220,000	890,000	1,450,000	110,000	2,290,000	8,580,000
February	210,000	100,000	70,000	820,000	620,000	220,000	30,000	60,000	430,000	70,000	330,000	530,000	180,000	1,820,000	5,500,000
March	630,000	1,130,000	1,090,000	70,000	2,840,000	530,000	180,000	610,000	390,000	680,000	140,000	210,000	180,000	700,000	9,420,000
April	670,000	30,000	940,000	210,000	1,560,000	460,000	40,000	210,000	160,000	230,000	190,000	670,000	110,000	1,160,000	6,650,000
May	120,000	580,000	450,000	90,000	500,000	380,000	100,000	220,000	390,000	30,000	220,000	90,000	20,000	1,350,000	4,620,000
June	380,000	680,000	1,480,000	60,000	700,000	280,000	.....	150,000	220,000	440,000	420,000	40,000	90,000	3,280,000	8,210,000
July	700,000	280,000	460,000	60,000	1,460,000	320,000	50,000	570,000	850,000	130,000	80,000	230,000	730,000	1,630,000	7,570,000
August	600,000	370,000	160,000	120,000	3,790,000	110,000	20,000	50,000	40,000	650,000	60,000	230,000	190,000	6,160,000	13,100,000
September	350,000	580,000	600,000	720,000	1,310,000	330,000	50,000	170,000	80,000	230,000	880,000	1,600,000	20,000	4,690,000	11,810,000
October	190,000	330,000	2,070,000	80,000	730,000	690,000	30,000	150,000	170,000	220,000	180,000	450,000	50,000	1,580,000	6,940,000
November	70,000	540,000	150,000	280,000	560,000	520,000	70,000	100,000	180,000	100,000	140,000	240,000	40,000	1,660,000	4,660,000
December	580,000	390,000	690,000	120,000	970,000	370,000	350,000	240,000	270,000	1,010,000	500,000	2,510,000	340,000	3,040,000	11,390,000
	5,060,000	5,740,000	8,350,000	2,650,000	16,300,000	4,580,000	1,090,000	2,650,000	3,510,000	4,010,000	3,970,000	8,280,000	2,060,000	29,530,000	98,450,000
1897—January	1,550,000	490,000	120,000	20,000	760,000	170,000	20,000	90,000	190,000	360,000	450,000	1,950,000	280,000	2,090,000	8,570,000
February	520,000	640,000	230,000	300,000	830,000	470,000	.....	170,000	190,000	130,000	230,000	150,000	540,000	2,600,000	7,110,000
March	190,000	570,000	140,000	150,000	910,000	190,000	20,000	150,000	560,000	450,000	550,000	120,000	120,000	2,690,000	6,730,000
April	760,000	40,000	260,000	8,540,000	590,000	100,000	.....	90,000	850,000	80,000	200,000	40,000	1,260,000	12,140,000	.....
May	680,000	90,000	80,000	520,000	290,000	130,000	70,000	40,000	100,000	170,000	740,000	250,000	220,000	1,210,000	4,600,000
June	1,490,000	630,000	120,000	10,000	460,000	170,000	30,000	70,000	360,000	350,000	220,000	220,000	150,000	2,120,000	6,360,000
July	20,000	190,000	250,000	110,000	190,000	190,000	30,000	20,000	50,000	110,000	40,000	30,000	100,000	1,150,000	2,550,000
August	120,000	350,000	10,000	220,000	420,000	120,000	10,000	30,000	220,000	110,000	210,000	260,000	50,000	1,430,000	3,580,000
September	380,000	410,000	40,000	40,000	510,000	140,000	30,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	460,000	180,000	110,000	680,000	3,320,000
October	20,000	130,000	10,000	30,000	320,000	360,000	30,000	90,000	160,000	80,000	60,000	440,000	140,000	990,000	2,880,000
November	80,000	180,000	.....	120,000	1,610,000	260,000	90,000	70,000	880,000	50,000	230,000	150,000	10,000	590,000	4,330,000
December	130,000	900,000	260,000	30,000	580,000	250,000	360,000	30,000	210,000	210,000	150,000	580,000	150,000	1,530,000	5,340,000
	5,940,000	4,710,000	1,580,000	10,090,000	7,380,000	2,460,000	490,000	820,000	3,220,000	2,940,000	3,510,000	4,590,000	1,970,000	18,370,000	68,510,000
1898—January	334,500	301,601	.....	56,800	771,263	95,911	52,319	44,702	41,498	101,622	243,338	187,309	198,976	621,225	3,054,055
February	7,009	1,113,862	314,800	33,000	636,791	216,982	75,309	126,907	36,606	93,200	163,650	104,003	110,942	591,299	3,639,339
March	186,030	607,156	26,800	370,000	1,215,475	154,312	62,781	2,173,644	122,266	79,900	109,600	307,334	73,358	1,374,136	6,952,762
April	23,000	584,618	168,000	255,000	468,363	403,928	750	1,700	80,602	76,432	263,890	44,000	144,687	2,539,787	5,034,708
May	75,000	634,354	1,117,000	50,000	697,710	145,759	83,505	76,775	339,100	40,768	525,282	258,392	52,356	1,191,700	5,287,701
June	268,569	982,925	40,000	21,759	594,275	486,169	28,178	39,151	1,35,318	52,800	99,700	274,092	150,767	2,625,855	6,799,579
July	301,000	824,400	53,560	25,000	259,000	52,943	.....	52,000	153,100	361,559	184,913	148,392	186,900	1,700,958	4,303,665
August	2,600	195,100	89,500	12,200	165,136	80,755	700	47,300	20,695	71,200	176,500	88,300	152,000	838,647	1,881,233
September	121,709	509,700	.....	1,034,300	320,313	137,354	30,500	16,707	157,524	45,832	127,050	12,400	118,000	1,241,810	3,923,199
October	65,000	822,000	1,987,600	70,123	555,715	195,380	15,500	61,670	21,218	49,000	1,312,801	159,800	28,500	1,862,373	7,146,710
November	215,635	188,900	35,500	600	254,449	268,216	68,177	21,500	62,700	5,050	7,200	83,350	12,800	1,996,506	3,223,613
December	506,176	511,743	2,596,000	32,800	455,955	189,225	87,500	161,300	93,413	139,200	292,586	180,453	176,194	845,250	6,297,79

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	TRADERS.														
	General stores.	Groceries, meats, and fish.	Hotels and restaurants.	Liquors and tobacco.	Clothing and furnishing.	Dry goods and carpets.	Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.	Furniture and crockery.	Hardware, stoves, and tools.	Drugs and paints.	Jewelry and clocks.	Books and papers.	Hats, furs, and gloves.	All other.	Total.
1895—January	Dollars. 2,110,000	Dollars. 1,060,000	Dollars. 190,000	Dollars. 710,000	Dollars. 680,000	Dollars. 2,070,000	Dollars. 490,000	Dollars. 320,000	Dollars. 370,000	Dollars. 350,000	Dollars. 490,000	Dollars. 180,000	Dollars. 310,000	Dollars. 1,870,000	Dollars. 11,220,000
February	1,030,000	1,000,000	180,000	1,060,000	540,000	1,160,000	480,000	230,000	140,000	250,000	130,000	110,000	40,000	1,040,000	7,430,000
March	970,000	480,000	230,000	740,000	780,000	840,000	350,000	370,000	210,000	130,000	260,000	100,000	40,000	1,320,000	6,830,000
April	1,650,000	800,000	130,000	380,000	510,000	630,000	240,000	190,000	280,000	170,000	230,000	130,000	30,000	910,000	6,320,000
May	1,110,000	660,000	220,000	490,000	460,000	430,000	310,000	110,000	340,000	80,000	29,000	100,000	270,000	1,550,000	6,140,000
June	520,000	730,000	130,000	550,000	570,000	1,610,000	300,000	100,000	140,000	140,000	260,000	100,000	220,000	1,830,000	7,230,000
July	440,000	410,000	500,000	180,000	520,000	790,000	170,000	90,000	230,000	130,000	70,000	160,000	150,000	2,870,000	6,700,000
August	490,000	520,000	540,000	250,000	820,000	1,090,000	170,000	50,000	680,000	210,000	90,000	110,000	30,000	1,220,000	6,270,000
September	620,000	510,000	270,000	170,000	490,000	270,000	150,000	100,000	250,000	950,000	220,000	80,000	.....	1,360,000	5,460,000
October	1,400,000	620,000	380,000	530,000	1,490,000	890,000	740,000	130,000	430,000	220,000	150,000	70,000	50,000	1,180,000	8,280,000
November	1,340,000	530,000	90,000	310,000	1,230,000	1,000,000	210,000	100,000	420,000	150,000	80,000	80,000	150,000	1,310,000	6,980,000
December	1,570,000	810,000	660,000	630,000	1,660,000	1,450,000	440,000	280,000	520,000	230,000	480,000	80,000	160,000	4,550,000	13,830,000
	13,250,000	8,130,000	3,520,000	6,000,000	9,750,000	12,230,000	4,050,000	2,070,000	4,010,000	3,010,000	2,480,000	1,300,000	1,450,000	21,310,000	92,700,000
1896—January	1,470,000	1,680,000	150,000	660,000	1,350,000	1,370,000	2,050,000	250,000	330,000	480,000	390,000	410,000	100,000	1,430,000	12,140,000
February	1,120,000	910,000	190,000	490,000	370,000	000,000	510,000	140,000	590,000	90,000	230,000	90,000	60,000	1,170,000	6,610,000
March	1,280,000	1,220,000	210,000	440,000	1,590,000	2,730,000	700,000	540,000	370,000	240,000	230,000	170,000	60,000	2,770,000	12,670,000
April	850,000	550,000	200,000	460,000	470,000	550,000	390,000	210,000	200,000	480,000	240,000	100,000	.....	830,000	5,530,000
May	500,000	950,000	680,000	400,000	520,000	930,000	250,000	90,000	360,000	330,000	170,000	100,000	330,000	1,490,000	7,090,000
June	690,000	580,000	160,000	680,000	830,000	880,000	470,000	180,000	340,000	170,000	290,000	40,000	40,000	1,920,000	7,320,000
July	690,000	700,000	80,000	730,000	240,000	760,000	210,000	150,000	350,000	180,000	100,000	240,000	30,000	2,460,000	6,910,000
August	460,000	620,000	160,000	340,000	870,000	2,470,000	450,000	600,000	320,000	100,000	700,000	20,000	50,000	1,880,000	9,060,000
September	1,110,000	920,000	480,000	820,000	930,000	2,630,000	490,000	880,000	720,000	390,000	470,000	270,000	20,000	2,650,000	12,780,000
October	1,030,000	690,000	270,000	350,000	1,070,000	1,610,000	380,000	150,000	430,000	150,000	150,000	90,000	70,000	920,000	7,420,000
November	1,350,000	510,000	260,000	350,000	1,730,000	1,160,000	220,000	260,000	400,000	170,000	90,000	10,000	20,000	1,020,000	7,480,000
December	1,840,000	1,490,000	300,000	700,000	1,750,000	2,960,000	1,440,000	420,000	710,000	340,000	480,000	60,000	120,000	1,340,000	14,040,000
	12,390,000	10,820,000	3,170,000	6,420,000	11,780,000	18,710,000	7,560,000	3,870,000	5,120,000	3,120,000	3,600,000	1,610,000	900,000	19,880,000	109,050,000
1897—January	1,110,000	870,000	320,000	540,000	760,000	1,090,000	630,000	240,000	520,000	300,000	1,130,000	230,000	30,000	1,600,000	9,390,000
February	810,000	660,000	340,000	400,000	540,000	740,000	520,000	290,000	470,000	190,000	130,000	50,000	60,000	930,000	6,130,000
March	780,000	1,140,000	90,000	530,000	680,000	830,000	530,000	420,000	520,000	300,000	400,000	170,000	30,000	2,110,000	8,530,000
April	730,000	540,000	110,000	270,000	330,000	600,000	290,000	200,000	190,000	190,000	60,000	120,000	.....	1,000,000	4,660,000
May	330,000	470,000	160,000	490,000	690,000	700,000	140,000	230,000	490,000	160,000	110,000	50,000	20,000	790,000	4,840,000
June	670,000	620,000	320,000	630,000	800,000	700,000	410,000	620,000	450,000	170,000	140,000	80,000	60,000	1,930,000	7,730,000
July	420,000	380,000	470,000	310,000	460,000	510,000	160,000	280,000	200,000	120,000	50,000	70,000	20,000	690,000	4,140,000
August	430,000	410,000	150,000	510,000	340,000	350,000	340,000	80,000	430,000	180,000	110,000	170,000	10,000	660,000	4,180,000
September	580,000	520,000	140,000	270,000	510,000	400,000	530,000	100,000	280,000	180,000	70,000	50,000	10,000	810,000	4,510,000
October	550,000	360,000	130,000	460,000	340,000	1,480,000	260,000	60,000	270,000	170,000	30,000	20,000	210,000	570,000	4,940,000
November	1,050,000	470,000	350,000	220,000	730,000	1,150,000	170,000	90,000	310,000	170,000	140,000	60,000	60,000	480,000	5,450,000
December	1,730,000	1,230,000	240,000	430,000	1,060,000	1,490,000	580,000	310,000	790,000	240,000	340,000	180,000	90,000	1,210,000	9,980,000
	9,230,000	7,670,000	2,820,000	5,110,000	7,300,000	10,040,000	4,510,000	2,980,000	4,930,000	2,370,000	2,710,000	1,250,000	610,000	12,780,000	74,490,000
1898—January	1,003,659	778,617	357,317	471,107	859,554	429,028	356,403	328,462	393,292	299,098	165,785	91,954	836,600	761,128	7,022,014
February	679,911	716,051	55,456	202,279	313,902	830,812	304,297	207,100	401,238	172,316	142,769	223,382	14,854	877,541	5,148,032
March	969,333	861,367	102,925	291,586	520,817	467,802	204,214	270,970	377,508	177,095	151,064	57,200	63,700	780,158	5,300,769
April	361,548	737,963	186,491	113,373	422,041	463,350	212,253	132,580	256,414	80,081	49,442	22,500	28,842	885,589	3,987,467
May	568,942	685,717	127,502	464,972	873,711	291,558	315,971	80,420	163,162	182,511	328,271	17,600	32,000	955,638	5,087,995
June	739,167	924,323	276,810	407,597	877,350	775,650	489,227	146,331	126,546	154,288	150,388	23,156	101,736	1,217,780	6,410,349
July	326,090	471,346	216,113	333,724	135,611	366,085	222,525	118,084	111,806	126,884	56,124	11,700	15,000	860,322	3,371,414
August	268,439	374,883	50,467	338,459	265,295	438,034	917,265	31,353	215,409	77,465	23,127	46,286	153,500	612,174	3,819,156
September	491,302	574,609	241,050	253,534	205,720	352,112	236,867	334,940	447,950	130,105	82,374	29,627	170,837	854,425	4,404,852
October	676,559	474,849	116,543	241,451	321,806	1,967,302	403,904	58,794	260,499	168,489	22,400	11,200	3,560	398,186	5,097,533
November	790,930	502,077	141,399	153,709	732,299	323,931	72,364	276,685	167,616	119,351	69,673	103,178	21,000	510,839	3,977,051
December	1,646,351	1,510,329	507,271	302,174											

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued

QUARTERLY STATEMENTS OF FAILURES AND AVERAGE OF LIABILITIES, 1875-1899.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR THE YEAR.		
	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1875.....	1,982	43,173,000	21,782	1,582	33,667,000	21,295	1,771	54,328,000	30,676	2,405	70,888,000	29,475	7,740	201,060,333	25,960
1876.....	2,806	64,644,000	23,039	1,794	43,771,000	24,398	2,450	47,857,371	19,533	2,042	34,844,893	17,064	9,092	191,117,786	21,020
1877.....	2,869	54,538,074	19,010	1,880	45,068,097	23,972	1,816	42,346,085	23,318	2,307	48,717,680	21,117	8,872	190,669,936	21,491
1878.....	3,355	82,078,826	24,464	2,470	48,753,940	19,738	2,853	66,378,363	23,266	1,800	37,172,003	20,651	10,478	234,383,132	22,369
1879.....	2,524	43,112,665	17,081	1,534	22,666,725	14,776	1,262	15,275,550	12,104	1,338	17,094,113	12,775	6,658	98,149,053	14,741
1880.....	1,432	12,777,074	8,922	1,065	20,111,689	18,884	979	12,121,422	12,381	1,259	20,741,815	16,474	4,735	65,752,000	13,880
1881.....	1,761	24,447,250	13,900	1,105	16,499,395	14,931	1,024	10,112,365	9,875	1,692	30,096,922	17,600	5,582	81,155,932	14,530
1882.....	2,127	33,338,271	15,670	1,470	17,242,649	11,722	1,300	18,942,893	14,571	1,841	32,023,751	17,394	6,738	101,547,564	15,070
1883.....	2,821	38,372,643	13,602	1,816	27,816,391	15,317	1,803	52,072,884	28,881	2,744	54,612,254	19,902	9,184	172,874,172	18,823
1884.....	3,296	40,186,978	12,193	2,214	84,204,304	37,998	2,346	56,027,821	24,138	3,112	45,324,324	14,547	10,968	226,343,427	20,632
1885.....	3,658	46,121,051	12,608	2,346	28,601,304	12,091	2,173	23,874,391	10,986	2,460	25,623,575	10,416	10,637	124,220,321	11,678
1886.....	3,203	29,681,726	9,266	1,953	20,752,734	15,746	1,832	27,227,630	14,090	2,746	36,982,029	13,467	9,834	114,644,119	11,651
1887.....	3,007	32,161,762	10,695	1,905	22,976,330	12,061	1,938	73,022,556	37,674	2,784	39,400,296	14,152	9,634	167,560,944	17,392
1888.....	2,948	38,884,789	13,190	2,241	29,229,370	13,043	2,361	22,114,254	9,366	3,129	33,601,560	10,738	10,679	123,829,973	11,595
1889.....	3,311	42,972,516	12,979	2,292	22,856,337	9,972	2,276	39,227,045	17,235	3,003	43,728,439	14,561	10,882	148,784,337	13,672
1890.....	3,223	37,852,968	11,747	2,162	27,466,416	12,704	2,196	35,452,436	16,144	3,326	89,085,144	26,784	10,907	189,856,964	17,408
1891.....	3,545	42,167,631	11,894	2,529	50,248,636	19,893	2,754	44,302,494	16,086	3,445	53,149,877	15,428	12,273	189,868,638	15,471
1892.....	3,384	39,284,349	11,609	2,119	22,989,331	10,849	1,984	18,659,235	9,405	2,867	33,111,252	11,549	10,344	114,044,167	11,025
1893.....	3,202	47,338,300	14,784	3,199	121,541,239	37,984	4,015	82,469,821	20,402	4,826	95,430,529	19,770	15,242	346,779,889	22,751
1894.....	4,304	64,137,333	14,900	2,734	37,595,973	13,751	2,868	29,411,196	10,028	3,979	41,848,354	10,172	13,885	172,992,856	12,458
1895.....	3,802	47,813,683	12,577	2,855	41,026,261	14,370	2,792	32,167,179	11,528	3,748	52,188,737	13,924	13,197	173,196,060	13,124
1896.....	4,031	57,425,135	14,246	2,995	40,444,547	13,504	3,757	73,285,349	19,507	4,305	54,941,803	12,762	15,088	226,096,834	14,992
1897.....	3,932	48,007,911	12,210	2,889	43,684,876	15,121	2,881	25,601,188	8,886	3,649	37,038,006	10,150	13,351	154,332,071	11,559
1898.....	3,687	32,946,565	8,936	3,031	34,498,074	11,381	2,540	25,104,778	9,886	2,928	38,113,482	13,017	12,186	130,662,899	10,722
1899.....	2,772	27,152,031	9,795												

FAILURES AND AGGREGATE LIABILITIES, 1879-1898.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.	CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.
				Dollars.					Dollars.
1879.....	6,658	702,157	.95	98,149,053	1889.....	10,882	1,051,140	1.04	148,784,337
1880.....	4,735	746,823	.63	65,752,000	1890.....	10,907	1,110,590	.98	189,856,964
1881.....	5,582	781,689	.71	81,155,932	1891.....	12,273	1,142,951	1.07	189,868,638
1882.....	6,738	822,256	.82	101,547,546	1892.....	10,344	1,172,705	.88	114,044,167
1883.....	9,184	863,993	1.06	172,874,172	1893.....	15,242	1,193,113	1.28	346,779,889
1884.....	10,968	904,759	1.21	226,343,427	1894.....	13,885	1,114,174	1.25	172,992,856
1885.....	10,637	919,990	1.16	124,220,321	1895.....	13,197	1,209,282	1.09	173,196,060
1886.....	9,834	969,841	1.01	114,644,119	1896.....	15,088	1,151,579	1.31	226,096,834
1887.....	9,634	994,281	.90	167,560,944	1897.....	13,351	1,058,521	1.26	154,332,071
1888.....	10,679	1,046,662	1.02	123,829,973	1898.....	12,186	1,005,830	1.10	130,662,899

MISCELLANEOUS TABLES.

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ST. MARYS FALLS CANAL.

STATEMENT OF THE COMMERCE THROUGH ST. MARYS FALLS CANAL FOR EACH CALENDAR YEAR FROM ITS OPENING IN 1855.

[From the report of the United States Engineer in charge.]

YEAR.	Date of opening canal. <i>a</i>	Date of closing canal. <i>b</i>	TONNAGE AND CLASS OF VESSELS.					PASSENGER AND FREIGHT TRAFFIC.			
			Sailing vessels.	Steamers.	Unregistered craft.	Total passages.	Registered tonnage.	Passengers.	Coal.	Flour.	Wheat.
								Number.	Net tons.	Barrels.	Bushels.
1855.....	June 18 <i>c</i>	Nov. 23	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	106,296	4,270	1,414	10,289	(<i>f</i>)
1856.....	May 4	Nov. 28	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	101,458	4,674	3,968	17,686	(<i>f</i>)
1857.....	May 9	Nov. 30	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	180,820	6,650	5,278	16,500	(<i>f</i>)
1858.....	Apr. 18	Nov. 29	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	219,819	9,230	4,118	13,782	(<i>f</i>)
1859.....	May 3	Nov. 23	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	352,642	.....	8,884	39,459	(<i>f</i>)
1860.....	May 11	Nov. 26	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	403,657	.....	.....	50,250	(<i>f</i>)
1861.....	May 3	Nov. 14	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	276,639	8,816	11,507	22,743	(<i>f</i>)
1862.....	Apr. 27	Nov. 27	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	359,612	8,468	11,346	17,291	(<i>f</i>)
1863.....	Apr. 23	Nov. 24	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>d</i>)	507,434	18,281	7,805	31,975	(<i>f</i>)
1864.....	May 2	Dec. 4	1,015	366	(<i>e</i>)	1,411	571,438	16,985	11,282	33,937	(<i>f</i>)
1865.....	May 1	Dec. 3	602	395	(<i>e</i>)	997	409,062	19,777	.....	34,985	(<i>f</i>)
1866.....	May 5	Dec. 3	555	453	(<i>e</i>)	1,008	458,530	14,067	19,915	33,603	(<i>f</i>)
1867.....	May 4	Dec. 3	839	466	(<i>e</i>)	1,305	556,899	15,120	22,927	28,345	(<i>f</i>)
1868.....	May 2	Dec. 3	817	338	(<i>e</i>)	1,155	432,563	10,590	23,814	27,372	(<i>f</i>)
1869.....	May 4	Nov. 29	939	399	(<i>e</i>)	1,338	524,885	17,657	27,850	32,007	(<i>f</i>)
1870.....	Apr. 29	Dec. 1	1,397	431	(<i>e</i>)	1,828	690,826	17,153	15,952	33,548	49,700
1871.....	May 8	Nov. 29	1,064	573	(<i>e</i>)	1,637	752,101	15,859	46,798	26,060	1,376,765
1872.....	May 11	Nov. 26	1,212	792	(<i>e</i>)	2,004	914,735	25,830	80,815	136,411	567,134
1873.....	May 5	Nov. 18	1,519	968	(<i>e</i>)	2,517	1,204,446	30,966	96,780	172,692	2,119,997
1874.....	May 12	Dec. 2	833	901	(<i>e</i>)	1,734	1,070,857	22,958	61,123	179,855	1,120,015
1875.....	May 12	Dec. 2	569	1,464	(<i>e</i>)	2,033	1,259,534	19,685	101,260	309,991	1,213,788
1876.....	May 8	Nov. 26	684	1,733	(<i>e</i>)	2,417	1,541,676	30,286	124,734	315,224	1,971,549
1877.....	May 2	Nov. 30	1,401	1,050	(<i>e</i>)	2,451	1,439,216	21,800	91,575	355,117	1,319,738
1878.....	Apr. 8	Dec. 3	1,091	1,476	(<i>e</i>)	2,567	1,667,136	20,394	91,856	344,599	1,872,910
1879.....	May 2	Dec. 3	1,403	1,618	100	3,121	1,677,071	18,979	110,704	451,000	2,603,666
1880.....	Apr. 28	Nov. 15 <i>c</i>	1,718	1,735	50	3,503	1,734,890	25,766	170,501	523,800	2,105,920
1881.....	May 7	Dec. 5	1,706	2,117	181	4,004	2,092,757	21,671	295,647	605,453	3,456,965
1882.....	Apr. 21	Dec. 3	1,693	2,739	372	4,774	2,468,088	29,256	430,184	344,044	3,728,856
1883.....	May 2	Dec. 11	1,458	2,620	237	4,315	2,042,259	39,130	714,444	687,031	5,900,473
1884.....	Apr. 23	Dec. 10	1,709	3,609	371	5,689	2,997,837	54,214	766,379	1,248,243	11,985,791
1885.....	May 6	Dec. 2	1,689	3,354	337	5,380	3,035,937	36,147	894,991	1,440,093	15,274,213
1886.....	Apr. 25	Dec. 4	2,534	4,584	306	7,424	4,219,397	27,088	1,009,999	1,759,365	18,991,485
1887.....	May 1	Dec. 2	2,562	5,968	825	9,355	4,897,598	32,668	1,352,987	1,572,735	23,096,520
1888.....	May 7	Dec. 4	2,009	5,305	489	7,803	5,130,659	25,558	2,105,041	2,190,725	18,596,351
1889.....	Apr. 15	Dec. 4	2,635	6,501	443	9,579	7,221,935	25,712	1,629,197	2,228,707	16,231,854
1890.....	Apr. 20	Dec. 3	2,872	7,268	417	10,557	8,454,435	24,856	2,176,925	3,233,104	16,217,370
1891.....	Apr. 27	Dec. 7	2,405	7,339	447	10,191	8,400,685	26,190	2,597,532	3,780,143	38,816,570
1892.....	Apr. 18	Dec. 6	3,324	8,737	519	12,580	10,647,203	25,896	2,904,266	5,418,135	40,994,780
1893.....	May 1	Dec. 5	2,955	8,379	674	12,008	8,949,754	18,869	3,008,120	7,426,674	43,481,652
1894.....	Apr. 17	Dec. 6	3,676	10,208	607	14,491	13,110,366	27,236	2,797,184	8,965,773	34,839,483
1895.....	Apr. 25	Dec. 11	4,790	12,495	671	17,956	16,806,781	31,656	2,574,362	8,902,302	46,218,250
1896.....	Apr. 21	Dec. 8	4,391	13,404	820	18,615	17,249,418	37,066	3,023,340	8,882,858	63,253,463
1897.....	Apr. 21	Dec. 14	4,438	12,029	704	17,171	17,619,933	40,213	3,039,172	8,921,143	55,924,302
1898.....	Apr. 11	Dec. 14	4,449	12,461	851	17,761	18,622,754	43,426	3,776,450	7,778,043	62,339,996

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STATEMENT OF THE COMMERCE THROUGH ST. MARYS FALLS CANAL FOR EACH CALENDAR YEAR FROM ITS OPENING IN 1855—Continued.

[From the report of the United States Engineer in charge.]

YEAR.	Date of opening canal. <i>a</i>	Date of closing canal. <i>b</i>	PASSENGER AND FREIGHT TRAFFIC—continued.									
			Grain— other than wheat.	Manu- factured and pig iron.	Salt.	Copper.	Iron ore.	Lumber, B.M.	Silver ore and bullion.	Building stone.	Unclasi- fied freight.	Total freight.
			<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>	<i>Net tons.</i>
1855.....	June 18 ^c	Nov. 23		1,040	587	2,196	1,447	126,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1856.....	May 4	Nov. 28	33,908	781	464	5,727	11,597	395,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1857.....	May 9	Nov. 30	22,309	1,325	1,500	5,760	26,184	572,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1858.....	Apr. 18	Nov. 20	10,500	2,597	950	6,744	31,035	185,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1859.....	May 3	Nov. 28	71,738	5,504	2,737	7,247	65,769		(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1860.....	May 11	Nov. 26	133,437			9,000	120,000		(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1861.....	May 3	Nov. 14	76,830	4,194	3,014	7,045	44,836	394,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1862.....	Apr. 27	Nov. 27	59,062	6,438	2,477	6,881	113,014	196,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1863.....	Apr. 28	Nov. 24	78,480	6,681	1,506	1,044	181,567	1,411,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1864.....	May 2	Dec. 4	143,560	7,643	1,776	5,331	213,753	2,001,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1865.....	May 1	Dec. 3		7,346	3,175	9,935	147,459	822,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1866.....	May 5	Dec. 3	229,926	13,235	4,454	9,550	152,102	144,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1867.....	May 4	Dec. 3	249,031	20,602	5,316	10,585	222,861	390,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1868.....	May 2	Dec. 3	285,123	22,785	4,624	12,222	191,939	1,119,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1869.....	May 4	Nov. 29	323,501	23,851	5,910	18,662	239,368	1,260,000	(<i>d</i>)	(<i>e</i>)	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1870.....	Apr. 29	Dec. 1	304,077	42,959	11,089	11,301	409,850	722,000	92	2,917	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1871.....	May 8	Nov. 29	308,823	51,984	36,199	14,562	327,461	1,072,000	464	5,228	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1872.....	May 11	Nov. 26	445,774	86,194	42,690	14,591	383,105	1,742,000	366	5,213	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1873.....	May 5	Nov. 18	309,645	44,920	29,335	15,927	504,121	1,162,000	550	2,218	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1874.....	May 12	Dec. 2	149,999	31,741	42,231	15,346	427,658	638,000	443	401	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1875.....	May 12	Dec. 2	250,080	51,381	43,989	18,396	493,408	5,391,000	847	2,978	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1876.....	May 8	Nov. 26	407,772	64,091	46,666	25,756	609,752	17,761,000	985	2,102	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1877.....	May 2	Nov. 30	343,542	39,971	63,188	16,767	568,082	4,143,000	987	2,506	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1878.....	Apr. 8	Dec. 3	264,674	14,882	63,520	22,529	555,750	24,119,000	650	2,754	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1879.....	May 2	Dec. 3	951,496	39,218	92,245	22,309	540,075	35,538,000	324	2,226	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1880.....	Apr. 28	Nov. 15 ^c	2,547,106	46,791	77,916	21,753	677,073	44,539,000	66	2,283	(<i>f</i>)	(<i>g</i>)
1881.....	May 7	Dec. 5	367,838	87,830	65,897	29,488	748,131	58,877,000		1,400	129,031	1,567,741
1882.....	Apr. 21	Dec. 3	473,129	92,870	176,612	25,409	987,060	82,783,000	22	5,428	172,167	2,029,521
1883.....	May 2	Dec. 11	776,552	109,910	70,898	31,024	791,732	87,131,000	814	2,405	191,571	2,267,105
1884.....	Apr. 23	Dec. 10	517,103	72,428	144,804	36,062	1,136,071	122,389,000	9,731	6,047	207,173	2,874,557
1885.....	May 6	Dec. 2	422,981	60,842	136,355	31,927	1,235,122	127,984,000	3,669	8,189	184,963	3,256,628
1886.....	Apr. 25	Dec. 4	715,373	115,208	158,677	38,627	2,087,809	138,688,000	2,009	9,449	230,726	4,527,759
1887.....	May 1	Dec. 2	775,166	74,919	204,908	34,886	2,497,713	165,226,000	350	13,401	344,586	5,494,649
1888.....	May 7	Dec. 4	2,022,308	63,703	210,433	28,960	2,570,517	240,372,000	3,385	33,541	345,854	6,411,423
1889.....	Apr. 15	Dec. 4	2,133,245	57,561	168,250	33,456	4,095,855	315,554,000	5,947	33,538	312,410	7,516,022
1890.....	Apr. 20	Dec. 3	2,044,384	116,327	179,431	43,729	4,774,768	361,929,000	3,432	47,973	371,294	9,041,213
1891.....	Apr. 27	Dec. 7	1,032,104	69,741	234,528	69,190	3,560,213	366,305,000	1,731	44,080	417,093	8,888,759
1892.....	Apr. 18	Dec. 6	1,666,690	101,520	275,740	64,993	4,901,132	512,814,000	1,930	39,698	459,146	11,214,333
1893.....	May 1	Dec. 5	2,405,344	89,452	228,730	87,530	4,014,556	588,545,000	2,470	19,426	415,180	10,796,572
1894.....	Apr. 17	Dec. 5	1,545,008	60,659	237,461	99,573	6,548,876	722,788,000	412	21,417	451,185	13,195,860
1895.....	Apr. 25	Dec. 11	8,228,694	100,337	269,919	107,452	8,062,209	740,760,000	100	23,876	463,308	15,062,580
1896.....	Apr. 21 ^f	Dec. 8	27,448,071	121,872	237,515	116,872	7,909,250	684,986,000	240	17,731	520,851	16,239,061
1897.....	Apr. 21	Dec. 14	24,889,688	135,164	285,449	122,324	10,633,715	805,612,000	5	6,249	579,048	18,982,755
1898.....	Apr. 11	Dec. 14	26,078,384	250,170	301,560	124,226	11,706,960	895,485,000		4,670	623,146	21,234,664

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ESTIMATED VALUE OF FREIGHT, BY ITEMS, THROUGH ST. MARYS FALLS CANAL, MICHIGAN.

ARTICLES.	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Coal (hard and soft).....	4,735,454	7,367,644	5,702,190	7,619,238	8,776,362	10,164,931
Flour.....	7,863,775	10,953,625	11,143,535	16,195,520	18,960,715	21,672,540
Wheat.....	22,634,590	18,224,424	15,907,217	15,893,022	38,040,239	30,746,085
Grain (other than wheat).....	759,653	1,981,862	2,090,580	2,003,496	1,011,462	933,246
Manufactured iron.....	3,035,750	2,442,950	1,577,250	4,680,750	2,128,000	2,988,600
Pig iron.....	241,468	252,348	442,272	386,104	462,077	709,716
Salt.....	204,908	210,433	168,250	179,431	234,528	275,740
Copper.....	6,977,200	5,792,000	6,691,200	8,745,800	13,838,000	12,998,600
Iron ore.....	8,741,995	8,996,808	14,335,492	16,711,688	12,460,744	17,153,962
Lumber.....	2,974,068	4,326,696	5,679,972	6,514,722	6,593,490	9,231,192
Silver ore and bullion.....	53,826	520,579	914,589	527,807	266,211	296,815
Building stone.....	134,010	335,410	335,380	479,730	440,800	396,980
Unclassified freight.....	20,675,160	20,751,240	18,744,600	22,277,640	25,025,580	27,548,760
Total.....	79,031,757	82,156,019	83,732,527	102,214,948	128,178,208	135,117,267

ARTICLES.	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Coal (hard and soft).....	10,528,420	8,191,917	6,993,351	8,452,072.50	9,456,824	10,334,461.05
Flour.....	29,682,696	33,621,649	33,383,632	34,199,003.30	40,145,144	33,056,682.75
Wheat.....	32,611,239	22,316,469	30,041,863	47,442,347.25	48,654,143	49,871,996.80
Grain (other than wheat).....	1,346,993	772,504	4,164,347	10,704,747.69	11,449,256	13,039,192.00
Manufactured iron.....	2,852,300	1,805,350	3,683,150	4,696,200.00	6,092,400	10,709,350.00
Pig iron.....	550,902	331,452	346,788	377,298.00	176,437	476,774.75
Salt.....	228,730	237,461	202,439	178,136.25	214,086	226,170.00
Copper.....	17,506,000	19,914,600	21,490,400	23,374,400.00	24,464,800	29,814,240.00
Iron ore.....	14,050,946	17,027,078	22,332,319	25,705,062.50	31,901,145	35,120,880.00
Lumber.....	10,593,810	11,564,608	8,888,400	8,562,325.00	10,875,762	12,984,532.50
Silver ore and bullion.....	379,861	46,144	11,200	26,880.00	560	.....
Building stone.....	194,260	214,170	238,760	177,310.00	62,490	46,700.00
Unclassified freight.....	24,910,800	27,071,100	27,798,480	31,251,060.00	34,742,880	37,388,760.00
Total.....	145,436,957	143,114,502	159,575,129	195,146,842.49	218,235,927	233,069,739.85

RESULTS OBTAINED FROM AN ANALYSIS OF THE STATISTICS OF TRAFFIC THROUGH THE ST. MARYS FALLS CANAL.

YEAR.	Total mile-tons.	Total cost of transportation.	Cost of carrying per mile-ton.	Average distance freight was carried.	Value of American craft.	Value of Canadian craft.	Proportion of freight carried by Canadian vessels.
		Dollars.	Mills.	Miles.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Per cent.
1887	4,458,544,804	10,075,153.00	2 $\frac{3}{10}$	811 $\frac{1}{10}$	17,684,550	2,089,400	7
1888	5,173,132,972	7,883,077.00	1 $\frac{5}{10}$	806 $\frac{3}{10}$	20,381,100	1,514,300	6
1889	5,940,646,352	8,634,247.00	1 $\frac{5}{10}$	790 $\frac{1}{10}$	25,328,600	1,597,600	4
1890	7,207,299,415	9,472,215.00	1 $\frac{3}{10}$	797 $\frac{7}{10}$	27,857,700	1,777,800	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
1891	7,292,462,269	9,849,023.00	1 $\frac{35}{100}$	820 $\frac{1}{10}$	31,947,300	2,119,500	4
1892	9,222,773,938	12,072,851.00	1 $\frac{30}{100}$	822 $\frac{1}{10}$	36,220,100	2,108,700	3 $\frac{5}{10}$
1893	8,980,310,240	9,957,483.00	1 $\frac{1}{10}$	831 $\frac{2}{10}$	39,017,400	2,115,700	4 $\frac{1}{10}$
1894	10,927,871,324	10,798,310.28	1 $\frac{10}{100}$	821 $\frac{1}{10}$	41,124,200	1,959,800	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
1895	12,502,548,892	14,238,758.02	1 $\frac{15}{100}$	830	40,858,800	2,037,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
1896	13,582,641,886	13,511,015.80	1 $\frac{10}{100}$	836 $\frac{1}{10}$	43,006,200	2,135,300	4
1897	15,969,393,576	13,220,099.84	1 $\frac{80}{100}$	841 $\frac{7}{10}$	42,375,700	2,001,400	11
1898	17,891,597,030	14,125,896.00	1 $\frac{50}{100}$	842 $\frac{7}{10}$	45,199,800	2,491,900	2 $\frac{7}{10}$

FREIGHT RATES FOR WATER TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM LAKE SUPERIOR.

ARTICLES.	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
Coal.....net tons..	90	70	47	45	43	41	40	40	37	32	30	25
Flour.....barrels..	29	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	13	15	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	17	14	14	11	10	10
Wheat.....bushels..		3 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	3	4 $\frac{5}{10}$	3 $\frac{5}{10}$	2 $\frac{8}{10}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{4}{10}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{7}{10}$	2
Grain.....do.....	07	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	2	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{5}{10}$	2 $\frac{1}{4}$	2	2
Corn.....do.....				3								
Manufactured iron.....net tons..	235	180	210	134	250	215	200	90	150	140	140	140
Pig iron.....do.....		130	145	135	117	123	130	115	105	105	105	105
Salt.....barrels..	18	16	18	15	18	15	12	12	13	15	15	15
Copper.....net tons..	260	235	225	238	200	140	175	195	166	195	195	200
Iron ore.....do.....	175	128	114	110	98	100	80	70	82	82	65	60
Lumber.....M ft. B. M..	400	280	270	238	270	295	235	190	200	180	155	165
Silver ore.....net tons..	300	190	190	225	225	225	225	225	233	233	233	.....
Building stone.....do.....	115	205	202	200	200	167	136	128	120	150	150	150
Unclassified freight.....do.....	400	300	300	275	358	360	300	275	250	230	230	240

COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH AND FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL, 1897, 1898, AND 1899.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of April—			Four months ending April—			Month of April—			Four months ending April—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Animals, living (for food):							£	£	£	£	£	£
Cattle.....No..	38,987	38,609	32,239	139,945	149,398	104,939	674,819	649,919	553,250	2,433,859	2,547,084	1,810,514
Sheep and lambs.....No..	23,856	28,253	21,271	76,907	88,154	79,898	32,619	42,446	32,513	110,498	132,671	121,343
Corn:												
Wheat—												
On the Atlantic...cwt..	1,432,900	2,101,500	1,942,900	6,243,400	8,554,100	11,728,570	484,011	919,745	673,631	2,211,948	3,667,465	4,036,473
On the Pacific...cwt..	1,181,400	883,100	1,096,300	6,111,300	3,726,200	2,083,200	395,928	384,815	358,937	2,182,604	1,604,429	689,901
Meal and flour...cwt..	1,116,800	1,756,470	1,399,300	5,130,700	7,539,170	7,683,500	535,559	977,869	641,421	2,477,820	4,155,619	3,021,172
Oats.....cwt..	440,000	910,100	339,100	2,070,200	3,728,340	1,321,700	94,014	260,560	93,938	471,390	1,018,042	362,269
Indian corn or maize...cwt..	5,217,000	4,684,500	3,484,100	17,754,800	16,511,000	14,920,800	818,312	891,867	679,817	2,860,424	3,120,362	3,181,523
Bacon.....cwt..	306,046	399,728	348,743	1,301,812	1,568,099	1,531,362	442,122	603,999	543,572	1,873,914	2,391,499	2,412,844
Beef:												
Salted.....cwt..	13,032	18,318	14,736	48,730	67,107	61,403	14,825	24,470	19,953	60,845	83,003	80,692
Fresh.....cwt..	185,794	210,976	215,239	712,198	763,856	807,758	385,326	451,223	443,867	1,454,214	1,618,647	1,678,868
Hams.....cwt..	126,761	146,633	129,684	432,033	562,397	577,147	271,561	287,541	247,671	908,690	1,112,516	1,112,397
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh.....cwt..	3,643	6,810	12,936	20,002	32,726	41,038	5,166	12,977	24,012	27,668	60,110	72,703
Pork, salted (not hams)...cwt..	14,110	14,847	13,211	57,904	67,262	74,575	16,845	17,998	15,733	73,156	83,419	94,630
Butter.....cwt..	2,289	4,774	6,325	52,937	21,226	70,647	9,024	20,836	27,735	223,932	91,984	314,888
Cheese.....cwt..	19,578	47,964	59,087	221,150	226,462	275,170	48,154	100,898	135,590	512,463	489,119	630,495
Fish, cured or salted...cwt..	4,356	78,706	88,987	193,026	221,926	191,768	7,481	142,823	176,548	395,730	408,811	390,113
Hops.....cwt..	2,778	2,813	6,486	32,623	95,009	75,677	8,695	11,198	31,216	105,457	388,360	382,046
Lard.....cwt..	168,472	225,064	183,230	479,207	781,681	698,099	192,577	292,139	254,860	549,384	1,003,809	982,491
Sugar, refined, and candy...cwt..	1,576	662	413	3,955	4,148	1,165	1,729	747	500	4,294	4,970	1,591
Copper, ore.....tons..	75	50	77	593	461	297	1,659	1,003	2,100	7,226	8,505	10,367
Regulus and precipitate.....tons..	1,586	892	110	7,364	4,461	3,013	45,594	26,879	2,827	219,278	142,829	98,816
Unwrought and part unwrought.....tons..	2,225	3,940	3,260	8,706	12,189	10,994	111,206	205,077	228,530	437,973	619,571	743,281
Iron and steel: Iron, pig and puddled.....tons..	8,060	5,094	6,969	28,516	26,585	44,519	18,076	11,116	17,365	67,882	57,940	107,045
Lead, pig and sheet.....tons..	2,116	3,256	1,542	9,544	10,996	9,939	24,221	42,043	21,719	109,545	136,001	136,664
Oils: Petroleum.....galls..	11,028,180	11,060,441	17,467,939	40,236,113	61,891,612	61,174,004	206,283	189,266	351,460	803,361	1,045,459	1,218,161
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	636,542	1,408,785	575,977	5,455,204	6,679,073	6,177,278	1,335,198	2,458,812	1,021,618	11,705,207	11,637,600	10,379,269
Pulp of wood:												
Chemical.....tons..		483	2,316		2,518	5,059		3,478	13,167		17,390	30,119
Mechanical.....tons..		4,631	450		8,955	549		12,232	2,050		29,613	2,762
Tallow and stearin...cwt..	9,000	82,727	43,305	64,251	202,388	199,979	7,955	77,878	44,160	58,283	188,668	202,256
Wood and timber:												
Hewn.....loads..	15,126	11,946	12,325	43,217	40,326	43,811	73,082	60,644	58,066	222,178	200,226	204,926
Sawn or split, planed or dressed.....loads..	45,656	26,143	41,228	121,141	97,819	99,471	119,902	74,354	118,774	348,525	270,184	297,731
Clocks, and parts of.....							7,423	11,156	11,858	28,417	32,339	35,429
Leather.....cwt..	49,027	39,698	72,032	165,749	203,512	258,013	250,850	221,966	376,886	831,148	1,084,333	1,338,772
Paper:												
Unprinted.....cwt..	33,696	45,244	46,446	86,574	241,471	147,948	28,307	30,977	37,163	71,166	162,100	109,890
Printed.....cwt..	281	1,223	2,062	2,969	6,495	4,787	673	3,202	3,959	5,369	12,612	10,102
Animals: Horses.....No..	4,372	2,934	4,161	12,799	13,904	11,906	129,152	85,114	124,515	364,195	409,285	366,363
Flaxseed or linseed.....qrs..	124			50,428	1,370	1,488	215			78,131	2,350	2,740

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of April—			Four months ending April—			Month of April—			Four month ending April—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
							£	£	£	£	£	£
Beer and alebbls..	6,374	4,233	5,536	17,107	12,280	16,008	28,954	17,535	28,222	78,920	55,706	69,369
Salt, rock and white.tons..	13,422	3,649	5,739	46,408	31,605	25,633	12,363	3,550	7,367	41,208	27,907	29,143
Spirits, British and Irishproof galls..	95,446	19,254	37,759	211,764	85,287	133,126	38,854	8,391	16,268	87,977	38,784	61,084
Wool, sheep and lambs'lbs..	5,844,600	164,200	720,800	14,756,200	1,787,200	3,169,600	234,624	4,170	19,174	549,094	48,073	75,875
Cotton manufactures:												
Piece goods—												
Gray or unbleachedyds..	813,700	195,600	368,400	2,062,700	680,500	1,419,700	16,224	3,525	6,983	39,490	12,592	24,505
Bleachedyds..	1,162,600	945,700	1,426,900	6,717,700	5,295,600	7,726,300	18,885	20,083	29,652	118,421	108,140	164,107
Printedyds..	319,200	175,000	263,400	2,318,000	1,475,300	1,346,200	6,807	4,227	5,108	51,015	32,845	29,603
Dyed or manufactured of dyed yarn.yds..	6,798,900	2,344,900	3,430,300	15,600,400	13,369,200	16,721,700	186,560	60,193	89,473	436,771	342,433	428,839
Total piece goods of all kinds.yds..	9,094,400	3,661,200	5,489,000	26,699,400	20,820,600	27,213,900	228,476	88,028	131,216	645,697	495,910	647,144
Jute yarn.lbs..	19,100	70,600	-----	75,700	143,400	197,000	243	694	-----	808	1,440	1,919
Jute manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.yds..	21,527,400	8,456,100	9,188,400	68,573,000	31,491,800	27,897,500	173,767	64,955	76,905	552,511	256,720	237,295
Linen yarn.lbs..	88,000	106,000	169,100	288,100	556,000	395,900	3,699	2,777	5,038	15,143	14,257	12,792
Linen manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.yds..	17,583,300	6,015,800	7,212,000	48,288,200	35,418,300	33,064,200	325,807	110,300	133,884	893,608	624,382	637,547
Silk: Thrown, twist, and yarnlbs..	48,496	55,922	79,700	115,529	219,040	290,941	14,029	12,304	16,690	33,691	51,934	59,954
Silk manufactures:												
Wholly of silk—												
Broad stuffs of silk or satinyds..	23,350	11,789	16,274	73,294	114,553	105,089	2,991	1,202	2,419	10,309	11,904	13,578
Lace	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	7,063	4,516	6,077	28,454	20,742	19,623
Other articles, of silk only.	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,389	1,024	1,850	4,231	5,537	6,005
Of silk and other materials.	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5,418	5,735	3,897	24,063	30,843	23,928
Woolen yarn.lbs..	5,600	-----	200	29,000	1,900	700	481	-----	29	2,379	170	117
Worsted yarn.lbs..	157,400	10,100	13,100	313,700	68,000	39,600	15,784	1,249	1,640	32,623	6,800	4,911
Woolen and worsted manufactures:												
Woolen tissues.yds..	2,233,600	39,600	100,400	5,032,600	522,900	795,400	226,848	6,219	12,390	524,561	88,777	125,308
Worsted tissues.yds..	10,213,600	815,500	663,600	21,653,300	6,017,900	4,712,100	532,346	38,158	37,379	1,249,423	337,402	275,533
Carpets, not being rugsyds..	34,400	7,800	14,100	124,100	77,600	84,000	6,946	1,141	3,272	22,383	13,015	17,649
Metals, and articles manufactured therefrom, except machinery:												
Hardwares, unenumerated.	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	25,510	1,748	3,076	70,709	6,935	9,491
Cutlery	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	(a)	5,201	5,415	-----	23,096	23,255
Iron and steel:												
Iron, pig.tons..	1,085	2,317	1,441	3,789	7,325	5,933	3,763	14,500	9,985	18,406	40,462	41,184
Bar, angle, bolt and rodtons..	264	111	183	679	774	1,030	4,369	1,793	3,243	11,038	12,536	16,612
Railroad, of all sorts.tons..	-----	143	-----	-----	143	-----	-----	940	-----	-----	940	-----
Wire of iron and steel and manufactures of (except telegraph wires)tons..	130	150	225	645	716	745	2,666	3,743	4,501	12,451	14,674	14,666
Hoops, sheets, and boiler and armor plates.tons..	14	18	5	163	78	28	144	125	82	1,411	678	358
Tin plates and sheets.tons..	8,146	5,221	5,181	36,992	30,261	15,717	91,760	57,399	54,178	415,497	317,905	166,849
Cast and wrought iron, and all other manufactures unenumerated (except ordnance).tons..	198	100	151	672	381	595	2,751	3,114	3,200	15,787	10,003	12,940

a Included with hardwares unenumerated.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of April—			Four months ending April—			Month of April—			Four months ending April—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Iron and steel—Continued.												
Old, for remanufacture							£	£	£	£	£	£
.....tons.....		391		12	311			1,030		35	1,060	
Steel, unwrought.....tons..	1,725	983	1,156	5,133	4,606	3,789	33,985	19,543	24,217	99,412	83,689	85,894
Black plates for tinning												
(iron and steel) .....tons..	50	46	35	322	326	98	562	427	283	3,118	3,027	1,064
Manufactures of steel, or of												
steel and iron combined												
.....tons.....	90	17	72	565	168	173	7,692	6,407	8,261	37,522	26,842	29,496
Lead:												
Pig, and manufactures of												
.....tons.....	74	38	23	120	55	30	964	502	397	1,649	781	555
Tin, unwrought.....cwt..	100	100	240	806	500	1,011	320	340	1,277	2,686	1,655	5,461
Machinery and millwork, or												
parts thereof:												
Steam engines—												
Locomotives.....									15	252	54	518
Agricultural.....									1,050	15		4,840
Other descriptions.....							787	66	1,281	3,280	890	1,675
Not steam engines—												
Agricultural.....										97	293	12
Mining.....									139	70		139
Textile.....							18,424	30,414	20,727	73,597	112,918	88,433
Other descriptions.....							2,237	4,992	3,129	12,223	18,293	18,726
Apparel and articles of per-												
sonal use:												
Apparel and slops.....							5,895	4,268	5,414	19,726	13,426	16,067
Haberdashery and milli-												
nery, including embroid-												
ery and needlework.....							3,533	3,653	837	14,354	15,909	9,447
Chemicals, and chemical and												
medicinal preparations:												
Alkali.....cwt..	258,963	93,851	61,758	845,341	374,631	196,342	65,081	16,133	11,341	194,438	71,609	39,615
Bleaching materials or												
preparations.....cwt..	57,397	66,298	79,383	223,771	245,969	295,648	18,335	18,299	18,349	71,687	69,315	68,600
All other articles:												
Bags and sacks, empty, for												
packing merchandise												
.....doz.....	20,707		2,315	30,636	4,047	12,513	1,564		307	2,928	496	1,492
Cement.....tons..	4,665	6,101	3,668	23,123	15,173	5,581	6,969	11,345	7,734	37,206	28,010	12,472
Earthen and china ware:												
Earthenware, chinaware,												
parian, and porcelain.....							88,768	48,436	50,108	246,877	191,594	183,711
Paper:												
Writing or printing, and												
envelopes.....cwt..	1,959	637	332	4,639	3,796	1,205	6,276	1,510	601	13,272	6,583	2,716
All other descriptions.cwt..	1,060	813	909	4,128	2,484	2,653	3,824	2,249	3,269	14,639	7,714	9,537
Saddlery and harness.....							5,931	3,209	4,851	13,383	11,135	12,563
Skins and furs of all sorts.....							47,893	58,360	141,117	157,757	229,073	277,045
Stationery, other than paper.....							6,708	6,109	4,684	18,856	19,049	18,529

THE COMMERCE OF SPAIN

IN

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REPORT ON TRADE AND COMMERCE OF SPAIN FOR THE YEAR 1898.

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In spite of the wars and consequent general excitement and heavy taxation, native industries in Spain have not suffered as greatly as it was feared they would do. The loss of the colonial markets, on which the export trade of Spain greatly depended, has made it necessary for the Government to take serious steps for finding new markets for Spanish products and for stimulating and enlarging those already known. With this intention several important measures have been instituted.

A special subdepartment in the ministry of foreign affairs has been created for the purpose of supplying commercial information and statistics to merchants and tradesmen. Morocco and the Spanish-American Republics naturally offer the most promising markets for Spanish products, owing to affinity of race, language, and customs, and to these countries the attention of the Spanish Government is especially directed.

Commercial attachés have been appointed for Mexico, Brazil, Uruguay, the Argentine Republic, and Chile, and all possible steps are being taken to increase Spanish interests in these countries.

A general assembly of the Spanish chambers of commerce was held at Saragossa on November 20, last, to discuss the commercial position of the country. The meeting was held under the most orderly conditions, and their efforts were treated with respect by the Government and caused a good impression in the country, and a petition embodying the opinions of the chambers was duly presented to the Queen Regent. Although it has as yet led to no practical result, the fact that the assembly has been held at all is a proof of the general anxiety among a large and influential portion of the nation to take immediate steps for the improvement of trade.

Increased interest is now being taken in all mining questions in Spain, as it is being recognized at last that, if properly developed, the mineral wealth of the country can be turned to enormous advantage. Although retarded at present by the want of railways and the great distances of some of the important mining provinces from the coast and the consequent cost of carriage, a great development has taken place in the last two years in the mining industry, and as will be seen below (page 33) the amount of minerals exported has greatly increased.

The number of soldiers who have returned from foreign service and the reduced number of men now required for the army will insure an increased number of laborers. The anxiety to open up new enterprises for the improvement of the country will, it is hoped, cause the Spanish Government to encourage in every way the investment of foreign capital in Spain. Under these circumstances the great natural mineral wealth of Spain should be taken into serious consideration by those mining companies that have not at present interests in this country.

The sole right of sale and manufacture of tobacco in Spain is held by the Bank of Spain in the form of a monopoly granted under Royal Decree of June 10, 1887, and extended for a further twenty-five years under law of August 30, 1896.

The cultivation of tobacco in Spain is forbidden by law, although judging from the small quantities grown in many gardens it appears that it might be made an important industry. According to the regulations the cultivation of tobacco is prohibited both in Spain and the Balearic Islands. The tobacco monopoly is required to make experiments in the cultivation during three years in different parts of Spain. These experiments are being carried out, but it appears that whatever the result it is most improbable that the cultivation of tobacco will be allowed during the lease of the present monopoly.

The crisis in the wheat trade during the first four months of the year 1898 was the cause of serious disturbances, the suspension of the import duties, and the prohibition of the export of cereals. Spain is naturally a self-supporting country independent of the importation of food stuffs. The production of wheat is very large, and it is estimated that in a favorable year, allowing for consumption and seed, there should be 4,000,000 quarters of wheat for exportation.

Heavy duties and surcharges are imposed upon the importation of cereals into Spain, for the reason that the supply of Cuba and Porto Rico with flour under the favorable conditions allowed by the Spanish colonies to the mother country was an important trade in Spain, and was used as a source of income to the national treasury.

The import duties on wheat in January, 1898, were as follows: Wheat, 10 to 50 pesetas per 100 kilograms; flour, 17 to 30 pesetas per 100 kilograms. At the commencement of 1898 the price of wheat was rising steadily on account of the increased prices all over Europe and the depreciation of Spanish currency, so that speculators, foreseeing a further rise in prices, refused to sell their stocks, except at exorbitant rates.

By the end of February the situation was critical. The price of wheat was 48s. 7d. per quarter, and bread riots were taking place in various agricultural centers. On March 3 a temporary relief was afforded by the issue of a Royal order removing the surcharges on the importation of wheat, flour, and bran, and the price fell to 39s. 7d. per quarter. By the middle of April, owing to the enormous depreciation of Spanish currency (50 pesetas = £1), the owners of cereals in Spain were able to export their goods at a great profit, on account of being paid in gold, and great excitement arose on this account from the fear that the home markets might be left unsupplied. Serious riots occurred in many cities on the removal of stores of wheat, and special regulations as to the price of bread were made by various municipalities. On May 7 a Royal order was published suspending all import duties and prohibiting the export of all cereals, potatoes, beans, and flour until August 15 following. Fortunately the harvest proved excellent, and on August 15 the export of cereals was again permitted and an import tax of 6 and 10 pesetas per 100 kilograms on wheat and wheat flour respectively was imposed and the ordinary import duties on other cereals reestablished.

The prohibition to export vegetables, however, caused serious loss to the important industry of producing potatoes and fresh vegetables for foreign markets. These vegetables are of special kinds and consequently of extra value, which could not be obtained in Spain. A petition has recently been addressed to the Spanish Government that an assurance should be given that no such order should be imposed in future, but they were unable to accede to this request.

Under the regulations of the budget law of June 28, 1898, an export tax of 2½ per cent ad valorem was imposed on all merchandise, with the exception of cork and rags, which continued to pay the duties imposed by the actual tariff, and on coal and coke for the Canary Islands. The tax was, however, very unpopular in the country, owing to the difficulties already experienced by exporters from the loss of the colonial markets, and it was withdrawn on October 10, last.

GENERAL STATISTICS OF THE FOREIGN TRADE OF SPAIN DURING THE YEARS 1896, 1897, AND 1898.

IMPORTATION.

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Raw materials.....	303,559,762	12,142,390	319,209,792	12,768,392	268,498,379	10,739,935
Manufactured articles.....	190,206,010	7,608,240	192,955,688	7,718,203	158,405,037	6,336,201
Alimentary substances.....	153,746,593	6,149,864	148,235,985	5,929,439	98,798,401	3,951,936
Total.....	647,512,365	25,900,494	660,400,865	26,416,034	525,701,817	21,028,072

EXPORTATION.

Raw materials.....	235,911,523	9,436,000	267,980,374	10,719,000	276,100,170	11,044,000
Manufactured articles.....	186,333,976	7,453,000	208,899,637	8,276,000	162,641,781	6,505,000
Alimentary substances.....	333,275,662	13,331,000	334,636,792	13,361,000	399,875,648	15,995,000
Total.....	755,521,161	30,220,000	808,916,803	32,356,000	838,617,599	33,544,000

STATISTICS OF THE TRADE BETWEEN SPAIN AND VARIOUS FOREIGN COUNTRIES IN THE YEARS 1896 AND 1897.

[Details for 1898 not available.]

COUNTRIES.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.	
	1896	1897	1896	1897
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>
Great Britain	154,708,903	155,076,488	223,716,676	263,643,582
France	217,713,552	146,856,965	282,464,497	254,459,511
United States	73,399,065	99,408,141	10,845,589	12,265,411
Germany	44,662,611	52,562,909	9,389,820	21,474,318
Russia	40,278,996	49,350,795		
Portugal	41,068,962	37,614,127	41,513,130	34,575,352
Belgium	40,522,360	27,544,655	17,650,984	19,297,109
Italy	21,560,500	22,864,482	10,129,040	10,161,536
British possessions in Asia	4,396,817	17,027,959		
Norway	17,277,735	16,770,269		
Argentine Republic	8,706,814	13,854,567	10,076,706	11,467,023
Switzerland		10,916,292		
Gibraltar			8,582,422	9,242,959
Holland			18,396,441	18,907,659
Uruguay			4,794,670	5,002,075
Mexico			8,682,160	7,743,669
Spanish colonies	166,149,310	170,881,439	346,547,851	372,327,060
Other countries	79,803,644	88,809,123	28,462,461	34,406,108
Total	909,589,269	909,538,661	1,023,252,447	1,074,833,372

As seen in the above statistics, Great Britain and France hold one-third of the total import trade and half the total export trade of Spain. * * *

The apparent decrease in the trade of France with Spain is explained by the fact that until the year 1897 it was impossible to learn from the published statistics the actual origin or destination of a large quantity of the articles of foreign trade. On this account much of the trade in transit through France was credited to that country, which therefore appeared to have a much larger trade with Spain than was actually the case.

For the same reason, the large increase in the trade of Germany with Spain is partly explained by the fact that Belgium and Holland had previously been credited with much of the German trade which had been sent in transit through these countries.

Under the present arrangement of the official statistics the origin and destination of the merchandise is stated, and it is therefore possible to arrive at a correct estimate of the foreign trade with Spain.

MINERALS, POTTERY, GLASSWARE, ETC.

The first list of articles enumerated in the Spanish custom-house tariff is composed of stones, earths, minerals, glassware, and pottery. The following table shows the value of the importations during the last year as compared with the two previous years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Earths, stones, etc.	4,899,893	196,000	5,276,267	211,000	6,890,548	275,000
Coal	41,310,839	1,652,000	45,920,824	1,836,000	32,413,787	1,296,000
Coke	5,577,582	223,000	5,962,264	238,000	5,285,857	211,000
Tar, etc.	2,832,133	113,000	1,848,611	74,000	2,630,288	105,000
Petroleum and mineral oils	8,141,624	325,000	7,678,074	307,000	6,773,296	271,000
Glassware	3,894,534	152,000	3,673,039	147,000	2,605,919	104,000
Pottery	2,590,711	103,000	2,356,553	94,000	1,520,311	61,000
Total	69,157,316	2,766,000	72,715,632	2,908,000	58,120,006	2,325,000

The articles of the first group, consisting of marble and other building stones and cement, show a considerable increase. The marble, valued at about 500,000 pesetas (£20,000), was practically all imported from Italy. The cements, lime, plaster, and other building necessities, valued at 4,705,000 pesetas (£188,000) in the year 1897, were supplied to the value of nearly 3,000,000 pesetas (£120,000) by France, about 1,000,000 pesetas (£40,000) by England, 350,000 pesetas (£14,500) by Belgium, and 310,000 pesetas (£12,500) from Portugal.

The principal ports of entry for these products are Bilbao, Barcelona, Seville, Gijon, and Cartagena.

The importation of coal into Spain in 1898 shows a decrease of 418,000 tons as compared with the previous year. This is due to the high rate of exchange and high prices of coal. On this account a law was passed on June 28, 1898, reducing the import duties on coal and coke to 1.50 pesetas from 2.50 pesetas per ton of 1,000 kilograms. The ordinary tariff was again brought into force on January 1, 1899. In spite of the shutting down of many of the Spanish factories on account of the war and the consequent crisis in the manufacturing trades, the consumption of coal was more than in the previous year, and this was supplied by the largely increased production of coal in Spain.

The foreign supply of coal in Spain is practically confined to the English market, and therefore all details of the production of coals in Spain are of special interest.

The following table, taken from the *Revista Minera*, shows the production, commercial movement, and consumption of coal in Spain during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.		
	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Spanish production of coal	1,867,842	2,019,400	2,466,800
Spanish production of lignite.....	55,413	54,232	59,800
Importation of coal.....	1,447,345	1,633,333	1,215,554
Importation of coke (expressed as coal) at 72 per cent.....	325,306	298,520	321,739
Total	3,695,906	4,005,485	4,063,893
Exportation.....	4,296	2,539	2,772
Consumption in Spain.....	3,691,610	4,002,946	4,061,121

The consumption of coal in 1898, therefore, increased by 58,175 tons, and this quantity and the decrease of 417,779 tons imported in the year have been supplied by the Spanish coal, the production of which has increased 22 per cent. * * *

The importation of glass and glassware is steadily declining in Spain, owing to the increased number of factories which now supply the great mass of the ordinary kinds of glass. The Spanish factories, many of which are carried on with head workmen from French factories, are beginning to produce excellent articles, and the lower price gives them a ready sale. Of the total value of the glass imported in 1897, amounting to 3,673,000 pesetas (£147,000), only the value of 304,000 pesetas (£12,000) was supplied by England. More than half of the imported glass is of French manufacture, Belgium being the only other country with an important interest in the trade.

The pottery must be considered in three classes: Bricks, tiles, etc., pottery, and porcelain.

In bricks, tiles, etc., a slight increase in importation is noticed. Of the total import in 1897, valued at 770,000 pesetas (£31,000), nearly the value of 600,000 pesetas (£24,000) was imported from Great Britain. The value of the importation from France was 112,000 pesetas (£4,500).

The importation of pottery in 1897 was valued at 666,000 pesetas (£26,600), and of this nearly half came from France. Of other countries, England supplied pottery for 174,000 pesetas (£7,000), and Germany for 109,600 pesetas (£4,400).

British trade in porcelain is of small importance at present. The total importation in 1897 into Spain was valued at 1,206,000 pesetas (£48,000). Of this, French porcelain was valued at 647,000 pesetas (£26,000); German at 424,000 pesetas (£17,000); and Belgian, 47,000 pesetas (£1,900).

Porcelain figures and ornaments were imported in 1897 to the value of 565,000 pesetas (£22,000). Of this, the French manufactures were valued at 212,000 pesetas (£8,000), the German at 178,000 pesetas (£7,000), and British at 21,000 pesetas (£800).

IMPORTATIONS OF METALS AND THEIR MANUFACTURES.

The importation of metals and articles manufactured of metals has decreased in every class except tin plates, and more especially in iron and articles manufactured of it. The production of metals and their products in Spain has also decreased.

The following table shows the values of the different classes of metals imported during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Cast iron.....	3,612,370	145,000	2,976,597	119,000	1,491,873	59,000
Wrought iron.....	9,382,482	375,000	9,584,503	383,000	6,150,438	246,000
Iron and steel wire.....	1,683,844	67,000	1,161,724	46,000	770,476	31,000
Wrought iron (large pieces).....	1,269,577	51,000	1,261,118	50,000	410,144	16,000
Iron, manufactured.....	4,242,294	169,000	3,618,959	144,000	2,993,702	119,000
Tin plates.....	407,311	16,000	226,579	9,000	261,184	10,000
Copper and its alloys.....	3,725,435	149,000	4,021,909	161,000	3,142,823	125,000
Tin in ingots.....	2,159,419	86,000	1,800,267	72,000	1,629,608	65,000
Total.....	26,512,732	1,060,000	24,651,656	986,000	16,850,248	674,000

The importation of steel and iron rails, valued at 1,400,000 pesetas (£56,000) in 1897, and supplied in about equal quantities by England, Germany, Belgium, and France, was only valued in 1898 at 570,000 pesetas (£23,000).

Iron and common steel bars, valued in 1897 at 750,000 pesetas (£30,000), and supplied for the value of 320,000 pesetas (£13,000) by England, 153,000 pesetas (£6,000) by Sweden, and 122,000 pesetas (£5,000) by Germany, have fallen to the value of 570,000 pesetas (£23,000).

The importation of wrought-iron wheels, axles, etc., valued in 1897 at 4,000,000 pesetas (£160,000), and supplied by Belgium for the value of 3,360,000 pesetas (£134,000), Great Britain for 390,000 pesetas (£15,000), and other countries in smaller quantities has been reduced to the value of 2,500,000 pesetas (£100,000).

Wrought-iron and steel in sheets and pieces imported in 1897 for the value of 1,500,000 pesetas (£60,000), and supplied by Great Britain for 600,000 pesetas (£24,000), and Belgium for 450,000 pesetas (£18,000), was only imported for the value of 1,200,000 pesetas (£50,000) in 1898.

Wrought-iron tubes of all kinds imported into Spain in 1897 for nearly 1,000,000 pesetas (£40,000), and supplied by Great Britain for the value of 550,000 pesetas (£22,000), and by France and Germany for the value of about 150,000 pesetas (£6,000) each, were in 1898 imported for about half that value.

Wrought-iron screws and nails, etc., imported in 1897 for the value of upward of 1,000,000 pesetas (£40,000), and supplied by France for 450,000 pesetas (£18,000), Belgium 250,000 pesetas (£10,000), Great Britain 140,000 pesetas (£5,500), were only imported for the value of 800,000 pesetas (£32,000) last year.

The importation of files and other fine tools for artisans was valued at 660,000 pesetas (£26,000) of which 300,000 pesetas (£12,000) was the value of the English supply, Germany and France having each supplied these articles for a value of about 170,000 pesetas (£7,000).

Iron and steel wire imported in 1897 for the value of 1,160,000 pesetas (£46,000) was supplied from Germany for 427,000 pesetas (£17,000); from Great Britain for 360,000 pesetas (£14,000); from France for 248,000 pesetas (£10,000); and from Belgium for 140,000 pesetas (£6,000), decreased to the value of 770,000 pesetas (£31,000) in 1898.

The importation of wrought iron and steel in large pieces valued at 1,260,000 pesetas (£50,000) in 1897, of which the value of 900,000 pesetas (£36,000) was supplied by France, 214,000 pesetas (£9,000) by Belgium, and 130,000 pesetas (£5,000) by England, was reduced to the value of 410,000 pesetas (£16,000) in 1898.

In manufactured iron articles, including those coated with other metals or porcelain, the importation in 1897 was valued at 3,600,000 pesetas (£144,000), and was reduced to the value of 3,000,000 pesetas (£120,000) in 1898.

These articles of the commoner class, in which sheet iron predominates, are imported for half the total supply from France. Great Britain sends about one quarter the supply, and Germany is the only other country with any considerable interest in the trade.

The decrease in the consumption of metals and their manufactures is evident from the small production of steel, iron, and pig iron in 1898 as compared with 1897.

The following table from the Revista Minera shows the consumption of mineral iron in Spain during the year 1898:

PROVINCES.	Factories.	Quantity.
		<i>Tons.</i>
Vizcaya	Vizcaya	180,000
	Altos Hornos	140,000
	S. Francisco del Desierto	52,076
	Sta. Ana de Bolueta	5,000
	Purísima Concepción	4,000
	Total	381,076
Oviedo.....	Morde & Gijón	45,000
	Mieres.....	42,445
	Duro & Co.....	44,880
	Total	132,325
Navarra	Bidasoa.....	11,000
Alava	Araya	9,371
Guipuzcoa.....	S. Pedro de Elgoibar	8,000
Logrono	La Numancia de Ezcarray	1,000
	Various.....	10,000
	Grand total.....	552,772

The importation of drugs and chemicals into Spain is a trade of great importance. The following table shows the value of these imports during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Simple drugs	14,968,609	598,000	15,260,299	610,000	9,882,184	395,000
Colors, dyes, varnishes	11,464,796	458,000	10,133,357	405,000	9,712,708	388,000
Chemical and pharmaceutical products.....	23,392,108	935,000	26,672,600	1,067,000	26,354,474	1,054,000
Wax, soap, etc.....	6,751,649	270,000	6,728,360	269,000	6,249,898	250,000
Perfumery	1,370,136	55,000	1,389,000	55,500	1,040,264	41,000
Total	57,947,298	2,317,000	60,183,616	2,407,000	53,239,528	2,129,000

IMPORTATION OF COTTON AND MANUFACTURES OF.

The importation of cotton and manufactured cotton goods shows a considerable decrease, as will be seen from the following table:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Raw cotton	65,820,888	2,632,000	85,075,052	3,403,000	73,807,989	2,952,000
Cotton yarns	3,900,304	156,000	3,712,676	148,000	2,455,064	98,000
Cotton tissues	3,413,298	136,000	2,731,393	109,000	1,856,354	74,000
Muslins, cambrie	517,282	20,000	507,471	20,000	331,270	15,000
Velveteens	256,684	10,000	219,990	9,000	123,906	5,000
Tulles	253,722	10,000	258,542	10,000	590,140	23,000
Lace, except crochet.....	367,144	14,000	281,220	11,000	1,187,908	47,000
Crochet lace	338,171	13,000	251,298	10,000	232,668	9,000
Hosiery.....	355,833	14,000	262,772	10,000	195,761	8,000
Total	75,223,326	3,009,000	93,300,414	3,732,000	80,831,060	3,233,000

The large decrease in the importation of raw cotton in 1898 was caused by the crisis in the Spanish cotton factories, owing to the loss of their colonial trade and the war with the United States, which country was the chief source of supply.

The value of the export of cotton goods from Spain fell for an amount of upward of 23,000,000 pesetas (£920,000), and although the demand for Spanish-made goods has greatly increased in Spain, it is not large enough to keep in employment the factories that have been set up to supply the colonial trade.

Raw cotton, which was valued at 85,000,000 pesetas (£3,400,000) in 1897, was imported from the United States for 68,790,000 pesetas (£2,751,600), from Turkey for 4,444,000 pesetas (£177,000), and from India for 2,392,000 pesetas (£95,000). Nearly the whole of this quantity was landed at Barcelona, and a small quantity at Malaga, Corunna, and Santander.

Cotton yarns are imported principally from Great Britain. Yarns of one or two threads, both up to No. 35, inclusive, and from No. 36 upward, were only imported for the value of 74,000 pesetas (£3,000) and 82,000 pesetas (£3,300), respectively.

The importation of yarns of three or more threads is more important, and was valued in 1898 at 2,300,000 pesetas (£92,000). These yarns are nearly all imported from Great Britain. In 1897, of the total importation, valued at 3,250,000 pesetas (£130,000), of which upward of 3,000,000 pesetas (£120,000) was British, the German yarns were valued at 83,000 pesetas (£3,300), and the French at 65,000 pesetas (£2,600).

The value of the cotton tissues imported in 1898 was reduced to 1,800,000 pesetas (£72,000), from 2,700,000 pesetas (£108,000) in the previous year. This decrease was caused by the high rate of exchange and the consequent increased cost of foreign goods, and also the loss of the Spanish colonial markets, which has compelled the price of home-made goods to be reduced in order that the surplus stock could be cleared.

IMPORTATION OF FLAX, HEMP, ETC., AND THEIR MANUFACTURES.

The importation of raw and hackled hemp was, in 1896, 4,224,735 pesetas; in 1897, 2,686,907 pesetas; and in 1898, 2,472,390 pesetas; and the total value of all imports of hemp, flax, jute, and their manufactures in 1896, 22,042,977 pesetas; in 1897, 22,822,162 pesetas; and in 1898, 21,849,147 pesetas. * * *

IMPORTS OF WOOL AND WOOLEN GOODS.

The value of the imports of wools, bristles, hair, horsehair, and their manufactures has decreased in the sum of nearly 5,000,000 pesetas (£200,000) in the year 1898, as compared with the previous year, as will be seen in the following table:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Raw wool.....	12,823,600	513,000	11,336,221	453,000	9,862,567	394,000
Yarns.....	659,832	26,000	553,228	22,000	699,571	28,000
Tissues.....	9,120,238	365,000	8,252,966	330,000	4,561,988	182,000
Total.....	22,603,670	904,000	20,142,415	805,000	15,124,126	605,000

Raw bristles, hair, etc., including camel and vicuna, were only imported for the value of 426,000 pesetas (£17,000) during 1898, or 100,000 pesetas (£4,000) less than during the previous year. The trade is supplied almost entirely by Great Britain and France.

The unwashed wool imported in 1898 was valued at only 10,000 pesetas (£400).

Washed wool, the total importation of which was valued at 1,560,000 pesetas (£62,000) in 1898, is chiefly supplied by France. In 1897 the total import of this article was valued at 2,450,000 pesetas (£98,000), and of this amount France supplied wool for nearly 2,000,000 pesetas (£80,000), England for 227,000 pesetas (£9,000), and Italy for 137,000 pesetas (£5,400).

Wool combed and prepared for spinning, unbleached carded wool, and waste wool from carding are the most important in this class. In the year 1898 the total value of the combed wool imported was 7,247,000 pesetas (£290,000). France and Great Britain supply nearly the whole quantity imported. In 1897, of the total importation, valued at 7,645,000 pesetas (£306,000), French wool was valued at 3,987,000 pesetas (£159,000) and British wool at 3,147,000 pesetas (£126,000).

Woolen yarns are imported only in small quantities, and Great Britain supplies the greater part, more especially in the washed and bleached yarns, of which this class of importation is chiefly composed.

The import of woolen tissues has decreased in value for nearly 4,000,000 pesetas (£160,000).

Woolen carpets, which are chiefly supplied by England, were only imported for half the value of the previous year, or 345,000 pesetas (£14,000).

Felts, of which half the quantity imported comes from England, and the rest from France and Germany, were only imported for the total value of 80,000 pesetas (£3,000).

Blankets were only valued at 900 pesetas (£36), and nearly all were of French manufacture.

Pure wool cloth was imported in 1898 for the value of 650,900 pesetas (£26,000). In 1897 the total value of this importation was 1,000,000 pesetas (£40,000), and of this the British manufactures were valued at 730,000 pesetas (£29,000) and the French at 233,000 pesetas (£9,000).

SILK IMPORTATIONS.

The importation of silk in 1898 shows a heavy decrease in value as compared with the previous year, especially in raw and spun silk and in silk tissues.

The following table compares the values of the silk imported during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
Raw and spun	4, 097, 616	164, 000	4, 519, 600	181, 000	2, 056, 300	122, 000
Yarn	2, 982, 404	119, 000	3, 439, 300	137, 000	3, 064, 116	122, 000
Tissues	12, 740, 212	509, 000	11, 096, 331	444, 000	8, 348, 926	334, 000
Total	19, 820, 232	793, 000	19, 055, 231	762, 000	11, 469, 342	578, 000

Practically the whole quantity of raw and spun silk is imported from France, small quantities being also imported from China and Italy. In silk yarns the importation is chiefly supplied by France, Italy, and Switzerland, except in the class of dyed silk waste. This yarn, which was imported for the total value of about 1,200,000 pesetas (£48,000) during last year, was supplied by England for a value of nearly 700,000 pesetas (£28,000), Germany for 150,000 pesetas (£6,000), Switzerland for 130,000 pesetas (£5,000), and France for 120,000 pesetas (£5,000).

In the silk tissues nearly the whole quantity of the importation is supplied by France except the special silks from China and Japan.

PAPER, BOOKS, ETC.

The importation of paper, books, maps, and pulp for paper in the past three years has been as follows:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
Pulp	3, 520, 823	141, 000	3, 919, 583	156, 000	3, 211, 128	128, 000
Paper	3, 029, 808	121, 000	2, 790, 860	112, 000	2, 303, 557	92, 000
Books	540, 731	22, 000	443, 620	18, 000	325, 119	13, 000
Maps	1, 468, 275	58, 000	1, 926, 915	77, 000	1, 242, 721	59, 000
Total	8, 559, 637	342, 000	9, 080, 978	363, 000	7, 082, 525	283, 000

Upwards of three-quarters of the pulp for the manufacture of paper is imported from Norway and Sweden. The balance is brought from Germany, Belgium, and Great Britain.

LUMBER, TIMBER, AND FURNITURE IMPORTED.

The lumber trade of Spain is of considerable value, but has diminished by 11,000,000 pesetas (£440,000) during the last year owing to the slackness in the building trade. The following table shows the values of lumber imported during recent years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
Staves	11, 983, 000	479, 000	14, 650, 000	586, 000	12, 598, 000	504, 000
Building lumber	23, 406, 780	936, 000	25, 949, 820	1, 038, 000	18, 132, 010	725, 000
Casks	391, 465	15, 000	430, 400	17, 000	426, 037	17, 000
Furniture	3, 726, 358	149, 000	3, 261, 423	130, 000	2, 189, 960	87, 000
Various	2, 938, 411	117, 000	1, 050, 486	42, 000	699, 195	28, 000
Total	42, 446, 014	1, 697, 000	45, 342, 129	1, 813, 000	34, 045, 202	1, 362, 000

Great Britain is but little interested in this trade, except as regards Canada.

Staves are imported principally from the United States and Italy. In the year 1897 the former country supplied staves for the value of 8,360,000 pesetas (£334,000), and Italy for the value of 4,400,000 pesetas (£176,000), the Argentine Republic for 840,000 pesetas (£33,000), France for 550,000 pesetas (£22,000), and England for about 400,000 pesetas (£16,000).

Building lumber was imported in 1897 from Sweden for the value of 5,765,760 pesetas (£230,000), from Russia for 5,392,000 pesetas (£215,000), from France for 4,464,000 pesetas (£178,000), from Finland for 3,295,000 pesetas (£132,000), and from the United States for 2,190,000 pesetas (£87,000).

Casks, fitted together or not, were imported from the United States for the value of 129,000 pesetas (£5,000), from Cuba for 86,000 pesetas (£3,500), from France for 75,000 pesetas (£3,000), from Russia for 60,000 pesetas (£2,400), and from Great Britain for 27,000 pesetas (£1,000).

The import of ordinary furniture in 1897 was valued at 1,328,000 pesetas (£53,000). Furniture valued at 445,000 pesetas (£18,000) was supplied by England, at 369,000 pesetas (£15,000) by France, and for 281,000 pesetas (£11,000) from Germany.

The finer kinds of furniture were valued at 1,262,000 pesetas (£50,000) in the same year, and were supplied by Austria for 606,000 pesetas (£24,000), by Germany for 295,000 pesetas (£12,000), by France for 192,000 pesetas (£7,600) and Great Britain for 50,000 pesetas (£2,000).

Lumber is imported at all the larger ports of Spain. Furniture principally at Barcelona, Bilbao, and overland by Irun.

ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS IMPORTED.

The importation of animals and their products employed in industry is valued at a considerable sum annually in Spain, although Great Britain is naturally very little interested in this trade.

The following table gives the value of the importations of this class during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
Animals	21,515,575	860,000	22,432,534	897,000	13,937,001	557,000
Skins, hides, etc.	22,527,202	901,000	22,065,821	882,000	18,249,150	730,000
Fat, manures, etc.	22,701,025	908,000	23,105,530	924,000	23,940,415	957,000
Total	66,743,802	2,669,000	67,603,885	2,704,000	56,126,566	2,245,000

Practically all the live stock is imported from Portugal, the value of animals imported from other countries being unimportant except in the case of mules, of which nearly 3,000, valued at 1,200,000 pesetas (£48,000), were imported from France in 1897.

IMPORTS OF MACHINERY.

In 1898 the value of the machinery imported into Spain shows a decrease of 5,000,000 pesetas (£200,000) as compared with the previous year, and of nearly 2,000,000 pesetas (£80,000) as compared with the year 1896. The importation of carriages and vessels also shows a decrease.

The following table gives the figures for the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
Instruments, etc., and machinery	26,958,326	1,079,000	30,283,606	1,211,000	25,200,510	1,008,000
Carriages	1,735,525	69,000	2,342,883	93,000	2,086,413	83,000
Vessels	13,163,425	528,000	17,285,135	691,000	12,264,340	490,000
Total	41,857,276	1,674,000	49,911,624	1,996,000	39,551,263	1,582,000

In examining the different classes of machinery it is seen that agricultural machinery was imported during the year 1897 for the value of 334,000 pesetas (£13,300). Of this amount France supplied machinery for the value of 121,000 pesetas (£4,800), England for 87,000 pesetas (£3,000), and Belgium for 73,000 pesetas.

The value of the steam engines and boilers imported in the same year amounted to 6,780,000 pesetas (£271,000). Of this amount Great Britain supplied engines valued at 2,800,000 pesetas (£112,000), Belgium at 400,000 pesetas (£16,000), France at 900,000 pesetas (£36,000), and Germany at 800,000 pesetas (£32,000).

Locomotives and machinery for ships were imported for the value of 1,480,000 pesetas (£59,000). From Great Britain for the value of 507,000 pesetas (£20,000), from Belgium for 426,000 pesetas (£17,000), from France for 363,000 pesetas (£14,000), and from Germany for 184,000 pesetas (£7,000).

IMPORTATION OF ALIMENTARY SUBSTANCES AND ARTICLES.

The importation of alimentary substances and articles in 1896, 1897, and 1898 was as follows:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Meat, butter, etc.....	6,569,960	262,000	8,544,814	341,000	6,969,745	278,000
Salt cod, etc.....	26,494,038	1,059,000	25,993,669	1,039,000	22,954,810	918,000
Wheat and wheat flour.....	35,771,895	1,430,000	34,073,317	1,363,000	14,868,623	594,000
Other cereals and flour.....	24,209,597	968,000	25,110,540	1,004,000	15,983,626	639,000
Garden produce.....	5,564,328	222,000	7,081,707	283,000	4,516,864	180,000
Sugar.....	16,986,575	679,000	13,195,681	527,000	3,515,707	140,000
Cocoa.....	10,017,912	400,000	10,109,082	404,000	9,645,926	385,000
Coffee.....	18,679,474	747,000	16,137,559	645,000	13,424,082	536,000
Tea and groceries.....	1,843,756	73,000	1,634,964	65,000	1,233,366	49,000
Alcohol.....	777,008	31,000	484,839	19,000	1,111,797	44,000
Wines and beverages.....	1,178,092	47,000	1,556,037	62,000	719,629	28,000
Preserves, cheese, etc.....	5,653,958	226,000	4,313,776	172,000	3,854,226	154,000
Total	153,746,593	6,149,000	148,235,985	5,929,000	98,798,401	3,951,000

In examining this list it is seen that the decreased importation of wheat and other cereals is alone accountable for 20,000,000 pesetas (£800,000), and the decreased value of the imported sugar for a further 10,000,000 pesetas (£400,000).

In the year 1897 chickens, geese, etc., were imported from Portugal amounting to nearly 3,000,000 pesetas (£120,000), and from Russia to the value of 1,500,000 pesetas (£60,000).

Bacon valued at 1,500,000 pesetas (£60,000) was imported from the United States, and to the value of about 400,000 pesetas (£16,000) from Great Britain.

SUGAR IMPORTS AND PRODUCTION.

The following table shows the value of the sugar imported from the Spanish colonies and other countries during recent years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Cuba.....	6,589,284	263,000	2,232,742	89,000	821,258	33,000
Porto Rico.....	8,346,838	333,000	9,285,842	371,000	2,322,902	92,000
Philippines.....	1,628,160	65,000	1,293,314	51,000	135,776	5,400
Canaries.....	399,778	16,000	365,164	14,500	217,622	8,700
France.....	3,018	120	2,948	110	1,800	72
Other countries.....	19,497	750	15,671	600	6,349	250
Total	16,986,575	677,870	13,195,681	526,210	3,515,707	139,422

There has been a rapid increase in the number and capacity of sugar factories in Spain. Many provinces are admirably suited for growing beet root, and this fact, coupled with the high import duties on foreign sugar, makes it probable that the home industries will soon be able to meet the demand in the Spanish market and replace the colonial sugar, on which Spain has been dependent until recent years.

COCOA AND COFFEE.

The import of cocoa is valued at about 10,000,000 pesetas (£400,000) annually. Half the supply has hitherto been furnished by the Spanish colonies. The market for the cocoa grown in the West Indian Islands should therefore be improved, as the cocoas would pay the same duties as Venezuela and Ecuador, which at present supply the greater quantity.

The importation of coffee shows a rapid decline, and should the proposed tax on colonial products be enforced, other beverages will doubtless have to take its place in the consumption of the poorer classes, by whom it is at present used as a necessity.

Coffee in 1898 was only imported for the value of 13,424,000 pesetas (£537,000), and of this the value of 10,330,000 pesetas (£413,000) was imported from Porto Rico.

The loss of this island will increase the demand on the various coffee-growing countries, and should therefore improve English markets, which have hitherto not taken so important a part in this trade as France.

EXPORTS FROM SPAIN.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN 1896, 1897, AND 1898.

MINERALS EXPORTED.

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Coal	115,989	4,500	63,468	2,500	74,404	3,000
Tar, etc.	973,769	39,000	722,184	29,000	881,823	35,000
Sulphurate of lead	1,838,991	73,000	2,312,976	92,000	2,293,680	91,000
Other lead minerals	216,695	8,000	512,372	20,000	46,149	1,800
Blende, sulphurate of zinc	850,618	34,000	1,027,524	41,000	1,930,306	77,000
Zinc	701,301	28,000	737,104	29,000	819,596	32,000
Phosphorates					1,000	40
Antimony	35,950	1,500	5,880	230	15,012	600
Copper	21,404,580	856,000	28,524,524	1,141,000	31,014,103	1,240,000
Copper ore	8,749,198	350,000	8,025,085	321,000	8,975,230	359,000
Iron	59,589,586	2,383,000	75,730,468	3,029,000	71,263,368	2,850,000
Iron pyrites	4,604,887	184,000	2,612,959	104,000	3,120,193	124,000
Manganese	5,006,755	200,000	5,458,105	218,000	6,628,611	265,000
Total	104,088,319	4,163,000	125,737,649	5,026,730	127,063,475	5,078,440

QUANTITIES OF MINERAL IRON EXPORTED FROM SPAIN TO THE VARIOUS COUNTRIES, 1897 AND 1898.

COUNTRY.	QUANTITY.		Difference (+ increase; — decrease).
	1897	1898	
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	
Great Britain	5,091,027	4,748,557	—342,470
Holland, in transit to Germany	1,026,727	1,135,640	+108,913
France	435,972	399,424	—36,548
Belgium	224,776	201,653	—23,083
Germany	31,967	58,284	+26,317
Austria	10,350	8,650	—1,700
United States	59,243	5,792	—53,451
Italy		20	+20
Norway and Sweden	4,526		—4,526
Total	6,884,588	6,558,060	—326,528

EXPORTS OF METALS AND THEIR MANUFACTURES, 1896, 1897, AND 1898.

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Gold and silver jewelry	365,063	14,500	1,147,499	45,000	446,143	17,000
Iron in pigs and manufactured	4,227,955	169,000	4,881,067	195,000	4,585,260	183,000
Copper shell	27,195,705	1,087,000	28,844,462	1,153,000	25,259,040	1,010,000
Copper, old and manufactured	940,926	37,000	942,754	37,700	1,729,348	69,000
Tin, copper, and bronze	793,903	31,000	226,239	9,000	1,852,877	74,000
Mercury	8,413,497	336,000	9,462,604	378,000	9,406,758	376,000
Argentiferous lead pigs	29,693,800	1,187,000	32,128,514	1,285,000	32,183,946	1,287,000
Common lead pigs	18,789,211	751,000	20,041,171	801,000	22,577,445	909,000
Other metals and alloys	3,741,462	149,000	2,555,797	102,000	3,332,293	133,000
Total	94,161,522	3,761,500	100,230,107	4,000,700	101,303,110	4,049,000

The exportation of gold and silver jewelry and plate had been dependent in former years on the demand in the Spanish colonies, and during last year was reduced to the value of less than 500,000 pesetas (£20,000), France being the only other market for these articles.

PRODUCTION AND EXPORTATION OF PIG IRON AND MANUFACTURES OF IRON AND STEEL.

The exportation of iron in pigs has increased by 2,600 tons during the last year, although the actual production of pig iron is stated to have been less than during the year 1897. According to the Revista Minera the following quantities of pig iron were exported to various countries during the last two years:

COUNTRY.	QUANTITY.		Difference (+ increase; — decrease).
	1897	1898	
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Great Britain	9,720	15,898	+ 6,178
Italy	9,521	11,706	+ 2,185
Germany	7,860	7,660	— 200
France	9,642	7,643	— 1,999
Belgium	5,400	2,570	— 2,830
Holland	1,350	628	— 722
Total	43,493	46,105	+ 2,612

It appears, therefore, that an increase of 6,000 tons of pig iron was shipped to England in 1898 in spite of the smaller export of mineral iron.

The export of manufactured iron articles has greatly diminished, owing to the trade being practically dependent on the colonial markets. The total value of manufactured iron exported in 1898 was less than 900,000-pesetas, as compared with 2,500,000 pesetas in 1896.

The production in Spain in 1898 of steel, iron, and manufactured iron articles also shows a large decline, as well be seen from the following table:

MANUFACTURE OF IRON AND STEEL AND THEIR PRODUCTS IN SPAIN IN 1898, COMPARING TOTAL WITH THAT OF 1897.

FOUNDRIES.	QUANTITY.		
	Bessemer.	Siemens.	Iron manufactured.
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
IN VIZCAYA.			
Altos Hornos	35,000	10,000	46,000
Vizcaya	14,000	23,352	45,299
Deusto	4,000		
Purísima Concepción			1,800
Sta. Ana de Bolueta			1,800
La Iberia			800
Total Vizcaya	53,000	33,352	94,699
IN ASTURIAS.			
Duro and Co.		11,193	14,379
Mieres		5,480	14,562
Moreda and Gijón			9,100
Trubia		1,880	
Total Asturias		18,553	38,041
Heredia (Malaga)			4,000
Urigoitia Hija (Alava)			3,300
S. Pedro (Guipuzcoa)		1,000	3,200
La Maquinista Guipuzcoana (Guipuzcoa)	500		
Quijano (Los Corrales, Santander)		5,200	4,950
Bidasoa (Navarra)			3,370
La Numancia (Logrono)			350
Railway Material Company (Barcelona)			2,800
Otaegui (Madrid)			200
Total 1898	53,500	58,105	154,910
Total 1897	68,500	52,600	163,500
Difference	—15,000	+ 5,505	— 8,590

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS EXPORTED.

The export of drugs shows little variation from year to year. The following table gives the value of the principal classes exported during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
Simple drugs	3,814,790	152,000	7,718,143	308,000	7,279,080	291,000
Salt.....	3,822,052	153,000	3,550,409	142,000	3,288,515	131,000
Chemical products.....	5,527,013	221,000	5,719,655	229,000	6,528,601	261,000
Wax, soap, etc.....	7,617,518	304,000	6,211,207	248,000	4,837,942	193,000
Perfumery.....	642,168	25,000	661,616	26,000	357,816	14,000
Total	21,423,541	857,000	23,861,030	954,000	22,291,954	891,000

SALT.

The production of salt, which in 1897 had fallen from 521,751 tons in 1896 to 508,605 tons, showed a further decline last year.

The exportation was as follows:

YEAR.	Quantity.
	<i>Tons.</i>
1896.....	254,803
1897.....	235,871
1898.....	219,301

The salt mines of Ibiza and Torrevieja produced 80,000 and 85,000 tons respectively in the year 1898.

COTTON GOODS AND THE COLONIAL TRADE.

The export of cotton goods has hitherto depended almost entirely on the Spanish colonies, and consequently the value of the trade in 1898 fell to almost one-half of that of the previous year.

The whole of the exported cotton goods was as follows during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Pesetas.</i>	<i>£</i>
White cotton tissues.....	23,908,422	956,000	28,020,445	1,120,000	9,258,176	370,000
White cotton tissues, printed and twilled.....	19,146,673	766,000	25,831,305	1,033,000	20,211,310	808,000
Hosiery.....	9,067,512	362,000	8,025,688	321,000	8,479,048	339,000
Total	52,122,607	2,084,000	61,877,498	2,474,000	37,948,534	1,517,000

Of the white cotton tissues, although the value of 27,000,000 pesetas (£1,080,000) of the total 28,000,000 pesetas (£1,120,000) were exported to the Spanish colonies in 1897, small quantities were sent to many of the Spanish-American republics. It is in these countries that it is hoped to find new markets for Spanish manufactures, and every effort will be made to make the most of the advantages of common language, race, and customs to push these wares.

In the printed and twilled cottons the decreased value of the exports last year is less important. These goods are better able to stand on their own merits, and in recent exhibitions it has been noted that great improvement has taken place both in make and design of these fabrics, which are in general use in all parts of Spain. Should they be able to compete in price with English and French cottons they will be found to rival them in foreign markets.

Cotton hosiery also forms an important article of export, and is sent to numerous foreign countries, apart from the large supply formerly sent to the Philippines and other Spanish colonies.

In the year 1897 the total export of these goods was valued at 8,000,000 pesetas (£320,000). Of this amount, hosiery for 700,000 pesetas (£28,000) was sent to France; for 224,000 pesetas (£9,000) to Venezuela; for 132,000 pesetas (£5,000) to Colombia; for 112,000 pesetas (£4,500) to Germany; for 97,000 pesetas (£3,800) to British possessions in America, as well as considerable supplies to nearly all the Spanish republics.

This having been the case two years ago, it may be expected that a much heavier competition in these goods will be offered by Spain in the markets of the world now that it is absolutely necessary for her to find an outlet for her surplus manufactures.

HEMP, JUTE, ETC.

The export of hemp, jute, and other vegetable fibers depends solely upon manufactured articles exported to the Spanish colonies, and was therefore reduced in 1898 to a very trifling value, as will be seen from the following table:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Yarn of hemp or flax	84,890	3,400	27,210	1,100	54,020	2,100
Cordage	530,924	21,000	611,192	24,000	521,535	21,000
Tissues	3,910,822	156,000	3,459,946	138,000	1,988,958	79,000
Total	4,526,636	180,400	4,098,348	163,100	2,564,513	102,100

WOOL AND WOOLENS.

The export of wool shows an increase in 1898 as compared with the previous year, owing to the quantity of unwashed wool sent abroad.

The following table shows the value of the exports of wool during the last three years:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Wool, unwashed	16,610,931	664,000	14,016,258	560,000	15,990,597	639,000
Wool, washed	507,548	20,000	604,359	24,000	1,095,504	42,000
Tissues	3,323,594	133,000	3,042,141	121,000	2,847,513	114,000
Total	20,442,073	817,000	17,662,758	705,000	19,933,614	795,000

Raw wool is principally exported to France, Portugal, and Great Britain. In the year 1897 the value of the raw wool exported was 14,016,258 pesetas (£560,000). Of this quantity the value of 8,530,000 pesetas (£341,000) was sent to France, of 3,894,000 pesetas (£155,000) to Portugal, and of 1,067,000 pesetas (£43,000) to Great Britain.

The export of silk has remained about the same value as in recent years, owing to the large increase in the export of cocoons, as will be seen in the following table:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Cocoons	422,112	17,000	56,292	2,200	1,386,636	55,000
Silk waste	324,703	13,000	305,998	12,000	269,547	10,500
Raw silk	273,920	11,000	335,920	13,400	973,560	39,000
Tissues	3,717,715	148,000	4,274,027	171,000	2,223,889	89,000
Total	4,648,450	189,000	4,972,237	198,600	4,847,623	193,500

The bulk of cocoons, waste, and raw silk are exported to France. The tissues were exported in large quantities to the Spanish colonies. They are now exported for a considerable value to France, Morocco, Portugal, and numerous American republics.

A considerable export trade is carried on in paper and books between Spain and the Spanish-American republics, especially in cigarette paper and Spanish publications, as will be seen from the following table:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Books and music	2,444,721	97,000	3,028,629	121,000	2,043,696	81,000
Cigarette paper.....	5,285,072	211,000	4,155,452	166,000	4,315,326	172,000
Other paper	4,702,685	188,000	4,541,035	181,000	2,415,947	96,000
Total	12,432,478	496,000	11,725,116	468,000	8,774,969	349,000

BOOTS AND SHOES AND THE COLONIAL TRADE.

The export of animals, hides, etc., has been maintained at the importance of previous years in spite of the loss of the trade with the Spanish colonies in boots and shoes, which had always been such an important industry to Spain and the Balearic Islands. This has been attained by the largely increased export in live stock and hides.

The figures are as follows:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Live stock.....	27,943,430	1,117,000	24,064,985	962,000	32,326,695	1,293,000
Hides, etc.....	12,048,501	482,000	14,144,725	566,000	19,937,315	797,000
Boots and shoes.....	24,307,840	972,000	23,258,880	930,000	11,097,874	444,000
Total	64,299,771	2,571,000	61,468,590	2,458,000	63,361,884	2,534,000

As in the import of live stock, the Spanish export trade is almost entirely with Portugal.

In untanned skins France imports for the value of 9,000,000 pesetas (£360,000) from Spain, out of a total value of 11,000,000 pesetas (£440,000).

The boot and shoe industry has until now depended greatly on the Spanish colonies for markets. In the year 1897 boots and shoes to the value of 21,500,000 pesetas (£860,000) were exported to Cuba, Porto Rico, and Philip-pines, the surplus export being principally to American republics. Last year the total export was reduced to 11,000,000 pesetas (£440,000).

ALIMENTARY ARTICLES.

The export of alimentary substances during last year was carried on under the most advantageous circumstances. Owing to the high rate of exchange, the good harvest, and the necessity to export as much as possible to meet extra expenses at home, this trade has increased largely.

In the following table the value of the exportation of the various descriptions of Spanish produce during the last three years can be compared:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Meat.....	2,712,706	109,000	3,389,496	135,000	2,065,609	82,000
Fish.....	4,861,751	194,000	4,756,648	190,000	3,755,018	150,000
Cereals.....	29,535,326	1,181,000	33,236,781	1,329,000	31,147,644	1,245,000
Vegetables.....	11,604,294	464,000	12,779,475	511,000	12,414,347	496,000
Fruits.....	95,122,817	3,805,000	115,465,779	4,618,000	116,606,436	4,664,000
Olive oil.....	24,255,818	970,000	12,116,690	484,000	57,319,756	2,292,000
Aguardiente.....	754,410	30,000	727,048	29,000	703,300	28,000
Common wine.....	131,182,360	5,247,000	115,501,486	4,620,000	137,760,660	5,510,000
Sherry.....	12,680,280	507,000	11,158,390	446,000	14,180,780	567,000
Full-bodied wine.....	596,610	24,000	685,640	27,000	1,292,600	48,000
Preserves, sweets, etc.....	19,960,296	799,000	24,219,350	968,000	22,719,498	908,000
Total	333,275,662	13,329,000	334,036,792	13,357,000	399,875,648	15,990,000

Hams, etc., of which the export in 1897 was valued at 1,000,000 pesetas (£40,000) were sent to the Spanish colonies for three-fourths of the total quantity, and to Great Britain for the value of 224,000 pesetas (£9,000).

The export of fish was valued at upward of 4,500,000 pesetas (£180,000), 1,500,000 pesetas (£60,000) being the value of the sardines exported. Of these, Italy received sardines for the value of 850,000 pesetas (£34,000), and France for 340,000 pesetas (£13,500). Of the other salt fish exported half was sent to Italy, and the exportation to Great Britain was only valued at 90,000 pesetas (£3,500).

The principal ports of export of sardines are Muros, Rivera, and Puebla, in Corunna, Barcelona, Vigo, and Vivero, in the province of Lugo, and include nearly all the ports on the northern coast of Spain. For salted and cured fish, Santander, Ayamonte, and Isla Cristina, in Huelva.

The export trade in cereals has until now been practically confined to supplying the Spanish colonies with flour (see page 2492). In 1897 the wheat flour exported was valued at 20,000,000 pesetas (£800,000), of which the value of 19,000,000 pesetas (£760,000) was sent to Cuba under the special privileges of the tariff in favor of the mother country.

EXPORTATION OF WINES.

The export of wine is at present the most important trade in Spain, and during the year 1898 an increased business was done in all classes.

The following table shows the value of the export of common wine in Spain during the last three years:

COUNTRY.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
France.....	105,046,540	4,202,000	85,892,102	3,435,000	108,272,252	4,330,000
England.....	2,764,820	110,000	4,005,237	160,000	4,261,774	170,000
Rest of Europe and Africa.....	5,134,260	205,000	5,870,370	235,000	7,508,864	300,000
Cuba and Porto Rico.....	7,918,060	316,000	8,625,760	345,000	6,503,530	260,000
Rest of America.....	9,551,660	382,000	9,670,515	387,000	10,671,034	426,000
Asia and Oceania.....	767,020	31,000	1,437,592	57,000	543,206	21,000
Total.....	131,182,360	5,236,000	115,501,486	4,619,000	137,760,660	5,507,000

VALUE OF SHERRY EXPORTED 1896, 1897, AND 1898.

COUNTRY.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
France.....	3,114,720	124,000	3,190,800	127,000	5,566,560	222,000
England.....	5,672,040	227,000	5,043,020	201,000	4,687,800	187,000
Rest of Europe and Africa.....	2,103,000	84,000	1,506,720	60,000	2,058,000	82,000
Cuba and Porto Rico.....	96,120	3,800	40,920	1,600	37,340	1,500
Rest of America.....	1,654,320	66,000	1,302,770	52,000	1,767,480	70,000
Asia and Oceania.....	40,080	1,600	74,160	3,000	63,600	2,500
Total.....	12,680,280	506,400	11,158,390	444,600	14,180,780	564,000

The export of other full-bodied wines also shows a considerable increase, and the improvement in their quality, owing to greater care in manufactory, will probably cause an increased demand as their merits become better known.

The value of the export of these full-bodied wines during the last three years was as follows:

COUNTRY.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
France.....	77,910	3,000	53,370	2,100	463,720	18,700
England.....	10,220	400	37,860	1,500	156,240	6,000
Rest of Europe and Africa.....	15,470	600	118,160	4,700	139,370	5,500
Cuba and Porto Rico.....	50,020	2,200	99,330	4,000	35,070	1,400
Rest of America.....	423,940	17,000	353,960	14,000	394,520	16,000
Asia and Oceania.....	8,050	300	22,960	900	8,680	300
Total.....	596,610	23,500	685,640	27,200	1,202,600	47,900

UNCLASSIFIED GOODS.

The value of the exportation of various unclassified goods, such as fans, matches, string soled shoes (alpargatas), cards, have usually depended on the quantity of shoes shipped to the Spanish colonies.

The following table shows a great reduction in the export as compared with last year:

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		1898	
	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.	Currency.	Sterling.
	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£	<i>Pesetas.</i>	£
Fans.....	237,770	9,500	517,860	21,000	779,625	31,000
String soled shoes (alpargatas).....	2,303,500	92,000	13,961,140	558,000	551,610	22,000
Matches.....	1,462	58	1,400	56		
Cards.....	599,635	24,000	919,905	37,000	598,900	24,000
Total.....	3,142,367	125,558	15,400,305	616,056	1,930,135	77,000

STATISTICS OF SHIPPING IN SPAIN DURING THE YEARS 1897 AND 1898.

	ARRIVALS.				DEPARTURES.			
	1897		1898		1897		1898	
	Number of ves- sels.	Tonnage.	Number of ves- sels.	Tonnage.	Number of ves- sels.	Tonnage.	Number of ves- sels.	Tonnage.
WITH CARGO.								
Steam:								
Spanish.....	5,544	753,333	4,734	683,391	5,872	1,539,784	5,297	1,530,887
Foreign.....	3,331	2,123,876	3,234	1,686,519	7,853	8,237,577	7,957	8,005,009
Sailing:								
Spanish.....	1,071	70,629	1,151	61,057	1,282	56,913	1,396	62,081
Foreign.....	769	167,988	587	118,527	742	233,964	648	154,914
IN BALLAST.								
Steam:								
Spanish.....	1,725		1,513		723		597	
Foreign.....	4,665		4,609		376		328	
Sailing:								
Spanish.....	1,351		1,092		334		502	
Foreign.....	511		435		299		232	
Total.....	18,957	3,115,826	17,355	2,549,494	17,481	10,068,238	16,957	9,752,921

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES IN MERCHANDISE WITH SPAIN, 1880 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			Imports and exports	Excess of exports.	Total com- merce of United States.	Per cent of Spain.
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>				
1880.....	429,718	4,622,701	5,052,419	14,641,237	16,647	14,657,884	19,710,303	9,605,465	1,503,593,461	1.31
1881.....	625,501	5,308,494	5,933,995	12,536,283	18,264	12,554,547	18,488,542	6,620,542	1,545,041,974	1.20
1882.....	606,417	5,393,089	5,999,506	11,997,881	16,327	12,014,208	18,143,714	6,014,702	1,475,181,831	1.22
1883.....	444,831	7,349,514	7,794,345	16,815,708	115,579	16,931,287	24,725,632	9,136,942	1,547,020,316	1.60
1884.....	468,999	5,738,521	6,207,520	11,890,023	5,167	11,895,190	18,102,710	5,687,670	1,408,211,302	1.29
1885.....	375,175	4,328,770	4,703,945	11,967,165	23,903	11,991,068	16,695,013	7,287,123	1,519,717,084	1.26
1886.....	385,282	5,544,920	5,930,202	13,047,762	44,188	13,091,950	19,322,152	7,161,748	1,314,969,966	1.45
1887.....	469,395	5,101,473	5,570,868	12,753,634	27,919	12,781,553	18,352,421	7,210,685	1,408,592,979	1.30
1888.....	660,190	4,529,555	5,189,745	14,310,459	7,707	14,318,166	19,507,911	9,128,421	1,419,911,621	1.37
1889.....	799,701	3,836,960	4,636,661	11,932,614	13,734	11,946,348	16,583,009	7,309,687	1,487,533,027	1.11
1890.....	638,077	4,650,460	5,288,537	12,736,273	22,190	12,758,463	18,047,000	7,469,926	1,647,139,093	1.10
1891.....	736,517	5,296,964	6,033,481	14,607,864	11,442	14,619,325	20,652,816	8,585,854	1,729,397,006	1.20
1892.....	1,234,284	3,973,577	5,207,861	11,522,150	6,274	11,528,424	16,736,285	6,320,563	1,857,680,610	.90
1893.....	1,852,564	3,841,989	5,694,553	13,427,171	32,912	13,460,083	19,154,636	7,765,530	1,714,066,116	1.12
1894.....	1,138,983	3,116,892	4,255,875	13,114,076	8,830	13,122,906	17,378,781	8,867,031	1,547,135,194	1.12
1895.....	973,702	2,600,424	3,574,126	10,916,632	10,437	10,927,069	14,501,195	7,352,943	1,539,508,130	.91
1896.....	1,029,366	3,101,815	3,131,184	11,453,019	39,409	11,492,428	15,623,612	7,361,244	1,662,331,612	.94
1897.....	836,479	2,795,494	3,631,973	10,889,611	23,134	10,912,745	14,544,718	7,280,772	1,815,723,968	.80
1898.....	1,123,384	2,452,181	3,575,565	10,202,389	26,156	10,228,545	13,804,110	6,653,364	1,847,531,984	.75

COMMERCE OF SPAIN IN MERCHANDISE WITH THE UNITED STATES, 1880 TO 1897.

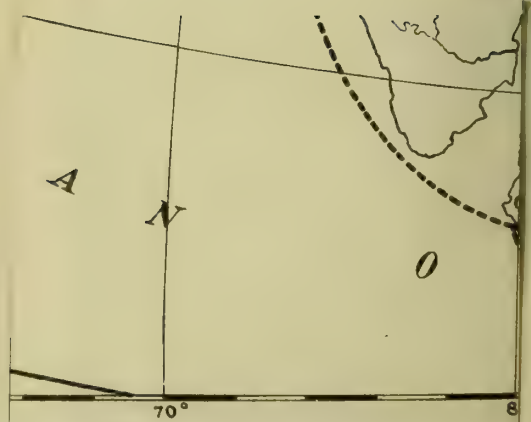
[From Spanish Reports.]

CALENDAR YEAR.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports and exports.	Excess of imports.	TOTAL COMMERCE OF SPAIN.			Per cent of United States.
					Imports.	Exports.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1880.....	18,266,934	4,180,661	22,447,595	14,086,273	137,424,838	125,443,859	362,868,697	6.18
1881.....	15,941,260	4,094,484	20,035,744	11,846,776	125,559,912	129,481,583	255,041,495	7.86
1882.....	17,664,266	5,396,718	23,060,984	12,267,548	157,616,712	147,747,585	305,364,297	7.55
1883.....	19,432,763	4,023,849	23,456,612	15,408,914	172,435,080	138,857,404	311,292,484	7.53
1884.....	17,401,716	3,431,383	20,833,099	13,970,333	150,471,266	119,524,121	269,995,387	7.72
1885.....	17,498,735	2,693,462	20,392,197	14,605,273	147,538,229	134,714,587	283,312,816	7.20
1886.....	18,337,183	3,675,583	22,012,766	14,661,600	163,054,941	140,378,528	305,433,469	7.20
1887.....	19,229,459	4,227,295	23,456,754	15,092,164	156,563,860	139,381,086	295,944,946	8.93
1888.....	14,686,572	2,664,521	17,351,093	12,022,051	138,320,297	147,279,147	285,599,444	6.08
1889.....	19,675,255	2,927,920	22,603,175	15,748,335	150,917,353	159,594,906	310,512,259	7.28
1890.....	15,316,694	4,720,185	20,036,879	10,596,509	164,280,904	167,520,559	331,801,463	6.04
1891.....	16,739,524	2,909,536	19,649,060	13,829,988	176,697,622	163,557,344	340,254,966	5.78
1892.....	17,653,997	3,081,823	20,735,820	14,572,174	153,430,338	136,830,439	290,260,777	7.15
1893.....	16,739,849	2,985,447	19,725,296	13,754,402	138,040,154	127,428,086	265,468,240	7.43
1894.....	17,968,361	2,575,247	20,543,608	14,393,114	145,467,215	121,286,904	266,754,119	7.70
1895.....	16,392,003	2,452,998	18,845,001	13,939,005	148,350,139	145,578,302	293,928,441	6.41
1896.....	14,166,020	2,091,794	16,257,814	12,074,226	162,599,038	186,859,821	349,458,859	4.65
1897.....	19,185,771	2,367,224	21,552,995	16,818,547	175,540,962	207,524,215	383,065,177	5.63

THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE

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ITS RAILWAY AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND THEIR PROSPECTIVE EFFECT IN THE WORLD'S MARKETS.

Recent developments in the industrial and transportation facilities of Russia, by which the products of her fields, forests, factories, and mines may be increased and brought into closer competition with those of the United States in the far East and in Europe, seem to warrant a somewhat detailed discussion of these conditions in that great Empire, whose contiguous area exceeds that of any other country and whose population is exceeded by that of only one nation of the world. Recent announcements indicate that an ice-free port is to be opened at the north and connected by rail with her great lumber and ore regions; that Baltic ports, formerly closed by ice five months of the year, may now be kept constantly open by artificial processes; that railway connection is to be constructed to the Persian Gulf, thus giving an improved outlet at the south, and that her great Siberian Railway is shortly to give her a direct all-rail route to the Orient. With an increased production of natural resources likely to follow the opening of the great undeveloped region of Siberia, an increase in manufacturing interests in European Russia, and the opening of these new doors through which she may send her products to all the world, and especially to the Orient, by competing rail and water lines, Russian products and manufactures may prove important, if not serious, competitors with those of the United States in the commercial world, and especially in the Orient.

Russia presents certain characteristics, physical and otherwise, somewhat similar to those of the United States. Her territory extends from the Atlantic to the Pacific, the Baltic and Bothnia, which wash her western coast, being practically a continuation of the Atlantic. When Columbus sailed westward to discover America, the adventurous spirits of Russia were peering eastward over the Ural Mountains, and when Raleigh was attempting to plant colonies in America, the Russians were making their first permanent settlements in Siberia. Owing to the proximity of that territory and the absence of serious opposition from its people, the occupation of all Siberia by Russia required less than a century, and her first permanent settlement on the Pacific was made long before the last of our thirteen colonies was planted; and long before our colonies had become united as a nation Russia had thoroughly explored Siberia, pushed across the Bering Straits, and established herself on the mainland of America, now our own Alaska. The spanning of our own continent by railway lines thirty years ago, and the internal development which followed, suggested a similar course to the Russians, who soon began their railroad development, and during the present decade planned their great trans-Siberian railway line, which is soon to connect the Atlantic with the Pacific across her vast territory, and thus open to the world an enormous area which may become a rival of the great grain and stock producing section of the United States.

Like the United States, Russia has such variety of soil, climate, and minerals that she is able to produce within her own borders a large proportion of the necessities and comforts of life. Corn, wheat, barley, and rye furnish an ample supply of breadstuffs; vast stock-growing areas produce cattle, horses, hogs, sheep, wool, hides, and provisions in abundance; beet sugar is produced in great quantities; hemp and other fiber plants flourish in certain provinces; cotton is successfully grown in the extreme south; virgin forests promise an enormous lumber supply; coal, iron, and other minerals required for manufactures are believed to be abundant, and her mineral oil is so plentiful and cheap that it is freely used as fuel and is also becoming a serious competitor with our own in the markets of Europe and Asia.

With these natural supplies of all materials required for manufacturing, she is strengthening her industrial system, following closely the lines marked out by the United States, and now manufactories of cottons and woollens, iron and steel and their products, machinery, lumber, and other of the requirements of her people are being established and increased. Foreign capital is encouraged to contribute to this activity, and with her 125,000,000 of industrious, frugal people she seems likely to increase her ability to supply her own markets, and in certain lines may also increase her exports. When to these developments in the producing lines are added the new

transportation routes by which these supplies may be sent to the markets of Asia and Europe, and, indeed, of the world, putting rail in competition with water, and water again in competition with railway lines controlled and owned by the Government, and all these combining to bring undeveloped areas and resources into development, their importance to the commercial world and to the commerce of the United States seems worthy of consideration.

With the completion of the Russian-Chinese railway system (see *Commercial China*, in *Summary of Commerce and Finance* for March, 1899) the question naturally presents itself: What are the chances of Russian competition in this immense international market, where the standard of wants is, to be sure, low as yet, but where expansion of wants is sure to follow increased earnings and contact with European methods, and where there is now a growing demand for products of the United States?

Russia is already an important factor in the international oil and wheat market. It is therefore very important to know whether the opening of Siberia means also the opening of a new wheat-producing area. Is Siberia, as Nordenskjöld is reported as having said, the future wheat chamber of Europe, or are conditions such that for a calculable time at least the danger of Europe being flooded by cheap Siberian wheat need not be feared? That this question is not merely an academic one, but one of great practical importance, can best be seen from the fact that for the year 1897, notwithstanding the partial failure of crops in some parts of European Russia, the decrease of exported cereals was but 3 per cent below the figures for the normal year 1896, and that the shortage, according to official admissions of the Russian ministry of finance (*Messenger of Finance*, No. 36, 1898, Russian), was partly made up by the export of Siberian wheat, which during this year first reached the Baltic Sea ports and thence the foreign markets after the opening of the Samara-Zlatoust Railway.

Another phase of the same question presents itself in connection with the trans-Siberian railway. As is well known, this railway is being constructed and will be operated by the Russian Government. The fixing of railway rates, this powerful weapon of directing the channels of trade, will thus lie in the hands of the Government. If, as recent reports indicate, the cultivable wheat area in eastern Siberia is larger than has been assumed by the great authorities on the question, such as Kropotkin and Ballod, then the Russian Government has it in its power to put the Siberian wheat producer in such a position that he will be able to become a formidable competitor in the eastern market. A study of Russia's agricultural and industrial resources and its commercial policy and relations must therefore be of especial interest to the American people.

From another and equally important standpoint the developments in Russia, and particularly in Siberia, are of moment to the people of the United States. With increased developments come increased wants, and particularly in developments, such as are predicted with reference to those portions of Siberia likely to be opened and developed by the trans-Siberian railroad. Already this is being felt in an increased demand upon the manufacturers and producers of the United States. Exports from the United States to the Baltic ports of Russia in the nine months ending with March, 1899, were \$5,724,720, against \$4,302,509 in the corresponding months of the preceding fiscal year; those to the Black Sea ports were \$1,059,734, against \$663,382 in the corresponding months of last year; those to Asiatic Russia were \$1,101,960, against \$130,177 in the corresponding months of the fiscal year 1898, and \$154,559 in the corresponding months of 1897.

It is thus apparent that the developments in Russia, both as relate to manufacturing industries and the extension of railways and opening of new areas of natural production, are important to the people of the United States from a double standpoint.

When it is considered that the cultivable area of Siberia is now, by very conservative estimates, put at a total equal to the area of Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, North and South Dakota, it will be seen that its importance as a future grain producer is not inconsiderable, while on the other hand its future importance as a consumer of manufactured articles of the class now being exported from the United States is also worthy of consideration.

PRESENT CONDITION OF THE TRANS-SIBERIAN ROAD.

That a complete transportation line across Siberia connecting the Atlantic with the Pacific will soon be in active operation is evident. An examination of the accompanying map shows that the trans-Siberian road is now complete from its junction with the railway system of European Russia on the western border of Siberia to Lake Baikal, nearly two-thirds the distance toward the Pacific, and that the construction of 600 miles of track eastward from Lake Baikal will bring trans-Siberian trains to the navigable waters of the Shilka and Amoor rivers, which flow into the Pacific. Thus the construction of 600 miles of track will put into operation a complete rail and water transit system across Russia and Siberia, connecting the Atlantic with the Pacific, and thence to the ports of the great consuming countries of the Orient.

The Russian Government, however, will not rest content with the mere connection of its transcontinental line with the navigable waters of the Amoor and Shilka, but will push the railway itself along the banks of the river to connect with the Pacific coast section now constructed and leading to Vladivostok. It is also actively at work preparing to construct a direct line connecting the Siberian road through Manchuria with its recently leased ports of Talienwan and Port Arthur, in China, as shown by the accompanying map.

The total length of the trans-Siberian line is 4,950 miles and the date originally set for its completion 1905. It is expected, however, that through transit will be had much earlier than that date by utilization of the rivers already named, and that the shorter line connecting the system with the ice-free ports of Port Arthur and Talienwan may also be completed earlier than the original date of 1905. Traffic over the road is now in progress from European Russia eastward as far as Lake Baikal and across this by steamer, leaving at the present moment only 600 miles for transportation by wagons or sledges. Construction is now going on at the rate of about 330 miles per year, though this naturally varies according to the character of the territory through which the work is in progress. Passengers and mails from St. Petersburg to Vladivostok now require 45 days by the usually traveled route of the Suez Canal, Indian Ocean, and Pacific, while by way of New York, San Francisco, and across the Pacific the time occupied is 35 days. It is estimated that when the trans-Siberian road is completed the time occupied from St. Petersburg to Vladivostok, in China, will be about 10 days. The distance from St. Petersburg to Vladivostok or Port Arthur by the completed trans-Siberian line will be in round terms 6,500 miles, and to Port Arthur about 6,900, or about twice the distance from New York to San Francisco.

OTHER NEW RAILWAY PROJECTS AND THE ORIENTAL MARKETS.

Two other important railway projects, one nearly complete and another which is projected, seem likely on completion to bring the trade of Russia into closer relationship with that of the Orient, though touching it from two entirely different directions and sources. One of these is a railway line now nearing completion which is to carry the great trans-Caspian system to the western borders of the Chinese Empire; the other proposes to connect the trans-Caspian system with the Indian Ocean and thence by water communication with the eastern coast of China. The eastern extension of the trans-Caspian system, begun in 1895, extends that line, which is already a thousand miles in length, 350 miles farther eastward to a point near the western border of the Chinese Empire. One of the western dependencies of China is the vast section known as East Turkestan, while West Turkestan, which adjoins it, is a part of southeastern Russia. The trans-Caspian railway, stretching eastwardly from the great Caspian Sea a thousand miles, formerly terminated at Samarcand in central West Turkestan. By the project of 1895 work was begun for an addition of 350 miles eastward from Samarcand, carrying the line to Andijan, in the province of Ferghana, upon the eastern border of West Turkestan and bordering upon the Chinese possession of East Turkestan. While East Turkestan is a sparsely settled territory, the possible importance of this extension of the Russian system to the borders of China at this point is very considerable in its strategic and future commercial possibilities. Stretching eastwardly from Andijan, West Turkestan, the terminus of the line now being completed, lies a comparatively level section, through which caravan routes have for centuries extended, connecting China with Europe across this arid district. Along this caravan route the Chinese Government now maintains a telegraph line from Peking to the very point at which the new Russian line will terminate, while railway lines are already projected westward from Peking over a considerable portion of that distance. While it is scarcely to be expected that the eastward extension of the trans-Caspian system will result in an all-rail line to the Pacific for many years, it will, at least, touch the caravan route through which the inhabitants of that sparsely populated region obtain their supplies, and suggests the possibility, if not the probability of a Russo-Chinese intercontinental and international line paralleling the trans-Siberian at such distance to the south as to render it practically noncompetitive, the difficulties of such an enormous undertaking being no greater now than those which confronted the Russians a decade ago when they planned the trans-Siberian railroad.

The other and still later reported project looks to the establishment of railway lines from southern Russia across Persia to the Persian Gulf, giving direct transportation thence by steamship lines to the western Pacific and the markets of China and Japan. Recent publications indicate that the Russian Government has obtained control of the port of Bander Abbas, on the Persian Gulf, and with it the privilege of constructing a railway line from its trans-Caspian railway system across Persia to that point. Another and still more recent publication indicates that a railway line is being surveyed across Persia by Russian engineers at a point still farther west, to connect the railway system of southern Caucasus with the head of the Persian Gulf, thus realizing, should these reports be true, her long-cherished ambition for a direct outlet by rail and water to the Indian Ocean and the markets of the Orient.

The *Sviet*, of St. Petersburg, in an article in which it opposes the suggestion of a junction between the trans-Caspian and Indian railways as tending only to promote British trade in Central Asia and encourage political agitation, remarks:

Russia should occupy herself exclusively with establishing communication between her possessions in Central Asia and the Indian Ocean by means of a railway traversing Persia. This line and the Trans-Siberian Railway would then constitute two gigantic arms, with which Russia would encircle all the spheres of British interest in Asia, and would not allow England to extend her influence indefinitely at the expense of Russian interests. The line in question, connecting Russia by way of Persia with the Indian Ocean, would be of real use to Russia, while the junction of the Russian and Indian lines would be specially advantageous to the British Government.

METHODS OF TRANSPORTATION: RAILWAY LINES, WATER TRANSPORTATION.

Russia possesses a very extensive system of waterways. In European Russia alone (exclusive of Finland), according to Statesman's Handbook for Russia (St. Petersburg, 1896), the total length of rivers, lakes, and canals amounts to 102,689 versts (68,459 miles). For Siberia complete figures are as yet wanting, but there flow vast rivers, rivaling in their dimensions the most considerable rivers of America. Such are the Obi, with a length of over 3,500 miles, possessing an extensive basin, in which navigation is regularly maintained over a course of over 9,660 miles; the Yenisei and Angara (about 3,200 miles); the Lena (about 2,800 miles), forming with its affluents one of the richest water systems of the Old World; and, finally, on the Pacific slope the Amoor and its tributaries, with about 4,660 navigable miles. The distribution of the rivers is such that almost every province is either intersected by or adjacent to some river. At the same time, however, Russia's navigable rivers are much less extensive in proportion to the total area than those of other European countries. The official handbook gives the following data, showing extent of navigable waterways of European Russia:

NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS OF EUROPEAN RUSSIA.		English miles.	Per cent.
Suitable for floating rafts		15,977	23
Navigable downstream		7,475	11
Navigable up and down stream.....		23,079	37
Total		46,531	71

Out of these but 21,045 versts, or 14,030 miles, 20 per cent of the total extent of 102,689 versts (68,459 miles) are navigable for steamers. Thus Russia, to quote the handbook, for every 4,900 square versts, has but 38 versts of navigable waterways (up and down stream), or from three to four times less than Great Britain, France, and Germany.

Of artificial waterways, Russia possesses several systems which unite the basins of the Baltic and Caspian seas, those of the Baltic and White, and finally those of the Baltic and Black seas. Finally, in Siberia quite recently (1896), the Obi-Yenisei system has been completed "by means of which an immense water route over 5,000 versts long has been opened, traversing the whole of western Siberia from Tiumen to Irkutsk." Recent statements reprinted also by the American press, that the Russian Government contemplates the construction of a ship canal which is to connect the Baltic and the Black seas and is to be deep enough to permit the passage of war ships, are denied authoritatively by the ministry of communication. (See Bulletin Russe de Statistique Financière, Nos. 1 to 3, p. 188: Un Canal Imaginaire.)

The number of river craft, engaged in domestic transportation, according to the registry of 1896, amounted to about 20,000, made up of 2,500 steamers, with a tonnage of 211,000, and 17,000 other vessels, with a tonnage of 8,640,000 tons.

RAILWAYS.

The importance of railways as means of communication is now greater than that of the rivers and other water routes, as is shown by accompanying tables. The building of the trunk lines, with the exception of the St. Petersburg-Warsaw-Vienna, built during the years 1845-1848 and 1853-1862, respectively, and the St. Petersburg-Moscow (Nicholas line), constructed between 1843 and 1851, dates back to the decade between 1860 and 1870. These years witnessed the construction of the entire group of railways, with Moscow as their common starting point, viz: Moscow-Nijni-Novgorod (1861-1862), Moscow-Voronezh (1862-1869), Moscow-Volodga (1862-1872), Moscow-Kharkov (1866-1869), with its branch to Kief (1868-1870), and Moscow-Warsaw (1866-1871). Next in point of time comes the construction of roads connecting the black-soil region with its natural outlets, the ports of the Baltic and Black seas: Riga-Tsaritsyn (1861-1871), Kief-Konigsberg (1870-1873), Libau-Romny (1871-1874), and Samara-Viasma (1866-1871), all of which lead to the Baltic. Simultaneously, lines were built connecting each one of the more important southern seaports with the agricultural provinces. Chief among them are: The Odessa line, with its branch to Yelisavetgrad (1867-1869), and its Bassarabian branch (1871-1874), Kharkov-Nikolaiev (1869-1873), Kharkov-Taganrog (1869), Voronezh-Rostov (1861-1876), and, finally, Kharkov-Sevastopol (1869-1875). The Russo-Turkish war of 1878-1879 caused an almost entire suspension of railway building. It was only during the decade beginning with 1880 that activity in this field was again resumed, but the character and method of construction of the newly built roads changed abruptly. In place of the former trunk lines, connecting either the black-soil area with the seaboard of the Baltic, Azov, and Black seas, or with the central industrial region around Moscow, these years witnessed the construction of great strategic railroads, such as the trans-Caspian, the Polessie system, besides roads primarily destined for the service of relatively small though important industrial regions (Catherine line, Ivangorod-Dombrovo). Moreover, the system of granting franchises (concessions) was

superseded by the building and working of roads directly by and on account of the State. At the same time the redemption by the Government of great railway systems was going on, so that for some time it seemed as if all private roads were going to be acquired by the State. Although of late greater latitude has been given to private initiative, by far the greater part of Russian railways is in the hands of the Government. Out of 24,591 miles under the control of the ministry of communication, 16,453 are worked by the State, and 8,138 miles only by private companies (the trans-Caspian, 1,027 miles, being under the ministry of war).

The adverse years, 1891 and 1892, gave a new impetus to railway: "In order to give employment to the starving peasantry," the Government undertook and encouraged the construction of new roads. A new era of railway building began with these years, which, in its vigor, soon surpassed anything seen not only in Russia itself, but anywhere else in Europe. Thus, while during the above years the number of versts opened for traffic was but 123 and 419, respectively, the succeeding years mark the beginning of an exceedingly energetic expansion of the railway system, whose termination does not seem to be at hand even in the near future. According to figures given by the official Bulletin Russe de Statistique Financière (1898, Nos. 4 to 6, p. 452), there were opened for traffic during the year:

YEAR.	Miles.
1893.....	1, 124
1894.....	1, 136
1895.....	1, 230
1897.....	2, 900

For the year past, 1898, the Russian Messenger of Finance, the official organ of the finance ministry, gives 2,065 miles completed and opened for traffic. These figures include roads built not only by the State, which has its hands full in the construction of the grand trans-Siberian railway, but also by corporations whose activity now almost surpasses that of the early years of the decade beginning with 1870, the first period of great railway construction, when the building of roads, for some time at least, became the monopoly of a few private companies. At present franchises are eagerly contested by competing corporations, a fact unheard of until recently in Russia, where the State, not so very long ago, had yet to guarantee the interest on the stock and bonds of the chief railroad corporations. The ministries of finance and transportation have, during the latest years, been literally swamped with petitions coming not only from railroad and construction companies, but also from representatives of "local interests," as mining, manufacturing, and agricultural groups. The length of Russian railways has thus considerably increased during the last five years and surpasses now that of France and Great Britain, respectively, being inferior only to that of Germany.

According to a statement published in No. 9 of the Russian Messenger of Finance, 1899, the total length of all Russian railways (both in Europe and Asia) and those in Finland on January 1, 1899, amounted to over 29,070 miles as against 27,005 miles on January 1, 1898. This figure does not include roads under construction or for which merely franchises have been granted. Of all lines open for traffic the State operates 17,743 miles, private corporations 9,711, the remainder being made up of the State railways of Finland, 1,616 miles; but 5,335 miles were double track roads.

While thus the energy shown in the development of railway systems has been great indeed (by the end of 1893 over \$1,600,000,000 had been expended on the construction and improvement of railways), it must be owned that Russia is still much behind the other European countries if relation of mileage to population or to national area is taken into consideration. However, the ministry of finance, according to a recent statement of the St. Petersburg New Times (Novoie Vremia), holds under advisement the construction of over 23,000 miles, and among lines projected there figure such important ones as the St. Petersburg-Kief, St. Petersburg-Viatka, Moscow-Ufa, and Orenburg-Tashkent, of which the latter only is to be constructed by the State. In its review of railway building of 1898 the Messenger of Finance enumerates, among roads in process of construction by the Government, among others, the lines Samarkand-Andijan (335 miles), with a branch to Tashkent (97 miles); Tiflis-Kars (186 miles), and a number of branch roads which are to give better service to the different parts of the mining district in southeastern Russia (altogether, about 218 miles). On the Siberian railway the following sections are stated as not yet completed: The trans-Baikalian, with branches (948 miles); the Central Siberian to Irkutsk (671 miles); and the Oussuri (476 miles), besides the European section of the trans-Siberian railway, Perm-Kotlass, with branches (545 miles). If to this number be added the extent of railway construction by private corporations, which, as was said above, was never greater than it is at present, then a total number of over 7,000 miles is reached, whose completion may be expected within the first years of the coming century.

An interesting feature of Russian railway growth deserves to be mentioned—the tendency toward concentration and consolidation of the railway property under private management. According to figures given by W. G. Mikhaylovski, in the transactions of the St. Petersburg Free Economic Society for 1898, instead of forty-four

private corporations, which managed all the private roads in 1886, there are now but seventeen, of which seven controlled 11,103 miles—98.2 per cent of all the 12,450 miles now under private management or construction.

Simultaneously with the redemption of the greater part of Russian railways the Government undertook the difficult task of regulating the railway tariffs both for passengers and goods. The principles adopted were those of the "zone" tariff, and the results of the innovation have been very encouraging, for both passenger and freight traffic have increased considerably since the introduction of the new tariff. (For movement of freights over railways, see accompanying tables.)

TELEGRAPHS.

Russia holds first place among European countries both in regard to length of its telegraph lines (80,665 miles) and to length of wires (195,330 miles), although the number of telegrams is exceedingly small, being but 12 telegrams per 100 inhabitants. (Figures for 1893, the latest attainable date). By far the greater part of all the telegraphs is owned by the Government.

AREA AND POPULATION.

To the great public on this side of the Atlantic, Russia until lately was practically an unknown quantity. It was but when the news of a projected trans-Siberian railway reached this country that interest in Russia among Americans began to show itself. The Russian Government itself tried to awaken interest and spread information about the country and its material resources in a five-volume report on the industries of Russia, an excellent work, to which the most prominent Russian experts had contributed. It is from this work mainly that the data in this study are derived.

The Russian Empire, including its Asiatic dominions, comprises an area of 8,644,100 English square miles. This is about five times the size of Western and Southern Europe combined, or about two and a half times the size of the United States. Out of this total, 51 provinces of European Russia proper cover, according to the data furnished by the first Russian census of 1897, an area of 1,902,202 English square miles, with a population of 94,215,415, which would give an average density of population of 51 persons per square mile. This average, however, is far from being a fair index of the different degrees of agglomeration in the various parts of Russia. The density is naturally greater in the industrial provinces, or those containing large city centers, as Moscow (189 per square mile), St. Petersburg (123 per square mile), the Polish provinces (193 per square mile), and the so-called black-soil region, in which almost all provinces show a greater density of population than 100 per square mile. On the other hand, Finland and the immense sub-Arctic region bring down the more favorable average of density shown by the central and southern parts of European Russia. Thus Finland has only an average population of 20 persons per square mile, while the province of Archangelsk, with an area double that of all the States of the North Atlantic division (i. e., the New England States and also New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania), has but an average density of one person per square mile.

In the Asiatic dominions the twelve provinces of the Caucasus contain an area of 180,843 square miles, with a population of 9,248,695, the average density thus exceeding that of European Russia (54 as against 51 persons per square mile). The rest of Asiatic Russia is very sparsely populated, with the sole exception of the fertile and artificially irrigated oases of Turkestan, with its ancient and original civilization. "The Asiatic dominions of Russia may still be considered a huge reserve of free land, and present a wide field of enterprise for emigrants from European Russia." (D. P. Semenonev, in Vol. III of *Industries of Russia*, p. 33.) Siberia shows exactly the same density as that of Archangelsk (1 person per square mile), though here, again, the central and more southern parts (the so-called governorship-general of the Steppe and Turkestan) present a better showing—4 and 15 persons, respectively, per square mile. The entire population of Asiatic Russia, with an area of 6,564,778 square miles, constitutes but 22,697,469 persons, giving thus an average density of but 4 persons per square mile. The population of the total Empire, both in Europe and Asia, is 128,932,173, which would make the average density for the Empire about 15 persons per square mile. Out of this total population of almost 129,000,000 but 16,280,978, or about 13 per cent, live in towns, although it must be said that the general law of progressive concentration of the population in city centers applies to Russia as well. Professor Miliukoff, in his *History of Civilization in Russia*, shows conclusively that the growth of city centers dates back only to the years following the Crimean war, when Russia, after its defeat by the European allies, began the modernization of its means of transportation and other industrial agencies. Still the relative economic and social backwardness of the country can be seen by the following comparison: While in England and Wales, according to the latest data given by the *Statesman's Year-Book* for 1899, 71.7 per cent of the total population lived in urban sanitary districts, in Germany 49.9 per cent in towns with over 2,000 of population (according to the data of 1895); in France, 37.4 per cent in towns with over 2,000 (data of 1891); and in the United States 29.2 per cent in towns with over 8,000 (data of 1890), the rate for Russia is but 13 per cent, and this for all towns, some with a population of even less than 1,000.

AGRICULTURE: PRODUCTION AND EXPORTATION.

Russia's agricultural productions are more varied than those of perhaps any other country except the United States. Corn, wheat, rye, millet, flax, hemp, beet sugar, tobacco, and cotton are produced in quantities sufficient not only to supply the demand of her population, but in many cases for exportation. The wheat crop of European Russia in 1897 was, according to the Statesman's Year-Book for 1899, over 6,600,000 tons; rye, over 14,000,000 tons; barley, more than 4,000,000 tons; oats, 7,500,000 tons; potatoes, nearly 16,000,000 tons; flax, 290,000 tons of fiber and 645,000 tons of linseed; hemp, 300,000 tons of fiber and 370,000 tons of seed; hops, 650,000 hundredweight; hay, 33,000,000 tons. The annual product of tobacco ranges about 1,250,000 hundredweight, and in Turkestan, southeastern Russia, nearly a half million acres are now devoted to cotton, much of which has been planted from seed obtained from the United States and carefully selected with reference to locality, soil, and climate, thus increasing the production and quality and bringing the product into direct competition with cotton of the United States, at least so far as relates to the markets of Russia, the product of 1895 being over 2,500,000 hundredweight. Over 2,500,000 hundredweight of rice are grown annually in Turkestan and about 330,000 hundredweight of cocoon silk. The total value of cereals exported from Russia in 1896 was 323,177,000 rubles; of flax, 72,364,000 rubles; hemp, 19,212,000 rubles; seeds, 41,627,000 rubles; and of sugar, 11,830,000 rubles. The American Annual Cyclopædia for 1897 says:

Russia exports 51 per cent of the breadstuffs required by importing European countries, and the proportion of her exports compared with those of America increased in a marked degree between 1891 and 1896. The chief economic feature of wheat growing in Russia is the low cost of production, lower even than on the best virgin soils of the United States, due to the existence of a belt of rich, black earth extending across the southern part of European Russia and across the Ural Mountains into Siberia.

The exports of breadstuffs from Russia, including wheat, barley, oats, and flour, which in 1886 amounted to 278,547,000 poods, had by 1896 increased to 506,844,000, those of wheat alone increasing from 91,517,000 poods in 1886 to 219,589,000 in 1896. The exportation of raw flax increased from 7,110,000 poods in 1886 to 12,601,000 poods in 1896; raw hemp, from 2,361,000 poods in 1886 to 3,003,000 in 1896; oil cake, from 4,810,000 poods in 1886 to 17,513,000 in 1896; and oleaginous seeds from 10,346,000 poods in 1886 to 31,968,000 in 1896. Wool exports have decreased, probably owing to the increased consumption for manufacturing purposes, the exports of 1886 having been 2,525,000 poods and in 1896 only 1,012,000. Eggs form an important item of the agricultural exports of Russia, the exports of 1886 being 332,764,000 in number, and those of 1896, 1,475,000,000.

PROVISIONS: PRODUCTION AND EXPORTATION.

As a producer and exporter of provisions Russia occupies an important position and has future possibilities worthy of serious consideration. Her capacity for growing domestic animals exceeds in some particulars that of any other country. The reindeer thrives and finds useful occupation at the extreme north, and the camel at the extreme south, while in the intermediate section cattle, horses, sheep, and swine are produced in enormous numbers, with the possibility of an almost unlimited increase by reason of the great area suitable for their production. In Caucasus and Turkestan alone there were in 1892 6,500,000 head of cattle, 20,000,000 sheep, 1,000,000 swine, and nearly 500,000 camels, while the latest attainable figures show the number of cattle in European Russia at 25,000,000, sheep 45,000,000, swine nearly 10,000,000, and horses 20,000,000.

Hon. Charles Emory Smith, the present Postmaster-General, formerly minister to Russia, discussing this subject in the section of Johnson's Universal Cyclopædia devoted to Russia, Volume VII, says:

The raising of stock constitutes a very important branch of farming, sometimes intimately related to agriculture and sometimes an independent and exclusive occupation of the peasants. In the northwestern governments, in the Baltic provinces, and in Finland the most important branch is the dairy and the fattening of cattle for slaughter. In the southeastern districts and in Bessarabia work cattle and horses are of great importance, but sheep breeding for wool is also a profitable industry. In northeastern Russia the breeding of horses for work purposes heads the other departments of stock raising, but milch cows are also largely raised for the production of high-grade butter and cheese. In the central region the fertility of the soil precludes profitable herding on a large scale, but the breeding of milch cows, the fattening of fine beefs and hogs, and the raising of good trotters and of large draft horses are much developed. In the southern and southeastern steppe districts and also in the region of the Don herding is of great importance owing to the great amount of pasture land, but the most extensive branch there is that of herding fine-wool Merino sheep, exclusively confined to rich estates, the peasants raising as a rule only horned cattle.

The exports of animals, which in 1889 amounted to 12,597,000 rubles, amounted in 1897 to 17,092,000, and while the export of provisions has not up to the present time developed into considerable importance, the export possibilities of provisions in a country of such a large area and varied climate are worthy of serious consideration in view of the prospective increase in transportation facilities.

TIMBER: PRODUCTION AND EXPORTATION.

Russia has now the most important remaining area of the world's virgin forests. Enormous sections of northern Russia and Siberia remain yet untouched and capable of supplying the world with timber and lumber when they can be brought into market by rail and water. Volume V of the series, entitled *Industries of Russia*, issued by the Russian Government in 1893, says:

Siberia belongs to the number of countries abounding in forests. In western Siberia alone the area of forests belonging to the Crown is estimated at 110,000,000 dessiatines (297,000,000 acres); in eastern Siberia the area so occupied is considerably greater, while the Littoral-Amoor region is also rich in forests, consisting of very various and valuable species. The northern forest zone occupies all those regions of Siberia where agriculture is impossible from the deficient quantity of heat. The fixed population is insignificant. The forest-reaches of this vast zone have up to the present time been abandoned exclusively to the forces of nature, but preserve within themselves an inexhaustible supply of splendid building material. There are many localities where for tens and hundreds of versts in every direction stand clean plantations of pine which, with their interlaced summits, hide the sky. The absolutely naked trunks rising perfectly straight to an enormous height are so monotonous that a man who once chances into such a part of the Siberian taiga, or even a wild beast, can not find his way out again. Experienced native trappers are afraid to penetrate into one of these, in their opinion, enchanted spots, and they record every step they take by scoring the trees.

Recurring again to the statement of Johnson's *Cyclopædia* prepared by the former ambassador to Russia, Hon. Charles Emory Smith, from which quotations were made above, it gives the forest area of European Russia, Poland, and Caucasia alone at 498,000,000 acres, and says: "In this forest region of the north there are immense districts in which the only roads are the rivers flowing between interminable walls of trees," while the article on Siberia in the same volume, by Prof. Mark W. Harrington, says: "The forest area of Siberia is enormous. That of Tomsk and Tobolsk is estimated at 250,000 square miles, and probably this is only a third or quarter of the area for all Siberia."

While much of the valuable forest area of northern Russia is yet untouched and inaccessible for lack of transportation facilities, the increase in its value as producing an article of export is shown by the fact that the exportation of wood of all sorts, which in 1886 amounted to 24,195,000 rubles, were in 1897 54,781,000, having more than doubled during the period in question.

PETROLEUM: PRODUCTION AND EXPORTATION.

Among the industries which have developed most during the last quarter of a century, the mineral-oil industry, namely, of the Baku districts, stands foremost.

It is to the growth of this industry, and the hope of overcoming American competition, that Russians look forward. The opinion is expressed among Russians that the yield of American oil is on the decline, and that Russia, whose supply appears to be great, will eventually have a monopoly in the supply of oil in the world market. That the exportation of Russian oil is yet comparatively small may be seen from the fact that out of a total production of about 500,000,000 poods (1 pood = 36 pounds English), there were exported as follows:

[Figures taken from *Messenger of Finance*, No. 36, 1898.]

YEAR.	Poods.	Value.
1896.....	63,300,000	<i>Rubles.</i> 28,700,000
1897.....	62,700,000	25,200,000

As will be seen from this table, the exportation for the year 1897 has decreased as compared with the preceding year. This decrease, according to official admissions, is due to successful competition of the American oil in the European markets, and even more so to the greater demand for the residual products (for the purpose of fuel mainly) within the Empire itself, where petroleum is taxed since 1896 1 rouble per pood (51 cents per 36 pounds). The countries in Europe to which Russian oil is mainly shipped are the following:

COUNTRIES.	1896.	1897.	1896.	1897.
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Germany.....	1,553,000	1,335,000	1,091,000	533,000
Great Britain.....	7,887,000	4,989,000	3,490,000	1,490,000
France.....	2,433,000	2,450,000	719,000	747,000
Austria-Hungary.....	1,964,000	2,827,000	687,000	932,000
Belgium.....	1,703,000	569,000	803,000	208,000

As will be seen by this table, the Russian illuminating oils, while unable to hold their own against the American product in the German, English, and Belgian markets, are gaining ground in other European countries—as, for instance, Austria and France. In Germany the decrease appears much larger if the realized prices, not mere

quantities exported, are studied. Asiatic markets, the Chinese particularly, according to statements of the inspector-general of customs in China, in his 1897 report, seemed to be another battle ground for these competing products. "American oil," he says, "is finding vigorous rivals in Russian and especially Sumatran oil." In 1894 the imports into China were: American oil, 51,670,853 gallons; Russian, 17,500,283; Sumatran, 534,280; while in 1897 they were: American, 48,212,505 gallons; Russian, 36,924,125, and Sumatran 14,212,278, thus showing a slight decrease from 1894 to 1897 in the importations into China of American oils; an increase of 100 per cent in the imports of Russian, and a much larger percentage of increase in Sumatran."

The production of crude petroleum in Russia is now nearly equal to that in the United States, but the result in illuminating oil is far below that of this country. American crude petroleum supplies about three-fourths of its bulk in refined illuminating oil, while Russian petroleum produces but about three-eighths of its bulk in refined illuminating oil. The production of crude petroleum in Russia in 1897 was 2,260,572,000 gallons, against 2,560,335,000 in the United States, but the equivalent in refined illuminating oil was: Russia, 847,715,000 gallons; United States, 1,920,252,000 gallons. A table showing the production of petroleum in Russia and United States in each year from 1881 to 1897 and its equivalent in refined illuminating oil is presented on another page (2541) under the head of "Petroleum production in Russia."

COTTON: PRODUCTION, MANUFACTURE, AND EXPORTATION.

Cotton, as already indicated, is successfully grown in the southern sections of Russia, and its conditions and prospects as a suitable crop have been materially improved by the introduction of American cotton seed carefully selected with reference to locality, soil, and climate. The Statesman's Year-Book for 1899 says on this subject:

The cotton crops in Turkestan which covered, in 1888, 214,115 acres, and yielded 325,148 hundredweight of raw cotton, one-half of which was the American and the other half the local cotton tree, attained in 1895 to 469,800 acres, chiefly in Ferghana (351,000 acres), and yielding over 840,000 hundredweight of purified cotton (2,080,000 hundredweight of raw cotton). Khiva and Bokhara supply annually about 322,000 hundredweight. Attempts at raising cotton have also been made in Trans-Caucasia, the crop of 1891 attaining 2,900 hundredweight in Elisabethpol, and 200,000 hundredweight in Erivan; 9,833 acres were under cotton trees in 1892.

Manufactures of cotton are taking an important place in the industries of Russia, the value of her cotton-spinning industry having increased from 74,000,000 rubles in 1880 to 135,000,000 in 1893; weaving of cotton, from 99,000,000 rubles in 1880 to 160,000,000 in 1893; and the total value of the product of her cotton mills from 240,000,000 rubles in 1880 to 398,000,000 rubles in 1893, while the growth since that date has been very rapid, bringing the figures to a much larger total than those already quoted, though the information gathered on this subject by the recent Russian census is not yet available in detail. Meantime, cotton manufactures are becoming an appreciable feature of Russia's exports, the value of the exports of cotton manufactures in 1886 being 4,100,000 rubles, and in 1896, 9,199,000, having more than doubled in the decade in value, while in quantity the increase was doubtless much greater, owing to the general fall in values of the manufactures of cotton.

THE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.

Upon this subject, Hon. Charles Emory Smith, in Volume VII of Johnson's Universal Cyclopædia, says:

It is only in very recent years that Russia has exhibited strength as a manufacturing nation at all commensurate with her importance in other respects. The patriarchal state of domestic economy under which each family was its own producer and consumer longer held sway there than in most other countries in Europe, and in many cases the breaking away was not noticeable until about the middle of the nineteenth century. But the vast and vigorous growth of manufacture began in the decade following the emancipation of the serfs (1861), expanding in the succeeding one, in which railway building was begun on a colossal scale. Manufactures including mining industries, amounted in value to 905,000,000 rubles (\$452,500,000) in 1878, and in 1890 the total valuation of the output reached 1,656,000,000 rubles (\$828,000,000), irrespective of the smaller industries of which statistics are unattainable.

The annual volume of Johnson's Cyclopædia for 1898 says:

Enormous strides have been made in Russian manufactures and industries whereby the output is now valued at 2,000,000,000 rubles.

The Russian minister of finance, M. Witte, in his annual report of 1897, says of the development of manufactures:

Among the prominent events in the economic life of Russia during the past year it is necessary to mention the Russian industrial and art exhibition at Nijni-Novgorod, originated at the desire of the late Emperor Alexander III. Started with the intention of verifying the progress attained by Russia and of showing what problems in the industrial development of the country required solution, the exhibition of 1896 fulfilled every expectation and yielded abundant material for the study of the present conditions and requirements of the various branches of our national industry. From the extensive labors of the committees of experts, in which several hundreds of scientists and practical specialists of various branches of industry took part, the Government obtained a plentiful supply of materials both for forming an opinion on the present condition of our industries and for working out measures for their further development. The experts' verdicts showed that since the last exhibition of 1882, almost every branch of our industry has progressed greatly, both in quality and quantity. During this period, under the shelter of a long peace, many perfectly new branches of industry have sprung up and expanded, while those that already existed have developed and grown stronger. It is enough to speak of the vast progress in metallurgy, manufacture of machinery, coal mining, and the petroleum, chemical, and cotton industries, in the

cultivation of cotton, in wine making, and in many other branches. Such cheering results are the consequences of the protective policy recently adopted by the Government. In the history of this system the measures taken in 1877, 1880-1885, and 1891 are specially to be noted. The payment of custom-house duties in gold, brought into force in 1877, increased the protection of all goods by 30 per cent, corresponding to the depreciation of the paper currency at that time.

The smaller industries alluded to by Hon. Charles Emory Smith in his Cyclopædia article include mainly the so-called "village," "kustar," or domestic industries, in which besides the head of the family, the other members, male and female, not unfrequently even children of 7 to 10 years of age, take part. There are according to the Statesman's Handbook of Russia (St. Petersburg, 1896), now in all over 50 distinct kinds of kustar trades, chiefly those connected with the manufacture of wood. There are as many as 80,000 households employed in making baskets, mats, wheels, carts, buttons, spoons, and even furniture. The northern flax-growing districts manufacture linen, tablecloths, and towels. The central districts take orders from the manufacturers for weaving the lower sorts of cotton goods. More than 150,000 men are occupied in the preparation of leather. As many as 19,000 peasant households are employed in the manufacture of hardware, particularly at Pávlovo (the "Russian Sheffield"), in the province of Nijni-Novgorod. Other important industries are the samovar industry in the province of Tula, the painting of holy images on wood, lace making, and the manufacture of toys. The entire value of the products of the home industries is practically unknown. Some estimate it at from 75,000,000 to 100,000,000 rubles, while others raise the figures to many times this sum. An equal uncertainty reigns as to the exact number of persons employed in this industry. Some investigators fix this number at 6,000,000, or many times larger than the combined number of factory hands and miners. That the existence of these industries has not proven and is not proving a serious obstacle to the rapid growth of the machine industry, and that, on the other hand, the above industries when meeting the competition of mechanical power and machines very soon degenerate to the condition of "sweated" industries, needs no comment. Their relative vitality can be best explained by the fact that the workers engaged in them as well as a large proportion of Russian factory hands, resort to the particular work in order to add to the scanty earnings derived from agriculture, their original and sometimes main occupation. It must be said, however, that at present in many instances agricultural pursuits are being more and more abandoned by them, the workers devoting themselves more exclusively to the purely industrial occupations in the narrower sense of the term.

Some remarks seem appropriate with regard to the figures given for the total output of manufactures first calculated by the celebrated Russian chemist, Professor Mendeleiev, reiterated by the present Finance Minister, and then reproduced by the greater part of foreign writers on this question. It is claimed on good authority that the figures given contain a great element of duplication and triplication, so that in order to get the true figures the amount given must be greatly reduced. Thus, for instance, it is pointed out that in some cases the value of cotton products and of wools is first calculated in their primary stage of yarn, then as texture, and finally sometimes as dyed or finished stuffs. In other instances, it is pointed out, the whole amount of an excise tax had been added to the value of excisable commodities. However this be, there can hardly be any doubt that the tendencies of Russia's modern industrial development are correctly stated in the report of the Russian Minister of Finance. Thus, for instance, the output of coal, according to figures given in the London Economist of April 22, 1899, has more than doubled within the last ten years, being 4,202,850 tons in 1885, and 9,700,000 tons in 1897. The average importation of raw cotton from 7,300,000 poods during the years 1889-1891, has risen to 9,900,000 poods in the year 1897, and this latter figure does not include yet the 2,500,000 to 3,000,000 poods now annually raised in central Asia and the Caucasus. Such facts and others, as the growing number of factory hands and the increase in the number of spindles in the cotton and woolen factories, are more reliable and trustworthy indices of Russia's industrial progress.

IRON AND STEEL—PRODUCTION AND MANUFACTURES.

The production and manufactures of iron and steel have grown very rapidly in the past few years, as have other branches of the manufacturing industries. The production of pig iron, which in 1880 was 448,000 tons, in 1896 amounted to 1,612,000 tons, or nearly four times that of 1880. Of iron in other forms the productions in 1880 were 292,000 tons, and in 1895 440,000 tons, the figures for 1896 not being available. Of steel, the products of 1880 were 307,000 tons, those of 1895 897,000 tons, while coal production increased from 3,289,000 tons in 1880 to 9,314,000 tons in 1896. The Statesman's Year-Book for 1899 says:

The province of Ekaterinoslav grows to be an important center of iron mining. In 1895 South Russia yielded 533,000 tons of pig iron, 35,000 tons of steel, and 194,000 tons of rails. The manufacture of agricultural machinery, which was valued at 2,250,000 rubles in 1867, rose to nearly 10,000,000 rubles in 1895, and has much increased since.

The growth in the production of iron in Russia is illustrated by the fact that despite the great increase in manufactures, imports of pig iron have fallen from 14,852,000 poods in 1885 to 3,793,000 in 1896, though the importation of higher grades of manufactured iron have increased meantime. Bars, blooms, rails, etc., increased from 3,226,000 poods to 8,560,000; iron in sheets or plates from 1,373,000 poods to 8,135,000, and steel in bars, rails, or sheets, from 563,000 poods to 4,427,000 poods during the decade, this increase being largely due to the growth of railroad construction and other developments of the higher-grade industries.

IMPORTS AND DEMAND FOR FOREIGN GOODS.

Russia as a market is of growing importance to the United States. During the fiscal year about to end our own exports to the Baltic ports will show an increase of fully 25 per cent, to the Black Sea ports more than 50 per cent, and to Asiatic Russia more than 200 per cent. The total exports to Russia in the fiscal year about to end will exceed \$10,000,000, mostly in manufactures. The demand for lines of manufactures especially produced in the United States is rapidly increasing. Her importation of agricultural machinery in 1886 was 1,325,000 rubles and in 1896 7,065,000. Engines and machinery, which in 1886 amounted to 14,628,000 rubles were in 1896 53,380,000, while imports of watches and clocks increased from 2,160,000 rubles in 1886 to 5,199,000 in 1896; metal wares, iron, steel, tin, etc., from 10,777,000 rubles in 1886 to 24,915,000 in 1896, while in the various manufactures of iron and steel the growth has been already noted.

That the products of the United States are finding favor with Russia and our market in that country is increasing is shown by the fact that the reports of the Russian Government place the value of imports from the United States in 1886 at 26,774,000 rubles, and in 1896 at 65,671,000 rubles, an increase of nearly 150 per cent, while the total importations into Russia during that period show an increase of but 30 per cent, the total figures for 1886 being 438,296,000 rubles and for 1896 589,810,000 rubles. No country showed during the decade so rapid an increase in her share of imports into Russia as did the United States. The imports into Russia from Germany in 1886 were 135,355,000 rubles and in 1896 190,170,000; those from the United Kingdom in 1886 110,071,000 rubles and in 1896 111,399,000; France in 1886, 12,274,000 rubles, and in 1896, 23,412,000; Austria-Hungary, in 1886, 16,996,000, and in 1896, 22,902,000; China, in 1886, 30,016,000, and in 1896, 41,457,000.

(For details of Russia's imports and exports see accompanying tables).

CURRENCY OF RUSSIA.

Under the régime of the present minister of finance the Russian treasury, or rather the State bank, have resumed cash payments in gold, after the Government had accumulated an enormous stock of gold, including \$70,000,000 of American extraction. According to the last bank statement, found in the Economist of April 29, 1899, the Bank of Russia, the only issue institution of the country, possessed a stock of gold equal to about \$475,000,000 and about \$25,000,000 worth in silver. The total volume of the circulating medium was composed mainly of about \$300,000,000 of credit notes, and a comparatively small, though constantly increasing, amount of gold coin, besides standard silver ruble and fractional currency, both silver and copper. Russia, then, has definitely adopted the gold standard, making the ruble (equal to 51.5 cents) its monetary unit, silver being coined but in limited amounts at the pleasure of the Government. Lately the Government decided to supplant the notes of lesser denomination by standard silver rubles (of $\frac{9}{16}$ fineness), leaving undisturbed the existing fractional currency (silver at $\frac{5}{16}$ and copper).

THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY AND ITS PROBABLE EFFECT UPON COMMERCE.

The approaching completion of the trans-Siberian railway naturally brings up the question of its economic importance for the country it traverses. As already shown, the population of Siberia amounts to about 5,000,000 people. This figure alone suffices to show of what development the country is yet capable in view of its enormous material resources. As a matter of fact, colonization more or less systematic has begun but recently, after the Government undertook its regulation and direction. Immigration, which during the eighties amounted to but ten to twenty thousand per year, has been steadily swelling since 1892, and reached about 200,000 in the year 1896. It is thus clear that Siberia contains an available area for the cultivation of cereals, for almost all these immigrants are agriculturists and continue their occupation on the new sites. The questions then to be answered in this study will naturally be the following:

First. What is approximately the area available for the cultivation of different cereals?

Second. What may be the probable increase in the production of cereals, due directly and indirectly to a completed railway?

Third. What are the possibilities of exports for the different Siberian products, particularly wheat, to Europe and more especially to eastern Asia?

Official estimates of the Russian Government given some twenty years ago put the cultivable area as high as 268,090 English square miles or 32.4 per cent of the total area for western Siberia and 653,760 square miles for eastern Siberia. Yadrintzeff, one of the best authorities on Siberia, while reproducing these figures in his work on Siberia, makes, however, the significant statement that these estimates have but "a relative value." Since that time the knowledge of Siberia among Russians has increased, with the effect that the cultivable area is being estimated lower every year and according to the most recent calculation constitutes but 8 or 9 per cent of the entire area, about 425,000 English square miles. As will be seen from these figures, it is rather premature to accept definitely any data until the results of the official survey now going on shall be given to the world. This work is proceeding rapidly. According to a statement found in Behm and Wagner's Geographical Annals, reproduced by Dr. Ballod, about 7,090,000 dessiatins or 18,900,000 acres have been surveyed during the years 1893 and 1894, and out of these 800,000 dessiatins or over 2,000,000 acres prepared for settlers.

AGRICULTURAL POSSIBILITIES AND PROBABILITIES.

In western Siberia the cultivable area is to be looked for in what the official report calls the "zone of cultivation," i. e., the region between 55° and $58\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ north (in the Altai region only to the fifty-first degree north), containing altogether about 340,000 English square miles, with about 2,500,000 population. Out of this total area a considerable part would have to be excluded, made up of marshes and moors, salt and sweet water lakes, particularly the so-called Barbara steppe, so that only about 127,500 English square miles here, and 65,000 English square miles in the Altai region might be regarded really cultivable land. Although the average yearly temperature is but zero Celsius (32° F.), such an average is due to the extreme winter colds; for the five months of May to September the average temperature is about $+14^{\circ}$ to 15° Celsius, or about the same as in European Russia under the same latitude. For settlement this part of Siberia presents, moreover, some advantages not to be found in the corresponding parts of European Russia and these are the relative wealth of forest and streams, more extensive natural meadows and a soil less exhausted. The amount of yearly precipitation however is considerably less for western Siberia than it is for Germany or Russia under equal latitudes, the yearly average in the agricultural zone being but 380 millimeters, as compared with 500 millimeters in the northern part of Russia. However, this circumstance does not yet present any danger to the cultivation of cereals, for the amount of precipitation during the three summer months is 175 millimeters, only 10 millimeters less than that for northern Russia. The agricultural zone in western Siberia shows about the same features as the regions of western Canada, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan; just as there a severe winter lasting six months is followed by a short transition period and a short and warm summer.

North of this agricultural zone there extends the forest zone. Agriculture is pursued there but sporadically, between the 59th and 60th degrees of latitude, and this only on the protected slopes, which suffer less from excessive moisture and summer frosts. By far the greater part of this region is forest desert—"Taiga" or swamp woods (Ourmans), out of which only here and there emerge meadows and arable grounds. For the purpose of this study the agricultural possibilities of this region, as well as the "Polar Region," to use the nomenclature of the official report, may be safely neglected. It is interesting to note that the number of domestic animals in western Siberia is much larger per head of population than in European Russia. There were about 1,400,000 head of cattle, 1,700,000 horses, and 2,300,000 sheep. For every 100 inhabitants in the zone of cultivation there are thus 63 horses and 52 cows.

South of western Siberia proper, between the fifty-fifth and forty-second degrees of latitude, extends the governorship-general of the Steppe, whose northern border is touched by the Siberian Trans-Continental. Out of the 530,000 English square miles taken up by these regions, the districts of Akmolinsk and Semipalatinsk (about 380,000 English square miles), while having a higher annual temperature, suffer, however, from lack of rainfall, so that agriculture can be safely carried on without artificial irrigation only in the northern border of this region, and also in the moister river valleys; but even there the crops often suffer from droughts. Dr. Ballod estimates the entire cultivable area of the two above-named districts at less than a million dessiatins, or about 2,700,000 acres. The rest of the Kirgis steppe presents, according to this writer, but pasture grounds of the worst quality. Even the northern slopes of the Thian-Schan, while showing more favorable climatic and soil conditions, could be made available for agriculture only if properly irrigated. The average temperature for the seven months (April to October) is about the same as that of northern Italy; cereals ripen just as there, about the beginning or middle of June, and, provided there is sufficient irrigation, another harvest of leguminous crops becomes possible in the fall. It is estimated that about 20,000 English square miles could be gained for agricultural purposes by systematic irrigation. The number of domestic animals is here even greater than in western Siberia, cattle constituting the only wealth of the nomadic Kirghiz. There are about 1,800,000 horses, 1,000,000 head of cattle, and about 10,000,000 to 11,000,000 sheep.

As regards the agricultural possibilities of eastern Siberia, or the provinces of Yenisseisk, Irkutsk, and Yakutsk, it must be said that the area available for cultivation is even smaller there than in the west. Owing to the mountainous, precipitous, in some parts exceedingly cold and swampy character of the country, only a little over 100,000 English square miles are regarded as fit for cultivation. Climatic conditions are less favorable here than in the west, the yearly amount of rain and snow-fall being but 360 mm. and for the summer 150 (instead of 175, as in the west). As a matter of fact, even the region most favored for wheat cultivation, the district of Minussinsk (a little over 40,000 English square miles), with an average temperature of 15.5° Celsius during the vegetation period, had already to resort to artificial irrigation. It is interesting to note that in this district beginnings have been made with the cultivation of the sugar beet, which have given good results, the raw sugar thus gained being refined on the spot. The zone of cultivation in eastern Siberia, it must be said, is on the whole richer in forests than the corresponding zone in the western part of Siberia. The mountains and mountain slopes particularly are covered with dense forests; extended grass steppes (prairies) are to be found only in the district of Minussinsk; but even these latter do not lack entirely forest growth. In some parts they even contain excellent soil; some, however, present but desolate, cheerless alkali, or sand deserts.

As regards the forest zone and the region of sporadic agriculture, it extends in eastern Siberia two degrees higher to the north than in western Siberia. Although the average temperature is lower than in the west (-3° Celsius instead of -2°), yet the summer is one degree warmer (15° Celsius as against 14°). On the other hand, the period of vegetation has but an average of $+11^{\circ}$ Celsius, thus being less favorable for cultivation than the corresponding period in western Siberia. The amount of precipitation is about 400 millimeters, of which one-half falls to the summer, and it is this relatively high summer temperature, coupled with abundant precipitation, which even under so high latitudes permits still of the growth of tall-tree forests, whereas in North America (on the Hudson Bay and in Labrador), with an equal average temperature, the northern boundary line for forest growth lies ten to twelve degrees more southward. The area of this region is enormous, about 1,380,000 English square miles. Its value for agricultural purposes, however, is altogether insignificant, since night frosts occur normally even during the summer, thus making agriculture too precarious an occupation. The population of eastern Siberia numbers about 900,000; that of the Yakutsk region alone about a quarter of a million, the greater part being indigenous nomadic Bouriards. The stock of domestic animals is greater than in the west; thus, in the agricultural zone of eastern Siberia for every hundred of population there are 72 horses, 70 head of cattle, and about 135 sheep; altogether, 640,000 horses, 630,000 head of cattle, and about 2,000,000 sheep.

Of greater importance for agricultural purposes is the trans-Baikalian district (south of eastern Siberia proper), which contains an area of about 230,000 English square miles and almost entirely falls within the cultivable zone. The extremely mountainous character of this district, intersected as it is by the Stanovoi range, reduces, however, the really cultivable area to about one-third (about 85,000 English square miles). The climate is extremely continental, the yearly average temperature, even within the cultivable region ($-2\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ Celsius), hardly exceeds that of the forest zone of eastern Siberia; the summer, however, is a little warmer than the corresponding period within the agricultural region of eastern Siberia ($+17^{\circ}$ Celsius and 16.5° , respectively), this advantage being set off by the lower temperature during the vegetation period proper (13.5° Celsius). Even with such a temperature cereals can ripen fully because, on account of the more southern geographical situation of the country, the sun's rays fall more vertically, and also because the sky is less covered with clouds during the year than in eastern or western Siberia. The amount of precipitation during the summer is nevertheless quite high, reaching 200 millimeters (as against 150 millimeters in eastern Siberia), being by far the greater part of the total yearly precipitation. This fact—i. e., because the greater part of precipitation occurs within the vegetation period—enables agriculture to be carried on pretty safely. This region, as a matter of fact, is regarded by the Russian Government as the prospective "chief granary of the whole Amour-Littoral region" (p. 57, vol. 5, *The Industries of Russia*). On account of the cold, snowless winters, only summer or spring cereals can be cultivated. For a population of about 570,000 human beings, of whom 170,000 are indigenous Bouriards and Tunguz (mainly nomads), there are 400,000 horses, 570,000 head of cattle, and about 2,000,000 sheep.

Quite different features in regard to soil, climate, and vegetation are presented by the regions of the Amoor and the Ousoury, both on the Pacific coast. For while eastern and western Siberia suffer very often from droughts, the Amoor region suffers from excessive humidity, which is unfavorable to agriculture. The natural fertility of the soil is not great. Although harvests obtained on virgin soil are abundant, yet the crops are bad in quality and but little nutritive. Diverse mountain ranges crossing these regions and very wide swamps reduce the cultivable area to over 40,000 English square miles (out of a total area of 200,000 to 225,000 English square miles). Although the average temperature for Blagovestchensk, for instance (50° north), is still below 0° Celsius, yet the average summer temperature is $+19^{\circ}$ Celsius and that of the vegetation period $+15.6^{\circ}$ Celsius. For the lower part of the Amoor these figures become less favorable. Thus, the temperature of the vegetation period goes down to 11.6° Celsius, rendering the cultivation of any cereals almost impossible. The excessive amount of precipitation, over 500 millimeters (as against 290 millimeters for the trans-Baikalian region), out of which 290 millimeters belong to the three summer months, favor a luxuriant growth of wild vegetation. All the lower slopes of the mountain ridges are overgrown with weeds, and the upper declivities with trees, which so powerfully arrest the moisture that the soil does not dry up. Here and there grassy plains occur, particularly in places subject to the inundations of the Amoor. These inundations prove a further hindrance to agriculture, since the river, when receding to its normal bed, leaves a great mass of swamps and pools, which by their evaporations and moist fogs exercise a most unfavorable influence upon the growth of cereals. These latter, when sown upon clearings, although running to straw of incredible height, frequently yield but a poor grain, sometimes not ripening completely.

Almost the same characteristics apply to the Ousoury region, extending along the coast of the Pacific. The climate, although warmer (the temperature for the vegetation period being 17° Celsius), yet shows the same peculiarities with reference to excessive moisture as the Amoor region, the averages in this regard (ranging all the way from 336 millimeters for Vladivostok up to 1,024 $^{\circ}$ for the Olga Bay) being on the whole still less favorable to agriculture than those for the Amoor region. In certain localities, notwithstanding peculiar methods of cultivation, especially adapted to the dampness of the soil, a development of sporiferous plants or microfungi takes place on the ears of the grain, so that bread baked from the flour of grain stricken with these blights becomes intoxicating,

producing in fact such symptoms in those who eat it. This inconvenience, called forth by climatic conditions, sometimes even causes immigrants to abandon the "spots which produce intoxicating bread." (P. 67, vol. 5, Industries of Russia.) The entire area capable of cultivation is estimated at a little over 63,000 English square miles. But while the outlook is far from encouraging for the raising of cereals, leguminous plants, such as peas and beans, vetches, potatoes, and a certain species of millet called "Buda" thrive moderately well both in regard to quantity and quality. This has caused a Russian explorer, Professor Krasnov, to assert that the prosperous development of the country depends on whether the settlers could become used to feed to a great extent on millet, which in the course of time could be as well exported to the overpopulated regions of neighboring China, where millet constitutes an important article of food.

The official report notes some improvement of the agricultural conditions for the last forty years, and expresses the idea that with the progressive rooting out of forests and drying up of the swamps more favorable conditions for agriculture would originate. Yet it has to be borne in mind that some influences, such as geographical proximity to the sea or the ruinous inundations of the great rivers, could not be changed by such work of man as is approvingly pointed out by the Government. The proximate effects, for instance, of clearing the forests would, as Dr. Ballod justly remarks, be still vaster and more ruinous inundations by the rivers. Such ravages might, of course, be prevented by a system of dikes and dams, but this would imply an outlay unprecedented in the history of public waterworks. Greater possibilities are perhaps open to the development of the cattle-raising industry, although here, as well as in the rest of Siberia, the general statement (p. 111, vol. 5, Industries of Russia) must be borne in mind that the low nutritive value of forest herbage, as well as of the natural meadow grass, makes it necessary in the greater part of Siberia to expend much more hay and grazing space upon rearing cattle than would be required under similar circumstances in European Russia, and, for that matter, in the rest of the world. In any case, there can hardly be any doubt that with present primitive, exceedingly extensive, methods of cultivation ("rapacious," as the report terms them) no cereals can be produced for export, because the quality of the crop raised turns out too bad. Whether the application of animal or mineral manuring would improve the quality is a question which has never yet been answered.

There remains but an examination of the agricultural possibilities of the island of Sakhalin. These possibilities, according to all reliable reports, can be safely put down as *nil*; fisheries on the eastern seaboard of the island, coal mines, and mineral oil wells, these are the main resources of the island.

TOTAL CULTIVABLE AREA OF SIBERIA.

Summing up the figures given for the cultivable areas in the different parts of Siberia, we get a total of about 425,000 English square miles. This total would still be equivalent to the combined areas of Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, and both Dakotas.

PRODUCING QUALITIES OF SOIL.

As regards the properties of the cultivable soil very little is yet known. The quality varies greatly in the different parts and even in the same regions. At the outset it should be remembered that Siberia has been under cultivation for over two hundred and fifty years; that the settlement of the more hospitable regions has been accomplished long ago; that the most fertile regions have been preoccupied, so that new settlers have to crowd in among the old ones, who are by no means willing to cede to the newcomers the best parts. There are no thousands of unoccupied acres of fertile, virgin soil, as in North Dakota or Manitoba. Another fact which is being more and more corroborated by recent investigators is that the Siberian black soil on the whole does not possess the thickness and fertility of the Russian black soil region and that the traditional fabulous yields are either a myth or a matter of the past. It is true that at times the Siberian crop yield reaches dimensions which are attained only on lands with intensive cultivation, but such yields are relatively rare and are more than offset by total failures of crops, which often happen even on soils of the best quality. Another point which must be borne in mind is that in the more thickly settled portions, as, for instance, in the province of Tobolsk, fertilizing is applied in almost all parts. It is not proposed to go into the technical details, as the humus capacity and thickness of the arable soil, for which the reader may turn to the official English publication of the Russian Government. Enough, however, has been said to warrant the conclusion that the Siberian soil in very rare cases only compares with the black soil of European Russia: as a rule the soil of the cultivable area in Siberia can be characterized as being of but mediocre quality. For the cultivation of wheat, which alone may be able to bear the high cost of transportation to the world market, hardly one-half, i. e., the more southern part of the cultivable area, would seem to be available. These are the extreme south of the province of Tobolsk, the Ishim steppe mainly, the more northern, rainier parts of the Kirgizian steppe, the agricultural zone on the slopes and foothills of the Altai and in the district of Minussinsk, besides some few parts of Transbaikalia. In the middle agricultural zone of the province of Tobolsk summer rye, oats, and barley are mainly raised; in the middle and northern parts of the cultivable zone in eastern Siberia the loose, black soil favors the cultivation of winter rye. Along the Siberian

caravan route, the so-called Great Siberian Tract, oats constitute the chief crop, being in steady demand as fodder for the 80,000 horses that frequent this artery of communication, now to be superseded by the Siberian Railway.

On the whole, it must be said that the cultivation of the soil in Siberia is more thorough and satisfactory than in European Russia, for the simple reason that the peasant possesses a greater number of live stock, and his relative well-being permits the use of better implements. This greater prosperity showed itself also in the relatively high proportion of cereals consumed by the peasant himself, amounting in the province of Tobolsk to about 66 per cent, leaving but 34 per cent available for the market. This latter share is higher in the province of Irkutsk, viz, 41 per cent, and still higher in some parts of Minussinsk and in the Altai region, viz, 50 per cent. The total crops of Siberia for an average year are given by official estimates as about 160,000,000 poods, of which 85,000,000 fall to the share of western Siberia. According to these calculations, the Siberian harvest reaches but about one-twelfth of that of European Russia. The corresponding figures in the Statesman's Year-Book for 1896 are 43,630 tons (European Russia), as against 15,272 quarters for four provinces of Siberia. The amount, however, to be deducted for seed grain is considerable, as for winter grain the yield is not more than sixfold, for spring grains even less (four to fivefold), about as much as in European Russia, and this notwithstanding the greater freshness of the soil. There were exported during the last years about 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 poods from western Siberia, where the great rivers, as the Obi, Irtysh, and Tobol, presented convenient means of communication up to the Ural. For the year 1898, however, the amount of Siberian wheat which actually reached the west European border (i. e., Prussia and Austria) or Russian ports of export is given as ever 40,000 carloads, which, multiplied by 600 poods, would give 24,000,000 poods exported to Europe. (Messenger of Finance, 1899, No. 9.) The rest of the marketable cereals has been consumed within the country itself, mainly by the mining districts, particularly the places of gold-washing, by the towns and northern forest regions, which all purchased part of their cereal supply from the agricultural zone; distilleries are now using up about 3,000,000 poods of flour, the Great Siberian Tract consumed a few million poods of oats, and, lastly, the nomadic Kirgiz of the steppe provinces received cereals from the Russian settlers in exchange for their cattle.

CATTLE RAISING AND DAIRY FARMING.

Some remarks would seem appropriate in regard to the possibilities of animal industry and dairy farming. As was seen above, the relative number of horses, cattle, and sheep per unit of population is larger than for European Russia, and although the cattle raised are of the most inferior grade and but small in size (a full-grown cow has a carcass weighing from 5½ to 7 poods—1 pood equals 36 pounds—rather lean, and yields a correspondingly small amount of milk), yet butter prepared by the peasants is even at present shipped to European Russia, and there is no reason why, with better transportation facilities, this product might not find its way East as well as West. Sheep are even more inferior of grade, their wool and carcass are poor, and are used mainly by the peasants themselves. Only kirghizian sheep are being exported, which furnish a good deal of tallow used in the manufacture of candles.

FOREST WEALTH.

As may be seen from the above survey of the country, Siberia is preeminently rich in forests. The forest zone contains about 2,000,000 English square miles of forest area, and for western Siberia alone the area of forests belonging to the Crown is estimated at about 300,000,000 acres. All this vast timber supply is practically untouched, and its possibilities, both for home consumption and exportation abroad, are enormous. The great drawback (lack of transportation facilities), which Dr. Ballod seems to regard as well-nigh insuperable, will no doubt be overcome in time, when with a denser population the industrial uses of timber will spread more and more. The forest vegetation is various, but conifers prevail, especially in the mountain woodlands, such as the larch, pitch pine, pine, and cedar, the birch prevailing in the Steppe portion of Siberia. The important fact, however, should not be overlooked, that the chief forest wealth is situated in the northern part, on the lower course of the great rivers, ice-bound ten to eleven months during the year.

MINERAL WEALTH.

The mineral wealth of Siberia is more particularly described in the annexed article of Mr. N. J. Stone. According to recent information rich layers of coal and iron ore have been found in more than fifty places along the great trans-Siberian road, and among others extensive coal mines at the northern slope of the Altai, in the district of Kusnetzki.

PROSPECTIVE INCREASE OF WHEAT PRODUCTION.

As already shown, the estimated annual yield of crops amounts to 160,000,000 poods for all Siberia, while the entire cultivable area is estimated at about 425,000 English square miles. With an immigration of, say, 200,000 persons per year going on steadily for years to come, the a priori possibilities of a marked increase of

the cereal production are apparent. From the export figures of 1898 it is seen that under favorable conditions, such as better prices on the world market and simultaneous partial failure of crops in European Russia, the importance of Siberian grain may grow very quickly. On the other hand, however, there are a number of limitations, already stated in part, which, for years to come at least, will cause disappointment to those who expect Siberia to become a powerful factor in the cereals supply of the world after the completion of the great transcontinental railway.

Apart from the purely natural factors, such as climatic conditions, natural fertility of the soil, which, as has been seen, are far from favorable to a rapid extension of the agricultural area, there are yet social and economic factors which should by no means be neglected. First, the fact noted that the best soils are already preoccupied. It might be said that the word "best," economically speaking, has but a relative meaning; that the construction of a railway or any other circumstance that brings the place nearer a market affects the economic value of the land, and that changes of agricultural methods have very often changed the places regarded as having no agricultural value whatever to highly prized agricultural areas. Now, there can be no doubt that in the greater part of Siberia the agricultural methods used are yet very low. "But how could a mass of primitive and uneducated peasantry be moved to abandon within a short period a system to which it has clung for centuries?" (Leroy Beaulieu, in the *Économiste Français*, October, 1897.) Assuming the present tide of immigration to go on undiminished for the coming twenty-five years; furthermore, that all this immigration is to be made up of agricultural elements; then the occupation of the available cultivation areas would go on at a very rapid rate, provided the present standard of allotment is continued by the Government during the entire period in question, as can be easily established by simple calculation. Supposing the agricultural population to have doubled at the end of twenty-five years and the cultivable area to have increased even 25 per cent, we may calculate the Siberian harvest, with present methods of cultivation remaining stationary at from about 400,000,000 to 500,000,000 poods (1 pood = 36 pounds English). It must not be forgotten, however, that the industrial population will increase proportionately if not more, so that only about the same ratio as at present will remain for export. Without going into tedious calculations, which at best would be but conjectural, it might be stated that for the coming thirty or forty years Siberia's chances of becoming the "granary" of the world and a serious competitor of American wheat are not great.

OTHER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.

The eastern parts of Siberia, the Littoral region more particularly, already shown, can not be regarded as a hopeful wheat area; more likely is the production and exportation of considerable quantities of millet to neighboring China. In the more southern regions, the Semiretchie, and those of the Syr-Daria and Amudaria, however, the possibilities for cotton cultivation are great, particularly after the completion of the projected irrigation system, and it is quite likely that Russia will soon raise there all the cotton required for its manufactures both for consumption at home and for export to the East. It is to the transportation of these and other manufactured goods eastward, as well as silks, furs, butter, meat, tea, and cereals westward, that the Siberian Railway may owe its financial success, if any awaits it. That the prospective eastward wheat shipments from the Transbaikalian region will be sufficient to make the eastern part of the Siberian and the Manchurian railways a profitable investment from the purely financial standpoint is more than doubtful. The Government itself expects this region to become but "the chief granary of the Amoor Littoral region."

The same remarks apply to the transportation of bulky articles, such as coal and iron, which will scarcely ever be able to bear the high cost of land transportation to China, whatever the optimistic views now expressed on the subject. The prospects of developing an iron and coal industry close by the Chinese border are not superior to those of developing the same industries in China itself, where ore and coal are known to exist in larger quantities than in Siberia.

POSSIBLE INCREASE IN QUALITY AND QUANTITY OF SIBERIAN IMMIGRATION.

Recent reports from Europe state that the Russian Government contemplates a complete cessation of the transportation of convicts, political or otherwise, to Siberia. Should this prove true, and especially should it be accompanied by further encouragement of emigration from the densely populated regions of European Russia to Siberia, a marked improvement both in number and character of immigrants into Siberia might follow, and with it a more rapid development than has been expected from those already occupying its populated areas.

PROSPECTIVE COMMERCIAL EFFECTS OF THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

Summing up, the main conclusions would be:

1. The Siberian railway by facilitating immigration will contribute to a speedier settlement of the available area of cultivation, provided the Government favors an energetic colonization policy; for the years immediately following the construction of the railway the importance of Siberia as a competitive area will be small, though steadily increasing, sending its wheat rather West than East.

2. Its importance in the development of great industries, such as mining, iron, and gold, may be greater, as enabling the placing in the proper localities of European and American capital; also the transportation for greater distances of the output of these industries.

3. The railway will most likely in the near future become the mail route and the great highway of travel between Europe and the Orient because of the economies of time and money, respectively, as compared with the steamship routes over Suez and the Indian Ocean.

4. With the further industrial development of Russia, the railway may serve the purposes of industrial expansion—i. e., the conquests of markets for Russian manufactures—already begun at the expense of England. Its greatest importance is, of course, of strategic character, as tending to enhance the political influence of Russia in the far East—a question that naturally falls outside the limits of this study.

AGRICULTURAL, MINERAL, AND MANUFACTURING RESOURCES OF SIBERIA.

[BY N. J. STONE.]

With all the difference in the outer forms of political constitution and forms of government, one can hardly find two other civilized countries so similar in their geographical, economic, and other essential features as the United States and the far-away land of the Czar. Though one a Republic, and the other an unlimited despotism, they have both got rid of slavery but yesterday and almost simultaneously, the emancipation proclamation of Alexander II having been given to the world on the 3d of March, 1861, that of Abraham Lincoln on January 1, 1863. Both are primarily agricultural countries, and are destined to remain such, owing to their vast areas of fertile land, situated on the opposite sides of the globe. Although the Republic is far in advance of its agricultural rival in industrial development, she, too, like the latter, is the youngest member in the family of capitalistic nations, both having started on their career of building up cities and manufactures after the abolition of slavery and serfdom respectively, and each but beginning to force her way and gain recognition in the great marts of the world.

They are the only two countries stretching in one unbroken expanse from the Atlantic to the Pacific, Russia's western frontier beginning at the Baltic Sea, which is but a part of the Atlantic. This gives them the strongest foothold on the Pacific that any nation of the white race can lay claim to, since the possessions of other nations on the Pacific are but distant colonies, the retention of which is always more or less a problematic matter, of which not even a superficial student of English history needs to be reminded. If we bear in mind that the Pacific is ever gaining in importance in the world's commerce, that it touches the two continents which contain at present nearly two-thirds of the total population of the world; if we consider the enormous possibilities hidden in the now awakening peoples of Asia, in the ever progressing, still practically unsettled countries of America, in the construction of the canal that will soon cut this hemisphere in two, and in the opening up of the great Siberian railway; if we think but for a moment that at the present rate of growth the Anglo-Saxon and Russian will be the greatest, numerically, nationalities in the white family a century hence, we can see before us a picture of a not very distant future which by its grandeur, originality, and gigantic proportions exceeds everything the wildest imagination of a poet has ever conceived.

It is this that lends to Russia and all things Russian that peculiar interest in the eyes of the intelligent American which other countries do not enjoy in his eyes. And if in the ears of the average Russian the name "America" sounds like the embodiment of political freedom, manly independence, and self-assertion, the solemn declarations of historical friendship and like sentiments which are frequently forthcoming from the mouthpieces of the Russian autocracy are by no means due to sentimental feelings, of which no autocracy has ever been capable, but to considerations of the great political rôle the transatlantic Republic is bound to play in international affairs for reasons outlined above. And just as she was assisted at her birth throes by the greatest autocrat then ruling in Europe, so will the now powerful Republic in all probability not fail to utilize all the advantages that will be offered to her by the White Bear after she has turned a new leaf in her history.

While by no means inclined to underestimate the strength of other nations and the possibilities lying in the great colonial acquisitions they are making in Africa and in other tropical countries, we wish to point out that the adaptability of all these lands to the ends and desires of the white race, as well as the adaptability of the latter to the tropical countries, with their unhealthy climate, threatening the health and life of the settlers, is still a question to be settled, while just the opposite is true of the greater part of the unsettled areas of America and Russia.

AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES AND PROSPECTS.

The quick opening up of the western prairies and plateaus of this country, for which we can hardly find a precedent in history, had been due not only to the liberal policy of the American Government, which allotted to every settler a piece of land, nor to the abundance of a working population, coming from a relatively overcrowded continent and anxious for just such opportunities as opened themselves in America, but also to the fact that the new country they now came to occupy differed little, if at all, from the homes they had left, in point of climate, topography, and physical surroundings. Whatever difference there was, was in favor of the new home, such as greater fertility of the soil, more elbow-room, etc. In the case of Siberia, it is history repeating itself. The boundless area of Siberia is a point which can not be dwelt upon too much. Probably the figure of 5,500,000 square miles does not convey as graphic an idea to the mind of the reader as the excellent illustration based on actual figures for the respective countries which Mr. Kennan gave more than ten years ago, and which we quote here in full:

If it were possible to move entire countries from one part of the globe to another, you could take the whole United States of America, from Maine to California and from Lake Superior to the Gulf of Mexico, and set it down in the middle of Siberia without touching anywhere the boundaries of the latter territory. You could then take Alaska and all the States of Europe, with the single exception of Russia, and fit them into the remaining margin like the pieces of a dissected map; and after having thus accommodated all of the United States, including Alaska and all of Europe except Russia, you would still have more than 300,000 square miles of Siberian territory to spare; or, in other words, you would still leave unoccupied in Siberia an area half as large again as the Empire of Germany.

True, as we shall see, not all this territory is equally valuable and well adapted for cultivation, or even habitation, but what there is left is still sufficient to inspire respect of any statistician who loves to dwell on magnitudes of things.

According to Mr. Yadrinzeff, a Russian authority on the subject, more than one-fifth of the land can lend itself to cultivation, but even accepting the very conservative figures of Dr. Ballod, who estimates the area fit for cultivation at but one-tenth of the total area, we still get nearly 500,000 square miles, which is a little more than one-half the land in farms in the United States, and is approximately equal to the total area under actual cultivation in the United States in the census year 1889; moreover, it is twice the area of the land devoted to the cultivation of cereals in this country during the same year. This should be sufficient to justify one in disagreeing with Dr. Ballod, who thinks Siberia is in no way to become a formidable rival of the United States in the agricultural markets of the world. Of course, if we measure the importance of Siberia in this respect by its present output of cereals, it does not seem to be a formidable rival. The total cereal crop of Siberia in 1894 was about 135,000,000 bushels, which is but slightly more than one-thirtieth of that of the United States in 1889. Still, western Siberia managed to export from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 poods of grain (a pood equals 36.08 pounds avoirdupois). This is easily understood when one considers the insignificant number representing the population of Siberia, namely, 6,000,000 in round numbers, of which almost one-half represents seminomadic tribes, still at the low stage of barbarism.

But it is only when we turn from the actual to the potential that we can perceive the importance of Siberia in all its bearings. The second condition, which we mentioned above as the prerequisite for success in colonizing a country, is the presence of an immigrating element fit for the conditions that it is to face in settling it. That Russia has in great abundance, and in a way has the advantage over the United States, for the immigrants that are pouring in hundreds of thousands into the vast plains of Siberia are not foreigners, likely to become an element of social friction in the process of assimilation and adaptation, but native-born Russian peasants, used to the hardships of peasant life in the unequal struggle with the new conditions of life which have been staring them grimly in the face at home ever since the days of emancipation.

The immigration to Siberia, which consisted almost exclusively of exiles and Cossacks until the latter half of this century, and had not exceeded the figure of 20,000 per year during the eighties, received a sudden impulse during the present decade and rose from 60,000 in 1892 to 100,000 in 1895, reaching, according to Dr. Ballod, 145,000 during the few months of 1896 ending in June.

This is not a place to dwell upon the causes which prompt the migration of so large numbers of people who are proverbially known for their passionate attachment to the homes of their birth and the burial places of their fathers. We can hardly agree with Mr. Leroy-Beaulieu, who ascribes it, in his letters from Siberia, to the comparatively rapid growth of the rural population in European Russia as compared with the progress it is making in its primitive methods of cultivation. Were this the case, we should expect to see in Russia a uniform system of very small land proprietorship, similar somewhat to what we see in Belgium and France. But in reality we see a dual process going on in Russia; on the one hand a steady diminution of land possessions both in the sum total and in the average size of holdings of the bulk of the peasants, and on the other a concentration of these possessions in the hands of a small class of rich peasants, the new élite rising from the ranks of the peasantry itself. It is this concentration of land in the hands of the few, due to causes of which the discussion lies beyond the limits of this article, that has brought about a class of propertyless peasants during the last two decades and

is furnishing an abundant and practically inexhaustible colonizing material for the newly opening territories of Siberia.

With the Government anxious to have the vast realm settled, and the prospective settlers helpless and poor, it was but natural for the former to take the initiative in its own hands and organize the immigration on a large scale. Accordingly, the peasants starting for Siberia are informed beforehand by the Government agents as to the land they are going to receive, and the location it is situated in. On arriving at the place of destination they are allotted 15 dessiatines (40 acres) of land for each adult male, besides the right of grazing the cattle on the common pastures, and obtaining wood for fuel from the common forests. In addition to that, the peasants receive monetary loans from the Government on long terms, at the discretion of the local authorities. All that leads to the ever-growing influx of immigrants, which has to be checked by the Government, partly because of lack of facilities for the great numbers, partly for reasons more sordid—I have in mind the complaints of the landlords in European Russia, who protest against the permission to emigrate given by the Government to the peasants, since it leads to a scarcity of agricultural laborers and a consequent rise in their wages. No peasant is allowed to leave his home, let alone emigrate to Siberia, without permission of the authorities.

That this vast mass of peasants settling by the hundreds of thousands on the virgin soil of Siberia is bound to considerably raise its yearly output of agricultural products needs no argument. The only drawback on their part lies in the fact that they as yet follow the system of extensive cultivation; but that it is only a question of a few years when they will have to abandon it for better ways the history of farming in our West, and especially the experience of the “bonanza” farms, best attests. And the subsequent increase of population will still further tend to improve the methods of cultivation.

THE MINERAL RESOURCES OF SIBERIA.

Siberia's mineral wealth is also a matter of great importance. The well-known French economist, M. Leroy-Beaulieu, in concluding his letters from Siberia a few months ago, expressed the opinion that Siberia is not ripe for developing manufactures, but needs only foreign capital and foreign skill to bring out the enormous mineral wealth that lies hidden in its bowels. And here he struck the keynote of the situation. Let us try to get a glimpse of Siberia as she appears to the eye of the geographer and mineralogist, before we draw our own conclusions.

According to Russian geographies, Siberia may be divided into three principal zones:

- (1) The agricultural zone.
- (2) The forest zone.
- (3) Polar, or northern, zone.

The following brief table, taken from the Statistical Almanac “The Whole Russia,” for 1895, gives an idea of their relative importance:

ZONE.	Area.	Per cent.	Population.
	<i>Square miles.</i>		
Agricultural.....	1,366,151	25	5,500,000
Forest.....	2,326,539	43	845,000
Polar.....	1,728,896	32	75,000

What makes a particularly cold country less adapted for agriculture than regions of European Russia situated at a corresponding latitude is the conformation of its surface. A vast, endless plain, with the highest mountains in the world situated at its southern borders, and thus effectually cutting her off from the influence of the milder climate of the south, she lies open to the northern winds and the Arctic Ocean. The figures given above for the area of the agricultural zone (which is more than twice that given by Dr. Ballod) are based on the assumption that the lowest average yearly temperature compatible with agriculture is slightly above 57° F. If we were to draw a line on a map denoting the limits of that zone, we would get a sloping line beginning at the extreme western end of Siberia, at about 60° north latitude, sloping southward on its way to the east, cutting through Lake Baikal in its northern part, and coinciding with the parallel 50° north latitude at the extreme east. This zone in its western part may be subdivided into two parts—the southern, which is hilly, and the northern, consisting of steppes. The former, protected from the north by a chain of high mountains, has a mild climate, in fact one of the finest in the Russian Empire, allowing not only of the growing of cereals and vegetables, but even of that of fruits, grapes not excepted.

The northern level country is very arid, and in consequence suffers from extremes of heat and cold; still its colds are not as severe as in the rest of Siberia. Besides raising all sorts of cereals from wheat to oats, it has many other resources for the population to fall back upon. Its fisheries alone might furnish employment to many more thousands of people than they do now, but for lack of capital. The rarest and choicest of fish, such as make

up the delicacies of the most exacting gastronome, are caught here in abundance, and the export trade, which has now become so easy, owing to the Trans-Caspian Railway, and which amounts to thousands of poods at present, needs yet to be properly organized. The white steppes of the Semipalatinsk territory, a region only slightly less in area than France, overflow with an abundance of cattle, grazing being the chief occupation of the nomadic tribes wandering here, and offer exceptional opportunities for soap and leather manufacture, which is just now in its infancy; and though the forest zone justly lays claim to the fame of being the richest part of Siberia it is by no means the only one that can boast of great mineral wealth. Rich deposits of gold, silver, and minerals are found in the various parts of Siberia which make up the agricultural zone. In the territory of Semipalatinsk alone there are about thirty gold mines, besides rich deposits of silver and lead, coal and graphite, all of which are now being extracted and give good profits in spite of the primitive means employed in the work.

The same may be said of the province of Amoor, where gold mining is assuming the leading place in the industries of that region, both by the value of its output and the number of workmen employed. The following table shows the growth of the output of gold in that region:

PERIOD.	Gravel washed.	Gold obtained.
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>
1868-1874.....	155,893,554	958
1875-1879.....	270,012,404	920
1880-1884.....	373,821,364	1,327
1885-1889.....	369,749,050	1,922
1890.....	107,997,460	486
1891.....		427

Gold is obtained here almost exclusively by the process of placer mining, while the extraction of gold from mineral ore has hardly been begun. The good profits the Amoor fields are yielding, are still more surprising when to the primitive methods of working are added comparatively high wages—from five to six hundred rubles per year besides board. (The value of the ruble is equal to 51½ cents; but its purchasing power in Russia is nearly equal to that of a dollar in the United States.) Still the chief occupation in that province is agriculture; spring corn, wheat, oats, barley, and buckwheat are raised; the local product is, however, insufficient for the needs of the population, and grain has to be imported to a considerable extent.

The mountainous part of the government of Tomsk is one of the richest in the empire in mineral wealth. Mining was started here as early as 1726, by the famous Prince Demidoff. The best-paying mines are those extracting gold, silver and lead, and iron, the latter especially in the Alatau and Salair mountains. The Altai Mountains are rich in quarries of stone. In the district of Biysk more than five hundred different kinds of colored stone are obtained, besides a great variety of building material, such as granite, porphyry, sandstone, limestone, and also salt. In the district lying within less than 75 miles from Tomsk an immense coal field has been lately discovered, which, it is asserted, will furnish a product exceeding in quality the best English kind. There are even two springs of hot mineral water in that neighborhood. Apiculture furnishes occupation to fifteen thousand men. Fishing also occupies a prominent place.

The forest zone, which contains such a small fraction of the population of Siberia, is in reality the richest and most important part; in fact, the one that is destined to prove the point of attraction for foreign and home capital, and therefore to play that commanding part in the economic and political life of the young country which the East has been playing in the United States. Being situated to the north of the agricultural zone, it is marked for its more severe climate. Its northern limits begin where the soil is continually in a frozen state. Thus in the town of Berezoff, situated in this zone, only the upper layer of the soil is not frozen during the brief summers, but at a depth of 2½ feet the ground is constantly in a frozen state. This is, however, true only of its northern part; as it approaches the south conditions change for the better. Though the smaller in population, it is greater than the agricultural zone in extent. Its mineral wealth is inexhaustible. Mining has been carried on here for the last two centuries. The metals extracted are chiefly gold, silver, mercury, tin, lead, copper, and iron; turf, hard coal, graphite, sulphur, and naphtha are also mined, besides two kinds of salt, the ordinary table salt and the medical Glauber's salt.

As we shall see when reviewing the resources of some of the provinces in that region, rich finds of precious stones are not infrequent. This is perfectly natural when we recall the fact that Siberia was once a tropical country, covered with the richest of primeval forests, a country with a nature in no way second to that of Brazil. Finds of skeletons of mastodons and other primitive animals naturally suggest the probable presence of rich coal-fields as well as of precious stones, both of which are now in great evidence. The exploitation of diamond fields may in time become here as important an industry as in Brazil or South Africa.

Passing now to some of the provinces in that zone, we may mention the Transbaikal province, with an area exceeding that of France. Here, besides gold, silver, lead, iron, tin, and copper mines, are also found and obtained mercury and the following precious stones: Amethyst, jasper, carnelian, agate, opals, topaz, etc. Besides that the province is rich in mineral waters, boiling mineral springs being met with in several places. The flora and fauna are very rich and of great variety. In the part of Amoor province belonging to the forest zone silver and lead, copper, and iron are in abundance. In the tributaries of the Selimja River pearl has been discovered in quantities sufficient to promise a new valuable industry. Here as in the other provinces are to be found ferruginous springs. The flora is luxuriant and differs from that of Continental Asia. The forests are in many parts impassable, presenting a solid phalanx of century-old cedars and pines 100 feet high, swarming with animals of the most widely different kinds, from deer to tiger.

The island of Sakhalin is known for the rich coal fields which are worked at present only under contracts for the government, which uses the coal for its fleet on the Pacific. With the development of commerce this large island will, no doubt, become an important factor in the Orient. The same is true of the peninsula of Kamchatka, which, though situated far to the north, is rich in virgin sulphur, virgin copper, magnetic ore, coal, amber, and mica.

And, finally, that dreadful Yakutsk province, which has so much to offset the great disadvantages of its severe colds. That province, twice the size of the countries of France, Austria-Hungary, and Germany combined, equal to eight-tenths the area of European Russia, with a density of population amounting to one person for each 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ square miles, has no lack of mineral wealth. The Stanovoi Mountains, stretching along its eastern boundary, from the south to the north, contain rich ores of silver and lead. Iron and coal are found throughout the province. But the only industry developed here is that of placer mining, especially along the Lena River, which is rich in gold fields.

THE FOREST AREA AND ITS IMPORTANCE.

Aside from the mining industry, however, the forest region will play a very important part, owing to the vast, practically inexhaustible, forests, which will for a long time to come furnish both fuel and building material to Siberian industry. At present their chief use lies in furnishing an abundance of wild animals, constituting the chief source of the fur trade. The panther, lynx, wolf, fox, sable, ermine, glutton, badger, and bear—all these are hunted for by the nomadic tribes inhabiting this zone, furnishing their chief occupation.

The Primorskaya (literally meaning the seacoast) province is so advantageously adopted for fishing that, according to competent men, it is only lack of capital that prevents a great export trade of fish from here. When it is considered that a third of all the imports into eastern Siberia consists of foreign goods, mostly articles of manufacture (such as metallic goods, dry goods, besides butter and cattle), which are exempt here from custom duties, and that the imports are growing from year to year, one need not be very optimistic to venture to predict that an American line of steamers started here would in a few years from now build up a lucrative traffic between the two continents, besides the islands of Japan, situated hard by.

THE SIBERIAN RIVERS AND THEIR COMMERCIAL POSSIBILITIES.

To what an extent the Russian Government is anxious to see enterprises started, which would be conducive to the development of trade, one may see from the experience of the English company, which has been making an attempt to establish direct communication by sea between England and central Siberia. The history of these efforts, described recently by M. Leroy-Beaulieu, is so interesting as to be worth repeating here in brief. The rivers Obi and Yenisei, flowing through the western and central parts of Siberia respectively, enter, within a short distance from one another, the Arctic Ocean, which is frozen through the greater part of the year. During the few summer months, when the harbors into which these rivers flow are free from their wonted coat of mail, there still remain the great icebergs floating all along the coast in the ocean, making navigation an extremely dangerous venture. In spite of these difficulties several attempts have been made both by the Russians and English to discover some possible route for regular navigation for the following reasons: Both of these rivers flow through the most inhabited and richest part of the country through a length of thousands of miles, mostly navigable.

Like the rest of the great rivers of Siberia (with the exception of the Amoor River), they flow northward, starting from the extreme southern end of the country; their tributaries extend both east and west, thus making it possible to cover a very great territory if only the entrance to the mouths of these rivers in the north lay open to navigation. To add to these allurements, the distance from the mouths of the Obi and Yenisei to the ice-free coast of Norway is but 1,000 to 1,200 miles. A line of direct communication by sea with England, especially at a time when the Siberian Railway had not been even considered seriously, furnishing the cheapest and shortest route for conveying the bulky traffic of Siberian products in exchange for English goods, was too good a prize not to call for the enterprise of English capital and maritime valor. Repeated attempts failed, until in 1874 when Captain Wiggins, on board the *Diana*, successfully ran his course far up the river; he kept up his yearly visits until 1878,

when for some reason the enterprise came to an end. A partial success was reached in 1887, and the matter remained in abeyance until 1896, when the English Company, formed for the purpose a few years previous, sent a few steamers which discharged their cargoes at Turukhansk, about 500 miles inland from the mouth of Yenisei, whence the goods were sent southward on barges to Krasnoyarsk, an important center in Siberia. The interesting feature in connection with this is that the Russian Government, in appreciation of the efforts and the risks incurred by the English Company, allowed it to dispose of its goods free of duty.

The commercial importance of the Siberian rivers is increasing from year to year in spite, or, perhaps, thanks to the opening of the great railway. Before the opening of the Ural railway the combined freight shipped along the Toora and Tobolsk rivers did not exceed 45,100 tons; in 1894 (after the opening of that railway) it reached 360,800 tons—i. e., increased eight times. A regular line of river communication along the system Obi-Irtysh with their tributaries is kept up throughout a length of nearly 10,000 miles, reaching the extreme eastern rivers of European Russia.

Finally comes the third and last, the Polar or "Tundra" Zone, an immense frozen, marshy, field, covered with moss. It lies to the north of the Forest Zone and extends to the Arctic Ocean. It is inhabited exclusively by the half-wild nomadic tribes, following their deer through the endless expanse of their grim land, varying this by occasional hunting and fishing. A white man is met with here only when traveling. That part of the country will hardly ever be of any account in the economic life of Siberia.

One more important item to be mentioned in connection with the actual conditions of the country is the cheapness of labor. With the exception of the gold fields in the Amoor Province mentioned above, labor in other parts of Siberia is very cheap, owing to the low standard of life of the Russian peasant. In the Semipalatinsk Province the workmen engaged in the gold mines are paid on the average at the rate of 30 rubles and board for the whole period of six months, constituting the season during which mining operations are carried on there. In general the miners and iron-mill workers are the most poorly paid of all the poorly rewarded Russian workmen.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES DISCUSSED.

The reader who has been patiently laboring through this description of the country and its marvelous wealth may finally ask: "Why, if that is the case, do not the Russian capitalists rush into Siberia rather than leave its vast resources lying idle or waiting for the foreign capitalists to pick them up?" That question will sound perfectly natural to every one not familiar with the conditions of Russian industry. In no western country, at least at present, are such large returns obtained, as a rule, upon investments of industrial and commercial capital as in Russia. Profits of 20 per cent are hardly considered worth troubling about. As an example, we may quote here the official returns of the profits made in the textile industry—the most important one in Russia. The Yaroslav cotton factory has yielded to its owners an average yearly profit during 1891–1893 equal to 34.6 per cent on its capital stock and 65.5 per cent in 1895. The Ismail factory gave 45 per cent during the same year, the Russian Cotton Spinning Company 30 per cent, the Neva 60.5 per cent, Tver 40 per cent, the Baranoff Company 39 per cent, Krenholm 31 per cent, Zindel Company 46 per cent; Morozoff & Sons, the largest in Russia in their line, declared a 52 per cent yearly dividend during each of the three years previous to 1895 and 65 per cent during the latter year. Finally, the Sobin factory gave the, one might say, incredible figure, were it not for the official sources, of 144 per cent profit in 1895. The Kievlianin, a leading daily in southern Russia, commenting upon the fact that stock companies in all branches of industry declaring dividends from 40 per cent to 100 per cent and over are counted in Russia by dozens, remarks: "Can we speak after that of the influx of foreign capital in our country? No; if the foreigners were better acquainted with the conditions of our industry that influx would assume incomparably greater dimensions."

Whatever may be said of the influx of foreign capital, which is far from being insignificant in European Russia, one thing is evident—that is, that the openings for highly profitable investment are so great in European Russia as to push the question of the opening up of new fields in Siberia far down to the bottom on the calendar of the proceedings of Russian capital. The perusal of the volumes of reports of the British consuls in Asiatic countries, such as Persia, for example, will show that the Russian manufacturers have no difficulty in forcing the English goods out of the market whenever they want to; and if we do not see as yet as intensive a striving after the foreign market on their part as on that of the French or German business men, it is only because the field at home is far too rich and unoccupied as yet to justify any extra exertions for additional and less paying markets where competition of foreign goods reigns supreme. Not before Russian capital subjugates the great fields of home production, driving out of the field the still prevalent house industry, not before the accumulation of capital, which is now going on at a neck-breaking rate, overruns its channels, as had been the case in England decades ago, not before that time can Russian capital, in the nature of things, be expected to turn its attention to the riches of Siberia. And in the meanwhile that country remains open to receive the seeds of industry from any other source that may come forth.

Speaking of a country as offering an outlet for foreign capital, we must keep in mind that this may take place in two ways. English capital, for example, saw only one way of investment in this country during the colonial period—that was furnishing it with its products manufactured in Great Britain. Now, however, when the United States have developed an industry of their own, English capital finds it often more to its advantage to invest itself in the productive process in this country rather than to try supplying it with manufactured articles. With the development of the modern system with its great facilities, not only for transportation of goods, but also for the transportation of capital, due to the uniformity of methods of trade and production the world over, the latter method is ever gaining in prominence. And it is mainly in this direction that the beginning in Siberia will have to be made. Commerce and interchange of goods will as naturally follow the industrial development of that country as the water in the stream follows its prearranged course; but it will have to follow, and not come first.

AMERICAN INTEREST IN RUSSIAN DEVELOPMENTS.

To American capital it is not an entirely new field, for American iron mills and other establishments counting their capital in millions of dollars are now in existence in Russia. But the influence which the opening up of Siberia is likely to exert on America itself is far greater than that which might be exerted by the former on any other country outside of Asia. The great West, which has so far been preserving largely an agricultural and mining character, may yet develop industries of its own owing to the new trade with Siberia and partly also with Japan. And this will be true notwithstanding the character of the first investments in Siberia pointed out above. The development of mining, for instance, in Siberia will at once create a great demand for mining machinery; the same is true of the railways of which the enormous rolling stock hauled through its magnificent distances will have to be constantly renewed; the same is true of the many other industries devoted to turning out crude products. From personal conversation with responsible persons, such as Government officials visiting this country with the object of studying American machinery, the writer of this knows there is a decided preference given in Russia, and especially in Siberia, to American machinery as over against the German; but owing to the better acquaintance of the latter with the business methods and needs of Russian trade, their willingness to extend credit where the Americans do not, etc., they have been quite effectually keeping out American goods from European Russia.

The Siberian manufacturers who have, so far, been entirely dependent on the Russian middlemen had to submit, though reluctantly, to the inevitable. But with the completion of the Siberian railway the tables will be turned, so to say, and this is one of the chief reasons why the Siberian people are looking with such eagerness toward that end. With the extremely low railway rates for freight (about 4 mills per ton mile), the Siberian manufacturer knows he will be able to procure the better American product at a cheaper rate than the poor German goods. The Government itself follows the same principle. The United States consular report for July, 1898, mentions a large order for American locomotives and air brakes placed by the Russian Government for the Manchurian railway; such and similar orders placed with various American firms have already led to the opening of new manufacturing establishments in the West, especially California, and, with the opening of Siberia in real earnest, will no doubt stimulate the West to new forms of activity. The Reports on Commercial Relations of the United States for 1895-96 contain the following statement:

German manufacturers are injuring American trade [in Russia] to a great extent, especially in the line of machinery. The Germans are now supplying Russians with machinery which was formerly imported from the United States. They imitate American patents, and on account of cheaper labor and cheaper transportation, can afford to sell for less than American manufacturers.

After what has been said above no comments to that statement are necessary.

With idle capital eagerly seeking a place for investment in the leading industrial countries; with the boundless wealth waiting in the widely outstretched arms of Siberia to be taken by the first comer, with the Occident and Orient preparing to meet in brotherly or deadly embrace in the "Old Cradle of Man;" with the great untouched resources of that enormous continent only beginning to come within the horizon of the hungry eye of civilized man, and with the great Siberian railway tolling, like a death bell, the good old sleepy past, the clouds that hitherto tried to conceal from us the picture of the coming century are quickly breaking away, showing us the direction in which triumphant civilization is taking the next step on the march to its final goal.

THE RUSSIAN-ENGLISH AGREEMENT REGARDING RAILWAY INTERESTS IN CHINA.

The following is a copy of the agreement signed April 28, 1899, by representatives of the Russian and English Governments, regarding their respective railway interests in China. It is officially published by the British Government, under the title of Treaty Series, No. 11, 1899, Exchange of Notes between the United Kingdom and Russia with regard to their respective railway interests in China :

Russia and Great Britain, animated by the sincere desire to avoid in China all cause of conflict on questions where their interests meet, and taking into consideration the economic and geographical gravitation of certain parts of that Empire, have agreed as follows:

1. Russia engages not to seek for her own account, or on behalf of Russian subjects or of others, any railway concessions in the basin of the Yang-tsze, and not to obstruct, directly or indirectly, applications for railway concessions in that region supported by the British Government.

2. Great Britain, on her part, engages not to seek for her own account, and on behalf of British subjects or of others, any railway concessions to the north of the Great Wall of China, and not to obstruct, directly or indirectly, applications for railway concessions in that region supported by the Russian Government.

The two contracting parties, having nowise in view to infringe in any way the sovereign rights of China or of existing treaties, will not fail to communicate to the Chinese Government the present arrangement, which, by averting all cause of complication between them, is of a nature to consolidate peace in the far East, and to serve the primordial interests of China herself.

SECOND NOTE.

In order to complete the notes exchanged this day respecting the partition of spheres for concessions for the construction and working of railways in China, it has been agreed to record in the present additional note the arrangement arrived at with regard to the line Shanghai-Kuan-Newchwang, for the construction of which a loan has been already contracted by the Chinese Government with the Shanghai-Hongkong Bank, acting on behalf of the British and Chinese corporation.

The general arrangement established by the above-mentioned notes is not to infringe in any way the rights acquired under the said loan contract, and the Chinese Government may appoint both an English engineer and a European accountant to supervise the construction of the line in question, and the expenditure of the money appropriated to it.

But it remains understood that this fact can not be taken as constituting a right of property or foreign control, and that the line in question is to remain a Chinese line under the control of the Chinese Government, and can not be mortgaged or alienated to a non-Chinese Company.

As regards the branch line from Siaoheichan to Sinminting, in addition to the aforesaid restrictions, it has been agreed that it is to be constructed by China herself, which may permit European—not necessarily British—engineers to periodically inspect it, and to verify and certify that the work is being properly executed.

The present special agreement is naturally not to interfere in any way with the right of the Russian Government to support, if it thinks fit, applications of Russian subjects or establishments for concessions for railways, which, starting from the main Manchurian line in a southwesterly direction, would traverse the region in which the Chinese line terminating at Sinminting and Newchwang is to be constructed.

The above agreements are signed by the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs and the British Ambassador at St. Petersburg.

RUSSIA'S INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

[United States Consul Monaghan in Consular Reports, 1897.]

Although Russia's record in recent years in industrial development is enough to encourage her most progressive statesmen, she must stay a long time in foreign markets buying machinery to help her make the most possible out of her huge natural resources. She must buy. She will buy, however, only where she knows or believes she will be best served. For years German intelligence has taught the Teutons how to beat others in Russia's markets. To German energy and German technical skill is due the fact that this Empire has furnished Russia three-fourths of her best industry-developing forces. This, in turn, has given Germans a not undeserved influence. At this year's Nijni-Novgorod fair it was German-trained and German-supervised industries that won the highest prizes. This was especially true of the machine-building branches, in which a great majority of the master mechanics and engineers are Germans. The same may be said of the mining experts. In the silk mills the French examples rule; in cotton, the English. High tariffs on imports have helped to build up the home industries. This is especially true in the cheaper grades of goods. Goods of higher grades must be bought for a long time in foreign parts. England complains of her constant losses and Germany's gains in Russia's markets. England's losses are due to the indifference of her agents in learning the Russian language. Not an English traveler or agent understands or speaks Russian, while not a German agent lacks the language, and, what is equally important, a knowledge of the nation's industrial needs. These he studies as diligently as he does the

language. Another great advantage the Germans have over all other competitors, even the French, is the knowledge the Russian merchants have of German.

Not only has Russia's industrial development been remarkable, but her natural-wealth resources have been extensively opened up. Here, too, Germans have had their hands in up to the wrists. The coal production has gone up threefold in fifteen years. Baku's petroleum export has increased year after year till to-day it is a question whether Germany can not get her total supply from the Baku wells, thus shutting out American oil. New wells have been opened recently near Vladicaucus and are yielding profitable returns.

Beyond the Caucasian provinces cotton is being successfully grown in large quantities. Even tea, that tantalizing product, believed hitherto impossible outside of China and India, is being successfully cultivated. California grapevines on trans-Caucasian hills are yielding fruit for wine and raisins. Anything more active than the iron industries in the Russian Empire does not exist. This is especially true of iron and steel pertaining to railroads, due to the remarkable development of new lines going on all over the country. Farmers alone suffer. Ignorance and lack of funds force them to the wall when they enter the world's markets against men trained scientifically in agricultural and horticultural schools, and whose position among older and richer countries puts ready, cheap money within easy reach at reasonable rates.

PROGRESS OF MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN RUSSIA.

The rapid development of manufacturing in Russia is interestingly told by United States Consul Monaghan, of Chemnitz, in a communication to the Department of State, in which he says:

In 1790 Russia saw its first steam engine built. The imperial foundries that mold for the Empire's marine, even to-day, owe their origin to the enterprise and genius of Gascoigne. The first large private machine-building concern in the Empire (erected by Bird) is now in the hands of a Franco-Russian syndicate, which builds engines and boilers for steamships. Wilson, Gascoigne's successor, also a Scotchman, introduced, in 1802, the manufacture of agricultural machinery. The years 1815, 1818, and 1824 saw several large concerns added; but nothing like the progress made in other countries was recorded in Russia. In 1825 the first stone was laid for what was afterwards to prove especially interesting to Americans. I refer to the Alexander Foundry and Machine Factory. Intended originally for tool making, it was converted into a shop for locomotives, cars, etc. In 1844 it was placed under control of an American company, which put new life, not only into its workings, but into the whole Empire. To-day this establishment is under State control. In 1850 the Government controlled nearly all the large concerns. Only twenty-five in the whole Empire were in the hands of private parties, and these turned out machines valued at 423,300 rubles, while the machines imported were entered as worth 2,315,000 rubles. After the war in the Crimea, under the enlightened patronage of Alexander II, new life was infused into machine building. Directly after the war the privilege to bring in machinery by sea, hitherto prohibited, was granted. It was certainly an indirect, if not a direct, consequence of the war.

The rapid development of railroad systems brought with it great changes, if not reforms. In 1859 the high tariffs on machinery imported by sea were removed, to the lasting damage of the home industries. In 1860 the number of private concerns had gone up to 92, the value of the product to 846,215 rubles, while the number of persons employed went up to 1,862 from 1,475. This shows, as hardly anything else could, the development of the Empire.

The ten years beginning with 1860 were profitable to those interested in the iron industries, both as merchants and manufacturers. They were allowed to import cast steel and iron for ship engines and machines, also for river steamers, free of duty. In 1869 an imperial edict permitted textile, paper-making, book-making, and agricultural machinery to come in free of duty. In 1861 the serfs were freed. This was a great boon to the builders of machinery. From 1865 to 1870 the development was so rapid that the product surpassed by many millions all of the preceding years. In 1870 there were 145 factories and 27,117 hands, turning out wares worth 23,391,755 rubles. The imports (machines, etc.) amounted to 37,576,654 rubles.

The decade 1870-1880 was progressive also. In 1877 the Empire made money by compelling importers to pay duties, not in credit rubles, but in gold or on the gold basis. This was equivalent to an increase in duties, but lacked the objectionable features inseparable from every effort, however honest, to satisfy all sections of a large country with diversified interests, when protective tariffs are to be adjusted. This was a time, too, in which high tariffs, backed by efforts in favor of technical schools, prevailed. Factories sprang up all over the Empire. In 1880 there were 237 factories, and 56,165 hands, producing machines worth 72,289,200 rubles, surpassing for the first time in the Empire's history the amount imported (67,345,477 rubles). The dangers of overspeculation brought evils against which the Empire was at first unable to make headway. Instead of beginning on a small scale, with modest factories, building as the demand grew, the manufacturers constructed huge concerns, fitted up extravagant offices, appointed numberless high-salaried officials, and—failed. The best and most complicated machinery was bought in England, France, and other countries and given to rough-fingered Russians, not to run, but to spoil. The auctioneer's hammer was heard on all sides. Factories that had cost fabulous sums of money were sold for a mere song.

Industrial economy now took the place of extravagance; protective tariffs were increased and extended to articles hitherto untaxed; imported textile and book and paper making machinery was taxed. Agricultural machines still stayed on the free list, in order to facilitate progress from primitive methods. The result was that factories gave attention to the highly protected industries. This was also partly due to the fact that cast steel and iron, much of which was used in the manufacture of agricultural implements, had again been placed under protective tariffs. Since 1885 agricultural implements have paid duties, at first 50 copecks in gold per pood, and now 70 copecks. Even this is not enough.

The following table shows the progress made in recent years:

IN—	Factories.	Hands.	Value of production.
1885.			Rubles.
European Russia	266	37,928	34,978,000
Poland	70	4,854	6,372,000
Total	336	42,772	41,350,000
1887.			
European Russia	302	40,701	41,793,000
Poland	68	5,405	7,616,000
The Caucasus	10	410	312,000
Siberia	2	302	222,000
Total	382	46,818	49,943,000
1889.			
European Russia	331	44,360	46,882,000
Poland	60	4,908	7,784,000
The Caucasus	10	831	1,076,000
Siberia	4	319	416,000
Total	405	50,418	56,158,000
1890.			
European Russia	338	43,328	42,669,000
Poland	57	4,241	5,907,000
The Caucasus	13	1,213	1,131,000
Siberia	4	300	204,000
Total	412	49,082	49,911,000

To give a general idea of the growth of the machine-making industries in all parts of the Empire, I submit the following table. I may say here, to avoid error, that the figures given above apply also to machine building. In the following table 1850 is taken as a basis for comparison. The actual numbers in 1850 were: Mills, 25; hands, 1,475; product, 423,390 rubles; imports, 2,315,000 rubles. To one factory, one workman, 1 ruble of production, and 1 ruble of imports in 1850, the other years have the numbers or ratios given in the table.

DESCRIPTION.	1860	1870	1880	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887	1889	1890
1 mill	3.96	5.8	9.45	9.36	9.52	10.44	10.64	11.12	12.08	13.25	13.52
1 hand	7.19	18.31	31.26	30.37	29.95	28	25.71	28.46	27.59	30.07	29.37
1 ruble of production	18.78	64.7	170.4	109.9	100.96	92.47	82.61	92.76	98.71	100.71	100.78
1 ruble of import	3.68	16.2	29.1	9.03	8.52	9.78	6.21	6.28	9.47	9.7	8.88

At present, in many branches of machine making, Russia is independent of the outside world. The kinds of machines she must still import—a matter that should interest us as much as Germany or England—are agricultural, textile, paper-making, and printing machines and presses. Our makes of all these machines are not only better than those of England or Germany, but they are most admirably suited to Russian agricultural conditions, because agriculture in Russian is conducted on the same extensive scale as in the United States. Many gas engines are being imported. The Empire builds now all the other kinds of machinery needed. Its locomotives look well, but are never so well built as ours. They work neither as long nor as well; after running a short time, they need all kinds of repair. An important fact is Russia's friendship for the United States; this may mean a great deal to her as well as to us in the coming years, during which Russia is to win that place among industrial states that a bountiful Providence has destined her to fill. If the progress of the past has been slow, that of the future is to be fast. The preparations now being made justify this assertion. Besides carefully prepared treaties of commerce, industrial, industrial art, and technical schools are being erected all over the Empire. Most important among the many factors in the growth of the Empire are the new railroads and waterways that are being built. Great efforts will be made to bring the East and West closer together. Siberia is to be plowed, harrowed, and cultivated as are to-day our Western prairies. To do this how many agricultural machines will be needed? Who is to supply them? We have several advantages—first, Russia's good will; second, our superior wares; third, the analogous agricultural conditions.

IRON INDUSTRY IN RUSSIA.

According to the statistics collected by the central office of the Russian iron manufacturers and reported to the State Department by Consul-General Karel, the iron works in Russia produced, in 1896, 98,414,000 poods (1,776,963 tons) of cast iron, 30,661,000 poods (553,615 tons) of iron, and 42,596,000 poods (768,113 tons) of steel. Of the above quantity of cast iron, 92,145,000 poods (1,663,770 tons) were produced by 187 private iron works, 4,404,000 poods (79,519 tons) by 21 Government iron works in European Russia, 1,271,000 poods (22,949 tons) in the iron works of Finland, and 594,000 poods (10,725 tons) in Siberia. This is an increase of 9,629,000 poods (173,861 tons) over 1895, in which year the output of cast iron amounted to 88,785,000 poods (1,603,102 tons).

The largest quantity of cast iron, namely, 38,995,000 poods (704,094 tons), was smelted by 8 iron works in the southern region, while the 91 private and 13 Government works in the Ural produced 35,457,000 poods (640,212 tons). Thus these two regions produced over 74,000,000 poods (1,336,144 tons), whereas the other regions together produced only about 22,000,000 poods (397,232 tons), namely: The northern, 357,000 poods (6,446 tons); the Moscow, 8,226,000 poods (148,529 tons); the southwestern, 174,000 poods (3,142 tons), and the Polish, 13,062,000 poods (235,847 tons).

The import from abroad of cast iron, iron, and steel into Russia during 1896 was: Cast iron, 4,592,000 poods (82,913 tons); iron and steel, unwrought, 23,009,000 poods (415,455 tons); iron and steel articles, 2,744,000 poods (49,546 tons), and machines and apparatus 5,269,000 poods (95,137 tons). The iron, steel, and manufactures of the same amounted to 31,022,000 poods (560,133 tons), which, if changed into cast iron (counting $1\frac{1}{2}$ poods of cast iron for every pood of iron), would give 46,533,000 poods (840,200 tons). This, together with the 4,592,000 poods (82,913 tons) of cast iron imported into Russia, will make a total of 51,125,000 poods (923,113 tons). From the foregoing it can be seen that, in order to satisfy the requirements of Russia's interior market, it required in 1896, 149,540,000 poods (2,700,094 tons) of cast iron, which, according to the population of 130,000,000, shows 1.1 poods (39.72 pounds) per head.

The quantity of cast iron smelted, the import from abroad, and the consumption in Russia during the last four years can be seen from the following:

DESCRIPTION.	1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
Cast iron:	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Smelted.....	70,863,000	1,279,502	80,144,000	1,447,080	88,785,000	1,603,102	98,414,000	1,776,963
Imported	9,799,000	176,931	9,441,000	170,467	8,106,000	146,362	4,592,000	82,913
Total	80,662,000	1,456,433	89,585,000	1,617,547	96,891,000	1,749,464	103,006,000	1,859,876
Consumption of iron, steel, and articles imported.....	102,440,000	1,849,657	127,655,000	2,304,939	136,281,000	2,460,690	149,510,000	2,699,552
Per head.....	0.8		1		1.1		1.1	

PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION OF CAST IRON IN 1896 IN THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE AND IN THE UNITED STATES.

COUNTRIES.	Quantity of cast iron produced.		Production of cast iron.	Quantity of iron produced per head.		Consumption of cast iron per head.	
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
United States	585,671,000	10,574,875	33.6	5.9	213	8.8	307 $\frac{1}{2}$
Great Britain	447,614,000	8,082,118	25.6	11.4	411 $\frac{1}{2}$	6.8	245 $\frac{1}{2}$
Germany	333,664,000	6,024,637	19.1	7.1	256 $\frac{1}{2}$	5.4	192
France	122,460,000	2,211,138	7.1	3.3	119	3.2	115 $\frac{1}{2}$
Russia	98,415,000	1,776,921	5.6	0.7	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.15	41 $\frac{1}{2}$
Austria-Hungary	65,983,000	1,191,389	3.8	1.4	50 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.5	54
Belgium	50,619,000	913,977	2.9	8.1	292 $\frac{1}{2}$	6.6	238 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sweden	28,262,000	510,299	1.6	4	114 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.9	104 $\frac{1}{2}$
Spain	12,604,000	227,578	0.7	0.92	332	1.6	57 $\frac{1}{2}$
Total	1,745,292,000	31,512,992					

The percentage relation of the duty to the price of cast iron in Russia in 1896 was: Price per pood (36.112 pounds) of cast iron in St. Petersburg—Cleveland, 85 $\frac{3}{4}$ copecks (44 cents); shots, 1.01 rubles (52 cents); duty per pood, 30 copecks (23 cents); percentage relation of the duty to the price—Cleveland, 111 per cent; shots, 80 per cent.

[From British Board of Trade Journal, June, 1898.]

According to a report of H. M. Consul at Taganrog (Foreign Office Annual Series, 2076), the iron industry in the south of Russia is assuming considerable dimensions. About ten years ago the southern part of the Empire, which has now become a mining district, was very little more than a desert, with the exception of localities in the immediate neighborhood of salt and coal mines, and the factories of Messrs. Hughes (the only British enterprise in the southeast of Russia at the time), and Pastoukhoff, where laborers started small settlements.

The towns of this district, such as Ekaterinoslav, Bakhmout, Lugansk, Mariupol, Taganrog, etc. (with the exception of the first named, which began to show signs of probable development of metallurgic enterprise, did not dream of their becoming manufacturing centers. Taganrog was considered only as an administrative town and a grain market, which, by the bye, began to fall off, and Mariupol had all its hopes on the deep port constructed there. The building of the Mariupol Railway in 1883, and that of Ekaterina in 1884, linked together, the former

the coal mines with the Sea of Azof, and the latter the ore beds of Krivoy Rog (which is partly in the province of Ekaterinoslav) with the coal mines. These railways have contributed greatly toward the population of the neighborhood, but the springing up of so many factories was caused by the protective duty imposed upon foreign cast iron (about £1 10s. in 1884 and £3 in 1891, per ton) on one side, and the discovery of iron ore on the other.

As an instance of the rapid increase of population, the town of Ekaterinoslav, which in 1887 had 40,000 inhabitants, counts now 120,000; another instance is the factory of Messrs. Hughes, which has developed into a town, Hughesoffka, of 20,000 inhabitants. The factories in Taganrog have attracted nearly 2,000 new inhabitants, mostly foreigners (Belgians).

All the above shows plainly that a great future is before this hitherto poorly populated part of Russia covered by extensive steppes.

During the year 1897 a vast amount of foreign capital (mostly Belgian and French) has been invested in numerous enterprises, mainly metallurgic.

Besides the two factories of ten years ago, mentioned before, there are now 12 new ones, with 25 blast furnaces with a yearly increasing production of cast iron. The surmise that the above factories would produce about 55,000,000 poods of cast iron in 1897 proved to be correct, as the statistics show that 62,500,000 poods—i. e., 1,000,000 tons—were put on the market during the said year.

It remains a wonder that British capitalists are not more alive to the state of affairs, and allow other nations to be first in this field of enterprise.

A few figures will show the results of the last ten years of protective tariff on the growth of the iron industry in southern Russia. The British vice-consul at Kertch states that in 1887 there were only three blast furnaces at work; in 1898 the number is being raised to 38. The production of cast iron for 1897 is given as 1,000,000 tons, nearly double the figure for 1886, and in 1898 it is expected to reach 1,500,000 tons. These statistics refer to the south alone, where the number of new works created during the period in question amounts to 57, besides 10 new coal mines and several iron mines, employing about 80,000 men. It would seem to be the beginning of a gigantic industrial movement which will gradually draw most of the energy of the country toward the Black Sea, not merely displacing but transforming the population, and promising consequences, domestic and international, of a most important nature.

PRODUCTION AND IMPORTS OF IRON AND STEEL IN RUSSIA.

According to figures given in the Russian *Viestnik Finansoff*, the total production of pig iron in the whole Empire in 1897 was 113,982,394 poods, and the production of manufactured iron and of steel was respectively 30,610,984 poods and 52,963,928 poods. (Pood = 36 pounds avoirdupois.)

As regards Finland and the mines of the Imperial Cabinet, the figures are a repetition of those for 1895, there being no later particulars. The total as given above is not much vitiated by this fact; firstly, because the production of Finland and the Imperial Cabinet mines varies hardly at all from year to year, and, secondly, because in any case it is but a small fraction of the total; thus 1,610,000 poods of pig iron, 730,619 poods of manufactured iron, and 393,960 poods of steel, represent the figures for 1895.

The following statement is given showing the total production, imports, and consumption of pig iron for the Russian Empire in each of the last four years:

	1894	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>
Pig iron produced.....	80,144,000	88,785,000	98,414,000	113,982,000
Pig iron imported.....	47,511,000	47,496,000	51,126,000	52,247,000
Total consumption.....	127,655,000	136,281,000	149,540,000	166,229,000
Proportion of imports to consumption (per cent).....	38	34.8	34.2	31.4

RUSSIAN WOOL SUPPLY ABSORBED BY RUSSIAN FACTORIES.

Consul Heenan reports to the State Department that only the coarse carpet wools are shipped from Russia and the time is fast approaching when the export of these coarse wools will cease altogether. It is now many years since foreign buyers of the finer grades of wool have been able to compete with home purchasers. Formerly the quantity of fine wools annually shipped to Great Britain and the Continent amounted yearly to several million dollars. At present these shipments have altogether ceased. Russian manufacturing interests have increased so largely during the past ten years as to consume not only the entire home product in these fine wools, but a fair share from abroad as well. The demand for the coarse carpet wools by the home manufacturer has increased

steadily, and it is only a question of a very short time when they will disappear from the list of articles exported. Wool is the only Russian product grown in this consular district which is exported to the United States. Of late years quantities of goatskins have been shipped via Odessa to the United States, but these come from central Asia, and Odessa at present happens to be a favorable shipping point. With the stoppage of wool shipments from this consular district would disappear the entire Government revenue from invoices.

THE RUSSIAN TARIFF AND ITS EFFECTS.

The Russian minister of finance, M. Witte, in his report of 1897, commenting on the new tariff rates adopted from time to time since 1880, says:

From 1880 the Government began a systematic increase of custom-house duties, among which it is necessary to note the imposition and subsequent increase of the duty on iron and coal and the 10 per cent increase (in 1881) on all articles of import, and a second increase in 1885 of nearly 20 per cent on the majority of the articles in the tariff. In 1891, after a general increase of duties by 20 per cent in consequence of the very great rise in the course of exchange, which weakened the effect of protection by means of duties payable in gold, a new tariff was introduced, which protected almost every branch of our industry and in every stage of manufacture, from the cultivation or extraction of the raw material to its final manufacture into more or less expensive articles of trade. Among the measures favoring the development of our industries it is necessary to make special mention of the abolishing of the trans-Caucasian transit of goods in 1883 and the revision of the Russo-Finnish custom-house tariff in 1885.

All these measures, which have exerted such a favorable influence on the development of Russia's productive forces, were taken by three of my predecessors. For the last four years the increase of protection has been limited almost entirely to the increase of the duty on raw cotton and a corresponding rise in the duty on cotton yarn. On the other hand, the system of protection adopted by most of the European powers with regard to their agriculture, and expressed by imposing or increasing the duty on raw agricultural produce—our most important article of export—induced our Government to pass from a system of autonomic tariffs to one of conventions and concessions, on the basis of special mercantile treaties, in return for corresponding concessions to the import of our agricultural produce into those countries. But such lowering of our tariff, made in the interests of our agriculture, has not altered the protective character of our tariff policy with regard to manufactures. Thus, during a period of twenty years the Government has remained firm in its protection of national production, and the results obtained during this period by Russian industry fully justify such a policy. Of course, we have a long way to go before we can create a firm and widespread national industry, equally satisfactory to every branch of the national economy. And of course such a time will come all the sooner the more energetic are the efforts of the Government to influence the growth of national industrial life by every available means. But one comes across, and will continue to do so, declarations and even petitions for a departure from the protective system, or at any rate a more or less considerable relaxation of it.

Under a system of protection there is no doubt that at first, before the industry is fully developed and firm, the interests of the direct consumers often have to suffer. There is likewise no doubt that the prices of instruments of trade and manufacture rise under the influence of custom-house duties, and the raw material imported from abroad rises in price, too. On the other hand, there can scarcely be any doubt that the growth of national industry, the establishment of a steady home market for agriculture, and the protection of national labor can not be effected without infringing the interests of separate bodies of men, as the general law of organic development—the inevitableness of sacrifices for the attainment of great aims—is fully applicable to the economic growth of a country.

To the question, Which is preferable, an intensified development of manufacturing industry in a short period of time or a less vigorous and slower progress? there can indeed be several answers; but there can scarcely be any dispute that once government for a long period of time has kept to a strict and consistent system of protection any serious relaxation of protection would be a great political blunder and would jar the economic organism of the country. In the history of the material culture of every country the birth of manufacturing industry is rightly considered a very important turning point in the economic life of the nation. Exclusively agricultural countries are justly considered to be poorer than those in which national labor finds a variety of employment, thus creating new sources of wealth. But Russia, even at her present stage of industrial development, can no more be considered an exclusively agricultural country, as her manufacturing industries have already reached a considerable sum, and the further development of her material well-being is closely connected with the flourishing state of her manufacturing industries.

The price of the total annual agricultural produce of Russia does not exceed 1,500,000,000 rubles, while the annual produce of our mining and manufacturing industries exceeds 2,000,000,000 rubles. The growth of such an important branch of national productiveness could not but lead to a corresponding redistribution of the country's economic forces. Under the influence of the development of the manufacturing industries the conditions of economic life in the country have altered greatly. Capital has found another channel, labor has discovered other employments, credit and the monetary currency have taken peculiar forms, etc. Under such conditions the reorganization of a vast State into the type of an agricultural country would lead to a catastrophe. The very possibility of an abrupt transition in industrial policy is capable of relaxing the economic energy and arresting productive expenditure.

But such a revolution, even if it were possible, would not improve the position of Russian agriculture in the international market. Russia would be flooded with the productions of western industrial countries, at the cost of her own poverty she would aid in developing foreign manufactures, while our agricultural produce would still retain the same straitened position in the foreign market. At the present time an agricultural country is deprived of the possibility of an international interchange of produce on equal terms of import and export, as most European States, in adopting a system of protection with regard to agriculture, have protected it by exceedingly high duties. In such a state of affairs for an agricultural country to decline seriously protecting its manufacturing industries would be nothing else than giving full consent to a system of international exchange based on a manifest, open exploitation of its productive forces—i. e., a position incompatible with the dignity of a great nation.

With all this the policy of protection does not exclude the possibility, while carefully watching the development of national economy, of some lowering of particular paragraphs in our tariff in those cases when one branch or another is strong enough to

withstand foreign competition, and especially when foreign countries, in return for such a concession, agree to lower the duties on our agricultural exports.

Among the prominent events in the economic life of Russia during the past year it is necessary to mention the Russian industrial and art exhibition at Nijni-Novgorod, originated at the desire of the late Emperor Alexander III. Started with the intention of verifying the progress attained by Russia and of showing what problems in the industrial development of the country required solution, the exhibition of 1896 fulfilled every expectation and yielded abundant material for the study of the present conditions and requirements of the various branches of our national industry.

From the extensive labors of the committees of experts, in which several hundreds of scientists and practical specialists of various branches of industry took part, the Government obtained a plentiful supply of materials both for forming an opinion on the present condition of our industries and for working out measures for their further development.

The experts' verdicts showed that since the last exhibition of 1882 almost every branch of our industry has progressed greatly, both in quality and quantity. During this period, under the shelter of a long peace, many perfectly new branches of industry have sprung up and expanded, while those that already existed have developed and grown stronger. It is enough to speak of the vast progress in metallurgy, manufacture of machinery, coal mining, and the petroleum, chemical, and cotton industries, in the cultivation of cotton, in wine making, and in many other branches. Such cheering results are the consequences of the protective policy recently adopted by the Government. In the history of this system the measures taken in 1877, 1880-1885, and 1891 are specially to be noted. The payment of custom-house duties in gold, brought into force in 1877, increased the protection of all goods by 30 per cent, corresponding to the depreciation of the paper currency at that time.

REDUCTION OF DUTIES ON AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY IMPORTED INTO RUSSIA.

The Russian Government recently reduced the rates of duty on agricultural machinery, to continue in most cases until 1903. Consul-General Holloway is reported in the United States Consular Reports of 1898 as saying upon this subject:

During the years 1895-96 the ministry of finance and also the ministry of agriculture and crown domains received applications from several agricultural associations and private persons, interceding for an improvement in economical conditions of the agricultural industry, as the prices of farm products in the international market were rapidly falling. This, they claimed, could be facilitated by reduction of the price of agricultural machinery, implements, and manure. Owing to the present condition of agriculture and of the machine-building industry in Russia, the duty on foreign agricultural machinery, amounting to 35 cents per 36 pounds, is excessive and prevents the general use in Russia of the latest improved implements. The manufacture of agricultural machinery in this country has made considerable progress owing to the protective tariff, but is still unable to satisfy the requirements of the agricultural industry, as many machines and implements, especially complicated and patented apparatus, are not manufactured in Russia. In view of these facts, the farmers and agricultural associations have requested a material reduction or entire suspension of the duty on such machinery and manure.

Furthermore, in order to assist the home production of wine and enable it to resist the various diseases of the vine and other plants, the ministry of agriculture and crown domains has considered the question of importing, duty free, chemical products and apparatus to be used for this purpose.

In transmitting the requests to the ministry of finance, the minister of agriculture said that it would be too much to put all agricultural implements on the free list, but that it would benefit the agricultural classes to remove the duty from implements and machinery not manufactured in Russia.

In view of these recommendations, the minister of finance appointed a commission, consisting of representatives of the departments of finance, agriculture, and interior, as well as of farmers and manufacturers, to consider the subjects in detail. This resulted in a recommendation that agricultural implements and fertilizing substances be admitted free of duty into Russia, as follows:

(1) Such agricultural machinery and implements as are not produced in Russia, and the production of which requires special technical facilities, or which are patented, and therefore can not be established in the near future, viz: Harvesting and stacking machines, sheaf binders, steam plows, complex thrashing machines with double drums, tedders, horseshakes, assorting machines for grass seeds, assorting machines for potatoes, manure spreaders, pulverizers for sprinkling vines and trees, injectors for sprinkling sulphurous carbon under the roots of the vines in order to destroy the phylloxera, uninterrupted grape pressers, centrifugal cream separators and their parts, etc.

(2) Cloth for sheaf binders, stackers, and assorting machines.

(3) Special twine for stackers, made of manila hemp.

This twine formerly paid a duty of 52½ cents per 36 pounds, and the import of it duty free is even more desirable than the import of the stackers or sheaf binders themselves, as these latter, weighing about 1,080 pounds each, paid a duty of \$11.25, whereas the 3,600 pounds of twine necessary for the working of the machine during eight years paid a duty of \$52.50. But taking into consideration that the manila twine can be also used for other purposes, and that the import of it duty free would be detrimental to the Russian production of twine, especially as trials have been made to produce such twine in Russia from hemp imported from Manila, it was found necessary to limit the duty-free import of said twine to an amount not exceeding 1,080 pounds per machine—i. e., the quantity necessary for the working of the machine during three years.

Further recommendations were made as follows:

Duty on steam locomotives, imported together with thrashing machines and steam plows, to be lowered to 35 cents per 36 pounds.

Duty on reserve parts of agricultural machinery and implements, imported together with the machines, to be lowered to 35 cents per 36 pounds, when the machines imported have also to pay that duty; but when the machinery imported is duty free, then its reserve parts, coming at the same time, are also to pay no duty.

In order to acquaint landowners and manufacturers with the most recent inventions in that branch of industry, all kinds of new agricultural machinery and implements, imported for experimental stations and museums, to be admitted duty free.

The following products used as manure and for exterminating noxious insects to be imported free of duty: Strassfurt salts, chloride of potassium, sulphate of magnesium, kainite (mixture of chloride of potassium and sulphate of magnesium), saltpeter of Chile, sulphuric acid, copper-arsenic salts, the so-called caterpillar glue, and all other apparatus for the purpose of preventing or destroying the diseases of the vine and fruit trees.

The recommendations have been adopted, and the regulations will come into force for locomotives, agricultural machinery, and parts of same, on September 1/13, 1898. For the other articles mentioned above the regulations came into force June 6/18, 1898, and will apply to all machinery, implements, and other articles mentioned herein, up to December 18/30, 1903.

TARIFF REDUCTION ON IRON STEAMSHIPS FOR RUSSIA AND MINING AND AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY FOR SIBERIA.

[London Times, June 4, 1898.]

The Russian minister of finance has just decided to admit a number of various imports free of duty and to reduce the duties on certain others. These concessions, although temporary and experimental, constitute certain relaxations of the hard-and-fast tariff of 1891. First of all, as likely to extend the large amount of work already done for Russia by English shipbuilders, comes a ukase abolishing the high duties on seagoing vessels built abroad. Freedom from duty is granted for ten years, from July 1 next, on iron vessels for external navigation not imported in pieces; on steam yachts, dredgers, ice breakers for seaports, floating docks, chains, anchors, and wire cables for ocean-going ships and all vessels for service under the Russian flag on the Danube. A reduced duty of 20 rubles gold (\$10.28) per ton of carrying capacity is to be charged on iron vessels for rivers, lakes, and the Caspian Sea; also on tugs, barges, and floating cranes for work at ports on the Russian Pacific coast, besides 3 rubles (\$1.54) per square foot of boiler-heating surface in steamers of this category. The duty on wooden sea and river boats imported whole is fixed at 8 rubles (\$4.11) per ton, with the addition of the above-mentioned boiler tax.

M. Witte has also at last settled the much-debated question of the duties on imports into Siberia by direct sea route. The Moscow manufacturers, who claim the Siberian market exclusively for themselves, raised powerful opposition to the free importation by English shippers at the mouths of the Ob and Yenisei. The Siberians of the Yenisei Basin, however, were tired of paying tribute to Moscow in the form of exorbitant prices, and those on the Ob were anxious to have English purchasers and cheap sea carriage for their surplus wheat, which, even in this year of dearth and distress in many of the Russian provinces, lies piled up along the railway beyond Cheliabinsk in thousands of tons, awaiting buyers and rolling stock.

A special commission discussed the subject here several months ago with Muscovite, Siberian, and English representatives. The result, as now determined upon, is that the following imports by sea via Siberian rivers are to be free of duty: Machinery for Siberian gold works, salt, coal, agricultural machinery, and parts of machines, to an unlimited extent; machines for equipping Siberian mills and workshops, fishing nets and twine for the same, certain chemicals—but only in quantities actually required by works in Siberia—tin, lead, and olive oil in the quantities required in each separate business for preparing fish preserves, and sacks to the extent necessary for the actual export of grain. Duties of $4\frac{1}{2}$ rubles (\$2.31) per pood on Ob and 4 rubles (\$2.05) on Yenisei will be charged on brick tea, so that a Kiakhta tea merchant, who pays only $2\frac{1}{2}$ rubles (\$1.29), will be protected and the overland trade preserved from ruin.

The minister has made the above exceptions for the present year and hopes to have them prolonged for the next five years. All machinery for gold mining in Siberia is furthermore made free of duty on all the frontiers of the Empire. Duties are likewise repealed or reduced for five years from September 1 next on agricultural machinery. Steam plows, various kinds of thrashing machines, reapers, sorters, harrows, etc., will be free of duty, while duties on other special kinds will be reduced from 1.20 rubles (62 cents) to 50 copecks (25.7 cents) per pood. Finally, duties on nearly all chemical manures and remedies against diseases of trees and vines are abolished.

COMMERCE BETWEEN AMERICA AND RUSSIA.

Consul Karel, of St. Petersburg, in a recent report to the State Department, gives the following advance figures from the Russian official reports of the trade between America and Russia:

IMPORTED BY RUSSIA FROM AMERICA.

ARTICLES.	Amount.		Value.	
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Credit rubles.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Cotton.....	3,164,393	57,136	24,153,037	12,414,761
Coffee.....	2,254	41	22,458	11,543
Cacao.....	1,590	29	19,100	9,817
Animal grease.....	43,316	872	201,360	103,499
Wax, vaseline, ceresin, etc.....	9,376	169	63,830	32,803
Unworked skins.....	97,854	1,767	528,975	271,893
Timber.....			117,150	60,215
Plants and seeds.....	58,459	1,055	120,751	62,066
Stones, of various kinds, except precious.....	12,779	231	17,994	9,248
Saltpeter from Chile.....	17,713	315	21,600	12,644
Vinegar powder.....	33,741	609	45,836	23,559
Cocoa and palm oils.....	3,569	64	14,945	7,681
Colors and coloring articles.....	852,558	15,393	692,642	356,017
Copper.....	73,216	1,412	709,819	395,686
Lead.....	1,356	24	3,697	1,853
Cast-iron articles.....	1,816	33	15,011	7,715
Iron and steel instruments.....	5,340	91	41,809	21,505
Different metallic articles.....	6,367	114	49,765	25,579
Machines and apparatus.....	264,630	4,779	1,234,598	634,583
Machines, agricultural.....	227,146	4,101	976,339	501,838
Machines, locomotives.....	10,723	194	40,000	20,560
Machines, dynamos, etc.....	12,624	228	137,177	70,508
Wool.....	702	13	14,040	7,217
Cable, rope, etc.....	19,077	344	45,389	23,339

EXPORTED FROM RUSSIA TO AMERICA.

ARTICLES.	Amount.		Value.	
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Credit rubles.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Licorice root.....	819,238	14,792	819,238	421,088
Flax and flax tow.....	70,419	1,271	315,943	162,402
Wool, washed.....	34,360	620	267,080	137,270
Manganese ore.....	2,676,880	48,334	803,064	412,774
Mats.....	310	6	580	298
Gum rosin.....	400	7	175	89

VARIATIONS IN THE TRADE BETWEEN AMERICA AND RUSSIA FROM 1885 TO 1896.

YEAR.	Import from America.		Export to America.	
	<i>Credit rubles.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Credit rubles.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1885.....	24,627,041	12,658,290	480,697	247,078
1886.....	26,773,629	13,761,645	332,500	170,705
1887.....	41,893,297	21,533,154	109,222	56,140
1888.....	20,782,662	10,682,288	154,908	79,622
1889.....	50,760,430	26,090,861	1,521,626	782,114
1890.....	53,392,864	27,443,932	945,711	485,095
1891.....	39,731,419	20,281,949	2,018,686	1,037,604
1892.....	35,779,853	18,390,844	2,535,019	1,304,999
1893.....	31,479,416	16,180,419	2,705,889	1,390,826
1894.....	45,708,792	23,494,319	1,673,659	860,260
Average for—				
1885-1894.....	37,092,940	19,065,771	1,247,792	641,365
1895.....	29,456,599	15,140,691	2,207,342	1,133,863

PROPOSED UNITED STATES-RUSSIAN EXPOSITION.

[From Washington Post, May 15, 1899.]

Official assurances have been obtained that the Russian Government will make easy the way to display American exhibits either at St. Petersburg or Moscow after the close of the Paris Exposition. Wherever the proposition has been given any consideration it has been recognized as of great merit. Russia to-day offers a virgin field for the introduction of American manufactures. The possibilities of trade extension in that country are very great. When the subject was broached to the Emperor of Russia, in a personal interview by the then American ambassador, Mr. Hitchcock, some months ago, it drew forth an expression that the Russian people would be glad to see the practical results of American invention and manufacture. The project was so well received by the Russian Government that with the approval of this Government the following formal note was addressed setting forth the scope of the proposed display:

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES,
St. Petersburg, January 8/20, 1899.

YOUR EXCELLENCY: Fully confident of your excellency's desire to promote in every way the historical relations of friendship and the growing intercourse between my country and the Empire of Russia, I wish to lay before your excellency a plan which could not fail to increase the commercial intercourse between our countries and consequently to promote international relations.

It has long been my opinion that an exposition of certain specialties of American manufacture in Russia would be of great interest and value, as exhibiting such progress as we have made in our development, for the study and comparison of the Russian Government and people in their industrial advance on similar lines, which might well serve a useful end by suggesting improved methods as well as stimulating enterprise and inventive faculty. Such an exposition would include methods and appliances for transportation, both by land and by water, including the most modern and improved devices in use in my country for conveying passengers and merchandise at the lowest cost; machinery of various sorts, agricultural, mining, and manufacturing, for operation both by hand and by power, for the growth and development of the natural products which are to be found in such abundant variety in this vast empire, such as cotton, flax, grain, timber, the metals, and other minerals, including coal and petroleum, and their by-products; electrical apparatus and machinery, both scientific and industrial; systems and apparatus for irrigation and water supply, with their economical application; apparatus and improvements used in preventing, controlling, and extinguishing fires; methods and apparatus employed in sanitation, including the canalization, or sewerage, of cities and towns, and the sanitary equipment of public buildings and dwellings; systems of lighting and heating; hand tools and implements which, while operated by the mechanic's hand, serve to lighten his labor, increase its fruitfulness, and improve its results. In short, all of the various processes and apparatus which the peculiar inventive faculty of my countrymen have brought to bear upon our own industrial development.

In considering how best such an exposition of American industries in Russia could be brought about, it occurred to my mind that following the international exposition to be held in Paris in 1900 it would be possible to bring to Russia practically the entire American exhibit, and to this end I consulted with the director-general of our American exhibit there, as well as with the representatives of many of our leading intending exhibitors, all of whom I found to be heartily in accord with the idea. Of course I was unable to make any promises to them beyond the assurance that I would endeavor to ascertain the views of the Imperial Government on the subject, and this is the object of the present communication.

Should the idea expressed in the foregoing meet with your excellency's approval, my plan would be to obtain from the Imperial Government a sufficiently large plot of ground, either at St. Petersburg or Moscow, as would best serve the purpose of the exposition, upon which should be erected suitable building or buildings worthy of the purpose, but keeping in view their temporary character, the cost of which I would have defrayed by my Government, asking in return for such expenditure by my Government and the American exhibitors such reduction in the rate of transportation through Russian territory, and such stipulation and concessions with respect to customs dues and other conditions as would operate for the success of the exposition and the mutual benefit of the Imperial Government and the exhibitors.

I would point out to your excellency that the accumulation at Paris, a point comparatively near at hand, adds a feature of feasibility to the proposition which would be unlikely to occur at a future time.

An expression of your excellency's views on this subject before my departure would be greatly desirable, in order that I may, if the Imperial Government is in accord with the suggestion, take the matter up immediately on my arrival in America, as the time is now too early to commence the necessary preliminary steps, not only as regards my Government, but with the proposed exhibitors, who would require timely notice of such proposed enlargement into a dual exposition.

I avail myself of this occasion to renew to your excellency the assurance of my highest consideration.

ETHAN A. HITCHCOCK.

His Excellency Count MOURAVIEFF, *Imperial Minister of Foreign Affairs, etc.*

Secretary Hay says the Russian Government has intimated willingness to do all that can be asked fairly in the way of official encouragement. Concessions may be made in customs, transportation charges may be reduced, and a site may be furnished. Recent advices to Secretary Hay from Ambassador Tower, who succeeded to the post at St. Petersburg when Mr. Hitchcock entered the Cabinet, show that so far as diplomacy is concerned little remains to be done.

This Government is now waiting to hear from the manufacturers who propose to send exhibits to Paris. Individual manufacturers have expressed hearty appreciation of the opportunity. If there is a general disposition manifested by boards of trade and associations of manufacturers, Congress, at the coming session, will undoubtedly enact the legislation necessary to put the project through. The cost will be nothing compared to the trade advantages secured. The demands of Russia are just beginning to be felt. On the part of the Russians there is a most friendly feeling toward the United States, and they are naturally inclined to adopt American methods rather than those of any other nation. The plan is to move the exhibits to either St. Petersburg or Moscow, and

to carry on for four or five months an exposition of American manufactures and products on the lines suggested in Secretary Hitchcock's letter.

Senators and Representatives to whom the proposition has been stated approve it warmly, and say that Congress will act promptly if there is manifested by manufacturers a desire for the display of their exhibits in Russia.

AMERICAN AND GERMAN COMPETITION IN RUSSIA.

[British Board of Trade Journal.]

The foreign office have received, through Her Majesty's ambassador in Berlin, a memorandum containing summary of an article published in the German trade journal *Export* on the competition of American goods with German, especially in the Russian trade.

Several reports emanating from the chambers of commerce in 1897 emphatically point out the importance of the competition of foreign countries, and especially of the United States, which the products of the German iron and steel industries have to meet in foreign markets. This view is now confirmed by the official statistics of exports. The exportation to Russia, which increased rapidly on the conclusion of the Russo-German treaty, shows for 1897 a considerable retrogression in a number of articles. Whereas during 1894 the iron and steel exports, as also those of iron and steel wares, machines, and vehicles amounted in value to £2,150,000 only, they had risen in 1895 to £3,000,000, and in 1896 to £3,850,000, during 1897 they fell to about £3,500,000. The loss is chiefly in locomotives and in machinery. In 1896 Germany delivered £450,000 worth of engines to Russia; in 1897 the value had fallen to £300,000. This loss, for its greater part, is to be accounted for by the keener competition of America, which country, since 1896, has greatly increased its exportation of locomotives, and especially to Russian markets.

At the time of the coronation, when 60 new engines were required, Russia first turned to England, but eventually bought them in America. Again, a short time ago, when 200 engines (the American papers say 400) were required by Russia for the Siberian Railway, the order was given to American firms, on account of lower tenders than those made by either English or German makers. It was thought that on account of the reduced capacity of English firms, consequent on the strike of the engineers, German firms would have secured the order, but it was not so.

The production of iron in America has developed to a quite unexpected extent, which enables the prices to be put down extraordinarily low, and it is pointed out that still greater expansion will take place. It is a fact that American iron and steel products are now placed on Russian, as also on other markets, at a price with which neither English nor German industries can compete.

HINTS TO AMERICAN EXPORTERS.

GOODS FROM THE UNITED STATES POPULAR AT RIGA.

The United States consul at Riga, in a recent report to the State Department, says:

The articles imported from the United States to this port are agricultural implements, hardware, tools, and similar goods in smaller quantities, besides cotton, rosin, lard, leather, and phosphate; but it is difficult to estimate the exact quantity and value of the same, as the goods, with the exception of phosphate and rosin, do not come direct in vessels from the United States, but are transhipped in continental or English ports, and the goods appear in the statistics as coming from that country where the transshipment has taken place.

American goods are liked in this district, because of their superiority and their packing, which is done with great care and in the most economical way as regards space; but the terms offered by English and German manufacturers are more liberal than those offered by our manufacturers, and the Russian merchants prefer buying their goods from those who give the longest periods of credit. The merchants here, as a rule, require from six to nine months' credit, while the American manufacturers generally require cash or, in some cases, payment even before shipment, and many negotiations have thus failed and the orders have gone to European competitors.

The goods exported from here to the United States consist chiefly of albumen, books (printed), bristles, flax, hemp, liquors, rennet, rubber waste, skins, etc.

The slower transportation of goods, in addition to higher sea freights between the United States and this country, is a drawback to the development of the trade. There being no direct steamer communication, all goods have to be transhipped in an English or other European port, the transit occupying, as a rule, about five weeks.

The United Steamship Company of Copenhagen has established a line of steamers from New Orleans, Newport News, and Norfolk, with monthly sailings to the Russian ports in the Baltic Sea, either direct or via Copenhagen. This line, having connection with the Chesapeake and Ohio, Norfolk and Western, Southern, Seaboard Air Line, and Atlantic Coast Line railway companies, will be of some importance for the importation of goods from the United States.

The want of agencies or showrooms where samples of American goods could be permanently exhibited to the Russian public, is also felt, and the establishment of such would no doubt tend to the improvement of the trade.

Horses, mostly for racing or breeding purposes, have been imported to Russia from the United States, and, as the trotters have been exceedingly successful, there seems to be a prospect of extending the importation.

EXISTING OBSTACLES TO TRADE BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES.

The existing obstructions to direct commercial trade between the United States and Russia, as stated by Consul-General Karel, are—

1. The slow and expensive transportation of freights, there being no direct transportation line between the two countries, goods shipped from Russia to the United States, or vice versa, being forwarded to British or other foreign ports for reshipment to their destination. The time occupied in the transportation of goods from St. Petersburg to New York averages five weeks, and the freight rates are, for example: Sheet iron, \$7.30 per ton; crash, \$8.02 per ton; goatskins, \$10.21 per ton, etc.

2. German manufactures are injuring American trade to a great extent, especially in the line of machinery. The Germans are now supplying Russia with machinery which was formerly imported from the United States. They imitate American patents, and, on account of cheaper labor and cheaper transportation, can afford to sell for less than the American manufacturers.

3. Manufacturers and business firms in the United States are in the habit of doing business promptly on thirty, sixty, and ninety days, which is too short for Russian purchasers. The latter usually require six, nine, and even twelve months, but they are willing to pay, and do pay, prices accordingly. Again, American exporters do not seem to be acquainted with the Russian trade. They lack confidence in the Russian merchant, and many goods from the United States are sold first to English commission men, who have a more intimate knowledge of business methods in Russia, and are thus enabled to sell the same goods in the latter country for the desired time, and to charge profits thereon accordingly.

The sale of American manufactures in Russia would be much facilitated by the establishment of a suitable agency where samples of goods would be permanently exposed for examination by the Russian public and where selections and orders could be made. American goods are liked in Russia, and are acknowledged to be neat and practical. American manufacturers and business houses, if they wish to do business at home, are obliged to send agents with samples to purchasers throughout the United States several times a year. Such a course is much more necessary in foreign countries. Working up trade through the personal efforts of the United States consuls is impracticable. The consul can advise and furnish information concerning the trade of the country in which he is located, but he can not take a personal part in soliciting orders.

Commercial credits.—The Government bank of Russia makes loans on goods of home manufacture in transit, not easily spoiled—i. e., on warehouse receipts, bills of lading of steamship and forwarding companies, and on duplicates of railway bills, etc., but loans on goods of foreign manufacture can be made only by a special order from the council of the bank confirmed by the minister of finance. Bills are discounted for three and six months, in exceptional cases for twelve months, and the rates charged are $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent for three months; $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent for six months; 7 per cent for nine months, and $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent for twelve months.

THE NIJNI NOVGOROD FAIR.

[New York Journal of Commerce, May 20, 1899.]

Frequently local exporters transacting business with Russia have approached manufacturers here for the purpose of calling attention to the importance, from a business point of view, of the fair at Nijni Novgorod, which is held every year from July 27 to September 6. That city has a population of nearly 95,000, and is only 227 miles from Moscow. In answer to inquiries made by parties in Indiana, Consul Thomas Smith, at Moscow, has sent some valuable information concerning this fair, which in part is as follows: "It is attended by nearly half a million of people from both European and oriental Russia, and the amount of business generally transacted is estimated at about \$35,000,000. The following goods are sold: Cottons, prints, carpets, cloths, linen, flannels, silks, lace, bags of jute and hemp, leather, skins, chamois, furs, paper, copper, cast iron, enameled ware, cutlery, agricultural implements, implements for mechanical and other industries, seeds for farmers, oats, corn, wines, spirits, paints, varnish, lime, cement, etc. Sheet iron, boiler plates, copper, precious stones, and a variety of geological specimens from Siberia are also exhibited, as well as cotton in a raw state from central Asia and Persia, and turquoises, silks, and silverware, made in oriental style, from Persia, Bokhara, Taschent, etc. The fair is well managed, the governor of Nijni staying there during the time it is open. He has a military staff, and the discipline is very strict. The merchants have their own committee, before which everything concerning trade is laid. On the fair grounds there are hotels, churches, dining saloons, theaters, and Tartar and Chinese quarters. There is good sewerage and waterworks, and the place is surrounded by a canal of water as a protection against fire. Some three months before the commencement of the fair notices are inserted in the papers stating the stores that are to be let, giving all particulars and where to apply. The rents of the stores range from \$100 to \$1,450; but, in addition to this, there are taxes for the police, city, and other purposes, which amount to about 5 per cent on the rent. It must be understood that the word "fair" does not signify an exhibition, but a large market where goods are exposed for sale and yearly contracts concluded."

TRADE OPENINGS IN SIBERIA.

The Board of Trade Journal, London, January, 1899, quotes the following from the London and China Telegraph:

A German firm has one of the largest establishments in the town of Blagovestchensk. The premises consist of a handsome building of brick, arranged so as to look like stone, with lofty showrooms and electric light within and without. It is like most shops of any importance in Siberia—a general shop where groceries and stationery, clothes and machinery, and all manner of other goods may be bought. They do business wholesale as well as retail. The same firm has a depot in the next province westward, at Strelensk; and at Vladivostock its establishment is, it is said, larger than the one at Blagovestchensk. In the same square is a large Russian shop of the same kind, and not far off a French firm carries on a retail business, especially in perfumery, French preserves, and ladies' hats. It appears strange that no Englishman should make an attempt in such a fast-growing city of some 50,000 inhabitants as Blagovestchensk—with a frontage to the Amur of 6 or 7 miles, another river (the Zega) as its eastern side—a city which is beginning to turn the wooden buildings in its splendidly broad streets into brick, if not into stone.

PETROLEUM PRODUCTION IN RUSSIA.

[From report of United States Consul Chambers, September, 1897.]

The production of crude petroleum in Russia continues to increase, as is shown by the statistics annexed, and notwithstanding the steady and material increase in production the price of crude has been maintained at a high figure for nearly two years, averaging for the past year and a half about 35 cents per barrel of 42 gallons at refineries, which is equivalent to about 32½ cents per barrel at wells. This is also the price to-day.

Early in this year the Bibi-Eibat district, which is between 2 and 3 miles south of Baku, was visited by two very disastrous fires, both, it is asserted, having been caused by stones thrown out from a flowing well striking iron. The first occurred in February in a well which was said to be flowing at the daily rate of 50,000 barrels. The fire continued some days. Owing to favorable winds it did not spread to a great extent, but it destroyed several wells and 500,000 to 600,000 barrels of crude oil, stored in pits on the property where the well was located. The second fire started a few weeks later, upon a well which was said to be flowing about 100,000 barrels per day, not more than half a mile south of the first fire; this continued for several weeks, as it was found impossible to stop the well flowing, and destroyed twelve or thirteen wells and a large amount of crude oil which was stored in pits near by.

The increase in the crude production is not due to larger wells, but to a larger number of wells, as the total number of wells producing in July, 1897, was 668 against 566 in the same month last year; and a careful review of the statistics at hand covering the last two or three years shows that the daily production has increased about 230 barrels for every well added to those producing. If this rate of increase is maintained in the future, as there is every reason to believe it will be, the production must materially increase because of the great advance in drilling operations. On the last day of August last year there were 156 wells drilling, 139 being drilled deeper or cleaned out, and 49 new derricks ready to drill, while upon the same day this year there were 265 wells drilling, 122 repairing or drilling deeper, and 90 derricks. In the first six months of this year 138 wells were started, while only 78 were commenced in the same time last year.

This great increase in drilling operations is wholly due to the fact that last year was probably the most profitable the trade has ever had, and there is no doubt that the producers believed that prosperity was permanent. It now looks, however, as though the business were being rapidly overdone. The only producers making money are those who have no refineries and who sell their crude, for there is no doubt that at present prices crude oil producing is exceedingly profitable. Unfortunately, however, at least 75 per cent of the crude production is refined by those who produce it, as they combine refining and producing; and in this manner they not only lose the profit upon the crude, but also lose upon their refined, as the prices of the latter product are so low that it is absolutely impossible for a refiner to pay existing prices for crude and make money. As a result of these conditions, it is asserted that more than half the refineries at Baku are now not working.

Last year the price realized for refined oil for export was a trifle over 2½ cents per gallon at refinery, while this year the price has been steadily declining, so that some refined has been sold which did not net refiners more than one-third that figure, and the average for the year so far will hardly be more than 1½ cents per gallon. Last year crude oil was about the same price as this, and residuum was a trifle cheaper, but the difference in the price of residuum last year and this will not nearly compensate for the decline in price of refined; and yet the whole talk at Baku is of the profitableness of residuum, and because it is a tenth of a cent per gallon dearer than crude, much crude is being sold and shipped as residuum; so much, in fact, that the yield of crude this year in residuum has been over 60 per cent, while the refined has been only about 20 per cent. The average is 25 to 30 per cent refined and 45 to 50 per cent residuum from the crude. My impression, based upon very accurate and reliable information, is that at present prices of crude, residuum, and refined, the refiner buying crude must lose not less than three-fourths of a cent upon the refined he produces.

ESTIMATE OF THE FINANCIAL RESULTS OF THE BAKU OIL BUSINESS IN 1895 AND 1896.

DESCRIPTION.	1895	1896
EXPENSES.		
Producing:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Drilling 146,048 feet in 1895 and 196,000 feet in 1896, including cost of machinery	2,712,320	3,640,000
Royalty, one-half of a copeck (about two-tenths of a cent) per pood (36.112 pounds) on 377,000,000 poods (13,614,224,000 pounds) in 1895 and 386,000,000 poods (13,939,232,000 pounds) in 1896	980,200	1,036,000
Working expenses, 1 copeck (about four-tenths of a cent) per pood	1,600,400	2,672,000
Pipeage, storage, etc., one-half of a copeck per pood	980,200	1,036,000
Refining:		
Labor, etc., 2 copecks per pood on 87,200,000 poods (3,148,966,400 pounds) of refined in 1895 and 89,300,000 poods (3,224,801,600 pounds) in 1896	910,000	928,720
Chemicals, 2 copecks per pood	910,000	928,720
Office expenses, storage of refined, and other expenses	455,000	461,360
Total	8,908,120	10,105,800
RECEIPTS.		
From sale of 81,000,000 poods (2,925,072,000 pounds) of refined in 1895 at 16.2 copecks per pood and 85,500,000 poods (3,087,576,000 pounds) in 1896, at 19 copecks per pood	6,823,440	8,447,400
From sale of 180,400,000 poods (6,514,704,800 pounds) of residuum in 1895, at 6.1 copecks per pood and 185,500,000 poods (6,520,021,600 pounds) in 1896, at 7.5 copecks per pood	5,722,080	7,231,575
From sale of 15,000,000 poods (541,680,000 pounds) of crude in 1895, at 6.9 copecks per pood and 25,485,000 poods (920,314,320 pounds) in 1896, at 7.5 copecks per pood	512,880	988,714
Total	13,058,400	16,667,689
Apparent profits	4,180,280	6,561,889

PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL OF BAKU FIELDS IN 1895 AND 1896 (IN BARRELS OF 42 GALLONS).

MONTH.	BALAKHANI-SABUNCHI.		ROMANI.		BIBI-EBAT.		TOTAL.	
	1895	1896	1895	1896	1895	1896	1895	1896
	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>
January	2,656,190	2,120,799	955,941	670,513	216,421	740,573	3,258,552	3,531,885
February	2,126,996	2,166,566	1,583,048	774,033	223,163	716,570	3,953,207	3,657,469
March	2,288,031	2,035,338	1,815,486	630,000	345,623	389,353	4,449,142	3,054,691
April	2,201,192	2,155,410	1,241,965	690,838	469,545	712,090	3,912,702	3,558,338
May	2,371,683	2,387,622	1,400,171	782,110	1,372,293	792,352	5,144,127	3,962,084
June	2,156,890	2,158,689	970,368	661,738	660,438	939,118	3,787,697	3,759,545
July	2,291,792	2,296,498	682,792	1,056,776	594,733	1,337,876	3,482,317	4,691,150
August	2,215,414	2,710,166	618,533	1,058,065	323,545	859,471	3,157,494	4,627,642
September	2,011,269	2,398,038	709,700	792,400	323,567	592,984	3,014,536	3,783,422
October	2,040,989	2,556,472	1,287,650	774,967	501,862	442,463	3,920,501	3,775,902
November	2,061,766	2,605,069	1,268,987	601,854	316,227	432,438	3,646,980	3,639,361
December	2,440,376	3,007,893	834,393	877,364	277,949	427,027	3,552,718	4,312,284
Total	26,265,388	28,598,560	13,369,037	9,370,598	5,655,368	8,382,615	45,289,983	46,351,773

PRODUCTION FROM FLOWING WELLS (IN BARRELS OF 42 GALLONS).

MONTH.	BALAKHANI-SABUNCHI.		ROMANI.		BIBI-EBAT.		TOTAL.	
	1895	1896	1895	1896	1895	1896	1895	1896
	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>
January	86,520	84,960	548,680	172,080	92,880	540,600	718,080	797,010
February	266,880	202,820	1,200,840	303,840	16,680	598,800	1,483,800	1,015,460
March	267,120	5,260	1,376,760	54,240	164,760	183,600	1,808,640	248,100
April	308,920	17,160	866,010	152,040	325,920	515,520	1,500,280	684,720
May	157,800	63,360	1,051,840	203,760	1,160,160	591,840	2,369,800	853,960
June	162,840		576,440	177,360	400,680	819,000	1,139,960	996,360
July	400,940		769,100	497,040	265,680	1,173,600	926,120	1,670,640
August	153,240	343,200	167,880	302,280	83,280	694,000	404,400	1,425,480
September			221,940	99,840	65,640	403,200	286,680	503,040
October		155,040	771,240	173,760	362,640	291,960	1,133,880	620,760
November	149,680	312,480	815,640	19,440	91,820	256,920	1,056,640	588,840
December	378,120	527,520	364,440	232,800	64,800	273,720	807,360	1,034,040
Total	2,330,560	1,711,800	8,211,240	2,478,480	3,093,840	6,218,160	13,635,640	10,438,440

AVERAGE DAILY PRODUCTION (IN BARRELS OF 42 GALLONS).

MONTH.	FLOWING WELLS.		PUMPING WELLS.		TOTAL.	
	1895	1896	1895	1896	1895	1896
	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>
January.....	23,161	25,711	81,953	88,231	105,115	113,932
February.....	52,992	33,015	87,480	91,104	140,472	126,119
March.....	58,345	7,842	85,177	90,696	143,420	98,538
April.....	50,009	22,824	80,414	95,787	130,423	118,611
May.....	76,445	27,708	89,495	100,101	165,940	127,809
June.....	37,999	33,212	88,258	92,106	126,257	125,318
July.....	29,875	53,892	82,487	97,435	112,362	151,327
August.....	13,045	45,983	88,809	103,296	101,854	149,270
September.....	9,556	16,768	91,928	103,346	101,484	126,114
October.....	36,577	20,024	89,891	101,715	126,468	121,739
November.....	35,328	19,628	86,338	101,684	121,566	121,312
December.....	26,044	33,356	88,559	105,250	114,603	139,106
Total.....	36,515	29,526	87,497	98,266	124,082	128,644

SHIPMENTS OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS FROM BATUM IN 1895 AND 1896.

TO—	REFINED OIL.		TOTAL.	
	1896	1895	1896	1895
	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>
Austria (Trieste).....	743,645	5,165,005	2,860,195	12,150,295
Hungary (Fiume).....	1,439,125	.....	8,048,855	19,528,405
Belgium.....	4,282,835	10,600,260	6,060,205	18,649,465
Bulgaria and Servia.....	4,486,055	3,830,860	4,520,255	3,878,910
China.....	11,251,210	12,562,850	11,251,210	12,562,850
Egypt.....	8,458,240	8,472,980	8,548,740	8,575,730
England (United Kingdom).....	19,068,125	24,941,060	31,240,810	35,395,135
France.....	1,291,915	3,185,975	21,130,405	24,975,635
Germany.....	1,934,795	4,836,095	8,525,115	12,451,125
Holland.....	.....	4,601,680	.....	4,674,880
India.....	38,160,280	45,822,260	38,160,280	45,822,260
Italy.....	4,953,115	6,147,320	5,611,790	6,287,420
Japan.....	3,460,540	3,800,000	3,460,540	3,800,000
Java.....	9,749,700	15,056,560	9,749,700	15,056,560
Manila.....	1,525,100	2,614,610	1,525,100	2,614,610
Malta.....	635,495	1,477,895	635,495	1,477,895
Roumania.....	311,070	826,260	567,020	1,294,010
Turkey.....	27,881,400	19,671,730	27,997,700	19,779,230
Suez Canal (bulk) (a).....	19,208,920	43,107,870	19,208,920	43,107,870
Africa.....	250,250	791,350	250,250	791,350
Other countries.....	230,190	3,807,815	482,555	4,043,155
Total exported.....	159,331,005	221,320,435	210,435,140	296,916,790
Russia.....	26,384,096	27,785,985	27,672,456	30,046,950
Total shipped.....	185,715,101	249,106,420	238,107,596	326,963,740
Decrease.....	63,391,319	.....	88,856,144	.....

a This is refined oil in bulk for India, Straits Settlements, Java, China, and Japan, but its actual destination is not known at Batum, as vessels clear for Port Said for orders.

PRODUCTION OF CRUDE PETROLEUM (AND ITS EQUIVALENT IN REFINED ILLUMINATING OIL) IN RUSSIA
AND THE UNITED STATES, 1881 TO 1897.

YEAR.	Crude petroleum produced.		Equivalent in refined illuminating oil.	
	Russia.	United States.	Russia.	United States.
	<i>U. S. gallons.</i>	<i>U. S. gallons.</i>	<i>U. S. gallons.</i>	<i>U. S. gallons.</i>
1881.....	200,303,000	1,104,017,000	75,113,000	828,013,000
1882.....	249,954,000	1,161,772,000	93,733,000	871,329,000
1883.....	298,789,000	1,231,455,000	112,046,000	961,091,000
1884.....	446,531,000	934,835,000	167,449,000	738,664,000
1885.....	575,342,000	1,017,174,000	215,753,000	762,881,000
1886.....	595,890,000	918,069,000	223,459,000	688,552,000
1887.....	825,802,000	1,178,723,000	309,676,000	884,042,000
1888.....	961,759,000	1,187,906,000	360,659,000	890,930,000
1889.....	1,000,291,000	1,159,705,000	375,103,000	869,779,000
1890.....	1,202,272,000	1,476,863,000	450,852,000	1,107,651,000
1891.....	1,437,032,000	1,924,552,000	538,887,000	1,443,414,000
1892.....	1,479,256,000	2,280,263,000	554,721,000	1,710,198,000
1893.....	1,750,054,000	2,121,384,000	656,270,000	1,591,038,000
1894.....	1,559,431,000	2,033,332,000	584,786,000	1,524,999,000
1895.....	2,131,889,000	2,072,470,000	799,458,000	1,554,353,000
1896.....	2,151,932,000	2,221,476,000	806,974,000	1,666,107,000
1897.....	2,260,572,000	2,560,335,000	847,715,000	1,920,252,000

NOTE.—One hundred gallons of American petroleum produce about 75 gallons of refined illuminating oil; 100 gallons of Russian petroleum produce about 37½ gallons of refined illuminating oil.

THE USE OF PETROLEUM ON RUSSIAN WAR VESSELS.

The Bollettino delle Finanze states that the Russian Admiralty continues to extend the use of petroleum on war vessels for the heating of the boilers. The old armored cruiser *Admiral Greig*, which has been selected for experiments in steam production by petroleum, is to have one of its machines fitted with a new pulverizer on the Svenson system, which economizes the fuel and burns it without smoke. Steam is not used in the pulverization, but it is obtained by means of a jet of petroleum on a steel apparatus of special construction at a pressure of 7 kilograms. On board this vessel there will be four different systems of apparatus for projecting the combustible liquid under pressure, viz, those of Kaufmann, Daniline, Zanuchevski, and Svenson. The oil is stored in tanks.

DEVELOPMENT OF RUSSIAN MINING AND METALLURGICAL INDUSTRIES.

[From British Board of Trade Review.]

The Russian ministry of finance has recently issued an interesting publication relating to the goods traffic on Russian railways, one part of this work dealing exclusively with the question of the transport of minerals. According to the *Moniteur Officiel du Commerce*, which has devoted some attention to a review of this publication, the production of ores has shown during the last three years a decided increase, and the total quantity carried over the whole of the Russian railways amounted to 44,850,000 poods (pood—36 pounds avoirdupois) in 1890, 46,812,000 poods in 1891, and 61,579,000 poods in 1892, an increase in the latter year of 32 per cent as compared with 1891, and 37 per cent as compared with 1890.

The greater part of this increase is principally made up of iron ore, the production of which in 1893 showed an increase of 6,653,725 poods, and of which the working is concentrated, with the exception of certain mines situated in the Ural Mountains, in the south and southwest of Russia. The richest beds are found in the environs of Krivoi-Rog, on the border of the governments of Kherson and Ekaterinoslav, and these are worked by a French company. The output on these railways has been as follows: In 1877, 10,008,000 poods; 1888, 13,995,000 poods; 1889, 21,003,000 poods; 1890, 22,998,000 poods; and in 1891, 28,816,000 poods. Thus the production has almost trebled in five years in the southern districts of Russia. The number of mines working, which was 15 in 1887, amounted to 25 in 1891.

The principal points of dispatch and of the destination of these ores during the triennial period 1890 to 1893 were the stations of the Ekaterinskaia and the Donetsk railway, which form the center of the mining industry in southern Russia. The largest quantities are sent from the stations situated near Krivoi-Rog. For example, from the Karnavajka 16,760,000 poods were dispatched in 1890, 19,448,000 in 1891, and 20,105,000 in 1892. From Dolghinzaa station 34,000,000 were dispatched in 1890, 35,000,000 in 1891, and 45,000,000 in 1892. From Krivoi-Rog the figures were 98,000, 443,000, and 3,400,000 poods, and similar increases have been observable at most of the other stations.

After iron ore, manganese ore comes next in importance as furnishing a large proportion of the goods traffic on Russian railways. These ores are worked in the Caucasus, in the Ural districts, and in the government of Ekaterinoslav. Among all manganese-producing countries Russia stands at the head, and it was only during the second half of the decennial period 1880-1890 that the working of the ore was first undertaken in Ekaterinoslav. Notwithstanding this, the production in that government amounted to 90,000 poods in 1888, 342,000 in 1889, 521,000 in 1890, 660,000 in 1891, 1,795,000 in 1892, and 4,739,933 poods in 1893. The increased production of ores has naturally had its effect upon the production of iron and steel, which at one time, and only very recently, came from Poland and the Ural Mountains alone, but which is even supplied in considerable quantities throughout the southern districts of the Empire. It is the confident opinion of authorities in Russia that the iron and steel industry will become the most important in the country. The consumption of iron and steel in Russia amounts to from 55,000,000 to 58,000,000 poods annually. Experience has shown of late years that the mineral wealth of southern Russia yields in nothing to that of the Ural Mountains, and it enjoys greater advantages through its proximity to the Donetsk coal basin.

In 1890 the production of iron and steel amounted to 8,623,000 poods, while in 1891 and 1892 it had increased by about 30 per cent, and represented a total of 11,000,000 poods; during the same period the works of the district in the neighborhood of Moscow were able to reduce their production from 8,000,000 to 6,000,000 poods, those of the northern governments from 6,000,000 to 5,000,000, and the Siberian works from 265,000 to 167,000 poods. In the neighborhood of the Vistula there was no change to notify in the production of iron and steel, which remains at 7,600,000 poods; but while the increase attains the rate of about 30 per cent in the South, it does not exceed 20 per cent in the Ural Mountains, the actual figures for the latter being from 17,000,000 to 21,000,000 poods.

It appears, therefore, that in three of the six districts in which the metallurgical industry is established in Russia a falling off is observable in the production; in one alone it remains stationary; and it is only in the Ural, and particularly in Southern Russia, that the industry may be said to be advancing. In 1890 the proportion to the total production in the South was in the ratio of 17 per cent; in 1892 it was 21 per cent. It is the government of Ekaterinoslav that now occupies the first place for the quantity of steel it delivers for consumption. This quantity amounted in 1892 to 9,000,000 poods, while the works of the governments of Pietrkow, Orel, and St. Petersburg only supplied about three or four millions each. As regards the coal mines, the Messenger Officiel recently stated that the production of the 89 collieries of the southern provinces of European Russia amounted in 1893 to 134,000,000 poods against 125,000,000 in 1892.

The immediate consequences of this rapid development of the mining and metallurgical industries in Russia has been the continued diminution, a diminution which has become more and more accentuated, of the importation of foreign iron and steel. Thus, for example, the Odessa custom-house showed by their returns an entry of 806,000 poods in 1890, 565,000 poods in 1891, and 247,000 poods in 1892; while similar results are observable in the returns of the Batoum and Woloziska.

PIG IRON AND COPPER IN THE URALS.

[From advance sheets Consular Reports, May 24, 1899.]

Consul-General Holloway, of St. Petersburg, on April 18, 1899, transmits the following translation of an article in the Commercial Gazette:

The statistics concerning the production of pig iron in the Urals during 1898 and the estimates for the first half of 1899 have just been published. In 1898, 690,161 tons of pig iron were smelted—32,258 tons more than in 1897—and one hundred and fifteen high furnaces in sixty-nine factories were in action. For the years 1894 and 1898, the comparative data were as follows:

DESCRIPTION.	1894.	1898.
High furnaces .....number..	113	115
Quantity smelted.....tons..	536,616	690,161
Average productiveness per high furnace.....do...	4,726	6,000
Average amount produced per day .....do...	13	16

There is no doubt that the metallurgical industry of the Urals continues to develop, notwithstanding such unfavorable conditions as the lack of railroads and mineral fuel. The productiveness of the factories, as seen above, has increased during the last five years 29 per cent; the technical part—that is, the productiveness of the work of the high furnaces—has increased 26 per cent, and the amount daily smelted by each furnace, 25 per cent.

During the first half of the present year it is estimated that 380,645 tons of pig iron will be smelted. Taking into consideration the fact that six new high furnaces are being constructed in the Urals and six are being remodeled for a larger production, it is probable that during the second half of 1899 there will be a production of pig iron which will make the output for the whole year amount to 775,000 to 790,000 tons.

The beginning of the year was very animated in the Urals. The demands for mines, especially of iron, manganese, and chrome, were exceedingly large. Agents arrived from southern Russia, principally from Novorossisk. The Urals have been visited by different capitalists who wish to organize new metallurgical enterprises. There are three principal reasons why the Urals are at present attracting universal attention: (1) The projected railroad from Cheliabinsk to Tsaritsine; (2) the hope that southern Ural ore will be demanded by the Donetz basin, and (3) the expectation that Siberian coke will be brought to the Urals, which will cause the development of the metallurgical industry there, as the southern region possesses inexhaustible mines of ore, the working of which will not cost more than 62 cents per ton. The richness of the magnetic iron ores is such that there are mines where it is impossible to drive in sleighs, as the iron slides, under the influence of the magnet, stick to the ground.

Latterly, the demands for copper mines have increased, owing to the rise of prices of copper. This is unexpected, as but five years ago copper-smelting factories gave up their mines to the Government. The copper industry has declined in the Urals; but should copper speculations continue abroad the revival of the industry in Russia may be expected. In some of the factories in Tagill a ton of copper is sold at \$480.50, whereas two years ago it was sold at \$298 to \$372 per ton. Chemical factories in the district of Elabuga have great demands for copper, and new mines in the government of Viatka have been discovered. This government was formerly one of the first in the smelting of copper, but now only the peasants, when they are free from other work, extract the ore and take it to Kukmor and other villages, where it is smelted in ordinary smithies and made into cheap articles. However, there are two or three workshops which make larger articles and even samovars.

RUSSIA AS A GOLD PRODUCER.

The importance of Russia as a gold producer has never been fully appreciated, partly because of the remoteness of the chief gold fields, and partly because the output is carefully kept at home, and but little of it enters into the world's general stock. According to the New York Engineering and Mining Journal, very few people realize that, taking the production of 1895 as a basis, the Russian mines furnish about one-sixth of the total output of the precious metal, and that the probability is that this proportion will increase rather than diminish. So far as the Siberian gold fields, which furnish the greater part of the production, are concerned, it may be said that the work already done is entirely superficial. Only the placers have been worked, and those generally in a rather primitive way, while explorations have been in the main limited to the haphazard work of prospectors. A few Russian engineers have from time to time undertaken some more scientific work, but this has been limited to a few districts. Deep mining is almost unknown, and the search for gold-bearing veins has hardly been begun anywhere outside of the Ural region. It seems probable that a few years will see an important change. Already foreign capital is becoming interested, and preparations are being made for the exploitation on a large scale and with modern appliances of the rich placers of the trans-Baikal and the upper valley of the Amour. The work already done in those districts gives assurance of success in the future.

DEVELOPMENT OF COTTON PRODUCTION IN RUSSIA.

The American cotton plant and American methods of cultivation and harvesting are apparently rapidly rendering Russia at least independent of the United States in this line, and perhaps preparing her to enter the export field in cottons. A report in the British Board of Trade Review, based on a report of the Italian consul at Batoum, discussing the recent developments in this line, says:

Ever since the days of the Kings of Georgia, the cultivation of cotton has been carried on throughout trans-Caucasia and Armenia, and, according to the geographical notes of Bagration, flourished especially in the government of Kutais, in Kaketia, and the district of Zakataly.

When the country came under the sway of Russia, this cultivation continued to form an important industry among the people of the trans-Caucasus, each peasant proprietor deeming it indispensable to place a portion of his plot under cotton as soon as possible, while the Government contributed no little to the development of the industry by distributing gratis a better quality of seed imported from abroad, and by introducing the best class of machinery for dividing the cotton seeds from the fiber.

In Kaketia the populace used to wear cotton clothing woven by their women folk; and in Ordubat (Armenia) the art of cotton weaving was such a profitable one that one-half of the population was composed of cotton weavers who supplied not only the province of Erivan, but also the neighboring districts.

This success was due to the high price of cotton, and the low price of different seeds; but in time such a condition of affairs was reversed. The textiles fell in value in competition with factory-made goods and the seeds rose in price. The efforts made by the

Government were thus paralyzed, and, moreover, in the regions where the plant was grown with the greatest success, the soil dried up, spoiling the crops. The chief cause of this, according to competent observers, was the diminution of vegetation and the deforesting of the land, and the result was that the industry became restricted to the province of Erivan, which appeared to best fulfill the conditions necessary to its growth and prosperity.

In 1861 the crop amounted to 30,000 poods (pood=36 pounds avoirdupois); in 1862, to 60,000 poods; in 1863 this total had increased to 150,000 poods; in 1873, to 273,000 poods; but in 1881 the figure fell as low as 42,000 poods, improving, however, to 99,000 poods in 1884.

From the above figures it would appear that as soon as Erivan found itself competing with American production its output declined. The fitness of the Erivan soil for the development of this industry, however, and the absence of machinery in use for separating the fiber and the seed, attracted the attention of the merchants and manufacturers of Moscow, and cotton was the first agricultural product of the Caucasus which drew the serious attention of Russian capitalists to that country; in consequence, this industry regained not only its highest development in the province of Erivan, but again became the most remunerative industry (more than the vine, grain, or tobacco) in the provinces of Baku, Elisabetpol, Tiflis, and Kutais. Russia now imports yearly from eight to ten million poods of foreign cotton.

Since about the year 1880 one important Moscow house has sent thousands of poods of the best American seed to the Caucasus, distributing it everywhere gratis with instructive pamphlets on the subject translated into the language of the country.

At first this experiment did not seem to have much effect, but in reality it marked the opening of a new era for the industry, and it induced the Government to place at the disposal of the chief centers of cultivation American cotton gins and saw gins, used in the separation of the seed from the fiber. The workmen sent to set them up were, however, completely ignorant of the mechanism, and so the peasants preferred to retain their own system, though in so doing they ruined the fiber.

In 1885 other prominent firms of Moscow and other towns took up the question, establishing in Erivan their agencies, supplied with the best machinery of all kinds and the best foreign seed, furnishing instruction gratis, teaching the people the use and management of the machinery, and placing it at their disposal when they became expert at it, and, moreover, buying up all the crop either for their own factories or for resale.

A cultivator, for example, who could only get in 20 or 30 poods of cotton, and originally did not know to whom to sell it, had now a buyer at hand, with offers also of advances on future crops at market prices.

The peasants, thus freed from anxiety as to sales and from the heavy preliminary expenses with regard to machinery and transport, adapted themselves more and more to the new mechanical appliances, and endeavored as much as possible to extend the industry wherever the land was found to be suitable. The firms above mentioned, finding the soil of the trans-Caucasus in many parts so well adapted to cotton plantation, did not stop at Erivan, but endeavored to induce the peasants in all parts to make experiments, at the same time favoring them in every possible way, so that while in the year 1884 Erivan produced but 98,920 poods of cotton, in 1890 this amount had increased to 600,000 poods; for, in the intervening years, nothing but cotton was sown in fields that had hitherto produced rice, sesame, and other grains and seeds, and even the roads were now transformed into cotton-bearing land.

BEET SUGAR PRODUCTION IN RUSSIA FROM 1800 TO 1898.

[From report to British Government by Consul H. Smith, July, 1898.]

In view of the conflicting accounts of the beet-root sugar industry of Russia, I have prepared the following particulars of the industry from its first introduction into the country until the present campaign of 1897-98. Perhaps this résumé will put the extent of Russian sugar trade more clearly before the public interested in the subject than the references made thereto in the annual trade reports—references which only refer to the production, etc., of the year in question, without keeping always clearly before the reader the various combinations introduced by the Government and private syndicates for the regulation of production, home consumption, and disposal of surplus production. The following particulars ought to be all the more welcome to those interested in this trade, owing to the sugar question having been prominently before the public of late.

The production of sugar from beet root was first brought into public notice by a Berlin chemist in the year 1747, but little or no attention was given to the discovery until the year 1790, when the question was taken up in a practical manner. The first beet root sugar factory was erected in Silesia in Germany, and immediately thereafter the industry was inaugurated in France, Napoleon I taking a personal interest in the discovery and authorizing five schools to be opened for the practical study of the subject.

The question was taken up in Russia, not by a chemist, or one having any special training, but by a landed proprietor, Major-General Blackennagel, who in 1800 built the first factory for producing sugar from beet root on his estate in the province of Tula. Until the year 1809 this was the only factory in Russia, but seven or eight were built about this time, and between 1830-40 there were over 600 factories at work in the country. It is worthy of note that these factories were built in the provinces of Tula, Kaluga, Orel, Tambow, Smolensk, Grodno, Mohilew, and Kursk, and it was only about the year 1840 that the industry began to force its way into the southern provinces, where it has developed with such strides as to have become one of the leading industries of Russia.

Up to the year 1860 the factories were mostly built and owned by the landed proprietors, but with the freedom of the serfs, private firms, and more largely joint-stock companies took up the trade, and in many cases purchased the factories owned by the magnates.

Naturally, the factories existing up to 1860 were mostly of very primitive construction, wooden sheds containing plant costing from £120 to £150, and bearing little or no comparison to the palatial factories of the present day, built of brick and iron and costing from £60,000 to £150,000. In 1848 there were 380 factories at work, with a total output of 1,195,000 poods (19,272 tons), or an average of 3,145 poods (50.75 tons) each, and of this production the six largest factories each produced about 15,000 poods (242 tons), and 43 of the smallest each produced less than 1,000 poods (16 tons). In 1858 the same number of factories were producing 2,438,420 poods (39,330 tons), or an average of 6,417 poods (103.5 tons). In 1868, with 300 factories at work, the production was 6,840,700 poods (110,334 tons), or an average of 22,802 poods (367 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons). In 1881, with 234 factories at work, the production was 15,994,390 poods (257,974 tons), or an average of 68,360 poods (1,102 tons). In 1891, with 225 factories at work, the production was 28,362,954 poods (457,467 tons), or an average of 126,057 poods (2,033 tons).

For the present campaign of 1897-98, with 238 factories at work, the production is officially given as 46,795,000 poods (754,758 tons), or an average of 196,618 poods (3,171 tons).

Therefore we find that the production from 1848 to the present date has increased in the following ratio:

YEAR.	Quantity.		Increase.	Number of factories in operation.	YEAR.	Quantity.		Increase.	Number of factories in operation.
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>			<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	
1848.....	1,195,000	19,272	.....	380	1881.....	15,994,390	257,974	134	234
1858.....	2,438,420	39,330	104	380	1891.....	28,362,954	457,467	77	225
1868.....	6,840,700	110,334	180	300	1897-98.....	46,795,000	754,758	65	238

The total quantity produced by Russia from 1800 to 1892-93 campaign was 491,112,279 poods (7,921,166 tons). Of this quantity, 447,055,493 poods (7,210,573 tons) were consumed in Russia, while 44,056,786 poods (710,593 tons) were exported to Europe and Asia, as detailed later on.

In keeping with the productive power of each factory during the time already mentioned, so was the percentage of sugar extracted from the beet root. In the early years of the industry one-half pound of sugar was extracted from 12 poods (4 cwts.) of roots. In 1830 this had risen to 6 pounds, in 1848 to 15 pounds, in 1863 to 22 pounds, in 1872 to 29 pounds, in 1882 to 35 pounds, in 1892 to 42 $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds, and at present date to 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds. Therefore we find that the quantity of sugar extracted from the same quantity of beet root from 1800 to present date has increased as follows:

YEAR.	Quantity.	YEAR.	Quantity.
	<i>Pounds.</i>		<i>Pounds.</i>
1800.....	$\frac{1}{2}$	1872.....	29
1830.....	6	1882.....	35
1848.....	15	1892.....	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
1863.....	22	1897-98.....	44 $\frac{1}{2}$

Herein we see the great advance which has been made not only in the improvement of the machinery used in the trade, but also the scientific cultivation of the beet root, a cultivation which has been so scientifically carried out that the sugar-yielding part has been brought to a state of practical perfection.

The world's production of sugar from the four campaigns, 1893-94 to 1896-97, was as follows:

	QUANTITY.			
	1896-97.	1895-96.	1894-95.	1893-94.
Beet-root sugar:	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Germany.....	1,800,000	1,615,111	1,844,586	1,381,603
Austria-Hungary.....	1,050,000	791,405	1,055,821	841,809
France.....	780,000	667,583	792,511	579,111
Russia.....	750,000	783,489	615,058	658,070
Belgium.....	265,000	260,000	243,957	240,317
Netherlands.....	145,000	106,829	84,597	75,015
Other lands.....	170,000	169,120	156,000	113,610
Total.....	4,960,000	4,393,537	4,792,530	3,889,535
Cane sugar.....	2,747,500	2,945,811	3,570,413	3,552,374
Grand total.....	7,707,500	7,339,348	8,362,943	7,441,909

During the campaign 1896-97 the following were the number of factories engaged in production of beet-root sugar.

COUNTRY.	Number of factories.	COUNTRY.	Number of factories.
Germany.....	400	Netherlands.....	30
Belgium.....	111	France.....	358
Austria.....	217	Russia.....	235

RUSSIA AS A SUGAR GROWER.

Russia is fourth in the list of beet-sugar producing countries of the world. Recent estimates of M. Geiseker, of Brussels, a leading sugar statistician of Europe, puts Russia's sugar production in 1898-99 at 750,000 tons, and that of the beet-sugar countries of all Europe during the past five years as follows:

COUNTRY.	1893-99.	1897-98.	1896-97.	1895-96.	1894-95.
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Germany.....	1,710,000	1,852,857	1,836,536	1,615,111	1,844,586
Austria.....	1,000,000	831,667	934,007	791,405	1,055,821
France.....	800,000	821,667	752,081	667,853	792,511
Russia.....	750,000	738,715	728,667	712,096	615,058
Belgium.....	220,000	265,397	288,009	235,795	243,957
Holland.....	155,000	125,658	174,206	106,829	84,597
Other countries.....	155,000	190,000	202,990	156,340	156,000
Total.....	4,790,000	4,825,529	4,916,586	4,285,429	4,790,532

NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS IN RUSSIA COMPARED WITH THOSE OF OTHER COUNTRIES.

The following statement of the length of navigable rivers and canals in the principal countries of the world is published by the *Jahrbuch der Naturwissenschaften*. It gives to Russia a greater length of navigable waterways than any country except Brazil; and when to this is added the proposed trans-Siberian canal, described in the accompanying article, "Siberian development by new land, water, and rail transportation routes," the length of navigable waterways in Russia will, if these figures be accepted, exceed that of any other country of the world:

LENGTHS OF THE NAVIGABLE RIVERS AND CANALS OF THE MOST IMPORTANT COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD.

COUNTRIES.	Rivers.	Canals.	Totals.
	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>
United States of North America.....	15,502	3,064	18,566
Germany.....	14,499	1,214	15,713
France.....	4,968	2,897	7,865
Great Britain and Ireland.....	1,642	2,875	4,517
Russia.....	19,274	805	20,079
Austria-Hungary.....	2,691	382	3,073
Italy.....	1,752	294	2,046
Spain.....	750	248	998
Belgium.....	653	492	1,145
Portugal.....	432	.....	432
Sweden and Norway.....	423	92	515
The Netherlands.....	313	855	1,168
Canada.....	2,595	492	3,087
Brazil.....	20,433	.....	20,433
China.....	3,404	4,832	8,236
India.....	2,302	2,061	4,453

INTERNAL WATERWAYS OF EUROPEAN RUSSIA.

The total length of rivers and canals in European Russia, according to the *Revue de Statistique*, is 67,596 miles, of which 46,202 miles are available for use—i. e., 30,338 miles navigable and the remainder for floating purposes only. The canals aggregate 499 miles in length and canalized rivers 648 miles. The Volga alone accounts for nearly 50 per cent of the navigable waterways. The average length of time for navigation varies naturally according to geographical distribution; it may be reckoned at about 158 to 220 days from the Neva and the Ladoga and Onega lakes; at from 221 to 240 days for the Niemen; at from 213 to 244 days for the western Dwina, and at from 156 to 190 days only for the northern Dwina. During the last five years the Russian Government has devoted nearly 150,000,000 francs (£6,000,000) to the improvement of navigable waterways. The goods carried are principally wood for building purposes, grain, petroleum, etc., salt, iron, coal, sugar, hemp, cotton, fish, and spirits.

BALTIC-BLACK SEA CANAL NOT AUTHORIZED.

Recently published reports indicating that a ship canal to connect the Baltic and Black seas is under consideration by the Russian Government are pronounced inaccurate by United States Consul General Holloway, who says in an official communication to the State Department:

This article was reproduced in many leading American newspapers, and I received a large number of letters from engineers, newspapers, contractors, and manufacturers of excavating machinery, asking for specifications, cost of labor, details as to contracts, etc. I called on Prince Hilkoŭ, minister of ways and communications, handed him a newspaper containing the account, and asked if there was any foundation for the statements contained in the article. He was amused, and said:

"Some time since, a French engineer called on me with the map from which this is copied, as well as an estimate of the cost of building the same. I asked where he procured the data his estimates were based upon. He said, 'From Russian maps.' I then informed him that there were no correct maps of that portion of Russia, and his canal was 900 miles short."

The Prince added that the Russian Government had no idea of building such a canal; indeed, he doubted if there was sufficient money in Russia to do so.

NEW RUSSIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINES WANTED.

[Consul-General Holloway to State Department, November, 1898.]

A contributor to a Russian magazine has published an article setting forth the necessity of organizing a Russian steamship line on the Pacific Ocean, in order to establish communication between Siberia and the United States, to connect with the Siberian Railroad. The same author goes on to say:

Foreigners have already established three new steamship lines, having Vladivostok as a terminal point. One of these—the American-Japanese—has for its western terminus San Diego, the most southern port of California, and will work in connection with the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad. The steamers will also call at Honolulu. The second—the English-Canadian—will work in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railroad Company, and sail from the cities of Vancouver and Victoria. Two of its large steamers, about 5,000 tons each, will run regularly from these cities to Hakodadi and Vladivostok. This line is controlled by the Canadian Railroad and the Empress Line. The reason for its establishment is said to be the rapid development of the Russian Pacific coast and the Siberian Railroad, and the demand for American products—among others, wheat, flour, timber, and materials for railroads and factories. The third line belongs to the North German Lloyd of the Bremen Steamship Company. It has not yet selected its terminus; its directors are hesitating between San Francisco and Los Angeles.

The longer Russia remains inactive in this direction, the smaller are her prospects of occupying the place which is due her in the transcontinental and oceanic traffic. This inactivity will greatly influence the future well-being of the great Siberian Railroad.

Passengers and mails can reach Vladivostok via the Vancouver route in thirty days from St. Petersburg, while it requires thirty-five days via the trans-Siberian route, 1,151 miles of which is made in partially closed conveyances on rough roads, traveling night and day. By the usually traveled route the trip requires forty-five days.

The Trans-Siberian Railroad will be about 3,644 miles in length when completed; 2,015 miles are completed from the St. Petersburg side and 478 miles from the Pacific coast or Vladivostok end, leaving 1,151 miles yet to be built. The construction is going on at the rate of 331 miles per year.

The Danish vice-consul at Louisville, Ky., in a recent communication to the State Department points out the fact that the United States has practically direct communication with Russian and Baltic ports by the Forenede Virginia Baltic Line from Newport News and the Forenede Gulf Baltic Line from New Orleans, the two lines being operated by the United Steamship Company, of Copenhagen, a large and wealthy corporation owning one hundred and twenty vessels and carrying on an extensive trade in the Baltic. Although goods for Russia would have to be transshipped at Copenhagen, says Mr. Currie, it would be into vessels owned by the same line; and all of the vessels in the Newport News service take through cargo to Russia, and, with the assistance of the railroads of the United States, give through rates from point of origin to destination.

On April 30, 1899, a steamship line was established to run vessels direct from New York to St. Petersburg, beginning with one vessel each month.

RUSSIAN STEAMSHIP SERVICE IN CHINESE WATERS.

The Straits Budget publishes information that the Russian Government is about to inaugurate an extension of the Russian services of steamers to the East, which, when carried out, may revolutionize the existing communications. The railway between Vladivostok and Habarofka has already been completed, and the time distance between Vladivostok and central Siberia has been considerably shortened. Meanwhile the Russian marine traffic in the East has increased, and the Russian Government is now consulting with Messrs. Scherveloff & Co. upon the question of inaugurating new steamship services in the Orient. The scheme includes a weekly service of steamers between Vladivostok, Hongkong, and Shanghai, the steamers to call at Nagasaki and Canton.

THE SHIPPING TRADE OF VLADIVOSTOK IN 1897.

In the ten months during which Vladivostok port was kept open in 1897 there entered 242 ships, with a total of 285,603 tons register. Last year the new ice-breaker of exceptional power had not arrived to keep the port open during January and February, but in those months of the present year ships have freely entered and left Vladivostok. The largest number of ships entering sailed under the German flag, the figure being 82, but with the exception of 19 all were under 1,000 tons, and none exceeded 2,000, the total registered tonnage of the German boats being 49,678. The larger boats under the German flag were occupied exclusively between far eastern ports, chiefly Hongkong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, and Vladivostok, one ship making eight trips in the season.

The London and China Telegraph says that the largest tonnage entering Vladivostok under one flag naturally belongs to Russia, and, indeed, almost entirely to the subsidized Government boats of the volunteer fleet. There were 53 entries under the Russian flag, with a total of 97,413 tons register, 29 of these, with a total of 82,073 tons, belonging to the volunteer fleet. Of the latter, 1 ship, the *Kherson*, is registered 4,216 tons, 4 are of 4,000 each, and 2 of 3,600 and 3,326 tons, respectively. The nonofficial Russian shipping was quite insignificant, the tonnage varying from 149 to 713 tons.

The Japanese come third, with 45 ships and a total of 46,944 tons register. Twenty of these ships were of over 1,000 tons, but none exceeded 2,000, while the smallest was 623. In the number of ships Norway holds the fourth place, with 29 ships of 27,819 tons register. Of these 7 were over 1,000 tons. England sent 21 ships of a tonnage of 31,781. Five of these were under 1,000 tons, the smallest being 887. Among the ships sailing under the English flag, one, of 2,997 tons, deserves especial mention. She was chartered nominally by the Russo-Chinese Bank, but actually by the Russian Government, to carry lumber from Portland, Oreg., United States of America, to Vladivostok, and her cargo, including a full deck load, was not less than ten to twelve thousand tons. The lumber was destined for the Manchurian Railway, and was dispatched by rail to the nearest point on the Sungari River. A second cargo of the kind was to be brought by the same boat as soon as the rivers of eastern Siberia were clear of ice. The United States are credited with only 4 ships of 5,153 tons register. Denmark sent 2, Holland and Austria 1 each. The Chinese flag was only represented by 1 ship, of 682 tons, although the greater part of the local trade of Vladivostok is said to be in the hands of Chinamen.

Vladivostok has suddenly leaped into importance as a commercial port, owing to the construction of the Ussuri Railway, or rather to the recent policy of the Government in regard to this line. For a year or two it was practically idle, and commerce continued to take the old route to Nikolaevsk and up the Amur River, which is navigable for a couple of thousand miles from its mouth. Some two years ago the minister of ways and communication, M. Khl'kov, gave exceptionally low rates on the Ussuri Railway for goods from the port of Vladivostok to Nikolskoe, on the Amur River, and apparently the sudden bound into prosperity of this port dates from this wise decision.

THE GREAT ICE-BREAKING STEAMERS OF RUSSIA.

Recent reports from Russia indicate that experiments with a new ice-breaking steamer during the past winter have been eminently successful, and that they give promise of an ability to keep open the ports which have in the past been closed to navigation over five months of the year. This steamer is presumably the one constructed at Newcastle-on-Tyne for the Russian Government in 1898, and described by the Daily Chronicle of that place on the occasion of its launching in October, 1898, as follows:

The vessel is the pioneer ship of what may be termed pelagic ice breakers, and as such will no doubt excite a great deal of interest, especially among shipowners, merchants, and others, the sphere of whose industry lies wholly or partly among waters which are at present rendered impassable by ice in winter. The employment of large ice breakers had been confined to the great lakes of Canada until the direction of the Siberian Railroad ordered a powerful vessel of this class, which is now being erected on the shores of Lake Baikal, in Siberia. It has, however, been left for Admiral Makaroff to draw the attention of the Russian Government to the experience

gained in these inland seas, and to induce him to place an order for an ocean-going vessel larger, heavier, and more powerful than any ice breaker that has yet been built. The work which she is to undertake is much more ambitious than anything that has hitherto been considered practicable, and although it is impossible to predict whether the utmost expectation of the most sanguine adherents to the scheme will be fulfilled, there can be no doubt that the performance of the vessel will throw into the shade anything that has been done by ice-breaking steamers on this side of the world, and will also surpass the best work of the most powerful American ice breakers. In saying this, there is no intention of belittling the excellent work that has been done by existing ice breakers, which have been designed and built to meet conditions somewhat different from those which have guided the designers of the new vessel. It is held by many men of experience in navigation amid frozen waters that there will be no great difficulty in keeping open many, if not all, of the principal trade routes of the world which are at present rendered impassable every winter. The ice-breaking ferry steamers of the Canadian lakes succeed in maintaining practically unbroken connection between their stations through ice 4 feet in thickness, and they are often called upon to face what are actually known as windrows, when the drift ice has been piled up by the effect of the wind to a height of sometimes 20 feet. The greatest thickness of field ice reported by Dr. Nansen is 12 feet, and this was in latitudes where even commercial enterprise has not yet made for itself an outlet, and within the limits to which trade has hitherto been confined no such thickness of ice is to be found.

The dimensions and appearance of the vessel would suggest a battle ship, were it not that the bow is cut away and forms an exceedingly long overhang, which serves the double purpose of breaking the ice with which it comes in contact by concentrating the "vis viva" of the vessel, and of protecting the forward propeller. The earlier ice breakers were designed on the principle of breaking down the ice by what is not unfair to call brute force—that is to say, that the cutaway bow enables the vessel to be run partially up onto the ice, and if the weight thus applied was sufficient to break the ice well and good; if not, the icebreaker went astern until she came off (which, by the way, was not always successfully carried out) and tried again. The principle upon which the new vessel attacks the ice is also brute force, but is augmented by science. The forward propeller, by disturbing the water under the ice, deprives it of its support and then renders it a comparatively easy task for the heavy vessel to break through it.

Turning to the particulars of the vessel herself, the principal dimensions are: Length, 305 feet; breadth, 71 feet, and depth, 42 feet 6 inches. When fully loaded, the draft will be 25 feet and the corresponding displacement about 8,000 tons. The propelling machinery has been divided into four sets, of which three sets are aft, each driving its own propeller, and one set forward. The combined power of these four sets of machinery will be 10,000 horses. There is accommodation for thirty first-class passengers, ten second-class, and fifty third-class passengers, besides that for the captain, officers, engineers, and crew of the vessel. There is ample capacity for cargo, so that the vessel, in addition to conveying merchant vessels through the ice, is herself capable of carrying a heavy cargo. The stern of the ice breaker is cut to form a recess, into which the stern of another vessel can be securely lashed and thus obtain the utmost protection from her powerful consort. Admiral Makaroff has also in view the possibility of augmenting the ice-breaking capabilities of this vessel by having the assistance of a second vessel pushing her, as to which he has already made experiments. The conveying of merchant steamers is, of course, the primary object of the ice-breaking steamer, and it is confidently expected that in a very short time the principal trade routes which depend on Baltic ports will be kept open in winter, and thus provide continuous employment to an enormous section of the community. The ice breaker has so far been considered a powerful commercial influence, but it is impossible for a thoughtful person to consider the field which opens itself before so powerful a vessel without seeing at once what a world-wide influence must be exercised on naval strategy, by the practical demolition of the natural winter defenses of many important places.

The building of the vessel has presented many difficult problems. The hull is divided into no less than forty-eight compartments, each one of which is absolutely water-tight. Water-tight bulkheads are, of course, commonly talked of, but no water-tight bulkheads have been subjected to such severe tests as those in this vessel. Every compartment has been filled with water and put under a pressure due to a column of water extending to the upper deck. In the case of the large compartments, such as the engine and boiler rooms, this represented a very serious operation, as the capacity of each boiler room is nearly 2,000 tons.

[From the Illustrated London News, December 3, 1898.]

The campaign which the *Ermack* (the ice-breaking steamer) is carrying out has emanated from Admiral Makaroff, of the Russian navy, who has for a long time past been making an exhaustive study of the problems connected with pelagic ice breaking, and to the uninitiated appears sufficiently daring. The winter from November until April will be spent in passing up and down the Baltic as far as Kronstadt, and, if needs be, St. Petersburg itself. After the ordinary navigation in these parts is resumed the *Ermack* will go to Archangel and be in time to open that port long before the ice would relax its grip if left undisturbed. When this mission is accomplished it will be time for the *Ermack* to go to the most northerly latitudes of her "sphere of influence," the White and Kara seas. Hitherto a voyage to the famous Yenisei River has been attended with rather more risk than is necessary to make it appeal to the navigators of the world as a desirable cruise, owing to the impossibility of predicting whether the Kara Sea will be free of ice or not; and even if the outward voyage were satisfactorily accomplished, the return is just as perilous to the ordinary cargo steamer. With the *Ermack*, however, these perils vanish, and vessels under her convoy will, it is expected, be able to make three or four voyages every year to the Yenisei in place of the one or two (and that uncertain) that has hitherto been looked upon as the limit of possibility.

[From Success, May 20, 1899.]

With a roar like the bursting of an ice gorge lifted by a spring flood the *Ermack* recently forced her way into the harbor of Kronstadt, Russia, ending an unparalleled journey of 200 miles through solid ice, all of it being at least 5 feet thick, and that for 50 miles about 10 feet in thickness. To the right and left she hurled the huge blocks, as a locomotive plow throws the snow. Thousands of people on skates, on dog sleds, and in large and small sleighs and sledges, raced with her for the last 9 miles of her course, which she passed over in about an hour. As she came grandly into port, bells were ringing from the steeples of the city and of neighboring St.

Petersburg, military salutes were echoing for miles along the frozen shores, and shouts and cheers of welcome were pouring from the throats of an excited crowd of many thousands.

Her arrival on the 17th of March begins a new era in Russian commercial and naval history, and will probably cause the anniversary of that day to be as thoroughly observed in St. Petersburg as in Ireland for the great patron saint.

The vessel is a product of the skill of Armstrong, Mitchell & Co., shipbuilders, of Newcastle, England. She was designed by the Russian Admiral Makaroff, famous for giving one of the first successful demonstrations of the usefulness of torpedo boats in naval conflicts. She is of about 8,000 tons burden, and her engines are of 6,000 horsepower. The secret of her great execution lies in a powerful screw pointing upward and revolving rapidly in a horizontal plane far ahead of the cutwater and under the ice. A moment's reflection will show that while ice is braced sidewise in the firmest manner and is backed strongly against downward pressure by the water below, its resistance to upward pressure is merely the limit of its cracking point. Once cracked, as it is easily by the first swelling of a flood forced under it, it is tossed about wildly by every spring freshet. The upward pressure of the water from the rapidly rotating wheel imitates nature's method and cracks the ice, which is then forced asunder with comparative ease by the huge steel bows of the *Ermack*.

The admiral deserves world-wide honor for this invention, which, like all other great ideas, seems simple enough after it has been seen in operation. But some of our American inventors ought to elaborate the plan until we can navigate the polar seas even when frozen, as their ice is said to be only from 10 to 14 feet thick. They can undoubtedly produce vessels which will make navigation feasible all winter to the ports of Alaska, and make it unnecessary in the future for a whaling vessel, caught in the ice, to remain imprisoned until spring.

RAILWAYS IN RUSSIA.

Consul-General Holloway, in a report to the State Department in 1898, gives the following statement regarding Russian railways:

Railways in Russia are of two categories—imperial and private. The total length of all the Russian lines operated July 1, 1897, were 39,005 versts (25,860 miles), of which 7,593 versts (4,934 miles) were double track.

Of this length the Government operates 23,161 versts (15,356 miles); private companies, 12,182 versts (8,077 miles); Grand Duchy of Finland, 2,244 versts (1,488 miles), and the department of war (Trans-Caspian Railway), 1,418 versts (940 miles).

NEW RAILWAY LINES IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION.

BY THE GOVERNMENT.		Miles.
Branches of—		
Trans-Caspian Railway		430
Warsaw-Terespol Railway		68
Ekaterininsk Railway		218
Trans-Caucasian Railway		184
Moscow-Kursk Railway		13
Prinarevsk Railway		81
Samaro-Zlatoust Railway		67
St. Petersburg-Warsaw Railway		125
Kharkov-Nikolaev Railway		21

BY PRIVATE CORPORATIONS.		
Branches of—		
Vladicaucasian Railway		309
Irinovsk Railway		6
Moscow-Windau-Rybinsk Railway		255
Moscow-Kiev-Voronezhsk Railway		318
Moscow-Kazan Railway		285
Moscow-Yaroslav-Archangel Railway		579
Riazan-Ural Railway		86
Southeastern Railway		266
Abia-Fellin Railway		21
Jurkovka-Jampol Railway		48
Rudnitsa-Golta Railway		136
Oriekhovsk Railway		24
In Finland		194

PROPOSED RAILWAY LINES.

BY THE GOVERNMENT.		
Satka-Balski Rudnik		17

BY PRIVATE CORPORATIONS.

Branches of—	Miles.
Moscow-Windau-Rybinsk	707
Moscow-Kiev-Voronezh	5
Moscow-Voskresensk	36
Riazan-Tumy	51
Libau-Hasenpot	30
Riazan-Uralsk	503
Southeastern	119

According to the Journal de St. Pétersbourg, the total length of new Russian railways in course of construction in 1898, as well as those authorized and to be commenced shortly, was 12,228 verstes (8,107.2 miles).

The chief of these lines are Tiflis-Kars, Khavast-Tashkent, Tchaplino-Berdiansk, Grodno-Poharantsy, Perm Viatka-Kotlass, Tikhoretsk-Volga, Pétrovsk-Derbent Balandjary, Moscow-Briansk, Razouvaievka-Syzraue, Vyrypaievka-Simbirsk, Koubino-Arkhangel, Moscow-Savélovo, Moscow-Pavélets, Dankow-Smolensk, Berdithevi-Yanow, Moscow-Stockmanshof, and Tuckum-Windau.

RAILROAD BUSINESS IN RUSSIA IN 1898.

[Consul-General Holloway, in Advance Sheets Consular Reports, May 24, 1899.]

The mileage of Russian railroads was considerably increased during the year 1898. Of the newly constructed roads, the principal are on the trans-Siberian line section from Obi to Krasnoyarsk, 471 miles, and from Taiga to Tomsk, 59 miles. Regular trains have been placed on the line from Vologda to Archangel, 394 miles. The following lines have been opened, viz: The Moscow-Jaroslav-Archangel, the Riazan-Ural, and Moscow-Windau-Rybinsk, in the Moscow region; Lugansk-Millerovo, in the region of the Donetz basin, and Lukov-Lublin, in the Vistula region. The Russian railroads, on January 1, 1899, consisted of twenty-eight connecting lines, of which eighteen are controlled by the Government and ten by private companies, viz:

	Miles.
Baltic and Pskov-Riga	618
Catherininsk	649
Kursk-Kharkov-Sebastopol	982
Libau-Romny	826
Moscow-Brest	684
Moscow-Kursk-Nijni Novgorod	701
Nikolaevsk	604
Perm-Tiumen	823
Poliessk	953
Vistula	820
Riga Orel	785
Samara-Zlatoust	987
St. Petersburg-Warsaw	882
Western Siberian	882
Central Siberian	535
Syzran-Viazma	865
Kharkov-Nikolaev	791
Southwestern	2,433
Warsaw-Vienna	307
Vladi-Caucasian	905
Ivangorod-Dombrovsk	300
Lodz	17
Moscow-Windau-Rybinsk	545
Moscow-Kazan	803
Moscow-Voronezh	1,030
Moscow-Jaroslav-Archangel	1,071
Riazan-Ural	1,797
Southeastern	2,288

The lines not connected with the general system are:

Baskuchank	48
Transcaucasian	694
Transcaspien	958

The local roads are:

Irinovsk	36
First Society of Railroads	217
Sestroretsk	23
Tsarskoe-Selo	17

The total length of the Russian railway lines (with the exception of the Finland railroads, 1,590 miles long, which are controlled by their own directors, officers, and statutes) is 26,797 miles. This summary of the railroads in operation does not give a full idea of the extent of Russian railroad mileage at the beginning of the present year, as a number of lines are in course of construction, which, when completed, will furnish a total of 7,015 miles. On many of the roads under construction, temporary communication was opened last year, and others will be opened in the near future.

The most important line under construction is the Poltava-Kief, which will furnish an outlet for the products coming from a rich and densely populated region to Kief and farther west. The Poltava government is in the rich black-earth belt, the principal occupation of its inhabitants being agriculture. This, it is estimated, will furnish 219,355 tons of freight annually.

It is thought that the projected line from Nijni Novgorod south will carry 129,032 tons the first year, and that its business will increase rapidly.

It is proposed to construct a line from Zemetchina on the Syzran-Viazma Railroad to Kustarevka, to furnish an outlet to an area of 1,445 square miles, with a population of 112,000.

A line will be built from St. Petersburg southward to Kief, which will shorten the route 166 miles.

Measures will be taken to increase the capacity of the Novorossisk branch of the Vladi-Caucasian Railroad by constructing a new line from the Caucasian station to Ekaterinodar, and by laying down a second track from Ekaterinodar to Novorossisk, which is the terminal point for goods exported by the Vladi-Caucasian Railroad. The movement of freight on this line in 1895 amounted to 601,613 tons of grain and 64,355 tons of miscellaneous freight. Now that the Tihoretsk-Tsaritsine line is completed, cargo from the Volga will move on the Novorossisk branch.

In addition to the foregoing several roads will be constructed by the Government, viz: From Vladivostok to Kerch, which will run through a rich mining district; the Volchansk-Kupiansk line, 73 miles, a local road affording an outlet to an area of 1,288 square miles, with a population of 136,000; the Piatihotka-Koristovka line, which will connect the Catherininsk and Kharkov-Nicolaev railroads and will be also of local importance.

A line will be built from Chiatury to Darkveti, four miles long. In order to develop the manganese industry of Transcaucasia, the so-called Chiatury branch of the Transcaucasian Railroad was constructed in 1891, which carried 80,645 tons of manganese during the first year and a total of 193,549 in 1896, showing the development of the manganese industry in that region. But this branch does not meet the requirements, as the mines extend beyond Chiatury, and the line will be extended.

Concessions have been granted to private corporations to build the following lines: From Yalta to Balchisarai, 45 miles; from Novozubkovo to Novgorod-Seversk, 76 miles; from Belgorod to Sumy, 96 miles; from Holm to Belzshetsk, with a branch from Zamostie to Lublin, 119 miles; from Valk to Marienburg, with branches, 129 miles; and three small lines in the manganese region in the Transcaucasus, 26 miles.

The past year was the tenth of the existence of the new tariff regulations published March 8/20, 1889, reducing the passenger rates. The general passenger tariff introduced at the end of 1894 lowered the prices for distances exceeding 106 miles. For shorter distances for third-class passengers the tariff remained unchanged. Later suburban rates were adopted for distances of less than 106 miles, calculated at 1 copeck per mile per third-class passenger. The results of the general lowering of the tariff and the application of the suburban rates proved satisfactory. The number of passengers increased to such an extent that the railroads lost nothing. In view of these favorable conditions the tariff committee has decided to reduce the rates of all passenger tickets to correspond with those charged on the suburban lines.

The passenger department is working on a new rate sheet, which will be published at an early date. A further reduction has been made to emigrants, who have been carried at a reduced rate when traveling together, one ticket being issued to the whole party, which caused great inconvenience to the emigrants and railroad officials. Hereafter, each emigrant will be furnished with a ticket at one-fourth of the ordinary rate. A new tariff has been worked out for direct communication with the ports of the Far East, and this decides an important question concerning Russian commercial relations with distant ports. With the introduction of the new tariff it becomes possible to transport goods to the ports of the Far East from every railroad station of the interior of Russia. A new tariff for transporting Egyptian cotton to Lodz has been made out in connection with the Austrian railroads. Egyptian cotton was formerly billed to the Lodz district through Odessa, and the Russian steamship companies and Russian railroads profited by this traffic. The Austrians coveted this freight, and their railroads made a secret agreement with the steamship companies, reducing their tariff, and Egyptian cotton began to move through Trieste to Lodz.

Under such conditions, Russian steamers and Russian railroads lost business; and as the Austrian railroads could do the same thing with other goods coming to Russia from the ports of Asia Minor, the Russian Government increased the tariff on cotton on the Warsaw-Vienna Railroad and lowered the rate on the Russian steamship

company and the tariff on the Odessa-Lodz Railroad. These measures had the desired results—Austrian railroads came to terms with the Russian roads, and a tariff was established satisfactory to both countries. During the past year an agreement was made with foreign railroads concerning tariffs for kerosene and grain cargo coming from stations of the Russian railroads direct to the interior stations of German and Netherland roads. The interior tariff on sugar and salt and the general cargo tariff have also been reviewed this year. It is proposed to establish one general tariff for all the interior railroads, but this will not be done until next year. Owing to the failure of crops this year in some of the governments a special tariff was established for the transportation of seed grain and cattle to the famished districts.

Last year a project for reorganizing the ministry of ways and communications was presented to the Government for consideration and is nearing its solution.

PROPOSED RAILWAY LINE CONNECTING RUSSIA WITH THE PERSIAN GULF.

[New York Sun, April 30, 1899.]

There is nothing unlikely in the report that Russia has acquired the port of Bender Abbas, on the northern side of the entrance to the Persian Gulf, or the right to occupy it under certain prearranged conditions. So far back as 1889 it was known in London that Russia was treating with Persia for the exclusive right of navigation on the rivers flowing into the Caspian and of the construction of railways throughout Persia. In connection with the latter privilege there was mentioned at the time the right to build a line from Askabad or some other point on the Transcaspian Railway by way of Meshed, Jumain, Birjand, and Kirman to Bender Abbas. It is possible that the construction of the railway from Merv to Kushkh, on the Afghan frontier, with the intention of extending it to Herat later on, may in some degree modify this programme, and that instead of bringing the line from Askabad to Birjand via Meshed and Jumain, this last-named place may be connected with Kushkh and Herat by a much shorter route, which would then follow the original tracing through Kirman to Bender Abbas.

The advantages of this latter route would be very great, as it would bring the more populous and cultivated parts of Russian Turkestan and western Afghanistan into direct communication with the sea by the shortest and most feasible road. Leaving altogether out of consideration the military aspects of the question, the commercial advantages of such a railway to the coast of the Persian Gulf are enormous. A great stimulus would be given to production, which would engage the energies now wasted in isolated barbarism, and do more to assure the peace of those parts of Asia than anything else. According to news recently received in India the continuation of the Transcaspian line from Samarkand to Tashkend and Andijan toward the Chinese frontier has been in a workable condition since the beginning of January, but only by the aid of a temporary wooden bridge over the Syr Daria, the ancient Jaxartes. This wooden structure has lately been replaced by an iron bridge costing over half a million of dollars, which was opened with great ceremony.

Although undoubtedly the primary objects of this prosecution by Russia of railway construction into the heart of Central Asia are political and military, it is laying the foundation of a solid civilization whose needs will create fresh markets for the industry of other countries, in which the United States is bound to have its share.

[From the Zurich (Switzerland) Post.]

A Russian expedition, consisting of 7 officers of the general staff and 14 engineers, has reached from Kars, on its way to the Persian Gulf, the Little Sab, east of Mossul and northwest of Bagdad, on Persian territory.

The task committed to the Russian expedition is to prepare, with the authorization of the Shah of Persia, a continuation of the railway line Tiflis-Kars along the Turkish-Persian frontier down to the Persian Gulf. The railway is to be constructed by [from ?] Russia, and the building is to be commenced forthwith. Simultaneously a number of stations are to be erected for the purpose of protecting the projected railway.

[From the New York Sun, May 10, 1899.]

With regard to the Russian railways in central Asia, the Anglo-Indian papers are inclined to be pessimistic. The Times of India says that the British Government "can not regard with indifference the impending extension of Russian influence in Persia." The Pioneer, of Allahabad, the organ of the forward party, goes further and insists that the time has come "for England to declare the limits of her endurance," and that she should demand "her share of territory on the breaking up of the Turkish, Persian, Chinese, and Siamese empires. That share to be, 'first Egypt and then Arabia south of latitude 30°; then Persia south of a line drawn from a point north of Bushire to the northern point of the Afghan-Persian frontier; Thibet; the river basin of the Yangtze, and

Siam." And Mr. Maclean, formerly of India and now a member of the British Parliament, proposes that the Indian railways should be pushed through Afghanistan to meet the Russian roads.

To this the *Novoe Vremya*, of St. Petersburg, replies that a considerable time must elapse before this scheme can be realized, and shows that its postponement will not be to the disadvantage of Russia. It also says:

Our railway system in central Asia is being developed with objects in which the advantages of commercial transit play but a secondary part. The political situation renders it more desirable for us to see Afghanistan without means of communication, and able therefore to repel the British with vigor, than to see it furrowed with railways and thus opened to the operation of large military forces organized on the European system.

What the Russian Government aims at now, according to the latest and most trustworthy information on the subject, is to establish direct connection between its European railway system at Orenburg, on the river Ural, and the central Asian road at Tashkent. The distance is about 1,000 miles, and the line, when completed, would be, next to the trans-Siberian railway, the most important strategically of the Russian railways in Asia. It will be seen on glancing at the map that, with the distance between Orenburg and Tashkent filled in, there would be an almost continuous straight line of communication between St. Petersburg and Tashkent. The political and military significance of this is at once apparent.

EXTENSION OF RUSSIAN INFLUENCE TOWARD CHINESE TURKESTAN.

[From the New York Sun, May 25, 1899.]

Simultaneously with the announcement that a Russian exploring expedition has left St. Petersburg for central Asia, there comes the news that the governor of Kashgar, in Chinese Turkestan, has applied to Peking for a reenforcement of 15,000 troops. The exploration party is under the command of Lieutenant Kosloff and will make its way through western Mongolia and the Gobi desert, and, crossing the Nan-Shan Mountains to Lake Kukuror, pass into the region of the sources of the Hoangho. It is expected that the work to be done by the expedition will occupy about two years, and be the prelude to important action in that little-known part of Asia.

The anxiety manifested by the Chinese governor of Kashgar is not, however, occasioned by Lieutenant Kosloff's expedition, but by the military movements of the Russians in his immediate vicinity and in the southern part of his province. The recently reported reenforcement of the Russian garrison on the Murghab and the occupation of points in the Sarikul district on the eastern slopes of the Taghdumbash Pamir toward Tashkurgan, to the southwest of Yarkand, have no doubt alarmed the Chinese authorities and led to the request for more troops. The proximity of the head of the Transcaspian railway extension at Andijan, some 250 miles from Kashgar by a well-traveled road, taken in connection with the numbers of the Russian troops that are quartered along the line of rail between Samarkand and Andijan, also gives them cause of apprehension. In addition to local levies, the Russian regular force in that part of Asia comprises four battalions of riflemen, fourteen of ordinary infantry, nine batteries of artillery of eight guns each, fourteen sotnias of Cossacks and some companies of engineers, and a battalion of garrison artillery. Behind these, between Samarkand and the Caspian, there are said to be twelve battalions of infantry, twelve sotnias of Cossacks, a battery of artillery, and other troops, with power to draw on the garrisons in the Caucasus in case of need.

The interpretation to be put on the various reports coming from that part of the world at intervals would appear to be that Russia is moving steadily forward by means of her railway and military outposts into Chinese Turkestan. The trade of Yarkand and Kashgar that now finds its way to India through Kashmir will, in a brief period, be diverted to the far easier route to the Russian railhead, and the present caravan trade over the high passes of the Himalayas will gradually be extinguished.

Russian policy is undoubtedly to cause the populations of that part of Asia to look to Russia as the dominating power in all those regions north of the great plateau of Thibet in which the Yangtze Kiang, now definitely recognized as within the British sphere of action, takes its rise. What may be the value of the vast territory between the present frontier of Siberia and Thibet no one knows as yet, and it must be many years before its resources, whatever they are, can be opened up. What is essential in the matter is that, through the agreement between England and Russia, the development of it will be of a peaceful character and by means of the civilizing influence of the iron rail.

Chinese authority in western Mongolia and Turkestan will not long survive the corrosive influence of the steam engine and Russian enterprise, and the mysterious and once populous regions that poured their hordes into Europe will receive back in European civilization the means of rendering them again fit for human habitation.

RUSSIAN RAILWAY TO THE ARCTIC SEA.

[British Board of Trade Journal, March, 1898.]

The first railroad running to a port of the Arctic Sea is the continuation of the Vologda Railway, in Russia, which is now finished to the port of Archangel, on the southeastern corner of the White Sea, and at the mouth of the river Dvina. The Engineering and Mining Journal states that this new line, which was opened some weeks ago, is nearly 400 miles in length. The Vologda-Archangel Railway passes for the most part through deserted or sparsely populated regions or across "tundras" and marshes which are sometimes 50 feet in depth. The whole nature of the country through which the new line passes was unfavorable to its construction. Marshes and patches of bog and swamp had to be filled in; the newly made embankments were continually giving way and had again to be built up until the necessary stability had been obtained. Six iron bridges and numerous bridges of wood were required. The wooden bridges are built upon piles driven in some cases to a great depth beneath the surface. The new line is of military as well as commercial importance, for it must play a leading part in the opening of the northern provinces of Russia. It will furnish an outlet, for instance, for the deposits of petroleum which exist in northern Russia, but have not been worked on account of the lack of transportation.

NEW HARBOR IN THE WHITE SEA.

[British Board of Trade Journal, April, 1898.]

The Russian Government has decided to establish a new naval harbor in Katherine Gulf, the northwestern arm of the White Sea. The Manufacturer reports that on 13th July next the minister of marine will be present at the laying of the first stone of the harbor works. Owing to the vicinity of the Gulf Stream the waters of the Katherine Gulf do not freeze, except during the severest winters. For many years Russia has been anxious to obtain a port from Norway, but it is understood that the Norwegian Government has now definitely refused to grant her a base on any part of its extended coast line. The railway from Petrozavodsk to the White Sea will be finished in about five years.

THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILROAD AND ITS RELATION TO THE UNITED STATES.

[United States Consul Monaghan in Consular Reports, 1897.]

An event hardly less important than the cutting of the Suez Canal will be the building of the Trans-Siberian Railroad by Russia. Germany looks longingly forward to the time when fast trains are to run from Calais to Vladivostok. Five thousand miles of steel rails have been laid already at a cost of 350,000,000 rubles. July 1, 1904, it is thought, will see iron horses running from the shores of the north to those of the Japan Sea. In 1898 trains are to run over the Siberian road to the Amur River. Thence, by fast steamer, passengers, post parcels, and freight are to be pushed on to Chaborowka; thence, in eighteen hours, over the south Russian section of the Siberian road to Vladivostok, making the distance from London to the most important harbor of the Japan Sea seventeen and a half days. Many of the wares that go and come by boat now will find their way overland on these lines. Before 1901 Russia will have cut her way with steel rails across Manchuria, saving 300 miles. It is estimated by German engineers that when the road is repaired, after the first few years, and high rates of speed across Siberia are attained, the entire trip will be made in nine days and two hours.

The Anglo-Indo-Australian post bags weighed, in 1883 (the only year for which one finds figures), 842,448 kilograms. Last year England paid France and Italy for transporting the weekly post bags 1,400,000 marks (\$333,200), at the rate of 2 francs per kilogram of letters and 25 centimes per kilogram of printed matter. Assuming that 650,000 kilograms were letters and 1,600,000 kilograms packages and printed matter, its importance to this Empire will be apparent. The sphere of influence, apart from political or diplomatic interests, over which the great road is to extend lies east of the eightieth meridian east of Greenwich. It takes in all Japan, China, Australia, Annam, Siam, etc. If only half as much postal matter passes over the new line in 1901 as went via Suez in 1895, Germany will have to get 680,000 marks (\$161,040) for transporting 325,000 kilograms of letters and 800,000 kilograms of printed matter and packages.

To no one does time mean more or so much as to a traveler to and from the East; 90 per cent of the passengers will prefer to make the journey in nine to ten or twelve days overland to making it, as now, over seas

in twenty-eight to thirty-eight days. This, too, when tickets from Warsaw to Vladivostok are to cost only 120 rubles, first class. From London to Warsaw costs now 150 marks (\$45.70). Thus, the entire ticket (London to Vladivostok) is to cost about 500 marks (\$119), first class. Of course, second class is to cost considerably less; how much is now not known. A ticket to Japan to-day, via Brindisi and the Suez, costs 1,800 marks (\$428). If to the price of overland ticket the price of sleeping berth for twelve nights is added, there is even then a saving of \$166 to \$190 against the price now paid via Suez.

In 1895, 216,938 passengers went by the Suez Canal to China and Australia. For political, military, and other reasons drop 117,000 from the list of possible passengers from the Russian route, and there remain 98,229. Take from these 18,299 pilgrims, and 80,000 remain. Take of these 40,000 who are East Indian travelers, and there remain 40,000 plus 10,000 who hitherto have gone via the American transcontinental lines, plus another 10,000 West Europeans who go annually to the East on business or pleasure, etc., and we get 60,000, mostly first-class passengers, using the new route. These must cross Germany from its western frontier to Alexandrowa, on the Russian border. Sixty thousand multiplied by 100 marks (from Aix la Chapelle to Alexandrowa costs now 92 marks) equals 6,000,000 marks (\$1,428,000). The goods going over the road to the east and those coming west will be, naturally, those that can pay the biggest rates—furs, gold, silver, platinum, and tea. Many of these are to come to Europe out of Siberia itself. That land is rich in minerals of all kinds; the Urals are giving out gold and silver in large quantities. How important to Germany are the furs of Siberia may be learned at Leipzig's annual fairs. If the hammer that sent home the first spike in the first sleeper laid was silver, the one that sends home the last spike should be gold. Much as the road may mean to Germany, Russia, and the rest of Europe, it may mean more to us. California, Oregon, Washington, our whole western country, if not our whole continent, is interested in this road. Russia has her hands full at home. The hands to help in the East are ours.

There is something more attractive in our civilization and methods to Eastern people than in those of Europe; at least, this is asserted by Eastern travelers. To develop the resources of an empire so vast as Russia will require capital, enterprise, and energy such as has made us the richest nation in the world. To equip her roads, to develop her great agricultural, fishing, mineral, and forest resources, Russia needs just such implements as have helped us. No time is to be lost if we are to have any part in the great drama that has for its plot the development and modernizing of the Orient.

BUSINESS ON THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

[From the New York Journal of Commerce, May 20, 1899.]

The business of the Siberian railroad is increasing rapidly, though to what extent commercial traffic justifies it, apart from military reasons, it is impossible to say without a fuller statement of earnings and expenses and fixed charges. On the western and central sections together, the number of passengers carried increased from 175,000 in 1896 to 650,000 in 1898, and the freight from 207,878 short tons to 738,296 short tons last year, which is certainly a great growth in two years. These figures do not include 400,000 emigrants and their belongings carried by the western section. Of 490,000 tons carried by the western section in 1898, 320,000 tons were cereals. The Steppe regions touched by the western section had to import a hundred thousand tons of grain annually five years ago; now they export 70,000 tons. A traffic of 1,700,000 tons per annum is predicted for the trans-Siberian road within five years, on the assumption that within that time the road will reach the Pacific Ocean, and constitute at the same time a transcontinental route and a route from eastern Siberia to the ocean.

Consul-General Holloway sends from St. Petersburg, April 7, 1899, an extract from a Russian paper, giving the following figures of traffic in the last three years:

YEAR.	PASSENGERS.		GOODS.	
	Western section.	Central section.	Western section.	Central section.
1896.....	160,000	15,000	<i>Pounds.</i> 379,176,000	<i>Pounds.</i> 36,581,000
1897.....	236,000	177,000	765,213,000	194,752,000
1898.....	350,000	300,000	1,083,360,000	393,232,000

The article continues:

With the opening of the through traffic to the Pacific, the extension of the road as a carrying agent must be enormous. It is proposed to spend over \$40,000,000 in developing traffic during the next few years. Heavier rails and side tracks are to be laid and 1,429 bridges reconstructed. The average speed of trains is now 20 versts (13.26 miles) an hour for passenger and 12 versts (7.956

miles) an hour for goods traffic. When the reorganization is complete it will be possible to run trains at 50 versts (33.15 miles) an hour, which would enable them to travel from Moscow to Vladivostok in ten days. The distance separating the Atlantic from the Pacific could then be traveled in considerably less than a fortnight.

IMPROVED FACILITIES TO BE PROVIDED.

Russia has recently shown signs of considerable activity and enterprise in the matter of railway construction, but that the country is still behind the times, though ready for improvement, is shown by a recent official publication. In connection with the announcement that the Russian Government proposes to spend \$40,000,000 during the next few years in the development of traffic over the great Siberian railway, it is stated that heavier rails are to be laid, side tracks constructed, and 1,429 bridges rebuilt. These extensive improvements are to be undertaken because it has been determined to increase the speed of passenger trains from 13 miles to an average of 33 miles an hour. That a very large sum should be required in order to put the line in condition to bear the strain of trains passing at a rate of speed which in the United States is by no means considered great, shows that the Russians have not in the past exercised a very farsighted policy. The great increase in the weight of locomotives within the last dozen years has compelled many railroads in this country to strengthen their bridges, but important American lines always keep their roadbeds in shape for the rapid movement of trains.

SIBERIAN DEVELOPMENT, BY NEW LAND, WATER, AND RAIL TRANSPORTATION ROUTES.

[Bulletin de la Société Géographique Commerciale.]

Until very recently Siberia, so long unknown, has had an entirely artificial existence. The Russians themselves were almost as ignorant of its resources as the outside world, and regarded it merely as a country of transit; they knew that goods from the far East, especially teas, passed through it, meeting on the way some few European products, and, above all, long trains of convicts and exiles. The work on the great Trans-Siberian Railway has been the first germ of the economic development of the country. Hitherto Siberia has been inhabited only along the caravan route; a few miles on either side not the slightest trace of settlements or of cultivation could be found.

The caravan route extends from Mongolia to the Ural, with branch roads to the Amur, Lena, and Altaï. This road, like almost all others in Russia, has been made by the travel for centuries of men and animals; it is only a few years ago that the Government thought of keeping it in repair. Since then villages have sprung up along the route, partly due to individual and partly to Government initiative.

The railway doubtless has affected this business of overland transport; but it is far from having injured it fatally, as the long files of wagons and sleighs, loaded with merchandise, passing parallel to the iron road attest. There are two reasons for this—the high tariff of the railway, together with its still primitive organization, and the necessity for the peasants to find employment for their horses, especially during the long winter months.

The rivers afford the least expensive means of transportation, since boats have been forced by competition to lower their tariff. Unfortunately, the great Siberian rivers (except the Amur) flow from south to north. It has been proposed to unite them laterally by means of canals. The canal from the Ob to the Yenisei, not yet completed, follows the Kiète, a tributary of the Ob, for about 310 miles, then crosses a great lake, and by means of a cut nearly 5 miles in length joins a tributary of the Yenisei. This last river is reached about 155 miles north of Yenisséisk. When the innumerable rapids of the river Angara have been made navigable, the journey from Oust Kiakhtha, on the Mongolian frontier, to Tioumen, at the foot of the Ural, a distance of 3,604 miles, will be made by way of the Sélenga, the largest tributary of Lake Baïkal, the lake itself, the Angara River, which unites the lake with the Yenisei, the Ob Canal, the Ob River, and lastly the River Irtych.

The third means of transportation is the railway. It was not projected for the development of Siberia, but to seek on the Chinese coast a port free from ice, which nature has refused to the Baltic Sea. This railway is actually finished as far as Tomsk. The first express left St. Petersburg the 1st of April, 1898, composed of eight cars (sleeping, parlor, and dining cars), lighted by electricity and heated by steam. Trains are expected to make the distance, 1,939 miles, in six days. Singularly enough, this railway, which was not considered a commercial enterprise, has proved of great benefit to trade. Except troops and criminals, it was feared that there would be few passengers; the truth is that the number of trains might be doubled or tripled, as thousands of tons of merchandise are waiting for transportation. The road to Krasnoiarsk, the easiest of construction, is the most useful from a commercial point of view. In consequence of the development of traffic, the Russian Government has established a custom-house at Irkutsk, through which the teas and silks from the far East must pass.

Cereals grow abundantly in Siberia, and this trade is in the hands of the English and is carried on chiefly by the great rivers and the Arctic Ocean. Russia protects herself against Siberian grain by heavy railroad freight rates.

Frozen meat is sent to St. Petersburg; wools, tallow, butter, sheepskins, leather, and furs are also exported. Valuable furs are not found, however, in the radius of the railway.

The mineral productions include salt, gold, iron ore, coal, and plumbago. Copper and other metals are mined on a very small scale. Iron and coal are found everywhere; gold is also so universal that it might be called a Siberian specialty. In the basin of the Lena, and in all of the northeastern part of Siberia, there are said to be beds so rich that they might rival those of Alaska. Salt is unequally distributed; it abounds in western Siberia. In the district of Akmolinsk, on an average seven or eight out of every ten borings yield salt water.

The commercial relations of Europe with Siberia are capable of great expansion. It is a country where time has no value and whose people have no expensive tastes. The provinces of the Amur and of the seacoast are considered by Russia of great importance. They have been colonized officially, at great expense; and for a long time all foreigners, unless naturalized, were forbidden the acquisition of real estate. Recently, these regulations have been changed; the doors of this colony are open, and the influx of foreign capital is favored. All the trans-Baikal region and the basins of the Amur and Lena are free from duty. Sugar, tobacco, wine, and alcohol alone pay duty at Vladivostok or Nicolaevsk. To gain this market, we should send representatives to study conditions, and a direct line of steamers should be established. Up to the present time the Germans, Americans, and English alone have profited by this market.

A RUSSIAN VIEW OF THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILWAY AND ITS PROSPECTIVE EFFECTS ON COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

The Journal de St. Pétersbourg deals with the trans-Siberian railway both from a commercial and an economic point of view. From a commercial point of view the enterprise will, in the opinion of the Journal, be at first of little advantage, but as regards the development of the national wealth it is likely to be extremely fruitful in results.

The trans-Siberian railway will cost the State 300,000,000 rubles, while the revenues derived from it will be for some length of time quite insignificant. Dealing with the question as to the commodities on which the venture will depend, it is observed that the agricultural products of Siberia represent an annual value of 41,000,000 rubles, to which should be added the 25,000,000 produced by the gold mines and other metallurgical undertakings. There are also fur products. All this, however, is very little when compared with a capital outlay of 300,000,000 rubles. A large traffic in third-class passengers may be depended upon, although at reduced prices; but the carriage of passengers will give but little revenue. It must therefore be understood that for many years the enterprise will not yield interest, and that the capital sunk must be regarded in the light of a sacrifice made by the State.

This is the outlook commercially, but in the complicated machinery of the State, the commercial and economic interests do not always coincide. The most advantageous lines, from a commercial point of view, are perhaps those which connect the Volga with the Prussian seaports; the economic advantage of these lines is, however, doubtful. The Siberian line, apparently of so little immediate advantage from a commercial point of view, has, on the other hand, a very great economic importance; it might be said to be greater than that of any other railway in the Empire.

To the treasury the question presents itself as follows: While for a long time few direct benefits will be derived from the 300,000,000 rubles employed on this work, the State will indirectly benefit, as a result of the railway, from an increase of revenue in other directions. Thus, a million households of ruined peasants, who, being established in the governments of Tchernigow, Penza, Poltava, etc., can only impoverish the country, will be able, by migrating, to become a source of revenue to the treasury. The peasants remaining at home will be able, on the departure of the others, to add to their plots of land and to more easily pay their way.

The gold mines of Siberia are another instance in support of this theory. In the absence of ways of communication, the maintenance of the workmen in the mines is very costly, and this is prejudicial to the efficient working of these mines. This results in a great loss in the annual extraction of the precious metal. The trans-Siberian railway will be able to change all that, and to improve this important branch of mining industry.

Instances might be multiplied to show the indirect advantages to be expected from the Siberian railway. Without the advance of 300,000,000 rubles the State receipts would have a smaller development. In reality this money would be returned more quickly than in commercial enterprises reputed to be advantageous.

Casting a glance at the map of the trans-Uralian region it will be seen that it has an immense area of 11,000,000 square versts (square verst = 0.44 of a square mile), which is twice as great as that of European Russia. Not reckoning the sterile districts in the north and the sandy steppes of the south we get 600,000,000 deciatines of land (deciatine = 2.7 acres) suitable for agriculture or covered with forests. This is an area which compares with and is greater than that of Russia in Europe, representing only 440,000,000 deciatines. These almost boundless

territories of Siberia are occupied at the present time by 4,500,000 inhabitants, which gives an average of one inhabitant per 133 deciatines. On the European side of the Oural the proportion is one inhabitant per five deciatines.

It may be gathered from these figures what a vast field for colonization is offered by Siberia. At this moment a family of five members has on an average at its disposal an area of 665 deciatines—a large extent, and one quite beyond the capabilities of a single family to cultivate. This only refers to regions adapted for cultivation, such as those situated in the area comprised between the governments of Kharson and Archangel. Let it be supposed that the railway increases the Siberian population from the Ural and Semirétchié to Ussuri by 2,000,000 families; estimating the productive force of a family at only 300 rubles per year, this will give an increased revenue to the State amounting to 600,000,000 rubles. It is, as it were, the interest on capital newly raised, of which the annual interest alone exceeds double the entire capital expended for the construction of the railway.

In the above estimates of the anticipated advantages of the trans-Siberian railway no account has been taken of the impetus that will be given by the construction of this line to Siberian industry by the increase of the population, nor of the advantages from a commercial point of view that will be derived by the development of Kiakhta and Irkoutsk, and the increased importance of Vladivostok.

BELGIAN VIEW OF THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

[From report by Belgian State Railway agent at London.]

In recent years, the object of the great transportation companies has been to reduce the necessary time required to cross the Atlantic, which separates England from America, to traverse the New World from east to west in the least possible time, and to join America to China and Japan by means of rapid navigation across the Pacific.

The exposition at Chicago was the occasion for the American railways to attain the maximum of speed, certain trains having accomplished a mile in thirty-two seconds.

One recalls to mind also the feats of the great navigation companies in their competition for Anglo-American traffic, and the swift passages of the *Campania* and *Lucania* of the Cunard Steamship Company, those magnificent steamers which were able to reduce the passage between New York and Queenstown to five days ten hours and forty-seven minutes.

But these triumphs have not left the Old World indifferent. From the Côté de la Manche, the Pas-de-Calais, and the North Sea the competition for the Anglo-Continental traffic has become more intense. Efforts have been made by the Belgian Government to influence, by means of the Dover-Ostend line, the enormous travel between England and the Continent. Within a few years the Belgian Government has completely transformed its channel service; splendid packets have been put in commission, some of which are among the fastest boats in the world. The vessels easily make the crossing from Dover to Ostend in three hours. The latter city has become the head of the great international express lines, putting London in rapid communication with European cities, the Orient, and Egypt by means of trains de luxe running without change from Ostend to Constantza (for Constantinople), from Ostend to Trieste (for Alexandria), and from Ostend to Wirballen (for St. Petersburg). Thanks to the last train, called the "Nord Express," the distance between London and St. Petersburg can be covered in fifty-two hours.

The construction of the Trans-Siberian Railway is expected to materially increase the importance of the Nord Express. The total length of the Trans-Siberian is 4,547 miles—from Tscheljabinsk to Vladivostok, on the Sea of Japan. It will be the most extensive railway in existence.

More than a third of this gigantic enterprise is now completed. During the year 1895, 918 miles were constructed. At the same rate of progress the line will be finished within two or three years. Several branch lines are to be constructed later; that from Kiakhta to Peking will have a length of from 600 to 700 miles.

A train traveling at the rate of speed of the Pullman service between New York and Chicago would be able to make the journey between St. Petersburg and Peking in five days—that is to say, it will be possible to reach Peking from London in eight or nine days instead of thirty, the time required to cross the Atlantic, America, and the Pacific.

While waiting for the raising of the capital to construct this branch, work will be continued on the line across Manchuria from Nerchinsk to Vladivostok. The latter is separated from Nagasaki, Japan, by 600 nautical miles, and from Vassaunga (near Shanghai) by 1,000 miles.

With a speed of only 35 versts (23.2 miles) per hour, travelers who leave London may reach Japan in sixteen days and China in seventeen days.

The new railway will put Europe in communication with a population estimated to be in the neighborhood of 450,000,000 souls (comprising China, Japan, and Korea)—about a third of the population of the globe.

A GERMAN VIEW OF TRADE OPENINGS IN SIBERIA.

[British Board of Trade Journal.]

Germany is looking to Siberia for food products. As the railroad across the Russian Empire to Vladivostok nears completion interest in its importance grows. With its completion it may be that the world's ways of supplying Europe with food and raw products will change. It is to open up the vast East as it was never opened to trade. It is to make Siberia the competitor of Bulgaria, Austria, the United States, and all South America in supplying corn and cattle, gold and silver. The steppes and wastes of what was once deemed a cheerless desert are to blossom with harvests whose richness may not now be measured. Siberia alone is as large as all Europe. Over its plains roam countless herds of cattle, and in its hills are hidden huge quantities of all kinds of minerals—coal, iron, and gold.

According to a report of Mr. Monaghan, United States consul at Chemnitz, editors of leading papers are putting the German people on guard. They want them to wake up and work hard to get the advantage. They urge the folly of waiting till others have gone in and gathered the best places. They point out the Empire's losses because she began her colonial policy too late. This is cited as an eloquent illustration of what a stupid conservatism and hesitating policy brings. They urge the sending of an able consul to Vladivostok to represent and look after German interests. The city is to be the terminus of this great transcontinental line. It is to be the great commercial port of that part of the world. It is urged that a consul be sent who has the capacity to examine and compare—a man who can and will give all his time for the good of his own country. They do not want a merchant living in Vladivostok to be made consul, for his time, they argue, will be too much taken up with his own affairs. "We want someone," they say, "who will go over all the ground carefully, study it in detail, reporting to the home Government as often as he finds anything worth telling. The consul should be a man of affairs. It will not do to send a man who has had no experience. On the contrary, the ablest man in the service is the one to send. The task before him is one that will give him work all the time for all his faculties. Nor must our merchants depend on Government initiative or effort alone. They must make efforts, and, if necessary in the beginning, some sacrifices. A regular line of steamers should ply between Vladivostok and Hamburg, Bremen, or Stettin. The Americans do it. They sell now almost all the manufactured and colonial articles handled in Vladivostok. England's commercial agents have gone out to Siberian cities; so, too, have the commercial pioneers of Belgium and France. It is time for Germany to take action, if she is to get a firm footing in those places. The imperial consul should show the way, but the merchants must spur the State on to new efforts. This is the only way to win, especially against competitors like England and the United States. The population of Siberia is growing rapidly. Not only will that vast empire send out immeasurable food products, minerals, etc., but it must buy. These are the facts to be forced home. Her food products and raw materials will be cheap—so cheap as to shut out all other competitors. If we get in, we win new and vast markets for our rapidly extending industries and bring back those cheap foods, minerals, etc. If we ever had good reasons to work hard to win new markets, we have some here. Not an hour is to be lost. The sooner the Empire has its consul to work the better. The feast is for those who come first. The roads run from the West to the far East. Its importance is so great that only guesswork or the gift of prophecy can measure it." Such and similar arguments, Mr. Monaghan goes on to say, appear in the leading articles of papers whose every effort is being made to push Germany out into the world's markets. Russia's relations with the States have been always friendly. Her needs now are and for a long time will be such as no nation can or ought to be able to supply better and cheaper than American manufacturers. It might pay to have a consul at Vladivostok and agents in every Siberian city. Now that the road is almost built, it is time, as the Germans say, to look the field over carefully. The United States has a good start. It would be bad management to lose it. Russia resembles America in very many ways. Siberia's steppes are analogous to American plains, the Urals to American mountains. Vast rivers drain its plains, while forests of oak, pine, beech, and birch extend over vast tracts of territory. What is needed in the States to work farms, rivers, forests, orchards, and fields they need now, or will need. If Americans give them as good or better than others, as cheap or cheaper, the lion's share of trade must go to the States. The warning given should have a hearing among merchants and manufacturers.

FRENCH COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY IN SIBERIA.

According to the London and China Telegraph, a Siberian paper says that a syndicate of French financiers has been formed to start Franco-Russian factories in various parts of Asiatic Russia. The first will be opened at Vladivostok, and among its aims are the following: The exploitation of Siberian timber forests; the erection of hotels, on the French model, in six of the chief towns of the Russian far East, including Port Arthur, and at various points along the Great Siberian Railway; and the construction of a factory for the making of high explosives for mining purposes in one of the central towns of Eastern Siberia. A syndicate has also been formed

to arrange for steamship traffic on the rivers, and for the coasting trade of the Amur and the maritime territories. A Franco-Russian company, the "Nord Maritime," says the same paper, has undertaken to connect both ends of the Great Siberian Railway by sea with Dunkirk.

GERMAN TRADE IN EAST SIBERIA.

The Germans have, for some time past, been aware of the field for commercial exploitation offered by Eastern Siberia since the construction of the Ussuri Railroad and the adoption of the ice-breakers, which enable steamers of the largest size to enter Vladivostok throughout the whole of the winter season. The London and China Telegraph reports that, with the sanction of the Imperial Government, a German Siberian company for trade and navigation has been formed at Hamburg, one of the principal objects of which is the "development of commercial relations between Germany and the Amur River district." Khabarovka, the terminus of the Ussuri Valley Railroad from Vladivostok, admirably situated at the confluence of the Amur and Ussuri rivers, has been selected as the headquarters of the German company for the exploitation of the Amur district. Here an establishment controlling a series of agencies has been opened, where samples and collections of German goods will be stored and exhibited, such as have been found in demand and are suited for exchange against the raw products of Eastern Siberia.

It should be noted that Germany is already first and foremost among the maritime trading states doing business with the Ussuri Valley district throughout Vladivostok. German shipping stands at the head of the list entering Vladivostok last year with a total tonnage of 49,000. The growing commercial interests of the Germans in this region, combined with their determination to exploit the district of the Amur, is sufficient to account for the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to Vladivostok, and the otherwise uninteresting town of Khabarovka, on the great waterway of Eastern Siberia.

THE OPENING UP OF SIBERIA.

[From British Board of Trade Journal, June, 1898.]

Under the name Siberia, in the most widely accepted meaning of the word, are understood all Russia's Asiatic possessions, with the exception of trans-Caucasia, the trans-Caspian territory, and the Turkestan governor-generalship. Thus, Siberia is composed of the following parts:

1. Two governments of the basin of the river Obi, namely, Tobolsk and Tomsk, forming the so-called western Siberia.

2. Two governments of the basin of the Yenisei, namely, Yenisseisk and Irkutsk, forming the so called eastern Siberia, in the strict sense of the term, and entering into the composition of the East Siberian governor-generalship.

3. The Yakutsk region, constituting in respect to administration the Yakutsk territory alone. This, the most vast of all the Siberian territories, occupies the immense basin of the Lena and the less considerable basins of the smaller rivers—for example, the Yana, Indighirka, and Kolyma, falling into the Arctic Ocean. The Yakutsk territory in administrative respects forms a part of the East Siberian governor-generalship.

4. The Amur and Littoral region. This consists of three territories, constituting the Amur governor-generalship, namely, trans-Baikalia, the Amur, and the Littoral. These territories cover the whole of the Russian part of the basin of the Amur and the whole coast zone belonging to the basin of the Pacific, or rather of the Japan, Okhotsk, and Bering seas, including the vast peninsula of Kamchatka and the island of Sakhalin.

5. The Steppe Kirghiz region, which consists of three territories, comprised in the Steppe governor-generalship, namely, those of Akmolinsk, Semipalatinsk, and Semirechensk, in former times known under the collective name of the Khirgiz-Kaissak Hordes and Steppes. Composed as above, Siberia occupies the immense area of 250,000 square geographical miles, being twenty-five times greater than Germany and two and a half times greater than European Russia.

In a report on Siberia published in the Manufacturer, from which the above is taken, it is stated that the enormous expenditure of 350,000,000 rubles entailed by the construction of the great Siberian railway, which probably for a long time will not prove remunerative in the strict sense of the word, is explained by those numerous advantages not subject to arithmetical computation, which may be attained by the Government by the realization of this grand enterprise. The principal barrier to the development of culture in Siberia has hitherto been the absence of regular communication on the one hand between the most important administrative and industrial centers of Siberia, and on the other hand between Siberia and European Russia. Consequently, when this principal obstacle is removed, the causes will disappear which have for such a long time retarded the regular peopling of this extensive and richly endowed region and the rise in the culture of the aborigines and settlers.

The chief mineral riches of Siberia include, among metals, gold, silver, copper, and iron. There are also large and valuable deposits of mercury and tin ores. Among the carboniferous and combustible substances there are coal and lignite, graphite, sulphur, and naphtha; and among salts, common and glauber salts; besides which Siberia is rich in all kinds of rare stones.

Gold is found in nearly all parts. At the present time the Siberian gold industry extends over a vast area, and gold is exploited in the basins of the Obi, Yenesei (with the Baikal), Lena, and Amur. Beyond the 50,000 miners employed at the mines themselves, the Siberian gold industry gives occupation to a considerable population in the transport of goods to the mines and other auxiliary work. Indeed, it indirectly aids in the development of agriculture in the neighboring agricultural districts, and presents a profitable market for their produce.

In general, one of the chief hindrances to the development of the exploitation of veinous gold ores in Siberia is the absence of mechanical works, where the necessary machines could be constructed and repaired.

In the construction of the great Siberian railway, many large deposits of gold, silver, lead, and copper have been discovered. All these industries have only prospered in those places where very rich formations are worked; many of them are neglected only because the present price of labor and machinery and the difficulty of obtaining credit upon easy terms do not admit of their being worked with sufficient profit. In other countries where gold and silver mining is carried on much poorer beds are worked, and therefore the output is larger than in Siberia. The great railway, however, will facilitate and cheapen the carriage of stores and implements to the mines, and also increase the supply of labor, as many of the mines are suffering from an insufficiency of it. Under new conditions the cost of gold mining will inevitably decrease, and this will enable the poorer deposits to be worked. The output of gold will also be considerably increased, and the industry will doubtless acquire a firmer foothold.

Iron and coal, the two great factors of industrial development, are found nearly all over Siberia, from the Ural Mountains to the far eastern island of Saghalin, and rich iron beds are numerous. On account of lack of transportation facilities, both industries have been carried on to a very small extent, but as soon as the great Siberian railway is completed a constant and great demand for manufactured iron and steel will necessitate the construction of mines and iron works, the more so as the long distances will not allow the importation of heavy materials along the whole line.

For many coming years Siberia will offer an immense outlet for all kinds of machinery. Special attention should be paid to mining machinery and agricultural machinery and implements. Until lately there were no agricultural machines in Siberia. Recently small hand winnowers have been largely adopted in the Altai and in localities lying to the east of Tomsk, and horse thrashing machines have begun to appear among the rich peasants. Siberia offers also a market for wood-working and match-making machinery, flour-mill and brick machinery, paper machinery, and brewers' and sugar machinery. Hardware, tools, cutlery, and firearms would also find a ready market. The Siberian railway is now completed and in operation as far as Irkutsk, on the Baikal Sea, to the west, and Vladivostok to Khabarovka, on the eastern portion. Goods could find their way into Siberia from both sides, from Vladivostok on the Pacific, as well as from the European border, either by way of the Black and Caspian seas or by rail from St. Petersburg.

As already mentioned, notwithstanding the wealth of Siberia in the productions of the three natural kingdoms, manufacturing industry has not been able to develop itself on account of the lack of convenient and cheap communication. In view of this, in spite of the repeated attempts of the Government and of private persons to establish industry on a large scale in Siberia, manufactories and works have been started there only with great difficulty, and only those have been successful which served to satisfy the local wants of the population, or produced an article of such value that it might bear the cost of carriage to a great distance with profit.

Fairs in Siberia possess a great importance and are very numerous. The most ancient and important Siberian fair is that of Irbit, founded in 1643, administratively forming a part of the government of Perm—that is, of European Russia, but geographically an integral part of Siberian territory. Situated at the confluence of the Irbit and the Nitsa, tributaries of the Tura, Irbit forms the half-way house for a number of routes. The fair there is open from 1st of February to 1st of March, and during this time the little town wakes up and welcomes 15,000 to 20,000 strangers, doing business worth 40,000,000 to 55,000,000 rubles each time. In 1868 various goods were brought to this town to the amount of 37,311,000 rubles, of which 34,359,000 rubles worth were sold; in 1876 the figures were 49,022,000 and 45,987,000 rubles, respectively; in 1894, 54,710,000 and 52,820,000 rubles. The chief articles of trade there, after tea, are skins, honey, wax, nuts, hardware and cutlery, woolens, and cottons.

On the whole, it will be seen that there is a large field for foreign traders in Siberia. The Ural works are not able to meet the demand for iron and steel in European Russia, and the imports of machinery into Russia are yearly increasing. During the years 1893–1896 they were as follows:

	Roubles.
1893	26, 701, 623
1894	46, 345, 189
1895	53, 176, 205
1896	65, 412, 000

Russia is exerting herself to the utmost in order to develop her own machinery industry, and there is still much to be done. European Russia will not be able to supply the Siberian market, which will almost entirely depend upon importation from abroad.

The construction of the trans-Siberian railroad around the southern part of Baikal Sea offers immense technical difficulties; the Imperial Government intends now to cross the sea (about 60 versts, equal to 27½ miles) by a trestle bridge or similar construction. Should this be possible, the Government would save about 8,000,000 rubles in the construction.

The Chinese East Railroad will be connected with the Russian railways by two lines; the first one will start from the station of "Onon," of the trans-Baikalian railway, 440 versts; the second from Nikolskoje, of the Ussuri railway, 95 versts, to the eastern border of Manchuria. The Government has approved of the following rolling stock for these lines: trans-Baikalian railway—44 8-wheel locomotives, 40 passenger cars, 458 freight cars, 450 open freight cars. Ussuri railway—10 locomotives, 18 passenger cars, 149 freight cars, 50 open freight cars.

In a recent report of the United States consul at Moscow, it is stated that at a combined meeting of the committee of the Siberian railway and a department of the Imperial Council, which took place on the 16th of December of the past year, the work in the construction of the Siberian railway was considered. The construction of the first section of the central Siberian line (including the branch to the town of Tomsk), with the exception of minor unfinished work, is completed; and it is now possible to begin regular traffic. The work on the second section of the central Siberian line, on the Irkutsk-Baikal, on the North Ouroussisky and Perm-Kotlass sections is shown as follows: Seven hundred and eighty dessiatines (2,106 acres) of forest have been cut down and trunks uprooted, 2,329,000 cubic sagen (29,586,925 cubic yards) of earthwork have been laid, 224,960 square sagen (1,224,782 square yards) of railway embankment have been made, and 12,232 cubic sagen (156,391 cubic yards) of masonry have been completed. The laying of stone and cast-iron piping has been effected on the whole length of the central Siberian railway, and about 3,500 sagen (24,500 feet) of piping have been laid on the remaining sections. The construction of large and small bridges, with wooden and metal arches, is complete to the six hundred and thirtieth verst (four hundred and seventeenth mile) of the second section of the central Siberian line, as also on the North Ouroussisky railway; and besides this, 241 bridges have been constructed on the section beyond the Baikal mountain range. One thousand and twenty-three versts (678.24 miles) of the main and station lines have been laid, of which 853 versts (565.53 miles) have been ballasted. One thousand and two line and station buildings have been erected on these railways. The water supply is opened and 47 stations are being partially supplied. Of sleepers, 1,163,600 are prepared, and 4,495,100 poods (81,163 tons) of rails and fastenings. There have been completed 32 locomotives and 756 freight cars and platforms. The sections of the North Ouroussisky still in the course of construction will soon be finished.

On the 1st of September of the past year, 1897, the first through train from Vladivostok arrived at Kharabarovsk. For the construction of a railway ferry across the Baikal Lake, parts of the frame and machinery of a ferry ice cutter and the machinery for a floating dock have been conveyed to the town of Krasnoyarsk and to the village of Listvinnichnoia, where storehouses and workshops are erected. The work of putting the parts of the ferry ice cutter together and of constructing piers on the lake has been begun. For the improvement of the navigation on the rivers Angora, Schilka, Amur, and Oussouri, soundings were made and navigation charts prepared. There are now employed on these rivers 2 steamers, 1 steam launch, 6 barges and 2 dredges. The construction of a stone quay in Vladivostok has been commenced. The general result of the work from 1895 to 1897 is shown as follows: Earthwork, 7,536,500 cubic sagen (95,741,462 cubic yards); rails laid, 2,959 versts (1,696.61 miles); ballasted, 3,051 versts (2,022.81 miles).

The *Moniteur des Intérêts Matériels* reports that the Russian Government has decided upon the immediate construction of a line connecting the Oussouri railway with the Chinese frontier. This branch is to be finished and open for working by the 1st of January, 1900, at latest.

OPENING FOR SHIPBUILDERS IN RUSSIA.

[British Board of Trade Journal.]

A report, dated June 2, has been received at the foreign office from the acting British consul-general at Odessa, stating that, in view of the recent abrogation of important duty on ships built abroad entering Russia, and also of the decision of the Government to reserve exclusively to vessels under the Russian flag the rapidly increasing carrying trade between the Baltic, Black, and other seas, and with Russian ports in the far East—the attention of shipbuilding firms in Great Britain should be directed to the possibility of securing orders for the new ships which will become indispensable to the Russian mercantile fleet, if it is to cope with the increasing demands

made upon it. Such orders should be secured as promptly as possible, in order that the English firms may not be forestalled by foreign rivals.

For a period of four years, dating forward from January 1, 1898, the Russian Government has accorded to the Black Sea and Danube Steamship Company the right of plying between Odessa and ports on the Danube, at the same time granting a mileage allowance of 3 rubles 46 copecks per mile, with a limit of 330,180 rubles per annum, the company undertaking to acquire a tugboat and five barges, and to maintain a regular weekly service on the following lines, viz: Odessa-Ismail, Odessa-Karabbia, Karabbia-Kladovo, Rena-Kladovo.

SIBERIA AS A GRAIN-EXPORTING COUNTRY.

[Consul Stephan in Consular Reports, 1897.]

In a recent number of Dr. Conrad's *Jahrbücher für Nationalökonomie und Statistik*, there appeared an article by Dr. Ballod "Concerning the importance of the husbandry of Siberia." Considering the interest which Siberia is entitled to claim as a mighty field for colonization lying at the doors of Europe on the one side and the importance which it seems to acquire as a new grain-producing region on the other, it is especially gratifying when the results of careful investigation enable the widest possible circles to form an opinion as to the actual conditions of the country.

As Dr. Ballod remarks, Siberia has often been compared with the United States, and the opinion expressed that it presents to Russia quite as great and profitable a field for colonization as did once North America to England. This comparison as to what hopes and fears Siberia has given and may possibly give rise to is perhaps the best form of regarding the question. Nevertheless, such a comparison is thoroughly out of place, because, in respect to climate, conditions of soil, and capabilities of expansion of the regions still available for colonizing purposes, Siberia corresponds fairly with Canada, and, moreover, it contains almost the same number of inhabitants. The region of the Amur is, likewise, no better for colonization than British Columbia, inasmuch as it, too, has in the summer time an equally overmoist and unfavorable climate for grain growing.

With regard to the colonization of Siberia, the immigration (only that which comes from Russia is worth taking into consideration) has increased very largely of late. While in the eighties it hardly amounted to 10,000 to 20,000 annually, it rose in 1895 to over 100,000. It is claimed that in the present year, up to the middle of June, the number had risen to 145,000, so that neither could suitable provision be made for the new arrivals nor was enough surveyed land available. Dr. Ballod thinks that one may safely reckon on 200,000 to 250,000 immigrants for the next few years. Even European Russia would not sustain any palpable loss by such an outflow of emigrants, for her annual excess of births over deaths amounts to over 1,500,000 souls, so that the fear of some few strips of land in European Russia, which are now devoted to farming, becoming depopulated and of a want of farming hands being felt is thoroughly unjustified.

But with so strong an immigration as that referred to above, the land available for cultivation would hardly suffice for twenty-five years. The total area of cultivable soil in eastern and western Siberia and Transbaikalia amounts to 18,000 geographical square miles, or, in round figures, 247,000,000 acres. But of these millions at least 98,000,000 acres must be left to the present owners, even if their possessions beyond 18 dessiatines (48½ acres)—which is the limit allowed by law to each head—should be confiscated. For the new settlers the Government allows 15 dessiatines (40½ acres) per male. Besides this, one-fourth of the lands is to be held in reserve for the future growth of the population. According to this there would be about 112,000,000 acres available for the immigrants, and thereon 2,600,000 males, making 5,500,000 for the whole, could settle.

The country population would thus have grown to the extent of 150 per cent, and they would be able to produce two and a half times as much grain as the present population. Siberia, exclusive of the Amur region, could then raise 400,000,000 poods (6,453,000 tons) of grain; or, if the area of the grain-growing districts increases in proportion to the present dimensions by 25 per cent, 500,000,000 poods (8,060,000 tons), that is to say, only one-fourth or one-fifth of the entire Russian grain harvest. There would thus be from 87,000,000 to 110,000,000 poods (1,402,000 to 1,773,000 tons) available for export, after providing for the population of the cities, towns, and mining districts, instead of 35,000,000 to 44,000,000 poods (550,000 to 710,000 tons). This would only represent about 11 to 12 per cent of the soil suited to grain growing, whereas in western Europe, 25 to 30 per cent of the agricultural land is devoted to this purpose. The production represented by the above figures is, however, capable of being increased to the extent of from two to two and a half times, but not without careful cultivation of the soil by manuring, etc. Assuming, however, that the area of the grain land should increase to 25 per cent of the total cultivable land and that thus the quantity available for export should rise to from 174,000,000 to 220,000,000 poods (2,805,000 to 3,546,000 tons), this would still not amount to 50 per cent of the present total Russian export. However, this would not happen before forty or fifty years at the earliest. In the meanwhile, the exports from

European Russia would most certainly have become greatly reduced in consequence of the strong increase of the population, and even, possibly, have ceased altogether.

The Amur and Ussuria, which have not been taken into account in the foregoing, are said to contain about 28,000,000 hectares (69,100,000 acres) of cultivable land. That these will ever be able to send desirable grain, and more particularly wheat, to the European market appears doubtful, on account of the bad quality of the grain raised there. It is more likely that they may provide the markets of northern China with millet, etc.

A great increase in the cultivation of grain as a consequence of the eventful completion of the Siberian railway system is, as the author seeks to prove from careful estimates of production and freights in his possession, not to be expected so long as low prices rule on the markets of the world. It would be necessary for the Siberian peasant to export more cheaply than he has hitherto, in the absence of railways, been paid for his grain on the home markets. But should the prices of the markets of the world rise materially the profitable cultivation of wheat in middle Siberia would become a possibility, and this would probably bring about an important increase in exports.

Dr. Ballod arrives at the conclusion that the Siberian Railway will, at first, only open up the country for the export of the more valuable classes of goods and facilitate wholesale immigration. It will be of enormous importance as a transit route for goods of high value from China and Japan, and also for passenger traffic from and to these countries; but it will be serviceable to the development of grain export only in a very limited degree. This end could only be attained by the construction of cheaper export highways, which will, perhaps, follow with the progress of colonization.

COST OF THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

Latest reports on the trans-Siberian railway indicate that it has already cost over \$200,000,000, and that there are yet about 1,000 miles of the 3,644 miles to be built. The following table shows the cost of the road during the term 1893 to 1897:

DESCRIPTION.	Cost.	
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Construction of the Western Siberian Railway, without the Baikal branch.....	50,743,111	25,371,555
Central Siberian Railway.....	97,766,591	48,888,298
Branch line of Ekaterinburg-Cheliabinsk.....	6,535,258	3,267,629
South Ouroussisk branch.....	22,416,284	11,208,142
North Ouroussisk branch.....	22,461,130	11,230,565
Irkutsk-Baikal branch.....	2,405,914	1,202,957
Steam ferry across Lake Baikal.....	3,404,171	1,702,085
Zabaikalski Railway.....	72,447,186	36,223,593
Tomsk branch.....	2,609,765	1,304,882
Onon branch to the Chinese frontier.....	32,727,600	16,363,800
Nielski branch to the Chinese frontier.....	8,811,120	4,405,560
Perm-Cotlass branch.....	36,513,886	18,256,943
Various supplementary expenditures.....	21,167,865	10,588,932
Total expenditures.....	371,009,947	188,014,938

THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY OFFICIALLY DISCUSSED.

[From *Siberia and the Great Siberian Railway*; issued by the department of trade and manufactures, St. Petersburg, 1893.]

After the annexation of the extensive Amur and littoral territories and of the Ussuria region the want was felt of good ways of communication, on the one hand, in order to keep possession of them, and, on the other, in order to attract settlers and form new centers of population. In consequence of this a series of schemes appeared for the construction of new roads in Siberia, and Count Mouraviev-Amourski himself was almost the first who conceived the idea of a railway in this country. Upon the occupation of the mouths of the Amur in 1850, and especially after the successful expeditions of Count Mouraviev himself down that river, the inconveniences of the estuary for the entry into the river began to become evident, and accordingly there arose the idea of making use of the splendid bay of De Castri, in the Tartar Straits, and of uniting it with Sofisk, on the Amur, by a carriage road, with the intention of subsequently converting it into a railway. The surveys in this locality and the scheme for such a road were carried out in 1857 by Colonel Romanov, but the road itself was not destined to be realized for want of means. Simultaneously with this appeared the proposal of the English engineer, Dull. He conceived the idea of carrying a horse tramway from Nizhni-Novgorod through Kazan and Perm to one of the Siberian ports

of the Pacific Ocean; but this scheme, unsupported by any estimates, was obviously of too unsubstantial a character, and the Government accordingly passed it over in silence.

In the same year another foreigner, the American citizen Collins, petitioned the Government to authorize him to found a stock company, to be styled the Amur Railway Company, to unite Irkutsk and Chita. For the realization of this enterprise Collins wished to issue shares of 100 rubles, calculating upon getting all the necessary capital subscribed in Siberia itself. This scheme, although likewise destitute of any solid foundation, thanks to the sympathetic attitude of the then governor-general, Count Mouraviev, was examined on the very shortest notice, both in the ministry of ways of communication and in the Siberian committee, but in both institutions, albeit on different grounds, it was found to be inopportune and was rejected.

The third proposal, following close upon the second in 1855, aimed at uniting by rail Moscow and the Tartar Straits, on the Pacific shore of Siberia. The authors of this scheme were the Englishmen, Morrison, Horn, and Sleigh, who, without demanding any guaranty of income from the Government, yet petitioned for such considerable privileges that their granting would have led to the concentration of the whole Siberian trade and industry in the hands of foreigners for a very long period. At the same time they gave the Government no guaranty for the timely and successful accomplishment of the work contemplated. On more intimate acquaintance with the said proposal it appeared that it was founded upon no preliminary surveys. On this ground the Government did not find it deserving of attention, and informed the proposers of the scheme that the construction of a railway from Nizhni-Novgorod to the Tartar Bay did not enter into the plans of the Government, and therefore could not be accepted.

The question of the Siberian Railway aroused a lively interest in official and private circles, and therefore there was no lack of new, more or less imposing propositions. In the same year, 1858, appeared Sofronov's scheme to carry a railway from Saratov through the Kirghiz Steppes to Semipalatinsk, Minusinsk, Selenginsk, the Amur, and Pekin. Against it there then appeared in print many objections, in which was pointed out, among other things, the necessity of taking the line along the great Siberian tract, which had existed from time immemorial, crossing the Ural and connecting Nizhni-Novgorod with Kiakhta. Sofronov's scheme, like all the preceding ones, was a paper scheme, and not the result of actual investigation of the trading and industrial needs of the localities through which this mighty route was to pass. Submitted to Count Mouraviev-Amoursky's consideration, it called forth several corrections and additions, but had no practical consequences.

Of a much more practical character was the undertaking proposed by Kokorev & Co., who in 1862, having formed the idea of uniting the basins of the Volga and the Obi, those two giant streams of European Russia and Siberia, availed themselves of the scheme of the mining engineer Rashet, for a long time head of the Government and private mining works in the Ural and perfectly acquainted with that district. The surveys carried out with reference to this scheme pointed to the following line: From Perm, via the Nizhni-Tagil works, to Tiumen, 678 versts, with a branch to Irbit, 13 versts. This scheme, completely satisfying the demands of the through route, appeared to be the most desirable for the whole Ural mining industry, whose representatives received it very favorably. However, soon afterwards the same men abandoned the direction indicated by Rashet's schemes and adopted another, proposed by Colonel Bogdanovich.

The latter's plan was one of the results of his dispatch in 1866 to the government of Viatka to take measures against the injurious consequences of the crop failure which befell that country in 1864. After only two months from his departure from St. Petersburg Bogdanovich reported by telegraph to the minister of the interior on the 23d of March, 1866, as follows:

After removing all difficulties in the provisioning of the governments of Perm and Viatka and investigating the local conditions I am of opinion that the only sure means of preventing famine in the Ural country in the future is the building of a railway from the governments of the interior to Ekaterinburg and thence to Tiumen. Such a line, being subsequently continued through Siberia to the Chinese frontier, would acquire a great importance, both strategical and for international trade.

Afterwards, on the receipt from Bogdanovich of a more detailed report on the subject, it was, in April, 1868, thought good to authorize the said person to carry out detailed surveys and form a scheme for a railway from the village of Yershov through Ekaterinburg to Tiumen. The original project was somewhat hastily drafted, and therefore the author subsequently had to make several corrections and additions in it.

The two schemes referred to, powerfully affecting the interests of different parts of Siberia, called into existence a third in 1869, that of the trader Liubimov. The latter carried out surveys from Perm through the towns of Kungur, Ekaterinburg, and Shadrinsk to the hamlet of Bieloozersk, situated 49 versts to the north of Kurgan on the river Tobol, a distance of 711 versts. There was at the same time in view to carry from the main line a side mining branch in a northern direction from Ekaterinburg through the Nizhni-Tagil works to the Kushvinsk Government works, over a length of 131 versts.

The then governor-general of Western Siberia, Adjutant-General Khrushchov, also directed attention to the carrying out of these surveys closely affecting the country intrusted to his care, and having become acquainted on the spot with the direction of trade and its needs, presented at the end of 1869 a memorial addressed to the Emperor

upon the necessity of the rapid solution of the question of the building of the Siberian railway, pointing out at the same time the nearest route for it through Nizhni-Novgorod to Kazan and Tiumen.

Thus, at the end of the sixties, upon the question of the construction of a Siberian railway there were sharply defined the three above-mentioned routes according to the schemes, respectively, of Rashet, Liubimov, and Bogdanovich. All three begin at Perm, and they end, the first and third, in the town of Tiumen, and the second at Bieloozersk on the river Tobol, which it was proposed to make navigable. In the numerous discussions of these schemes in scientific societies and in literature, the first route was named the Northern, the second the Middle, and the third the Southern. Although no small number of preliminary surveys were made in all these directions, yet, when in connection with the above-mentioned report of Adjutant-General Khrushchov, this question began to be discussed in the higher Government spheres, it was found possible, in the first place, to build only a part of the line projected, 700 versts in length, in order to join the Kama with the Tobol.

In order to form an opinion from the mass of not fully elaborated and not always exact data collected during the carrying out of private surveys, as well as to determine the most advantageous route for this line, a special commission was fitted out to the Ural, for whom the satisfaction of the needs of the Ural mining industry was to have the greatest weight, while at the same time it was pointed out to them that the road must, although to a slight extent only, answer to the requirements of the Siberian transit trade. However, on a closer acquaintance with the matter, it appeared that these objects are incompatible, and therefore the preference was given to the Ural railway, the question of the Siberian road remaining open for some time. The surveys afterwards carried out in 1872-1874 by the Government established three principal routes: (1) Kineshma, Viatka, Perm, Ekaterinburg, 933 versts; (2) Nizhni, Kazan, Krasnoufimsk, Ekaterinburg, 1,172 versts; (3) Alaty, Ufa, Cheliabinsk, 1,173 versts. Thus, the first route proves to be a development of Mr. Rashet's scheme, that is, of the northern; the second, the altered scheme of Mr. Bogdanovich, or the southern; and, finally, the third, a compromise for the simultaneous satisfaction of the requirements of the Siberian and Central Asiatic transit traffic. The committee of ministers on examining these routes had its attention arrested mainly by the first two, and in 1875 it was decided to carry the Siberian railway by the route from Nizhni-Novgorod along the hilly bank of the Volga to Kazan, Ekaterinburg, and Tiumen.

It will be appropriate to observe here that the choice of the direction for the Siberian railway between north and south everywhere called forth very lively discussions. Various pamphlets appeared arguing for and against the said routes, the constant subject of dispute being not the direction of the railway in the Siberian territory, but its direction within the limits of European Russia. From the above-quoted enumeration of the routes it is clear that all the proposals agreed in this, that whencesoever the line of railway begin, it must necessarily pass through Tiumen. Further than this point few went, and few interested themselves whether the line led through the southern steppes and traversed cultivated centers or extended through the thickets of the north, while only passing through the most important places.

In consequence of such being the situation of a matter so deeply interesting to Siberia, the higher administrative authorities of the country more than once raised the question of the immediate laying down of railway communication between different very important points of the country. Thus already in 1875 a petition was started to build a railway from Vladivostok to Lake Khanko, which was followed by a lively correspondence in higher Government spheres upon the construction of railways by preference in eastern Siberia within the territory of the Littoral and the Ussuri region, especially in view of the development in all directions of China and Japan. However the then difficult position of the imperial finances did not permit of immediately proceeding to the realization of such desirable propositions.

Continuing to discuss the most advantageous route for the Siberian line, the Government at the same time did not cease to occupy itself with the enlargement of the general system of railways, which in 1877 already reached Orenburg. In the following year, 1878, the Ural railway was opened, and in 1880 was completed the imposing structure of the Emperor Alexander II bridge across the Volga, while finally, in the same year, ensued an imperial command for the immediate building of the section of railway between Ekaterinburg and Tiumen. The accomplishment of the above-named constructions in connection with the results of new surveys showed that the southern route for the Siberian railway, sanctioned in 1875, on account of altered circumstances, could no longer answer to its destination. Accordingly in 1882 the discussion of the Siberian main line was begun afresh, which demanded the carrying out of supplementary surveys in several new directions, so that in 1884 the possibility appeared of presenting the three following routes instead of the southern. Of these, the first was from Nizhni-Novgorod through Kazan, the Nikoloberezyovsk wharf and Ekaterinburg to Tiumen; the second from Samara via Ufa, Krasnoufimsk, and Ekaterinburg to Tiumen; and the third from Samara through Ufa, Zlatoust, to Cheliabinsk. The choice of one of these three directions would predetermine to a certain extent that of the main Siberian line itself, and at the same time decide the question finally, without having sufficient data on the route which Siberian freights would take on the completion of the Ekaterinburg-Tiumen line then under construction, joining the basins of the Volga and the Obi, and also in consequence of the imminent completion of the Obi-Yenisei

Canal for the uniting of the basins of the Obi and Yenisei, did not seem possible. Really the realization of these two works was opening over a vast extent a water route connecting the basin of the Volga with Lake Baikal, and consequently must have a serious influence upon the direction to be taken by the railway line right through Siberia. On the other hand arose the question, was there any necessity, with the existence of excellent water communication, for the immediate construction of an unbroken line of railway through the whole of Siberia, and was it not better to be content in the first instance with the building of isolated sections possessing some political, strategical, or industrial importance.

In this last respect the schemes put forth by the engineers Ostrovsky and Sidensner deserve particular attention. The former presented his proposal in the beginning of 1880. He maintained the idea that at that time, for the consolidation and economical development of Siberia and its relations with Russia, it was necessary above all things to improve and facilitate the internal communications of Siberia and only then complete the routes of transit then in existence upon this side of the Ural. Under the existing circumstances he saw no need for an unbroken line of railway right through Siberia. The author saw the solution of these problems merely in the quickest possible construction of the following three roads: Perm-Tobolsk, to unite the two large rivers Kama and Irtysh; Tomsk-Krasnoyarsk, to unite the Obi and the Yenisei, and finally the third, Omsk-Barnaoul, to unite the Irtysh at Omsk with the Obi at Barnaoul, with its continuation to Biisk, and, further, to the frontiers of China. On the creation of the two first lines for an extent of 800 and 560 versts, respectively, extensive communication is opened between the basin of the Volga and that of lake Baikal, this union being effected not with the aid of shallow and not always navigable rivers, but through the Kama and the Irtysh, which never lack water.

The engineer Ostrovsky ascribed special importance to the Omsk-Barnaoul line. This line would shorten the great water road from the immensely rich mining district of Altai to Tobolsk, and would strengthen the trade with China through Biisk, Kobdo, and Ulyasutai. Only by taking advantage to the largest extent of the waterways of Siberia would be realized a cheap and convenient communication between the center of Siberia, Irkutsk, and the center of European Russia, Moscow. The direct union, by an unbroken line of railway, of the two centers referred to will become urgent and realizable only in the more or less distant future, and, beyond controversy, only on Siberia attaining a higher degree of civilization than at present. Having examined the conditions which this imposing construction must satisfy, the engineer Ostrovsky indicates in general terms its direction from Moscow to Irkutsk as follows: The road should pass through Riazan, Spassk, Ufa, and thence through Zlatoust, Cheliaba, Petropavlovsk, Omsk, Kainsk, Tomsk, Mariinsk, Achinsk, Krasnoyarsk, Kansk, Udinsk, and Balagansk to Irkutsk. It will thus throughout its whole extent meet all the chief administrative and trading centers of Siberia, will nowhere quit the zone of densest population, and will traverse almost exclusively the fertile chernoziom tract, from the Volga to the Yenisei. The construction of the southern line might be accomplished in separate sections, each of which might be completed independently of the rest, preserving its own proper importance.

The route quoted of the Siberian railway indicated by the engineer Ostrovsky deserves attention in this respect that it almost exactly coincides with that which is now finally adopted for the Great Siberian Railway.

The engineer Sidensner, who took part in the expedition for carrying out the surveys in connection with the construction of the Obi-Yenisei Canal, expressed the opinion that with the realization of this work and the removal of the rapids in the lower part of the Angara a vast waterway would be opened of 5,000 versts extent from Tiumen to Baikal. Next from Baikal begins the coast road to Sretensk of 950 versts; and there again, a new waterway by the Amur for 3,000 versts. Discussing in detail the cart road, Sidensner draws the conclusion that as a matter of fact it may be considerably shortened, as the first 150 versts pass by the shore of Baikal and the valley of the navigable river Serenga, and the last 350 versts along the shore of the raftable river Ingoda and in part of the Shilka. Thus, the road is reduced to 450 versts, and even here, from the happy direction of many shallow rivers which can easily be made navigable, there only remains the pass across the Yablonovoi range from the Areisk Lake to the settlement of Tanginsk, a distance of 18 versts; and only over this small section will it be necessary to build a railway to unite by a water route the basin of the Volga with the Pacific shore of Siberia. The proposition to carry out surveys in this direction, although met with favor, in consequence of the want of means could not be accepted.

Yet many more schemes were presented, which were discussed both in Government spheres and in scientific societies, but the majority of them suffered from a lack of actual foundation. Special commissions were organized in the Imperial Russian Technical Society and in the Society for Promoting Russian Trade and Industry, which labored very long upon the consideration of the question of the route and cost of the Siberian Railway, but to write about all the schemes placed before these meetings would take up very much time; they fill books. The principal directions are marked upon the map appended to this work, omitting the variations whose name is legion.

Independently of the schemes proposed by private persons several governors-general of Siberia began vehemently to urge the necessity of building different sections of the line. Among these petitions particularly noteworthy are the schemes for sections of the way from Tomsk to Irkutsk and from Baikal to Sretensk, put forth by

Baron Korf and Count Ignatiev, intended to unite the Western Siberian navigation with that of Eastern Siberia on the Amur. To these two sections a third was soon added, from Vladivostok through Razdolnoe, Nikolskoe, and Anuchino to the Busse Post. The surveys carried out in these directions only touched the technical side of the matter, leaving the economical entirely aside, in consequence of which in 1887 it was not considered possible to proceed to the preparatory works for the carrying out of the schemes referred to. An exception was made only in reference to the Ussuri line, the construction of which was put in the first rank. This question was in 1890 placed for consideration before a special commission, which was also charged with elucidating in what order the different sections should be built, in order as far as possible to lighten the sacrifices of the treasury and draw the greatest advantages from the working of those sections which should be constructed first.

In the special commission at the end of 1890, when the system of Russian railways projected eastward in three lines whose extreme points were Tiumen on the Ural line, Miass on that of Zlatoust-Miass, and Orenburg on the Orenburg line, on the discussion of the question of the conditions of the construction of the Great Siberian Railway, new circumstances cropped up which somewhat altered the former view of the matter. Strategical views partly gave way before considerations of an economical and commercial character, it being at the same time declared that the aim of the creation of the Siberian railway should consist not so much in the opening in Siberia of new markets for the sale of the productions of European Russia, as in affording Siberia itself the possibility of marching along the road of normal economical development and placing that vast country, so richly endowed by nature but bereft of convenient ways of communication, as far as possible in the same conditions as those which European Russia at present enjoys. Only in close economic communication with European Russia could Siberia grow and develop. On the other hand, European Russia in economical relation with Siberia would draw upon new sources for its development and enrichment.

The commencement of the Siberian railway from the east—that is, from the Ussuri section—would not completely answer to the objects laid down, and it was therefore recognized as more expedient to begin this great work simultaneously from the opposite ends in the east and west. The terminus of the line at its eastern end was one starting point, namely Vladivostok, and about this there were no differences of opinion and no disputes. Other point to the slightest extent suitable for the purpose, there is none upon the Pacific shore of Siberia.

The choice, on the other hand, of the western terminus offered a more difficult problem, which, however, at last was reduced to the selection of one of the three above-mentioned points with which the railway system of European Russia terminated toward the east. From whatever point the Siberian railway was begun, on continuing it into the depth of the country all three variants must necessarily join approximately at a point near Nizhneoudinsk, as is shown upon the annexed map.

Choosing Tiumen as the point of departure, the line must be carried to Yalutorovsk and Kainsk, leaving Tomsk by the way, as the taking of it in a more northerly direction to Tomsk is excessively difficult, in consequence of a desert region covered with forests and swamps. Farther on, the line must go to Mariinsk, Krasnoyarsk, and Nizhneoudinsk. The distance from Tiumen to the last point is 3,474 versts. If the starting point chosen be the station of Miass, the road will pass through Kurgan, Kainsk, Kolyvan, Mariinsk, Krasnoyarsk, and Nizhneoudinsk. The total distance is in this case 2,683 versts. Finally, selecting Orenberg, the line must be taken to Orsk, Atbassar, Akmolinsk, Pavlodar, Biisk, Minousinsk, and Nizhneoudinsk. The total extent of the road by this route is 3,400 versts.

Comparing the advantages and excellences of laying down the line in these three directions, the following is the result. Uniting the Siberian road with Tiumen without connecting it with the general system deprives it the importance of a line of transit. But if the Ural line be produced from Perm to Nizhni, then, in the first place, this distance of 1,000 versts will cost about 71,000,000 rubles, and in the second, the said line from its technical conditions will present many difficulties in the way of profitable through goods traffic. The second route is 791 versts shorter than the preceding, and besides this embraces the most populous parts of Western Siberia, with a chernozion and exceedingly fertile zone producing much more grain than is required on the spot. The third route, traversing several large administrative and industrial centers, at the same time passes through a very unsuitable region in its western half. For about 1,500 versts the line goes through waterless, thinly populated steppes little adapted to civilized life, where in winter rage the fiercest winds, in consequence of which there are frequent snowdrifts. In its eastern half this route intersects an extensive mountainous district and the carrying through it of a railway will require a crowd of technical complications and an increase in the cost of construction connected therewith. With all this the route in question is 717 versts longer than the preceding. Thus all the advantages proved to be in favor of prolonging the Samara-Zlatoust-Miass Railway through Cheliabinsk, Kurgan and so on.

In consequence of all the above, the question of the construction of the great Siberian railway was resolved on the 21st of February, 1891, in the sense of proceeding in the same year to the building, by direct order of the treasury, of the railway from the station of Miass to the completion of the Zlatoust-Miass line in construction to Cheliabinsk, and to the carrying out of surveys from Cheliabinsk to Tomsk or some other point of the middle

Siberian section. Finally, by an imperial rescript given the 17th of March, 1891, in the name of His Imperial Highness the Tsarevich, the question of the construction of the great Siberian railway was finally and irrevocably decided in the affirmative.

The gracious will of His Majesty the Emperor, clearly expressed in this rescript, put an end to many years of hesitation and doubt as to the accomplishment of the said great undertaking, and now the Government has taken all the necessary measures for the most successful realization possible of this good conception, which has a perfect right to take one of the first places among the most extensive and important enterprises of the expiring century, not only in this country but in the whole world.

SIBERIAN RAILWAY TO BE SHORTENED BY A LINE THROUGH NORTH CHINA.

[Consul-General Karel in Consular Reports, 1897.]

At the beginning of the work on the trans-Siberian railway the trans-Baikal and Amur section was planned to extend from China through Sretensk, on the shores of the river Shilka, to Pokrovskaia; thence along the northern shore of the river Amur to Khabarovsk, to join the Ussuri railroad (running south to Vladivostok). But investigation clearly showed that the construction of a line in that section involved such technical difficulties as would greatly increase the cost of the undertaking. Thus, for example, on the Sretensk-Khabarovsk section, 1,667 versts (1,105 miles) long, the cost per verst (0.663 mile) would amount to the sum of 90,000 rubles (\$46,260). This first raised the question of building the trans-Siberian railway through Chinese territory, and investigation made in Manchuria showed that it would not only cheapen and shorten the construction of the road, but would present other advantages. Negotiations were begun on this subject, and the result was that the Chinese Government gave a concession to the Russo-Chinese Bank, and a new company, called the Eastern Chinese Railway Company, was formed, which is to construct and work a railway within Chinese territory. The articles of association of the new company were sanctioned by the Czar December 16, 1896, and by an imperial ordinance issued on the 23d of December, 1896.

The details of the arrangement are these: The association has been organized on the strength of the convention concluded August 27, 1896, by the Chinese Government with the Russo-Chinese Government Bank for the construction and exploitation of a railroad within the boundaries of China, from a point on the western frontier of the province of Heilung Chang to a point on the eastern frontier of Kirin, and to be connected with the branches of the trans-Siberian railway which the Russian Government intends to build. The company may, with the permission of the Chinese Government, work, in connection with the railroad or separately, coal mines and other mining, industrial, and commercial enterprises in China. In case such enterprises should be worked independently of the railroad, then the company must keep a separate set of books for each of them. The Russo-Chinese Bank takes upon itself the duty of organizing this company, and when the same is organized all the rights and duties concerning the construction and exploitation of the line granted by the above-mentioned convention are conferred upon the company. The company will be considered organized as soon as the Government bank presents to the minister of finance proof that the founders of the company have paid in the first installment of the shares, and they should be paid in not later than two months after the confirmation of the articles of association. The balance of the shares should be paid in, according to their nominal value, not later than a year after the organization of the company. Shares can be held only by Russian and Chinese subjects. According to the convention, the company will own the Chinese Eastern Railway during eighty years after the opening of the whole line.

The Russian Government guarantees the resources of the company to the extent of making obligatory the payment of shares. The company takes upon itself, during the whole period of the concession, on the part of the Russian Government, the following obligations:

(1) The Chinese Eastern Railway, with its appurtenances and rolling stock, must be always kept in full order to satisfy all the requirements of operation in relation to safety, convenience, and constant movement of passengers and freights.

(2) The traffic on the Chinese Eastern Railway to be kept up in conformity with the traffic on the Russian railroads connecting with the Chinese railway named.

(3) All trains of the Russian trans-Baikal and Ussuri railroads are to be met by the Chinese Eastern Railway and forwarded to their destination without delay.

(4) The company binds itself to transmit, with a speed not less than that used on the Siberian railway, all passenger and freight trains in direct communication with it.

(5) The company binds itself to construct and use on the whole length of the road a telegraph line, connecting with the telegraph lines of the Russian railroads, and to receive and send, without delay, through dispatches going from one frontier station to another, as well as telegrams going from Russia to China and the reverse.

(6) If, after the development of the operation of the railway, its technical arrangements shall not satisfy the requirements of a regular and uninterrupted traffic of passengers and freights, then, as soon as the Russian railways require the Chinese Eastern Railway to be reenforced, the latter must take suitable measures to improve its technical arrangements for the increase of its traffic.

The new line will begin at the Onon station of the trans-Baikal railroad and will cross the Chinese frontier near the town of Staro-Zurukhait. It will run in Manchuria toward the towns of Cicikar (Tsitsikar), Khu-lan-Chen, and Ning-tu and connect with the Nikolsk station of the South Ussuri Railroad. The total length of the Manchuria railway will be 1,920 versts (1,273 miles), of which 1,425 versts (945 miles) will be in Chinese territory. According to the original survey of the Siberian line, the length of the road between the stations Onon and Nikolsk showed 2,434 versts (1,614 miles), consequently the course through Manchuria will shorten the Siberian railway 514 versts (341 miles), which is a great saving. Besides, the Manchuria line will go more to the south than the former Amur direction (the difference in some parts being 600 versts = 398 miles) through a country of better climate, with more productive soil. It will also cross the fruitful valley of the river Sungari, which supplies the Amur region with bread. In general, northern Manchuria, which the new line will cross in the middle, possesses natural wealth, some of which to some extent is already worked. The agricultural industry forms the principal occupation of the Manchurian population. Wheat, barley, buckwheat, rice, millet, pease, and maize are cultivated in considerable quantities. Manchuria poppy and tobacco are well known for their quality and the extent to which they are cultivated. Another important industry in that country is cattle breeding. Of mineral wealth, Manchuria is rich in iron ore, and, not long ago, work on gold mines was begun. On the line itself and its region in Manchuria are several large commercial points. Among the principal ones are Girin, Khailar, and Cicikar (Tsitsikar). Well-known annual fairs are held in Flandchur, in which northern Mongolia and northern Manchuria generally take the principal part, and also, to some extent, the Russian trans-Baikal. At the end of eighty years the road is to pass into the possession of the Chinese Government.

RUSSIA IN THE CHINESE MARKETS.

[United States Consul Bedloe in Consular Reports, November, 1898.]

In recent reports which I had the honor to submit to the Department special attention was invited to the manner in which Dutch (Java) and Russian (Batum) oils are crowding out our American kerosene from the great markets of the densely populated Empire of China, and I pointed out the advantage which our Dutch rival has in the important matter of freight, the sources of supply being much nearer China than our American petroleum wells. I now beg to respectfully draw the attention of our people at home, who are interested in the important matter of American trade, in addition to the points to which I referred in my reports on American oil in China, to another and very grave menace with which our trade in China will probably soon be threatened. It is the system by which Russian merchants will undoubtedly seek to expand their trade with the Celestial Empire as soon as through railroad communication is completely established between Russia in Europe and China via Siberia and Manchuria.

It must interest and concern our American manufacturers and exporters to note the extension of the Russian efforts to obtain territorial concessions from China and their possible effect on American trade in the Chinese Empire. The importance of this question to our manufacturers and the gravity of the issues involved are made clearer by a retrospective view of Russia's action in other parts of Asia, where the Russian merchants have had to meet British competitors. Russia's success in Central Asia in pushing her products ahead of her rivals will undoubtedly be repeated in China, with a result serious to us where our trade interests clash with hers in cotton goods, kerosene, and flour. The Russian system will be applied in China to all rivals in trade when the through railroad line enables Moscow manufacturers and merchants to pour their products into the Empire of China on terms and under conditions which Russians will be in a position to fix as they please.

It is obvious that Russia's policy is not only the acquisition of an ice-free seaport like Port Arthur or Talien-wan. She has for fifty years or more been planning to capture the rich markets of this vast Chinese Empire, and to accomplish this it was necessary to run a railroad through Siberia to a convenient seacoast port open all the year. The concessions granted by China under the convention of 1895 were merely stepping-stones for the Muscovite trader to reach richer markets. It appears from the published text of the agreement which the Chinese Government is alleged to have made with the Russo-Chinese Bank that the Chinese have bound themselves to charge one-third less import duty on all Russian goods entering China through Manchuria than is paid on similar products from other foreign countries landed at a Chinese port.

Export duties are to be reduced one-third in favor of Russia. All Russian manufactured goods intended for the Chinese markets are to be charged lower transit dues than those shipped from non-Russian ports. Such an arrangement for the preferential treatment of Russia's trade would prove a serious matter for American manufacturers and merchants in the markets of the far East, and would deal a heavy blow at American commerce.

The methods Russia has successfully applied in cutting into British commerce in other parts of Asia will, it is to be presumed, be employed in China. Reasoning by analogy, we may profit by reference to the records of British and Russian trade in Khorassan and northeastern Persia. The commercial reports dealing with the foreign trade of Persia show how effectively the Russians can kill trade in products of which they desire to secure a monopoly in oriental markets where a dangerous competitor has obtained a footing. The British trade journals have admitted the fact that long-established business in Manchester piece goods has been ruined by the Russians, not by means of preferential rates for Russian merchants, or lower import duties, or similar acts of violation of treaty rights to which exception could be taken, but by a rebate on Russian imported cotton goods. On every pound of manufactured Russian cotton or other goods sent into Persia, the Moscow manufacturer and merchant receives an allowance from the Government of an amount equal to 3 half-pence (sound money), which is more than sufficient to cover the cost of freight (amounting to just a half-penny per pound), leaving a penny per pound profit in freight beside the usual profit on their goods. This rebate is, in fact, a bounty paid to the Russian mill owner and merchant, amounting to over \$3,000,000 annually, which has as effectively killed the trade in British cotton goods in Persia as the grant to continental beet-sugar manufacturers has ruined the industry of the West India sugar-cane planters. The Russian bounty system has been applied in Central Asia and adjoining frontier lands, with the result that no foreign product which Russia produces has been able to hold its own in the Eastern markets accessible to Russia or within her "sphere of influence." Competition has been killed by the device of a countervailing grant or bounty in aid of Russia's industry. Of course, this rebate or bounty system of Russia does not come under the head of preferential duties, but it works wonders for Russian trade. Why not help our American trade by similar means?

The Russian method, if enforced in China, will surely injure our trade in oil, flour, piece goods, and other products we send to China, when once the Russians have completed their railway across Siberia and are in a position to supply the Chinese markets with products of their own European factories. The system of Russian bounty will seriously affect our American kerosene interests when it is extended to oil-tank trains through Siberia and Manchuria, bringing millions of gallons of the Russian (Batum) petroleum to China. We will, of course, hold a portion of the trade, owing to the superiority of our American kerosene, which is so popular that the agents of the Russian and Dutch oils put up their goods in imitation of, and even brand and label it as, genuine American kerosene. This counterfeiting, imitating, and false labeling in China is not confined to unscrupulous people in the oil business, but immense quantities of goods "made in Germany," and also from Belgium, and "Fairbanks" scales made in Osaka, Japan, are sent to China and palmed off as American products.

COMPETITION OF RUSSIAN COTTONS IN THE MARKETS OF CHINA.

The competition of Russian cotton goods with those from British India in the markets of China is pointed out in an elaborate report by the British resident in Kashmir, who says:

Anyone walking through the bazaars in the towns of Kashgaria can not fail to be struck with the quality and variety of foreign cotton prints (chintz) with which every booth for the sale of piece goods is stocked. These prints form the bulk of the imports to Chinese Turkestan from Europe, and it is principally in the development of this trade that the Russians are exerting all their powers. To encourage their export trade, for several years past a bounty has been given on all chintz of Russian manufacture for sale in the Chinese Turkestan markets. When a merchant starts from Marghillan for Kashgar his goods are sealed by the customs officer in that town, from whom he receives a certificate. On arrival at Kashgar the bales are opened in the presence of a customs officer attached to the Russian consulate, whose duty it is to examine whether the bales had during transit been tampered with. If these are intact, he indorses the certificate received by the merchant at Marghillan, and this document henceforth becomes a negotiable instrument, for the payment of which some arrangements would appear to have been made with the Bank of Kokand.

The bounty varies according to the description of the piece goods—

On calico, 2.80 rubles per pood (36 pounds).

On chintz, 3.20 rubles per pood (36 pounds).

On Turkey red or Adrianople colored chintz, 4.20 rubles per pood (36 pounds).

This bounty, it is calculated, is more than sufficient to cover the cost of transport from Moscow or Nijni Novgorod to any city in Kashgaria, and accordingly Russian goods can be sold as cheaply in Chinese Turkestan as in the towns of their manufacture.

The bounty system is a combination of the Russian Government, which is as skillful as it is economical. Since its establishment, duty on foreign imported cotton has apparently been increased proportionally to the amount of the bounty. This has had the effect of encouraging the growth of the native cotton, which in recent years has so extended in Russian Turkestan that the Government has had to make regulations for its restriction. Another important result of the bounty system, and one which chiefly concerns the United Kingdom, is the stimulus which it has given to the Russian foreign cotton trade.

But if Russian piece goods are cheap and plentiful in Kashgar it is not solely due to the above cause. The intimate relations which exist between the manufacturers and the merchants have also contributed to this result. It is not usual for traders in Kashgar to employ middlemen in the purchase of goods. They travel themselves to Moscow, and, having direct dealings with the manufacturers, avoid all expenses of brokerage, a course which, moreover, has the advantage of making known to the manufacturers the exact requirements of native markets.

Now, if the conditions under which piece goods are brought from India are examined, they will be found much less favorable.

Despite the road improvements which have been and are still being made, the difficulties of transport will always be greater on the Indian than on the Russian side, and this disadvantage under which British merchants now labor will, it is expected, be even increased in the near future, when the projected railway between Samarkand and Kokand shall have been constructed.

RUSSIA GAINING ON ENGLAND IN THE TRADE OF THE ORIENT.

The Bulletin de la Société Géographie Commerciale calls attention to what it terms a marked decrease in the commerce of British India with Khorassan. In 1896-97 it says the value of the English exports from Bombay to Mashad was only some \$437,900; less than half that of the preceding year. Tea and indigo were formerly the chief articles of export. In 1895 Bombay sent to Mashad \$184,927 worth of tea; in 1896 only \$53,532, and of this figure \$3,796 represents the value of the tea sent to Russian territory. The same is true of indigo; the imports have fallen from \$109,010 to \$16,546. This condition of affairs it explains as follows:

(1) The customs regulations in force along the whole extent of the trans-Caspian frontier prohibit the admittance of European and British-Indian goods to the markets of Central Asia, with the exception of tea, indigo, muslin, spices, Indian shoes, precious stones, and coral; and these articles are subject to high duties.

(2) Russia has succeeded in having these articles transported by way of Batum, thus aiding the trans-Caspian Railway.

(3) The Government of the Czar is trying to monopolize the commerce of eastern and southern Persia. Subsidies are granted to traders, good roads have been made in the trans-Caspian territory, consular agents are installed in several districts of Khorassan, and the emigration of Russian merchants to different points of the province is encouraged.

(4) The Russians trade only for cash, thus risking nothing, while the Indian merchants, following their ancient customs, give credit. The Russians are not only extending their traffic in the Khorassan; they have penetrated almost to the frontiers of India, so that in the very places where the English merchants ought to be masters of the market Russian goods are sold. In addition, the Russians are doing their best to induce the Indian merchants established at Bokhara to give up all relations with Bombay and to buy the Chinese green tea, imported by the land route. To facilitate the sale of cotton goods, the Russian Government gives to exporters heavy bounties, sufficient to pay the cost of transportation, so that the cottons of Moscow and Nijni-Novgorod are sold in Kashgarie at the same price at which they are delivered from the manufacturers. Under such conditions it is evident the Anglo-Indian merchants can not compete, and the Government of India will, it is probable, take steps to aid them. The building of the trans-Caspian railway along the northeastern districts of Persia has been of the greatest advantage to Russia.

POPULATION OF RUSSIA BY CENSUS OF 1897.

According to the census of 1897, the population of the whole Russian Empire is 129,211,113, of which there are 64,616,280 males and 64,594,833 females. The following table shows the population by separate territories of the Empire.

TERRITORIES.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Inhabitants per square verst. (a)
In 50 governments of European Russia.....	46,433,636	47,755,114	94,188,750	22.2
In 10 governments of the Kingdom of Poland.....	4,753,879	4,688,711	9,442,590	84.6
In 11 governments and regions of Caucasus.....	5,129,931	4,593,622	9,723,553	23.6
In 8 governments and regions of Siberia.....	2,959,557	2,772,175	5,731,732	50.5
In 3 regions of Turkestan and trans-Caspian region.....	2,281,340	1,893,761	4,175,101	3.9
In 5 regions of steppes.....	1,803,560	1,611,614	3,415,174	1.6
In the Grand Duchy of Finland.....	1,250,426	1,277,375	2,527,801	8.8
Russian subjects in Buhara and Khiva.....	3,951	2,461	6,412	.....
Total.....	64,616,280	64,594,833	129,211,113	6.8

a 1 square verst=0.43916 square mile.

b The whole of Asiatic Russia, if the trans-Ural districts of Perm and Orenburg governments are added thereto, contains 15,500,000 inhabitants.

This census shows 19 cities containing over 100,000 inhabitants each, 35 cities from 50,000 to 100,000, 69 cities from 25,000 to 50,000, 13 cities from 10,000 to 25,000, and 3 cities from 5,000 to 10,000.

The following table shows all the cities containing above 50,000 inhabitants:

CITIES.	Population.	CITIES.	Population.
St. Petersburg	1,267,023	Jaroslav	70,610
Moscow	988,610	Kherson	69,219
Warsaw	614,752	Orel	68,558
Odessa	404,651	Vitebsk	66,143
Lodz	314,780	Ekaterinodar	65,697
Riga	282,943	Zshitomir	63,452
Kiev	248,750	Revel	64,578
Kharkov	170,682	Liban	64,500
Tiflis	159,862	Belostok	63,927
Vilna	159,568	Namangan	61,906
Tashkent	156,506	Elisavetgrad	61,841
Saratov	133,116	Cronstadt	59,539
Kazan	131,518	Kremenchug	57,879
Ekaterinoslav	121,216	Tsaritsine	55,914
Rostoff on Don	119,889	Penza	53,680
Astrakhan	113,075	Samarcand	51,900
Baku	112,253	Kokand	54,452
Tula	111,048	Sebastopol	54,442
Kishinev	108,506	Berdichev	53,728
Nijni-Novgorod	98,503	Tver	53,477
Nikolaev (government of Kherson)	92,060	Poltava	53,060
Samara	91,659	Kursk	52,908
Minsk	91,113	Tomsk	52,430
Voronezh	84,015	Novocherkask	52,005
Kovna	73,543	Taganrog	51,748
Orenburg	72,740	Irkutsk	51,484
Dvinsk	72,231	Ufa	50,576

MONEY, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES OF RUSSIA.

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MONEY.

The legal unit of money is the silver ruble of 100 kopecks. It is of the value of 3s. 2.054d., but in official calculations 6.40 rubles are taken as equal to the pound sterling.

Gold coins are the imperial and half imperial of 10 and 5 rubles. The half imperial weighs 6.544041 grammes 0.916 fine, and contains, therefore, 5.998704 grammes of fine gold. Its value, in paper rubles, for the year 1896, has been settled at 7r. 72c., and 15r. 45c. for the imperial. The new imperial weighs 12.902 grammes 0.900 fine, and consequently contains 11.6118 grammes of fine gold. Its value, in paper rubles, has been settled by the ministry of finance, for the year 1896, at 15 rubles for the imperial, and 7r. 50c. for the half imperial. The ratio between gold and paper currency is thus established for the year 1896 at $1\frac{1}{2}:1$.

According to the new laws of January 3 (15), and August 2 (September 10), 1897, new gold coins of exactly the same value, weight, and dimensions as the above will henceforward be coined bearing the inscription of 15 rubles on the imperial, 7r. 50c. on the half imperial, and 5 rubles on a new gold coin of this value, and paper money can at any time be exchanged at its nominal value against these gold coins.

The silver ruble weighs 20.7315 grammes 0.86896 fine, or (in the new coinage) 19.9957 grammes 0.900 fine, and consequently contains 17.994 grammes of fine silver. Besides the silver ruble, credit notes (100, 25, 10, 5, 3, and 1 ruble) are legal tender.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

1 verst (500 sajènes)	= 3,500 feet, or two-thirds of a statute mile (0.6629).
1 sajène (3 arshines)	= 7 feet English.
1 arshine (16 vershok)	= 28 inches.
1 square verst	= 0.43941 square mile.
1 dessiatine	= 2.69972 English acres.
1 pound (96 zolotniks = 32 lot)	= $\frac{1}{16}$ of a pound English (0.90283 pound).
1 pood (40 pounds)	{ = 36 pounds English.
	{ = 0.32244 cwt.
63 poods	= 1 ton.
1 ship last	= about 2 tons (1.8900).
1 vedro (8 shetffs)	= $2\frac{1}{2}$ imperial gallons (2.707).
1 tchetvert (8 tchetveriks)	= 5.77 imperial bushels, or $\frac{1}{16}$ imperial quarter (0.72186).

RUSSIAN TARIFF RATES ON PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED.

The Russian tariff on the principal articles of importation, and especially those likely to be demanded from the United States, are given by Consul-General Karel, in a statement published in the United States Consular Reports in June, 1897.

The Russian custom-houses, he says, are classified according to the powers conferred on them relative to the importation of goods and the collection of duties, as follows: Principal customs warehouses; custom-houses of the first, second, and third classes; tollhouses; and posts situated on frontier passes. The principal customs warehouses are authorized to sanction the entry of all kinds of foreign goods (except those prohibited), for clearance or for shipment in transit. Goods may be stored in customs warehouses for a period not exceeding three years before the payment of the duties thereon or before their reshipment to a foreign country. Principal customs warehouses are established at Batoum, Irkoutsk, Kharkov, Libau, Moscow, Odessa, Revel, Riga, St. Petersburg, Taganrog, Tiflis, and Warsaw. In the custom-houses of the first class, the import duties must be paid within one year from the date of the entry of the goods. Import duties on foreign goods which are allowed to be cleared by custom-houses of the second class must be paid within two months from the date of entry. Those goods referred to are tea, wine, alcoholic beverages, sugar (raw and crushed, in loaves and lumps), colors, pharmaceutical products, articles of gold and silver (which must be stamped at the assayer's office), smoking tobacco, snuff, and cigars. The custom-houses of the third class have the same powers as those of the second, except as regards the importation of machines other than agricultural. The import duties in these custom-houses must be paid within a month. Tollhouses can clear only goods exempt from duty, with the exception of machines and apparatus, cereals and flour, and wines proceeding from Austria-Hungary. Customs posts situated on frontier passes are not open for the importation of foreign goods. All duties are collected in gold. One gold ruble has 100 copecks, and equals 77.2 cents (United States).

The following is a table of customs duties:

1 pood = 36.112 pounds. 1 funt = 0.90282 pound.

KINDS OF GOODS.	Unit.	Rate.	
		Rubles.	Dollars.
Rice:			
Husked.....	Per pood.....	0.70	0.54
Unhusked.....	do.....	.40	.3088
Nuts (wood and garden nuts of all kinds excepting those specially mentioned).....	do.....	1.00	.772
Tobacco:			
In leaves, bundles, with or without stalks, and tobacco stalks.....	do.....	15.40	11.888
Cut smoking tobacco, snuff, and tobacco of all kinds in rolls, cakes, etc.....	Per funt.....	1.30	1.00½
Cigars, rolled from leaf, and cigarettes.....	do.....	3.20	2.47
Fruit and berries (fresh, salted, steeped, etc., of all kinds except those specially mentioned).....	Per pood, gross...	1.20	.9264
Meat (salted, smoked, or dried, and sausages).....	Per pood.....	1.00	.772
(All comestibles manufactured from the meat of swine are prohibited.)			
Cheese.....	do.....	5.40	4.1588
Hides, dressed:			
(1) Small—tanned, tawed, curried, or saturated with alum, chamois leather, calfskins, fishskins and skins of amphibious animals, and small tanned thongs for lacing the ends of machine belting.....	do.....	11.00	8.492
(2) Morocco leather, glazed leather, kid, and shagreen; all kinds of leather with impressed ornaments, and lacquered leather, small.....	do.....	12.75	9.843
(3) Large—ox, cow, horse, or pig skins, tanned, saturated with alum, or tawed, in whole or half skins; parchment.....	do.....	6.00	4.632
(4) Lacquered skins, large.....	do.....	7.22	5.5738
Manufactures of leather or skins:			
(1) Boots and shoes of all kinds (except those specially mentioned), finished or not.....	Per funt.....	1.00	.772
NOTE.—Leather or skins of all kinds, cut out for boots or shoes or small wares.....			
(2) Boots and shoes for women, of kid, finished or not.....	do.....	1.70	1.3124
(3) Gloves of any kind of leather.....	do.....	2.55	1.9686
NOTE.—Gloves cut out, but not sewn, pay duty at 1.50 rubles (\$1.058) per funt.....			
(4) Harness, with accessories; saddlers' work; riding whips made of small leather thongs.....	do.....	.55	.4246
(5) Valises, trunks, traveling bags, and sporting articles made of leather and of coarse tissue of hemp or jute; note and pocketbooks of leather; prepared leather for binding; all other articles of leather which are not specially mentioned, even with metallic parts or with parts of other materials, when not constituting fancy articles of leather.....	do.....	.70	.54
(6) Transmission belts for machinery, sewn or not; straps for weaving looms; small round transmission belts, whips, buckets, and other coarse leather ware.....	do.....	.20	.1544
Cast iron in pigs, scrap, and filings:			
(1) Of all kinds, with the exception of those specially mentioned—			
(a) Imported by sea.....	Per pood.....	.30	.2316
(b) Imported over the western land frontier.....	do.....	.35	.27
(2) Maganese, silicium, and chrome.....	do.....	.50	.386

KIND OF GOODS.		Unit.	Rate.	
			Rubles.	Dollars.
Wrought iron:				
(1) In bars, horseshoe iron of all kinds, except that mentioned below; pigs, puddled blooms, scrap, and mill bars; iron in powder.	Per pood.....		0.60	0.4632
(2) Iron rails, perforated or grooved.....	do.....		.60	.4632
(3) Sheet iron of all kinds up to No. 25, inclusive (Birmingham gauge; in plates exceeding 18 inches in width; horseshoe iron of all kinds, of a width or height exceeding 18 inches, and of thickness or diameter of 7 inches or more (T, TT iron, beams, and Z iron, figured iron, with the exception of angle iron entering in section 1 of the present number); hoop iron of a width or diameter of more than one-fourth to one-half of an inch, inclusive.	do.....		.85	.6562
(4) Sheet iron above No 25.....	do.....		1.00	.772
Steel:				
(1) In bars and horseshoe steel of all kinds, except that mentioned below; steel in pigs and in scrap.....	do.....		.60	.4632
(2) Steel rails, even perforated or grooved.....	do.....		.60	.4632
(3) Sheet steel of all kinds, up to No. 25, inclusive; in plates exceeding 18 inches in width; horseshoe steel of all kinds, of a width or height exceeding 18 inches, and of a thickness or diameter of 7 inches or more (T, TT steel, beams, and Z steel, figured steel, with the exception of the angle steel entering in section 1); hoop steel of a width or diameter of more than one-fourth to one-half of an inch, inclusive.	do.....		.85	.6562
(4) Sheet steel above No. 25.....	do.....		1.00	.772
NOTE.—Steel of a width or diameter of one-fourth of an inch or less pays duty of 1 ruble (77.2 cents) per pood.				
Lead:				
(1) In pigs and scrap; litharge, white litharge, scorix, or dross of lead.....	do.....		.10	.0772
(2) In rolls, sheets, wire, and piping.....	do.....		.30	.2316
(3) Type metal (alloy of lead and antimony) unwrought.....	do.....		.20	.1544
Cast-iron wares:				
(1) Castings, rough.....	do.....		.68	.525
(2) Vessels of cast iron, enameled.....	do.....		1.00	.772
(3) Cast-iron wares, filed, polished, turned, painted, bronzed, tinned, varnished, enameled (except vessels), coated with zinc or other common metals, even combined with wood, copper, or its alloys.	do.....		1.53	1.1812
NOTE.—Section 3 of the present section applies to all articles in malleable cast iron, rough, as well as those worked, if the latter weigh more than 5 funts each; worked articles of malleable cast iron, weighing 5 funts or less each pay duty of 2.70 rubles (\$2.0844) per pood.				
Manufactures of iron and steel, forged, stamped, or cast, not filed, or filed on the sides and edges only, but not otherwise wrought, except those specially mentioned; forged nails.	do.....		1.70	1.3124
Iron and steel boiler work, such as boilers, reservoirs, tanks, cases, bridges, pipes, as well as all articles of sheet iron or steel, with the exception of those specially mentioned.	do.....		1.70	1.3124
Manufactures of iron and steel not specially mentioned, shaped, turned, polished, cut, bronzed, or otherwise worked, combined or not with wood, copper, or its alloys, weighing:				
(1) More than 5 funts each.....	do.....		1.70	1.3124
(2) 5 funts or less each.....	do.....		2.70	2.0844
(3) Padlocks and other locks, except those of brass; also wood screws.....	do.....		4.00	3.088
Wire:				
(1) Of iron or steel—				
(a) Of a thickness or diameter of from one-fourth of an inch up to No. 25, inclusive (Birmingham gauge).....	do.....		1.00	.772
(b) Exceeding No. 25 and up to No. 29, inclusive.....	do.....		1.50	1.058
(c) Finer than No. 29.....	do.....		2.00	1.544
(2) Of copper or alloys of copper, or of all kinds of alloys of common metals—				
(a) Of a thickness or diameter of from one-fourth of an inch up to No. 25, inclusive; telegraph wires of all kinds.....	do.....		4.00	3.088
(b) Exceeding No. 25 up to No. 29, inclusive.....	do.....		5.00	3.86
(c) Finer than No. 29.....	do.....		6.00	4.632
NOTE.—Wire coated with tin, zinc, or other common metals pays duty according to the corresponding sections of the present section, with an addition of 50 per cent.				
Manufactures of wire:				
(1) Of iron or steel—				
(a) Of all kinds, except those specially mentioned.....	do.....		3.20	2.47
(b) Fillets of cards and cards of all kinds.....	do.....		3.52	2.7174
(2) Of copper or its alloys—				
(a) Of all kinds, except those specially mentioned.....	do.....		6.00	4.632
(b) Wire gauge, containing in the length of 1 inch 24 threads and more; wire covered with textile materials or with gutta-percha.	do.....		9.00	6.948
NOTE.—Wire covered with silk, even if mixed with other textile materials, pays 20 per cent in addition to the duty stipulated in section 2 (b).				
(3) Wire nails, shoemakers' nails, upholsterers' nails, horseshoe nails, nails of malleable cast iron, and rivets; pegs for pianos.	do.....		2.43	1.8759
Needles of iron and steel:				
(1) Sewing, and other needles, except those mentioned below.....	Per funt.....		.65	.5018
(2) Knitting, packing, saddlers', harness makers' and sailmakers' needles; bodkins.....	do.....		.30	.2316
Cutlery:				
(1) Of all kinds, set in common materials; shears (with the exception of sheep shears); tweezers, knife blades, and forks without handles, finished or not.	Per pood.....		16.00	12.352
(2) The same wares set in gilt, silvered, plated, or in other metallic compositions, in tortoise shell, mother-of-pearl ivory, fossil ivory; also set in common materials with ornaments of the above-mentioned materials, including gold and silver.	do.....		32.00	24.704

KINDS OF GOODS.	Unit.	Rate.	
		Rubles.	Dollars.
Cutlery—Continued.			
(3) Peasants' pocket knives (kosiki) set in common metals or other cheap materials.	Per pood	6.60	5.0952
Side arms, sword blades of all kinds; portable firearms, with the exception of those prohibited; accessories of all kinds for firearms; cartridge cases; cartridges and caps, loaded or not.	.....do	24.00	18.528
NOTE.—Firearms imported in boxes or cases with their accessories are dutiable with the weight of such cases and accessories.			
Scythes, sickles, chaff cutters, bills, sheep shears, spades, shovels, rakes, hoes, and forks. ....	.....do	1.19	.9187
Tools for artisans and artists. ....	.....do	1.19	.9187
Machinery, apparatus, and models thereof, complete or in parts, adjusted or not:			
(1) Of all kinds, of copper or alloys of copper, as well as machinery and apparatus in which copper predominates in weight; dynamo electric machines of all kinds. ....	.....do	4.80	3.7056
(2) Gas and water meters; motors worked by gas, hot air, or petroleum; dynamos, sewing and knitting machines, portable engines (with the exception of those mentioned in section 5), tenders, fire engines (excepting those mentioned in section 3); machines of all kinds not specially mentioned of cast iron, iron, or steel, with or without parts of other materials. ....	.....do	1.53	1.1812
(3) Railway locomotives and traction engines, locomotive wagons (wagons-locomotives), steam wagonettes (wagonettes à vapeur), steam fire engines. ....	.....do	2.00	1.544
(4) Agricultural machinery and apparatus not provided with steam motors, and not specially mentioned, also models thereof. ....	.....do .....	.52	.4014
(5) Portable engines with thrashers of a complicated system. ....	.....do	1.40	1.0808
NOTE.—Parts of machines and apparatus imported separately are subject to the following duties: (a) Those of copper or alloys of copper, 4.80 rubles (\$3.7056) per pood; (b) those of cast iron, iron, or steel, 1.70 rubles (\$1.31) per pood.			
Scales and accessories thereof; parts of scales, excepting those of copper or alloys of copper:			
(1) For the first 3 poods of each piece. ....	.....do	4.00	3.088
(2) For each additional pood. ....	.....do	1.70	1.3124
NOTE.—Scales for pharmacies and laboratories pay duty of 6.80 rubles (\$5.2496) per pood.			
Clocks and watches:			
(1) Movements—			
(a) Of watches, imported without cases, or separately from the cases.	Complete set.	1.00	.772
(b) Of clocks of all kinds, imported without cases or separately from the cases. ....	.....do	1.00	.772
NOTE I.—Clocks, the works of which can not be separated from the cases without the aid of instruments, pay duty according to the material of the case, in addition to a duty of 2.50 rubles (\$1.93) per movement.			
NOTE II.—Cases or cages imported without movements are dutiable according to their component materials.			
(2) Watches, with gold cases, with gilt parts, or with gold ornaments.	Each	2.50	1.93
(3) Watches, with cases of all kinds, other than those mentioned in section 2. ....	.....do	1.00	.772
(4) Clocks, wooden, with movements of copper or wood. ....	.....do .....	.40	.3088
(5) Tower clocks. ....	.....do	25.00	19.30
(6) Fittings of all kinds for clocks and watches.	Per funt. ....	.75	.579
Musical instruments:			
(1) Pianos (grand); organs of all kinds, not portable.	Each	132.00	101.904
(2) Pianos (upright). ....	.....do	64.00	49.408
(3) Portable organs, harmonicas, and harps. ....	.....do	15.00	11.58
(4) Musical instruments of all kinds not specially mentioned; accessories and detached parts of musical instruments, imported separately, such as bows, gut or silk strings, keyboards, piano hammers, metronomes, tuning forks, etc.	Per funt. ....	.16	.1235
NOTE.—Musical instruments pay duty together with the weight of their boxes and cases.			
Vehicles:			
(1) Carriages—			
(a) Large, such as coaches, calashes for 4 persons, landans, diligences, and omnibuses.	Each	132.00	101.904
(b) Light, such as calashes for 2 persons, phaetons, droskies, chara-a-bancs, cabriolets, cabs, etc. ....	.....do	90.00	69.48
(2) Vans and carts. ....	.....do	40.00	30.88
(3) Carts, common, for farmers, and other similar carts for the conveyance of freight or passengers; perambulators, bath chairs, and velocipedes. ....	.....do	12.00	9.264
(4) Detached parts of carriages, such as bodies, wheels, lamps, etc., with the exception of springs, axles, and other accessories specially mentioned in the tariff.	Per pood.	8.00	6.176
NOTE.—Carriages, upholstered, completely finished, pay 20 per cent in addition to the duties stipulated above.			
Railway carriages:			
(1) Coal trucks and trolleys.	Per axle	160.00	123.52
(2) Freight and tank wagons. ....	.....do	240.00	185.28
Passenger carriages—			
(3) Third-class, also luggage and mail vans. ....	.....do	300.00	231.60
(4) Third and second class (combination). ....	.....do	330.00	254.76
(5) Second-class. ....	.....do	355.00	274.06
(6) First and second class (combination). ....	.....do	410.00	316.52
(7) First-class. ....	.....do	465.00	358.98
Tramway carriages—			
(8) For two horses.	Each	340.00	262.48
(9) For one horse. ....	.....do	250.00	193.00
Cotton, raw.	Per pood.	2.10	1.6212

KINDS OF GOODS.	Unit.	Rate.	
Cotton yarns and thread:			
(1) Numbers below No. 38, English—		<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
(a) Unbleached	Per pood	4. 80	3. 7056
(b) Bleached and dyed (except turkey red)	do	6. 00	4. 632
(c) Dyed, turkey red	do	6. 30	4. 8636
(2) From No. 38 to No. 50, English, exclusive—			
(a) Unbleached	do	6. 00	4. 632
(b) Bleached and dyed	do	7. 10	5. 4812
(3) From No. 50, English—			
(a) Unbleached	do	8. 50	6. 562
(b) Bleached and dyed	do	9. 60	7. 4112
(4) Twisted yarns and thread—			
(a) Sewing thread on wooden bobbins, prepared for retail sale	Per pood, gross ...	9. 00	6. 948
(b) Twisted yarn of two or more threads, of all kinds, except sewing thread on wooden bobbins, prepared for retail sale.	do	11. 00	8. 492
NOTE.—Cables and ropes of spun cotton pay 5.70 rubles (\$4.4004) per pood.			

PROHIBITED GOODS.

Small Russian copper and silver money and all foreign copper and silver money of low standard.

Gunpowder, compositions for gunpowder, and fulminating compositions.

NOTE.—Gunpowder and explosive materials, which can only be imported by special permission of the minister of finance, pay the following customs duties: (a) Gunpowder, 1.40 rubles (\$1.0808) per pood, gross; (b) dynamite and all explosive materials and fulminating compositions, as well as all accessories employed in producing explosives, such as slow matches, caps, and other similar articles not specially mentioned, 3 rubles (\$2.316) per pood, gross.

Munitions of war, cannon, mortars, bullets, shells, etc.

Air guns, sword sticks, pipestems with daggers, and all other concealed weapons.

Playing cards of all kinds.

Berries of the *Cocculus indicus*.

Margarin in any shape.

Artificial saffron.

NOTE.—The above rates have in certain instances been modified by the recent removal or reduction of duties on agricultural machinery, for details of which see article on page 2532.

THE RUSSIAN MERCHANT MARINE.

[From United States Consular Reports, 1898.]

The Russian merchant-marine fleet consisted on January 1, 1897, of 2,774 vessels of 577,207 tonnage, against 2,657 vessels of 528,988 tonnage on January 1, 1896. In that number there are 567 steam vessels of 240,957 tonnage and 2,207 sailing vessels of 336,250 tonnage.

They are divided as follows:

SEAS.	STEAM VESSELS.		SAILING VESSELS.		GRAND TOTAL.	
	Number.	Tonnage.	Number.	Tonnage.	Number.	Tonnage.
White Sea	33	4,449.41	357	19,667.66	390	24,117.07
Baltic	87	18,134.51	552	75,560.10	639	93,694.61
Black and Azov seas	257	135,639.80	775	55,600.29	1,032	191,240.09
Caspian Sea	190	82,733.36	523	185,421.95	713	268,155.31
Total in 1896	567	240,957.08	2,207	336,250	2,774	577,207.08
Total in 1895	522	205,048.89	2,135	323,339.07	2,657	528,987.96

The following table shows the movement of all merchant vessels, home and foreign, in all of the Russian ports during 1896, as compared with 1895:

YEAR.	UNDER FOREIGN FLAGS.						UNDER RUSSIAN FLAG.						GRAND TOTAL.	
	With freight.		Without freight.		Total.		With freight.		Without freight.		Total.			
	Num-ber.	Tonnage.	Num-ber.	Tonnage.	Num-ber.	Tonnage.	Num-ber.	Tonnage.	Num-ber.	Tonnage.	Num-ber.	Tonnage.	Num-ber.	Tonnage.
WHITE SEA (7 PORTS).														
Entered:														
1896.....	35	19,128	372	249,085	407	268,213	283	31,678	38	11,453	321	43,131	728	311,344
1895.....	30	16,493	383	235,188	413	251,681	254	22,689	43	12,947	297	35,636	710	287,317
Cleared:														
1896.....	403	266,950	4	1,263	407	268,213	306	41,113			306	41,113	713	309,236
1895.....	411	250,668	2	1,013	413	251,681	288	34,239			288	34,239	701	285,920
BALTIC SEA.														
Entered:														
1896.....	3,210	1,970,203	2,157	1,260,621	5,367	3,230,824	460	172,258	220	93,387	680	265,645	6,047	3,496,469
1895.....	2,863	1,889,342	2,041	1,238,641	4,904	3,127,983	439	150,745	197	77,592	636	228,337	5,540	3,356,320
Cleared:														
1896.....	4,552	2,591,053	809	637,501	5,361	3,228,554	616	237,105	91	33,868	707	270,973	6,068	3,499,527
1895.....	4,128	2,503,523	749	614,816	4,877	3,118,339	572	205,702	71	23,854	643	229,556	5,520	3,347,895
BLACK AND AZOV SEAS (EUROPEAN COAST).														
Entered:														
1896.....	908	844,864	2,318	2,895,828	3,226	3,740,692	275	382,102	31	32,980	306	415,082	3,532	4,155,774
1895.....	827	714,383	2,817	3,399,538	3,644	4,113,921	258	308,825	34	35,019	292	343,844	3,936	4,457,765
Cleared:														
1896.....	2,793	3,448,294	424	298,796	3,217	3,747,090	267	370,028	16	26,230	283	396,258	3,500	4,143,348
1895.....	3,382	3,949,590	292	206,890	3,674	4,156,480	246	330,455	14	2,828	260	333,283	3,934	4,489,763
BLACK AND AZOV SEAS (CAUCASIAN COAST).														
Entered:														
1896.....	346	382,374	1,141	1,016,011	1,487	1,398,385	65	63,270	21	21,100	86	84,370	1,573	1,482,755
1895.....	338	361,414	1,100	1,021,505	1,438	1,382,919	56	48,024	41	43,760	97	91,784	1,535	1,474,703
Cleared:														
1896.....	1,331	1,234,829	150	154,157	1,481	1,388,986	84	69,848	5	5,124	89	74,972	1,570	1,463,958
1895.....	1,310	1,280,846	137	117,240	1,447	1,398,086	88	84,857	10	8,562	98	93,419	1,545	1,491,505
TOTAL IN ALL THE SEAS.														
Entered:														
1896.....	4,499	3,216,569	5,988	5,421,545	10,487	8,638,114	1,083	649,308	310	158,920	1,393	808,228	11,880	9,446,342
1895.....	4,058	2,918,632	6,341	5,894,872	10,399	8,876,504	1,007	530,283	315	169,318	1,322	699,601	11,721	9,576,105
Cleared:														
1896.....	9,079	7,541,126	1,387	1,091,717	10,466	8,632,843	1,273	718,094	112	65,222	1,385	783,316	11,851	9,416,159
1895.....	9,231	7,984,627	1,180	939,959	10,411	8,924,586	1,194	655,253	95	35,244	1,289	690,497	11,700	9,615,083

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM RUSSIA, BY GREAT CLASSES, 1887 TO 1897.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

	1887-1889	1890-1894	1895 (a)	1896 (a)	1897 (a)
EXPORTS.					
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Articles of food	400,493,000	349,400,000	382,517,000	381,524,000	413,478,000
Raw and half-manufactured articles	222,274,000	232,300,000	258,408,000	257,833,000	254,506,000
Animals	12,597,000	14,200,000	15,138,000	15,144,000	17,092,000
Manufactured goods	17,843,000	12,200,000	11,196,000	12,906,000	19,146,000
Total	661,206,000	607,900,000	667,259,000	667,412,000	704,222,000
IMPORTS.					
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Articles of food	52,952,000	63,800,000	67,652,000	69,805,000	64,071,000
Raw and half-manufactured articles	230,246,000	261,500,000	282,373,000	306,656,000	283,729,000
Animals	535,000	1,700,000	2,883,000	2,278,000	1,619,000
Manufactured goods	64,007,000	101,500,000	136,403,000	161,528,000	159,097,000
Total	347,740,000	428,500,000	489,401,000	540,267,000	508,516,000

a Including trade on Black Sea frontier of Caucasus and with Finland, but exclusive of trade with Russian Manchuria.

PRINCIPAL EXPORTS FROM EUROPEAN RUSSIA AND NORTH CAUCASIA, INCLUDING EXPORTS TO FINLAND.

ARTICLES.	1895	1896	1897	ARTICLES.	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>		<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Corn, flour, buckwheat, etc.....	334,896,000	321,959,000	353,353,000	Bristles, hair, and feathers.....	10,439,000	9,924,000	11,727,000
Fish and caviare.....	2,548,000	4,711,000	5,730,000	Wool.....	6,490,000	7,869,000	8,933,000
Dairy produce and eggs.....	23,513,000	25,476,000	31,835,000	Furs.....	4,172,000	3,673,000	5,027,000
Alcohol and gin.....	1,853,000	1,584,000	2,459,000	Naphtha and naphtha oils, etc.....	27,274,000	28,679,000	25,158,000
Sugar.....	11,830,000	20,368,000	10,315,000	Various.....	73,779,000	26,554,000	32,260,000
Various articles of food.....	22,339,000	9,649,000	9,786,000	Raw and half-manufactured goods	260,044,000	257,838,000	254,506,000
Articles of food.....	385,647,000	382,888,000	413,478,000	Metallic goods.....	1,114,000	1,451,000	2,717,000
Timber and wooden goods.....	40,144,000	46,727,000	54,781,000	Woolens.....	2,265,000	1,749,000	1,869,000
Raw metals (platinum, mercury).....	3,052,000	4,248,000	3,417,000	Cottons.....	2,792,000	1,601,000	3,972,000
Oleaginous grains, chiefly linseed and grass seeds.....	45,901,000	50,721,000	45,309,000	Various.....	5,025,000	8,105,000	10,588,000
Flax.....	72,364,000	62,836,000	56,182,000	Manufactured goods.....	a 11,196,000	a 12,906,000	a 19,146,000
Hemp.....	19,212,000	16,115,000	11,215,000	Animals.....		15,144,000	17,092,000
Tallow.....	533,000	542,000	497,000				

a Besides, to Vladivostok, 19,005,000 rubles' worth in 1895, and 24,552,000 in 1896.

PRINCIPAL IMPORTS INTO EUROPEAN RUSSIA AND NORTH CAUCASIA.

ARTICLES.	1895	1896	1897	ARTICLES.	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>		<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Rice.....	a 700,000	a 676,000	a 708,000	Gum and resin.....	7,770,000	9,136,000	9,146,000
Other grain and flour.....	367,000	359,000	378,000	Colors.....	14,194,000	15,013,000	11,926,000
Fruits and nuts.....	7,431,000	7,839,000	6,423,000	Chemicals.....	8,920,000	9,777,000	9,297,000
Fish.....	11,998,000	13,026,000	9,544,000	Coal and coke.....	13,489,000	13,948,000	10,846,000
Tea.....	b 19,163,000	b 19,016,000	b 17,867,000	Raw metals.....	52,032,000	61,887,000	56,604,000
Coffee.....	5,542,000	5,184,000	6,042,000	MANUFACTURED GOODS.			
Tobacco.....	2,479,000	2,383,000	2,306,000	Cotton goods.....	2,657,000	2,416,000	2,530,000
Wines, ale, and spirits.....	9,740,000	10,113,000	10,345,000	Other textile goods.....	10,023,000	10,835,000	10,599,000
Raw cotton.....	53,439,000	72,092,000	67,037,000	Metal goods.....	21,697,000	25,149,000	26,080,000
Wool, raw, and yarn.....	30,347,000	23,261,000	29,209,000	Machinery.....	53,692,000	64,961,000	53,125,000
Silk, raw, and yarn.....	11,183,000	11,559,000	10,131,000	Watches and clocks.....	5,264,000	4,757,000	2,753,000
Leather, hides, and skins.....	13,586,000	16,352,000	14,434,000				

a Moreover, 2,622,000 rubles' worth from Persia in 1895, 2,775,000 in 1896, and 18,940,000 in 1897.

b Moreover, 19,214,000 rubles' worth through Asia in 1895, 20,253,000 in 1896, and 3,362,000 in 1897.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS BY THE FRONTIER OF ASIA (EXCLUSIVE OF THE BLACK SEA COAST OF CAUCASIA).

ARTICLES.	1893	1894	1895	1896
EXPORTS.	<i>1,000 rubles.</i>	<i>1,000 rubles.</i>	<i>1,000 rubles.</i>	<i>1,000 rubles.</i>
Articles of food.....	7,468	9,540	8,637	7,888
Raw and half-manufactured goods.....	2,391	2,299	2,671	2,513
Animals.....	682	743	417	492
Manufactured goods.....	8,523	7,780	10,039	10,149
Total.....	19,064	20,362	21,823	21,042
IMPORTS.				
Articles of food.....	27,961	28,893	30,085	30,888
Raw and half-manufactured goods.....	8,487	8,769	10,359	10,897
Animals.....	1,177	1,413	2,304	1,805
Manufactured goods.....	4,035	5,405	5,259	5,453
Total.....	41,660	44,390	48,007	49,043

EXPORTS OF CEREALS FROM RUSSIA, 1897, IN 1,000 POODS (ONE POOD=36 POUNDS.)

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

COUNTRIES.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.
Great Britain.....	45,232	6,838	20,785	15,411
Holland.....	41,996	18,697	13,575	11,781
France.....	33,717	.....	6,386	2,107
Germany.....	16,812	22,468	16,941	9,370
Austria-Hungary.....	8,834	3,999	1,715	925
Belgium.....	8,716	.....	5,104	2,108
Total (including other countries).....	213,263	73,559	89,411	43,616

GRAIN EXPORTS FROM EUROPEAN RUSSIA IN 1895, 1896, AND 1897, BY COUNTRIES OF DESTINATION.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

ARTICLES.	1895	1896	1897.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>
Wheat.....	76,453,000	70,774,000	68,670,000
Rye.....	29,588,000	26,281,000	23,685,900
Barley.....	34,877,000	26,289,000	28,780,300
Oats.....	21,457,000	21,768,000	14,044,900
Maize.....	8,268,000	4,170,000	6,810,609
Pease.....	3,246,000	3,017,000	3,224,200
Various groats.....	284,000	254,000	318,780
Flour.....	2,600,000	2,466,000	2,726,100
Other grain products.....	8,469,000	8,822,000	8,301,500
Total.....	185,242,000	163,611,000	156,562,200

MANUFACTORIES IN RUSSIA (1893) HAVING A PRODUCTIVITY OF MORE THAN 1,000 RUBLES.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

COUNTRY.	Numbers.	PEOPLE EMPLOYED.		STEAM ENGINES.		Yearly production.
		Men.	Women.	Number.	Horse-power.	
European Russia.....	17,605	949,044	264,030	10,525	289,404	<i>Rubles.</i> 1,466,988,000
Poland.....	2,711	108,434	44,925	1,959	81,328	229,485,000
Caucasia.....	1,199	20,766	1,261	791	7,114	34,733,000
Siberia.....	609	10,961	1,056	115	1,812	11,929,000
Turkestan.....	359	6,295	.....	25	399	16,186,000
Total, 1893.....	22,483	1,094,572	311,803	13,325	380,057	1,759,331,000

GROWTH OF COTTON MANUFACTURES IN RUSSIA, 1880, 1885, AND 1893.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

YEAR.	Spinning.	Weaving.	Printing and dyeing.	Finishing.	Total.
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
1880.....	74,100,000	99,700,000	61,100,000	5,500,000	240,400,000
1885.....	97,400,000	98,000,000	50,500,000	3,300,000	258,200,000
1893.....	135,274,000	160,935,000	98,869,000	3,122,000	398,196,000

TRANSPORTATION BY RAIL AND WATER IN RUSSIA, 1891 TO 1895.

[From Russian Railway Gazette, 1898.]

YEAR.	By railways.		By water routes.	
	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Poods.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
1891.....	1,957,000,000	32,100,000	1,037,000,000	17,000,000
1892.....	1,942,000,000	31,800,000	1,022,000,000	16,700,000
1893.....	2,227,000,000	36,500,000	1,188,000,000	19,400,000
1894.....	2,609,000,000	42,700,000	.....	.....
1895.....	2,789,000,000	45,500,000	.....	.....

OPERATIONS OF RUSSIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1891 TO 1896, EXCLUSIVE OF TRANS-CASPIAN AND FINLAND RAILWAYS.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

YEAR.	English miles.	Gross receipts.	Working expenses.	Net receipts.	Passengers.	Goods carried.	Revenue from railway, State and private.	Expenditure for the same.	Balance.	Balance after deducting expenditure for improvement.
		<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Persons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
1891.....	18,441	296,087,000	177,651,000	118,436,000	47,942,765	69,848,000				
1892.....	18,441	301,709,000	194,032,000	107,676,000	49,353,000	72,311,100	111,102,293	142,905,128	-31,802,835	-20,009,150
1893.....	21,690	328,793,000	199,362,000	129,431,000	51,523,000	78,134,000	119,667,663	153,905,031	-34,237,368	-15,095,193
1894.....	22,986	370,129,955	215,012,634	155,117,320	48,490,000	a 42,000,000	155,455,490	183,115,228	-27,659,735	-16,111,096
1895.....	23,220	396,822,770	231,303,682	165,519,088	49,342,000	90,115,000	217,701,690	242,811,956	-25,110,266	-11,887,014
1896.....	25,756	426,322,767	248,245,732	178,077,035			212,374,372	278,283,293	+34,091,079	+25,283,461

a Exclusive of transfers from one Russian line to another.

The considerable surplus of 1896 is due to the transfer of 35,300,000 rubles from special accounts to the treasury.

On January 1, 1897, the net of railways belonging to the State attained 17,009 English miles, out of which 16,493 miles (66 per cent of all the railway net of the Empire) were under State management, and 516 miles were rented by the State to private companies.

TRAFFIC ON RIVERS OF EUROPEAN RUSSIA, EXCLUSIVE OF POLAND, FINLAND, AND CAUCASIA, IN TONS.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

YEAR.	Total.	Corn.	Firewood.	Timber.	Naphtha.
1891.....	16,710,000	1,996,000	3,705,000	6,470,000	1,153,000
1892.....	16,480,000	1,482,000	3,282,000	7,011,000	1,378,000
1893.....	19,040,000	2,390,000	3,240,000	7,604,000	1,256,000
1894.....	23,290,000	3,680,000	3,822,000	9,209,000	2,022,000
1896.....	27,716,000				

In 1894 Russia and Poland had 46,277 English miles of navigable rivers, 499 miles of canals, and 648 miles of canalized rivers.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

The following are the postal statistics for 1896 (number of offices, 7,887):

Sent out.	Interior.	International.
Letters and post cards.....	302,500,308	37,893,691
Letters with money.....	16,858,164	564,366
Value, pounds (1895).....	884,560,760	18,447,040
Periodicals and book post.....	110,037,929	21,077,868
Parcels.....	3,914,959	177,237

TOTAL ACTUAL ORDINARY AND EXTRAORDINARY REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT FOR EACH OF THE YEARS 1886 AND 1897, IN PAPER RUBLES.

[From Official Messenger, Russia.]

YEAR.	ORDINARY.		Balance.	EXTRAORDINARY.	
	Revenue.	Expenditure.		Revenue.	Expenditure.
	<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Paper rubles.</i>	<i>Paper rubles.</i>
1888.....	873,560,748	836,992,477	+ 36,568,271	54,662,634	69,231,493
1889.....	914,526,821	868,824,115	+ 45,702,706	53,161,540	80,456,102
1890.....	933,379,144	914,789,775	+ 18,589,369	94,858,076	123,901,207
1891.....	890,545,476	925,355,708	- 34,810,232	29,513,486	178,377,328
1892.....	964,687,895	952,575,764	+ 12,111,331	189,617,408	166,759,310
1893 (a).....	1,031,489,740	996,392,639	+ 35,097,101	160,523,630	47,702,806
1894.....	1,145,352,364	1,045,512,088	+ 99,840,276	75,226,335	101,423,380
1895.....	1,214,362,202	1,129,439,236	+ 114,922,966	153,068,740	366,634,470
1896.....	1,368,719,351	1,229,044,280	+ 139,675,071	43,500,457	255,308,655
1897.....	1,416,386,096	1,209,649,313	+ 116,736,783	42,591,539	194,948,911

a Famine year.

REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES OF THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT, 1893 TO 1897.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

ACTUAL ORDINARY REVENUE.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
TAXES.					
A—Direct:	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Land and forests	46,818,000	47,507,000	49,297,000	40,686,000	39,243,000
Trade licenses	40,475,000	42,432,000	42,761,000	45,280,000	46,617,000
5 per cent on capital	13,158,000	12,067,000	13,848,000	13,558,000	15,567,000
B—Indirect:					
Spirits	260,832,000	297,386,000	298,219,000	294,299,000	280,129,000
Tobacco	31,809,000	32,565,000	34,545,000	35,103,000	35,294,000
Sugar	30,340,000	41,228,000	47,688,000	42,670,000	55,476,000
Other excise duties (naphtha, matches)	22,955,000	26,455,000	27,294,000	28,215,000	28,894,000
Customs duties	147,107,000	172,737,000	167,712,000	182,303,000	195,615,000
Stamp duties	27,913,000	29,051,000	29,743,000	30,820,000	31,758,000
Transfer duties	17,840,000	18,393,000	19,022,000	19,003,000	20,254,000
Passports, railway taxes, etc.	22,980,000	25,104,000	23,274,000	24,919,000	23,155,000
STATE MONOPOLIES.					
Mining	3,472,000	3,610,000	3,515,000	3,705,000	3,456,000
Mint	931,000	539,000	720,000	11,665,000	17,550,000
Posts	22,928,000	23,805,000	24,835,000	26,067,000	25,850,000
Telegraphs	12,339,000	13,156,000	14,003,000	15,064,000	15,729,000
Sale of spirits				27,789,000	52,478,000
STATE DOMAINS.					
Rent for domains	14,467,000	14,267,000	14,018,000	14,196,000	15,745,000
Sales of domains	866,000	891,000	725,000	855,000	661,000
Crown forests	21,756,000	25,844,000	28,670,000	33,619,000	37,704,000
Crown mines, etc.	9,500,000	9,856,000	21,676,000	10,296,000	10,834,000
State railways	85,146,000	115,990,000	194,675,000	293,260,000	277,846,000
Crown capitals and banking operations	6,567,000	6,852,000	5,368,000	4,300,000	25,059,000
Crown's part in private railways	4,161,000	6,822,000	2,376,000	3,636,000	2,657,000
REDEMPTION OF LAND.					
Liberated serfs	42,802,000	49,103,000	42,124,000	40,626,000	37,544,000
Crown peasants	56,192,000	52,719,000	59,173,000	56,320,000	50,975,000
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Railway debts	30,361,000	32,644,000	20,650,000	15,477,000	12,631,000
Crown debts	23,149,000	23,235,000	30,058,000	30,983,000	29,802,000
Aid from municipalities	18,730,000	19,397,000	18,655,000	15,528,000	16,380,000
Military contribution	3,523,000	2,859,000	2,453,000	1,930,000	2,358,000
Various	11,971,000	7,842,000	7,267,000	6,547,000	8,164,000
Total ordinary revenue	1,031,490,000	1,145,352,000	1,244,362,000	1,368,719,000	1,416,386,000
Out of it, in gold	101,381,000	117,579,000	115,330,000	139,419,000	.....

ACTUAL ORDINARY EXPENDITURE.

State debt	259,395,000	270,215,000	277,146,000	268,214,000	253,558,000
Out of it, railway debts	(67,810,000)	(84,141,000)	(98,812,000)	(101,212,000)	(102,456,000)
Higher institutions of the State	2,240,000	2,286,000	2,464,000	2,805,000	2,729,000
Holy Synod	12,304,000	13,308,000	13,809,000	17,571,000	19,806,000
MINISTRIES.					
Imperial House	10,522,000	11,797,000	12,678,000	14,450,000	12,968,000
Foreign affairs	5,034,000	4,944,000	5,120,000	4,860,000	4,930,000
War	272,439,000	280,427,000	285,230,000	294,359,000	293,790,000
Out of it—					
Reform of armament and food stores for the army	(36,045,000)	(41,424,000)	(32,220,000)	(29,792,000)	(23,561,000)
Trans-Caspian Railway	(3,630,000)	(3,744,000)	(3,894,000)	(5,993,000)	(5,105,000)
Navy	54,842,000	55,114,000	57,136,000	59,531,000	85,275,000
Out of it, rearmament	(607,000)	(709,000)	(324,000)	(729,000)	.....
Finances	117,469,000	125,552,000	140,310,000	188,545,000	204,324,000
Out of it, loans to railway companies, etc.	(8,448,000)	(7,448,000)	(3,019,000)	(2,797,000)	(3,711,000)
Agriculture and State domains	25,296,000	27,872,000	29,930,000	31,920,000	33,172,000
Interior	83,214,000	81,668,000	86,173,000	90,205,000	<i>a</i> 80,458,000
Public instruction	22,440,000	23,184,000	23,570,000	24,995,000	<i>b</i> 26,476,000
Ways and communications	99,791,000	114,771,000	162,974,000	195,971,000	226,861,000
Out of it—					
Exploitation of State railways	(53,349,000)	(74,403,000)	(121,597,000)	(146,076,000)	(168,802,000)
New feeding lines and improvements	(19,142,000)	(11,519,000)	(13,223,000)	(19,394,000)	(25,300,000)
Justice	25,608,000	25,962,000	26,096,000	27,955,000	<i>b</i> 41,832,000
State's control	4,493,000	4,900,000	5,343,000	6,166,000	6,868,000
Out of it, railways	(1,496,000)	(1,828,000)	(2,266,000)	(2,805,000)	(3,309,000)
State's studs	1,305,000	1,508,000	1,461,000	1,496,000	1,601,000
Total	996,393,000	1,045,512,000	1,129,439,000	1,229,044,000	1,299,649,000

a This diminution is due to the transfer of the prisons to the ministry of justice, and to transfers in consequence of creation of the new Chernsmorsk government.
b Increase due to above cause.

AREA AND POPULATION OF RUSSIA, BY PROVINCES.

[From Statesman's Yearbook, 1899.]

PROVINCE.	English square miles.	Domiciled population, 1897.	Density per square mile.	PROVINCE.	English square miles.	Domiciled population, 1897.	Density per square mile.
EUROPEAN RUSSIA.				GRAND DUCHY OF FINLAND (1896).			
Archangelsk	331,640	347,589	1	Abo-Björneborg	9,333	419,369	47
Astrakhan	91,327	994,775	11	Kuopio	16,499	300,291	22
Bessarabia	17,619	1,933,436	113	Nyland	4,584	264,243	61
Chernigoff	29,233	2,321,389	115	St. Michel	8,819	185,093	28
Courland	10,535	672,634	64	Tavastehus	8,334	276,010	40
Don, Region of	63,532	2,575,818	41	Uleaborg	63,957	260,763	4
Ekaterinoslaf	24,478	2,112,651	86	Viborg	13,530	379,115	33
Esthonia	7,818	413,724	54	Vasa	16,105	435,548	30
Grodno	14,931	1,617,859	109	Lake Ladoga	3,094		
Kaluga	11,942	1,185,726	99	Finland (1896)	144,255	2,520,437	20
Kazan	21,691	2,101,058	89	Total European Russia	2,095,616	106,191,795	51
Kieff	19,641	3,576,125	181	RUSSIA IN ASIA.			
Kostroma	32,490	1,423,228	44	Kuban	36,441	1,922,773	54
Kovno	15,692	1,519,441	100	Stavropol	23,398	876,298	38
Kursk	17,937	2,396,577	134	Terek	26,822	933,485	35
Kharkoff	21,041	2,509,811	119	Tchernomorsk	2,836	54,223	20
Kherson	27,523	2,732,832	100	Northern Caucasia			
Livonia	18,158	1,399,640	74	Baku	49,497	3,786,784	43
Minsk	35,293	2,156,123	61	Daghestan	15,095	789,659	55
Moghilev	18,551	1,708,041	92	Elizabethpol	11,332	586,636	53
Moscow	12,859	2,433,356	189	Erivan	16,721	871,557	52
Nijni-Novgorod	19,797	1,600,304	81	Kars	10,075	804,757	101
Novgorod	47,236	1,324,933	33	Kutais	7,368	292,498	43
Olonetz	57,459	366,715	7	Kutais	13,968	1,075,861	54
Orel	18,042	2,051,749	114	Tiflis	15,306	1,040,943	62
Orenburg	73,816	1,609,388	22	Zakataly	1,541		
Penza	14,997	1,491,215	99	Trans-Caucasia			
Perm	128,211	3,003,268	24	Caucasus	91,346	5,461,911	64
Podolia	16,224	3,031,513	187	Akmolinsk	180,843	9,248,695	54
Poltava	19,265	2,794,727	145	Semipalatinsk	229,609	678,957	3
Pskov	17,069	1,136,540	68	Semirechensk	184,631	685,157	4
Ryazan	16,255	1,827,539	113	Turgai	152,280	990,107	7
St. Petersburg	20,760	2,107,691	123	Uralsk	176,219	453,123	3
Samara	58,321	2,763,478	46	Lake Aral	139,168	614,001	4
Saratoff	32,624	2,419,884	74	The Steppes			
Simbirsk	19,110	1,549,461	81	Samarcand	908,073	3,451,385	4
Smolensk	21,638	1,551,068	72	Ferganah	26,627	857,847	30
Tamboff	25,710	2,715,453	106	Syr-Daria	35,654	1,560,411	43
Taurida	24,497	1,443,566	62	Turkestan	194,853	1,479,848	7
Tula	11,954	1,432,743	120	Trans-Caspian	257,134	3,898,106	15
Tver	25,225	1,812,825	73	Caspian Sea	214,237	372,193	2
Ufa	47,112	2,220,497	47	Total, Central Asian dominions			
Vilna	16,421	1,591,912	98	Tobolsk	1,548,825	7,721,684	5
Vitebsk	17,440	1,502,916	89	Tomsk	539,659	1,438,484	3
Vladimir	18,864	1,570,733	84	Yeniseisk	331,159	1,029,092	6
Volhynia	27,743	2,997,902	109	Western Siberia			
Vologda	155,498	1,365,587	9	Irkutsk	870,818	3,367,576	4
Voronezh	25,443	2,546,255	109	Transbaikalia	287,061	506,517	2
Vyatka	59,329	3,082,788	52	Yakutsk	236,868	664,071	3
Yaroslav	13,751	1,072,478	78	Yeniseisk	1,533,397	261,731	2
Sea of Azov	14,520			Yoniseisk	987,186	559,902	1
Total, Russian provinces	1,902,202	94,215,415	51	Eastern Siberia			
POLAND.				Amur	3,044,512	1,992,221	7
Kalisz	4,392	846,719	194	Primorskaya	172,848	118,570	9
Kielce	3,897	763,746	196	Amur region	715,982	220,557	3
Lonja	4,667	585,781	144	Sakhalin	888,830	339,127	3
Lublin	6,501	1,159,463	177	Total, Siberia			
Piotrkow	4,729	1,409,044	297	Total, Asiatic dominions	29,336	28,166	1
Plock	4,200	556,877	153	Russians in Finland, Bokhara, Khiva, and in the navy abroad	4,833,496	5,727,090	1
Radom	4,769	820,363	171	Grand total	6,564,778	22,697,469	4
Siedlce	5,535	775,316	140				
Suwalki	4,846	604,945	127				
Warsaw	5,623	1,933,689	286				
Total, Poland	49,159	9,455,943	193				
Total, Russia and Poland	1,951,361	103,671,358	53				

POPULATION OF RUSSIA AT SELECTED PERIODS FROM 1722 TO 1897.

YEAR.	Population.	YEAR.	Population.
1722.....	14,000,000	1815.....	45,000,000
1742.....	16,000,000	1835.....	60,000,000
1762.....	19,000,000	1851.....	68,000,000
1782.....	23,000,000	1859.....	74,000,000
1796.....	36,000,000	1897.....	129,000,000
1812.....	41,000,000		

ETHNICAL COMPOSITION OF THE POPULATION OF RUSSIA.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

GROUPS OF PROVINCES.	Population.	Great Russians.	Little Russians.
Northern and Baltic.....	6,572,000	3,600,000	
Lithuania, White Russia, and Southwest Russia.....	a 19,719,000	200,000	8,810,000
Little Russia and Don.....	12,750,000	4,000,000	8,400,000
Central Russia.....	28,082,000	26,100,000	1,000,000
Volga Provinces.....	9,923,000	6,100,000	3,800,000
Northeast Russia.....	9,913,000	7,400,000	100,000
Southern Provinces.....	8,222,000	1,300,000	4,300,000
European Russia.....	91,081,000	b 49,700,000	26,400,000
Caucasia, about.....	9,724,000	3,000,000	
Siberia, about.....	5,731,000	5,000,000	
Turkestan, Transcaspian, and Kirghiz Steppes, about.....	7,590,000	1,000,000	

a 6,800,000 White Russians. b 7,000,000 White Russians.

For other ethnical elements of the population, see Year-Book, 1885, p. 416.

The populations of the Caucasus appear as follows, according to recent investigations:

Russians.....	1,915,614	Kartvelians:	
Poles.....	8,910	Georgians.....	310,499
Germans.....	23,613	Mingrelians.....	200,092
Greeks.....	42,562	Imeretes.....	373,141
Iranians:		Psbaves, Khevsurs.....	20,979
Ossets.....	127,430	Western Mountaineers.....	188,083
Persians, Tatis, Talyshins.....	132,792	Eastern Mountaineers.....	707,619
Kurds.....	10,097	Tartars.....	1,027,828
Armenians.....	803,696	Turks.....	75,980
Jews.....	50,992	Turcomans, etc.....	44,046
Kalmuks.....	10,707	Northern Tartars.....	126,000

The chief nationalities of trans-Caucasia were as follows in 1886-90:

Russians.....	140,095	Mingrelians.....	214,601
Greeks.....	57,156	Aphasians.....	29,260
Kurds.....	97,499	Svanetes.....	14,035
Ossets.....	76,130	Samurzakanes.....	27,247
Armenians.....	965,167	Turcomans.....	10,174
Jews.....	33,663	Turks.....	75,863
Georgians.....	400,487	Tartars.....	1,107,232
Imeretes.....	419,967	Tatis.....	124,693
Gurians.....	74,171	Talyshins.....	88,449
Ajares.....	59,495		

The remaining nationalities number less than 10,000 each.

SCHOOLS IN RUSSIA.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

NUMBER OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, AND PUPILS IN THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE IN 1896.

SCHOOLS OF—	Schools.	TEACHERS.		PUPILS.	
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
Ministry of instruction.....	32,708	53,215	16,768	1,775,861	561,073
Ministry of war.....	10,270	13,186	363	252,373	48,720
Ministry of interior.....	459				
Other ministries.....	40	37	40	1,969	655
Holy synod.....	34,836	24,185	4,893	910,760	205,732
Various foundations.....	402	482	815	7,311	12,364
Total.....	78,721	91,105	22,879	2,948,274	831,544

NUMBER AND DISTRIBUTION OF SCHOOLS OF THE MINISTRY OF INSTRUCTION (EXCLUSIVE OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS, IMPROVEMENT SCHOOLS, ETC.) IN 1896.

DISTRICTS.	Schools.	Teachers.	Pupils.	SCHOOLS SUPPORTED BY—		
				Imperial treasury.	Local authorities.	Private persons.
St. Petersburg.....	2,283	5,217	143,465	419	1,805	59
Moscow.....	6,496	16,253	481,362	346	5,922	228
Kharkhov.....	3,527	8,435	273,019	78	2,786	9
Kiev.....	2,575	6,629	116,312	102	2,436	37
Odessa.....	2,591	5,303	196,071	450	2,124	17
Kasan.....	3,346	7,278	284,260	207	3,121	18
Orenburg.....	1,411	3,615	102,179	265	1,112	34
Vienna.....	1,672	3,288	117,894	463	1,268	1
Warsaw.....	3,026	3,729	206,973	98	2,899	29
Riga.....	2,690	4,081	136,635	77	2,601	12
Caucasus.....	1,125	2,772	88,643	95	1,022	8
West Siberia.....	139	428	33,279	31	106	2
East Siberia.....	200	335	10,507	10	171	19
Turkestan.....	105	209	4,305	45	60	
Amur.....	408		14,418	408		
Total.....	31,594	67,582	2,289,322	3,094	27,373	473

OWNERSHIP OF LANDS IN RUSSIA IN 1892.

[From Statesman's Year-Book, 1899.]

OWNERS.	Area.	Unfit for culture, roads, etc.
	<i>Acres.</i>	<i>Acres.</i>
The State.....	410,801,567	139,397,498
The Imperial family.....	19,890,835	
The peasants.....	373,310,496	35,545,735
Private owners.....	294,504,582	35,115,557
Total.....	1,098,507,780	210,058,770

In 1892, the total land and that held in private ownership was as follows:

NATURE OF LAND.	Total.		In private ownership.	
	<i>Acres.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Acres.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
Arable.....	287,969,552	26.2	80,063,271	27.3
Orchards, meadow, grazing, etc.....	174,958,734	15.9	68,628,269	23.2
Forests, etc.....	425,520,714	38.8	110,697,486	37.6
Unfit for culture, roads, etc.....	210,058,770	19.1	35,115,566	11.9
Total.....	1,098,507,780	100.0	294,504,582	100.0

IMMIGRATION INTO AND EMIGRATION FROM RUSSIA.

YEAR.	Entered Russia.	Left Russia.	YEAR.	Entered Russia.	Left Russia.
1861-1890.....	4,546,613	4,996,711	1894.....	2,043,760	2,048,776
1891.....	2,508,400	2,648,100	1895.....	2,586,118	2,580,942
1892.....	1,875,900	1,901,200	1896.....	2,725,645	2,743,418
1893.....	2,087,591	2,034,574			

MINERAL PRODUCTION OF RUSSIA (a) (IN METRIC TONS AND DOLLARS (b)).

YEAR.	Asbestos.		Asphaltic mastic.		Chrome iron ore.		Cobalt glance.	Coal.		Copper.		Glauber salts.		Graphite.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	1,184	8,000	14,039	108,000	3,097	37,800	19	6,233,025	7,901,480	5,456	1,542,000	3,932	38,400	164	8,000
1892.....	1,239	8,000	15,442	118,760	3,007	7,509	20	6,945,994	8,416,720	5,315	1,476,427	2,481	18,099	82	4,000
1893.....	1,059	6,836	14,925	114,800	14,585	35,101	3	7,613,724	9,225,200	5,463	1,586,526	5,037	36,754	311	15,200
1894.....	570	3,400	16,054	176,422	7,537	18,760	9	8,762,340	11,473,600	5,419	1,320,800	4,014	28,800		
1895.....	1,131	6,800	18,783	143,542	21,013	51,316	3	9,099,476	12,150,400	5,854	1,429,516	4,207	15,612		
1896.....										5,416					

YEAR.	Gold (kilograms).		Iron (cast).		Iron pyrites.		Lead.		Manganese ore.		Naphtha.		Phosphorites.		Platinum (kilograms).	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	39,083	17,980,000	1,004,746	16,710,800	18,353	44,800	559	30,680	113,081	198,800	4,756,417	3,190,280	17,497	51,200	4,242	776,800
1892.....	42,997	20,921,600	1,071,772	18,357,586	14,109	45,200	883	49,160	203,237	370,800	4,896,179	1,990,686	23,238	40,445	4,570	558,400
1893.....	44,865	21,869,708	1,148,902	19,100,000	16,271	51,200	844	46,922	268,621	669,100	5,790,692	2,781,851	13,706	36,994	5,094	917,231
1894.....	42,932	20,985,200	1,332,465	22,200,000	19,801	48,000	743	36,000	243,469	490,800	5,161,552	3,916,800	14,072	31,680	5,202	890,400
1895.....	41,097	18,812,993	1,452,337	23,312,800	11,042	31,200	412	20,000	203,081	388,522	7,056,330	11,490,800	6,327	18,682	4,406	883,960
1896.....	37,175															

YEAR.	Porcelain clay.		Quicksilver.		Salt.		Silver (kilograms).		Sulphur.		Tin.		Zinc.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	5,202	34,320	323	356,000	1,351,186	2,586,280	13,726	350,400	336	4,120	9	3,440	3,676	394,800
1892.....	4,149	16,874	343	376,000	1,458,508	2,404,000	11,187	304,000	403	4,920	9	3,520	4,369	416,000
1893.....	3,197	12,848	201	220,484	1,351,056	2,224,234	9,500	276,696	589	7,200	7	2,501	4,501	428,604
1894.....	7,742	30,400	196	153,200	1,354,218	1,723,200	7,813	227,200	1	18	4	1,440	5,014	367,336
1895.....	25,330	101,200	434	371,000	1,540,194	2,383,743	7,878	239,088	85	2,316	8	5,068	5,029	360,000
1896.....			491										6,257	

a From the Russian official mining report, "Sbornik Statisticheskikh Svedeniye o Gornozavodskoi Promyshlennostiye Rossie v Zavodskom Godu," St. Petersburg.

b In the Russian reports the quantities are stated in poods and the values in silver rubles. In making the reductions the following relations were employed: 1 pood=.01638 metric ton; 1 silver ruble=40 cents.

MINERAL IMPORTS OF RUSSIA (a) (IN METRIC TONS AND DOLLARS).

[1 pood=0.1638 metric ton; 1 ruble = 40 cents.]

YEAR.	Asbestos.		Asbestos manufactures.		Asphalt rock.		Baryta and witherite.		Clay, bauxite, and talc.		Coal.		Coke.		Copper and alloys.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	15	617	40	11,039	363	2,318	2,056	21,252	21,243	131,578	1,542,516	4,226,782	201,994	628,485	5,326	1,360,906
1892.....	52	5,938	101	23,093	1,115	20,657	3,524	31,719	38,615	267,932	1,438,158	4,144,014	230,109	742,420	10,485	3,085,878
1893.....	38	1,060	108	19,924	319	2,600	4,083	33,289	52,593	322,717	1,715,258	4,776,731	289,978	968,914	13,814	4,047,212
1894.....	49	5,819	197	34,192	458	5,654	6,355	40,797	64,428	418,048	1,973,516	5,361,537	290,822	925,762	8,033	3,352,393
1895.....	107	8,186	241	58,888	566	3,465	7,703	65,297	55,212	327,838	1,934,289	5,293,392	310,113	961,475	11,679	2,725,159

YEAR.	Copper and brass manufactures.		Glauber salts.		Gold bars and coin (kilograms).		Iron castings.		Iron, pig.		Iron pyrites.		Tin plate.		All other iron.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	1,438	887,640	1,638	80,000	82,137	28,928,713	2,578	327,758	51,383	1,255,961	12,181	66,848	12,319	1,970,132	62,118	3,058,705
1892.....	1,318	801,724	1,819	43,009	134,670	41,745,312	2,276	250,216	90,099	1,500,818	14,686	110,498	28,233	2,080,870	40,337	2,549,708
1893.....	1,480	882,232	2,649	88,728	17,019	5,278,049	3,031	326,122	160,507	2,757,083	11,594	215,734	22,132	2,309,751	87,449	4,363,469
1894.....	1,573	935,503	3,641	99,052	(b)	.....	4,669	463,440	144,641	2,299,316	36,950	279,076	20,790	1,491,923	188,418	8,689,817
1895.....	1,598	1,015,372	3,303	79,883	(b)	.....	4,799	602,644	127,202	2,227,129	22,410	241,393	30,489	2,194,164	218,985	10,182,897

YEAR.	Iron and steel manufactures.		Lead.		Magnesite.		Mica (kilograms).		Naphtha, crude.		Oil, kerosene, benzine, etc.		Ores, except graphite.		Other metals, manufactures of.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	17,729	3,932,690	20,336	1,268,609	724	2,737	377	142	.....	293	153	12,914	4,414	70,919	464	186,298
1892.....	17,435	3,804,331	26,075	1,800,277	935	11,559	409	129	.....	6	317	28,049	3,140	104,339	489	250,165
1893.....	(b)	2,121,317	18,712	1,481,455	720	17,056	377	348	.....	11	362	28,664	1,022	2,261	479	106,241
1894.....	19,171	3,143,306	11,979	1,620,034	276	5,057	2,162	529	.....	10	465	31,249	(b)	.....	1,573	982,444
1895.....	20,214	3,205,413	29,556	1,820,843	1,127	20,094	2,407	917	.....	(b)	537	44,494	1,534	19,800	12,370	3,374,097

YEAR.	Phosphorites.		Quicksilver.		Salt.		Saltpeter, Chile.		Salts, Stassfurt.		Silver.		Steel, all kinds.		Strontianite and celestine.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Kilos.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	(b)	.....	5	3,981	14,291	90,454	2,881	105,648	3,277	41,126	249,779	4,221,642	14,540	1,335,108	69	682
1892.....	10,785	107,790	6	4,489	11,000	68,264	10,982	394,856	2,770	21,219	223,161	3,760,715	16,396	1,391,168	312	1,670
1893.....	14,815	156,032	10	7,312	6,914	40,946	8,487	183,537	4,746	37,528	428,107	7,249,674	23,130	2,151,926	404	18,814
1894.....	27,006	356,372	11	5,932	10,433	65,692	14,083	357,594	5,190	56,308	.....	.....	33,805	3,782,477	575	24,986
1895.....	(b)	.....	7	6,966	10,332	57,400	12,315	294,788	4,463	41,038	.....	.....	52,523	3,003,229	34	1,118

YEAR.	Sulphur.		Tar, asphaltic, mastic, etc.		Tin.		Zinc ore.		Zinc, ingot and sheet.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	13,923	273,514	1,225	26,505	2,240	570,984	744	7,270	5,144	490,757
1892.....	16,124	327,872	3,030	76,390	2,954	640,276	(b)	.....	5,683	543,366
1893.....	23,569	407,818	52,593	322,717	4,007	868,763	(b)	.....	8,146	900,670
1894.....	19,893	384,752	3,021	74,075	3,386	688,333	(b)	.....	8,289	879,164
1895.....	19,525	233,233	2,721	77,668	3,417	705,597	(b)	.....	9,194	962,106

a From the Russian official report "Sbornik Statisticheskikh Svedeniye o Gornozavodskoi Promyshlennostye Rossie v Zavodskom Godu," St. Petersburg.

b Not reported.

c Included under copper and brass manufactures.

d Includes bronze manufactures.

MINERAL EXPORTS OF RUSSIA (a) (IN METRIC TONS, AND DOLLARS).

[1 pood = .01638 metric ton; 1 rouble = 40 cents.]

YEAR..	Bronze and manufactures.		Clay, bauxite, and talc.		Coal.		Copper and alloys.		Copper and brass manufactures.		Gold coin and bullion, kilograms.		Iron castings.		Iron, pig.		Iron, all other.		Manganese ore.	
	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	
1891.....	(f) 18,469			11,188	23,822	71	18,063	255	127,900	796.0	246,395	562	74,205	247	6,830	4,783	223,992	(f)		
1892.....	(f) 7,042	409	1,454	8,206	27,035	49	14,818	267	136,939	296.5	92,579	481	52,253	234	6,340	5,189	252,647	129,016	1,512,538	
1893.....		337	(f)	7,839	24,174	51	15,912	259	19,983	229.0	68,578	822	135,231	224	6,023	5,497	212,173	125,167	1,251,326	
1894.....	(f) 10,229	166	1,227	7,544	20,870	47	12,154		86,146	(f)		298	30,071	192	7,040	2,312	117,207	146,840	1,194,035	
1895.....	(f) 5,709	1,522	3,542	165,609	17,187	31	8,229	120	62,064	(f)		459	39,011	184	7,950	4,534	239,499	165,600	1,215,399	

YEAR.	Metals, other.		Naphtha, crude.		Naphtha residue.		Oil, kerosene, benzine, etc.		Ores of metals and minerals, except graphite.		Paraffin.		Phosphorites.		Platinum, crude.		Precious metals.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	175	13,594	9,563	76,772	51,872	409,720	939,206	9,676,068	63,296	733,751	b 1	83	6,834	91,269	3	381,900	(g)	
1892.....	(f)		4,866	12,745	41,759	306,944	799,097	8,416,610	63	1,189	(f)		7,629	109,553	6	447,685	(g)	
1893.....	247	36,839	9,574	22,840	53,254	392,590	819,485	6,778,882	1,183	19,553	(f)		8,892	23,800	2	270,190	(g)	
1894.....	202	30,308	9,268	22,856	54,658	493,076	769,406	5,642,097	432	10,260	b 1	370	10,918	131,889	(f)		(f)	17,628,935
1895.....	127	12,150	33,348	220,640	54,451	449,876	845,751	8,129,730	20,626	40,071	b 93	3,746	8,810	107,898	4.7	777,900	(f)	550,000

YEAR.	Quicksilver.		Salt.		Silver, kilograms.		Slags.		Steel.		Zinc ore.		Zinc, ingot and sheet.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1891.....	218	330,597	7,216	32,116	125,694	2,140,998	2,478	4,273	212	18,035	134	1,866	45.0	4,285
1892.....	266	383,317	9,774	34,484	103,037	1,754,856	3,967	12,745	760	59,534	248	3,708	248.0	1,219
1893.....	132	153,111	6,457	21,817	167,010	2,858,582	8,994	15,776	283	21,022	40	1,414	27.0	2,963
1894.....	140	164,398	7,023	17,790	(c)		5,173	11,334	167	14,855	238	2,820	1.0	446
1895.....	430	383,629	6,814	16,461	(c)		5,606	11,274	173	15,338	194	4,390	3.5	264

a From the Russian official report "Sbornik Statisticheskikh Svedeni o Gornozavodskoi Promyshlennosti Rossii v Zavodskom Godu," St. Petersburg.

b Includes vaseline.

d Includes platinum manufactures.

f Not reported.

c Included under paraffin.

e Included under precious metals.

g Reported under gold and silver.

FOREIGN COMMERCE OF RUSSIA, 1884-1896.

QUANTITIES AND VALUE OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION
(MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1884 TO 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889
Agricultural machinery.....rubles	5,816,000	2,453,000	1,325,000	1,756,000	2,652,000	2,974,000
Books, maps, etc.....rubles	4,779,000	2,833,000	2,911,000	2,096,000	2,174,000	2,211,000
Cement and earths.....poods	7,332,000	5,928,000	5,627,000	6,720,000	5,794,000	5,384,000
.....rubles	3,002,000	2,088,000	1,533,000	1,690,000	1,316,000	1,291,000
Chemicals and drugs.....poods	5,040,000	4,846,000	4,964,000	5,039,000	5,452,000	5,571,000
.....rubles	16,068,000	14,005,000	13,118,000	12,981,000	12,488,000	13,208,000
Coal and coke (a).....poods	117,255,000	111,842,000	113,900,000	96,134,000	106,314,000	126,980,000
.....rubles	16,058,000	15,526,100	13,549,000	11,404,000	13,130,000	15,244,000
Coffee, raw.....poods	508,000	472,000	458,000	318,000	389,000	359,000
.....rubles	8,651,000	7,447,000	6,071,000	4,104,000	5,207,000	4,849,000
Copper.....poods	294,000	213,000	143,000	56,000	34,000	242,000
.....rubles	3,782,000	2,576,000	1,636,000	624,000	406,000	2,581,000
Cotton:						
Raw.....poods	6,764,000	6,906,000	7,557,000	10,712,000	7,945,000	10,087,000
.....rubles	78,163,000	68,570,000	73,393,000	100,779,000	75,724,000	93,767,000
Yarn.....poods	172,000	180,000	177,000	229,000	281,000	281,000
.....rubles	8,700,000	7,933,000	7,853,000	9,902,000	10,368,000	10,040,000
Manufactures.....rubles	5,209,000	5,109,000	4,386,000	3,876,000	3,469,000	4,125,000
Dyes: Coal tar, etc.....poods	29,098	41,576	48,348	52,376	45,826	63,027
.....rubles	4,619,000	3,153,000	3,453,000	3,269,000	2,955,000	3,433,000
Engines, machinery, and parts thereof (b).....poods	1,605,000	1,405,000	1,601,000	1,400,000	1,687,000	2,137,000
.....rubles	16,988,000	12,191,000	14,628,000	13,584,000	16,470,000	19,897,000
Fish, salted or dried.....poods	5,878,000	4,989,000	4,892,000	5,165,000	4,619,000	5,981,000
.....rubles	8,644,000	6,055,000	6,926,000	6,703,000	6,083,000	8,018,000
Fruit:						
Fresh, oranges and lemons.....rubles	4,236,000	3,841,000	3,768,000	2,932,000	2,398,000	3,255,000
Dried, figs, dates, raisins, etc.....rubles	4,484,000	3,811,000	3,260,000	2,437,000	2,823,000	3,304,000
Glass and glasswares.....rubles	2,958,000	2,932,000	2,575,000	1,923,000	1,561,000	2,077,000
Hides and skins, raw.....rubles	8,239,000	4,709,000	4,401,000	4,265,000	6,981,000	7,535,000
India rubber and gutta-percha, in the rough.....poods	191,000	167,000	175,000	200,000	213,000	236,000
.....rubles	3,377,000	2,538,000	2,000,000	2,343,000	3,378,000	3,688,000
Indigo.....poods	49,894	47,498	35,874	39,059	54,241	59,034
.....rubles	6,582,000	5,271,000	3,890,000	3,962,000	6,142,000	6,719,000
Iron:						
Pig.....poods	17,535,000	13,789,000	14,852,000	9,120,000	4,790,000	6,672,000
.....rubles	11,381,000	8,885,000	8,408,000	5,804,000	2,692,000	4,233,000
Bars, blooms, rails, etc.....poods	3,927,000	3,512,000	3,266,000	2,281,000	2,533,000	3,429,000
.....rubles	6,595,000	6,354,000	6,274,000	4,049,000	4,464,000	6,006,000
In sheets or plates (d).....poods	2,337,000	1,792,000	1,373,000	1,177,000	1,377,000	1,865,000
.....rubles	6,230,000	4,723,000	3,620,000	2,861,000	3,613,000	4,384,000
Steel, in bars, rails, or sheets.....poods	476,000	415,000	563,000	618,000	602,000	974,000
.....rubles	1,787,000	1,389,000	2,486,000	2,004,000	2,310,000	3,228,000
Lead in pigs, rolls, etc., and litharge.....poods	1,108,000	686,000	940,000	1,172,000	1,261,000	1,216,000
.....rubles	2,343,000	1,772,000	2,053,000	2,612,000	2,924,000	3,157,000
Metal wares: Iron, steel, tin, etc.....rubles	16,963,000	12,923,000	12,777,000	9,370,000	11,476,000	12,366,000
Oils, other than mineral.....poods	1,753,000	1,308,000	1,145,000	887,000	875,000	947,000
.....rubles	17,876,000	12,340,000	10,648,000	9,555,000	8,911,000	8,103,000
Plants and seeds.....poods			2,547,000	1,933,000		1,832,000
.....rubles	4,496,000	6,713,000	8,637,000	4,899,000	5,016,000	4,704,000
Rice.....poods	1,728,000	1,585,000	2,065,000	1,585,000	1,870,000	2,308,000
.....rubles	3,900,000	3,166,000	2,933,000	1,654,000	2,249,000	2,361,000
Silk:						
Raw.....poods	2,145		3,695	7,534	18,553	16,260
.....rubles	269,000	264,000	402,000	948,000	2,781,000	2,041,000
Yarn or twist.....poods	22,798	20,970	21,833	23,465	26,360	27,076
.....rubles	9,548,000	6,522,000	6,434,000	7,230,000	9,004,000	8,796,000
Manufactures of.....rubles	2,767,000	2,479,000	2,224,000	2,015,000	2,094,000	2,502,000
Tea.....poods	2,067,000	1,734,000	2,076,000	2,021,000	1,921,000	1,914,000
.....rubles	79,958,000	55,271,000	65,174,000	45,212,000	32,848,000	32,099,000
Tobacco, in leaves and stalks.....poods	84,940	81,956	78,378	77,063	55,639	62,369
.....rubles	4,297,000	3,981,000	3,625,000	2,991,000	2,023,000	2,577,000

a Including also lignite and peat.

b Except agricultural machinery.

FOREIGN COMMERCE OF RUSSIA, 1884-1896.

QUANTITIES AND VALUE OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION
(MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1884 TO 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.
2,531,000	2,059,000	2,933,000	3,613,000	5,335,000	5,556,000	7,065,000	rubles ... Agricultural machinery.
2,089,000	2,106,000	2,058,000	2,106,000	2,330,000	2,403,000	2,377,000	rubles ... Books, maps, etc.
7,047,000	7,394,000	7,182,000	11,192,000	9,034,000	8,738,000	9,971,000	poods ... } Cement and earths.
1,449,000	1,515,000	2,110,000	3,189,000	2,381,000	2,109,000	2,609,000	rubles ... }
5,375,000	4,337,000	5,021,000	5,751,000	5,750,000	5,441,000	6,170,000	poods ... }
12,721,000	11,576,000	13,380,000	13,358,000	13,078,000	12,468,000	13,733,000	rubles ... } Chemicals and drugs.
106,673,000	106,647,000	101,814,000	122,390,000	138,238,000	137,021,000	143,435,000	poods ... }
12,545,000	12,154,000	12,213,000	14,362,000	15,718,000	15,637,000	16,535,000	rubles ... } Coal and coke. (a)
391,000	350,000	396,000	418,000	408,000	401,000	385,000	poods ... }
5,606,000	5,313,000	6,020,000	6,519,000	5,851,000	5,604,000	5,185,000	rubles ... } Coffee, raw.
252,000	317,000	574,000	817,000	751,000	713,000	960,000	poods ... }
2,891,000	3,328,000	6,628,000	10,104,000	8,381,000	6,813,000	9,995,000	rubles ... } Copper.
							Cotton:
8,566,000	7,633,000	10,148,000	8,323,000	12,064,000	8,227,000	9,257,000	poods ... } Raw.
81,497,000	71,434,000	87,979,000	66,217,000	91,872,000	62,732,000	75,803,000	rubles ... }
238,000	164,000	127,000	138,000	149,000	135,000	118,000	poods ... } Yarn.
8,924,000	5,238,000	4,181,000	4,488,000	4,325,000	4,284,000	3,898,000	rubles ... }
4,104,000	3,994,000	3,497,000	3,578,000	4,150,000	3,922,000	4,319,000	rubles ... Manufactures.
48,562	49,369	56,010	47,152	62,595	63,995	68,361	poods ... }
2,745,000	3,083,000	3,822,000	3,456,000	4,638,000	4,944,000	4,656,000	rubles ... } Dyes: Coal tar, etc.
2,024,000	2,194,000	2,090,000	2,737,000	4,480,000	5,052,000	6,878,000	poods ... }
18,755,000	19,390,000	20,863,000	25,154,000	41,020,000	47,620,000	58,380,000	rubles ... } Engines, machinery, and parts thereof. (b)
5,434,000	4,692,000	6,646,000	7,992,000	7,413,000	7,170,000	9,004,000	poods ... }
7,631,000	6,453,000	9,052,000	10,148,000	10,179,000	9,914,000	13,650,000	rubles ... } Fish, salted or dried.
							Fruit:
2,779,000	2,776,000	2,742,000	3,152,000	3,871,000	3,630,000	4,274,000	rubles ... Fresh, oranges and lemons.
2,936,000	2,646,000	3,458,000	4,264,000	3,409,000	4,163,000	6,212,000	rubles ... Dried, figs, dates, raisins, etc.
1,959,000	1,814,000	1,098,000	1,748,000	2,516,000	2,341,000	2,509,000	rubles ... Glass and glasswares.
5,490,000	4,876,000	4,392,000	5,489,000	7,467,000	6,113,000	10,116,000	rubles ... Hides and skins, raw.
217,000	c 267,000	276,000	288,000	358,000	344,000	414,000	poods ... }
4,013,000	c 3,881,000	5,382,000	6,606,000	7,815,000	7,812,000	9,197,000	rubles ... } India rubber and gutta-percha, in the rough.
£3,823	47,632	49,504	41,400	45,494	70,163	64,000	poods ... }
6,806,000	4,919,000	4,520,000	3,945,000	4,049,000	5,381,000	5,763,000	rubles ... } Indigo.
							Iron:
8,133,000	4,932,000	4,677,000	7,556,000	8,830,000	7,753,000	3,793,000	poods ... }
5,277,000	3,100,000	3,090,000	4,942,000	5,748,000	5,568,000	2,697,000	rubles ... } Pig.
3,763,000	2,604,000	1,930,000	2,896,000	6,834,000	7,359,000	8,560,000	poods ... }
6,564,000	4,815,000	3,282,000	5,068,000	11,220,000	12,282,000	14,304,000	rubles ... } Bars, blooms, rails, etc.
1,976,000	1,287,000	1,177,000	2,255,000	4,625,000	5,937,000	8,135,000	poods ... }
4,347,000	2,999,000	2,929,000	5,429,000	10,325,000	13,064,000	17,368,000	rubles ... } In sheets or plates. (d)
967,000	881,000	998,000	2,140,000	2,980,000	3,207,000	4,427,000	poods ... }
3,203,000	3,330,000	3,401,000	5,283,000	9,481,000	7,508,000	9,828,000	rubles ... }
1,316,000	1,174,000	1,638,000	1,729,000	1,878,000	1,804,000	1,931,000	poods ... }
3,213,000	2,907,000	4,627,000	3,695,000	4,059,000	4,552,000	4,242,000	rubles ... } Lead, in pigs, rolls, etc., and litharge.
11,522,000	13,401,000	12,790,000	17,175,000	13,248,000	23,853,000	24,915,000	rubles ... Metal wares: Iron, steel, tin, etc.
977,000	913,000	825,000	842,000	981,000	942,000	815,000	poods ... }
7,625,000	7,272,000	6,923,000	6,487,000	7,405,000	7,129,000	6,548,000	rubles ... } Oils, other than mineral.
2,157,000	2,140,000	2,681,000	3,218,000	3,700,000	3,429,000	3,784,000	poods ... }
5,011,000	4,716,000	5,879,000	6,722,000	6,952,000	6,358,000	6,941,000	rubles ... } Plants and seeds.
2,250,000	2,663,000	2,706,000	2,766,000	2,361,000	2,998,000	2,953,000	poods ... }
2,352,000	2,760,000	3,087,000	3,210,000	2,458,000	3,361,000	3,373,000	rubles ... } Rice.
							Silk:
13,821	21,202	27,479	-----	43,062	46,115	59,000	poods ... } Raw.
1,904,000	2,724,000	4,476,000	5,264,000	6,736,000	6,727,000	8,427,000	rubles ... }
23,568	21,555	19,067	23,294	20,607	13,932	11,000	poods ... }
6,823,000	6,378,000	5,633,000	7,052,000	6,558,000	4,480,000	3,631,000	rubles ... } Yarn or twist.
2,623,000	2,077,000	1,911,000	2,423,000	3,803,000	3,268,000	3,674,000	rubles ... }
1,917,000	1,965,000	2,142,000	2,202,000	2,465,000	2,569,000	2,612,000	poods ... }
32,761,000	32,400,000	35,570,000	36,526,000	39,252,000	42,072,000	41,710,000	rubles ... } Tea.
58,985	52,807	48,315	48,608	53,628	51,523	65,000	poods ... }
2,132,000	1,929,000	1,614,000	1,612,000	1,570,000	1,829,000	2,722,000	rubles ... } Tobacco, in leaves and stalks.

c Including camphor, etc., in this year.

d Exclusive of tin plates.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889
Watches, clocks, etc .....rubles ...	3, 818, 000	2, 853, 000	2, 160, 000	1, 924, 000	2, 447, 000	3, 485, 000
Wine:						
In casks .....{poods		605, 000	561, 000	494, 000	479, 000	506, 000
{rubles	15, 737, 000	7, 757, 000	6, 662, 000	5, 606, 000	5, 643, 000	5, 664, 000
In the bottle, sparkling and other .....{botiles	942, 000	669, 000	654, 000	643, 000	605, 000	668, 000
{rubles	3, 346, 000	2, 685, 000	1, 775, 000	1, 892, 000	1, 747, 000	1, 919, 000
Wool, raw .....{poods		636, 000	558, 000	585, 000	941, 000	387, 000
{rubles						5, 778, 000
Woolen yarns, whether combed, dyed, or not.....{poods						437, 000
{rubles	18, 665, 000	21, 494, 000	18, 595, 000	17, 987, 000	25, 409, 000	15, 840, 000
Wool, manufactures of.....rubles ...	5, 753, 000	4, 894, 000	4, 062, 000	3, 049, 000	2, 692, 000	3, 750, 000
Total value of principal and other articles {credit rubles..	537, 973, 000	434, 168, 000	438, 206, 000	393, 209, 000	399, 745, 000	437, 016, 000
{dollars.....	261, 776, 000	211, 267, 000	213, 233, 000	191, 336, 000	190, 134, 000	212, 654, 000

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION
(MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1884 TO 1896—Continued.

1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.
3,672,000	2,823,000	2,371,000	3,814,000	5,198,000	5,720,000	5,199,000	rubles ... Watches, clocks, etc.
517,000	513,655	-----	479,000	-----	-----	-----	Wine:
5,268,000	5,755,000	4,620,000	5,180,000	5,821,000	5,844,000	6,607,000	poods } In casks.
713,000	682,000	639,000	764,000	871,000	914,000	1,118,000	rubles ... }
2,254,000	1,830,000	1,910,000	2,201,000	2,364,000	2,341,000	2,894,000	bottles ... } In the bottle, sparkling and other.
293,000	390,000	462,000	1,034,000	1,150,000	1,199,000	977,000	rubles ... }
4,041,000	4,844,000	6,640,000	16,663,000	15,776,000	16,826,000	12,516,000	poods } Wool, raw.
383,000	233,429	180,000	260,000	374,000	358,000	316,000	rubles ... }
16,996,000	11,762,000	8,774,000	12,685,000	17,059,000	16,232,000	13,458,000	poods } Woolen yarns, whether combed, dyed, or not.
4,067,000	3,933,000	3,137,000	3,633,000	4,845,000	5,962,000	6,351,000	rubles ... } Wool, manufactures of.
416,065,000	379,342,000	403,880,000	463,546,000	559,572,000	538,508,000	589,810,000	credit rubles ... }
202,455,000	184,587,000	196,528,000	225,563,000	272,384,000	262,039,000	237,002,000	dollars } Total value of principal and other articles.

QUANTITIES AND VALUE OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE EXPORTED FROM RUSSIA
(MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1884 TO 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.		1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889
Animals:							
Horses	number ..	40, 077	34, 141	25, 814	21, 052	42, 534	37, 515
.....	rubles ...	3, 449, 000	2, 806, 000	2, 816, 000	2, 621, 000	4, 655, 000	4, 416, 000
Fowls and game	rubles ...	1, 674, 000	1, 959, 000	2, 397, 000	3, 452, 000	3, 811, 000	4, 996, 000
Cattle, sheep, and pigs	number ..	746, 482	658, 786	486, 007	437, 413	321, 905	223, 521
.....	rubles ...	9, 010, 000	9, 741, 000	6, 458, 000	6, 366, 000	4, 684, 000	3, 624, 000
Brandy and corn spirit	rubles ...	5, 874, 000	7, 903, 000	8, 988, 000	8, 810, 000	7, 841, 000	5, 777, 000
Bran	poods ...	(a)	3, 811, 000	4, 387, 000	6, 499, 000	13, 104, 000	12, 214, 000
.....	rubles ...	2, 865, 000	1, 928, 000	2, 314, 000	3, 439, 000	7, 091, 000	6, 525, 000
Bristles	poods ...	163, 652	137, 392	139, 627	149, 786	164, 128	169, 955
.....	rubles ...	5, 127, 000	5, 528, 000	6, 018, 000	7, 224, 000	9, 262, 000	11, 018, 000
Butter (b)	poods ...	228, 000	251, 000	302, 000	340, 000	426, 000	475, 000
.....	rubles ...	2, 955, 000	2, 150, 000	2, 591, 000	3, 407, 000	4, 476, 000	4, 993, 000
Cavaire	poods ...	305, 000	156, 000	168, 000	187, 000	231, 000	243, 000
.....	rubles ...	3, 434, 000	1, 502, 000	1, 775, 000	2, 964, 000	2, 426, 000	2, 897, 000
Clothing, ready made	rubles ...	1, 645, 000	1, 512, 000	2, 509, 000	1, 843, 000	6, 075, 000	4, 682, 000
Corn, flour, and meal, total of	poods ...	(a)	344, 077, 000	278, 547, 000	393, 007, 000	518, 232, 000	466, 692, 000
.....	rubles ...	321, 426, 000	292, 433, 000	233, 350, 000	322, 654, 000	442, 469, 000	376, 343, 000
Corn:							
Wheat	poods ...	(a)	155, 114, 000	61, 517, 000	135, 250, 000	214, 729, 000	190, 546, 000
.....	rubles ...	130, 456, 000	145, 597, 000	95, 559, 000	144, 834, 000	223, 275, 000	192, 880, 000
Rye	poods ...	(a)	76, 093, 000	65, 861, 000	78, 213, 000	107, 270, 000	84, 288, 000
.....	rubles ...	67, 163, 000	59, 166, 000	48, 258, 000	54, 857, 000	67, 903, 000	55, 111, 000
Barley	poods ...	(a)	38, 974, 000	42, 217, 000	59, 130, 000	80, 031, 000	65, 818, 000
.....	rubles ...	29, 396, 000	25, 314, 000	26, 715, 000	35, 096, 000	47, 713, 000	37, 703, 000
Oats	poods ...	(a)	39, 199, 000	34, 828, 000	61, 170, 000	88, 072, 000	70, 142, 000
.....	rubles ...	52, 038, 000	29, 854, 000	26, 605, 000	40, 806, 000	55, 165, 000	45, 177, 000
Maize	poods ...	(a)	11, 074, 600	25, 411, 000	34, 068, 000	22, 109, 000	26, 900, 000
.....	rubles ...	18, 529, 000	9, 444, 000	16, 336, 000	22, 129, 000	15, 002, 000	18, 675, 000
Pease	poods ...	(a)	2, 979, 000	1, 811, 000	4, 222, 000	6, 474, 000	4, 435, 000
.....	rubles ...	3, 176, 000	2, 713, 000	1, 675, 000	3, 939, 000	6, 413, 000	4, 053, 000
Flour, of wheat	poods ...	(a)	4, 686, 000	3, 684, 000	3, 945, 000	4, 166, 000	3, 783, 000
.....	rubles ...	7, 579, 000	9, 080, 000	7, 213, 000	7, 146, 000	7, 690, 000	7, 752, 000
Flour, of rye	poods ...	(a)	4, 229, 000	3, 802, 000	3, 875, 000	4, 637, 000	3, 473, 000
.....	rubles ...	2, 903, 000	4, 240, 000	3, 505, 000	3, 082, 000	3, 738, 000	3, 031, 000
Cotton, manufactures of	rubles ...	1, 933, 000	3, 022, 000	4, 100, 000	5, 193, 000	6, 707, 000	4, 656, 000
Eggs	1, 000 ...	239, 593	235, 549	332, 764	507, 451	684, 512	603, 130
.....	rubles ...	3, 076, 000	3, 434, 000	5, 365, 000	7, 953, 000	11, 715, 000	9, 976, 000
Flax:							
Raw	poods ...	11, 114, 000	9, 354, 000	7, 110, 000	8, 588, 000	11, 304, 000	11, 221, 000
.....	rubles ...	58, 728, 000	47, 217, 000	38, 610, 000	47, 756, 000	61, 023, 000	57, 984, 000
Tow	poods ...	1, 668, 000	1, 934, 000	1, 512, 000	1, 859, 000	1, 854, 000	1, 258, 000
.....	rubles ...	6, 075, 000	5, 887, 000	4, 524, 000	5, 518, 000	5, 805, 000	4, 418, 000
Fur and sheep skins	rubles ...	4, 176, 000	3, 385, 000	5, 446, 000	3, 939, 000	4, 243, 000	6, 239, 000
Hemp, raw	poods ...	2, 881, 000	3, 075, 000	2, 361, 000	3, 858, 000	3, 323, 000	4, 078, 000
.....	rubles ...	13, 914, 000	13, 048, 000	11, 499, 000	19, 525, 000	16, 964, 000	20, 738, 000
Leather and hides, untanned	poods ...						334, 000
.....	rubles ...	4, 421, 000	4, 033, 000	5, 048, 000	5, 693, 000	4, 603, 000	4, 235, 000
Oilcake	poods ...	5, 898, 000	5, 683, 000	4, 810, 000	5, 469, 000	7, 239, 000	8, 789, 000
.....	rubles ...	5, 968, 000	4, 950, 000	3, 844, 000	4, 173, 000	5, 329, 000	6, 527, 000
Oil, illuminating, petroleum, etc	poods ...	6, 913, 000	10, 830, 000	15, 009, 000	18, 987, 000	34, 945, 000	44, 801, 000
.....	rubles ...	10, 181, 000	11, 999, 000	12, 903, 000	14, 154, 000	25, 125, 000	27, 130, 000
Seeds, oleaginous:							
Linseed	poods ...	(a)	6, 099, 000	10, 346, 000	19, 903, 000	22, 130, 000	23, 992, 000
.....	rubles ...	21, 498, 000	8, 665, 000	14, 725, 000	27, 106, 000	28, 319, 000	32, 612, 000
Hemp seed	poods ...	(a)	1, 117, 000	796, 000	1, 061, 000	1, 935, 000	1, 750, 000
.....	rubles ...	946, 000	1, 565, 000	988, 000	1, 184, 000	2, 293, 000	1, 983, 000
Rape and kohlrabi seed	poods ...		3, 124, 000	4, 276, 000	6, 287, 000	4, 494, 000	4, 370, 000
.....	rubles ...		2, 588, 000	3, 057, 000	5, 946, 000	4, 958, 000	5, 235, 000
Sugar:							
Moist	poods ...	107, 000	2, 961, 000	3, 808, 000	4, 583, 000	4, 524, 000	3, 824, 000
.....	rubles ...					17, 748, 000	15, 138, 000
Refined, in loaves	poods ...					1, 057, 000	1, 147, 000
.....	rubles ...	787, 000	14, 910, 000	13, 063, 000	18, 664, 000	5, 341, 000	5, 671, 000
Wood, f all sorts	rubles ...	35, 501, 000	27, 274, 000	24, 195, 000	23, 200, 000	39, 004, 000	55, 778, 000
.....	poods ...	2, 441, 000	1, 631, 000	2, 520, 000	2, 026, 000	1, 440, 000	2, 385, 000
Wool, raw, unspan	rubles ...	17, 880, 000	13, 174, 000	22, 318, 000	17, 228, 000	14, 455, 000	25, 216, 000
Total value of principal and other articles							
.....	credit rubles.	589, 901, 000	537, 906, 000	484, 106, 000	617, 308, 000	781, 046, 000	750, 875, 000
.....	dollars	287, 045, 000	261, 747, 000	235, 568, 000	300, 383, 000	391, 519, 000	365, 373, 000

a Entered as tchetverts in this year.

b Exclusive of margarine.

**QUANTITIES AND VALUE OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE EXPORTED FROM RUSSIA
(MERCHANDISE ONLY), 1884 TO 1896.**

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.
41,435	65,173	61,568	38,623	39,662	54,430	54,587	Animals:
4,201,000	5,493,000	5,264,000	3,554,000	3,713,000	5,141,000	5,265,000	number... } Horses.
4,520,000	4,644,000	5,384,000	5,129,000	5,403,000	5,902,000	5,861,000	rubles... } Fowls and game.
180,642	517,359	382,360	263,229	256,883	195,543	165,481	number... } Cattle, sheep, and pigs.
2,060,000	6,228,000	4,879,000	4,410,000	3,354,000	4,051,000	4,061,000	rubles... } Brandy and corn spirit.
5,820,000	5,440,000	1,741,000	2,712,000	2,785,000	1,832,000	1,591,000	rubles... } Bran.
10,631,000	7,841,000	4,744,000	13,517,000	21,625,000	19,502,000	22,452,000	poods... } Bristles.
5,114,000	4,030,000	2,473,000	6,733,000	10,044,000	8,545,000	9,658,000	rubles... } Butter. (b)
155,911	161,517	124,164	118,123	122,076	155,204	146,000	poods... } Caviare.
9,094,000	7,820,000	6,490,000	6,072,000	6,006,000	6,657,000	6,197,000	rubles... } Clothing, ready-made.
316,000	433,000	341,000	367,000	316,000	293,000	310,000	poods... } Corn, flour, and meal, total of.
3,310,000	4,289,000	3,558,000	3,832,000	3,150,000	2,934,000	3,198,000	rubles... } Wheat.
300,000	238,000	153,000	198,000	146,000	196,000	124,000	poods... } Rye.
2,542,000	2,334,000	1,758,000	1,997,000	1,761,000	1,967,000	555,000	rubles... } Barley.
3,238,000	3,660,000	1,674,000	2,107,000	281,000	321,000	374,000	rubles... } Oats.
418,503,000	391,411,000	196,422,000	404,039,000	639,511,000	574,711,000	506,844,000	poods... } Maize.
339,745,000	354,341,000	164,158,000	295,963,000	381,386,000	335,898,000	322,455,000	rubles... } Pease.
132,085,000	176,369,000	81,557,000	156,230,000	204,739,000	237,161,000	219,589,000	poods... } Flour, of wheat.
179,432,000	186,199,000	78,059,000	135,564,000	142,673,000	154,349,000	163,899,000	rubles... } Flour, of rye.
76,906,000	68,006,000	12,066,000	32,184,000	80,970,000	91,293,000	79,255,000	poods... } Cotton, manufactures of.
51,056,000	59,918,000	10,827,000	22,878,000	42,539,000	48,946,000	43,483,000	rubles... } Eggs.
60,693,000	46,019,000	43,957,000	111,228,000	153,139,000	108,319,000	81,605,000	poods... } Flax:
36,285,000	31,836,000	27,237,000	59,305,000	66,585,000	48,776,000	41,117,000	rubles... } Raw.
51,782,000	45,962,000	20,529,000	56,801,000	94,395,000	66,739,000	67,512,000	poods... } Tow.
35,454,000	31,746,000	15,169,000	41,182,000	61,610,000	37,452,000	37,405,000	rubles... } Fur and sheep skins.
20,608,000	28,209,000	21,580,000	15,938,000	53,250,000	25,612,000	12,935,000	poods... } Hemp, raw.
13,934,000	18,920,000	14,827,000	9,256,000	32,729,000	14,079,000	6,412,000	rubles... } Leather and hides, untanned.
3,792,000	6,695,000	2,507,000	4,248,000	8,551,000	10,044,000	9,358,000	poods... } Oilcake.
3,426,000	6,089,000	2,600,000	4,017,000	6,499,000	7,311,000	6,780,000	rubles... } Oil, illuminating, petroleum, etc.
3,718,000	3,737,000	2,579,000	3,191,000	3,767,000	4,193,000	3,784,000	poods... } Seeds, oleaginous:
6,438,000	6,358,000	5,106,000	6,176,000	6,488,000	5,856,000	5,195,000	rubles... } Linsced.
2,616,000	2,238,000	4,077,000	4,386,000	4,231,000	3,823,000	4,016,000	poods... } Hemp seed.
2,281,000	2,420,000	4,675,000	4,148,000	3,480,000	2,812,000	2,716,000	rubles... } Rape and kohlrabi seed.
5,447,000	6,498,000	8,512,000	9,157,000	6,867,000	9,061,000	9,199,000	poods... } Sugar:
833,722	739,230	954,758	1,411,000	1,475,000	1,475,000	1,475,000	rubles... } Moist.
12,361,000	12,665,000	12,218,000	13,472,000	15,487,000	19,776,000	21,926,000	rubles... } Refined, in loaves.
12,129,000	11,332,000	12,048,000	12,266,000	8,805,000	13,782,000	12,601,000	poods... } Wood, of all sorts.
57,218,000	48,561,000	51,958,000	59,661,000	42,989,000	67,685,000	56,731,000	rubles... } Wool, raw, unspun.
1,176,000	1,377,000	1,366,000	1,333,000	1,337,000	1,627,000	1,853,000	poods... } Total value of principal and other articles.
3,780,000	4,011,000	4,156,000	4,166,000	4,522,000	4,677,000	6,103,000	rubles... }
5,164,000	6,233,000	4,805,000	5,438,000	3,704,000	4,368,000	3,830,000	rubles... }
3,308,000	3,429,000	2,932,000	2,725,000	2,937,000	3,374,000	3,006,000	poods... }
16,316,000	16,542,000	13,792,000	11,832,000	13,703,000	17,976,000	14,631,000	rubles... }
475,000	827,000	720,000	571,000	324,000	513,000	454,000	poods... }
5,494,000	7,985,000	6,936,000	5,962,000	3,093,000	4,394,000	4,710,000	rubles... }
7,899,000	10,140,000	11,484,000	13,748,000	15,390,000	15,967,000	17,513,000	poods... }
6,013,000	7,489,000	9,219,000	11,053,000	11,535,000	10,529,000	10,560,000	rubles... }
48,089,000	54,227,000	57,269,000	60,203,000	53,697,000	64,637,000	64,558,000	poods... }
27,637,000	30,541,000	27,147,000	22,643,000	19,782,000	27,537,000	28,999,000	rubles... }
24,316,000	16,654,000	11,933,000	12,960,000	14,633,000	26,124,000	31,968,000	poods... }
30,597,000	21,842,000	16,652,000	17,820,000	18,811,000	30,681,000	35,392,000	rubles... }
910,000	1,116,000	556,000	1,025,000	764,000	-----	-----	poods... }
940,000	1,251,000	629,000	1,111,000	838,000	-----	-----	rubles... }
7,135,000	5,770,000	2,672,000	3,694,000	6,035,000	11,348,000	9,698,000	poods... }
9,856,000	6,895,000	2,488,000	4,160,000	5,545,000	7,452,000	6,718,000	rubles... }
2,357,000	6,326,000	1,950,000	1,182,000	4,020,000	4,152,000	12,253,000	poods... }
9,932,000	25,527,000	6,808,000	4,991,000	14,931,000	12,074,000	23,663,000	rubles... }
916,000	1,252,000	1,012,000	1,098,000	1,244,000	1,534,000	1,283,000	poods... }
4,565,000	5,767,000	4,733,000	5,818,000	6,183,000	6,586,000	5,411,000	rubles... }
53,740,000	43,734,000	49,085,000	40,447,000	39,200,000	40,191,000	46,765,000	rubles... }
1,833,000	2,032,000	1,435,000	799,000	777,000	868,000	1,012,000	poods... }
15,682,000	15,434,000	11,730,000	6,419,000	5,881,000	6,408,000	7,884,000	rubles... }
693,400,000	707,388,000	475,580,000	599,210,000	668,753,000	698,082,000	689,931,000	credit rubles... }
327,408,000	344,216,000	231,617,000	291,576,000	325,414,000	334,406,000	335,720,000	dollars... }

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS (MERCHANDISE ONLY) INTO THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE, DISTINGUISHING PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, 1884 TO 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

COUNTRIES.	1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Finland	15,377,000	14,489,000	9,922,000	10,819,000	11,428,000	13,256,000
Norway	4,003,000	3,465,000	3,268,000	4,250,000	2,271,000	3,447,000
Sweden	2,032,000	1,749,000	2,366,000	1,176,000	2,446,000	2,664,000
Denmark	1,736,000	1,415,000	1,175,000	3,758,000	2,151,000	1,507,000
Germany	175,840,000	144,172,000	135,355,000	112,708,000	122,625,000	124,315,000
Holland	6,158,000	5,055,000	3,998,000	3,793,000	4,623,000	4,442,000
Belgium	9,599,000	8,225,000	8,884,000	5,131,000	6,813,000	8,224,000
United Kingdom	124,070,000	96,401,000	110,071,000	94,757,000	101,223,000	100,705,000
France	19,027,000	14,641,000	12,274,000	14,095,000	13,944,000	19,103,000
Switzerland		Not separately distinguished.				2,182,000
Portugal	578,000	1,017,000	711,000	1,112,000	1,159,000	1,062,000
Spain	4,579,000	5,833,000	1,254,000	857,000	1,045,000	1,699,000
Italy	11,795,000	6,477,000	7,731,000	5,956,000	6,035,000	7,581,000
Austria-Hungary	20,739,000	22,001,000	16,996,000	12,954,000	14,879,000	18,780,000
Greece	1,608,000	838,000	845,000	754,000	734,000	1,157,000
Roumania	2,234,000	2,943,000	2,461,000	1,620,000	1,750,000	1,623,000
Turkey	14,313,000	12,238,000	16,901,000	6,525,000	5,312,000	7,111,000
Egypt	359,000	13,766,000	15,056,000	10,597,000	11,670,000	8,933,000
United States	43,604,000	24,627,000	26,774,000	41,893,000	20,783,000	50,760,000
Brazil		308,000	1,501,000	3,045,000	3,021,000	1,277,000
China	22,781,000	25,357,000	30,016,000	30,088,000	28,168,000	27,280,000
Persia	8,876,000	8,951,000	10,250,000	9,145,000	11,296,000	11,650,000
Other countries	48,665,000	20,202,000	20,391,000	18,176,000	16,769,000	18,258,000
Total	Rubles.. 537,973,000 Dollars.. 261,776,000	434,168,000	438,206,000	393,209,000	390,745,000	437,016,000
		211,267,000	213,233,000	191,336,000	190,134,000	212,654,000

TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE (MERCHANDISE ONLY) FROM THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE, DISTINGUISHING PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, 1884 TO 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

COUNTRIES.	1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889
	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>
Finland	14,686,000	17,090,000	16,577,000	17,005,000	19,328,000	17,614,000
Norway	4,631,000	4,305,000	4,787,000	4,628,000	5,590,000	4,086,000
Sweden	13,774,000	14,476,000	9,782,000	11,130,000	11,107,000	9,009,000
Denmark	11,305,000	7,955,000	5,374,000	7,795,000	12,269,000	11,648,000
Germany	183,066,000	142,481,000	119,210,000	152,462,000	182,790,000	192,345,000
Holland	47,204,000	32,506,000	36,795,000	46,747,000	53,430,000	47,793,000
Belgium	22,881,000	23,183,000	18,190,000	22,012,000	32,967,000	26,196,000
United Kingdom	154,402,000	157,480,000	143,934,000	185,980,000	286,380,000	274,377,000
France	46,073,000	37,217,000	30,292,000	40,854,000	59,036,000	42,893,000
Spain	2,331,000	1,811,000	2,131,000	5,358,000	5,283,000	6,754,000
Italy	18,989,000	26,346,000	21,947,000	39,780,000	27,441,000	30,141,000
Austria-Hungary	31,517,000	27,957,000	25,316,000	26,336,000	26,953,000	30,972,000
Greece	6,062,000	8,989,000	9,103,000	10,745,000	9,231,000	6,838,000
Roumania	8,605,000	3,824,000	4,014,000	3,890,000	5,484,000	7,602,000
Turkey	11,849,000	17,036,000	16,583,000	21,558,000	24,178,000	18,758,000
Persia	3,921,000	3,931,000	6,129,000	7,923,000	8,960,000	8,819,000
Egypt	312,000	2,405,000	3,000,000	2,333,000	2,330,000	2,780,000
United States	1,126,000	481,000	332,000	109,000	155,000	1,522,000
China	1,682,000	1,899,000	1,748,000	2,532,000	2,900,000	1,359,000
Other countries	5,485,000	6,534,000	8,862,000	8,159,000	8,220,000	9,279,000
Total	Rubles.. 589,901,000 Dollars.. 287,045,000	537,906,000	484,106,000	617,308,000	784,046,000	750,875,000
		261,747,000	235,568,000	300,383,000	391,519,000	365,373,000

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS (MERCHANDISE ONLY) INTO THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE, DISTINGUISHING PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, 1884 TO 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	COUNTRIES.
<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	
13,386,000	12,793,000	11,948,000	15,836,000	18,879,000	20,880,000	20,451,000	Finland.
2,583,000	1,829,000	3,063,000	3,431,000	3,476,000	2,580,000	2,999,000	Norway.
3,854,000	3,074,000	3,953,000	5,345,000	5,342,000	4,727,000	5,842,000	Sweden.
1,659,000	1,291,000	1,614,000	2,056,000	1,693,000	1,777,000	2,319,000	Denmark.
114,635,000	103,269,000	101,653,000	101,184,000	142,976,000	175,647,000	190,170,000	Germany.
4,858,000	3,099,000	3,790,000	7,417,000	5,935,000	5,051,000	5,834,000	Holland.
7,085,000	6,673,000	5,199,000	11,218,000	17,017,000	14,610,000	19,523,000	Belgium.
93,319,000	83,060,000	101,178,000	118,416,000	132,759,000	119,782,000	111,309,000	United Kingdom.
17,254,000	16,098,000	18,491,000	28,508,000	28,124,000	22,549,000	23,412,000	France.
2,742,000	2,529,000	4,083,000	6,957,000	8,479,000	6,234,000	5,121,000	Switzerland.
742,000	604,000	797,000	1,864,000	2,392,000	1,112,000	1,412,000	Portugal.
1,211,000	920,000	1,020,000	3,025,000	1,487,000	1,944,000	2,206,000	Spain.
9,152,000	10,596,000	9,226,000	11,613,000	14,490,000	11,698,000	10,006,000	Italy.
17,807,000	15,903,000	15,200,000	22,864,000	27,043,000	24,092,000	22,902,000	Austria-Hungary.
747,000	1,034,000	1,030,000	988,000	2,411,000	1,857,000	2,599,000	Greece.
1,073,000	1,544,000	1,458,000	1,397,000	1,934,000	2,377,000	1,705,000	Roumania.
7,654,000	6,306,000	9,675,000	8,313,000	7,186,000	6,805,000	6,100,000	Turkey.
10,644,000	17,961,000	20,719,000	16,234,000	21,119,000	12,212,000	13,599,000	Egypt.
53,393,000	39,731,000	35,780,000	31,479,000	45,709,000	29,457,000	65,671,000	United States.
1,448,000	418,000	2,244,000	3,927,000	2,487,000	720,000	3,011,000	Brazil.
29,180,000	23,967,000	27,968,000	33,185,000	38,504,000	41,567,000	41,457,000	China.
10,783,000	9,919,000	11,273,000	13,944,000	11,272,000	18,965,000	17,492,000	Persia.
10,235,000	11,069,000	12,518,000	14,345,000	18,948,000	11,865,000	14,670,000	Other countries.
416,065,000	379,342,000	403,880,000	463,546,000	559,572,000	538,508,000	539,810,000	Rubles...}
202,455,000	184,587,000	196,528,000	225,563,000	271,384,000	262,039,000	287,002,000	Dollars...}..Total.

TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE (MERCHANDISE ONLY) FROM THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE, DISTINGUISHING PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, 1884 to 1896.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	COUNTRIES.
<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	<i>Rubles.</i>	
16,715,000	16,396,000	21,098,000	18,528,000	15,303,000	15,514,000	17,655,000	Finland.
2,420,000	2,692,000	2,057,000	5,244,000	4,772,000	4,481,000	4,570,000	Norway.
10,221,000	7,620,000	4,593,000	4,983,000	4,152,000	6,028,000	6,429,000	Sweden.
8,322,000	10,111,000	4,841,000	9,637,000	12,347,000	10,541,000	9,098,000	Denmark.
177,940,000	192,932,000	138,239,000	132,580,000	147,867,000	179,276,000	185,368,000	Germany.
43,538,000	44,064,000	19,450,000	24,665,000	53,011,000	59,184,000	70,850,000	Holland.
27,387,000	23,069,000	14,940,000	25,145,000	26,763,000	25,895,000	23,143,000	Belgium.
203,663,000	179,905,000	118,524,000	155,136,000	175,303,000	174,849,000	160,903,000	United Kingdom.
49,365,000	48,906,000	35,110,000	71,837,000	56,161,000	49,531,000	58,206,000	France.
7,828,000	4,905,000	2,438,000	6,210,000	5,766,000	3,417,000	5,840,000	Spain.
30,337,000	32,398,000	19,635,000	30,654,000	26,906,000	32,418,000	36,412,000	Italy.
30,245,000	24,001,000	24,073,000	34,561,000	39,801,000	34,523,000	29,942,000	Austria-Hungary.
8,304,000	10,251,000	6,812,000	7,249,000	4,687,000	6,757,000	5,277,000	Greece.
7,192,000	8,899,000	4,913,000	5,995,000	7,727,000	9,822,000	7,691,000	Roumania.
16,772,000	20,616,000	15,910,000	16,790,000	16,089,000	13,519,000	14,340,000	Turkey.
10,896,000	9,957,000	9,340,000	11,950,000	12,223,000	14,160,000	14,496,000	Persia.
2,562,000	1,865,000	1,496,000	1,826,000	1,909,000	4,863,000	3,790,000	Egypt.
946,000	2,019,000	2,535,000	2,706,000	1,674,000	2,207,000	1,606,000	United States.
3,022,000	4,896,000	4,782,000	4,087,000	4,488,000	5,047,000	5,482,000	China.
35,716,000	51,880,000	24,764,000	29,427,000	51,894,000	37,050,000	28,827,000	Other countries.
693,400,000	707,388,000	475,580,000	599,210,000	668,753,000	689,082,000	689,931,000	Rubles...}
337,408,000	344,216,000	231,617,000	291,576,000	325,414,000	334,406,000	335,720,000	Dollars...}..Total.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE INTO AND FROM THE UNITED STATES IN ITS COMMERCE WITH
RUSSIA DURING THE YEARS 1889 TO 1898.

RUSSIA IN EUROPE.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			Excess of im- ports (+) or of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1889	840,246	2,034,847	2,875,093	8,255,357	.....	8,255,357	—5,380,264
1890	750,318	2,556,303	3,306,621	10,533,565	440	10,534,005	—7,227,384
1891	1,600,252	3,129,526	4,729,778	7,764,012	.....	7,764,012	—3,034,234
1892	1,458,344	3,468,286	4,926,630	6,693,095	5,740	6,698,835	—1,772,205
1893	2,373,910	3,361,186	5,735,096	2,271,746	30,077	2,301,823	+3,433,273
1894	1,375,782	1,475,488	2,851,270	6,825,832	1,643	6,827,475	—3,976,205
1895	3,030,070	539,318	3,575,388	5,946,267	11,589	5,957,856	—2,382,468
1896	3,341,251	285,683	3,626,934	7,378,090	118,560	7,496,650	—3,869,716
1897	2,930,681	268,978	3,199,659	7,591,962	10,314	7,602,276	—4,402,617
1898	2,405,388	2,134,301	4,539,689	7,319,008	17,074	7,336,082	—2,796,393

RUSSIA, ASIATIC.

1889	105,067	5,471	110,538	108,592	596	109,188	+ 1,350
1890	103,184	74	103,258	127,966	837	128,803	— 25,545
1891	103,216	351	103,567	161,080	500	161,580	— 58,013
1892	319,901	266	320,167	119,684	516	120,200	+199,967
1893	379,938	1,981	381,919	145,591	.....	145,591	+236,328
1894	354,046	1,430	355,476	163,855	.....	163,855	+191,621
1895	440,332	681	441,013	202,852	2,085	204,937	+236,076
1896	345,805	844	346,649	566,512	1,490	568,002	—221,353
1897	200,551	870	201,421	413,942	.....	413,942	—212,521
1898	110,741	309	111,050	618,015	.....	618,015	—506,965

TOTAL RUSSIA.

1889	945,313	2,040,318	2,985,631	8,363,949	596	8,364,545	—5,378,914
1890	853,502	2,556,377	3,409,879	10,661,531	1,277	10,662,808	—7,252,929
1891	1,703,468	3,129,877	4,833,345	7,925,092	500	7,925,592	—3,092,247
1892	1,778,245	3,468,552	5,246,797	6,812,779	6,256	6,819,035	—1,572,238
1893	2,753,848	3,363,167	6,117,015	2,417,337	30,077	2,447,414	+3,669,601
1894	1,729,828	1,476,918	3,206,746	6,989,687	1,643	6,991,330	—3,784,584
1895	3,476,402	539,999	4,016,401	6,149,119	13,674	6,162,793	—2,146,392
1896	3,687,056	286,527	3,973,583	7,944,002	120,050	8,064,052	—4,091,069
1897	3,131,232	269,848	3,401,080	8,005,904	10,314	8,016,218	—4,615,138
1898	2,516,129	2,134,610	4,650,739	7,937,023	17,074	7,954,097	—3,303,358

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM RUSSIA IN EUROPE.

ARTICLES.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
FREE OF DUTY.										
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. e. s. (mostly licorice).....	Dollars. 81,913	Dollars. 148,151	Dollars. 378,946	Dollars. 683,143	Dollars. 1,278,155	Dollars. 837,821	Dollars. 642,679	Dollars. 498,211	Dollars. 175,690	Dollars. 444,107
Fibers, vegetable: Flax and hemp.....							189,269	492,376	257,690	152,784
Hair, n. e. s.....	399,282	216,503	136,855	149,400	69,504	34,531	24,182	47,967	35,225	115,475
Hides and skins, other than fur skins.....	230,791	307,544	957,261	448,840	777,830	284,149	653,050	717,305	616,002	1,231,969
Platinum.....	96,418	48,139	76,256	130,451	176,397	106,221	17,581	21,871	139,573	140,608
Wool, raw.....							1,195,912	1,135,469	1,297,639	4,663
All other articles.....	31,842	29,981	50,934	46,510	72,024	113,060	313,397	428,052	408,943	315,782
Total free of duty.....	840,246	750,318	1,600,252	1,458,344	2,373,910	1,375,782	3,036,070	3,341,251	2,930,681	2,405,388
DUTIABLE.										
Bristles.....	167,235	225,572	147,804	245,148	181,609	142,109	210,499	143,545	151,134	175,723
Fibers, vegetable:										
Flax and hemp.....	287,142	304,508	254,547	317,630	245,468	238,125	29,434	(a)	(a)	111,822
Manufactures of.....	157,000	175,496	72,650	69,928	104,666	51,689	70,432	88,335	56,904	42,804
Iron and steel: Sheet plate and taggers iron.....	60,808	64,969	69,547	27,405	45,168	22,483	13,499	17,050	4,989	4,605
Wool, unmanufactured.....	1,305,417	1,729,649	2,559,281	2,739,758	2,723,317	874,017	156,308	(a)	(a)	1,715,315
All other articles.....	57,245	56,109	25,697	68,417	60,956	147,065	59,146	36,753	55,951	84,032
Total dutiable.....	2,034,847	2,556,303	3,129,526	3,468,286	3,361,186	1,475,488	539,318	285,683	268,978	2,134,301
Total imports.....	2,875,093	3,306,621	4,729,778	4,926,630	5,735,096	2,851,270	3,575,388	3,626,934	3,199,659	4,539,689

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE FROM THE UNITED STATES TO RUSSIA IN EUROPE.

ARTICLES.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Agricultural implements.....	455,165	88,814	209,096	107,268	284,665	271,190	690,353	457,622	504,254	425,587
Cotton, raw.....	7,506,201	10,061,205	7,043,620	5,764,409	1,568,807	5,537,237	4,212,658	3,693,406	3,247,289	3,133,758
Iron and steel, manufactures of:										
Machinery, n. e. s.....	37,168	56,596	53,442	74,854	66,172	96,852	325,620	433,683	1,074,128	297,627
All other.....	36,770	46,652	50,551	57,851	59,512	102,119	215,199	1,102,310	1,301,937	1,648,021
Leather, sole.....	14,229	17,076	7,944		491	16,500	9,685	21,024	3,116	1,629
Naval stores.....	160,265	206,266	341,666	112,842	239,109	263,204	248,584	329,617	320,633	260,789
Oils: Mineral, refined.....	10,688	15,371		9,314	5,277	11,525	559	30,253	7,056	1,736
All other articles.....	34,871	41,585	57,693	566,557	47,713	527,205	243,609	1,310,175	1,133,549	1,549,861
Total domestic exports.....	8,255,357	10,533,565	7,764,012	6,693,095	2,271,746	6,825,832	5,946,267	7,378,090	7,591,962	7,319,008

QUANTITIES EXPORTED.

ARTICLES.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Cotton, raw..... pounds..	72,017,966	96,581,200	67,805,544	67,196,183	18,178,048	70,040,769	70,998,866	45,810,771	42,285,128	51,912,279
Leather, sole..... do....	78,166	91,016	34,215		2,868	96,992	52,237	107,201	16,685	8,453
Naval stores (rosin)..... barrels..	132,523	134,628	188,494	66,550	159,499	175,004	145,730	187,843	172,262	260,789
Oils: Mineral, refined..... gallons..	147,913	230,360		146,416	102,320	165,900	3,355	352,967	759,814	9,336

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EXPLANATIONS OF REGULAR STATISTICAL TABLES.

General imports.—The regular statement of imports of merchandise by articles and countries in this publication is what is termed the statement of *general imports*, embracing imported articles entered for immediate consumption on arrival, and articles entered for warehouse, as distinguished from special imports, which embrace imports entered for immediate consumption and withdrawals from warehouse for consumption.

The statement of *general imports* and the statement of *imports entered for consumption* for any period will differ to the extent that the value of *entries for warehouse* for the period differs from the value of *withdrawals from warehouse for consumption*. The term "*entry for consumption*" is the technical name of the import entry made at the customhouse, and does not imply that the goods have been actually consumed, but simply that they have been delivered into the custody of the importer and that the duties have been paid on the dutiable portion.

The values of articles imported since August 1, 1890, are governed by the provisions of section 19 of the act of June 10, 1890, which prescribes that the values of imported merchandise subject to ad valorem rates of duty shall be "the actual market value or wholesale price of such merchandise as bought and sold in usual wholesale quantities at the time of exportation to the United States in the principal markets of the country from whence imported and in the condition in which such merchandise is there bought for exportation to the United States or consigned to the United States for sale, including the value of all cartons, cases, crates, boxes, sacks, and coverings of any kind, and all other costs, charges, and expenses incident to placing the merchandise in condition ready for shipment to the United States."

Domestic exports.—The regular statement of domestic exports by articles and countries in this publication exhibits the exports of domestic products or manufactures, also exports of commodities of foreign origin which have been changed from the form in which they were imported or enhanced in value by further manufacture in the United States, such as sugar refined in this country from imported raw sugar, flour ground from imported wheat, and articles, utensils, etc., made from imported materials. The value of exports of domestic merchandise is their value at the time of exportation in the ports of the United States whence they are exported.

Foreign exports.—The regular statement of foreign exports by articles in this publication, sometimes called "reexports," exhibits exports of foreign merchandise which had been imported. The value of such commodities exported "from warehouse" is their import value; the value of such commodities exported "not from warehouse" comprising free goods mainly, is the value at the ports of the United States whence they are exported.

Warehoused merchandise.—The regular statement of articles remaining in warehouse in this publication exhibits imported merchandise in bonded warehouses. This merchandise has already appeared in the statement of *general imports*. The official values of the articles therein represented are the same as the *import values*.

Tonnage tables.—In the tables of tonnage movement, in American foreign trade the tonnage is stated in net tons, of 100 cubic feet carrying space, after the prescribed allowances are made for crew space, engine space, etc.

Weights.—In all tables published by the Bureau the ton weight is 2,240 pounds and the hundredweight is 112 pounds, unless indicated otherwise.

Customs districts.—Statements of imports, exports, and tonnage movement are shown by customs districts, which have a certain prescribed limit of territory, with a port of entry. The customs districts having the port of entry with name different from that of the customs district are the following:

District.	Port of entry.	District.	Port of entry.	District.	Port of entry.
Alaska	Sitka.	Frenchman Bay, Me	Ellsworth, Me.	Oswegatchie, N. Y.	Ogdensburg, N. Y.
Albemarle, N. C.	Edenton, N. C.	Genesee, N. Y.	Rochester, N. Y.	Pamlico, N. C.	Newbern, N. C.
Arizona	Nogales, Ariz.	Georgetown, D. C.	Washington, D. C.	Paso del Norte, Tex.	El Paso, Tex.
Aroostook, Me.	Houlton, Me.	Great Egg Harbor, N. J.	Somers Point, N. J.	Passamaquoddy, Me.	Eastport, Me.
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Humboldt, Cal.	Eureka, Cal.	Pearl River, Miss.	Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Brazos de Santiago, Tex., and N. Mex.	Brownsville, Tex.	Huron, Mich.	Port Huron, Mich.	Portland and Falmouth, Me.	Portland, Me.
Bristol and Warren, R. I. .	Bristol, R. I.	Little Egg Harbor, N. J. .	Tuckerton, N. J.	Puget Sound, Wash.	Port Townsend, Wash.
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	Buffalo, N. Y.	Memphremagog, Vt.	Newport, Vt.	Salem and Beverly, Mass. .	Salem, Mass.
Burlington, N. J.	Trenton, N. J.	Miami, Ohio.	Toledo, Ohio.	Saluria, Tex.	Eagle Pass, Tex.
Champlain, N. Y.	Plattsburg, N. Y.	Michigan, Mich.	Grand Haven, Mich.	Southern Oregon, Oreg.	Coos Bay, Oreg.
Cherrystone, Va.	Cape Charles City, Va.	Minnesota, Minn.	St. Paul, Minn.	St. Johns, Fla.	Jacksonville, Fla.
Cuyahoga, Ohio.	Cleveland, Ohio.	Montana and Idaho.	Great Falls, Mont.	St. Marks, Fla.	Cedar Keys, Fla.
Delaware	Wilmington, Del.	Niagara, N. Y.	Niagara Falls, N. Y.	Superior, Mich.	Marquette, Mich.
Eastern Md.	Crisfield, Md.	Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.	Norfolk, Va.	Teche, La.	Morgan City, La.
Fairfield, Conn.	Bridgeport, Conn.	North and South Dakota .	Pembina, N. Dak.	Vermont, Vt.	Burlington, Vt.
		Oregon, Oreg.	Astoria, Oreg.	Willamette, Oreg.	Portland, Oreg.

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

GROUPS.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
IMPORTS.								
FREE OF DUTY:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
Articles of food, and live animals	10,020,815	39.56	10,425,573	32.98	96,563,314	35.97	80,369,257	29.29
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry ..	12,924,902	51.02	17,597,120	55.66	143,116,569	53.30	162,930,900	59.38
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	1,591,397	6.28	2,441,582	7.72	15,790,030	5.88	17,583,328	6.41
For consumption.....	602,323	2.38	781,731	2.48	8,660,453	3.22	8,899,005	3.24
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	203,852	.76	369,881	1.16	4,363,373	1.63	4,587,938	1.68
TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.....	25,343,291	100.00	31,615,887	100.00	268,493,739	100.00	274,370,428	100.00
DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	8,729,856	30.91	13,690,703	35.52	68,102,847	22.98	110,358,533	30.57
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry ..	3,781,667	13.40	4,458,152	11.57	44,751,657	15.11	41,925,168	11.61
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	4,680,158	16.60	4,077,154	10.58	48,400,093	16.33	36,590,784	10.13
For consumption.....	5,253,177	18.60	7,918,542	20.54	67,268,689	22.72	91,062,114	25.29
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	5,796,562	20.49	8,398,504	21.79	67,767,398	22.86	81,082,722	22.45
TOTAL DUTIABLE.....	28,241,360	100.00	38,543,055	100.00	296,290,684	100.00	361,619,321	100.00
FREE AND DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	18,750,671	34.99	24,116,276	34.37	164,666,161	29.42	190,727,790	30.02
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry ..	16,706,569	31.17	22,055,272	31.43	187,868,226	33.14	204,856,063	32.24
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	6,271,555	11.70	6,518,736	9.29	64,190,123	11.39	54,174,112	8.52
For consumption.....	5,855,502	10.91	8,700,273	12.40	75,929,142	13.47	99,961,119	15.70
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	6,000,354	11.23	8,768,385	12.51	72,130,771	12.58	85,670,660	13.52
TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....	53,584,651	100.00	70,158,942	100.00	564,784,423	100.00	635,889,749	100.00
PER CENT OF FREE		47.29		45.06		47.54		43.18
DUTIES COLLECTED	13,466,534		18,367,907		135,263,865		188,060,904	
REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE at the end of the month.....	37,292,385		36,248,853					
EXPORTS.								
DOMESTIC:								
Products of—Agriculture.....	75,982,328	69.89	52,977,913	58.07	795,108,971	71.17	730,643,495	65.86
Manufactures.....	27,031,700	24.86	30,816,314	33.77	261,655,784	23.42	306,854,428	27.66
Mining.....	1,782,839	1.64	2,624,493	2.87	17,831,022	1.59	26,098,151	2.34
Forest.....	3,364,635	3.10	4,219,844	4.62	34,049,528	3.05	37,079,110	3.34
Fisheries.....	245,410	.23	267,361	.29	5,203,499	.46	5,711,026	.51
Miscellaneous.....	308,494	.28	347,231	.38	3,430,812	.31	3,169,584	.29
TOTAL DOMESTIC	108,715,406	100.00	91,253,186	100.00	1,117,279,616	100.00	1,109,555,804	100.00
FOREIGN:								
Free of duty	1,834,786	71.45	738,544	24.68	8,501,086	44.23	8,742,117	41.02
Dutiable	733,243	28.55	1,848,698	75.32	10,722,905	55.77	12,335,590	58.98
TOTAL FOREIGN	2,568,029	100.00	2,587,242	100.00	19,223,991	100.00	21,077,707	100.00

GOLD AND SILVER.					TONNAGE.				
GOLD AND SILVER.	May—		Eleven Months ending May—		VESSELS.	May—		Eleven Months ending May—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899		1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Gold—Imports.....	13,322,111	3,070,265	117,061,062	85,848,917	Entered—Sailing	421,733	394,367	4,221,887	3,797,981
Exports.....	109,157	2,049,255	15,930,862	16,613,759	Steam	1,976,672	1,884,639	19,131,754	19,806,812
Silver—Imports	1,574,479	3,010,353	28,898,978	28,779,663	Cleared—Sailing	440,247	414,610	4,305,546	3,797,540
Exports	4,184,432	4,436,549	50,948,589	52,475,756	Steam.....	1,889,996	1,951,085	19,112,160	19,923,727

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Agricultural implements.....free..						11,201				
Animals (number):										
Cattle.....free..	100	16,020	37	4,514	175	21,025	556	74,363	531	84,290
Do.....dut..	47,547	440,373	30,847	316,127	271,811	2,087,632	276,038	2,680,634	185,311	2,083,528
Horses.....free..	41	8,203	100	10,700	641	73,326	725	121,716	911	255,636
Do.....dut..	142	15,983	244	25,120	5,811	313,674	2,104	224,655	1,738	222,684
Sheep.....free..	76	1,215	23	440	2,336	32,027	3,017	42,355	2,106	40,776
Do.....dut..	13	59	170	649	370,281	945,471	389,020	1,061,788	343,139	1,152,911
All other, including fowls.....free..		5,594		3,531		141,864		142,789		175,719
All other, including live poultry.....dut..		3,934		4,022		61,168		79,198		72,370
Total.....free..		31,032		19,185		268,242		381,223		556,421
Total.....dut..		460,349		345,918		3,407,945		4,052,275		3,531,493
Total.....		491,381		365,103				4,433,498		4,087,914
HORSES (free, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			4	1,314	10	2,182	39	49,127	76	118,818
British North America.....	37	4,343	94	7,070	594	63,479	675	65,507	659	51,828
Other countries.....	4	3,860	2	2,316	37	7,665	19	7,082	176	84,990
Total.....	41	8,203	100	10,700	641	73,326	724	121,716	911	255,636
HORSES (dutiable, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....			1	146	16	10,391	27	16,804	40	17,223
British North America.....	140	14,013	242	24,934	4,395	289,620	1,855	203,601	1,689	204,660
Other countries.....	2	1,970	1	40	1,400	13,693	222	4,250	9	801
Total.....	142	15,983	244	25,120	5,811	313,674	2,104	224,655	1,738	222,684
Antimony ore (pounds).....free..	501,706	4,924	557,736	8,094	3,815,672	173,936	5,198,171	74,069	2,775,696	37,223
Antimony, as regulus or metal (pounds).....dut..	272,916	19,143	155,792	12,247			1,965,946	101,045	2,120,800	163,726
Articles the growth, product, and manufacture of the United States, returned.....free..		263,727		297,688		2,961,056		3,524,667		3,195,537
Art works.....free..		5,540		16,536		3,960,037		674,518		405,031
Do.....dut..		107,285		117,937		375		1,488,235		1,878,840
ART WORKS (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		315		1,466		979,010		169,326		125,520
France.....		1,729		11,208		2,245,088		351,022		210,827
Germany.....		250		1,666		216,207		28,303		16,661
Italy.....		1,196		2,196		264,751		57,416		44,833
Other Europe.....		50				151,579		24,475		5,929
British North America.....						89,091		36,038		70
Other countries.....		2,090				14,311		7,938		1,191
Total.....		5,540		16,536		3,960,067		674,518		405,031
ART WORKS (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		22,851		10,562				679,673		468,539
France.....		38,866		86,145		375		490,354		1,145,864
Germany.....		1,816		8,556				112,991		112,274
Italy.....		41,812		9,520				148,322		69,059
Other Europe.....		1,442		1,745				47,945		38,872
British North America.....		333		636				5,489		36,021
Other countries.....		165		773				3,461		8,211
Total.....		107,285		117,937		375		1,488,235		1,878,840

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Asphaltum orbitumen, crude (tons)		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Do. (tons) free					100,810	328,731	12,440	34,157		
Do. (tons) dut.	7,437	22,020	10,387	47,578			69,609	227,937	59,876	202,340
Bark, hemlock (cords) free	3,702	13,313	2,772	9,977	26,086	119,770	24,296	96,998	15,777	55,163
Bolting cloths free		21,049		23,804		190,984		173,580		192,593
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured free		55,996		59,800				446,239		632,168
Bones and horns, manufactures of dut.		16,835		22,069				145,406		162,571
Books:										
Music, maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. free		109,662		153,620		1,682,007		1,420,024		1,548,736
Maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. dut.		100,268		122,577		1,254,316		1,255,275		1,282,385
BOOKS, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom		39,599		45,305		687,483		593,392		692,303
France		14,226		44,387		181,249		144,405		179,296
Germany		37,658		49,459		613,113		516,996		597,525
Other Europe		13,791		11,407		149,958		125,867		133,953
British North America		3,082		2,114		32,109		39,387		24,530
Other countries		1,366		948		18,104		8,977		11,129
Total		109,662		153,620		1,682,007		1,420,024		1,548,736
BOOKS, ETC. (dutyable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		71,732		88,397		835,396		885,685		905,936
France		6,092		6,595		47,797		62,452		63,403
Germany		12,704		19,252		270,046		206,211		217,400
Other Europe		6,033		4,453		39,363		53,954		54,240
British North America		2,793		2,445		21,091		25,602		24,041
China		289		479		2,059		3,345		3,843
Japan		363		348		31,693		12,066		10,132
Other countries		352		608		6,871		5,959		3,390
Total		100,268		122,577		1,254,316		1,255,275		1,282,385
Brass, manufactures of. dut.		1,397		15,161		133,239		32,773		51,864
Breadstuffs:										
Barley (bushels) dut.	90	56	17	11	1,195,461	373,363	124,803	43,862	110,463	53,690
Corn (bushels) dut.	186	150	175	63	6,085	2,006	3,217	1,389	4,136	1,594
Oats (bushels) dut.	1,605	606	1,287	519	45,748	11,889	8,531	3,130	10,392	3,938
Oatmeal (pounds) dut.	16,755	895	10,920	687	1,504,165	31,459	281,816	15,471	295,939	17,643
Rye (bushels) dut.					72	170	32,935	13,321	402	982
Wheat (bushels) dut.	28,937	41,773	8,456	6,734	1,455,675	1,116,870	2,025,286	1,922,695	1,838,499	1,383,351
Wheat flour (barrels) dut.	190	1,153	14	81	2,183	9,636	2,660	11,775	806	3,644
Farinaceous substances, etc., n. e. s. free		14,492		6,574		219,014		179,592		181,484
All other, and preparations of, etc., n. e. s. dut.		71,626		78,955		824,216		838,809		768,216
Total		130,751		93,624		2,589,553		3,030,044		2,414,572
Bristles (pounds):										
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared free	1,068	373	4,699	3,831	630	385	1,203	416	21,421	12,399
Sorted, bunched, or prepared dut.	81,291	75,585	127,834	124,723	1,270,406	1,157,583	1,466,549	1,194,589	1,726,945	1,359,379
Total		76,653		132,553		1,271,036		1,195,005		1,371,778
Brushes dut.		51,895		76,466		679,255		678,091		815,913
Buttons and button forms dut.		26,399		35,097		811,676		401,565		411,613
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. (pounds) dut.	76,377,917	247,616	53,516,635	179,717	846,272,553	2,677,404	737,323,932	2,390,922	743,747,853	2,450,440
CEMENT (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom	2,967,409	10,315	840,000	3,254	174,378,631	565,057	111,400,895	372,068	98,228,130	339,390
Belgium	23,327,164	67,505	11,337,689	31,174	233,983,991	676,768	215,421,581	646,285	233,541,122	690,227
France	148,800	600	1,641,200	4,926	11,844,500	34,629	12,466,016	36,376	7,060,000	21,755
Germany	46,717,926	157,958	38,517,746	135,811	409,663,916	1,339,233	375,888,883	1,263,095	384,342,669	1,327,788

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cement, Roman, etc.—Continued.										
CEMENT, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other Europe	2,738,302	8,911	1,075,000	4,059	13,302,704	48,521	20,180,483	63,334	19,319,787	45,603
British North America	473,125	2,290	105,000	493	2,296,800	9,324	1,961,874	9,397	1,254,145	5,748
Other countries	5,200	67			802,011	3,872	5,200	67	2,000	9
Total	76,377,917	247,646	53,516,635	179,717	846,272,553	2,677,404	737,326,932	2,390,922	743,747,853	2,450,440
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. e. s.:										
Alizarin, and alizarin colors or dyes, etc. (pounds)	392,547	59,685	260,279	28,037	5,655,425	934,578	5,496,418	817,353	4,753,328	643,316
Argal, or argol, or crude tartar (pounds)					21,743,657	1,813,415	741,150	65,154		
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)	1,310,783	119,697	1,898,026	156,144			16,462,977	1,363,792	21,439,349	1,755,268
Barks, cinchona, or other, etc. (pounds)	438,086	37,594	237,297	28,652	2,283,816	128,242	2,513,039	210,928	3,014,269	308,278
Coal-tar colors and dyes		370,073		363,770		2,844,145		3,352,992		3,408,461
Cochineal (pounds)	7,204	1,982	8,068	1,691	128,481	39,330	141,648	41,405	95,252	22,722
DYEWOODS—										
Logwood (tons)	2,892	49,181	1,781	26,058	29,232	534,130	42,678	680,715	34,672	513,129
All other		28,707		9,576		112,069		158,353		186,533
Extracts and decoctions of (pounds)	140,708	11,211	225,237	15,814	5,024,536	264,454	3,836,569	240,398	3,002,843	208,260
Total		89,099		51,448		910,673		1,079,466		907,922
Logwood (tons), imported from—										
Central America					336	7,535			50	1,570
Mexico			169	2,406	492	11,794	810	21,700	1,246	21,338
British West Indies	238	4,445	602	10,316	6,368	115,516	16,013	255,504	13,604	212,255
Cuba										
Other West Indies	2,654	44,736	1,010	13,336	21,401	387,588	25,788	402,046	19,772	277,966
Other countries					635	11,697	67	1,465		
Total	2,892	49,181	1,781	26,058	29,232	534,130	42,678	680,715	34,672	513,129
DYEWOODS, EXTRACTS OF (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	30,105	2,190	64,000	3,033	867,563	51,945	1,307,377	81,394	925,638	55,834
France	30,734	2,166	55,584	4,613	1,562,827	98,066	885,515	59,563	801,119	52,548
Germany	10,861	1,103	16,570	866	1,595,682	53,550	357,118	16,119	88,833	7,290
Switzerland	24,235	2,003	2,680	176	535,856	42,450	262,548	24,387	189,270	14,870
Other countries	44,773	3,749	86,403	7,126	462,608	18,443	1,024,011	58,935	997,983	77,712
Total	140,708	11,211	225,237	15,814	5,024,536	264,454	3,836,569	240,398	3,002,843	208,260
Glycerin (pounds)	726,995	46,170	1,520,149	92,131	12,358,459	1,148,923	11,390,408	722,131	13,994,560	911,216
GUMS (pounds)—										
Arabic	66,505	9,629	51,498	6,717	593,588	75,236	907,745	109,583	796,615	97,897
Camphor, crude	249,934	45,669	168,477	33,590	1,344,768	306,650	1,818,708	328,983	1,682,655	290,475
Chicle			308,931	40,894					2,018,970	293,061
Copal, cowrie, and damar			1,867,960	246,981					17,589,589	1,788,415
Gambier, or terra japonica	5,236,894	116,947	1,069,779	25,027	27,366,593	844,786	39,761,150	966,888	35,812,897	706,761
Shellac	1,355,867	196,049	879,712	129,171	6,350,874	982,191	6,394,309	858,165	8,202,187	1,174,150
All other		221,231		86,858		3,606,888		2,423,409		959,243
Total		589,525		569,238		5,215,751		4,687,028		5,310,002
Indigo (pounds)	141,127	74,137	166,525	70,681	3,256,652	1,567,245	2,894,966	1,713,398	3,037,774	1,658,729
Licorice root (pounds)	8,411,882	135,678	4,583,422	84,093	60,442,757	992,913	68,984,266	1,155,112	94,372,813	1,508,028
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder (pounds)					88,718,922	1,244,705	6,720,638	92,487		
Do. (pounds)	10,332,848	118,610	10,729,301	101,367			97,706,605	1,220,517	103,777,844	1,080,849
Mineral waters, all not artificial (gallons)					2,214,067	524,272	73,505	17,463		
Mineral waters (gallons)	153,033	42,926	214,546	74,124			1,281,715	383,521	1,375,934	519,367

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Cont'd.										
OPIMUM (pounds)—										
Crude, or unmanufactured		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
..... free.....					1,020,374	2,078,923	14,414	32,340		
Do..... dut.....	39,296	88,560	13,773	35,133			84,633	178,674	475,052	1,140,019
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc..... dut.....			21,147	147,129	118,036	856,951	82,102	539,354	103,714	686,604
OPIMUM, CRUDE (pounds), im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	25,592	61,592	7,527	18,314	170,652	383,005	38,320	90,992	95,779	253,429
Other Europe.....			6,246	16,819	272,125	561,757	25,853	48,842	166,241	405,947
Asia and Oceania.....	13,704	26,968			577,597	1,134,161	20,460	38,840	213,032	480,643
Other countries.....										
Total.....	39,296	88,560	13,773	35,133	1,020,374	2,078,923	84,633	178,674	475,052	1,140,019
OPIMUM, PREPARED (pounds), im- ported from—										
China.....			20,910	145,962	113,734	837,720	81,877	538,057	102,894	682,264
Other countries.....			237	1,167	4,302	19,231	225	1,297	820	4,340
Total.....			21,147	147,129	118,036	856,951	82,102	539,354	103,714	686,604
POTASH (pounds)—										
Chlorate of..... free.....					4,805,645	374,931	630,340	45,026		
Do..... dut.....	724,908	40,478	140,676	9,528			3,665,685	224,063	2,553,974	157,333
Muriate of..... free.....	21,484,635	318,211	6,889,215	106,740	86,317,340	1,350,851	113,242,986	1,741,009	90,457,415	1,425,952
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude										
..... free.....	680,346	16,096	616,173	15,209	16,452,422	351,512	11,480,186	232,503	17,052,547	344,171
All other..... free.....	2,704,092	68,561	3,776,550	86,768	24,219,895	586,207	34,184,793	846,530	36,805,395	832,869
Total.....	25,594,581	443,346	11,422,614	218,245	131,795,302	2,663,501	163,203,990	3,089,131	147,463,331	2,760,325
Quinia, sulphate of, etc. (ounces) free.....	648,770	128,514	338,604	126,326	3,196,751	532,232	4,085,976	831,233	3,507,242	792,211
SODA—										
Caustic (pounds)..... dut..	1,930,465	27,769	923,117	13,147	58,811,593	1,016,576	27,562,217	447,488	17,548,694	239,653
Nitrate of (tons)..... free..	10,344	189,209	18,491	464,320	79,974	2,534,954	106,837	2,433,398	121,584	2,033,543
Sal soda (pounds)..... dut..	470,550	2,031	225,256	1,348	16,901,767	74,514	8,377,467	38,237	3,810,280	19,243
Soda ash (pounds)..... dut..	6,859,974	43,266	2,532,786	20,586	114,102,912	1,107,423	83,314,190	563,753	43,660,066	296,628
All other salts of (pounds)										
..... dut.....	2,629,012	23,430	3,197,756	45,816	3,610,192	61,343	20,003,024	200,193	21,933,111	284,772
Total.....		285,705		545,217		4,794,810		3,683,090		2,873,839
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude (tons)..... free.....	21,047	417,816	10,256	186,487	117,821	1,973,514	151,820	2,752,815	117,096	2,182,445
Sumac, ground (pounds)..... dut..	860,538	13,367	1,544,963	24,720	16,993,322	227,212	7,627,355	110,008	11,774,280	163,107
Vanilla beans (pounds)..... free..			30,706	165,539	156,361	836,487	56,280	246,802	242,861	1,059,733
All other..... free.....		460,068		432,486		5,269,488		4,858,752		4,065,034
Do..... dut.....		444,224		604,958		4,583,360		4,666,070		4,681,382
Total chemicals, free.....		2,574,964		2,371,007		28,985,769		23,689,804		23,193,634
drugs, and dyes. dut.....		1,391,782		1,746,619		12,184,901		14,271,191		15,845,223
Total.....		3,966,746		4,117,626				37,960,995		39,038,857
Chicory root, raw, unground (pounds)..... free.....					15,612,137	216,309	176,210	2,137		
Do..... dut.....			154,322	2,229			139,497	2,963	159,269	2,353
Chicory root, roasted, ground or prepared (pounds)..... dut.....			104,557	3,438					277,251	9,129
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not in- cluding confectionery) (pounds) dut.....	104,133	14,220	100,678	23,175			746,257	111,436	1,060,670	188,360
Clays or earths of all kinds (tons) dut.....	12,364	82,702	10,528	68,089	89,620	636,761	96,954	673,835	107,553	726,819
Clocks and watches, and parts of (butable):										
Clocks, and parts of.....		14,188		17,237		492,594		265,369		258,681
Watches, and parts of.....		51,518		98,414		948,992		638,624		960,880

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Coal:		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Anthracite (tons).....free..							5,851	14,729	601	2,684
Bituminous (tons).....dut..	103,647	305,368	109,465	300,164	1,159,476	3,221,316	1,137,324	3,027,806	1,138,865	3,251,035
COAL, BITUMINOUS (tons), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,491	3,640	1,741	3,022	53,525	148,357	132,031	308,755	102,764	251,830
Other Europe.....	289	685	115	224	1,345	3,972	2,215	4,604	1,383	3,649
British North America.....	79,395	261,239	77,201	236,707	769,715	2,425,266	666,078	2,100,034	752,708	2,481,094
Mexico.....	11,130	19,565	10,648	20,922	89,991	198,229	96,723	180,351	112,662	219,308
Japan.....					1,575	3,908	2,675	8,075	862	2,432
Other Asia and Oceania.....	10,962	19,123	19,758	39,285	238,437	427,709	233,940	417,806	168,876	292,239
Other countries.....	389	1,116	2	4	4,888	13,875	3,692	8,061	210	483
Total.....	103,647	305,368	109,465	300,164	1,159,476	3,221,316	1,137,324	3,027,806	1,138,865	3,251,035
Cocoa or cacao, crude, etc. (pounds)										
.....free..	1,618,670	217,357	3,553,323	486,296	29,432,301	2,814,075	23,618,735	3,196,774	33,620,512	4,815,578
Prepared, etc. (pounds).....dut..	98,667	33,369	138,370	49,046			553,690	192,047	800,622	271,215
COCOA, etc. (pounds), imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....	28,711	4,459	156,041	25,705	2,596,491	342,696	1,866,599	287,856	1,933,240	328,739
Netherlands.....	8,800	1,419	42,073	6,626	1,057,062	128,153	635,033	100,322	567,301	89,888
Other Europe.....					270,364	31,981	592,586	87,968	550,392	83,707
Central America.....					2,150	209			68,513	8,597
British West Indies.....	362,638	51,945	1,377,328	187,362	11,080,266	1,041,961	7,855,562	1,180,989	13,903,868	2,045,602
Other West Indies.....	47,513	5,173	24,642	3,330	645,101	63,274	1,602,052	224,597	970,778	154,984
Brazil.....	63,965	8,909	26,134	3,748	4,266,340	326,697	1,350,195	170,115	4,518,634	632,932
Other South America.....	386,512	69,237	1,576,499	211,642	9,410,050	867,336	9,536,445	1,058,986	9,365,051	1,246,802
East Indies.....	120,531	76,215			61,562	7,542	132,020	78,018	109,322	14,044
Other countries.....			350,606	47,883	42,915	4,226	48,243	7,943	1,003,413	210,283
Total.....	1,618,670	217,357	3,553,323	486,296	29,432,301	2,814,075	23,618,735	3,196,774	33,620,512	4,815,578
Coffee (pounds).....free..	92,466,355	5,937,083	84,324,031	6,010,492	672,684,962	75,508,099	809,072,152	60,641,076	761,960,000	50,643,744
COFFEE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	348,553	34,624	383,347	43,399	2,712,795	447,205	1,777,338	251,985	4,185,642	467,315
France.....	3,205	225	44,090	2,870	464,227	69,404	816,748	59,120	61,870	4,248
Germany.....	888,295	61,662	515,370	36,726	5,009,077	676,356	6,914,895	515,076	1,532,050	144,896
Netherlands.....	333,556	39,771	521,906	47,581	2,698,604	491,043	2,208,782	340,802	3,489,368	380,193
Other Europe.....	663,597	39,341	121,823	6,893	1,806,380	174,440	2,360,208	133,776	318,124	19,875
Central America.....	5,933,410	695,237	9,406,699	1,091,602	36,626,659	5,433,678	33,611,856	4,192,716	41,662,553	4,927,028
Mexico.....	4,079,368	425,786	4,767,334	491,433	26,083,164	4,222,704	32,738,220	3,435,647	24,419,467	2,450,908
West Indies.....	1,012,693	100,725	1,060,387	91,581	10,328,620	1,350,032	6,162,610	651,712	11,123,028	896,138
Brazil.....	66,021,677	3,310,080	53,091,946	3,002,762	495,544,628	49,131,988	617,294,301	38,554,238	578,043,000	32,343,871
Other South America.....	10,998,431	965,656	11,956,789	824,546	72,626,249	10,175,846	81,711,646	8,553,215	81,084,630	6,537,462
East Indies.....	776,860	87,936	1,316,169	202,352	13,179,245	2,381,541	17,657,677	2,981,555	10,090,691	1,466,232
Other Asia and Oceania.....	533,592	145,758	938,319	151,488	4,328,190	735,632	4,242,858	749,941	4,965,337	780,190
Africa.....			20,160	1,428	43,166	6,990	42,305	6,040	110,672	9,381
Other countries.....	215,723	30,282	179,692	15,921	1,233,958	211,231	1,442,708	215,253	1,533,608	206,987
Total.....	92,466,355	5,937,083	84,324,031	6,010,492	672,684,962	75,508,099	809,072,152	60,641,076	761,960,000	50,643,744
Copper, and manufactures of:										
Ore and regulus (tons).....free..	80	15,268	591	166,334	3,027	487,237	4,559	738,944	4,749	1,073,428
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc. (lbs.).....free..	5,828,311	297,672	6,538,737	987,147	10,229,690	883,699	37,237,206	2,855,872	42,170,183	4,326,151
Manufactures of.....dut..		3,971		619		63,023		42,487		34,409
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanu-										
factured.....free..		138,649		128,038		1,233,719		1,042,904		1,064,539
Cork, manufactures of.....dut..		20,322		47,061				212,904		348,423
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured (pounds).....free..	6,123,188	556,938	5,028,470	509,027	46,204,885	5,291,510	49,433,524	4,709,368	46,428,632	4,608,749
Waste or flocks (pounds).....free..			337,444	12,700					5,525,452	193,023

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED (lbs.),		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	513,085	48,222	911,935	97,013	8,144,736	942,406	11,733,356	1,195,271	9,692,660	1,021,758
Other Europe.....					23,460	2,132	26,039	1,963		
South America.....	83,748	8,913	217,600	12,953	811,620	91,166	1,279,753	121,653	1,532,839	133,474
East Indies.....					40,697	4,011	61,745	4,847	189,804	14,317
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	28,041	2,111	8,008	974	234,345	17,788	3,959,217	361,493	99,609	9,065
Africa (Egypt).....	5,495,943	497,113	3,888,307	398,048	36,807,653	4,222,832	32,243,079	3,011,100	34,729,269	3,413,335
Other countries.....	7,371	579	2,620	39	112,374	11,175	130,335	13,041	184,442	13,796
Total.....	6,128,188	556,938	5,028,470	509,027	46,204,885	5,291,510	49,433,524	4,709,368	46,428,632	4,608,749
MANUFACTURES OF (durable)—										
CLOTHS (square yards)—										
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	145,070	10,588	81,166	7,531	3,050,497	262,353	1,413,505	112,893	1,153,150	96,509
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	2,289,696	232,267	4,552,697	591,762	33,028,131	4,076,615	41,032,289	5,017,495	48,067,533	6,241,816
Total.....	2,434,726	302,955	4,633,863	599,293	36,078,628	4,338,968	42,445,785	5,130,388	49,220,683	6,338,325
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		71,121		99,999		2,364,331		988,876		956,818
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		352,949		352,256		4,972,577		3,711,603		4,076,484
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		687,118		1,222,540		11,509,954		11,188,427		13,779,958
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc. (pounds).....	185,024	67,362	307,047	117,441	1,461,473	568,291	1,685,677	642,016	2,035,509	757,739
All other.....		283,762		452,529		7,193,597		3,952,552		4,121,318
Total manufactures.....		1,765,267		2,854,058		30,947,718		25,613,862		30,030,642
CLOTHS, ETC. (square yards), im-										
ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,882,780	234,957	3,728,695	488,829	26,491,816	3,025,615	33,701,110	3,948,990	38,512,890	4,952,573
France.....	237,726	31,155	451,402	58,394	4,139,478	544,006	3,993,401	525,381	4,300,932	574,867
Germany.....	193,697	22,719	190,270	25,614	2,589,516	397,314	3,275,028	474,965	3,740,805	490,032
Switzerland.....	102,984	11,860	255,225	25,752	2,783,377	365,468	1,175,820	146,217	2,406,896	210,457
Other Europe.....	13,926	1,916	901		26,513	3,328	199,654	26,673	126,565	334
Japan.....	3,613	282	7,370	528	44,275	2,854	83,039	6,633	68,681	5,585
Other countries.....	90	36		176	3,623	383	11,713	1,529	63,914	24,477
Total.....	2,434,726	302,955	4,633,863	599,293	36,078,628	4,338,968	42,445,785	5,130,388	49,220,683	6,338,325
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF COT-										
TON, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		452,237		750,513		9,779,516		6,185,166		6,832,709
Belgium.....		17,682		17,368		395,746		298,323		248,375
France.....		183,644		373,075		2,829,177		3,013,616		3,505,002
Germany.....		509,026		528,491		8,023,458		6,231,240		6,253,657
Switzerland.....		276,308		564,109		5,383,820		4,571,694		6,638,698
Other Europe.....		5,186		744		67,853		76,393		9,069
China.....		2,075		2,941		22,226		27,009		29,258
Japan.....		4,626		4,102		71,144		32,113		33,305
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		2,707		2,707		19,561		19,425		29,315
Other countries.....		5,221		10,115		16,249		28,495		112,319
Total.....		1,462,312		2,254,765		26,608,750		20,483,474		23,692,317
Earthen, stone, and china ware										
(durable):										
CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, AND										
BISQUE—										
Not decorated or ornamented.....		72,282		110,261		1,314,708		752,570		921,720
Decorated or ornamented.....		405,870		519,388		7,069,351		5,066,120		5,673,060
All other.....		30,511		26,416		351,645		257,986		296,114
Total.....		508,663		656,065		8,735,704		6,076,676		6,890,893
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA										
WARE, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		261,127		307,542		3,504,340		2,457,526		2,652,724
Austria-Hungary.....		27,859		34,298		570,353		458,541		450,623
France.....		13,039		101,159		1,493,918		886,021		1,314,669

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable)—Continued.										
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Germany.....		166,327		162,094		2,576,545		1,832,905		1,992,200
Other Europe.....		10,576		17,343		106,157		113,361		123,518
Japan.....		25,146		27,174		424,025		288,178		271,939
Other countries.....		4,589		6,455		55,361		42,144		55,229
Total.....		508,663		656,065		8,735,704		6,076,676		6,890,893
Eggs (dozen).....dut..	13,194	612	14,755	1,350	553,256	40,090	158,614	7,688	213,295	20,474
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed.....free..						1,838,841		145,448		
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut..		303,674		167,922				1,895,327		1,559,028
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut..		63,246		46,521		608,541		698,108		764,915
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial.....dut..		42,270		100,505		2,089,115		2,220,672		1,874,666
Total.....		409,190		314,948		4,536,497		4,959,555		4,198,609
Fertilizers (free, tons):										
Guano.....	194	1,118	12	60	5,924	81,686	4,441	56,342	4,195	43,503
Phosphates, crude.....	315	4,115	6,527	12,957	8,985	56,027	8,766	56,235	111,487	479,355
All other.....		72,124		40,003		924,282		1,173,531		910,049
Total.....		77,357		53,020		1,061,995		1,286,108		1,432,907
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of, n. c. s.:										
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—										
Flax, and tow of.....free..					6,859	1,157,999	1,779	245,012		
Flax.....dut..	524	109,744	723	170,499	1,458	559,511	3,100	827,061	5,861	1,164,044
Hemp, and tow of.....free..					4,573	573,520	299	43,729		
Hemp.....dut..	618	85,393	366	44,619	24	6,569	3,488	487,085	3,459	426,591
Isle or Tampico fiber.....free..	261	10,359	389	27,247	5,908	316,944	2,496	126,189	3,973	246,447
Jute and jute butts.....free..	11,032	227,513	10,190	374,706	59,691	1,425,200	101,770	2,305,737	79,368	2,182,231
Manila.....free..	1,440	108,911	7,231	835,334	41,382	3,083,827	45,829	2,899,925	52,621	6,120,439
Sisal grass.....free..	4,966	459,346	7,412	1,017,226	56,178	3,393,451	62,529	4,139,411	67,750	8,641,129
All other.....free..	125	10,173	1,415	103,052	7,960	533,072	8,513	520,568	6,797	458,151
Total unmanufac- (free..	18,774	816,302	26,637	2,357,565	182,547	10,494,013	223,215	10,280,571	210,509	17,648,397
tured.....dut..	1,142	195,137	1,089	215,118	1,482	566,080	6,588	1,314,146	9,320	1,590,635
Total.....	19,916	1,011,439	27,726	2,572,683	184,029	11,060,093	229,803	11,594,717	219,829	19,239,032
FLAX (free and dutiable, tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	101	38,865	316	86,767	2,063	617,375	2,005	590,607	1,595	469,552
Other Europe.....	347	64,328	239	60,728	3,824	729,081	2,182	394,441	3,535	592,334
British North America.....	76	6,551	168	23,004	2,414	370,037	692	86,907	731	102,158
Other countries.....					16	1,017		118		
Total.....	524	109,744	723	170,499	8,317	1,717,510	4,879	1,072,073	5,861	1,164,044
JUTE (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	66	3,753	721	37,280	1,990	121,708	1,846	87,364	4,138	217,009
East Indies.....	11,916	223,760	9,469	337,426	57,611	1,307,762	99,562	2,203,375	75,124	1,959,714
Other countries.....					90	5,730	362	14,998	106	5,503
Total.....	11,982	227,513	10,190	374,706	59,691	1,435,200	101,770	2,305,737	79,368	2,182,231
MANILA (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	21	2,651	284	44,033	6,903	643,281	1,439	118,473	12,722	1,957,928
Philippine Islands.....	1,419	106,260	5,446	619,774	33,830	2,393,695	44,233	2,770,686	23,214	3,333,616
Other countries.....			1,501	171,527	649	46,851	157	11,366	6,085	828,865
Total.....	1,440	108,911	7,231	835,334	41,382	3,083,827	45,829	2,899,925	52,621	6,120,439
SISAL GRASS (tons), imported from—										
Mexico.....	4,892	454,434	7,186	981,867	55,785	3,370,453	61,859	4,098,587	65,694	8,361,243
Other countries.....	74	4,912	226	35,359	393	22,998	670	49,824	2,056	279,886
Total.....	4,966	459,346	7,412	1,017,226	56,178	3,393,451	62,529	4,139,411	67,750	8,641,129

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. free.....						363, 163		24, 907		
Do.....dut.....		24, 587		23, 933				223, 809		472, 912
Bags for grain made of burlaps free.....						1, 447, 737		320, 201		
Bags of jute.....dut.....		198, 373		138, 217				341, 071		864, 271
Burlaps.....free.....						7, 853, 081		489, 412		
Do.....dut.....		557, 239						4, 538, 510		
Cables, cordage, threads, and twine, n. e. s. (pounds) ..dut..	5, 973	2, 968	17, 570	7, 810	148, 892	15, 723	475, 269	66, 957	438, 580	70, 279
Coir yarn (pounds).....free..	164, 444	5, 631	100, 126	5, 768	3, 226, 810	81, 562	1, 600, 184	52, 344	1, 645, 790	62, 053
Twine, binding (pounds).....free..					1, 300, 307	74, 914	51, 660	3, 402	1, 000, 287	62, 171
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut.....			24, 409	6, 560					245, 542	71, 797
Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn.....dut.....				741, 376						7, 070, 163
Handkerchiefs.....dut.....				96, 390						1, 572, 114
Oilcloths (square yards).....dut..			67, 474	35, 419					420, 626	190, 696
Yarns (pounds).....dut.....	134, 800	31, 430	255, 832	47, 424	1, 658, 588	454, 010	1, 801, 603	346, 668	1, 778, 176	373, 670
All other.....dut.....		1, 300, 915		977, 081		17, 442, 113		13, 140, 673		11, 842, 695
Total manufactures.....		2, 121, 148		2, 084, 978		27, 732, 303		19, 547, 954		22, 652, 821
Fish (pounds):										
FRESH—										
Lobsters, canned or uncanned free.....	1, 225, 035	84, 220	1, 339, 776	97, 264			4, 707, 311	372, 908	5, 235, 513	524, 706
Salmon.....free.....					1, 305, 654	113, 523	169, 083	16, 379		
Do.....dut.....	142, 751	12, 310	147, 100	26, 144			444, 731	38, 697	720, 240	79, 188
All other.....free.....						1, 419, 944	16, 379	252, 771		
Do.....dut.....		86, 188		74, 596		145, 302		833, 615		785, 738
CURED OR PRESERVED—										
Anchovies and sardines, etc. ....dut.....		58, 771		67, 952		857, 904		1, 064, 356		1, 097, 233
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....dut.....	81, 634	2, 743	238, 287	9, 420	13, 650, 090	429, 176	15, 935, 789	523, 166	11, 174, 997	416, 496
Herring—										
Dried or smoked.....dut.....	163, 644	3, 699	255, 526	4, 825	3, 916, 865	75, 973	5, 432, 265	107, 840	3, 445, 075	84, 970
Pickled or salted.....dut.....	293, 095	7, 276	506, 223	16, 141	24, 736, 285	860, 346	27, 596, 382	1, 042, 198	31, 485, 094	1, 061, 630
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....dut..	459, 042	27, 738	674, 219	38, 193	20, 482, 169	1, 162, 824	15, 098, 791	927, 303	14, 780, 129	1, 028, 253
Salmon, pickled or salted.....dut..	15, 678	1, 246			898, 709	61, 646	819, 790	58, 839	462, 936	35, 459
All other.....dut.....		12, 139		19, 551		417, 485		256, 558		307, 355
Total.....		296, 330		354, 091		5, 544, 123		5, 494, 630		5, 421, 118
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):										
FRUITS—										
Bananas.....free.....		553, 213		992, 819		3, 391, 310		3, 730, 274		4, 773, 855
Currants.....free.....					77, 191	3, 599				
Do.....dut.....	85, 490	3, 940	591, 402	11, 776	23, 121, 069	590, 371	24, 246, 927	803, 890	29, 947, 312	779, 607
Dates.....dut.....	15, 533	249	61, 618	1, 961	11, 816, 884	284, 651	13, 559, 926	371, 959	12, 942, 989	324, 053
Figs.....dut.....	117, 085	2, 467	127, 523	5, 729	8, 926, 959	534, 994	9, 599, 280	508, 211	7, 276, 054	356, 278
Lemons.....dut.....		372, 778	28, 051, 043	591, 288		3, 518, 318		2, 377, 237	189, 831, 306	3, 692, 227
Oranges.....dut.....		9, 916	4, 654, 953	102, 722		2, 163, 792		886, 519	81, 265, 875	1, 647, 605
Plums and prunes.....dut.....	2, 577	504	4, 614	367	709, 931	73, 301	302, 477	39, 479	600, 064	63, 543
Raisins.....dut.....	122	8	60, 793	4, 385	12, 515, 456	561, 746	6, 587, 793	391, 072	4, 932, 926	282, 390
Prepared or preserved fruits.....dut..		74, 563		116, 527		578, 420		864, 032		956, 331
All other fruits.....free.....		38, 287		101, 401		568, 534		394, 355		443, 800
Do.....dut.....		74, 784		153, 592		948, 317		775, 909		914, 836
Total fruits.....		1, 130, 709		2, 082, 567		13, 216, 753		11, 132, 937		13, 634, 555

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)— Continued.										
BANANAS, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....		16,431		8,547		83,297		83,887		80,444
Central American States.....		176,657		207,855		1,290,532		1,370,397		1,587,553
British West Indies.....		267,265		594,907		1,215,948		1,616,289		2,298,509
Cuba.....				25,724		145,663				45,862
South America.....		72,787		123,415		570,628		518,596		586,205
Hawaiian Islands.....		3,823		6,121		61,200		45,891		46,716
Other countries.....		16,250		26,250		23,952		95,214		128,566
Total.....		553,213		992,819		3,391,310		3,730,274		4,773,855
LEMONS, imported from—										
Italy.....		330,815		506,028		3,313,896		2,314,921		3,586,629
British North America.....		41,935		85,196		145,164		45,898		87,964
Other countries.....		28		64		59,258		16,418		17,634
Total.....		372,778		591,288		3,518,318		2,377,237		3,692,227
ORANGES, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....				327		502,016		23,140		86,486
Italy.....		2,482		99,611		561,202		207,388		251,952
Mexico.....		56		155		253,512		134,654		137,190
British West Indies.....		7,093		34		728,930		502,849		546,867
Cuba.....				1		8,780		1,991		622
Japan.....						11,788		9,445		5,656
Other countries.....		285		2,594		97,464		7,043		18,832
Total.....		9,916		102,722		2,163,792		886,519		1,047,605
NUTS:										
Almonds.....dut.	368,122	41,567	787,869	82,705	9,374,003	854,722	5,024,327	580,449	9,632,152	1,166,337
Cocoanuts.....fre.		33,122		56,200				493,089		564,316
Do.....dut.						434,307		21,874		
All other.....dut.		56,929		69,439		832,672		918,292		847,467
Total fruits and nuts.....		1,262,327		2,290,920		15,338,454		13,151,641		16,212,675
Furs:										
Furs and fur skins, undressed										
.....fre.		360,330		651,167		2,562,479		3,492,349		5,153,207
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.		399,842		544,383		2,832,917		3,698,853		4,759,525
FURS AND FUR SKINS, ETC., im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....		82,738		158,227		746,809		1,063,719		1,632,924
France.....		37,917		81,745		328,056		330,899		679,225
Germany.....		194,283		365,731		782,160		1,261,208		1,696,664
Other Europe.....		19,031		8,089		64,358		196,799		245,248
British North America.....		22,754		29,393		219,179		250,398		364,776
South America.....		71		5,638		16,428		38,648		132,261
Japan.....						2,836		71		994
Other countries.....		3,536		2,344		402,593		350,407		401,115
Total.....		360,330		651,167		2,562,479		3,492,349		5,153,207
FURS, AND MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		112,034		163,890		995,824		1,201,290		1,249,383
Belgium.....		22,054		46,718		168,273		216,408		437,941
France.....		121,040		162,822		845,133		1,217,540		1,656,146
Germany.....		123,590		157,335		676,484		829,144		1,015,686
Other Europe.....		2,030		6,310		13,989		15,697		52,569
China.....		17,894		83		109,722		199,849		306,175
Other countries.....		300		1,195		23,492		18,925		41,625
Total.....		399,842		544,383		2,832,917		3,698,853		4,759,525
Ginger ale or ginger beer (dozen pints).....dut.	38,122	27,909	43,868	31,876			138,724	101,394	306,073	222,380

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware (dutiable):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bottles, etc., empty or filled		35,774		35,707		527,090		308,622		335,184
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished, pounds	3,483,073	85,059	4,649,916	129,049	48,291,169	1,031,308	35,308,915	861,197	42,968,812	1,157,182
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—										
Unsilvered	282,951	54,534	192,932	38,101	1,033,326	247,226	2,521,190	514,217	2,495,452	492,356
Silvered	2	7			2,331,904	688,563	241,604	66,434	885	580
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—										
Fluted, rolled, or rough	16,627	684	28,301	1,585	402,311	17,547	179,050	9,439	219,099	9,523
Cast, polished, unsilvered	10,603	3,542	85,456	22,467	1,040,766	270,710	631,865	156,170	829,410	206,295
Cast, polished, silvered	347	307	99	147	51,076	19,931	519	562	352	403
All other		119,976		145,978		2,043,106		1,416,507		1,635,034
Total		299,883		373,034		4,845,481		3,333,148		3,836,565
GLASS, CYLINDER, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	221,600	11,496	286,670	15,376	3,407,617	168,864	2,652,390	137,427	3,640,543	188,496
Belgium	3,197,225	69,141	4,355,992	112,291	44,127,344	820,123	32,287,309	688,405	38,977,189	933,303
France	1,185	224			511,722	20,816	150,496	8,205	82,553	3,016
Germany	62,712	4,179	7,168	1,369	212,440	20,440	177,095	25,716	206,657	30,307
Other Europe					2,250	77	18,575	641	23,036	354
Other countries	351	10	146	13	29,796	988	23,140	803	38,834	1,676
Total	3,483,073	85,059	4,649,916	129,049	48,291,169	1,031,308	35,308,915	861,197	42,968,812	1,157,182
Glue (pounds) dut	271,405	28,578	1,191,159	60,023			3,453,554	368,204	4,874,655	439,829
Grease and oils, n. e. s. free		39,969		55,170		851,509		415,160		410,823
Grease, n. e. s. dut		26,339		22,313				142,896		245,396
Hair:										
Unmanufactured free		83,873		186,969		1,227,879		1,718,627		1,620,665
Manufactures of dut		15,998		15,015		698,511		274,636		148,687
Total		99,871		201,984		1,926,390		1,993,263		1,769,352
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free						1,917,114		36,308		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods dut		21,122		37,270				568,057		612,127
Materials for dut		85,603		115,160				1,569,723		1,741,917
Total		106,725		152,430				2,174,088		2,354,044
Hay (tons) dut	278	3,416	3,692	19,945	114,421	983,235	3,565	31,910	6,973	38,128
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):										
Goatskins free	6,346,056	1,590,499	8,821,538	2,338,428	41,649,652	10,151,411	60,241,218	14,517,127	64,031,191	16,786,522
All other, except hides of cattle, etc. free	5,008,006	705,021	8,369,575	1,200,385	120,216,468	13,845,963	50,020,225	6,956,522	60,429,497	8,970,486
Hides of cattle dut	9,916,617	1,052,244	13,378,669	1,381,262			111,418,120	12,018,238	115,782,155	11,962,371
Total	21,270,679	3,347,764	30,569,782	4,920,075	173,886,120	23,997,371	221,679,573	33,491,887	240,242,843	37,719,379
HIDES AND SKINS (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom	3,997,453	526,757	5,244,036	671,435	28,161,316	3,855,001	42,231,154	5,911,762	44,522,702	5,974,723
France	1,179,078	195,579	2,261,544	461,525	7,894,946	1,469,914	18,168,324	3,184,272	18,914,765	3,530,475
Germany	1,233,409	206,809	3,370,202	520,872	6,016,296	1,075,600	12,339,675	2,301,171	20,287,274	3,092,757
Other Europe	2,980,686	417,982	4,287,105	622,602	12,221,505	1,902,362	21,091,407	3,584,103	28,060,682	3,919,093
British North America	1,629,355	149,176	1,817,430	161,934	18,771,522	1,329,569	13,026,174	1,027,857	12,922,697	1,004,627
Central American States	149,025	14,600	191,286	21,490	1,685,427	217,773	1,786,385	177,959	2,170,761	247,315
Mexico	652,618	84,197	1,167,010	198,074	12,246,189	1,658,035	12,222,230	1,578,990	14,978,954	1,756,534
West Indies	51,191	8,925	103,345	46,161	8,320,462	619,808	4,184,591	400,443	2,980,964	359,779
South America	3,715,932	649,384	4,970,374	859,037	51,565,296	7,904,205	52,514,109	8,112,388	53,599,733	8,997,305
East Indies	2,610,546	519,215	3,699,432	727,541	11,364,535	1,575,254	20,485,634	3,330,099	23,412,786	4,373,913
Other Asia and Oceania	762,917	193,970	1,066,942	257,758	5,312,285	993,147	8,110,050	1,555,276	8,555,979	2,058,525
Africa	639,438	99,542	577,101	126,955	3,771,463	538,259	6,791,255	1,113,222	5,877,669	1,052,600
Other countries	1,719,347	281,237	1,695,575	233,731	6,534,878	895,454	8,598,576	1,195,284	8,478,777	1,231,634
Total	21,270,679	3,347,764	30,569,782	4,920,075	173,886,120	23,997,371	221,679,573	33,491,887	240,242,843	37,719,379

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....				85,041						627,152
Hops (pounds).....dut..	9,691	2,509	33,222	10,711	2,991,273	626,161	2,343,584	640,602	1,309,936	588,035
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		124,969		202,754		2,286,785		1,674,975		2,942,386
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, lbs.)—										
Gutta-percha.....	29,395	10,585	63,286	14,269	1,083,374	94,167	622,330	157,109	455,732	143,409
India rubber.....	3,179,771	1,905,883	3,429,234	2,306,053	33,819,034	16,658,103	43,805,400	24,104,717	48,227,786	29,977,608
Total unmanufactured...	3,209,166	1,916,468	3,492,520	2,320,322	34,902,408	16,752,270	44,427,730	24,261,826	48,683,538	30,121,017
INDIA RUBBER, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	743,869	459,980	401,015	312,799	6,521,113	3,062,788	8,334,242	4,978,617	10,302,794	6,650,206
Germany.....	66,562	32,291	191,215	103,254	926,023	339,231	1,603,573	644,666	1,758,908	963,184
Other Europe.....	262,352	381,212	79,296	63,405	2,518,283	1,201,022	2,206,179	2,924,094	5,723,735	4,108,322
Central America.....	33,290	14,890	140,625	82,514	999,003	414,438	904,373	382,730	1,372,520	783,959
Mexico.....	11,894	3,932	46,578	24,669	93,071	27,307	113,716	38,838	294,109	126,980
West Indies.....			260	101	47,116	15,162	8,190	2,175	29,258	8,692
Brazil.....	1,537,956	948,388	2,351,500	1,608,942	21,205,145	11,075,822	25,747,242	14,463,751	25,947,761	16,126,975
Other South America.....	96,889	43,453	150,346	79,830	1,153,571	432,610	1,445,966	573,257	1,845,564	883,394
East Indies.....	58,569	18,634	60,401	25,873	340,030	85,009	342,883	88,216	907,374	301,324
Africa.....	4,563	1,553			4,000	1,327	11,731	3,832	5,734	2,852
Other countries.....	363,836	1,580	8,004	4,666	11,079	3,387	3,087,305	8,635	40,029	21,720
Total.....	3,179,771	1,905,883	3,429,234	2,306,053	33,819,034	16,658,103	43,805,400	24,104,717	48,227,786	29,977,608
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gutta-percha.....		11,570		8,992		85,992		151,913		100,725
India rubber.....		41,535		43,752		263,865		280,816		340,318
Total manufactures.....		53,105		52,744		349,857		432,729		441,043
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore (tons).....dut..	11,776	21,176	37,426	53,026	510,991	739,806	352,205	469,024	225,353	330,298
Pig iron (tons).....dut..	4,626	112,238	2,007	66,505	20,714	480,201	23,922	623,594	21,618	653,297
Scrap iron and steel, etc. (tons).....dut..	43	233	1,080	7,046	3,401	72,164	1,379	11,186	3,823	60,226
Bar iron (pounds).....dut..	1,279,967	32,318	1,196,582	30,969	27,978,059	555,793	29,809,392	605,719	33,488,671	793,435
Bars, railway, of iron or steel, etc. (tons).....dut..			379	13,936	7,776	208,031	529	18,824	533	20,326
Hoop, band, or scroll (pounds).....dut..	7,096	211	5,262	143	5,584	1,930	69,075	3,086	18,671	3,897
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. (pounds).....dut..	2,047,296	85,830	2,317,204	118,118	36,032,430	1,426,441	28,908,007	1,127,887	21,159,024	981,584
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel (pounds).....dut..	605,696	14,956	361,880	18,391	9,044,204	208,694	5,418,558	165,370	3,319,417	147,018
Ties for baling cotton (pounds).....free.....					16,265,506	239,498				
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin (pounds).....dut..	13,932,440	309,267	13,976,942	363,185	215,233,427	4,983,399	163,408,381	3,625,589	98,175,384	2,314,515
Wire rods (pounds).....dut..	2,842,522	62,358	3,038,292	65,800	30,061,406	619,134	36,537,358	778,231	30,946,978	651,294
Wire, and articles made from (pounds).....dut..	367,118	24,559	612,922	41,667	5,964,936	361,840	5,163,134	329,364	4,757,085	311,069
MANUFACTURES—										
Anvils (pounds).....dut..	78,269	5,130	102,236	6,199	649,234	39,395	726,296	44,505	503,643	31,259
Chains (pounds).....dut..	1,728	117	11,572	528	621,775	47,615	162,544	10,209	356,690	20,656
Cutlery.....dut..		74,618		103,724		1,976,366		863,326		1,071,981
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut..		1,870		4,958		38,658		29,233		38,489
Firearms.....dut..		14,257		66,144		669,339		374,599		670,576
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free.....		32,751		34,449		273,374		327,567		374,637
Machinery.....dut..		183,627		177,290		1,171,227		1,742,153		1,501,508

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Shotgun barrels, in single tubes, forged, rough-bored free.		350		12,499		30,169		44,719		119,851
All other dut.		93,712		120,438		1,301,829		1,020,280		1,084,801
Total, not including ore		1,048,422		1,251,989		14,705,097		11,745,441		10,850,459
TIN PLATES, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	13,829,040	306,417	13,666,900	353,360	214,560,235	4,961,634	162,700,426	3,605,315	97,525,866	2,293,312
British North America	103,400	2,850	310,042	9,825	672,820	18,744	697,425	19,914	649,518	21,203
Other countries					363	21	10,530	360		
Total	13,932,440	309,267	13,976,942	363,185	215,233,427	4,983,399	163,408,381	3,625,589	98,175,384	2,314,515
Ivory (free, pounds):										
Animal	33,450	70,487	88,275	184,650	159,856	410,486	228,226	476,549	291,973	619,675
Vegetable	608,863	6,582	902,191	9,566	3,662,753	38,065	13,539,942	139,579	7,621,656	76,353
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:										
Diamonds, uncut, including miner's, etc., not set free.		135,106		249,134		44,053		2,517,136		3,102,664
Diamonds, cut, but not set dut.		144,886		1,070,569		1,898,310		4,127,736		7,615,715
Other precious stones, rough or uncut free.		214		6,216				22,802		38,499
Other precious stones, cut, but not set dut.		83,260		209,079		646,315		1,928,984		1,861,486
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver dut.		76,961		376,169		810,657		1,349,702		2,896,462
Total		440,427		1,911,167				9,946,360		15,514,826
PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom		63,598		7,761		6,608		1,108,661		1,896,007
France		10,855		1,366		1,200		124,454		59,340
Netherlands		57,012		245,751		649		1,227,387		1,173,922
Other Europe		3,855		472		34,136		71,660		8,059
Brazil						1,457		1,303		
Other countries						3		6,473		3,835
Total		135,320		255,350		44,053		2,539,938		3,141,163
JEWELRY, AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (duti-able), imported from—										
United Kingdom		64,868		328,728		750,052		1,845,856		3,159,298
France		81,874		494,566		1,013,526		2,442,963		3,869,865
Germany		22,742		76,178		301,874		500,031		818,213
Netherlands		102,095		685,731		590,319		1,968,715		3,527,995
Other Europe		32,721		64,991		679,977		545,191		957,038
British North America		46		228		4,131		92,064		5,288
Mexico		264		5,164		3,511		5,892		13,448
East Indies		370				3,542		1,345		7,127
Other countries		127		231		8,320		4,275		15,391
Total		305,107		1,655,817		3,355,282		7,466,422		12,373,663
Lead, and manufactures of (duti-able, pounds):										
Lead in ore, etc.	10,016,337	147,706	19,057,339	255,786			172,601,577	2,416,937	180,051,219	2,586,349
Pigs, bars, and old	749	17	27,776	927			3,261,816	80,877	414,023	10,652
Pigs, bars, old, and other in ore					151,853,794	1,735,848				
Manufactures of		333		727		3,866		4,247		10,337
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom					987,745	29,619	562,812	16,321	267,422	7,522
Germany							336,053	8,944		
Other Europe					222,080	4,224	1,120,528	28,938	111,952	1,940
British North America	2,089,823	44,714	1,636,903	44,799	23,609,365	384,901	41,905,206	917,747	31,823,211	369,988

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Lead, and manufactures of (duti- able, pounds)—Continued.										
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC.—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico.....	7,926,514	102,992	17,334,070	210,515	125,774,967	1,301,732	131,550,281	1,521,474	147,612,134	1,769,095
Other countries.....	749	17	114,142	1,399	1,259,637	15,372	388,513	4,390	650,523	9,376
Total.....	10,017,086	147,723	19,085,115	256,713	151,853,794	1,735,848	175,863,393	2,497,814	180,465,242	2,597,001
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER (duti-able)—										
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		1,835		4,912		152,445		132,924		47,606
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		13,753		19,702		49,826		157,174		250,108
Skins for morocco.....		278,344		237,723		3,380,760		2,968,778		2,297,861
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		177,069		228,166		2,195,169		2,015,775		2,257,281
Total leather.....		471,001		490,593		5,778,200		5,274,651		4,852,856
MANUFACTURES OF (duti-able)—										
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		265,488		347,169		5,561,662		5,186,622		5,263,801
All other.....		36,870		40,168		409,062		373,769		428,213
Total manufactures.....		302,358		387,337		5,970,724		5,560,391		5,692,014
GLOVES, imported from—										
Belgium.....		3,613		1,690		323,127		279,502		261,787
France.....		85,864		162,136		1,930,796		1,583,073		2,020,835
Germany.....		153,419		142,813		2,243,129		2,556,824		2,275,061
Other Europe.....		22,559		40,530		1,064,429		766,916		705,522
Other countries.....		33				181		307		596
Total.....		265,488		347,169		5,561,662		5,186,622		5,263,801
Malt, barley (bushels).....dut..	491	330	400	325	10,354	8,652	4,369	4,063	4,663	4,093
Malt liquors (duti-able, gallons):										
In bottles or jugs.....	64,914	61,747	74,799	72,859	973,111	953,282	678,580	641,917	805,492	802,019
In other coverings.....	113,718	31,342	137,952	29,054	1,780,684	497,021	1,651,554	474,109	1,764,266	528,797
Total.....	178,632	93,089	212,751	111,913	2,753,795	1,450,303	2,330,134	1,116,026	2,569,758	1,330,816
Manganese, ore and oxide of (tons)										
.....free..	9,005	73,433	11,468	61,735			76,224	633,102	111,404	826,912
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (duti-able):										
Marble, and manufactures of.....		71,828		75,375		806,068		639,752		613,960
Stone, and manufactures of, in- cluding slate.....		22,044		15,894		290,430		229,876		187,963
Total.....		93,872		91,179		1,096,507		869,628		801,923
Matting for floors (rolls).....free..					1,036,327	3,366,587	20,804	61,899		
Matting and mats for floors, etc. (square yards).....dut..	3,004,483	206,522	2,039,028	165,758			18,589,934	1,293,896	36,910,158	2,579,256
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (duti-able):										
Bronze manufactures.....		29,412		39,166		473,064		443,626		510,270
All other.....		245,515		323,608		3,262,796		3,083,906		3,258,369
Total.....		274,927		362,774		3,735,860		3,527,532		3,768,639
Musical instruments, and parts of.....dut..		79,325		88,793		1,010,671		848,954		949,635
Oils (gallons):										
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—										
Whale and fish.....dut..	15,775	9,008	17,918	6,886	165,250	161,733	667,719	220,732	515,530	189,487
Other.....dut..	70	35	7,203	1,117	34,084	4,954	13,777	4,836	9,055	1,567
Mineral.....free..	121,648	8,831	172,588	14,988	21,980	20,871	1,212,512	87,138	1,614,095	122,381
Do.....dut..	555	224	488	194	212,289	14,608	14,823	2,905	2,725	692
VEGETABLE—										
Fixed or expressed.....free..		178,211		205,146		1,508,460		1,684,481		1,589,428
Do.....dut..		58,551		55,892		677,005		505,874		590,988
Olive.....dut..	64,876	80,493	118,586	124,581	864,640	1,052,746	668,421	838,573	823,463	970,549

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils (gallons)—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
Volatile, or essential, and dis-		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
tilled.....free.....		103,565		114,007		1,531,715		1,031,163		1,245,278
Do.....dut.....		36,630		41,018		220,073		348,114		279,824
Total.....		475,548		563,829		5,192,165		4,723,816		4,990,194
Paints, pigments, and colors...free.						95,401		8,470		
Do.....dut.....		89,821		126,440		1,129,810		961,497		1,074,130
Paper stock, crude (free) (see also										
Wood pulp):										
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs..	5,029,138	67,909	4,925,526	80,417	45,182,797	603,660	45,327,167	644,301	50,533,416	736,267
All other.....		219,776		125,464		2,173,795		1,968,914		1,684,720
Total.....		287,685		205,881		2,777,455		2,613,215		2,420,987
PAPER STOCK, crude, imported										
from—										
United Kingdom.....		114,925		73,892		953,981		983,011		919,659
Belgium.....		22,044		14,994		265,209		246,421		238,821
France.....		12,489		20,646		195,377		182,253		178,030
Germany.....		61,902		55,871		411,146		506,836		534,317
Italy.....		32,247		9,806		199,814		237,804		216,912
Other Europe.....		9,068		11,530		126,454		118,513		102,081
British North America.....		7,306		6,294		533,036		205,234		58,633
East Indies.....		1,023				30,023		10,777		9,051
Japan.....		9,603		7,236		38,994		70,454		105,455
Other countries.....		17,078		5,612		23,421		51,912		58,028
Total.....		287,685		205,881		2,777,455		2,613,215		2,420,987
Paper, and manufactures of (duti-										
able):										
Lithographic labels and prints,				53,307		2,763,564				727,622
n. e. s.....										
Parchment papers.....lbs..			56,883	4,411				662,145		49,934
All other.....		242,871		224,085			2,598,065			2,128,452
Total.....		242,871		281,803			2,598,065			2,906,008
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		59,332		51,845		555,838		483,442		508,725
Belgium.....		3,611		5,412		81,894		53,460		55,120
France.....		19,822		25,154		169,874		228,031		279,212
Germany.....		121,541		138,216		1,700,199		1,559,813		1,716,152
Other Europe.....		10,347		29,973		51,936		54,554		98,801
Japan.....		19,605		25,966		179,383		183,399		206,505
Other countries.....		8,553		5,237		24,440		35,366		41,493
Total.....		242,871		281,803		2,763,564		2,598,065		2,906,008
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc...dut..		40,354		36,659		623,554		409,484		471,110
Pipes and smokers' articles...dut..		32,355		32,937		332,158		229,471		249,543
Plants, shrubs, and vines...dut..				31,969						751,247
Platinum.....free.....lbs..	763	123,061	588	126,014	5,654	932,468	8,086	864,473	5,931	1,101,330
Plumbago.....free.....tons..	1,359	76,534	433	2,887	12,126	310,039	9,574	388,525	12,401	786,700
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products (dutiable):										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
Meat and meat extracts.....		16,390		22,086		453,347		337,355		247,682
All other.....		8,957		4,482		47,351		70,684		101,573
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
Butter.....lbs..	1,953	386	895	166	33,842	5,792	31,175	5,325	22,123	3,683
Cheese.....lbs..	1,130,389	154,942	1,331,813	162,619	11,328,188	1,538,024	9,236,761	1,239,599	10,911,780	1,446,097
Milk.....		14,594		10,655		56,547		63,615		48,906
Total.....		195,269		200,008		2,101,061		1,710,578		1,847,941

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, etc.—Cont'd.										
CHEESE (pounds) imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	16,151	2,340	9,752	1,684	90,236	17,204	183,126	28,605	149,645	25,854
France.....	85,512	14,004	139,471	25,024	839,427	137,689	856,795	137,138	1,021,630	179,253
Germany.....	796	127	39,210	5,064	330,654	41,433	245,305	31,670	317,182	40,318
Italy.....	471,400	59,919	613,108	63,897	3,483,370	500,654	2,867,479	380,098	3,587,777	441,975
Netherlands.....	50,657	6,188	34,128	3,265	871,073	95,735	845,097	93,540	1,070,824	118,805
Switzerland.....	486,549	70,085	465,586	58,870	5,365,076	702,147	3,998,409	538,497	4,390,372	593,441
Other Europe.....	12,574	1,614	29,109	2,610	109,059	13,782	208,519	25,815	318,355	39,102
British North America.....	6,694	659	1,186	184	29,272	4,021	26,263	3,576	51,220	6,756
Other countries.....	56	6	263	21	210,021	25,359	5,768	660	4,775	593
Total.....	1,130,389	154,942	1,331,813	162,619	11,328,188	1,538,024	9,236,761	1,239,599	10,911,780	1,446,097
Rice (pounds):										
Rice.....dut.....	25,362,736	531,012	24,022,808	450,293	109,684,438	2,013,895	102,163,931	2,038,127	144,808,554	2,887,349
Rice, free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.....	72,000	2,370	.....	.....	5,497,600	216,373	4,354,300	185,329	2,595,600	135,683
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....dut.....	6,262,740	96,460	4,072,251	63,642	59,228,313	882,181	53,921,747	856,114	44,906,898	692,641
Total.....	31,697,485	629,842	28,095,059	513,935	174,410,351	3,112,449	160,439,978	3,079,570	192,311,052	3,715,673
Salt (pounds).....free.....					539,688,113	677,092	26,053,890	34,168	.....	.....
Do.....dut.....	31,608,598	38,648	31,709,315	49,547	12,863,178	16,731	292,880,672	454,221	330,130,695	522,115
Sausage casings.....free.....		56,174	.....	74,078	.....	.....	.....	438,553	.....	561,778
Seeds (bushels):										
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut.....	3,395	4,191	8,282	9,840	105,222	108,871	119,155	134,072	61,932	68,917
Seeds, n. e. s.....free.....		40,434	.....	41,071	.....	806,515	.....	659,618	.....	722,655
Do.....dut.....		15,738	.....	18,861	.....	442,601	.....	371,403	.....	365,676
Total.....		60,363	.....	69,772	.....	1,357,987	.....	1,165,093	.....	1,157,248
Shells, unmanufactured.....free.....		12,500	.....	74,932	.....	.....	.....	804,886	.....	887,784
Silk, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—										
Cocoons.....	20	8	34	16	.....	.....	3,862	1,348	13,537	2,288
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	587,537	1,920,461	935,222	3,410,018	5,904,130	16,875,500	9,697,634	29,488,949	9,313,517	30,322,536
Waste.....	70,613	17,905	117,908	41,972	1,357,522	393,186	1,675,023	631,065	1,464,889	608,507
Total unmanufactured.....		1,938,374	.....	3,452,006	.....	17,268,746	.....	30,121,362	.....	30,933,331
SILK, RAW (pounds), imported from—										
France.....	25,252	96,063	54,687	198,136	207,680	670,943	298,099	1,042,181	306,413	1,138,495
Italy.....	124,690	459,279	301,445	1,344,980	782,327	2,744,609	1,558,355	5,565,580	2,089,819	8,212,080
China.....	231,060	698,031	352,756	1,030,522	1,527,988	3,754,859	2,534,768	6,093,597	2,408,368	6,169,676
Japan.....	129,900	417,520	223,025	823,144	3,251,228	9,363,733	4,902,802	15,605,160	4,426,800	14,572,283
Other countries.....	76,635	219,568	3,309	13,236	134,907	341,416	403,610	1,182,431	82,117	230,002
Total.....	587,537	1,920,461	935,222	3,410,018	5,904,130	16,875,560	9,697,634	29,488,949	9,313,517	30,322,536
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Clothing, ready-made, and other wearing apparel.....		84,541	.....	113,818	.....	2,116,324	.....	1,781,016	.....	1,518,069
Dress and piece goods.....		884,232	.....	1,081,987	.....	6,633,410	.....	9,557,614	.....	12,181,010
Laces and embroideries.....		134,823	.....	177,074	.....	2,006,130	.....	3,244,109	.....	2,771,389
Ribbons.....		118,509	.....	121,679	.....	889,595	.....	1,921,117	.....	1,639,310
Spun silks, in skeins, cops, warps, or on beams.....lbs.....		.....	169,065	206,709	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,557,789	1,768,927
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs.....		.....	23,775	74,041	.....	.....	.....	.....	435,782	1,409,860
All other.....		400,055	.....	189,404	.....	10,281,572	.....	5,345,162	.....	2,079,854
Total manufactures.....		1,622,160	.....	1,964,712	.....	21,927,031	.....	21,849,018	.....	23,268,419

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Silk, and manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		154,670		201,102		1,734,424		1,805,851		2,069,905
Austria-Hungary.....		20,517		16,981		130,944		112,266		144,743
Belgium.....		1,442		209		24,930		30,538		50,018
France.....		531,026		704,888		9,831,035		10,255,104		9,904,163
Germany.....		310,820		355,205		4,686,660		4,056,367		4,226,609
Italy.....		32,617		43,580		270,874		327,820		370,458
Switzerland.....		269,941		322,678		2,871,657		3,221,027		3,811,689
Other Europe.....		2,561		2,007		27,108		40,984		41,814
China.....		18,061		15,848		134,205		115,032		130,699
Japan.....		277,937		296,537		2,145,601		1,840,069		2,529,533
Other countries.....		2,758		5,677		69,593		43,960		58,783
Total.....		1,622,160		1,964,712		21,927,031		21,849,018		23,368,419
Soap (dutiable):										
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	25,514	11,613	67,965	27,330	997,549	313,011	520,199	225,572	738,951	303,073
All other.....		26,434		27,708		300,602		228,635		229,078
Total.....		38,047		55,038		703,613		454,207		532,151
Spices:										
UNGROUNDED (pounds)—										
Nutmegs.....free..	113,031	32,098	146,365	28,414	1,448,578	389,632	1,081,518	299,603	1,469,492	353,991
Pepper, black or white.....free..	1,353,611	116,613	837,072	67,948	11,621,080	529,522	13,003,006	832,212	11,332,545	987,613
All other.....free..	1,823,487	115,151	1,178,742	78,340	17,471,447	922,915	12,315,629	813,126	12,683,575	916,399
Do.....dut..	218,282	22,482	224,595	37,966	2,784,475	309,651	2,544,144	245,520	3,112,526	310,172
Total.....		286,344		212,668		2,151,720		2,190,461		2,568,175
NUTMEGS, PEPPER, ETC. (free, pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,428,592	198,042	698,831	35,434	5,707,092	291,911	6,985,100	565,154	4,513,774	342,911
Netherlands.....	151,608	13,625	146,500	21,909	3,556,869	315,675	1,566,978	187,155	1,029,580	164,924
Other Europe.....	97,637	7,310	1,717	129	746,385	36,525	1,142,618	85,985	198,505	18,006
British North America.....	15	4	190	19	116,244	6,734	2,515	166	260	48
British West Indies.....	316,336	23,602	261,531	20,091	3,436,665	171,149	2,216,902	153,696	3,486,351	262,551
China.....	55,112	3,874	85,690	6,235	3,661,650	171,554	2,200,945	139,458	2,244,579	135,989
East Indies.....	1,114,376	10,122	702,875	75,728	10,680,749	736,048	10,223,798	707,426	10,850,024	1,115,219
Other Asia and Oceania.....	35,349	4,250	16,945	2,456	1,043,208	59,533	337,308	43,647	1,362,741	126,193
Africa.....	90,428	3,022	246,640	12,584	1,483,842	47,203	1,666,225	60,079	1,755,423	89,901
Other countries.....	676	11	1,260	126	108,401	5,737	57,764	2,175	44,365	2,261
Total.....	3,290,129	263,862	2,162,179	174,702	30,541,105	1,842,069	26,400,153	1,944,941	25,485,602	2,258,003
SPICES, ALL OTHER (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		18,865		35,021		251,270		174,201		227,422
Other Europe.....		2,542		1,848		19,785		27,493		26,461
Mexico.....		721		760		29,388		30,106		36,083
Other countries.....		354		337		9,208		13,720		20,186
Total.....		22,482		37,966		309,651		245,520		310,172
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free..	50,414	40,061	84,862	68,036	867,277	791,784	807,317	692,499	929,866	779,114
Brandy.....dut..	11,206	33,693	19,701	53,095	316,587	816,630	127,660	366,903	200,557	573,807
All other.....dut..	91,386	117,771	122,256	165,730	1,532,206	1,890,585	684,308	904,990	1,116,474	1,528,079
Total.....	153,006	191,525	226,819	286,861	2,716,070	3,528,999	1,619,285	1,964,392	2,246,897	2,881,000
SPIRITS (not of domestic manufacture, proof gallons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	37,300	55,786	58,665	89,341	597,611	817,906	305,167	443,903	539,414	813,721
Belgium.....	3,692	5,112	3	6	26,293	26,080	25,051	31,624	20,743	30,657
France.....	18,591	49,551	28,326	75,224	368,741	1,002,670	158,601	454,144	217,395	727,959
Germany.....	9,979	5,911	9,304	6,247	110,629	110,723	46,388	32,376	70,026	47,997
Italy.....	3,107	4,635	1,844	2,766	27,967	45,066	9,400	15,899	18,304	31,067
Netherlands.....	11,506	5,912	16,211	9,411	302,757	137,761	96,680	49,404	142,613	75,618
Other Europe.....	378	649	2,589	4,335	8,779	54,454	7,700	13,001	24,788	40,587
British North America.....	8,287	16,956	11,191	21,380	204,041	387,441	87,740	163,022	127,079	246,313

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons)— Continued.										
SPIRITS (not of domestic manu- facture, etc.)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
West Indies	1,411	3,613	3,415	6,113	47,220	85,522	19,789	52,020	21,905	51,583
China	6,386	2,144	10,248	3,129	87,347	19,432	32,011	8,416	79,922	24,400
Other Asia and Oceania	1,511	621	2,000	770	32,842	8,318	19,517	5,382	18,114	7,202
Other countries	444	574	161	103	31,546	10,937	3,864	2,702	7,728	4,094
Total	102,592	151,464	141,957	218,825	1,818,793	2,737,215	811,968	1,271,893	1,317,031	2,101,886
Sponges		45,158		57,618		423,574		377,736		373,475
Straw and grass manufactures of				17,922						210,289
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:										
Molasses (gallons)	free..				210,530	13,620	49,275	2,346	15,300	542
Molasses (gallons)	dut..	1,304,424	149,497	2,370,426	314,831	2,944,444	499,047	3,078,951	457,007	4,382,074
SUGAR (pounds):										
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard in color—										
Beet	dut..	17,276,714	270,718	49,199,029	1,091,831	1,601,410,933	29,037,113	39,922,466	681,262	682,098,575
Cane	free..	63,972,464	2,345,690	59,752,955	2,346,637	363,506,533	11,217,887	438,881,645	14,458,811	386,901,721
Cane and other	dut..	260,373,703	5,220,973	359,062,643	8,737,183	2,077,765,709	40,771,960	1,792,160,142	35,579,717	2,433,305,266
Above No. 16 Dutch standard	dut..	7,063,566	179,518	3,132,902	87,902	167,670,062	4,149,259	89,899,279	2,174,170	56,968,935
Total sugar	free..	63,972,464	2,345,690	59,752,955	2,346,637	363,506,533	11,217,887	438,881,645	14,458,811	386,901,721
.....	dut..	284,713,983	5,671,209	411,394,574	9,916,921	3,846,846,704	73,958,432	1,921,981,837	38,435,149	3,172,373,776
Total		348,686,447	8,016,899	471,147,529	12,263,558	4,210,353,237	85,176,319	2,360,863,532	52,893,990	3,550,275,497
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom			1,545,326	42,462	62,930,432	1,105,129	16,551,980	388,472	16,356,471	424,914
Austria-Hungary			21,432,709	470,615	91,121,191	1,640,821	715,500	17,639	61,414,819	1,290,175
Belgium					98,766,484	1,748,555				
Germany	17,146,484	268,228	27,766,320	621,221	1,297,931,539	23,851,302	37,696,766	626,278	720,653,224	12,977,915
Netherlands	130,200	2,486			22,705,161	358,388	2,308,083	57,128		
Other Europe					51,427,857	815,738	77,230	1,698	1,996,400	41,070
British North America	30	4	32,078	965	898,110	60,504	935,904	44,705	184,766	4,985
Central America	1,732,147	76,863	1,064,586	28,125			3,736,219	156,777	4,477,759	103,631
Mexico	822,939	16,228	1,240,243	17,881	1,102,700	16,505	2,167,175	38,132	2,602,802	42,729
West Indies—										
British	49,603,260	984,547	78,718,308	1,832,363	247,243,839	4,592,283	175,522,360	3,431,253	204,963,782	4,507,263
Cuba	48,363,300	1,070,712	134,735,325	3,680,127	495,991,631	10,263,070	429,630,911	9,607,391	568,878,250	13,805,875
Other West Indies	45,568,529	968,995	51,066,922	1,225,901	205,180,879	3,377,829	165,406,669	3,448,278	196,019,002	4,578,093
Brazil	18,098,003	291,183	6,265,487	140,149	140,773,692	2,136,989	136,719,527	2,125,368	41,222,162	810,276
Other South America	7,850,157	99,231	7,981,171	142,038	218,852,210	4,495,213	178,989,177	3,630,774	216,687,854	5,089,136
China	49,586	857	17,108	351	282,113	5,959	354,304	5,577	357,939	6,145
East Indies	79,504,395	1,502,649	47,409,904	984,565	588,777,686	12,262,899	592,083,465	10,956,176	850,077,834	19,129,645
Hawaiian Islands	64,972,464	2,445,690	59,752,955	2,346,637	363,506,533	11,217,887	439,881,645	14,528,484	386,901,721	14,383,997
Philippine Islands	6,384,000	90,918			61,704,869	1,059,149	24,920,000	314,509	51,625,280	969,323
Other Asia and Oceania	2,177	39	17,636	321	168,681	3,121	283,025	7,275	3,429,651	86,413
Africa	1,395,064	18,749	29,028,549	641,935	93,407,565	2,015,619	62,973,173	1,333,904	174,456,846	3,831,017
Other countries	140	2					140	2		
Total	341,622,881	7,837,381	468,014,627	12,175,656	4,042,683,175	81,026,960	2,270,904,253	50,719,820	3,502,306,562	82,082,622
Above No. 16 Dutch standard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	267,530	10,103			16,217,349	386,627	4,879,263	124,209	1,307,373	30,226
Austria-Hungary	260,000	6,118			9,180,649	214,703	635,633	17,970	934,638	25,569
France			2,756	100	2,397,303	34,884	6,693	324	21,207	1,050
Germany	2,263,404	52,791	42,420	1,772	79,183,328	1,883,730	30,455,032	717,909	12,233,246	285,218
Netherlands	3,018,747	76,949	50,000	1,247	49,247,967	1,314,480	35,747,744	883,982	6,894,728	176,013
China	670,036	17,137	2,310,260	62,274	7,453,860	214,725	6,022,791	150,983	8,755,727	243,956
Other countries	643,849	16,420	727,466	22,509	3,989,606	100,215	12,152,123	278,693	26,822,016	710,534
Total	7,063,566	179,518	3,132,902	87,902	167,670,062	4,149,359	85,899,279	2,174,170	56,968,935	1,472,566
Confectionery	dut..	2,420		1,619		22,109		25,750		28,989
Sulphur ore (tons)	free..		18,158	55,086					267,711	855,471

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Tea (pounds).....free.	2,865,045	397,052			92,203,384	11,560,040	67,283,950	9,247,591		
Do.....dut.			1,396,141	206,609					70,718,669	9,185,439
TEA (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	370,396	67,329	115,189	28,756	4,756,261	898,889	2,772,683	532,693	1,552,046	347,117
British North America.....	194,683	30,884	176,661	31,366	1,451,263	229,937	1,176,021	173,499	1,126,611	175,783
China.....	1,712,202	228,421	816,488	100,412	51,995,599	6,606,853	38,611,440	5,508,637	33,140,331	4,742,098
East Indies.....	138,379	17,743	80,034	10,399	2,019,089	258,296	2,105,056	257,404	1,801,353	223,911
Japan.....	435,739	50,993	193,442	33,883	31,540,041	3,505,862	22,326,851	2,737,049	26,874,369	3,664,196
Other Asia and Oceania.....	13,336	1,658	14,327	1,793	383,274	50,274	289,422	31,694	220,744	30,492
Other countries.....	259	24			57,857	9,929	2,477	742	3,215	1,812
Total.....	2,865,045	397,052	1,396,141	206,609	92,203,384	11,560,040	67,283,950	9,247,591	70,718,669	9,185,439
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc. (pounds).....free.	11,410,533	1,603,557	4,744,534	1,079,242	44,765,151	5,789,731	58,826,050	8,069,378	64,154,516	11,032,636
TIN IN BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	4,863,015	633,989	635,492	157,581	19,265,739	2,504,080	20,086,169	2,990,350	11,481,918	2,228,712
Netherlands.....	716,142	102,524	79,573	20,022	3,385,206	454,451	3,661,863	516,223	1,958,108	356,254
East Indies.....	5,823,128	891,878	3,880,844	872,624	19,457,435	2,484,802	33,528,556	4,443,986	49,897,440	8,305,421
Other Asia and Oceania.....	22,400	3,188	136,615	28,353	1,801,979	233,435	1,392,886	187,989	708,156	122,608
Other countries.....	15,848	1,978	3,010	662	854,792	112,963	153,576	20,825	108,894	19,641
Total.....	11,410,533	1,603,557	4,744,534	1,079,242	44,765,151	5,789,731	58,826,050	8,069,378	64,154,516	11,032,636
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
LEAF (dutiable, pounds)—										
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	1,139,447	1,179,527	833,954	896,632	5,644,959	5,245,600	3,257,274	3,166,282	3,535,993	3,741,470
Other.....	141,348	67,369	896,820	466,148	7,231,172	3,682,497	6,261,241	3,491,875	9,097,996	5,068,164
Total leaf.....	1,280,795	1,246,896	1,640,784	1,362,780	12,876,131	8,928,097	9,518,515	6,658,157	12,633,989	8,809,634
Imported from (pounds)—										
Germany.....	19,411	557	28,335	11,613	1,761,246	1,109,324	388,917	40,498	323,768	142,704
Netherlands.....	1,118,606	1,169,288	821,137	867,152	5,050,631	4,664,078	2,987,912	2,878,789	3,239,934	3,240,332
Other Europe.....	3,873	9,243	11,586	8,910	444,706	145,854	479,917	318,181	463,661	177,431
British North America.....	51,938	42,047	3,746	3,003	692,695	554,058	349,290	220,558	529,168	453,381
Mexico.....	61,301	16,191	25,396	7,306	701,169	277,165	487,098	230,676	622,633	228,383
Cuba.....	12,043	7,739	742,020	463,252	4,088,419	2,144,374	4,308,087	2,822,451	7,100,678	4,480,925
Other countries.....	10,623	1,831	8,514	1,544	167,274	33,241	517,194	147,004	354,147	80,478
Total.....	1,280,795	1,246,896	1,640,784	1,362,780	12,876,131	8,928,097	9,518,515	6,658,157	12,633,989	8,809,634
MANUFACTURES OF (dut., lbs.)—										
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	10,778	42,381	36,340	183,522	425,260	1,899,942	324,240	1,517,178	381,786	1,899,609
All other.....		5,354		4,938		45,652		46,698		57,692
Total manufactures.....		47,735		188,460		1,945,594		1,563,876		1,957,301
Toys.....dut.	149,196		135,218		2,674,148		1,913,012		1,996,886	
Toys, imported from—										
France.....		7,721		6,863		170,964		79,939		87,781
Germany.....		135,626		123,110		2,410,950		1,740,673		1,840,022
Other Europe.....		3,396		1,415		68,663		64,513		43,773
Other countries.....		2,453		3,830		23,571		27,867		25,310
Total.....	149,196		135,218		2,674,148		1,913,012		1,996,886	
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):										
Beans and dried pease.....	8,957	5,714	10,057	11,235	453,365	455,757	159,106	145,732	177,859	161,151
Onions.....	229,264	213,924	313,652	190,995	519,648	593,936	403,359	370,329	644,584	441,656
Potatoes.....	298,944	135,261	105,282	65,793	214,828	136,880	1,159,164	468,010	511,777	288,231
Pickles and sauces.....		37,951		28,097		300,214		220,540		325,805
All other—										
In their natural state.....		8,879		16,546		248,913		232,821		301,111
Prepared or preserved.....		23,952		30,252		639,097		448,353		505,414
Total.....		425,631		342,918		2,344,707		1,885,790		2,023,368
Wines (dutiable):										
Champagne, and other sparkling (dozen).....	17,566	249,484	21,027	317,745	205,873	3,015,523	209,972	3,058,139	244,432	3,308,791
STILL WINES—										
In casks (gallons).....	299,066	228,582	327,458	234,689	2,855,039	1,939,738	1,741,213	1,250,759	1,995,148	1,375,326
In other coverings (dozen).....	41,987	189,246	29,403	165,589	288,081	1,374,043	235,385	1,161,911	238,001	1,179,558
Total.....		667,312		718,023		6,322,909		5,470,809		5,863,675

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wines (dutiable)—Continued—										
Wines, imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom		18,261		24,903		193,988		208,861		183,249
France		330,797		398,673		3,731,956		3,500,020		3,822,909
Germany		161,546		181,378		1,302,363		823,128		925,422
Italy		54,225		22,990		297,597		239,073		199,168
Other Europe		100,658		88,323		766,824		671,119		708,381
Other countries		1,825		1,756		37,181		28,608		24,546
Total		667,312		718,023		6,329,909		5,470,809		5,863,675
Wood, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (M feet)—										
Cabinet woods—										
Mahogany.....free..	370	17,003	2,568	143,902	13,600	595,064	13,257	719,065	22,712	1,120,066
All other.....free..		59,015		76,867		491,610		762,544		742,691
Logs and round timbers.....free..	17,590	159,304	12,768	105,754	239,786	1,856,770	193,472	1,697,599	182,660	1,637,101
Timber, hewn, etc.....free..					3,327	54,045		815		
Timber, hewn, etc. (cu. ft.).....dut..	25,250	2,773	19,013	2,391		395	117,756	14,973	104,340	13,985
Lumber (M feet)—										
Boards, planks, etc.....free..					716,180	7,403,433	107,953	1,055,126		
Do.....dut..	34,831	328,588	61,269	605,417	34	2,577	205,173	2,038,972	358,456	3,558,076
Shingles.....dut..	51,318	90,058	42,420	78,557			385,644	676,679	418,853	733,014
Other lumber.....dut..		78,810		134,583				674,463		830,550
All other unmanufact'd.....free..		161,214		182,805		4,010,246		2,078,182		1,753,494
Do.....dut..		431		2,135		17,892		13,007		19,756
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Cabinetware or house furniture		9,143		14,277		251,486		252,445		209,353
Wood pulp (tons)	4,144	83,130	2,485	61,232	39,644	754,431	25,893	512,804	30,997	614,914
All other.....		131,436		165,584		1,606,969		1,314,760		1,483,078
Total wood, and mfrs. of.....		1,120,905		1,573,504		17,053,918		11,833,035		12,812,078
MAHOGANY (M feet), imported from—										
United Kingdom	25	4,183	254	30,999	434	127,465	1,217	242,711	3,783	307,103
Central America		6	1,000	50,005	3,463	102,289	4,201	139,122	7,005	364,122
Mexico	326	11,881	972	44,134	8,027	292,212	6,529	280,507	9,921	342,976
Cuba	19	933	199	15,444	233	9,963	40	1,766	305	23,047
Other West Indies			61	2,258	319	22,024	125	8,821	999	51,191
South America					940	31,864	1,060	41,457	434	14,759
Other countries			22	1,062	184	9,247	85	4,681	265	22,868
Total	370	17,003	2,568	143,902	13,600	595,064	13,257	719,065	22,712	1,120,066
BOARDS, PLANKS, ETC. (M feet), imported from—										
British North America	34,831	328,588	61,269	605,417	716,170	7,401,767	313,051	3,091,777	358,267	3,546,353
Other countries					10	1,666	75	2,321	189	11,723
Total	34,831	328,588	61,269	605,417	716,180	7,403,433	313,126	3,094,098	358,456	3,558,076
WOOD PULP (tons), imported from—										
Germany	24	531	109	6,266	1,723	89,398	1,607	72,167	685	39,717
Other Europe	560	25,319	665	23,619	4,895	194,399	2,991	127,716	4,030	158,278
British North America	3,560	57,280	1,711	31,347	33,026	470,634	21,295	312,921	26,282	413,044
Other countries										3,875
Total	4,144	83,130	2,485	61,232	39,644	754,431	25,893	512,804	30,997	614,914
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Class 1—clothing—										
In the grease.....free..					160,927,849	25,617,516	10,902,270	1,841,523		
Do.....dut..	2,038,815	315,154	1,429,606	221,903			28,812,820	4,842,443	10,519,973	1,559,882
Scoured.....free..					22,003,148	5,796,728	2,274,045	643,069		
Do.....dut..							107,570	23,701	175	12
Class 2—combing—										
In the grease.....free..					28,762,485	5,465,573	3,197,646	631,929		
Do.....dut..	40,721	8,730	226,030	53,430			926,260	196,833	1,973,609	536,786
Scoured.....free..					281,970	59,812	15,310	3,218		
Do.....dut..									1,187	196
Class 3—carpet—										
In the grease.....free..					99,522,422	10,416,435	5,186,116	473,820		
Do.....dut..	5,884,190	537,674	3,406,186	343,660			72,640,234	7,008,914	55,824,192	5,298,374
Scoured.....free..					1,441,561	169,928	2,197	203		
Do.....dut..							1,479	115	669	133
Total (free.....)					312,039,435	47,525,992	21,577,584	3,593,767		
Total (dut.....)	7,963,726	861,558	5,061,822	618,993			102,488,363	12,072,006	68,319,805	7,395,383
Total							124,065,947	15,665,773		

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
WOOLS (lbs.), imported from—										
Class 1—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	75,741	14,601	63,430	9,368	98,064,770	17,377,936	19,878,022	2,796,364	4,385,515	701,225
France.....	209	27			15,053,317	3,782,774	1,154,631	299,073	115,953	13,591
South America.....	594,234	64,528	557,928	61,467	31,923,757	4,225,707	6,709,840	839,532	2,517,335	284,553
Asia and Oceania.....	1,308,252	224,907	755,256	146,678	18,957,409	3,177,714	11,078,940	2,939,741	2,196,537	376,097
Other countries.....	60,379	11,091	52,992	4,390	18,931,744	2,850,113	3,275,272	476,026	1,304,808	184,428
Total.....	2,038,815	315,154	1,429,606	221,903	182,930,997	31,414,214	42,096,705	7,350,736	10,520,148	1,559,894
Class 2—										
United Kingdom.....	32,543	7,175	182,408	40,828	16,053,721	3,350,136	3,062,655	640,497	1,674,197	440,295
Other Europe.....	8,173	1,554	35,953	11,426	1,001,836	233,194	21,778	4,185	262,116	89,145
British North America.....	5	1	7,069	1,176	5,030,308	964,201	969,525	177,501	31,896	6,536
South America.....					6,936,136	968,215	81,896	9,598	1,485	106
Asia and Oceania.....					22,454	3,639				
Other countries.....							3,262	199	5,102	900
Total.....	40,721	8,730	226,030	53,430	29,044,455	5,525,385	4,139,216	831,980	1,974,796	536,982
Class 3—										
United Kingdom.....	1,139,976	119,817	964,839	99,085	35,126,699	4,309,424	21,664,824	2,489,776	17,494,376	1,835,341
France.....	471,040	49,584	94,140	9,734	7,761,857	1,023,528	3,141,965	332,627	1,536,435	154,550
Germany.....	23,206	2,319	8,015	678	2,307,954	254,591	999,706	103,322	638,943	65,426
Other Europe.....	1,085,637	103,789	1,380,144	148,631	15,323,859	1,731,010	18,689,287	1,880,075	14,506,219	1,468,444
British North America.....					6,504	529	29,988	1,756		
South America.....	2,359,139	189,990	184,562	15,602	14,162,182	1,210,228	8,107,058	668,083	4,361,823	328,167
China.....	425,188	36,672	415,746	28,418	19,653,503	1,420,220	19,291,664	1,419,900	12,879,054	1,004,786
Other Asia and Oceania.....	381,402	35,062	33,925	3,737	6,565,923	631,620	5,487,769	550,677	3,687,063	365,985
Other countries.....	4,602	450	324,814	37,775	55,502	5,213	417,765	34,841	720,948	75,808
Total.....	5,884,190	537,674	3,406,186	343,660	100,963,983	10,586,363	77,830,026	7,483,057	55,824,861	5,298,507
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carbonized (pounds).....dut..					43,726	13,513				
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut..	47,953	145,056	32,526	95,851	429,018	705,287	531,791	1,563,687	568,138	1,571,896
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit fabrics.....dut..		29,689		44,901		918,271		730,354		780,867
Cloths (pounds).....dut..	154,441	136,414	166,297	164,145	24,352,773	14,830,344	4,800,705	3,725,124	3,718,831	3,569,992
Dress goods, women's and children's (square yards).....dut..	806,140	134,364	811,812	208,102	63,862,561	14,042,372	26,727,174	5,579,249	25,295,815	5,472,552
Knit fabrics.....dut..		16,018		17,457		2,207,634		358,818		610,206
Rags, noils, and wastes (pounds).....free					37,159,497	4,495,738	1,724,489	253,779		
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc. (pounds).....dut..	72,853	11,568	38,214	12,377	4,515,935	1,467,355	1,564,191	441,609	301,558	65,606
Shawls.....dut..		4,936		3,431		413,770		35,230		50,418
Yarns (pounds).....dut..	5,694	3,497	14,363	9,558	1,545,027	811,313	308,489	171,744	160,317	101,065
All other.....dut..		30,704		39,879		2,301,024		906,179		531,971
Total manufactures.....		512,246		595,702		42,206,621		13,765,773		12,754,573
CARPETS (sq. yds.) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	10,119	26,979	14,554	40,246	320,786	486,937	204,354	486,543	221,972	511,420
Other Europe.....	29,417	90,491	10,577	31,492	75,706	143,231	206,471	714,936	239,866	745,800
Japan.....	686	792	12	12	2,950	2,963	9,957	10,853	7,359	9,810
Other Asia and Oceania.....	4,779	16,087	3,627	9,610	19,000	49,792	88,875	275,149	66,835	190,001
Other countries.....	2,952	10,707	3,756	11,491	9,996	22,364	22,134	76,206	32,106	114,865
Total.....	47,953	145,056	32,526	95,851	429,018	705,287	531,791	1,563,687	568,138	1,571,896
CLOTH (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	94,932	70,108	85,515	82,465	20,466,347	11,376,189	3,912,164	2,875,280	2,546,582	2,443,094
Austria-Hungary.....	3,431	3,987	4,879	4,916	175,855	157,008	40,729	37,996	80,476	75,779
Belgium.....	15,400	11,864	9,485	7,841	478,293	393,075	100,454	84,410	133,938	120,903
France.....	5,070	6,206	13,249	16,853	370,258	394,720	102,609	112,096	198,555	225,199
Germany.....	35,283	34,978	53,075	51,939	2,837,713	2,489,564	634,533	606,111	745,032	692,365
Other Europe.....	309	250			13,348	9,976	3,556	3,019	7,595	6,207
Other countries.....	16	21	94	131	10,959	9,812	6,660	6,212	6,653	5,845
Total.....	154,441	136,414	166,297	164,145	24,352,773	14,830,344	4,800,705	3,725,124	3,718,831	3,569,992

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
DRESS GOODS (square yards), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom	627,837	97,590	554,219	128,158	23,914,443	4,467,610	12,218,571	2,125,972	11,786,807	2,145,452
France	106,106	21,422	174,368	57,399	24,293,857	5,684,119	6,446,599	1,496,088	6,789,555	1,793,072
Germany	72,150	15,322	83,222	22,543	15,127,210	3,748,212	6,722,682	1,921,630	6,621,099	1,511,087
Other Europe	11	4			522,966	141,643	1,337,060	34,728	97,727	22,707
Other countries	36	26	3	3	8,084	788	2,262	831	627	234
Total	866,140	134,364	811,812	208,103	63,861,500	14,042,372	26,727,174	5,579,249	25,295,813	5,472,552
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..	310,202	11,743	408,843	21,070	1,583,838	54,691	2,078,400	117,461	2,016,274	92,390
Manufactures of		782		964		18,428		10,291		15,775
Total		12,525		22,034		73,119		127,752		108,165
All other articles.....free.....		462,571		599,165		8,930,232		5,911,837		5,252,604
Do.....dut.....		384,439		579,663		7,318,238		5,225,510		5,054,999
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY	25,343,291		31,615,887		340,778,952		268,493,739		274,370,428	
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE	28,241,360		38,543,055		338,768,439		296,290,684		361,019,321	
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE	53,584,651		70,158,942		679,547,391		564,784,423		635,389,749	
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES	50,724,076		65,120,606		642,423,631		530,443,274		595,034,095	
IMPORTED THROUGH EXTERIOR PORTS, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT	2,860,575		5,038,336		37,103,760		34,341,149		40,355,654	
ENTERED FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.....	44,119,219		60,286,581		584,566,624		481,486,302		535,445,145	
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSE	9,465,432		9,872,361		91,980,767		83,298,121		99,944,604	
BROUGHT IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES	2,897,591		3,451,578		31,373,287		27,938,911		30,738,587	
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....	2,397,052		8,054,136		66,730,905		62,757,750		49,684,811	
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:										
Belgian	1,556,881		2,153,985				18,615,073		20,062,293	
British	26,165,511		30,939,999				263,442,631		314,789,350	
Dutch.....	3,360,899		2,618,227				19,747,145		19,949,213	
French.....	2,747,316		4,837,268				33,726,711		47,693,646	
German	4,961,724		7,191,798				56,808,085		73,817,837	
Italian	8,661		171,790				182,885		920,411	
Norwegian	2,134,881		2,177,110				11,405,942		17,192,140	
All other	833,294		1,344,381				10,249,513		15,582,076	
Total foreign steam	41,769,167		51,464,558		524,337,106		420,177,985		510,006,966	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS	3,709,032		3,626,914		28,970,424		26,342,064		26,806,606	
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian							8			
British	2,112,516		2,260,263				17,398,716		15,516,537	
Dutch.....			101,094				931,103		658,830	
French.....							117,267		168,172	
German	317,160		114,151				1,794,034		1,240,121	
Italian	183,816		247,351				2,555,465		2,071,299	
Norwegian	62,394		132,389				2,240,904		1,163,996	
All other.....	135,923		706,508				2,530,126		3,327,824	
Total foreign sailing	2,811,809		3,561,756		28,135,669		27,567,713		24,152,779	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Agricultural implements:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mowers and reapers, and parts of.....		1,073,300		1,442,286		2,636,743		4,517,499		7,584,014
Flows and cultivators, and parts of.....		110,371		114,942		556,919		838,083		1,399,318
All other, and parts of.....		137,162		256,998		1,399,139		1,092,315		1,682,025
Total.....		1,320,833		1,814,226		4,583,801		6,477,897		10,665,357
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		284,437		276,249		561,967		946,428		1,104,038
France.....		153,254		272,947		547,590		1,070,527		1,465,816
Germany.....		303,060		369,401		611,136		980,880		1,386,583
Other Europe.....		258,559		433,633		996,456		1,337,440		2,464,271
British North America.....		99,128		207,838		343,445		641,492		1,215,914
Central American States and British Honduras.....		113		176		35,414		14,507		6,078
Mexico.....		16,591		28,363		121,107		114,292		201,673
Santo Domingo.....						1,383		1,056		591
Cuba.....				10,641		2,861		7,817		31,692
Porto Rico.....				240		3,837		2,504		2,239
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		554		1,416		6,034		5,687		10,549
Argentina.....		27,201		75,200		373,136		361,805		1,453,234
Brazil.....		195		707		19,433		23,966		33,327
Colombia.....		848		99		3,299		3,796		1,535
Other South America.....		17,138		19,287		137,067		175,801		272,825
East Indies—British.....		802		53		7,602		8,333		6,701
British Australasia.....		138,268		103,924		369,747		546,176		678,940
Other Asia and Oceania.....		5,944		1,027		45,838		53,386		63,362
Africa.....		11,741		13,025		394,449		181,681		265,788
Other countries.....								323		
Total.....		1,320,833		1,814,226		4,583,801		6,477,897		10,665,357
Aluminum, and manufactures of.....		(a)		28,043		(a)		(a)		406,531
Animals:										
CATTLE (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	27,969	2,619,785	31,964	2,831,395	342,054	31,964,427	351,257	32,801,624	280,236	25,677,387
Other Europe.....					3,648	333,125				
British North America.....	968	29,244	456	19,061	2,859	171,109	13,735	923,293	3,429	214,822
Central American States and British Honduras.....	3	40	8	165	322	14,820	98	7,058	59	3,485
Mexico.....	265	10,020	152	5,069	612	26,776	1,754	68,700	2,107	90,870
West Indies and Bermuda.....	158	13,410	10,458	349,126	1,822	121,935	41,913	1,215,470	65,356	1,677,530
South America.....	25	250			40	2,814	260	7,212	223	5,193
Asia and Oceania.....	3	195	30	2,575	150	8,144	37	2,420	201	11,545
Other countries.....					1	350			74	11,373
Total.....	29,391	2,672,944	43,068	3,207,382	351,508	32,649,503	409,054	35,025,777	351,685	27,692,205
HOGS (number)—										
United Kingdom.....					66	539	1,030	7,987	20	125
British North America.....	122	388	300	1,178	3,402	16,495	4,025	24,829	1,270	6,550
Mexico.....	16	76	232	2,861	22,158	262,988	4,055	44,442	5,260	61,486
West Indies and Bermuda.....	2	20	4,134	20,947	17	167	1,463	11,556	14,025	80,342
South America.....	2	32	3	79			24	488	18	253
Asia and Oceania.....	92	980	195	1,000	2,611	13,475	3,032	19,173	6,139	33,110
Other countries.....			8	32	104	491	122	1,816	128	2,338
Total.....	234	1,496	4,872	26,088	28,358	291,148	14,381	110,291	27,760	184,204

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals—Continued.										
HORSES (number)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	1,947	273,400	1,693	221,007	17,761	2,359,766	20,341	2,823,498	18,885	2,739,577
France.....					23	8,500	72	9,000	683	97,580
Germany.....	725	107,290	453	55,530	4,177	708,700	7,422	1,092,550	5,090	720,645
Other Europe.....	663	66,775	512	51,200	3,824	424,665	6,978	711,070	4,466	452,400
British North America.....	1,460	136,653	977	83,188	3,481	438,673	8,000	706,249	9,014	612,366
Central American States and British Honduras.....	67	1,465	7	338	484	37,972	219	12,045	97	6,028
Mexico.....	34	2,955	49	8,175	1,869	87,858	1,299	78,065	1,077	78,054
West Indies and Bermuda.....	20	3,070	103	5,902	3,780	215,752	1,911	132,462	1,364	142,368
South America.....					170	11,655	21	5,700	27	3,839
Asia and Oceania.....	13	1,425	83	7,770	355	38,440	341	34,035	655	63,498
Africa.....	30	4,500	3	400	1	400	103	15,485	117	15,180
Total.....	4,959	597,453	3,880	433,510	35,925	4,332,381	46,707	5,620,159	41,475	4,931,535
Mules.....No.	488	22,793	640	51,473	6,934	504,686	7,858	644,547	5,751	446,974
SHEEP (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	16,656	119,086	12,301	84,040	156,953	1,148,586	132,771	950,179	88,540	633,150
Other Europe.....					3,751	34,406				
British North America.....	4,409	16,728	2,962	7,358	44,211	83,572	42,951	97,414	30,302	65,790
Mexico.....	40	400			4,628	11,877	2,251	9,510	3,224	11,492
West Indies and Bermuda.....	377	3,180	834	3,555	5,028	36,476	4,669	35,946	5,128	31,661
South America.....	30	180			1,169	10,403	1,244	10,314	1,055	7,770
Other countries.....	201	18,372			156	11,302	294	27,462	355	20,946
Total.....	21,713	157,946	16,097	94,953	215,896	1,336,622	184,180	1,130,825	128,604	770,809
All other, including fowls.....		4,515		24,568		53,099		242,222		297,626
Total animals.....		3,457,147		3,837,974		39,164,436		42,773,821		34,323,353
Art works: Paintings and statuary.....		38,910		31,578		288,415		227,690		283,178
Bark, and extract of, for tanning.....		24,892		31,429		217,424		297,075		326,812
Beeswax.....lbs.	9,494	2,599	20,513	5,829	(a)	(a)	143,483	39,555	119,900	32,629
Blacking:										
Stove polish.....		21,745		40,233		352,965		332,077		397,804
All other.....		31,365		49,460				323,877		395,047
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....		20,135		14,123		266,863		168,113		185,901
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
United Kingdom.....		58,725		63,917		833,562		774,198		722,896
France.....		1,590		2,294		41,551		27,776		32,399
Germany.....		6,152		9,946		102,040		95,070		106,680
Other Europe.....		4,134		4,217		36,827		58,892		55,775
British North America.....		68,316		71,126		562,890		664,945		782,324
Central American States and British Honduras.....		529		10,204		60,641		33,831		40,419
Mexico.....		7,681		7,331		150,375		119,148		55,876
Santo Domingo.....				900		1,245		455		10,472
Cuba.....				7,788		196,067		22,506		39,091
Porto Rico.....				2,228		3,060		1,332		14,885
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		2,771		200		26,185		24,759		25,692
Argentina.....		457		2,352		24,068		25,192		18,045
Brazil.....		1,087		2,752		107,004		151,812		43,987
Colombia.....		304		403		72,244		16,925		47,060
Other South America.....		2,290		4,958		50,996		37,924		117,841
China.....		1,435		5,049		15,093		15,756		27,879
East Indies—British.....		1,161		593		7,894		12,831		21,741
Japan.....		1,999		6,605		22,602		26,683		29,539
British Australasia.....		9,926		12,367		61,874		83,897		144,054
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,803		5,558		30,785		31,220		48,697
Africa.....		1,811		10,766		33,087		36,267		74,700
Other countries.....										45
Total.....		173,171		231,554		2,440,090		2,261,419		2,460,097
Brass, and manufactures of.....		109,462		155,615		1,064,943		1,215,426		1,196,324

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Barley.....bush..	492,645	239,690	47,445	26,148	18,574,066	7,144,754	11,130,796	5,489,106	1,953,348	1,227,652
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.....tons.	4,294	71,223	7,409	118,760	(a)	(a)	84,976	1,239,551	110,631	1,729,045
Bread and biscuit.....lbs.	1,391,891	83,622	1,212,597	61,309	13,690,601	623,629	15,034,927	735,791	14,964,523	734,584
Buckwheat.....bush..	30,074	16,410	33,194	19,915	1,673,846	677,657	1,370,288	589,228	1,533,980	846,028
CORN (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	8,872,342	3,629,653	6,242,458	2,526,699	70,801,693	21,521,873	76,939,117	27,232,165	62,740,396	25,108,161
France.....	1,998,682	786,589	769,044	303,887	6,350,567	1,898,656	10,463,741	3,646,292	5,061,677	1,989,344
Germany.....	5,567,735	2,201,288	3,455,908	1,409,369	30,027,486	9,346,068	35,093,611	12,525,705	30,393,146	12,107,383
Other Europe.....	5,586,091	2,289,362	3,101,175	1,263,489	38,934,026	11,471,856	45,281,280	16,082,942	39,868,610	15,863,804
British North America.....	5,567,567	2,046,065	2,541,338	935,791	8,613,022	2,293,987	20,672,620	6,849,726	17,885,775	6,220,319
Central American States and British Honduras.....	18,802	11,544	9,726	4,584	91,508	41,236	121,583	66,389	69,744	34,077
Mexico.....	3,729	1,258	31,954	13,173	8,696,361	3,189,789	122,612	42,404	119,125	47,769
Santo Domingo.....			194	88	1,037	375	409	166	548	256
Cuba.....			88,165	45,553	615,583	220,888	1,055,512	415,803	444,599	202,290
Porto Rico.....			155	63	200	76	200	80	155	63
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	75,070	35,433	45,033	22,335	653,065	249,655	662,314	278,957	611,313	282,785
South America.....	3,516	1,674	2,657	1,343	31,936	11,584	92,535	36,843	44,981	21,127
Asia and Oceania.....	1,382	1,024	2,546	1,868	149,009	51,834	13,108	8,639	274,571	115,865
Africa.....	452,986	175,833	14,764	6,834	1,936,617	740,174	1,289,788	503,273	1,043,968	459,510
Other countries.....			400	181	4,560	1,452	3,896	1,418	5,364	2,397
Total.....	23,147,902	11,179,723	16,305,517	6,535,260	166,906,670	51,039,503	191,812,326	67,690,802	158,063,972	62,455,183
Corn meal.....bbls.	53,609	122,692	51,170	121,175	413,820	782,821	763,228	1,613,406	750,122	1,680,403
Oats.....bush..	7,865,960	2,781,128	3,532,358	1,216,375	31,379,219	7,752,022	63,842,672	18,829,650	25,078,116	8,030,066
Oatmeal.....lbs.	5,841,499	123,436	3,603,384	92,393	43,594,975	1,002,063	73,315,745	1,517,171	54,921,732	1,213,935
Rye.....bush..	2,681,716	1,814,949	723,194	461,648	7,313,814	3,138,899	14,405,856	8,113,595	9,638,752	5,608,580
Rye flour.....bbls.	635	2,710	671	2,243	2,116	5,932	3,323	11,539	4,732	14,686
WHEAT (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	4,874,188	6,482,092	5,530,386	4,233,316	53,301,190	40,037,807	73,279,512	69,522,117	60,903,351	51,781,938
France.....	5,442,644	7,630,675	130,329	106,908	209,522	141,512	26,128,145	27,761,000	2,192,190	1,644,739
Germany.....	565,830	624,549	256,224	185,705	2,879,303	1,906,379	3,170,401	3,071,893	9,967,925	7,401,027
Other Europe.....	806,014	1,032,003	1,701,016	1,309,488	7,770,853	5,738,085	20,326,975	19,496,227	39,618,997	30,118,046
British North America.....	262,797	386,693	1,248,763	913,167	5,123,140	3,595,842	4,739,761	4,699,490	8,035,237	5,888,927
Central American States and British Honduras.....	3,161	4,144	2,000	1,763	80,575	71,236	37,668	39,793	34,878	30,210
Mexico.....					40	32	45	41	7,082	5,143
West Indies and Bermuda.....	308	396	300	287	1,296	1,122	1,084	1,202	829	760
South America.....	104,629	95,745	462	433	164,239	153,371	1,781,557	1,629,128	259,086	190,826
British Australasia.....					1,790,164	1,504,846	102,316	85,395		
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,120	1,085	6,271	4,085	995,073	768,213	69,236	58,336	28,569	21,314
Africa.....	170,611	180,597	5,476	4,742	3,084,929	2,673,359	5,402,569	4,768,606	2,390,042	1,794,940
Total.....	12,231,302	16,437,979	8,881,227	6,759,894	75,400,264	56,591,804	135,039,269	131,133,318	132,438,186	98,877,870
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	477,815	2,514,862	700,702	2,634,931	7,825,298	29,231,853	8,570,550	38,332,095	9,418,204	38,309,528
France.....	200	1,210			408	1,350	3,388	14,590	1,859	7,280
Germany.....	20,744	105,634	24,615	92,496	143,463	505,454	173,694	779,341	467,902	1,868,262
Other Europe.....	112,352	556,799	56,802	221,389	743,622	2,530,812	1,179,928	4,654,089	1,737,432	6,740,669
British North America.....	88,824	534,687	51,649	199,170	688,281	2,651,664	505,669	2,433,492	725,313	3,318,139
Central American States and British Honduras.....	26,047	137,723	18,107	68,646	257,470	1,036,821	233,894	1,096,301	231,739	921,045
Mexico.....	1,833	9,194	2,153	8,909	23,577	92,101	16,709	73,548	29,772	120,623
Santo Domingo.....	246	1,469	1,686	4,828	31,231	140,125	28,639	149,156	31,323	132,390
Cuba.....			39,381	144,901	123,981	524,051	245,293	1,160,736	392,646	1,528,973
Porto Rico.....			8,363	28,422	115,915	467,245	90,578	450,493	121,173	444,212
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	96,690	575,919	47,662	181,448	758,174	3,318,236	720,913	3,568,861	662,817	2,607,557
Brazil.....	37,407	229,762	63,641	264,348	746,019	3,354,868	602,271	3,010,661	747,372	3,103,331
Colombia.....	8,306	47,609	7,237	31,046	118,761	527,004	104,145	486,321	84,712	371,925
Other South America.....	22,014	118,269	27,242	96,408	346,137	1,363,320	337,630	1,582,875	339,377	1,256,395

(a) Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs—Continued.										
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
China.....	465	2,078	1,850	6,523	16,076	62,278	18,065	83,387	26,026	96,507
East Indies: British.....					7,091	26,906	8,866	39,678	4,662	17,931
Hongkong.....	91,063	396,981	104,467	317,562	(a)	(a)	861,717	3,519,809	1,086,415	3,626,084
Japan.....	17,816	75,885	19,713	62,545	216,703	740,664	141,245	572,550	208,051	674,701
British Australasia.....	7,587	35,459	40	120	308,657	-1,270,837	39,465	162,719	79,769	296,994
Other Asia and Oceania.....	36,328	151,471	25,619	82,075	987,128	3,607,571	125,653	512,710	196,727	669,734
Africa.....	46,551	199,469	33,331	132,602	208,296	934,015	311,425	1,398,661	347,446	1,374,081
Other countries.....	1,080	6,460	1,200	3,270	11,054	43,556	9,521	46,655	16,616	59,102
Total.....	1,093,368	5,700,960	1,235,460	4,581,639	13,717,342	25,480,751	14,332,278	64,158,128	16,957,353	67,545,463
Preparations of, for table food.....		155,503		134,612		4,156,008		1,581,769		1,072,959
All other.....		152,348		150,835				1,544,843		1,519,969
Total breadstuffs.....		38,882,373		20,285,206		185,400,843		304,247,897		253,456,423
Bricks:										
Building.....M..	331	2,974	512	3,990	4,184	26,514	4,158	28,331	6,457	47,824
Fire.....		10,135		16,043		94,176		110,429		161,299
Total.....		13,109		20,033		120,690		138,760		209,123
Broomcorn.....		17,465		13,466		125,133		146,872		178,293
Brooms and brushes.....		11,215		29,087		169,819		147,687		187,736
Candles.....lbs..	212,682	15,959	430,149	37,881	2,457,665	200,595	2,849,564	208,380	3,186,812	252,497
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
For steam railways.....		43,133		57,283		672,565		1,305,828		1,243,560
For other railways.....		48,290		38,781				233,961		499,614
All other carriages, and parts of, except cycles.....		138,482		203,094		1,788,437		1,522,130		1,868,403
Total.....		229,905		299,158		2,461,002		3,061,919		3,611,577
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		61,816		73,454		520,187		544,164		732,166
France.....		265		1,307		17,140		49,076		87,376
Germany.....		4,523		6,514		53,313		70,035		91,700
Other Europe.....		1,710		4,222		36,400		50,145		59,225
British North America.....		29,650		33,158		111,467		172,173		453,745
Central American States and British Honduras.....		6,680		848		132,961		41,923		36,302
Mexico.....		13,699		35,174		340,667		483,130		415,535
Santo Domingo.....						18,997		23,374		21,687
Cuba.....				19,272		4,106		22,194		117,220
Porto Rico.....				594		9,476		5,821		5,011
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		6,976		7,295		98,882		69,326		86,085
Argentina.....		7,077		16,898		130,247		201,480		513,905
Brazil.....		26,381		1,058		118,126		533,987		104,303
Colombia.....		1,702		1,303		49,519		38,038		23,960
Other South America.....		8,369		2,597		42,615		77,483		49,424
China.....		380		47		1,663		28,983		10,792
East Indies: British.....		1,031		300		7,384		9,413		13,546
Japan.....		240				1,418		10,347		6,035
British Australasia.....		27,623		63,521		324,252		300,877		372,642
Other Asia and Oceania.....		6,739		11,611		42,282		55,831		195,274
Africa.....		25,042		19,985		399,892		274,119		215,644
Other countries.....						8				
Total.....		229,905		299,158		2,461,002		3,061,919		3,611,577

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		204,600		74,613		2,082,963		1,640,541		801,669
France.....		65,295		34,137		232,194		419,269		438,355
Germany.....		179,859		100,770		823,210		1,563,361		1,056,280
Other Europe.....		119,171		110,381		1,004,821		872,798		1,315,255
British North America.....		133,845		110,940		668,515		551,870		538,372
Central American States and British Honduras.....		381		809		52,894		7,333		5,602
Mexico.....		6,410		3,278		66,952		59,976		46,082
Santo Domingo.....						4,310		1,134		253
Cuba.....				1,965		3,496		9,214		15,031
Porto Rico.....				344		3,795		3,359		2,689
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		6,795		3,894		119,602		72,922		58,070
Argentina.....		3,166		22,150		38,323		80,629		204,051
Brazil.....		8,612		3,407		25,377		88,849		52,006
Colombia.....		340		1,638		21,619		15,031		8,288
Other South America.....		4,129		7,556		68,647		46,374		49,910
China.....		2,478		808		16,939		27,064		22,595
East Indies: British.....		13,964		2,309		13,435		82,689		139,913
Hongkong.....		310		1,675	(a)	(a)		5,817		8,690
Japan.....		8,790		7,103		32,996		81,018		110,351
British Australasia.....		22,418		14,992		659,416		289,725		239,626
Other Asia and Oceania.....		6,565		7,970		64,051		64,740		70,343
Africa.....		5,024		24,650		118,944		166,232		181,086
Other countries.....		603				110		1,225		616
Total.....		797,658		535,919		6,122,339		6,151,190		5,365,133
Total carriages, cars, etc.....		1,027,563		835,077		8,583,341		9,213,109		8,976,710
Celluloid, and manufactures of.....		18,058		13,871		(b)		135,920		155,075
Cement..... bbls.	6,061	11,562	9,144	17,215	30,907	57,155	46,530	81,931	59,564	121,218
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines (pounds):										
Acids.....		15,136		10,032		92,986		104,348		194,889
Ashes, pot and pearl.....	252,797	9,306	78,866	3,185	500,045	21,107	742,507	28,708	730,239	29,062
Copper, sulphate of.....	837,972	27,509	3,162,284	139,834	(c)	(c)	14,114,498	454,724	24,412,171	1,022,440
Dyes and dyestuffs.....		52,404		37,247		414,862		395,912		445,136
Ginseng.....	7,087	20,610	735	2,200	163,393	802,594	172,956	631,146	191,715	761,995
Linac, acetate of.....	4,126,825	56,491	4,257,936	60,516	(c)	(c)	33,936,740	485,967	44,031,556	623,431
Medicines, patent or proprietary.....		212,033		259,682		2,057,761		2,242,684		2,419,526
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s.....		17,702		6,255		138,146		132,861		156,249
All other.....		375,459		413,348		5,460,123		4,167,734		4,337,326
Total.....		786,650		932,299		8,987,579		8,647,081		9,990,054
Cider..... galls.	27,869	3,661	5,849	905	(b)	(b)	418,690	54,139	456,644	63,732
Clocks and watches:										
Clocks, and parts of.....		82,522		101,650		893,182		876,938		917,083
Watches, and parts of.....		75,775		53,764		733,336		715,571		774,357
Total.....		158,297		155,414		1,626,518		1,592,509		1,721,440
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		52,089		58,837		551,081		595,137		605,311
France.....				228		10,465		11,219		2,566
Germany.....		1,603		2,120		14,136		10,364		14,075
Other Europe.....		580		1,761		29,250		30,710		30,233
British North America.....		51,361		35,525		324,079		318,010		386,599
Central American States and British Honduras.....		341		295		12,131		6,923		2,590
Mexico.....		1,655		1,457		22,799		18,685		25,318
West Indies and Bermuda.....		991		1,876		11,303		11,601		13,107
Argentina.....		570		692		33,337		21,845		22,064
Brazil.....		1,130		6,261		57,319		38,663		64,358

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other South America		4,989		7,104		93,255		80,167		84,900
China		378		2,139		26,862		17,334		15,033
East Indies: British		5,354		6,232		34,079		46,644		69,033
Japan		8,555		5,192		155,801		147,448		130,508
British Australasia		24,181		14,706		154,876		144,501		171,070
Other Asia and Oceania		1,820		5,769		19,765		23,867		28,012
Africa		2,700		5,230		75,895		66,561		56,616
Other countries						85		297		41
Total		158,297		155,414		1,626,518		1,592,509		1,721,440
Coal and coke:										
COAL (tons)—										
Anthracite	93,407	394,649	156,900	619,795	1,147,904	5,120,672	1,174,240	5,289,526	1,362,144	5,631,733
Bituminous	271,154	607,197	297,870	629,494	2,143,272	4,752,583	2,438,588	5,208,498	3,163,111	6,551,091
Total coal	364,651	1,001,846	454,770	1,249,289	3,291,176	9,873,255	3,612,828	10,498,024	4,525,255	12,182,824
Exported to (tons)—										
United Kingdom			5	43	55	241	53	550	7,896	30,512
France			1	3	779	3,985	2,057	11,322	1,011	2,398
Germany					198	470	37	156	27	158
Other Europe			3,632	11,687	5,384	40,203	5,904	37,341	30,167	84,989
British North America	297,251	826,821	337,358	960,622	2,687,820	8,161,677	2,890,043	8,573,811	3,220,751	9,135,075
Central American States and British Honduras	119	391	460	1,576	7,191	27,202	5,617	19,135	4,330	12,114
Mexico	39,690	111,236	45,382	127,404	188,360	563,416	290,060	852,300	410,769	1,130,693
Santo Domingo	507	1,445			5,672	24,367	3,241	10,729	3,817	11,019
Cuba			34,108	63,454	237,734	596,722	208,124	459,805	326,509	628,642
Porto Rico			849	2,100	18,122	46,490	9,786	21,014	21,980	45,092
Other West Indies and Bermuda	24,394	49,924	17,649	38,520	111,134	290,370	154,976	355,882	205,603	437,233
Brazil	2,207	10,050	3,458	18,687	11,250	60,575	14,082	74,586	46,648	149,432
Colombia			1,515	2,454	8,688	19,164	12,209	32,434	9,178	34,459
Other South America	236	660	1,986	4,798	7,435	30,210	5,668	18,300	82,517	161,743
Asia and Oceania	247	1,319	8,169	17,149	877	6,333	6,440	20,585	101,588	223,701
Other countries			198	792	477	1,830	4,551	9,974	52,464	95,358
Total coal	364,651	1,001,846	454,770	1,249,289	3,291,176	9,873,255	3,612,828	10,498,024	4,525,255	12,182,824
Coke	18,497	50,705	20,247	58,344	139,767	495,349	200,114	570,368	187,716	557,740
Coffee and cocoa, ground or pre- pared, and chocolate		11,923		17,568		111,366		128,435		176,757
Copper, and manufactures of:										
ORE (tons)—										
United Kingdom	789	75,345	2	185	13,805	1,871,958	5,619	553,704	1,595	176,815
Germany							2	300		
Other countries	69	3,000	166	17,000	1,041	170,215	1,907	203,926	3,861	242,540
Total	858	78,345	168	17,185	14,846	2,042,173	7,528	757,930	5,456	419,355
INGOTS, BARS, PLATES, AND OLD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	7,219,301	845,776	3,718,679	612,111	69,268,019	7,460,187	64,150,691	7,145,618	70,815,998	9,330,022
France	4,216,933	501,225	448,257	82,928	51,649,419	5,758,221	58,020,917	6,457,158	43,568,149	5,933,212
Germany	3,921,161	460,303	3,245,750	551,962	24,142,293	2,680,757	28,921,229	3,192,658	40,523,740	5,519,330
Other Europe	6,602,676	753,477	5,684,899	979,336	103,400,304	11,390,049	102,009,383	11,239,965	85,201,229	11,209,970
British North America	344,042	38,763	24,137	3,688	304,891	33,091	1,266,453	139,381	1,050,879	132,282
Mexico	22,115	2,765	12,819	2,271	91,379	10,471	177,366	21,470	199,811	26,703
Other countries	32,607	3,796	5,082	823	22,211	2,697	77,937	9,154	147,781	20,036
Total	22,358,835	2,606,105	13,139,623	2,233,119	248,878,516	27,335,473	254,623,978	28,205,404	241,447,587	32,171,555
Manufactures of		95,576		154,398		813,611		985,145		1,383,871
Total copper and manufac- tures of, not including ore		2,701,681		2,387,517		28,149,084		29,190,549		33,555,426
Cork, manufactures of		3,418		3,068		(a)		39,739		50,023

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
UNMANUFACTURED—										
Sea Island.....	bales .. 3, 013	216, 503	1, 439	88, 371	54, 228	3, 990, 479	38, 982	2, 685, 375	35, 074	2, 294, 450
	lbs..... 1, 145, 641		519, 352		21, 162, 783		15, 197, 665		13, 686, 199	
Upland and other.....	bales .. 389, 430	11, 966, 573	314, 115	9, 589, 976	5, 994, 153	222, 064, 880	7, 304, 095	220, 253, 750	7, 067, 422	198, 931, 635
	lbs..... 198, 324, 467		158, 588, 564		3, 019, 218, 045		3, 714, 784, 068		3, 623, 849, 102	
Total.....	bales .. 392, 443	12, 183, 076	315, 554	9, 678, 347	6, 048, 381	226, 055, 359	7, 343, 077	222, 939, 125	7, 102, 496	201, 226, 085
	lbs..... 199, 470, 108		159, 107, 916		3, 040, 380, 828		3, 729, 981, 733		3, 637, 535, 301	
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	bales .. 187, 421	5, 801, 169	100, 897	3, 155, 333	3, 073, 122	116, 032, 591	3, 346, 643	102, 206, 458	3, 396, 447	96, 882, 802
	lbs..... 95, 482, 449		51, 320, 619		1, 547, 496, 697		1, 707, 573, 610		1, 758, 563, 081	
France.....	bales .. 44, 125	1, 316, 922	42, 476	1, 293, 378	690, 643	25, 586, 569	813, 515	24, 317, 343	722, 910	20, 238, 407
	lbs..... 22, 248, 532		21, 628, 435		351, 130, 237		416, 657, 893		373, 165, 061	
Germany.....	bales .. 64, 042	1, 980, 903	97, 749	2, 912, 957	1, 328, 321	48, 708, 786	1, 782, 979	52, 894, 816	1, 665, 481	45, 984, 556
	lbs..... 32, 490, 439		48, 763, 986		661, 823, 238		897, 268, 162		842, 218, 153	
Other Europe.....	bales .. 66, 117	2, 021, 967	53, 982	1, 644, 004	789, 754	29, 139, 550	1, 025, 634	30, 805, 098	1, 032, 210	29, 005, 962
	lbs..... 33, 179, 060		26, 664, 868		391, 325, 015		513, 993, 970		515, 703, 564	
British North Amer- ica.....	bales .. 4, 295	128, 822	4, 662	146, 136	77, 049	3, 027, 583	120, 104	3, 899, 954	95, 305	2, 909, 747
	lbs..... 2, 150, 713		2, 332, 896		38, 728, 902		60, 262, 977		47, 706, 992	
Mexico.....	bales .. 1, 150	37, 803	150	5, 819	29, 378	1, 231, 036	39, 353	1, 312, 173	33, 833	1, 039, 409
	lbs..... 610, 983		74, 414		15, 035, 654		21, 085, 779		18, 011, 891	
South America.....	bales ..				40	1, 497				
	lbs.....				19, 020					
Japan.....	bales .. 22, 930	818, 489	15, 638	520, 720	59, 806	2, 317, 356	204, 345	7, 183, 417	151, 967	5, 031, 263
	lbs..... 12, 103, 074		8, 322, 698		31, 674, 472		107, 712, 165		80, 101, 399	
Other Asia and Ocean- ica.....	bales .. 2, 354	77, 001			250	9, 742	10, 486	369, 213	4, 338	133, 752
	lbs..... 1, 195, 858				139, 178		5, 418, 624		2, 062, 064	
Other countries.....	bales ..				18		18		5	
	lbs.....				8, 415	649	8, 553	653	2, 496	187
Total unmanufac- tured.....	bales .. 392, 443	12, 183, 076	315, 554	9, 678, 347	6, 048, 381	226, 055, 359	7, 343, 077	222, 939, 125	7, 102, 496	201, 226, 085
	lbs..... 199, 470, 108		159, 107, 916		3, 040, 380, 828		3, 729, 981, 733		3, 637, 535, 301	
Waste.....	lbs..... 847, 799	38, 136	579, 249	35, 068	(a)	(a)	10, 148, 226	417, 042	13, 014, 263	495, 661
MANUFACTURES OF—										
CLOTHS (yards)—										
Colored.....	6, 850, 696	333, 216	8, 178, 188	404, 833	73, 891, 490	4, 327, 200	71, 655, 739	3, 748, 840	98, 437, 983	4, 706, 774
Uncolored.....	20, 663, 450	961, 138	19, 694, 017	922, 034	215, 523, 867	11, 771, 195	173, 642, 177	8, 350, 960	260, 255, 043	11, 817, 089
Total.....	27, 514, 146	1, 294, 354	27, 872, 205	1, 326, 867	289, 415, 357	16, 098, 395	245, 297, 916	12, 099, 800	358, 693, 026	16, 523, 863
Exported to (yards)—										
United Kingdom.....	830, 642	57, 669	238, 146	23, 946	10, 256, 213	767, 003	9, 676, 342	661, 853	9, 696, 368	606, 508
France.....			7, 386	700	625, 346	31, 433	160, 852	8, 580	22, 815	2, 296
Germany.....	74, 743	6, 307	8, 664	730	1, 571, 545	93, 298	429, 248	40, 418	211, 922	23, 479
Other Europe.....	189, 193	11, 901	97, 059	6, 522	651, 864	59, 129	1, 278, 972	85, 716	1, 195, 717	75, 885
British North America	1, 807, 425	100, 426	819, 025	40, 326	28, 855, 934	1, 738, 708	12, 249, 448	694, 144	16, 401, 657	780, 308
Central American States and British Honduras.....	712, 154	30, 974	1, 321, 663	54, 584	10, 045, 577	532, 422	7, 461, 337	355, 927	11, 721, 733	489, 094
Mexico.....	617, 509	37, 450	1, 050, 599	55, 463	5, 171, 777	340, 872	6, 125, 702	379, 831	7, 873, 201	449, 759
Santo Domingo.....	22, 538	744	200, 873	16, 338	1, 722, 313	87, 147	1, 968, 930	91, 194	3, 461, 505	152, 937
Cuba.....			1, 691, 396	82, 154	279, 113	23, 694	138, 662	12, 163	7, 084, 840	351, 947
Porto Rico.....			833, 190	38, 075	107, 298	6, 644	22, 878	2, 206	2, 417, 860	104, 419
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	866, 860	49, 919	1, 349, 285	66, 415	12, 605, 806	746, 426	12, 862, 669	754, 056	16, 973, 844	853, 875
Argentina.....	223, 796	12, 057	148, 288	8, 523	3, 193, 611	263, 580	2, 459, 605	164, 991	2, 627, 302	173, 434
Brazil.....	437, 148	28, 586	604, 229	38, 391	7, 646, 372	555, 797	7, 423, 955	485, 447	8, 529, 861	496, 474
Colombia.....	495, 153	23, 001	880, 611	37, 357	6, 123, 069	340, 535	5, 241, 698	255, 997	7, 304, 660	399, 296
Other South America.....	3, 352, 654	127, 115	2, 342, 579	105, 970	24, 836, 607	1, 286, 277	21, 580, 177	1, 002, 409	30, 047, 869	1, 293, 439
China.....	13, 501, 039	587, 465	13, 807, 686	626, 964	129, 660, 031	6, 902, 076	102, 445, 408	4, 638, 400	185, 737, 434	8, 254, 528
East Indies: British.....	718, 802	34, 449	22, 091	1, 152	3, 479, 710	190, 204	13, 205, 285	618, 252	5, 502, 434	263, 651
Hongkong.....	63, 870	10, 282	36, 900	3, 871	(b)	(b)	261, 983	29, 997	495, 205	43, 174
Japan.....	40, 030	5, 075	7, 853	1, 057	2, 341, 554	131, 324	560, 029	44, 784	525, 577	33, 262

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

b Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1893.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of— Continued.										
CLOTHS, colored and uncolored— Continued										
Exported to (yards)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British Australasia	126,303	10,980	352,280	31,773	618,026	63,865	942,241	96,471	2,317,633	207,515
Other Asia and Oceania.....	2,730,147	123,311	1,450,757	58,977	2,311,915	1,209,605	25,244,717	1,098,851	30,112,019	1,184,821
Africa.....	704,140	36,643	547,678	26,864	14,242,077	663,553	13,457,137	572,817	8,353,993	338,683
Other countries			13,967	715	68,701	4,803	100,641	5,296	77,577	5,079
Total cloths	27,514,146	1,294,354	27,872,205	1,326,867	289,415,357	16,098,395	245,297,916	12,099,800	358,693,026	16,523,863
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—										
Wearing apparel		101,029		126,167		892,862		833,458		1,147,235
Waste, cop and mill..... lbs..	806,343	26,350	670,937	30,495				259,485	6,688,213	294,422
All other.....		245,924		289,263		2,641,281		2,289,353		2,743,572
Total.....		386,303		445,925		3,444,143		3,382,296		4,185,229
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		42,883		24,234		443,210		338,393		394,405
France		282		200		9,760		4,138		18,750
Germany		25,837		14,166		202,948		173,222		181,225
Other Europe.....		6,968		8,373		46,200		62,178		89,967
British North America		183,642		199,626		1,238,745		1,534,766		1,772,704
Central American States and										
British Honduras		25,977		25,342		215,536		197,699		200,179
Mexico.....		28,756		36,866		323,260		291,231		363,475
Santo Domingo.....				55		29,964		17,895		24,965
Cuba.....				16,925		40,657		11,715		98,294
Porto Rico.....				5,831		4,464		1,678		22,512
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		5,716		13,626		76,157		89,859		117,821
Argentina.....		4,968		2,541		57,405		30,465		62,612
Brazil.....		1,446		3,950		64,694		46,225		39,559
Colombia.....		6,069		3,481		47,135		40,051		40,677
Other South America.....		2,557		2,958		48,098		32,791		47,802
China.....		1,620		1,835		11,215		7,305		19,591
East Indies: British.....		473		30		3,615		1,882		2,386
Hongkong.....		406		530		(a)		8,191		15,153
British Australasia.....		15,551		14,729		166,326		145,339		181,907
Other Asia and Oceania.....		27,757		59,384		341,197		294,039		377,611
Africa.....		4,816		10,761		63,179		45,985		107,829
Other countries		579		482		10,378		7,249		5,805
Total other manufac-										
tures of.....		386,303		445,925		3,444,143		3,382,296		4,185,229
Total manufactures of.....		1,680,657		1,772,792		10,542,538		15,482,096		20,709,092
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
Earthen and stone ware.....		18,418		32,821		136,407		174,839		272,612
China ware.....		13,086		5,077		23,653		38,415		35,200
Total.....		31,504		37,898		160,060		213,254		307,812
Eggs..... doz..	65,344	8,725	590,301	89,636	1,073,251	152,052	2,677,789	435,096	3,214,720	564,057
Feathers.....	10,730		24,112		(b)		135,697			196,435
Fertilizers (tons):										
Phosphates, crude.....	37,795	407,524	98,635	782,545	469,416	4,465,511	437,771	4,005,326	723,977	5,553,813
All other.....			4,719	121,938					34,116	871,808
Total.....	37,795	407,524	103,354	904,483	469,416	4,465,511	437,771	4,005,326	758,093	6,425,621
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	4,174	41,910	25,235	170,535	128,378	843,273	93,068	744,393	162,754	1,082,153
France.....			7,164	26,165	24,920	200,506	14,661	78,680	61,225	375,459
Germany.....	14,622	144,945	39,043	374,940	183,828	1,824,441	166,821	1,599,746	251,64	2,364,093
Other Europe.....	16,512	154,368	23,313	197,204	114,750	1,147,810	134,047	1,051,313	222,277	1,735,798
British North America.....	401	3,678	539	10,928	4,371	85,818	4,563	93,330	6,284	130,139
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....			1	9	4	121	1	40	2	35

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b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fertilizers—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico	5	106	.....	.....	10	252	21	537	26	995
West Indies and Bermuda	168	8,186	390	14,826	3,070	71,037	2,400	55,342	4,447	86,928
South America	2	99	.....	.....	88	1,268	76	3,378	3	144
Asia and Oceania	1,911	54,232	5,669	109,786	9,804	287,153	21,900	384,699	49,026	645,421
Other countries .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	193	3,831	210	2,868	285	4,546
Total	37,795	407,524	103,354	904,483	469,416	4,465,511	437,771	4,005,326	758,093	6,425,621
Fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses, manufactures of:										
Bags .....	.....	67,975	.....	30,616	.....	445,930	.....	494,725	.....	381,724
Cordage.....lbs..	934,342	60,261	779,121	71,333	9,477,521	524,278	9,456,576	525,195	7,930,290	669,917
Twine .....	.....	98,580	.....	272,652	.....	736,338	.....	896,600	.....	1,154,619
All other.....	.....	34,505	.....	33,556	.....	305,166	.....	285,526	.....	411,984
Total .....	.....	261,324	.....	408,157	.....	2,011,712	.....	2,202,646	.....	2,618,244
Fish:										
Fresh, other than salmon ..lbs..	109,012	3,159	121,658	4,130	1,042,682	57,793	1,197,522	46,960	1,385,862	59,967
DRIED, SMOKED, OR CURED—										
Cod, haddock, hake, and pollock.....lbs..	468,190	16,909	495,863	20,148	9,642,456	360,135	7,270,615	274,547	8,413,174	337,470
Herring.....lbs..	214,159	4,463	206,297	4,217	5,082,787	96,953	3,489,809	69,898	2,764,658	59,583
Other.....lbs..	85,210	5,241	60,855	2,648	636,663	34,589	1,017,441	43,788	765,512	35,684
PICKLED—										
Mackerel.....bbls..	24	298	88	1,228	2,768	26,993	1,257	13,485	927	11,640
Other.....bbls..	790	2,741	1,413	6,320	21,414	79,199	19,497	72,055	12,886	55,238
SALMON—										
Canned.....lbs..	877,866	76,177	372,866	35,163	34,913,618	3,179,142	26,929,065	2,533,703	29,776,231	2,869,795
Other, fresh or cured .....	.....	9,174	.....	16,911	.....	279,731	.....	321,668	.....	307,785
Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish .....	.....	11,754	.....	6,705	.....	198,965	.....	134,526	.....	111,876
Caviare .....	.....	33,933	.....	8,746	.....	(a)	.....	103,530	.....	132,738
SHELLFISH—										
Oysters .....	.....	22,139	.....	45,300	.....	601,908	.....	570,051	.....	712,087
Other .....	.....	17,332	.....	22,473	.....	282,378	.....	251,346	.....	230,054
All other fish and fish products .....	.....	1,586	.....	830	.....	(a)	.....	18,748	.....	10,400
Total .....	.....	204,906	.....	174,819	.....	5,197,786	.....	4,454,305	.....	4,925,257
Fruits and nuts:										
Apples, dried.....lbs..	1,847,199	117,388	346,717	17,978	29,753,592	1,300,059	30,171,89	1,850,334	19,193,954	1,237,958
Apples, green or ripe.....bbls..	1,348	4,766	1,040	3,975	1,503,899	2,370,849	603,836	1,678,239	379,809	1,209,684
Oranges.....	.....	73,742	.....	21,195	.....	(b)	.....	282,750	.....	264,166
Prunes.....lbs..	328,519	18,150	96,812	4,168	(b)	(b)	15,706,772	1,007,969	5,557,838	376,884
Raisins.....lbs..	148,723	6,841	463,110	23,197	(b)	(b)	3,004,452	162,790	4,337,100	224,231
All other, green, ripe, or dried .....	.....	141,268	.....	112,935	.....	2,023,367	.....	1,902,255	.....	1,873,369
FRUITS, PRESERVED—										
Canned.....	.....	36,060	.....	58,635	.....	1,657,664	.....	1,593,985	.....	2,293,160
Other .....	.....	8,291	.....	2,532	.....	42,193	.....	75,358	.....	61,896
Nuts .....	.....	9,813	.....	12,282	.....	113,505	.....	141,760	.....	127,758
Total .....	.....	416,319	.....	256,897	.....	7,507,637	.....	8,761,440	.....	7,669,046
Exported to—										
United Kingdom .....	.....	35,862	.....	12,116	.....	3,662,977	.....	3,379,415	.....	3,277,683
France .....	.....	52,773	.....	10,297	.....	295,003	.....	706,066	.....	689,568
Germany .....	.....	33,969	.....	18,485	.....	1,053,185	.....	1,604,852	.....	872,445
Other Europe .....	.....	82,952	.....	15,593	.....	1,035,096	.....	1,169,396	.....	924,461
British North America.....	.....	171,587	.....	145,242	.....	655,228	.....	1,070,240	.....	1,034,555
Central American States and British Honduras .....	.....	1,554	.....	2,128	.....	53,564	.....	33,893	.....	25,040
Mexico.....	.....	5,242	.....	4,894	.....	67,728	.....	52,790	.....	71,942
Santo Domingo.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	2,365	.....	1,347	.....	1,769
Cuba.....	.....	.....	.....	4,152	.....	44,755	.....	38,177	.....	59,170
Porto Rico.....	.....	.....	.....	497	.....	4,010	.....	2,348	.....	4,241

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other green, ripe or dried fruit" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other West Indies and Bermuda		3,177		4,052		54,088		52,380		52,405
Argentina		1,058		1,985		4,379		8,718		16,082
Brazil		117		963		11,044		10,845		16,521
Colombia		753		1,049		8,953		10,060		7,622
Other South America		1,060		2,060		33,161		22,852		21,370
China		3,085		1,207		15,790		31,676		22,528
East Indies: British		902		434		12,700		12,198		12,056
Hongkong		2,212		2,336		(a)		40,441		65,527
British Australasia		6,972		6,776		302,354		289,460		254,055
Other Asia and Oceania		6,350		16,042		103,661		81,877		140,192
Africa		6,694		6,549		77,362		81,639		105,451
Other countries						204		772		1,024
Total fruits and nuts		416,319		256,897		7,507,637		8,701,440		7,669,046
Furniture of metal		2,348		22,071		(b)		19,251		155,187
Furs and fur skins:										
United Kingdom		195,278		253,147		2,376,983		1,990,045		2,032,628
France				2,050		1,025		15,453		45,840
Germany		31,515		41,699		551,843		514,568		488,378
Other Europe		344		1,980		8,628		15,271		13,597
British North America		26,053		30,747		242,261		376,067		410,957
Other countries		1,000		13		11,636		21,725		5,206
Total		254,190		329,636		3,192,376		2,933,129		2,996,606
Glass and glassware:										
Window glass		1,999		2,614		11,765		22,542		30,514
All other		98,013		146,311		1,091,349		1,089,292		1,328,577
Total		100,042		148,925		1,103,114		1,111,834		1,359,091
Glucose or grape sugar lbs.	24,149,134	346,279	29,008,557	478,632	177,676,983	2,495,799	173,783,615	2,529,034	211,042,549	3,360,012
Glue lbs.	212,886	19,082	179,496	18,202	1,335,908	125,761	2,074,201	183,781	2,223,425	208,994
Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock		188,832		205,324		1,874,274		1,756,768		2,296,009
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
Gunpowder lbs.	25,256	6,041	212,861	24,771	897,522	96,614	1,070,885	123,773	1,417,983	172,012
Cartridges and other		59,124		96,809		1,307,932		1,151,102		1,238,390
Total		65,165		121,580		1,404,546		1,274,875		1,410,402
Hair, and manufactures of		52,621		41,533		488,113		574,476		461,482
Hay tons.	6,100	82,382	4,219	56,669	55,996	765,846	73,201	1,026,757	60,547	803,855
Hides and skins, other than furs (pounds):										
United Kingdom	4,900	623	27,219	8,279	1,997,641	147,520	310,851	28,928	343,970	40,068
France	128,625	13,138	11,000	4,500	4,803,021	402,443	662,836	63,647	259,151	30,273
Germany	443,423	39,602	337,136	28,465	7,846,437	618,890	4,554,703	361,488	4,741,594	402,522
Other Europe	133,232	15,424	33,194	2,060	1,757,892	164,685	370,921	53,498	510,416	67,544
British North America	313,014	27,189	120,430	12,967	12,757,885	887,631	4,913,161	441,266	3,646,873	336,889
Central American States and British Honduras					12,935	1,411				
Mexico	2,231	312	1,380	215	288,748	20,909	16,767	2,306	11,773	2,056
West Indies and Bermuda	1,000	90			4,069	554	1,472	163	3,103	468
Japan	20,200	1,205			28,808	1,892	20,200	1,205	4,975	875
Other Asia and Oceania					13,600	1,385				
Africa	38,052	3,425			135,700	9,000	63,287	5,355		
Other countries							3,750	391	3,600	530
Total	1,084,677	101,008	530,359	56,486	29,646,736	2,266,320	10,917,948	958,247	9,525,455	881,225
Honey		1,599		3,259		20,025		95,137		55,419

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not enumerated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hops (pounds):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	147, 017	20, 639	570, 270	93, 897	9, 806, 712	1, 150, 305	15, 627, 584	2, 440, 596	18, 661, 250	3, 244, 523
Other Europe.....			56, 103	8, 565			575	80	713, 787	124, 363
British North America.....	22, 988	3, 008	7, 704	1, 139	329, 289	28, 703	274, 276	34, 204	452, 582	59, 595
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1, 652	252	1, 639	226	21, 551	2, 547	20, 095	3, 113	25, 159	3, 572
Mexico.....	250	35	122	16	377, 490	44, 613	287, 544	31, 986	15, 934	2, 063
Santo Domingo.....					2, 910	287	122	19	288	42
Cuba.....					1, 922	218	3, 097	389	5, 058	1, 132
Porto Rico.....			120	16	2, 205	236	495	54	694	97
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	644	85	932	105	7, 108	720	6, 103	705	4, 639	550
South America.....	399	58	976	150	9, 907	1, 212	8, 272	1, 206	12, 419	1, 969
East Indies: British.....					36, 160	2, 824	27, 008	3, 760	85, 406	11, 382
British Australasia.....	63, 550	8, 379	4, 100	586	531, 258	44, 525	637, 964	87, 623	752, 583	113, 281
Other Asia and Oceania.....	500	65	5, 420	581	32, 148	2, 931	22, 798	2, 949	44, 332	6, 130
Other countries.....							3, 697	393	3, 202	301
Total.....	237, 000	32, 521	647, 386	105, 281	11, 158, 660	1, 279, 121	16, 919, 639	2, 607, 677	20, 777, 473	3, 569, 000
Ice.....tons..	1, 563	2, 516	1, 029	2, 407	22, 739	46, 205	21, 305	35, 331	21, 109	40, 365
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:										
Boots and shoes.....pairs..	13, 456	7, 236	31, 744	15, 562	292, 055	182, 267	370, 083	210, 731	425, 574	229, 892
All other.....		151, 017		167, 691		1, 506, 599		1, 379, 071		1, 362, 085
Total.....		158, 253		183, 253		1, 688, 866		1, 589, 802		1, 591, 980
India rubber, scrap and old.....		16, 869		64, 823		(a)		229, 859		343, 261
Ink:										
Printers'.....		5, 681		11, 635		153, 414		102, 354		98, 697
Other.....		6, 514		12, 914				82, 737		98, 850
Total.....		12, 195		24, 549		153, 414		185, 091		197, 547
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
United Kingdom.....		41, 345		75, 622		410, 236		466, 359		837, 176
France.....		12, 747		31, 098		267, 526		160, 458		398, 907
Germany.....		23, 021		32, 561		229, 990		207, 048		363, 080
Other Europe.....		10, 358		22, 023		296, 440		224, 131		249, 256
British North America.....		22, 186		51, 159		283, 423		279, 121		393, 018
Central American States and British Honduras.....		4, 479		3, 820		92, 908		55, 932		76, 904
Mexico.....		23, 483		48, 882		263, 317		258, 649		389, 947
West Indies and Bermuda.....		2, 604		29, 572		91, 310		78, 486		170, 994
Argentina.....		17, 449		27, 589		125, 283		104, 548		210, 361
Brazil.....		1, 977		5, 942		88, 507		84, 329		107, 335
Other South America.....		10, 972		9, 888		195, 840		117, 030		109, 977
China.....		626		1, 257		4, 250		23, 000		33, 199
Japan.....		13, 585		15, 776		136, 600		220, 182		209, 462
British Australasia.....		5, 062		9, 446		48, 224		51, 204		142, 659
Other Asia and Oceania.....		6, 787		15, 884		74, 140		98, 933		167, 775
Africa.....		202		10, 561		187, 816		91, 591		68, 269
Other countries.....								139		754
Total.....		196, 973		391, 080		2, 795, 810		2, 521, 280		3, 929, 073
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore.....tons..	416	998	890	2, 150	9, 770	34, 162	11, 007	32, 976	29, 184	62, 931
Pig iron (tons)—										
Ferro-manganese.....	397	17, 119					7, 912	324, 596	495	20, 667
All other.....	9, 773	103, 725	23, 327	337, 930	154, 952	2, 124, 324	215, 014	2, 244, 515	283, 614	3, 067, 875
Scrap and old, fit only for re- manufacture.....tons..	7, 550	80, 941	10, 228	126, 238	11, 674	138, 444	50, 048	523, 595	83, 797	916, 562

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bar iron.....lbs..	762,324	11,086	2,465,441	39,715	6,968,191	111,789	9,788,760	150,085	21,172,466	319,886
Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.....lbs..	3,463,795	48,931	9,419,482	122,758	85,082,204	1,045,275	22,446,123	414,968	69,414,110	876,944
BARB OR RAILS FOR RAILWAYS—										
Iron.....tons..	325	3,500	49	1,003	3,039	51,670	2,655	35,788	11,750	141,357
Steel (tons)—										
Europe.....	9,627	173,293	5,587	85,648	(a)	(a)	12,819	247,400	30,519	580,431
British North America.....	6,687	116,109	5,608	102,205			68,523	1,215,680	81,259	1,493,592
Central American States and British Honduras.....	3	105					611	10,824	1,589	33,627
Mexico.....	2,643	45,693	1,783	41,510			27,427	504,514	21,907	497,644
West Indies and Bermuda.....			400	7,705			3,484	84,694	9,065	183,569
South America.....	2,104	46,544	1,153	23,763			7,111	160,583	10,250	246,780
Japan.....	6,712	199,936	25	457			42,939	1,020,994	7,877	178,154
Asia and Oceania.....	3,928	78,824	7,356	173,474			20,683	405,198	40,226	881,230
Africa.....			408	11,733			2,625	51,735	40,891	782,694
Total steel.....	31,704	660,504	22,325	452,500	94,727	2,203,133	186,222	3,740,712	216,583	4,877,721
Billets, ingots, and blooms.....tons..	2,026	37,792	2,819	61,771	(b)	(b)	11,951	212,267	44,451	869,610
Hoop, band, and scroll.....lbs..	303,423	3,920	110,409	1,956	391,818	8,623	3,309,352	43,407	6,400,686	102,536
Rods, wire, of steel.....lbs..	1,148,169	9,348	4,675,264	52,343	(b)	(b)	29,655,856	303,853	51,120,267	522,865
SHEETS AND PLATES (pounds)—										
Iron.....	834,996	19,958	1,263,337	31,729	3,893,613	83,578	8,402,608	168,558	13,595,031	286,840
Steel.....	5,246,952	64,793	11,172,666	160,581	5,000,420	106,041	23,415,261	304,267	103,907,891	1,511,818
Tin plates, terneplates, and taggers tin.....	2,474	162	12,242	651	(c)	(c)	18,057	842	196,217	9,526
Structural iron and steel.....tons..	2,910	111,445	4,442	190,432	(b)	(b)	29,316	1,146,136	43,536	1,541,021
Wire.....lbs..	16,578,328	301,321	27,119,597	482,145	97,340,800	2,036,247	117,306,979	2,248,310	196,386,445	3,504,173
Car wheels.....No..	1,485	8,975	1,097	5,937	15,729	95,339	18,261	112,972	21,865	116,848
Castings, not elsewhere specified.....		61,303		161,965		883,409		738,051		950,522
CUTLERY—										
Table.....		2,768		2,387				28,484		28,047
All other.....		8,821		15,782		166,897		116,003		146,814
Firearms.....		38,336		54,306		582,503		630,265		609,702
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, AND SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.....		355,175		470,627		3,809,674		3,603,284		4,417,660
Saws.....		20,742		19,596				184,394		206,432
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....		203,724		250,694		2,260,480		1,987,161		2,449,069
Total.....		579,641		740,917		6,070,154		5,774,839		7,073,161
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		143,980		152,927		1,516,153		1,395,917		1,665,547
France.....		17,719		33,465		173,735		160,852		233,111
Germany.....		70,690		87,604		496,430		697,121		774,171
Other Europe.....		47,286		78,382		393,649		513,532		665,629
British North America.....		76,169		92,747		513,238		657,514		823,256
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,033		8,558		136,941		76,288		75,824
Mexico.....		35,565		43,505		595,621		397,979		320,873
Santo Domingo.....		10		742		9,670		11,900		10,526
Cuba.....				32,395		76,669		56,961		224,100
Porto Rico.....				4,220		13,868		9,439		14,288
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		7,425		7,750		68,729		56,887		69,331
Argentina.....		11,778		13,259		195,597		123,514		199,065
Brazil.....		8,975		21,188		229,558		148,456		203,336
Colombia.....		6,329		6,593		108,486		80,857		97,802
Other South America.....		17,820		24,116		238,190		191,213		218,947
China.....		2,093		3,957		30,086		19,654		50,171

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c Not separately stated prior to December, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.—C't'd.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
East Indies—British.....		3,009		2,839		23,556		21,711		37,463
Japan.....		8,415		7,310		43,956		67,480		63,702
British Australasia.....		89,624		81,944		901,936		804,493		961,382
Other Asia and Oceania.....		16,538		18,969		62,455		88,860		144,694
Africa.....		11,003		18,223		237,690		184,578		218,679
Other countries.....		180		224		3,941		3,633		1,834
Total.....		579,641		740,917		6,070,154		5,774,833		7,073,161
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Electrical.....		180,494		241,103		(a)		1,883,306		2,517,797
Metal-working.....		461,738		471,445		(a)		4,164,931		5,882,165
Printing presses, and parts of..		55,073		75,313		593,453		818,018		772,181
Pumps and pumping machinery		167,302		255,547		(a)		1,835,036		2,484,783
SEWING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		88,895		88,544		990,499		791,669		855,662
France.....		12,098		3,440		115,703		93,758		89,586
Germany.....		89,613		56,896		504,804		739,444		629,667
Other Europe.....		56,916		16,461		167,691		191,275		153,686
British North America.....		10,966		19,520		88,803		128,661		144,365
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		2,850		1,277		79,771		28,606		18,160
Mexico.....		7,179		44,650		181,104		188,618		256,991
Santo Domingo.....				36		1,522		1,236		2,246
Cuba.....				2,575		3,199		2,785		8,202
Porto Rico.....				732		2,238		3,120		2,479
Other West Indies and Bermuda		2,313		1,912		16,062		14,839		17,364
Argentina.....		5,570		787		82,891		75,786		119,516
Brazil.....		4,646		11,138		111,251		84,102		100,949
Colombia.....		4,021		6,101		103,317		74,497		60,693
Other South America.....		6,811		12,626		113,442		92,286		119,011
China.....		300		1,101		9,176		3,293		3,559
East Indies—British.....		746		600		2,814		4,299		7,818
Japan.....		975		130		6,626		5,758		5,037
British Australasia.....		49,967		51,157		227,564		256,110		294,224
Other Asia and Oceania.....		3,448		5,853		32,043		28,402		48,556
Africa.....		195		1,911		16,690		7,726		11,031
Other countries.....						236		159		342
Total.....		347,509		327,477		2,952,446		2,816,429		2,949,164
Shoe machinery.....		110,662		65,571		(a)		832,936		777,277
Steam engines, and parts of (number)—										
Fire.....	1	280	2	9,913	2	6,790	6	1,969	3	10,173
Locomotive.....	53	446,583	31	211,128	319	3,050,348	419	3,429,665	445	4,009,347
Stationary.....	47	21,559	103	29,612	382	295,672	522	377,017	519	286,709
Parts of, and boilers.....		153,641		88,341		635,420		880,111		1,049,412
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		95,014		97,849		681,526		832,933		946,302
France.....		11,676		20,049		91,674		88,498		145,779
Germany.....		45,469		51,610		214,950		380,094		460,191
Other Europe.....		14,918		42,413		165,870		213,911		336,992
British North America.....		4,799		4,843		28,677		48,087		52,996
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		10		47		10,849		2,320		2,165
Mexico.....		2,643		3,917		23,310		25,208		39,904
Santo Domingo.....						267		90		183
Cuba.....				3,551		2,426		1,437		18,748

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Porto Rico.....				323		590		65		3,946
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		879		513		5,234		4,132		4,934
Argentina.....		1,401		2,214		11,078		14,172		30,068
Brazil.....		447		60		3,595		4,930		5,485
Colombia.....		217		334		3,348		4,083		3,636
Other South America.....		735		4,381		9,793		13,767		23,335
China.....		63		658		3,667		2,401		4,792
East Indies—British.....		948		1,593		6,630		8,104		12,981
Japan.....		595		875		4,653		4,220		7,082
British Australasia.....		4,366		8,832		65,733		51,761		68,065
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		1,052		2,447		4,687		7,744		15,072
Africa.....		6,251		1,278		18,028		30,726		30,784
Other countries.....										75
Total.....		191,483		247,787		1,356,579		1,738,703		2,213,540
All other machinery, etc.....		1,346,838		1,558,472		17,930,822		12,109,446		17,056,510
NAILS AND SPIKES (pounds)—										
Cut.....	2,457,630	46,234	2,386,937	47,040	21,016,221	399,805	30,552,930	582,530	31,329,518	571,122
Wire.....	2,651,374	52,225	5,579,569	109,956			21,296,627	429,350	42,921,118	804,442
All other, including tacks.....	255,722	17,954	380,325	27,181	9,005,569	322,999	3,924,509	225,582	4,440,671	268,013
Pipes and fittings.....		324,242		574,834		(a)		2,741,009		5,336,803
Safes.....No.....	154	8,252	220	14,489	(a)	(a)	1,232	81,850	2,000	131,169
Scales and balances.....		23,920		31,451		358,173		309,831		347,105
Stoves, ranges, and parts of.....		40,989		47,100		294,261		334,547		448,165
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....		820,477		1,124,308		8,271,030		8,880,241		9,439,530
Total iron and steel, etc., not including ore.....		7,000,864		8,601,114		52,187,175		63,235,029		84,873,842
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....		41,386		62,457				515,940		689,250
Other manufactures of gold and silver.....		29,749		23,052		625,015		180,712		222,927
Total.....		71,135		85,509		625,015		696,652		912,177
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.										
		54,764		76,260		653,579		621,009		716,138
Lead, and manufactures of (lbs):										
Pig, bars, and old.....	8,268	332	520	27	517,204,305	462,863	27,729	1,207	156,827	6,136
Type.....	27,326	9,329	31,609	12,446			266,975	94,301	233,411	87,620
All other.....		7,539		24,679		169,446		108,221		128,959
Total.....		17,200		37,152		632,309		203,729		222,715
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER, SOLE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	3,183,992	550,796	2,615,369	434,799	27,330,364	4,509,573	27,181,095	4,649,068	29,546,320	4,859,809
Germany.....	76,696	15,834	9,921	1,934	210,993	40,740	305,725	60,280	351,359	71,023
Other Europe.....	348,614	64,177	189,245	34,671	5,791,199	1,047,254	3,880,188	728,280	2,701,333	495,970
British North America.....	67,186	14,253	73,082	13,031	454,359	75,649	946,620	184,519	772,031	143,553
West Indies and Bermuda.....	3,077	629	6,671	1,370	42,572	8,379	39,908	8,310	34,272	7,161
South America.....	6,040	1,232	297	60	13,013	2,488	32,095	6,500	13,961	3,688
Japan.....	139,580	29,400	72,900	15,619	869,040	176,834	1,484,555	311,704	652,041	141,719
British Australasia.....	9,580	2,128	19,122	4,393	164,861	33,986	161,522	34,216	120,803	26,559
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	21,300	4,450	32,040	7,003	238,731	47,954	178,168	38,001	308,467	67,029
Africa.....	14,605	2,607	14,907	3,085	163,671	31,080	156,366	32,495	115,762	24,018
Other countries.....	5,655	1,431	5,620	1,191	118,019	23,640	41,454	8,243	44,681	9,835
Total.....	3,882,325	686,997	3,039,174	517,156	35,396,822	5,997,577	34,407,696	6,061,616	34,661,030	5,850,369

a Not separately stated prior to July 1, 1897.

b Part of this is foreign lead, returned by collectors of customs, by mistake as domestic lead, prior to July 1, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Leather, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEATHER, OTHER—										
Upper leather—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Kid, glazed.....		5,947		65,734				230,405		630,945
Patent or enameled.....		12,037		4,446		305,391		87,135		73,322
Splits, buff, grain, and all other upper leather.....		1,037,490		935,101		7,803,356		9,131,271		10,547,288
Other leather.....		62,348		129,589		749,653		798,790		988,178
Total.....		1,117,822		1,134,870		8,858,400		10,247,601		12,239,733
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		841,557		765,926		6,682,358		7,379,852		8,811,629
France.....		41,368		42,479		146,407		258,967		310,876
Germany.....		39,945		73,263		279,015		540,967		851,700
Other Europe.....		99,263		119,095		876,882		1,079,055		1,130,015
British North America.....		54,903		55,170		608,287		620,016		602,415
Central American States and British Honduras.....		95		1,955		4,383		4,282		10,222
Mexico.....		287		1,439		14,716		8,599		9,772
Santo Domingo.....				109		1,008		569		1,534
Cuba.....				1,339		1,056		2,298		9,082
Porto Rico.....				1,195		839		1,394		7,173
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,468		2,143		14,808		13,402		23,082
Argentina.....				4,875		3,905		4,360		32,045
Brazil.....		5,229		4,019		17,414		51,189		40,731
Colombia.....				1,092		2,203		3,181		3,231
Other South America.....		638		2,567		13,718		12,192		27,886
British Australasia.....		25,548		48,519		149,827		217,830		301,754
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		5,772		4,223		15,105		27,044		37,145
Africa.....		1,749		5,450		26,066		21,874		29,173
Other countries.....				12		403		530		268
Total.....		1,117,822		1,134,870		8,858,400		10,247,601		12,239,733
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Boots and shoes—										
United Kingdom.....		49,649		106,389		259,672		294,185		451,206
France.....		2,036		590		15,740		23,515		33,940
Germany.....		10,103		4,516		12,896		66,048		76,800
Other Europe.....		1,982		5,102		30,389		34,394		56,104
British North America.....		30,712		57,493		214,409		265,158		391,758
Central American States and British Honduras.....		7,366		12,541		88,077		83,056		94,876
Mexico.....		8,622		34,920		51,041		69,832		188,142
West Indies and Bermuda.....		23,483		58,602		248,323		272,525		421,846
Colombia.....		4,610		3,612		38,480		37,420		29,260
Other South America.....		1,805		2,198		25,364		25,604		35,852
British Australasia.....		21,103		27,269		355,026		205,254		371,870
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		14,212		24,537		118,069		161,410		156,487
Africa.....		6,249		11,341		81,188		79,617		87,825
Other countries.....		95		96		2,030		3,521		2,178
Total.....		182,027		349,206		1,543,704		1,621,539		2,398,253
Harness and saddles.....		18,097		21,827		227,288		196,722		211,378
All other.....		125,230		57,202		714,505		1,207,842		727,865
Total leather, and manufactures of.....		2,130,182		2,080,261		17,341,474		19,335,320		21,427,618
Lime.....bbls..	2,906	2,845	5,303	4,970	74,909	69,151	46,379	40,098	68,943	67,310
Malt.....bush..	40,086	30,126	54,832	38,537	(a)	(a)	359,230	253,270	406,258	294,202

(a) Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Malt liquors:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
In bottles.....doz.	32,011	41,795	158,732	203,783	491,001	574,879	367,004	448,483	1,321,425	1,587,485
In other coverings.....galls.	46,608	9,216	60,048	14,588	343,747	76,946	360,565	81,145	531,660	126,749
Total		51,011		218,371		651,825		529,628		1,724,234
Marble and stone, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured		4,827		10,701		56,982		88,358		61,079
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....		137,195		154,427		701,633		1,538,069		1,273,914
All other.....		35,836		44,456		506,435		376,213		399,727
Total		177,858		209,584		1,265,050		1,702,640		1,734,720
Matches		9,723		11,867		59,142		75,030		95,675
Musical instruments (number):										
Organs	934	48,071	1,472	107,280	12,880	737,910	12,366	683,501	15,934	917,939
Pianofortes.....	81	16,496	119	25,941	760	196,470	908	213,136	1,045	230,530
All other, and parts of.....		54,449		51,918		243,874		369,666		513,923
Total		119,016		185,139		1,178,254		1,266,243		1,662,392
Naval stores:										
ROSIN, TAR, TURPENTINE, AND PITCH (barrels)—										
Rosin	133,797	208,872	180,812	289,222	2,194,404	4,237,968	2,045,673	3,410,037	2,397,547	3,466,332
Tar	1,049	2,871	11,159	20,569	15,750	30,598	17,023	32,584	35,223	81,929
Turpentine and pitch.....	1,330	4,380	2,619	6,396	17,363	40,766	18,243	46,556	21,867	52,287
Total	136,176	216,123	194,590	316,187	2,227,520	4,309,332	2,080,939	3,519,177	2,454,637	3,600,548
Exported to (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	57,601	86,862	57,944	105,882	668,041	1,397,612	548,241	965,258	696,735	1,058,515
Germany.....	41,886	65,762	63,818	98,496	531,680	980,110	515,710	838,033	575,708	781,786
Other Europe.....	17,115	22,804	52,511	69,836	613,290	1,171,235	636,443	1,021,122	788,613	1,018,849
British North America.....	9,284	19,199	7,798	16,483	52,053	113,386	45,753	93,789	50,435	113,402
Central American States and British Honduras.....	422	992	240	964	8,128	21,923	5,466	14,469	4,499	12,749
Mexico.....	557	1,217	412	888	1,920	5,696	4,030	9,351	3,308	8,077
Santo Domingo.....			24	73	1,886	4,576	2,672	5,517	1,763	3,714
Cuba.....			556	965	4,502	8,748	4,077	7,543	4,561	8,463
Porto Rico.....			102	211		393		814	600	1,204
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	582	1,311	359	846	7,608	17,298	6,994	14,843	4,744	10,324
Argentina.....					25,050	57,932	40,223	72,320	41,268	73,037
Brazil.....	3,535	6,928	5,809	11,026	114,982	216,536	107,637	181,953	124,041	212,863
Colombia.....	400	869	143	363	8,186	17,467	5,190	11,042	5,512	12,239
Other South America.....	2,600	5,596	3,309	6,741	53,131	99,147	44,759	85,408	41,549	76,212
China.....	100	279	79	153	2,835	5,465	2,139	4,635	2,647	5,240
Japan.....	1,020	2,114	393	805	9,086	19,666	7,897	17,431	10,217	17,445
British Australasia.....	747	1,464	696	1,505	42,157	82,033	59,582	105,153	52,026	96,340
Other Asia and Oceania.....	282	575	163	422	54,243	86,793	42,934	62,648	45,029	57,339
Africa.....	45	151	234	528	1,320	2,862	812	1,754	1,382	2,810
Other countries.....					29	72	36	92		
Total rosin, tar, etc.....	136,176	216,123	194,590	316,187	2,227,520	4,309,332	2,080,939	3,519,177	2,454,637	3,600,548
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	656,804	179,272	784,082	305,717	7,015,999	1,741,828	6,164,056	1,776,153	7,132,633	2,309,129
Germany.....	717,192	198,063	229,836	76,887	2,206,284	559,871	2,432,664	696,457	2,148,708	698,691
Other Europe.....	261,697	72,675	387,102	155,348	4,513,189	1,161,102	5,232,964	1,514,721	3,557,596	1,203,785
British North America.....	110,822	35,297	76,537	35,765	436,832	117,777	602,089	187,876	565,115	205,045
Central American States and British Honduras.....	433	200	1,186	550	12,332	3,981	6,975	2,812	7,820	3,353
Mexico.....	871	299	927	448	6,863	2,432	7,984	2,953	9,580	4,019
Santo Domingo.....			50	26		879		1,096	447	517
Cuba.....			9,607	4,169		58,422		48,149	15,352	76,373
Porto Rico.....			1,150	555		9,350		4,675	1,648	3,836
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,236	462	2,714	1,206	25,593	8,101	20,123	7,114	21,200	9,291

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Naval stores—Continued.										
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	39,120	15,429	6,840	3,383	163,350	48,614	290,217	110,665	92,956	34,246
Brazil.....	9,055	3,083	5,407	2,628	130,818	40,726	165,516	61,689	126,456	47,248
Colombia.....	861	346	1,276	634	14,735	5,467	10,496	4,040	13,231	6,312
Other South America.....	28,370	10,091	22,483	11,125	109,203	35,322	128,460	47,446	93,612	40,257
China.....	900	355			10,150	3,307	6,655	2,494	18,650	7,359
Japan.....	1,000	324			27,750	8,651	8,000	2,583	14,700	5,996
British Australasia.....	77,260	26,804	20,750	10,352	239,085	88,211	271,169	94,813	243,184	91,981
Other Asia and Oceania.....	6,600	2,414	4,350	2,025	8,920	2,729	20,559	7,358	38,226	16,970
Africa.....	4,386	1,833	7,885	4,258	68,182	27,370	51,883	21,065	75,755	36,100
Other countries.....	52	19			101	36	360	141	50	23
Total.....	1,916,659	546,957	1,562,182	615,076	15,083,037	3,876,081	15,474,081	4,557,822	11,245,698	4,754,843
Total naval stores.....		762,080		931,263		8,185,413		8,077,009		8,355,591
Nickel, nickel oxide, and matte, lbs.	461,084	115,498	383,910	94,059	3,083,205	683,249	5,009,365	1,253,939	4,615,782	1,036,512
Nursery stock.....		4,423		11,617		(a)		93,914		130,957
Oil cake and oil-cake meal (pounds):										
Cotton seed.....	82,758,791	746,749	58,576,460	501,840	589,417,213	5,227,114	830,500,019	7,534,082	1,031,477,843	8,807,084
Flaxseed or linseed.....	29,273,049	316,062	28,671,803	307,773	409,281,783	3,787,516	408,775,945	4,255,473	442,162,672	4,799,302
Total.....	112,031,840	1,062,811	87,248,263	809,613	989,698,996	9,014,630	1,269,275,964	11,789,555	1,473,640,515	13,606,386
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	23,297,764	220,926	22,305,356	206,459	332,671,038	3,006,326	326,228,123	3,059,613	345,837,009	3,244,973
France.....	2,767,467	23,227	1,810,467	16,729	30,243,692	253,793	66,215,327	619,134	63,674,974	628,152
Germany.....	40,939,680	384,085	37,119,281	331,730	288,082,574	2,625,495	398,805,159	3,502,565	430,983,342	3,731,754
Other Europe.....	43,115,911	406,522	24,021,557	228,080	325,435,801	2,992,543	464,665,429	4,441,630	615,187,521	5,793,461
British North America.....	820,660	8,380	900,981	11,695	1,021,597	9,593	1,998,779	21,347	6,745,457	61,084
West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,030,498	13,660	1,045,849	14,342	11,764,422	121,880	10,976,477	140,431	10,803,073	141,429
South America.....	750	11	27,072	361	344,842	3,649	269,382	3,383	325,009	4,511
Other countries.....			17,700	217	135,030	1,345	117,288	1,413	84,130	1,022
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal.....	112,031,840	1,062,811	87,248,263	809,613	989,698,996	9,014,630	1,269,275,964	11,789,555	1,473,640,515	13,606,386
Cilicloths:										
For floors.....		2,826		4,582		(b)		25,948		26,607
Other.....		3,029		11,813		(b)		82,458		93,107
Total.....		5,855		16,395		(b)		108,406		119,714
Oils:										
ANIMAL (gallons)—										
Fish.....	249	78	1,758	645	793,282	153,785	584,481	107,684	942,298	190,029
Lard.....	83,298	32,908	103,569	42,261	874,745	384,867	708,078	277,716	831,474	377,304
Whale.....	236	122	529	354	47,069	17,935	74,413	34,277	75,341	34,636
Other.....	4,231	1,917	4,294	1,775	111,136	47,320	98,367	42,469	147,161	56,765
Total animal.....	88,134	35,025	110,160	45,035	1,826,232	603,957	1,465,339	462,146	1,996,274	658,734
MINERAL, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity (gallons)—										
France.....	7,984,484	305,071	4,675,607	222,857	90,111,243	4,177,876	74,918,038	2,834,218	76,549,383	3,490,346
Other Europe.....	1,200,000	48,000			16,027,765	718,727	15,130,776	510,234	16,932,516	726,039
British North America.....					12,240	665			20,270	1,408
Mexico.....	782,203	31,781	780,608	38,475	6,427,351	320,415	7,713,259	317,433	6,775,297	335,548
Cuba.....			168,624	7,605	4,389,611	269,815	3,829,463	207,649	2,792,105	166,773
Porto Rico.....					623,958	59,676	585,290	51,808		
Other countries.....					811,110	85,000	1,026	85		
Total.....	9,966,687	387,852	5,624,839	268,937	118,433,308	5,632,174	102,177,822	3,921,427	103,069,571	4,720,114

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....	1,905,959	<i>Dollars.</i> 107,657	1,221,139	<i>Dollars.</i> 93,449	12,507,702	<i>Dollars.</i> 999,804	11,643,302	<i>Dollars.</i> 987,846	15,104,888	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,082,634
Illuminating.....	66,901,893	3,377,487	71,180,051	4,159,158	696,189,112	44,071,843	751,729,727	39,173,989	651,994,516	36,798,985
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	6,012,034	694,214	5,957,572	644,702	40,397,376	6,109,859	54,185,782	6,529,958	61,926,612	7,286,351
Total.....	74,819,886	4,179,358	78,359,362	4,897,309	755,094,190	51,172,596	820,558,901	46,691,793	729,026,016	45,167,970
Exported to (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	11,470,921	592,076	19,869,746	1,129,213	195,357,724	12,149,185	196,882,154	10,381,285	193,567,631	10,932,510
France.....	763,873	92,688	1,789,523	108,245	8,874,377	902,947	12,405,691	1,081,899	11,324,537	1,050,008
Germany.....	16,055,122	740,395	11,598,354	569,701	111,063,893	5,984,991	138,364,031	6,151,754	112,411,790	5,710,460
Other Europe.....	19,963,171	873,045	22,950,403	1,182,602	220,863,972	12,768,666	235,859,897	11,336,281	231,485,374	12,237,092
British North America.....	549,257	43,148	486,947	42,485	9,517,753	681,023	10,613,875	706,397	10,409,623	723,713
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	77,690	10,196	45,898	6,091	1,178,652	137,177	1,006,506	106,471	1,027,082	121,594
Mexico.....	147,561	16,733	167,476	26,967	753,789	154,309	1,010,701	167,831	1,060,843	166,890
Santo Domingo.....	100	20	1,198	346	461,179	46,233	578,721	49,784	341,001	38,991
Cuba.....			33,927	4,208	68,039	9,736	243,202	31,358	1,050,892	120,531
Porto Rico.....			26,398	4,196	255,390	30,783	200,542	22,677	511,580	50,177
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	428,118	35,359	282,995	29,185	3,937,178	351,362	3,849,083	315,103	3,611,782	345,754
Argentina.....	1,175,692	101,112	987,066	105,528	9,954,320	1,012,815	9,966,382	902,899	6,161,475	673,432
Brazil.....	1,701,201	127,661	1,063,960	92,174	18,237,864	1,459,536	17,937,449	1,342,233	16,107,650	1,420,045
Colombia.....	135,502	12,365	87,504	9,393	1,084,400	106,720	937,182	91,867	1,077,694	109,249
Other South America.....	1,180,953	101,992	1,884,513	173,636	9,554,336	926,148	9,283,357	786,876	8,349,591	813,927
China.....	5,309,701	343,105	2,647,130	205,920	37,007,136	2,997,815	41,400,292	2,652,195	22,534,765	1,787,074
East Indies—British.....	1,494,820	120,346	1,271,078	76,360	17,305,561	1,560,331	33,855,072	2,451,642	22,325,620	1,625,585
Hongkong.....	832,364	63,472	4,771,620	370,060	(a)	(a)	13,824,557	860,683	17,017,607	1,299,468
Japan.....	6,029,605	383,065	1,905,474	150,053	44,387,016	3,988,619	47,318,424	3,426,844	31,308,746	2,266,815
British Australasia.....	2,941,235	203,065	2,215,767	244,045	15,608,304	1,770,614	18,894,400	1,827,403	15,552,805	1,626,650
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	3,921,971	257,316	2,451,397	196,302	39,376,490	3,090,485	14,915,456	997,379	11,152,088	923,493
Africa.....	627,766	61,920	1,816,840	170,219	10,183,664	1,037,943	11,170,833	997,598	10,595,895	1,114,951
Other countries.....	3,263	279	4,188	380	61,153	5,068	40,492	3,334	39,945	3,552
Total mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum.....	74,819,886	4,179,358	78,359,362	4,897,309	755,094,190	51,172,506	820,558,901	46,691,793	729,026,016	45,167,970
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled..... bbls..	55,936	70,668	92,662	116,998	83,285	106,915	422,308	477,536	708,823	842,386
Total refined or manufactured, including residuum.....		4,250,026		5,014,307		51,279,421		47,169,329		46,010,356
VEGETABLE—										
Corn..... galls..	200,070	47,572	479,767	110,718	(b)	(b)	2,306,557	504,860	2,221,830	519,905
COTTON SEED (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	422,192	101,508	602,603	133,821	1,111,223	280,419	2,470,552	603,891	5,454,584	1,209,467
France.....	1,155,691	306,016	421,576	116,103	10,043,465	2,500,976	12,336,599	3,106,489	16,548,221	3,953,334
Germany.....	219,807	62,646	290,017	63,262	1,625,606	400,655	2,422,783	587,990	3,379,110	838,145
Other Europe.....	1,202,287	286,354	702,318	164,141	9,061,624	2,419,130	14,034,324	3,595,044	16,861,795	4,170,910
British North America.....	72,139	19,865	57,343	14,444	253,629	56,450	416,606	101,767	444,722	102,851
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	1,687	625	2,827	1,309	16,637	4,776	8,385	2,926	11,884	4,753
Mexico.....	178,429	32,357	137,136	26,412	1,540,592	305,236	1,694,068	321,566	2,318,358	417,679
Santo Domingo.....	900	392	10,305	3,581	41,057	13,386	62,631	20,686	81,703	26,614
Cuba.....			12,354	4,027	1,090	299	9,543	2,774	56,096	16,728

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
COTTON-SEED—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Porto Rico.....					150	38	100	20	4,340	1,491
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	81,145	22,747	58,723	16,229	664,720	175,491	708,023	183,761	656,184	170,076
Argentina.....			7,847	2,337	33,675	10,971	13,973	4,188	83,418	26,036
Brazil.....	38,564	10,578	57,897	18,071	583,017	153,256	839,204	226,237	743,691	185,049
Other South America.....	33,092	11,120	28,107	9,324	211,988	67,158	283,210	91,166	281,767	88,717
British Australasia.....	10,335	3,039	4,046	1,315	48,285	15,688	61,946	18,446	45,437	13,947
Other Asia and Oceania.....	500	130			2,800	890	1,300	355	300	100
Africa.....	91,368	23,005	15,359	4,490	515,958	135,692	848,512	224,433	1,113,957	269,322
Total.....	3,538,136	881,382	2,408,458	578,875	25,755,516	6,540,475	36,211,759	9,094,849	48,085,627	11,495,219
Linseed.....galls..	8,281	3,889	7,641	3,888	100,803	38,582	84,253	35,720	97,515	43,704
VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL—										
Peppermint.....lbs..	13,011	13,979	9,694	9,140	154,224	247,055	135,010	168,016	101,118	104,399
Other.....		13,560		9,814		140,259		186,555		137,829
All other.....		101,480		59,034		1,084,826		688,756		818,255
Total vegetable.....		1,061,862		771,469		8,051,197		10,678,756		13,119,321
Paints, pigments, and colors:										
Carbon black, gas black, and										
lampblack.....		19,482		11,218		(a)		162,855		179,219
Zinc oxide of.....lbs..	774,655	24,312	816,557	28,835	(a)	(a)	6,396,859	187,159	9,151,451	296,829
All other.....		64,062		92,097		864,869		633,870		852,873
Total.....		107,856		132,150		864,869		983,884		1,328,921
Paper, and manufactures of:										
Paper hangings.....		19,410		9,309		101,399		182,844		122,706
Printing paper.....lbs..	8,874,859	217,561	8,674,855	215,330	(a)	(a)	99,114,214	2,504,216	88,421,060	2,152,682
Writing paper and envelopes.....		10,997		15,556		100,332		150,436		146,650
All other.....		238,278		256,685		2,765,964		2,243,701		2,570,246
Total.....		486,246		496,880		2,967,695		5,081,197		4,992,284
Paraffin and paraffin wax (pounds):										
United Kingdom.....	6,540,597	250,933	10,894,629	428,904	77,692,549	2,932,195	89,870,122	3,447,714	99,360,040	3,737,075
France.....	482,559	19,840			1,094,618	46,801	2,614,156	114,156	2,441,735	98,347
Germany.....	1,536,178	59,562	374,539	15,534	15,263,069	618,652	20,015,172	786,815	19,453,524	775,530
Other Europe.....	1,441,510	57,231	2,315,146	91,575	13,508,512	561,586	17,906,675	727,286	28,066,939	1,120,847
British North America.....	5,277	226	1,893	92	41,056	1,718	83,835	3,631	58,952	2,519
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	23,700	1,088	66,413	3,869	496,013	29,396	388,921	19,066	573,550	29,039
Mexico.....	210,548	8,637	737,916	35,024	2,787,627	140,037	3,398,951	147,231	4,730,112	220,267
West Indies and Bermuda.....			5,262	275	92,198	3,774	28,288	1,125	50,942	2,433
Brazil.....	21,274	886	17,557	877	226,891	12,775	213,716	10,124	241,611	11,471
Other South America.....	8,770	473	4,590	294	88,357	4,284	111,879	5,703	124,270	6,457
Japan.....	956,707	34,701	667,841	29,745	3,973,745	162,095	3,752,378	141,347	3,317,613	141,753
British Australasia.....	372,127	16,401	462,725	20,500	1,915,237	83,410	2,643,535	114,004	2,439,006	165,836
Other Asia and Oceania.....			95,697	3,825	79,502	3,213	58,154	2,658	211,514	9,008
Africa.....	73,336	2,550			1,310,711	51,796	634,821	26,579	735,891	28,985
Total.....	11,672,583	452,528	15,644,208	630,514	118,570,085	4,651,732	141,720,603	5,547,439	161,805,699	6,289,567
Perfumery and cosmetics.....		29,773		37,859		298,937		282,771		289,994
Plated ware.....		31,366		34,158		401,032		384,889		417,811
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
BEEF PRODUCTS—										
BEEF, CANNED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	916,143	83,350	1,836,089	164,219	32,089,803	2,806,426	20,285,970	1,787,215	21,467,715	1,957,336
France.....			34,829	2,855	1,076,178	88,593	422,017	35,503	344,134	31,057
Germany.....	63,350	5,715	87,381	7,023	4,495,953	362,728	5,007,913	441,367	3,194,942	281,968
Other Europe.....	86,490	7,229	116,924	10,524	3,030,246	271,904	2,930,535	245,602	2,210,670	196,092

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
BEEF PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CANNED (pounds)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....	92,040	7,904	37,036	3,240	1,247,519	97,262	507,124	38,895	1,562,056	134,936
Central American States and British Honduras.....	15,118	1,639	14,490	1,381	277,597	33,214	232,934	26,112	183,237	18,778
Mexico.....	11,573	1,208	8,994	1,212	108,476	13,205	104,892	13,241	129,394	17,148
Santo Domingo.....			482	51	910	72	370	33	1,256	117
Cuba.....			3,659	356	27,494	2,109	81,046	6,412	139,637	13,228
Porto Rico.....					1,824	144	384	30	600	50
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	54,958	5,213	42,263	3,719	336,840	29,018	421,888	33,059	328,433	32,126
Argentina.....	500	52	2,040	225	1,750	135	3,500	409	14,188	1,352
Brazil.....	5,000	601	10,881	782	212,700	16,962	171,624	16,548	163,382	16,376
Colombia.....	9,876	1,099	8,640	841	71,578	6,052	63,231	6,255	50,543	4,521
Other South America.....	10,807	996	17,496	1,731	142,096	11,698	124,961	11,556	120,994	11,598
China.....	16,310	2,253	9,660	1,265	169,784	15,718	173,028	24,335	111,505	15,475
East Indies—British.....	2,000	300	2,973	350	6,145	501	5,000	668	8,241	1,016
Hongkong.....	17,700	2,600	7,600	1,136	(a)	(a)	132,950	19,672	150,998	22,100
Japan.....	7,500	1,118	9,300	1,352	696,831	58,510	226,172	33,242	339,378	39,790
British Australasia.....	13,800	1,820			138,742	13,766	67,345	7,305	24,510	2,498
Other Asia and Oceania.....	19,150	2,944	105,060	15,208	568,835	80,589	343,525	59,273	537,965	78,024
Africa.....	484,895	38,793	290,242	28,064	6,075,998	474,391	4,523,871	362,670	5,169,214	437,722
Other countries.....					500	43	264	20		
Total.....	1,827,815	164,834	2,646,939	245,534	50,717,799	4,383,130	35,836,544	3,166,592	36,252,902	3,313,308
FRESH (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	22,715,755	1,990,438	28,657,709	2,372,014	267,787,848	20,791,889	249,606,790	20,779,907	249,954,242	20,830,949
British North America.....	40,575	2,846	436	39	36,608	2,131	144,335	9,634	480,179	38,835
West Indies and Bermuda.....			14,618	1,021	350,053	24,725	459,578	34,744	423,604	34,027
Other countries.....			81,524	6,727	1,000	66			172,195	14,063
Total.....	22,756,330	1,993,284	28,754,287	2,379,801	268,175,509	20,818,811	250,190,703	20,824,285	251,030,220	20,917,874
SALTED OR PICKLED, AND OTHER CURED (pounds)—										
Salted or pickled.....	4,280,072	248,951	3,150,117	176,019	61,523,884	3,355,697	41,573,557	2,203,065	42,796,128	2,330,706
Other cured.....	144,241	16,574	36,386	3,287	933,415	83,100	1,441,636	137,789	1,556,892	143,641
Total.....	4,424,313	265,525	3,186,503	179,286	65,457,299	3,438,797	43,015,193	2,340,453	44,353,020	2,474,347
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,725,261	104,358	1,424,756	91,908	36,511,338	2,046,458	18,060,063	1,045,965	18,750,872	1,116,755
France.....	77,660	4,300			228,366	10,595	237,775	16,378	168,400	9,704
Germany.....	471,850	34,912	228,650	10,211	4,704,183	240,767	4,589,150	236,100	5,368,647	289,063
Other Europe.....	512,235	25,980	367,825	19,028	7,257,354	370,844	5,311,489	277,982	6,505,071	338,004
British North America.....	267,250	14,314	249,958	11,786	5,271,893	229,901	3,195,360	146,020	3,409,183	166,499
Central American States and British Honduras.....	68,540	3,901	51,845	2,946	552,401	26,498	763,969	37,368	581,044	31,121
Mexico.....					3,340	194	8,275	492	11,254	580
Santo Domingo.....			17,044	880	49,650	2,223	33,800	1,643	72,344	3,777
Cuba.....			125,464	5,975	75,000	3,413	279,189	13,720	604,208	31,270
Porto Rico.....			2,800	150	146,700	6,940	16,709	859	20,900	1,075
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	747,312	45,527	440,301	21,895	6,024,514	284,334	5,426,933	283,983	4,368,279	231,668
Brazil.....			1,200	89	78,900	3,451	20,400	1,112	40,650	2,486
Colombia.....	29,355	1,698	21,200	1,095	267,387	12,156	220,655	11,500	238,393	12,521
Other South America.....	270,100	17,836	218,260	11,601	3,120,711	144,132	2,753,210	150,727	2,950,125	160,405
Asia and Oceania.....	251,810	12,506	400	30	784,797	39,326	1,417,625	65,650	997,250	64,845
Africa.....	3,090	173	36,800	1,692	361,863	16,755	603,500	30,163	245,390	13,388
Other countries.....					18,900	813	16,500	851	21,100	1,186
Total beef, salted, etc....	4,424,313	265,525	3,186,503	179,286	65,457,299	3,438,797	43,015,193	2,340,453	44,353,020	2,474,347

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
TALLOW (pounds)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	6,248,916	248,811	7,038,025	308,995	19,890,725	721,526	34,110,813	1,292,207	33,979,629	1,396,092
France.....	1,177,560	49,328	537,279	23,067	17,511,614	629,098	9,254,045	336,768	14,664,720	562,608
Germany.....	1,703,080	71,947	854,992	38,134	8,298,145	303,854	10,042,064	396,504	15,562,554	620,282
Other Europe.....	1,615,084	63,666	2,093,948	91,423	13,042,524	484,177	9,659,567	350,861	27,502,036	1,084,295
British North America.....	400	12	89,677	3,236	74,938	2,353	160,162	4,658	593,012	16,634
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	219,198	8,878	308,626	13,140	2,454,905	108,384	2,037,793	87,879	1,884,708	84,343
Mexico.....	16,480	780	64,729	2,570	963,495	35,407	589,996	22,481	771,200	31,589
Santo Domingo.....	7,973	321	1,600	66	525,892	20,567	685,220	26,160	374,090	15,822
Cuba.....			638	45	471,316	17,338	404,767	13,231	497,370	19,137
Porto Rico.....					4,565	256	5,307	287	6,515	347
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	100,148	4,916	60,065	3,068	2,048,429	91,892	1,940,445	81,237	1,201,890	55,597
Brazil.....	10,094	510	34,840	1,898	155,288	6,421	572,245	25,070	683,821	36,788
Colombia.....	25,918	1,302	33,943	1,854	162,054	8,142	371,883	16,175	235,685	12,062
Other South America.....	38,998	1,752	310,829	14,369	288,968	12,264	270,150	11,976	722,099	33,254
Asia and Oceania.....	105,116	4,267	31,175	1,485	19,035	718	131,323	5,267	410,519	20,492
Other countries.....			4,000	248	1,704	53	2,850	144	11,367	590
Total.....	11,268,965	456,490	11,464,366	503,508	65,913,597	2,442,450	70,238,630	2,670,905	99,101,215	3,989,932
HOG PRODUCTS—										
BACON (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	40,750,895	3,254,703	29,714,586	2,204,654	348,440,915	24,903,547	438,723,492	32,369,885	355,875,517	27,319,423
France.....	177,515	14,770	1,238,469	82,423	1,979,586	133,086	1,763,024	119,918	11,569,444	804,886
Germany.....	4,762,659	341,215	1,368,205	97,180	25,715,917	1,507,071	48,353,854	3,129,126	34,933,192	2,451,903
Other Europe.....	6,486,996	431,589	6,260,754	395,007	40,847,732	2,420,781	79,147,621	5,099,435	82,315,879	5,579,812
British North America.....	3,291,424	261,323	293,147	21,325	8,770,942	435,767	16,770,187	1,079,537	9,561,175	586,634
Central American States										
and British Honduras....	15,297	1,214	23,203	1,357	250,000	17,031	194,306	14,976	236,087	16,079
Mexico.....	6,583	734	39,443	2,982	93,589	8,757	85,919	8,874	163,102	15,218
Santo Domingo.....			3,555	206	41,506	2,405	21,165	1,412	25,812	1,583
Cuba.....			1,526,878	80,278	9,385,265	503,719	10,736,382	672,008	9,483,738	548,206
Porto Rico.....			110,060	6,963	579,810	30,953	496,391	33,013	1,018,636	66,792
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	94,858	7,156	25,455	2,229	471,288	35,087	538,661	41,596	640,645	44,343
Brazil.....	255,650	19,871	226,314	14,120	15,262,190	917,565	7,716,582	496,995	5,935,426	408,405
Colombia.....	2,962	219	870	57	27,420	1,625	17,399	1,273	22,305	1,554
Other South America.....	10,996	829	40,136	2,673	278,094	18,382	336,832	25,966	230,346	16,376
China.....	5,280	699	3,000	347	19,922	2,586	35,635	4,635	54,890	7,036
Other Asia and Oceania....	13,665	1,723	25,270	2,975	71,829	9,223	129,373	16,511	232,292	28,608
Africa.....	724	56	17,670	1,300	83,289	5,113	30,111	2,087	58,922	4,114
Other countries.....					300	22				
Total.....	55,875,504	4,336,101	40,917,975	2,916,076	452,319,594	30,952,720	605,096,954	43,117,247	512,357,408	37,900,972
HAMS (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	17,199,284	1,591,977	12,867,701	1,211,600	119,564,755	11,543,844	142,755,674	13,578,495	158,880,548	14,545,877
France.....	93,159	8,640	87,980	7,873	310,874	29,675	1,120,930	110,784	984,290	91,883
Germany.....	814,668	80,602	543,567	50,301	2,857,379	260,014	11,351,387	1,055,199	9,591,018	883,204
Other Europe.....	1,884,384	173,662	1,341,435	120,353	14,564,476	1,436,847	18,569,077	1,759,528	19,335,718	1,775,170
British North America.....	1,030,513	84,481	144,199	11,668	2,381,075	235,145	4,484,547	393,515	5,785,488	495,171
Central American States										
and British Honduras....	22,056	2,257	19,838	1,791	283,365	30,303	258,808	26,377	220,983	20,765
Mexico.....	17,441	1,939	21,759	2,310	247,370	27,094	181,143	20,247	259,379	28,982
Santo Domingo.....	602	69	5,783	608	57,264	6,709	48,184	5,400	61,647	6,938
Cuba.....			747,327	59,941	3,728,202	343,291	3,532,940	365,243	5,364,617	486,975
Porto Rico.....			7,043	723	828,333	73,914	602,415	50,941	122,254	11,204
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	243,829	20,134	208,925	20,225	1,172,171	115,458	1,401,047	126,916	1,534,746	134,430
Brazil.....	2,226	274	2,020	276	9,958	1,008	32,469	3,196	30,948	3,473
Colombia.....	22,052	1,718	22,634	1,875	160,200	13,889	143,629	12,824	163,610	13,865

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HAMS (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America.....	54,775	4,777	70,520	7,064	798,031	87,009	736,715	78,385	752,457	77,078
China.....	9,300	1,200	6,700	797	48,113	6,413	68,159	8,788	96,470	12,272
British Australasia.....	4,490	580	2,774	322	11,680	1,544	6,985	909	38,344	4,331
Other Asia and Oceania...	31,980	3,997	65,410	7,010	261,527	33,967	331,768	39,664	508,622	62,778
Africa.....	2,700	283	39,132	4,282	97,406	10,281	143,031	17,587	206,263	22,095
Other countries.....	2,206	217	764	72	4,809	497	14,527	1,347	22,983	1,789
Total.....	21,435,075	1,976,870	16,205,461	1,509,691	147,386,988	14,256,905	185,783,435	17,655,375	203,963,385	18,078,880
PORK (pounds)—										
Fresh.....	947,213	68,020	2,612,002	173,671	1,130,471	82,443	10,595,560	707,828	39,651,684	2,605,526
Salted or pickled.....	10,657,267	641,510	10,047,422	579,916	62,808,156	3,102,170	81,399,037	4,502,073	127,891,494	7,375,424
Total.....	11,604,480	709,530	12,659,424	753,587	63,938,627	3,184,613	91,994,606	5,209,901	107,543,178	9,980,950
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	3,098,240	212,151	7,017,434	451,636	18,062,192	1,041,953	29,126,011	1,848,225	84,961,969	5,428,725
France.....	17,600	900	28,220	1,693	131,550	8,037	95,700	4,660	202,936	11,972
Germany.....	1,270,897	70,646	816,164	46,246	1,901,437	101,583	8,955,729	488,078	14,846,028	787,642
Other Europe.....	3,410,252	194,223	1,338,647	79,338	2,711,641	157,479	12,264,615	713,071	25,644,190	1,521,617
British North America...	1,222,420	77,993	1,228,285	62,262	11,599,920	529,078	14,169,705	764,775	16,865,563	922,941
Central American States and British Honduras..	108,213	6,036	85,565	4,006	1,188,270	52,368	1,349,824	66,078	1,163,749	56,993
Santo Domingo.....	4,000	264	15,800	816	84,300	3,832	65,400	3,468	88,800	4,784
Cuba.....			108,163	6,090	207,660	9,361	267,600	14,103	664,715	35,177
Porto Rico.....			377,400	17,255	3,167,200	140,014	3,556,700	176,219	3,003,800	156,640
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,076,818	123,304	1,131,693	57,814	20,380,125	926,919	17,864,404	907,137	15,218,297	790,121
Brazil.....	20,000	1,400	800	40	304,400	17,272	31,100	1,955	91,200	5,880
Colombia.....	27,300	1,084	16,900	881	128,622	6,462	138,539	7,919	145,974	8,103
Other South America.....	326,920	19,516	405,100	19,978	3,587,950	160,956	3,749,840	191,316	4,170,659	220,583
Asia and Oceania.....	3,320	264	26,900	2,284	272,835	18,779	138,010	9,319	166,930	12,534
Africa.....			46,200	2,299	104,700	5,287	96,600	5,971	146,800	7,990
Other countries.....	18,500	1,149	16,153	949	105,825	5,233	124,829	7,007	161,068	9,218
Total.....	11,604,480	709,530	12,659,424	753,587	63,938,627	3,184,613	91,994,606	5,209,901	107,543,178	9,980,950
LARD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	27,391,688	1,821,012	20,303,882	1,216,725	172,192,152	9,031,997	222,437,853	12,633,206	185,974,168	11,186,884
France.....	1,261,973	76,015	1,791,810	97,447	19,966,450	961,125	20,407,734	1,071,710	29,420,664	1,675,870
Germany.....	24,822,665	1,586,064	13,068,478	757,895	153,551,430	7,707,067	219,593,290	11,927,627	213,339,238	12,703,305
Other Europe.....	14,424,916	870,945	12,622,383	742,063	95,964,468	4,894,940	129,091,163	7,024,002	147,673,534	8,071,648
British North America....	1,979,216	108,524	27,654	1,746	4,703,488	216,349	5,540,669	290,263	6,987,279	371,628
Central American States and British Honduras....	288,765	19,236	320,979	17,437	1,756,915	94,272	2,368,386	136,102	2,517,380	145,781
Mexico.....	310,906	16,920	264,343	14,015	6,684,724	308,932	3,474,632	170,085	2,989,563	155,180
Santo Domingo.....	8,500	485	43,602	2,530	367,210	20,013	331,670	19,029	393,561	23,253
Cuba.....			3,238,148	161,855	23,078,634	1,141,332	20,139,515	1,027,657	23,834,089	1,273,588
Porto Rico.....			504,091	27,960	4,179,721	208,706	3,609,131	190,630	4,231,789	228,532
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	961,054	68,309	454,850	28,550	6,389,062	374,427	5,850,157	380,104	5,081,277	335,468
Argentina.....			6,960	477	81,903	4,558	43,162	2,954	51,680	3,483
Brazil.....	812,057	60,321	1,748,701	111,018	10,531,243	620,033	14,957,810	942,318	16,174,634	1,118,869
Colombia.....	277,770	16,618	163,963	10,037	2,629,675	137,512	1,910,934	110,178	1,429,674	83,429
Other South America.....	1,410,731	96,507	1,082,278	68,867	10,749,208	598,448	9,875,511	609,260	8,773,757	568,930
Asia and Oceania.....	56,010	4,301	122,934	8,279	366,259	25,863	621,028	43,755	1,077,508	69,978
Africa.....	149,940	11,858	318,172	24,425	1,306,041	83,382	1,789,882	126,760	2,818,218	207,035
Other countries.....					42,911	2,316	41,800	2,498	53,492	3,033
Total.....	74,156,191	4,757,135	56,173,229	3,291,326	514,541,494	26,454,272	662,193,327	36,708,144	652,821,505	38,823,894

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
LARD (pounds)—Continued.										
Lard compounds, and substitutes for (cottonseed, lardine, etc.)	2,691,857	Dollars. 147,217	1,258,951	Dollars. 65,916	14,684,244	Dollars. 786,644	18,902,327	Dollars. 987,896	19,610,455	Dollars. 1,066,929
Casings for sausages		103,957		129,916		1,358,345		1,685,036		1,520,196
Mutton.....lbs..	1,010	109	15,533	1,097	349,500	27,313	327,388	27,803	373,182	28,963
OLEO AND OLEOMARGARINE (pounds)—										
Oleo, the oil	12,911,263	785,200	13,083,108	908,272	101,678,819	6,055,517	120,062,167	7,147,889	124,950,563	8,019,020
Oleomargarine, imitation butter	952,340	76,123	445,406	41,694	4,550,477	442,317	3,926,044	346,562	5,115,911	467,898
Total	13,863,603	861,323	13,528,514	949,966	106,229,296	6,497,834	123,988,211	7,494,451	130,066,474	8,486,918
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	702,030	45,125	760,519	48,683	6,522,685	409,890	8,357,026	503,837	7,138,779	438,854
Germany.....	2,879,214	187,344	2,454,367	177,647	22,778,736	1,290,995	28,698,246	1,724,498	27,302,793	1,838,167
Netherlands.....	9,217,050	555,700	7,274,213	505,927	62,835,139	3,882,218	73,399,444	4,394,983	74,862,709	4,766,296
Other Europe	798,509	47,974	2,624,073	178,683	10,004,420	555,837	10,640,553	615,766	17,159,451	1,111,684
British North America.....	15,098	768	46,418	3,164	1,115,623	56,503	800,458	48,066	813,182	50,068
Central American States and British Honduras....	1,040	148	2,060	222	680	76	8,610	1,006	20,975	2,324
Mexico.....	625	66	640	60	5,900	642	8,277	889	7,514	731
Porto Rico			25,990	2,885					182,011	20,249
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	184,540	16,953	225,170	20,624	2,354,767	239,428	1,561,375	150,816	1,948,387	192,671
Colombia.....	8,069	758	4,500	377	80,336	6,822	81,610	7,290	99,324	9,072
Other South America	11,090	1,150	32,100	3,445	266,075	27,955	148,266	14,733	187,712	20,085
Asia and Oceania	31,199	3,845	43,214	4,546	93,018	9,474	176,396	20,758	243,109	26,667
Other countries	15,328	1,492	35,250	3,503	174,827	17,994	107,920	11,809	100,528	10,050
Total	13,863,603	861,323	13,528,514	949,966	106,229,296	6,497,834	123,988,211	7,494,451	130,066,474	8,486,918
Poultry and game		3,052		18,265		69,334		83,486		166,010
All other meat products.....		404,714		501,982		2,655,786		3,846,678		5,278,173
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
BUTTER (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	504,603	73,559	376,223	55,306	17,603,468	2,676,318	13,629,900	2,092,263	9,988,356	1,661,890
Germany.....	65,399	9,177	29,551	4,670	2,565,386	301,042	1,375,308	162,728	811,038	117,566
Other Europe	78,274	10,306	55,847	7,630	2,304,007	261,720	844,980	101,877	846,060	123,196
British North America.....	117,481	20,749	57,719	10,125	1,366,008	213,166	3,315,031	507,055	1,900,529	309,961
Central American States and British Honduras.....	22,445	4,115	22,298	3,825	237,570	40,727	256,522	44,814	225,536	42,222
Mexico.....	28,236	4,936	19,743	3,590	216,348	36,189	222,728	39,339	263,332	46,767
Santo Domingo.....			4,765	841	45,851	6,327	43,763	6,151	71,007	10,244
Cuba.....			25,348	4,283	52,518	9,466	42,715	8,087	557,202	94,340
Porto Rico.....			4,345	857	29,925	3,597	18,900	2,407	43,701	7,738
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	169,098	24,780	185,455	28,659	1,836,188	268,000	1,712,913	261,260	1,877,679	302,395
Brazil.....	75,646	9,893	170,120	21,195	269,653	34,381	694,646	86,873	1,251,072	157,387
Colombia.....	14,453	2,296	7,656	1,094	125,473	16,744	129,467	18,818	73,785	13,394
Other South America	75,246	10,493	117,311	18,566	619,595	80,625	574,064	80,029	808,758	124,089
China.....	1,470	336	2,100	410	23,086	4,210	21,555	4,688	21,377	4,919
Japan.....	2,915	694	4,200	900	76,480	13,836	109,523	21,945	90,695	18,222
Other Asia and Oceania.....	86,635	15,249	28,798	5,914	134,029	24,295	241,985	50,196	207,872	46,537
Africa.....	900	155			12,854	2,303	19,481	3,744	14,347	2,824
Other countries	8,628	1,296	3,500	485	7,793	1,086	29,975	4,641	22,936	3,471
Total	1,251,429	188,034	1,114,979	168,350	27,526,232	3,994,032	23,283,476	3,496,985	19,075,276	3,087,162
CHEESE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,880,306	172,794	1,551,648	153,265	32,673,214	3,017,933	34,193,253	2,969,437	17,000,955	1,502,687
Germany.....					520	76	105	9		
British North America.....	447,243	30,463	1,401,061	128,085	5,092,253	481,362	10,732,036	896,826	11,571,527	915,091

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CHEESE (pounds)—Continued.										
Central American States and		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Honduras	11,783	1,339	9,746	1,203	153,273	17,619	143,860	16,340	136,726	15,993
Mexico	8,823	1,048	18,553	2,197	112,703	13,683	112,416	13,224	151,830	18,068
Santo Domingo			3,017	375	36,624	4,215	27,327	3,282	36,135	4,457
Cuba			37,444	4,732	57,166	10,094	219,531	25,888	607,934	73,747
Porto Rico			27,717	3,387	21,961	2,437	12,167	1,535	194,037	24,385
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda	82,556	9,763	58,923	6,796	782,386	95,626	705,578	83,635	655,935	77,432
Brazil					745	80	2,285	257	5,615	638
Colombia	10,470	1,223	6,505	807	82,331	10,215	86,047	10,436	58,049	7,222
Other South America	6,246	788	3,782	499	111,198	13,754	124,079	15,868	102,422	12,345
China	5,780	645	5,000	560	40,140	4,433	44,264	4,817	101,620	11,123
Japan	2,540	277	2,100	235	36,545	3,982	32,209	3,467	50,660	5,715
Other Asia and Oceania	20,360	2,220	25,370	2,950	172,698	19,412	230,170	24,764	305,843	34,588
Other countries			4,442	458	19,960	2,334	10,368	1,141	16,394	1,749
Total	2,476,107	220,560	3,155,308	305,549	39,993,737	3,697,255	46,675,695	4,070,920	30,995,582	2,705,240
Milk		31,691		93,594		503,034		641,626		956,855
Total provisions, etc.		16,620,426		14,013,534		125,521,275		154,027,792		159,378,603
Quicksilver	127,689	57,200	85,209	40,772	1,068,240	423,766	937,557	399,131	1,019,449	470,174
Rice	8,933	362	32,596	1,612	(a)	(a)	584,292	24,926	768,669	35,042
Rice bran, meal, and polish ..	167,592	875	1,290,224	7,232	3,099,266	17,498	4,673,914	29,768	14,301,985	79,108
Salt	1,678,859	5,586	2,895,654	9,035	(a)	(a)	16,241,567	62,469	23,624,632	79,437
Seeds:										
Clover	1,380,576	83,936	522,686	37,427	12,952,939	994,016	30,533,338	1,854,121	19,311,203	1,226,953
Cotton	640,640	3,755	2,562,338	13,578	26,313,544	168,924	32,484,957	195,633	32,846,011	191,078
Flaxseed or linseed			6	5	4,319,474	3,513,839	257,228	231,237	2,830,991	2,815,449
Timothy	299,692	8,666	819,379	24,116	16,674,796	572,638	10,235,987	317,080	15,753,705	480,156
Other grass seeds		5,877		3,475				165,612		154,226
All other		6,966		10,730		421,707		145,634		145,119
Total		109,194		89,331		5,671,214		2,999,317		5,012,981
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		20,056		20,359		2,860,162		1,061,129		842,916
France		5,405		5		118,730		43,274		171,384
Germany		43,334		38,543		602,657		810,375		877,490
Other Europe		21,512		1,839		1,291,358		384,834		1,638,583
British North America		13,196		19,755		694,568		480,791		1,379,747
Central American States and										
British Honduras		373		1,139		9,574		5,020		4,447
Mexico		458		302		19,959		29,079		15,394
Santo Domingo		78		17		424		742		206
Cuba				204		3,358		2,612		3,526
Porto Rico				100		303		19		497
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda		200		237		3,833		3,800		4,226
Argentina		20		439		722		368		7,794
Brazil				36		1,578		858		1,035
Colombia		16		3		2,404		1,532		1,352
Other South America		237		575		4,594		2,006		2,288
China		100				590		809		581
British Australasia		3,791		4,534		50,295		75,321		50,194
Other Asia and Oceania		418		682		4,331		5,244		7,045
Africa				562		1,709		1,504		4,276
Total seeds		109,194		89,331		5,671,214		2,999,317		5,012,981
Shells		4,814		11,325		(a)		101,942		102,177
Silk, manufactures of		34,885		24,567		208,362		272,326		276,279

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Soap:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Toilet or fancy		49,645		32,414		181,296		255,290		294,034
Other.....lbs.	2,269,596	72,353	2,915,654	128,168	22,587,964	867,238	26,324,485	1,027,506	28,625,914	999,672
Total.....		121,998		160,582		1,048,534		1,282,796		1,293,706
Spermaceti and spermaceti wax.....lbs.	42,607	11,727	16,854	4,510	209,718	66,839	217,007	63,158	199,360	53,936
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
ALCOHOL—										
Wood.....	17,951	6,900	91,870	56,500			379,775	195,397	624,516	354,500
Other, including pure, neutral, or cologne spirits.....	138,811	49,363	223,745	67,003	400,156	134,184	1,494,565	433,238	1,427,555	410,938
Brandy.....	3,417	7,264	1,492	2,277	11,642	12,250	24,272	38,476	19,622	27,960
Rum.....	51,199	67,204	20,897	25,509	735,686	1,004,961	597,169	831,492	669,676	924,386
WHISKY—										
Bourbon.....	6,078	8,794	18,708	23,030	479,537	365,328	240,212	197,803	211,495	244,454
Rye.....	1,821	3,220	4,522	6,842	20,712	37,296	16,813	29,648	100,291	147,252
All other.....	3,263	3,134	1,277	2,194	460,909	205,640	34,301	27,519	18,763	22,883
Total.....	222,540	145,879	362,601	183,355	2,108,642	1,759,659	2,787,107	1,753,573	3,071,918	2,132,373
Starch.....lbs.	9,645,317	220,930	6,140,621	124,937	67,731,548	1,487,879	64,945,743	1,221,995	102,114,040	2,106,418
Stationery, except of paper.....		91,006		102,458		840,974		920,659		1,028,629
Stereotype and electrotype plates.....		4,446		3,729		63,129		57,216		56,669
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of.....		29,963		42,669		274,386		289,152		328,795
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....galls.	156,337	15,648	81,735	16,834			3,381,673	236,629	5,442,690	421,099
Sirup.....galls.	528,016	74,805	895,398	139,860	8,439,542	747,818	7,190,067	734,369	8,784,516	1,282,107
Sugar, brown.....lbs.	13,776	553	13,600	465	1,097,997	34,004	451,232	17,008	383,219	13,453
SUGAR, REFINED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	38,700	1,775			491,835	20,127	547,132	24,698	308,967	15,051
Germany.....					10,690	535	2,075	98	280	15
Other Europe.....			710	38	15,593	786	5,949	318	2,010	98
British North America.....	5,969	379	321,800	13,019	34,463	2,313	64,786	4,069	1,869,131	84,232
Central American States and British Honduras.....	51,780	2,702	27,526	1,369	1,235,715	56,204	983,644	47,488	362,516	17,601
Mexico.....	2,288	128	142,049	8,555	465,268	22,737	290,444	13,541	525,853	25,248
Santo Domingo.....			740	41	43,425	2,041	28,325	1,504	20,538	1,116
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	174,343	10,058	267,392	11,826	2,203,248	106,883	1,736,716	93,871	1,982,304	101,156
Colombia.....	23,368	1,312	21,154	1,098	869,434	41,507	501,207	25,513	284,266	13,598
Other South America.....	1,999	123	2,411	131	40,033	1,987	91,355	5,141	37,390	2,042
Other Asia and Oceania.....	85,008	3,990	452,518	15,923	936,834	43,509	1,040,804	49,511	2,831,583	106,763
Africa.....	12,665	687	39,100	1,288	449,080	22,786	284,332	14,577	284,522	14,511
Total.....	396,120	21,154	1,275,380	53,288	6,795,618	321,415	5,576,769	280,329	8,529,360	381,431
Candy and confectionery.....		79,888		55,142		560,351		669,176		554,803
Total sugar and molasses.....		192,043		265,589		1,604,578		1,937,511		2,652,893
Tin, manufactures of.....		23,918		46,379		271,993		232,370		323,585
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Leaf.....	9,683,853	833,392	17,488,456	1,513,948	290,055,833	23,226,199	233,486,700	20,250,191	248,985,747	23,009,850
Stems and trimmings.....	903,609	22,534	991,624	26,245	8,539,861	187,752	9,551,191	197,850	9,435,891	197,552
Total.....	10,587,462	855,926	18,480,080	1,540,193	298,595,694	23,413,951	243,037,891	20,448,041	258,421,638	23,207,402
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,819,011	268,932	5,693,694	449,975	85,775,110	7,756,610	83,796,023	8,135,308	79,760,854	7,329,181
France.....	19,565	2,600	92,182	7,643	22,691,540	1,748,817	19,614,848	1,555,883	23,421,626	1,900,929
Germany.....	2,671,621	169,356	2,223,596	162,772	62,140,097	4,266,601	52,710,122	3,651,177	44,206,162	3,515,516
Other Europe.....	2,879,449	203,006	1,936,083	151,099	102,608,565	7,171,617	67,007,585	5,163,947	68,480,360	6,258,928
British North America.....	403,920	42,382	1,281,008	123,214	14,409,565	1,461,254	6,755,717	654,056	10,513,860	1,047,079
Central American States and British Honduras.....	12,221	1,635	28,554	3,691	123,703	14,426	207,954	29,849	166,520	23,375

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Tobacco, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEAF, STEMS AND TRIMMINGS—										
Continued.										
Exported to (pounds)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico.....	177,323	15,142	72,895	4,808	1,441,648	107,637	1,716,077	129,563	1,062,382	131,511
West Indies and Bermuda...	387,207	35,408	207,461	19,979	2,558,977	234,535	2,880,617	281,643	2,545,363	249,542
Argentina.....	23,759	1,200	23,735	2,345	56,990	4,055	94,590	5,104	321,154	22,425
Colombia.....	5,068	786	4,375	506	17,593	2,356	49,609	7,218	41,289	5,485
Other South America.....	66,103	6,613	86,856	7,359	1,030,273	85,750	1,066,555	89,912	969,081	87,320
Japan.....	781,927	63,000	6,339,164	556,795	802,148	51,761	2,358,899	173,710	19,898,289	1,921,954
British Australasia.....	300,924	41,010	128,391	19,061	1,666,083	247,135	2,128,074	314,589	2,649,871	363,635
Other Asia and Oceania.....	3,500	1,004	1,295	272	202,133	16,299	238,245	21,195	513,343	39,243
Africa.....	35,504	3,556	360,591	30,700	3,069,740	244,919	2,410,976	234,638	3,269,884	311,094
Other countries.....	300	36	200	25	1,520	179	2,000	243	1,600	185
Total unmanufactured...	10,587,462	855,926	18,480,080	1,540,193	298,595,694	23,413,951	243,037,891	20,448,041	258,421,638	23,207,402
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars.....M.	181	2,489	559	14,206	1,830	38,224	1,505	36,522	3,450	70,582
Cigarettes.....M.	94,486	174,007	68,607	127,330	835,730	1,769,919	899,317	1,794,697	1,064,517	2,009,514
Plug.....lbs.	709,648	160,658	783,471	184,093			8,778,224	1,925,647	8,398,620	1,980,337
All other.....		70,303		76,845		2,739,182		625,655		718,573
Total.....		407,452		402,474		4,547,325		4,382,521		4,779,006
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		58,465		45,718		1,447,301		1,102,932		677,754
France.....		144		585		14,060		16,454		12,116
Germany.....		11,893		4,488		181,712		121,791		69,343
Other Europe.....		31,930		27,635		303,927		289,696		325,051
British North America.....		4,715		3,225		59,273		57,390		68,760
Central American States and British Honduras.....		6,831		4,689		58,782		44,026		50,706
Mexico.....		339		9,231		12,973		17,725		18,313
Cuba.....				13,917		100,076		146,292		146,072
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		16,472		13,128		182,111		137,476		121,823
Argentina.....		537				48,414		2,344		4,176
Brazil.....						1,355		560		500
Colombia.....		128		1,030		1,242		3,112		5,382
Other South America.....		9,102		8,904		58,874		73,178		80,094
China.....		37,120		35,822		206,475		304,079		280,937
East Indies—British.....		17,945		13,169		118,124		128,578		223,139
Hongkong.....		6,432		2,267		(a)		42,931		55,445
Japan.....		47,300		7,479		360,132		435,277		476,193
British Australasia.....		111,831		164,624		870,647		1,097,699		1,651,854
Other Asia and Oceania.....		30,623		21,629		205,780		177,416		241,459
Africa.....		15,645		24,940		314,477		179,503		269,005
Other countries.....						690		4,062		884
Total manufactures of.....		407,452		402,474		4,547,325		4,382,521		4,779,006
Toys.....		31,271		11,854		127,202		164,541		140,111
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.....		9,741		12,492		87,900		94,419		120,358
Varnish.....galls.	47,015	51,570	44,783	47,607	361,157	383,276	364,939	380,950	402,289	424,960
Vegetables:										
Beans and pease.....bush.	31,969	46,403	54,463	83,031	806,609	991,750	810,104	1,034,726	809,709	1,176,052
Onions.....bush.	2,996	4,518	3,978	3,924	69,098	55,795	94,839	85,736	157,961	126,999
Potatoes.....bush.	14,378	10,019	18,277	17,122	854,849	471,619	582,491	444,832	540,322	415,632
Vegetables, canned.....		26,784		23,431		331,938		367,955		524,651
All other, including pickles and sauces.....		29,909		40,517		198,941		208,951		321,012
Total.....		117,633		168,025		2,100,043		2,242,200		2,564,346
Vessels sold to foreigners (tons):										
Steamers.....	16	7,625	14	3,284	1,123	153,263	655	114,897	124	41,350
Sailing vessels.....	655	7,500			144	2,427	1,136	12,300	1,439	17,225
Total.....	671	15,125	14	3,284	1,267	155,690	1,791	127,197	1,563	58,575

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Vinegar.....galls..	16,480	1,839	12,140	1,321	84,205	10,467	97,157	11,671	97,824	12,416
Whalebone.....lbs..	3,018	9,903	26,853	69,555	98,515	342,412	109,133	322,170	127,617	351,825
Wine:										
In bottles.....doz..	1,741	10,025	850	3,676	15,132	62,210	9,082	43,860	10,483	49,568
In other coverings.....galls..	200,700	83,553	105,882	44,768	1,252,375	565,543	1,466,179	611,796	1,394,156	580,774
Total.....		93,578		48,444		627,753		655,656		630,342
Wood, and manufactures of:										
TIMBER AND UNMANUFACTURED										
WOOD—										
Sawed.....M feet..	41,140	397,918	67,609	604,595	327,492	3,417,966	305,529	3,114,601	375,651	3,727,978
Hewn.....cubic feet..	1,172,178	232,581	945,697	174,100	4,783,280	905,411	5,064,758	1,041,766	4,051,443	677,005
Logs, and other.....		201,293		357,315		3,595,950		2,753,263		2,930,419
Total.....		831,792		1,136,010		7,919,327		6,909,630		7,335,402
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		380,272		622,490		3,738,962		2,771,925		3,049,674
France.....		28,422		57,620		214,858		285,957		343,401
Germany.....		119,496		108,247		1,191,696		1,189,697		1,048,068
Other Europe.....		84,123		198,298		1,005,668		1,031,052		1,310,346
British North America.....		169,339		79,102		889,826		969,723		755,568
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		522		691		133,959		48,884		27,388
Mexico.....		28,673		21,926		239,910		231,789		251,445
Cuba.....				3,151		19,254		14,863		36,507
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....		394				28,487		5,046		5,143
Argentina.....				4,577		33,799		7,085		18,090
Brazil.....						18,434		7,278		4,524
Colombia.....		1,344		1,583		20,273		23,737		22,187
Other South America.....		240				18,146		49,540		26,102
British Australasia.....		766		26,385		166,264		153,322		238,332
Other Asia and Oceania.....		13,184		12,025		50,699		78,984		92,823
Africa.....		5,017				119,092		40,748		105,705
Total.....		831,792		1,136,010		7,919,327		6,909,630		7,335,402
LUMBER (M feet)—										
Beams, deals, and planks.....	76,195	1,120,203	97,657	1,477,425	785,506	11,665,661	718,875	10,972,828	864,582	13,297,508
Joists and scantling.....	2,567	26,209	2,505	27,476	32,630	330,792	33,462	365,647	32,472	351,349
Total.....	78,762	1,146,412	100,162	1,504,901	818,136	11,996,453	752,337	11,338,475	897,054	13,648,857
Exported to (M feet)—										
United Kingdom.....	11,600	263,084	18,080	409,753	119,753	2,771,423	111,397	2,598,354	128,505	3,064,188
France.....	1,978	33,169	4,080	54,731	18,477	269,685	25,513	360,339	28,116	411,301
Germany.....	4,400	102,099	7,347	121,196	23,559	526,653	33,388	726,822	45,873	974,132
Other Europe.....	13,129	189,706	17,755	280,874	92,670	1,366,748	105,066	1,796,929	133,737	2,377,025
British North America.....	8,705	124,675	7,162	101,210	50,894	699,887	68,762	944,071	82,308	1,163,634
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....	133	2,195	433	6,477	11,640	131,497	2,954	35,279	4,490	56,631
Mexico.....	6,227	73,798	5,635	63,950	63,847	920,868	59,995	773,528	66,474	712,417
Santo Domingo.....	203	4,181	308	4,212	3,654	60,380	2,588	36,370	1,926	30,636
Cuba.....			8,188	87,470	25,334	266,007	23,897	258,076	61,693	695,033
Porto Rico.....			831	11,620	8,776	114,843	4,050	51,129	4,492	56,527
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda.....	1,839	27,953	3,602	36,364	53,061	772,390	32,893	466,992	42,887	588,141
Argentina.....	6,703	74,113	6,694	74,208	78,637	950,096	71,476	829,997	82,808	912,671
Brazil.....	1,222	18,171	375	6,710	48,802	627,363	46,331	593,583	30,435	390,940
Colombia.....	458	5,927	840	9,062	3,872	52,019	4,183	54,277	3,476	45,330
Other South America.....	8,103	75,970	5,036	73,716	55,685	614,352	40,160	462,223	36,397	472,343
China.....	2,186	16,953	2,866	27,532	7,371	60,709	14,852	101,254	15,487	138,545
Hongkong.....	121	1,095	101	2,320	(a)	(a)	843	10,382	2,304	22,941
Japan.....	110	2,005	83	1,160	16,739	145,050	7,520	60,043	1,228	13,451

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.										
LUMBER (M feet)—Continued.										
Exported to (M feet)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....	5,912	58,658	3,494	32,259	60,656	598,173	36,585	401,988	41,832	460,820
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	4,990	53,550	3,968	36,725	31,199	312,130	38,401	367,778	49,026	476,343
Africa.....	613	19,303	3,217	59,184	43,247	690,944	21,331	406,890	33,305	583,050
Other countries.....	70	716	64	1,268	263	5,236	147	2,171	165	2,783
Total boards, deals, etc..	78,702	1,146,412	100,162	1,504,901	818,136	11,986,453	752,337	11,333,475	897,054	13,648,857
Shingles.....M.	5,610	8,797	6,186	11,041	55,616	99,066	44,302	91,434	66,873	115,207
Shooks—										
Box.....		34,245		46,791		475,266		447,094		387,486
Other.....No.	9,680	8,921	82,114	29,394	646,304	531,501	526,098	532,301	658,541	549,233
Staves.....No.	3,898,170	229,291	2,200,537	217,671		3,433,749	50,263,136	3,256,848	40,613,972	3,363,420
Heading.....		17,763		10,940				197,619		167,667
All other.....		299,442		300,404		2,860,806		2,902,043		2,820,635
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds.....		75,916		98,398		499,031		736,015		1,065,982
FURNITURE, N. E. S.—										
United Kingdom.....		110,495		124,328		869,535		924,923		997,009
France.....		20,645		2,984		178,095		229,575		70,837
Germany.....		24,067		9,880		211,541		285,715		160,598
Other Europe.....		22,749		26,636		207,988		238,953		208,905
British North America.....		67,241		43,354		574,533		477,190		404,109
Central American States and										
British Honduras.....		1,810		3,258		135,802		71,516		33,376
Mexico.....		13,297		24,758		174,942		143,001		221,224
Santo Domingo.....				542		11,124		10,666		7,234
Cuba.....				19,769		29,749		24,910		78,472
Porto Rico.....				3,532		14,999		6,041		19,453
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		8,432		7,031		129,970		104,970		87,066
Argentina.....		473		2,246		79,375		59,967		59,935
Brazil.....		1,978		3,329		46,185		35,073		29,474
Colombia.....		2,183		2,768		36,044		31,383		26,361
Other South America.....		7,796		9,390		96,363		70,959		64,577
China.....		1,315		929		29,703		20,790		9,733
East Indies: British.....		2,069		546		15,682		18,055		6,894
Japan.....		1,125		1,119		27,363		26,599		15,562
British Australasia.....		17,179		22,357		185,441		171,350		240,723
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		14,890		33,609		93,538		137,134		221,925
Africa.....		6,825		30,623		303,858		297,719		306,657
Other countries.....		70		75		1,909		3,145		1,679
Total furniture, n. e. s.....		324,639		373,063		3,452,912		3,388,734		3,271,803
Hogsheads and barrels, empty.....		16,984		19,523		240,526		217,633		198,285
Trimmings, moldings, and other										
house finishings.....		21,885		38,616		174,416		252,309		342,504
Wooden ware.....		64,565		84,574		492,925		446,643		661,739
Wood pulp.....lbs.	2,000,992	29,447	3,652,531	53,419	(a)	(a)	47,716,014	490,742	53,645,093	660,562
All other.....		263,540		266,299		2,980,375		2,741,874		2,718,010
Total wood and manufac-										
tures of.....		3,373,639		4,191,044		35,146,353		33,949,394		37,315,792
Wool, and manufactures of:										
Wool, raw.....lbs.			665,411	90,461	5,225,997	612,070	121,139	18,071	998,548	127,207
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets.....yards..	2,325	2,359	19,299	11,676	218,055	167,499	166,479	142,746	102,391	76,199
Dress goods.....yards..	1,827	946	997	782	(a)	(a)	78,887	40,204	27,126	16,550
Flannels and blankets.....		3,245		2,320		54,997		43,836		40,877
Wearing apparel.....		30,813		45,399		364,925		403,775		492,980
All other manufactures of.....		19,652		30,089		294,717		389,089		351,191
Total manufactures.....		57,015		90,266		882,138		1,019,650		977,797

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Zinc, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ore tons..	2,345	66,870	.....	.....	4,409	103,925	10,097	279,412	13,844	400,485
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets										
..... lbs..	3,086,614	154,195	453,892	21,049	32,719,113	1,597,734	23,979,604	1,156,500	18,278,868	963,533
All other manufactures of.....		7,517	.....	13,359	.....	64,517	.....	81,634	.....	163,005
Total, not including ore.....		161,712	.....	34,408	.....	1,662,251	.....	1,238,154	.....	1,126,538
ALL OTHER ARTICLES		457,012	.....	615,294	.....	4,211,726	.....	3,993,825	.....	5,317,597
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE		108,715,406	.....	91,253,186	.....	960,120,120	.....	1,117,279,616	.....	1,109,555,804
CARRIED IN—										
CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES		6,241,770	.....	7,812,686	.....	54,053,993	.....	60,960,157	.....	69,286,669
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS		3,409,198	.....	7,624,862	.....	49,256,772	.....	43,973,032	.....	40,184,856
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Belgian.....	1,294,978		1,214,166				17,327,518		15,152,581	
British.....	72,306,446		50,587,498				715,982,200		702,346,414	
Dutch.....	1,866,233		2,143,784				18,775,445		24,225,300	
French.....	1,299,724		1,558,468				15,112,468		14,322,105	
German.....	9,963,005	91,706,472	9,058,207	69,601,553	a 771,844,290		82,370,609	914,069,550	98,725,261	920,639,593
Italian.....			235,050				941,986		2,371,373	
Norwegian.....	2,631,225		2,138,039				22,305,893		23,068,664	
All other.....	2,344,861		2,665,741				42,153,431		40,427,895	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS		1,420,713	.....	1,818,205	.....	21,551,282	.....	17,191,419	.....	17,859,237
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....									2,889	
British.....	3,588,726		2,261,057				54,551,760		30,119,223	
Dutch.....	178,750		192,209				552,842		982,742	
French.....	126,732		57,564				1,545,201		931,124	
German.....	439,669	5,937,253	249,936	4,395,880			7,651,594	80,185,458	6,275,966	52,585,449
Italian.....	226,098		201,553			63,413,783			3,714,936	
Norwegian.....	951,552		769,258				8,067,001		6,521,963	
All other.....	425,726		664,303				3,694,607		4,036,666	

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EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Animals (number):								
Cattle.....dut.....					23	1,230	4,307	63,770
Horses.....free.....					8	2,550	3	102
Do.....dut.....	4	1,000	36	1,410	148	72,298	208	56,015
Sheep.....dut.....					67	390	61	875
All other, including fowls.....free.....		44				203		9,050
Do.....dut.....						6,946		6,367
Total.....		1,044		1,410		83,617		136,179
Antimony ore.....free..lbs..					2,246	157	32,075	627
Antimony ore, as regulus or metal.....dut..lbs..			16,815	1,275	28,549	1,952	16,815	1,275
Articles, the growth, produce, and manufacture of the United States, returned, n. e. s.....free.....						200		120
Articles for the use of the United States, etc.....free.....						144		
Art works.....free.....		36,470		152		84,297		11,205
Do.....dut.....		28,721		70,458		306,686		423,590
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude.....dut..tons..	46	1,095	23	463	156	3,797	987	19,366
Bolting cloths.....free.....								1,000
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured.....free.....		2,076		107		5,833		4,115
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....		78		143		2,104		759
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....free.....		2,707		2,164		34,679		22,739
Do.....dut.....		1,468		2,727		20,163		23,341
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut.....				57		1,343		1,294
Breadstuffs:								
Barley.....dut..bush..							86	29
Corn.....dut..bush..							1,480	463
Wheat.....dut..bush..	28,870	41,695			1,853,287	1,785,235	1,930,429	1,447,797
Wheat flour.....dut..bbls..	1	11			1,428	4,911	1,044	3,898
All other, and preparations of, etc.....free.....		406		618		6,546		4,697
Do.....dut.....		1,811		49		4,931		3,226
Total.....		43,923		667		1,801,623		1,460,110
Bristles (pounds):								
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....					40	18	4,321	2,740
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut.....	2,353	1,601	5,019	1,692	23,635	19,271	45,946	18,871
Total.....	2,353	1,601	5,019	1,692	23,675	19,289	50,267	21,611
Brushes.....dut.....		44		530		1,872		884
Buttons and button forms.....dut.....		8		24		1,893		1,925
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....dut..lbs..	40,938	195	1,883,072	7,503	3,905,243	14,579	8,267,427	30,652
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:								
Alizarin and alizarin colors or dyes, etc.....free..lbs..	4,644	645	14,149	2,457	11,112	1,570	40,903	6,781
Argols, or wine lees.....dut..lbs..			748	38		19	4,312	700
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....dut.....		2,554		2,592		43,873		37,730
Cochineal.....free..lbs..					404	113		
DYEWOODS—								
Logwood.....free..tons..	5	108	6	220	49	1,008	122	2,924
All other.....free.....		45		170		10,511		1,833
Extracts and decoctions of.....dut..lbs..	5,143	350			56,459	4,017	141,821	19,091
Total.....		503		390		15,536		23,848
Glycerin.....dut..lbs..					56,146	4,842		
GUMS (pounds)—								
Arabic.....free.....	1,500	346	4,208	830	17,457	4,041	42,825	8,608
Camphor, crude.....free.....					713	107	908	294
Chicle.....dut.....			19,008	2,470			164,273	26,785
Copal, cowrie, and dammar.....free.....			48,401	5,863			343,145	38,219
Gambier, or terra japonica.....free.....	7,410	296	80,317	1,737	193,568	7,011	262,035	8,350
Shellac.....free.....	5,608	1,371	10,707	1,909	37,213	8,169	65,936	13,156
All other.....free.....		14,576		11,684		156,997		100,216
Total.....		16,589		24,493		176,325		195,628

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Indigo.....free..lbs..	8,312	6,633	5,431	3,356	196,307	123,812	109,066	78,690
Licorice root.....free..lbs..			245	17			490	40
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....free..lbs..					24,660	393		
Do.....dut..lbs..					34,359	480	110	3
Mineral waters, all not artificial.....free.galls..					155	114		
Mineral waters.....dut.galls..	195	83	892	259	3,305	1,194	9,199	4,067
OPICUM (pounds)—								
Crude or unmanufactured.....free.....					50	109		
Do.....dut.....			8,641	17,484	7,670	15,010	42,375	102,976
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.....					3	25	4	60
POTASH (pounds)—								
Chlorate of.....free.....					1,108	99		
Do.....dut.....	1,099	92	1,120	70	18,416	1,426	55,160	4,036
Muriate of.....free.....	4,000	90	24,000	460	123,300	2,575	74,238	1,495
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free.....					12,180	220	111,417	4,294
All other.....free.....			1,235	59	44,155	2,211	30,109	830
Total.....	5,099	182	26,355	609	199,159	6,531	270,894	10,655
Quinia, sulphate of, etc.....free..ozs..			1,000	280	200	55	1,132	346
SODA—								
Caustic.....dut..lbs..	171,688	3,203	106,639	1,719	1,468,097	26,624	979,074	17,737
Nitrate of.....free..tons..	1	55	135	4,030	886	32,574	929	30,890
Sal soda.....dut..lbs..					1,272	14		
Soda ash.....dut..lbs..	118,250	389			1,747,175	7,027	4,455,482	14,824
All other salts of.....dut..lbs..	37,810	398			84,175	913	31,765	350
Total.....		4,045		6,358		67,152		63,801
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude.....free..tons..	60	1,374			449	8,904	1,407	32,204
Sumac, ground.....dut..lbs..			320	8	23,359	334	24,375	383
Vanilla beans.....free..lbs..	25	159	1,573	7,089	7,889	40,707	26,883	98,820
All other.....free.....		46,369		31,851		333,835		263,256
Do.....dut.....		12,625		24,261		132,633		106,087
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....		91,761		121,542		973,557		1,026,015
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....dut..lbs..	3,179	221	758	213	11,545	1,667	14,324	1,632
Clays or earthen of all kinds.....dut..tons..	8	33	17	281	64	397	210	1,270
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):								
Clocks, and parts of.....		183		180		702		4,401
Watches, and watch materials, etc.....		17				1,276		813
Coal, bituminous.....dut..tons..			2,618	2,723	4,909	5,105	6,575	6,292
Cocoa, or cacao, crude, etc.....free..lbs..	65,957	6,034	247,280	34,505	1,278,498	183,681	2,194,705	283,054
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....dut..lbs..	800	137	300	69	3,103	813	1,558	590
Coffee.....free..lbs..	1,122,005	142,686	1,499,792	134,790	17,055,862	2,113,329	27,979,748	2,706,573
Copper, and manufactures of:								
Ore and regulus.....free..tons..			36	4,000	668	96,739	4,698	721,379
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc.....free..lbs..	14,029,705	1,015,221	30,000	5,100	14,243,837	1,030,722	1,517,933	76,868
Manufactures of.....dut.....		513		2,587		5,952		6,415
Total, not including ore.....		1,015,734		7,687		1,036,674		83,283
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanufactured.....free.....		11,942		11,812		79,987		67,005
Cork, manufactures of.....dut.....		1,924		1,006		8,717		5,261
Cotton, and manufactures of:								
Unmanufactured.....free..lbs..	10,525	916	37,152	3,777	499,684	41,659	293,998	31,147
Waste or flocks.....free..lbs..							10,960	274
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cloth (square yards)—								
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....					1,525	107	18,901	1,104
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	28,509	1,965	10,449	1,171	998,925	77,084	191,083	16,150
Total.....	28,509	1,965	10,449	1,171	1,000,450	77,191	209,984	17,254
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		326		681		16,202		11,004
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		37		79		7,133		7,324
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		1,728		707		22,001		13,931
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs..					3,140	1,241	3,602	1,244
All other.....		8,167		10,448		152,313		107,280
Total manufactures.....		12,223		13,086		276,081		158,037

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ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):								
CHINA, PORCELAIN, FARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Not decorated or ornamented.....		527		259		1,837		7,270
Decorated or ornamented.....		751		2,631		12,788		20,305
All other.....		145		987		12,526		4,513
Total.....		1,423		3,868		27,151		32,088
Eggs.....doz.....dut..							21	50
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut..		8,039		5,022		15,270		35,488
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut..		357				5,686		5,817
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, for millinery use.....dut..		833		240		11,042		1,158
Fertilizers (free, tons):								
Phosphates, crude or native.....					75	2,088	200	2,241
All other.....				22		794		16,082
Total.....				22		2,882		18,323
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—								
Flax, hackled.....dut..	1	250	5	454	96	2,379	5	454
Hemp, and tow of.....free..					57	5,117		
Hemp, hackled.....dut..	11	1,560	190	17,200	207	17,908	320	40,040
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free..	46	3,456	107	10,549	681	49,052	1,281	107,927
Jute and jute butts.....free..					2	95		
Manila.....free..	942	135,240	32	6,510	1,584	197,378	566	80,144
Sisal grass.....free..	100	11,500	5	550	1,469	117,310	1,454	205,357
All other.....free..	4	719	1	103	87	14,270	159	10,339
Total unmanufactured.....	1,104	152,725	340	35,366	4,113	403,599	3,794	444,261
MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—								
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.....dut..		519		379		1,065		465
Bags for grain, made of burlaps.....free..						350		
Bags of jute.....dut..		621		647		11,575		19,375
Burlaps.....free..						24		
Do.....dut..		65				10,032		
Cables, cordage, and twine, n. e. s.....dut..					38,544	3,995	586	93
Coir yarn.....free..			5,583	260	57,699	1,670	43,240	1,893
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds.....dut..							9,201	2,371
Fabrics, plain, woven of single jute yarn.....dut..				590				34,080
Handkerchiefs.....dut..								890
Oil cloths.....sq. yds.....dut..							1,553	1,157
Twine, binding.....free..							1,125	124
Yarns or threads.....dut..	4,783	861			13,946	3,648	66	17
All other.....dut..		6,508		3,867		58,112		39,518
Total manufactures.....		8,574		5,743		90,471		99,983
Fish (pounds):								
FRESH—								
Lobsters, canned or uncanned.....free..			18,156	2,800	5,114	999	43,785	6,629
All other.....dut..						203		
CURED OR PRESERVED (dutiable)—								
Anchovies and sardines, etc.....free..		1,371		1,317		12,921		11,233
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	594,916	26,062	683,239	26,662	10,153,762	326,280	7,296,154	268,536
Herring—								
Dried or smoked.....	285,747	6,462	182,940	3,724	4,920,599	90,423	1,694,791	39,164
Pickled or salted.....	6,873	273	23,668	495	65,647	2,180	94,943	2,346
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....			2,800	189	19,400	1,177	12,600	688
Salmon, pickled or salted.....					18,800	1,182	153,473	23,932
All other.....		1,989		3,679		23,350		65,267
Total.....		30,157		38,866		458,715		417,798
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):								
Bananas.....free..		48,548		90,921		243,963		273,602
Currants.....dut..	20,933	844	7,561	210	1,079,710	34,896	372,853	10,964
Dates.....dut..	4,691	259	64,738	2,397	168,634	6,003	259,300	8,349
Figs.....dut..			3,189	72	63,215	3,571	151,977	7,412
Lemons.....dut..		33		122		9,181		7,274

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.	Quantities.	Values. Dollars.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—Continued.								
Oranges.....dut.....				486		9,939		11,109
Plums and prunes.....dut.....					3,731	600	1,660	250
Raisins.....dut.....	6,047	289	55,715	2,660	497,799	22,737	330,460	16,242
Prepared or preserved.....dut.....		232		387		17,121		8,625
All other.....free.....		6,301		22,258		40,307		58,980
Do.....dut.....		14,928		20,545		72,308		83,692
Total fruits.....		71,434		140,048		460,626		465,890
NUTS—								
Almonds.....dut.....	4,553	347	36,216	3,300	69,275	5,959	219,630	17,285
Cocoanuts.....free.....		11		300		3,526		5,937
Do.....dut.....						2,667		
All other.....dut.....		645		3,239		16,749		15,943
Total fruits and nuts.....		72,437		146,887		489,527		505,055
FURS:								
Fur and fur skins, undressed.....free.....		8,322		2,864		72,826		145,488
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.....		15,682		3,021		143,627		84,569
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....dut.....doz.....	240	145	280	190	1,984	1,362	1,543	999
Glass and glassware (dutiable):								
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		410		84		1,454		1,661
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs.....					62,364	1,142	20,182	517
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, silvered.....sq. ft.....					22	7		
Plate glass, cast, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft.....					900	215		
All other.....		1,746		1,618		14,545		7,658
Total.....		2,156		1,702		17,363		9,836
Glue.....dut.....lbs.....	125	18	448	45	16,607	2,329	7,215	679
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free.....				46		570		2,169
Grease, n. e. s.....dut.....		620		15,663		3,399		18,451
Hair:								
Unmanufactured.....free.....		308				1,651		4,427
Manufactures of.....dut.....						1,082		1,328
Total.....		308				2,733		5,755
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free.								
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.....		3,466		937		28,251		7,672
Materials for, etc.....dut.....		2,424		6,897		54,304		66,686
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):								
Goatskins.....free.....	110,692	36,200	76,929	18,340	675,722	205,207	380,181	110,196
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free.....	400	110	22,013	3,336	763,158	81,652	437,777	70,996
Hides of cattle.....dut.....	230,954	23,041	437,325	54,734	6,851,217	655,739	3,218,343	396,273
Total.....	342,046	59,351	536,267	76,410	8,290,097	942,598	4,036,301	577,465
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....				370				2,477
Hops.....dut.....lbs.....	2,167	448	705	291	32,886	6,074	22,746	6,004
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		7,478		4,835		46,913		10,255
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Gutta-percha.....			37,974	23,459	11,853	8,320	98,202	64,635
India rubber.....	192,024	131,143	223,783	161,252	2,533,339	1,334,995	2,714,511	1,772,251
Total unmanufactured.....	192,024	131,143	261,757	184,711	2,545,192	1,343,315	2,812,713	1,836,886
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gutta-percha.....				114		171		41,634
India rubber.....		417		243		101,290		21,362
Total manufactures.....		417		357		101,461		62,996
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Pig iron.....dut.....tons.....	70	722	150	1,868	376	4,502	689	8,346
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....dut.....tons.....			15	150	66	385	89	848
Bar iron.....dut.....lbs.....	14,777	520	24,285	639	52,319	1,830	49,549	1,719
Bars, railway, of iron or steel.....dut.....tons.....					462	15,400		
Hoop, band, or scroll.....dut.....lbs.....							145	25
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc.....dut.....lbs.....	882	75	2,021	122	33,252	3,059	86,990	3,413
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....dut.....lbs.....	83,969	1,958	14,000	381	1,940,135	52,509	303,042	7,592
Tin plates,terne plates, and taggers tin.....dut.....lbs.....	156,209	3,611	7,409	249	705,278	15,502	491,747	14,384
Wire rods.....dut.....lbs.....					293,250	5,865		
Wire, and articles made from.....dut.....lbs.....	439	35	235	23	114,485	5,113	104,731	3,422

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ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Anvils.....dut..lbs.					6,149	221		
Chains.....dut..lbs.			100	9	813	59	700	59
Cutlery.....dut.		45		2,017		13,041		10,153
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.						17		132
Firearms.....dut.		373		1,052		9,391		17,535
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free						11		129
Machinery.....dut.		2,286		3,469		25,662		199,773
Shotgun barrels, forged, rough-bored.....free						728		
All other.....dut.		11,853		2,853		106,002		131,844
Total, not including ore.....		21,478		12,879		259,297		399,374
Ivory (free, pounds):								
Animal.....					1,880	4,308	2,310	6,113
Vegetable.....	27,810	556			507,004	8,977	640,039	9,537
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:								
Diamonds, n. o. s., not set.....dut.						309		67
Other precious stones, rough or uncut.....free				256				661
Other precious stones and imitations of, not set.....dut.						7,214		52,782
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....dut.		2,497		2,397		10,987		22,365
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
Lead in ore and base bullion.....	10,808,217	182,600	11,968,351	190,326	127,252,622	2,320,821	143,058,131	2,267,621
Pigs, bars, and old.....							7,009	263
Manufactures of.....				220		24,048		584
Leather, and manufactures of:								
LEATHER (dutiable)—								
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		618		1,065		10,605		10,542
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		351		1,786		1,496		13,117
Skins for morocco.....						6,171		737
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		226		142		6,609		35,187
Total leather.....		1,195		2,993		24,881		59,583
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gloves of kid or other leather.....		103		1,265		2,648		14,485
All other.....		1,125		1,576		26,927		20,541
Total manufactures.....		1,228		2,841		29,575		35,026
Malt liquors (dutiable, gallons):								
In bottles or jugs.....	741	558	1,706	1,562	7,826	5,993	10,856	7,405
In other coverings.....			1,220	610			4,180	1,265
Total.....	741	558	2,926	2,172	7,826	5,993	15,036	8,670
Manganese ore or oxide.....free. tons.					15	85	34	268
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
Marble, and manufactures of.....		13				2,454		1,538
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		804		352		2,419		1,717
Total.....		817		352		4,873		3,255
Matting for floors.....free. rolls.					69	204		
Matting and mats for floors.....dut..sq. yds.	11,840	713	4,601	603	64,297	6,950	122,423	13,724
Metals, metal compositions, and manufs of (dut.):								
Bronze manufactures.....		946		63		1,718		1,123
All other.....		4,263		6,920		35,361		71,953
Total.....		5,209		6,983		37,082		73,076
Musical instruments.....dut.		592		120		7,268		5,278
Oils (gallons):								
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—								
Whale and fish.....dut.	2,948	683	1,211	896	17,520	6,841	32,907	10,681
Other.....dut.							64	62
MINERAL.....free.							90	10
Do.....dut.					1,768	281	1,090	141
VEGETABLE—								
Fixed or expressed—								
Olive.....dut.	260	344	166	231	1,639	2,034	3,988	4,086
Other.....free		1,641		192		24,769		18,624
Do.....dut.		841		2,050		24,912		25,908
Volatile or essential and distilled.....free		3,956		200		52,886		17,975
Do.....dut.		1,321		303		10,139		7,448
Total.....		8,786		3,872		121,862		84,935

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ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Paints, pigments, and colors.....free.....						1		
Do.....dut.....		1,202		1,253		11,575		17,719
Paper stock, crude (free; see also Wood pulp):								
Rags, other than woolen.....lbs.....	18,763	375	17,375	225	43,878	825	26,839	414
All other.....						1,024		120
Total.....		375		225		1,849		534
Paper, and manufactures of.....		1,637				18,474		
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s. ....dut.....				35				193
Parchment papers.....dut.....lbs.....			50	15			9,593	586
All other paper.....dut.....				1,638				17,113
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....dut.....		1,588		804		6,034		10,907
Pipes and smokers' articles.....dut.....		125				1,130		5,472
Plants, trees, shrubs, and vines.....dut.....				1				6,139
Plumb go.....free.....tons.....					5	269	165	11,697
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (dut.):								
MEAT PRODUCTS—								
Meat and meat extracts.....		423		2,865		2,543		15,185
All other.....		3,461		349		4,360		61,030
DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—								
Butter.....			326	77	3,399	767	2,302	500
Cheese.....	6,623	915	37,059	4,961	94,939	13,461	263,798	28,909
Milk, condensed.....		230				1,117		1,423
Total.....		5,029		8,252		22,248		107,047
Rice.....dut.....lbs.....	631,648	11,601	1,196,300	21,955	8,958,117	160,478	17,741,032	383,325
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....							2,800	70
Total.....	631,648	11,601	1,196,300	21,955	8,958,117	160,478	17,743,832	383,395
Salt.....free.....lbs.....					67,200	66		
Do.....dut.....lbs.....	899,130	672	1,102,200	1,240	4,657,521	3,976	4,067,018	5,099
Total.....	899,130	672	1,102,200	1,240	4,724,721	4,042	4,067,018	5,090
Sausage casings.....free.....				377		750		17,171
Seeds (bushels):								
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut.....						2,172	1,375	
All other.....free.....		176		456		5,942		12,582
Do.....dut.....		21		10		9,581		2,624
Total.....		197				16,898		
Shells, unmanufactured.....free.....		616		4,558		32,485		37,190
Silk, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	7,210	23,435	1,403	4,628	73,566	211,682	52,853	170,962
Waste.....							180	270
Total unmanufactured.....	7,210	23,435	1,403	4,628	73,566	211,682	53,033	171,232
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		1,980		5,276		13,996		30,143
Dress and piece goods.....		9,181		3,446		21,505		74,112
Laces and embroideries.....		92		150		8,103		7,214
Ribbons.....		6				590		1,667
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs.....							14,542	47,675
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs.....			3	9			1,260	3,536
All other.....		8,617		12,119		62,820		116,318
Total manufactures.....		19,876		21,000		107,014		280,665
Soap (dutiable, pounds):								
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....			470	328	455	115	2,506	671
All other.....		769		717		7,156		7,860
Total.....		769		1,045		7,271		8,531
Spices:								
UNGROUND (pounds)—								
Nutmegs.....free.....		492	502	145	20,818	5,796	20,178	7,148
Pepper, black or white.....free.....	29,417	2,647	62,322	8,818	868,021	63,300	786,878	80,206
All other.....free.....	59,550	8,017	280,721	22,989	661,548	71,829	1,679,086	150,597
Do.....dut.....	30,793	1,590	11,748	764	149,963	7,276	153,272	6,336
Total.....	129,252	12,402	375,293	32,716	1,700,350	148,201	2,639,414	214,287

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free.....	339	340			964	881	21,604	22,057
Brandy.....dut.....	318	561	451	1,329	7,608	9,519	2,489	5,677
All other.....dut.....	4,218	8,103	5,571	11,015	29,001	43,139	41,082	71,085
Total.....	4,875	9,004	6,022	12,344	37,573	53,539	65,175	98,819
Sponges.....dut.....		11,814		2,410		78,732		78,532
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				1,797				11,084
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:								
Molasses.....free.....galls.....			8,351	1,420	4,009	922	173,756	26,466
Molasses above 40° polariscopic test.....dut.....galls.....	54,926	6,029			119,948	17,365		
SUGAR (pounds)—								
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet.....dut.....	100	6			100	6	28,000	650
Cane.....free.....					490	40	183,325	7,333
Cane and other.....dut.....	211,039	4,361	49,973	2,175	7,343,838	129,707	859,342	17,856
Above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet, cane, and other.....dut.....	91,650	2,257	969,308	33,877	5,577,172	142,048	5,210,838	146,609
Total sugar.....	302,789	6,624	1,019,281	36,052	12,921,600	271,801	6,281,595	172,448
Confectionery.....dut.....		337		140		2,457		1,207
Tea.....free.....lbs.....	343,033	32,134			2,957,182	416,792	170	50
Do.....dut.....lbs.....			303,717	28,047			1,214,504	146,295
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.....free.....lbs.....	75,160	10,933	234,827	55,984	957,900	134,636	796,602	161,151
Tobacco, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
LEAF—								
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	40,583	38,610	67,647	46,121	864,916	812,246	733,397	636,810
Other.....	97,179	46,980	109,858	38,829	1,230,193	450,856	1,100,290	566,814
Total leaf.....	137,762	85,590	177,505	84,950	2,095,109	1,263,102	1,833,687	1,203,624
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	868	1,453	893	2,052	19,856	27,159	11,508	17,818
All other.....						460		1,626
Total manufactures.....		1,453		2,052		27,619		19,444
Toys.....dut.....		5,403		260		9,979		2,286
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):								
Beans and dried pease.....	91	103	3	6	41,916	40,243	19,156	25,183
Onions.....	92	133	4	3	92	133	128	167
Potatoes.....	156	23			196	64		
Pickles and sauces.....		321		87		2,373		1,521
All other—								
In their natural state.....		163				648		5,218
Prepared or preserved.....		2,269		1,417		9,341		14,203
Total.....		3,012		1,513		52,802		50,357
Wines (dutiable):								
Champagne, and other sparkling.....doz.....	245	2,683	146	2,492	2,562	35,192	2,295	28,288
STILL WINES—								
In casks.....galls.....	3,297	1,538	851	599	29,790	13,124	16,139	8,029
In other coverings.....doz.....	346	1,266	240	937	4,663	14,977	2,880	8,724
Total.....		5,492		4,028		62,393		45,041
Wood, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED—								
Cabinet woods—								
Mahogany.....free.....M feet.....	265	22,500	112	6,511	1,510	108,164	2,484	194,495
All other.....free.....		2,325		268		49,766		31,157
Logs and round timber.....dut.....M feet.....							7	647
Timber, hewn, etc.....dut.....cub. ft.....					27,365	3,928	22,329	2,521
Lumber—								
Boards, planks, etc.....free.....M feet.....					4,874	132,809		
Do.....dut.....M feet.....	2,053	26,617	2,548	34,767	19,180	277,975	26,641	269,384
Shingles.....dut.....M.....					1,523	1,523		
Other lumber.....dut.....						1,057		1,515
All other unmanufactured.....free.....		44,636		12,067		138,682		150,087
Do.....dut.....				255		202		1,504

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cabinet ware or house furniture				1,154		5,528		6,159
Wood pulp.....tons.....							321	3,497
All other.....		12,919		11,564		112,326		131,619
Total wood and manufactures of.....		109,047		66,586		832,050		788,529
Wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—								
Class 1—Clothing: In the grease.....free.....					13,084	2,355		
Do.....dut.....	383,259	43,629	5,217,447	918,388	1,575,593	200,212	10,485,781	1,411,624
Scoured.....dut.....					26,925	4,014	22,215	2,294
Class 2—Combings: In the grease.....free.....					3,581	895		
Do.....dut.....					275,702	55,410	2,266	323
Scoured.....dut.....			45,740	12,631			45,740	12,631
Class 3—Carpet: In the grease.....dut.....			37,452	4,225	203,636	21,795	504,368	55,706
Scoured.....dut.....					17,269	975		
Total unmanufactured.....	383,259	43,629	5,309,639	935,244	2,115,790	286,556	11,060,370	1,712,583
MANUFACTURES OF WOOL (dutiable)—								
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds.....	213	334	137	355	3,890	19,378	6,398	15,359
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit goods.....		2,550		1,317		33,810		18,460
Cloths.....lbs.....	2,547	1,729	34,350	20,175	133,985	78,627	106,271	56,484
Dress goods, women's and children's.....sq. yds.....	23,697	3,975	48,167	9,761	312,170	48,492	310,297	67,840
Knit fabrics.....						768		170
Shoddy, mungo, flocks, etc.....lbs.....	10,840	1,070	31,937	1,842	932,268	93,807	86,915	8,187
Shawls.....		549				3,153		2,085
Yarns.....lbs.....					207	81	1,073	485
All other.....		2,622		5,169		49,347		46,893
Total manufactures.....		12,829		38,619		328,463		215,983
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs.....			7,874	392	46,184	1,584	32,581	1,306
Manufactures of.....						241		128
Total.....				392		1,825		1,434
All other articles.....free.....		306		2,429		174,638		67,346
Do.....dut.....		9,016		27,938		97,573		235,546
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		1,834,786		738,544		8,501,086		8,742,117
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		733,243		1,848,698		10,722,905		12,335,590
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.....		2,568,029		2,587,242		19,223,991		21,077,707
FROM WAREHOUSE.....		646,226		1,582,258		9,151,354		11,196,491
NOT FROM WAREHOUSE.....		1,921,803		1,004,984		10,072,637		9,881,216
CARRIED IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		537,696		682,843		5,701,692		6,176,879
CARRIED IN AMERICAN VESSELS: Steam.....		87,155		177,085		2,305,689		2,306,774
Sailing.....		9,483		16,827		695,721		602,653
CARRIED IN FOREIGN VESSELS: Steam.....		1,861,687		1,654,067		10,225,929		11,706,111
Sailing.....		72,008		56,420		204,060		285,290

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
EUROPE.										
Austria-Hungary.....	296,403	896,053	322,106	357,425	7,309,560	4,347,226	5,976,996	3,677,503	5,143,500	7,054,688
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	2,295	1,303	14,388	8,967	11,885	18,354	6,897	268,218	355,758	287,436
Belgium.....	722,128	717,707	4,431,025	2,977,846	12,219,098	8,162,810	9,616,769	30,469,416	44,006,382	40,914,168
Denmark.....	13,031	25,911	1,492,943	1,343,461	335,491	202,607	247,195	9,627,047	11,604,578	15,321,501
France.....	3,084,009	5,397,381	12,717,507	3,521,634	60,095,025	49,481,260	57,659,015	54,575,298	87,019,439	55,670,916
Germany.....	5,575,553	6,914,388	13,691,785	11,471,820	98,364,012	61,916,769	77,169,822	116,881,478	143,416,065	144,561,266
Gibraltar.....	1,113	4,817	26,801	20,410	25,922	31,681	17,884	314,508	303,566	544,391
Greece.....	15,002	38,050	2,087	2,168	721,953	876,443	912,387	110,316	124,746	211,970
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....				159	40,056	135,234	78,408		225	159
Italy.....	1,963,481	3,022,575	1,530,813	1,527,274	17,279,646	18,209,368	22,355,206	20,206,301	21,849,377	23,600,786
Malta, Gozo, etc.....	909	1,459	10,559	19,736	8,051	13,294	9,722	20,520	60,721	132,051
Netherlands.....	1,874,468	2,204,516	6,554,340	5,471,372	11,880,802	11,292,973	13,012,099	46,436,034	59,733,128	73,739,122
Portugal.....	354,541	111,497	178,511	353,196	2,065,199	2,316,228	2,812,538	2,254,695	2,633,941	3,623,157
Roumania.....	12		2,937	10,278		12		36,628	110,256	144,644
Russia, Baltic, etc.....	391,829	396,300	743,263	547,841	1,054,646	2,663,708	2,757,698	5,653,536	5,565,090	7,005,485
Russia, Black Sea.....	113,209	148,605	259,348	21,292	1,255,926	1,632,248	1,688,476	1,570,597	1,041,287	1,158,380
Servia.....					12,610	12,095				217
Spain.....	326,932	418,144	137,353	408,510	3,418,932	3,381,367	3,648,631	10,208,637	10,193,809	8,376,868
Sweden and Norway.....	132,040	162,818	522,760	702,580	2,317,835	2,473,628	2,389,155	5,046,273	5,731,149	11,019,041
Switzerland.....	814,080	1,209,520	18,362	16,095	12,428,957	10,625,295	13,930,831	53,469	245,229	246,933
Turkey in Europe.....	131,711	94,479	10,871	6,671	2,536,742	1,815,594	2,146,622	53,727	126,780	309,877
United Kingdom.....	8,725,664	10,464,754	43,541,743	37,760,683	148,588,675	101,264,804	108,568,259	452,929,179	501,702,610	474,112,811
Total Europe.....	24,438,506	32,320,277	86,215,571	66,519,418	382,571,059	289,941,998	325,004,520	760,402,410	900,967,636	868,074,867
NORTH AMERICA.										
Bermuda.....	196,964	170,693	73,848	79,435	608,571	456,075	464,600	782,159	914,435	948,428
British Honduras.....	18,409	30,119	39,840	29,710	212,968	151,326	179,542	518,661	529,695	446,714
British North America:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	327,291	359,146	427,636	482,025	5,013,527	3,614,661	3,213,475	3,838,596	4,243,695	4,182,196
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,886,089	2,132,426	8,806,848	7,950,496	26,097,867	20,438,323	20,824,556	51,660,279	66,967,316	72,471,828
British Columbia.....	403,164	389,410	468,309	415,900	3,276,069	4,270,271	4,074,061	3,199,695	3,835,084	3,852,180
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,795	10,424	99,903	104,212	370,378	364,284	358,927	978,024	1,087,279	1,436,545
Total British North America.....	2,618,339	2,891,406	9,802,792	8,952,633	34,757,841	28,717,539	28,471,019	59,676,594	76,133,574	81,942,749
Central American States:										
Costa Rica.....	477,065	477,138	92,399	103,539	3,371,227	2,480,428	3,348,522	1,193,516	1,400,132	1,149,418
Guatemala.....	287,263	404,295	120,793	95,061	1,565,017	1,751,991	1,808,287	2,713,613	1,126,780	1,020,816
Honduras.....	75,848	86,066	99,233	63,310	730,493	708,926	808,049	639,532	712,793	726,855
Nicaragua.....	93,163	188,975	83,893	97,477	1,016,847	1,019,487	1,380,318	1,111,123	975,717	1,049,087
Salvador.....	95,244	340,155	70,546	68,365	924,639	736,516	1,002,739	1,492,019	761,227	576,811
Total Central American States.....	1,028,583	1,496,629	463,774	427,752	7,608,133	6,637,348	8,347,915	7,149,803	4,976,649	4,522,987
Mexico.....	1,785,979	2,673,954	1,857,940	2,439,114	16,737,154	17,157,712	20,817,631	21,396,395	19,305,578	22,903,479
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	812		17,997	15,250	124,700	161,030	83,928	150,498	193,223	185,079
West Indies:										
British.....	1,526,743	2,955,966	986,172	669,419	10,189,285	8,809,813	11,771,192	7,303,772	7,534,967	7,887,323
Danish.....	74,975	60,085	168,198	85,005	308,558	293,432	406,042	484,986	685,291	464,206
Dutch.....	65,811	54,911	55,845	37,674	86,995	161,407	158,241	605,811	491,383	403,649
French.....	1,086	140	227,543	93,507	8,859	30,888	28,607	1,583,757	1,529,087	1,427,745
Haiti.....	56,380	37,739	201,958	123,497	1,389,960	811,754	738,346	3,512,754	2,786,105	2,325,351
Santo Domingo.....	568,065	702,962	14,975	60,940	2,101,593	2,266,735	2,783,412	995,591	962,357	947,367
Cuba.....	1,205,424	4,762,970	736	2,124,679	16,102,935	14,965,790	21,766,506	7,489,574	9,561,656	16,491,113
Porto Rico.....	481,438	647,179	62	305,564	1,819,696	1,717,847	2,365,024	1,821,750	1,505,946	2,324,425
Total West Indies.....	3,979,922	9,222,012	1,655,489	3,500,285	32,007,881	29,147,686	40,067,370	23,803,995	25,056,792	32,271,179
Total North America.....	9,629,008	16,484,813	13,914,590	15,444,179	92,057,248	82,491,716	98,432,605	113,478,125	127,109,946	143,220,615

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
SOUTH AMERICA.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	399,173	377,050	446,027	694,378	9,498,872	5,272,436	4,080,014	5,826,417	5,863,878	8,561,600
Bolivia.....			624	3,126				5,155	19,681	30,199
Brazil.....	4,926,611	5,214,722	735,483	852,498	64,695,383	58,203,762	53,483,311	11,413,345	12,294,143	11,291,051
Chile.....	244,374	548,788	333,243	294,411	3,600,743	3,519,964	2,794,772	2,417,881	2,101,746	1,958,833
Colombia.....	353,299	475,169	275,060	266,296	4,152,059	4,688,644	4,589,409	3,427,067	2,971,031	2,675,778
Ecuador.....	75,701	60,024	119,103	97,136	536,162	714,554	984,942	667,214	782,796	814,255
Falkland Islands.....								800	1,010	
Guianas:										
British.....	168,833	461	76,689	124,489	3,302,250	2,863,656	3,346,405	1,425,060	1,566,394	1,583,059
Dutch.....	76,071	130,449	33,996	64,905	878,033	1,242,481	1,560,793	335,273	358,841	400,973
French.....			17,492	26,778	4,050	12,551	37,929	102,894	121,116	168,971
Paraguay.....				637			160		699	10,271
Peru.....	51,698	191,253	197,254	159,205	635,231	644,987	1,381,501	1,017,935	1,102,424	1,257,426
Uruguay.....	121,249	62,426	105,872	194,067	2,848,728	1,581,949	1,119,691	1,121,406	1,013,657	1,136,235
Venezuela.....	822,004	811,036	213,632	217,626	8,746,486	7,114,120	5,909,847	3,196,318	2,551,100	2,627,103
Total South America.....	7,249,013	7,871,378	2,580,475	2,935,552	98,947,997	85,859,104	79,288,774	30,956,785	30,748,576	32,452,704
ASIA.										
Aden.....	330,665	234,126	97,968	39,587	1,259,045	1,719,811	1,790,465	932,577	592,745	882,480
China.....	1,535,453	1,806,534	1,165,628	987,035	17,952,716	19,494,702	17,539,171	10,981,919	9,036,727	12,749,745
East Indies:										
British.....	3,508,575	2,987,692	201,917	170,187	17,610,891	24,163,826	28,958,550	3,361,651	4,531,171	3,738,777
Dutch.....	1,587,168	1,181,568	361,351	199,027	14,507,258	13,687,573	20,165,995	1,891,921	976,391	1,077,867
French.....			118					135,183	123,118	7,457
Portuguese.....					519		9			
Hongkong.....	43,798	280,272	553,270	791,460	805,454	677,126	2,381,400	5,614,763	5,740,280	7,073,220
Japan.....	1,480,162	1,733,509	2,124,126	1,699,875	19,898,553	23,180,892	25,616,611	12,466,433	19,146,699	15,229,015
Korea.....			1,230	8,542				509	115,796	135,068
Russia, Asiatic.....		25	247,632	111,793	201,421	111,050	113,562	409,634	555,301	1,388,098
Turkey in Asia.....	132,318	220,685	27,877	4,802	3,835,783	2,269,124	3,064,529	68,011	212,445	161,613
All other Asia.....			21,626	6,902	63,275	76,352	77,889	329,141	417,260	114,765
Total Asia.....	8,608,139	8,534,411	4,802,723	4,019,210	76,134,915	85,380,456	99,708,211	36,194,742	41,447,933	42,588,905
OCEANICA.										
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....		200,982	4,743				915,999	18,214	4,743	10,121
British Australasia.....	342,980	414,499	1,825,784	2,161,553	5,571,049	4,778,742	3,029,372	16,197,092	14,219,706	18,402,039
French Oceanica.....	10,612	33,891	22,804	27,920	360,473	173,343	259,171	307,775	260,057	243,577
German Oceanica.....				1,525	4,594			8,116	7,071	25,810
Hawaiian Islands.....	2,383,181	2,384,738	628,940	1,236,700	11,707,304	14,965,649	14,897,984	4,203,305	5,326,943	8,592,760
Spanish Oceanica.....		300			5,047	8,811	10,649		4,563	6,883
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	3,747	100	4,747	2,159	39,081	61,406	25,264	43,420	34,816	52,638
Philippine Islands.....	199,296	622,101	34,824	63,905	3,933,168	3,377,181	4,347,892	92,814	113,357	336,393
Total Oceanica.....	2,939,816	3,656,611	2,521,842	3,493,762	21,620,716	23,365,132	23,486,331	20,870,736	19,991,196	27,670,221
AFRICA.										
British Africa.....	94,365	240,334	779,379	1,111,846	1,155,000	822,678	1,287,469	12,216,080	10,953,954	13,611,976
Canary Islands.....		364	1,756	38,744	48,827	26,283	24,193	297,878	274,827	209,812
French Africa.....	40,575	78,613	34,921	15,031	236,257	441,556	530,268	295,639	658,368	525,312
German Africa.....					96			320	2,319	
Liberia.....		1,428		1,629	6,763	6,670	9,390	6,565	11,416	18,412
Madagascar.....	1,407		12		13,895	15,453	1,475	410,500	226,738	1,134
Portuguese Africa.....	1,543	8	90,041	136,603	23,253	15,343	7,091	1,826,414	2,787,833	1,332,374
Spanish Africa.....						33		4,740	29,674	
Turkey in Africa:										
Egypt.....	524,634	810,622	322,814	29,030	6,119,318	4,779,445	6,788,552	299,747	759,032	390,469
Tripoli.....	6,340				114,882	65,810	58,855			278
All other Africa.....	51,305	139,983	19,311	65,424	497,165	612,746	762,615	539,841	534,103	566,432
Total Africa.....	729,169	1,291,452	1,248,244	1,398,307	8,215,456	6,781,017	9,469,968	15,897,724	16,268,626	16,656,199
Grand total.....	53,584,651	70,158,942	111,283,435	93,840,428	679,547,391	564,784,423	635,389,749	977,800,522	1,136,503,607	1,139,633,511

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
RECAPITULATION.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe	21,438,596	32,320,277	86,215,571	66,549,418	382,571,059	280,901,998	325,004,520	760,402,410	900,967,636	868,074,867
North America	9,629,008	16,484,813	13,914,590	15,444,179	92,057,248	82,491,716	98,423,005	113,478,125	127,109,946	143,220,615
South America	7,249,913	7,871,378	2,580,475	2,935,552	98,947,997	85,859,104	79,288,774	30,956,785	30,748,576	32,452,704
Asia	8,608,139	8,534,411	4,802,723	4,019,210	76,134,915	85,380,456	99,708,211	36,194,742	41,447,933	42,558,905
Oceanica	2,939,816	3,656,611	2,521,842	3,493,762	21,620,716	23,365,132	23,486,331	20,870,736	19,991,196	27,670,221
Africa	720,160	1,291,452	1,248,234	1,398,307	8,215,456	6,786,017	9,469,908	15,897,724	16,238,320	16,656,199

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893	453,450,093	183,732,712	102,207,815	113,621,824	8,388,478	866,400,922	661,976,710	119,788,689	32,639,077	27,421,831	5,838,687	847,665,194
1894	295,077,865	166,962,559	100,147,107	87,644,320	5,162,771	654,994,622	700,870,822	119,693,212	33,212,310	32,786,943	5,577,285	892,140,572
1895	383,645,813	133,915,682	112,167,120	95,077,290	7,164,060	731,969,965	627,927,692	108,575,594	33,525,935	30,434,288	7,074,656	807,533,165
1896	418,639,121	126,877,126	108,828,462	114,206,986	11,172,979	779,724,674	673,043,753	116,567,496	36,297,671	42,827,258	13,870,760	892,606,938
1897	430,192,205	105,924,053	107,389,405	111,695,036	9,529,713	764,730,412	813,385,644	124,958,461	33,768,646	61,927,678	16,953,127	1,050,993,556
1898	395,933,691	91,376,807	92,091,694	119,453,823	7,193,639	616,049,654	973,806,245	139,627,841	33,821,701	66,710,813	17,515,730	1,231,482,320

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Alexandria, Va.	8,195	5,922			10,482	11,006	7,785			
Aroostook, Me.	6,077	14,676			117,164	111,300	163,138			189
Baltimore, Md. (a)	875,915	965,513	12,491,657	7,631,041	10,005,473	8,114,656	8,237,303	78,938,681	110,241,659	99,356,979
Bangor, Me. (a)	54,660	67,069	156,505	154,513	984,315	679,135	698,318	1,170,254	1,828,696	3,337,462
Barnstable, Mass.	242				5,523	6,735	709			
Bath, Me. (a)	6,688	1,827			48,290	43,498	63,127	656		4,338
Beaufort, S. C.				41,445	118,610	66,761	52,125	3,112,941	2,417,613	928,624
Belfast, Me.	311	2,176			14,791	7,402	7,800	1,795	1,446	1,418
Boston and Charlestown, Mass. (a)	4,337,964	5,182,670	13,172,528	11,568,952	80,210,541	47,478,936	46,526,006	92,077,970	108,442,437	117,362,704
Bridgeton, N. J.					41,356	71,222	61,340	28,993		
Bristol and Warren, R. I.					5,201	3,653	2,608			
Brunswick, Ga.	80		761,646	573,542	16,927	31,630	45,947	6,835,829	10,447,851	10,200,156
Castine, Me.		804			2,915	9,032	1,573	10,154	44,631	10,702
Charleston, S. C. (a)	64,235	31,632	150	134,457	968,492	1,241,995	979,541	10,872,026	11,344,395	8,659,158
Delaware (a)	24,630	7,146	396,921	328,536	110,819	221,129	197,421	4,172,231	3,667,857	3,469,277
Edgartown, Mass.					1,707	1,583				210
Fairfield, Conn.	16,070	27,276			198,743	217,317	277,404	1,927		
Fall River, Mass.					53,798	19,649	3,416			
Fernandina, Fla. (a)			261,572	256,054	28,385	604	25,740	1,350,651	1,599,918	2,215,496
Frenchman Bay, Me.		107			1,474	1,496	923			
Georgetown, D. C.	17,524	9,169			175,327	168,520	171,406			
Georgetown, S. C.								6,919	231	
Gloucester, Mass.	6,547	6,871	540	530	54,583	46,211	41,096	7,221	3,459	530
Hartford, Conn.	5,430	16,650			609,898	254,590	192,005			
Maebias, Me.		588			1,781	790	1,481	2,287	1,831	318
Marblehead, Mass.	482	955			50,235	16,607	2,539			
Newark, N. J.	32,212	17,003	74,306	39,979	148,633	526,088	342,433	567,194	963,524	568,271
New Bedford, Mass.	1,636	673	4,949		491,234	18,382	2,827	9,646	11,987	5,834
Newburyport, Mass.					4,272		617	15		
New Haven, Conn.	21,509	13,663			190,539	171,930	143,968			
New London, Conn.		1,721			28,754	14,530	38,491			
Newport, R. I.	1,498				23,193	14,244	6,989			
Newport News, Va. (a)	105,140	148,026	3,010,414	1,456,478	965,353	975,032	1,136,299	20,600,928	28,175,179	25,775,282
New York, N. Y. (a)	33,405,506	45,475,208	45,358,853	37,189,655	431,220,509	370,456,106	425,023,994	357,916,631	398,209,914	418,641,865
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. (a)	1,013	2,050	612,493	1,215,003	121,432	200,665	206,683	18,147,770	12,780,921	13,064,997
Pamlico, N. C.					1,244	1,876	2,337	1,904	2,993	3,855
Passamaquoddy, Me.	37,118	26,122	49,249	58,362	436,486	354,564	288,228	310,880	423,477	495,202
Perth Amboy, N. J.	88,247		72,807	113,449	69,108	207,012	203,853	818,925	868,589	1,017,459
Petersburg, Va.					681		327			
Philadelphia, Pa. (a)	3,400,291	4,669,143	5,650,314	4,254,274	41,155,793	27,917,376	37,548,619	43,859,063	52,157,254	55,777,948
Plymouth, Mass.		1,703			14,445	3,886	6,952			
Portland and Falmouth, Me. (a)	67,096	169,726	68,844	425,406	538,354	403,186	602,312	4,029,661	6,330,041	9,151,005
Portsmouth, N. H.	3,042				24,732	17,275	16,150			
Providence, R. I.	40,690	78,755			844,613	642,284	725,979	2,115	1,291	2,974
Richmond, Va.	2,796	5,868			75,879	35,063	50,017		4,000	
Sag Harbor, N. Y.	1					6,752	2,892			
St. Augustine, Fla.					2,426	13,751	8,997	2,426	300	
St. Johns, Fla.	174	942	12,640	6,762	14,293	15,314	37,732	101,567	121,286	167,647
St. Marys, Ga.								28,978	36,428	19,273
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	2,550	112			37,411	23,605	11,242	25		
Savannah, Ga. (a)	26,220	3,963	890,857	877,702	378,645	346,796	360,371	22,654,231	27,832,333	22,816,713
Stonington, Conn.		1,649			25,352	12,074	6,894			
Waldoboro, Me.	3,177	3,623			44,426	39,702	31,674			
Wilmington, N. C.	4,698	2	149,660	51,128	155,422	186,421	123,812	8,171,208	9,735,168	7,572,823
Wiscasset, Me.	1,120	3,876	1,466		78	2,082	4,995	5,938	6,486	11,023
Total	42,609,944	56,964,879	83,198,671	66,377,268	570,850,137	461,431,456	525,606,435	675,819,640	787,793,205	800,039,123
GULF PORTS.										
Apalachicola, Fla.		4	45,869	33,058	3,007	16	1,374	354,784	307,030	372,560
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.	18,303	4,035	15,365	5,922	179,099	136,567	69,408	187,584	190,777	176,756
Corpus Christi, Tex.	75,738	127,778	316,023	534,131	776,104	989,719	1,036,837	4,941,026	4,039,172	5,674,618

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
GULF PORTS—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Galveston, Tex. (a).....	214,306	323,721	1,917,577	2,015,262	721,501	915,223	2,555,657	57,515,940	67,536,261	76,769,902
Key West, Fla. (a).....	10,817	19,061	95	246,387	535,418	430,507	226,002	478,130	521,079	1,595,431
Mobile, Ala. (a).....	90,740	328,289	551,858	586,830	700,518	1,031,258	1,386,224	9,791,052	9,384,751	8,302,204
New Orleans, La. (a).....	883,225	1,840,414	9,965,017	5,346,897	15,124,417	8,950,505	10,352,763	97,582,678	106,704,517	82,201,526
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	238,082	131,110	329,104	477,135	1,478,985	1,421,578	958,017	5,210,501	3,768,865	4,471,735
Pearl River, Miss.....			212,438	202,710	4,320	528	439	1,377,729	1,241,788	1,553,364
Pensacola, Fla. (a).....	5,005	1,910	252,367	1,583,518	464,459	175,194	53,037	7,629,946	7,860,611	12,926,473
St. Marks, Fla.....					266	21				3,666
Saluria, Tex.....	55,358	81,489	239,788	414,017	555,334	600,157	816,836	1,354,457	1,979,474	2,563,280
Tampa, Fla. (a).....	8,534	90,029	11,074	91,073	503,602	458,723	613,807	775,752	530,853	912,360
Teche, La.....						125	2	2,952	2,600	
Total.....	1,600,108	2,947,840	13,856,575	11,537,540	21,047,030	15,110,121	18,100,405	187,203,531	204,067,778	197,523,873
PACIFIC PORTS.										
Alaska.....	59,309	16,268	830	1,327	83,461	134,974	181,828	27,206	7,575	41,162
Arizona.....	206,985	125,627	133,326	158,397	684,438	1,690,748	1,261,233	964,485	1,050,299	1,338,677
Humboldt, Cal.....	1,181	1,226	15,748	15,561	1,183	1,181	2,006	153,176	131,747	192,204
Los Angeles, Cal. (a).....	44,703	51,851	649		459,093	460,193	711,009	5,868	109,683	3,399
Oregon, Oreg.....		521	7,404	5,300	320,714	87,686	18,458	403,551	372,236	147,440
Puget Sound, Wash. (a).....	207,592	330,905	1,684,107	1,494,726	4,928,306	4,793,346	7,034,784	11,315,207	16,862,160	13,947,281
San Diego, Cal. (a).....	20,949	42,824	10,394	246,827	205,860	181,723	364,305	189,003	466,344	968,015
San Francisco, Cal. (a).....	4,804,185	3,867,493	2,458,146	2,386,047	29,517,855	39,256,278	32,004,083	37,692,280	39,861,586	27,994,669
Southern Oregon, Oreg.....					1			16,833	6,166	
Willamette, Oreg. (a).....	53,043	226,720	602,092	293,214	1,173,980	1,175,696	1,432,792	6,402,095	12,984,153	8,574,957
Total.....	5,397,947	4,663,438	4,912,696	4,601,399	37,374,891	47,691,825	43,010,493	57,169,704	71,871,949	53,207,813
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.										
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	234,831	277,397	608,100	764,807	3,535,029	3,379,029	3,412,043	4,632,278	6,791,897	7,224,902
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....	23,374	19,883	8,306	20,078	207,687	169,199	171,239	75,679	246,133	171,323
Champlain, N. Y.....	230,648	296,785	504,800	683,622	4,326,724	2,362,758	2,449,219	4,071,199	5,192,559	6,079,368
Chicago, Ill. (a).....	851,818	1,539,489	1,988,255	1,499,876	10,290,128	9,071,798	11,182,603	2,122,096	6,229,501	6,978,410
Cuyahoga, Ohio (a).....	75,400	102,117	215,782	207,183	1,381,407	872,502	1,127,471	1,307,899	1,411,309	1,856,788
Detroit, Mich. (a).....	157,755	237,585	1,144,327	1,426,885	2,863,968	1,999,810	1,962,737	10,172,770	12,078,623	12,119,558
Duluth, Minn. (a).....	42,810	2,315	279,447	587,096	1,200,721	1,834,293	1,285,469	3,673,392	3,725,938	3,868,096
Dunkirk, N. Y.....					3,079	136	7,452			
Erie, Pa.....	1,231	69,238		351	18,141	7,495	117,997	14,881	3,593	1,279
Genesee, N. Y. (a).....	37,526	35,850	142,856	133,243	590,785	496,958	581,731	679,686	684,646	890,900
Huron, Mich. (a).....	130,211	130,275	783,080	868,504	1,923,350	1,785,692	1,948,790	5,881,815	6,282,727	6,293,941
Memphremagog, Vt.....	189,122	256,811	233,769	202,798		1,184,685	1,828,952		1,627,168	2,126,300
Miami, Ohio (a).....	15,581	6,673	204,035	141,374	270,677	59,655	159,534	618,961	1,131,179	770,667
Michigan, Mich. (a).....	51,056		12,112		327,432	183,292	277,815	16,554	18,789	
Milwaukee, Wis.....	58,792	47,119		60	466,169	600,637	550,585	2,761		1,053
Minnesota, Minn.....	48,837	59,640	1,875	700	940,456	610,908	1,197,304	66,590	20,268	242,505
Montana and Idaho.....	6,427	11,615	18,889	5,233	149,340	136,882	200,027	42,911	115,051	83,469
Niagara, N. Y.....	163,577	207,612	629,732	703,914	2,603,871	1,572,844	1,525,664	5,360,913	6,701,819	6,404,821
North and South Dakota.....	100,419	69,785	595,867	635,674	406,506	776,224	668,228	1,746,940	4,060,048	5,543,920
Oswegatchie, N. Y. (a).....	693,422	1,227,283	424,000	369,572	5,359,349	4,624,684	8,368,972	3,117,766	4,563,626	3,166,703
Oswego, N. Y.....	56,107	68,491	176,586	278,305	720,651	520,268	425,777	1,466,420	1,550,651	1,491,961
Sandusky, Ohio.....	8,440	3,959	1,551	3,895	50,992	74,366	42,874	14,026	24,408	110,830
Superior, Mich. (a).....	21,472	63,960	611,069	1,905,838	301,479	228,740	342,363	4,190,113	3,140,006	7,080,105
Vermont, Vt.....	270,128	262,874	724,455	851,031	5,673,750	2,491,927	2,050,408	8,331,864	7,164,136	6,981,810
Total.....	3,468,984	4,996,756	9,308,893	11,290,039	43,611,691	35,044,782	41,885,274	57,607,514	72,764,075	79,497,769
INTERIOR PORTS. (b)										
Albany, N. Y.....	7,967	8,012			109,131	85,602	110,503	133		
Atlanta, Ga.....		1,578			26,438	9,048	15,888			1,550
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	53,793	142,666			1,136,714	830,580	1,093,842			
Columbus, Ohio.....	4,603	3,866			89,388	75,311	91,035			
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....	40	1,353			7,426	9,642	18,445			
Denver, Colo.....	4,066	4,230			72,237	65,624	101,682			193,067
Des Moines, Iowa.....	1,865				22,145	19,209	24,887			
Dubuque, Iowa.....	1,859	3,178			29,746	16,044	47,649			

a Ports through which merchandise can be received for transportation to interior ports without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

b Interior ports to which merchandise can be transported without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	MAY—				ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS (a)— Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Evansville, Ind.....	721	783			9,127	5,136	17,912			
Grand Rapids, Mich.....	4,334	17,679			91,497	65,021	154,552			
Indianapolis, Ind.....	24,043	27,977			277,755	251,863	268,736			
Kansas City, Mo.....	11,377	16,584		2,382	369,980	251,139	241,570			3,525
Knoxville, Tenn.....		1,729					1,739			
Lincoln, Nebr.....	231	653			13,846	18,078	18,845			
Louisville, Ky.....	27,612	35,404			407,795	248,442	247,484			
Memphis, Tenn.....	1,499	591			78,211	42,606	42,061			
Nashville, Tenn.....	424	1,426			37,325	39,967	15,853			
Omaha, Nebr.....	22,960	3,272	6,600	31,800	223,543	275,973	366,096		6,600	166,791
Pittsburg, Pa.....	23,678	35,984			905,015	626,253	803,117			
St. Joseph, Mo.....	5,408	7,379			96,267	91,632	118,739			
St. Louis, Mo.....	241,440	258,575			2,432,193	2,783,236	2,738,541			
Sioux City, Iowa.....	91	29			25,053	4,060	26,138			
Springfield, Mass.....	1,842	2,432			133,110	77,318	64,460			
Syracuse, N. Y.....	8,905	10,619			69,700	115,053	156,363			
Total.....	447,608	586,029	6,600	34,182	6,663,642	5,506,239	6,787,137	133	6,600	364,933
Grand total.....	53,584,651	70,158,942	111,283,435	93,840,428	679,547,391	564,784,423	635,389,749	977,800,522	1,136,503,607	1,180,633,511
RECAPITULATION.										
Atlantic ports.....	12,669,944	56,964,879	83,198,671	66,377,268	570,850,137	461,431,456	525,606,435	675,819,640	787,793,205	890,039,123
Gulf ports.....	1,630,108	2,947,848	13,856,575	11,537,540	21,047,030	15,110,121	18,100,405	187,203,531	204,067,778	197,523,873
Pacific ports.....	5,397,947	4,663,438	4,912,696	4,601,399	37,374,891	47,691,825	43,010,498	57,163,704	71,871,949	53,207,813
Northern border and lake ports.....	3,469,984	4,996,756	9,308,893	11,299,039	43,611,691	35,044,782	41,985,274	57,607,514	72,764,075	79,497,769
Interior ports.....	447,668	586,029	6,600	34,182	6,663,642	5,506,239	6,787,137	133	6,600	364,933

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	717,360,074	35,755,310	51,067,607	52,923,430	9,294,501	866,400,922	624,278,456	137,623,470	42,349,866	43,413,402		847,665,194
1894.....	537,643,885	27,796,696	42,353,998	41,692,558	5,507,485	654,994,622	652,921,714	133,211,018	34,302,557	48,769,648		869,204,937
1895.....	613,737,342	18,865,503	40,568,501	51,016,783	7,781,836	731,969,965	590,392,743	130,275,045	36,879,310	49,991,067		807,538,165
1896.....	645,204,456	20,728,964	49,679,945	56,153,380	7,957,929	779,724,674	635,841,697	141,362,346	45,012,888	60,389,603	404	882,606,938
1897.....	639,407,219	23,358,166	44,674,612	50,066,412	7,224,003	764,730,412	733,204,968	194,240,199	59,952,662	63,595,594	133	1,050,993,556
1898.....	502,145,575	16,370,453	52,021,213	39,478,025	6,034,368	616,049,654	862,325,006	212,794,182	75,371,603	80,980,600	10,879	1,231,482,330

a Interior ports to which merchandise can be transported without appraisement, under act of June 10, 1880.

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON MAY 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

MAY—					MAY—				
ARTICLES.	1898		1899		ARTICLES.	1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>					
Animals (number):					Earthen, stone, and china ware:				
Horses	11	3,730	30	10,920	CHINA, PORCELAIN, FAIAN, BISQUE,				
All other, including fowls				170	ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Total		3,730		11,090	Not decorated or ornamented ..		46,814	54,134	
Art works		96,793		4,567	Decorated or ornamented		239,714	188,429	
Asphaltum, or bitumen, crude .. tons ..	243	2,954	142	1,359	All other		3,923	7,973	
Bones and horns, manufactures of ..		7,688		4,738	Total		290,451	250,536	
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.		29,969		30,465					
Brass, manufactures of		892		19,736	E				
Breadstuffs:					ggs			50 2	
Oatmeal	2,688	115	2,688	115	Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed,				
All other, and preparations of, etc.		58,908		13,490	etc		30,227	30,369	
Total		59,023		13,605	Feathers and downs, natural, dressed,				
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or pre-					colored, etc		52,318	14,639	
pared	94,434	62,115	94,046	68,467	Feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., arti-				
Brushes		17,095		17,165	ficial		29,180	62,577	
Buttons and button forms		8,727		7,020					
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. lbs. .	3,775,585	10,417	1,190,138	3,759	Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufac-				
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:					tures of:				
Coal-tar colors and dyes		284,251		168,297	UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—				
Glycerin	156,129	10,654	153,877	10,534	Hemp	25	5,241	25 5,269	
Gum chicle			817,983	117,561	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching			185,600	1,945	Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.		9,837	33,489	
powder					Bags, of jute		11,245	6,508	
Logwood and other dyewoods, ex-					Burlaps, except for bagging for				
tracts and decoctions of	356,029	27,645	442,340	26,282	cotton		594,617		
Mineral waters	41,895	10,522	57,736	11,054	Cables, cordage, and twine .. lbs. .	9,926	1,785	5,193 2,589	
OPIMUM—					Carpets and carpeting .. sq. yds. .			28,222 7,561	
Crude, or unmanufactured .. lbs. .	56,241	120,232	163,477	365,863	Fabrics, plain, woven, etc.				
Prepared for smoking, and					Oilcloths			2,830 1,440	
other, etc. lbs. .	18,884	122,995	15,581	110,074	Yarns or threads	26,265	5,175	48,277 12,952	
Potash, chlorate of	7,283	454			All other		1,465,528	1,436,477	
SODA—					Total manufactures		2,088,187	1,528,940	
Caustic	1,235,651	23,033	1,008,171	12,614	Fish (pounds):				
Soda ash	157,945	1,112	8,697	472	Fresh			6	
All other salts of	207,799	1,644	76,387	577	CURED OR PRESERVED—				
Sumac, ground	204,525	2,273	604,067	9,626	Anchovies and sardines, etc.		184,482	174,265	
All other		347,292		284,300	Cod, haddock, etc., dried,				
Total chemicals, drugs, etc.		952,107		1,119,199	smoked, etc.	1,653,828	54,908	1,614,783 47,730	
Chicory root, raw, unground .. lbs. .			12,540	467	Herring—				
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confec-					Dried or smoked	662,328	15,582	1,594,775 39,817	
tionery)	59,105	8,597	5,967	1,392	Pickled or salted	173,753	5,987	213,594 8,613	
Clays or earths of all kinds	531	3,573	1,293	10,914	Mackerel, pickled or salted	36,221	2,379	22,724 2,016	
Clocks and watches, and parts of:					Salmon, pickled or salted	43,700	2,605	41,400 2,575	
Clocks, and parts of		40,793		53,273	All other		41,058	16,753	
Watches, and parts of, etc.		25,001		29,287	Total		307,001	291,775	
Total		65,794		62,560	Fruits, including nuts (pounds):				
Coal, bituminous	152	535	1,402	3,256	Currants	1,453,811	53,839	2,866,868 48,904	
Cocoa, prepared, etc. lbs. .	14,462	3,131	4,161	924	Dates	1,075,417	28,981	596,109 17,762	
Copper, manufactures of		6,502		3,484	Figs	167,216	6,440	911,845 28,878	
Cork, manufactures of		12,139		23,223	Plums and prunes	1,846	226	1,930 291	
Cotton, manufactures of:					Raisins	285,690	12,468	11,356 888	
CLOTHS (square yards)—					Prepared or preserved		43,170		
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc. .	2,937	223	1,601	131	All other		1,322	56,379 920	
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.	1,926,256	247,493	389,454	54,802	Total fruits		146,446	154,022	
Total	1,929,193	247,722	391,055	54,933	NUTS—				
Clothing, ready made, etc.		22,380		22,376	Almonds	522,095	50,449	1,911,266 239,360	
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.		298,098		242,391	All other		66,380	97,144	
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.		99,026		198,093	Total fruits and nuts		263,275	490,526	
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps,					Furs, and manufactures of		164,383	341,005	
etc. lbs. .	123,518	38,430	105,164	29,343	Ginger ale or ginger beer	6,030	4,314	10,600 7,805	
All other		218,934		478,437					
Total manufactures		915,603		1,025,573					

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON MAY 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ARTICLES.	MAY—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Leather, and manufactures of:				
Bottles, vials, etc., empty or filled.....		39,569		43,784	LEATHER—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....					Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		42,506		10,909
.....lbs..	1,396,596	29,112	2,539,302	59,012	Skins for morocco.....		230,633		38,437
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—					Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		31,481		48,625
Unsilvered.....	2,001	385	7,745	1,524	Total leather.....		304,620		97,971
Silvered.....	26,486	6,366	14,216	1,769	MANUFACTURES OF—				
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—					Gloves, of kid or other leather..		252,713		193,812
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	26,200	5,277	26,785	4,797	All other.....		56,098		38,467
Cast, polished, silvered.....	20,656	9,148	67	103	Total manufactures.....		308,811		232,279
All other.....		198,260		204,965	Malt liquors (gallons):				
Total.....		288,117		315,954	In bottles or jugs.....	61,785	60,403	35,969	38,889
Glue.....lbs..	130,698	13,962	37,606	12,335	In other coverings.....	1,899	783	1,562	623
Grease, not elsewhere specified.....		6,748		8,408	Total.....	63,684	61,186	37,531	39,512
Hair, manufactures of.....		19,200		21,012	Marble and stone, and manufactures of:				
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....		7,226		41,695	Marble, and manufactures of.....		53,782		17,996
Materials for, etc.....		188,122		233,905	Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		9,340		6,464
Hides of cattle.....lbs..	6,827,758	815,864	5,584,362	635,176	Total.....		63,122		24,460
Hops.....lbs..	32,123	8,251	10,617	13,190	Matting and mats for floors...sq. yds..	4,129,745	276,692	4,126,979	272,312
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:					Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of:				
Gutta-percha.....		2,477		1,576	Bronze manufactures.....		24,373		29,798
India rubber.....		21,984		24,748	All other.....		45,982		68,542
Total manufactures.....		24,461		26,324	Total.....		70,355		98,340
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:					Musical instruments.....		75,357		61,823
Pig iron.....tons..	876	9,967	106	966	Oils (gallons):				
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....tons..	73	586	60	1,269	ANIMAL OR RENDERED—				
Bar iron.....lbs..	7,293,040	174,074	7,356,643	182,936	Whale and fish.....	23,881	15,195	21,618	15,460
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, etc.....lbs..	2,242,907	65,842	582,392	13,412	Other.....	3,039	1,132		
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....lbs..	479,525	9,270	398,908	7,027	Mineral.....	1,251	436	1,251	436
Tin plates, terneplates, and taggers tin.....lbs..	4,795,099	107,433	2,131,364	46,936	VEGETABLE—				
Wire rods.....lbs..	347,265	4,799	365,601	6,411	Fixed or expressed—				
Wire, and articles made from.....lbs..	529,279	31,435	498,125	26,598	Olive.....	25,376	34,356	16,318	17,749
MANUFACTURES OF—					Other.....		23,961		38,248
Chains.....lbs..	5,803	845	6,353	908	Volatile or essential and distilled		14,036		9,486
Cutlery.....		20,814		8,320	Total.....		89,116		81,379
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....		18		45	Paints, pigments, and colors.....		18,038		12,162
Firearms.....		3,697		6,292	Paper, and manufactures of.....		58,335		26,820
Machinery.....		84,449		80,151	Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....		21,767		18,378
All other.....		104,966		22,343	Pipes and smokers' articles.....		6,476		5,777
Total.....		618,195		403,614	Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:				
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:					MEAT PRODUCTS—				
Other precious stones, cut, but not set.....		2,931		2,925	Meat and meat extracts.....		46,972		27,920
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....		25,335		36,058	All other.....		1,121		718
Lead, and manufactures of:					DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—				
Lead in ore and base bullion...lbs..	9,024,267	155,136	18,511,755	370,389	Butter.....	17	2	266	42
Pigs, bars, and old.....lbs..	7,834	167	62,154	1,101	Cheese.....	55,583	8,327	107,433	14,699
Manufactures of.....		14,394		14,666	Total.....		56,422		41,379
					Rice (pounds):				
					Rice.....	14,099,121	283,805	37,344,279	648,843
					Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....	381,174	8,050	434,991	8,888
					Total.....	14,480,295	291,855	37,779,270	657,731

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON MAY 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MAY—				ARTICLES.	MAY—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>					
Salt.....lbs..	19,960,819	17,276	15,951,309	16,040	Wines:				
Seeds		25,669		36,037	Champagne, and other sparkling		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
Silk, manufactures of:					.....doz..	27,379	406,795	24,464
Clothing, ready-made, and other					STILL WINES—				
wearing apparel		97,401		91,998	In casks	298,882	208,035	258,476	
Dress and piece goods		653,047		683,971	In other coverings.....doz..	21,101	92,388	10,186	
Laces and embroideries		94,401		66,874	Total.....		707,218		
Ribbons		105,713		114,923				564,573	
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs..			35,703	41,544	Wood, n. e. s., and manufactures of:				
Velvets, plushes, and other pile			7,178	23,031	LUMBER—				
fabrics					Boards, planks, etc....M feet..	6,143	75,500	14,712	
All other		497,896		396,478	Shingles			308	
Total.....		1,448,458		1,418,819	Other lumber.....			264	
Soap:					MANUFACTURES OF—				
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	8,515	3,973	6,262	2,977	Cabinet ware or house furni-		26,377		
All other		944		864	ture			25,410	
Total.....		4,917		3,841	Wood pulp	7	427		
Spices, n. e. s.....lbs..	405,723	11,801	96,190	7,992	All other		26,838	5,049	
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):					Total.....		129,142	175,727	
Of domestic manufacture, returned									
(subject to internal-revenue tax) ..	646,841	717,472	643,828	690,670	Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca,				
Brandy	53,163	124,837	74,205	191,141	etc., and manufactures of:				
All other	173,102	149,116	174,785	181,670	UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—				
Total.....	873,106	991,425	892,818	1,063,481	Class 1, clothing—				
Sponges		49,574		23,530	In the grease	23,289,153	3,974,195	17,519,348	
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				3,831	Scoured	72,898	12,303	61,797	
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:					Class 2, combing—In the				
Molasses above 40° polariscopic					grease	50,141	10,056	149,178	
test	254,287	20,076	234,643	41,561	Class 3, carpet—In the grease ..	34,885,322	3,407,346	31,885,820	
SUGAR (pounds)—					Total unmanufactured	58,297,514	7,403,900	49,616,143	
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand-									
ard—					MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—				
Beet sugar	31,373,193	623,288	71,179,346	1,534,797	Carpets and carpeting				
Cane and other	358,891,921	7,294,156	92,283,705	2,280,099	.....sq. yds..	197,787	546,739	153,958
Above No. 16 Dutch standard ..	10,041,290	251,469	13,442,831	325,527	Clothing, ready-made, etc.,				
Total sugar	400,306,404	8,168,913	176,905,882	4,140,423	except shawls and knit				
Confectionery		2,898		1,011	goods		25,922		
Tea			28,953,036	3,465,187	Cloths	671,384	416,206	401,235	
Tobacco, and manufactures of:					Dress goods, women's and				
LEAF (pounds)—					children's.....sq. yds..	3,362,826	701,185	4,657,306	
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	2,788,425	2,702,166	3,501,116	3,620,402	Knit fabrics.....		99,041		
Other	5,921,090	3,201,837	6,908,812	3,621,112	Mungo, flocks, shoddy, etc.				
Total leaf.....	8,709,515	5,904,023	10,409,928	7,241,514	.....lbs..	196,190	54,126	245,341
MANUFACTURES OF—					Shawls		639		
Cigars, cigarettes, etc....lbs..	10,020	37,443	11,111	59,387	Yarns	122,167	65,755	83,926	
All other		3,939		16,006	All other		412,413		
Total manufactures.....		41,382		75,393	Total manufactures.....		2,322,023	1,958,006	
Toys.....		22,862		15,631					
Vegetables:					Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of:				
Beans and dried pease	4,107	2,743	6,023	7,020	In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..			6,668	
Pickles and sauces		8,017		6,939	Manufactures of		1,167		
ALL OTHER—					Total		1,167		
In their natural state		597		110	All other articles		438,722		
Prepared or preserved		28,393		12,101	All other articles.....dut..		139,967		
Total.....		39,750		26,170	Total value of merchandise				
					FREE OF DUTY		1,156,194	1,244,565	
					Total value of merchandise				
					DUTIABLE		36,136,191	35,004,288	
					Total value of imports of				
					merchandise REMAINING				
					IN WAREHOUSE		37,292,385	36,248,853	

WAREHOUSE TRANSACTIONS, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	IN WAREHOUSE AT COMMENCEMENT OF MONTH.	WAREHOUSED DURING MONTH—		ADDITIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	TOTAL REMAINING IN, AND ENTERED, WAREHOUSE.	WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE DURING THE MONTH—								DEDUCTIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE AT CLOSE OF MONTH.
		Direct importation.	From other districts.			For exportation—				For transportation.	For consumption.				
						Toadja-cent British provinces.	To Mexico.	To other foreign countries.	Total.						
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1894—July	44,882,579	13,868,752	1,062,880	102,094	59,916,305	78,998	5,710	383,057	472,765	520,533	6,668,110	962,178	51,292,719		
August	51,292,719	16,310,684	1,488,412	410,599	69,502,414	128,921	5,772	473,935	608,623	821,052	20,042,001	825,832	47,204,901		
September	47,204,901	5,558,127	1,023,072	1,434,690	53,220,790	115,400	6,073	329,705	451,178	815,958	18,624,120	1,763,015	33,536,519		
October	33,536,519	7,624,625	1,125,414	771,955	43,058,513	71,138	6,471	475,181	552,790	1,007,049	8,549,232	1,259,609	31,639,833		
November	31,639,833	7,303,944	986,172	463,658	40,443,607	167,034	7,526	247,920	422,500	689,587	5,912,432	819,875	32,590,213		
December	32,599,213	9,985,710	1,228,525	422,857	44,236,305	146,454	8,863	465,485	620,802	445,028	6,156,104	1,036,270	35,978,091		
1895—January	35,978,091	8,120,144	955,730	711,313	45,765,278	96,033	3,422	289,406	379,861	530,261	11,482,648	1,147,544	32,224,964		
February	32,224,964	6,039,140	780,684	683,636	39,728,424	106,189	10,966	202,986	320,141	442,247	6,410,830	1,051,507	31,503,699		
March	31,503,699	8,290,505	1,197,887	713,545	41,705,036	186,167	11,888	354,817	552,872	465,787	8,031,743	1,224,700	31,430,534		
April	31,430,534	9,436,104	1,204,219	663,610	42,734,467	80,482	6,659	351,424	438,565	394,340	6,219,306	1,258,223	34,423,833		
May	34,423,833	11,073,751	721,474	832,455	47,051,513	297,096	27,900	257,310	582,372	462,586	7,760,629	1,112,143	37,133,792		
June	37,133,792	9,883,507	677,504	650,242	48,345,045	276,574	44,973	240,768	562,315	400,558	6,852,528	816,882	39,712,762		
July	39,712,762	11,253,930	1,041,677	735,644	52,744,013	213,506	23,559	402,583	639,648	501,027	8,025,409	1,094,809	42,483,120		
August	42,483,120	9,905,593	970,624	773,715	53,233,052	180,076	35,028	309,326	524,430	604,024	9,790,619	1,083,007	41,230,972		
September	41,230,972	9,144,223	772,558	940,332	52,088,085	225,587	46,495	379,938	652,020	660,444	10,035,354	1,013,033	39,727,234		
October	39,727,234	11,218,379	787,644	609,867	52,343,124	376,491	46,783	734,366	1,157,640	663,312	9,253,061	786,987	40,482,124		
November	40,482,124	8,811,935	1,248,942	467,574	51,010,575	523,150	51,159	899,698	1,444,007	766,302	6,849,868	1,019,163	40,931,235		
December	40,931,235	9,175,807	1,332,257	396,189	51,835,488	227,858	43,686	491,487	763,031	682,725	8,083,877	760,379	41,545,476		
1896—January	41,545,476	9,466,098	1,241,533	697,197	52,950,304	146,027	45,074	386,728	577,829	398,049	10,264,199	1,052,615	40,657,612		
February	40,657,612	8,974,632	856,198	733,361	51,221,833	95,406	23,354	396,597	515,357	543,973	8,615,265	1,064,494	40,482,714		
March	40,482,714	10,225,929	820,902	754,055	52,383,600	172,850	34,153	339,335	546,338	615,749	7,821,668	909,520	42,490,325		
April	42,490,325	9,811,316	977,521	1,002,051	54,281,213	109,902	30,087	372,214	512,203	543,601	8,530,049	1,362,973	43,332,387		
May	43,332,387	12,457,105	834,267	653,118	57,276,877	276,522	41,826	608,443	926,791	553,406	7,284,658	913,039	47,598,983		
June	47,598,983	11,867,773	1,003,044	671,741	61,141,541	315,172	57,473	447,859	820,504	902,943	7,153,257	810,495	51,454,342		
July	51,454,342	9,218,544	906,877	1,140,745	62,720,508	303,540	26,112	509,258	838,910	762,222	7,990,075	1,088,193	52,041,108		
August	52,041,108	7,608,876	575,996	940,474	61,166,454	225,638	28,297	591,437	845,372	551,274	8,435,757	1,060,429	50,273,622		
September	50,273,622	8,265,443	472,529	847,929	59,859,523	76,967	28,933	449,970	555,876	483,583	9,087,057	826,766	48,906,241		
October	48,906,241	8,677,983	548,095	716,753	58,849,072	326,658	46,108	353,497	726,263	563,137	9,203,652	907,165	47,448,855		
November	47,448,855	6,342,498	647,308	74,734	54,513,395	136,020	31,166	530,236	697,422	520,006	9,141,684	473,911	43,680,372		
December	43,680,372	7,411,054	643,422	94,881	51,929,729	176,293	27,095	335,934	539,322	608,604	6,856,639	344,217	43,480,947		
1897—January	43,480,947	5,708,144	612,362	139,322	49,940,775	188,507	17,192	414,658	620,357	786,398	7,421,592	288,303	40,824,125		
February	40,824,125	5,648,020	694,940	191,146	47,358,231	322,527	11,213	525,157	858,897	415,781	6,942,467	198,303	38,942,783		
March	38,942,783	7,486,989	756,754	569,851	47,756,377	360,967	15,416	530,152	906,535	774,205	24,330,634	624,318	21,120,685		
April	21,120,685	13,443,307	543,508	599,366	35,706,866	245,315	18,091	271,752	535,158	427,325	16,215,000	312,949	18,216,434		
May	18,216,434	15,169,909	453,962	36,184	33,876,489	399,116	22,464	412,251	833,831	471,116	6,000,612	82,688	25,888,242		
June	25,888,242	12,024,945	413,165	761,639	39,087,991	97,142	33,120	428,950	559,212	475,870	19,284,520	632,666	18,135,723		
July	18,135,723	3,772,463	499,110	1,132,449	23,539,745	81,061	15,537	443,560	540,158	468,645	10,199,988	648,574	11,682,380		
August	11,682,380	4,218,947	352,105	171,952	16,425,384	98,355	17,276	465,974	581,605	355,533	1,820,558	96,404	13,571,284		
September	13,571,284	5,361,482	421,153	148,787	19,502,706	130,572	16,991	635,201	782,764	531,483	2,588,551	135,818	15,464,090		
October	15,464,090	7,435,478	467,150	31,354	23,398,072	180,144	16,296	1,205,956	1,402,396	624,403	3,099,132	53,468	18,218,613		
November	18,218,613	7,171,571	651,409	143,214	26,184,807	291,830	28,033	1,071,471	1,391,984	583,478	3,290,007	77,109	20,842,229		
December	20,842,229	8,071,225	643,884	100,459	29,657,797	112,929	35,779	441,735	590,443	530,405	4,206,761	168,046	24,162,142		
1898—January	24,162,142	6,788,515	545,379	75,157	31,571,193	189,936	10,673	542,701	743,310	621,001	5,168,343	104,251	24,934,285		
February	24,934,285	8,114,135	727,532	73,110	32,849,062	107,843	18,550	762,368	888,761	477,076	5,649,303	70,682	26,763,180		
March	26,763,180	11,527,973	649,357	71,374	39,011,884	150,804	29,850	700,756	881,410	557,988	6,165,171	106,135	31,301,180		
April	31,301,180	11,370,513	597,121	72,837	43,341,651	212,228	23,947	466,122	702,297	405,237	6,366,573	143,407	35,724,137		
May	35,724,137	9,465,432	500,659	63,254	45,753,482	210,564	32,272	403,390	646,226	601,056	7,125,815	88,000	37,292,385		
June	37,292,385	9,371,937	987,892	50,567	47,702,781	236,890	13,023	824,422	1,074,335	678,546	8,065,410	157,526	37,726,964		
July	37,726,964	9,609,498	576,516	28,121	47,932,099	101,347	8,708	415,125	615,180	705,872	6,917,202	96,981	39,596,861		
August	39,596,861	7,312,925	689,229	39,430	47,638,448	160,267	14,231	468,649	643,147	742,394	8,448,496	40,067	37,764,324		
September	37,764,324	7,181,238	498,895	77,892	45,522,349	187,765	79,885	363,835	631,485	653,127	8,950,022	80,281	35,207,434		
October	35,207,434	9,893,310	678,663	112,710	45,892,117	632,815	9,747	685,131	1,327,693	810,738	7,776,906	1,329,927	34,646,853		
November	34,646,853	8,253,449	1,043,486	185,475	44,129,263	506,572	24,581	958,488	1,489,641	676,265	7,303,894	157,196	34,502,267		
December	34,502,267	9,716,618	791,831	97,158	45,107,874	358,262	18,486	1,040,246	1,416,991	803,445	7,251,008	124,287	35,507,140		
1899—January	35,507,140	8,356,904	720,825	92,469	44,777,338	345,486	27,190	663,907	1,036,583	755,367	8,814,558	100,129	33,970,701		
February	33,970,701	8,373,108	695,149	149,687	43,188,645	186,026	23,730	528,807	738,563	650,536	7,114,645	134,359	34,550,542		
March	34,550,542	10,859,636	827,855	409,783	46,647,816	227,971	21,229	622,577	881,777	676,246	10,029,294	456,830	34,603,660		
April	34,603,660	10,721,642	630,243	163,697	45,922,252	114,752	37,210	624,446	776,408	659,431	7,819,076	146,879	36,520,458		
May	36,520,458	9,893,181	756,675	203,179	47,315,497	240,121	32,374	1,309,703	1,582,258	717,162	8,509,264	257,960	36,248,853		

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY MONTHS.

MERCHANDISE.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Per cent of free.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	32,815,760	40,209,877	73,025,646	44.9	55,156,878	1,384,711	56,541,589	16,484,057	.....
August.....	35,650,550	35,461,393	71,111,943	50.1	54,821,159	1,159,460	55,980,619	15,131,324	.....
September.....	30,568,563	34,736,757	65,305,320	46.8	57,063,808	1,476,255	58,540,063	6,765,257	.....
October.....	37,765,403	37,314,941	75,080,344	50.3	85,089,206	2,001,766	87,090,972	.....	12,010,628
November.....	32,559,971	30,784,846	63,344,817	51.4	85,152,500	2,160,081	87,312,581	.....	23,967,764
December.....	29,452,797	32,748,280	62,201,047	47.3	91,076,350	1,452,767	92,529,117	.....	30,328,070
1896—January.....	32,900,588	35,747,011	68,647,600	47.9	85,543,304	1,426,724	86,970,028	.....	18,322,428
February.....	28,513,192	33,964,924	62,478,116	45.6	76,378,143	1,323,761	77,701,904	.....	15,223,786
March.....	31,016,387	35,439,276	66,455,663	46.7	74,000,616	1,573,568	75,574,184	.....	9,118,521
April.....	28,595,630	30,053,940	58,649,579	48.8	69,402,585	1,680,162	71,091,747	.....	12,442,168
May.....	24,788,242	32,472,617	57,260,859	43.3	64,587,491	1,980,772	66,568,263	.....	9,307,404
June.....	25,130,398	31,033,342	56,163,740	44.7	64,928,447	1,777,424	66,705,871	.....	10,542,131
Total, 12 months.....	369,757,470	499,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	864,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
July.....	22,674,353	29,434,199	52,108,552	43.5	65,686,419	2,031,370	67,717,789	.....	15,609,237
August.....	20,645,161	28,823,029	49,468,190	41.7	66,689,981	1,911,025	68,601,006	.....	19,132,816
September.....	23,955,772	26,900,218	50,855,990	47.1	83,746,362	1,384,736	85,131,098	.....	34,275,103
October.....	24,013,430	26,453,889	50,467,319	47.6	111,957,796	1,558,790	113,516,586	.....	63,049,267
November.....	27,819,906	22,223,382	50,043,288	55.6	107,821,778	1,251,061	109,072,839	.....	59,029,551
December.....	32,699,388	26,081,272	58,780,660	55.8	116,087,158	1,098,768	117,185,926	.....	58,205,266
1897—January.....	27,299,139	24,054,879	51,354,018	53.2	92,474,282	1,477,601	93,951,883	.....	42,597,865
February.....	32,764,969	26,472,408	59,237,377	55.3	77,842,500	1,978,536	79,821,036	.....	20,533,709
March.....	41,114,784	35,236,660	76,351,444	53.8	85,420,041	1,802,206	87,222,247	.....	10,930,803
April.....	50,889,374	50,433,032	101,322,406	50.3	76,098,128	1,550,658	77,648,786	23,673,620	.....
May.....	36,702,676	42,655,471	79,358,147	46.3	76,295,675	1,575,601	77,871,276	1,486,871	.....
June.....	41,159,291	44,023,730	85,183,021	48.3	71,887,483	1,305,551	73,193,034	11,989,987	.....
Total, 12 months.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	284,263,114
July.....	29,271,389	24,403,370	53,674,759	54.6	69,911,444	1,192,524	71,103,968	.....	17,429,209
August.....	21,182,871	18,661,734	39,844,605	53.1	79,481,095	1,343,355	80,825,050	.....	40,980,445
September.....	22,059,214	20,369,912	42,429,126	52	103,097,617	1,443,295	104,540,912	.....	62,111,786
October.....	24,332,909	25,646,803	49,979,712	48.7	109,527,345	2,217,172	111,744,517	.....	61,764,805
November.....	26,383,165	25,971,486	52,354,651	50.4	114,645,003	2,027,322	116,672,325	.....	64,317,674
December.....	24,128,615	27,377,348	51,505,963	46.8	123,153,083	1,900,878	125,053,961	.....	73,547,998
1898—January.....	22,116,649	28,711,065	50,827,714	43.5	106,698,651	1,728,023	108,426,674	.....	57,598,960
February.....	22,588,894	30,485,755	53,074,649	42.6	93,284,932	1,632,521	94,917,453	.....	41,842,804
March.....	26,642,887	34,919,296	61,562,183	43.3	110,750,861	1,869,635	112,620,496	.....	51,058,313
April.....	24,443,855	31,502,555	55,946,410	43.6	98,013,579	1,301,237	99,314,816	.....	43,368,406
May.....	25,343,291	28,241,360	53,584,651	47.3	108,715,406	2,568,029	111,283,435	.....	57,698,784
June.....	22,920,436	28,344,795	51,265,231	44.7	93,012,297	1,966,426	94,978,723	.....	43,713,492
Total, 12 months.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
July.....	19,575,833	31,408,548	50,984,381	38.4	71,250,845	1,274,204	72,525,049	.....	21,540,663
August.....	21,304,444	28,372,905	49,677,349	42.9	83,157,397	1,408,164	84,565,561	.....	34,888,212
September.....	19,658,433	28,797,954	48,456,387	40.6	89,304,880	1,341,057	90,645,937	.....	42,189,550
October.....	20,163,538	32,185,988	52,349,526	38.3	116,416,821	2,202,742	118,619,563	.....	66,270,037
November.....	22,125,620	29,971,208	52,096,828	42.3	127,474,112	2,323,853	129,797,965	.....	77,701,137
December.....	21,500,293	33,638,846	55,139,139	39	135,478,359	2,372,235	137,850,594	.....	82,711,455
1899—January.....	26,362,783	31,876,988	58,239,771	45.2	113,855,890	1,735,556	115,591,446	.....	57,351,675
February.....	28,065,413	32,193,039	60,258,452	46.6	92,185,372	1,651,779	93,837,151	.....	33,578,699
March.....	34,497,073	38,323,673	72,820,746	47.4	102,249,456	2,303,588	104,553,044	.....	31,732,298
April.....	29,501,111	35,707,117	65,208,228	45.3	86,929,486	1,877,287	88,806,773	.....	23,598,545
May.....	31,615,887	38,543,055	70,158,942	45.1	91,253,186	2,587,242	93,840,428	.....	23,681,466
Total, 11 months.....	274,370,428	361,019,321	635,389,749	43.2	1,109,555,804	21,077,707	1,130,633,511	.....	495,243,762
Twelve months ending June 30—									
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,783	789,310,409	33.5	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	43.3	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	55.4	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	51.3	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	58	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	49.6	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	803,200,487	19,406,451	822,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	266,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July	171,683	571,451	743,134	.....	3,490,845	.....	376,673	3,867,518	.....	3,124,384
August	129,500	1,534,086	1,663,586	3,240	15,428,861	.....	1,238,400	16,670,501	.....	15,006,915
September	173,935	749,456	923,391	5,884	17,348,088	.....	75,977	17,429,949	.....	16,506,558
October	214,019	1,797,040	2,011,059	13,810	881,978	.....	991,919	1,887,707	123,352	.....
November	227,308	591,309	818,617	14,760	14,045,981	.....	13,516	14,074,257	.....	13,255,640
December	110,217	1,310,448	1,420,665	7,156	14,211,410	.....	1,269,937	15,488,503	.....	14,067,838
1896.										
January	179,012	10,367,940	10,546,952	5,002	10,566,327	.....	199	10,571,528	.....	24,576
February	100,008	11,559,089	11,659,097	7,101	1,361,850	.....	821,850	2,190,801	9,468,296	.....
March	78,883	677,733	756,616	17,940	384,080	.....	.....	402,020	354,596	.....
April	155,400	1,119,768	1,275,168	5,426	3,210,734	.....	571,532	3,787,692	.....	2,512,524
May	107,276	604,498	711,774	7,022	19,038,188	.....	65,725	19,110,935	.....	18,399,161
June	157,337	837,669	995,006	13,470	6,865,183	.....	49,883	6,928,536	.....	5,933,530
Total, 12 months	1,604,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525	.....	5,475,011	112,409,947	.....	78,884,882
1897.										
July	162,058	1,505,928	1,667,986	23,295	11,391,141	.....	517,000	11,931,436	.....	10,263,450
August	232,437	4,057,101	4,289,538	2,440	1,951,104	.....	19,000	1,972,544	2,316,994	.....
September	187,879	34,159,130	34,347,009	32,505	59,750	.....	1,309	93,555	34,253,454	.....
October	232,686	27,961,083	28,193,769	24,839	343,168	.....	.....	368,007	27,825,762	.....
November	143,072	7,344,228	7,487,300	44,611	423,399	.....	.....	468,010	7,019,290	.....
December	233,929	2,567,115	2,801,044	25,970	404,416	.....	1,440	431,826	2,369,218	.....
1898.										
January	386,685	556,021	943,306	70,411	371,944	.....	.....	442,355	500,951	.....
February	285,480	544,700	830,180	16,450	153,266	.....	183,431	353,147	477,033	.....
March	555,273	884,166	1,439,439	3,137	173,418	.....	398,650	575,205	864,234	.....
April	352,054	619,452	971,506	1,800	6,622,002	10	7,404	6,631,216	.....	5,659,710
May	389,849	561,666	951,515	1,260	9,389,682	.....	77,529	9,468,471	.....	8,516,956
June	441,845	650,343	1,092,188	130	7,622,384	.....	3,294	7,625,808	.....	6,533,620
Total, 12 months	2,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	.....
1899.										
July	346,754	592,197	938,951	2,750	5,459,119	.....	1,000	5,462,869	.....	4,523,918
August	344,174	4,376,395	4,720,569	.....	1,983,588	.....	.....	1,983,588	2,736,981	.....
September	433,758	4,289,423	4,723,181	.....	142,922	.....	.....	142,922	4,580,259	.....
October	423,717	11,351,766	11,775,483	1,640	281,667	.....	30,004	313,311	11,462,172	.....
November	509,071	2,545,018	3,054,089	173	694,138	.....	5,202	699,513	2,354,576	.....
December	472,392	2,110,013	2,582,405	4,458	573,233	.....	305	577,996	2,004,409	.....
1898.										
January	776,638	5,716,776	6,493,414	2,468	205,945	.....	2,450,250	2,658,663	3,834,751	.....
February	833,572	5,329,109	6,162,681	.....	154,896	.....	878,516	1,030,412	5,132,269	.....
March	493,575	30,214,745	30,708,320	69,873	322,788	.....	336,046	728,707	29,979,613	.....
April	234,720	32,345,138	32,579,858	100	97,068	.....	1,226,556	1,323,724	31,256,134	.....
May	203,477	13,118,634	13,322,111	.....	109,016	.....	141	109,157	13,212,954	.....
June	145,838	3,184,774	3,330,612	.....	367,529	.....	8,000	375,529	2,955,083	.....
Total, 12 months	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909	.....	4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	.....
1899.										
July	149,437	2,492,231	2,641,668	3,200	1,490,582	.....	3,231	1,497,013	1,144,655	.....
August	226,475	15,070,336	15,296,811	.....	1,449,712	.....	506,196	1,955,908	13,340,903	.....
September	318,922	16,489,419	16,808,341	3,245	202,783	.....	2,896,782	3,102,810	13,705,531	.....
October	435,896	16,302,457	16,738,353	100	356,596	.....	923,230	1,279,926	15,458,427	.....
November	607,864	4,716,737	5,324,601	2,710	302,003	.....	608,754	913,467	4,411,134	.....
December	591,379	8,165,803	8,757,182	.....	159,138	.....	1,060,500	1,219,638	7,537,544	.....
1899.										
January	549,237	5,843,107	6,392,344	.....	1,280,053	.....	475,398	1,755,451	4,636,893	.....
February	306,973	4,841,933	5,148,906	.....	179,759	.....	388,203	567,962	4,580,944	.....
March	363,641	2,823,934	3,187,575	2,810	492,251	.....	494,784	1,199,845	2,077,730	.....
April	337,153	2,145,718	2,482,871	.....	151,677	.....	1,010,807	1,162,484	1,320,387	.....
May	433,110	2,637,155	3,070,265	2,100	943,290	.....	1,103,865	2,049,255	1,021,010	.....
Total, 11 months	4,320,087	81,528,830	85,848,917	14,165	7,127,844	.....	9,471,750	16,613,759	69,235,158	.....
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1899	91,679	12,943,342	13,035,021	1,973,976	13,403,632	1,952	3,870,859	19,250,419	.....	6,215,398
1891	214,803	18,232,567	18,447,370	1,34,542	84,939,551	209	1,423,103	86,397,405	.....	67,950,095
1892	240,304	49,699,454	49,948,758	1,39,325	43,321,351	13,004	6,873,976	50,247,656	.....	298,898
1893	894,999	21,174,381	22,069,380	1,225,524	102,068,153	16,607	6,612,691	108,622,975	.....	88,853,595
1894	540,444	72,449,119	72,989,563	1,146,779	64,487,354	17,069	12,490,707	77,141,009	.....	4,152,346
1895	1,238,026	35,146,734	36,384,760	328,012	55,890,295	9,286	10,210,888	66,468,481	.....	30,083,721
1896	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525	.....	5,475,011	112,409,947	.....	78,884,882
1897	3,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	.....
1898	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909	4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July	955,085	772,363	1,727,448	.....	4,420,201	.....	393,890	4,814,091	.....	3,086,643
August	1,112,598	1,114,677	2,227,275	25,778	4,200,615	.....	353,083	4,579,476	.....	2,352,201
September	982,997	1,781,193	2,764,190	38,065	4,067,753	1,331,641	.....	5,437,459	.....	2,673,269
October	1,178,965	1,391,831	2,570,826	99,840	3,679,888	.....	914,559	4,694,287	.....	2,123,461
November	1,092,377	1,030,023	2,122,400	72,295	4,587,416	.....	827,143	5,486,854	.....	3,364,454
December	1,687,485	883,480	2,570,974	105,813	4,646,741	.....	512,796	5,265,350	.....	2,694,376
1896.										
January	1,433,622	1,057,597	2,491,219	84,670	4,547,372	730	355,927	4,988,699	.....	2,497,480
February	1,388,938	1,411,967	2,800,905	38,115	4,549,684	.....	812,635	5,400,434	.....	2,599,520
March	1,468,100	1,353,526	2,821,626	67,568	4,125,859	.....	888,867	5,082,294	.....	2,260,668
April	1,574,353	569,301	2,143,654	14,665	4,936,508	.....	203,470	5,154,643	.....	3,010,989
May	1,386,140	564,332	1,950,472	35,807	4,941,159	.....	217,971	5,194,037	.....	3,244,465
June	1,598,538	987,659	2,586,197	95,368	3,815,379	.....	532,399	4,443,146	.....	1,856,940
Total, 12 months.....	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
July	1,804,206	899,155	2,643,361	33,652	5,373,037	.....	364,717	5,771,406	.....	3,128,045
August	1,350,066	929,422	2,279,488	25,387	4,808,737	.....	467,210	5,301,334	.....	3,021,846
September	1,237,622	741,678	1,979,300	168,880	5,337,641	.....	196,469	5,702,990	.....	3,723,690
October	1,489,353	993,440	2,482,793	179,046	4,492,814	.....	301,525	4,973,385	.....	2,496,592
November	1,338,333	1,776,699	3,115,032	148,232	4,340,865	.....	633,546	5,122,643	.....	2,007,611
December	1,705,892	1,279,801	2,985,693	101,285	5,062,996	.....	1,756,549	6,920,830	.....	3,935,137
1897.										
January	1,907,479	877,067	2,784,546	156,903	3,742,415	.....	255,339	4,154,657	.....	1,370,111
February	1,568,369	763,563	2,331,932	66,158	4,208,697	.....	451,665	4,726,520	.....	2,394,588
March	1,518,765	480,170	1,998,935	23,639	4,681,238	.....	234,446	4,939,323	.....	2,940,388
April	1,604,104	578,124	2,182,228	250	4,807,377	.....	89,518	4,897,145	.....	2,714,917
May	1,984,320	766,704	2,751,024	12,200	4,148,920	.....	188,422	4,349,542	.....	1,568,518
June	2,044,013	954,882	2,998,895	.....	4,621,454	.....	465,409	5,086,863	.....	2,687,968
Total, 12 months.....	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
July	1,681,473	1,012,391	2,693,864	180	4,068,884	.....	636,090	4,705,154	.....	2,011,290
August	1,563,457	1,491,752	3,055,209	.....	4,317,093	.....	817,899	5,164,992	.....	2,109,783
September	2,228,231	856,393	3,084,624	.....	3,625,600	.....	956,878	4,582,478	.....	1,497,854
October	1,591,762	1,691,661	3,283,423	95	3,939,347	.....	1,285,995	5,225,437	.....	1,942,014
November	1,540,145	1,010,691	2,550,836	1,334	3,939,895	.....	1,039,422	4,980,651	.....	1,829,815
December	1,703,434	1,063,352	2,766,786	48,259	4,061,185	.....	1,139,086	5,848,530	.....	3,081,744
1898.										
January	1,990,631	544,830	2,535,461	39,424	3,841,239	.....	421,157	4,301,820	.....	1,760,359
February	1,703,601	382,034	2,085,635	6,820	3,631,065	.....	122,086	3,759,971	.....	1,674,336
March	2,120,018	457,577	2,577,595	7,695	3,974,363	.....	113,905	4,095,963	.....	1,518,368
April	1,601,909	489,157	2,091,066	58,860	3,880,402	.....	159,899	4,099,161	.....	2,008,695
May	1,083,811	490,668	1,574,479	.....	4,006,265	.....	178,167	4,184,432	.....	2,609,953
June	1,229,048	799,755	2,028,803	.....	3,751,640	.....	405,010	4,156,650	.....	2,127,847
Total, 12 months.....	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458
July	1,350,588	1,303,153	2,653,746	150	3,643,118	.....	1,241,654	4,884,922	.....	2,231,176
August	2,093,589	1,458,154	3,551,743	.....	3,837,786	.....	960,692	4,798,478	.....	1,246,735
September	1,031,362	969,394	2,000,696	860	4,157,422	.....	993,821	5,152,103	.....	3,151,407
October	1,722,767	830,677	2,553,444	.....	4,248,479	.....	264,348	4,512,827	.....	1,959,383
November	1,422,381	816,878	2,269,259	165	3,586,013	.....	436,901	4,023,079	.....	1,753,820
December	2,209,425	1,000,028	3,209,453	9,525	5,288,326	.....	529,847	5,827,698	.....	2,618,245
1899.										
January	2,469,092	659,760	3,128,852	4,520	5,206,007	.....	170,279	5,380,806	.....	2,251,954
February	1,016,110	380,917	1,427,027	9,390	4,122,382	.....	187,302	4,319,074	.....	2,892,047
March	2,563,598	560,261	3,125,859	150	4,936,189	.....	121,314	5,057,653	.....	1,931,794
April	1,349,959	499,272	1,849,231	.....	3,928,526	.....	154,041	4,082,567	.....	2,233,336
May	2,297,816	712,537	3,010,353	2,002	4,380,508	.....	54,039	4,436,549	.....	1,426,196
Total, 11 months.....	19,558,627	9,221,036	28,779,663	26,762	47,334,756	.....	5,114,238	52,475,756	.....	23,696,092
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890.....	7,748,572	21,032,984	28,781,556	.....	22,378,557	75,673	12,495,372	34,949,602	.....	6,168,046
1891.....	8,953,698	18,026,880	26,980,488	.....	14,033,714	104,175	8,537,274	22,695,163	4,285,325	.....
1892.....	9,656,761	19,955,086	29,611,847	.....	16,765,067	332,336	16,045,492	33,142,895	.....	3,531,048
1893.....	11,100,747	23,193,252	34,293,999	.....	23,559,254	144,338	17,178,065	40,881,657	.....	6,587,658
1894.....	6,679,161	13,286,552	19,965,713	.....	39,069,087	69,015	11,382,178	50,520,280	.....	30,554,567
1895.....	10,658,659	9,552,520	20,211,179	46,206	40,073,222	21,763	7,154,095	47,295,286	.....	27,084,107
1896.....	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670	.....	31,764,484
1897.....	19,552,522	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191	.....	5,404,815	61,946,638	.....	31,413,411
1898.....	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978	.....	7,275,594	55,105,239	.....	24,177,458

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.
IMPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	May—		Eleven months ending May—		May—		Eleven months ending May—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.	43,717		43,717					
Bangor, Me.	27,900	19,815	361,736	235,274	873	651	11,773	13,508
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	10,845	16,856	645,590	99,982				973
Newark, N. J.	9,747		48,531	237,463	46,905		213,279	122,482
New York, N. Y.	9,101,876	1,566,034	81,100,723	36,732,658	283,457	2,035,456	12,148,640	13,800,843
Perth Amboy, N. J.	21,898		28,823	28,801	439,212		726,083	1,055,436
Philadelphia, Pa.	731,093	72	731,203	10,367		413	2,560	11,063
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.							11,220	17,745
Corpus Christi, Tex.	33,662	88,991	481,354	898,107	26,618	75,748	782,434	1,537,213
Galveston, Tex.			2,220					
Mobile, Ala.	2,465	1,000	23,665	19,478	7,326	330	19,886	11,558
New Orleans, La.	28,109	54,938	236,008	268,664	12,519	33,028	225,907	327,628
Paso del Norte, Tex.	25,359	13,198	757,195	171,792	379,952	353,809	7,240,937	5,498,292
Pensacola, Fla.								1,500
Saluria, Tex.	37,624		292,779	137,944	52,621		1,107,820	364,015
Alaska			50	9,065,000				100
Arizona	112,527	120,916	1,510,955	1,617,610	59,157	101,104	965,949	1,215,466
Puget Sound, Wash.	74,800	192,788	2,914,574	1,425,297	48,571	117,126	2,135,733	1,450,787
San Diego, Cal.	5,311	12,618	73,139	53,847				
San Francisco, Cal.	3,055,198	880,851	22,909,869	30,594,662	169,620	273,647	2,343,721	2,339,291
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	2,000		2,000					
Champlain, N. Y.	15,550	78,255	3,857,194	3,613,879	2,853	2,785	48,663	33,731
Chicago, Ill.				1,278			15,537	83,931
Detroit, Mich.		627	1,590	4,658			458	11,427
Huron, Mich.			85	900				800
Minnesota, Minn.							8,589	
Montana and Idaho			983	234	3,594		94,218	108,332
Niagara, N. Y.	2,430	22,670	928,354	112,657	500	2,300	19,740	95,531
North and South Dakota			40					
Oswegatchie, N. Y.		642		517,365		13,956		102,243
Vermont, Vt.				1,000				
Kansas City, Mo.			7,365				182,381	
Omaha, Nebr.			720		40,701		593,360	575,758
Total	13,322,111	3,070,265	117,061,062	85,848,917	1,574,479	3,010,353	28,898,978	28,779,663

IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	May—		Eleven months ending May—		May—		Eleven months ending May—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France	1,281,028	1,251,462	22,799,157	10,209,347		3,249	24,718	4,424
Germany	1,446,264	5,939	8,428,050	190,996	351		2,050	1,940
United Kingdom	6,302,409		43,133,238	24,004,398		5	25,558	92,821
Other Europe	28,443	7,939	542,541	23,302	22		1,761	73
British Honduras	2,465	5,391	32,075	33,852	12,725	30,194	193,672	268,348
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	19,980	100,925	4,697,343	13,241,625	3,353	5,085	68,023	155,418
British Columbia	99,158	212,399	3,393,040	2,078,803	139,771	126,282	3,255,699	2,373,941
Central American States	43,113	96,586	494,869	611,504	76,139	117,726	768,602	675,826
Mexico	312,456	476,374	4,752,421	5,063,315	1,254,671	2,524,195	23,219,856	23,613,194
West Indies:								
British	3,977	2,125	123,302	37,946	287	467	18,536	37,706
Cuba	774,772	6,319	5,165,063	86,383		184	2,095	21,712
Other West Indies	6,385	79,066	527,000	343,120	80,737	107,704	636,831	429,191
Other North America	38,745	56,822	499,999	312,960	873	1,321	11,773	17,900
Colombia	10,897	20,279	236,074	184,460	1,579	6,334	137,553	257,018
Venezuela			608,553	196,053			417	3,899
Other South America	4,144	11,284	18,508	578,618	3,971	77,622	525,431	516,664
China				244,235			45	53,780
Japan	1,244,000		2,000,247	5,020,424				18,000
British Australasia	1,703,275	753,294	19,478,741	23,278,110		9,985		34,898
Hawaiian Islands		4,050	130,000	109,466				
Other Oceania			850				16,358	
Total	13,322,111	3,070,265	117,061,062	85,848,917	1,574,479	3,010,353	28,898,978	28,779,663
Ore and bullion	5,108,715	869,193	30,483,496	55,036,791	1,326,875	2,689,176	21,692,178	23,490,809
Coin	8,213,396	2,201,072	86,577,566	50,812,126	247,604	321,177	7,206,800	5,288,854

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	May—		Eleven months ending May—		May—		Eleven months ending May—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....			773	5,082			3,106	1,728
Bangor, Me.....	441		75,648			35	1,987	1,196
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		4,404	8,100	4,409				18,000
New York, N. Y.....	20,871	1,321,495	10,669,589	11,274,566	3,520,336	4,083,672	40,265,783	47,535,588
Philadelphia, Pa.....							2,415	
Corpus Christi, Tex.....							483,905	
Galveston, Tex.....						1,882	100	1,882
Mobile, Ala.....			5,000					
New Orleans, La.....				1,896				4,300
Paso del Norte, Tex.....							522,379	5,000
Saluria, Tex.....			8,158		1,021		171,573	12,409
Alaska.....			1,055					
Puget Sound, Wash.....	4,023	4,504	86,179	62,209	2,181	841	20,988	19,457
San Diego, Cal.....							1,150	
San Francisco, Cal.....	81,162	331,810	1,100,285	1,669,142	651,214	342,904	9,348,585	4,738,304
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....		1,000	1,715	1,505	1,790	2,371	3,738	15,379
Champlain, N. Y.....		380,000	2,729,165	3,300,083	5,500	1,800	78,158	63,076
Detroit, Mich.....								1,202
Memphremagog, Vt.....				10				827
Niagara, N. Y.....	2,617	5,850	255,067	294,379	2,390	2,400	44,702	53,509
Vermont, Vt.....	43	192	128	478		644	20	3,899
Total.....	109,157	2,049,255	15,030,862	16,613,759	4,184,432	4,436,549	50,948,589	52,475,756

EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	May—		Eleven months ending May—		May—		Eleven months ending May—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....			4,008,535		200,000	20,600	985,000	2,056,408
Germany.....		2,100	1,260,840	18,000		620	945	56,812
United Kingdom.....			440,459	27,215	3,313,479	4,031,725	38,574,950	44,451,352
Other Europe.....						1,882	100	1,882
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	2,660	387,042	2,986,075	3,596,455	9,680	7,215	126,618	137,892
British Columbia.....	4,023	4,504	87,234	62,209	2,181	841	20,988	19,457
Central American States.....	1,765	920	113,513	23,734	32,400	1,400	352,120	34,410
Mexico.....		2,000	11,158	17,075	1,021		1,197,791	56,809
West Indies:								
Cuba.....		1,101,619	4,197,546	10,216,999		4,500		417,180
Haiti.....	10,606	47,000	313,221	254,633			960	
Santo Domingo.....		17,580	98,559	109,416		13,000	339,996	392,500
Other West Indies.....	10,000	105,000	30,049	165,604	3,216	7,891	27,423	40,072
Other North America.....	441		211,901	133,446		35	1,987	19,196
Colombia.....			25,100	19,922			26,277	2,923
Venezuela.....		50,000	106,422	313,439				
Other South America.....			22,710	975	850	3,250	60,214	85,263
China.....					56,234	274,456	973,458	1,043,432
East Indies: British.....					2,800		1,439,588	
Hongkong.....	4,662	2,890	62,400	72,947	537,120	42,448	6,683,809	3,420,378
Japan.....							60,530	
Hawaiian Islands.....	75,000	325,100	1,055,140	1,578,190	25,000	25,000	75,000	236,704
All other countries.....		3,500		3,500	460	1,686	835	3,086
Total.....	109,157	2,049,255	15,030,862	16,613,759	4,184,432	4,436,549	50,948,589	52,475,756
Ore and bullion.....	1,575	9,142	2,064,034	80,416	3,979,084	4,349,619	43,968,559	46,681,471
Coin.....	107,582	2,040,113	12,966,828	16,533,343	205,348	86,930	6,980,030	5,794,285

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN DURING MONTH OF MAY, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.					SILVER.						TOTAL GOLD AND SILVER, INCLUDING ORE.
	Ore.	Bullion.	Coin.		Total gold, including ore.	Ore.	Bullion.		Coin.		Total sil- ver, includ- ing ore.	
			United States.	Foreign.			United States.	Foreign.				
IMPORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Ounces.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bangor, Me.....		19,615		200	19,815				51	600	651	20,466
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		16,850			16,850							16,850
New York, N. Y.....	151,497	66,198	90,244	1,258,095	1,566,034	1,732,870	236,386	141,831	3,632	157,123	2,035,456	3,601,490
Philadelphia, Pa.....			72		72					413	413	485
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	701	66,090	22,200		88,991	52,107	23,147	14,201		9,440	75,748	164,739
Mobile, Ala.....			1,000		1,000				9	321	330	1,330
New Orleans, La.....		50,407	4,531		54,938					33,028	33,028	87,966
Pasodel Norte, Tex.....	13,151	47			13,198	269,882	62,486	34,367		49,560	353,809	367,007
Arizona.....	13,235	107,681			120,916	74,818	45,715	26,286			101,104	222,020
Puget Sound, Wash.....	181,673	11,115			192,788	117,126					117,126	309,914
San Diego, Cal.....		12,618			12,618							12,618
San Francisco, Cal.....	72,211	67,035	7,580	734,025	880,851	37,057	241,300	173,375		63,215	273,647	1,154,498
Champlain, N. Y.....			50,000	28,255	78,255				2,785		2,785	81,040
Detroit, Mich.....		627			627							627
Niagara, N. Y.....		17,800	4,870		22,670		2,180	1,300	1,000		2,300	24,970
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	642				642	13,956					13,956	14,598
Total imports.....	433,110	426,083	180,497	2,020,575	3,070,265	2,297,816	611,214	391,360	7,477	313,700	3,010,353	6,080,618
EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC.												
Bangor, Me.....							54	35			35	35
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			1,500		1,500							1,500
New York, N. Y.....	2,100		218,476		220,576	120	6,463,332	4,037,911	7,050		4,045,081	4,265,657
Galveston, Tex.....						1,882					1,882	1,882
Puget Sound, Wash.....			4,504		4,504				841		841	5,345
San Francisco, Cal.....			331,810		331,810		580,860	304,256	25,000		329,256	661,066
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....		1,000			1,000		3,758	2,371			2,371	3,371
Champlain, N. Y.....			380,000		380,000							380,000
Niagara, N. Y.....		5,850			5,850		4,024	2,400			2,400	8,250
Vermont, Vt.....		150			150		1,000	644			644	794
Total domestic exports.....	2,100	7,000	936,290		945,390	2,002	7,053,028	4,347,617	32,891		4,382,510	5,327,900
EXPORTS OF FOREIGN.												
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....				2,904	2,904							2,904
New York, N. Y.....				1,100,919	1,100,919					38,591	38,591	1,139,510
San Francisco, Cal.....										13,648	13,648	13,648
Champlain, N. Y.....										1,800	1,800	1,800
Vermont, Vt.....		42			42							42
Total foreign exports.....		42		1,103,823	1,103,865					54,039	54,039	1,157,904

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM 1835 TO 1898—(Specie values).

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
September 30—								
1835.....	64,809,046	71,955,249	136,764,295	100,459,481	14,756,321	115,215,802	21,548,493	.....
1836.....	78,655,600	97,923,554	176,579,154	106,570,942	17,767,762	124,338,704	52,240,450	.....
1837.....	58,733,617	71,739,186	130,472,803	94,280,895	17,162,232	111,443,127	19,029,676	.....
1838.....	43,112,889	52,857,399	95,970,288	95,560,880	9,417,690	104,978,570	.....	9,008,282
1839.....	70,806,616	85,090,340	155,496,956	101,625,533	10,626,140	112,251,673	44,245,283	.....
1840.....	48,313,391	49,945,315	98,258,706	111,660,561	12,008,371	123,668,932	.....	25,410,226
1841.....	61,031,098	61,926,446	122,957,544	103,636,236	8,181,235	111,817,471	11,140,073	.....
1842.....	26,540,470	66,534,601	96,075,071	91,799,242	8,078,753	99,877,995	.....	3,802,924
June 30—								
1843 (9 months).....	13,254,249	29,179,215	42,433,464	77,686,354	5,139,335	82,825,689	.....	40,392,225
1844.....	18,936,452	83,668,154	102,604,606	99,531,774	6,214,058	105,745,832	.....	3,141,226
1845.....	18,077,598	95,106,724	113,184,322	98,455,330	7,584,781	106,040,111	7,144,211	.....
1846.....	20,990,007	96,924,058	117,914,065	101,718,042	7,865,206	109,583,248	8,330,817	.....
1847.....	17,651,347	104,773,002	122,424,349	150,574,844	6,166,754	156,741,598	.....	34,317,240
1848.....	16,356,319	132,282,325	148,638,644	130,203,709	7,986,806	138,190,515	10,448,129	.....
1849.....	15,726,425	125,479,774	141,206,199	131,710,081	8,641,091	140,351,172	855,027	.....
1850.....	18,081,590	155,427,936	173,509,526	134,900,233	9,475,493	144,375,726	29,133,800	.....
1851.....	19,653,084	191,118,345	210,771,429	178,620,138	10,295,121	188,915,259	21,856,170	.....
1852.....	24,187,890	183,252,508	207,440,398	154,931,147	12,053,084	166,984,231	40,456,167	.....
1853.....	27,182,152	236,595,113	263,777,265	189,869,162	13,620,120	203,489,282	60,287,983	.....
1854.....	25,760,447	272,043,347	297,803,794	215,328,300	21,715,464	237,043,764	60,760,030	.....
1855.....	36,430,524	221,378,184	257,808,708	192,751,135	26,158,368	218,909,503	38,899,205	.....
1856.....	52,748,074	257,684,236	310,432,310	266,438,051	14,781,372	281,219,423	29,212,887	.....
1857.....	54,267,507	294,160,835	348,428,342	278,906,713	14,917,047	293,823,760	54,604,582	.....
1858.....	61,044,770	202,293,875	263,338,654	251,351,033	20,660,241	272,011,274	.....	8,672,620
1859.....	72,286,327	259,047,014	331,333,341	278,392,080	14,509,971	292,902,051	38,431,290	.....
1860.....	73,741,470	279,874,640	353,616,110	316,242,423	17,333,634	333,576,057	20,040,062	.....
1861.....	71,130,351	218,180,191	289,310,542	204,899,616	14,654,217	219,553,833	69,756,709	.....
1862.....	52,721,653	136,635,024	189,356,677	179,644,024	11,026,477	190,670,501	.....	1,313,824
1863.....	35,241,924	208,093,891	243,335,815	186,003,912	17,960,535	203,964,447	39,371,368	.....
1864.....	41,126,332	275,320,951	316,447,283	143,504,027	15,333,961	158,837,988	157,609,295	.....
1865.....	44,519,516	194,226,064	238,745,580	136,940,248	29,089,055	166,029,303	72,716,277	.....
1866.....	59,028,526	375,783,540	434,812,066	337,518,102	11,341,420	348,859,522	85,952,544	.....
1867.....	23,133,495	372,627,001	395,761,096	279,786,809	14,719,332	294,506,141	101,254,955	.....
1868.....	15,190,781	342,245,659	357,436,440	269,389,000	12,562,999	281,952,899	75,483,541	.....
1869.....	21,646,692	395,859,687	417,506,379	275,166,697	10,951,000	286,117,697	131,388,682	.....
1870.....	20,140,786	415,817,622	435,958,408	376,616,473	16,155,295	392,771,768	43,186,640	.....
1871.....	36,587,737	483,635,947	520,223,684	428,398,908	14,421,270	442,820,178	77,403,506	.....
1872.....	47,267,213	579,327,864	626,595,077	428,487,131	15,690,455	444,177,586	182,417,491	.....
1873.....	144,815,884	497,320,326	642,136,210	505,033,439	17,446,483	522,479,922	119,656,288	.....
1874.....	151,481,762	415,924,580	567,406,342	569,433,421	10,849,619	580,283,040	.....	18,876,698
1875.....	146,279,927	386,725,509	533,005,436	499,284,100	14,158,611	513,442,711	19,562,725	.....
1876.....	140,361,913	320,379,277	460,741,190	525,582,247	14,802,424	540,384,671	.....	79,643,481
1877.....	140,788,452	310,534,674	451,323,126	589,670,224	12,804,996	602,475,220	.....	151,152,094
1878.....	141,278,265	295,773,267	437,051,532	680,709,268	14,156,498	694,865,766	.....	257,814,234
1879.....	142,681,505	303,096,270	445,777,775	698,340,790	12,098,651	710,439,441	.....	264,661,666
1880.....	208,301,863	459,652,883	667,954,746	823,946,353	11,692,305	835,638,658	.....	167,683,912
1881.....	202,491,547	440,173,081	642,664,628	883,925,947	18,451,399	902,377,346	.....	259,712,718
1882.....	210,579,007	514,060,567	724,639,574	733,239,732	17,302,525	750,542,257	.....	25,902,683
1883.....	207,504,718	515,676,196	723,180,914	804,223,632	19,615,770	823,839,402	.....	100,658,488
1884.....	209,884,184	457,813,509	667,697,693	724,964,852	15,548,757	740,513,609	.....	72,815,916
1885.....	193,213,624	384,313,705	577,527,329	726,682,946	15,506,809	742,189,755	.....	164,662,426
1886.....	212,159,296	423,276,840	635,436,136	665,964,529	13,560,301	679,524,830	.....	44,088,694
1887.....	234,221,131	458,098,637	692,319,768	703,022,923	13,160,288	716,183,211	.....	23,803,443
1888.....	244,071,615	479,885,499	723,957,114	683,862,104	12,092,403	695,954,507	28,002,607	.....
1889.....	256,487,078	488,644,574	745,131,652	730,282,609	12,118,766	742,401,375	2,730,277	.....
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,519,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,504,614
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION FROM 1835 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	GOLD.				SILVER.		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of—		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports over imports.
			Imports over exports.	Exports over imports.			
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1835.....	2,325,196	1,355,280			10,806,251	5,122,495	
1836.....	7,231,862	647,455			6,169,019	3,676,881	
1837.....	2,431,814	3,213,735			8,084,600	2,762,514	
1838.....	11,674,883	1,213,204			6,072,233	2,294,842	
1839.....	1,164,580	4,800,668			4,430,596	3,976,075	
1840.....	3,085,157	3,703,373			5,797,656	4,713,641	
1841.....	1,269,449	3,589,869			3,719,184	6,444,463	
1842.....	757,294	2,304,756			3,329,722	2,508,783	
June 30—							
1843 (nine months).....	17,066,437	407,687			5,253,898	1,113,104	
1844.....	1,612,304	1,366,521			4,217,125	4,087,693	
1845.....	818,850	3,055,425			3,251,392	5,551,070	
1846.....	910,413	2,053,199			2,867,319	1,852,069	
1847.....	21,574,931	1,037,921			2,546,358	869,103	
1848.....	3,408,755	11,071,197			2,951,529	4,770,419	
1849.....	4,068,647	1,972,233			2,582,593	3,432,415	
1850.....	1,776,706	4,560,627			2,852,086	2,962,367	
1851.....	3,569,090	22,829,913			1,884,413	6,635,839	
1852.....	3,658,059	40,073,979			1,846,985	2,600,156	
1853.....	2,427,356	25,442,858			1,774,026	2,044,017	
1854.....	3,031,961	40,470,260			3,725,623	727,040	
1855.....	1,092,602	55,109,215			2,567,010	1,138,128	
1856.....	990,305	45,000,977			3,217,327	744,508	
1857.....	6,654,636	65,232,653			5,807,163	3,904,269	
1858.....	11,566,068	50,002,804			7,708,428	2,630,343	
1859.....	2,125,397	61,108,053			5,308,392	2,779,358	
1860.....	2,508,786	58,446,039			6,041,349	8,100,200	
1861.....	42,291,930	27,423,973			4,047,681	2,367,107	
1862.....	13,907,011	35,439,903			2,508,041	1,447,737	
1863.....	5,530,538	62,162,838			4,053,567	1,993,773	
1864.....	11,176,769	100,661,634		89,484,865	1,938,843	4,734,907	2,796,064
1865.....	6,498,228	58,381,033		51,882,805	3,311,844	9,262,193	5,950,349
1866.....	8,196,261	71,197,309		63,001,048	2,503,831	14,846,762	12,342,931
1867.....	17,024,666	39,026,627		22,001,761	5,045,609	21,841,745	16,796,136
1868.....	8,737,443	72,396,344		63,658,901	5,450,925	21,387,758	15,936,833
1869.....	14,132,568	36,003,498		21,870,930	5,675,308	21,134,882	15,459,574
1870.....	12,056,950	33,635,962		21,579,012	14,362,229	24,519,704	10,157,475
1871.....	6,883,561	66,080,208		59,802,647	14,386,463	31,755,780	17,369,317
1872.....	8,717,458	49,548,760		40,831,302	5,026,231	30,328,774	25,302,543
1873.....	8,682,447	44,856,715		36,174,268	12,798,490	39,751,859	26,953,369
1874.....	19,503,137	34,042,420		14,539,283	8,951,709	32,587,985	23,636,216
1875.....	13,696,793	66,980,977		53,284,184	7,203,924	25,151,165	17,947,241
1876.....	7,992,709	31,177,050		23,184,341	7,943,972	25,329,252	17,385,280
1877.....	26,246,234	26,590,374		344,140	14,528,180	29,571,863	15,043,683
1878.....	13,330,215	9,204,445	4,125,760		16,491,099	24,535,670	8,044,571
1879.....	5,624,948	4,587,614	1,037,334		14,671,052	20,409,827	5,738,775
1880.....	80,758,396	3,639,025	77,119,371		12,275,914	13,503,894	1,227,980
1881.....	100,031,250	2,565,132	97,466,127		10,544,238	16,841,715	6,297,477
1882.....	34,377,054	32,587,880	1,789,174		8,095,336	16,829,599	8,734,263
1883.....	17,734,149	11,600,888	6,133,261		10,755,242	20,219,445	9,464,203
1884.....	22,831,317	41,081,957		18,250,640	14,594,945	26,051,426	11,456,481
1885.....	26,601,696	8,477,892	18,213,804		16,550,627	33,753,633	17,203,006
1886.....	20,743,349	42,952,191		22,208,842	17,850,307	29,511,219	11,660,912
1887.....	42,910,601	9,701,187	33,209,414		17,260,191	26,296,504	9,036,313
1888.....	43,934,317	18,376,234	25,558,083		15,403,669	28,037,949	12,634,280
1889.....	10,284,858	59,952,285		49,667,427	18,678,215	36,689,248	18,011,033
1890.....	12,943,342	17,274,491		4,331,149	21,032,984	34,873,929	13,840,945
1891.....	18,232,567	86,362,654		68,130,087	18,026,880	22,590,988	4,564,108
1892.....	49,699,454	50,195,327	495,873		19,955,086	32,810,559	12,855,473
1893.....	21,174,381	108,680,844		87,506,463	23,193,252	40,737,319	17,544,067
1894.....	72,449,119	76,978,061		4,528,942	13,286,552	50,451,265	37,164,713
1895 a.....	36,384,760	66,468,481		30,083,721	20,211,179	47,295,286	27,084,107
1896 a.....	33,525,065	112,409,947		78,884,882	28,777,186	60,541,670	31,764,484
1897 a.....	85,014,780	40,361,580	44,653,200		30,533,227	61,946,638	31,413,411
1898 a.....	120,391,674	15,406,391	104,985,283		30,927,781	55,105,239	24,177,458

a Includes gold and silver in ore.

NOTE.—Gold and silver can not be separately stated in domestic exports before 1864, but it is probable that the greater portion of the exports was gold.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899.
Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.
BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Alexandria, Va. Imports.			8,025					5,922				
Aroostook, Me. Imports.	6,077	14,676										
Baltimore, Md. Imports.		210	106,260	248,704			412,591	402,664	7	10	139	207,625
Baltimore, Md. Exports.			55,929	56,990			9,115,622	5,835,519	135,796			
Bangor, Me. Imports.	54,090	37,243		29,650						176		
Bangor, Me. Exports.	146,150	128,827					3,028	1,728				
Barnstable, Mass. Imports.							242					
Bath, Me. Imports.	5,133	1,727					1,555	96				
Beaufort, S. C. Exports.								24,400				9,655
Belfast, Me. Imports.				1,190			311	986				
Boston and Charles- town, Mass. Imports.	3,722	4,467	298,019	441,441	121	23,061	3,594,349	4,443,435	129,048	102,321	10,718	1,539
Boston and Charles- town, Mass. Exports.				5,342			12,750,130	10,310,242			16,022	
Brunswick, Ga. Imports.			80									
Brunswick, Ga. Exports.				4,412			400,401	341,295	2,970			
Castine, Me. Imports.								110				
Charleston, S. C. Imports.							53,518	25,561				
Charleston, S. C. Exports.	10							132,307				
Delaware Imports.				3,741			24,447	3,366				30
Delaware Exports.							222,854	177,125	49,500		34,177	57,564
Fairfield, Conn. Imports.				2,439		4,504	12,177	17,615				
Fernandina, Fla. Exports.				2,754			241,572	201,300				
Frenchman Bay, Me. Imports.								107				
Georgetown, D. C. Imports.			1,531	487			8,941	2,143		12	2,654	563
Gloucester, Mass. Imports.			3,013				632	4,951				
Hartford, Conn. Imports.			99	237	1,743	3,062	2,480	8,412	113	71	609	786
Machias, Me. Imports.				588								
Marblehead, Mass. Imports.							482	955				
Newark, N. J. Imports.	23,191		225	5,116		119	6,691	8,440	672	1,167	886	283
Newark, N. J. Exports.							4,960	7,770				
New Bedford, Mass. Imports.			93	140				533				
New Bedford, Mass. Exports.												
New Haven, Conn. Imports.				9,439			13,146	2,765			2,447	1,118
New London, Conn. Imports.								1,721				
Newport, R. I. Imports.							1,353				145	
Newport News, Va. Imports.				20,287			100,149	103,571				
Newport News, Va. Exports.				12,216			2,141,746	1,340,980				
New York, N. Y. Imports.	105,379	139,624	2,751,552	7,127,927	876,398	1,350,042	19,269,529	21,705,177	2,283,043	2,448,669	2,374,077	4,249,521
New York, N. Y. Exports.			286,481	3,435,546	794,811	435,195	32,157,976	21,016,736	1,740,730	2,189,310	981,673	1,029,122
Norfolk and Ports- mouth, Va. Imports.			885	480			128	1,036				534
Norfolk and Ports- mouth, Va. Exports.				24,001			593,280	1,175,260				
Passamaquoddy, Me. Imports.	7,825	2,072	20,535	14,024			8,758	10,026				
Passamaquoddy, Me. Exports.	23,684		25,565	55,261								
Perth Amboy, N. J. Imports.							50,652					
Perth Amboy, N. J. Exports.				13,693			6,977	1,950				
Philadelphia, Pa. Imports.			69,025	449,730	537,729	521,736	1,484,793	2,800,053	801,812	2,654	31,996	57,262
Philadelphia, Pa. Exports.			83,831	28,050	500,167	591,171	4,154,353	2,587,643	41,785	51,153		
Plymouth, Mass. Imports.								1,703				
Portland and Fal- mouth, Me. Imports.	322		6,207	38,754			60,522	84,249		50		
Portland and Fal- mouth, Me. Exports.	4			1,123			55,281	411,441				
Portsmouth, N. H. Imports.			2,870				172					
Providence, R. I. Imports.			4,137	1,339	2,578	87	15,630	38,691		2,905	11,066	20,028
Richmond, Va. Imports.					178	74	2,617	5,310			1	484

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BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS.
									5,922	8,025	5,922	Imports..... Alexandria, Va.
										6,077	14,676	Imports..... Aroostook, Me.
209,258	4,430	46,845	15,690	92,709	73,059	7,836	10,112	769,385	716,599	875,645	965,513	Imports..... Baltimore, Md.
2,322,568	1,342,709	13,150	40,000	551,711	353,815	290,972		12,431,819	7,572,043	12,487,748	7,628,943	Exports.....
			17,491						176	54,090	67,069	Imports..... Bangor, Me.
									3,028	19,219	149,178	Exports.....
									242	242		Imports..... Barnstable, Mass.
	4								1,555	100	6,688	Imports..... Bath, Me.
							7,380				41,445	Exports..... Beaufort, S. C.
								311	986	311	2,176	Imports..... Belfast, Me.
179,916	55,808		86,906	121,999	22,441	72	1,251	4,036,223	4,735,762	4,237,964	5,182,670	Imports..... Boston & Charles-
230,753	236,586				5,635		54,713	12,996,905	10,607,176	12,996,905	10,612,518	Exports..... town, Mass.
										80		Imports..... Brunswick, Ga.
5,650				136,532	137,641	126,093	99,194	761,646	569,130	761,646	573,542	Exports.....
			634						804		804	Imports..... Castine, Me.
8,544	3,392			2,173	2,766			64,235	31,632	64,235	31,632	Imports..... Charleston, S. C.
				140	2,153			140	134,457	150	131,457	Exports.....
				183				24,630	3,405	24,630	7,146	Imports..... Delaware
90,390	93,647							396,921	328,536	396,921	328,536	Exports.....
3,893	2,718							16,070	24,837	16,070	27,276	Imports..... Fairfield, Conn.
				20,000	24,000		28,030	261,572	253,300	261,572	256,654	Exports..... Fernandina, Fla.
									107		107	Imports..... Frenchman Bay, Me.
1,438	5,775	3,067	97			493	92	15,993	8,682	17,524	9,169	Imports..... Georgetown, D. C.
			1,920	2,902				3,534	6,871	6,547	6,871	Imports..... Gloucester, Mass.
220	4,082					164		5,331	16,413	5,430	16,650	Imports..... Hartford, Conn.
											588	Imports..... Machias, Me.
								482	955	482	955	Imports..... Marblehead, Mass.
547	1,878							8,796	11,887	32,212	17,003	Imports..... Newark, N. J.
								4,960	7,770	4,960	7,770	Exports.....
						1,543		1,543	533	1,636	673	Imports..... New Bedford, Mass.
						4,949		4,949		4,949		Exports.....
1,170	341	4,746						21,509	4,224	21,509	13,663	Imports..... New Haven, Conn.
									1,721		1,721	Imports..... New London, Conn.
								1,498		1,498		Imports..... Newport, R. I.
4,991					24,168			105,140	127,739	105,140	148,026	Imports..... Newport News, Va.
647,740				89,024	95,582	115,253		2,993,763	1,442,562	2,993,763	1,454,778	Exports.....
3,994,810	6,360,639	117,396	243,894	1,216,494	830,136	416,828	1,014,579	30,548,575	38,207,657	33,405,506	45,475,208	Imports..... New York, N. Y.
6,313,069	6,193,936	99,027	115,228	1,548,454	556,895	758,249	1,452,835	44,393,989	32,989,287	44,689,470	36,424,833	Exports.....
								128	1,570	1,013	2,050	Imports..... Norfolk and Ports-
2,000			4,492	11,213	11,250			612,493	1,191,002	612,493	1,215,003	Exports..... mouth, Va.
								8,758	10,026	37,118	26,122	Imports..... Passamaquoddy, Me.
										49,249	55,261	Exports.....
37,595								88,247		88,247		Imports..... Perth Amboy, N. J.
								6,977	1,950	6,977	15,645	Exports.....
167,002	289,783		13,482	306,923	497,021	1,011	37,422	3,331,266	4,219,413	3,400,291	4,639,143	Imports..... Philadelphia, Pa.
435,467	344,913	33,602		201,869	648,113	193,498		5,565,741	4,222,993	5,649,572	4,251,043	Exports.....
									1,703		1,703	Imports..... Plymouth, Mass.
45	173		46,500					60,567	130,972	67,096	169,726	Imports..... Portland and Fal-
								55,281	411,441	55,285	412,564	Exports..... mouth, Me.
								172		3,042		Imports..... Portsmouth, N. H.
7,279	15,170						535	36,553	77,416	40,690	78,755	Imports..... Providence, R. I.
								2,796	5,868	2,796	5,868	Imports..... Richmond, Va.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Sag Harbor, N. Y. Imports..							1					
St. Johns, Fla. Imports..				503		161	174	80				
St. Johns, Fla. Exports..							1,594	1,050		1,070		
Salem and Beverly, Mass. Imports..							2,550	112				
Savannah, Ga. Imports..				185	6,371	1,315	10,407	633			350	
Savannah, Ga. Exports..						187,800	538,417	407,471				
Stonington, Conn. Imports..								1,649				
Waldoboro, Me. Imports..			2,067	1,984			1,110	1,639				
Wilmington, N. C. Imports..				2			3,085					
Wilmington, N. C. Exports..				6,024			140,895	4,212				
Wiscasset, Me. Imports..			1,120	2,876								
Wiscasset, Me. Exports..			1,466									
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla. Imports..								4				
Apalachicola, Fla. Exports..								5,491				
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. Imports..			18,303	4,035								
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. Exports..			12,501	5,570								
Corpus Christi, Tex. Imports..	75,738	127,778										
Corpus Christi, Tex. Exports..	301,700	512,436										
Galveston, Tex. Imports..			4,888	456			1,643	1,203		92,612		
Galveston, Tex. Exports..			4,238	6,217			1,724,580	1,050,816	62,950			
Key West, Fla. Imports..				18,887			1,098	174				
Key West, Fla. Exports..				129,948			72	76,754				
Mobile, Ala. Imports..			982	4,364			16,956	5,390				
Mobile, Ala. Exports..			6,859	24,811			403,873	285,520				
New Orleans, La. Imports..	74	383	20,273	78,620			461,734	944,925	160		212,320	153,127
New Orleans, La. Exports..			6,750	160,435			7,595,401	3,573,575		89,650	267,852	519,691
Paso del Norte, Tex. Imports..	238,082	131,110										
Paso del Norte, Tex. Exports..	322,993	394,300										
Pearl River, Miss. Exports..			13,612	33,980			98,172	96,022	11,252			
Pensacola, Fla. Imports..			2,423	100			2,464					
Pensacola, Fla. Exports..				8,943			61,206	987,241				
Saluria, Tex. Imports..	55,358	81,267						222				
Saluria, Tex. Exports..	238,583	408,428										
Tampa, Fla. Imports..			5,494	89,740			3,040	289				
Tampa, Fla. Exports..				10,026			74	55,715				
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska Imports..		806	25,552	11,162			33,475	4,300				
Alaska Exports..		32						110				
Arizona Imports..	206,985	125,627										
Arizona Exports..	99,439	144,588										
Humboldt, Cal. Imports..			1,181	1,226								
Humboldt, Cal. Exports..			15,748	15,561								
Los Angeles, Cal. Imports..			23,611	10	170	92	1,665	5,057			2,892	6
Los Angeles, Cal. Exports..			649									
Oregon, Ore. Imports..				524								
Oregon, Ore. Exports..		5,300	6,726				678					
Puget Sound, Wash. Imports..	33,618	116,927	31,363	104,055			83,889	18,170				
Puget Sound, Wash. Exports..	175,751	164,872	245,637	285,139			968,736	594,824				
San Diego, Cal. Imports..	1,086	10,055	135	836				31,933				
San Diego, Cal. Exports..	5,590	5,080		1,772				238,097				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.
								1		1		Imports.....Sag Harbor, N. Y.
	195							174	436	174	942	Imports.....St. Johns, Fla.
				11,036	4,642			12,630	6,762	12,630	6,762	Exports.....Salem and Bever- ly, Mass.
								2,550	112	2,550	112	Imports.....Stonington, Conn.
1,475	1,705			7,617			125	26,220	3,778	26,220	3,963	Imports.....Savannah, Ga.
31,895			27,123	240,996	246,337	79,549	8,971	890,857	877,702	890,857	877,702	Exports.....Wilmington, N. C.
									1,649		1,649	Imports.....Wiscasset, Me.
								1,110	1,639	3,177	3,623	Imports.....Waldeboro, Me.
				1,194		419		4,098		4,098	2	Imports.....
					21,626	8,765	19,266	149,660	45,104	149,660	51,128	Exports.....
			1,000						1,000	1,120	3,876	Imports.....
										1,466		Exports.....
									4		4	GULF PORTS.
			4,939	45,869	16,598		6,030	45,869	33,058	45,869	33,058	Imports.....Apalachicola, Fla.
												Exports.....
										18,303	4,035	Imports.....Brazos de Santi-
										12,501	5,570	Exports.....ago, Tex.
										75,738	127,778	Imports.....Corpus Christi,
										301,700	512,436	Exports.....Tex.
17,790	460			189,985	227,827	1,163		209,418	323,265	214,306	323,721	Imports.....Galveston, Tex.
65,133	676,317			46,420	273,350	11,246	8,562	1,910,329	2,009,045	1,914,567	2,015,262	Exports.....
1,172				8,547				10,817	174	10,817	19,061	Imports.....Key West, Fla.
							39,670	72	116,424	72	246,372	Imports.....Mobile, Ala.
	59,846	9,243	5,435	72,802	314,001	4,534		89,758	323,925	90,740	328,289	Imports.....New Orleans, La.
100,901	115,896	14,720	5	110,693	198,633	21,106	11,088	544,915	560,572	551,774	583,383	Exports.....
14,766	332,333	50,600	193,533	72,247	265,495	796	281,963	862,878	1,761,411	883,225	1,840,414	Imports.....Paso del Norte,
				222,261	94,476	768,408	365,007	8,919,291	5,168,265	8,926,041	5,328,700	Exports.....Tex.
			9,376	72,003	28,369	17,399	24,963	198,826	168,730	212,438	202,710	Imports.....Pearl River, Miss.
		109	574		1,208	4	28	2,577	1,810	5,005	1,910	Imports.....Pensacola, Fla.
20,635	27,656	18,476	19,586	135,270	164,133	16,780	375,959	252,367	1,574,575	252,367	1,583,518	Exports.....Saluria, Tex.
									222	55,358	81,489	Imports.....
										238,583	408,428	Exports.....
								3,040	289	8,534	90,029	Imports.....Tampa, Fla.
						11,000	25,932	11,074	81,647	11,074	91,673	Exports.....
						282		33,757	4,300	59,309	16,268	PACIFIC PORTS.
									110		142	Imports.....Alaska.
												Exports.....
										206,985	125,627	Imports.....Arizona.
										99,439	144,588	Exports.....
										1,181	1,226	Imports.....Humboldt, Cal.
										15,748	15,561	Exports.....
16,365	11,625						35,061	21,092	51,841	44,703	51,851	Imports.....Los Angeles, Cal.
										649		Exports.....
											521	Imports.....Oregon, Oreg.
								678		7,404	5,300	Exports.....
661	400			150		57,911	91,353	142,611	109,923	207,592	330,905	Imports.....Puget Sound,
				136,283	13,382	156,454	419,127	1,261,473	1,027,333	1,682,861	1,477,344	Exports.....Wash.
				17,924		1,804		19,728	31,933	20,949	42,824	Imports.....San Diego, Cal.
						4,716	503	4,716	238,600	10,306	245,452	Exports.....

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
PACIFIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
San Francisco, Cal. { Imports..	.....	.....	2, 284, 676	2, 079, 016	.....	2, 615	1, 763, 576	1, 140, 604	1, 285	633	29, 372	22, 241
Exports..	.....	.....	987, 634	1, 261, 662	.....	.....	1, 027, 173	626, 135	.....	.....	126, 732	.....
Willamette, Oreg. { Imports..	540	872	422	196, 469	.....	.....	25, 719	26, 301	.....	.....	.....	146
Exports..	.....	.....	.....	75, 933	.....	.....	451, 390	217, 197	.....	.....	.....	.....
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y. { Imports..	200, 329	223, 098	16, 346	29, 131	.....	216	7, 813	18, 822	1, 520	1, 368	7, 400	3, 067
Exports..	574, 597	755, 161	15, 530	2, 801	.....	.....	5, 344	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cape Vincent, N. Y. { Imports..	.....	.....	1, 596	2, 812	.....	.....	21, 778	17, 071	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8, 306	15, 178	.....	.....	.....	.....
Champlain, N. Y. { Imports..	180, 316	251, 529	49, 676	45, 265	.....	.....	656	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	349, 670	432, 332	90, 874	133, 707	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chicago, Ill. { Imports..	19, 469	5, 121	144, 892	367, 298	95, 398	198, 668	306, 673	620, 636	113, 839	64, 887	29, 015	80, 229
Exports..	.....	.....	1, 947, 183	1, 417, 875	.....	.....	39, 190	68, 263	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cuyahoga, Ohio. { Imports..	.....	.....	904	5, 723	.....	.....	53, 571	78, 460	2, 528	1, 442	4, 192	2, 902
Exports..	.....	.....	180, 348	141, 604	.....	.....	65, 294	65, 579	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detroit, Mich. { Imports..	89, 107	134, 763	43, 469	60, 024	8	795	15, 101	22, 096	4, 204	3, 513	1, 062	7, 627
Exports..	1, 072, 680	1, 362, 383	58, 119	51, 711	.....	.....	2, 616	120	.....	4, 780	.....	.....
Duluth, Minn. { Imports..	41, 695	.....	25	396	8	.....	1, 082	1, 916	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	137, 049	413, 163	.....	.....	100, 703	173, 933	.....	.....	.....	.....
Erie, Pa. { Imports..	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	1, 217	52, 553	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	351	.....	.....	.....	.....
Genesee, N. Y. { Imports..	.....	.....	24	1, 848	4, 046	703	15, 532	14, 255	.....	2, 595	3, 759	1, 167
Exports..	.....	.....	59, 395	50, 528	.....	.....	83, 461	76, 715	.....	.....	.....	.....
Huron, Mich. { Imports..	60, 885	75, 203	63, 344	48, 988	.....	.....	5, 982	0, 084	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	782, 233	866, 303	.....	2, 201	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Memphremagog, Vt. { Imports..	187, 962	244, 261	.....	.....	.....	.....	1, 160	12, 550	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	136, 255	123, 696	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miami, Ohio. { Imports..	8	.....	8, 119	1, 312	.....	.....	927	2, 554	.....	826	529	854
Exports..	.....	.....	64, 716	46, 612	.....	.....	139, 319	94, 762	.....	.....	.....	.....
Michigan, Mich. { Imports..	.....	.....	51, 000	.....	.....	.....	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	1, 400	.....	.....	.....	10, 712	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Milwaukee, Wis. Imports..	450	.....	.....	3, 731	19, 170	6, 730	19, 354	22, 843	9, 104	2, 577	1, 971	3, 491
Minnesota, Minn. { Imports..	32, 165	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8, 379	59, 640	1, 136	.....	691	.....
Exports..	1, 634	439	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montana and Idaho { Imports..	3, 187	11, 615	2, 831	.....	.....	.....	409	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	3, 427	3, 227	11, 716	.....	.....	.....	3, 746	2, 006	.....	.....	.....	.....
Niagara, N. Y. { Imports..	160, 678	164, 625	.....	31, 617	.....	.....	2, 899	11, 370	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	573, 673	629, 144	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North and South { Imports..	100, 419	69, 785	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dakota. Exports..	594, 103	629, 358	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oswegatchie, N. Y. { Imports..	682, 174	1, 211, 584	8, 282	6, 873	.....	.....	2, 966	8, 826	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	171, 792	333, 458	10, 763	10, 701	.....	.....	239, 025	17, 791	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oswego, N. Y. { Imports..	.....	.....	372	121	.....	.....	55, 735	68, 370	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	53, 648	59, 283	.....	.....	121, 370	219, 022	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sandusky, Ohio. { Imports..	1, 792	.....	3, 864	3, 959	.....	.....	2, 784	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	.....	.....	1, 255	1, 303	.....	.....	296	2, 592	.....	.....	.....	.....
Superior, Mich. { Imports..	12, 451	19, 835	3, 846	33, 670	.....	.....	5, 175	5, 455	.....	.....	.....	.....
Exports..	11, 125	146, 364	450, 644	1, 440, 257	149, 300	319, 217
Vermont, Vt. { Imports..	270, 128	241, 892	4, 112	16, 870
Exports..	655, 681	766, 958

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	PACIFIC PORTS—continued.
293,632	46,990			62,840	39,576	459,804	535,818	2,526,599	1,783,477	4,805,185	3,867,493	Imports...San Francisco, Cal.
72,799					620	184,150	391,834	1,410,755	1,018,589	2,398,389	2,280,251	Exports...Willamette, Oreg.
5,776	2,932			20,586				52,081	29,379	53,043	226,720	Imports...Willamette, Oreg.
149,508								601,298	217,197	601,298	293,130	Exports...NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.
1,414	1,453		242					18,156	25,168	234,831	277,397	Imports...Buffalo Creek, N. Y.
								5,344		595,471	757,962	Exports...Cape Vincent, N. Y.
								21,778	17,071	23,374	19,883	Imports...Champlain, N. Y.
								8,306	15,178	8,306	15,178	Exports...Detroit, Mich.
								656		230,648	296,785	Imports...Chicago, Ill.
									100	440,544	566,139	Exports...Cuyahoga, Ohio.
130,027	187,383				2,149	12,505	13,118	687,457	1,167,670	851,818	1,539,489	Imports...Detroit, Mich.
								39,199	68,263	1,986,373	1,486,138	Exports...Duluth, Minn.
14,235	13,590							74,496	96,394	75,400	102,117	Imports...Erie, Pa.
								35,294	65,579	215,642	207,183	Exports...Genesee, N. Y.
4,894	8,767							25,179	42,798	157,755	237,585	Imports...Huron, Mich.
								2,616	5,900	1,133,415	1,419,994	Exports...Memphremagog, Vt.
	3							1,090	1,919	42,810	2,315	Imports...Miami, Ohio.
	85						15,827	100,703	173,933	237,752	587,096	Exports...Michigan, Mich.
								1,217	69,238	1,231	69,238	Imports...Milwaukee, Wis.
									351		351	Exports...Minnesota, Minn.
14,165	15,232							37,502	34,002	37,526	35,850	Imports...Montana and Idaho.
								83,461	76,715	142,856	133,243	Exports...Niagara, N. Y.
								5,982	6,084	130,211	130,275	Imports...North and South Dakota.
										782,233	868,504	Exports...Oswegatchie, N. Y.
								1,160	12,550	189,122	256,811	Imports...Oswego, N. Y.
										136,255	123,696	Exports...Sandusky, Ohio.
5,998	1,127							7,454	5,361	15,581	6,673	Imports...Superior, Mich.
								139,319	94,762	201,035	141,274	Exports...Vermont, Vt.
								56		51,056		Imports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								10,712		12,112		Exports...Superior, Mich.
8,757	7,585					6	162	58,342	43,388	58,792	47,119	Imports...Sandusky, Ohio.
5,885						581		16,672	59,640	48,837	59,640	Imports...Minnesota, Minn.
										1,634	439	Exports...Montana and Idaho.
								409		6,427	11,615	Imports...Niagara, N. Y.
								3,746	2,006	18,889	5,233	Exports...North and South Dakota.
								2,899	11,370	163,577	207,612	Imports...Oswegatchie, N. Y.
								49		573,722	629,144	Exports...Oswego, N. Y.
										100,419	69,785	Imports...Sandusky, Ohio.
										594,103	629,358	Exports...Superior, Mich.
								2,966	8,826	693,422	1,227,283	Imports...Vermont, Vt.
								239,025	17,791	421,580	361,959	Exports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								55,733	68,370	56,107	68,491	Imports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								121,370	219,022	175,018	278,305	Exports...Superior, Mich.
								2,784		8,410	3,959	Imports...Vermont, Vt.
								296	2,592	1,551	3,895	Exports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								5,175	5,455	21,472	63,960	Imports...Sandusky, Ohio.
								149,300	319,217	611,000	1,935,828	Exports...Sandusky, Ohio.
										270,128	262,874	Imports...Vermont, Vt.
										655,681	766,958	Exports...Vermont, Vt.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Albany, N. Y.....Imports..				171	595		4,053	2,503		108	732	1,953
Atlanta, Ga.....Imports..				230				1,348				
Cincinnati, Ohio.....Imports..	134	294	632	8,625	1,099	5,115	30,390	66,918	1,056	8,037	3,283	5,086
Columbus, Ohio.....Imports..				726	402		980	1,619	736	695	1,076	38
Council Bluffs, Iowa..Imports..								1,353				
Denver, Colo.....Imports..		35	49		197		1,662	2,620			29	226
Des Moines, Iowa.....Imports..							744					
Dubuque, Iowa.....Imports..				27			1,859	2,365				
Evansville, Ind.....Imports..		3					612	780			79	
Grand Rapids, Mich..Imports..				77			3,867	15,406	269	1,005		
Indianapolis, Ind.....Imports..			1,098	798	999	402	16,883	24,835	409	856	415	
Kansas City, Mo.....Imports..		313	14	250	1,067		7,692	12,668	137	474	278	
Knoxville, Tenn.....Imports..				40				1,689				
Lincoln, Nebr.....Imports..										168		
Louisville, Ky.....Imports..	134	320	1,028	111	628	1,233	11,992	15,386	905	2,198	595	452
Memphis, Tenn.....Imports..							1,221	458	160			
Nashville, Tenn.....Imports..							323	1,146				
Omaha, Nebr.....Imports..	18,458			300			1,673	965			390	
Pittsburg, Pa.....Imports..			2,732	8,556	2,691	2,340	8,922	11,953	1,172	2,633	4,668	1,583
St. Joseph, Mo.....Imports..				7			4,651	6,813		159		
St. Louis, Mo.....Imports..	15,939		5,916	18,322	5,285	30,915	112,455	122,904	7,582	3,600	2,307	8,713
Sioux City, Iowa.....Imports..				17			91					
Springfield, Mass.....Imports..				50			567	1,420			931	207
Syracuse, N. Y.....Imports..	2,491	2,467		97			651	2,396			4,833	4,371
Total.....Imports..	2,897,591	3,451,578	6,106,014	11,081,050	1,556,881	2,153,985	28,279,018	33,200,262	3,360,899	2,749,321	2,747,316	4,837,268
Exports..	6,240,774	7,812,686	4,836,266	9,443,067	1,294,978	1,214,166	75,895,172	52,848,555	2,044,983	2,335,993	1,426,456	1,616,032

RECAPITULATION.

Atlantic ports.....Imports..	205,739	200,019	3,275,743	8,401,266	1,425,118	1,904,161	25,143,192	29,683,714	3,214,697	2,558,035	2,434,488	4,539,782
Exports..	169,848	128,827	453,272	3,645,324	1,294,978	1,214,166	62,625,086	43,984,429	1,970,781	2,241,563	1,031,872	1,096,341
Gulf ports.....Imports..	369,252	340,538	52,368	196,202			486,935	952,207	160	92,612	212,320	153,127
Exports..	863,276	1,315,164	43,960	379,930			9,883,378	6,131,134	74,202	89,650	267,852	519,691
Pacific ports.....Imports..	242,229	254,287	2,366,940	2,393,298	170	2,707	1,908,324	1,226,365	1,285	633	32,264	22,393
Exports..	280,780	319,872	1,256,394	1,640,067			2,447,977	1,676,363			126,732	
Northern border and lake ports.....Imports..	2,043,215	2,653,302	398,604	651,880	118,630	207,112	529,249	1,040,371	132,331	77,208	48,628	99,337
Exports..	4,926,870	6,048,823	3,082,640	3,777,746			938,731	1,056,629		4,780		
Interior ports.....Imports..	37,156	3,432	12,359	38,404	12,963	40,005	211,318	297,605	12,426	20,833	19,616	22,629

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	INTERIOR PORTS.
2,587	3,277							7,967	7,841	7,967	8,012	Imports...Albany, N. Y.
									1,348		1,578	Imports...Atlanta, Ga.
15,795	43,059			1,404			5,532	53,027	133,747	53,793	142,666	Imports...Cincinnati, Ohio.
1,409	788							4,603	3,140	4,603	3,866	Imports...Columbus, Ohio.
40								40	1,353	40	1,353	Imports...Council Bluffs, Iowa.
2,129	1,349							4,017	4,195	4,066	4,230	Imports...Denver, Colo.
1,121								1,865		1,865		Imports...Des Moines, Iowa.
	736				50			1,859	3,151	1,859	3,178	Imports...Dubuque, Iowa.
								721	780	721	783	Imports...Evansville, Ind.
198	231							4,334	17,602	4,334	17,679	Imports...Grand Rapids, Mich.
3,349	1,036							22,055	27,179	24,043	27,977	Imports...Indianapolis, Ind.
2,189	807						2,072	11,363	16,021	11,377	16,584	Imports...Kansas City, Mo.
									1,689		1,729	Imports...Knoxville, Tenn.
231	485							231	653	231	653	Imports...Lincoln, Nebr.
12,339	6,204				9,500			26,450	34,973	27,612	35,404	Imports...Louisville, Ky.
28	133							1,409	591	1,409	591	Imports...Memphis, Tenn.
191	48				102		136	424	1,426	424	1,426	Imports...Nashville, Tenn.
316	2,607					1,163		3,542	2,972	22,000	3,272	Imports...Omaha, Nebr.
3,451	8,919					2		20,906	27,428	23,638	35,984	Imports...Pittsburg, Pa.
757	409							5,408	7,372	5,408	7,379	Imports...St. Joseph, Mo.
81,773	74,121	5,594				4,589		219,585	240,253	241,440	258,575	Imports...St. Louis, Mo.
							12	91	12	91	29	Imports...Sioux City, Iowa.
344	657		128					1,842	2,412	1,842	2,462	Imports...Springfield, Mass.
920	1,288							6,414	8,055	8,905	10,619	Imports...Syracuse, N. Y.
5,278,793	7,595,949	192,477	419,141	2,198,679	2,309,499	967,813	2,050,889	44,581,876	55,026,314	53,585,481	70,158,942	Imports...Total.
10,402,674	9,308,143	226,098	437,203	3,582,777	2,907,297	2,770,587	3,330,044	97,643,725	73,997,433	108,720,765	91,253,186	Exports...Total.

RECAPITULATION.

4,618,185	6,746,003	172,054	418,192	1,752,194	1,449,591	428,366	1,064,116	39,188,292	48,363,594	42,669,774	56,964,879	Imports...Atlantic ports.
10,079,532	8,211,991	147,779	204,334	2,813,975	2,107,686	1,579,328	1,061,369	81,543,331	60,721,879	82,166,451	64,496,030	Exports...Atlantic ports.
119,863	116,356	14,829	579	343,581	808,531	800	287,688	1,178,468	2,411,100	1,600,108	2,947,840	Imports...Gulf ports.
100,534	1,096,152	78,319	232,869	632,319	785,609	845,939	857,211	11,882,743	9,712,316	12,789,979	11,407,410	Exports...Gulf ports.
226,434	61,947			101,500	39,576	519,801	662,232	2,789,778	2,015,853	5,398,947	4,663,438	Imports...Pacific ports.
222,608				136,283	14,002	345,320	811,464	3,278,920	2,501,829	4,816,094	4,461,768	Exports...Pacific ports.
185,235	236,048		242		2,149	13,092	29,107	1,027,165	1,691,574	3,468,984	4,996,756	Imports...Northern border and lake ports.
								933,731	1,061,409	8,948,241	10,887,978	Exports...Northern border and lake ports.
129,078	145,595	5,594	128	1,404	9,652	5,754	7,746	398,153	544,193	447,668	586,029	Imports...Interior ports.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.		CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
						Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
		1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
EUROPE.													
Austria-Hungary	Imports..	66				4,898	45,248	58,242	418,388	16,240	11,149	913	2,562
	Exports..					484		119,018	121,151		70		
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	Imports..							1,913	1,123				
	Exports..												
Belgium.....	Imports..			920	3,057	274,862	309,765	430,959	391,380	302	143	362	102
	Exports..		11,684			618,518	468,999	3,646,056	1,998,555	49,702	177,850		
Denmark.....	Imports..							2,133	4,744				
	Exports..		2,500					435,097	662,183				
France.....	Imports..		1,169	164,842	912,072	94,813	173,918	851,625	1,158,781	3,657	16,022	1,926,900	2,976,952
	Exports..				20,674		2,077	10,316,274	1,796,428	2,970		1,264,893	1,491,049
Germany.....	Imports..	1,904	1,790	2,307	16,289	412,385	678,861	893,275	1,566,919	752,871	733,454	10,587	219,693
	Exports..	1,916	56,985		122,668	7,212	57,076	4,739,430	3,263,912	124,620	31,175		
Gibraltar.....	Imports..							580	4,572				
	Exports..							5,653	15,497				
Greece.....	Imports..						2,535	7,693	33,708		702	692	481
	Exports..							1,651	1,718			189	450
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....	Imports..												
	Exports..								150				
Italy.....	Imports..			8,941	39,637	33,201	30,120	1,193,780	1,383,804			24,926	84,247
	Exports..							754,371	856,931				466
Malta, Gozo, etc.....	Imports..							999	1,459				
	Exports..							10,461	19,736				
Netherlands.....	Imports..				14,004	15,485	2,032	308,382	306,735	1,536,837	1,427,061	6,314	502,054
	Exports..					490		3,884,015	2,305,212	1,540,099	1,912,550		
Portugal.....	Imports..				1,712	414	202	20,343	27,111	1,043			
	Exports..							57	114,913				
Roumania.....	Imports..											12	
	Exports..		7,043					2,400	2,128				
Russia.....	Imports..						3,004	354,475	262,561	26,851		14,741	
	Exports..						350	847,307	445,626				
Spain.....	Imports..			2,641	23,650	3,511	3,969	249,024	320,228			6,714	9,167
	Exports..							133,353	218,490			4,000	8,072
Sweden and Norway.....	Imports..					2,320	46	96,792	87,118	12,824	10,191		
	Exports..							280,305	346,165		3,518		
Switzerland.....	Imports..			1,338	93,421	185,312	246,029	85,243	104,014	1,934	253	505,723	757,032
	Exports..					1,676	5,816	14,287	6,515	860	1,563	997	1,085
Turkey in Europe.....	Imports..					53,117		61,768	89,386	926		14,575	18
	Exports..							9,279	5,217				18
United Kingdom.....	Imports..	210,988	990	150,568	811,085	384,910	479,663	8,130,705	9,030,404	1,111	9,817	1,027	
	Exports..	298,351	1,123,819	3,852	2,562,486	508,665	679,761	40,136,443	31,509,774			126,732	
NORTH AMERICA.													
Bermuda.....	Imports..			3,394				200,030	170,693				
	Exports..				5,031			70,603	72,303				
British Honduras.....	Imports..				8,064			7,634	16,492				
	Exports..				14,186			16,881	3,904				
British North Amer- ica.....	Imports..	1,457,266	1,837,072	412,119	404,840			416,837	545,881			124	
	Exports..	4,707,717	1,929,414	3,346,202	2,287,781			1,174,137	1,075,124		4,780		
Central American States.....	Imports..			460,826	950,857			482,817	401,254				
	Exports..			258,688	246,442			123,894	81,039				
Mexico.....	Imports..	577,249	475,512	131,491	684,887			769,945	568,189				
	Exports..	968,309	1,464,832	189,114	492,099			432,017	109,476				
Miquelon, etc.....	Imports..											812	
	Exports..		8					1,113	15,150			16,022	

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	EUROPE.
212,027	463,184			1,224	566	2,833	14,936	296,337	896,053	296,403	896,053	Imports..
59,408	48,846		10,173			128,985	174,116	307,895	354,356	307,895	354,356	Exports..
						382	180	2,295	1,303	2,295	1,303	Imports..
12						14,287	8,967	14,299	8,967	14,299	8,967	Exports..
14,723	13,260							721,208	714,650	722,128	717,707	Imports..
71,483	83,988			26,500	210,258	15,030		4,427,289	2,939,050	4,427,289	2,951,334	Exports..
						10,858	21,167	12,991	25,911	12,991	25,911	Imports..
49,866	79,062			14,571	66,886	993,469	532,830	1,492,943	1,340,961	1,492,943	1,343,461	Exports..
101,325	148,404		10,108		15			2,978,320	4,484,200	3,083,162	5,397,381	Imports..
49,649	2,240	50,600	23,196	817,806	79,757	134,027	31,152	12,635,619	3,423,799	12,635,619	3,444,473	Exports..
3,433,553	3,641,859			5,154	36,734	63,557	18,769	5,571,382	6,896,309	5,575,593	6,914,388	Imports..
8,062,894	6,769,679		18,950	449,922	225,284	157,812	375,502	13,511,900	10,739,578	13,513,816	10,919,231	Exports..
533	245							1,113	4,817	1,113	4,817	Imports..
2,324	4,913	12,760				6,163		26,900	20,410	26,900	20,410	Exports..
					624	6,617		15,002	38,050	15,002	38,050	Imports..
						247		2,087	2,168	2,087	2,168	Exports..
								159			159	Exports..
537,550	1,316,766	66,228	168,001	43,173		55,682		1,954,540	2,982,938	1,963,481	3,022,575	Imports..
338,309	365,060	33,137	265,947	31,858		358,989	27,075	1,516,664	1,516,079	1,516,664	1,516,079	Exports..
								999	1,459	999	1,459	Imports..
						98		10,559	19,736	10,559	19,736	Exports..
	1,085			7,459	40,945			1,874,468	2,279,912	1,874,468	2,294,516	Imports..
262,403	462,530			674,974	677,934	126,934	76,045	6,488,912	5,434,271	6,488,912	5,434,271	Exports..
704	25	156	6,842			222,881	75,605	254,541	109,785	254,541	111,497	Imports..
14,766		11,702				152,006	238,283	178,531	353,196	178,531	353,196	Exports..
								12		12		Imports..
537			452				655	2,937	3,235	2,937	10,278	Exports..
38,054	61,868			70,876	41,533	41	175,939	505,038	544,905	505,038	544,905	Imports..
143,779	29,610			6,000	8,242	525	84,674	1,002,611	568,502	1,002,611	568,502	Exports..
8,253	2,545	56,224	58,585			583		324,339	394,494	326,980	418,144	Imports..
	105		2,570					179,183	137,353	408,420	137,353	Exports..
2,853	23,704			3,927		12,447	41,759	131,173	162,818	131,173	162,818	Imports..
107,471	73,684			28,150	13,000	106,834	266,213	522,760	702,580	522,760	702,580	Exports..
34,530	8,771							812,742	1,116,039	814,080	1,209,520	Imports..
482	516							18,302	15,495	18,302	15,495	Exports..
1,325	5,075							131,711	94,479	131,711	94,479	Imports..
1,503	651					89	785	10,871	6,671	10,871	6,671	Exports..
16,444	108,641	320	5	20,267	20,382		3,767	8,554,784	9,652,679	8,916,340	10,464,754	Imports..
508,957	200,803	31,632	4,939	431,499	613,350	151,277	225,851	41,895,205	33,234,478	42,197,308	36,920,783	Exports..
												NORTH AMERICA.
				1,038				201,068	170,693	204,462	170,693	Imports..
2,000				13,271				85,874	72,303	85,874	77,334	Exports..
				3,277	5,563			10,911	22,055	10,911	30,119	Imports..
					11,226			16,881	15,130	16,881	29,316	Exports..
				80,764	40,116	62,929	63,497	559,954	649,494	2,429,339	2,891,406	Imports..
				3,200	7,716	1,678	81	1,179,015	1,087,704	9,232,934	8,304,899	Exports..
	17,578			81,940	126,940			567,757	545,772	1,028,583	1,496,629	Imports..
664	255			53,894	78,559			178,452	159,853	437,140	406,295	Exports..
39,427	322,740			266,063	600,907	1,804	21,719	1,077,239	1,513,555	1,785,979	2,673,954	Imports..
6,556	128,665			172,006	49,001	4,716	39,285	615,295	326,427	1,772,718	2,283,358	Exports..
								812		812		Imports..
								17,135	15,150	17,135	15,150	Exports..

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.								
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
NORTH AMERICA—continued.													
West Indies:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
British	{Imports..		222, 104	590, 556			909, 706	1, 793, 079	34, 930	154, 474			
	{Exports..		6, 620	114, 888			912, 012	471, 166	1, 276				
Danish	{Imports..		56, 711				18, 216	25, 719					
	{Exports..			40, 455			110, 615	43, 062		1, 070			
Dutch	{Imports..		1, 469	22, 165			58, 557	25, 121	5, 785	7, 625			
	{Exports..			545			40, 072	12, 834	6, 416	4, 440			
French	{Imports..			65			1, 086						
	{Exports..						189, 868	47, 723					
Haiti	{Imports..		167, 180				123, 099	32, 017	7, 973	5, 563			
	{Exports..		2, 904	2, 425			74, 261	58, 723	74, 256	24, 701			
Santo Domingo	{Imports..		247, 946	620, 069			52, 485	64, 893	291				
	{Exports..			46, 372			11, 451	4, 212					
Cuba	{Imports..		155, 768	1, 438, 269			556, 678	1, 575, 803					
	{Exports..			1, 089, 892				249, 140					
Porto Rico	{Imports..		38, 839	620, 404			283, 224	26, 775					
	{Exports..			299, 530									
SOUTH AMERICA.													
Argentina	{Imports..		284, 098	147, 269			115, 071	199, 606		866			
	{Exports..			1, 229	61, 894		326, 963	438, 225				102, 755	
Bolivia	{Exports..			2, 896			528	230					
Brazil	{Imports..		265, 459	238, 906	76, 024	135, 219	3, 899, 036	4, 190, 873			210, 013	153, 031	
	{Exports..		48, 750	44, 317	96, 039		497, 631	592, 256					
Chile	{Imports..		65, 540	217, 231			129, 008	331, 557					
	{Exports..		3, 295	19, 947			323, 799	274, 303					
Colombia	{Imports..		25, 994	78, 575			250, 043	295, 258	4, 324	2, 072			
	{Exports..		110, 581	95, 153			139, 720	141, 005					
Ecuador	{Imports..		75, 701	60, 024									
	{Exports..		47, 064	38, 399			57, 717	58, 157					
Guianas	{Imports..						168, 833	461	76, 071	130, 449			
	{Exports..			26, 944			104, 328	135, 914	22, 987	19, 636			
Paraguay	{Exports..							637					
Peru	{Imports..		49, 304	69, 820			13, 509	121, 433					
	{Exports..		28, 601	36, 505			167, 671	122, 501					
Uruguay	{Imports..		6, 838				102, 103	62, 426					
	{Exports..			11, 000			70, 374	59, 457				8, 271	
Venezuela	{Imports..		349, 538	627, 360			467, 512	25, 281	3, 686	37, 126			
	{Exports..			147, 174			122, 103		23, 035	4, 641			
ASIA.													
Aden	{Imports..						303, 532	177, 656				24, 591	
	{Exports..						38, 376	39, 587					
China	{Imports..	205, 159	706, 144	235, 444	370, 069		702, 747	566, 282					
	{Exports..	58, 229	37, 311	16, 173	191, 718		814, 632	628, 955					
East Indies:	{Imports..	2, 565		168, 709	6, 567		3, 307, 416	2, 864, 864		92, 612			
British	{Exports..		739		2, 451	87	224, 078	159, 204		66			
Dutch	{Imports..	1, 997	3, 825	32, 210			504, 833	697, 960	863, 244	109, 742			
	{Exports..						50, 060	171, 752	120, 007	3, 374			
Hongkong	{Imports..	786	3, 369	7, 262	136, 916		35, 531	134, 848					
	{Exports..	20, 398	15, 382	45, 122	374, 507		413, 199	248, 237					
Japan	{Imports..	435, 540	414, 747	253, 216	458, 492		509, 983	649, 520					
	{Exports..	39, 596	94, 874	83, 831	166, 066		1, 432, 599	884, 619					
Korea	{Exports..			1, 230	4, 275			602					

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	NORTH AMERICA—continued.
13,306		33,614		308,066	402,012		15,845	1,304,622	2,365,410	1,526,726	2,955,966	West Indies:
3,895				50,258	71,550			967,351	542,716	973,971	657,604	Imports..}.....British.
						48	34,366	18,264	60,085	74,975	60,085	Imports..}.....Danish.
				57,209				167,824	44,132	167,824	84,587	Exports..}.....Dutch.
								64,342	32,746	65,811	54,911	Imports..}.....French.
9,306					19,790			55,794	37,064	55,794	37,609	Exports..}.....Haiti.
					75			1,086	75	1,086	140	Imports..}.....Santo Do-
				36,648	45,480			226,516	93,203	226,516	93,203	Exports..}.....mingo.
1,321				7,900	219			140,293	37,799	307,473	37,799	Imports..}.....Cuba.
28,055				1,996	23,245		3,190	178,498	109,859	181,402	112,234	Exports..}.....Porto Rico.
				16,250	18,000			69,026	82,893	316,972	702,962	Imports..}.....Argentina.
				179	4,034			11,630	8,246	11,630	54,618	Exports..}.....Bolivia.
3,800	683,383			476,183	644,314	12,995	421,261	1,049,656	3,324,761	1,205,424	4,762,970	Imports..}.....Brazil.
	367,831				257,052		120,139		994,162		2,084,054	Exports..}.....Chile.
114,673				44,702				442,599	26,775	481,438	647,179	Imports..}.....Colombia.
											299,530	Exports..}.....Ecuador.
			13,482				15,827	115,071	229,781	399,169	377,050	Imports..}.....Guianas.
	8,715		5,435	23,323	111,020			412,185	666,150	412,185	667,379	Exports..}.....Paraguay.
96								624	230	624	3,126	Imports..}.....Peru.
459,675	495,693			16,404		1,000		4,661,152	4,975,816	4,926,611	5,214,722	Exports..}.....Uruguay.
110,002	199,254							703,672	791,510	752,422	835,827	Imports..}.....Venezuela.
				50,141				179,149	331,557	244,689	548,788	Exports..}.....ASIA.
60	50					6,079		329,938	274,353	333,233	294,300	Imports..}.....Aden.
1,313				71,625	99,264			327,305	396,504	353,290	475,169	Imports..}.....China.
1,610				20,136	25,663		279	161,467	166,947	272,047	262,100	Exports..}.....East Indies:
										75,701	60,024	Imports..}.....British.
				13,805				71,522	58,157	118,586	96,556	Exports..}.....Dutch.
					26,644			244,904	130,910	244,904	130,910	Imports..}.....Hongkong.
								127,315	182,194	127,315	209,138	Exports..}.....Japan.
									637		637	Imports..}.....Korea.
								13,500	121,433	62,813	191,253	Imports..}.....
								167,671	122,501	196,272	159,006	Exports..}.....
		12,103						114,241	62,426	121,079	62,426	Imports..}.....
	55,339							70,374	123,067	70,374	134,067	Exports..}.....
153	1,419				119,850			471,351	183,676	820,889	811,036	Imports..}.....
71,333	5,363				58,000			216,471	63,004	216,471	215,178	Exports..}.....
17,133	9,890		21,989					320,665	234,126	329,665	234,126	Imports..}.....
59,592								97,968	39,587	97,968	39,587	Exports..}.....
	332			335,103	22	56,685	253,635	1,094,535	820,321	1,535,138	1,896,534	Imports..}.....
129,557	12			155,213	113,708		11,396	1,390,402	754,071	1,164,804	983,100	Exports..}.....
30,909	8,398						15,251	3,338,318	2,981,125	3,509,592	2,987,692	Imports..}.....
48,420	5,798			19,419			1,210	291,917	166,365	291,917	169,555	Exports..}.....
	860		85,746	184,884	111,347		172,079	1,552,961	1,177,743	1,587,168	1,181,568	Imports..}.....
10,159	350	30,900	23,551	50,205				261,331	199,027	261,331	199,027	Exports..}.....
						219	5,139	35,750	139,987	43,798	280,272	Imports..}.....
11,720	43,803			5,972		55,865	100,829	486,756	392,874	552,276	782,763	Exports..}.....
1,592	13,187			74,286		205,545	197,563	791,406	860,270	1,480,162	1,733,509	Imports..}.....
153,795				319,977	106,861	102,310	442,036	2,008,681	1,433,516	2,132,508	1,694,456	Exports..}.....
							3,665		4,267	1,230	8,542	Exports..}.....

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BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.								
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
ASIA—continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Russia, Asiatic.....	{Imports..			25									
	{Exports..		138,246	64,362			22,522	16,422					
Turkey in Asia.....	{Imports..		830		1,965		93,452	164,388	9,989		1,630	1,063	
	{Exports..						27,262	3,844			585	235	
All other Asia.....	{Exports..	241					21,626	6,448					
OCEANICA.													
Auckland, Fiji, etc...	{Imports..							200,982					
	{Exports..		4,743										
British Australasia..	{Imports..	4,071	7,020	33,331	8,303	17,397	304,745	368,693					
	{Exports..	140,444	43,366	115,094	50,500		1,354,896	1,485,783	78,745	146,559			
French Oceanica....	{Imports..			10,612	33,891								
	{Exports..			21,592	25,912								
German Oceanica....	{Exports..												
Hawaiian Islands....	{Imports..			1,967,600	1,873,549		396	42,738					
	{Exports..	5,514	18,743	364,564	764,186		4,391	90,305					
Spanish Oceanica....	{Imports..				300								
Tonga, Samoa, etc...	{Imports..			3,747				100					
	{Exports..							2,159					
Philippine Islands...	{Imports..			68,624	25,406		120,183	596,695					
	{Exports..		5,745		13,766			37,910					
AFRICA.													
British Africa.....	{Imports..			32,553	67,780			42,957	172,463				
	{Exports..				1,778			773,145	1,108,648				
Canary Islands.....	{Imports..				227								
	{Exports..				12,315			1,027					
French Africa.....	{Imports..				4,697	3,890	18,130	29,742			18,555	31,388	
	{Exports..							182			13,038	2,170	
Liberia.....	{Imports..							1,428					
	{Exports..							1,346					
Madagascar.....	{Exports..							12					
Portuguese Africa....	{Imports..												
	{Exports..				2,193		81,385	125,137					
Turkey in Africa....	{Imports..					9,804	511,596	840,321			389		
	{Exports..						321,771	4,087				561	
All other Africa.....	{Imports..					25,987	41,157	26,306			2,307	74,881	
	{Exports..						10,793	64,074					
Total.....	{Imports..	2,897,591	3,451,578	6,106,014	11,681,050	1,556,881	2,153,985	28,279,018	33,200,262	3,360,899	2,749,321	2,747,316	4,837,268
	{Exports..	6,240,774	7,812,686	4,836,266	9,443,067	1,294,978	1,214,166	75,895,172	52,848,555	2,044,983	2,335,993	1,426,456	1,616,032

RECAPITULATION.

Europe.....	{Imports..	212,958	3,889	271,557	1,915,527	1,465,198	1,975,382	12,756,931	15,192,465	2,354,606	2,208,792	2,513,486	4,552,308
	{Exports..	300,167	1,202,031	3,852	2,705,823	1,137,045	1,214,079	65,335,457	43,690,310	1,718,261	2,126,726	1,396,811	1,502,040
North America.....	{Imports..	2,034,515	2,312,584	1,897,847	5,340,116			3,880,314	5,245,916	48,979	167,662	936	
	{Exports..	3,676,026	6,394,254	1,803,528	4,639,646			3,156,924	2,243,856	81,948	34,991	16,022	
South America.....	{Imports..			1,122,472	1,439,185	76,024	135,219	5,145,115	5,226,895	84,081	170,513	219,013	153,031
	{Exports..			238,291	423,564	157,933		1,810,834	1,822,685	46,022	24,277		111,026
Asia.....	{Imports..	646,047	1,128,085	697,671	972,069	1,965		5,457,494	5,255,518	873,233	202,354	1,630	25,660
	{Exports..	118,623	148,547	284,602	803,379		87	3,044,354	2,159,680	120,007	3,440	585	235
Oceanica.....	{Imports..	4,071	7,020	2,083,914	1,941,449		17,397	425,324	1,209,208				
	{Exports..	145,958	67,854	505,993	854,364			1,359,287	1,616,157	78,745	146,559		
Africa.....	{Imports..			32,553	72,704	13,694	25,987	613,840	1,070,260			21,251	106,269
	{Exports..				10,286			1,188,312	1,315,867			13,038	2,731

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	ASIA—continued.
86,864	3,782				2,370		24,847	109,386	47,431	247,632	111,793	Imports... 25 Russia, Asiatic.
1,095	845	18,945	54,383	4,412				131,488	220,685	132,318	220,685	Exports... }
30	98						625	27,877	4,802	27,877	4,802	Imports... Turkey in Asia.
	213							21,626	6,661	21,626	6,902	Exports... All other Asia.
												OCEANICA.
									200,982		200,982	Imports... }
										4,743		Exports... Auckland, Fiji, etc.
833						13,086		305,578	399,176	342,980	414,499	Imports... British Austral-
18,614	362,960		40,000	100,084				1,552,339	2,035,302	1,807,877	2,129,168	Exports... asia.
										10,612	33,891	Imports... }
										21,592	25,912	Exports... French Oceanica.
	1,525								1,525		1,525	Exports... German Oceanica.
174,830						240,355	468,451	415,581	511,189	2,383,181	2,384,738	Imports... Hawaiian Islands.
						244,757	345,516	249,148	435,821	619,226	1,218,750	Exports... }
											300	Imports... Spanish Oceanica.
									100	3,747	100	Imports... Tonga, Samoa, etc.
									2,159		2,159	Exports... }
						10,489		130,672	596,695	199,296	622,101	Imports... Philippine Isl'ds.
1,130	790	33,694					5,694	34,829	44,394	34,824	63,905	Exports... }
		106		18,749	71		20	61,812	172,554	94,365	240,334	Imports... British Africa.
292				4,767				778,204	1,108,648	778,204	1,110,426	Exports... }
	137								137		364	Imports... }
			23,335					1,027	23,335	1,027	35,650	Exports... Canary Islands.
	12,786							40,575	73,916	40,575	78,613	Imports... }
27		21,673						34,921	14,745	34,921	14,745	Exports... French Africa.
									1,428		1,428	Imports... }
	283								1,629		1,629	Exports... Liberia.
								12		12		Exports... Madagascar.
						1,543	8	1,543	8	1,543	8	Imports... Portuguese Africa
186	15					8,470	9,258	90,041	134,410	90,041	136,603	Exports... }
11,866	301	4,746		1,821				540,222	840,622	540,222	840,622	Imports... Turkey in Africa
1,043			23,655		667			322,814	29,030	322,814	29,030	Exports... }
	2,909							43,464	130,083	43,464	130,083	Imports... }
8,518	1,350							19,311	65,424	19,311	65,424	Exports... All other Africa.
5,278,793	7,305,949	192,477	419,141	2,198,679	2,309,499	967,813	2,050,889	44,581,876	55,026,314	53,585,481	70,158,942	Imports... }
10,402,674	9,308,143	226,098	437,203	3,582,777	2,907,297	2,770,587	3,330,044	97,643,725	73,997,433	108,720,765	91,253,186	Exports... Total.

RECAPITULATION.

4,401,874	5,735,432	122,928	243,541	152,071	140,799	375,901	352,142	24,142,995	30,400,861	24,627,510	32,320,277	Imports... Europe.
9,648,240	8,121,687	139,831	321,227	2,481,280	1,894,711	2,346,712	2,221,931	84,203,637	61,092,711	84,507,656	65,000,570	Exports... North America.
177,527	1,023,701	33,614		1,289,183	1,838,146	77,076	556,688	5,507,629	8,832,113	9,439,991	16,484,813	Imports... South America.
50,386	496,751			388,591	567,653	6,394	162,698	3,700,265	3,505,949	13,179,819	14,539,849	Exports... Asia.
461,141	497,112	12,138	13,482	138,170	219,114		16,827	6,126,682	6,432,193	7,249,154	7,871,378	Imports... Oceanica.
183,101	268,721		5,435	57,269	221,327	6,079	279	2,261,238	2,453,750	2,499,529	2,877,314	Exports... Africa.
50,722	33,571	18,945	162,118	598,685	111,369	262,449	643,667	7,265,123	6,434,257	8,608,841	8,534,411	Imports... Europe.
491,137	54,061	30,900	23,551	550,786	222,939	158,175	584,608	4,395,944	3,048,601	4,799,166	4,000,527	Exports... North America.
175,663						250,844	481,537	851,831	1,708,142	2,939,816	3,656,611	Imports... South America.
19,744	365,275	33,694	40,000	100,084		244,757	351,210	1,836,311	2,519,201	2,488,262	3,441,419	Exports... Asia.
11,866	16,133	4,852		20,570	71	1,543	28	687,616	1,218,748	720,169	1,291,452	Imports... Oceanica.
10,066	1,648	21,673	46,900	4,767	667	8,470	9,318	1,246,330	1,377,221	1,246,330	1,393,507	Exports... Africa.

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES, FOR MAY, 1899.

DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane and other.					
DISTRICTS.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Aroostook, Me.							100	6	100	6
Bangor, Me.							86	9	86	9
Boston, Mass.					38,297,375	889,241			38,297,375	889,241
New Haven, Conn.					2,214	57			2,214	57
New York, N. Y.	31,397,448	1,245,429	18,280,671	404,945	228,340,156	5,532,143	2,756	100	278,021,031	7,182,617
Philadelphia, Pa.			23,698,022	638,668	60,793,159	1,464,895			89,491,181	2,103,563
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.					3,118	73			3,118	73
Corpus Christi, Tex.					2,595	68			2,595	68
Key West, Fla.					48	2			48	2
New Orleans, La.			2,220,336	48,223	29,302,091	800,367	42,420	1,772	31,564,847	850,362
Paso del Norte, Tex.					33,074	647			33,074	647
Saluria, Tex.					75,868	1,705			75,868	1,705
Tampa, Fla.					500	19			500	19
Alaska.							360	26	360	26
Arizona.					6,297	103			6,297	103
Los Angeles, Cal.							50,139	1,365	50,139	1,365
Puget Sound, Wash.					1,480	28	152,524	4,234	154,004	4,262
San Diego, Cal.					200	3	50,334	1,379	50,534	1,382
San Francisco, Cal.	28,355,507	1,101,208			2,200,985	38,701	2,325,092	62,743	32,881,584	1,202,652
Willamette, Oreg.					710	13	393,958	11,184	394,668	11,197
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.							16	2	16	2
Cape Vincent, N. Y.					200	9			200	9
Champlain, N. Y.							197	19	197	19
Chicago, Ill.					2,573	49	79,117	2,848	81,690	2,897
Detroit, Mich.							985	77	985	77
Huron, Mich.							1,352	160	1,352	160
Memphremagog, Vt.							32,008	1,876	32,008	1,876
North and South Dakota.							179	12	179	12
Superior, Mich.							796	62	796	62
Vermont, Vt.							483	28	483	28
Total	59,752,955	2,346,637	49,199,029	1,091,836	359,062,643	8,737,183	3,132,902	87,902	471,147,529	12,263,558
COUNTRIES.										
Austria-Hungary.			21,432,709	470,615					21,432,709	470,615
France.							2,756	100	2,756	100
Germany.			27,766,320	621,221			42,420	1,772	27,808,740	622,993
Netherlands.							50,000	1,247	50,000	1,247
United Kingdom.					1,545,326	42,462			1,545,326	42,462
Dominion of Canada:										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.					31,878	956	186	15	32,064	971
Quebec, Ontario, etc.					200	9	65,325	3,849	65,525	3,858
British Columbia.							2,650	156	2,650	156
Central American States:										
Guatemala.					1,064,586	23,125	14,782	464	1,079,368	23,589
Mexico.					1,240,243	17,881			1,240,243	17,881
West Indies:										
British.					78,718,308	1,832,363			78,718,308	1,832,363
Cuba.					134,735,325	3,680,127			134,735,325	3,680,127
Danish.					2,326,089	57,991			2,326,089	57,991
Dutch.					1,626,227	41,808			1,626,227	41,808
Porto Rico.					21,090,298	476,666			21,090,298	476,666
Santo Domingo.					25,964,308	649,436			25,964,308	649,436
Brazil.					6,265,487	140,149			6,265,487	140,149
Colombia.					3,195	39			3,195	39
Guianas: Dutch.					77,161	2,083			77,161	2,083
Peru.					7,900,815	144,916			7,900,815	144,916
China.					17,108	351	2,310,260	62,274	2,327,368	62,625
East Indies: Dutch.					47,409,904	984,565			47,409,904	984,565
Hongkong.					17,636	321	644,523	18,025	662,159	18,346
Hawaiian Islands.	59,752,955	2,346,637							59,752,955	2,346,637
British Africa.					12,746,102	228,274			12,746,102	228,274
Turkey in Africa: Egypt.					16,282,447	413,661			16,282,447	413,661
Total	59,752,955	2,346,637	49,199,029	1,091,836	359,062,643	8,737,183	3,132,902	87,902	471,147,529	12,263,558

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane.					
1895.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
January	15,099,372	434,990	92,367,162	1,662,634	79,208,409	1,379,367	2,526,886	65,068	189,201,829	3,542,059
February	39,730,222	1,099,618	31,349,975	508,429	161,291,283	2,927,178	3,117,125	74,477	235,488,605	4,609,702
March	36,695,359	976,428	6,899,761	122,719	347,940,355	6,236,740	4,574,839	102,841	396,020,254	7,438,728
April	33,686,680	858,390	3,999,603	57,526	335,594,151	5,946,794	4,656,846	113,510	377,937,280	6,076,220
May	45,374,104	1,153,050	1,651,638	25,076	485,620,203	9,162,322	6,018,965	143,782	538,664,910	10,484,230
June	31,055,554	796,096	15,384,879	250,595	334,408,000	6,515,080	7,930,215	198,380	388,808,648	7,760,751
July	23,977,905	781,195	41,001,194	775,758	282,068,349	5,332,334	12,665,220	322,673	364,712,668	7,211,960
August	15,725,350	416,699	3,015,472	52,365	221,438,138	3,977,136	16,599,428	440,903	256,778,388	4,887,103
September	6,421,165	179,750	531,974	9,735	188,552,342	3,577,552	9,014,503	233,249	204,519,984	4,000,286
October	27,908,040	717,813	1,260,740	22,744	247,230,260	4,726,432	9,164,095	243,996	285,563,135	5,711,030
November	6,627,464	188,479	56,128	1,230	145,650,731	3,011,063	7,323,819	205,572	159,658,142	3,406,344
December	2,978,139	85,117	6,083,963	122,835	165,621,681	3,320,457	7,782,128	211,651	182,470,911	3,739,460
1896.										
January	16,135,501	449,307	35,377,666	751,785	203,371,778	4,445,265	9,110,181	250,821	263,995,129	5,897,178
February	38,515,917	1,221,550	104,872,111	2,352,915	179,391,305	3,881,040	15,233,327	429,936	337,992,060	7,885,441
March	49,532,132	1,658,124	116,958,698	2,820,212	258,254,407	6,011,454	10,756,645	318,805	435,501,882	10,807,738
April	49,676,539	1,773,366	60,471,717	1,436,517	259,361,810	6,210,436	18,871,764	571,557	388,381,830	9,991,876
May	49,044,692	1,743,775	134,676,241	3,332,471	323,892,483	7,629,611	36,493,036	1,111,620	544,106,452	13,817,477
June	60,632,425	2,121,621	100,376,981	2,370,347	277,182,334	6,357,875	34,446,536	1,013,225	472,637,376	11,863,068
July	47,490,421	1,660,666	86,129,647	1,770,513	171,359,487	3,488,579	15,195,736	444,321	320,175,291	7,364,079
August	35,319,387	1,172,769	111,699,299	2,211,428	135,067,599	2,671,593	10,421,169	285,751	292,507,454	6,341,541
September	45,036,651	1,468,448	143,135,512	2,746,813	186,909,188	3,840,207	12,666,545	330,173	387,747,896	8,385,641
October	13,504,923	574,360	61,389,479	1,089,619	216,200,222	4,551,527	12,599,775	309,368	308,694,399	6,524,904
November	17,631,371	551,250	41,795,607	781,991	103,680,551	2,072,371	9,204,489	219,568	172,312,018	3,625,180
December	11,360,104	332,275	65,506,946	1,238,430	94,909,606	1,831,992	12,346,858	306,735	184,122,514	3,709,432
1897.										
January	13,953,295	415,031	75,089,083	1,386,565	110,848,403	1,990,720	8,589,972	205,621	208,480,753	3,997,937
February	30,124,491	1,060,405	130,054,470	2,394,358	114,017,832	2,021,901	6,408,657	156,849	286,605,450	5,633,513
March	53,532,407	1,545,084	167,653,100	2,918,836	248,127,014	4,556,941	16,213,469	393,049	485,525,990	9,413,910
April	40,932,737	1,191,799	325,858,788	5,699,356	373,322,520	7,444,939	33,413,432	789,315	773,527,477	15,125,409
May	43,730,125	1,248,942	400,368,077	6,961,874	316,054,212	6,138,524	30,501,581	705,437	790,653,995	15,054,777
June	67,694,447	1,946,492	264,166,562	4,652,045	345,229,380	6,512,534	31,466,107	778,791	708,552,496	13,889,862
July	65,541,110	1,868,191	16,156,314	303,277	75,137,465	1,464,299	22,135,496	513,711	178,970,385	4,179,478
August	77,428,884	2,287,474	161,531	2,469	18,804,080	348,493	14,180,818	318,118	110,515,313	2,956,554
September	35,795,014	1,101,708	335,922	7,946	64,658,118	1,119,510	9,325,983	203,499	110,115,037	2,432,663
October	26,426,128	843,599	380,591	9,388	149,474,394	2,619,088	6,717,832	171,538	182,998,945	3,643,613
November	35,620,044	1,080,325	180	5	118,249,590	2,142,963	5,129,082	132,438	159,004,896	3,355,731
December	5,103,592	166,789	334,819	8,255	98,310,454	1,775,926	2,466,308	62,740	106,215,174	2,013,710
1898.										
January	18,043,839	656,511	220	4	127,090,240	2,508,432	6,269,324	155,526	151,403,623	3,320,473
February	25,054,849	927,103			211,462,662	4,490,307	3,290,573	84,296	239,808,084	5,501,706
March	43,787,235	1,563,175			313,991,691	6,415,958	8,866,473	214,373	366,645,399	8,193,506
April	42,102,485	1,588,276	5,336,175	79,200	354,607,352	7,473,758	4,407,690	106,409	406,453,702	9,247,643
May	62,972,464	2,345,690	17,276,714	270,718	260,373,703	5,220,973	7,063,566	179,518	437,686,447	8,016,899
June	60,885,153	2,201,268	100,719,019	2,036,693	156,263,763	3,080,047	11,098,587	260,705	328,966,522	7,578,713
July	48,207,929	1,809,218	127,558,185	2,597,963	121,578,520	2,560,734	5,824,387	146,779	303,169,021	7,114,694
August	50,574,174	1,856,794	20,309,152	370,579	120,769,323	2,502,875	11,226,046	270,150	202,878,695	5,000,398
September	35,723,373	1,280,369	35,555,484	723,651	169,312,859	3,563,090	6,589,584	169,115	247,181,300	5,736,225
October	22,191,810	794,661	30,337,483	621,143	269,334,493	5,539,807	6,203,147	163,521	328,066,933	7,119,132
November	27,626,057	956,399	2,194,459	45,649	170,688,236	3,508,770	3,010,145	83,472	203,518,897	4,594,290
December	2,967,016	105,480	79,694,439	1,676,420	213,957,823	4,634,355	3,735,911	91,985	300,355,189	6,508,240
1899.										
January	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,757,709
February	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,430
March	47,671,110	1,221,819	89,531,801	1,867,288	322,111,233	7,253,801	2,098,913	59,781	461,413,057	11,003,689
April	36,028,774	1,209,045	63,325,504	1,344,913	339,769,229	7,989,559	1,272,728	37,165	440,396,235	10,670,682
May	59,752,955	2,346,637	49,199,029	1,091,836	359,062,643	8,737,183	3,132,902	87,902	471,147,529	12,263,558

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING MAY, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	Austria-Hungary.....			182, 119	182, 119
France.....	France.....			12, 700	12, 700
Germany.....	Germany.....			2, 772	2, 772
Russia, Baltic.....	Russia, Baltic.....			43, 783	43, 783
Russia, Black.....	Russia, Black.....			906, 013	971, 630
	Russia, Baltic.....			32, 779	
	England.....			32, 838	
Russia, not otherwise specified.....	Russia, Baltic.....			91, 522	114, 829
	Russia, Black.....			20, 235	
	England.....			3, 052	
Servia.....	Austria-Hungary.....			52, 250	52, 250
England.....	England.....		103, 207	259, 757	368, 964
Scotland.....	Scotland.....		10, 599	275, 590	298, 109
	England.....			11, 920	
British West Indies.....	British West Indies.....			162	162
Dutch West Indies.....	Dutch West Indies.....			5, 009	5, 009
Argentina.....	Argentina.....	379, 928		117, 502	527, 430
Brazil.....	Brazil.....			8, 424	8, 424
Chile.....	Chile.....	178, 000		28, 480	206, 480
Peru.....	England.....		32, 235		32, 235
Venezuela.....	Venezuela.....			147	147
China.....	China.....			415, 746	416, 873
	England.....			1, 127	
British East Indies.....	British East Indies.....			319, 643	397, 003
	England.....			77, 350	
Russia, Asiatic.....	England.....			21, 812	21, 812
	Turkey in Asia.....			33, 925	
Turkey in Asia.....	France.....			28, 074	130, 821
	Turkey in Europe.....		25, 949		
	England.....		28, 545	4, 328	
Asia, not otherwise specified.....	France.....			48, 915	216, 115
	Turkey in Europe.....			51, 423	
	England.....			115, 777	
British Australasia.....	British Australasia.....	755, 256			818, 686
	England.....	63, 430			
	Total.....	1, 376, 614	216, 535	3, 235, 214	4, 828, 363
Imported into.....	Boston.....	693, 956	91, 945	419, 002	1, 204, 903
	New York.....	559, 875	4, 784	2, 270, 238	2, 834, 897
	Philadelphia.....	122, 783	119, 806	545, 974	788, 563

WOOL, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND
PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.
BY COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

MONTHS.	Russia.	Turkey.	United Kingdom.	Argentina.	Uruguay.	China.	British East Indies.	British Australasia.	All other countries.	TOTAL.
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
1895—January	1,291,349	1,582,817	634,418	831,420	7,392	2,067,127	229,572	2,963,682	1,178,768	10,746,545
February	279,402	1,858,878	486,946	1,864,876	2,819	870,365	639,029	7,773,343	659,683	14,435,341
March	698,013	1,321,825	935,436	2,543,670	3,186,484	5,598,160	99,466	5,037,213	1,401,471	20,821,738
April	710,412	2,028,664	729,649	6,374,584	1,636,144	2,197,809	836,000	12,420,792	2,107,522	20,041,576
May	738,517	696,185	1,072,037	6,254,059	1,264,509	667,292	453,218	5,415,629	1,965,010	18,526,496
June	142,182	726,245	1,052,464	4,906,523	82,827	516,158	1,754,867	6,918,884	3,246,317	11,346,467
July	364,918	2,562,529	1,698,127	2,181,481	719,522	1,443,955	494,589	10,303,769	1,674,155	21,443,045
August	385,242	2,093,858	1,806,290	4,004,278	2,697,327	2,432,945	1,839,463	17,032,579	3,125,520	35,417,502
September	639,975	2,516,781	1,341,858	1,053,941	1,676,863	916,059	360,845	2,535,472	3,223,390	14,265,184
October	1,851,408	2,597,714	2,185,722	1,253,955	189,919	2,414,609	861,985	3,140,508	2,246,635	16,652,456
November	2,167,790	2,490,156	1,752,179	1,752,179	.....	300,644	886,711	1,915,205	2,642,085	13,510,919
December	3,222,793	2,846,323	1,046,835	2,088,648	201,912	5,428,510	1,779,506	4,722,947	2,534,562	23,872,036
1896—January	2,201,636	1,604,048	1,762,177	2,713,789	251,438	4,375,258	261,477	7,421,236	2,752,605	23,313,724
February	1,177,142	714,321	1,369,561	2,705,824	824,616	5,119,457	1,880,064	10,816,767	4,406,793	29,014,545
March	407,019	470,552	321,722	2,443,134	2,377,075	1,267,902	4,368	8,910,947	1,281,360	17,484,079
April	132,645	353,617	572,631	5,617,857	72,145	465,397	785,066	1,569,822	2,610,623	12,179,805
May	197,614	66,844	434,114	4,573,104	15,463	1,729,954	5,400	3,894,769	2,521,580	13,438,842
June	400,327	71,430	333,873	1,893,150	22,070	189,542	738,055	731,069	936,660	5,316,185
July	28,676	250,905	477,397	848,117	.....	1,053,519	.....	806,366	782,677	4,247,657
August	222,518	160,004	359,278	216,253	20,000	1,186,974	1,087,400	617,004	850,347	4,719,778
September	904,024	569,123	593,766	751,345	.....	962,473	39,397	74,107	887,060	4,781,295
October	190,425	1,988,269	128,097	107,796	10,439	1,266,411	932,940	942,852	435,299	6,002,628
November	1,352,459	467,680	785,831	1,856,304	14,958	325,281	433,942	2,517,615	1,630,672	9,384,642
December	2,432,582	1,784,591	3,807,169	1,588,090	13,702	1,757,134	1,124,785	9,389,215	3,502,457	25,399,525
1897—January	2,572,372	1,383,008	1,556,858	2,175,508	1,730,000	3,861,605	49,390	3,842,512	3,091,734	29,262,987
February	1,411,816	2,000,110	1,502,894	3,602,254	400,611	4,392,283	2,434,912	9,866,878	4,335,137	29,946,895
March	3,220,694	2,910,302	5,365,531	9,831,639	3,483,976	1,723,911	637,247	22,331,931	5,172,241	54,076,832
April	5,002,237	4,281,876	6,917,932	17,763,421	4,381,529	1,696,639	2,414,084	41,968,292	11,133,923	95,559,933
May	1,272,264	2,471,190	2,062,826	19,579,999	1,545,072	975,561	6,696	9,346,050	6,084,027	43,943,685
June	1,097,072	2,003,688	3,601,840	6,648,780	3,403,970	2,259,687	1,829,187	8,210,029	4,514,932	33,569,185
July	320,450	480,029	2,413,986	3,748,806	.....	2,933,917	305,840	9,345,020	1,937,661	21,485,709
August	62,386	63,087	599,591	148,493	.....	655,531	139,574	986,373	220,864	2,875,899
September	190,370	89,121	328,822	1,638,168	.....	127,684	25,660	.....	30,048	2,429,873
October	821,113	1,462,392	1,541,063	1,153,694	.....	411,579	1,088,564	342,592	303,234	7,124,231
November	3,581,564	1,471,130	1,579,534	93,604	9,262	1,976,263	209,065	440,149	800,742	10,161,313
December	4,434,765	2,250,227	2,688,570	301,332	96,874	3,980,963	1,569,416	938,272	1,508,208	17,768,627
1898—January	2,128,333	1,355,205	1,603,637	850,194	225,939	1,715,624	29,762	1,159,728	1,939,647	11,017,089
February	1,482,288	281,863	360,299	57	29,705	5,040,311	415,797	6,458,797	1,733,664	15,802,781
March	2,253,496	678,217	245,221	156,257	334,660	1,204,978	68,848	4,232,126	2,544,889	11,818,692
April	400,175	171,766	787,221	3,557,321	610,276	576,658	1,398,850	3,293,410	2,227,441	13,023,118
May	1,004,381	954,230	164,264	2,547,560	.....	729,183	123,932	1,370,675	967,469	7,861,694
June	276,281	67,877	67,922	2,530,486	3,258	1,016,603	961,483	3,310,110	479,966	8,713,986
July	137,113	181,797	293,509	151,628	.....	3,927,862	87,083	137,293	878,557	5,773,842
August	263,397	37,215	1,020,545	435,680	.....	2,244,707	616,672	328,463	530,313	5,476,992
September	517,524	443,317	686,263	1,675	.....	474,747	19,608	29,816	65,618	2,270,568
October	1,385,122	433,960	862,719	1,101,177	.....	506,353	699,369	8,312	700,200	5,697,212
November	3,420,476	1,293,178	483,011	.....	.....	403,792	166,371	4,201	729,821	6,500,850
December	683,682	419,033	790,807	154,574	3,053	440,648	990,001	237,628	898,496	4,617,922
1899—January	844,365	903,609	1,230,369	1,061,780	146,520	1,760,758	175,230	730,448	763,329	7,616,408
February	1,438,512	383,819	765,142	551,908	.....	1,075,100	1,082,265	1,973,486	1,110,846	8,381,078
March	1,458,858	358,793	932,542	165,614	.....	408,382	71,710	1,434,650	1,554,049	6,384,598
April	1,738,968	809,528	1,030,010	800,426	.....	1,227,919	1,417,054	639,577	1,936,970	9,600,452
May	1,152,054	130,821	667,073	527,439	.....	416,873	397,003	818,686	718,423	4,828,363
Years ending June 30—										
1890	15,602,337	15,858,245	17,035,193	13,699,451	228,808	8,742,541	6,642,153	11,950,158	13,159,878	102,918,764
1891	23,772,189	15,426,451	14,668,949	14,099,835	1,042,102	11,080,814	3,889,519	26,576,276	13,890,238	124,446,373
1892	32,578,873	17,960,052	8,287,335	14,217,037	4,944,465	14,742,851	1,853,284	39,764,079	12,125,179	146,453,155
1893	32,067,247	22,041,320	15,893,343	13,930,262	708,910	21,135,791	5,819,878	37,389,843	15,901,916	164,918,540
1894	9,298,030	7,379,686	4,130,118	9,035,568	247,797	10,339,859	2,359,023	8,488,583	4,308,224	55,586,888
1895	13,133,691	21,530,410	8,874,609	31,773,290	11,495,380	26,119,599	8,087,982	53,226,432	16,825,046	191,066,439
1896	13,150,509	17,987,753	14,229,068	32,281,341	9,048,350	26,084,232	9,897,531	72,995,090	30,264,448	225,938,322
1897	19,706,449	20,239,717	27,759,419	64,960,556	15,004,257	21,461,478	10,989,980	109,912,851	42,451,335	332,495,042
1898	10,999,224	9,282,762	12,434,332	16,734,279	1,309,974	20,369,294	6,445,063	31,877,252	14,630,832	130,083,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 38.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States

WOOL IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS, PORTS, AND CLASSES.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.			NEW YORK.			PHILADELPHIA.			TOTAL.
	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	
1895 —January	2,634,883	401,800	588,905	732,054	89,479	4,603,380	266,181	289,793	1,180,070	10,786,545
February	7,564,709	542,728	1,769,584	1,226,219	29,212	2,028,319	217,027	125,802	931,741	14,435,341
March	3,730,670	303,914	919,499	5,366,957	124,170	7,375,054	1,397,360	234,140	1,309,974	20,821,738
April	12,630,922	550,041	4,366,786	4,603,039	128,324	3,822,776	921,187	268,884	1,669,617	29,041,576
May	6,614,099	858,804	3,775,202	2,785,373	25,827	2,463,451	445,354	88,703	1,469,073	18,526,480
June	8,186,692	547,295	3,195,594	2,352,414	90,772	3,483,595	13,743	48,301	1,428,061	19,346,467
July	11,110,320	1,271,708	2,459,897	1,737,119	105,916	1,447,799	616,921	236,008	2,457,357	21,443,045
August	17,181,391	2,000,501	4,160,775	5,514,665	77,392	4,371,191	593,007	188,029	1,330,551	35,417,502
September	4,216,822	817,675	1,760,158	2,341,646	107,469	2,347,089	485,821	522,903	1,665,001	14,265,184
October	3,473,217	497,103	2,764,098	2,374,000	39,423	5,535,492	263,729	271,496	1,433,898	16,652,456
November	2,201,670	665,026	3,138,419	1,412,372	184	3,493,655	479,941	364,856	1,754,796	13,510,919
December	5,200,570	330,581	2,356,845	2,472,829	1,910	10,632,962	674,371	23,139	2,178,829	23,872,030
1896 —January	7,408,645	610,796	2,060,498	2,396,039	68,568	8,158,260	1,437,956	50,228	1,152,734	23,343,724
February	10,555,134	489,170	963,215	5,290,182	56,022	8,552,296	1,738,351	70,151	1,299,424	29,014,545
March	10,671,770	1,239,815	884,959	1,401,547	10,768	1,980,111	998,049	6,278	290,782	17,484,079
April	2,004,339	1,039,962	3,219,830	1,670,660	24,467	2,427,429	812,884	85,802	894,342	12,179,805
May	3,866,983	372,500	4,247,408	1,948,639	41,104	2,225,209	125,555	233,974	377,470	13,438,842
June	507,251	205,044	2,309,571	379,995	9,529	1,593,121	74,694	17,654	219,326	5,316,185
July	838,377	149,289	1,042,268	280,140	64,514	1,483,763	.....	6,235	383,071	4,247,657
August	518,895	205,257	371,267	267,578	25,516	2,449,710	.....	39,870	841,685	4,719,778
September	143,709	31,897	1,776,481	556,740	14,794	1,809,190	76,567	.....	371,917	4,781,295
October	1,028,044	135,111	1,263,111	140,562	.....	3,260,379	23,341	.....	152,080	6,002,628
November	3,124,768	397,597	2,317,145	920,944	101,780	1,821,870	245,297	102,344	352,891	9,384,642
December	11,144,566	596,658	4,234,074	1,635,224	288,676	5,547,437	170,512	138,342	1,644,036	25,399,525
1897 —January	4,323,049	462,665	1,412,746	4,020,903	25,620	7,037,930	463,140	22,454	1,894,480	20,262,987
February	11,338,017	1,556,474	2,388,117	4,002,408	188,251	9,099,483	582,258	30,709	761,178	29,046,895
March	23,715,522	3,331,523	2,673,890	12,755,340	667,129	9,178,465	1,403,553	398,550	552,850	54,676,832
April	48,107,356	7,352,542	6,435,949	15,271,603	198,327	9,612,394	4,633,186	548,844	3,399,732	95,559,933
May	21,026,656	4,413,636	6,316,502	4,424,901	211,986	4,594,715	1,413,523	152,701	1,389,065	43,943,685
June	11,912,488	4,524,194	3,190,179	4,151,671	585,011	6,027,219	873,548	371,349	1,933,526	33,569,185
July	1,016,229	1,936,068	281,957	2,412,256	388,252	5,095,792	224,538	49	130,568	21,485,709
August	986,373	171,026	10,156	77,150	3,421	1,535,245	.....	.....	92,528	2,875,899
September	1,688,168	35	61,859	341	.....	599,599	.....	3,752	126,119	2,429,873
October	419,755	10,852	1,964,632	6,595	13,075	3,599,210	.....	.....	1,110,112	7,124,231
November	240,066	.....	1,725,185	114,391	.....	6,481,008	213,853	.....	1,386,810	10,161,313
December	1,097,198	53,441	3,993,654	583,154	4,300	10,370,808	.....	.....	1,666,072	17,768,627
1898 —January	1,087,065	3,113	2,349,339	752,363	13,361	5,042,622	411,329	.....	1,357,897	11,017,085
February	6,284,750	3,505	740,571	370,896	504	6,686,657	369,834	1,700	1,344,364	15,802,781
March	4,187,017	297,139	1,841,946	503,324	5,020	3,810,283	384,027	745	789,191	11,818,692
April	4,693,453	7,856	3,848,550	711,896	6,685	2,681,567	288,877	5,943	778,291	13,023,118
May	1,349,159	28,076	3,158,208	245,942	10,450	2,195,777	374,954	.....	499,128	7,861,694
June	3,206,479	161,002	2,847,080	87,608	13,664	1,973,431	38,601	5,316	380,805	8,713,986
July	137,250	39,648	299,786	97,015	50,635	4,849,433	4,151	4,923	291,001	5,773,842
August	331,244	52,793	924,302	45,926	2,504	3,770,247	47,549	12,394	290,033	5,476,992
September	2,218	111,182	170,563	687	2,485	1,716,281	27,598	20,872	218,682	2,270,568
October	115,845	58,880	1,566,042	11,487	21,885	2,776,029	37,915	5,614	1,103,485	5,697,212
November	2,920	77,830	738,877	54,541	8,235	5,219,451	4,266	1,858	392,872	6,500,850
December	28,368	109,643	1,532,860	113,882	.....	2,409,492	237,860	6,900	173,917	4,617,922
1899 —January	1,081,338	116,827	1,399,857	159,756	13,710	4,358,237	301,797	.....	193,886	7,616,408
February	1,645,907	464,036	1,335,105	321,127	3,395	3,792,763	302,160	100	516,485	8,381,078
March	1,475,255	139,358	675,433	285,799	10,936	3,374,706	127,301	125	295,595	6,384,596
April	705,785	161,958	1,109,520	1,067,694	36,552	5,760,635	180,980	148,156	429,172	9,600,452
May	693,956	91,945	419,002	559,875	4,784	2,270,238	122,783	119,806	545,974	4,828,363
Years ending June 30—										
1890	11,154,247	5,196,059	29,277,193	2,716,348	1,178,465	39,413,896	1,621,512	899,649	11,461,395	102,918,764
1891	23,574,857	4,060,718	26,878,778	4,748,593	675,697	46,402,122	2,415,568	987,922	14,702,618	124,446,373
1892	35,389,751	2,139,084	32,691,164	9,205,840	686,577	50,889,755	4,140,263	2,122,551	9,188,170	146,453,155
1893	33,258,891	2,756,142	41,160,922	6,958,992	763,265	58,176,030	1,846,961	1,930,577	18,066,760	164,918,540
1894	7,602,884	969,432	11,463,487	2,292,895	224,905	26,657,324	569,747	266,850	5,539,355	55,586,888
1895	55,992,782	5,017,210	29,840,260	24,823,191	814,650	55,510,709	3,591,566	1,397,276	14,078,795	191,066,439
1896	78,398,112	9,539,881	30,325,673	28,939,693	543,352	52,764,014	8,301,279	2,070,608	15,055,110	225,938,322
1897	137,221,457	23,156,843	33,421,729	48,428,014	2,371,604	62,622,561	9,884,925	1,811,398	13,676,511	332,495,042
1898	36,205,712	2,672,113	22,823,137	5,865,916	458,732	50,071,808	2,306,013	17,505	9,661,885	130,083,012

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, MAY, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Alexandria, Va.			423		423							
Baltimore, Md.	5,671		1,873	117,622	7,544	117,622	2,808		1,368	131,706	4,176	131,706
Bangor, Me.				3,188		3,188	664		1,187		1,851	
Barnstable, Mass.			166		166							
Bath, Me.			79		79				79		79	
Beaufort, S. C.				4,757		4,757				7,693		7,693
Belfast, Me.	60		869		929		535		1,036		1,571	
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	5,636	14,170	20,517	160,837	26,153	175,007	9,103	12,258	13,638	148,197	22,941	160,455
Brunswick, Ga.	2,075		10,143		12,218		384		17,062	6,930	17,446	6,930
Castine, Me.			541		541				54		54	
Charleston, S. C.	611			4,817	611	4,817				1,969		1,969
Delaware	325			8,265	325	8,265			3,106	8,265	3,106	8,265
Fairfield, Conn.	147		1,121		1,268				1,121		1,121	
Fernandina, Fla.	2,886		344	4,158	3,230	4,158	216	165	344	11,675	560	11,840
Frenchman Bay, Me.			54		54		961		54		1,015	
Gloucester, Mass.			1,792	1,106	1,792	1,106			750	1,106	750	1,106
Machias, Me.	746	21			746	21	1,872	34			1,872	34
Marblehead, Mass.			176		176		1,059		176		1,235	
Newark, N. J.	2,113		98		2,211				1,233		1,233	
New Bedford, Mass.	383		793		1,176		226		412		668	
New Haven, Conn.	174		668		842				575		575	
New London, Conn.			302		302				302		302	
Newport, R. I.			98		98		151		98		249	
Newport News, Va.		241		22,035		22,276	2,350	241		24,035	2,350	24,276
New York, N. Y.	26,954	80,085	44,766	588,685	71,720	668,770	17,966	84,668	47,058	596,932	65,024	681,600
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.	754	177	177	6,364	931	6,541	3,741		2,923	26,501	6,664	26,501
Passamaquoddy, Me.	477	12,005	2,655	3,480	3,132	15,485	1,064	12,005	3,183	3,384	4,247	15,289
Perth Amboy, N. J.							1,134		352		1,486	
Philadelphia, Pa.	6,365		13,428	135,674	19,793	135,674	4,748	271	3,336	124,460	8,084	124,731
Plymouth, Mass.			241		241				332		332	
Portland and Falmouth, Me.	3,104	138	1,316	18,239	4,420	18,377	3,130	284	2,426	14,498	5,556	14,782
Portsmouth, N. H.							1,072				1,072	
Providence, R. I.			844		844		55		844		899	
Saco, Me.							199				199	
St. Johns, Fla.		54				54	54	54	643		643	54
St. Marys, Ga.	505				505							
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	354		681		1,035		1,530		347		1,877	
Savannah, Ga.	1,560	151	4,826	5,008	6,386	5,159	723	77	7,689	6,571	8,412	6,648
Stonington, Conn.			278		278				183		183	
Waldoboro, Me.	866		1,526		2,392		345		1,342		1,687	
Wilmington, N. C.		69	1,014		1,014	69	565		3,289		3,854	
Wiscasset, Me.	373	70	729		1,102	70	32	36	38		70	36
Total Atlantic ports	62,139	107,181	112,538	1,084,235	174,677	1,191,416	56,633	110,093	116,810	1,113,922	173,443	1,224,015
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla.	376		1,696		2,072				2,921		2,921	
Galveston, Tex.	384		380	17,329	764	17,329	461		1,208	35,477	1,669	35,477
Key West, Fla.	2,169	28,660	157	3,250	2,326	31,910	1,216	29,603	76	6,439	1,292	36,042
Mobile, Ala.	1,865	580	11,188	21,345	13,053	21,925	2,761	580	13,449	26,300	16,210	26,880
New Orleans, La.	963	12,518	6,758	81,891	7,721	94,409	161	8,294	4,584	79,043	4,745	87,337
Pearl River, Miss.	1,509				1,509		3,517				3,517	
Pensacola, Fla.	3,097	68	25,671	27,387	28,768	27,455	876	68	37,129	49,301	38,005	49,369
Tampa, Fla.	94		60	6,211	154	6,211	668		60	8,547	728	8,547
Total Gulf ports	10,457	41,826	45,910	157,413	56,367	199,239	9,660	38,545	59,427	205,107	69,087	243,652
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska	918	7,105		4,172	918	11,277		3,314		2,600		5,914
Humboldt, Cal.	383				383		940				940	
Los Angeles, Cal.				3,852		3,852	23	17		3,852	23	3,869
Oregon, Oreg.		1,719	1,743		1,743	1,719		1,816				1,816
Puget Sound, Wash.	8,535	47,104	4,146	12,127	12,681	59,291	6,310	57,184	3,588	15,944	9,898	73,128
San Diego, Cal.	87			6,070	87	6,070	114			6,174	114	6,174
San Francisco, Cal.	12,299	39,203	18,693	30,552	30,992	69,755	10,933	34,510	13,148	26,251	24,081	60,761

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, MAY, 1899—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
PACIFIC PORTS—continued.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Southern Oregon, Ore.	642				642							
Willamette, Ore.		1,870	1,743		1,743	1,870	617		5,862		6,509	
Total Pacific ports.....	22,864	97,001	26,325	56,773	49,189	153,774	18,967	96,841	22,598	54,821	41,565	151,662
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	7,873	12,150	498	1,046	8,371	13,196	10,018	11,299	498	1,602	10,516	12,901
Cape Vincent, N. Y.	219	1,485	424	2,605	643	4,090	185	1,496	384	2,136	569	3,632
Champlain, N. Y.	9,851	605	10		9,861	605	20,978		10		20,988	
Chicago, Ill.	801	29,014			801	29,014	10,350	62,501	1,459	989	11,809	63,490
Cuyahoga, Ohio.	1,497	35,700	3,903	4,979	5,400	40,679	6,604	42,109	3,903	5,256	10,507	47,365
Detroit, Mich.	2,005	13,884	969	10,510	2,974	24,394	2,437	6,942	1,014	9,855	3,451	16,797
Duluth, Minn.	1,332	20,296		13,304	1,332	33,600		12,864		10,510		23,374
Erie, Pa.		4,620		390		5,010				390		390
Genesee, N. Y.	8,029		9,679	19,187	17,708	19,187	11,296		9,679	19,187	20,975	19,187
Huron, Mich.	2,372	5,050	937	3,244	3,309	8,294	1,429	3,748	937	4,200	2,366	7,948
Memphremagog, Vt.				129		129				142		142
Miami, Ohio.	277	638	3,898	2,445	4,175	3,083	2,974	3,565	2,970	3,436	5,944	7,001
Michigan, Mich.	1,404			174	1,404	174				174		174
Milwaukee, Wis.		20,625				20,625		15,419				15,419
Montana and Idaho.				3,200		3,200				3,200		3,200
Niagara, N. Y.	1,580	1,436	271	8,860	1,851	10,296	1,580	1,139	271	8,796	1,851	9,935
Oswegatchie, N. Y.	9,232	7,693	9,805	2,344	19,037	10,037	473	4,543	1,907	2,144	2,390	6,087
Oswego, N. Y.	7,619	19,913	26,324	6,970	33,943	26,883	4,259	3,054	31,763	6,896	36,022	9,950
Sandusky, Ohio.	639	3,368	658	610	1,297	3,978	990	2,469	658	656	1,648	3,125
Superior, Mich.		13,338		70,346		83,684		9,823		71,164		80,987
Vermont, Vt.	667		1,361	52	2,028	52	382		1,107	52	1,489	52
Total northern border and lake ports.....	55,397	189,815	58,737	150,395	114,134	340,210	73,955	180,971	56,560	150,785	130,515	331,756
Grand total, May, 1899.....	150,857	435,823	243,510	1,448,816	394,367	1,884,639	159,215	426,450	255,395	1,524,635	414,610	1,951,085
Eleven months ending May 31—												
1898.....	1,350,923	3,402,740	2,870,964	15,729,014	4,221,887	19,131,754	1,307,666	3,335,214	2,997,880	15,776,946	4,305,546	19,112,160
1899.....	1,279,996	3,410,187	2,517,985	16,396,025	3,797,981	19,806,812	1,371,717	3,521,965	2,425,823	16,401,762	3,797,540	19,923,727
Year ending June 30—												
1895.....	1,606,269	2,866,561	2,883,000	11,939,085	4,489,269	14,805,646	1,542,680	2,961,547	2,881,343	12,364,976	4,424,023	15,326,523
1896.....	1,502,138	3,694,182	2,993,043	12,799,821	4,495,181	16,494,003	1,579,461	3,750,138	2,970,690	13,114,296	4,550,151	16,864,434
1897.....	1,607,749	3,917,579	3,147,563	15,087,359	4,755,312	19,004,938	1,616,929	4,001,213	2,997,410	15,093,643	4,614,339	19,094,856
1898.....	1,501,865	3,738,181	3,109,229	17,230,124	4,611,094	20,968,305	1,458,843	3,652,604	3,281,742	17,355,043	4,740,585	21,007,647

VESSELS CLEARED WITH CARGO IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES, FROM AND TO THE PORTS NAMED, DURING THE MONTH OF MAY AND THE FIVE MONTHS ENDING MAY, 1899.

PORTS.	MAY—						FIVE MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	ALL-GRAIN CARGO. ^a		GENERAL CARGO. ^a		TOTAL.		ALL-GRAIN CARGO.		GENERAL CARGO.		TOTAL.	
	Steam.		Steam.		Steam.		Steam.		Steam.		Steam.	
	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.
BOSTON:												
Antwerp.....			3	7,228	3	7,228			8	18,894	8	18,894
Glasgow.....			2	3,827	2	3,827			11	23,181	11	23,181
Hamburg.....			3	9,291	3	9,291			8	24,015	8	24,015
Liverpool.....			18	81,400	18	81,400			92	395,070	92	395,070
London.....			6	19,785	6	19,785			20	94,805	20	94,805
Total.....			32	121,531	32	121,531			149	555,965	149	555,965
NEW YORK:												
Antwerp.....			9	31,619	9	31,619			43	158,946	43	158,946
Amsterdam.....			1	2,036	1	2,036			5	10,908	5	10,908
Bremen.....			11	54,186	11	54,186			37	157,038	37	157,038
Glasgow.....			6	17,135	6	17,135			25	68,548	25	68,548
Hamburg.....			12	57,702	12	57,702			35	167,915	35	167,915
Havre.....			6	17,286	6	17,286			31	93,452	31	93,452
Liverpool.....			17	76,070	17	76,070			71	325,328	71	325,328
London.....			8	38,100	8	38,100			45	164,658	45	164,658
Rotterdam.....			4	18,082	4	18,082			24	83,860	24	83,860
Total.....			74	315,216	74	315,216			316	1,230,653	316	1,230,653
PHILADELPHIA:												
Antwerp.....			2	4,054	2	4,054			10	23,389	10	23,389
Amsterdam.....									10	21,840	10	21,840
Glasgow.....			3	6,969	3	6,969	1	1,694	11	24,501	12	26,195
Hamburg.....			1	3,264	1	3,264	1	1,931	10	28,592	11	30,523
Liverpool.....			4	10,666	4	10,666			19	54,796	19	54,796
London.....			4	9,664	4	9,664	2	3,459	a 29	63,746	31	67,205
Rotterdam.....	1	1,756	4	8,193	5	9,949	5	8,828	22	45,754	27	51,582
Total.....	1	1,756	18	42,810	19	44,566	9	15,912	111	262,618	120	278,530
BALTIMORE:												
Antwerp.....			3	6,729	3	6,729	1	1,875	11	24,838	12	26,713
Amsterdam.....							1	1,844	2	3,240	3	5,084
Bremen.....			5	13,023	5	13,023			20	56,969	20	56,969
Glasgow.....			2	5,033	2	5,033	1	1,980	16	40,814	17	42,794
Hamburg.....			2	8,999	2	8,999	1	2,116	14	54,910	15	57,026
Havre.....							1	1,691	4	7,805	5	9,496
Liverpool.....			5	21,926	5	21,926			26	111,446	26	111,446
London.....			4	10,266	4	10,266			19	41,446	19	41,446
Rotterdam.....	1	2,274	4	8,059	5	10,333	10	20,973	27	51,757	37	72,730
Total.....	1	2,274	25	74,035	26	76,309	15	30,479	139	393,225	154	423,704
NEWPORT NEWS:												
Antwerp.....			1	1,845	1	1,845			5	11,269	5	11,269
Glasgow.....			1	1,984	1	1,984			4	9,025	4	9,025
Hamburg.....			1	1,888	1	1,888	6	12,208	7	16,232	13	28,440
Liverpool.....			2	7,269	2	7,269	1	2,244	11	34,256	12	36,500
London.....			3	6,127	3	6,127	1	1,820	17	35,481	18	37,301
Rotterdam.....							2	3,541	7	14,379	9	17,920
Total.....			8	19,113	8	19,113	10	19,813	51	120,642	61	140,455
NORFOLK:												
Glasgow.....							2	4,601			2	4,601
Hamburg.....	1	1,734	1	1,648	2	3,382	2	3,664	12	23,786	14	27,450
Liverpool.....							1	2,244	4	16,228	5	18,472
London.....							1	2,593	1	2,472	2	5,065
Rotterdam.....			2	4,584	2	4,584	3	5,046	8	15,132	11	20,178
Total.....	1	1,734	3	6,232	4	7,966	9	18,148	25	57,618	34	75,766

^a Includes one sailing vessel 1,234 tons.

IMMIGRANTS AND ALIEN NONIMMIGRANTS ARRIVED AT THE PORTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA
DURING THE MONTHS OF MARCH AND APRIL, 1899.

[Compiled by Bureau of Immigration, Treasury Department.]

COUNTRIES.	MARCH.					APRIL.				
	Sex.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonim- migrants.	Sex.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonim- migrants.
	Male.	Female.				Male.	Female.			
Austria-Hungary	5,369	2,750	8,119	7,960	159	4,557	2,228	6,785	6,561	224
Belgium	167	27	194	165	29	219	69	288	245	43
Denmark	191	91	282	250	32	586	179	765	727	38
France	226	137	363	143	220	246	150	396	171	225
Germany	1,165	718	1,883	1,288	595	1,790	1,031	2,821	2,134	687
Greece	124	4	128	128	.....	496	36	532	507	25
Italy	7,120	1,481	8,601	8,353	248	8,329	1,471	9,800	9,386	414
Netherlands	203	69	272	185	87	144	132	276	114	162
Norway	702	152	854	829	25	985	266	1,251	1,217	34
Portugal	91	62	153	145	8	381	374	755	721	34
Roumania	45	31	76	71	5	97	85	182	179	3
Prussia (west Finland)	4,823	1,353	6,176	5,960	216	5,718	1,749	7,467	7,135	332
Servia, Bulgaria, and Montenegro	4	.....	4	2	2	1	.....	1	1	.....
Spain	171	20	191	108	83	68	16	84	20	64
Sweden	620	324	944	897	47	1,238	733	1,971	1,911	60
Switzerland	143	140	283	213	70	174	73	247	173	74
Turkey in Europe	8	8	16	11	5	8	1	9	5	4
United Kingdom	2,312	1,199	3,511	1,987	1,524	6,017	3,565	9,582	7,449	2,133
Not specified	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Europe	23,486	8,566	32,052	28,695	3,357	31,054	12,158	43,212	38,656	4,556
China	27	.....	27	26	1	163	.....	163	162	1
Japan	351	27	378	369	9	721	16	737	732	5
India	2	.....	2	.....	2	9	3	12	9	3
Turkey in Asia	95	22	117	100	17	277	109	386	351	35
Other Asia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	3	.....
Total Asia	475	49	524	495	29	1,173	128	1,301	1,257	44
Africa	5	3	8	6	2	5	5	10	.....	10
Australasia	18	10	28	22	6	20	4	24	17	7
Hawaiian Islands	10	2	12	12	.....	12	7	19	19	.....
Philippine Islands	2	1	3	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British North America	225	75	300	105	195	207	75	282	74	208
Other Central America	23	5	28	15	13	44	25	69	2	67
Mexico	15	15	30	12	18	17	11	28	11	17
South America	13	4	17	11	6	9	7	16	4	12
West Indies	284	99	383	326	57	271	105	376	233	143
All other countries	1	1	2	2	.....	3	.....	3	3	.....
Grand total	24,557	8,830	33,387	29,704	3,683	32,815	12,525	45,340	40,276	5,064
1898.										
July .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,774	8,906	20,680	17,114	3,566
August .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,843	9,062	20,905	16,779	4,126
September .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,259	15,026	31,285	25,380	5,905
October .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,918	13,414	29,332	25,459	3,873
November .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,326	11,544	26,870	22,718	4,152
December .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,417	7,967	20,384	17,833	2,551
1899.										
January .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,693	4,155	12,848	10,683	2,165
February .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,789	5,121	16,910	14,478	2,432
March .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,557	8,830	33,387	29,704	3,683
April .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32,815	12,525	45,340	40,276	5,064
Total ten months .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	161,391	96,550	257,941	220,424	37,517

PASSENGER ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

NUMBER, SEX, NATIONALITY, AND DESTINATION OF PASSENGERS, NOT IMMIGRANTS, ARRIVED IN THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1898.

[Arrivals from British North America and Mexico are not included.]

COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Austria-Hungary:					Germany	Costa Rica	3		3
Bohemia	Bohemia	7	4	11		Honduras	2		2
	Germany	1		1		Guatemala	17	8	25
	Japan	1		1		Salvador	3		3
	Total	9	4	13		Cuba	2	1	3
Hungary	Hungary	69	28	97		Curacao	1		1
	Quebec and Ontario	3		3		Haiti	1		1
	Mexico		2	2		Jamaica	1	3	4
	Total	72	30	102		Porto Rico	2		2
Austria, other	Austria	126	51	177		Trinidad	1		1
	Quebec and Ontario	48	47	95		West Indies, n. o. s.	1		1
	Mexico	2	1	3		Brazil	1		1
	Jamaica	1	1	2		Peru	3		3
	Trinidad	2		2		Venezuela	5	6	11
	Curacao	2		2		China	1		1
	Total	181	100	281		India	1	1	2
Belgium	Belgium	75	38	113		Japan	3		3
	Quebec and Ontario	4	1	5		Australia	2		2
	Manitoba	1		1		Hawaiian Islands	7	1	8
	Mexico	3	3	6		Total	1,790	855	2,645
	Cuba	1		1	Gibraltar	Gibraltar	3	1	4
	Haiti		1	1	Greece	Greece	10	1	11
	Salvador	1		1		British Columbia	2		2
	Total	85	43	128		Mexico	5		5
Denmark	Denmark	39	18	57		Cuba	2		2
	Quebec and Ontario	2	1	3		Total	19	1	20
	Manitoba	1	2	3	Italy	Italy	254	122	376
	British Columbia		1	1		France	1		1
	Guatemala	1		1		England	1		1
	China	1		1		Quebec and Ontario	27	12	39
	Total	44	22	66		British Columbia	2		2
France	France	656	438	1,094		Mexico	1		1
	Quebec and Ontario	131	43	174		Guatemala	1		1
	British Columbia	9		9		Cuba	1		1
	Mexico	77	29	106		Curacao	1		1
	Miquelon	9	2	11		Colombia	1		1
	Guatemala	13		13	Netherlands	Netherlands	89	21	110
	Salvador	2		2		Mexico	5		5
	Honduras	2		2		Curacao	2	1	3
	Costa Rica	2		2		Santo Domingo	1		1
	Haiti	9	4	13		Guatemala	3		3
	Martinique	4	3	7		Venezuela	2		2
	Cuba	9	2	11		China	1		1
	Porto Rico	2	1	3		Total	103	22	125
	Venezuela	2	2	4	Norway	Norway	49	8	57
	Japan	3	1	4		Quebec and Ontario	6	1	7
	Australia	1		1		British Columbia	1		1
	New Zealand	1		1		Mexico	10		10
	Hawaiian Islands	10	3	13		Haiti	1	1	2
	South Africa	1		1		China	1		1
	Total	913	528	1,441		Total	68	10	78
Germany	Germany	1,637	813	2,450	Poland	Poland	5	1	6
	Austria	2		2	Portugal	Portugal	69	30	99
	France	11		11	Roumania	Roumania	6		6
	Quebec and Ontario	25	6	31	Russia	Russia	97	47	144
	Manitoba	2		2		Quebec and Ontario	17	14	31
	British Columbia	12	4	16		British Columbia	2	1	3
	Denmark		1	1		Guatemala	1	1	2
	Mexico	44	11	55					

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COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Russia.....	China.....	1	3	4	UNITED KINGDOM—Con.				
	Japan.....	2	1	3	England.....	Brazil.....	1		1
	Total.....	120	67	187		Chile.....	1		1
Finland.....	Finland.....	5	3	8		Granada.....	1		1
	Quebec and Ontario.....	2		2		Venezuela.....	1		1
	Total.....	7	3	10		China.....	30	12	42
Spain.....	Spain.....	206	70	276		India.....	1		1
	France.....	1		1		Japan.....	29	6	35
	Gibraltar.....	6		6		Australia.....	27	21	48
	Quebec and Ontario.....	2		2		New Zealand.....	14	7	21
	British Columbia.....	2	2	4		Hawaiian Islands.....	18	4	22
	Mexico.....	29	7	36		Total.....	5,106	2,674	7,180
	Costa Rica.....	3		3	Scotland.....	Scotland.....	392	262	594
	Guatemala.....	5	1	6		Quebec and Ontario.....	118	33	151
	Nicaragua.....	2	1	3		Manitoba.....	1		1
	Salvador.....	2		2		British Columbia.....	23	6	29
	Bahamas.....	1		1		Mexico.....	10		10
	Cuba.....	12	5	17		Bermuda.....	1	2	3
	Jamaica.....	1	1	2		Honduras.....	1	1	2
	Porto Rico.....	2	1	3		Guatemala.....	3		3
	Santo Domingo.....	1		1		Salvador.....	1		1
	Hawaiian Islands.....	1		1		Jamaica.....	1		1
	Total.....	276	88	364		Cuba.....	2	1	3
Sweden.....	Sweden.....	46	24	70		Trinidad.....	1		1
	Quebec and Ontario.....	13	9	22		Peru.....	1		1
	Mexico.....	1		1		China.....	2		2
	Total.....	60	33	93		Australia.....	3	2	5
Switzerland.....	Switzerland.....	166	195	271		Hawaiian Islands.....	12	6	18
	England.....	1		1		Total.....	572	253	825
	Quebec and Ontario.....	2	1	3	Ireland.....	Ireland.....	205	133	338
	British Columbia.....		1	1		Quebec and Ontario.....	63	23	86
	Mexico.....	7		7		British Columbia.....	2	3	5
	Guatemala.....	8		8		Manitoba.....	1		1
	Total.....	184	107	291		Australia.....	1	4	5
Turkey in Europe.....	Turkey in Europe.....	21	3	24		New Zealand.....	1		1
	Bulgaria.....	1		1		China.....	2	1	3
	Quebec and Ontario.....	2	5	7		Hawaiian Islands.....	1	1	2
	Honduras.....	1		1		Total.....	276	165	441
	Cuba.....	2		2	Wales.....	Wales.....	31	21	52
	Total.....	27	8	35		Quebec and Ontario.....	1	2	3
UNITED KINGDOM:						British Columbia.....	2	1	3
England.....	England.....	3,669	1,700	5,369		Total.....	34	24	58
	Quebec and Ontario.....	531	152	683	Isle of Man.....	Quebec and Ontario.....	1		1
	British Columbia.....	173	46	219		British Columbia.....	2	1	3
	Canada, n. o. s.....	420	69	489		Total.....	3	1	4
	Bermuda.....	40	19	59	Nova Scotia.....	Nova Scotia.....	6	4	10
	Mexico.....	85	18	103	Azores.....	Bermuda.....	6	8	14
	British Honduras.....	1		1	Miquelon.....	Miquelon.....	4	3	7
	Costa Rica.....	2		2	Costa Rica.....	Costa Rica.....	35	17	52
	Honduras.....	5	4	9		Germany.....	1	2	3
	Guatemala.....	5	1	6		France.....	1		1
	Nicaragua.....	4		4		England.....	5		5
	Salvador.....	5	2	7		Australia.....	1		1
	Bahamas.....	9	7	16		Total.....	43	19	62
	Barbados.....	1		1	Honduras.....	Honduras.....	11	1	12
	Cuba.....	10		10	Guatemala.....	Guatemala.....	53	26	79
	Jamaica.....	7	2	9		Belgium.....	1		1
	St. Lucia.....	1		1		France.....	5	3	8
	Santo Domingo.....	2		2		Germany.....	1		1
	Trinidad.....	2		2		England.....	1		1
	Turks Island.....	1		1		Mexico.....	1		1
	West Indies, n. o. s.....	9	4	13		Total.....	62	29	91
	Argentina.....	1		1					

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COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Nicaragua.....	Nicaragua.....	27	13	40	St. Pierre.....	France.....	1		1
Salvador.....	Salvador.....	11	7	18	St. Thomas.....	St. Thomas.....	4	5	9
	France.....	4	1	5	Saba.....	Saba.....	2	2	4
	England.....	1	4	5	Santo Domingo.....	Santo Domingo.....	31	7	38
	Total.....	16	12	28	Jamaica.....	Jamaica.....	1		1
British Honduras.....	British Honduras.....	5	3	8	Syria.....	Syria.....	2		2
	England.....	1		1	Total.....	Total.....	34	7	41
	Total.....	6	3	9	St. Lucia.....	St. Lucia.....	3		3
Bermuda.....	Bermuda.....	146	96	242	St. Martins.....	St. Martins.....	1		1
	Quebec and Ontario.....	2		2	St. Vincent.....	St. Vincent.....	3	2	5
	England.....	3		3	Trinidad.....	Trinidad.....	20	12	32
	Total.....	151	96	247		France.....	1	1	2
Antigua.....	Antigua.....	8	3	11		Germany.....	1		1
Bahamas.....	Bahamas.....	12		12		England.....	6	2	8
Barbados.....	Barbados.....	78	65	143		Barbados.....	1	4	5
	Quebec and Ontario.....	3	3	6		Cuba.....	1		1
	Germany.....	1		1		Total.....	30	19	49
	England.....	6	5	11	British West Indies, n. o. s.	British West Indies.....	37	18	55
	Total.....	88	73	161		Germany.....	1		1
Cuba.....	Cuba.....	125	83	208		England.....	2	1	3
	France.....	3		3		Ontario.....	7	2	9
	Germany.....	3		3		Cuba.....	1		1
	Spain.....	10		10		Total.....	48	21	69
	Mexico.....		1	1	Dutch West Indies, n. o. s.	Canada.....		1	1
	Total.....	141	84	225	French West Indies, n. o. s.	France.....	1	2	3
Curacao.....	Curacao.....	5	3	8	West Indies, n. o. s.	West Indies.....	7	3	10
	Austria.....	1		1	Dominica.....	Dominica.....	1		1
	Denmark.....	1	3	4	Montserrat.....	Montserrat.....	1		1
	Germany.....	6	5	11	Guadeloupe.....	Guadeloupe.....	1	3	4
	Arabia.....	2	1	3	Turks Island.....	Turks Island.....		2	2
	Total.....	15	12	27	Argentina.....	Argentina.....	10	4	14
Haiti.....	Haiti.....	50	17	67		Mexico.....	4	5	9
	France.....	12	3	15		Total.....	14	9	23
	Germany.....	3	1	4	Bolivia.....	Bolivia.....	2		2
	Spain.....	1		1	Norway.....	Norway.....	1		1
	England.....	1		1		Total.....	3		3
	Turkey, n. o. s.....	2		2	Brazil.....	Brazil.....	16	12	28
	Total.....	69	21	90	Chile.....	Chile.....	10	5	15
Jamaica.....	Jamaica.....	52	27	79		England.....	2	3	5
	Germany.....	3	1	4		Total.....	12	8	20
	Italy.....	1		1	Colombia.....	Colombia.....	149	53	202
	England.....	15		15		France.....	37	9	46
	Quebec and Ontario.....	6	1	7		Germany.....	42	12	54
	Colombia.....	1		1		England.....	38	7	45
	Arabia.....		1	1		Spain.....	11	5	16
	China.....	4		4		Quebec and Ontario.....	6	1	7
	Total.....	82	30	112		British Columbia.....	10	7	17
Martinique.....	Martinique.....	1		1		Costa Rica.....		1	1
Porto Rico.....	Porto Rico.....	33	21	54		Total.....	293	95	388
	Denmark.....	1		1	Ecuador.....	Ecuador.....	21	5	26
	Germany.....	1		1		France.....	2	2	4
	Total.....	35	21	56		Total.....	23	7	30
St. Kitts.....	St. Kitts.....	19	13	32	Guianas.....	Guianas.....	6	3	9
	England.....	1		1		Grenada.....	2	1	3
	Mexico.....	1		1		England.....	2		2
	Total.....	21	13	34		Total.....	4	1	5
St. Croix.....	St. Croix.....	3	9	12					
	Denmark.....	1		1					
	Total.....	4	9	13					

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COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Peru.....	Peru.....	17	4	21	India.....	India.....	3	1	4
	France.....		2	2		Quebec and Ontario.....	2	1	3
	Total.....	17	6	23		Total.....	5	2	7
Venezuela.....	Venezuela.....	57	16	73	Japan.....	Japan.....	146	14	160
	Mexico.....	1		1		England.....	5	6	11
	Total.....	58	16	74		Colombia.....	4		4
Arabia.....	Arabia.....	28	3	31		Total.....	155	20	175
	Quebec and Ontario.....		2	2	Australia.....	Australia.....	143	70	213
	Venezuela.....	1		1		France.....	9	4	13
	Total.....	29	5	34		Germany.....	23	7	30
Armenia.....	Armenia.....	3		3		England.....	143	54	202
Syria.....	Syria.....	48	8	56		Quebec and Ontario.....	1	1	2
	Germany.....	1		1		British Columbia.....	117	5	122
	Quebec and Ontario.....	48	25	73		Total.....	441	141	582
	Mexico.....	6		6	New Zealand.....	New Zealand.....	9	2	11
	Salvador.....	1		1		Australia.....	1		1
	Total.....	104	33	137		Total.....	10	2	12
Korea.....	Canada.....	2		2	Hawaiian Islands.....	Hawaiian Islands.....	172	139	311
China.....	China.....	168	8	176		France.....	11	6	17
	France.....	30	8	38		Germany.....	17	4	21
	Germany.....	83	20	103		Portugal.....	8		8
	Russia.....	46	14	60		Norway.....	9		9
	England.....	132	46	178		England.....	78	32	110
	Colombia.....	7		7		British Columbia.....	11	8	19
	Total.....	466	96	562		Total.....	306	189	495
Turkey in Asia.....	Turkey in Asia.....	2		2		Grand total of aliens.....	13,360	5,764	19,064
						Citizens of the United States returning from abroad.....	55,631	37,577	93,208
						Aggregate.....	68,931	43,341	112,272

RECAPITULATION, BY COUNTRIES OF DESTINATION.

ALIEN PASSENGERS, NOT IMMIGRANTS, ARRIVED.

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	Males.	Females.	Total.
AUSTRIA-HUNGARY:				UNITED KINGDOM:			
Bohemia.....	7	4	11	England.....	4,118	1,860	5,978
Hungary.....	69	28	97	Scotland.....	392	202	594
Other Austria (except Poland).....	129	51	180	Ireland.....	205	133	338
Total.....	205	83	288	Wales.....	31	21	52
Belgium.....	76	38	114	Total.....	4,746	2,216	6,962
Bulgaria.....	1		1	Total Europe.....	8,802	4,157	12,959
Denmark.....	42	21	63	Bermuda.....	193	126	319
France.....	786	479	1,265	British Honduras.....	6	3	9
Germany.....	1,825	865	2,690	BRITISH NORTH AMERICA:			
Gibraltar.....	9	1	10	Dominion of Canada—			
Greece.....	10	1	11	Nova Scotia.....	6	4	10
Italy.....	255	122	377	Quebec, Ontario.....	1,073	386	1,459
Netherlands.....	89	21	110	British Columbia.....	370	86	456
Norway.....	59	8	67	Manitoba.....	6	2	8
Poland.....	5	1	6	Canada, n. o. s.....	422	60	482
Portugal.....	77	30	107	Total.....	1,877	538	2,415
Roumania.....	6		6	CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES:			
Russia (except Poland).....	143	61	204	Costa Rica.....	45	18	63
Finland.....	5	3	8	Guatemala.....	110	37	147
Spain.....	228	75	303	Honduras.....	22	6	28
Sweden.....	46	24	70	Nicaragua.....	33	14	47
Switzerland.....	166	105	271	Salvador.....	26	9	35
Turkey in Europe.....	21	3	24				
Turkey, n. o. s.....	2		2				

RECAPITULATION, BY COUNTRIES OF DESTINATION—Continued.

ALIEN PASSENGERS, NOT IMMIGRANTS, ARRIVED—Continued.

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF DESTINATION.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Mexico	292	77	369	Ecuador	21	5	26
Miquelon	13	5	18	Guianas, n. o. s.	6	3	9
WEST INDIES:				Peru	21	4	25
Antigua	8	3	11	Venezuela	68	24	92
Bahamas	22	7	29	Total South America	320	110	430
Barbados	80	60	149	Assyria	2	1	3
British West, n. o. s.	37	18	55	Arabia	30	5	35
Cuba	168	92	260	Armenia	3	—	3
Curaçao	11	4	15	China	211	24	235
Haiti	62	23	85	India	5	2	7
Jamaica	64	34	98	Japan	184	22	206
Martinique	5	3	8	Syria	50	8	58
Porto Rico	39	23	62	Turkey in Asia	2	—	2
Santo Domingo	35	7	42	Total Asia	487	62	549
St. Croix	3	9	12	Australia	179	97	276
St. Kitts	19	13	32	Hawaiian Islands	221	154	375
St. Thomas	4	5	9	New Zealand	25	9	34
Trinidad	26	12	38	Total Oceanica	425	260	685
All other West Indies	31	17	51	Egypt	15	—	15
Total West Indies	617	339	956	Liberia	1	1	2
Total North America	3,234	1,172	4,406	South Africa	7	1	8
Argentina	11	4	15	Africa, n. o. s.	9	1	10
Bolivia	2	—	2	Total Africa	32	3	35
Brazil	18	12	30	Total alien passengers not immigrants	13,300	5,764	19,064
Chile	11	5	16				
Colombia	162	53	215				

COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.	COUNTRY OF LAST PERMANENT RESIDENCE.	Country of destination.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Egypt	Egypt	15	—	15	Africa, n. o. s.	Africa, n. o. s.	9	1	10
	Haiti	1	—	1	Total aliens not intending to remain in the United States		13,300	5,764	19,064
	Total	16	—	16	Citizens of the United States returning from abroad		55,631	37,577	93,208
Liberia	Liberia	1	1	2	Total passengers not immigrants		68,931	43,341	112,272
Assyria	Assyria	2	1	3					
Africa, South	Africa, South	6	1	7					

RECAPITULATION, BY PORTS.
PASSENGERS, NOT IMMIGRANTS, ARRIVED.

PORTS.	ALIENS.			UNITED STATES CITIZENS.			TOTAL PASSENGERS.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Baltimore	52	36	88	576	365	941	628	401	1,029
Boston	168	96	264	3,465	1,326	4,791	3,633	1,422	5,055
Newport News	4	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	4
New York	10,360	4,700	15,060	43,886	32,584	76,470	54,246	37,284	91,530
Philadelphia	204	126	330	1,410	797	2,207	1,614	923	2,537
Portland, Me.	484	118	602	331	5	336	815	123	938
St. Johns	3	3	6	10	2	12	13	5	18
Galveston	13	8	21	48	38	86	61	46	107
Key West	85	10	95	1,148	716	1,864	1,233	726	1,959
Mobile	7	—	7	—	—	—	7	—	7
New Orleans	572	172	744	1,168	224	1,392	1,740	396	2,136
Pearl River	2	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	2
Tampa	1	—	1	31	11	42	32	11	43
Puget Sound	34	13	47	654	47	701	688	60	748
San Francisco	1,311	482	1,793	2,233	1,228	3,461	3,544	1,710	5,254
Duduth	—	—	—	671	234	905	671	234	905
Total	13,300	5,764	19,064	55,631	37,577	93,208	68,931	43,341	112,272

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

TABLE I.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.					COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Bullion value of a United States silver dollar at average price of silver exchange at par.	Commer- cial ratio of silver to gold.		Middle weights.			
		With exchange at per (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.				Oak.	Union.	Hemlock nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.						Per pound.			
1898.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
July 2	27½	.59461	.59351	.46320	34.51	6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½
July 9	27½	.59461	.59381			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½
July 16	27½	.59872	.59794			6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22½	97
July 23	27½	.61165	.60960			6	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
July 30	27½	.59735	.59153			6	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	98 @ 99
August 6	27½	.59735	.59593	.46590	34.31	6	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	102
August 13	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	103
August 20	27½	.60009	.59836			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	104
August 27	27½	.60831	.60656			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	
September 3	27½	.60831	.60625			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
September 10	27½	.61242	.60971	.47531	33.62	6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	100 @ 102
September 17	28½	.61653	.61317			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
September 24	28½	.61790	.61453			6½	32 @ 32	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
October 1	28½	.61790	.61485			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
October 8	28½	.61516	.61212			6½	32 @ 32½	29	21 @ 22	92 @ 93
October 15	27½	.60694	.60394	.49305	33.79	6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	89 @ 88
October 22	27½	.61231	.61055			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	86
October 29	28½	.61790	.61676			5½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 5	28½	.61653	.61539			6	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 12	28½	.61516	.61370			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	93
November 19	27½	.61231	.61097	.47359	33.75	6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	
November 26	27½	.60557	.60351			6½	31 @ 32	28	21 @ 22	95
December 3	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 10	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 17	27½	.60146	.59911			6½		27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 24	27½	.60009	.59744	.46519	34.37	7	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
December 31	27½	.59872	.59607			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	95 @ 98
1899.										
January 7	27½	.59872	.59607	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
January 14	27½	.60283	.60047			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94
January 21	27½	.60420	.60184			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
January 28	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
February 4	27½	.60009	.59836			6½		28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94 @ 100
February 11	27½	.60283	.60171	.46514	34.37	6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	101
February 18	27½	.60283	.60233			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
February 25	27½	.60009	.59990			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	98
March 4	27½	.60146	.60004			6½	32 @ 34	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	
March 11	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
March 18	27½	.60420	.60234	.46584	34.32	6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	103 @ 104
March 25	27½	.60283	.60140			6½	33 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
April 1	27½	.60420	.60127			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	103
April 8	27½	.60420	.60096			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 15	27½	.60420	.60158			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
April 22	27½	.60283	.60322	.46892	34.09	6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 29	28½	.63023	.63133			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	100
May 6	28	.61379	.61454			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	100
May 13	28	.61379	.61423			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	100
May 20	28	.61379	.61655			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	99
May 27	28½	.61516	.61655	.47725	33.50	6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	99
June 3	27½	.61165	.61274			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	
June 10	27½	.61165	.61274			6½	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	96
June 17	27½	.60831	.60908			5½	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	95
June 24	27½	.60150	.61168			6	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	94

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE II.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-son.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
July 4.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	10	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
July 11.....	5½	6	6	7½	8	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
July 18.....	5½	6	6	6 7	6 7	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
July 25.....	5½	6	6	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 2
August 1.....	5½	5½	5	7½	7 @ 7½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 8.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 15.....	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½ @ 7½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 22.....	6	(b)	5½	7½ @ 7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
August 29.....	5½	(b)	5	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 5.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 12.....	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 19.....	5½	5½	5	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
September 26.....	5½	5	5	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	¾ @ 1½
October 10.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 17.....	5½	5	5	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 24.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 31.....	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 7.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 14.....	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 21.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 28.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 5.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	6 @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 12.....	5½	4½	4½	6	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 19.....	5½	4½	4½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 26.....	5½	5	5½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2½
1899.							
January 2.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	5½ @ 6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 9.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 16.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 23.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
January 30.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 6.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 13.....	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 20.....	5½	5½	5½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 27.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 6.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 13.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 20.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 27.....	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 3.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 10.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 17.....	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 24.....	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 1.....	5½	5½	5½	7½ @ 7½	7½ @ 8	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 8.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 15.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 22.....	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 30.....				7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
June 5.....				7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 12.....				8	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
June 19.....				8½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
June 26.....				8½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE III.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.				COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.		
	Pig—			Bars.	Bars.	Billets. (b)	Rails. (d)	Furnace.	Crude Pennsylv- ania (per bar- rel, 42 gallons). (b)	Refined. (c)		
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	Southern No. 2, foundry. (c)							In bar- rels.	In cases.	
				Per ton. (f)			Per pound.	Per 100 lbs.				Per ton. (f)		Per ton.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	
July 6.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.00 @ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.75	18.00	1.75	92	6.15	6.80	
July 13.....	10.30 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.15	7.00	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.75	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.60	94	6.25	6.90	
July 20.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.50	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	93	6.30	6.95	
July 27.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.50 @ 14.75	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	96	6.30	6.95	
August 3.....	10.25 @ 10.35	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.75	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	96	6.40	7.05	
August 10.....	10.25 @ 10.35	9.00 @ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95 @ 1.00	14.50 @ 15.00	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	93	6.40	7.05	
August 17.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.15 @ 9.25	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.25	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	97	6.40	7.05	
August 24.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.25 @ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.00	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15	
August 31.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.25 @ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.25 @ 16.50	17.50 @ 18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15	
September 7.....	16.50 @ 10.65	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97 @ 1.00	16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15	
September 14.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.25 @ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00 @ 16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	100	6.50	7.15	
September 21.....	10.50 @ 10.65	9.25 @ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00 @ 16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	102	6.65	7.30	
September 28.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00 @ 16.25	18.00	1.50 @ 1.75	106	6.85	7.50	
October 5.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.35 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	107	6.85	7.50
October 12.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.25 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	110	7.10	7.85
October 19.....	10.40 @ 10.50	9.40 @ 9.50	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	16.00	18.00	.....	115	7.20	8.05
October 26.....	10.35 @ 10.50	9.25 @ 9.40	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	15.75	18.00	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 2.....	10.25 @ 10.40	9.25 @ 9.35	7.50 @ 7.75	1.10	1.00 @ 1.05	15.50	18.00	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 9.....	10.10 @ 10.25	.....	7.50 @ 7.75	.....	.....	15.00 @ 15.25	.....	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 16.....	10.10 @ 10.25	.....	7.50 @ 7.75	1.20	1.00	17.25 @ 17.50	.....	.....	118	7.40	8.15
November 23.....	10.00 @ 10.25	.....	7.75	1.00 @ 1.05	1.00	15.00	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
November 30.....	10.00 @ 10.25	.....	7.75	1.00 @ 1.05	1.00	15.25	18.00	.....	115	7.30	8.05
December 7.....	10.65	.....	.....	1.00	1.00	15.75 @ 16.00	18.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
December 14.....	10.75	.....	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00 @ 16.25	17.00 @ 18.00	.....	117	7.40	8.15
December 21.....	10.75 @ 11.00	.....	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00 @ 16.25	17.00 @ 18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
December 28.....	10.85 @ 11.00	.....	8.00	1.00	1.00	16.25 @ 16.50	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
1899.												
January 4.....	10.85 @ 11.00	.....	8.00	1.05	1.07½	16.50 @ 16.75	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
January 11.....	10.85 @ 11.00	.....	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	119	7.50	8.25
January 18.....	11.00	.....	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	116	7.40	8.15
January 25.....	11.00	.....	8.50	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	.....	116	7.40	8.15
February 1.....	11.15	8.50 @ 9.00	1.07½	1.07½	1.07½	17.25	18.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 8.....	11.50 @ 11.65	9.00 @ 9.25	1.10	1.10	1.10	18.00	18.00 @ 19.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 15.....	11.50 @ 11.65	9.00 @ 9.25	1.10	1.10	1.10	18.00	20.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
February 22.....	12.65	9.50 @ 10.00	1.10	1.10	1.10	20.50 @ 21.00	20.00	.....	115	7.40	8.15
March 1.....	13.15 @ 13.40	9.75 @ 10.25	1.40	1.25	1.25	21.00 @ 22.00	21.00 @ 22.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 8.....	13.50 @ 14.00	10.00 @ 10.50	1.50	1.35 @ 1.40	1.35 @ 1.40	23.50 @ 24.50	22.00 @ 24.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 15.....	15.50	11.00 @ 11.25	1.65 @ 1.75	1.45 @ 1.50	1.45 @ 1.50	25.00 @ 26.00	23.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 22.....	15.65	11.00 @ 11.50	1.65 @ 1.75	1.60	1.60	25.00 @ 26.00	24.00	.....	113	7.35	8.10
March 29.....	15.50	11.50	1.65 @ 1.75	1.75	1.75	25.00 @ 26.00	24.00	.....	113	7.25	8.00
April 5.....	15.50	11.50	1.60 @ 1.75	1.75	1.75	25.00 @ 26.00	24.00	.....	113	7.25	8.00
April 12.....	15.15 @ 15.50	11.50	1.60 @ 1.75	1.75	1.75	25.00 @ 26.00	25.00	.....	113	7.80	8.05
April 19.....	15.15 @ 15.50	11.50 @ 12.00	1.60 @ 1.75	1.75	1.75	26.00	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
April 26.....	15.15 @ 15.25	11.50 @ 12.00	1.60 @ 1.75	1.75	1.75	26.50	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
May 3.....	15.15 @ 15.50	11.50 @ 12.00	1.75	1.65 @ 1.75	1.65 @ 1.75	26.50	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
May 10.....	15.00 @ 15.65	11.50 @ 12.00	1.75	1.65 @ 1.75	1.65 @ 1.75	26.50 @ 27.00	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
May 17.....	16.00	11.50 @ 12.00	1.75 @ 1.80	1.75 @ 2.00	1.75 @ 2.00	27.00	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
May 24.....	17.65	12.00 @ 12.50	2.00	1.80 @ 2.00	1.80 @ 2.00	28.00	26.00	.....	113	6.95	7.70
May 31.....	18.15	12.00 @ 12.50	1.80 @ 1.90	2.00 @ 2.25	2.00 @ 2.25	30.00	26.00	.....	113	7.20	7.95
June 7.....	18.65	12.75	1.80 @ 2.00	2.00 @ 2.25	2.00 @ 2.25	29.00 @ 30.00	26.00	.....	113	7.20	8.20
June 14.....	18.65	13.00 @ 13.50	1.80 @ 2.00	2.25	2.25	30.00 @ 31.00	.....	.....	113	7.20	8.20
June 21.....	18.65	14.00	2.00	2.00 @ 2.25	2.00 @ 2.25	31.00 @ 31.50	2.15 @ 2.25	.....	113	7.20	8.20
June 28.....	20.75	14.00	2.00	2.00 @ 2.25	2.00 @ 2.25	32.00 @ 33.50	.....	.....	113	7.20	8.20

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburgh, for cash.

c At Birmingham, Ala.

d Eastern mills f. o. b.

e Prices at New York.

f Long ton.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IV.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleo- stea- rine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89° polariza- tion.	Centrif- gals, 96° polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.				Per pound.		
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	L.	II.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.			
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cts.	Cts.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
July 7	89	90	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.70	5.75	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.09
July 14	85½	86	36	36	27	27	5.87½	5.87½	4½	4½	3½	3½	12.25	10.50	11.00	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 21	83	83	37	37½	27	27½	5.85	5.85	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
July 28	72	75½	37½	38½	27½	28	5.55	5.55	5	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 4	72	73½	36½	36½	27½	28	5.50	5.50	4½	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 11	76	77	36½	37½	29	29	5.70	5.70	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.09
August 19	76	77	35½	36½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
August 25	73	73	35½	35½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.31	5.08
September 1	70	70	35	35½	26	26	5.37½	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.37	5.15
September 8	67½	67½	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.35	5.35	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.37	5.21
September 15	69½	72½	34	34½	25	25	5.15	5.17½	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21
September 22	72½	75	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.10	5.10	5	5	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.21
September 29	72½	74½	34½	34½	26	26	5.10	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
October 6	70½	70½	34½	34½	26½	26½	5.15	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	8.75	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.22	4.71
October 13	70½	72½	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.22½	5.22½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.13	4.72
October 20	75½	77½	38½	38½	29	29	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.25	4.72
October 27	74½	75½	38	38½	29	29½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	4.78
November 3	73	74½	38	38½	29½	29½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
November 10	72	73½	37½	38	29	29½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
November 17	73½	74½	38	38½	30	30	5.12½	5.12½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
November 24	74½	77½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.96
December 1	72½	75½	39	39½	32	32	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.44	4.96
December 8	71½	74½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
December 15	74½	77½	39½	40½	31½	32	5.40	5.40	5	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.84
December 22	75	77½	41½	42½	32½	33	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
December 29	77	79½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
1899.																			
January 5	78	78½	41½	42½	33	33	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 12	78½	78½	42½	42½	33½	33½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4	4	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 19	78	78½	42	42½	34	34	5.87½	5.87½	5½	6	4	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	3.25	4.72
January 26	81½	81½	43½	45½	35	35	5.95	6.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	4.25	4.72
February 2	79½	81	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.90	5.90	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.84
February 9	80½	82½	43½	43½	34½	34½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 16	82½	84½	43½	43½	35½	35½	5.70	5.70	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 23	83	84½	44½	45	35½	35½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 2	82	84½	44½	44½	34½	35	5.62½	5.62½	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 9	80	82½	43½	43½	33½	33½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.41	4.84
March 16	79	80½	41½	43	32	32	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 23	79½	81½	42½	43	33	33	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	11.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 30	81½	84½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	3.87	4.31	4.84
April 6	78½	79½	41½	41½	33	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.84
April 13	79	84	42½	42½	33	33	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.06	4.56	4.96
April 20	80½	83½	43½	44½	33	33	5.50	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96
April 27	77½	79½	43½	44½	32½	32½	5.45	5.50	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96
May 4	78	80½	42½	42½	32	32½	5.35	5.35	5½	5½	4	4½	5.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.25	4.75	5.08
May 11	78½	81½	40½	42	31	31	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.13	4.63	5.08
May 18	78½	82½	40	40	31½	31½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
May 25	80½	82½	39½	39½	31½	31½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
June 1	81½	81½	39½	39½	31½	31½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
June 8	80	81	39½	40½	30½	30½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.69	5.21
June 15	81½	83½	40½	41½	31	31	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.69	5.21
June 22							5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.21
June 29	79	80½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.00	4.50	5.21

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE V.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)					
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Territorial fine medium (scored basis). (b)		
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton, re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1-2 blood.		Kentucky and Indiana, 2-4 blood.	Good staple.	Ordinary staple.
Per pound.												
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	
July 1	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.10@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.00 @4.05	2.10@2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44	
July 8	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.10@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44	
July 15	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44	
July 22	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44	
July 29	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28	29 1/2	22 1/2	48	44	
August 5	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	29 1/2	22 1/2	48	44	
August 12	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	46	
August 19	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
August 26	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.70 @3.75	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
September 2	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
September 9	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
September 16	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.10@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
September 23	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
September 30	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.20 @4.25	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
October 7	5	5 1/2	3.15@4.00	3.75 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
October 14	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	49	46	
October 21	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	45	
October 28	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	28 1/2	30	22 1/2	48	45	
November 4	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2	
November 11	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2	
November 18	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2	
November 25	4 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27 1/2	29 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	43 1/2	
December 2	5	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27 1/2	28 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
December 9	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.62 1/2 @3.67 1/2	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27 1/2	28 1/2	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
December 16	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.62 1/2 @3.67 1/2	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	27	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
December 23	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.62 1/2 @3.67 1/2	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
December 30	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90@3.95	3.62 1/2 @3.67 1/2	4.10 @4.15	2.10 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
1899.												
January 6	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.95@4.15	3.67 1/2 @3.75	4.15 @4.25	2.15 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
January 13	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.95@4.15	3.67 1/2 @3.75	4.15 @4.25	2.15 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
January 20	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.95@4.15	3.67 1/2 @3.75	4.15 @4.25	2.15 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
January 27	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.95@4.15	3.67 1/2 @3.75	4.15 @4.25	2.15 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
February 3	5 1/2	6 1/4	3.95@4.15	3.67 1/2 @3.75	4.15 @4.25	2.15 @2.25	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
February 10	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30 @4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
February 17	6	6 1/4	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30 @4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
February 24	6	6 1/4	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30 @4.40	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
March 3	6	6 1/4	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55 @4.65	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	
March 10	6	6 1/4	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55 @4.65	Nominal.	26 1/2	29	21 1/2	45	41	
March 17	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55 @4.65	Nominal.	26	28	21 1/2	45	41	
March 24	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55 @4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	43	40	
March 31	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55 @4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40	
April 7	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.15@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65 @4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40	
April 14	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.15@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65 @4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40	
April 21	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.15@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65 @4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21 1/2	42	40	
April 28	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.15@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65 @4.85	Nominal.	26	28	21 1/2	43	41	
May 5	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	26	28	21 1/2	44	42	
May 12	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	28	22	45	42 1/2	
May 19	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42 1/2	
May 26	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42 1/2	
June 2	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42 1/2	
June 9	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.80@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	29	22	47	44	
June 16	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.10@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	29	22	49	45	
June 23	5 1/2	6 1/4	4.10@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70 @4.90	None.	27	29	22	50	46	
June 30												

a Prices at New York.

b Territorial wools embrace Dakota, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Kansas, and Nebraska.

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TABLE VI.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.				
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel 1C 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.	
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.					
1898.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.	
July 1	6.57½	11.77½	15.37½	3.98	5.00	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½	
July 8	6.57½	11.75	15.70	4.02½	4.85	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½	
July 15	6.55	11.82½	15.65	4.00	4.62½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81 @ 4.84½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½	
July 22	6.70	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.52½	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
July 29	6.60	11.50	15.62½	3.95	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 5	6.62½	11.50	15.80	3.93½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 12	6.87½	11.75	16.22½	4.02½	4.55	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 19	6.92½	12.00	16.25	4.07½	4.62½	3.85	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 26	6.80	12.20	16.10	4.10	4.75	3.95	4.81 @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½	
September 2	7.09	12.30	15.95	4.07½	4.77½	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½	
September 9	6.90	12.32½	16.12½	4.01½	4.80	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.23½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½	
September 16	6.95	12.32½	16.12½	4.02½	4.82½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
September 23	6.95	12.30	16.15	3.99	4.85½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
September 30	7.05	12.30	16.15	3.93½	4.86½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
October 7	7.20	12.32½	16.47½	3.90	4.87½	3.95	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
October 14	7.12½	12.37½	17.00	3.87½	4.95	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
October 21	7.05	12.50	17.75	3.78½	5.00	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
October 28	7.10	12.50	17.95	3.65	5.17½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
November 4	7.10	12.62½	18.25	3.71	5.20	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½	
November 11	7.15	12.82½	18.27½	3.72½	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
November 18	7.25	12.92½	17.92½	3.71	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
November 25	7.15	12.87½	17.95	3.67½	5.22½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 40	
December 2	7.15	12.87½	18.25	3.66½	5.32½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 9	7.20	12.75	18.05	3.60	5.30	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 16	7.30	12.82½	17.95	3.72½	5.30	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 23	7.50	12.92½	18.22½	3.80	5.25	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½	
December 30	7.75	13.00	18.72½	3.87½	5.12½	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
1899.											
January 6	7.87½	13.37½	20.45	3.97½	5.17½	d 2.92½	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 39½	
January 13	8.00	13.87½	21.95	4.07½	5.27½	3.07½	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.22½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40	
January 20	8.25	14.62½	22.30	4.22½	5.37½	3.05	4.82½ @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
January 27	8.50	15.87½	24.25	4.35	5.60	3.20	4.82½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
February 3	8.50	17.10	24.75	4.60	5.80	3.25	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
February 10	8.50	17.95	24.00	4.50	6.05	3.30	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.81 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40 @ 40½	
February 17	8.75	18.10	23.80	4.52½	6.25	3.37½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
February 24	9.25	17.87½	24.57½	4.40	6.55	3.50	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½	
March 3	9.75	17.75	24.15	4.30	6.37½	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
March 10	9.87½	17.70	23.67½	4.32½	6.30	3.87½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 17	10.37½	17.60	23.85	4.46	6.35	4.02½	4.81 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 24	10.75	17.00	23.72½	4.45	6.37½	4.02½	4.81 @ 4.84½	4.82 @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 31	10.75	17.60	21.00	4.37½	6.37½	3.92½	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
April 7	10.50	18.00	24.50	4.35	6.52½	3.91	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
April 14	10.45	18.37½	25.00	4.32½	6.60	3.92½	4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40	
April 21	10.65	18.67½	25.00	4.32½	6.70	3.95	4.85 @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
April 28	10.87½	19.20	25.60	4.31½	6.87½	3.95	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.84 @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½	
May 5	10.87½	19.12½	25.82½	4.42½	6.87½	3.97½	4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
May 12	11.12½	19.00	25.42½	4.45	6.87½	4.00	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½	
May 19	11.37½	19.00	25.70	4.47½	6.87½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½	
May 27	11.62½	18.50	25.62½	4.47½	6.87½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 2	11.87½	18.50	25.65	4.47½	6.75	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 9	12.85	18.50	25.60	4.47½	6.60	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 16	13.50	18.57½	25.62½	4.48½	6.37½	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.84½ @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 23	13.50	18.25	25.80	4.47½	6.25	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½	
June 30											

a Average prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

d American f. o. b., mill, after December 30, 1898.

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RECEIPTS AND PRICES OF CATTLE AND HIDES AT CHICAGO.

TABLE VII.

[Furnished by the editor of the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review.]

SATURDAY.	CATTLE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.		TOP PRICE PER 100 POUNDS FOR CATTLE ON THE HOOF FOR EACH WEEK.			HIDES.														
	Receipts.	Slaughter.	Native steers.	Texas steers.	Cows.	No. 1 packers' native steers.	No. 1 packers' Texas steers.		No. 1 packers' Colorado steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy butt-branded steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy native cows.	No. 1 packers' light native cows.	No. 1 packers' branded cows.	Packers' native bulls.	No. 1 country buffs.	No. 1 extreme light hides.	No. 1 country native steers.	No. 1 country heavy cows.	No. 1 country calf-skins.	No. 1 kips.
							Heavy.	Light.												
1898.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
July 2	50,182	32,717	5.35	4.60	4.10	12½	11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 9	36,488	22,568	5.35	4.65	4.05	12½	11½	11½	10	10½	11	11½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 16	50,633	34,048	5.50	4.80	4.25	12½	11½	11½	9½	10½	11	11½	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 23	53,336	37,760	5.40	5.00	4.35	12	11½	11	9½	10½	11	11	10½	10	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
July 30	49,980	32,836	5.65	4.85	4.25	12	11½	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 6	42,157	26,232	5.60	4.55	4.20	12	11	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 13	45,266	29,637	5.65	4.50	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
August 20	50,471	33,166	5.75	4.05	4.75	12	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	11½	10	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11
August 27	58,816	36,819	5.70	4.20	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 3	56,851	35,389	4.65	3.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10½	12	11
September 10	53,733	32,340	5.70	3.75	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10½	10	12	11
September 17	46,719	29,881	5.70	3.90	4.25	12	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	11
September 24	56,177	36,550	5.85	3.90	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 1	56,145	34,254	5.85	3.90	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 8	54,256	34,253	5.85	3.87½	3.90	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 15	44,442	28,229	5.80	4.00	4.30	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10½	12	11½
October 22	54,017	36,308	5.90	4.25	4.15	11½	11½	10½	9½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12	11½
October 29	58,187	38,382	5.85	3.80	4.35	11½	10½	10½	8½	10	11½	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 5	40,946	28,208	5.90	3.90	4.00	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11
November 12	46,362	32,232	5.70	3.85	3.85	11	10½	10	8½	9½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12	11½
November 19	43,164	14,808	5.75	4.10	4.15	11½	10½	10	8½	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	10½	12½	11½
November 26	38,947	26,554	5.80	4.35	4.00	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 3	52,273	38,475	5.90	4.40	4.60	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 10	54,660	38,253	5.50	4.60	4.15	11½	10½	10	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 17	38,408	27,487	6.10	4.70	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11½
December 24	32,592	23,235	5.95	5.00	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10½	9½	12½	11
December 31	35,806	21,873	5.95	4.80	4.00	11½	10½	10½	9	10	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
1899.																				
January 7	33,017	23,098	5.95	5.20	4.35	11½	10½	10½	9½	10	11	11	9½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	11
January 14	42,527	31,284	6.00	5.25	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 21	44,977	33,489	6.10	5.25	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	9½	9½	10	10½	10	10	12½	11
January 28	52,666	37,027	6.30	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	9½	10	10½	10	9½	13	12
February 4	43,824	28,155	6.25	5.10	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	9½	10	9½	10½	10	9½	13	11
February 11	48,892	27,666	6.15	4.70	4.50	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11	10	10	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10½
February 18	47,400	22,646	6.10	4.95	4.25	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	11	11½	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
February 25	44,815	29,658	5.85	4.95	4.50	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 4	44,835	25,693	5.70	4.90	4.40	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	10	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 11	44,411	28,767	5.90	5.00	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 18	44,516	26,650	5.80	4.80	4.25	11½	10½	10½	9½	10½	10½	11	9½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10½
March 25	52,323	32,978	5.75	6.00	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	9½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10
April 1	40,690	27,935	5.80	4.85	4.35	11½	11	10½	9½	10½	10½	10½	10	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 8	44,004	23,765	5.75	5.35	4.50	11½	11½	11	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10	9½	12	10½
April 15	44,661	27,661	5.75	4.85	4.50	11½	11½	11½	10½	10½	10½	11	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
April 22	43,107	27,195	5.85	4.87½	4.50	12	11½	11½	10½	11	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
April 29	43,426	27,552	5.60	5.10	4.50	12	12	11½	11	11½	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	11½	10½
May 6	51,115	32,799	5.50	4.90	4.80	12	12	11½	11	10½	10½	11½	10½	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12½	10
May 13	46,578	29,004	5.50	5.00	4.50	12½	12½	11½	11½	11½	11	11½	10½	9½	9½	10½	10	9½	12½	10½
May 20	45,906	27,825	5.50	4.85	4.50	12½	12½	12½	11½	11½	11	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	10½
May 27	53,052	38,875	5.65	5.00	4.70	12½	12½	12	11½	11½	11	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10	9½	12	16
June 3	51,941	34,736	5.75	3.92½	4.75	12½	12½	12	11½	11½	11	11½	9½	8½	9½	10	10½	9½	12	10½
June 10	43,681	27,467	5.60	5.05	4.50	12½	12½	12	11	11½	10½	11½	11	9½	9½	10	10½	9½	12	10
June 17	40,603	26,178	5.55	4.45	4.45	12½	12½	12	11	11½	11	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	9½	11½	9½
June 24	51,832	34,654	5.55	5.05	4.79	12	12½	12	10½	11½	11	11	10½	9½	9½	9½	10½	9½	12	10

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE VIII.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.			COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			New fine Para.
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of exchange at New York.		Oak.	Union.	Hemlock, nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.			Per pound.				
1894.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	31½	.69599	.69506	18½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	69 @ 70
February 3.....	30½	.66722	.66736	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66½
March 3.....	27	.59187	.59381	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66
April 7.....	28½	.61700	.62025	17½	32 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	66 @ 67
May 3.....	29	.63571	.63845	16½	31 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	65 @ 66
June 2.....	28½	.62473	.62744	15½	31 @ 33	22 @ 23	17½ @ 18	65
July 7.....	28½	.62886	.63065	16½	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	66½ @ 67½
August 4.....	28½	.61653	.63400	16½	28 @ 30	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	65 @ 67
September 1.....	30½	.66291	.66257	16½	28 @ 30	23 @ 24	16 @ 16½	67 @ 69
October 6.....	29½	.64256	.64269	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 26	16 @ 16½	68 @ 71
November 3.....	29½	.64119	.64264	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 25	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
December 1.....	28½	.62475	.62617	15½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
1895.								
January 5.....	27½	.60146	.60405	16	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	73 @ 75
February 2.....	27½	.60283	.60512	16½		25 @ 26		74 @ 76
March 2.....	27½	.60556	.60849	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	70 @ 70½
April 6.....	29½	.65626	.66010	16½	28 @ 30	27½ @ 28	16½ @ 17	72 @ 73
May 4.....	30½	.67133	.67457	16	32	32 @ 33	20	71 @ 72½
June 1.....	30½	.67270	.67526	16	36 @ 37	34 @ 35	21½ @ 22	74 @ 75
July 6.....	30½	.67133	.67571	15½	38 @ 40	37	23	72½ @ 74
August 3.....	30½	.66448	.66974	16½	38 @ 40	37	23	70 @ 72
September 7.....	30½	.66722	.67182	15½	38 @ 40	37	24	73 @ 74
October 5.....	30½	.67270	.67422	16½	35 @ 37	36	24	75 @ 77
November 2.....	30½	.67818	.68110	15½	35	32	24	80
December 7.....	30½	.66996	.67320	14½	32	28 @ 30	23	74 @ 77
1896.								
January 4.....	30½	.66859	.67216	14½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	20 @ 21	77
February 1.....	30½	.67407	.67663	15½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	72
March 7.....	31½	.70010	.70204	13½	29 @ 30	26	18 @ 19	74
April 4.....	31½	.68229	.68559	13½	29 @ 30	28	18 @ 19	74
May 2.....	31½	.68092	.68386	13½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	17 @ 18	81
June 6.....	31½	.68778	.69039	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	84 @ 88
July 3.....	31½	.68778	.68968	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	80 @ 85
August 1.....	31½	.68778	.69109	11½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	18 @ 19	83 @ 87
September 5.....	30½	.67133	.66802	10½	28 @ 29	24 @ 25	18 @ 18½	78 @ 83
October 3.....	30½	.68620	.66257	10½	28 @ 29	25	18 @ 18½	81 @ 84
November 7.....	30	.65763	.65641	10½	29 @ 30	30	20 @ 21	81 @ 83
December 5.....	29½	.65489	.65502	9½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	82½ @ 83
1897.								
January 2.....	29½	.65352	.65298	10½	31 @ 32	28 @ 30	19 @ 20	80
February 2.....	29½	.65215	.65196	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	19 @ 20	80 @ 81
March 6.....	29½	.64256	.64323	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	80½ @ 81
April 3.....	28½	.62201	.62278	7½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	81 @ 82
May 1.....	28½	.61790	.61898	7½	29 @ 31	27 @ 28	20 @ 22	84
June 5.....	27½	.60420	.60463	7½	28	26 @ 27	19 @ 21	83
July 3.....	27½	.60420	.60463	7½	28 @ 30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	83
August 7.....	26	.56995	.56948	7½	30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	84
September 4.....	24½	.53980	.53396	6½	31	29 @ 30	23 @ 21	87
October 2.....	26½	.57543	.57318	7½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 22	86
November 6.....	26½	.58091	.57983	6½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 21	84½
December 4.....	27½	.60420	.60308	6½	32 @ 34	30	20 @ 21	83 @ 84
1898.								
January 8.....	26½	.57909	.57817	6½	32 @ 34	28 @ 29	21	82 @ 83
February 5.....	26½	.57543	.57377	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	88
March 5.....	25½	.55625	.55350	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	93
April 2.....	25½	.56310	.55974	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	96
May 7.....	25½	.56858	.56577	6½	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92½
June 4.....	27½	.60253	.60233	6½	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94

a Prices at New York.

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TABLE IX.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 1.....	4½	3½	3½	5½ @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
February 5.....	4½	4½	4	5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
March 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5 @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
April 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
May 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 4.....	5	4½	4½	4½ @ 5	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
July 2.....	5	4½	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
August 6.....	5	(b)	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
September 3.....	5	5	4½	6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
October 1.....	4½	4½	4½	5½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
November 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5½ @ 5½	3 @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
December 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
1895.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 7.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
February 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
March 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2 @ 3½	1½
May 6.....	4½	4	4	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 5.....	4½	4½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 3.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 7.....	4½	4	4	4½	4 @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	1½ @ 1½
November 4.....	4	5½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 2.....	3½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1896.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
February 3.....	4½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
March 2.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 6.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
August 3.....	5	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½
September 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½
October 5.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
November 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
1897.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 4½	1½
February 1.....	4½	4	4½	4	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 5.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
May 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
June 7.....	4½	4½	4	3½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	5	4½	4½	3½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 2.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 6.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
November 1.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½ @ 4	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
February 7.....	5	4½	4½	4½	4	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 7.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 4.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 2.....	5½	6	6	6	5½	2 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 6.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE X.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.		COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.			
	Fig.			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Billets. (b)	Rails. (c)	Furnace.	Crude (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)		Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	No. 1 X. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
	Per ton. (d)			Per pound.	Per ton. (d)		Per ton.	Lowest.	Highest.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
February 7	10.75	9.75@10.00	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	24.80	.90@1.00	80½	81	5.15	6.25
March 7	10.50@10.75	9.60@9.75	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.50	24.00@27.00	.90	81½	82½	5.15	6.25
April 4	10.35@10.50	9.35@9.60	12.75@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.75	23.50@26.00	.85@.90	82½	82½	5.15	6.25
May 2	11.00@11.50	9.40@9.50	12.50@13.25	1.25@1.30	16.75@17.00	22.00@24.00	(e)	85½	85½	5.15	6.25
June 6	13.00@13.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	19.00@19.50	22.00@24.00	(e)	87½	87½	5.15	6.25
July 5	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	18.50		(e)	83½	84	5.15	6.35
August 1	12.25@12.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	17.00@17.25		(e)	79½	79½	5.15	6.35
September 5	11.50@12.00	10.00@10.25	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	18.00			82½	83	5.15	6.35
October 3	11.00@11.25	10.00	12.50@13.00	1.05@1.20	16.75@17.00		1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
November 7	10.50@10.75	9.25@9.50		1.10@1.15	15.45		1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
December 5	10.25@10.35	9.25@9.50	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.50	22.75	1.00	87½	90	5.15	6.55
1895.											
January 2	10.00@10.25	9.00@9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.90	94½	95½	5.70	6.90
February 6	10.15@10.25	9.00@9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	1.00	103	103½	5.80	7.13
March 6	10.15@10.25	9.00@9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75		105	105½	6.30	7.40
April 3	10.25@10.50	9.00@9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.60	22.75		113	114	7.35	7.70
May 1	10.75@10.85	9.50@9.75	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.50@15.75	22.75	1.15	183½	185	8.50	9.65
June 5	12.00@12.25	10.40@10.50	12.25@12.50	1.20@1.25	17.75@18.00	22.75		147	147	7.85	8.50
July 3	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	9.25	1.25@1.30	20.50@20.75	24.00		149	149	7.80	8.15
August 7	15.40@15.50	11.50@11.75	9.25	1.35@1.40	21.50@22.00		1.35	126	126	7.10	7.50
September 4	17.25@17.50	12.75@13.00	10.00	1.40@1.45				124½	125½	7.10	7.50
October 2	16.75@17.00	12.00@12.75	10.00	1.45@1.50	24.00@24.25	28.00	1.35@1.60	123	123	7.10	7.50
November 6	16.00@16.25	12.50@12.75	10.00	1.40@1.50	21.00@21.50		1.60	133	136	7.10	7.50
December 4	12.75@13.00	12.00@12.25	9.50@10.00	1.40@1.50	18.00@18.50			134	135	7.50	8.50
1896.											
January 1	11.00@11.25	10.75@11.00	8.00@8.75	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25		2.00	148	149	7.75	8.30
February 5	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	8.15@8.50	1.25@1.30	18.25@18.50		2.00	143	143	7.60	8.50
March 4	12.00@12.50	10.75@11.00	8.00@8.50	1.25@1.30	17.00		2.00	128	128	7.10	8.00
April 1	13.00@13.50	10.75@11.00	7.50	1.20@1.25	20.00		2.00	129	129	7.20	8.10
May 6	13.00@13.25	10.75@11.00	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	125	125	6.95	7.85
June 3	12.25@12.75	10.75@11.00	7.50@7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	109	109	6.55	7.45
July 1	12.25@12.50	10.50@11.75	6.90@7.20	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	115	115	6.90	7.30
August 5	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	6.40@6.60	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	106	106	6.65	7.55
September 2	10.50@11.00	11.50@11.75	6.50	1.20@1.25	20.50		2.00	108	108	6.70	7.60
October 7	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	7.00@7.25	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	116	116	6.90	7.85
November 4	12.00@12.75	10.00@11.25	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	117	117	7.00	7.95
December 2	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	7.50@7.75	1.25@1.30	20.25		2.00	105	105	6.70	7.55
1897.											
January 6	10.50@11.00	9.50@9.75	7.25@7.50	1.25@1.30	16.00	25.00	2.00	90	90	6.20	6.90
February 3	10.25@10.50	9.50@9.75	7.00@7.50	1.20@1.25	15.50	25.00	1.75	90	90	6.00	6.70
March 3	10.75@11.00	9.50@9.75	6.75@7.00	1.20@1.25	15.50@16.00	18.00@20.00	1.75	91	91	6.30	7.00
April 7	10.00@10.25	9.00@9.15	6.50@7.00	1.05	15.25	20.00	1.60	88	88	6.20	6.66
May 5	9.50@9.75	8.50@8.75	6.50@6.75	1.05@1.10	14.75	19.00@20.00	1.50	86	86	6.05	6.50
June 2	9.75@10.00	8.25@8.50	6.50@6.75	1.05@1.10	14.25@14.50	19.00@20.00	1.50	87	87	6.15	6.60
July 7	9.25@9.50	8.25@8.50	6.75@7.00	95@1.00	14.00@14.25	18.00@20.00	1.50	80	80	6.00	6.45
August 4	9.50@9.75	8.25@8.50	6.75@7.00	95@1.00	14.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.20
September 1	9.75@10.00	8.50@8.75	6.75@7.00	90@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.15
October 6	10.50@10.75	9.75@10.00	7.25@7.50	1.15@1.25	16.50	19.00@19.50	1.50@1.75	70	70	5.80	6.15
November 3	10.35@10.50	9.60@9.75	7.25@7.50	1.15@1.25	16.25@16.50	19.00@19.50	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
December 1	10.15@10.25	9.25@9.40	7.25@7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
1899.											
January	10.00@10.25	9.00@9.15	7.25@7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00@15.25	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
February 2	9.75@10.00	9.00@10.00	7.15@7.25	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
March 2	10.25@10.50	9.00@9.25	7.00@7.25	1.15@1.20	15.25@15.50	19.00@20.00	1.75	82	82	6.20	6.85
April 6	10.65	9.00@9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	15.50@15.75	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	75	5.70	6.35
May 4	10.25@10.40	9.00@9.25	7.00@7.25	1.05	15.00@15.25	18.00@19.00	1.75	71	71	5.60	6.25
June 1	10.50@10.65	9.00@9.25	7.25	1.05	15.00		1.75	86	86	6.15	6.80

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash

c Prices at New York.

d Long ton.

e Strike.

f Foundry No. 2 at Birmingham, Ala., after June 5, 1895.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XI.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleostearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Musco- vados, 89° polariza- tion.	Centrif- gals, 96° polariza- tion.	Stand- ard, granu- lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.				Per pound.		
	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Low- est.	High- est.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4	66	67½	41½	42½	34	34½	8.30	8.35	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.75	14.50	14.00	15.50	2.50	2.75	3.74
February 1	65½	66	42½	42½	34	34	7.95	8.00	7½	7½	5½	5½	14.25	14.75	14.00	15.00	2.69	3.06	3.98
March 1	62½	62½	41½	42½	37	37	7.65	7.65	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.81	3.18	4.17
April 5	66½	68½	44½	45	36	36½	7.65	7.65	6½	7	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.50	2.87	3.98
May 3	60½	61	43½	43½	40	40½	7.85	7.85	7½	7½	5	5½	13.75	14.00	12.00	13.00	2.37	2.84	3.86
June 7	59½	60½	44½	44½	48	48	7.00	7.00	7	7	4½	4½	13.25	13.50	10.50	12.00	2.50	3.87	3.80
July 5	59½	60½	45½	46	50	50½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.00	14.25	9.50	11.00	2.69	3.12	3.98
August 2	56½	56½	55½	55½	41	41	7.35	7.35	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	4.35
September 6	58	58½	65	65	34	34½	9.00	9.00	9	9	4½	4½	15.50	15.75	10.50	12.00	3.12	3.81	4.72
October 4	54½	55½	55½	56½	32½	32½	8.10	8.10	9½	9½	4½	4½	14.75	15.50	10.00	12.00	3.12	3.75	4.35
November 1	55	55½	60	60	32½	32½	7.35	7.40	6½	6½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.98
December 6	60½	61	56½	57	34½	34½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.50	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.86
1895.																			
January 3	60½	60½	51	51½	34½	34½	7.10	7.10	7½	7½	4½	4½	12.75	13.25	10.50	12.50	2.63	3.00	3.74
February 7	57½	57½	48½	49	33½	33½	6.95	7.00	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.25	12.00	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	3.68
March 7	58½	58½	49½	49	33	33	6.72½	6.75	7½	7½	4½	4½	11.75	12.25	10.50	12.00	2.69	3.00	3.80
April 4	60	60½	56	56	33½	33½	7.20	7.20	9	9	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.00	2.69	3.00	3.86
May 2	68½	69½			32½	32½	7.00	7.00	8	8	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.50	2.75	3.09	3.91
June 6	80	82½	56	57½	33½	34	6.75	6.80	7½	8	4½		13.75	14.50	11.50	13.00	2.94	3.37	4.35
July 4	73½	73½	49½	50½	28	28½	6.65	6.70	6½	7	4½	4½	13.25	14.00	10.50	13.50	2.87	3.25	4.35
August 1	72½	74½	48½	49½	28	28	6.45	6.47½	6	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	11.00	12.50	2.94	3.25	4.35
September 5	62½	63½	38½	39½	23½	24	6.25	6.25	6	6	4½	4½	10.25	10.75	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.25	4.16
October 3	66	68	37	37½	23½	23½	6.22½	6.22½	6	6	4½	4½	10.00	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.56	4.47
November 7	67½	68½	36½	36½	23½	23½	5.95	5.95	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.37	4.24
December 5	60½	70	35½	35½	22½	22½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.50	4.35
1896.																			
January 2	69	69½	34½	34½	23½	23½	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	12.00	3.37	3.75	4.50
February 6	81½	82	36½	37	25½	25½	5.87	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	10.00	12.00	3.50	3.87	4.58
March 5	81½	81½	38	39	26	26	5.60	5.65	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.12	4.72
April 2	79½	80	37½	37½	25	25	5.30	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.18	4.89
May 7	72	73½	35½	35½	25	25	5.05	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	10.00	9.50	11.00	3.63	4.25	4.08
June 4	69½	71½	33½	33½	22½	23	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	3.37	3.75	4.72
July 2	64½	65½	33½	33½	21	21½	4.20	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.75	7.50	8.50	3.00	3.50	4.60
August 6	66½	68	30½	30½	23	23½	3.50	3.50	4½	4½	3	3	8.00	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.13	3.50	4.60
September 3	67½	68	26	26	19½	19½	3.70	3.70	4	4½	3½	3½	7.50	8.25	8.00	9.00	2.87	3.25	4.47
October 1	78½	79½	28	29½	22	22	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.50	8.00	9.00	2.69	3.06	4.22
November 5	85½	87½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.55	4.55	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.50	8.00	10.00	2.87	3.25	3.98
December 3	104½	106	29½	29½	23	23½	4.20	4.20	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.87	3.25	4.10
1897.																			
January 7	103½	104½	29½	29½	22½	22½	4.05	4.07½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.81	3.18	4.10
February 4	96½	98½	28½	29	21½	21½	4.00	4.00	4	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.18	3.98
March 4	93½	94½	27	28½	21½	21½	4.32½	4.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.25	3.98
April 1	95½	96½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.45	4.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.00	3.37	3.47
May 6	95½	98½	29½	29½	22½	23	4.25	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.00	10.00	2.75	3.31	4.23
June 3	81½	82½	29	29½	22	22½	3.80	3.80	4½	4½	3	3	8.50	9.00	8.50	9.50	2.75	3.31	4.23
July 1	81½	82	28½	28½	21½	21½	4.25	4.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.50	3.00	3.50	4.47
August 5	84	86½	32½	32½	22	22	4.70	4.70	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.25	3.75	4.72
September 2	100½	103½	36½	37½	24	24½	5.27½	5.27½	6	6	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	9.00	10.00	3.25	3.78	4.72
October 7	97½	98½	32½	32½	23½	23½	4.60	4.70	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.31	3.87	4.85
November 4	100½	102	30½	30½	24½	24½	4.60	4.60	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.25	9.00	10.50	3.31	3.82	4.72
December 2	96	97½	31½	32½	26½	26½	4.47½	4.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.00	3.37	3.94	4.72
1898.																			
January 6	98½	99	33½	33½	28½	28½	5.00	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.50	11.50	3.50	4.19	4.96
February 3	100½	101½	34½	34½	29	29½	5.15	5.15	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.00	10.25	10.00	11.00	3.56	4.06	4.84
March 3	106½	107½	35½	36½	31½	31½	5.52½	5.52½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	11.75	3.69	4.19	4.99
April 7	100	100½	34½	35½	30½	30½	5.47½	5.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
May 5	130	145	38½	39½	35	35	6.25	6.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.19	5.15
June 2	110	118	37½	37½	31	31½	6.40	6.40	6	6	4	4½	11.00	12.00	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XII.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Fine medium (scoured basis).	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 4-8 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 4-8 blood.	Montana.	Wyoming and Utah.
Per pound.											
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 5	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	8 ¹ / ₁₆	4.15 @ 4.25	3.87 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	23	24	19	35	33
February 2	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	7 ¹ / ₁₆	3.95 @ 4.10	3.87 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	22 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	19	35	33
March 2	7 ⁵ / ₁₆	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	3.75 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.50	2.62 ¹ / ₂	21	23	19	35	33
April 6	7 ⁵ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	21	23	19	35	33
May 4	6 ⁷ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	22	24	20	35	33
June 1	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	3.60 @ 3.70	3.40 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	21	22	18	34	32
July 6	6 ⁷ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	20	17	33	31
August 3	6 ⁷ / ₁₆	6 ⁷ / ₁₆	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	22	19	35	33
September 7	6 ¹ / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.70 @ 3.85	3.15	2.60	20	22	19	35	33
October 5	5 ¹ / ₁₆	6 ⁵ / ₁₆	3.80 @ 3.90	3.50 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	18 ¹ / ₂	21	18	34 ¹ / ₂	32 ¹ / ₂
November 2	5 ¹ / ₁₆	5 ² / ₁₆	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18 ¹ / ₂	20	18	34	32
December 7	5 ¹ / ₁₆	5 ² / ₁₆	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18	20	18	33	31
1895.											
January 4	5 ¹ / ₁₆	5 ¹ / ₁₆	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	17 ¹ / ₂	20	17	32	31
February 1	5	5 ¹ / ₁₆	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	17	20	17	32	31
March 1	5 ¹ / ₁₆	5 ¹ / ₁₆	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	16 ¹ / ₂	20	17	32	31
April 5	5 ² / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 ¹ / ₂	20	17	30	28
May 3	6 ¹ / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 ¹ / ₂	20	17	30	28
June 7	7	7 ² / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16	18	16 ¹ / ₂	30	28
July 5	6 ¹ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	4.15 @ 4.25	4.00 @ 4.25	3.30 @ 3.45	2.60	18	21	19	33 ¹ / ₂	32
August 2	6 ¹ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	4.20 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.12 ¹ / ₂	3.05 @ 3.37 ¹ / ₂	2.45	18	21	19	34	32
September 6	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	8 ² / ₁₆	4.00 @ 4.25	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	19	34	32
October 4	8 ¹ / ₁₆	9 ² / ₁₆	4.40 @ 4.60	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.00 @ 3.50	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	19	35	33
November 1	8 ² / ₁₆	9	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	19	34 ¹ / ₂	33
December 6	8	8 ² / ₁₆	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	18	21	17 ¹ / ₂	34	32
1896.											
January 3	7 ¹ / ₁₆	8 ⁵ / ₁₆	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 ¹ / ₂	19	21	17 ¹ / ₂	35	33
February 7	7 ² / ₁₆	8 ² / ₁₆	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 ¹ / ₂	18	36	33
March 6	7 ² / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 ¹ / ₂	17 ¹ / ₂	36	33
April 3	7 ² / ₁₆	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	19	21	17	35	31
May 1	7 ² / ₁₆	8 ⁵ / ₁₆	4.25 @ 4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	17 ¹ / ₂	19	15 ¹ / ₂	31 ¹ / ₂	30
June 5	7 ² / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	31	29
July 3	6 ¹ / ₁₆	7 ⁷ / ₁₆	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	31	29
August 7	7 ² / ₁₆	8 ² / ₁₆	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	31	28
September 4	7 ² / ₁₆	8 ² / ₁₆	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	17	18	14 ¹ / ₂	29	26
October 2	7 ² / ₁₆	8 ² / ₁₆	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	18	19	15	29	27
November 6	7 ² / ₁₆	8 ² / ₁₆	3.65 @ 3.75	3.40 @ 3.65	3.62 ¹ / ₂ @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	19	21	16	33	31
December 4	7 ¹ / ₁₆	7 ¹ / ₁₆	3.65 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.70	3.65 @ 3.90	2.05 @ 2.20	19	21	17	33	31
1897.											
January 1	6 ⁷ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.50 @ 3.55	3.25 @ 3.50	3.60 @ 3.75	2.05 @ 2.20	19	20	17	33	30
February 5	6 ¹ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.60 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.15	19	21	17 ¹ / ₂	34	31
March 5	7	7 ² / ₁₆	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.40 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 ¹ / ₂	19 ¹ / ₂	21 ¹ / ₂	17 ¹ / ₂	34	31
April 2	7	7 ⁵ / ₁₆	3.50 @ 3.55	3.50 @ 3.60	3.30 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 ¹ / ₂	21	22 ¹ / ₂	20	38	36
May 7	7 ² / ₁₆	7 ¹ / ₁₆	3.75	3.37 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 ¹ / ₂	2.15	21 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	19	38	36
June 4	7 ² / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.75	3.37 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 ¹ / ₂	2.15	21 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	17 ¹ / ₂	37	34
July 2	7 ¹ / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.20 @ 3.55	2.00 @ 2.10	21 ¹ / ₂	23 ¹ / ₂	20	40	38
August 6	6 ¹ / ₁₆	8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.40 @ 3.70	3.45 @ 3.80	2.00 @ 2.10	23 ¹ / ₂	25 ¹ / ₂	21	Territorial.	
September 3	7 ² / ₁₆	7 ² / ₁₆	3.65 @ 3.75	3.37 ¹ / ₂ @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	24 ¹ / ₂	27 ¹ / ₂	22	46	45
October 1	6	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.65 @ 3.75	3.55 @ 3.90	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	27	29	23	51	47
November 5	5 ² / ₁₆	6	3.75 @ 3.90	3.80 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	23	55	52
December 3	5 ¹ / ₁₆	5 ¹ / ₁₆	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	27 ¹ / ₂	30	23	54	49
1898.											
January 7	5 ¹ / ₁₆	5 ¹ / ₁₆	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	22	53	50
February 4	5 ² / ₁₆	5 ¹ / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	29	31	22	54	50
March 4	5 ² / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 4.00	3.50 @ 4.00	2.10 @ 2.25	29	31	22	53	49
April 1	5 ² / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	29	29 ¹ / ₂	22	48	46
May 6	5 ¹ / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 ¹ / ₂	21 ¹ / ₂	48	44
June 3	6 ¹ / ₁₆	6 ¹ / ₁₆	3.73 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 ¹ / ₂	21	47	44

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XIII.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.				
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bankers' sterling bills on London.	Prime commercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.	
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.					
1894.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.	
January 5.....	11. 69	10. 07½	20. 50	3. 15	3. 50	4. 87½	4. 84 @ 4. 85	4. 83½ @ 4. 83½	5. 20 @ 5. 19½	40½ @ 40½	
February 2.....	11. 25	9. 75	19. 87½	3. 27½	3. 62½	4. 85	4. 85½ @ 4. 86	4. 84 @ 4. 84½	5. 19½ @ 5. 18½	40½ @ 40½	
March 2.....	11. 13	9. 55	18. 75	3. 20	3. 75	4. 85	4. 87½	4. 86 @ 4. 86½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
April 6.....	11. 00	9. 50	19. 35	3. 35	3. 70	4. 80	4. 87½ @ 4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
May 4.....	10. 75	9. 35	19. 95	3. 40	3. 55	4. 75	4. 88 @ 4. 88½	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
June 1.....	10. 75	9. 25	19. 85	3. 30	3. 40	4. 75	4. 88 @ 4. 88½	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
July 6.....	11. 00	9. 05	19. 30	3. 42½	3. 47½	4. 72½	4. 87½ @ 4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
August 3.....	10. 75	9. 05	18. 70	3. 60	3. 45	4. 72½	4. 88 @ 4. 88½	4. 87 @ 4. 87½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
September 7.....	10. 75	9. 15	16. 12½	3. 22½	3. 42½	4. 77½	4. 85½ @ 4. 86	4. 84½ @ 4. 84½	5. 19½ @ 5. 18½	40 @ 40½	
October 5.....	10. 75	9. 65	15. 80	2. 17½	3. 42½	3. 85	4. 86½ @ 4. 87½	4. 85½ @ 4. 85½	5. 19½ @ 5. 18½	40½ @ 40½	
November 2.....	10. 75	9. 55	14. 75	3. 15	3. 37½	3. 75	4. 87½	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
December 7.....	10. 75	9. 55	13. 60	3. 12½	3. 30	3. 65	4. 87½ @ 4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
1895.											
January 4.....	10. 50	9. 90	13. 40	3. 05	3. 27½	3. 60	4. 88½	4. 87 @ 4. 87½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
February 1.....	10. 50	9. 87½	14. 30	3. 11½	3. 20	3. 57½	4. 88 @ 4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 16½ @ 5. 15½	40½ @ 40½	
March 1.....	10. 50	9. 62½	13. 07½	3. 08½	3. 10	3. 50	4. 88 @ 4. 88½	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
April 5.....	10. 63	9. 37½	13. 93	3. 11	3. 21	3. 50	4. 88½ @ 4. 89½	4. 88 @ 4. 88½	5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
May 3.....	10. 75	9. 86	14. 21	3. 07½	3. 17½	3. 52½	4. 88½ @ 4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
June 7.....	11. 50	10. 56	14. 19	3. 29	3. 71	3. 52½	4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 88	5. 16½ @ 5. 15½	40½ @ 40½	
July 5.....	12. 50	10. 55	14. 12½	3. 30	3. 61	3. 65	4. 89 @ 4. 89½	4. 88½ @ 4. 88½	5. 16½ @ 5. 15½	40½ @ 40½	
August 2.....	12. 50	11. 79	14. 35	3. 52	3. 84	3. 75	4. 88½ @ 4. 89	4. 88½ @ 4. 89	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
September 6.....	13. 13	12. 25	14. 36	3. 45	4. 17	3. 65	4. 89 @ 4. 90	4. 88½ @ 4. 88½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
October 4.....	13. 25	12. 15	14. 54	3. 36	4. 16	3. 65	4. 87 @ 4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 19½ @ 5. 18½	40½ @ 40½	
November 1.....	13. 00	11. 68	14. 62	3. 29	3. 93	3. 65	4. 88½	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 18½ @ 5. 17½	40½ @ 40½	
December 6.....	12. 25	10. 77	14. 08	3. 30	3. 53	3. 60	4. 88½	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
1896.											
January 3.....	12. 25	10. 00	13. 08	3. 12	3. 57½	3. 60	4. 88½ @ 4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 17½ @ 5. 17½	40½ @ 40½	
February 7.....	12. 00	10. 15	13. 42	3. 10½	4. 03	3. 52½	4. 87½ @ 4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 18½ @ 5. 18½	40 @ 40½	
March 6.....	11. 88	11. 10	13. 33	3. 20	4. 08	3. 45	4. 87½ @ 4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 18½ @ 5. 18½	39½ @ 40	
April 3.....	10. 63	10. 30	13. 40	3. 07½	4. 12½	3. 42½	4. 88½ @ 4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 17½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
May 1.....	10. 63	10. 75	13. 37	3. 06	4. 04	3. 47½	4. 88 @ 4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
June 5.....	10. 75	11. 50	13. 43	3. 02½	4. 05	3. 47½	4. 88 @ 4. 88½	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
July 3.....	10. 25	11. 50	13. 51	3. 01	4. 07½	3. 47½	4. 88	4. 86½ @ 4. 86½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
August 7.....	10. 25	11. 08	13. 37	2. 83½	3. 89	3. 50	4. 88½ @ 4. 89	4. 87½ @ 4. 87½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
September 4.....	10. 00	10. 77½	13. 31	2. 72½	3. 66	3. 50	4. 83 @ 4. 84	4. 82 @ 4. 82½	5. 21½ @ 5. 21½	39½ @ 39½	
October 2.....	10. 25	10. 70	12. 90	2. 78	3. 62½	3. 50	4. 83 @ 4. 84	4. 82½ @ 4. 83	5. 20½ @ 5. 19½	39½ @ 39½	
November 6.....	10. 50	10. 85	12. 95	2. 88½	3. 88	3. 65	4. 82½ @ 4. 83½	4. 81 @ 4. 81½	5. 21½ @ 5. 21½	39½ @ 39½	
December 4.....	11. 00	11. 37½	12. 95	3. 03½	4. 25	3. 70	4. 84½	4. 83½ @ 4. 83½	5. 19½ @ 5. 19½	39½ @ 40	
1897.											
January 1.....	11. 00	11. 43	12. 97½	3. 05	4. 09	3. 75	4. 84 @ 4. 84½	4. 83 @ 4. 83½	5. 20 @ 5. 19½	39½ @ 40	
February 5.....	6. 87	12. 00	13. 50	3. 18	4. 00	3. 80	4. 85½	4. 84 @ 4. 84½	5. 19½ @ 5. 18½	40 @ 40½	
March 5.....	6. 87	11. 92	13. 52	3. 38½	4. 08½	3. 75	4. 86 @ 4. 86½	4. 84½ @ 4. 85	5. 18½ @ 5. 18½	40½ @ 40½	
April 2.....	6. 60	11. 77½	13. 17	3. 39	4. 09	3. 60	4. 86½	4. 85 @ 4. 85½	5. 18½ @ 5. 17½	40½ @ 40½	
May 7.....	6. 35	11. 00	13. 22½	3. 26	4. 12½	3. 70	4. 87	4. 85½ @ 4. 85½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
June 4.....	6. 40	11. 00	13. 50	3. 27½	4. 25	3. 70	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	4. 85½ @ 4. 85½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
July 2.....	6. 50	11. 20	14. 05	3. 61	4. 30	3. 70	4. 86½ @ 4. 87	4. 85½ @ 4. 85½	5. 16½ @ 5. 16½	40½ @ 40½	
August 6.....	6. 37½	11. 00	13. 77½	3. 77½	4. 30	3. 70	4. 86 @ 4. 87	4. 84½ @ 4. 84½	5. 17½ @ 5. 17½	40½ @ 40½	
September 3.....	6. 70	11. 25	13. 61	4. 21	4. 25	3. 70	4. 84½ @ 4. 85	4. 83½ @ 4. 83½	5. 20 @ 5. 19½	39½ @ 40	
October 1.....	7. 05	11. 25	13. 63	4. 32½	4. 25	3. 70	4. 83 @ 4. 84	4. 82 @ 4. 82½	5. 21½ @ 5. 21½	39½ @ 40	
November 5.....	6. 95	10. 90	13. 72½	3. 92½	4. 15	3. 90	4. 83½	4. 82½ @ 4. 82½	5. 20½ @ 5. 19½	40½ @ 40½	
December 3.....	6. 70	10. 80	13. 72½	3. 77½	4. 00	3. 70	4. 83½ @ 4. 84	4. 82½ @ 4. 82½	5. 20½ @ 5. 20½	40½ @ 40½	
1898.											
January 7.....	6. 65	10. 90	13. 82½	3. 66	3. 95	3. 80	4. 83 @ 4. 84	4. 82½ @ 4. 82½	5. 21½ @ 5. 20½	40½ @ 40½	
February 4.....	6. 55	10. 95	13. 87½	3. 60	4. 00	3. 85	4. 83½	4. 82 @ 4. 82½	5. 21½ @ 5. 21½	40 @ 40½	
March 4.....	6. 82½	11. 92½	14. 22½	3. 77½	4. 22½	3. 85	4. 83	4. 80½ @ 4. 81½	5. 23½ @ 5. 22½	39½ @ 40	
April 1.....	6. 75	11. 95	14. 35	3. 75	4. 30	3. 85	4. 81½ @ 4. 82	4. 80½ @ 4. 80½	5. 24½ @ 5. 24½	39½ @ 39½	
May 6.....	6. 75	12. 15	14. 60	3. 74	4. 15	3. 85	4. 81½ @ 4. 82	4. 80 @ 4. 80½	5. 24½ @ 5. 23½	39½ @ 39½	
June 3.....	6. 80	12. 00	14. 85	3. 80	4. 35	3. 85	4. 84½ @ 4. 85	4. 83½ @ 4. 84	5. 21½ @ 5. 21½	40½ @ 40½	

a Prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their values in the foreign markets.

IMPORT PRICES.

IMPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898								1899				
		May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	Janu-ary.	February.	March.	April.	May.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Coal, bituminous.....	Ton	2.95	2.70	2.81	2.70	2.58	2.99	2.80	2.78	2.94	2.81	3.06	3.25	2.74
Coffee	Pound ..	.064	.072	.064	.064	.061	.067	.056	.062	.064	.067	.077	.071	.071
Cotton cloth:														
Not bleached, etc.....	Sq. yd. .	.073	.074	.085	.077	.076	.093	.089	.099	.082	.079	.081	.087	.063
Bleached, etc.....	do .....	.127	.133	.137	.126	.121	.124	.128	.128	.131	.132	.135	.128	.120
Fibers, vegetable, etc:														
Unmanufactured—														
Flax	Ton	209.43	186.96	142.35	170.97	176.34	174.82	283.44	214.44	238.68	218.12	229.53	254.26	235.82
Hemp	do	138.18	128.34	126.40	129.53	122.75	98.71	124.90	122.45	123.91	111.77	121.50	127.72	121.90
Jute and jute butts	do	18.99	22.57	22.91	21.25	18.46	28.00	47.01	35.22	34.69	44.11	32.49	21.91	36.77
Manila	do	75.63	76.43	120.90	114.64	100.08	99.37	119.96	114.13	120.09	138.67	120.10	115.48	115.52
Sisal grass.....	do	92.50	151.70	175.40	107.68	120.23	124.88	120.11	91.75	102.63	126.09	120.33	144.24	137.24
Fish:														
Pickled—														
Herring.....	Pound ..	.027	.027	.032	.039	.037	.027	.036	.033	.034	.037	.030	.031	.032
Mackerel.....	do .....	.060	.057	.058	.053	.063	.077	.073	.072	.068	.072	.072	.072	.057
Glass: Cylinder, etc., un- polished	do .....	.025	.026	.023	.023	.026	.027	.026	.032	.027	.030	.031	.031	.028
India rubber, crude.....	do .....	.604	.569	.606	.636	.608	.586	.588	.597	.635	.663	.628	.571	.672
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron (a).....	Ton	24.26	30.44	28.91	27.43	31.04	29.94	29.70	31.13	28.23	31.35	31.87	30.19	33.13
Sheet, plate, and tag- gers iron.....	Pound ..	.025	.037	.041	.039	.040	.051	.052	.032	.040	.041	.050	.047	.051
Tin plates	do .....	.022	.022	.022	.022	.022	.023	.023	.023	.023	.024	.024	.025	.026
Molasses.....	dut. Gallon..	.115	.178	.160	.181	.138	.160	.199	.210	.194	.194	.243	.121	.132
Provisions:														
Cheese.....	Pound ..	.137	.134	.131	.130	.126	.142	.128	.133	.142	.142	.134	.136	.122
Rice	do .....	.021	.024	.025	.027	.022	.021	.023	.021	.022	.020	.020	.017	.019
Salt	100 lbs ..	.122	.156	.156	.132	.165	.178	.122	.189	.185	.189	.176	.110	.156
Silk, raw, or as reeled from the cocoon	Pound ..	3.27	3.18	3.03	2.99	3.14	3.00	3.12	3.12	3.14	3.34	3.43	3.49	3.65
Sugar not above No. 16 Dutch standard:														
Beet	do .....	.016	.020	.020	.018	.020	.020	.021	.022	.021	.021	.021	.021	.022
Cane, and all other.....	do .....	.023	.024	.026	.025	.024	.022	.021	.021	.023	.023	.025	.025	.026
Tea	do .....	.139	.187	.148	.142	.138	.129	.119	.128	.118	.117	.114	.123	.143
Tin: Bars, block, and pig.....	do .....	.140	.138	.138	.139	.145	.143	.138	.166	.179	.181	.192	.209	.228
Tobacco, leaf:														
Suitable for wrappers.....	do	1.03	1.02	.956	1.02	.963	1.03	1.05	1.14	1.53	1.14	1.30	.99	1.08
Other.....	do .....	.476	.367	.295	.476	.459	.554	.637	.565	.611	.575	.558	.553	.578
Wines:														
Still wines—														
In casks	Gallon ..	.765	.748	.724	.683	.556	.695	.687	.710	.708	.619	.728	.694	.716
Wools, etc., and manufac- tures of:														
Raw—														
Class 1.....	Pound ..	.155	.185	.142	.176	.134	.114	.026	.161	.134	.157	.171	.129	.155
Class 2.....	do .....	.214	.152	.200	.314	.315	.281	.317	.312	.204	.258	.314	.248	.26
Class 3.....	do .....	.091	.091	.087	.091	.099	.096	.097	.095	.094	.097	.096	.095	.101
Manufactures—														
Carpets and car- peting	Sq. yd. .	3.03	3.93	2.67	2.40	2.46	2.50	3.01	2.43	2.99	2.62	3.22	2.89	2.95
Cloths	Pound ..	.888	.919	.952	.959	.994	.992	.923	.918	1.02	.878	1.02	.961	.987
Dress goods	Sq. yd. .	.166	.191	.206	.224	.211	.183	.176	.219	.222	.235	.224	.213	.256

a Mostly spiegeleisen and ferro-manganese.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—Cont'd.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their market value at the time of exportation.

DOMESTIC EXPORT PRICES.

EXPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898								1899				
		May.	June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	January.	Febru-ary.	March.	April.	May.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Breadstuffs:														
Corn.....	Bushel..	.397	.384	.377	.380	.357	.359	.382	.405	.418	.419	.413	.414	.401
Wheat.....	do.....	1.34	1.10	.882	.769	.723	.719	.725	.728	.745	.752	.757	.751	.761
Wheat flour.....	Barrel..	5.22	5.02	4.58	4.39	4.13	3.93	4.02	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.83	3.76	3.71
Coal:														
Anthracite.....	Ton.....	4.24	4.05	4.14	4.42	4.17	4.07	4.10	4.15	4.05	4.13	4.22	4.05	3.95
Bituminous.....	do.....	2.24	2.33	2.18	2.15	2.19	2.20	2.09	2.10	2.02	1.89	1.93	1.93	2.11
Copper, ingots, bars, and old.....	Pound..	.117	.118	.117	.114	.117	.118	.113	.121	.131	.155	.163	.169	.170
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	do.....	.061	.062	.061	.060	.053	.052	.051	.054	.056	.061	.062	.063	.061
Cloths:														
Colored.....	Yard....	.049	.050	.047	.048	.047	.046	.048	.048	.046	.047	.050	.049	.050
Uncolored.....	do.....	.046	.046	.049	.048	.047	.048	.046	.042	.046	.044	.041	.045	.047
Hay.....	Ton.....	13.50	14.44	13.80	12.73	12.34	12.77	12.78	12.79	12.34	13.97	13.72	14.38	13.43
Hops.....	Pound..	.137	.147	.140	.126	.115	.156	.175	.181	.171	.181	.173	.164	.163
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron.....	Ton.....	13.18	11.54	10.81	10.42	10.41	10.15	10.14	10.20	10.31	10.47	10.91	11.82	14.49
Nails and spikes, cut.....	Pound..	.018	.017	.019	.018	.019	.019	.019	.017	.016	.017	.018	.018	.020
Leather, sole.....	do.....	.177	.171	.182	.185	.165	.168	.178	.170	.158	.165	.166	.169	.170
Naval stores:														
Rosin.....	Barrel..	1.56	1.55	1.48	1.42	1.42	1.54	1.45	1.50	1.37	1.39	1.41	1.45	1.60
Turpentine, spirits of.....	Gallon..	.285	.286	.272	.271	.290	.315	.366	.386	.440	.430	.435	.406	.394
Oil cake and oil-cake meal.....	Pound..	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009
Oils:														
Mineral—crude, etc.....	Gallon..	.039	.038	.039	.043	.046	.047	.047	.046	.048	.047	.047	.051	.048
Refined—illuminating.....	do.....	.050	.052	.051	.050	.052	.058	.056	.062	.059	.063	.060	.060	.058
Vegetable—cotton-seed.....	do.....	.249	.259	.258	.233	.235	.236	.240	.249	.233	.234	.238	.249	.236
Paraffin and paraffin wax.....	Pound..	.039	.037	.039	.039	.039	.039	.033	.038	.040	.041	.040	.041	.040
Provisions:														
Beef—														
Fresh.....	do.....	.088	.087	.083	.085	.086	.084	.083	.082	.084	.083	.081	.083	.082
Salted or pickled.....	do.....	.056	.062	.057	.054	.053	.052	.053	.054	.055	.054	.050	.057	.056
Tallow.....	do.....	.041	.041	.039	.038	.039	.040	.041	.038	.040	.039	.042	.043	.044
Bacon.....	do.....	.077	.073	.074	.075	.074	.074	.074	.078	.072	.075	.072	.074	.071
Hams.....	do.....	.092	.092	.093	.093	.090	.090	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091	.093
Pork, pickled.....	do.....	.061	.060	.061	.058	.059	.057	.058	.059	.058	.058	.056	.056	.058
Lard.....	do.....	.064	.064	.061	.060	.059	.059	.058	.059	.060	.060	.060	.060	.059
Oleomargarine—the oil.....	do.....	.061	.060	.058	.058	.059	.063	.062	.062	.064	.072	.072	.069	.069
Butter.....	do.....	.150	.152	.150	.165	.161	.170	.161	.167	.168	.161	.155	.159	.151
Cheese.....	do.....	.089	.075	.075	.079	.082	.091	.092	.099	.102	.101	.107	.109	.096
Seeds:														
Clover.....	do.....	.061	.060	.060	.059	.059	.060	.063	.066	.063	.064	.064	.066	.072
Cotton.....	do.....	.006	.006	.005	.005	.010	.007	.006	.007	.006	.005	.006	.006	.005
Starch.....	do.....	.023	.019	.020	.020	.018	.021	.022	.021	.020	.017	.022	.023	.020
Sugar, refined.....	do.....	.053	.045	.044	.051	.048	.048	.051	.041	.042	.047	.038	.045	.042
Tobacco, leaf.....	do.....	.086	.089	.087	.093	.096	.100	.096	.089	.090	.090	.091	.091	.087
Wood: Boards, deals, and planks	M feet..	14.74	15.43	16.41	14.68	15.40	16.37	14.96	14.88	15.69	14.95	15.20	15.57	15.13

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

[From the Economist.]

I.—MINERALS.

DATE.	IRON.			COALS.	COPPER.	TIN.	LEAD.	SALTPETER.
	Scotch pig.	Cleveland bars.	Steel rails.	Best Wallsend London.	Chile bars.	Straits.	English pig.	English, refined.
	Per ton.							Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January 4.....	2 1 8½	4 17 0	3 12 6	15 9	40 15 0	60 8 3	9 14 0	1 2 9
February 1.....	2 1 2	4 17 6	3 12 6	14 6	40 1 3	60 15 0	9 13 6	1 2 9
March 1.....	2 2 1	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 0	39 2 6	60 5 0	9 13 9	1 2 9
April 4.....	2 1 0	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	39 6 3	63 8 9	10 2 6	1 3 0
May 3.....	2 3 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	41 3 9	64 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6
June 1.....	2 3 3	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 0 0	64 7 6	10 11 3	1 2 6
July 5.....	2 4 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 8 9	63 15 0	10 10 0	1 2 6
August 2.....	2 5 5½	4 15 0	3 15 0	14 0	43 15 0	64 13 9	11 8 9	1 3 0
September 1.....	2 7 2½	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	46 17 6	64 15 0	11 3 9	1 3 6
October 4.....	2 8 3	4 17 6	4 5 6	14 6	47 6 3	66 12 6	11 5 0	1 3 0
November 1.....	2 6 10	5 0 0	4 10 0	15 6	45 2 6	66 8 0	11 11 3	1 2 0
December 1.....	2 7 1	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 5 0	63 15 0	11 17 6	1 2 0
1896.								
January 1.....	2 5 3	4 17 0	4 15 0	15 0	41 5 0	58 0 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
February 1.....	2 7 4	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 18 9	60 5 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
March 1.....	2 7 5	5 0 0	4 15 0	14 6	46 6 3	60 2 6	11 12 6	1 1 9
April 2.....	2 6 8	5 0 0	4 15 0	13 6	45 2 0	60 7 6	11 6 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 8 4½	5 0 0	4 12 6	13 6	45 6 3	59 15 0	11 6 3	1 1 9
June 5.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	60 8 9	11 6 3	1 2 3
July 3.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	49 9 3	61 3 9	11 5 0	1 2 0
August 1.....	2 6 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	12 6	48 10 0	60 2 6	11 8 9	1 2 0
September 4.....	2 5 11	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	59 8 9	11 5 0	1 1 9
October 2.....	2 6 6	5 2 6	4 10 0	14 6	47 16 3	57 8 0	11 10 0	1 1 9
November 6.....	2 8 3	5 2 6	4 10 0	16 0	48 13 9	58 7 6	11 10 0	1 1 9
December 4.....	2 8 5½	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	48 12 6	58 4 6	11 15 0	1 1 9
1897.								
January 1.....	2 8 9	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	49 8 9	58 8 9	11 16 3	1 1 9
February 5.....	2 7 8½	5 7 6	4 12 6	17 0	51 11 3	61 17 6	11 17 6	1 1 9
March 5.....	2 5 7½	5 7 6	4 12 6	15 6	50 13 9	60 6 3	11 18 9	1 1 0
April 2.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 14 6	59 12 6	11 16 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 3 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 2 6	60 7 6	11 18 9	1 1 9
June 4.....	2 5 1	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 14 3	61 16 3	12 1 3	1 0 6
July 2.....	2 4 11	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 16 3	62 12 6	12 6 3	1 0 6
August 6.....	2 4 2	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	47 16 3	61 5 0	12 13 9	1 0 0
September 3.....	2 4 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 17 6	61 3 9	13 13 9	1 1 6
October 1.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	15 0	49 2 6	62 2 0	13 18 9	1 1 9
November 5.....	2 5 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 0	47 15 0	62 6 3	13 12 6	1 1 9
December 3.....	2 5 2½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 0 0	62 13 9	13 3 9	1 0 0
1898.								
January 1.....	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 5 0	62 19 3	12 0 3	1 0 0
February 4.....	2 5 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	49 5 0	63 5 0	12 11 3	1 0 0
March 4.....	2 6 7½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	50 5 0	64 16 3	12 13 9	1 0 0
April 1.....	2 6 0½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	50 18 3	65 5 0	12 17 6	1 0 0
May 6.....	2 6 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	51 9 3	65 14 3	14 3 0	1 0 6
June 3.....	2 6 1	5 10 0	4 10 0	15 6	50 19 0	67 12 0	13 15 0	1 0 0
July 1.....	2 5 11	5 7 0	4 10 0	15 6	49 19 3	70 14 3	13 11 3	1 0 0
August 5.....	2 6 5½	5 7 6	4 12 6	16 6	50 7 0	71 10 0	12 17 0	1 0 0
September 2.....	2 7 2½	5 15 0	4 12 6	16 6	51 18 9	73 3 0	13 0 0	1 0 0
October 7.....	2 9 3	5 12 6	4 12 6	16 6	52 18 0	76 0 0	13 3 9	1 0 0
November 4.....	2 9 6	6 0 0	4 12 6	16 6	54 13 9	83 5 0	13 6 3	1 0 0
December 2.....	2 9 4	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	56 16 3	82 6 3	13 6 3	1 0 0
1899.								
January 6.....	2 10 3½	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	58 3 9	91 2 6	13 8 0	1 1 0
February 3.....	2 15 3	6 5 0	4 15 10	17 0	70 5 10	112 10 0	15 5 0	1 1 0
March 3.....	2 14 0½	6 7 6	4 15 0	17 0	70 5 0	107 0 0	14 1 0	1 1 0
April 7.....	2 14 4	6 7 6	4 17 6	17 0	72 10 0	113 10 0	14 15 0	1 1 0
May 6.....	3 2 2	6 7 6	5 2 6	17 0	76 6 0	117 10 0	14 10 0	1 1 0
June 2.....	3 4 2½	6 15 0	5 2 6	17 0	75 12 0	117 10 0	14 7 6	1 1 0

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

[From the Economist.]

II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

DATE.	COTTON.		WOOL.			SILK.	FLAX.	HEMP.	JUTE.
	Raw, mid- dling upland.	Yarn, 40-mule twist.	Southdown hogs.	Lincoln hogs.	New South Walesgreasy, average.		Riga ZK.	Manila.	Good marks.
							Per pound.			Per ton.
	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	2 s.	2 s.	2 s.
1895.									
January 4.....	3 3/4	6 1/2	10 1/2	0 10	6 1/2	9 9	28 0	17 7 1/2	14 10
February 1.....	2 3/4	6 1/2	10 1/2	0 9 3/4	6 1/2	9 9	27 5	17 12 1/2	11 10
March 1.....	3	6	10	0 9 1/2	6 1/2	9 4 1/2	27 0	17 12 1/2	11 0
April 4.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	10	0 9 3/4	7 1/2	9 3	27 5	17 5	12 0
May 3.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	10	0 9 1/2	6 1/2	9 3	27 10	17 15	12 10
June 1.....	3 1/2	7	10	0 10	6 1/2	9 3	27 10	19 5	12 10
July 5.....	3 1/2	7	10 1/2	1 2	7 1/2	9 4 1/2	27 10	18 5	12 10
August 2.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	10 1/2	1 2	7 1/2	9 4 1/2	28 0	19 15	12 10
September 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	1 3 1/2	7 1/2	9 9	27 15	19 10	13 10
October 3.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	11 1/2	1 4	8 1/2	9 9	27 0	21 5	13 0
November 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	11 1/2	1 4	8 1/2	9 9	27 10	21 0	12 10
December 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	11	1 3 1/2	7 1/2	9 9	28 0	18 10	12 0
1896.									
January 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	11	1 3 1/2	8	9 10 1/2	27 15	17 5	12 0
February 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	11	1 3	8 1/2	9 10 1/2	27 15	18 5	12 0
March 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	1 2 1/2	8 1/2	9 10 1/2	28 10	17 17 1/2	12 0
April 2.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	1 2	9	9 10 1/2	28 0	17 2 1/2	12 0
May 1.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	1 2	8 1/2	9 10 1/2	28 0	17 2 1/2	12 0
June 5.....	3 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	1 0	8	9 9	27 0	17 15	12 0
July 3.....	3 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	0 11 1/2	7 1/2	9 9	27 10	18 17 1/2	12 0
August 1.....	3 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	0 11 1/2	7 1/2	9 9	27 10	17 0	12 0
September 4.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	0 10 3/4	7 1/2	9 6	27 10	18 1 1/2	12 0
October 2.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	0 10 1/2	6 1/2	9 6	27 10	18 8 1/2	12 10
November 6.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	0 11 1/2	6 1/2	8 10 1/2	27 10	18 10	13 10
December 4.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	10 1/2	0 11 1/2	7 1/2	8 10 1/2	27 17 1/2	18 5	13 10
1897.									
January 1.....	4	7	10 1/2	0 11	7 1/2	8 10 1/2	27 10	17 7 1/2	13 10
February 5.....	3 3/4	7	10 1/2	0 10 1/2	7 1/2	9 4 1/2	26 10	16 5	13 10
March 5.....	3 3/4	6 1/2	10 1/2	0 10 1/2	7	9 4 1/2	26 10	16 15	14 0
April 2.....	4	7	10 1/2	0 10	6 1/2	9 4 1/2	26 10	16 0	14 10
May 1.....	4 1/2	7	10 1/2	0 10	6 1/2	9 7 1/2	27 0	15 17 1/2	14 0
June 4.....	4 1/2	7	10 1/2	0 9 1/2	7	9 6	26 5	15 5	13 0
July 2.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	7	9 4 1/2	25 15	14 15	13 0
August 6.....	4 1/2	7 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	7 1/2	9 4 1/2	25 5	15 12 1/2	13 13
September 3.....	4 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	7 1/2	9 1 1/2	25 5	15 6	13 13
October 1.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	8 1/2	9 3	25 5	15 15	13 13
November 5.....	3 3/4	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	8	9 4 1/2	26 0	15 17 1/2	12 0
December 3.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	7 1/2	9 4 1/2	26 0	17 0	12 0
1898.									
January 1.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	7 1/2	9 4 1/2	25 10	17 0	12 0
February 4.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9 1/2	8 1/2	9 4 1/2	25 5	18 15	11 0
March 4.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 9	8 1/2	10 9	24 10	18 15	11 0
April 1.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	24 0	18 17 1/2	11 0
May 6.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 8 1/2	8	10 9	24 10	25 10	11 0
June 3.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	8	10 9	25 0	25 0	12 0
July 1.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	25 0	33 10	12 0
August 5.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	24 10	30 10	12 0
September 2.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	24 5	30 10	12 0
October 7.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	24 5	31 10	13 0
November 4.....	3	6 1/2	9	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	24 15	26 10	13 0
December 2.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	24 10	23 15	13 0
1899.									
January 6.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	10 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
February 3.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	9 1/2	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	12 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
March 3.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	8 1/2	12 9	23 15	31 0	13 0
April 7.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	9	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0
May 6.....	3 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	10 1/2	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0
June 2.....	3 1/2	7	8 1/2	0 8 1/2	10 1/2	13 0	23 10	34 10	13 0

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III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

DATE.	AMERICAN WHEAT, RED WINTER.	GAZETTE AVERAGES (ENGLISH GRAIN).			FLOUR.	BEEF.		MUTTON.	POTATOES.	RICE.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Town-made, seconds.	Inferior.	Prime.	Prime.	Good Eng- lish.	Rangoon.
		Per quarter.			Per 280 lbs.	Per 8 pounds.			Per ton.	Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 4.....	1 3 0	1 0 5	1 0 10	0 13 9	0 19 0	2 8	4 4	5 4	3 15 0	5 8½
February 1.....	1 3 3	1 0 9	1 1 11	0 13 10	0 19 0	2 8	4 2	5 2	4 5 0	5 8½
March 1.....	1 3 3	0 19 10	1 2 2	0 13 9	0 18 9	2 8	4 4	6 0	5 0 0	5 6
April 4.....	1 4 3	1 0 3	1 0 10	0 14 0	0 18 9	2 8	4 6	6 8	4 17 6	5 0
May 3.....	1 4 3	1 0 9	1 0 8	0 14 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 10½
June 1.....	1 9 0	1 3 5	1 0 1	0 15 9	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	3 15 0	6 1½
July 5.....	1 8 0	1 6 1	1 0 3	0 16 7	1 2 6	2 8	4 6	5 6	3 0 0	5 1½
August 2.....	1 6 0	1 4 2	0 18 2	0 15 9	1 1 9	2 8	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 3½
September 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 10	1 3 5	0 14 5	1 1 3	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	5 3½
October 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 0	1 4 8	0 13 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 4	5 10	3 0 0	5 3
November 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 5	1 5 4	0 13 7	0 19 7½	2 8	4 2	5 10	2 15 0	5 6½
December 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 7	1 5 1	0 14 4	0 19 10½	2 4	4 4	5 10	2 15 0	5 4
1896.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 0	1 3 11	0 13 10	0 19 4½	2 6	4 4	5 10	2 10 0	5 2½
February 1.....	1 7 0	1 6 1	1 3 7	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 6	5 8	2 10 0	5 5½
March 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 8	1 1 10	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	2 5 0	5 7½
April 2.....	1 8 3	1 4 10	1 1 4	0 13 4	1 1 3	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 0 0	5 6½
May 1.....	1 7 3	1 5 6	1 1 0	0 13 11	1 1 0	2 4	4 4	5 0	2 0 0	5 7½
June 5.....	1 7 0	1 5 4	1 1 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 2	5 4	1 5 0	5 9
July 3.....	1 7 0	1 4 10	1 19 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 0	5 4	α 6 0 0	5 6
August 1.....	1 6 3	1 4 0	0 19 8	0 15 0	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 2	α 4 0 0	5 9
September 4.....	1 5 6	1 2 5	1 1 10	0 13 7	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 6	3 0 0	5 9
October 2.....		1 4 4	1 6 3	0 14 1	1 2 0	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 15 0	5 9
November 6.....	1 16 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	0 17 3	1 5 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 0 0	7 6
December 4.....	1 17 0	1 13 4	1 6 9	0 17 7	1 7 3	2 4	4 4	5 4	3 0 0	7 2½
1897.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 15 6	1 10 9	1 4 1	0 16 1	1 6 9	2 8	4 8	5 6	3 5 0	6 9
February 5.....	1 15 9	1 11 3	1 4 7	0 16 8	1 6 6	2 5	4 2	5 4	3 10 0	6 11
March 5.....	1 14 9	1 8 2	1 3 8	0 16 3	1 5 9	2 4	4 5	6 0	3 10 6	6 7½
April 2.....	1 12 6	1 7 0	1 2 5	0 16 3	1 4 3	2 6	4 4	6 2	3 10 0	6 6
May 1.....	1 11 9	1 6 6	1 0 7	0 16 7	1 4 0	2 6	4 6	5 6	3 5 0	6 6
June 4.....	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 1 3	0 17 10	1 5 0	2 4	4 6	5 8	3 0 0	6 10½
July 2.....	1 9 3	1 7 0	0 19 9	0 18 6	1 3 9	2 4	4 8	5 10	α 10 0 0	7 0
August 6.....	1 12 0	1 8 10	0 17 10	0 19 0	1 4 0	2 4	4 6	5 6	α 4 0 0	7 4½
September 3.....	1 16 6	1 11 8	1 2 5	0 17 1	1 11 6	2 4	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 3
October 1.....	1 18 6	1 13 11	1 9 7	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 5 0	7 7½
November 5.....	1 18 8	1 12 10	1 7 5	0 16 0	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
December 3.....	1 17 0	1 13 8	1 5 9	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 8	3 15 0	6 7½
1898.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 17 9	1 14 6	1 7 3	0 17 1	1 10 6	2 8	4 4	5 8	4 5 0	5 9
February 4.....	1 18 3	1 14 10	1 8 0	0 17 6	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 5 0	5 9
March 4.....	2 0 6	1 15 10	1 8 0	0 17 11	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 0 0	6 3
April 1.....	1 18 3	1 15 3	1 7 11	0 17 10	1 11 0	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 10 0	6 10½
May 6.....	2 10 0	2 2 4	1 7 8	1 0 4	1 15 6	2 4	4 2	5 0	5 10 0	8 0
					Town house- holds.					
June 3.....	2 5 6	2 6 3	1 6 10	1 1 0	1 17 6	2 4	4 2	5 2	5 10 0	8 0
July 1.....	1 16 6	1 18 3	1 3 4	1 0 8	1 14 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	α 6 0 0	7 10
August 5.....	1 14 5	1 15 7	1 6 11	1 0 7	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	α 4 0 0	7 4
September 2.....	1 9 0	1 10 7	1 7 6	0 19 3	1 7 0	2 0	3 10	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
October 7.....	1 9 6	1 5 9	1 7 0	0 16 7	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 2
November 4.....	1 12 6	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 17 2	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 3
December 2.....	1 11 6	1 7 7	1 8 6	0 17 1	1 4 6	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 10 0	.....
1899.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 11 6	1 7 6	1 8 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 8	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 1
February 3.....	1 11 6	1 6 6	1 7 2	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 6	4 4	5 4	3 10 0	7 7½
March 3.....	1 11 6	1 5 8	1 6 7	0 17 0	1 3 0	2 6	4 4	5 8	3 5 0	7 7½
April 7.....	1 11 6	1 4 11	1 6 2	0 16 11	1 2 0	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	7 1½
May 6.....	1 11 6	1 5 3	1 4 5	0 17 6	1 2 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	4 12 6	6 7½
June 2.....	1 11 6	1 5 4	1 4 4	0 18 1	1 2 0	2 8	4 4	6 0	2 15 0	6 8

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IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

DATE.	SUGAR.		TEA, CONGOU.		COFFEE.	OILS.		TALLOW.	Quarterly and monthly index number.
	Manila, low brown.	West India refining, sirups.	Common.	Good.	Ceylon, plantation low middling.	Petroleum.	Olive, Spanish.	Town.	
	Per cwt.		Per pound.		Per cwt.	Per gallon.	Per tun.	Per cwt.	
1895.									
January 4.....	s. d. 5 9	s. d. 9 3	d. 4	s. d. 1 1	s. d. 5 3 0	d. 4 1/2	s. d. 37 5 0	s. d. 1 3 0	1923
February 1.....	6 9	9 6	4 1/2	1 1	5 4 0	4 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 0	
March 1.....	6 9	9 3	4 1/2	1 1	5 5 0	4 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 9	
April 4.....	6 9	9 3	3 1/2	1 0	5 1 0	5 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 6	1921
May 3.....	6 9	10 0	3 1/2	1 0	4 19 0	7 1/2	37 10 0	1 3 9	
June 1.....	7 3	10 9	3 1/2	0 10	4 19 0	5 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 9	
July 5.....	6 10 1/2	11 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 18 0	5 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 9	1931
August 2.....	7 1 1/2	10 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 19 0	5 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 0	
September 1.....	7 1 1/2	11 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 18 0	5 1/2	37 0 0	1 3 0	
October 3.....		11 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 17 0	5 1/2	36 0 0	1 3 0	2000
November 1.....	7 1 1/2	11 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 17 0	5 1/2	34 10 0	1 3 0	
December 1.....	7 3	11 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 16 0	6 1/2	34 0 0	1 3 0	
1896.									
January 1.....	7 4 1/2	10 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	6 1/2	33 0 0	1 3 0	1999
February 1.....	8 0	11 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	5 1/2	32 0 0	1 3 0	1990
March 1.....	8 3	11 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 16 0	5 1/2	31 0 0	1 3 0	1992
April 2.....	8 2	11 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 17 0	5 1/2	30 10 0	1 1 6	1983
May 1.....	8 3	11 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 17 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	1 0 0	1959
June 5.....	8 3	11 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	1 0 0	1966
	Manila low tael.								
July 3.....	8 3	11 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	1 0 0	1947
August 1.....	7 1 1/2	11 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	5 1/2	29 0 0	0 19 3	1925
September 4.....	7 1 1/2	10 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 17 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	0 18 6	
October 2.....	7 0	10 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 18 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	1 0 0	1958
November 6.....	7 0	10 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 17 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	1 0 9	
December 4.....	7 1 1/2	10 3	3 1/2	0 9 1/2	4 17 0	5 1/2	29 10 0	1 0 9	
1897.									
January 1.....	7 7 1/2	10 3	3 1/2	0 9 1/2	4 16 0	5	29 10 0	1 0 9	1956
February 5.....		10 3	3 1/2	0 9 1/2	4 18 0	5 1/2	29 0 0	1 0 9	
March 5.....		10 3	4	0 9 1/2	5 3 0	4 1/2	30 0 0	1 0 9	
April 2.....	7 6	10 3	4	0 9 1/2	5 3 0	4 1/2	30 0 0	1 0 9	1947
May 1.....	7 4 1/2	10 3	4	0 9 1/2	5 2 0	4 1/2	30 0 0	1 0 9	
June 4.....	7 3 1/2	10 6	4	0 9 1/2	5 2 0	4 1/2	30 0 0	0 19 3	
July 2.....	7 1 1/2	11 0	4	0 9 1/2	5 0 0	4 1/2	30 0 0	0 19 3	1885
August 6.....		10 3	3 1/2	0 10	4 16 0	5 1/2	30 10 0	0 19 3	
September 3.....	6 9	9 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 18 0	4 1/2	31 10 0	0 19 3	1897
October 1.....		9 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 18 0	4 1/2	31 10 0	1 0 0	
November 5.....		9 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 18 0	4 1/2	31 10 0	1 0 0	
	Beet.								
December 3.....	9 0 1/2	10 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 13 0	4 1/2	31 10 0	1 0 0	1891
1898.									
January 1.....	9 7 1/2	9 9	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	4 1/2	31 10 0	1 1 6	
February 4.....	9 1 1/2	9 6	3 1/2	0 10	5 0 0	4 1/2	33 5 0	1 1 6	1890
March 4.....	9 3 1/2	9 6	3 1/2	0 10	4 13 0	4 1/2	33 0 0	1 1 6	
April 1.....	9 2 1/2	9 3	3 1/2	0 10	5 0 0	4 1/2	33 0 0	1 1 6	1885
May 6.....	9 4 1/2	10 9	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	4 1/2	33 0 0	1 3 0	
June 3.....	9 10 1/2	11 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 15 0	4 1/2	33 0 0	1 4 6	
July 1.....	9 7	11 0	3 1/2	0 10	4 5 0	4 1/2	33 0 0	1 3 0	1915
August 5.....	9 4 1/2	11 0	6	1 1	4 12 0	4 1/2	30 10 0	1 1 6	
September 2.....	9 6	10 6	7	1 1	4 18 0	5	30 10 0	1 1 6	1905
October 7.....	9 8 1/2	10 9	6	1 1	4 18 0	5 1/2	30 10 0	1 1 6	
November 4.....	9 8 1/2	10 9	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 1/2	30 10 0	1 1 6	
December 2.....	10 1 1/2	12 6	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 1/2	30 19 0	1 1 6	1918
1899.									
January 6.....	9 5 1/2	12 0	5	1 1	5 0 0	6 1/2	30 10 0	1 1 6	
February 3.....	9 10 1/2	12 0	5	1 1	4 15 0	6 1/2	30 10 0	1 3 9	
March 3.....	9 10 1/2	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	6	30 10 0	1 3 9	
April 7.....	10 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	5 1/2	31 0 0	1 3 9	1973
May 6.....	11 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	4 1/2	31 0 0	1 3 9	
June 2.....	11 1 1/2	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	5 1/2	31 0 0	1 3 9	

TREASURY FINANCIAL TABLES.

PUBLIC DEBT AND THE CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1899.

INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Title of loan.	Authorizing act.	Rate.	When redeemable.	Amount issued.	Outstanding May 31, 1899.			Outstanding March 1, 1885.	Outstanding March 1, 1889.	Outstanding March 1, 1893.
					Registered.	Coupon.	Total.			
				<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Loan of July 12, 1882.	July 12, 1882.	3 per cent.	Option U. S.	305,529,000				194,190,500		
Funded loan of 1891.	July 14, 1870 and Jan. 20, 1871.	4½ per cent. Continued at 2 per cent.	Sept. 1, 1891. Option U. S.	250,000,000	25,364,500		25,364,500	250,000,000	162,842,200	25,364,500
Funded loan of 1907.	do	4 per cent.	July 1, 1907.	740,913,600	491,311,900	68,340,350	559,652,250	737,707,200	681,138,000	559,595,000
Refunding certificates.	Feb. 26, 1879.	do		40,012,750			37,860	251,350	126,020	73,860
Loan of 1904.	Jan. 14, 1875.	5 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1904.	100,000,000	67,555,050	32,444,950	100,000,000			
Loan of 1925.	do	4 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1925.	162,315,400	113,953,450	48,361,950	162,315,400			
Ten-twenties of 1898.	June 13, 1898.	3 per cent.	After Aug. 1, 1908.	198,678,720	94,222,540	104,456,180	198,678,720			
Aggregate of interest-bearing debt.				1,797,449,470	792,407,440	253,603,430	1,046,048,730	1,182,149,050	844,106,220	585,034,260

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

Funded loan of 1891, matured Sept. 2, 1891.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old debt matured at various dates prior to Jan. 1, 1861, and other items of debt matured at various dates subsequent to Jan. 1, 1861.	112,850.00
Aggregate of debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,105,500.26
Bonds issued to Pacific railroads matured but not yet presented: Union Pacific, \$38,000; Central Pacific, \$40,000; Kansas Pacific, \$7,000; total.	1,218,350.26
	85,000.00

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

United States notes.	Feb. 25, 1862; July 11, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old demand notes.	July 17, 1861; Feb. 12, 1862.	346,681,016.00
National bank notes:		53,997.50
Redemption account.	July 14, 1890.	35,591,064.00
Fractional currency.	July 17, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863; June 30, 1864, less \$8,375,934, estimated as lost or destroyed, act of June 21, 1876.	6,882,342.66
Aggregate of debt bearing no interest.		389,208,420.16

CERTIFICATES AND NOTES ISSUED ON DEPOSITS OF COIN AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES AND PURCHASES OF SILVER BULLION.

Classification.		In Treasury.	In circulation.	Amount issued.
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold certificates.	Mar. 3, 1863; July 12, 1882.	1,648,640.00	32,786,189.00	34,434,829.00
Silver certificates.	Feb. 28, 1878; Aug. 4, 1886; Mar. 3, 1887.	3,958,862.00	401,298,642.00	405,257,504.00
Certificates of deposit.	June 8, 1872.	460,000.00	21,340,000.00	21,800,000.00
Treasury notes of 1890.	July 14, 1890.	923,498.00	93,101,782.00	94,025,280.00
Aggregate of certificates and Treasury notes offset by cash in the Treasury.		6,991,000.00	548,526,613.00	555,517,613.00

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	May 31, 1899.	April 30, 1899.	Increase.	Decrease.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Interest-bearing debt.	1,046,048,730.00	1,046,048,680.00	50.00	
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,218,350.26	1,218,390.26		40.00
Debt bearing no interest.	389,208,420.16	388,447,727.16	760,693.00	
Aggregate of interest and noninterest bearing debt.	1,436,475,500.42	1,435,714,797.42	760,743.00	40.00
Certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury.	555,517,613.00	554,356,613.00	1,161,000.00	
Aggregate of debt, including certificates and Treasury notes.	1,991,993,113.42	1,990,071,410.42	1,921,743.00	40.00

PUBLIC DEBT AND CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY,
1899—Continued.
CASH IN THE TREASURY.

CLASSIFICATION.			DEMAND LIABILITIES.		
Gold:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Coin	139,459,074.54		Gold certificates	34,434,829.00	
Bars	121,742,352.58	261,201,427.12	Silver certificates	405,257,504.00	
Silver:			Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872	21,800,000.00	
Dollars	415,606,941.00		Treasury notes of 1890	94,025,280.00	
Subsidiary coin	6,593,355.40		Fund for redemption of uncurrent national-		555,517,613.00
Bars	85,900,875.64	508,110,172.04	bank notes	9,157,737.51	
Paper:			Outstanding checks and drafts	4,707,006.51	
United States notes	35,585,592.00		Disbursing officers' balances	53,656,949.55	
Treasury notes of 1890	923,498.00		Agency accounts, etc	7,443,662.90	
Gold certificates	1,648,640.00				74,963,356.47
Silver certificates	3,958,862.00		<i>Dollars.</i>		
Certificates of deposit, act June 8, 1872	460,000.00		Gold reserve	100,000,000.00	
National-bank notes	4,029,191.24	46,605,783.24	Net cash balance	167,584,093.98	
Other:					267,584,093.98
Bonds, interest and coupons paid, await-					
ing reimbursement	75,015.79				
Minor coin and fractional currency	314,386.70				
Deposits in national-bank depositories—					
General account	75,925,985.85				
Disbursing officers' balances	5,834,292.71	82,149,681.05			
Aggregate		898,067,063.45	Aggregate		898,067,063.45
Cash balance in the Treasury April 30, 1899					263,127,533.05
Cash balance in the Treasury May 31, 1899					267,584,093.98
Increase during the month					4,456,560.93

AMOUNTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND CERTIFICATES, UNITED STATES NOTES, AND NATIONAL-BANK
NOTES IN CIRCULATION JUNE 1, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

CLASSIFICATION.	June 1, 1898.			June 1, 1899.		
	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin	760,274,281	110,702,400	649,571,881	863,741,252	139,459,075	724,282,177
Silver, standard dollars	461,180,422	403,583,999	57,596,423	479,041,158	415,606,941	63,434,217
Subsidiary	76,086,089	12,044,089	64,042,000	76,638,335	6,593,355	70,044,980
Notes, United States	346,681,016	56,478,029	290,202,987	346,681,016	35,585,592	311,095,424
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890	101,981,280	1,754,425	100,226,855	94,025,280	923,498	93,101,782
National-bank	227,696,370	3,086,734	224,609,636	242,146,789	4,029,191	238,117,598
Certificates, gold	37,486,149	1,002,940	35,883,209	34,434,829	1,648,640	32,786,189
silver	397,732,504	6,507,239	391,225,265	405,257,504	3,958,862	401,298,642
currency	26,600,000	60,000	26,540,000	21,800,000	460,000	21,340,000
Total		595,819,855	1,839,898,256		608,265,154	1,955,501,009

Population of the United States June 1, 1898, estimated at 74,339,000; circulation per capita, \$24.73. June 1, 1899, population estimated at 75,011,000; circulation per capita, \$25.73.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION ON MAY 1 AND JUNE 1, 1898 AND 1899, AND THE CHANGES
IN CIRCULATION DURING MAY, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	In circulation—				From May 1, 1899.	
	May 1, 1898.	June 1, 1898.	May 1, 1899.	June 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin	617,038,510	649,571,881	701,077,442	724,282,177		23,204,735
Silver, standard dollars	58,561,008	57,596,423	64,023,325	63,434,217	589,108	
Subsidiary	64,586,273	64,042,000	69,784,194	70,044,980		260,786
Notes, United States	258,048,318	290,202,987	312,057,405	311,095,424	961,981	
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890	99,588,970	100,223,855	93,559,041	93,101,782	457,259	
National-bank	223,381,790	224,609,636	238,877,207	238,117,598	759,609	
Certificates, gold	35,951,999	35,883,209	32,845,029	32,786,189	58,840	
silver	392,686,574	391,225,265	400,379,249	401,298,642		919,393
currency	26,915,000	26,540,000	21,265,000	21,340,000		75,000
Total	1,806,761,442	1,839,898,256	1,933,867,892	1,955,501,009		21,633,117

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MONEY AND BULLION IN TREASURY DURING MAY,
1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.**

CLASSIFICATION.	In Treasury—				From May 1, 1899.	
	May 1, 1898.	June 1, 1898.	May 1, 1899.	June 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Gold coin.....	133,518,601	110,702,400	158,155,309	139,459,075	18,696,234	.....
Standard silver dollars.....	401,323,414	403,583,999	412,803,833	415,606,941	.....	2,803,108
Subsidiary silver.....	12,018,967	12,014,089	6,926,631	6,593,355	333,276	.....
Treasury notes, act July 14, 1890.....	3,102,310	1,754,425	959,233	923,498	35,741	.....
United States notes.....	58,632,698	56,478,029	34,623,611	35,585,592	.....	951,981
National-bank notes.....	2,728,961	3,086,734	3,919,501	4,029,191	.....	109,690
Total.....	611,324,951	587,649,676	617,388,124	602,197,652	19,065,251	3,874,779
Gold bullion.....	81,671,535	96,998,864	120,829,945	121,742,353	.....	912,408
Silver bullion.....	99,551,902	98,443,952	87,916,328	85,909,876	2,006,452	.....
Total.....	794,548,388	783,092,492	826,134,397	809,849,881	16,284,516	.....

PAPER CURRENCY OF EACH DENOMINATION OUTSTANDING MAY 31, 1899.

[Prepared by Treasurer's office.]

DENOMINATION.	United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Gold certificates.	Silver certificates.	Total.	Currency certificates. (a)
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
One dollar.....	2,275,103	12,733,613	348,721	.....	40,125,036	55,482,478	.....
Two dollars.....	2,130,118	8,983,782	167,876	.....	22,554,562	33,836,338	.....
Five dollars.....	73,565,322	32,439,560	74,027,625	.....	107,208,115	287,240,622	.....
Ten dollars.....	93,077,701	27,473,120	75,542,980	.....	126,217,916	322,311,717	.....
Twenty dollars.....	79,326,372	8,758,050	56,540,060	4,503,274	80,193,470	229,321,226	.....
Fifty dollars.....	13,518,400	156,550	11,655,550	2,546,155	23,057,435	50,934,090	.....
One hundred dollars.....	24,027,500	1,600,600	23,696,500	3,493,400	5,624,470	58,442,470	.....
Five hundred dollars.....	12,380,500	.....	108,000	3,293,500	115,500	15,897,500	.....
One thousand dollars.....	47,355,000	1,880,000	28,000	5,373,500	161,000	54,797,500	.....
Five thousand dollars.....	15,000	.....	.....	4,815,000	.....	4,830,000	410,000
Ten thousand dollars.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,410,000	.....	10,420,000	21,390,000
Fractional parts.....	.....	.....	31,476	.....	.....	31,476	.....
Total.....	347,681,016	94,025,280	242,146,788	34,434,829	405,257,504	1,123,545,417	21,800,000
Unknown, destroyed.....	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000,000	.....
Net.....	346,681,016	94,025,280	242,146,788	34,434,829	405,257,504	1,122,545,417	21,800,000

^a Issued under act of June 8, 1872, and representing United States notes deposited in the Treasury.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Warrant Division, Secretary's office.]

RECEIPTS.

SOURCE OF REVENUE AND OBJECT OF EXPENDITURE.	May—		Five months ending May—		Eleven months ending May—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Customs.....	13,466,534.17	18,367,906.99	72,421,115.92	91,860,602.92	135,261,865.14	188,061,904.33
Internal revenue.....	14,492,208.70	23,720,729.44	66,645,998.40	108,823,292.87	153,259,674.04	247,535,630.63
Miscellaneous.....	2,116,075.41	2,697,377.39	22,885,384.20	22,498,207.89	82,478,229.28	33,491,295.03
Total.....	30,074,818.28	44,786,013.82	161,952,498.52	223,182,103.68	371,001,768.46	469,088,829.99

EXPENDITURES.

Civil and miscellaneous.....	5,706,900.11	8,048,527.11	34,881,378.60	61,962,536.98	90,332,674.56	112,151,558.99
War.....	17,093,595.86	10,344,134.53	37,203,829.64	74,766,412.86	72,233,996.94	221,025,606.60
Navy.....	9,093,577.20	4,768,694.66	32,178,826.00	23,895,864.38	49,342,741.63	60,312,159.80
Indians.....	566,437.67	910,129.84	5,591,978.06	6,524,097.57	10,538,149.93	12,199,176.24
Pensions.....	12,382,085.55	12,129,048.00	59,894,578.67	57,508,567.62	136,382,920.21	129,023,032.04
Interest.....	3,067,313.06	4,312,470.60	17,591,791.90	19,824,302.58	36,692,622.14	38,998,438.47
Total.....	47,849,909.45	40,513,004.74	187,342,382.87	244,482,381.99	395,523,105.41	573,709,912.64

GOLD IN THE TREASURY AND REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD.

[Prepared in the office of the Treasurer of the United States.]

MONTHS.	GOLD AND GOLD BULLION IN TREASURY, AND GOLD CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.				REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD DURING EACH MONTH.		
	Total gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	Gold certificates in Treasury.	Gold certificates in circulation.	Net gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	United States notes. (a)	Treasury notes of 1890. (b)	Total.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January.....	142,665,594.37	78,350	77,015,419	65,650,175.37	118,841	237,515	356,356
February.....	177,462,797.49	106,490	70,935,729	106,527,068.49	10,982,624	8,210,730	19,193,354
March.....	176,456,044.63	137,310	70,306,909	106,149,135.63	2,266,426	1,194,766	3,461,192
April.....	170,192,457.63	102,770	60,990,449	100,202,008.63	6,072,042	1,594,085	7,666,127
May.....	148,067,816.58	41,650	69,374,549	78,693,267.58	25,131,412	1,400,670	26,541,082
June.....	131,217,433.55	43,490	66,344,400	64,873,024.55	20,708,492	1,461,401	22,169,893
July.....	120,922,836.41	103,470	65,947,229	54,975,607.41	13,367,864	555,511	13,923,375
August.....	120,885,869.49	34,730	65,668,969	55,216,900.49	4,209,853	531,560	4,741,413
September.....	123,665,756.92	55,260	64,790,499	58,875,317.92	636,031	300,487	936,518
October.....	125,613,895.73	50,280	64,252,069	61,361,826.73	2,542,719	505,171	3,047,890
November.....	164,350,468.01	751,370	58,925,899	105,424,569.01	7,085,133	714,614	7,799,747
December.....	139,606,354.05	58,960	53,361,909	86,244,445.05	30,819,622	1,087,599	31,907,221
1895.							
January.....	97,353,770.27	337,060	52,647,809	44,705,967.27	43,415,283	1,702,455	45,117,738
February.....	138,593,280.14	80,100	51,507,769	87,085,511.14	4,784,907	770,045	5,560,952
March.....	139,486,496.08	84,660	48,843,189	90,483,307.08	809,495	279,590	1,089,085
April.....	139,998,153.35	63,640	48,751,009	91,247,144.35	733,525	284,046	1,017,571
May.....	147,690,977.53	102,390	48,539,569	99,151,408.53	734,747	431,745	1,166,492
June.....	155,893,931.46	88,390	48,381,569	107,512,362.46	644,021	401,575	1,046,196
July.....	155,354,065.79	219,330	48,117,579	107,236,486.79	3,122,620	704,175	3,826,795
August.....	149,410,926.27	209,820	49,081,089	100,329,837.27	16,218,815	345,252	16,564,067
September.....	143,557,512.75	103,370	50,645,539	92,911,973.75	17,119,814	257,670	17,377,484
October.....	143,360,838.92	168,230	50,417,659	92,943,179.92	1,849,018	317,865	2,166,883
November.....	129,567,945.32	107,610	50,233,979	79,333,966.32	15,618,190	418,400	16,034,590
December.....	113,198,707.67	163,450	49,986,439	63,262,268.67	19,787,951	424,744	20,212,695
1896.							
January.....	99,693,356.57	131,140	49,847,849	49,845,507.57	15,686,024	762,484	16,448,508
February.....	167,695,998.46	651,470	43,733,019	123,962,979.46	21,080,551	656,325	21,736,876
March.....	171,885,709.86	583,220	43,239,249	128,646,460.86	6,381,296	475,250	6,856,546
April.....	168,446,459.31	764,910	43,052,559	125,393,900.31	6,754,718	375,900	7,130,618
May.....	151,307,142.91	687,280	42,961,900	108,345,233.91	21,726,600	312,947	22,039,547
June.....	144,020,363.91	497,430	42,320,759	101,699,604.91	7,963,994	297,353	8,261,347
July.....	150,012,224.72	1,393,710	39,293,479	110,718,745.73	16,275,406	1,009,672	17,285,078
August.....	139,825,200.09	1,618,550	38,867,639	100,957,561.09	11,388,806	980,919	12,369,725
September.....	162,771,311.21	1,591,900	38,736,639	124,034,672.21	3,436,733	1,224,713	4,661,446
October.....	155,323,832.63	1,390,830	38,197,309	117,126,523.63	9,906,832	2,167,003	12,073,835
November.....	169,527,101.34	1,416,390	38,016,749	131,510,352.34	3,137,149	925,261	4,062,410
December.....	175,203,982.52	1,392,350	37,887,439	137,316,543.52	858,444	273,402	1,131,846
1897.							
January.....	182,387,121.93	1,460,160	37,586,629	144,800,492.93	594,412	351,566	946,068
February.....	186,206,028.43	1,501,970	37,544,819	148,661,209.43	521,355	402,769	924,124
March.....	189,242,803.04	1,483,350	37,456,339	152,786,464.04	679,382	569,947	1,249,329
April.....	190,762,888.81	1,517,690	37,421,999	153,340,889.81	6,934,575	567,433	7,502,008
May.....	181,707,391.74	1,455,340	37,387,829	144,319,562.74	8,044,965	837,635	8,882,600
June.....	178,076,656.79	1,496,250	37,285,919	140,790,737.79	6,594,864	518,581	7,113,445
July.....	178,044,577.73	1,473,290	37,226,879	140,817,698.73	5,072,208	202,935	5,275,143
August.....	181,234,165.59	1,509,380	37,017,789	144,216,376.59	2,875,606	210,070	3,116,276
September.....	184,561,664.39	1,535,610	36,898,559	147,663,105.39	2,598,140	144,033	2,742,173
October.....	190,387,256.36	1,534,060	36,814,109	153,573,147.36	2,505,376	190,925	2,696,301
November.....	194,089,260.35	1,548,740	36,725,400	157,363,851.35	1,786,711	323,705	2,110,416
December.....	197,469,235.88	1,570,460	36,557,689	160,911,546.88	1,815,734	203,665	2,019,399
1898.							
January.....	200,731,551.98	1,567,390	36,494,759	164,236,792.98	1,108,548	103,368	1,209,916
February.....	204,063,971.24	1,574,360	36,440,789	167,623,182.24	1,407,273	228,540	1,635,813
March.....	210,903,334.51	1,607,950	36,319,199	174,584,115.51	1,329,038	254,732	1,583,770
April.....	217,190,135.89	1,603,150	35,951,999	181,238,136.89	779,668	376,239	1,155,907
May.....	207,701,263.97	1,602,940	35,883,209	171,818,054.97	268,041	280,956	548,997
June.....	202,825,048.56	1,599,510	35,820,639	167,004,409.56	757,367	146,485	903,852
July.....	225,138,393.10	1,593,470	35,693,679	189,444,714.10	3,860,995	230,072	4,091,067
August.....	253,377,493.83	1,646,146	35,473,009	217,904,484.83	552,111	61,651	613,762
September.....	278,691,452.19	1,596,890	35,393,909	243,297,543.19	381,082	62,780	443,871
October.....	275,224,071.48	1,601,240	35,338,909	239,885,162.48	313,242	34,396	347,578
November.....	276,944,092.75	1,620,400	35,280,649	241,663,443.75	501,398	151,855	653,253
December.....	281,729,434.78	1,608,740	35,200,259	246,529,175.78	1,740,945	933,809	2,674,754
1899.							
January.....	261,692,279.72	1,630,060	33,039,939	228,652,340.72	2,556,940	1,680,782	4,237,722
February.....	264,691,476.65	1,625,890	32,966,839	231,724,637.65	2,155,856	846,049	3,001,905
March.....	278,306,355.72	1,634,180	32,892,649	245,413,706.72	1,600,532	743,221	2,343,753
April.....	278,985,254.61	1,641,800	32,845,029	246,140,225.61	1,255,091	526,179	1,781,270
May.....	261,201,427.12	1,648,640	32,786,189	228,415,238.12	1,878,189	847,189	2,725,378

a Legal-tender notes, commonly called "greenbacks."

b Notes issued in payment of silver bullion also a full legal tender.

SILVER COINAGE AND CIRCULATION.

STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS COINED, IN THE TREASURY, AND IN CIRCULATION; SILVER BULLION IN THE TREASURY; TREASURY NOTES OF 1890 OUTSTANDING; AND SILVER CERTIFICATES IN THE TREASURY AND IN CIRCULATION, AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

MONTHS.	Estimated dollars in country.	Bullion in Treasury.	Dollars in Treasury.	Dollars in circulation.	Treasury notes of 1890 outstanding.	Certificates in Treasury.	Certificates in circulation.	Net silver in Treasury.	Standard silver dollars coined.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January	419,332,777	127,215,171	363,597,057	55,735,720	153,070,908	6,758,196	330,161,308	7,580,012	-----
February	419,332,777	127,216,957	364,758,231	54,574,546	153,001,184	6,942,257	331,119,247	7,854,757	-----
March	419,333,029	127,220,207	365,807,734	53,525,295	152,900,317	8,735,240	329,447,264	10,680,360	252
April	419,333,029	127,228,437	366,677,908	52,655,121	152,813,072	9,367,524	330,305,980	10,787,293	-----
May	419,333,029	127,231,043	367,380,338	51,952,691	152,679,742	9,702,545	329,959,959	11,972,280	-----
June	419,333,208	127,267,347	368,141,831	51,191,377	152,584,417	10,054,123	327,094,381	15,730,380	179
July	419,756,208	127,113,753	368,796,668	50,959,540	152,447,126	12,027,706	324,491,738	18,971,557	423,060
August	420,504,208	126,454,771	368,991,724	51,512,484	152,151,369	13,492,527	325,217,977	18,507,631	748,000
September	421,176,408	126,104,475	366,900,165	54,276,243	151,609,267	9,155,785	330,520,719	10,874,654	672,200
October	421,776,408	125,261,863	365,332,738	50,443,670	151,140,568	6,569,203	331,143,301	8,310,732	609,000
November	422,176,408	125,351,523	364,726,543	57,449,865	150,979,070	5,312,420	332,317,084	6,781,912	400,000
December	422,426,749	125,014,161	364,537,659	57,889,090	150,823,731	5,846,720	331,077,781	7,650,305	250,311
1895.									
January	422,026,749	124,852,679	366,753,119	55,873,630	150,751,541	7,329,232	326,467,272	14,386,985	200,000
February	422,826,749	124,551,374	368,177,389	54,649,360	150,705,157	7,291,089	325,816,415	16,207,191	200,000
March	422,927,039	124,673,187	369,009,182	53,917,857	150,330,089	7,374,748	323,746,756	19,605,524	100,290
April	423,127,039	124,583,685	369,713,330	53,413,709	149,584,471	7,699,233	323,215,271	21,497,273	200,000
May	423,277,219	124,528,559	370,464,640	52,812,570	148,044,280	6,692,333	321,553,171	25,395,757	150,180
June	423,289,219	124,479,849	371,306,057	51,983,162	146,088,400	9,162,752	319,731,752	29,965,754	12,000
July	423,289,219	124,670,701	371,542,513	51,746,706	145,490,280	10,577,386	320,355,118	30,367,816	-----
August	423,289,219	124,687,226	370,704,376	52,584,843	144,495,280	7,741,243	323,772,261	27,124,061	-----
September	423,289,309	124,652,406	368,142,782	55,146,527	143,666,280	7,862,667	330,434,837	18,694,071	90
October	423,289,309	124,721,501	364,935,217	58,354,092	141,092,280	8,953,268	333,456,236	15,108,202	-----
November	423,289,309	124,603,759	364,528,596	58,760,713	139,583,260	8,471,611	335,855,893	13,693,182	-----
December	423,289,629	124,612,532	364,083,702	59,205,927	137,771,280	9,625,856	336,076,648	13,257,061	320
1896.									
January	423,289,629	124,575,129	366,659,953	56,629,676	137,324,280	14,380,165	331,614,339	22,296,463	-----
February	424,789,629	123,171,286	369,273,688	55,515,941	136,719,280	11,831,561	332,545,943	23,179,751	1,500,000
March	426,289,916	122,187,206	371,497,164	54,792,752	136,081,280	11,290,078	337,092,426	20,570,664	1,500,287
April	427,789,916	120,939,560	374,187,554	53,602,362	132,069,280	11,578,091	338,834,413	23,223,421	1,500,000
May	429,289,916	119,989,914	376,572,499	52,717,417	131,385,280	10,629,424	336,313,080	28,864,053	1,500,000
June	430,790,041	119,053,695	378,014,043	52,175,998	129,683,280	11,359,995	331,259,509	36,724,949	1,500,125
July	431,852,041	118,753,758	379,852,244	51,999,797	128,343,280	12,375,833	331,656,671	38,606,051	1,062,000
August	434,502,041	116,681,740	381,056,160	53,445,881	128,741,280	11,464,610	345,739,894	25,256,726	2,650,000
September	437,202,141	114,829,399	380,688,963	56,513,178	125,004,280	10,045,030	354,431,474	11,082,608	2,700,100
October	439,552,141	113,064,557	381,361,339	58,100,802	123,229,280	8,686,382	357,777,122	13,419,494	2,350,000
November	441,466,141	112,137,954	382,972,206	58,493,845	121,677,280	11,591,383	356,312,121	17,120,849	1,914,000
December	443,166,391	110,815,247	384,584,572	58,581,819	119,816,280	14,227,704	356,655,800	18,927,729	1,700,250
1897.									
January	444,978,391	109,704,519	388,017,255	56,361,136	118,398,280	11,678,971	361,336,533	18,586,953	1,812,000
February	446,318,391	108,914,614	390,939,629	55,378,762	117,550,280	9,876,003	363,709,501	18,594,462	1,340,000
March	447,718,641	107,862,463	393,211,322	54,507,319	117,131,280	12,535,351	364,026,153	19,916,351	1,400,250
April	449,118,641	106,990,150	395,342,193	53,776,448	116,696,280	13,777,565	363,753,939	21,882,124	1,400,000
May	450,518,641	106,042,492	397,511,546	53,007,095	115,782,280	11,576,696	362,768,808	25,002,950	1,400,000
June	451,993,742	104,591,039	399,992,540	52,001,202	114,867,280	17,143,136	358,336,368	31,379,931	1,475,101
July	451,993,742	105,109,460	400,338,020	51,655,722	113,914,280	14,465,854	357,938,650	33,594,550	-----
August	451,993,742	105,125,123	398,908,078	53,085,664	112,672,280	11,249,167	367,863,337	23,497,584	-----
September	452,093,792	105,078,556	394,948,022	57,145,770	111,334,280	10,532,205	374,620,299	14,071,993	100,050
October	452,713,792	104,853,852	392,517,014	60,196,778	109,313,280	11,331,585	372,838,919	15,218,667	620,000
November	454,213,792	103,531,722	392,933,031	61,280,761	107,793,280	11,664,537	373,298,967	15,372,506	1,500,000
December	455,818,122	102,284,736	394,327,049	61,488,073	106,348,280	11,229,912	376,693,592	13,567,913	1,604,330
1898.									
January	457,068,122	101,379,158	397,589,829	59,478,293	105,531,280	14,959,564	373,515,940	19,921,767	1,250,000
February	458,100,347	100,819,300	399,079,443	59,020,904	104,669,280	11,621,077	380,287,427	14,942,036	1,032,225
March	459,200,422	99,829,432	400,637,825	58,562,597	103,615,280	6,859,606	387,770,898	9,081,079	1,100,075
April	459,884,422	99,551,902	401,323,414	58,561,008	102,691,280	3,638,930	392,686,574	5,497,462	684,000
May	461,180,422	98,443,952	403,583,999	57,596,423	101,981,280	6,507,239	391,225,265	8,821,406	1,296,000
June	461,996,522	98,195,494	404,736,731	57,256,791	101,207,280	7,897,424	390,659,080	11,065,865	816,100
July	462,306,522	97,871,696	405,013,186	57,293,336	100,213,280	9,803,068	389,119,436	13,552,166	310,000
August	464,044,522	96,141,237	406,266,209	57,738,313	99,260,280	8,117,131	392,990,373	10,156,793	1,698,000
September	464,831,557	96,066,097	404,045,769	60,788,828	98,549,280	6,636,789	393,423,735	8,136,362	830,075
October	466,836,597	94,675,773	403,399,342	63,437,255	97,833,280	7,575,929	391,177,575	9,064,260	2,002,000
November	468,228,597	92,359,250	404,258,264	63,980,333	97,193,260	6,345,358	392,818,146	7,666,088	1,402,000
December	470,244,857	92,192,207	405,061,304	65,183,553	96,523,280	7,098,509	392,331,995	8,398,236	2,006,260
1899.									
January	471,780,857	91,228,953	408,351,769	63,429,088	95,982,280	7,293,820	392,337,684	11,260,758	1,536,000
February	473,292,657	90,189,188	410,157,482	63,135,375	95,511,280	5,888,799	396,400,705	8,434,685	1,512,000
March	475,193,158	88,825,937	410,656,070	61,536,488	94,954,280	3,756,498	398,874,006	5,654,321	2,308,591
April	476,827,158	87,916,328	412,803,833	61,023,325	94,518,280	3,617,255	400,379,240	5,822,632	1,631,000
May	479,041,158	85,909,876	415,606,941	63,434,217	94,023,280	3,958,862	401,298,642	6,192,895	2,214,000

PAPER MONEY AND SUBSIDIARY COIN IN THE TREASURY, CASH BALANCE, CIRCULATION, AND PER CAPITA CIRCULATION, BY MONTHS.

AT THE END OF MONTH OF—	POPULATION.	CIRCULATION.	PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.	IN THE TREASURY.				
				Net United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Subsidiary coin.	Cash balance.
1894.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	67,789,000	1,739,783,511	25.66	2,367,190	2,315,506	14,526,887	15,932,847	84,082,100
February	67,910,000	1,695,765,152	24.90	5,265,488	11,962,418	12,640,479	16,594,888	138,062,365
March	68,032,000	1,690,714,808	24.85	3,369,660	11,583,462	10,758,809	17,073,268	133,950,025
April	68,153,000	1,691,793,990	24.82	4,967,328	11,786,958	8,750,430	17,502,120	125,097,786
May	68,275,000	1,675,669,401	24.54	16,840,927	12,605,052	7,520,998	17,582,973	117,854,330
June	68,397,000	1,664,061,232	24.33	18,973,645	17,722,408	6,598,893	17,889,531	117,584,130
July	68,519,000	1,657,574,239	24.19	20,421,791	22,528,599	4,895,465	17,970,261	119,065,352
August	68,642,000	1,646,671,481	23.99	24,840,913	27,598,920	5,567,162	17,720,835	127,148,097
September	68,764,000	1,655,038,982	24.07	23,642,535	30,113,893	5,017,748	16,809,713	119,919,719
October	68,887,000	1,672,093,422	24.27	12,161,311	28,425,172	4,970,188	15,424,113	107,340,146
November	69,010,000	1,637,226,451	23.72	12,635,527	26,404,104	4,169,283	14,724,392	144,507,606
December	69,134,000	1,626,568,622	23.52	34,914,158	28,369,950	4,759,972	14,483,636	153,337,580
1895.								
January	69,257,000	1,613,657,515	23.30	52,056,673	33,571,316	6,333,175	15,481,586	144,603,304
February	69,387,000	1,574,534,557	22.69	47,767,758	26,455,457	5,154,293	16,131,145	178,197,586
March	69,505,000	1,581,184,424	22.79	52,920,257	28,872,489	4,449,893	16,577,511	187,917,261
April	69,629,000	1,599,434,154	22.97	41,992,111	27,743,971	4,959,625	16,516,559	180,817,916
May	69,752,000	1,606,179,556	23.02	31,497,084	30,089,473	4,899,226	16,589,443	185,370,100
June	69,878,000	1,604,131,968	22.96	26,166,560	30,109,692	4,643,489	16,552,845	195,240,154
July	70,002,000	1,614,533,786	23.06	18,411,899	31,485,689	5,642,488	16,532,036	187,149,531
August	70,127,000	1,603,583,028	22.87	22,589,263	35,058,618	7,600,591	16,055,743	184,039,156
September	70,253,000	1,585,593,509	22.57	42,476,600	36,630,845	6,018,775	14,882,336	185,405,363
October	70,378,000	1,598,859,316	22.72	50,954,735	26,565,611	6,523,602	13,426,421	179,947,936
November	70,504,000	1,594,195,479	22.61	65,833,519	24,322,958	6,391,746	13,032,387	177,406,587
December	70,630,000	1,579,206,724	22.36	83,220,143	22,044,511	7,063,137	12,764,321	178,027,291
1896.								
January	70,756,000	1,589,720,607	22.47	72,010,176	27,103,095	10,409,650	14,186,737	171,591,778
February	70,882,000	1,528,742,057	21.59	73,397,443	30,644,730	8,630,538	14,820,486	262,707,007
March	71,009,000	1,528,629,463	21.53	79,932,534	32,352,314	7,110,998	15,246,374	271,641,748
April	71,136,000	1,540,007,082	21.65	76,401,635	32,148,255	7,587,158	15,459,003	270,090,661
May	71,263,000	1,521,584,283	21.35	87,688,261	33,304,774	10,002,385	15,637,424	267,193,211
June	71,390,000	1,509,725,200	21.15	89,389,658	34,465,919	10,668,620	15,730,976	267,432,097
July	71,518,000	1,514,903,142	21.18	67,730,478	34,394,748	11,933,422	16,004,145	256,158,472
August	71,645,000	1,539,169,634	21.48	76,321,282	35,478,756	13,815,370	15,909,801	243,346,401
September	71,774,000	1,582,302,289	22.05	62,828,716	36,040,233	12,834,494	15,126,483	241,154,455
October	71,902,000	1,627,055,614	22.63	57,265,690	39,269,516	12,981,868	14,632,846	233,572,763
November	72,030,000	1,616,444,746	22.86	33,505,533	41,529,379	13,065,471	14,570,200	225,357,093
December	72,159,000	1,650,223,400	22.87	34,983,258	35,645,059	14,278,970	14,215,766	228,320,380
1897.								
January	72,288,000	1,665,977,688	23.05	12,844,780	35,664,898	17,328,389	15,414,575	215,362,421
February	72,418,000	1,675,694,953	23.14	9,421,400	32,003,659	15,005,984	15,805,023	212,837,256
March	72,547,000	1,669,000,694	23.01	23,707,376	26,886,470	11,374,958	15,974,428	222,045,600
April	72,677,000	1,666,560,383	22.93	29,037,880	24,442,650	8,676,050	16,163,767	228,090,517
May	72,807,000	1,659,733,895	22.80	32,047,213	29,140,874	7,109,698	16,210,920	230,113,813
June	72,937,000	1,646,028,246	22.57	36,967,438	30,962,083	5,030,919	16,210,344	240,137,627
July	73,068,000	1,616,471,139	22.53	31,956,064	32,350,393	5,688,791	16,286,660	233,016,457
August	73,199,000	1,665,680,098	22.76	28,973,702	29,526,968	4,517,847	15,335,285	218,561,207
September	73,330,000	1,678,840,538	22.89	42,060,472	21,518,217	3,814,835	13,455,175	215,192,787
October	73,461,000	1,706,732,904	23.23	39,399,018	7,553,325	4,998,012	11,981,078	207,756,100
November	73,593,000	1,721,084,538	23.39	35,858,016	3,116,882	4,678,007	11,191,630	220,663,560
December	73,725,000	1,721,100,640	23.34	40,885,089	2,904,344	5,186,886	10,679,899	235,474,769
1898.								
January	73,857,000	1,729,991,228	23.42	23,883,606	4,733,614	6,162,923	11,707,173	223,871,786
February	73,990,000	1,726,576,659	23.33	34,086,830	6,204,850	3,417,842	11,960,092	225,564,204
March	74,122,000	1,756,058,645	23.69	41,475,429	3,905,848	2,739,491	11,965,278	226,166,944
April	74,255,000	1,806,761,442	24.33	31,717,698	3,102,310	2,728,961	12,018,967	215,810,622
May	74,389,000	1,839,898,256	24.73	29,938,029	1,754,425	3,086,734	12,044,089	195,754,815
June	74,522,000	1,843,435,749	24.74	34,063,687	2,541,700	4,770,474	12,097,682	205,657,571
July	74,656,000	1,809,198,344	24.23	46,621,829	4,477,727	4,723,423	11,995,083	254,844,215
August	74,790,000	1,792,096,545	23.96	54,005,435	4,339,626	4,415,724	10,993,448	294,487,085
September	74,925,000	1,816,596,392	24.24	37,385,851	1,844,997	3,689,265	9,196,708	307,557,504
October	75,059,000	1,866,575,782	24.87	20,324,396	1,263,500	4,659,172	7,854,660	300,238,275
November	75,194,000	1,886,879,504	25.09	14,754,970	1,411,798	4,675,744	6,673,204	292,376,790
December	75,330,000	1,897,301,412	25.19	13,800,268	1,580,529	5,480,141	5,959,343	294,764,695
1899.								
January	75,465,000	1,918,260,557	25.42	14,867,858	1,988,527	5,748,207	6,931,831	274,584,676
February	75,601,000	1,928,842,612	25.51	15,270,618	1,306,821	3,709,359	7,185,217	269,103,513
March	75,737,000	1,927,846,942	25.45	13,826,689	878,579	2,873,462	6,894,375	284,043,164
April	75,875,000	1,933,867,892	25.49	13,358,611	959,239	3,919,501	6,926,631	263,127,533
May	76,011,000	1,955,501,009	25.73	14,245,592	923,498	4,029,191	6,593,355	267,584,094

RECEIPTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	INTERNAL REVENUE.							MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTAL.
	CUSTOMS.	Spirits.	Tobacco.	Fermented liquors.	Stamp taxes.	Other sources.	Total.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1895—July.....	14,076,954.39	6,425,496.35	2,621,675.78	3,667,785.90	.....	183,447.22	12,898,405.25	2,094,208.25	29,099,697.89
August.....	15,632,047.10	5,645,032.93	2,777,802.58	3,632,792.06	.....	116,477.39	12,172,104.96	1,141,544.64	28,952,696.70
September.....	14,653,967.45	6,367,542.50	2,676,066.69	3,088,522.26	.....	127,877.28	12,260,008.73	635,701.87	27,549,678.05
October.....	13,773,055.12	7,491,978.27	2,969,814.10	2,575,511.91	.....	188,278.89	13,216,583.17	912,103.87	27,901,748.16
November.....	11,455,314.76	7,850,891.32	2,577,687.71	2,457,446.11	.....	154,059.73	13,040,084.87	1,491,103.37	25,986,503.00
December.....	12,169,172.51	7,908,125.09	2,311,907.15	2,368,874.62	.....	161,864.51	12,750,771.37	1,368,993.99	26,288,993.87
1896—January.....	16,380,796.29	6,340,157.58	2,539,340.65	2,014,711.75	.....	147,191.34	11,041,401.32	1,815,472.59	29,237,670.21
February.....	13,906,333.38	6,383,119.83	2,260,057.27	2,042,781.61	.....	120,794.01	10,806,752.72	1,348,082.32	26,059,228.42
March.....	13,344,215.85	6,656,415.50	2,532,155.33	2,211,310.60	.....	136,383.22	11,536,261.65	1,160,668.56	26,041,149.06
April.....	11,815,731.20	5,884,154.02	2,372,695.20	2,851,673.99	.....	117,053.92	11,225,577.13	1,241,584.76	24,282,893.09
May.....	10,949,793.79	5,711,203.97	2,500,105.67	3,255,169.70	.....	83,629.72	11,550,109.06	2,143,814.96	24,643,717.81
June.....	11,351,893.65	7,026,121.58	2,581,320.98	3,617,653.97	.....	127,620.53	13,352,717.06	3,089,698.74	27,794,219.45
Total, 12 months.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	.....	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,411,083.92	323,808,139.71
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	60,821,751.87	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,762,864.74	20,191,582.97	326,976,200.38
July.....	12,157,330.70	7,793,806.80	2,458,443.64	3,890,347.62	.....	158,434.09	14,392,532.15	2,569,346.48	29,029,203.33
August.....	12,329,495.55	6,091,702.08	2,378,555.76	3,412,556.57	.....	78,523.94	11,961,338.35	1,271,262.61	25,562,096.51
September.....	11,374,116.28	6,265,756.85	2,533,408.25	2,830,667.53	.....	109,304.30	11,679,136.93	1,530,991.36	24,584,244.57
October.....	11,105,493.12	7,066,896.16	2,643,167.34	2,597,599.12	.....	135,492.68	13,269,156.30	1,814,180.51	26,282,829.93
November.....	9,988,885.81	8,269,692.47	2,411,325.38	2,318,144.02	.....	114,696.13	13,104,828.15	2,175,482.34	25,210,696.30
December.....	10,779,412.67	8,201,378.12	2,421,874.63	2,323,195.99	.....	147,549.77	13,198,938.42	1,878,703.15	25,857,114.24
1897—January.....	11,276,874.15	6,701,616.33	2,432,249.15	1,785,324.00	.....	112,649.89	11,031,839.97	2,008,279.93	21,316,994.05
February.....	11,587,260.37	6,504,421.64	2,365,492.66	1,908,420.29	.....	120,168.45	10,888,421.95	1,925,315.66	24,490,997.38
March.....	22,833,856.46	6,794,420.80	2,680,903.44	2,399,188.51	.....	141,181.46	11,925,694.30	1,458,111.32	36,217,662.03
April.....	24,454,351.74	6,142,290.08	2,570,146.25	2,620,932.07	.....	113,844.64	11,447,213.04	1,910,570.26	37,812,135.04
May.....	16,885,011.55	4,961,522.68	2,735,362.94	2,883,618.68	.....	89,567.53	10,673,011.83	2,239,367.21	29,797,390.59
June.....	21,560,132.36	6,988,952.53	3,099,411.21	3,586,733.77	.....	111,988.06	12,887,085.60	2,137,470.29	36,584,708.25
Total, 12 months.....	176,254,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	.....	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.69	22,919,080.52	315,656,078.27
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
July.....	16,966,891.65	8,432,767.40	2,445,515.20	3,758,798.80	.....	130,750.58	19,767,831.98	2,292,730.62	39,027,364.25
August.....	6,987,702.84	6,723,185.14	2,742,403.91	1,634,801.08	.....	92,804.76	11,193,194.89	842,717.24	19,023,614.97
September.....	7,943,109.28	7,287,568.96	3,026,452.63	2,277,545.89	.....	110,407.24	12,701,975.77	1,288,022.39	21,933,098.44
October.....	9,713,494.62	7,852,696.73	3,088,652.52	2,510,391.34	.....	163,222.21	13,614,872.80	1,063,047.84	24,391,415.26
November.....	9,890,925.00	8,243,392.40	2,849,997.82	2,249,062.55	.....	188,256.71	13,530,649.48	6,200,930.81	43,363,605.29
December.....	11,690,788.74	9,113,764.48	2,615,101.12	2,431,319.57	.....	182,743.80	14,342,928.97	6,342,980.64	59,646,698.35
1898—January.....	14,260,492.68	7,572,290.21	2,613,176.94	2,111,936.82	.....	145,795.76	12,443,199.73	6,120,936.58	37,333,628.39
February.....	15,049,680.74	7,097,085.66	2,601,754.35	2,102,277.65	.....	172,251.24	12,003,318.90	1,528,358.69	28,572,358.33
March.....	15,450,471.94	7,021,296.21	2,941,139.46	2,777,774.03	.....	148,024.33	12,888,234.03	6,620,084.53	32,958,750.50
April.....	14,193,976.99	7,203,232.27	4,207,209.02	3,218,735.73	.....	154,860.02	14,819,037.04	6,999,928.99	33,012,943.02
May.....	19,466,594.17	7,490,551.27	3,754,062.82	3,131,505.92	.....	116,088.69	14,492,298.70	2,116,075.41	30,974,818.28
June.....	14,555,729.11	6,296,082.07	3,285,055.53	6,221,361.76	.....	970,866.44	16,683,365.80	2,270,218.32	33,509,313.23
Total, 12 months.....	159,678,738.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,608.31
July.....	15,169,680.96	6,660,377.23	3,444,877.67	7,352,821.23	.....	6,133,695.03	2,578,926.13	2,506,780.33	43,847,108.58
August.....	16,249,699.00	8,331,945.03	4,111,128.06	7,053,661.39	.....	3,067,514.98	24,015,934.98	1,517,073.81	41,782,707.79
September.....	16,750,574.06	7,504,130.69	4,229,028.84	6,448,178.73	.....	551,923.43	21,555,286.54	1,463,207.44	39,778,070.04
October.....	15,555,234.17	9,372,259.20	4,319,480.60	5,327,075.82	.....	2,968,247.40	22,356,511.87	1,718,305.04	39,630,051.08
November.....	15,335,290.88	8,470,798.74	4,337,018.81	4,814,022.75	.....	497,205.08	21,336,743.58	2,228,970.95	38,900,915.41
December.....	16,764,224.82	10,397,753.61	3,839,432.15	4,649,733.73	.....	398,521.60	22,621,348.70	2,019,150.02	41,404,793.54
1899—January.....	17,991,741.40	8,292,801.02	4,313,505.44	3,881,794.80	.....	4,035,072.98	20,982,056.80	2,801,132.00	41,774,930.20
February.....	16,921,572.48	7,618,071.13	4,348,239.57	3,787,581.31	.....	276,978.95	19,212,299.69	1,815,460.55	37,979,332.72
March.....	29,073,436.07	8,892,823.91	4,499,766.83	4,967,553.48	.....	424,857.57	22,671,107.33	6,125,696.28	57,030,239.68
April.....	17,645,945.88	7,423,713.75	4,729,849.79	5,503,796.57	.....	706,431.86	22,207,099.61	1,758,541.67	41,611,587.26
May.....	18,297,966.99	7,418,210.85	5,223,265.34	6,764,084.90	.....	403,280.76	23,720,729.44	2,697,377.39	44,786,013.82
Total, 11 months.....	187,694,316.81	90,382,919.56	47,380,587.10	69,550,764.71	.....	10,447,884.04	246,879,787.83	33,951,645.48	468,525,750.12
Twelve months ending—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
June 30, 1892.....	177,336,944.84	90,068,757.28	31,090,493.07	30,037,452.77	.....	1,508,956.26	152,615,650.48	20,120,411.34	350,073,015.66
1892 <i>a</i>	177,452,964.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	153,971,072.57	23,513,747.52	351,987,814.24
1893.....	203,142,670.81	93,744,446.80	31,889,711.74	32,548,983.07	.....	1,846,084.30	160,029,175.92	18,392,902.71	381,564,749.44
1893 <i>a</i>	203,355,016.73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	161,627,623.93	21,436,988.12	385,819,628.78
1894.....	131,807,758.88	81,813,592.06	28,617,898.62	31,414,788.04	.....	1,876,481.45	143,722,769.17	15,133,841.84	293,664,360.89
1894 <i>a</i>	131,818,530.62	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	147,111,232.81	18,792,255.82	297,722,019.25
1895.....	151,967,548.94	80,186,767.81	29,704,910.63	31,640,617.53	.....	2,037,914.55	143,570,210.55	14,085,577.23	309,563,376.72
1895 <i>a</i>	152,158,617.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	143,421,672.02	17,889,785.64	313,390,075.11
1896.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	.....	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,411,083.92	323,808,139.71
1896 <i>a</i>	160,021,751.67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,762,864.74	20,191,582.97	326,976,200.38
1897.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	.....	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.69	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
1897 <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
1898.....	159,678,738.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	163,480,818.09	84,288,032.06	402,847,608.31

a Corrected figures.*b* Includes \$18,194,618.25 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*c* Includes \$31,715,204.14 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*d* Includes \$8,528,401.35 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*e* Includes \$3,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*f* Includes \$2,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*g* Includes \$11,798,314.14 on account of Central Pacific Railroad indebtedness.

EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS.	WAR.	NAVY.	INDIANS.	PENSIONS.	INTEREST.	TOTAL.	EXCESS OF—	
								Receipts.	Expenditures.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1805—July	10,047,562.11	5,378,939.67	2,380,486.94	677,874.53	12,755,427.42	7,307,773.14	38,548,063.81	.....	9,478,306
August	7,758,621.49	6,551,124.55	2,341,435.71	1,785,610.49	12,302,340.48	1,849,043.25	32,588,184.97	.....	3,635,488
September	4,918,899.66	5,745,339.32	1,855,477.02	796,508.84	10,707,909.14	296,347.99	24,320,481.97	3,229,106	.....
October	9,964,099.90	4,444,914.04	2,322,992.94	712,511.97	11,890,475.06	5,168,431.32	34,503,425.23	.....	6,601,077
November	6,138,883.49	3,823,488.39	2,138,186.80	764,794.54	12,235,039.26	2,098,890.94	27,199,283.42	.....	1,212,780
December	6,106,797.88	4,553,113.52	2,512,895.43	952,671.28	11,366,825.71	322,013.42	25,814,317.24	474,021	.....
1806—January	8,643,635.72	3,607,816.50	2,488,229.32	841,126.13	9,965,237.21	6,963,295.77	32,529,340.65	.....	3,201,670
February	5,819,461.68	3,029,772.12	2,232,231.60	1,082,720.93	12,317,467.48	2,268,302.64	26,740,956.45	.....	690,728
March	6,782,825.05	3,477,014.14	2,305,774.20	2,326,141.16	11,709,996.89	672,342.57	27,274,993.95	.....	1,233,845
April	7,520,508.90	3,278,732.20	2,288,478.72	680,886.38	10,077,392.98	5,141,382.40	28,987,881.58	.....	4,704,488
May	6,691,440.00	3,453,332.64	1,820,864.70	837,149.22	12,803,696.37	2,820,109.65	28,426,592.58	.....	3,782,875
June	6,898,052.06	3,587,040.63	2,475,241.09	726,825.78	11,290,615.98	458,013.76	25,444,789.30	2,349,430	.....
Total, 12 months	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,294.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
Total, 12 months a	87,216,234.62	50,830,929.89	27,147,732.33	12,165,528.28	139,434,090.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,216
July	12,343,931.46	5,225,425.33	3,756,250.99	951,582.22	13,100,774.51	6,710,503.54	42,088,468.05	.....	13,059,259
August	11,907,121.21	4,512,522.35	2,216,720.17	1,731,155.29	12,396,341.04	2,937,816.59	35,701,676.05	.....	10,139,580
September	5,972,532.70	4,848,095.54	3,139,471.95	711,076.81	11,485,675.15	422,682.88	26,579,535.03	.....	1,995,290
October	10,352,715.23	4,148,470.28	3,377,090.89	721,025.76	10,340,052.29	5,032,923.04	33,978,277.49	.....	7,095,448
November	8,452,859.26	4,877,976.24	2,456,108.26	1,098,282.58	13,178,930.96	3,196,562.84	33,260,720.14	.....	8,050,024
December	4,481,720.37	3,887,275.70	2,542,238.88	982,139.02	11,431,331.16	487,959.73	23,812,664.86	2,044,449	.....
1807—January	4,940,484.03	3,842,874.49	3,187,993.52	999,245.07	10,534,740.78	6,764,051.40	30,260,589.29	.....	5,952,395
February	6,159,172.15	3,128,621.39	2,374,674.69	967,127.31	13,208,413.69	2,958,047.43	28,796,056.66	.....	4,395,059
March	5,929,795.97	3,046,103.81	2,694,834.97	2,918,751.93	12,166,775.60	456,735.56	27,212,997.84	9,004,664	.....
April	8,101,335.64	4,287,020.47	2,744,078.93	573,820.93	10,763,090.76	5,602,750.74	32,072,097.47	5,740,038	.....
May	6,419,410.97	4,214,955.76	2,537,576.03	470,406.29	12,393,334.35	3,073,575.77	29,109,259.17	688,131	.....
June	5,405,764.79	2,886,016.91	3,563,922.73	894,870.72	10,039,147.44	144,971.06	22,934,694.55	13,650,014	.....
Total, 12 months	90,466,843.78	48,905,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,044,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
Total, 12 months a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,581,516.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
July	13,977,446.41	10,736,758.90	2,998,809.47	769,238.53	14,958,378.20	6,660,277.33	50,100,908.84	.....	11,073,545
August	7,597,311.96	5,622,852.65	2,672,691.83	976,595.91	13,792,376.34	2,926,218.72	33,588,047.41	.....	14,564,432
September	6,201,757.29	4,276,022.16	2,787,253.20	723,857.33	10,992,078.37	387,847.36	25,368,815.71	.....	3,435,718
October	8,746,118.06	5,268,718.99	2,988,575.75	600,954.14	10,885,319.63	5,211,823.54	33,701,512.11	.....	9,310,097
November	6,111,938.19	5,376,080.29	2,736,454.83	1,236,058.28	13,619,432.72	3,010,818.55	37,810,388.86	5,552,766	.....
December	7,179,796.08	3,728,420.73	2,984,538.81	638,166.07	12,205,327.64	897,842.74	27,634,092.07	32,012,006	.....
1808—January	8,966,127.38	4,946,098.41	3,230,106.51	1,040,429.36	12,375,233.33	6,138,726.07	36,696,711.06	636,917	.....
February	5,065,112.80	3,780,749.78	2,056,766.56	735,985.28	11,978,924.88	2,981,716.56	26,599,255.86	1,973,102	.....
March	6,118,243.17	5,159,571.11	5,241,442.99	2,716,526.47	12,290,628.25	356,032.46	31,882,444.45	1,076,306	.....
April	9,024,095.14	6,223,814.48	12,556,932.74	532,599.28	10,867,716.66	5,108,003.75	44,314,062.05	.....	11,301,119
May	5,706,900.11	17,093,595.86	9,093,577.20	566,437.07	12,382,085.55	3,007,313.06	47,849,909.45	.....	17,775,091
June	6,213,628.59	19,723,804.77	9,506,021.10	448,372.98	11,068,020.12	892,434.09	47,852,281.05	.....	14,343,968
Total, 12 months	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
July	12,061,387.26	34,774,153.27	8,514,279.61	669,868.55	12,657,894.50	5,585,892.25	74,263,475.44	.....	30,416,367
August	7,782,314.74	25,163,235.94	6,386,267.49	766,081.26	13,084,735.14	3,078,070.30	56,260,717.87	.....	14,478,010
September	6,393,964.28	24,613,374.99	7,231,219.89	1,162,509.97	10,937,070.22	3,855,181.79	54,223,921.14	.....	14,445,851
October	10,991,284.64	22,895,020.54	5,314,567.82	937,969.74	9,365,060.26	3,877,464.68	53,932,276.68	.....	14,352,226
November	6,905,766.22	23,391,876.06	4,676,181.03	1,225,483.56	13,688,918.66	2,202,755.20	49,090,980.73	.....	10,190,065
December	6,663,466.77	18,181,676.06	4,373,729.90	897,254.51	11,171,893.17	573,787.15	41,864,807.56	.....	460,014
1809—January	9,814,421.24	18,656,551.96	5,226,653.74	950,676.41	10,167,015.51	5,507,448.89	51,122,770.75	.....	9,347,841
February	6,239,421.19	15,132,098.05	4,430,215.87	1,084,874.15	12,791,491.82	4,180,828.41	43,918,929.49	.....	5,939,597
March	9,142,563.16	14,696,466.19	4,842,434.58	2,583,057.97	11,251,944.20	462,108.99	42,978,571.09	14,051,669	.....
April	6,657,694.28	15,937,159.13	4,627,865.53	995,963.20	10,369,068.09	5,361,445.09	65,949,105.92	.....	24,337,519
May	8,048,527.11	10,311,134.53	4,768,694.66	910,129.84	12,129,048.00	4,312,470.60	40,513,004.74	4,272,009	.....
Total, 11 months	112,769,720.89	220,818,758.72	60,392,120.12	12,183,868.16	129,015,639.57	38,997,453.95	574,168,561.41	.....	105,642,812
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892	100,077,639.61	46,908,851.31	29,214,672.13	11,100,063.59	134,097,755.97	23,379,550.97	314,773,533.60	5,299,482	.....
1892 a	99,841,988.64	46,845,439.30	29,174,138.98	11,150,577.67	134,589,052.79	23,378,116.23	315,029,330.58	9,914,454	.....
1893	108,695,015.02	49,016,517.55	30,138,207.72	13,330,072.80	159,347,202.51	27,264,728.18	389,331,743.58	.....	1,760,994
1893 a	108,752,739.37	49,544,773.17	30,138,984.43	13,345,347.27	159,357,557.87	27,304,332.18	389,477,854.49	2,341,674	.....
1894	100,960,010.79	51,325,644.35	31,383,403.16	10,282,279.56	141,109,383.42	27,869,027.50	365,989,803.75	.....	72,325,448
1894 a	101,943,884.07	51,587,929.85	31,731,293.79	10,293,481.52	141,177,284.96	27,841,495.64	367,525,279.83	.....	69,803,261
1895	93,262,213.09	51,810,378.10	28,812,287.67	9,922,267.74	141,885,942.86	30,928,236.37	356,122,285.53	.....	46,558,909
1895 a	93,279,730.14	51,804,759.13	28,797,795.73	9,939,754.21	141,895,228.87	30,978,030.21	356,195,298.29	.....	42,805,223
1896	87,290,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,147,732.33	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,386,811.15	.....	28,578,671
1896 a	87,216,234.62	50,830,929.89	27,147,732.33	12,165,528.28	139,434,090.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,446.08	.....	25,203,216
1897	90,466,843.78	48,905,358.27	34,590,962.01	13,019,483.93	141,044,607.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
1897 a	90,401,267.82	48,950,267.89	34,581,516.29	13,016,802.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
1898	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21

a Corrected figures.

b Includes \$4,549,368.23 on account of sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

c Includes \$20,000,000 paid to Spain.

NATIONAL-BANK STATISTICS.

[From Report of Comptroller of the Currency.]

DATE, FIRST OF EACH MONTH.	No. of banks.	Authorized capital stock.	SPECIE HELD.		U. S. bonds on deposit to secure circulation.	Circulation secured by U. S. bonds.	Lawful money on deposit to redeem circulation.	Total national-bank notes outstanding.
			Gold.	Silver.				
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894.								
January	3,787	693,353,165	203,508,089	47,745,559	205,561,600	185,194,522	23,344,322	208,538,844
February		691,893,165			203,594,500	182,887,853	24,974,254	207,882,107
March	3,777	684,690,165	199,185,936	56,980,649	202,052,350	181,148,710	26,330,810	207,479,520
April		682,533,165			202,933,850	181,666,268	26,209,427	207,875,093
May	3,774	680,438,165	204,829,468	55,112,435	201,330,250	180,601,247	27,231,785	207,833,032
June		678,998,165			201,251,500	180,613,585	26,631,434	207,245,019
July		678,023,165			201,691,750	180,662,521	26,690,723	207,353,214
August	3,770	677,258,165	199,635,167	51,035,485	202,268,500	181,149,511	26,369,555	207,539,066
September		676,568,165			202,276,950	181,300,217	26,211,998	207,592,215
October	3,755	674,866,365	196,927,230	40,323,424	200,953,700	180,251,065	27,220,463	207,471,501
November		672,671,365			199,706,200	179,401,364	28,071,239	207,472,603
December		671,471,365			197,349,700	177,073,359	29,612,978	206,686,327
1895.								
January	3,737	670,906,365	175,794,767	42,246,456	196,707,700	176,667,467	29,938,243	206,605,710
February		669,156,365			195,826,100	175,674,250	29,623,321	205,297,571
March	3,728	668,146,365	178,160,435	42,771,206	197,116,700	176,485,063	28,558,583	205,043,651
April		667,193,265			201,176,200	179,847,383	27,693,828	207,541,211
May	3,711	665,893,265	177,264,387	41,382,213	204,356,800	182,534,324	27,185,526	209,719,850
June		665,123,265			206,652,300	184,969,578	26,509,138	211,478,716
July	3,715	666,363,265	171,217,437	43,209,757	207,680,800	186,062,098	25,628,937	211,691,035
August		664,659,265			207,832,800	186,577,433	24,794,612	211,372,045
September		664,855,265			209,447,550	187,990,343	24,348,857	212,339,200
October	3,712	664,425,265	162,925,290	33,312,021	210,196,550	188,596,877	24,255,057	212,851,034
November		664,136,915			211,717,800	190,180,961	23,706,669	213,887,630
December	3,706	664,091,915	168,244,431	38,467,979	212,048,950	190,469,520	23,491,072	213,960,598
1896.								
January	3,711	664,070,915			212,495,100	190,616,160	23,100,813	213,716,973
February		663,851,915			212,655,300	190,989,637	22,506,910	213,496,547
March	3,699	661,946,915	156,894,031	29,123,429	217,944,950	195,048,955	22,132,963	217,181,917
April		661,431,915			222,998,800	199,723,005	21,593,022	221,316,027
May	3,694	660,496,915	157,761,800	44,611,646	226,478,550	203,403,230	20,786,098	224,189,337
June		659,951,915			228,651,800	205,215,839	20,072,096	225,287,935
July	3,689	659,106,915	161,853,560	41,981,889	228,915,950	205,538,920	20,461,618	226,000,547
August		658,376,915			229,544,450	206,103,504	19,926,538	226,030,040
September		658,126,915			235,078,700	210,293,574	19,320,322	229,613,896
October	3,676	658,126,915	160,723,890	40,084,742	238,773,200	214,667,694	18,971,663	233,699,357
November		658,304,915			241,103,350	216,510,014	18,474,430	234,984,444
December	3,661	657,909,915	181,020,260	44,520,449	241,272,150	216,609,684	18,789,206	235,398,890
1897.								
January	3,667	655,324,715			240,236,150	215,850,307	19,812,811	235,663,118
February		654,174,915			237,190,100	213,166,711	21,907,951	235,094,692
March	3,624	653,719,895	188,304,756	45,644,107	234,797,800	210,915,415	23,320,912	234,236,327
April		651,658,395			233,603,350	209,767,702	24,027,439	233,795,141
May	3,614	648,613,395	190,396,251	45,680,132	232,749,300	208,768,549	24,119,435	232,887,984
June	3,620	646,788,395			230,915,550	207,139,381	24,736,460	231,875,841
July	3,619	643,933,395	193,686,596	47,236,006	230,471,550	205,775,898	24,665,788	231,441,686
August	3,617	641,229,395			230,111,300	205,944,175	24,322,499	230,266,734
September	3,611	639,488,295			229,471,100	207,100,170	24,752,547	229,908,497
October	3,614	638,903,295	195,895,108	43,492,594	229,348,550	205,604,781	25,120,710	230,193,900
November	3,617	637,915,295			227,742,550	203,926,950	26,120,685	230,047,635
December	3,615	636,310,295	207,093,145	45,070,408	225,359,300	201,735,572	27,814,135	229,549,707
1898.								
January	3,611	639,410,295			218,992,950	196,146,090	32,784,190	228,930,280
February	3,602	637,527,295	222,855,517	48,522,409	215,487,650	192,724,290	33,720,607	226,444,906
March	3,596	638,385,295			213,414,650	191,056,818	33,774,253	224,831,071
April	3,594	635,060,295			214,365,400	191,611,600	32,786,419	224,398,019
May	3,590	631,635,295	267,614,954	49,537,819	217,162,650	194,138,732	31,891,404	226,030,136
June	3,588	631,035,295			219,377,900	196,155,935	31,456,910	227,612,845
July	3,590	630,025,295	284,921,377	50,755,754	220,201,400	197,078,092	30,758,610	227,816,702
August	3,589	629,315,295			218,525,650	195,692,685	31,004,185	226,696,870
September	3,589	629,151,295	250,670,426	43,203,732	220,496,160	196,775,704	30,402,911	227,178,615
October	3,592	625,356,295			229,960,120	205,056,663	30,300,887	235,356,950
November	3,598	624,552,195			235,618,470	210,045,456	29,500,825	239,546,281
December	3,591	625,967,195	281,475,196	47,125,515	230,349,130	213,918,613	28,783,295	242,702,038
1899.								
January	3,590	622,482,195			230,943,050	214,016,088	29,719,017	243,735,105
February	3,585	613,076,895	321,915,796	49,927,699	236,479,840	211,041,299	32,200,202	243,241,501
March	3,589	612,631,895			236,075,690	211,155,017	31,747,351	242,902,367
April	3,583	610,313,895	317,210,532	46,952,021	234,433,890	209,925,989	33,126,328	243,052,317
May	3,586	609,053,895			232,167,910	207,966,287	34,748,046	242,714,333
June	3,585	610,028,895			230,600,310	206,305,954	35,758,600	242,054,554

VALUES OF FOREIGN COINS, 1889-1899.

[Prepared by the Director of the Mint.]

COUNTRY.	Standard.	Monetary unit.	Value January 1—											Apr.1—
			1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1899	
Argentina.....	Gold and silver.	Peso.....	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	
Austria-Hungary.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	
Belgium.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Bolivia.....	Silver.....	Boliviano.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	
Brazil.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	
British Possessions, N. A. (except Newfoundland).	do.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	
British Honduras.....	do.....	do.....										1.00, 0	1.00, 0	
Central American States:														
Costa Rica.....	Gold.....	Colon.....									.40, 5	.46, 5	.46, 5	
Do.....	Silver.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4				
Guatemala.....														
Honduras.....	do.....	do.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 9	
Nicaragua.....														
Salvador.....														
Chile.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	c. 36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	
		Amoy.....								.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0	.70, 2	
		Canton.....								.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8	.70, 0	
		Chefoo.....						.70, 4	.75, 0	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9	.67, 2	
		Chin Kiang.....								.74, 9	.66, 9	.69, 3	.68, 6	
		Fuchau.....								.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6	.65, 0	
		Haikwan (customs).....	1.14, 8	1.27, 0	1.13, 7	1.01, 0	.84, 9	.74, 9	.80, 8	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2	.71, 4	
China.....	Silver.....	Tael.....								.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4	.65, 7	
		Hankow.....								(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	
		Hongkong.....								.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5	.65, 9	
		Niuchwang.....								.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2	.67, 5	
		Ningpo.....								.70, 0	.62, 6	.64, 8	.64, 1	
		Shanghai.....	1.03, 1	1.13, 9	1.02, 1	.90, 6	.76, 2	.67, 3	.72, 5	.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5	.64, 9	
		Swatow.....								.77, 2	.63, 0	.71, 4	.70, 7	
		Takao.....								.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.68, 0	
		Tien-Tsin.....						.71, 4	.76, 9	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.68, 0	
Colombia.....	do.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	
Cuba.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	
Denmark.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	
Ecuador.....	Silver.....	Sucre.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	
Egypt.....	Gold.....	Pound (100 piasters).....	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	
Finland.....	do.....	Mark.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
France.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
German Empire.....	Gold.....	Mark.....	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	
Great Britain.....	do.....	Pound sterling.....	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	
Greece.....	Gold and silver.	Drachma.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Haiti.....	do.....	Gourde.....	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	
India.....	Silver.....	Rupee (d).....	.33, 2	.36, 6	.32, 8	.29, 2	.24, 5	.21, 6	.23, 3	.22, 5	.20, 1	.20, 8	.20, 6	
Italy.....	Gold and silver.	Lira.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Japan.....	do.....	Yen {Gold.....	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.49, 8	.49, 8	.49, 8	
		Silver.....	.75, 2	.83, 1	.74, 5	.66, 1	.55, 6	.49, 1	.52, 9	.51, 1				
Liberia.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	
Mexico.....	Silver.....	do.....	.75, 3	.83, 7	.75, 0	.66, 6	.56, 0	.49, 5	.53, 8	.51, 5	.46, 0	.47, 7	.47, 2	
Netherlands.....	Gold and silver.	Florin.....	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	
Newfoundland.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	
Norway.....	do.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	
Persia.....	Silver.....	Kran.....							.09, 0	.08, 7	.07, 8	.08, 1	.08, 0	
Peru.....	do.....	Sol.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.48, 6	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.43, 4	
Portugal.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	
Russia.....	do.....	Ruble (e) {Gold.....	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.51, 5	.51, 5	
		Silver.....	.55, 8	.61, 7	.55, 3	.49, 1	.41, 3	.36, 4	.39, 3	.37, 0				
Spain.....	Gold and silver.	Peseta.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Sweden.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	
Switzerland.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	
Tripoli.....	Silver.....	Mahbub of 20 piasters.....	.62, 9	.69, 5	.62, 3	.55, 3	.46, 5	.41, 1	.44, 3					
Turkey.....	Gold.....	Piaster.....	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	
Uruguay.....	do.....	Peso.....								1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	
Venezuela.....	Gold and silver.	Bolivar.....	b. 14, 0	b. 15, 4	b. 13, 8	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	

a The "British dollar" has the same legal value as the Mexican dollar in Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and Labuan.

b Value of the silver bolivar.

c The law of February 11, 1895, introduced the gold standard, with an ideal gold peso weighing .599 grams as the monetary unit.

d Value of the rupee to be determined by consular certificate.

e By Imperial Ukase January 2-15, 1897, 1½ paper rubles = 1 gold ruble.

BANKING AND CLEARING-HOUSE STATISTICS, NEW YORK AND LONDON.

MONTHS.	CLEARING-HOUSE RETURNS.			ASSOCIATED BANKS OF NEW YORK. (b)	BANK OF ENGLAND. (c)		
	New York City. (a)	Outside of New York. (a)	London. (a)	Specie.	Coin and bul- lion.	Reserve.	Circulation.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January	2,165,564,056	1,888,092,030	2,842,357,189	111,073,400	121,417,200	75,681,200	125,303,177
February	1,724,039,790	1,482,614,610	2,518,214,224	129,558,900	138,429,500	90,440,100	119,053,277
March	2,048,811,551	1,705,763,757	2,661,888,770	97,526,300	147,594,100	111,409,400	117,941,817
April	2,018,318,188	1,704,410,893	2,675,324,310	99,623,000	150,361,200	109,616,300	122,502,117
May	2,093,135,412	1,801,476,972	2,597,601,438	100,082,100	155,436,594	113,075,974	124,117,820
June	1,898,580,234	1,703,067,084	2,503,755,852	99,018,600	180,355,361	140,589,949	121,522,613
July	1,843,418,776	1,671,682,672	2,610,250,338	91,223,000	189,313,454	142,590,917	128,479,737
August	1,871,609,351	1,693,598,268	2,394,614,851	90,546,900	186,831,350	140,893,074	127,695,476
September	1,865,021,613	1,660,111,815	2,292,711,268	91,187,800	193,754,238	150,346,517	125,164,921
October	2,281,502,977	2,007,489,621	2,581,639,318	92,215,100	182,274,893	135,735,294	128,296,805
November	2,241,488,312	1,931,581,376	2,519,776,370	93,755,600	171,071,199	128,690,821	124,137,578
December	2,336,304,760	1,977,583,869	2,702,253,935	76,527,600	166,415,919	125,259,598	122,913,531
1895.							
January	2,394,672,415	2,007,996,504	2,961,128,988	75,867,000	161,037,736	116,661,217	126,133,719
February	1,864,441,227	1,546,705,226	2,743,426,111	81,555,500	169,095,960	138,607,240	122,245,921
March	2,240,741,015	1,797,494,058	2,911,369,026	69,592,500	180,969,708	140,718,352	122,408,557
April	2,373,478,979	1,886,085,068	2,863,623,527	64,471,200	183,681,273	138,307,171	127,131,302
May	2,833,846,640	2,030,511,248	3,149,353,609	69,728,200	180,237,013	134,303,701	127,690,512
June	2,480,839,052	1,923,489,085	2,762,994,807	70,641,000	181,166,969	134,977,444	126,946,717
July	2,527,267,406	2,012,828,904	3,453,516,592	64,496,500	184,605,023	138,325,396	128,036,740
August	2,316,813,044	1,830,241,274	3,210,196,458	65,474,800	185,394,447	136,925,850	130,225,789
September	2,372,980,669	1,808,379,604	2,974,599,460	64,427,100	202,507,956	155,028,849	153,583,273
October	2,933,618,760	2,311,092,416	3,572,836,703	60,937,900	208,151,471	157,963,135	131,945,537
November	2,593,295,250	2,152,394,884	3,318,802,139	64,208,800	199,052,717	153,127,533	127,682,385
December	2,909,892,035	2,169,407,592	3,028,865,892	67,371,900	215,774,600	171,902,908	125,628,892
1896.							
January	2,562,412,708	2,046,320,782	3,182,019,423	68,954,700	218,798,113	171,746,723	128,808,596
February	2,372,931,630	1,728,770,777	3,029,250,255	76,845,900	236,490,921	194,400,927	123,847,194
March	2,316,256,654	1,811,813,648	3,042,214,611	61,538,100	238,249,566	196,524,644	123,482,523
April	2,393,455,325	1,895,399,642	2,856,100,185	59,251,600	229,020,605	189,690,542	130,097,362
May	2,340,091,793	1,886,793,797	3,115,134,247	59,324,000	229,328,260	183,313,799	127,771,661
June	2,414,383,739	1,879,465,515	3,220,415,307	61,808,500	232,791,709	186,270,402	128,278,507
July	2,489,389,690	1,882,869,393	3,393,755,972	61,866,300	235,953,499	181,630,000	136,080,699
August	1,971,162,104	1,580,390,199	2,856,679,299	46,254,700	229,422,125	175,789,788	135,389,607
September	2,063,691,193	1,638,933,015	2,771,072,697	49,196,900	214,341,503	171,159,946	133,938,757
October	2,613,816,577	1,981,164,613	3,290,089,789	55,801,100	192,292,171	136,963,229	137,086,142
November	2,626,846,544	1,920,616,048	2,985,563,685	63,792,600	174,255,773	123,953,585	132,059,388
December	2,655,989,669	2,051,632,108	3,120,696,655	75,676,900	173,157,409	127,625,292	127,289,318
1897.							
January	2,589,347,332	1,919,870,148	3,101,619,977	76,312,300	167,982,295	120,430,507	129,309,135
February	2,045,130,179	1,646,078,618	2,889,927,227	79,684,600	181,559,373	137,451,582	125,864,991
March	2,387,110,544	1,833,313,900	3,107,965,896	85,061,700	189,937,432	144,802,664	126,891,968
April	2,249,763,759	1,861,834,318	2,818,612,735	85,988,309	186,856,723	134,222,484	134,387,440
May	2,315,157,306	1,858,145,811	2,958,277,219	87,329,800	176,428,705	123,945,400	134,239,969
June	2,561,546,708	1,905,041,273	2,807,868,304	89,310,900	175,321,653	122,861,318	134,217,535
July	2,833,918,896	1,978,785,989	3,175,415,583	99,496,600	178,696,674	122,925,440	137,528,434
August	2,936,856,960	1,969,390,044	3,035,289,582	92,129,800	175,127,368	118,211,777	138,672,792
September	3,452,329,044	2,119,369,296	2,827,217,567	92,423,400	174,088,025	119,563,296	136,281,928
October	3,336,660,361	2,296,614,664	3,287,491,078	92,365,100	161,548,860	105,032,832	138,273,228
November	3,121,449,430	2,271,452,169	3,140,556,843	102,176,000	153,267,989	109,811,694	134,213,496
December	3,588,361,952	2,382,327,130	3,306,047,608	104,150,500	157,564,472	106,257,740	133,063,931
1898.							
January	3,690,282,724	2,321,724,811	3,497,217,762	106,588,500	151,942,116	96,770,387	136,928,930
February	3,516,257,710	2,036,091,681	3,146,927,092	114,088,200	169,274,221	110,830,046	131,201,375
March	3,418,019,443	2,222,720,082	3,410,029,548	120,125,900	164,694,302	114,876,891	131,574,613
April	2,868,945,026	2,102,431,502	3,205,692,482	141,556,200	146,160,228	89,304,884	187,282,410
May	3,145,441,658	2,191,088,998	3,245,074,664	159,791,500	164,062,937	110,565,601	135,254,537
June	3,265,851,590	2,238,563,305	3,176,354,817	175,502,100	180,173,978	126,754,188	135,176,990
July	2,977,035,218	2,039,810,381	3,319,573,018	186,970,200	180,562,003	123,145,892	139,173,311
August	2,511,798,974	2,089,547,676	3,033,858,831	168,988,600	167,792,531	111,308,013	138,241,721
September	3,418,988,661	2,082,656,049	3,074,844,494	142,378,309	169,120,856	115,778,902	135,099,102
October	3,534,211,280	2,394,923,693	3,368,829,169	136,314,400	154,496,493	99,211,082	137,042,611
November	3,972,632,192	2,501,101,963	3,249,726,028	157,428,800	155,107,750	102,681,479	134,182,472
December	4,652,357,561	2,704,839,800	3,647,733,790	158,462,300	152,081,741	101,560,828	140,221,628
1899.							
January	5,690,749,776	2,891,939,029	3,835,988,505	173,442,100	147,633,625	94,355,975	135,054,841
February	4,550,639,231	2,429,704,424	3,719,972,066	197,207,800	160,492,322	111,784,230	130,455,025
March	5,992,084,979	2,824,514,154	3,828,611,812	198,407,100	164,214,738	115,629,510	130,326,427
April	5,576,911,841	2,705,357,491	3,671,642,854	187,144,300	146,426,859	92,443,066	135,751,993
May	5,524,658,396	2,803,633,746		188,438,700	118,029,723	94,234,897	140,418,483
June				205,695,200	147,636,000	95,050,000	134,455,000

a Entire months.

b First week of month.

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	BANK OF FRANCE.			AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN BANK.			IMPERIAL GERMAN BANK.	
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January.....	330,625,100	245,120,700	703,121,653	51,730,800	73,489,400	242,964,879	196,801,200	261,004,995
February.....	331,282,000	245,510,000	702,343,013	49,482,500	79,080,600	203,690,120	216,223,400	227,007,626
March.....	333,437,900	246,789,900	686,585,286	50,027,600	79,027,100	202,096,012	222,267,700	221,080,229
April.....	336,163,200	247,719,400	686,711,815	50,095,800	79,406,700	212,325,395	207,113,400	253,573,249
May.....	342,650,265	248,191,500	697,924,231	49,365,776	79,674,338	220,379,453	213,376,559	240,804,153
June.....	346,421,803	248,945,808	669,104,818	50,134,683	79,528,343	210,772,982	227,606,205	224,574,376
July.....	352,762,852	248,512,689	675,616,195	51,268,578	79,786,268	219,956,067	218,622,640	257,890,435
August.....	362,865,706	247,310,664	671,659,731	61,400,631	77,518,479	231,230,413	225,980,794	238,526,631
September.....	371,075,492	246,278,966	654,573,449	63,332,631	75,367,480	233,484,937	230,691,093	234,789,159
October.....	370,024,328	244,113,373	672,589,232	67,907,141	72,647,112	244,780,084	221,201,891	271,531,234
November.....	370,486,645	241,217,806	686,901,009	72,797,974	70,515,585	249,276,730	242,668,023	258,571,746
December.....	300,380,897	241,402,733	676,745,223	73,347,888	69,094,567	238,682,359	260,649,740	253,287,260
1895.								
January.....	402,795,339	240,521,896	716,197,939	74,228,725	67,941,207	237,339,205	249,369,193	283,240,033
February.....	416,849,791	240,585,161	707,000,254	74,330,921	66,831,645	217,768,641	267,200,782	249,184,266
March.....	418,207,544	241,120,476	701,656,837	83,582,138	66,744,048	226,920,029	264,664,003	238,658,027
April.....	406,347,884	241,344,335	707,370,103	86,594,501	68,573,720	239,110,611	251,807,310	275,005,915
May.....	400,527,550	240,463,498	705,710,631	95,232,539	65,989,740	245,880,981	259,253,055	261,404,048
June.....	398,795,076	243,529,393	684,585,155	98,424,963	65,619,886	244,152,305	261,457,579	255,033,793
July.....	397,622,240	243,373,665	685,475,424	101,763,382	65,172,168	257,017,911	244,093,907	289,095,380
August.....	398,843,741	245,344,598	676,107,712	104,450,190	64,583,822	259,545,545	247,690,251	286,193,099
September.....	398,702,612	245,091,540	656,841,238	103,646,717	64,082,072	274,640,928	233,784,550	258,299,221
October.....	390,405,230	243,154,673	678,623,692	106,547,151	63,308,293	287,542,019	219,065,498	302,925,026
November.....	381,071,283	239,519,397	687,524,521	110,401,419	62,729,185	299,065,891	221,883,201	282,631,721
December.....	381,509,268	240,132,576	682,166,504	114,079,073	62,334,999	284,656,185	218,719,976	266,134,289
1896.								
January.....	379,640,532	240,332,103	709,944,486	118,835,064	62,116,000	288,067,601	211,483,491	298,608,440
February.....	376,959,090	241,538,095	708,873,856	120,810,863	62,257,135	268,455,608	229,040,402	253,724,711
March.....	379,932,522	242,400,365	706,727,730	125,117,715	61,838,616	267,589,369	229,148,886	242,755,620
April.....	379,776,794	242,731,287	710,698,794	127,842,955	62,047,875	272,455,860	211,916,609	287,907,007
May.....	381,903,454	242,702,088	710,075,882	131,074,311	62,247,402	279,424,697	219,868,470	264,557,540
June.....	391,519,658	244,497,827	703,846,762	133,006,312	62,636,722	288,325,526	222,992,200	247,329,500
July.....	397,344,859	244,687,620	703,875,961	132,918,715	62,909,246	292,865,970	211,493,491	282,982,100
August.....	403,685,908	244,424,829	690,337,358	135,634,222	62,918,979	291,702,877	220,467,050	253,992,368
September.....	398,279,227	244,162,038	688,400,491	141,240,430	63,143,656	301,757,066	216,753,910	253,510,585
October.....	384,599,495	242,122,975	693,099,425	141,634,616	62,286,334	318,741,151	195,677,099	293,717,608
November.....	375,771,664	239,295,538	715,565,294	110,532,281	62,656,118	298,472,178	202,509,665	268,664,866
December.....	375,980,924	240,176,375	718,339,199	111,603,445	62,769,719	282,276,466	208,169,404	253,447,320
1897.								
January.....	371,474,545	238,677,493	734,345,117	147,430,618	61,220,570	310,852,554	200,674,994	286,892,311
February.....	372,404,993	239,587,528	732,924,099	148,705,641	61,527,160	291,887,804	215,508,086	245,748,517
March.....	372,724,369	239,553,463	717,015,511	150,661,974	61,629,356	286,262,130	222,856,501	239,071,670
April.....	373,435,744	238,813,754	720,641,053	126,835,596	51,112,850	244,551,358	208,291,067	280,485,594
May.....	375,596,470	238,112,979	720,762,716	132,806,785	51,122,583	249,485,989	218,953,568	263,307,983
June.....	386,984,080	239,451,266	721,667,885	140,048,137	51,219,913	245,111,006	222,569,378	249,456,796
July.....	390,250,235	239,869,785	714,591,994	191,895,828	51,351,308	250,186,765	209,381,163	282,237,034
August.....	393,660,918	238,434,768	708,475,303	152,530,710	51,093,384	252,775,743	210,880,045	256,007,099
September.....	394,974,873	237,626,329	703,978,157	154,642,771	50,859,792	269,063,919	207,541,626	259,574,244
October.....	386,400,100	235,553,200	721,580,288	155,718,267	50,499,671	280,408,230	182,050,899	302,233,983
November.....	381,154,013	235,008,152	729,235,292	151,197,289	50,144,416	286,286,462	197,570,167	277,594,893
December.....	381,475,202	235,485,069	726,602,516	152,760,168	50,193,081	271,794,025	211,683,017	293,301,583
1898.								
January.....	377,820,461	234,881,623	751,898,583	147,766,406	50,027,620	275,619,094	206,451,530	300,039,191
February.....	375,095,221	235,446,137	751,270,804	147,688,542	50,343,943	254,075,099	225,382,215	257,082,596
March.....	373,898,062	236,341,573	740,715,366	149,669,208	50,621,333	252,590,816	233,538,469	248,473,757
April.....	361,673,414	236,969,351	731,551,746	148,807,837	50,850,059	257,194,525	210,573,455	295,381,951
May.....	362,315,792	237,159,145	729,498,083	143,406,022	50,820,860	258,231,090	208,038,009	274,733,391
June.....	363,420,487	239,164,143	723,624,218	141,264,762	51,020,386	251,544,519	212,155,068	255,895,170
July.....	365,143,228	241,008,546	710,212,144	141,255,029	51,224,779	259,671,574	196,776,928	308,025,118
August.....	365,785,606	241,835,851	720,825,980	141,853,609	51,156,648	264,839,707	208,490,593	267,730,629
September.....	366,865,969	242,643,690	689,378,657	142,184,531	51,195,580	271,331,708	209,055,107	258,805,337
October.....	361,683,147	240,843,085	711,832,688	142,379,191	50,800,260	289,331,556	176,683,149	314,774,953
November.....	356,850,712	237,898,853	742,000,122	143,454,687	50,528,870	297,401,548	177,461,789	288,573,717
December.....	356,130,470	235,923,054	737,392,080	143,289,226	79,703,537	283,979,741	192,577,138	271,789,158
1899.								
January.....	352,636,323	232,652,766	767,651,443	174,829,013	60,305,668	345,589,631	189,754,568	304,355,777
February.....	354,171,004	233,178,348	763,417,588	145,133,630	50,465,005	270,241,612	208,125,606	260,649,740
March.....	354,821,382	233,105,350	750,458,099	145,727,343	50,684,598	262,990,527	216,272,127	252,746,544
April.....	353,991,079	234,370,040	742,866,359	145,639,746	50,879,256	261,523,474	202,285,806	295,075,361
May.....	355,527,000	234,575,000	736,005,000	146,175,000	51,074,009	272,373,009	214,476,000	278,062,000
June.....	358,496,000	237,667,000	733,951,000	146,822,000	51,629,000	263,779,000	222,579,000	263,050,000

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[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	NATIONAL BANK, BELGIUM.		NETHERLANDS BANK.			BANK OF SPAIN.		
	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollar.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January.....	22,541,600	85,188,083	18,711,600	33,041,100	84,750,098	38,532,900	34,479,100	181,802,707
February.....	24,751,000	84,170,984	20,585,200	34,123,800	83,917,926	38,532,900	35,262,600	182,907,403
March.....	25,354,500	81,766,933	20,857,800	34,172,600	81,217,019	38,532,900	37,233,600	180,571,483
April.....	22,843,351	82,092,988	21,096,277	34,445,087	82,915,427	38,532,947	39,720,373	182,046,032
May.....	20,960,000	83,061,422	21,631,593	33,900,039	86,570,169	38,532,917	40,795,870	182,469,418
June.....	22,454,031	77,917,532	21,907,381	34,201,762	83,153,886	38,532,947	42,508,878	180,118,808
July.....	21,899,250	81,470,077	22,006,313	33,924,372	84,112,586	38,532,947	44,810,732	183,291,856
August.....	21,724,056	74,827,304	22,030,645	33,593,449	83,095,487	38,581,612	44,708,536	183,476,783
September.....	21,169,275	77,907,709	22,035,512	33,530,185	81,601,472	38,654,610	45,423,911	181,549,649
October.....	23,733,921	76,423,516	19,801,789	33,019,203	82,516,374	38,951,466	47,000,657	183,038,793
November.....	23,412,732	80,603,840	19,816,388	32,819,676	84,375,377	38,951,466	47,681,967	181,427,987
December.....	24,376,299	81,489,543	19,855,320	33,238,195	83,528,606	38,951,466	51,203,711	177,826,777
1895.								
January.....	26,074,707	88,701,696	19,903,985	33,311,193	85,304,879	38,951,466	54,154,412	177,890,041
February.....	25,583,190	93,212,041	19,991,582	33,525,318	84,691,700	38,951,466	56,115,612	179,938,838
March.....	25,500,460	86,356,043	21,539,120	34,031,435	85,368,143	38,951,466	57,891,884	177,145,467
April.....	24,965,145	87,538,602	20,809,154	34,211,495	84,278,047	38,951,466	60,227,804	180,342,757
May.....	23,252,137	87,207,680	20,857,819	34,265,027	88,142,048	38,951,466	60,607,391	181,384,188
June.....	21,310,404	85,742,864	20,891,885	34,323,425	85,217,282	38,951,466	60,631,724	181,510,717
July.....	20,390,635	86,828,093	20,838,353	34,192,029	85,105,352	38,951,466	60,038,012	185,725,105
August.....	20,268,993	86,652,899	20,848,086	33,875,707	85,139,418	38,951,466	58,977,114	187,468,779
September.....	21,237,405	83,202,551	20,852,053	33,544,785	82,365,513	38,933,948	57,429,567	187,023,041
October.....	21,709,457	83,898,460	20,794,555	33,145,732	85,373,010	38,951,466	56,281,073	190,085,490
November.....	21,062,212	86,784,295	20,789,088	32,912,140	88,122,582	38,951,466	53,930,553	191,438,377
December.....	20,176,509	85,703,932	18,083,914	33,189,530	83,333,940	38,951,466	51,945,021	192,445,743
1896.								
January.....	20,113,245	89,903,721	17,115,481	33,243,062	88,200,446	38,951,466	49,210,048	196,149,149
February.....	20,069,446	86,813,494	15,115,349	33,330,659	87,986,320	38,951,466	49,648,033	197,735,628
March.....	19,393,003	85,519,005	12,764,830	33,544,785	81,090,490	38,951,466	50,392,608	197,803,759
April.....	19,397,869	86,214,914	12,764,830	33,681,047	81,148,888	38,951,466	50,538,603	197,944,888
May.....	19,646,061	87,621,233	12,784,206	33,865,074	85,275,680	40,747,205	52,329,475	202,378,269
June.....	20,103,512	85,630,934	12,823,228	34,046,034	80,068,525	40,907,799	52,825,858	203,721,423
July.....	20,098,645	86,102,985	12,818,361	33,890,306	82,024,858	40,902,933	55,964,750	205,025,645
August.....	19,738,524	85,986,189	12,818,361	33,651,848	81,319,215	40,907,799	55,093,647	207,527,028
September.....	20,361,436	83,776,798	12,818,361	33,350,125	79,051,426	41,501,512	50,640,799	207,329,096
October.....	19,723,925	86,273,312	12,818,361	33,009,470	81,338,681	41,501,512	50,519,137	207,517,293
November.....	20,147,310	86,283,045	12,818,361	32,610,417	85,119,952	41,501,512	47,784,164	211,756,015
December.....	20,259,240	87,246,612	12,818,361	32,941,339	82,563,039	41,501,512	49,633,434	200,110,480
1897.								
January.....	20,405,235	93,480,599	12,818,861	33,369,591	84,292,647	41,501,512	49,346,310	201,356,304
February.....	20,823,754	91,801,656	12,813,495	33,306,326	81,737,734	41,501,512	50,913,323	207,867,681
March.....	20,930,817	88,733,761	12,813,495	33,681,047	80,472,444	41,501,512	51,842,825	207,478,361
April.....	21,154,676	91,071,681	12,808,628	33,194,397	82,195,185	41,501,512	52,543,601	208,797,183
May.....	21,140,076	91,777,321	12,798,895	33,204,130	86,166,249	41,559,910	52,020,386	211,400,760
June.....	20,755,623	89,558,200	12,701,565	32,079,968	81,460,344	42,460,213	49,847,560	214,293,864
July.....	19,354,071	92,682,493	12,798,895	34,021,702	84,190,450	43,472,446	52,436,538	217,931,693
August.....	20,916,217	90,766,914	12,807,628	33,554,518	81,421,412	43,856,898	50,777,061	220,175,060
September.....	21,203,341	89,903,721	12,808,628	33,367,457	81,328,948	43,929,896	51,726,289	220,958,566
October.....	20,434,434	91,816,256	12,794,029	32,990,004	84,268,314	43,929,896	51,667,631	224,399,182
November.....	20,930,817	92,059,581	12,789,162	32,342,759	86,716,164	44,903,196	52,514,402	231,445,874
December.....	20,643,693	92,731,158	12,789,162	32,732,079	84,136,919	45,039,458	53,658,029	231,484,806
1898.								
January.....	20,882,152	95,106,010	12,794,029	33,038,669	86,735,630	45,895,962	50,193,081	236,098,248
February.....	21,519,663	93,480,599	12,789,162	33,281,994	84,399,710	46,207,418	51,195,580	242,875,083
March.....	21,115,744	91,976,850	13,324,477	33,535,052	82,321,714	46,523,740	52,918,321	244,273,968
April.....	20,118,110	93,891,788	13,451,006	33,676,180	83,080,888	46,869,262	52,144,548	248,551,621
May.....	21,368,802	95,033,012	13,884,125	33,612,916	87,601,897	47,852,295	53,528,557	254,479,018
June.....	21,558,595	93,164,276	13,913,324	33,846,508	84,477,574	47,852,295	54,483,099	255,744,308
July.....	20,838,353	93,660,659	14,857,425	34,011,969	84,823,095	48,431,408	51,977,114	262,839,666
August.....	22,123,109	93,261,606	20,887,018	33,880,573	84,029,856	50,407,207	52,797,317	272,694,328
September.....	21,295,804	95,539,128	20,984,348	33,973,037	83,163,619	51,526,502	52,194,002	272,329,340
October.....	20,887,018	95,422,332	20,980,215	32,848,875	86,604,234	52,923,188	52,045,508	274,757,724
November.....	21,320,137	96,969,879	20,998,948	32,221,097	89,699,328	53,833,223	52,648,954	283,726,683
December.....	22,434,565	97,475,995	20,994,081	32,629,882	88,005,786	53,833,223	51,914,374	279,755,619
1899.								
January.....	23,505,199	102,280,204	20,994,081	32,830,142	92,054,714	53,833,223	39,696,041	282,101,272
February.....	23,607,392	102,498,222	20,994,081	33,014,336	89,407,338	53,833,223	42,499,145	286,724,447
March.....	23,772,853	100,551,623	20,939,215	33,359,858	88,180,960	54,689,727	49,910,824	286,534,634
April.....	22,527,000	101,139,000	19,293,000	33,292,000	90,113,000	56,646,000	57,824,000	286,218,000
May.....	22,478,000	103,262,000	18,653,000	33,146,000	92,882,000	56,695,000	61,702,000	289,503,000
June.....	22,902,000	104,411,000	18,658,000	33,102,000	89,169,000	57,712,000	63,814,000	287,367,000

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From L'Économiste Européen, Paris.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	ITALY.						RUSSIA.		
	National bank.			Institutions of issue. (a)			Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.			
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	52,167,900	8,048,100	174,742,200				293,495,100	2,605,500	788,433,440
February	54,702,700	12,506,400	182,192,000				294,228,500	2,740,000	775,837,100
March	55,391,000	12,332,700	173,449,100				317,928,900	2,856,100	764,656,300
April	55,661,200	9,302,600	166,037,000				282,281,600	2,895,000	755,684,500
May	57,889,700	8,569,200	161,869,100				293,263,500	2,972,200	760,670,800
June	57,784,200	8,492,000	159,688,200				294,421,500	3,088,000	760,265,600
July	57,726,300	10,036,600	167,717,000	24,781,200	2,316,000	58,150,900	288,650,800	2,779,200	740,830,500
August	58,922,900	10,788,700	165,923,800		2,296,700	58,691,300	289,114,000	3,377,500	742,123,600
September	59,579,100	10,808,000	158,086,300	26,055,000	2,316,000	55,854,200	290,272,000	3,281,000	749,264,600
October	59,482,600	10,962,400	161,541,000	26,711,200	2,316,000	55,777,000	290,847,500	3,126,600	764,801,100
November	58,691,300	11,888,800	162,506,000		2,316,000	54,773,400	293,302,100	3,088,000	769,458,600
December	56,433,200	13,413,500	159,398,700	26,769,100	2,316,000	55,120,800	292,362,100	3,030,100	753,730,100
1895.									
January	56,491,100	13,317,000	156,947,600	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,185,900	300,503,600	2,856,400	830,710,600
February	58,150,900	14,745,200	150,269,800	27,155,100	2,316,000	58,286,000	300,308,000	3,088,000	818,320,900
March	57,900,000	11,580,000	143,341,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	52,631,100	300,925,600	3,242,400	810,349,100
April	57,977,200	11,541,400	144,711,400	27,155,100	2,316,000	54,831,300	301,427,400	3,088,000	821,253,600
May	57,842,100	10,537,800	137,493,200	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,809,900	302,469,600	3,241,000	820,820,000
June	58,073,700	11,058,900	140,484,700	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,889,200	299,343,000	3,319,600	820,417,500
July	58,266,700	11,078,200	154,728,100	27,174,400	2,296,700	58,942,200	378,318,600	2,637,000	830,421,100
August	58,421,100	11,522,100	151,582,200	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,413,900	377,894,000	2,605,500	829,900,000
September	57,629,800	9,707,900	148,513,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	378,473,000	4,979,400	839,357,000
October	57,571,900	9,804,400	156,021,200	27,174,400	2,277,400	55,931,400	375,095,500	4,439,000	858,669,100
November	57,514,000	9,920,200	150,501,400	27,174,400	2,296,700	55,912,100	372,876,000	3,705,600	850,203,600
December	57,764,900	10,286,900	147,876,600	27,174,400	2,296,700	56,413,900	371,389,900	3,067,000	836,172,500
1896.									
January	57,957,900	10,422,000	151,176,900	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,536,900	368,861,600	4,303,900	829,571,900
February	59,212,400	10,576,400	147,741,500	27,174,400	2,354,600	57,649,100	368,089,600	4,767,100	818,019,800
March	57,957,900	10,808,000	150,424,200	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,919,300	408,445,900	5,751,400	813,340,600
April	60,312,500	10,827,300	152,605,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	56,915,700	417,266,000	5,539,100	820,904,800
May	59,135,200	10,692,200	143,263,900	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,224,500	424,194,700	7,777,900	823,333,000
June	58,556,200	10,692,200	139,925,000	27,155,100	2,316,000	59,386,100	436,257,200	9,399,100	812,877,400
July	58,479,000	10,904,500	151,929,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,549,000	434,365,800	8,935,900	813,417,800
August	59,231,700	11,271,200	150,636,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,668,400	432,262,100	8,472,700	808,322,600
September	59,405,400	11,811,600	144,576,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,645,500	428,151,200	7,083,100	817,702,400
October	58,942,200	12,506,400	152,643,700	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	433,748,200	5,597,000	843,796,000
November	57,822,800	12,101,100	149,131,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,440,400	442,992,900	5,365,400	843,892,500
December	57,687,700	12,294,100	148,185,400	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,710,600	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
1897.									
January	58,787,800	12,409,900	151,157,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,857,800	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
February	59,637,000	12,023,900	146,815,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	54,059,300	461,424,400	10,537,800	836,144,364
March	58,382,500	12,139,700	141,025,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	53,210,100	446,717,800	11,348,400	816,757,500
April	58,517,600	12,101,100	144,769,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,399,500	467,330,200	18,605,200	489,028,400
May	57,919,300	12,120,400	141,777,800	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,936,300	461,270,000	19,435,100	492,823,700
June	58,566,500	11,078,200	141,700,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,218,600	458,452,200	21,172,100	494,388,800
July	60,607,200	13,124,000	152,894,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,666,100	461,231,400	23,603,900	490,374,400
August	60,582,700	13,934,600	152,701,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,527,400	463,315,800	24,221,500	493,366,900
September	59,945,800	12,583,600	148,610,000	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,438,100	459,841,800	24,221,500	515,117,600
October	59,251,000	12,506,400	154,496,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,178,700	580,640,500	21,715,500	506,509,200
November	57,822,800	11,020,300	150,443,500	18,624,500	2,316,000	55,584,000	588,765,800	20,168,500	491,185,000
December	57,957,900	10,788,700	150,559,300	18,682,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	587,434,100	20,072,000	478,948,800
1898.									
January	57,900,000	10,943,100	153,801,700	18,682,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	598,917,600	19,608,800	461,810,400
February	57,957,900	11,116,800	148,841,600	18,682,400	2,316,000	53,904,900	592,432,800	21,210,700	450,693,600
March	58,170,200	9,688,600	144,904,400	18,814,500	2,316,000	51,839,800	585,272,500	21,886,200	442,143,700
April	58,324,600	9,707,900	147,799,400	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,496,000	575,912,000	21,921,800	435,099,200
May	58,556,200	10,171,100	140,446,100	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,592,500	567,149,800	23,835,500	433,562,400
June	58,073,700	10,209,700	138,998,600	18,817,500	2,316,000	53,268,000	567,420,600	23,005,600	429,386,400
July	58,614,100	10,904,500	156,523,000	18,875,400	2,316,000	56,830,700	557,982,300	22,561,700	417,355,500
August	59,135,200	11,348,400	154,554,400	18,856,100	2,316,000	55,159,400	553,273,700	23,044,200	409,217,400
September	58,768,500	11,541,400	148,320,500	18,875,400	2,316,000	54,734,800	536,636,500	21,820,300	407,558,100
October	58,421,100	11,908,100	153,272,100	19,010,500	2,316,000	56,878,500	507,976,000	18,875,400	391,499,500
November	58,363,200	11,985,300	156,021,200	19,009,500	2,316,000	57,880,700	500,835,000	18,470,100	375,597,300
December	58,556,200	12,216,900	154,361,400	19,010,500	2,316,000	58,228,100	503,440,500	20,844,600	353,621,800
1899.									
January	58,614,100	12,399,600	161,888,400	19,049,100	2,316,000	55,738,400	510,292,000	21,519,500	340,760,800
February	58,498,300	12,371,300	158,684,600	18,914,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	503,845,800	22,909,100	329,335,200
March	56,935,000	10,422,000	154,593,000	19,107,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	491,764,000	23,739,000	320,766,000
April	56,935,000	14,089,000	157,295,000	19,107,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	493,115,000	25,609,600	309,677,600

a By a law of August 10, 1893, the Banca Nazionale del Regno d'Italia combined with two Tuscan banks and became the Banca d'Italia. This bank and the banks of Naples and of Sicily alone enjoy the privilege of issuing circulating notes.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, AND BANK RATES IN LEADING FINANCIAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.

[From New York Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY.	MONEY MARKET.		BANK RATES.						
	New York.		London.	Paris.	Berlin.	Hamburg.	Amsterdam.	Vienna.	St. Petersburg.
	Call.	Prime commercial.							
1898.									
May 6.....	2½ @ 3	5½ @ 7	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 13.....	1½ @ 2½	5 @ 6½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 20.....	1½ @ 2	4½ @ 5½	4	2	4	4	3	4	5½
May 27.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 3.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 10.....	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 17.....	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 24.....	1 @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 1.....	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 8.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 15.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 22.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 29.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 5.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 12.....	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 19.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 26.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
September 2.....	2½ @ 3	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 9.....	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 16.....	3½ @ 5	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 23.....	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 30.....	3 @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 7.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 14.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	2	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 21.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 28.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 4.....	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 11.....	1½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 18.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 25.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 2.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 9.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 16.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 23.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 30.....	2 @ 4	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
1899.									
January 6.....	2½ @ 6	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 13.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 20.....	2 @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
January 27.....	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 3.....	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 10.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 17.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 24.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 3.....	2½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 10.....	2½ @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 17.....	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 24.....	4 @ 4½	4 @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 31.....	6 @ 12	3½ @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 7.....	5 @ 15	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 14.....	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 21.....	3 @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 28.....	3½ @ 6	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
May 5.....	3½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
May 12.....	3½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	5	5½
May 19.....	2½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
May 26.....	2 @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
June 2.....	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
June 9.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½							
June 16.....	2 @ 3	3 @ 3½							
June 23.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½							

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING MARCH.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1893	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	4	20	26	31	298,800	527,500	2,265,095	1,414,345	74,700	26,375	87,119	45,621
Machinery and tools.....	25	63	43	36	1,478,334	2,092,619	1,695,952	1,961,404	59,133	32,105	39,441	54,483
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	9	11	15	16	620,800	341,600	558,500	1,351,200	68,977	31,055	37,223	84,450
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	6	7	20	10	185,781	464,800	476,000	905,824	30,963	66,400	23,800	90,582
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	95	96	115	146	1,501,819	2,623,529	2,515,547	4,719,449	16,756	27,328	21,874	32,325
Clothing and millinery.....	59	56	58	94	990,666	467,205	747,834	1,125,266	16,943	8,342	12,891	11,971
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	6	11	9	16	55,435	190,400	47,484	883,396	9,239	17,309	5,276	23,962
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	12	30	35	30	273,253	2,355,253	403,452	788,974	22,771	78,508	11,527	26,325
Printing and engraving.....	43	41	53	51	690,811	200,367	941,105	1,161,426	16,065	4,887	17,757	22,773
Milling and baking.....	28	45	34	54	269,074	277,722	941,910	970,022	9,610	6,171	27,703	17,963
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	30	46	52	47	545,880	606,588	1,238,482	1,248,740	18,196	13,197	23,817	26,569
Liquors and tobacco.....	29	33	45	52	1,454,021	598,637	2,217,998	2,228,821	72,701	18,140	49,288	42,862
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	13	23	22	29	400,482	383,276	945,866	467,059	30,896	16,661	42,994	23,253
All other.....	161	205	251	232	1,877,908	2,586,660	7,416,919	4,781,400	11,661	12,618	29,547	20,609
Total manufacturing.....	511	687	778	835	10,742,064	13,046,156	22,412,141	23,507,326	21,021	19,861	28,807	23,152
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	407	484	505	494	3,098,481	2,652,033	2,696,485	3,880,772	7,613	5,479	5,339	7,855
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	525	775	646	666	1,803,628	2,356,035	2,674,297	3,809,447	3,435	3,010	4,139	5,720
Hotels and restaurants.....	87	89	106	97	610,675	515,692	757,116	562,219	7,364	5,794	7,142	5,796
Liquors and tobacco.....	216	247	286	262	1,217,524	971,972	1,464,068	1,604,387	5,637	3,935	5,119	6,124
Clothing and furnishing.....	158	213	222	224	1,097,677	1,694,273	1,083,363	3,318,062	6,947	7,954	8,931	14,813
Dry goods and carpets.....	138	175	207	236	1,698,968	1,737,642	2,664,525	4,739,372	12,311	9,357	12,872	20,082
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	110	148	167	171	1,178,455	864,944	1,680,752	3,269,648	10,713	5,844	10,065	18,791
Furniture and crockery.....	51	98	107	91	435,730	806,332	945,497	939,502	8,543	8,230	8,836	10,323
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	70	99	175	156	547,441	1,082,038	1,518,884	1,299,508	7,820	10,929	8,679	8,330
Drugs and paints.....	87	145	149	153	490,585	618,509	795,644	818,902	5,639	4,265	5,339	5,352
Jewelry and clocks.....	57	60	88	103	312,584	459,018	1,656,862	916,645	5,484	7,660	18,828	8,899
Books and papers.....	13	36	58	56	53,948	372,546	448,536	680,997	4,149	10,348	7,733	12,161
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	10	19	21	31	157,070	920,154	117,475	222,872	15,707	48,429	5,594	7,190
All other.....	246	329	336	375	2,304,852	2,418,827	4,643,100	5,361,979	9,369	7,352	13,819	14,300
Total trading.....	2,175	2,917	3,073	3,118	15,037,618	17,470,815	24,046,604	31,424,312	6,914	5,989	7,825	10,078
Brokers and transporters.....	86	83	81	78	1,372,349	1,829,594	1,549,163	2,493,497	15,958	22,043	19,125	31,711
Total commercial.....	2,772	3,687	3,932	4,031	27,152,031	32,946,565	48,007,911	57,425,135	9,795	8,936	12,210	14,246

NOTE.—Iron, woolens, and cottons include all the branches of those manufactures; machinery includes implements and tools; lumber includes saw, planing, sash and door mills, carpenters, and coopers; clothing includes millinery and furnishings; hats include furs and gloves; chemicals include drugs, fertilizers, paints, and oils; printing and books include engraving and maps; milling includes baking; leather and shoes include makers of harness, saddlery, trunks, and rubber goods; liquors include tobacco, wine, brewers, and beer; glass includes earthenware, pottery, brick, lime, and cement; groceries include meats and fish; hotels include restaurants; dry goods include carpets and curtains; furniture includes crockery; hardware includes stoves and tools, and jewelry includes clocks and watches; brokers include all real-estate, note, insurance, or produce dealers whose main business is not the handling of actual products, with mortgage and other loan concerns, and transporters include all except incorporated railway companies.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	APRIL.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	1	3	9	13	259,000	23,000	764,419	668,779	259,000	7,666	84,935	51,444
Machinery and tools.....	13	20	5	6	199,000	561,648	41,258	32,400	15,298	28,232	8,251	5,490
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	3	3	6	15	50,519	168,000	263,300	943,606	16,839	56,000	44,217	62,997
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	2	2	14	10	3,000	255,000	8,244,234	208,000	1,500	127,500	588,874	20,800
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	21	37	26	49	674,363	468,363	496,073	1,560,705	32,112	12,658	19,077	31,851
Clothing and millinery.....	17	21	26	21	61,209	403,938	98,687	464,547	3,660	19,235	3,785	22,073
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	2	1	1	5	23,113	750	3,800	40,560	11,571	750	3,800	8,100
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	2	2	3	4	203,000	1,700	4,709	206,960	101,500	850	1,566	51,725
Printing and engraving.....	12	13	13	16	57,538	80,602	85,204	163,422	4,795	6,200	6,603	10,213
Milling and baking.....	10	11	15	17	351,590	76,433	848,090	232,500	35,459	6,948	56,533	13,676
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	12	10	14	11	92,178	263,800	82,383	190,000	7,681	26,380	5,884	17,272
Liquors and tobacco.....	10	2	11	14	303,666	44,600	201,244	672,721	30,366	22,000	18,295	48,051
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	4	4	4	6	12,400	144,687	36,000	108,321	3,100	36,172	9,000	13,053
All other.....	46	71	73	75	491,053	2,539,787	1,265,977	1,161,120	10,675	35,772	17,332	15,481
Total manufacturing.....	155	200	220	262	2,775,650	5,034,708	12,437,979	6,652,521	24,136	25,173	56,536	25,391
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	80	82	111	117	358,930	361,548	732,985	854,481	4,487	4,400	6,603	7,303
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	115	198	143	154	459,535	737,903	544,241	547,851	2,169	3,727	3,806	3,557
Hotels and restaurants.....	22	25	31	33	51,213	186,491	107,819	203,154	2,328	7,459	3,473	6,156
Liquors and tobacco.....	51	57	72	74	193,743	113,373	274,847	457,668	3,799	1,971	3,817	6,184
Clothing and furnishing.....	24	61	48	48	181,349	422,041	331,519	470,389	7,556	6,919	6,906	9,739
Dry goods and carpets.....	26	37	33	49	181,174	468,359	597,103	545,127	6,968	12,658	18,096	11,125
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	14	36	30	22	90,611	242,253	291,695	388,800	6,472	6,729	9,823	17,672
Furniture and crockery.....	16	25	34	29	154,523	132,580	200,018	212,800	9,658	5,303	5,883	7,337
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	19	27	25	31	91,504	256,414	186,028	202,505	4,816	9,497	7,441	6,532
Drugs and paints.....	16	27	32	35	76,303	80,081	188,902	476,296	4,769	2,966	5,872	13,608
Jewelry and clocks.....	11	16	12	26	100,903	49,442	60,507	238,605	9,173	3,090	5,042	9,177
Books and papers.....	5	5	7	16	39,069	22,500	117,800	100,645	7,814	4,500	16,828	6,290
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	2	5	.....	.....	36,050	28,842	.....	.....	18,025	5,768	.....	.....
All other.....	59	108	126	88	480,992	885,589	1,062,040	831,424	8,152	8,199	7,952	9,448
Total trading.....	490	709	704	722	2,495,899	3,987,467	4,658,564	5,529,745	5,094	5,624	6,617	7,658
Brokers and transporters.....	21	18	17	16	518,538	345,627	516,934	305,431	24,692	19,207	30,408	19,089
Total commercial.....	666	927	941	1,000	5,790,096	9,367,802	17,613,477	12,487,697	8,694	10,105	18,718	12,487

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FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	MAY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails	4	1	7	8	18,001	75,000	679,400	116,225	4,650	75,000	97,057	14,528
Machinery and tools	4	26	8	10	60,038	634,354	94,709	582,904	15,009	24,398	11,838	58,240
Woolen, carpets, and knit goods	3	7	3	9	101,235	1,117,000	84,000	454,300	33,745	159,571	28,000	50,478
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	1	2	3	7	8,000	50,000	517,300	90,000	8,000	25,000	172,433	15,714
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers	23	39	27	37	156,369	697,710	295,489	504,230	6,799	17,890	10,944	18,676
Clothing and millinery	23	17	21	36	335,911	145,759	133,495	383,310	14,605	8,574	6,357	10,647
Hats, gloves, and furs	2	3	2	3	10,700	83,505	67,400	97,558	5,350	27,835	33,700	32,519
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	2	5	6	7	6,600	76,775	39,500	222,181	3,200	15,955	6,583	31,740
Printing and engraving	8	21	12	14	43,100	339,100	101,370	383,423	5,387	16,148	8,472	28,101
Milling and baking	7	8	7	8	107,612	40,768	169,908	23,950	15,373	5,096	24,252	4,487
Leather, shoes, and harness	8	10	16	11	38,994	525,282	738,541	284,754	4,874	52,528	46,159	25,887
Liquors and tobacco	7	6	10	10	44,534	258,392	248,027	89,000	6,362	43,065	24,802	8,900
Glass, earthenware, and brick	2	6	4	8	35,600	52,356	224,300	17,928	17,800	8,726	56,075	2,241
All other	51	60	73	88	355,172	1,191,700	1,206,106	1,354,456	6,964	19,861	16,522	15,391
Total manufacturing	145	211	199	256	1,322,466	5,287,701	4,599,845	4,624,228	9,120	25,060	23,115	18,063
TRADERS.												
General stores	71	105	77	78	339,033	568,942	331,214	498,791	5,479	5,418	4,302	6,395
Groceries, meats, and fish	93	164	162	136	288,387	685,717	474,541	947,651	3,101	4,181	2,929	6,968
Hotels and restaurants	34	27	38	27	268,440	127,502	157,910	680,798	7,895	4,722	4,155	25,214
Liquors and tobacco	46	83	73	57	190,866	464,972	492,659	402,198	4,149	5,602	6,749	7,056
Clothing and furnishing	28	76	72	54	172,988	873,711	687,535	515,609	6,178	11,496	9,548	9,548
Dry goods and carpets	20	39	44	37	200,035	291,558	762,713	933,782	10,000	7,476	15,971	25,237
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	23	42	37	41	92,970	315,971	142,326	248,623	4,042	7,523	3,847	6,064
Furniture and crockery	15	17	25	16	209,606	80,420	234,821	87,136	13,974	4,731	9,393	5,446
Hardware, stoves, and tools	11	23	35	39	68,384	163,162	485,147	357,526	6,217	7,094	13,861	9,167
Drugs and paints	13	31	34	37	124,916	182,511	161,460	331,654	9,609	5,887	4,749	8,964
Jewelry and clocks	3	16	18	16	12,500	328,271	107,300	168,544	4,166	20,517	5,961	10,534
Books and papers	7	4	8	8	32,486	17,600	52,007	97,219	4,641	4,400	6,751	12,152
Hats, furs, and gloves	2	4	3	9	4,000	32,000	23,500	331,479	2,000	8,000	7,833	26,831
All other	54	80	76	82	358,624	955,658	785,877	1,493,757	6,641	11,945	10,340	18,216
Total trading	420	711	702	637	2,413,235	5,087,995	4,839,010	7,094,767	5,746	7,156	6,893	11,137
Brokers and transporters	16	33	35	24	84,985	754,383	1,880,534	577,353	5,311	22,860	53,729	24,056
Total commercial	581	955	936	917	3,820,686	11,130,079	11,319,389	12,296,348	6,576	11,655	12,093	13,409

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FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MANUFACTURERS.																
MONTHS.	Iron, foundries and rails.	Machinery and tools.	Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.	Cottons, lace, and hosiery.	Lumber, carpenters and coopers.	Clothing and millinery.	Hats, gloves, and furs.	Chemicals, drugs, and paints.	Printing and engraving.	Milling and baking.	Leather, shoes, and harness.	Liquors and tobacco.	Glass, earthenware, and brick.	All other.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1895—January	180,000	80,000	30,000	50,000	240,000	110,000	70,000	30,000	80,000	230,000	280,000	80,000	240,000	1,530,000	3,310,000	
February	360,000	50,000	100,000	60,000	480,000	260,000	190,000	40,000	60,000	90,000	90,000	110,000	270,000	1,710,000	3,900,000	
March	510,000	99,000	.....	60,000	490,000	430,000	160,000	280,000	130,000	200,000	170,000	4,963,000	20,000	4,610,000	13,010,000
April	290,000	190,000	10,000	560,000	370,000	160,000	210,000	180,000	70,000	580,000	210,000	400,000	110,000	1,163,000	4,520,000	
May	140,000	40,000	90,000	30,000	340,000	70,000	370,000	50,000	80,000	180,000	120,000	140,000	170,000	1,580,000	3,400,000	
June	180,000	210,000	130,000	100,000	320,000	320,000	.....	480,000	70,000	180,000	190,000	340,000	40,000	9,530,000	12,160,000
July	60,000	150,000	120,000	40,000	120,000	230,000	.....	30,000	70,000	140,000	30,000	140,000	40,000	1,690,000	2,870,000
August	190,000	510,000	50,000	10,000	120,000	190,000	50,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	80,000	90,000	100,000	2,510,000	4,130,000	
September	90,000	120,000	90,000	40,000	720,000	1,110,000	90,000	70,000	760,000	40,000	150,000	290,000	80,000	1,550,000	5,210,000	
October	860,000	80,000	1,290,000	240,000	1,580,000	1,060,000	110,000	150,000	70,000	90,000	50,000	240,000	210,000	860,000	6,930,000	
November	140,000	540,000	180,000	50,000	500,000	340,000	130,000	320,000	60,000	40,000	200,000	220,000	230,000	1,300,000	4,250,000	
December	1,120,000	400,000	200,000	60,000	780,000	440,000	510,000	40,000	200,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	60,000	6,220,000	10,260,000	
	4,120,000	3,360,000	2,290,000	1,300,000	6,060,000	4,720,000	1,890,000	1,600,000	1,780,000	1,860,000	1,700,000	7,080,000	1,570,000	34,360,000	73,920,000	
1896—January	531,000	790,000	190,000	10,000	1,260,000	370,000	170,000	120,000	330,000	220,000	800,000	1,450,000	110,000	2,260,000	8,580,000	
February	240,000	100,000	70,000	820,000	620,000	220,000	30,000	60,000	430,000	70,000	300,000	390,000	180,000	1,820,000	5,500,000	
March	630,000	1,130,000	1,000,000	70,000	2,840,000	530,000	180,000	610,000	390,000	680,000	140,000	210,000	180,000	700,000	9,420,000	
April	670,000	30,000	940,000	210,000	1,560,000	460,000	40,000	210,000	160,000	230,000	190,000	670,000	110,000	1,160,000	6,650,000	
May	120,000	580,000	450,000	90,000	500,000	380,000	100,000	220,000	390,000	30,000	280,000	90,000	20,000	1,350,000	4,620,000	
June	380,000	680,000	1,480,000	60,000	700,000	280,000	.....	150,000	220,000	440,000	420,000	40,000	0,000	3,280,000	8,210,000
July	700,000	280,000	460,000	60,000	1,460,000	320,000	50,000	570,000	850,000	130,000	80,000	230,000	750,000	1,630,000	7,570,000	
August	600,000	370,000	160,000	120,000	3,790,000	110,000	20,000	50,000	40,000	650,000	60,000	230,300	190,000	6,160,000	13,100,000	
September	350,000	580,000	600,000	720,000	1,310,000	330,000	50,000	170,000	80,000	230,000	880,000	1,600,000	20,000	4,830,000	11,810,000	
October	190,000	330,000	2,070,000	80,000	730,000	690,000	30,000	150,000	170,000	220,000	180,000	450,000	50,000	1,580,000	6,940,000	
November	70,000	540,000	150,000	280,000	560,000	520,000	70,000	100,000	180,000	100,000	140,000	240,000	40,000	1,660,000	4,660,000	
December	580,000	390,000	690,000	130,000	970,000	370,000	350,000	240,000	270,000	1,010,000	500,000	2,510,000	340,000	3,040,000	11,390,000	
	5,060,000	5,740,000	8,350,000	2,650,000	16,300,000	4,580,000	1,050,000	2,650,000	3,510,000	4,010,000	3,970,000	8,280,000	2,000,000	29,530,000	98,450,000	
1897—January	1,550,000	490,000	120,000	20,000	760,000	170,000	20,000	90,000	190,000	360,000	450,000	1,950,000	280,000	2,090,000	8,570,000	
February	520,000	610,000	290,000	300,000	830,000	470,000	.....	170,000	190,000	130,000	230,000	150,000	540,000	2,530,000	7,110,000
March	190,000	570,000	140,000	150,000	910,000	190,000	20,000	150,000	560,000	450,000	550,000	120,000	120,000	2,690,000	6,730,000	
April	760,000	40,000	260,000	8,540,000	500,000	100,000	.....	90,000	850,000	80,000	200,000	40,000	40,000	1,260,000	12,140,000
May	680,000	90,000	80,000	520,000	290,000	130,000	70,000	40,000	100,000	170,000	740,000	250,000	220,000	1,210,000	4,600,000	
June	1,460,000	630,000	120,000	10,000	460,000	170,000	30,000	70,000	360,000	350,000	280,000	220,000	150,000	2,120,000	6,360,000	
July	20,000	190,000	250,000	110,000	190,000	190,000	30,000	20,000	50,000	110,000	40,000	30,000	160,000	1,150,000	2,550,000	
August	120,000	350,000	10,000	220,000	420,000	120,000	10,000	30,000	220,000	110,000	240,000	260,000	50,000	1,430,000	3,580,000	
September	380,000	410,000	40,000	40,000	510,000	140,000	30,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	460,000	180,000	110,000	680,000	3,320,000	
October	20,000	130,000	10,000	30,000	320,000	360,000	30,000	90,000	160,000	80,000	60,000	440,000	140,000	990,000	2,880,000	
November	80,000	180,000	.....	120,000	1,010,000	260,000	90,000	70,000	880,000	50,000	230,000	150,000	10,000	590,000	4,330,000
December	130,000	900,000	260,000	30,000	580,000	250,000	360,000	30,000	210,000	210,000	150,000	580,000	150,000	1,530,000	5,340,000	
	5,940,000	4,710,000	1,580,000	10,090,000	7,380,000	2,460,000	490,000	820,000	3,220,000	2,940,000	3,510,000	4,530,000	1,970,000	18,370,000	68,510,000	
1898—January	334,500	301,601	.....	56,800	771,263	95,911	52,319	44,702	41,498	104,622	243,338	187,300	198,976	621,225	3,054,055
February	7,000	1,113,862	314,800	38,000	636,721	216,982	75,300	136,907	36,603	93,200	163,650	104,003	110,942	591,299	3,639,339	
March	186,000	607,156	26,800	370,000	1,215,475	154,312	62,781	2,173,644	122,266	79,900	199,600	307,334	73,358	1,374,136	6,952,762	
April	23,000	564,618	168,000	235,000	468,363	403,938	750	1,700	80,602	76,433	263,800	44,000	144,687	2,539,787	5,034,708	
May	75,000	634,354	1,117,000	50,000	697,710	145,759	83,505	76,775	339,100	40,768	525,282	258,392	52,356	1,191,700	5,287,701	
June	268,569	982,925	40,000	21,750	594,275	486,169	28,178	39,151	1,135,348	52,800	99,700	274,092	150,767	2,625,855	6,799,579	
July	301,000	824,400	53,500	25,000	259,000	52,943	.....	52,000	153,100	361,559	184,913	148,392	186,900	1,700,958	4,303,665
August	2,000	195,100	89,500	12,200	105,136	80,755	700	47,300	20,695	71,200	176,500	88,300	152,600	838,647	1,881,233	
September	121,700	509,700	.....	1,084,300	320,313	137,354	30,500	16,707	157,524	45,832	127,050	12,400	118,000	1,241,810	3,923,199
October	65,000	822,000	1,987,600	70,123	553,715	195,380	15,500	61,670	21,248	49,000	1,312,801	159,800	28,500	1,802,373	7,146,710	
November	215,635	188,900	35,500	600	254,449	268,216	68,177	21,500	62,700	5,050	7,230	86,350	12,800	1,996,506	3,223,613	
December	516,176	541,742	2,596,000	32,800	455,955	189,225	87,500	161,300	93,413	139,200	292,586	180,455	176,194	845,250	6,297,797	
	2,106,189	7,286,389	6,428,700	2,01,												

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	TRADERS.														
	General stores.	Groceries, meats, and fish.	Hotels and restaurants.	Liquors and tobacco.	Clothing and furnishing.	Dry goods and carpets.	Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.	Furniture and crockery.	Hardware, stoves, and tools.	Drugs and paints.	Jewelry and clocks.	Books and papers.	Hats, furs, and gloves.	All other.	Total.
1895—January	Dollars. 2,110,000	Dollars. 1,060,000	Dollars. 190,000	Dollars. 710,000	Dollars. 680,000	Dollars. 2,070,000	Dollars. 490,000	Dollars. 320,000	Dollars. 370,000	Dollars. 350,000	Dollars. 490,000	Dollars. 180,000	Dollars. 310,000	Dollars. 1,870,000	Dollars. 11,220,000
February	1,030,000	1,000,000	180,000	1,060,000	540,000	1,160,000	480,000	230,000	140,000	250,000	130,000	110,000	40,000	1,040,000	7,430,000
March	970,000	480,000	230,000	740,000	780,000	840,000	350,000	370,000	210,000	130,000	260,000	100,000	40,000	1,320,000	6,830,000
April	1,650,000	800,000	130,000	380,000	510,000	630,000	240,000	190,000	280,000	170,000	230,000	130,000	30,000	910,000	6,320,000
May	1,110,000	660,000	220,000	490,000	460,000	430,000	310,000	110,000	310,000	80,000	20,000	100,000	270,000	1,550,000	6,140,000
June	523,000	730,000	130,000	550,000	570,000	1,610,000	300,000	100,000	140,000	140,000	260,000	100,000	220,000	1,830,000	7,230,000
July	440,000	410,000	500,000	180,000	520,000	790,000	170,000	90,000	230,000	130,000	70,000	160,000	150,000	2,870,000	6,700,000
August	490,000	520,000	540,000	250,000	820,000	1,090,000	170,000	50,000	680,000	210,000	90,000	110,000	30,000	1,220,000	6,270,000
September	620,000	510,000	270,000	170,000	490,000	270,000	150,000	100,000	250,000	950,000	220,000	80,000		1,360,000	5,460,000
October	1,400,000	620,000	380,000	530,000	1,490,000	890,000	740,000	130,000	430,000	220,000	150,000	70,000	50,000	1,180,000	8,280,000
November	1,340,000	530,000	90,000	310,000	1,230,000	1,000,000	210,000	100,000	420,000	150,000	80,000	80,000	150,000	1,310,000	6,990,000
December	1,570,000	810,000	660,000	630,000	1,660,000	1,450,000	440,000	280,000	520,000	230,000	480,000	80,000	160,000	4,850,000	13,830,000
	13,250,000	8,130,000	3,520,000	6,000,000	9,750,000	12,230,000	4,050,000	2,070,000	4,010,000	3,010,000	2,480,000	1,300,000	1,450,000	21,310,000	92,700,000
1896—January	1,470,000	1,680,000	150,000	660,000	1,350,000	1,370,000	2,050,000	250,000	330,000	480,000	390,000	410,000	100,000	1,430,000	12,140,000
February	1,120,000	910,000	190,000	490,000	370,000	600,000	510,000	140,000	590,000	90,000	230,000	90,000	60,000	1,170,000	6,610,000
March	1,230,000	1,220,000	210,000	440,000	1,590,000	2,760,000	700,000	510,000	370,000	240,000	230,000	170,000	60,000	2,770,000	12,670,000
April	850,000	550,000	200,000	460,000	470,000	550,000	390,000	210,000	200,000	480,000	240,000	100,000		830,000	5,530,000
May	500,000	950,000	680,000	400,000	520,000	930,000	250,000	90,000	360,000	330,000	170,000	100,000	330,000	1,490,000	7,090,000
June	690,000	580,000	160,000	680,000	830,000	880,000	470,000	180,000	340,000	170,000	290,000	40,000	40,000	1,920,000	7,320,000
July	690,000	700,000	80,000	730,000	240,000	760,000	210,000	150,000	350,000	180,000	100,000	210,000	30,000	2,460,000	6,910,000
August	460,000	620,000	160,000	340,000	870,000	2,470,000	450,000	600,000	320,000	100,000	700,000	20,000	50,000	1,880,000	9,060,000
September	1,110,000	920,000	480,000	820,000	930,000	2,630,000	490,000	880,000	720,000	390,000	470,000	270,000	20,000	2,650,000	12,780,000
October	1,030,000	690,000	270,000	350,000	1,070,000	1,640,000	380,000	150,000	430,000	150,000	150,000	90,000	70,000	920,000	7,420,000
November	1,350,000	510,000	200,000	350,000	1,730,000	1,160,000	220,000	280,000	400,000	170,000	90,000	10,000	20,000	1,020,000	7,480,000
December	1,840,000	1,490,000	390,000	700,000	1,750,000	2,960,000	1,440,000	420,000	710,000	340,000	480,000	60,000	120,000	1,340,000	14,040,000
	12,390,000	10,820,000	3,170,000	6,420,000	11,780,000	18,710,000	7,560,000	3,870,000	5,120,000	3,120,000	3,600,000	1,610,000	900,000	19,880,000	109,050,000
1897—January	1,110,000	870,000	320,000	540,000	760,000	1,030,000	630,000	240,000	530,000	300,000	1,130,000	230,000	30,000	1,600,000	9,390,000
February	810,000	660,000	340,000	400,000	540,000	740,000	520,000	290,000	470,000	190,000	130,000	50,000	60,000	930,000	6,130,000
March	780,000	1,140,000	90,000	530,000	680,000	830,000	530,000	420,000	520,000	300,000	400,000	170,000	30,000	2,110,000	8,530,000
April	730,000	540,000	110,000	270,000	330,000	600,000	290,000	200,000	190,000	190,000	60,000	120,000		1,000,000	4,660,000
May	330,000	470,000	160,000	490,000	690,000	700,000	140,000	230,000	490,000	160,000	110,000	50,000	20,000	790,000	4,840,000
June	670,000	620,000	320,000	680,000	860,000	700,000	410,000	620,000	450,000	170,000	140,000	80,000	60,000	1,930,000	7,730,000
July	420,000	380,000	470,000	310,000	460,000	510,000	160,000	280,000	200,000	120,000	50,000	70,000	20,000	690,000	4,140,000
August	430,000	410,000	150,000	510,000	340,000	350,000	340,000	80,000	430,000	180,000	110,000	170,000	10,000	660,000	4,180,000
September	580,000	520,000	140,000	270,000	510,000	400,000	530,000	160,000	280,000	180,000	70,000	50,000	10,000	810,000	4,510,000
October	590,000	360,000	130,000	460,000	340,000	1,480,000	260,000	60,000	270,000	170,000	30,000	20,000	210,000	570,000	4,940,000
November	1,050,000	470,000	350,000	220,000	730,000	1,150,000	170,000	90,000	310,000	170,000	140,000	60,000	60,000	480,000	5,450,000
December	1,730,000	1,230,000	240,000	430,000	1,060,000	1,490,000	580,000	310,000	790,000	240,000	340,000	180,000	90,000	1,210,000	9,990,000
	9,230,000	7,670,000	2,820,000	5,110,000	7,300,000	10,040,000	4,510,000	2,980,000	4,930,000	2,370,000	2,710,000	1,250,000	610,000	12,780,000	74,490,000
1898—January	1,003,659	778,617	357,317	471,107	859,554	439,028	356,403	328,462	303,292	269,098	165,785	91,964	836,600	761,128	7,022,014
February	679,041	716,051	55,450	209,279	313,902	830,812	304,297	207,100	401,238	172,316	142,769	223,382	14,854	877,541	5,148,032
March	969,333	861,367	102,925	291,586	520,817	467,802	204,244	270,970	377,508	177,095	151,064	57,200	68,700	780,158	5,300,769
April	361,548	737,963	186,491	113,373	422,041	468,350	242,253	132,580	256,414	80,081	49,442	22,500	23,842	885,589	3,987,467
May	563,942	635,717	127,562	464,972	873,711	201,558	315,971	80,420	163,162	182,511	328,271	17,600	32,000	955,658	5,087,993
June	739,167	924,323	276,810	407,597	877,350	775,650	489,227	146,331	126,540	154,288	150,388	23,156	101,736	1,217,780	6,410,349
July	326,090	471,346	216,113	333,724	135,611	366,085	222,525	118,084	111,806	126,884	56,124	11,700	15,000	860,322	3,371,414
August	268,439	374,883	50,467	338,459	265,295	438,034	917,265	31,353	215,409	77,465	25,127	46,286	158,500	612,174	3,819,156
September	491,302	574,009	241,050	253,534	205,720	352,112	236,867	334,940	447,950	130,105	82,374	29,627	170,837	854,425	4,404,852
October	676,559	434,849	116,543	241,451	324,806	1,067,302	403,904	58,794	269,499	168,480	22,400	11,200	3,560	398,186	5,097,533
November	790,930	502,077	141,399	153,709	732,299	323,931	72,364	276,685	157,616	119,351	69,673	105,178	21,000	510,839	3,977,051
December	1,646,351	1,510,329	507,271	302,174	937,647										

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

QUARTERLY STATEMENTS OF FAILURES AND AVERAGE OF LIABILITIES, 1875-1899.

(From Dun's Review, New York.)

CALENDAR YEARS.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR THE YEAR.		
	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabili- ties.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabili- ties.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabili- ties.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabili- ties.	Num- ber fail- ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver- age liabili- ties.
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1875.....	1,982	43,173,000	21,782	1,582	33,667,000	21,295	1,771	54,328,000	30,676	2,405	70,888,000	29,475	7,740	201,060,333	25,960
1876.....	2,806	64,644,000	23,039	1,794	43,771,000	24,398	2,450	47,857,371	19,533	2,042	34,844,893	17,064	9,092	191,117,786	21,020
1877.....	2,869	54,533,074	19,010	1,880	45,068,097	23,972	1,816	42,346,085	23,318	2,307	48,717,680	21,117	8,872	190,669,936	21,491
1878.....	3,355	82,078,826	24,464	2,470	48,753,340	19,738	2,853	66,373,363	23,266	1,800	37,172,003	20,651	10,478	234,383,132	22,369
1879.....	2,524	43,112,665	17,081	1,534	22,666,725	14,776	1,262	15,275,550	12,104	1,338	17,094,113	12,775	6,658	98,149,053	14,741
1880.....	1,432	12,777,074	8,922	1,065	20,111,689	18,884	979	12,121,422	12,381	1,259	20,741,815	16,474	4,735	65,752,000	13,886
1881.....	1,761	24,447,250	13,900	1,105	16,499,395	14,931	1,024	10,112,365	9,875	1,692	30,096,922	17,600	5,582	81,155,932	14,530
1882.....	2,127	33,338,271	15,670	1,470	17,242,619	11,722	1,300	18,942,363	14,571	1,841	32,023,751	17,394	6,738	101,547,564	15,070
1883.....	2,821	38,372,643	13,692	1,816	27,616,391	15,317	1,803	52,072,884	28,881	2,744	54,612,254	19,902	9,184	172,874,172	18,823
1884.....	3,296	40,186,978	12,193	2,214	84,204,304	37,998	2,346	56,627,821	24,138	3,112	45,324,324	14,547	10,968	226,343,427	20,632
1885.....	3,658	46,121,051	12,608	2,346	28,601,304	12,091	2,173	23,874,391	10,986	2,460	25,623,575	10,416	10,637	124,220,321	11,678
1886.....	3,263	29,681,726	9,266	1,953	20,752,734	15,746	1,936	27,227,630	14,090	2,746	36,982,029	13,467	9,834	114,644,119	11,651
1887.....	3,097	32,161,762	10,695	1,905	22,976,330	12,061	1,938	73,022,556	37,674	2,784	39,400,296	14,152	9,634	167,560,944	17,392
1888.....	2,948	38,884,789	13,190	2,241	29,229,370	13,043	2,361	22,114,254	9,366	3,129	33,601,560	10,738	10,679	123,829,073	11,595
1889.....	3,311	42,972,516	12,979	2,292	22,856,337	9,972	2,276	39,227,045	17,235	3,003	43,728,439	14,561	10,882	148,784,337	13,672
1890.....	3,223	37,852,968	11,747	2,162	27,466,416	12,704	2,196	35,452,436	16,144	3,326	89,085,144	26,784	10,907	189,856,964	17,406
1891.....	3,545	42,167,631	11,894	2,529	50,243,636	19,868	2,754	44,302,494	16,086	3,445	53,149,877	15,428	12,273	189,868,638	15,471
1892.....	3,384	39,284,349	11,699	2,119	22,989,331	10,849	1,984	18,659,235	9,405	2,867	33,111,252	11,549	10,344	114,044,167	11,025
1893.....	3,202	47,338,300	14,784	3,199	121,541,239	37,934	4,015	82,469,821	20,402	4,826	95,430,529	19,770	15,242	346,779,889	22,751
1894.....	4,304	64,137,333	14,900	2,734	37,595,973	13,751	2,868	29,411,196	10,028	3,979	41,848,354	10,172	13,885	172,992,856	12,458
1895.....	3,862	47,813,683	12,577	2,853	41,026,261	14,370	2,792	32,167,179	11,528	3,748	52,188,737	13,924	13,197	173,196,069	13,124
1896.....	4,031	57,425,135	14,246	2,995	40,444,547	13,504	3,757	73,285,349	19,507	4,305	54,941,803	12,762	15,088	226,096,834	14,932
1897.....	3,932	48,007,911	12,210	2,889	43,684,676	15,121	2,881	25,601,188	8,886	3,649	37,038,096	10,150	13,351	154,332,071	11,539
1898.....	3,687	32,946,565	8,936	3,031	34,498,074	11,381	2,540	25,104,778	9,886	2,928	38,113,482	13,017	12,186	130,662,899	10,722
1899.....	2,772	27,152,031	9,795												

FAILURES AND AGGREGATE LIABILITIES, 1879-1898.

(From Dun's Review, New York.)

CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.	CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.
				<i>Dollars.</i>					<i>Dollars.</i>
1879	6,658	702,157	.95	98,149,053	1889	10,882	1,051,140	1.04	148,784,337
1880	4,735	746,823	.63	65,752,000	1890	10,967	1,110,590	.98	189,856,964
1881	5,582	781,689	.71	81,155,932	1891	12,273	1,142,951	1.07	189,868,638
1882	6,738	822,256	.82	101,547,546	1892	10,344	1,172,705	.88	114,044,167
1883	9,184	863,993	1.06	172,874,172	1893	15,242	1,193,113	1.28	346,779,889
1884	10,968	904,759	1.21	226,343,427	1894	13,885	1,114,174	1.25	172,992,856
1885	10,637	919,990	1.16	124,220,321	1895	13,197	1,209,282	1.09	173,196,069
1886	9,834	969,841	1.01	114,644,119	1896	15,088	1,151,579	1.31	226,096,834
1887	9,634	994,281	.90	167,560,944	1897	13,351	1,058,521	1.26	154,332,071
1888	10,679	1,046,662	1.02	123,829,973	1898	12,186	1,005,830	1.10	130,662,899

MISCELLANEOUS TABLES.

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COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH AND FIVE MONTHS ENDING MAY, 1897, 1898, AND 1899.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of May—			Five months ending May—			Month of May—			Five months ending May—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Animals, living (for food):							£	£	£	£	£	£
Cattle.....No..	42,267	30,504	30,908	182,212	179,902	135,847	742,457	515,283	522,985	3,176,316	3,062,367	2,333,399
Sheep and lambs.....No..	26,905	19,238	13,186	103,812	107,392	93,084	38,431	28,616	20,577	148,929	161,317	141,920
Corn:												
Wheat—												
On the Atlantic...cwt..	1,348,000	2,802,400	1,872,000	7,591,400	11,356,500	13,000,570	464,341	1,593,491	643,361	2,670,289	5,260,956	4,679,834
On the Pacific...cwt..	1,453,609	444,100	733,300	7,470,900	4,170,300	2,816,500	504,329	247,692	248,142	2,686,933	1,852,121	938,043
Meal and flour...cwt..	834,200	984,600	1,429,100	5,964,900	8,523,770	9,112,600	378,621	656,152	652,679	2,856,441	4,811,771	4,273,851
Oats.....cwt..	564,400	480,430	407,200	2,634,600	4,208,770	1,728,900	131,376	146,500	114,917	602,766	1,161,542	477,186
Indian corn or maize...cwt..	3,481,000	4,035,800	2,632,800	21,235,800	20,546,800	17,553,600	538,911	894,855	547,500	3,399,335	4,015,217	3,729,623
Bacon.....cwt..	254,152	352,077	303,611	1,555,964	1,920,176	1,840,973	370,254	580,835	489,215	2,244,168	2,972,334	2,902,059
Beef:												
Salted.....cwt..	18,589	18,043	15,446	67,319	85,150	76,849	22,451	24,262	20,356	83,296	112,265	101,048
Fresh.....cwt..	194,728	181,922	259,450	906,926	945,778	1,067,208	405,983	382,739	536,730	1,860,197	2,001,386	2,215,598
Hams.....cwt..	158,187	232,155	168,386	590,240	794,552	745,533	339,942	451,260	320,441	1,248,632	1,563,776	1,432,838
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh.....cwt..	6,112	7,599	9,244	26,114	40,325	50,282	10,432	14,495	16,709	38,100	74,605	89,412
Pork, salted (not hams)...cwt..	8,322	15,513	10,326	66,226	82,775	84,901	9,445	21,593	12,868	82,601	110,012	107,498
Butter.....cwt..	3,022	2,058	5,651	55,959	23,284	76,298	12,344	8,771	23,390	236,276	100,755	338,278
Cheese.....cwt..	30,395	37,295	39,719	251,545	263,757	314,889	75,646	78,986	92,329	588,109	568,105	722,824
Fish, cured or salted.....cwt..	25,519	11,400	18,739	218,545	236,326	210,507	60,427	21,154	45,090	456,157	429,965	435,203
Hops.....cwt..	1,173	372	6,026	33,796	95,381	81,703	3,483	1,443	27,132	108,940	389,803	409,178
Lard.....cwt..	198,948	213,369	212,068	678,155	995,050	910,167	224,290	319,265	295,302	773,674	1,323,014	1,277,793
Sugar, refined, and candy...cwt..	1,356	892	445	5,311	5,040	1,610	1,178	886	687	5,472	5,856	2,278
Copper, ore.....tons..	23	64	55	616	525	352	460	1,630	2,230	7,686	10,225	12,597
Regulus and precipitate.....tons..	642	1,865	270	8,006	6,326	3,283	17,760	55,850	12,425	237,038	198,679	111,271
Unwrought and part unwrought.....tons..	3,932	3,175	1,302	12,638	15,364	12,296	195,099	169,611	97,580	633,072	789,182	840,861
Iron and steel: Iron, pig and puddled.....tons..	7,024	1,447	6,969	35,540	28,032	51,488	15,479	3,322	17,420	83,361	61,262	124,465
Lead, pig and sheet.....tons..	1,485	2,106	2,405	11,029	13,192	12,434	17,692	29,625	34,203	127,237	165,626	170,867
Oils: Petroleum.....gails..	10,822,267	10,475,173	13,261,046	51,058,380	75,366,785	74,435,050	203,387	193,060	258,560	1,006,748	1,239,119	1,476,727
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	565,729	876,385	460,597	6,020,933	7,555,458	6,637,875	1,201,396	1,494,413	819,604	12,906,603	13,132,013	11,198,873
Pulp of wood:												
Chemical.....tons..		202	1,734		2,720	6,793		1,488	11,499		18,878	41,618
Mechanical.....tons..		5	55		8,960	604		26	240		29,639	3,002
Tallow and stearin.....cwt..	18,979	73,733	72,540	83,230	276,121	272,519	15,252	69,370	82,600	73,535	252,038	284,916
Wood and timber:												
Hewn.....loads..	22,338	10,814	12,407	65,555	51,140	56,218	92,607	50,737	58,328	314,785	250,963	263,254
Sawn or split, planed or dressed.....loads..	74,441	46,808	41,065	195,582	144,627	141,136	204,217	129,683	120,857	552,742	399,867	418,568
Clocks, and parts of.....							5,061	6,597	10,063	33,478	38,936	45,492
Leather.....cwt..	47,722	54,067	47,088	213,471	257,579	305,101	254,261	299,491	256,288	1,085,409	1,383,824	1,595,060
Paper:												
Unprinted.....cwt..	59,184	46,007	31,828	145,758	287,478	179,776	36,576	31,472	23,545	107,742	193,572	133,435
Printed.....cwt..	710	1,570	1,130	3,679	8,065	5,917	1,568	2,761	2,863	6,937	15,373	12,965
Animals: Horses.....No..	3,708	2,214	2,156	16,487	16,118	14,062	110,985	62,144	66,134	475,180	471,429	432,497
Flaxseed or linseed.....qrs..	7,800		32	58,228	1,370	1,520	11,163		71	89,294	2,350	2,811

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

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ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of May—			Five months ending May—			Month of May—			Five months ending May—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Beer and ale.....bbls..	1,897	2,738	2,923	19,004	15,018	18,933	£ 9,341	£ 12,388	£ 13,245	£ 88,261	£ 68,094	£ 82,614
Salt, rock and white.....tons..	5,882	5,039	3,513	52,290	36,644	29,146	6,926	6,652	3,975	48,134	34,559	33,118
Spirits, British and Irish.....proof galls..	38,737	24,779	39,558	250,501	110,066	172,684	15,912	11,441	16,628	103,889	50,225	77,712
Wool, sheep and lambs'....lbs..	1,748,200	55,600	675,000	16,501,400	1,842,800	3,844,600	63,879	1,641	16,309	612,973	49,714	92,184
Cotton manufactures:												
Piece goods—												
Gray or unbleached .....yds..	575,400	41,700	558,700	2,638,100	722,200	1,978,400	10,987	1,056	10,450	50,477	13,648	34,955
Bleached.....yds..	1,016,500	773,300	1,656,900	7,734,200	6,068,900	9,383,200	19,197	17,057	32,881	137,618	125,097	196,988
Printed.....yds..	186,300	122,700	113,300	2,504,000	1,598,000	1,459,500	4,328	2,487	2,000	55,343	35,332	32,593
Dyed or manufactured of dyed yarn....yds..	4,923,800	1,938,900	3,138,800	20,524,200	15,308,100	19,800,500	137,194	53,511	81,089	573,965	395,944	510,828
Total piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	6,702,000	2,876,600	5,467,700	33,401,400	23,697,200	32,716,300	171,706	74,111	128,220	817,403	570,021	776,114
Jute yarn.....lbs..	73,100	43,200	134,400	148,800	186,600	331,400	831	427	1,284	1,639	1,867	3,203
Jute manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	19,161,500	7,743,000	8,509,200	87,734,500	39,234,800	36,406,700	158,817	63,310	68,329	711,328	320,030	305,624
Linen yarn.....lbs..	55,700	72,500	172,300	343,800	628,500	568,200	2,319	2,094	4,627	17,462	16,351	17,419
Linen manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	10,065,300	4,504,000	6,249,000	58,353,500	30,922,300	39,313,200	177,761	89,134	118,334	1,071,369	713,516	755,881
Silk: Thrown, twist, and yarn .....lbs..	33,280	53,201	73,726	148,809	272,241	364,667	9,442	11,344	16,374	43,133	63,278	76,328
Silk manufactures:												
Wholly of silk—												
Broad stuffs of silk or satin.....yds..	21,319	15,431	14,314	94,613	129,984	119,403	2,343	1,082	1,672	12,652	12,986	15,250
Lace.....							6,093	3,345	3,967	34,547	24,087	23,590
Other articles, of silk only.....							854	1,027	1,565	5,085	6,564	7,570
Of silk and other mate- rials.....							3,173	3,610	5,681	27,236	34,453	29,609
Woolen yarn.....lbs..	15,900		300	44,900	1,900	1,000	947		18	3,326	170	135
Worsted yarn.....lbs..	101,500	2,400	8,200	415,200	70,400	47,800	9,287	319	1,060	41,910	7,119	5,971
Woolen and worsted manufac- tures:												
Woolen tissues.....yds..	1,104,800	63,200	60,700	6,137,400	586,100	856,100	121,121	8,536	8,421	645,682	97,313	133,729
Worsted tissues.....yds..	6,913,400	678,600	398,500	23,596,700	6,696,500	5,110,600	396,771	31,743	26,274	1,646,194	369,145	301,807
Carpets, not being rugs .....yds..	36,900	5,100	6,600	161,000	82,700	90,600	6,734	1,385	1,760	29,117	14,400	19,409
Metals, and articles manufac- tured therefrom, except ma- chinery:												
Hardwares, unenumerated.....							20,865	888	4,065	91,574	7,823	13,556
Cutlery.....								5,523	5,017		28,619	28,272
Iron and steel:												
Iron, pig.....tons..	815	2,862	2,112	4,604	10,187	8,045	3,172	16,739	13,544	21,578	57,201	54,728
Bar, angle, bolt and rod .....tons..	117	186	273	796	960	1,303	1,967	3,125	4,891	13,005	15,661	21,503
Railroad, of all sorts.....tons..			80		143	86			569		940	560
Wire of iron and steel and manufactures of (except telegraph wires).....tons..	125	168	260	770	884	1,005	3,130	3,062	5,430	15,581	17,736	20,096
Hoops, sheets, and boiler and armor plates.....tons..	3		58	166	78	86	20		361	1,431	678	719
Tin plates and sheets.....tons..	6,916	5,211	5,754	43,908	35,472	21,471	72,697	54,674	60,292	488,194	372,579	227,141
Cast and wrought iron, and all other manufactures unenumerated (except ordnance).....tons..	129	162	175	801	543	779	3,625	4,192	4,492	19,412	14,195	17,441

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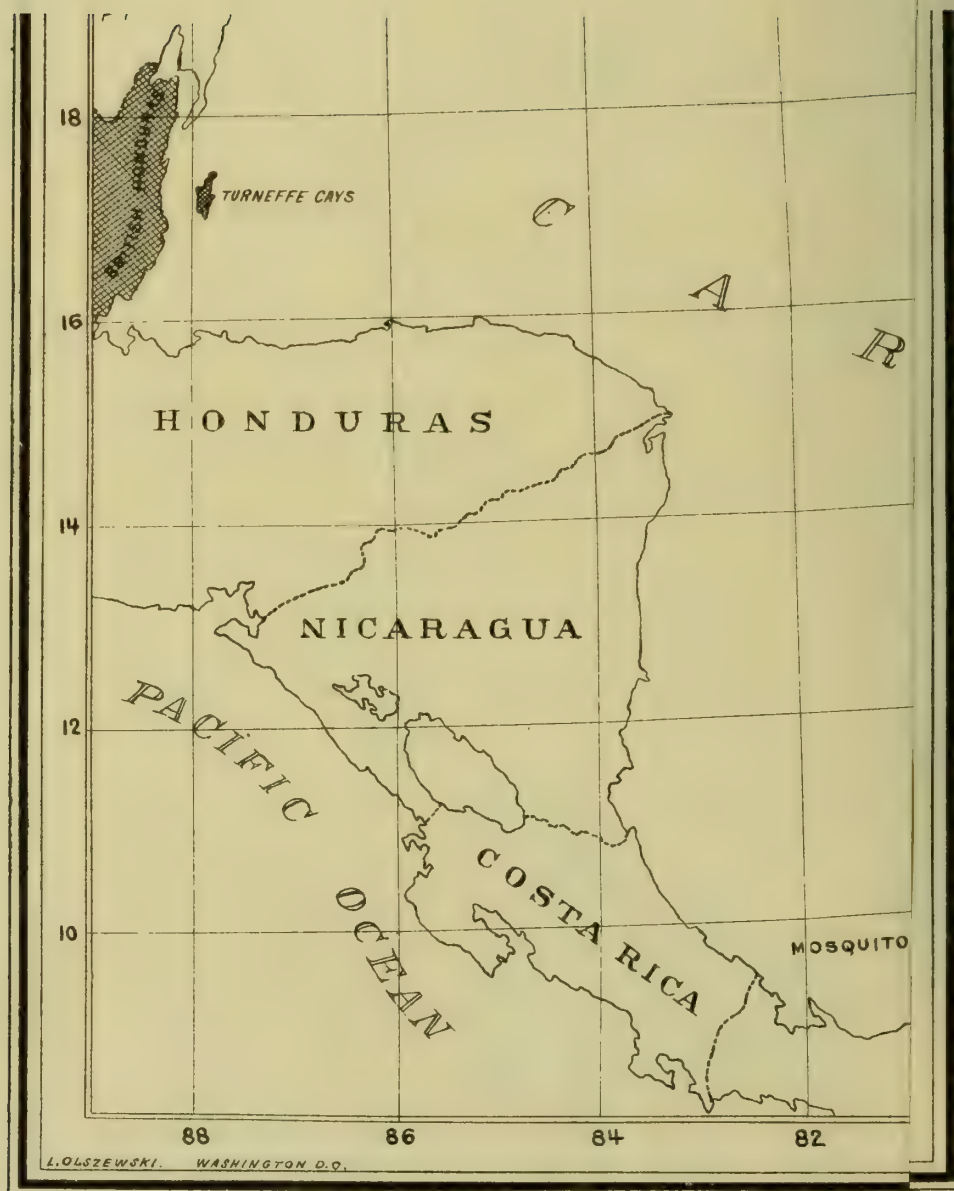
ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of May—			Five months ending May—			Month of May—			Four months ending May—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Iron and steel—Continued.							£	£	£	£	£	£
Old, for remanufacture				12	311					35	1,060	
tons.....												
Steel, unwrought.....	1,093	1,335	1,412	6,226	5,941	5,202	24,875	24,774	31,139	124,287	112,854	116,943
Black plates for tinning												
(iron and steel)	13	127	40	335	453	138	162	1,241	418	3,280	4,268	1,422
Manufactures of steel, or of												
steel and iron combined												
tons.....	50	48	30	555	216	203	5,577	6,387	7,242	43,099	33,229	36,738
Lead:												
Pig, and manufactures of				120	55	30				1,649	781	555
tons.....												
Tin, unwrought.....	455		120	1,261	500	1,161	1,607		725	4,293	1,655	6,186
Machinery and millwork, or												
parts thereof:												
Steam engines—												
Locomotives.....								48	518	252	102	1,036
Agricultural.....										15		4,840
Other descriptions.....							18	1,025	116	3,298	1,915	1,791
Not steam engines—												
Agricultural.....									731	97	293	743
Mining.....								18		70	18	139
Textile.....							21,975	22,072	29,987	95,572	134,990	118,420
Other descriptions.....							3,226	3,346	8,842	15,449	21,639	27,568
Apparel and articles of per-												
sonal use:												
Apparel and shops.....							3,925	2,285	4,980	23,651	15,711	21,047
Haberdashery and milli-												
nery, including embroid-												
ery and needlework.....							939	790	1,607	15,293	16,690	11,054
Chemicals, and chemical and												
medicinal preparations:												
Alkali.....	230,597	67,855	41,620	1,075,938	442,486	237,962	56,925	13,553	8,304	251,363	85,252	47,919
Bleaching materials or												
preparations.....	52,424	62,038	65,493	276,195	308,007	361,141	16,772	15,064	14,734	88,459	84,379	83,334
All other articles:												
Bags and sacks, empty, for												
packing merchandise												
doz.....	24,252	152	5,167	54,888	4,199	17,680	2,232	43	523	5,160	539	2,015
Cement.....	10,591	7,359	1,872	33,714	22,532	7,453	17,557	13,324	3,870	54,763	41,334	16,342
Earthen and china ware:												
Earthenware, chinaware,												
parian, and porcelain.....							79,099	43,198	67,599	325,976	234,792	251,316
Paper:												
Writing or printing, and												
envelopes.....	1,229	807	675	5,868	4,603	1,880	2,156	1,895	1,538	15,428	8,478	4,254
All other descriptions.....	1,214	702	923	5,342	3,186	3,576	4,201	2,874	2,868	18,840	10,588	12,405
Saddlery and harness.....							4,449	4,391	4,474	17,832	15,526	16,977
Skins and furs of all sorts.....							46,200	51,333	94,715	203,957	280,406	371,760
Stationery, other than paper.....							5,461	6,016	6,645	24,317	25,065	25,165

THE WEST INDIA ISLANDS

and adjacent territory
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POPULATION, AREA, PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, AND THE SHARE OF EACH COUNTRY IN THEIR COMMERCE.

The fact that a reciprocity agreement intended to bring a portion of the British West Indies into closer commercial relations with the United States has just been signed, and that others of that group of islands are suggesting similar arrangements, seems to justify a presentation of some facts regarding the people, productions, and purchases of those islands.

Stretching in a great semicircle from the southern coast of Florida in North America to the eastern coast of Venezuela in South America, lies a chain of islands numbering hundreds, having an area of nearly 100,000 square miles, a population of 6,000,000, and a commerce of over \$250,000,000 annually. While the events of the past year have brought the most important of these—Cuba and Porto Rico—into closer relations with the United States, these events were quickly followed by suggestions for closer commercial relations on the part of others of the group, which naturally look to the United States as the nearest market in which to dispose of their products and from which to obtain their supplies.

In this great chain of islands connecting continent with continent, Great Britain controls by far the largest number. The Bahamas, which stretch southeastwardly from Florida almost to Porto Rico, with 20 inhabited and scores of uninhabited islands, have been under British control since 1718, and at the close of the Revolutionary war became the home of many families of English loyalists from the south of the United States. The Virgin group, just east of Porto Rico, is partly under the control of Great Britain. The long line of islands stretching southwardly from Porto Rico to the northeast coast of South America, touching British Guiana on the mainland, are mostly under the control of the United Kingdom, while Jamaica and the Cayman Islands, lying south of Cuba, and British Honduras, on the adjacent mainland of Central America, are likewise a part of "Greater Britain." Thus the large proportion of the semicircle of islands swinging from the coast of Central America past the southern point of Florida to the northeastern point of South America, omitting Cuba and Porto Rico, are under British control.

The British colonies thus lying commercially adjacent to the United States at the south, including those upon the mainland of Central and South America, have an area of over 125,000 square miles and a population of nearly 2,000,000. Their purchases from abroad amount annually to nearly \$40,000,000 in value and their exports to about a like sum. Their productions are mostly sugar, tropical fruits, coffee, cacao, and fibers, of which the United States is a large importer, while their purchases are chiefly breadstuffs, clothing, manufactured goods, mineral oils, coal, lumber, and other articles, of which we are large exporters. At present our sales to them amount to about \$12,000,000 per annum, or about 30 per cent of their total imports, while our imports from them amount to about \$15,000,000 annually, or nearly 40 per cent of their total exports.

While the abolition of slavery in the British West Indies in 1834, in the French West Indies in 1848, in Porto Rico in 1873, and in Cuba in 1885, followed by the development in Europe of beet-sugar production and exportation, reduced the area devoted to sugar growing in the West Indies, it at the same time increased the variety of the tropical products which they have to offer in exchange for the food stuffs, clothing, and manufactures which they annually purchase from the temperate zone.

In the statements which follow the area, population, production, imports, exports, and general commercial conditions in each of the more important of the British colonies lying south of the United States are given, followed by some general tables showing their imports and exports for a term of years, and the share which each country has had in their commerce during that time, and especially the commerce between them and the United States.

BARBADOS.

The island of Barbados, with whose government a reciprocity treaty has already been signed, lies on the east of a chain of islands which stretches southwardly from Porto Rico to the coast of South America, and which geographers divide into "Windward" and "Leeward" groups. Its population is, according to the Statesman's Year-Book of 1899, about 190,000; its area about 166 square miles, and the area under cultivation about 100,000 acres. The staple product of the island is sugar, about 30,000 acres being annually planted with the sugar cane, which yielded in 1897 58,600 hogsheads of sugar, as against 36,451 in 1895 and 49,399 in 1896. There are 441 sugar works and 9 rum distilleries. Sugar is the chief export, though 1,880 tons of "manjak" or "glance pitch"—a bituminous petroleum for fuel—were exported in 1897. In the exports of that year were 56,397 hogsheads of raw sugar, valued at \$2,058,417; 2,203 hogsheads of other sugar, valued at \$120,426; 37,432 puncheons of molasses, valued at \$418,976; 45,449 quintals of dried fish, valued at \$222,502, and considerable quantity of coal, corn, flour, and manufactured articles, much of which was apparently imported into Barbados, and distributed thence to others of the West India group. The imports included 3,947,761 pounds of bread and biscuits, 770,280 pounds of butter and compounds, 19,749 tons of coal and coke, 304,973 bushels of corn and other grain, 46,688 barrels of Indian corn-meal, 55,089 barrels of flour, 83,453 quintals of dried fish, \$221,620 value of hardware and metals, \$657,522 value of linen and cotton goods, 9,516,281 feet of lumber, 2,891,430 pounds of salted or pickled meat, 4,582,858 pounds of oil meal and oil cake, 9,211,785 pounds of rice, 1,649,968 staves and shooks, the total valuation of the year's imports being \$4,908,833. Of the \$4,908,833 importations of the year, \$2,309,577 came from the United Kingdom, \$529,645 from North America, \$1,566,564 from the United States, and the remainder from British India, British West Indies, British and Dutch Guiana, and Peru; while of the year's exports, which amounted to \$3,582,537 in value, \$2,080,535 in value were sent to the United States.

Facilities for the satisfactory transaction of business in Barbados include a colonial bank, with a paid-up capital of £600,000, having a circulation of \$1,985,097. The government savings bank has 12,278 depositors and deposits amounting to £213,984. The chief city, Bridgetown, has a population of 21,000, with three daily newspapers, two weekly, two biweekly, and two monthly. The registered shipping in 1897 consisted of 48 sailing vessels and 2 steamers; total net tonnage, 7,105 tons. There are upon the island 24 miles of railroad, 470 miles of wagon roads, 24 miles of telegraph line, 35 miles of police telephone lines, and 600 miles of private telephone line, which supplies 466 services. Barbados is a station of the West Indian and Panama Telegraph Company.

The government is administered by a governor appointed by the Crown, in conjunction with an executive council, executive committee, legislative council of 9 members, and a house of assembly of 24 members, the latter being elected annually by the people. The number of voters in 1897 was 2,208. Barbados is the central point for steamship lines both between the United States and South America and between European and Asiatic points on the east and Central American ports at the west. From New York to Barbados the distance is 1,820 miles; from Barbados to Georgetown, British Guiana, 335 miles; from Barbados to Santiago, Cuba, 1,050 miles; to Porto Rico, 449; to Liverpool, 3,705, and to Pernambuco, 2,184 miles.

Commerce and finances, 1897.

	Pounds sterling.
Revenue.....	184,606
Expenditures.....	172,551
Public debt.....	409,150
Total imports.....	1,008,698
Total exports.....	736,162

JAMAICA.

Jamaica, the largest of the British West India islands, lies 90 miles south of Cuba and 100 miles west of Haiti; has an area of 4,200 square miles and a population of 706,394. The total number of acres under cultivation and care in 1897 was 663,560, of which, however, 498,916 was under pasture. Of this area 28,764 acres was devoted to sugar cane, 22,387 to coffee, 19,760 to bananas, 10,799 to cocoanuts, 245 to corn, 1,611 to cacao, 80,656 to ground provisions, and 962 to pimento. The holdings are classified as follows: Not exceeding 1,500 acres, 214 holdings; not exceeding 1,000 acres, 149 holdings; not exceeding 800 acres 285 holdings; not exceeding 500 acres, 578 holdings; not exceeding 200 acres, 569 holdings; not exceeding 100 acres, 848 holdings; not exceeding 50 acres, 2,536 holdings; not exceeding 20 acres, 4,347 holdings; not exceeding 10 acres 8,021, and not exceeding 5 acres, 58,789 holdings. The tillable soil of Jamaica has, since the abolition of slavery, passed to a great extent from the hands of large holders to those of small owners, and the productions have at the same time been greatly diversified, coffee, bananas, cocoanuts, and cacao having, in many cases, occupied the area formerly devoted to sugar cane.

Business facilities include a colonial bank with a circulation of \$1,985,097 and assets of \$17,993,644. The government savings bank has 30,660 depositors with deposits amounting to 468,199 pounds sterling. The local cur-

rency is that of Great Britain, but various American coins are also current, as are likewise notes of the colonial bank, whose average total circulation in 1896 was 173,650 pounds sterling. The registered shipping of Jamaica consists of 124 sailing vessels of 6,694 tons and one steamer of 459 tons. The railway in operation has a length of 185 miles; passengers carried in 1898, 356,949; miles of telegraph in operation, 937; telephone lines in operation, 831 miles; telegraph messages sent in 1898, 87,545; letters and postal cards passing through the post-office in 1896-97, 4,955,712. Turks and Caicos islands, which are geographically a part of the Bahamas, are under the political control of Jamaica. The government of Jamaica is administered by a commissioner, appointed by the Crown, assisted by a legislative board of five members, which is also appointed by the Crown. The governor of Jamaica has supervisory power over the local government. The legislative assembly is partly nominated and partly elected, and there are boards elected in each of the fourteen parishes for the administration of local affairs. Incidentally it is interesting to observe, as indicating the system of the British Government in reference to the compensation of its officials, that the salary of the governor of Jamaica, Sir Augustus Hemming, K. C. M. G., is 5,000 pounds sterling per annum, or \$24,333.

Jamaica was discovered by Columbus on May 3, 1494, taken possession of by the Spaniards in 1509, but taken in 1655 by a British expedition sent out by Cromwell, which, after an unsuccessful attempt to capture the island of San Domingo, seized Jamaica, which has since been held by the British Government, having been formally ceded to England in 1670 by the treaty of Madrid.

The products of Jamaica are, besides tropical fruits, dyewoods, cabinet woods, spices, and other valuable tropical products. The coffee raised in certain districts of the Blue Mountains brings, it is said, the highest price paid for coffee in the London market. The exports from Jamaica in the year 1897-98 included 85,410 hundredweight of coffee, 445,866 pounds sterling value of bananas, 11,533,726 cocoanuts, 88,013,091 oranges, 1,408,166 pounds of ginger, 1,379,278 gallons of rum, 284,375 hundredweight of raw sugar, 42,600 tons of logwood, and 38,828 hundredweight of pimento. The total value of the exports of 1897-98 was 1,448,443 pounds sterling, and of the imports 1,666,667 pounds sterling. The imports included 32,657 hundredweight of bread and biscuit, 7,898 hundredweight of butter and compounds, 56,628 tons of coal and coke, 300,401 bushels of corn, 37,083 barrels of meal, 208,317 pounds sterling value of cotton manufactures, 118,612 hundredweight of dried or salted fish, 147,616 barrels of flour, 28,424 pounds sterling value of hardware and cutlery, 35,775 pounds sterling value of linen manufactures, millinery, and haberdashery, 9,501,664 feet of lumber, 8,511,978 pounds of rice, and 2,403,120 pounds of soap. Of the 1,666,667 pounds sterling value of importations in 1898, 776,889 pounds in value was from the United Kingdom, 719,768 pounds in value from the United States, 118,898 from British North America; while of the 1,448,443 pounds sterling value of exports in 1898, 313,853 pounds went to the United Kingdom and 902,932 pounds to the United States.

Commerce and finances, 1897-98.

	Pounds sterling.
Public revenue	672,535
Expenditures from income	765,948
Expenditures from loans	30,801
Public debt	1,994,184
Total imports	1,864,612
Total exports	1,448,443

THE BAHAMAS.

The Bahamas, which stretch southeastwardly from the coast of Florida to the coast of Porto Rico, include 20 inhabited and many uninhabited islands. The area of inhabited and cultivable islands is 5,450 square miles. The most important of the islands is New Providence, containing the capital, Nassau, which was a point of very considerable importance during the civil war in the United States, becoming the headquarters for blockade runners carrying cotton from southern ports and cargoes of manufactures, war materials, etc., from European ports. The principal islands are New Providence, Abaco, Harbour Island, Great Bahama, St. Salvador, Long Island, Mayaguana, Eleuthera, Exuma, Watlings Island, Acklins Island, Crooked Island, Great Inagua, and Andros Island. The total population of the group is about 50,000, the figures at the latest official count in 1891 being 47,565. Sponge fishing is one of the most important industries, its product amounting in 1897 to nearly \$500,000 in value, while shells, pearls, and ambergris in considerable value were also obtained. Fruit culture is, however, increasing rapidly, pineapples and oranges being exported to the United States in considerable quantities, while sea island cotton and sisal are now being produced, over 20,000 acres having been devoted to sisal culture in 1893 in the belief that it can be successfully produced in competition with Mexico and Central America, from which the chief supplies of the United States are now drawn. The total land granted in the colony amounts to 347,976 acres. The exportation of pineapples in 1897 amounted to about \$120,000 in value, and the orange crop of 1897 was valued at \$16,500. The Government is administered by a governor appointed by the Crown, assisted by an executive council of 9 and a legislative council of 9 members, and a representative assembly of 29 members. Electors are required to have a small property qualification. Education is free, compulsory, and unsectarian.

The imports into the Bahamas in 1897 amounted to 186,010 pounds sterling; in 1896 to 194,774, and in 1890 to 222,512. The exports amounted in 1897 to 149,085 pounds sterling in value, in 1896 to 138,972, and in 1890 to 168,121.

Commerce and finances, 1897.

	Pounds sterling.
Amount of public revenue	62,754
Expenditures	63,405
Public debt	119,026
Imports	186,010
Exports	149,085

THE LEEWARD ISLANDS.

The Leeward Islands are the northern section of the line of islands stretching from Porto Rico to the coast of South America, which geographers have arbitrarily divided into the Windward and Leeward groups. The Leeward Islands comprise Antigua, St. Kitts-Nevis, Dominica, Montserrat, and the Virgin Islands, which belong to the British Government, the entire Leeward group thus lying in comparatively close proximity to and immediately southeast of Porto Rico. The total area is 700 square miles; population 127,000. The chief products are sugar, molasses, coffee, cocoa, arrowroot, lime juice, pineapples, and cotton. There is direct steam navigation with the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom. The government is administered by a governor and a commander in chief, and a colonial secretary appointed by the Crown. The group is divided into five presidencies, of which Antigua (with Barbuda and Redona) forms one, St. Kitts (with Nevis and Anguilla) another, and Montserrat, Dominica, and the Virgin Islands each a separate presidency. There is one federal executive council nominated by the Crown, and one federal legislative council, of which ten members are elected and ten nominated. Of the elective members, four are chosen by the local legislative council of Antigua and two by the council of Dominica, and four by the nonofficial members of the local legislative council of St. Kitts-Nevis. The federal legislative council meets annually. The exportations from the Leeward group amounted in 1897 to 339,918 pounds sterling in value, and their imports to 325,753 pounds sterling.

Commerce and finances, 1897.

	Pounds sterling.
Public revenue	124,768
Expenditures	140,944
Public debt	335,621
Imports	325,753
Exports	339,918

WINDWARD ISLANDS.

The Windward Islands compose the southern section of the line of islands stretching from Porto Rico to the coast of South America, but omitting Trinidad at the extreme southern terminus of the line, which has a separate form of government and is considered separately. The Windward Islands consist of Grenada, St. Vincent, the Grenadines, and St. Lucia, and form the eastern barrier to the Caribbean Sea between Martinique and Trinidad. The area of Grenada is 133 square miles; of St. Vincent, 132 square miles; of St. Lucia, 233 square miles. Of Grenada, over 20,000 acres were in 1897 returned as being under cultivation, of which 911 acres were sugar cane, 11,115 acres cocoa, 1,812 acres cotton, 1,343 acres spices, 58 acres coffee. The cultivation of sugar cane is decreasing, and that of cocoa and spices increasing. In the island of St. Vincent the products are sugar, rum, cocoa, spices, and arrowroot, about 13,000 acres being under cultivation. In St. Lucia the chief products are sugar, cocoa, rum, and logwood. There are Government savings banks, postal facilities, schools, etc., in each of the islands. The local currency is the British sterling and United States gold coins. The Colonial Bank issues five dollar notes to the extent of 9,800 pounds sterling in St. Lucia, 11,700 pounds sterling in Grenada, 8,000 pounds sterling in St. Vincent. The imports of the Windward group amounted in 1897 to 480,433 pounds sterling in value, and the exports to 377,641 pounds. The exportations consist exclusively of tropical products—fruits, spices, sugar, etc., while the importations include breadstuffs, provisions, and manufactures. The government of the group is administered by a governor and commander in chief appointed by the Crown and residing at St. Georges, Grenada. Each island has its own local government; there is no common legislature, laws, revenue, or tariff, though there is a common court of appeals, and the colonies unite for other common purposes.

Commerce and finances, 1897.

	Pounds sterling.
Public revenue	144,099
Expenditures	142,883
Public debt	338,850
Imports	480,433
Exports	377,641

TRINIDAD.

Trinidad is the most southerly of the line of islands stretching from Porto Rico to the coast of South America, and by reason of its area and importance is not included in either of the groups of Windward and Leeward, into which the line of islands is arbitrarily divided, this being also the case with the island of Barbados, which lies immediately east of the Windward group. Trinidad has an area of 1,754 square miles, and attached to it politically is the island of Tobago, with an area of 114 square miles. The population of Trinidad is 255,000; of Tobago, 20,785. Of the total area of 1,120,000 acres, about 443,000 acres have been alienated. Of this area, 57,000 acres is devoted to the production of sugar cane, 100,000 acres to cacao and coffee, 13,500 acres to ground provisions, and 14,000 acres to cocoanuts. The large pitch lake in the island, from which the asphalt used in pavements in the United States and elsewhere is largely obtained, is leased to an English company, and from it were exported, in 1897, 125,000 tons of asphalt. The island has 84 miles of railways, 690 miles of telegraph lines, a colonial bank with a note circulation of 150,000 pounds sterling, a government savings bank with 10,936 depositors and deposits amounting to 232,650 pounds sterling. In the island of Tobago, which was annexed to Trinidad in 1889, the culture of cotton, tobacco, and cocoa is receiving increased attention. The exports of Trinidad in 1897 amounted to £1,994,926 in value, of which £138,801 was asphalt, £695,690 cocoa, and £537,107 raw sugar. In quantities the exportations were: Asphalt, 125,000 tons; bitters, 40,145 gallons; cocoa, 27,889,347 pounds; molasses, 605,690 gallons; rum, 99,569 gallons; raw sugar, 982,377 hundredweight. The imports of 1897 amounted to £2,161,231 in value, of which £409,049 was included under the head of "Apparel, haberdashery, and textile manufactures;" £143,214, hardware and machinery; £40,347, leather and boots and shoes; £42,611, lumber; £46,781, meats; £124,026, rice, and £132,104 flour. In quantities the importations were: Coal, 9,097 tons; fish, 8,079,729 pounds; flour, 146,618 barrels; cattle, 7,299 head; lumber, 11,684,508 feet; meats, 4,972,024 pounds, and rice 20,179,343 pounds.

Commerce and finances, 1897.

	Pounds sterling.
Revenue	575,365
Expenditures	587,414
Public debt	526,018
Total imports	2,172,886
Total exports	1,999,607

THE BERMUDAS.

The Bermuda Islands, while not usually considered a part of the West Indies, are sufficiently near in location to warrant consideration in this connection. The colony includes a group of 360 small islands, of which 20 are inhabited, lying 580 miles east of Cape Hatteras, and 667 miles southeast from New York. The total cultivable area is 12,000 acres, of which 4,000 is now under cultivation. The population, 16,098, includes 6,184 whites. The exports amounted in 1897 to 127,703 pounds sterling, and the imports 323,148 pounds sterling. Food supplies are mostly imported from the United States and Canada, and nearly all of the exports of Bermuda go to those two countries. The value of onions exported in 1897 amounted to £81,463, and of potatoes to £18,052. The total tonnage of vessels entering and clearing in the Bermudas in 1897 was 346,538 tons, of which 300,000 were British. A telegraph cable connects the islands with Halifax, Nova Scotia, and the mainland of the United States. The British forces on the islands amount to 3,178 troops. Bermuda is an important naval base on the North America and West India station, with dockyard, victualing establishment, etc.

The government is administered by a governor appointed by the Crown, who is also commander in chief of the military forces. He is advised by an executive council of 6 members, also appointed by the Crown. There is also a legislative council composed of 9 members appointed by the Crown and a representative house of assembly consisting of 36 members, 4 of whom are elected by each of the 9 parishes. There are 1,200 electors, whose individual qualifications are the possession of freehold property of not less than 60 pounds sterling in value.

Commerce and finances, 1897.

	Pounds sterling.
Public revenue	35,965
Public expenditures	35,804
Public debt	46,100
Total imports	323,148
Total exports	127,703

BRITISH HONDURAS.

British Honduras, a British Crown colony on the Caribbean Sea south of Yucatan and 660 miles west from Jamaica, is especially devoted to the production of mahogany and logwood. Its exports of mahogany in 1897 amounted to 6,777,382 superficial feet, and the total value of its exports of all articles to \$1,404,387, while its

imports were \$1,422,097 in value. The transit trade somewhat increases the traffic of the ports, especially in india rubber, sarsaparilla, coffee, etc. Besides the staple products of mahogany and logwood there are coffee, bananas, plantains, cocoanuts, etc. In 1897 the vessels entering the ports of British Honduras were 641 in number, with a tonnage of 194,144 tons. Of these vessels, 249, with a tonnage of 78,802, were British. The government is under the direction of a governor appointed by the Crown, assisted by an executive council of four official and three unofficial members, and a legislative council consisting of three official and five unofficial members. The financial conditions include a savings bank at Belize, with five branches, having deposits amounting to \$23,464. United States gold was adopted as the standard of currency on October 15, 1894; there is also a paper currency of \$118,000, and a subsidiary silver coinage of about \$200,000. The population in 1897 was estimated at 35,000. The area of the colony is about 1,562 square miles. Its extreme length is about 174 miles and its breadth 64 miles. On the north lie Yucatan and Mexico, on the west and south Guatemala, and on the east the Caribbean Sea. The country consists chiefly of primeval forests, with "savannas" and so-called "pine ridges," which are open sandy plains covered with a wiry grass, affording pasturage for cattle, and dotted with pine trees. The ground is level and swampy along the coast line, and generally flat for about 10 to 20 miles inland; after which hills from 500 feet to 4,000 feet in height succeed each other to the western boundary. Wood cutting forms the chief industry of the colony, mahogany, logwood, and other excellent furniture woods being the subjects of chief attention.

Commerce and finances.

	Pounds sterling.
Public revenue.....	314,017
Public expenditures.....	322,990
Public debt.....	168,815
Value of imports.....	1,422,097
Value of exports.....	1,404,387

BRITISH GUIANA.

British Guiana, which lies on the northeast coast of South America, includes the settlements of Demerara, Essequibo, and Berbice, which are named from the three rivers upon which they are located. The population in 1897 is given by the Statesman's Year-Book as 285,315, of which number about 2,500 were born in Europe. There are about 100,000 Africans, 105,000 East Indians (mainly coolies) and 3,714 Chinese. Of this number 90,000 live on sugar estates and 126,000 in villages and settlements. Of the total number, 125,000, according to the last census, were agricultural laborers. Of the 80,000 acres under cultivation, 70,000 are devoted to sugar, the size of the sugar estates averaging nearly 1,000 acres. Gold mining is also a considerable industry, the production of gold from the mines of British Guiana in 1898 having been 140,000 ounces, representing a value of \$2,208,042. The chief imports of 1897-98 were flour, £140,000; clothing, £156,000; rice, £96,000; machinery, £74,000; minerals, £73,000; fish, £46,000; coal, £36,500; and hardware, £28,000. The chief exports were sugar, £1,023,523; rum, £132,586; and gold, £456,436 for the 125,000 ounces mined.

The railways in operation are 40 miles in length, river navigation 450 miles, post-offices 70 in number, telegraph offices 42 in number, money-order offices 36, savings banks 22. The government is under the direction of a governor appointed by the Crown, who is assisted by a court of policy of seven official and eight elected members, the latter elected by the registered voters. There is also a combined court, consisting of the court of policy, and six financial representatives elected by the registered voters. The functions of the combined court are to consider the estimate of expenditures and to raise the ways and means to meet them, and this court alone may levy taxes. The Roman-Dutch law is in force in civil cases, modified by orders in council. The criminal law is based upon that of Great Britain.

Commerce and finances, 1896-97.

	Pounds sterling.
Public revenue.....	555,774
Public expenditure.....	590,616
Total debt.....	902,587
Total imports.....	1,282,976
Total exports.....	1,687,829

POPULATION AND PRODUCTION OF THE BRITISH WEST INDIES.

The population of the West Indian Islands, generally speaking, contains a very small percentage of whites, a very large percentage of Africans, a considerable percentage of natives of India and their descendants, a considerable number of Chinese, and a few descendants of the original Carib tribes which occupied the islands upon their discovery, though of these the number is extremely small, the original inhabitants having been in many cases almost entirely exterminated by the wars waged by the early Spanish discoverers and occupants, who utilized the natives where practicable as slaves in mines; in other cases making war upon them with the purpose of obtaining control of their properties and productive lands. The native race having been exhausted, its place

was supplied by slaves brought in from Africa. When slavery was abolished in the British West Indies in 1832, the French West Indies in 1848, Porto Rico in 1873, and Cuba in 1886, coolies from India were brought in in large numbers, and a considerable number of Chinese laborers and a few Portuguese. The reduction in profits in sugar production which followed the abolition of slavery and the rapid growth of beet sugar production in Europe caused many of the white residents of the West Indian Islands to remove from the islands to Europe, leaving their estates in the hands of agents or gradually disposing of them in smaller holdings. As a consequence, the percentage of white population in the West Indies is extremely small, and the number of landowners vastly greater than a few years—even a quarter of a century ago—while the population is composed chiefly of negro descendants of freed slaves, mulattoes, Indian coolies, Chinese laborers, etc.

The question of sugar production in the West Indies in competition with bounty-encouraged sugar in other parts of the world was the subject of an elaborate examination in 1897, the work of which is summarized by Hazell's *Annual* for 1899, pages 659 and 660, as follows:

During 1897 a royal commission, consisting of Sir Henry Norman, Sir David Barbour, and Sir Edward Grey, was occupied in investigating the condition of the sugar industry in the West Indian colonies, and especially the causes of the present depression. The report of the commission was published as a blue book, October 2, 1897, and the conclusion of the commissioners may be summarized as follows: The sugar industry in the West Indies is in danger of great reduction, which, in some colonies may be equivalent, or almost equivalent, to extinction. The depression of the industry is due to the competition of other sugar-producing countries, and in a special degree to the competition of beet sugar produced under a system of bounties. It is also affected by high protective tariffs. The causes of the depression are permanent, inasmuch as they are largely due to the policy of foreign countries, and there is no indication that that policy is likely to be abandoned in the immediate future. It is not due in any considerable degree to extravagance in management, to imperfection in the process of manufacture, or to inadequate supervision consequent on absentee ownership, and the removal of these causes, whenever they exist, would not enable it generally to be profitably carried on under present conditions of competition. The depression is increasingly causing estates to be abandoned, and such abandonment is causing, and will cause, distress among the laboring population, including a large number of East Indian immigrants, and will seriously affect for a considerable time the general prosperity of the sugar-producing colonies, and will render it impossible for some, and perhaps the greater number of them, to provide, without external aid, for their own government and administration. There is no industry or industries that could completely replace, in such islands as Barbados, Antigua, and St. Kitts, the sugar industry. In Jamaica, in Trinidad, in British Guiana, in St. Lucia, in St. Vincent, and to some extent in Montserrat and Nevis, the sugar industry may in time be replaced by other industries, but only after the lapse of a considerable period and at the cost of much displacement of labor and consequent suffering. In Dominica the sugar industry is not at the present day of great importance.

"Coming to the question of remedies, the commissioners had to dismiss the best remedy, the abandonment of the bounty system by continental nations, as quite improbable. They were divided in opinion as to the imposition of countervailing duties on bounty-fed sugar imported into the United Kingdom, the chairman, Sir Henry Norman, supporting, and his two colleagues opposing, such a course. Various special remedies or measures of relief were, however, recommended as follows: (1) The settlement of the laboring population on small plots of land as peasant proprietors; (2) the establishment of minor agricultural industries and the improvement of the system of cultivation, especially in the case of small proprietors; (3) the improvement of the means of communication between the different islands; (4) the encouragement of a trade in fruit with New York, and possibly, at a future time, with London; (5) the grant of a loan of 120,000 pounds sterling from the imperial exchequer for the establishment of central factories in Barbados. The expenditure which these measures would involve was estimated as follows: (1) A grant of 27,000 pounds sterling a year for ten years, to carry out the special remedies recommended in (2), (3), and (4); (2) a grant of 20,000 pounds sterling a year for five years for the smaller islands; (3) immediate grants of 60,000 pounds sterling and 30,000 pounds sterling, or 90,000 pounds sterling in all, to clear off the floating debt in some of the smaller islands, and to make roads and settle the laboring population on the land in Dominica and St. Vincent; a loan of 120,000 pounds sterling to Barbados for the establishment of central factories.

"As to the expenditure which might be necessary for relieving distress (especially in British Guiana and Barbados), in promoting immigration, and in supporting and repatriating East Indian immigrants, the commissioners were unable to form any estimate, but it might be very great if there occurred a sudden and general failure of the sugar industry in Barbados and British Guiana. In such a contingency neither British Guiana nor Barbados would be able to meet the necessary cost of administration for probably a considerable number of years. A sugar-bounties conference was held, on the invitation of the Belgian Government, at Brussels, in June, 1898, Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, Great Britain, Holland, Russia, Spain, and Sweden being represented. It soon appeared that France would not consent to the complete suppression of all export bounties on sugar, whether direct or indirect, and that Russia declined to discuss the question of her internal legislation, contending that her system did not amount to a bounty on the exportation of sugar. Austria and Hungary, however, with Germany, Belgium, and Holland, were ready to abolish their bounties, and Spain and Sweden would offer no opposition to such a course. But no action could be expected from these countries in face of the attitude of France and Russia, and so the conference separated without any practical results. The British delegates reported that, failing any arrangement for modifying the French and Russian systems acceptably to other countries, the only course would be for those other sugar-producing countries to conclude the convention, suppressing bounties within their dominions and engaging to impose countervailing duties on, or prohibit the entry of, bounty-fed sugar coming from states not included in the convention. The West Indian planters then reiterated their demand for countervailing duties, and a conference of their representatives was held in Barbados in September, 1898. A resolution was adopted, in which appreciation of the imperial grants was expressed, but also the opinion that the imperial Government should, as a matter of right and as the only possible remedy, exclude bounty-fed sugar from the English market or impose countervailing duties."

PRESENT BUSINESS CONDITIONS.

The *Statesman's Year-Book* for 1899 gives the following summarization of West India statistics:

Customs revenue (1897): Bahamas, £53,456; Barbados, £106,880; Jamaica, £283,012; St. Lucia, £29,844; St. Vincent, £10,961; Grenada, £26,292; Virgin Island, £720; St. Kitts, Nevis, and Anguilla, £24,720; Antigua, £23,800; Montserrat, £3,681; Dominica, £10,652; Trinidad, £241,685; Tobago, £2,687.

The chief branches of expenditure (1897) were: Jamaica—charges of debt, £112,651; police, £62,410; public works, £40,982. Bahamas—public works, £7,219; debt charges, £8,385; salaries, £18,218; police, £5,549. Barbados: Salaries, £78,406; debt charges, £1,561; police, £23,370. St. Vincent—public works, £2,769. St. Lucia—public works, £6,292; salaries, £17,734. Grenada—public works, £9,615. Trinidad—public works, £97,540; police, £44,044; debt charges, £37,046; salaries, £214,594.

In 1897 the public debt of Jamaica was £1,994,184; of Bahamas, £119,026; of Barbados, £409,150; of Trinidad, £516,518; of St. Vincent, £19,100; of Grenada, £127,770; of Tobago, £9,500; of Montserrat, £24,600; of St. Kitts, Nevis, and Anguilla, £89,450; of St. Lucia, £191,980; of Antigua, £150,671; of Dominica, £70,900.

In 1897 Jamaica imported cotton goods worth £208,318; fish, £116,240; flour, £162,378; rice, £40,442. Trinidad imported flour, £127,283; textiles, £309,611; rice, £148,777. Bahamas: Cottons, £39,436; flour, £25,417. Barbados: Cottons, £131,562; flour, £57,843; rice, £50,664; fish, £82,457. St. Lucia: Cottons, £23,308; flour, £17,756. St. Vincent: Flour, £8,610. Leeward Islands: Cottons, £42,828; flour, £47,000. Grenada: Flour, £23,158.

Exports from Great Britain to West Indies in 1897, £1,784,185 (cottons, £442,531; apparel, £197,033; leather and saddlery, £92,487; iron, £132,504; manure, £56,257; machinery, £48,785).

Trinidad alone, in 1897, exported sugar valued at £537,107; cocoa, £605,690; molasses, £16,991. Jamaica exported sugar, £120,959; rum, £92,553; coffee, £165,494. Barbados: Sugar, £447,430; molasses, £86,094. St. Vincent: Sugar, £25,592; arrowroot, £21,859. Grenada: Cocoa, £132,642; spice, £13,503. St. Lucia: Sugar, £59,398; cocoa, £17,158. Leeward Islands: Sugar, £236,209.

Total imports into Great Britain from the British West Indies in 1897, according to board of trade returns, £1,453,089 (sugar, £560,288 in 1896, £338,798 in 1897; rum, £159,155; cocoa, £418,996; and dyewoods, £58,194).

The total tonnage entered and cleared (foreign trade) in 1897 was as follows:

	Tons.		Tons.
Bahamas	518, 217	Antigua	445, 948
Barbados	1, 335, 962	Montserrat	228, 715
Jamaica	1, 560, 944	Dominica	407, 460
Turks Islands	328, 374	Trinidad	1, 296, 902
St. Lucia	1, 780, 560	Tobago	44, 094
St. Vincent	248, 877		
Grenada	443, 308	Total (1897)	9, 143, 035
Virgin Islands	11, 545	Total (1896)	8, 234, 484
St. Kitts and Nevis	491, 629		

Of the total tonnage returned, in 1897, 7,246,859; in 1896, 6,517,418, was British.

Currency, weights, and measures throughout the islands are those of Great Britain, though in several of them various American coins are prevalent.

POPULATION, AREA, AND COMMERCE OF BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, AND THE SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THEIR COMMERCE.

COUNTRIES.	POPULATION.		AREA. Square miles.	COMMERCE.									
	Year.	Number.		Year.	Imports into—			Exports from—			Imports and exports.		
					Total.	From United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	To United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	Part of United States.	Per cent of United States.
					Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	
British West Indies:													
Bahamas.....	1891	47,565	5,450	1897	905,218			725,522			1,630,740		
Turks Island.....	1891	4,745	224	1897	161,758			210,733			372,491		
Jamaica.....	1897	706,394	4,200	1897	8,081,344			7,048,848			15,130,192		
Windward Islands—													
Barbados.....	1897	190,000	166	1897	4,908,834			3,582,537			8,491,371		
Grenada.....	1897	61,229	133	1897	799,838			751,577			1,551,415		
St. Lucia.....	1897	47,332	233	1897	1,193,524			750,740			1,944,264		
St. Vincent.....	1891	41,054	132	1897	344,665	7,977,554	-----	335,472	12,582,922	-----	680,137	20,560,476	-----
Tobago.....	1897	20,785	114	1897	56,719			22,780			79,499		
Leeward Islands—													
Antigua.....	1891	36,819	170	1897	536,230			570,361			1,106,594		
Dominica.....	1891	26,841	291	1897	263,151			230,750			493,901		
Montserrat.....	1891	11,762	32	1897	108,372			107,370			215,742		
St. Christopher- Nevis.....	1891	47,662	140	1897	661,360			726,101			1,387,461		
Virgin Islands.....	1891	4,639	58	1897	16,065			19,627			35,692		
Trinidad.....	1897	254,518	1,754	1897	10,517,631			9,708,307			20,225,938		
Total British West Indies...	.....	1,501,345	13,097	.....	25,554,709	7,977,554	27.94	24,790,728	12,582,922	50.74	53,345,437	20,560,476	38.54
British Honduras.....	1895	400,000	43,000	1896-97	3,260,575	735,415	22.56	2,647,248	1,680,014	63.47	5,907,823	2,415,429	40.80
British Guiana.....	1897	285,315	109,000	1897-98	6,243,603	1,565,936	25.08	8,680,688	3,661,956	42.19	14,924,291	5,227,892	35.03
Bermuda.....	1897	16,693	20	1897-98	1,572,599	385,482	54.36	621,466	522,672	85.10	2,194,065	1,377,506	62.79
Grand total.....	.....	2,202,758	165,117	.....	39,631,486	.....	.....	36,740,130	.....	.....	76,371,607	.....	.....

^a United States accounts.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS (INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE) INTO THE BRITISH WEST INDIES, BERMUDA, HONDURAS, AND BRITISH GUIANA, 1887 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
West India Islands:	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bahamas.....	189,456	190,405	175,516	222,512	190,670	197,401	196,512	174,969	172,581	194,774	186,010
Turks Island.....	26,726	28,268	27,369	42,108	26,892	25,388	24,888	28,526	26,735	30,245	33,239
Jamaica <i>a</i>	1,322,336	1,695,605	1,597,600	b2,188,937	b1,759,890	b1,941,481	b2,157,795	b2,191,745	b2,288,946	b1,856,378	b1,660,667
Windward Islands—											
St. Lucia.....	115,951	140,858	172,048	206,693	222,178	173,025	168,978	187,542	154,945	190,534	245,253
St. Vincent.....	79,702	79,778	98,212	97,809	97,839	102,981	93,424	91,009	64,842	71,490	70,824
Barbados.....	983,188	1,058,491	1,211,370	1,193,723	1,067,617	1,081,572	1,372,537	1,279,335	956,921	1,048,887	1,008,699
Grenada.....	143,185	162,437	174,081	170,874	176,929	158,702	166,679	196,998	175,712	154,405	164,356
Tobago.....	23,118	28,848	32,595	23,404	23,945	15,838	17,863	15,403	13,643	13,932	11,655
Leeward Islands—											
Virgin Islands.....	3,039	2,969	3,324	4,145	4,446	4,643	3,885	4,895	4,567	4,478	3,301
St. Christopher-Nevis....	179,584	173,916	177,794	181,516	161,105	181,532	184,192	192,701	172,281	185,214	135,921
Antigua.....	145,229	157,792	165,788	184,590	167,110	188,358	178,931	157,633	144,864	135,627	110,188
Montserrat.....	30,844	21,359	24,844	24,096	25,846	26,774	29,325	32,981	24,480	24,497	22,269
Dominica.....	46,892	49,161	57,229	57,382	60,780	61,303	64,552	62,643	69,789	64,477	54,074
Trinidad.....	1,918,670	1,943,789	2,093,932	2,248,893	2,096,797	2,089,380	2,270,885	2,152,883	2,276,864	2,463,525	2,161,231
Total of West India Islands.....	5,207,920	5,733,676	6,011,702	6,846,712	6,082,044	6,248,378	6,930,446	6,769,263	6,547,179	6,440,463	5,867,687
Bermuda.....	264,920	209,990	272,603	308,016	325,976	329,283	327,580	286,047	305,514	304,970	323,148
British Honduras.....	160,084	206,450	260,089	282,045	272,214	230,610	169,226	.....	299,103	300,954	292,613
British Guiana.....	1,603,176	1,586,056	1,803,777	1,887,118	1,707,770	b1,780,319	b1,920,710	b1,668,750	b1,443,553	b1,341,710	b1,282,976

a Years ended September 30, 1887, 1888, 1889. All other years in the table are calendar.

b For the twelve months ended March 31 of the year following that stated above.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS (INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE) INTO THE BRITISH WEST INDIES, BERMUDA, HONDURAS, AND BRITISH GUIANA, FROM UNITED KINGDOM, 1887 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
West India Islands:	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bahamas.....	29,669	33,787	35,592	44,978	39,572	46,709	45,758	45,040	36,128	50,224	46,228
Turks Islands.....	3,430	3,200	4,188	10,146	4,868	4,169	4,116	3,667	3,318	3,284	3,478
Jamaica (<i>a</i>).....	724,306	1,046,354	884,445	b1,232,085	b862,345	b1,001,228	b1,190,563	b1,106,284	b1,106,177	b927,314	b776,889
Windward Islands—											
St. Lucia.....	58,737	75,106	97,054	129,683	138,019	103,859	86,838	93,780	74,512	101,983	119,355
St. Vincent.....	39,761	42,533	46,766	44,629	44,447	49,313	41,387	39,193	27,687	29,847	28,358
Barbados.....	360,531	428,818	508,244	508,698	432,636	469,318	583,087	507,531	391,435	467,649	474,622
Grenada.....	73,306	82,597	87,761	93,258	97,895	79,015	83,175	99,973	78,079	66,485	78,893
Tobago.....	13,669	15,752	18,952	16,881	14,633	9,697	12,336	9,179	8,821	8,926	7,660
Leeward Islands—											
Virgin Islands.....	.....	129	111	234	317	582	306	135	269	182	75
St. Christopher-Nevis....	77,530	78,431	82,485	90,383	66,653	87,790	88,967	90,830	65,538	79,760	55,268
Antigua.....	72,229	72,708	79,482	91,558	75,396	93,346	85,667	73,243	57,532	58,315	42,613
Montserrat.....	15,666	9,328	9,817	9,111	9,326	10,228	12,125	14,918	9,975	11,925	9,635
Dominica.....	20,344	23,545	29,263	27,388	28,368	30,012	34,008	27,794	30,062	28,735	25,906
Trinidad.....	751,510	794,427	763,891	822,280	777,658	759,539	874,406	835,185	988,553	978,565	857,857
Total of West India Islands.....	2,240,688	2,715,715	2,648,051	3,121,712	2,592,133	2,744,805	3,142,739	2,946,755	2,878,086	2,813,194	2,526,837
Bermuda.....	71,883	82,985	70,490	92,739	85,775	88,056	86,601	85,903	88,383	90,025	95,424
British Honduras.....	69,651	95,596	125,234	131,846	112,102	89,535	64,830	.....	88,025	107,656	100,095
British Guiana.....	910,416	918,115	1,051,018	1,129,071	927,397	b949,051	b1,046,862	b882,389	b789,817	b783,697	b740,878

a Years ended September 30, 1887, 1888, 1889. All other years in the table are calendar.

b For the twelve months ended March 31 of the year following that stated above.

TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS (INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE) FROM THE BRITISH WEST INDIES, BERMUDA, BRITISH HONDURAS, AND BRITISH GUIANA, 1887 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
West India Islands:	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bahamas.....	125,464	121,530	130,512	168,121	128,010	145,136	117,021	119,378	124,011	138,972	140,085
Turks Islands.....	26,015	26,027	34,485	42,651	26,567	27,336	23,366	32,774	21,688	81,498	43,303
Jamaica (a).....	1,509,010	1,828,590	1,614,824	b 1,902,814	b 1,722,096	b 1,759,806	b 2,075,689	b 1,921,422	b 1,873,106	b 1,470,241	b 1,448,443
Windward Islands—											
St. Lucia.....	117,743	122,229	142,776	141,759	130,384	136,356	178,429	145,894	137,809	93,720	154,267
St. Vincent.....	85,770	81,837	124,587	104,745	98,672	117,572	114,694	87,374	68,090	67,392	68,935
Barbados.....	1,063,398	1,074,584	1,029,588	1,204,390	814,254	926,572	1,243,083	984,512	587,298	758,228	736,163
Grenada.....	217,949	229,263	195,595	266,302	236,643	261,681	316,063	189,614	174,497	183,883	154,439
Tobago.....	32,907	38,900	39,526	19,371	24,241	13,744	15,675	15,872	10,517	10,765	4,681
Leeward Islands—											
Virgin Islands.....	4,514	3,472	4,341	5,050	4,633	3,301	4,153	4,015	3,818	3,710	4,033
St. Christopher-Nevis....	233,821	237,099	343,172	225,233	187,455	229,182	273,799	225,524	140,542	119,361	149,204
Antigua.....	152,038	198,961	266,522	218,223	157,463	244,741	199,870	170,223	87,125	131,113	117,202
Montserrat.....	24,216	27,875	28,392	22,755	24,339	31,614	32,715	22,502	17,189	25,912	22,063
Dominica.....	48,106	42,221	47,325	42,296	38,910	46,165	53,752	42,665	39,471	51,438	47,416
Trinidad.....	1,870,612	2,132,761	2,308,832	2,179,432	2,058,761	2,258,063	2,320,824	2,000,748	2,065,104	2,165,820	1,994,926
Total of West India Islands.....	5,511,563	6,165,319	6,310,477	6,543,142	5,652,428	6,204,269	6,969,133	5,962,517	5,350,925	5,252,053	5,094,160
Bermuda.....	88,921	99,651	64,976	137,526	129,803	115,455	129,069	98,377	115,913	108,613	127,703
British Honduras.....	196,833	213,020	300,879	287,690	280,521	228,536	247,318	.....	264,197	283,663	288,969
British Guiana.....	2,190,592	2,024,733	2,471,200	2,161,792	2,532,554	b 2,433,213	b 2,358,918	b 2,039,901	b 1,769,500	b 1,899,457	b 1,783,764

a Years ended September 30, 1887, 1888, 1889. All other years in table are calendar.
b For the twelve months ended March 31 of the year following that stated above.

TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS (INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE) FROM THE BRITISH WEST INDIES, BERMUDA, HONDURAS, AND BRITISH GUIANA TO UNITED KINGDOM, 1887 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
West India Islands:	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bahamas.....	12,561	10,826	11,509	14,095	13,577	9,067	13,966	16,301	14,771	13,411	13,651
Turks Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	1,499	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	240	830
Jamaica (a).....	582,820	734,205	602,553	b 614,912	b 562,913	b 511,550	b 554,082	b 512,769	b 517,504	b 403,922	b 318,853
Windward Islands—											
St. Lucia.....	41,629	76,213	89,731	61,087	37,177	44,757	55,217	43,062	24,269	24,144	38,042
St. Vincent.....	25,508	22,917	23,199	26,000	39,848	52,317	41,789	34,899	25,876	21,131	20,432
Barbados.....	142,963	182,140	131,385	130,540	74,605	119,168	141,943	127,444	69,760	38,520	33,972
Grenada.....	185,216	202,684	172,912	241,221	218,600	241,112	293,080	176,241	140,736	169,499	138,656
Tobago.....	21,547	27,810	28,677	1,956	9,164	7,682	3,178	6,764	595	2,198	1,660
Leeward Islands—											
St. Christopher-Nevis....	12,250	18,526	21,745	12,982	17,986	30,292	20,192	12,510	9,354	5,400	8,448
Antigua.....	6,581	18,636	5,506	9,696	2,572	2,765	2,063	1,857	9,064	2,593	2,549
Montserrat.....	7,527	8,204	8,640	7,825	10,779	11,246	10,678	2,405	10,610	7,004	13,278
Dominica.....	12,733	14,525	18,553	11,265	21,094	20,886	26,428	15,907	19,680	29,706	25,307
Trinidad.....	748,551	861,634	972,473	857,024	728,998	793,482	864,302	831,700	907,493	943,888	713,540
Total of West India Islands.....	1,799,895	2,178,320	2,086,883	1,990,032	1,737,313	1,844,324	2,026,918	1,781,859	1,749,737	1,661,656	1,329,218
Bermuda.....	2,301	2,054	2,314	2,038	1,794	2,473	1,639	2,003	2,129	2,853	3,519
British Honduras.....	114,552	101,368	162,997	170,885	154,619	104,450	137,405	.....	120,749	156,486	158,409
British Guiana.....	1,147,988	1,003,306	1,317,252	958,874	1,220,518	b 1,270,794	b 1,234,205	b 1,273,947	b 968,252	b 964,248	b 949,015

a Years ended September 30, 1887, 1888, 1889. All other years in table are calendar.
b For the twelve months ended March 31 of the year following that stated above.

COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND BRITISH WEST INDIES, BRITISH HONDURAS, AND BRITISH
 GUIANA, 1889 TO 1898.

[From reports of the United States Government.] (a)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—		
	British West Indies.	British Honduras.	British Guiana.	British West Indies.	British Honduras.	British Guiana.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1889	15,985,562	211,465	4,526,181	8,388,106	369,598	1,690,209
1890	14,865,018	186,831	4,326,975	8,288,686	354,468	2,106,345
1891	16,293,184	219,090	4,883,201	9,779,138	462,839	1,858,742
1892	12,992,447	233,525	4,636,204	9,038,376	473,906	1,933,290
1893	16,788,438	155,171	5,029,178	9,006,962	405,168	2,000,675
1894	13,461,773	112,959	4,223,970	9,440,892	320,923	2,414,720
1895	10,243,151	181,809	2,521,704	8,585,742	402,933	1,705,631
1896	11,323,292	200,212	3,418,578	9,658,200	571,615	1,749,193
1897	12,907,716	226,683	3,661,956	8,798,131	569,767	1,565,936
1898	11,091,469	171,920	3,060,968	9,373,155	577,589	1,743,190

a Bermuda included with British West Indies.

COMMERCE OF BRITISH WEST INDIES, GUIANA, AND HONDURAS WITH THE
UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, SPAIN, ETC.,
DURING THE YEARS INDICATED.

[Merchandise and specie—year ending March 31.]

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM JAMAICA.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States	4,636,227	5,193,456	— 557,229	3,556,881	4,049,848	— 492,967	3,502,839	4,394,119	— 891,280
United Kingdom	5,383,210	2,518,434	+2,864,776	4,512,774	1,965,686	+2,547,088	3,780,730	1,551,698	+2,229,032
British North America	816,469	149,484	+ 666,925	737,882	84,074	+ 653,808	578,617	96,186	+ 482,431
France	12,414	301,655	— 289,241	20,678	348,612	— 327,934	9,388	400,080	— 390,692
Germany	116,271	426,797	— 310,526	99,092	248,649	— 149,557	62,301	153,304	— 91,003
Other countries	174,620	525,640	— 351,020	106,757	458,059	— 351,302	147,761	453,461	— 305,700
Total	11,139,151	9,115,466	+2,023,685	9,034,064	7,154,928	+1,879,136	8,081,636	7,048,848	+1,032,788
Per cent of United States	41.62	56.98	.....	39.37	56.62	.....	43.34	62.34	.....

Specie and bullion: 1897, imports, \$135,809; exports, \$338,475. 1898, imports, \$76,643; exports, \$245,130.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM TRINIDAD.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	<i>a</i> Imports from—	<i>a</i> Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States	2,158,181	2,744,278	— 586,097	2,231,193	3,260,312	—1,029,119	2,193,156	3,057,447	— 864,291
United Kingdom	4,810,793	4,416,314	+ 394,479	4,762,187	4,593,431	+ 168,756	4,174,761	3,472,442	+ 702,319
Venezuela .....	.....	.....	.....	2,550,250	1,020,636	+1,529,614	2,251,715	1,239,799	+1,011,925
France	393,700	1,288,304	— 894,604	458,775	952,330	— 493,555	296,058	1,066,445	— 770,387
Germany	194,149	179,365	+ 14,784	244,104	211,260	+ 32,844	159,728	354,841	— 195,113
Spain <i>b</i>	103,034	17,154	+ 85,880	113,613	17,665	+ 95,948	128,505	22,186	+ 106,319
Other countries	3,420,502	1,404,414	+2,016,088	1,628,622	484,329	+1,144,293	1,313,708	495,156	+ 818,552
Total	11,080,359	10,049,820	+1,030,539	11,988,744	10,539,963	+1,448,781	10,517,631	9,708,307	+ 809,324
Per cent of United States	19.48	27.35	.....	18.61	30.93	.....	20.85	31.49	.....

a Including bullion and specie.

b Including Spanish Possessions, except West Indies.

Imports and exports of gold and silver bullion and specie: Imports, 1896, \$1,339,338; 1897, \$819,489; exports, 1896, \$1,309,439; 1897, \$832,698.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM BARBADOS.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897 <i>b</i>		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	<i>a</i> Imports from—	<i>a</i> Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States	1,637,860	1,109,296	+ 528,564	1,737,754	2,032,611	— 294,857	1,566,565	2,090,293	— 523,728
United Kingdom	1,904,914	339,487	+1,565,427	2,275,814	187,458	+2,088,356	2,309,748	165,325	+2,144,423
British North America	361,612	466,449	— 74,837	477,905	582,656	— 104,751	529,646	419,293	+ 110,353
Other countries	722,470	951,854	— 229,384	612,936	887,192	— 274,256	502,875	907,626	— 404,751
Total	4,656,856	2,858,086	+1,798,770	5,104,409	3,689,917	+1,414,492	4,908,834	3,582,537	+1,326,297
Per cent of United States	35.18	38.50	.....	31.04	55.09	.....	31.91	58.35	.....

a Includes bullion and specie.

b Includes estimated amount for freight, insurance, and value of packages.

Bullion and specie: Imports, 1896, \$45,769; 1897, \$58,301. Exports, 1896, \$13,096; 1897, \$17,690.

COMMERCE OF BRITISH WEST INDIES, GUIANA, AND HONDURAS WITH THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, SPAIN, ETC., DURING THE YEARS INDICATED—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM BRITISH GUIANA.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
United States	1,857,285	3,200,663	—1,343,378	1,458,738	3,790,775	—2,332,037	1,663,073	3,428,916	—1,765,843
United Kingdom	3,843,644	4,711,997	— 868,353	3,813,861	4,692,513	— 878,652	3,605,483	4,618,381	—1,012,898
British North America.....	337,473	206,117	+ 131,356	421,517	96,980	+ 324,537	307,159	80,268	+ 226,891
France	58,121	23,043	+ 35,078	39,112	23,588	+ 15,524	30,941	23,695	+ 7,246
Other countries	928,528	469,452	+ 459,076	796,204	639,851	+ 156,353	636,947	529,428	+ 107,519
Total.....	7,025,051	8,611,272	—1,586,221	6,529,432	9,243,707	—2,714,275	6,243,603	8,680,688	—2,437,085
Per cent of United States	26.44	37.17	.....	22.34	41.01	.....	26.64	39.49	.....

Bullion and specie: Imports, 1897, \$317,839; 1898 (ended March 31), \$53,454. Exports, 1897, \$2,329,379; 1898 (ended March 31), \$2,251,223.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898.

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YEAR.	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1891							
1892	155,411	396,904	552,315	890,952	17,167	908,119	—355,804
1893	334,491	425,355	759,846	943,002	18,514	962,116	—202,270
1894	120,790	323,805	444,595	900,276	28,600	928,876	—484,281
1895	111,841	353,866	465,707	797,788	23,776	821,564	—355,857
1896	148,998	373,676	522,674	894,024	30,023	924,047	—401,373
1897	101,730	520,101	621,831	829,694	25,138	854,832	—233,001
1898	36,221	423,061	459,282	962,200	24,715	986,915	—527,633

a Included in British West Indies prior to 1892.

BRITISH HONDURAS.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Ending September 30—							
1821	55,158	80,327	135,485	99,895	106,830	206,725	— 71,240
1822	94,812	54,434	149,246	123,115	127,943	251,058	— 101,812
1823	119,977	75,689	195,666	211,383	100,052	311,435	— 115,769
1824	95,159	70,891	166,050	157,060	188,365	345,425	— 179,375
1825	55,737	160,678	216,415	57,286	17,981	75,267	+ 141,148
1826	29,314	41,391	70,705				+ 70,705
1827	10,367	1,005	11,372	13,261	1,573	14,834	— 3,462
1828	919	241	1,160	5,950	2,371	8,321	— 7,161
1829	7,149	11,581	18,730	12,693	8,220	20,922	— 2,192
1830				25,132	5,432	30,564	— 30,564
Total, 10 years	468,592	466,237	934,829	705,775	558,776	1,264,551	— 299,722
1831	6,682	17,278	23,960	46,233	13,732	59,965	— 35,905
1832	10,662	4,399	15,061	63,459	17,397	82,856	— 67,795
1833	33,736	14,067	47,803	70,522	28,724	99,246	— 51,443
1834	54,906	51,164	106,070	56,072	39,376	95,448	+ 10,522
1835	63,450	39,730	103,180	134,703	37,561	172,264	— 69,084
1836	154,788	21,807	176,595	109,823	36,015	145,838	+ 29,757
1837	101,203	22,284	123,487	99,694	12,158	111,852	+ 11,635
1838	84,925	1,621	86,546	89,896	19,300	109,196	— 22,650
1839	68,731	18,875	87,606	181,861	29,339	211,200	— 123,594
1840	41,913	5,326	47,239	132,095	58,371	190,466	— 143,227
Total, 10 years	619,936	196,551	816,547	986,358	291,973	1,278,331	— 461,784
1841	89,872	4,589	94,461	141,804	51,382	193,246	— 98,785
1842	84,923	29,338	114,261	127,339	35,048	162,387	— 48,126
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	27,048	35,037	62,085	92,278	16,304	108,582	— 46,497
1844	46,407	97,797	144,204	104,695	38,504	233,199	— 88,995
1845	69,931	60,310	130,241	182,894	49,422	232,316	— 102,075
1846	81,638	45,901	127,539	323,422	64,538	387,960	— 260,421
1847	86,354	19,446	105,800	261,398	40,519	301,917	— 196,117
1848	373	79,882	80,255	249,648	44,181	293,829	— 213,574
1849	51	153,361	153,415	191,347	34,620	225,967	— 72,552
1850	659	131,287	131,946	166,984	16,551	183,535	— 51,589
Total, 10 years	487,250	656,951	1,144,207	1,931,869	391,069	2,322,938	—1,178,731

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH HONDURAS—Continued.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
June 30—							
1851	2,566	156,268	158,834	203,306	18,252	221,558	— 62,724
1852	105	223,247	223,352	281,813	66,822	348,635	— 125,283
1853	251	230,938	231,189	310,355	63,005	373,360	— 142,171
1854	226	240,508	240,734	196,913	48,728	245,641	— 4,907
1855	376	260,282	260,658	469,433	48,531	517,964	— 257,306
1856	898	219,891	220,789	348,009	33,739	381,739	— 160,950
1857	1,496	378,073	379,569	423,379	34,973	460,352	— 80,783
1858	40,090	332,238	372,328	412,645	32,657	445,302	— 72,974
1859	16,977	218,607	235,584	328,468	20,418	348,886	— 113,302
1860	21,289	297,300	318,589	325,181	19,272	344,453	— 25,864
Total, 10 years	84,274	2,557,352	2,641,626	3,301,493	386,897	3,687,890	— 1,046,264
1861	19,554	168,431	187,985	237,776	19,601	257,377	— 69,392
1862	82,095	37,153	119,248	337,747	18,267	356,014	— 236,766
1863	132,547	189,138	321,685	687,880	70,421	758,301	— 436,616
1864			307,878	483,885	26,288	510,173	— 202,295
1865	79,235	77,146	156,381	643,074	12,390	655,464	— 499,083
1866	66,295	92,591	158,886	402,308	5,840	408,148	— 249,262
1867	49,195	93,063	142,258	355,510	7,068	362,578	— 220,320
1868	41,952	100,664	142,616	384,463	7,651	392,114	— 249,498
1869			(a)				
1870			(a)				
Total, 8 years	470,873	753,186	1,536,937	3,532,648	167,526	3,700,169	— 2,163,232
1871			(a)				
1872			(a)				
1873			(a)				
1874			(a)				
1875			(a)				
1876			(a)				
1877			(a)				
1878			(a)				
1879	115,778	43,312	159,090	233,762	4,960	238,722	— 139,632
1880	313,201	140,118	453,319	370,252	35,430	405,682	+ 47,637
Total, 2 years	428,979	183,430	612,409	604,014	40,390	704,404	— 91,995
1881	298,503	144,617	443,120	471,302	14,657	485,959	— 42,839
1882	299,718	189,721	489,469	498,881	9,432	508,313	— 18,844
1883	395,337	136,502	531,839	487,535	16,882	504,417	+ 27,422
1884	171,331	91,460	262,791	414,746	16,338	431,084	— 168,293
1885	164,171	54,189	218,360	359,730	10,023	369,753	— 151,393
1886	224,735	45,628	270,363	364,528	15,121	379,649	— 109,286
1887	267,197	36,086	303,283	349,510	5,422	354,932	— 51,649
1888	157,093	26,542	183,635	321,525	4,969	326,494	— 142,859
1889	181,515	29,950	211,465	362,623	6,975	369,598	— 158,133
1890	174,572	12,459	186,831	348,564	5,904	354,468	— 167,637
Total, 10 years	2,334,002	767,154	3,101,156	3,978,944	105,723	4,084,667	— 983,511
1891	216,416	2,674	219,090	457,549	5,290	462,839	— 243,749
1892	233,149	376	233,525	464,802	9,104	473,906	— 240,381
1893	154,859	312	155,171	381,106	14,062	405,168	— 249,997
1894	112,439	520	112,959	316,117	4,806	320,923	— 207,964
1895	174,433	7,376	181,809	394,238	8,095	402,333	— 220,524
1896	187,826	12,286	200,212	555,333	16,282	571,615	— 371,403
1897	209,667	17,016	226,683	550,815	18,952	569,767	— 343,084
1898	123,401	48,519	171,920	563,399	12,712	576,111	— 404,191

a Included in British West Indies.

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WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH WEST INDIES.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (-).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1821	956	125,251	126,207	264,632	470	265,102	— 138,895
1822	4,555	156,120	160,675	449,601	340	449,941	— 289,266
1823	68,284	1,255,917	1,324,201	1,617,845	2,803	1,620,648	— 296,447
1824	105,359	1,824,509	1,929,868	1,750,703	8,155	1,758,858	+ 171,010
1825	94,250	1,704,662	1,798,912	1,635,574	10,992	1,646,566	+ 152,346
1826	83,696	1,502,157	1,585,853	2,074,753	28,201	2,102,954	— 517,101
1827	35,661	546,160	581,821	683,105	7,470	690,575	— 108,754
1828	2,117	86,323	88,440	25,324	826	26,150	+ 62,290
1829	3,120	157,614	160,734	1,463	180	1,643	+ 159,091
1830	4,867	96,976	101,843	140	.....	140	+ 101,703
Total, 10 years	402,865	7,455,689	7,858,554	8,503,140	59,437	8,562,577	— 704,023
1831	136,993	736,922	873,855	1,417,291	22,302	1,439,593	— 565,738
1832	174,546	835,867	1,010,413	1,655,048	22,949	1,677,997	— 667,584
1833	352,682	625,066	977,748	1,754,305	55,545	1,809,850	— 832,102
1834	290,118	432,007	731,125	1,532,100	61,133	1,593,233	— 862,108
1835	418,963	329,412	748,375	1,753,937	76,650	1,830,587	— 1,082,212
1836	484,787	600,274	1,085,061	1,737,392	85,569	1,822,961	— 737,900
1837	441,116	349,141	790,257	2,074,598	38,016	2,112,614	— 1,322,357
1838	193,721	185,332	379,053	2,071,740	47,161	2,118,901	— 1,739,848
1839	422,895	245,509	668,404	2,443,699	39,045	2,482,744	— 1,814,340
1840	297,584	198,580	496,164	2,905,934	54,300	2,960,234	— 2,464,070
Total, 10 years	3,222,345	4,538,110	7,760,455	19,346,044	502,670	19,848,714	— 12,088,259
1841	347,489	236,327	583,816	3,191,233	35,580	3,226,813	— 2,642,997
1842	105,654	326,437	432,091	3,203,746	21,151	3,224,897	— 2,792,806
June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	52,224	138,205	190,429	2,330,529	25,671	2,356,200	— 2,165,771
1844	92,928	249,684	342,612	4,108,118	20,416	4,128,534	— 3,785,922
1845	119,979	382,861	502,840	4,070,900	30,975	4,101,875	— 3,599,035
1846	138,838	361,959	500,797	4,915,083	28,474	4,943,557	— 4,442,760
1847	56,209	417,556	473,765	3,973,252	20,140	3,993,392	— 3,519,627
1848	56,286	694,023	750,309	4,270,786	35,464	4,306,250	— 3,555,941
1849	110,180	658,481	768,661	3,898,034	28,013	3,926,047	— 3,157,386
1850	166,252	671,534	837,786	3,588,484	83,051	3,671,535	— 2,833,749
Total, 10 years	1,246,039	4,137,067	5,383,106	37,550,165	328,935	37,879,100	— 32,495,994

BRITISH GUIANA.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (-) or imports (+).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1833	964	5,647	6,611	4,752	.....	4,752	+ 1,859
1834	3,009	27,955	30,964	105,214	.....	105,214	— 74,250
1835	2,236	3,166	5,402	64,243	.....	64,243	— 58,841
1836	7,335	83,574	90,909	105,075	.....	105,075	— 14,166
1837	1,041	170	1,211	42,885	.....	42,885	— 41,674
1838	1,956	12,887	14,843	145,532	522	146,054	— 131,211
1839	1,450	9,050	10,500	34,906	218	35,124	— 24,624
1840	382	491	873	118,896	538	119,434	— 118,561
Total, 8 years	18,373	142,940	161,313	621,503	1,278	622,781	— 461,468
1841	2,778	4,683	7,461	381,332	1,269	382,601	— 375,140
1842	1,543	1,256	2,799	115,991	2,462	118,453	— 115,654
June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	1,726	.....	1,726	116,145	695	116,840	— 115,116
1844	1,178	704	1,882	307,052	2,184	309,236	— 307,354
1845	2,522	535	3,057	416,867	1,881	418,748	— 415,691
1846	8,630	2,456	11,086	551,668	1,634	553,302	— 542,216
1847	3,844	2,256	6,100	621,903	1,816	623,719	— 617,619
1848	369	11,677	12,046	505,114	1,365	506,479	— 504,433
1849	935	19,906	20,841	662,315	3,759	666,074	— 645,233
1850	1,903	12,188	14,091	502,776	22,663	525,439	— 491,348
Total, 10 years	25,428	55,661	81,089	4,271,163	39,728	4,310,891	— 4,229,802

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH GUIANA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) or imports (+).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
June 30—							
1851	1,580	18,300	19,889	540,554	3,734	544,288	— 524,399
1852	290	18,653	18,943	697,286	8,611	705,897	— 686,954
1853	519	41,677	42,196	793,841	6,363	800,204	— 763,008
1854	4,814	40,701	45,515	718,096	1,153	719,249	— 673,734
1855	100	48,573	48,733	824,119	813	824,932	— 776,199
1856	763	148,666	149,574	871,766	3,497	875,263	— 725,630
1857	482	816,871	817,353	978,976	5,618	984,594	— 167,241
1858	18,528	288,359	306,687	881,521	2,980	884,501	— 577,814
1859	19,288	231,092	250,380	1,083,263	1,077	1,084,340	— 833,960
1860	26,653	334,122	360,775	1,010,204	2,916	1,013,120	— 652,345
Total, 10 years	72,822	1,987,223	2,060,045	8,404,626	36,762	8,441,388	— 6,381,343
1861	28,061	112,668	140,729	1,031,645	6,973	1,038,618	— 897,889
1862	9,635	213,029	222,664	1,155,591	16,727	1,172,318	— 949,654
1863	4,593	306,949	311,542	1,209,032	3,125	1,212,157	— 900,615
1864			839,585	1,552,210	12,870	1,565,080	— 725,495
1865	655	560,600	561,255	2,412,514	4,195	2,416,709	— 1,855,454
1866	3,234	980,743	983,977	1,814,262	4,107	1,818,369	— 834,392
1867	742	1,431,249	1,431,991	2,017,645	2,457	2,020,102	— 588,111
1868	2,824	2,361,858	2,364,682	1,941,338	4,230	1,945,568	+ 419,114
1869			(a)				
1870			(a)				
Total, 10 years	49,744	5,967,096	6,856,425	13,134,237	54,684	13,188,921	— 6,332,496
1871			(a)				
1872			(a)				
1873	27,117	3,187,156	3,214,273	1,638,115	18,153	1,656,268	+ 1,558,005
1874	21,888	1,257,917	1,279,805	1,712,369	41,580	1,753,949	— 474,144
1875	42,576	2,456,669	2,499,245	1,830,807	25,130	1,855,937	+ 643,308
1876	94,856	1,077,263	1,172,119	1,750,452	41,838	1,792,290	— 620,171
1877	45,313	3,460,306	3,505,619	1,854,548	43,022	1,897,570	+ 1,608,049
1878	4,989	2,136,226	2,141,285	1,924,922	51,048	1,975,970	+ 165,315
1879	53,661	515,464	574,125	1,719,827	63,454	1,783,281	— 1,209,156
1880	11,008	1,898,986	1,909,994	1,723,166	60,503	1,783,669	+ 126,325
Total, 10 years	306,408	15,990,057	16,296,465	14,154,206	344,728	14,498,934	+ 1,797,531
1881	22,087	2,401,987	2,424,074	1,682,373	41,074	1,723,447	+ 700,627
1882	7,527	3,220,915	3,228,442	1,976,586	52,734	2,029,320	+ 1,199,122
1883	9,892	5,936,537	5,946,429	1,973,422	61,734	2,035,156	+ 3,911,273
1884	4,360	4,091,176	4,095,536	1,833,148	51,268	1,884,416	+ 2,211,120
1885	10,401	910,953	921,354	1,631,608	9,049	1,640,657	— 719,303
1886	6,902	1,857,694	1,864,596	1,554,726	29,568	1,584,294	+ 280,302
1887	15,212	2,724,661	2,739,873	1,423,211	45,828	1,469,039	+ 1,270,834
1888	5,755	2,816,627	2,822,382	1,651,711	65,700	1,717,411	+ 1,104,971
1889	14,135	4,512,046	4,526,181	1,643,249	53,020	1,696,269	+ 2,829,912
1890	1,659	4,325,316	4,326,975	2,011,122	95,223	2,106,345	+ 2,220,630
Total, 10 years	97,930	32,797,912	32,895,842	17,381,156	505,198	17,886,354	+15,009,488
1891	977,659	3,905,547	4,883,206	1,761,350	97,392	1,858,742	+ 3,024,464
1892	4,362,994	210	4,363,204	1,885,542	47,757	1,933,299	+ 2,429,905
1893	5,028,848	330	5,029,178	1,953,012	47,663	2,000,675	+ 3,028,503
1894	4,229,887	83	4,229,970	2,360,938	53,782	2,414,720	+ 1,809,250
1895	486,375	2,035,329	2,521,704	1,684,830	20,601	1,705,431	+ 816,073
1896	3,891	3,414,687	3,418,578	1,719,705	29,488	1,749,193	+ 1,669,385
1897	4,024	3,657,932	3,661,956	1,532,115	33,821	1,565,936	+ 2,096,020
1898	15,261	3,045,707	3,060,968	1,703,071	44,304	1,747,375	+ 1,313,593

a Included in British West Indies.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF
THE UNITED STATES WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898.**

BERMUDA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) or imports (+).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) or imports (+).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1892 a.....	317		2,025	2,025	— 1,708	1896.....	292				+ 292
1893.....			9,760	9,760	— 9,760	1897.....					
1894.....			102,285	102,285	—102,295	1898.....	115		118,153	118,153	—118,038
1895.....	335				+ 335						

a Included in British West Indies prior to 1892.

BRITISH GUIANA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1833.....	837				+ 837	1866.....	820				+ 820
1834.....	460				+ 460	1867.....		2,466		2,466	— 2,466
1835.....	193				+ 193	1868.....					
1836.....	1,110				+ 1,110	1869.....					
1837.....	5,033				+ 5,033	1870.....					
1838.....	21,200				+ 21,200	Total 10 years	19,350	2,466		2,466	+ 10,884
1839.....	3,715				+ 3,715	1871.....					
1840.....	10,100				+ 10,100	1872.....					
1841.....	10,767				+ 10,767	1873.....					
1842.....	12,205				+ 12,205	1874.....					
June 30—						1875.....					
1843.....	41,316				+ 41,316	1876.....					
1844.....	7,503				+ 7,503	1877.....					
1845.....	4,900				+ 4,900	1878.....					
1846.....	1,475				+ 1,475	1879.....		2,900		2,900	— 2,900
1847.....	13,025				+ 13,025	1880.....					
1848.....	12,208				+ 12,208	Total 10 years		2,900		2,900	— 2,900
1849.....	4,079				+ 4,679	1881.....					
1850.....	500		20,000	20,000	— 19,500	1882.....					
Total 10 years	108,578		20,000	20,000	+ 88,578	1883.....		100		100	— 100
1851.....	24,324				+ 24,324	1884.....					
1852.....	25,000	45,000	9,770	54,770	— 29,770	1885.....					
1853.....	22,337		32,500	32,500	— 10,163	1886.....					
1854.....	1,974				+ 1,974	1887.....					
1855.....	58,447				+ 58,447	1888.....					
1856.....	2,000				+ 2,000	1889.....					
1857.....	1,000	25,000		25,000	— 24,000	1890.....		220		220	— 220
1858.....	23,000				+ 23,000	Total 10 years		320		320	— 320
1859.....	10,000				+ 10,000	1891.....					
1860.....		25,000		25,000	— 25,000	1892.....					
Total 10 years	168,082	95,000	42,270	137,270	+ 30,812	1893.....	15,000				+ 15,000
1861.....	18,530				+ 18,530	1894.....		500		500	— 500
1862.....						1895.....	10,850				+ 10,850
1863 a.....						1896.....					
1864 a.....						1897.....					
1865.....						1898.....	9,113				+ 9,113

a Included in British West Indies.

**TOTAL VALE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE
OF THE UNITED STATES WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-
1898—Continued.**

BRITISH HONDURAS.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	80,590				+ 80,590	1861.....	57,312				+ 57,312
1822.....	137,664				+137,664	1862.....	55,532				+ 55,532
1823.....	86,169				+ 86,169	1863.....	51,739				+ 51,739
1824.....	51,047		6,000	6,000	+ 45,047	1864.....	(a)				
1825.....	27,021		5,562	5,562	+ 21,469	1865.....	67,105				+ 67,105
1826.....	17,428				+ 17,428	1866.....	45,542	400		400	+ 45,542
1827.....	6,575				+ 6,575	1867.....	58,687	810		810	+ 57,877
1828.....	600				+ 600	1868.....	64,026	12,600	9,196	21,796	+ 42,230
1829.....	46,117				+ 46,117	1869.....	(a)				
1830.....	1,472				+ 1,472	1870.....	(a)				
Total, 10 years.	475,004		11,562	11,562	+443,131	Total, 7 years..	399,943	13,810	9,195	23,006	+ 376,937
1831.....	20,503				+ 20,503	1871.....	(a)				
1832.....	19,101				+ 19,101	1872.....	(a)				
1833.....	53,812				+ 53,812	1873.....	(a)				
1834.....	43,529				+ 43,529	1874.....	(a)				
1835.....	71,780				+ 71,780	1875.....	(a)				
1836.....	39,797				+ 39,797	1876.....	(a)				
1837.....	79,137				+ 79,137	1877.....	(a)				
1838.....	114,902				+114,902	1878.....	(a)				
1839.....	76,421				+ 76,421	1879.....	41,201				+ 41,201
1840.....	111,114				+111,114	1880.....	51,946	8,000	1,325	9,325	+ 42,621
Total, 10 years.	630,096				+630,096	Total, 2 years..	93,147	8,000	1,325	9,325	+ 83,822
1841.....	137,783				+137,783	1881.....	21,380	1,000		1,000	+ 20,380
1842.....	93,607		1,600	1,600	+ 97,007	1882.....	143,657	25,000	3,000	28,000	+ 115,657
June 30—						1883.....	45,983				+ 45,983
1843 (9 months) ..	74,603				+ 74,603	1884.....	19,487		1,000	1,000	+ 18,487
1844.....	104,139	2,800	3,020	5,820	+ 98,319	1885.....	79,433				+ 79,433
1845.....	74,577	5,600	1,999	7,599	+ 66,978	1886.....	108,356		3,632	3,632	+ 104,724
1846.....	81,458	2,072		2,072	+ 78,386	1887.....	191,026	10,575	58,856	69,431	+ 121,595
1847.....	91,432				+ 91,432	1888.....	308,968		1,150	1,150	+ 307,818
1848.....	107,429				+105,429	1889.....	318,898		1,195	1,195	+ 317,703
1849.....	109,005				+109,005	1890.....	383,037		2,304	2,304	+ 380,733
1850.....	46,744	5,000		5,000	+ 41,744	Total, 10 years.	1,620,225	36,575	71,137	107,712	+1,512,513
Total, 10 years.	922,777	15,472	6,619	22,091	+900,686	1891.....	416,296	2,200		2,200	+ 414,096
1851.....	15,092	10,500	5,110	15,610	+ 82	1892.....	208,167		27,791	27,791	+ 180,376
1852.....	38,294	11,000	2,437	13,437	+ 24,857	1893.....	457,886	260		260	+ 457,626
1853.....	37,109	8,000		8,000	+ 29,109	1894.....	322,072		4,222	4,222	+ 317,850
1854.....	48,220	7,000	10,000	17,000	+ 31,220	1895.....	296,551	17,988	100	18,088	+ 278,463
1855.....	79,316	2,000	2,995	4,995	+ 74,321	1896.....	338,625	9,500	4,949	14,440	+ 324,185
1856.....	111,328	2,000		2,000	+109,328	1897.....	362,160	41,000		41,000	+ 321,160
1857.....	55,461				+ 55,461	1898.....	229,215	10,000		10,000	+ 219,215
1858.....	39,988	7,100	194	7,294	+ 32,694						
1859.....	28,555	1,120		1,120	+ 27,435						
1860.....	28,519				+ 28,519						
Total, 10 years.	482,482	48,720	20,736	69,456	+413,026						

a Included in British West Indies.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEARS
ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898.

BERMUDA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.					DUTIABLE.				Total imports of merchandise.
	Articles, the growth, produce, etc., of the United States returned—spirits distilled.		Hides and skins other than fur skins.	Seeds.	Total free of duty.	Vegetables.		Total dutiable.		
						Potatoes.			All other.	
	<i>Proof galls.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	76,976	100,364	7,106	29,081	155,411	70,318	130,398	258,492	396,904	552,315
1893.....	181,310	253,663	6,416	51,143	334,491	74,638	125,986	286,761	425,355	759,846
1894.....	21,028	26,777	6,032	79,579	120,790	64,993	109,122	211,461	323,805	444,595
1895.....	6,622	8,643	7,208	52,298	111,841	70,073	130,603	214,383	353,866	465,707
1896.....	8,885	15,413	7,045	19	148,998	65,853	94,681	271,332	373,676	522,074
1897.....	2,508	5,144	2,774	654	101,730	56,734	92,014	411,470	520,101	621,831
1898.....	2,888	5,090	197	35	36,221	57,708	93,014	330,047	423,061	459,282

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—											
	ANIMALS.						BREADSTUFFS.					
	Cattle.		Sheep.		All other.	Dollars.	Corn.		Oats.		Wheat flour.	
	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>			<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrcls.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	1,232	86,075	1,576	13,644	4,764		33,256	22,637	59,969	27,625	17,711	87,170
1893.....	1,543	96,097	1,752	13,632	7,384		36,342	21,903	66,005	29,269	18,655	79,283
1894.....	1,670	114,756	1,707	13,732	5,717		33,832	18,446	53,663	22,289	17,071	63,973
1895.....	1,774	165,656	2,130	17,657	5,960		40,703	23,792	45,402	17,696	17,468	63,235
1896.....	1,744	145,703	2,366	18,862	10,275		41,180	18,927	69,569	22,022	20,259	77,477
1897.....	1,638	110,154	2,187	14,763	6,855		42,340	15,861	49,825	13,931	19,821	83,107
1898.....	1,657	124,694	2,130	16,897	10,237		44,131	19,067	44,794	14,780	21,520	102,891

EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30 -	Carriages and horse cars, and parts of.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coal.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	Fruits, including nuts.	Hay.		Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.
					Cloths.		All other.					
					Dollars.	Dollars.						
1892.....	12, 847	17, 325	4, 554	15, 190	166, 097	10, 960	6, 364	8, 852	18, 880	660	11, 842	22, 738
1893.....	10, 452	19, 322	3, 157	12, 077	159, 510	10, 690	6, 832	7, 632	29, 310	677	11, 209	27, 770
1894.....	10, 019	16, 890	2, 823	9, 429	173, 099	11, 275	7, 478	6, 428	35, 034	417	7, 334	18, 245
1895.....	8, 404	18, 023	5, 047	13, 592	193, 257	12, 114	9, 626	5, 310	34, 220	394	6, 244	19, 451
1896.....	8, 624	24, 505	4, 499	12, 183	214, 520	14, 128	9, 387	6, 949	20, 050	487	8, 112	26, 665
1897.....	5, 734	21, 241	4, 823	14, 438	256, 264	15, 757	8, 362	7, 280	20, 178	372	5, 936	27, 942
1898.....	6, 776	22, 058	16, 780	36, 630	249, 724	15, 695	14, 524	7, 905	23, 681	375	5, 823	29, 711

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.							
	Boots and shoes.		All other.	Oils, mineral, refined.	Beef, fresh, and salted or pickled.		Bacon, hams, and pork.		Butter.		All other.	Dollars.
	<i>Pairs.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>			<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		
1892.....	25,344	25,254	2,430	157,020	15,486	765,151	57,971	456,316	39,298	262,283	55,830	54,147
1893.....	30,172	30,180	3,053	207,541	17,788	431,676	32,169	358,429	40,255	269,987	61,720	71,357
1894.....	25,515	28,033	2,482	155,889	16,585	365,100	27,436	492,231	47,549	234,604	51,456	55,472
1895.....	24,858	25,430	1,789	157,121	16,439	181,313	12,073	381,789	34,736	191,527	34,286	51,556
1896.....	22,145	24,327	2,965	230,162	26,723	315,549	23,480	533,175	44,418	274,372	50,078	55,895
1897.....	25,563	23,826	2,879	247,415	24,296	482,815	31,890	499,103	40,469	304,435	50,682	48,305
1898.....	30,001	28,917	2,761	268,219	24,624	436,646	34,410	645,854	51,367	294,722	55,500	65,339

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.								
	Spirits, distilled.		Sugar, refined.		Tobacco, manu- factures of.	Vegetables.	Wood, and manu- factures of.	Total exports of merchandise.	
	<i>Proof galls.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1892.....	35,510	40,251	507,643	21,713	14,283	10,898	44,390	890,95	
1893.....	41,292	76,929	305,742	14,314	13,887	11,687	35,281	943,602	
1894.....	122,199	102,661	318,137	14,581	12,619	8,060	34,520	900,276	
1895.....	15,086	13,466	194,540	8,355	12,978	15,335	39,670	797,788	
1896.....	9,667	9,911	70,649	3,417	10,723	21,342	34,242	894,024	
1897.....	5,570	2,657	153,057	6,587	11,007	16,195	40,603	820,694	
1898.....	5,626	5,212	42,393	2,275	12,365	18,000	39,398	962,200	

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

BRITISH HONDURAS. (a)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.									
	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	Coffee.		Fruits, including nuts. ^b			Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta- percha, crude.		Total free of duty.
				Bananas.	Cocoanuts.	All other.				
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1870.....	35,248	19,325	3,528				5,154	161,241	51,586	115,778
1880.....	52,305	479,719	67,719				21,037	249,184	122,728	313,201
1881.....	57,908	728,476	98,349				24,230	159,747	74,657	298,503
1882.....	35,788	829,604	118,323				18,815	161,288	80,316	299,748
1883.....	45,737	1,544,753	216,916				21,755	94,625	52,186	395,337
1884.....	18,034	148,439	21,964	50,006	22,456	7,827	5,888	33,232	16,579	171,331
1885.....	7,501	15,496	2,064	75,398	19,016	7,454	6,629	79,060	35,010	164,171
1886.....	16,984	167,190	20,689	89,405	24,787	6,953	7,809	120,307	51,851	224,735
1887.....	4,247	115	19	189,393	44,167	6,351	2,910	45,563	26,057	267,197
1888.....	592	23,900	3,306	109,007	14,488	8,094	1,908	38,157	19,254	157,093
1889.....	5,215	17,365	2,541	118,029	17,581	10,449	2,443	42,751	19,958	181,515
1890.....	991	1,040	145	127,363	17,708	8,849	3,467	28,136	13,221	174,372
1891.....	1,516	15,600	3,238	153,704	14,170	10,493	5,727	41,041	19,453	216,416
1892.....	6,785	100	24	172,633	19,625	11,430	3,968	29,801	13,446	233,149
1893.....	6,648	16,309	2,510	100,475	20,869	4,947	2,961	14,953	7,213	154,859
1894.....	14,203	4,400	761	56,639	10,160	4,892	569	23,064	9,132	112,439
1895.....	23,819	17,217	2,764	110,942	c1,390	8,969	1,426	30,195	11,330	174,433
1896.....	74,203			96,884		5,241	3,557	16,268	7,166	187,926
1897.....	89,690	23,188	4,255	91,120		12,853	6,159	11,757	3,730	209,667
1898.....	2,861	20,547	4,110	82,294	14,724	8,258	651	19,707	8,574	123,401

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS FROM—Continued.		EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—						
	TOTAL DUTI- ABLE.	TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHAN- DISE.	BREADSTUFFS.			Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
			Wheat flour.		All other.		Cloths.		All other.
			Barrels.	Dollars.			Dollars.	Yards.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1879.....	43,312	159,099	12,457	62,668	9,728	10,706	586,960	40,051	2,470
1880.....	140,118	473,319	13,064	81,513	7,164	9,255	839,595	63,077	3,716
1881.....	144,617	443,120	14,723	82,983	10,909	8,407	817,851	61,048	16,742
1882.....	189,721	489,469	13,743	92,788	10,504	6,583	901,552	67,625	20,943
1883.....	136,502	531,839	19,742	107,616	15,808	7,593	638,985	48,562	3,834
1884.....	91,460	262,791	15,645	83,705	10,331	6,018	671,333	43,978	1,597
1885.....	54,143	218,360	12,803	62,014	9,538	4,630	496,051	34,668	851
1886.....	45,628	270,363	13,584	67,091	8,506	4,601	921,394	55,863	2,816
1887.....	36,086	303,283	14,903	69,254	9,487	5,295	431,333	25,825	2,058
1888.....	26,542	183,635	11,840	52,803	5,693	6,190	476,670	31,652	692
1889.....	29,956	211,465	13,465	66,226	8,144	6,788	475,930	36,957	992
1890.....	12,459	186,831	10,988	48,929	7,135	7,555	501,674	32,641	1,061
1891.....	2,674	219,096	15,625	76,629	12,461	10,583	484,573	35,194	2,280
1892.....	376	233,525	15,277	76,251	13,383	7,302	504,868	32,495	2,347
1893.....	312	155,171	10,423	42,594	14,129	8,057	332,082	24,183	2,961
1894.....	520	112,959	8,731	31,131	9,511	5,664	515,883	32,970	2,375
1895.....	7,376	181,809	11,644	37,784	12,137	9,107	1,017,591	53,555	8,724
1896.....	12,286	200,212	15,784	58,143	23,676	12,123	1,030,546	60,970	12,107
1897.....	17,016	226,683	13,722	57,861	20,047	10,784	1,134,332	60,164	18,387
1898.....	48,519	171,920	16,397	78,459	23,347	10,008	1,177,056	58,842	17,534

a From 1871-1878 included in British West Indies.

b Not enumerated prior to 1884.

c Made dutiable.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

BRITISH HONDURAS—Continued.

	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Fish.	Flax, hemp, and jute, manufac- tures of.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.		Malt liquors, in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined, not including residuum.		
				Boots and shoes.						All other.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pairs.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1879.....	7, 013	192	10, 791	18, 752	19, 387	5, 910	578	824	39, 859	5, 389
1880.....	8, 174	750	20, 119	18, 751	18, 914	2, 784	2, 075	3, 960	35, 362	4, 273
1881.....	15, 116	278	22, 553	22, 867	23, 856	3, 628	3, 386	6, 712	66, 882	9, 257
1882.....	12, 460	3, 420	30, 714	22, 407	22, 640	4, 912	2, 283	4, 600	55, 943	7, 124
1883.....	11, 875	5, 431	29, 050	21, 250	20, 698	3, 542	4, 207	8, 059	57, 829	7, 153
1884.....	11, 505	3, 401	17, 016	23, 699	22, 379	2, 367	2, 592	5, 007	61, 472	7, 111
1885.....	11, 501	1, 973	11, 216	21, 787	20, 727	1, 736	3, 881	6, 939	80, 148	8, 693
1886.....	9, 280	3, 129	11, 096	16, 258	16, 847	1, 976	3, 800	6, 606	89, 538	9, 228
1887.....	8, 549	3, 340	13, 773	15, 335	14, 299	1, 861	3, 450	5, 591	82, 191	7, 993
1888.....	9, 364	3, 737	10, 850	12, 897	13, 213	2, 175	3, 987	6, 198	93, 315	9, 857
1889.....	10, 337	3, 613	16, 525	7, 561	7, 363	3, 183	2, 984	4, 851	93, 971	10, 260
1890.....	9, 119	4, 131	23, 509	15, 203	14, 799	1, 450	5, 418	9, 256	99, 681	10, 934
1891.....	11, 482	3, 656	20, 688	18, 100	17, 585	1, 892	4, 635	7, 850	120, 814	13, 336
1892.....	12, 960	5, 794	39, 025	17, 176	15, 241	1, 459	4, 373	8, 206	145, 064	13, 272
1893.....	9, 551	3, 385	25, 819	18, 991	17, 784	1, 966	3, 944	7, 365	126, 326	9, 526
1894.....	6, 636	2, 588	14, 826	26, 504	26, 704	1, 292	4, 294	7, 621	127, 935	8, 807
1895.....	8, 188	2, 574	18, 625	23, 868	23, 389	2, 177	7, 554	12, 796	131, 196	11, 563
1896.....	8, 806	4, 530	31, 572	28, 349	27, 179	1, 990	8, 384	14, 479	180, 945	19, 011
1897.....	9, 211	4, 265	33, 193	40, 017	36, 092	2, 205	7, 996	13, 773	221, 220	21, 187
1898.....	8, 296	3, 918	27, 899	38, 064	35, 113	1, 635	7, 885	13, 011	177, 693	15, 435

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	PROVISIONS, INCLUDING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			Sugar, refined.		Tobacco, and manufac- tures of.	Vegetables.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.	
	Bacon, hams, and pork.		All other.							
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1879.....	503,181	24,305	23,127	41,992	3,705	9,822	1,714	23,990	293,762	
1880.....	538,816	32,787	34,689	39,289	3,169	10,734	2,331	26,283	370,252	
1881.....	674,083	50,658	38,150	44,886	4,390	9,366	3,665	41,307	471,302	
1882.....	565,875	52,213	37,715	44,231	4,437	12,932	4,797	51,941	498,881	
1883.....	727,053	72,857	36,612	50,784	4,688	12,470	7,451	38,906	487,535	
1884.....	802,639	63,702	35,826	36,144	2,683	10,911	7,041	37,750	414,746	
1885.....	807,363	61,101	37,370	61,497	3,656	9,014	8,264	31,689	359,730	
1886.....	810,536	45,649	36,915	67,403	4,652	9,903	8,574	26,444	364,528	
1887.....	966,465	59,979	36,226	82,057	5,246	10,602	8,008	26,712	349,510	
1888.....	850,236	63,537	35,673	103,113	6,676	5,901	6,879	18,430	321,525	
1889.....	791,613	60,526	40,114	89,575	6,713	5,954	7,243	29,497	362,623	
1890.....	990,550	53,476	35,426	96,208	7,062	4,974	6,814	30,884	348,561	
1891.....	1,254,027	71,112	58,584	98,075	5,762	6,633	11,115	36,088	457,549	
1892.....	1,222,309	67,537	59,274	84,017	4,040	5,322	9,251	33,697	464,802	
1893.....	902,972	71,028	57,966	121,555	6,144	8,228	9,251	29,110	391,106	
1894.....	825,485	66,201	40,254	72,490	3,596	4,791	7,307	14,992	310,117	
1895.....	778,708	56,527	37,568	147,248	6,364	7,939	7,552	18,000	394,238	
1896.....	1,213,951	67,491	43,432	146,106	7,223	8,673	7,839	30,854	555,333	
1897.....	1,212,366	59,125	46,634	117,425	5,625	9,071	9,871	40,276	550,815	
1898.....	1,196,587	64,183	52,954	124,210	6,085	6,662	15,492	32,980	563,399	

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BRITISH WEST INDIES. (a)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM--											
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Asphaltum.		Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.		Cocoa, crude, and shells of.		Coffee.		Fertilizers.	Fruits and nuts.		
			Dyewoods.	All other.						Bananas.	Cocoanuts.	All other.
	Pounds. b	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....			175,583	86,829	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	53,570			
1872.....			254,194	59,595	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	24,473			
1873.....			382,404	122,673	949,103	109,211	1,057,683	131,993	11,116			
1874.....			88,227	62,242	645,394	62,050	3,157,548	646,145	43,965			
1875.....			232,640	74,456	984,156	85,311	3,433,250	528,517	27,690			
1876.....			461,628	87,396	965,433	101,676	845,930	143,676	7,187			
1877.....			232,162	37,727	282,581	36,832	3,502,418	606,789	7,123			
1878.....			226,187	31,567	1,022,345	130,996	2,340,187	364,579	9,405			
1879.....			344,521	27,191	586,546	97,631	1,944,285	235,369	18,179			
1880.....			271,342	32,329	1,348,054	225,195	1,569,828	211,813	26,951			
1881.....			121,154	44,873	1,396,490	187,655	1,594,981	194,039	26,866			
1882.....			131,332	41,038	1,839,339	281,523	2,888,508	286,865	43,875			
1883.....			56,119	59,227	1,258,761	198,884	6,167,730	428,203	92,287			
1884.....	52,934,500	42,034	41,208	60,043	2,479,668	381,201	5,205,957	385,184	137,972	814,948	167,787	141,071
1885.....	29,886,270	24,793	33,240	109,654	3,497,059	512,398	3,886,698	318,114	85,027	715,595	111,661	192,595
1886.....	38,788,564	26,598	102,459	113,117	3,011,023	476,126	2,917,248	231,514	69,167	835,976	90,170	164,582
1887.....	42,941,119	32,312	102,219	143,644	3,019,944	459,125	4,551,959	492,586	39,829	707,559	114,250	177,741
1888.....	69,504,557	56,981	361,138	68,120	3,980,312	591,739	7,441,221	953,593	60,481	1,118,315	110,821	216,916
1889.....	77,049,710	43,769	465,422	70,520	4,582,679	611,795	14,083,710	1,639,217	41,973	1,318,819	103,239	195,437
1890.....	132,211,773	84,039	370,499	89,476	5,382,498	674,165	4,872,736	803,281	58,207	1,801,349	127,496	243,580
1891.....	136,926,038	151,875	577,639	287,866	6,920,351	858,579	5,073,444	817,833	65,309	2,305,622	167,760	251,209
1892.....	86,512	262,143	338,306	96,481	7,478,458	939,182	7,039,431	1,064,100	46,291	1,326,856	170,146	287,071
1893.....	77,265	149,929	500,683	198,539	7,502,672	1,017,034	6,927,964	1,154,846	15,512	1,824,968	183,236	198,841
1894.....	59,378	101,725	382,511	94,555	7,241,208	976,663	8,265,211	1,343,814	50,693	1,801,581	212,563	228,414
1895.....	58,261	118,023	379,030	292,289	10,517,246	1,262,191	6,188,900	973,986	74,095	1,381,341	9,805	34,010
1896.....	78,681	162,710	578,248	484,428	7,514,394	763,290	4,052,602	643,261	39,837	1,224,783	(c)	42,459
1897.....	85,034	198,786	151,082	534,339	11,468,956	1,077,278	3,132,771	411,035	33,669	1,568,483	(c)	64,158
1898.....	10,442	22,626	290,440	85,671	9,425,506	1,370,274	2,815,071	258,008	5,407	1,853,816	209,681	5,036

IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	FREE OF DUTY—continued.											
	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta- percha, crude.	Salt.			Spices, un- ground.	Sugar and molasses.				Wood, unmanu- factured.	Total free of duty.
							Molasses.		Sugar.			
Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	(c)										18, 654	386, 092
1872.....	4, 226	78, 280	31, 036								31, 195	453, 884
1873.....	85, 626	157, 149	68, 254								17, 723	1, 027, 071
1874.....	35, 283	367, 693	127, 651								35, 609	1, 390, 896
1875.....	93, 575	126, 477	49, 671								12, 629	1, 229, 739
1876.....	42, 242	157, 720	55, 858								29, 179	1, 039, 526
1877.....	17, 577	106, 351	37, 481								8, 153	1, 084, 666
1878.....	17, 920	132, 735	44, 504								9, 117	939, 142
1879.....	12, 212	11, 759	3, 019								10, 426	912, 166
1880.....	13, 835	11, 679	3, 835								17, 788	992, 799
1881.....	13, 897	41, 671	17, 283								16, 932	916, 597
1882.....	30, 493	10, 023	3, 010								41, 845	1, 152, 502
1883.....	72, 488	36, 615	16, 905								20, 502	1, 495, 329
1884.....	36, 182	23, 611	10, 642			254, 214					24, 789	2, 600, 181
1885.....	42, 165	92, 219	36, 064			107, 710					23, 725	2, 426, 932
1886.....	39, 126	102, 261	43, 193			147, 778					21, 596	2, 668, 580
1887.....	52, 958	49, 194	25, 686			102, 668					23, 042	2, 776, 573

a Includes British Honduras to 1878 and Bermuda to 1891.

b Tons after 1891.

c See Dutiable.

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	FREE OF DUTY—continued.											
	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta- percha, crude.		Salt.		Spices, un- ground.	Sugar and molasses.				Wood, unmana- factured.	Total free of duty.
							Molasses.		Sugar.			
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1888.....	46,388	14,865	7,659			90,283					24,185	4,285,755
1889.....	49,646	14,572	7,237			147,275					30,425	5,106,066
1890.....	45,234	800	330			167,820					20,665	4,729,458
1891.....	71,013	82	17			168,571	432,093	82,742	129,301,277	3,658,020	26,408	9,781,085
1892.....	35,791	8,716	4,682			167,103	833,060	146,072	259,249,502	6,891,156	13,695	11,897,999
1893.....	30,092	35,233	14,335			277,905	837,631	147,841	332,667,481	9,487,434	10,151	15,360,315
1894.....	24,257	29,695	8,544			294,904	954,865	152,856	256,784,785	6,889,657	12,500	12,625,808
1895.....	27,132	28,806	11,257	56,993,688	55,788	270,515	a 96,893	12,375	77,455,400	1,821,105	8,334	6,827,458
1896.....	24,539	20,660	8,714	115,477,302	110,092	274,075					5,633	4,616,995
1897.....	18,428	47,116	15,162	170,629,494	156,703	189,299	79,995	8,105			13,332	4,801,711
1898.....	17,733	10,006	2,322	8,732,649	7,948	166,372					3,460	4,498,327

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.								
	DUTIABLE.								
	Fruits, including nuts.			Salt. a		Spices.	Spirits, distilled.		
	Cocoanuts.	Oranges.	All other.						
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Proof gallons.	Dollars.	
1871.....			311,233	106,046,381	125,513	64,937	14,582	17,307	
1872.....			300,145	137,010,546	145,783	56,562	22,863	19,804	
1873.....			301,191	151,226,186	168,495	89,924	39,136	67,007	
1874.....			122,560	144,441,742	137,505	76,635	24,794	50,267	
1875.....			329,931	136,327,415	124,658	77,216	18,108	27,898	
1876.....			264,044	134,864,208	117,792	57,718	13,116	21,469	
1877.....			325,843	146,811,598	151,884	91,753	29,244	36,819	
1878.....			301,834	78,311,562	109,448	103,555	26,706	50,105	
1879.....			416,492	56,934,451	79,522	77,116	39,093	61,129	
1880.....			541,866	33,387,586	50,116	197,643	58,281	61,514	
1881.....			471,085	75,131,355	96,103	114,577	59,817	91,623	
1882.....			925,131	92,558,336	91,680	133,253	39,257	76,647	
1883.....			856,188	127,088,187	112,665	100,253	36,386	70,957	
1884.....		234,503	25,486	114,136,182	98,828		35,252	86,690	
1885.....		145,293	44,943	103,300,859	90,756		40,229	84,178	
1886.....		217,323	34,812	133,139,092	116,655		39,013	82,958	
1887.....		321,279	28,594	66,856,721	84,586		37,179	89,787	
1888.....		293,056	27,140	94,994,022	106,537		33,614	84,864	
1889.....		242,033	28,064	121,310,798	113,365		67,925	108,434	
1890.....		216,686	26,826	129,568,204	119,631		31,299	76,781	
1891.....		336,684	39,416	107,755,894	95,414		39,606	102,746	
1892.....		112,644	39,311	106,795,553	94,279		27,621	83,424	
1893.....		172,153	32,155	113,447,228	95,247		22,519	75,494	
1894.....		51,788	24,535	93,549,034	72,023		20,643	72,991	
1895.....	103,288	173,396	114,908	50,978,337	40,101		18,469	65,754	
1896.....	102,365	695,998	217,009				22,452	80,753	
1897.....	149,959	731,806	228,358				22,264	78,192	
1898.....	8,158	506,462	265,018	71,243,371	61,749		12,426	42,881	

a See Free of duty.

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.							
	DUTIABLE—continued.							Total imports of merchandise.
	Sponges. (a)	Sugar and molasses.				Vegetables.	Total dutiable.	
		Molasses.		Sugar.				
	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....		2,557,664	606,870	86,267,349	4,973,696	51,853	6,907,477	7,293,507
1872.....		3,495,056	773,037	110,132,530	6,733,624	68,122	9,011,246	9,465,130
1873.....		1,657,707	387,866	16,853,391	927,770	95,350	2,616,098	3,643,169
1874.....		2,513,622	542,555	20,515,559	790,616	90,477	2,243,107	3,634,003
1875.....		3,642,739	868,821	37,200,312	1,434,737	116,546	3,303,374	4,553,113
1876.....		2,700,821	592,554	23,255,288	845,112	120,421	2,323,284	3,362,810
1877.....		4,088,704	1,008,979	65,564,912	3,088,496	148,352	5,139,702	6,224,368
1878.....		3,106,301	802,401	64,728,855	2,875,648	94,248	4,708,566	5,647,708
1879.....		2,021,746	406,110	34,125,053	1,204,410	117,063	2,647,829	3,559,995
1880.....		3,059,351	633,629	64,294,413	2,453,386	94,312	4,489,203	5,482,002
1881.....		2,719,846	678,304	82,673,035	3,377,390	104,894	5,377,449	6,294,046
1882.....		1,996,757	550,335	70,044,291	2,902,845	175,273	5,491,885	6,644,387
1883.....		1,902,948	520,830	132,847,803	4,938,289	126,169	7,240,783	8,736,112
1884.....	165,851	1,346,071	265,055	180,951,818	5,900,079	388,221	7,191,435	9,791,616
1885.....	130,035	997,394	150,245	282,270,638	6,896,699	370,919	7,936,449	10,363,381
1886.....	189,511	1,120,503	166,384	219,620,732	6,028,361	328,248	7,185,100	9,853,680
1887.....	151,512	1,954,541	211,113	327,913,725	7,512,368	355,839	8,793,206	11,569,779
1888.....	169,591	2,000,112	211,628	302,596,909	6,937,001	404,582	8,265,185	12,550,940
1889.....	162,688	3,175,896	452,865	340,363,305	9,507,614	225,400	10,879,496	15,985,562
1890.....	214,883	2,119,049	320,430	291,307,237	8,589,700	533,480	10,135,560	14,865,018
1891.....	190,943	b 339,311	b 57,583	b 198,983,976	b 5,073,003	547,740	6,511,499	16,293,184
1892.....	170,722			200	7	10,531	542,133	12,440,132
1893.....	216,298			1,274	45	3,806	668,277	16,028,592
1894.....	140,149			36,967	1,292	2,205	391,370	13,017,178
1895.....	172,305	159,061	23,472	116,002,837	2,168,509	8,096	2,949,986	9,777,444
1896.....	231,162	339,217	58,042	217,421,118	4,700,527	4,366	6,183,623	10,800,618
1897.....	246,994	502,330	63,241	322,103,866	5,893,877	7,504	7,484,174	12,285,885
1898.....	244,973	751,735	86,782	231,401,746	4,552,454	1,578	6,133,860	10,632,187

a Not enumerated prior to 1884.

b See Free of duty.

[Includes British Honduras to 1878 and Bermuda to 1891.]

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	ANIMALS.									Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.			
	Cattle.		Horses.		Mules.		Sheep.		All other.		Bread and biscuit.		Corn.	
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.
1871.....	1,515	134,446	453	86,111	1,446	214,600	4,542	36,218	105	2,371	7,273,114	377,942	233,602	228,562
1872.....	1,144	99,320	286	67,425	1,725	246,739	3,857	32,213	425	2,293	7,545,595	421,705	190,695	164,492
1873.....	1,608	110,432	848	55,816	683	95,800	1,804	16,029	232	7,669	6,379,502	350,308	213,458	160,122
1874.....	1,306	107,466	266	40,571	734	105,575	1,720	16,246	380	2,191	5,479,214	301,672	204,995	172,224
1875.....	1,828	151,942	278	39,707	1,828	262,750	2,018	20,205	.....	2,551	6,187,657	280,568	199,169	191,153
1876.....	1,581	142,268	321	49,520	1,120	150,375	3,135	31,271	170	9,307	6,547,614	292,351	237,642	195,590
1877.....	1,741	147,032	232	33,730	1,541	227,900	2,299	22,061	2,963	7,638	5,807,137	264,401	229,702	157,501
1878.....	1,574	119,734	250	32,675	1,693	228,215	2,155	19,278	60	5,092	6,619,896	280,038	265,946	182,776
1879.....	1,531	104,224	381	53,860	1,940	249,944	2,538	20,390	711	4,055	5,794,259	195,537	275,245	156,681
1880.....	2,401	152,279	288	36,975	1,312	155,070	1,549	12,727	1,670	3,985	5,686,659	207,536	317,185	200,796
1881.....	1,978	133,494	291	38,836	1,183	154,195	1,496	12,605	405	3,901	6,707,943	247,051	389,157	237,183
1882.....	1,529	115,459	92	16,399	1,148	144,885	2,382	20,299	296	5,326	7,077,624	279,421	249,753	197,369
1883.....	1,174	95,714	116	21,415	867	107,975	2,370	20,928	1,500	15,976	6,791,848	248,266	218,841	187,244
1884.....	1,135	98,968	165	37,035	1,423	186,126	3,040	25,638	908	9,965	7,368,410	247,266	253,763	183,956
1885.....	1,259	104,927	44	7,840	204	23,185	4,116	32,782	882	8,748	7,372,638	231,591	339,042	215,729
1886.....	1,258	90,570	76	14,148	413	53,384	2,946	22,984	1,664	8,843	8,108,403	278,780	282,363	169,135
1887.....	1,529	103,579	59	10,660	663	86,820	2,388	18,572	825	10,082	6,453,183	228,877	275,876	155,285

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	ANIMALS.									Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.			
	Cattle.		Horses.		Mules.		Sheep.		All other.		Bread and biscuit.		Corn.	
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.
1888.....	1,664	107,160	158	26,472	1,047	134,428	3,451	28,621	715	9,993	5,436,122	235,860	289,739	184,885
1889.....	1,730	125,250	164	28,324	981	124,160	3,466	28,295	1,021	12,662	6,200,880	297,480	336,734	188,879
1890.....	1,761	137,920	208	35,365	1,397	178,447	2,095	23,607	839	18,247	6,470,844	298,274	428,636	213,890
1891.....	1,767	144,730	140	25,343	1,221	153,416	2,840	24,922	1,171	21,922	6,864,159	344,704	507,852	330,683
1892.....	161	10,306	172	30,730	955	123,275	1,365	12,116	436	22,386	5,996,772	301,397	388,523	265,318
1893.....	189	11,071	105	18,558	898	113,599	1,264	10,444	553	16,681	6,196,311	269,909	414,382	264,786
1894.....	207	13,606	80	12,396	680	79,110	1,196	8,158	427	25,246	8,234,805	326,814	487,455	266,001
1895.....	102	8,032	121	16,609	509	51,550	1,626	11,116	983	58,285	7,260,315	290,274	480,164	275,551
1896.....	106	6,073	263	26,959	730	72,794	2,581	16,936	1,508	56,298	8,772,677	349,215	521,018	214,826
1897.....	206	14,404	241	21,928	655	56,729	3,277	25,007	1,831	22,034	7,486,634	305,226	547,365	206,018
1898.....	270	21,899	350	40,072	847	69,760	2,853	21,267	2,200	19,676	7,496,182	359,514	563,541	239,861

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	BREADSTUFFS—continued.							Car- riages, street and railroad cars, etc.	Chem- icals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coal.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
	Corn meal.		Oats.		Wheat flour.		All other.					Cloths.		All other.
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.					Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	96,356	448,763	22,718	14,603	400,938	2,720,953	160,945	39,698	55,791	1,397	9,440	60,509	10,968	20,678
1872.....	108,529	434,369	52,748	34,807	421,963	2,993,546	178,113	44,796	70,815	370	1,889	379,286	56,197	32,935
1873.....	129,694	488,516	26,452	15,275	353,253	2,701,378	155,514	34,521	32,440	5,519	26,708	157,782	32,891	18,488
1874.....	117,752	478,341	105,703	67,633	343,052	2,456,953	133,194	54,349	44,026	8,338	41,444	103,229	20,116	21,862
1875.....	92,433	432,816	124,639	86,347	382,329	2,300,885	112,200	55,628	51,648	3,355	17,576	358,605	49,994	10,319
1876.....	126,132	492,585	171,018	102,230	444,155	2,665,101	169,920	72,667	53,199	636	2,799	1,282,537	125,008	14,547
1877.....	92,533	316,519	119,447	68,131	344,053	2,323,674	113,484	61,349	47,228	2,690	8,874	1,608,792	145,678	25,032
1878.....	117,855	385,961	175,390	81,951	340,372	2,152,480	128,849	73,873	50,776	2,693	9,364	2,394,151	185,208	17,773
1879.....	108,127	312,187	173,298	69,133	361,411	1,799,891	151,920	55,996	88,489	3,156	10,081	1,948,985	150,135	25,150
1880.....	96,568	302,910	162,884	81,527	333,950	2,062,225	169,542	71,339	90,265	2,811	9,517	1,119,558	100,853	30,881
1881.....	163,448	529,035	148,891	72,545	446,922	2,563,776	176,779	46,263	69,659	1,759	7,166	1,001,490	91,070	17,059
1882.....	94,844	357,655	114,578	62,707	361,630	2,390,158	141,480	60,876	54,899	6,524	26,102	832,819	79,684	7,855
1883.....	80,336	323,678	94,081	53,004	374,038	2,100,852	128,023	67,140	63,468	6,157	28,636	1,041,119	89,288	6,508
1884.....	81,072	278,713	126,372	59,704	408,117	2,105,233	67,520	75,056	73,854	5,968	23,852	1,202,912	98,716	19,093
1885.....	89,541	298,817	113,845	51,394	414,782	1,865,216	58,853	52,729	71,448	5,278	18,520	1,282,797	99,329	16,785
1886.....	108,266	333,413	149,836	64,918	443,583	2,030,491	61,293	45,401	67,221	9,485	32,158	2,089,258	139,254	22,418
1887.....	77,766	217,087	123,545	59,009	399,196	1,702,990	62,292	51,729	69,723	9,212	27,161	2,065,442	135,045	17,627
1888.....	76,846	233,906	118,108	50,876	452,893	1,939,989	71,268	53,069	82,430	6,126	19,321	1,838,376	141,153	19,489
1889.....	97,313	300,833	130,848	54,526	444,317	2,083,433	76,008	79,510	82,763	3,987	14,073	1,772,758	159,070	19,322
1890.....	91,584	245,830	253,210	100,335	456,438	1,945,265	68,100	91,291	99,556	5,310	17,553	2,027,783	161,280	20,074
1891.....	116,583	387,168	191,430	103,350	523,216	2,496,241	225,029	185,484	111,051	20,584	61,870	2,120,313	162,295	26,590
1892.....	87,511	305,503	151,664	68,314	475,855	2,302,342	195,492	89,821	101,735	22,781	68,696	1,856,840	131,876	31,609
1893.....	85,459	257,853	134,792	59,653	511,552	2,047,175	86,620	79,747	90,776	14,399	44,559	2,051,780	158,418	29,553
1894.....	99,490	253,984	113,946	47,481	549,824	1,964,489	76,538	136,755	105,744	23,443	68,968	3,564,641	234,611	32,166
1895.....	70,920	225,819	78,160	31,319	520,963	1,803,256	74,155	91,520	97,753	22,499	58,540	4,041,089	227,999	41,353
1896.....	86,115	211,155	277,424	84,817	572,842	2,100,393	68,900	122,561	101,553	24,589	64,829	4,684,239	286,407	49,445
1897.....	101,970	201,230	256,801	67,050	524,043	2,068,890	81,148	58,691	103,944	38,191	99,079	4,295,120	244,112	41,840
1898.....	120,258	242,800	407,824	128,916	477,352	2,293,602	98,035	108,368	90,613	52,767	133,285	4,499,886	246,489	58,991

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	FISH.					FLAX, HEMP, ETC., MANU- FACTURES OF.			Fruits, includ- ing nuts.	Glass and glass- ware.	Gun- powder and other ex- plosives.	Hay.		Instru- ments and sci- entific ap- paratus, etc.
	Codfish, haddock, hake, etc.		Salmon, canned. ^a		All other.	Cordage.		All other.						
Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	949,200	43,251			31,643	63,118	11,209	3,439	13,069	11,593	4,092	1,191	30,012	.....
1872.....	553,616	21,674			46,440	75,917	13,585	1,905	10,832	14,993	1,574	1,192	31,886	115
1873.....	381,024	17,971			18,399	135,980	22,090	2,123	11,406	11,179	17,793	744	22,936	100
1874.....	246,960	11,516			16,866	133,119	21,066	2,953	13,504	15,654	694	628	17,882	354
1875.....	220,864	11,453			32,462	147,255	20,573	3,687	17,309	10,870	728	1,154	18,875	1,238
1876.....	413,278	20,923			37,777	120,595	12,479	6,041	19,217	12,691	1,907	1,283	23,914	190
1877.....	569,408	27,769			59,932	145,436	18,688	5,254	26,225	17,122	1,216	1,323	21,785	303
1878.....	1,375,808	47,637			47,806	158,379	18,625	3,642	14,549	26,869	2,470	1,761	26,889	3,634
1879.....	605,696	20,898			40,068	216,519	22,330	7,253	12,425	22,994	626	1,041	15,405	.....
1880.....	560,896	20,656			44,937	226,248	27,598	3,684	14,087	28,600	1,893	1,454	22,183	377
1881.....	450,128	15,675			43,194	234,203	26,391	6,567	19,983	20,439	792	1,440	26,909	405
1882.....	670,320	30,796			54,630	252,704	31,242	4,828	24,038	16,372	968	1,322	23,028	2,069
1883.....	1,734,432	88,361			78,733	318,852	37,916	2,971	20,812	21,542	2,922	1,098	19,939	4,361
1884.....	1,654,376	76,110		5,996	67,963	314,647	32,661	5,976	21,400	23,073	4,199	1,744	28,457	7,211
1885.....	1,438,958	51,985		4,775	75,002	311,798	27,656	7,858	24,199	26,319	5,513	983	18,098	10,787
1886.....	693,618	25,010		5,400	64,081	278,271	25,780	7,934	26,670	18,269	20,379	1,330	21,160	8,035
1887.....	433,577	13,610	83,925	10,653	39,912	289,000	28,311	7,824	33,333	17,072	7,047	1,285	19,778	8,656
1888.....	580,468	27,460	65,750	9,078	25,866	389,296	40,845	9,569	46,759	18,525	5,580	1,731	30,043	12,448
1889.....	847,635	40,485	88,592	13,053	42,526	344,267	39,061	8,974	41,461	21,805	24,225	1,560	29,625	9,683
1890.....	363,107	15,842	77,792	10,223	39,367	348,291	42,333	9,269	46,473	17,504	22,141	1,549	28,709	20,506
1891.....	541,374	23,932	112,521	13,669	35,095	373,933	40,206	14,109	45,761	26,541	44,527	1,776	30,501	36,136
1892.....	420,294	17,368	79,791	9,251	22,426	317,978	30,461	13,816	26,621	16,896	54,205	747	13,205	26,589
1893.....	435,214	20,250	113,456	12,380	27,176	322,187	30,427	12,237	23,566	16,237	64,936	980	16,537	23,137
1894.....	735,635	36,006	185,459	19,199	45,637	408,152	28,798	12,463	25,787	14,514	31,711	1,030	17,946	19,514
1895.....	609,155	26,554	145,994	14,862	31,660	393,187	24,666	13,011	25,635	16,199	48,253	859	14,434	48,741
1896.....	1,065,355	42,200	191,722	18,083	50,244	459,124	28,434	17,088	25,355	16,068	36,823	957	17,837	30,358
1897.....	624,967	24,369	231,675	21,234	42,627	475,673	25,366	18,279	27,746	18,805	23,057	1,345	20,328	26,586
1898.....	482,761	17,773	273,735	24,753	23,665	562,194	33,716	14,539	24,236	15,792	17,540	1,167	16,917	37,944

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	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.									LEATHER, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.			Musical instru- ments.	
	Firearms.	Builders' hardware, locks, hinges, etc.	Machin- ery, n.e.s.	Nails and spikes.		Saws and tools.	Sewing machines, etc.	Wire.		All other.	Boots and shoes.			All other.
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pairs.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	3,971		40,115	130,850	6,991	5,582	3,845			44,503	21,302	37,443	10,918	2,515
1872.....	1,300		22,317	119,614	7,356	10,689	5,620			29,585	39,921	55,013	10,740	2,378
1873.....	32,708		65,091	107,775	6,676	12,640	7,500			23,545	40,385	61,438	10,295	3,396
1874.....	1,057		21,669	254,809	14,046	11,556	8,617			45,585	41,346	60,625	12,256	2,097
1875.....	1,796		30,448	361,770	15,450	15,848	7,414			40,926	52,059	70,584	13,604	1,225
1876.....	1,092		11,986	427,799	16,109	16,383	9,507			58,536	61,786	80,824	17,614	3,140
1877.....	1,997		14,590	352,091	12,657	13,707	5,393			38,014	56,093	66,633	18,497	6,156
1878.....	910		25,393	360,356	11,622	4,852	3,084			59,978	59,915	63,750	18,255	4,402
1879.....	3,403		15,915	348,740	10,010	4,960	4,231			67,279	46,001	50,071	12,467	5,573
1880.....	2,291		18,247	323,852	13,146	8,098	6,688			77,278	61,707	64,871	22,279	10,766
1881.....	3,267		29,255	406,507	15,506	14,148	9,064			77,226	49,524	52,608	15,738	3,691
1882.....	3,779		41,658	429,717	17,424	4,734	6,922			71,009	60,062	63,519	14,682	8,930
1883.....	3,550		28,208	337,696	13,591	10,528	8,301			87,397	73,134	75,998	14,947	11,299
1884.....	4,290	9,248	30,212	554,078	19,865	13,435	9,126	48,722	3,174	78,049	77,696	75,450	14,547	9,281
1885.....	6,321	13,671	25,055	541,747	16,736	11,842	7,366	70,270	3,346	52,672	89,742	83,827	10,302	13,614
1886.....	19,996	9,974	37,014	429,938	13,053	9,977	7,575	98,527	4,194	45,987	92,243	91,064	11,275	11,733
1887.....	31,754	13,064	17,656	389,106	11,045	14,907	7,375	83,022	3,258	35,616	81,044	80,435	12,365	13,033
1888.....	3,385	15,604	15,440	500,720	19,280	17,109	13,729	169,778	6,147	40,665	80,327	80,482	14,259	11,133

^a Not enumerated prior to 1884.

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	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.										LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Musical instruments.
	Firearms.	Builders' hardware, locks, hinges, etc.	Machinery, n.e.s.	Nails and spikes.		Saws and tools.	Sewing machines, etc.	Wire.		All other.	Boots and shoes.		All other.	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pairs.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1889.....	18,007	21,052	62,643	563,435	20,538	15,511	12,105	166,063	5,755	40,985	100,226	100,638	20,402	15,882
1890.....	6,125	22,543	42,576	575,594	19,131	18,286	12,940	427,060	16,113	72,377	127,559	130,296	16,368	10,519
1891.....	7,699	39,156	87,122	933,561	24,675	20,154	15,101	779,331	27,844	100,728	104,907	105,027	17,777	18,429
1892.....	17,607	23,112	83,469	527,732	14,983	19,195	16,983	626,705	21,026	90,960	80,033	77,858	12,179	9,804
1893.....	33,752	29,553	60,102	573,158	16,036	17,187	10,249	1,004,428	28,135	157,618	67,692	63,340	13,917	6,397
1894.....	4,464	34,071	84,779	820,040	20,018	17,794	13,853	1,022,832	25,681	125,820	115,083	109,109	22,683	9,738
1895.....	3,962	31,926	100,731	993,232	21,993	20,766	13,628	1,629,654	32,846	110,756	189,809	222,259	22,800	9,094
1896.....	8,593	27,660	95,490	1,343,477	30,658	20,771	12,058	1,424,778	30,612	201,558	163,853	207,224	23,932	12,896
1897.....	8,559	27,917	116,276	1,115,945	23,960	18,454	10,215	1,294,683	26,661	82,663	159,839	177,981	19,276	22,206
1898.....	6,613	22,344	72,885	1,183,900	22,935	19,087	12,355	1,254,925	23,397	139,771	184,964	196,783	20,500	9,501

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	Oil cake and oil-cake meal.		OILS.						Paper, and manufactures of.	Perfumery and cosmetics.	PROVISIONS, INCLUDING MEATS AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
			Animal.		Mineral, illuminating.		Vegetable, cotton seed.				Beef, canned.		Beef, salted or pickled.	
Pounds.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....	7,166,525	159,042	24,577	26,116	611,130	175,566	44	29	31,619	34,804	.....	.....	3,170,883	281,308
1872.....	6,763,253	154,487	22,612	17,967	645,416	183,705	44	29	33,722	28,890	.....	.....	2,861,109	217,982
1873.....	5,283,751	116,371	3,141	2,473	953,669	261,904	45	27	30,528	22,553	.....	.....	1,920,855	154,183
1874.....	3,531,735	78,491	7,418	5,101	1,167,191	236,943	91	62	20,436	30,284	.....	.....	2,270,872	182,625
1875.....	4,464,162	112,817	4,547	4,513	1,032,698	195,696	43	32	16,271	18,692	.....	.....	2,233,815	193,292
1876.....	5,387,750	133,900	7,866	6,240	807,438	151,990	315	162	20,578	20,825	.....	.....	2,380,139	221,500
1877.....	4,295,977	90,033	9,780	7,847	922,785	221,043	42	28	16,930	22,361	.....	.....	2,774,804	214,848
1878.....	8,442,360	170,908	8,536	6,594	1,029,584	175,575	.....	.....	21,929	13,651	.....	.....	2,296,869	173,546
1879.....	7,563,648	133,362	14,076	8,778	1,587,054	196,834	.....	.....	19,281	20,620	.....	.....	2,737,517	180,457
1880.....	6,550,214	122,514	6,933	3,958	955,200	106,930	950	400	25,738	12,855	.....	.....	2,722,512	182,514
1881.....	9,803,530	186,210	12,471	9,432	1,737,303	209,659	3,491	1,748	37,649	14,567	.....	.....	2,343,675	164,062
1882.....	9,624,324	184,963	11,843	9,646	1,158,680	132,915	12,398	6,113	46,203	11,035	.....	.....	1,990,732	169,033
1883.....	9,993,461	182,151	17,660	14,020	1,358,655	161,258	11,402	6,402	41,705	15,604	.....	.....	1,878,980	181,362
1884.....	10,831,813	205,672	9,344	6,700	1,347,144	154,583	7,018	4,001	30,611	16,930	.....	8,703	2,231,018	177,194
1885.....	8,438,867	153,059	9,190	5,752	1,525,850	159,593	36,042	16,352	24,215	15,057	.....	7,964	2,083,794	153,617
1886.....	9,575,980	160,815	13,372	6,696	1,567,906	161,364	21,946	9,807	26,616	15,329	.....	7,599	2,385,669	152,124
1887.....	8,024,391	130,451	15,615	9,024	1,610,210	157,212	62,728	28,543	14,144	13,654	61,543	6,362	2,289,175	126,017
1888.....	8,588,775	139,701	13,083	7,235	1,866,747	193,060	25,799	12,624	25,443	15,145	127,228	11,102	3,319,590	185,066
1889.....	10,953,947	176,425	10,795	6,342	1,598,950	165,946	60,743	34,261	31,184	14,308	138,770	12,758	3,244,794	200,964
1890.....	11,105,277	170,228	11,305	6,040	1,933,096	204,508	122,507	50,576	31,222	13,144	201,520	16,455	4,069,802	215,687
1891.....	15,017,650	222,449	9,634	5,069	2,056,168	216,112	89,671	35,554	36,263	20,963	281,859	23,802	4,049,862	220,092
1892.....	10,495,281	152,713	9,977	5,635	2,001,008	176,055	110,317	41,510	29,395	15,400	257,547	21,795	3,985,928	241,747
1893.....	11,759,089	175,852	7,919	5,656	2,260,913	177,436	130,731	60,244	29,551	16,301	351,884	30,800	4,185,262	241,042
1894.....	13,116,409	193,339	12,819	8,098	2,238,248	171,574	163,685	63,810	30,485	18,859	464,228	39,273	5,198,550	315,471
1895.....	11,925,587	152,124	10,690	5,573	2,235,050	192,844	156,986	50,945	34,076	20,930	465,931	38,202	3,838,889	226,092
1896.....	11,631,436	122,497	4,517	2,362	2,499,857	245,942	204,387	59,914	50,877	19,502	339,619	31,635	4,207,262	230,017
1897.....	11,918,833	124,006	6,283	2,654	2,432,097	199,566	316,397	84,505	51,919	19,901	257,696	22,437	3,636,316	173,291
1898.....	11,060,713	149,022	6,597	2,938	2,425,180	191,335	307,996	83,612	52,989	18,402	298,132	28,414	3,571,472	195,607

**QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.															
	PROVISIONS, INCLUDING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS—continued.													Soap.	Sugar, refined.	
	Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Oleomargarine.		All other meat prod- ucts.	Dairy products.								
								Butter.		Cheese.		Milk.				
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....	8,322,897	983,919	3,293,121	459,112	.....	.....	23,103	579,119	134,145	567,643	80,723	4,427	70,018	54,496	7,183
1872.....	9,213,670	694,984	2,582,739	270,915	.....	.....	36,964	879,613	176,074	592,800	86,630	5,397	35,654	71,151	8,909
1873.....	6,253,916	517,278	2,299,510	235,279	.....	.....	40,787	646,301	121,500	533,662	77,753	6,150	55,630	131,028	14,474
1874.....	7,543,101	665,769	2,017,531	207,088	.....	.....	50,619	636,283	160,630	509,318	77,724	7,352	41,438	194,154	20,912
1875.....	6,632,023	725,200	2,034,681	294,867	.....	.....	54,413	680,201	167,215	373,675	55,137	8,461	37,835	292,126	31,824
1876.....	6,374,729	731,149	2,041,502	284,458	.....	.....	76,317	678,851	157,822	387,993	52,550	11,393	28,073	684,852	74,297
1877.....	8,006,374	789,203	2,232,281	252,793	.....	.....	47,471	1,277,945	250,134	404,411	57,345	8,592	23,978	671,259	79,178
1878.....	8,574,235	630,076	1,987,435	181,814	.....	.....	84,496	1,250,613	202,126	439,717	53,373	9,539	28,914	1,022,995	104,957
1879.....	8,457,467	501,329	2,394,452	179,993	.....	.....	69,048	1,346,279	184,731	591,069	58,776	7,042	31,277	901,913	79,927
1880.....	8,524,092	545,714	2,185,354	169,331	.....	.....	77,525	1,359,944	236,306	588,116	67,898	9,011	33,680	1,349,823	122,803
1881.....	8,465,874	687,072	2,690,366	248,144	.....	.....	62,093	1,661,399	308,653	495,086	67,653	10,740	34,891	1,391,880	127,827
1882.....	7,386,741	709,907	2,589,700	268,363	.....	.....	46,804	1,512,393	286,043	548,912	70,486	10,843	18,899	1,485,689	133,028
1883.....	7,110,546	755,535	2,260,602	248,161	.....	.....	50,144	1,927,893	343,417	545,975	74,555	11,963	19,914	1,516,075	140,000
1884.....	7,587,909	660,572	2,674,264	219,284	39,761	6,029	48,474	1,800,034	308,147	631,108	84,316	10,755	27,401	2,079,859	160,622	
1885.....	8,144,894	607,511	2,739,918	195,655	8,262	1,063	62,589	1,956,746	324,213	625,682	83,752	7,397	19,791	1,650,360	105,507	
1886.....	8,058,706	502,275	2,814,737	187,668	9,216	929	65,261	1,864,600	294,473	622,393	69,223	9,390	20,216	1,820,938	120,248	
1887.....	7,261,993	528,141	2,911,011	204,766	161,693	23,763	61,195	1,665,975	264,307	607,099	75,722	5,889	24,871	2,208,841	144,639	
1888.....	7,640,177	608,915	2,811,846	211,478	768,030	95,317	91,113	1,815,287	308,273	682,054	87,839	4,715	23,591	2,038,213	139,480	
1889.....	8,816,283	699,436	2,544,514	231,012	750,708	86,460	86,941	1,560,952	272,620	676,092	85,011	4,587	33,387	1,790,469	141,464	
1890.....	8,524,412	563,243	2,429,297	182,904	724,020	82,272	104,508	1,518,291	229,687	707,834	88,231	6,196	23,658	1,713,090	136,417	
1891.....	9,239,091	593,160	2,333,143	178,123	395,518	44,291	104,126	1,583,183	243,636	816,369	102,755	6,502	28,734	2,067,927	123,238	
1892.....	10,102,641	626,141	2,461,895	186,773	697,137	85,607	75,819	1,215,329	191,552	670,520	77,717	4,224	25,100	1,314,449	61,910	
1893.....	8,319,831	687,645	2,460,110	230,536	1,494,195	175,029	56,619	733,677	146,667	724,783	91,289	5,111	24,717	2,062,034	107,636	
1894.....	9,387,445	773,506	2,621,647	240,040	1,629,224	194,276	77,354	756,967	143,768	722,717	96,913	5,319	31,136	1,625,844	81,173	
1895.....	8,065,428	597,228	2,430,443	188,263	1,259,090	147,493	83,928	726,953	123,028	696,381	78,519	7,692	23,164	1,610,499	72,907	
1896.....	12,556,676	729,586	2,786,019	190,784	1,386,563	146,660	81,420	786,405	128,379	655,320	75,265	10,869	35,641	1,393,115	70,115	
1897.....	9,339,331	462,157	2,448,882	134,893	1,332,133	132,072	114,758	755,598	117,775	607,226	75,646	8,900	42,984	896,982	43,457	
1898.....	10,391,167	591,634	2,381,571	153,346	1,167,295	113,402	106,121	639,195	109,540	563,550	68,525	26,692	33,768	775,028	41,727	

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	TOBACCO, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			VEGETABLES.			WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.							Total exports of domestic merchan- dise.
	Leaf.	Manufac- tures of.	Dollars.	Beans and pease.	All other.	Lumber.				All other unmanufac- tured.	Manufac- tures of.			
						Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantlings.		Shingles.	Shooks, staves, and headings.					
<i>M feet.</i>						<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>					<i>Dollars.</i>		
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	1,608,112	220,215	90,516	.....	59,896	10,574	210,490	20,657	373,280	6,949	97,106	8,804,926	
1872.....	1,725,858	217,230	59,300	.....	71,671	10,002	198,713	40,788	411,333	22,289	82,417	8,614,923	
1873.....	1,102,613	152,131	71,881	.....	49,762	10,875	210,376	38,037	239,865	5,608	75,880	7,457,823	
1874.....	1,089,194	144,029	87,898	.....	47,587	15,854	360,845	23,799	281,745	11,587	82,285	7,467,897	
1875.....	1,091,294	175,024	101,737	.....	49,015	13,243	228,961	38,313	370,519	12,667	75,104	7,563,668	
1876.....	1,217,931	185,180	92,686	.....	48,776	15,477	243,037	42,622	349,141	23,122	80,496	8,196,842	
1877.....	1,071,929	152,271	77,419	.....	37,300	12,734	184,722	29,555	237,771	30,566	60,973	7,519,908	
1878.....	829,239	102,598	145,266	.....	43,554	16,227	240,429	51,406	302,230	18,555	83,591	7,392,679	
1879.....	681,424	63,733	95,956	.....	32,676	20,865	288,113	51,009	206,313	32,022	79,730	6,485,391	
1880.....	1,011,507	102,494	56,532	.....	43,643	16,450	245,404	31,995	181,900	46,265	93,883	6,849,878	
1881.....	1,196,560	123,318	63,409	.....	30,030	22,072	367,066	42,148	139,315	40,046	78,511	8,138,565	
1882.....	1,002,874	118,505	52,355	.....	26,671	21,480	370,969	44,060	262,720	6,731	93,931	7,824,293	
1883.....	1,062,105	131,595	82,112	.....	23,671	27,874	458,514	43,392	308,107	7,978	103,345	8,241,622	
1884.....	1,341,900	138,243	68,476	31,024	45,968	27,133	21,818	354,736	39,926	344,436	15,284	103,074	8,553,244	
1885.....	1,136,670	125,362	89,605	39,011	57,343	28,817	16,040	246,395	37,685	250,165	6,444	115,322	6,963,219	
1886.....	913,151	99,757	88,807	49,943	71,983	30,171	18,417	304,755	28,300	193,051	4,954	90,562	7,113,699	
1887.....	1,118,614	101,721	73,218	58,408	76,960	33,426	18,381	294,182	31,208	199,612	14,821	87,926	6,465,030	
1888.....	1,018,568	93,960	105,421	49,257	72,654	49,813	18,416	286,242	37,684	281,937	57,305	90,162	7,450,018	

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	TOBACCO, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			VEGETABLES.			WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.						Total exports of domestic merchan- dise.
	Leaf.	Manufac- tures of.		Beans and pease.	All other.		Lumber.			All other unmanufac- tured.	Manufac- tures of.		
							Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantlings.	Shingles.	Shooks, staves, and headings.				
Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1889.....	1,312,600	129,642	92,978	39,601	66,164	51,901	22,025	361,118	45,067	307,415	16,713	98,576	8,197,693
1890.....	1,172,841	99,458	93,461	30,436	56,062	48,494	24,719	398,848	49,245	390,678	15,395	124,448	8,074,433
1891.....	1,202,953	99,814	98,208	45,499	76,912	41,854	31,378	512,052	47,730	164,105	45,914	187,328	9,546,058
1892.....	968,313	76,183	105,829	41,472	59,571	19,826	24,967	397,583	36,938	171,312	38,856	98,247	7,995,185
1893.....	1,399,015	128,422	139,886	29,868	41,209	24,909	23,798	393,844	35,271	224,596	41,583	98,248	7,912,341
1894.....	1,278,868	120,051	102,351	41,545	52,943	19,453	28,864	474,610	40,014	230,379	57,865	106,110	8,387,229
1895.....	1,303,910	118,156	107,295	20,635	34,615	27,766	29,838	423,462	39,243	189,894	56,143	103,973	7,667,561
1896.....	1,433,547	132,930	100,683	33,529	43,236	33,281	27,917	414,521	38,183	237,285	65,760	124,791	8,566,965
1897.....	1,310,541	113,555	110,877	50,351	64,647	37,641	32,438	454,009	33,202	246,160	10,894	102,960	7,808,493
1898.....	1,424,907	131,392	82,354	47,659	67,507	36,811	21,753	362,953	32,693	188,711	3,440	91,657	8,235,678

BRITISH GUIANA.

(Prior to 1873 included in "British West Indies.")

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS FROM—							EXPORTS TO—				
	FREE OF DUTY.			DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.	Animals.	BREADSTUFFS.			
	Sugar.		Total free of duty.	Sugar.		Total dutiable.			Wheat flour.	All other.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.		Pounds.	Dollars.							
		Dollars.						Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1873.....			27,117	51,352,331	2,969,992	3,187,156	3,214,273	59,409	80,049	602,627	192,877	
1874.....			21,888	21,100,043	1,063,208	1,257,917	1,279,805	51,788	79,146	570,222	225,034	
1875.....			42,576	40,295,397	2,000,935	2,456,669	2,499,245	68,846	96,824	557,603	201,593	
1876.....			94,856	21,865,691	912,101	1,077,263	1,172,119	49,498	91,648	546,149	160,643	
1877.....			45,313	61,657,498	3,340,446	3,460,806	3,505,619	55,963	85,145	543,165	166,773	
1878.....			4,989	37,435,270	2,044,305	2,136,296	2,141,285	79,498	104,897	604,487	266,875	
1879.....			58,661	13,074,378	480,782	515,464	574,125	55,592	134,872	585,254	171,455	
1880.....			11,008	34,073,241	1,795,117	1,898,986	1,909,994	74,796	112,544	599,018	198,597	
1881.....			22,087	47,821,676	2,376,180	2,401,987	2,424,074	41,178	126,593	619,852	185,356	
1882.....			7,527	64,457,685	3,192,659	3,220,915	3,228,442	35,272	101,782	601,756	167,897	
1883.....			9,892	123,331,060	5,893,880	5,936,537	5,946,429	55,586	114,460	564,497	162,721	
1884.....			4,360	91,954,917	4,060,776	4,091,176	4,095,536	62,035	121,959	569,665	151,210	
1885.....			10,401	34,118,761	909,923	910,953	921,354	34,147	135,538	551,055	96,692	
1886.....			6,902	58,319,322	1,847,382	1,857,694	1,864,596	50,500	129,915	554,430	71,711	
1887.....			15,212	107,729,106	2,704,942	2,724,661	2,739,873	29,741	112,954	466,957	60,282	
1888.....			5,755	94,914,020	2,813,992	2,816,627	2,822,382	40,076	157,823	609,487	81,536	
1889.....			14,135	132,559,310	4,507,201	4,512,046	4,526,181	28,709	119,012	540,132	54,109	
1890.....			1,659	135,971,235	4,323,711	4,325,316	4,326,975	45,952	171,012	678,949	60,123	
1891.....	a 30,560,641	a 973,470	977,659	b 129,960,491	b 3,892,602	3,905,547	4,883,206	36,791	147,002	704,264	80,475	
1892.....	139,570,615	4,360,662	4,362,994	c 239	b 8	210	4,363,204	40,206	157,639	733,767	80,013	
1893.....	159,061,559	5,017,661	5,028,848	(b)	(b)	330	5,029,178	34,561	181,860	695,641	76,413	
1894.....	134,455,359	4,216,414	4,223,887	(b)	(b)	83	4,223,970	63,606	218,847	784,399	74,673	
1895.....	a 17,618,530	a 482,418	486,375	c 93,230,430	c 2,035,308	2,053,329	2,521,704	40,222	195,323	610,267	76,672	
1896.....			3,891	146,433,256	3,414,368	3,414,687	3,418,578	20,891	167,034	596,401	44,968	
1897.....			4,024	175,639,179	3,657,025	3,657,932	3,661,956	25,210	156,575	592,075	41,023	
1898.....			15,261	139,145,529	3,045,666	3,045,707	3,060,968	32,732	149,668	690,858	79,633	

a Dutiable.

b See Free of duty.

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BRITISH GUIANA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS TO—Continued.												
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Oils, mineral, illu- minating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.					Tobacco, and manufac- tures of.	Vege- tables.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
					Beef, salted, etc.		Pork, pickled.		All other.				
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....	6,816	2,522	104,287	29,449	690,480	58,587	2,113,800	151,123	132,840	74,820	21,945	148,348	1,638,115
1874.....	12,948	2,740	171,331	36,416	773,290	63,534	2,729,400	211,169	128,140	80,089	21,952	157,553	1,712,369
1875.....	20,057	540	236,144	42,208	785,305	72,081	2,576,610	252,889	152,437	97,417	13,029	232,188	1,830,807
1876.....	17,230	14,884	211,025	38,406	962,419	90,251	2,608,200	266,861	152,865	108,350	20,519	163,141	1,750,452
1877.....	24,131	32,925	281,951	65,252	1,042,150	77,570	3,102,600	271,191	136,357	71,148	14,191	210,159	1,854,548
1878.....	24,361	32,972	550,220	86,870	645,350	52,133	2,812,628	184,632	146,679	75,130	15,124	211,972	1,924,922
1879.....	20,250	61,079	716,550	89,111	1,058,000	70,574	2,843,250	150,584	130,310	68,321	8,018	165,130	1,719,827
1880.....	32,132	12,888	361,770	37,119	1,069,400	72,483	3,261,740	190,749	130,258	62,130	16,656	143,134	1,723,166
1881.....	21,351	18,686	390,554	49,519	992,300	64,773	2,114,314	161,765	129,466	51,644	4,676	130,075	1,682,373
1882.....	18,491	27,203	477,730	60,446	618,800	56,123	3,055,500	289,661	156,055	79,186	6,126	309,837	1,976,586
1883.....	31,449	20,553	505,240	61,003	921,925	89,174	2,458,950	247,381	150,526	76,450	10,355	326,180	1,973,422
1884.....	26,122	22,320	384,036	43,350	888,095	72,343	2,794,250	221,854	150,406	66,440	14,722	255,174	1,833,148
1885.....	43,779	8,172	449,561	46,445	1,030,150	80,237	3,003,900	213,830	139,736	65,714	17,722	189,369	1,631,608
1886.....	33,072	19,794	464,110	46,967	1,357,500	85,672	4,182,862	235,515	101,550	68,843	10,510	160,851	1,554,726
1887.....	36,781	21,408	522,448	47,194	1,329,266	76,723	2,720,282	169,011	130,424	51,490	15,341	167,798	1,423,211
1888.....	35,429	19,021	497,333	48,075	1,343,983	71,915	3,023,309	229,349	138,076	59,906	18,360	192,210	1,651,711
1889.....	26,940	25,699	484,545	49,484	1,795,834	103,407	3,258,470	251,263	150,100	45,537	15,417	203,477	1,643,249
1890.....	30,437	29,491	1,134,212	112,096	1,974,100	106,254	4,592,872	281,833	157,715	49,303	16,433	224,288	2,011,122
1891.....	31,031	22,368	511,047	50,692	1,222,729	67,282	2,615,948	157,857	134,930	46,556	27,930	214,181	1,761,350
1892.....	38,752	33,761	638,262	53,363	1,867,132	120,210	2,951,500	180,323	125,925	55,614	16,674	186,337	1,835,542
1893.....	22,472	24,421	592,455	42,511	1,910,818	107,838	3,042,510	261,177	162,791	49,763	13,636	251,303	1,953,012
1894.....	33,316	35,397	697,300	47,965	2,159,110	137,248	4,199,850	353,093	192,059	63,367	15,985	263,450	2,360,938
1895.....	29,260	21,731	528,450	42,070	1,985,090	116,357	2,885,190	201,954	129,522	47,316	14,003	167,369	1,684,830
1896.....	21,864	28,504	550,650	47,989	2,222,044	130,109	5,010,580	292,105	122,379	51,236	18,052	134,554	1,719,705
1897.....	14,542	24,037	664,124	53,698	1,931,641	88,101	2,753,700	121,616	120,825	35,401	13,739	187,069	1,532,115
1898.....	19,145	45,467	551,364	39,012	1,868,400	102,843	3,145,900	160,297	112,943	48,702	13,000	160,127	1,703,071

BARBADOS.

IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1890 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Bread and biscuits	pounds ... 4,295,590	4,300,721	4,075,377	4,747,724	6,225,924	6,068,104	4,984,354	3,947,761
.....	£ 19,330	19,623	18,339	28,506	34,243	30,341	24,922	19,739
Butter and its compounds	pounds ... 1,037,860	708,633	839,522	824,472	892,949	793,695	942,186	770,280
.....	£ 38,920	26,574	30,012	29,263	28,769	24,625	29,136	24,648
Coal and coke	tons 19,761	18,028	23,488	22,307	17,747	12,440	16,168	19,794
.....	£ 19,761	18,028	23,488	36,695	19,744	12,544	16,572	20,280
Corn and grain	bushels... 278,050	391,480	276,239	309,636	425,708	296,991	302,000	304,873
.....	£ 54,128	64,334	50,996	78,300	97,922	51,529	43,502	40,697
Indian corn meal	barrels... 45,321	46,822	37,861	37,278	40,937	32,271	38,278	46,688
.....	£ 33,990	35,116	28,484	37,045	28,144	22,186	20,574	24,511
Flour, wheat, or rye	barrels... 72,496	71,676	74,271	69,660	90,986	62,986	56,510	55,089
.....	£ 90,620	89,596	92,839	115,374	81,887	56,687	56,510	57,843
Fish, dried	quintals .. 97,742	80,676	77,113	84,427	76,373	77,930	87,656	83,453
.....	£ 58,645	48,406	46,268	65,853	57,280	58,448	78,890	75,108
Hardware and metals (new)	£ 56,557	32,910	29,452	49,856	35,175	30,493	31,852	45,540
Linens and cottons	£ 198,645	130,544	128,680	155,257	128,604	84,172	118,260	135,112
Lumber	feet 10,918,959	9,957,736	8,258,432	10,032,417	9,692,427	4,554,747	7,757,460	9,516,281
.....	£ 32,757	29,873	24,539	37,758	39,549	17,806	30,851	36,081
Manures:								
Guano	tons 830	657	1,737	1,599	922	1,802	30	1,146
.....	£ 8,300	6,570	19,277	16,975	10,068	19,212	337	12,611
Sulphate of ammonia	tons 1,482	1,795	Tons 11,202	2,500	2,122	2,285	3,446	1,678
.....	£ 22,964	27,885	£ 11,202	30,996	30,028	25,436	35,828	20,136
Other	tons 8,849	10,836	£ 8,805	8,805	9,529	5,175	8,632	5,902
.....	£ 43,502	53,724	94,918	56,087	68,178	31,185	54,858	32,790
Meat, salted or pickled	pounds ... 3,496,680	2,777,976	3,509,074	3,003,198	3,311,241	2,024,879	2,989,983	2,831,430
.....	£ 43,708	34,725	43,863	48,302	56,036	51,033	38,742	38,034
Oilmeal and oilcake	pounds ... 7,576,018	6,623,931	5,758,485	5,566,242	7,376,386	5,379,425	5,999,500	4,582,855
.....	£ 31,567	27,600	23,994	30,730	38,419	28,018	14,999	11,457
Rice	pounds ... 11,909,007	20,406,013	16,901,901	15,266,705	16,237,389	13,707,430	11,566,903	9,211,785
.....	£ 49,621	85,025	70,425	87,465	89,306	75,391	63,618	50,665
Staves and shooks	number ... 2,306,603	2,736,163	2,399,641	3,457,075	2,821,170	1,838,648	2,541,830	1,649,968
.....	£ 20,759	24,625	21,597	42,781	29,387	19,153	26,477	17,187
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—Silver	£ 6					6		
Specie—								
Gold	£ 200		200	12,710	2,807	100	8,065	7,180
Silver	£ 4,441		4,441	3,906	2,964	922	1,340	4,800
Total value of principal and other articles	£ 1,193,723	1,067,617	1,081,572	1,372,537	1,279,335	956,921	1,048,887	1,008,699

BARBADOS—Continued.

EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1890 TO 1897.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Coal and coke.....	83	422	412	431	45	603	316	174
.....£.....	83	422	412	754	68	905	474	261
Corn and grain.....	974,020	1,784,701	1,405,432	1,147,035	5,360,375	1,413,717	1,285,172	1,477,849
.....£.....	3,276	5,790	4,991	5,352	23,460	6,688	4,518	5,304
Fish, dried.....	56,789	46,654	37,479	43,901	33,946	41,573	47,947	45,449
.....£.....	34,073	27,992	22,487	43,904	33,946	41,573	50,344	47,721
Flour, wheat, or rye.....	20,238	22,437	18,151	18,572	23,212	18,050	13,777	15,486
.....£.....	25,297	28,046	22,689	31,108	23,212	18,050	15,844	17,800
Linens, cottons, silks, and woollens.....	30,872	20,264	31,545	29,842	30,321	29,512	26,352	28,018
Manures:								
Nitrate of soda.....	525			24	5,298	1,500	600	2,725
Other.....	552	415	579	826	797	497	1,058	901
.....£.....	2,943	2,319	4,580	7,399	7,834	5,285	10,724	5,608
Meat, salted or pickled.....	699,986	643,518	556,963	282,946	339,437	780,880	261,563	450,818
.....£.....	8,750	8,044	6,962	4,749	5,675	13,026	3,817	6,785
Molasses.....	51,904	32,318	43,356	43,374	43,558	27,959	36,607	37,432
.....£.....	162,200	100,994	135,488	162,652	141,564	97,857	122,023	86,094
Oil.....	4,060	3,536	2,260	2,538	5,677	6,707	9,480	4,498
Rice.....	1,151,435	5,680,348	9,596,018	5,223,118	1,925,801	3,633,323	2,575,065	2,866,506
.....£.....	4,798	23,668	39,983	30,033	11,073	22,708	16,094	17,916
Sugar:								
Raw.....	81,868	48,186	56,619	63,517	63,215	34,792	45,789	56,397
.....£.....	818,680	481,860	566,190	793,963	584,739	260,940	389,207	422,977
Other.....	3,393	2,361	2,630	3,640	3,047	1,659	3,610	2,203
.....£.....	51,270	36,145	39,556	62,158	41,468	21,317	47,345	24,746
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—Gold.....					1,648	788	30	1,635
Specie—								
Gold.....							260	
Silver.....					1,900		2,401	2,000
Total value of principal and other articles.....	1,204,390	814,254	926,572	1,243,083	984,512	587,298	758,228	736,163

VALUE OF IMPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
.....£.....	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	508,698	432,636	469,318	583,087	507,534	391,434	467,649	474,622
British Possessions:								
India.....	19,586	46,181	55,107	48,718	38,202	34,700	25,823	11,411
North America.....	95,579	84,007	88,524	119,222	110,278	80,471	98,203	108,835
West Indies.....	64,362	58,884	38,554	64,265	52,120	44,265	40,243	36,558
Guiana.....	31,543	17,217	13,269	22,042	25,511	24,591	17,296	21,630
Foreign West Indies.....	15,444	14,937	8,343	14,581	17,232	11,948	14,736	11,905
Dutch Guiana.....	2,091	2,368	4,659	2,684	1,492	2,699	1,315	1,512
United States.....	426,463	377,947	377,953	501,620	469,510	336,558	357,085	321,908
Peru.....	3,155	1	8,500			10,714		7,292
Argentina.....	929	2,054	1,147	2,207	5,987		6	1
Total principal and other countries.....	1,193,723	1,067,617	1,081,572	1,372,537	1,279,335	956,921	1,048,887	1,008,699

VALUE OF EXPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
.....£.....	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	130,540	74,605	119,168	141,943	127,444	69,760	38,520	33,972
British Possessions:								
North America.....	161,951	98,863	123,308	127,714	153,611	95,849	119,728	86,159
West Indies.....	113,748	107,200	117,961	145,781	122,682	122,459	123,628	122,696
Guiana.....	37,737	54,016	31,201	43,980	41,526	44,684	31,457	22,984
Foreign West Indies.....	9,260	21,118	23,633	13,542	9,450	17,122	17,088	17,851
Dutch Guiana.....	8,582	10,320	8,757	5,846	7,982	8,773	5,729	10,310
United States.....	734,588	445,175	500,919	755,465	503,063	226,096	417,674	429,527
Total principal and other countries.....	1,204,390	814,254	926,572	1,243,083	984,512	587,298	758,228	736,163

JAMAICA.

IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1891 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1895-96	1896-97	1897-98
Apparel and slops.....£	36,281	46,215	61,931	63,983	75,777	67,561	48,243
Ale and beer.....{gallons...	242,558	203,240	310,880	249,272	305,263	231,362	180,740
.....£	42,439	40,630	62,145	49,842	61,053	41,929	31,630
Boots and shoes.....{doz. prs..	25,992	34,180	41,008	37,893	28,790	28,427	22,488
.....£	42,349	54,911	66,810	70,983	58,955	57,585	44,987
Bread and biscuit.....{cwt.....	14,182	15,290	19,276	24,659	32,835	32,694	32,657
.....£	13,104	14,128	17,822	22,785	30,338	24,488	21,945
Butter and its compounds.....{cwt.....	6,455	7,371	8,371	8,600	8,931	7,600	7,898
.....£	27,128	28,099	37,021	38,144	39,953	27,039	26,325
Coal and coke.....{tons.....	47,998	43,976	44,245	58,282	52,258	41,308	56,628
.....£	35,998	43,976	43,653	58,050	52,258	41,308	56,628
Corn:.....{bushels...	178,357	188,080	214,872	250,060	309,478	320,939	300,401
Indian.....£	26,730	30,001	28,650	34,383	38,564	31,941	30,040
Meal, Indian.....{barrels...	23,757	24,577	17,639	20,755	27,865	27,885	37,083
.....£	17,817	18,433	11,024	12,712	18,809	16,004	19,005
Cotton manufactures.....£	219,375	289,700	350,006	303,247	299,604	248,159	208,317
Fish, dried or salted.....{cwt.....	117,521	116,942	120,872	130,400	130,467	127,135	118,612
.....£	128,333	130,975	135,377	135,094	131,511	121,922	116,240
Fish, wet.....{barrels...	47,272	48,064	49,853	54,213	48,854	48,906	45,850
.....£	49,647	49,039	51,377	49,775	38,962	40,858	36,491
Flour, wheat.....{barrels...	173,788	177,225	168,875	184,223	202,267	171,715	147,616
.....£	182,347	177,225	151,987	149,681	182,343	158,601	162,378
Haberdashery and millinery.....£	72,566	70,562	70,402	61,078	55,779	42,389	32,683
Hardware and cutlery.....£	73,934	38,468	39,640	38,958	42,500	35,755	28,424
Linen manufactures (including Osnaburghs).....£	6,069	7,825	6,201	5,081	6,781	5,178	3,212
Lumber.....{feet.....	12,827,086	11,837,973	11,665,995	15,564,009	15,794,143	13,214,291	9,501,664
.....£	64,281	56,671	61,092	68,232	71,610	55,871	37,374
Pork, wet, salted.....{barrels...	10,230	10,071	8,252	9,035	10,557	11,372	8,751
.....£	30,690	35,250	34,246	31,623	31,164	26,440	22,754
Rice.....{pounds..	11,264,544	11,635,264	7,711,529	8,147,645	12,215,939	6,691,622	8,511,978
.....£	67,651	69,812	38,553	38,700	54,972	28,997	40,431
Soap.....{pounds..	3,664,860	3,346,662	3,814,999	3,473,278	3,887,873	3,145,747	2,403,120
.....£	33,010	28,440	34,332	31,255	34,984	24,381	19,224
Woolens.....£	26,819	36,709	48,505	46,361	48,348	38,504	29,203
Bullion.....£						4	
Specie:							
Gold.....£	4,262	1,088	3,564	7,581	6,114	644	454
Silver.....£	2,087	10,191	37,512	20,944	11,235	27,259	15,295
Total value of principal and other articles.....£	1,759,890	1,941,481	2,157,795	2,191,745	2,288,946	1,856,378	1,660,667

JAMAICA—Continued.

EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1891 TO 1897.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1895-96	1896-97	1897-98
Coal.....	tons.....	3			1		
	£.....	3	1		1		
Coffee.....	cwt.....	86,926	97,349	88,293	95,129	84,392	66,614
	£.....	336,839	340,715	342,136	356,734	284,822	210,946
Fruit:							
Bananas.....	£.....	262,745	339,589	473,257	428,886	316,560	302,415
Cocoanuts.....	number.....	7,855,656	6,978,938	9,171,347	10,143,500	9,443,452	11,802,224
	£.....	26,513	24,426	34,393	36,770	37,774	35,407
Oranges.....	number.....	19,386,466	23,192,992	12,404,291	29,978,895	97,025,398	103,702,775
	£.....	23,263	34,789	18,606	48,716	169,794	155,554
Ginger.....	pounds.....	1,822,531	1,526,776	1,672,410	1,736,460	1,960,590	1,233,547
	£.....	40,681	27,264	44,796	44,574	50,328	33,041
Pimento.....	cwt.....	63,730	69,747	87,756	83,955	97,347	99,551
	£.....	50,984	59,285	76,786	83,956	90,046	77,152
Rum.....	gallons.....	1,704,919	1,698,272	1,461,220	1,956,291	1,881,146	1,612,819
	£.....	255,737	191,056	146,122	187,478	164,600	123,211
Sugar, raw.....	cwt.....	425,793	371,821	410,537	393,683	390,918	321,468
	£.....	255,475	241,684	282,245	239,210	195,450	148,679
Weed, logwood.....	tons.....	86,675	92,631	89,736	76,339	84,478	43,084
	£.....	303,363	335,781	448,679	343,526	359,030	161,565
Bullion and specie:							
Bullion: Gold dust.....	£.....	100	500		75		
Specie:							
Gold.....	£.....	40,535	45,469	52,475	33,375	56,188	26,823
Silver.....	£.....	20,675	4,757	23,276	21,394	29,348	42,729
Total value of principal and other articles.....	£.....	1,722,096	1,759,806	2,075,689	1,921,422	1,873,106	1,470,241

VALUE OF IMPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	1,232,085	862,345	1,001,228	1,190,563	1,106,284	1,106,177	927,314	776,889
British Possessions:								
India.....	8,799	32,550	14,041	12,703	13,662	8,920	623	6,031
North America.....	162,757	182,929	184,902	188,484	186,321	167,762	151,625	118,898
West Indies.....	9,341	10,351	37,278	11,511	29,534	16,483	12,722	4,871
Germany.....	6,461	7,013	8,574	13,962	24,966	23,892	20,362	12,802
France.....	4,530	1,828	2,822	2,353	1,971	2,552	4,249	1,929
United States.....	738,384	654,165	676,515	719,488	803,341	952,683	730,891	719,786
Foreign West Indies.....	1,353	3,283	2,103	1,495	6,833	125	914	196
Republic of Haiti.....	1,983	729	235	279	397	237	110	60
Total principal and other countries.....	2,188,937	1,759,890	1,941,481	2,157,795	2,191,745	2,288,946	1,856,378	1,660,667

VALUE OF EXPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	614,912	562,913	511,550	554,082	512,769	517,504	403,922	318,853
British Possessions:								
India.....	171		192					
North America.....	42,091	59,794	46,193	35,682	29,972	30,718	17,276	19,765
West Indies.....	22,517	26,512	12,030	25,145	18,141	15,651	13,262	13,743
Germany.....	52,310	48,512	48,229	78,732	82,347	87,702	51,094	31,502
France.....	57,986	56,796	62,052	75,109	37,960	61,986	71,635	82,211
United States.....	1,051,481	877,274	954,782	1,189,619	1,128,311	1,067,186	832,189	902,932
Foreign West Indies.....	568	847	1,180	122	143	501	1,035	784
Republic of Haiti.....	3,029	4,254	4,611	5,356	3,269	2,481	2,593	627
Total principal and other countries.....	1,902,814	1,722,096	1,759,806	2,075,689	1,921,422	1,873,106	1,470,241	1,448,443

TRINIDAD.

IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1890 TO 1897.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Apparel, haberdashery, and textile manufactures	£ 246,517	356,852	318,379	405,638	347,466	487,401	434,759	409,049
Coal	{ tons 14,105	10,235	13,321	9,361	8,823	8,823	10,738	9,097
.....	{ £ 15,097	19,043	14,541	10,621	8,008	8,855	10,063	7,989
Cocoa	{ pounds 2,870,156	2,457,175	4,534,983	2,973,586	3,140,940	3,613,009	4,480,222	4,453,927
.....	{ £ 75,677	69,392	111,320	86,406	85,249	85,319	95,562	92,498
Fish, dried and pickled	{ pounds 6,530,104	6,169,134	6,481,641	7,989,602	6,930,659	6,577,750	8,463,852	8,079,729
.....	{ £ 61,743	55,661	60,288	70,102	72,000	60,019	62,161	58,425
Flour	{ barrels 121,167	115,867	136,162	153,248	166,257	150,895	156,056	146,618
.....	{ £ 122,024	121,726	140,088	126,269	135,783	130,433	130,586	132,104
Hardware and machinery	£ 127,180	118,482	128,314	184,954	165,401	156,030	200,364	143,214
Leather of all kinds (including boots and shoes)	£ 56,107	47,292	54,744	54,817	46,714	66,165	87,283	40,347
Live stock (horned cattle)	{ number 8,749	9,029	6,476	7,844	7,592	7,256	7,697	7,299
.....	{ £ 48,553	51,202	39,181	44,935	42,483	39,660	43,100	40,816
Lumber (pitch and white pine)	{ feet 11,704,166	8,113,172	8,508,515	8,322,740	10,869,520	9,807,303	9,812,901	11,684,508
.....	{ £ 57,062	37,861	38,276	34,239	40,632	36,081	41,095	42,611
Manure	£ 40,892	19,867	25,438	21,382	22,459	25,460	25,950	22,484
Meats of all kinds	{ pounds 4,968,641	5,235,746	5,889,089	6,181,582	6,575,336	5,285,239	6,530,199	4,972,024
.....	{ £ 64,555	59,283	69,249	71,804	72,025	74,046	71,043	46,781
Rice	{ pounds 20,025,124	24,710,817	22,351,362	24,986,995	23,702,787	23,326,713	23,196,060	20,179,343
.....	{ £ 125,222	154,443	140,432	122,892	130,791	123,333	128,524	124,026
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—								
Gold	£ 307,402	234,639	212,194	247,487	242,235	189,862	233,720	139,862
Silver	£	31,431	9,999	100	5,581	8,695	5,686	.....
Specie—								
Gold	£ 68,394	25,234	3,102	21,180	31,727	11,274	9,639	13,891
Silver	£ 41,294	11,958	3,058	15,047	4,010	26,061	26,171	14,641
Total value of principal and other articles	£ 2,248,893	2,096,797	2,089,380	2,270,885	2,152,883	2,276,864	2,463,525	2,161,231

EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1890 TO 1897.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Apparel, haberdashery, and textile manufactures	£ 105,974	121,989	89,967	126,046	102,230	110,539	131,328	128,925
Asphalt	{ tons 78,842	95,992	112,225	90,204	99,193	86,148	96,385	124,672
.....	{ £ 89,481	105,968	121,631	98,572	112,401	97,325	106,920	138,801
Bitters	{ gallons 43,266	35,764	42,557	38,849	31,018	40,129	31,646	40,145
.....	{ £ 43,266	35,764	42,554	38,849	31,102	40,129	31,646	40,106
Coal	{ tons .....	.....	422	3,337	1,381	740	351	.....
.....	{ £ .....	.....	344	3,921	1,623	749	356	.....
Cocanuts	£ 43,740	46,663	34,582	33,125	36,001	24,067	26,197	26,319
Cocoa	{ pounds 23,942,582	18,571,277	28,021,177	21,814,044	24,529,310	32,557,585	23,056,813	27,689,347
.....	{ £ 603,506	509,480	761,164	615,470	587,564	694,612	550,588	608,827
Molasses	{ gallons 2,024,884	1,535,415	1,895,773	1,250,968	1,246,948	1,498,215	1,378,254	680,761
.....	{ £ 62,929	53,492	57,599	38,733	42,068	42,551	36,488	16,991
Rum	{ gallons 20,476	15,439	15,438	85,971	73,158	178,226	96,481	99,569
.....	{ £ 1,959	1,747	2,162	6,542	4,269	10,466	5,933	6,089
Sugar, raw	{ cwt 1,028,921	907,158	987,350	903,039	937,379	1,092,444	1,076,455	982,377
.....	{ £ 630,815	662,796	675,342	757,937	598,010	596,415	700,347	537,107
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—								
Gold	£ 314,424	237,886	213,082	248,232	224,976	236,699	239,286	139,862
Silver .....	£ .....	.....	10,000	197	3,611	8,626	5,634	.....
Specie—								
Gold	£ 78,062	99,876	28,870	125,840	45,198	26,412	19,013	30,745
Silver	£ 21,015	4,148	834	5,384	.....	1,500	5,139	501
Total value of principal and other articles	£ 2,179,432	2,058,761	2,258,063	2,320,824	2,000,748	2,065,104	2,165,820	1,994,926

TRINIDAD—Continued.

VALUE OF IMPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	822,280	777,658	759,539	874,406	835,185	983,553	978,565	857,857
British Possessions:								
India.....	97,696	125,014	116,264	96,820	100,259	98,564	121,291	85,371
North America.....	57,603	66,003	79,275	77,963	61,535	71,453	74,309	60,660
West Indies.....	52,971	38,530	36,388	53,839	33,178	74,528	36,607	49,757
British Guiana.....	19,815	6,245	7,623	15,784	9,672	7,934	8,625	5,129
Germany.....	42,886	45,601	40,777	42,570	37,021	39,895	50,160	32,822
France.....	119,528	118,781	92,175	99,079	91,882	80,900	94,272	60,836
French West Indies.....	2,067	6,146	8,271	6,707	5,120	4,988	3,215	448
Portuguese Possessions.....	7,079	12,615	8,943	11,403	8,213	7,101	3,969	10,737
Spain.....	17,739	17,355	12,594	14,912	23,669	21,172	23,346	26,406
Spanish West Indies.....				3,423	1,518	802	320	137
United States.....	428,563	422,190	456,982	466,354	446,387	443,477	458,480	450,664
Venezuela.....	566,201	381,225	398,892	408,565	431,010	395,788	524,042	462,697
Total principal and other countries.....	2,248,893	2,096,797	2,089,380	2,270,885	2,152,883	2,276,664	2,463,525	2,161,231

VALUE OF EXPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	857,025	428,998	793,482	864,302	831,700	907,493	943,888	713,540
British Possessions:								
India.....	50	40	545	56	92	259	.....	135
North America.....	17,815	23,396	14,253	9,871	15,694	13,437	8,045	13,726
West Indies.....	84,538	29,050	23,404	37,335	31,748	35,097	26,266	22,715
British Guiana.....	7,929	16,596	9,117	7,741	6,565	7,745	5,780	4,770
Germany.....	41,539	33,958	28,725	24,290	32,827	36,857	43,411	72,915
France.....	189,108	184,666	277,318	280,237	261,217	264,729	195,691	219,140
French West Indies.....	38,420	33,388	49,706	32,379	36,122	26,014	25,527	11,542
Portuguese Possessions.....	2,828	9,289	413	701	261	39	1,534	1,494
Spain.....	5,089	8,712	20,648	5,092	7,509	3,525	3,630	4,559
Spanish West Indies.....				.....	48	307	3	12
United States.....	725,000	736,345	811,032	753,824	558,863	563,912	669,950	628,264
Venezuela.....	186,215	233,279	198,650	260,422	189,556	189,636	209,727	254,760
Total principal and other countries.....	2,179,432	2,058,761	2,258,063	2,320,824	2,000,748	2,065,104	2,165,820	1,994,926

BRITISH GUIANA.

IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1890 TO 1897.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.		1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Beef, pickled	barrels....	8,030	6,481	12,684	8,070	11,824	11,341	10,872	7,234
	£	14,588	16,705	29,256	21,013	29,029	26,391	20,666	15,037
Butter.....	pounds ...	640,354	511,467	598,546	516,129	650,027	566,381	529,802	516,112
	£	22,918	19,397	23,920	22,205	26,036	21,475	19,950	18,163
Coal	hogsheads	99	153	279	45	80	68	46	82
	tons	88,133	50,268	66,697	69,852	59,228	55,797	44,175	38,443
Flour.....	£	72,978	43,615	65,575	61,266	50,664	48,402	38,257	36,451
	barrels ...	160,890	169,832	193,178	205,405	203,365	175,466	146,183	154,171
Fish, dried	£	135,326	158,877	167,601	155,392	147,894	129,728	104,391	139,107
	cwt.	71,669	72,787	70,082	66,039	70,201	68,852	69,992	64,388
Hardware and cutlery.....	£	68,192	65,326	59,935	62,260	63,480	53,067	54,475	45,859
	£	64,737	46,607	36,992	42,065	35,241	26,426	30,290	28,326
Linens, cottons, and woollens.....	£	213,305	172,040	207,996	199,876	173,838	145,943	153,187	156,120
	feet.....	12,739,080	11,496,315	9,202,027	14,051,533	11,537,182	7,612,209	7,087,609	7,606,469
Lumber.....	£	42,161	40,870	33,894	47,187	41,600	25,839	32,493	22,253
	£	142,142	66,672	82,574	100,046	73,905	42,946	60,545	73,381
Machinery.....	£	38,176	32,160	22,888	32,655	28,039	23,901	22,981	17,471
	£	104,868	124,290	103,476	124,376	109,083	85,816	74,815	72,597
Malt liquor.....	gallons ...	640,117	572,796	683,279	650,520	651,217	602,679	638,001	601,905
	£	39,745	28,009	29,624	29,760	30,100	25,813	39,432	25,423
Manures.....	pounds ...	10,589	10,675	10,009	9,593	8,370	6,997	4,785	3,713
	£	8,741	9,186	7,650	6,980	6,224	4,913	2,968	2,090
Opium.....	barrels ...	19,777	14,892	18,417	19,256	17,025	28,692	15,240	10,528
	£	43,329	35,542	49,972	64,511	49,465	69,211	26,891	31,854
Pork.....	£	10,579	14,982	18,569	19,840	19,187	15,885	15,505	13,498
	pounds ...	40,250,280	48,005,844	38,504,112	40,394,200	32,862,064	49,303,208	32,915,833	19,851,854
Potatoes.....	£	139,264	193,758	156,798	174,501	142,233	183,561	131,476	95,933
	gallons ...	20,058	17,314	18,234	17,237	15,836	7,287	6,572	5,752
Rice	£	13,292	11,759	12,466	11,245	8,834	3,381	3,195	3,111
Spirits: Brandy	£								
	gallons ...								
Bullion and specie:									
Bullion—									
Gold.....	ounces....	299	328	411	149	1,295	626	396	1,234
	£	1,089	1,296	1,468	636	4,715	2,283	1,354	4,253
Silver.....	£								
Specie—									
Gold.....	£								
Silver.....	£								
Total value of principal and other articles	£								

EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, QUANTITY AND VALUE, 1890 TO 1897.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.		1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	
Balata	pounds ...	389,498	295,957	457,904	206,922	293,723	188,294	366,420	492,613	
	£	18,214	15,806	20,605	8,355	15,874	10,214	23,113	30,957	
Coal	hogsheads	2								
	tons	2,547	3,167	2,340	1,870	3,040	2,902	2,514	2,354	
	£	3,042	3,103	2,478	1,967	2,880	2,536	2,459	2,465	
Molasses (gallons)	casks	23,939	14,311	10,267	1,214,730	1,138,760	787,850	913,150	471,400	
	£	81,524	45,234	30,855	34,099	20,674	15,987	20,926	9,821	
Rice	pounds ...	9,643,256	1,837,402	2,788,288	4,242,838	3,887,842	672,252	2,616,751	4,063,497	
	£	37,572	8,226	12,020	20,448	16,719	2,850	12,093	21,385	
Spirits: Rum (proof gallons)	puncheons	20,593	22,101	25,829	2,792,371	2,649,553	3,166,450	3,291,190	3,104,448	
	£	221,816	266,966	202,632	121,584	97,781	121,145	136,927	132,586	
Sugar, raw (tons)	hogsheads	117,754	130,416	113,409	107,958	102,742	101,160	107,074	100,840	
	£	1,442,133	1,667,554	1,575,743	1,570,899	1,250,093	1,046,160	1,098,398	1,023,523	
Bullion and specie:										
Bullion—										
Gold	ounces....	62,840	101,601	133,594	137,788	135,028	123,501	126,702	125,080	
	£	235,093	376,385	494,551	511,363	500,446	449,836	467,876	456,436	
Silver										
	£									
Specie—										
Gold	£	4,081	42,920	6,992	1,119	23,802	1,173	1,193	915	
Silver	£						19,461	9,587	5,246	
Total value of principal and other articles		£	2,161,792	2,532,554	2,483,213	2,358,918	2,039,901	1,769,500	1,899,457	1,783,764

BRITISH GUIANA—Continued.

VALUE OF IMPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1890	1891	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	1,129,071	927,397	949,051	1,046,862	882,389	789,817	783,697	740,878
British Possessions:								
West Indies	67,508	95,128	76,933	68,250	47,752	50,599	30,421	28,638
India	131,076	140,718	134,404	151,957	112,261	81,330	79,252	53,162
British North America	62,372	72,106	91,013	89,810	96,997	69,316	86,616	63,117
Other Possessions	23,799	8,711	4,728	3,442	721	241	312	589
Holland	18,744	12,627	15,922	15,312	17,790	12,674	13,144	10,539
Dutch West Indies	3,263	3,853	4,068	4,582	4,936	2,180	1,628	1,576
Dutch Guiana	27,755	18,910	19,069	7,708	13,229	10,492	15,602	7,588
France	13,604	16,052	17,224	14,682	18,961	11,943	8,027	6,353
French West Indies	3,077	4,918	1,939	3,780	5,030	7,686	2,023	643
French Guiana	4,581	3,892	4,193	2,244	6,470	4,696	3,425	8,558
Portuguese Possessions	15,970	17,624	16,632	18,390	15,757	11,337	9,864	13,257
United States	379,370	374,935	437,395	481,333	435,786	381,647	299,751	341,739
Total principal and other countries	1,887,118	1,707,770	1,780,319	1,920,710	1,668,750	1,443,553	1,341,710	1,282,976

VALUE OF EXPORTS, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1890	1891	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	958,874	1,220,518	1,270,794	1,234,205	1,273,947	968,252	964,248	949,015
British Possessions:								
West Indies	42,523	37,987	25,019	32,085	38,149	15,842	33,033	24,071
India	114	223	605	1,653	237	110	224	99
British North America	42,096	44,825	63,820	98,869	26,411	42,354	19,928	16,494
Other Possessions	3,331	3,158	2,644	2,069	1,641	3,549	2,486	1,399
Holland	6,748	5,540	8,790	3,450	6,490	3,097	5,181	5,073
Dutch West Indies	6,241	5,948	5,454	4,592	6,386	2,539	6,892	3,294
Dutch Guiana	46,384	32,300	24,597	32,127	30,028	25,819	29,689	25,558
France	1,526	3,015	1,849	1,313	3,767	4,736	4,847	4,869
French West Indies	61,149	35,390	26,312	28,258	21,169	12,015	18,957	16,671
French Guiana	27,662	24,626	18,980	18,646	30,863	30,371	27,764	23,808
Portuguese Possessions	8,947	6,265	1,217	799	1,976	697	2,882	2,995
United States	950,602	1,109,083	980,563	898,464	597,287	657,693	778,953	704,596
Total principal and other countries	2,161,792	2,532,554	2,433,213	2,358,918	2,039,901	1,769,500	1,899,457	1,783,764

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM THE BRITISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Asphaltum tons..	3, 747	10, 575	5, 118	15, 400	5, 841	17, 255	9, 660	20, 626
Cocoa lbs..	12, 961, 411	426, 574	14, 537, 367	465, 896	15, 596, 476	501, 804	13, 671, 684	412, 381
Coffee cwt..	38, 799	188, 688	19, 580	99, 815	24, 681	120, 593	13, 470	99, 410
Cotton, raw cwt..	5, 158	13, 971	4, 838	12, 396	5, 386	12, 538	5, 334	11, 676
Dyewoods tons..	32, 279	166, 931	30, 519	156, 459	36, 410	189, 081	31, 397	185, 415
Fertilizers: Guano and phosphates tons..	3, 970	16, 826	1, 900	5, 945	2, 544	4, 405	7, 690	12, 005
Fruits and nuts		77, 165		69, 611		58, 299		49, 400
Hides, raw cwt..	6, 623	14, 640	8, 273	18, 579	6, 448	14, 313	4, 491	7, 162
Sago and other farinaceous substances		29, 245		25, 194		45, 058		42, 804
Spices lbs..	5, 926, 060	104, 726	3, 614, 418	90, 851	3, 971, 256	91, 798	4, 632, 973	98, 924
Spirits: Rum proof galls..	2, 016, 133	213, 082	1, 465, 243	173, 347	2, 157, 591	226, 781	1, 699, 009	164, 328
Sugar, unrefined, and molasses cwt..	594, 620	427, 421	415, 827	317, 362	739, 224	553, 574	614, 290	513, 859
All other articles		116, 546		107, 297		109, 874		116, 590
Total		1, 806, 390		1, 558, 152		1, 945, 373		1, 740, 580

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897		
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	
Asphaltum	tons..	6,835	30,174	5,479	15,768	4,321	13,038	6,913	19,760
Cocoa	lbs..	14,761,051	471,449	16,909,456	565,555	17,409,013	481,049	15,772,460	418,996
Coffee	cwt..	14,681	76,898	14,603	85,526	15,407	91,592	20,512	112,477
Cotton, raw	cwt..	4,214	9,058	4,168	8,216	3,590	6,840	2,115	3,957
Dyewoods	tons..	35,198	223,243	30,953	187,466	25,127	140,780	12,293	58,194
Fertiliz rs: Guano and phosphates	tons..	570	1,105	2,006	4,175			808	1,212
Fruits and nuts			44,779		40,045		49,613		42,817
Hides, raw	cwt..	5,768	10,312	6,177	10,914	6,587	12,778	7,648	15,156
Sago and other farinaceous substances			37,256		44,453		28,465		24,619
Spices	lbs.	3,720,993	87,083	3,546,438	109,122	3,500,496	107,282	2,731,987	105,616
Spirits: Rum	proof galls..	1,979,936	183,238	1,760,349	158,044	1,632,005	153,061	1,587,592	159,155
Sugar, unrefined, and molasses	cwt..	834,995	651,280	774,346	499,425	772,038	560,288	568,685	338,798
All other articles			112,147		134,964		142,665		152,323
Total			1,938,622		1,863,673		1,790,451		1,453,089

The imports into France and into Germany from the British West Indies can not be separately stated.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO THE BRITISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		303,051		239,802		244,724		281,765
Bags and sacks, empty	doz.	80,611		73,907		70,681		29,105
Candles of all sorts	lbs.	560,000		621,300		681,000		12,186
Cement	tons.	900,900		11,605		11,380		23,149
Coal, cinders, and fuel	tons.	126,892		121,561		126,732		69,721
Cordage and twine	cwt.	6,467		5,466		6,184		14,349
Corn, grain, meal, and flour		6,430		8,951		4,260		3,441
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard	yds.	52,020,600		39,290,500		42,824,900		47,234,300
Entered at value		582,370		437,836		455,464		503,701
Earthen and china ware		118,769		93,748		99,283		114,665
Glass, manufactures of		23,788		17,945		17,491		20,004
Hats, of all sorts	doz.	27,589		23,564		24,802		24,347
Hats, of all sorts	doz.	78,076		53,168		59,983		49,285
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery, unenumerated		43,088		37,458		31,510		32,020
Implements and tools		21,070		21,189		18,056		19,433
Machinery and engines		111,879		75,430		79,706		104,920
All other		156,173		134,371		131,493		149,744
Leather, and manufactures of		153,742		121,265		135,292		143,141
Linens, entered by the yard	yds.	1,825,600		1,591,900		1,529,400		22,617
Malt liquors	bbls.	19,540		83,661		15,561		69,562
Manures		114,094		114,011		105,881		107,769
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations		34,193		29,406		31,435		33,401
Painters' colors and materials		21,342		19,349		19,841		17,049

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO THE BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Books, printed	cwt. 2,448	20,038	2,077	15,953	2,184	16,647	2,640	19,568
All other	cwt. 8,349	16,093	9,293	18,830	9,905	19,759	9,932	18,378
Pickles, vinegar, sauces, etc		26,064		23,017		21,428		23,457
Provisions, including meat		23,192		23,926		22,097		25,620
Soap	cwt. 68,085	59,845	76,599	67,585	75,656	65,723	80,912	72,581
Stationery, other than paper		18,713		18,400		19,438		20,508
Wood, manufactures of:								
Furniture, etc		14,478		12,622		11,151		11,008
All other		8,821		11,278		12,164		12,086
Wool, manufactures of		104,987		83,382		83,827		95,898
All other articles		283,202		272,225		222,836		239,773
Total		2,624,472		2,217,802		2,184,349		2,384,251

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		247,276		247,384		263,000		197,033
Bags and sacks, empty	doz. 72,343	22,042	70,449	20,598	89,000	23,961	74,400	21,132
Candles of all sorts	lbs. 576,200	11,088	639,000	11,189	602,800	9,786	569,400	8,285
Cement	tons. 14,807	22,864	24,614	37,356	14,766	23,016	14,605	23,405
Coal, cinders, and fuel	tons. 121,633	74,324	138,466	73,375	107,996	56,070	140,548	72,348
Cordage and twine	cwt. 6,217	12,899	4,835	10,509	4,372	10,336	3,115	7,640
Corn, grain, meal, and flour		3,879		2,791		2,548		1,456
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard	yds. 40,327,900	427,226	44,756,600	448,279	40,937,500	410,250	37,647,600	368,455
Entered at value		104,258		99,481		92,455		74,076
Earthen and china ware		22,128		15,934		20,145		18,213
Glass, manufactures of		26,157		25,181		23,925		18,583
Hats, of all sorts	doz. 57,803	41,528	67,867	43,184	60,910	41,627	48,527	31,593
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery, unenumerated		32,539		27,070		28,840		21,867
Implements and tools		18,782		10,314		16,921		15,532
Machinery and engines		91,629		64,729		77,267		48,785
All other		137,388		151,062		153,216		132,504
Leather, and manufactures of		123,517		111,916		128,384		81,890
Linens, entered by the yard	yds. 1,256,600	24,607	1,029,300	19,729	875,800	18,428	602,600	12,210
Malt liquors	bbls. 17,506	74,734	16,503	71,012	15,619	66,399	14,710	59,108
Manures		88,505		57,124		69,284		56,257
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations		33,279		29,650		28,712		29,069
Painters' colors and materials		19,392		17,487		16,730		13,554
Paper and manufactures of:								
Books, printed	cwt. 2,764	19,151	2,413	18,250	2,566	17,852	2,569	15,418
All other	cwt. 9,798	17,991	9,117	17,253	10,019	17,548	7,786	14,136
Pickles, vinegar, sauces, etc		23,464		19,226		21,979		16,398
Provisions, including meat		25,233		23,566		25,913		20,218
Soap	cwt. 80,638	72,343	80,204	59,860	80,200	64,667	69,000	51,820
Stationery, other than paper		20,625		20,220		21,403		20,942
Wood, manufactures of:								
Furniture, etc		11,490		11,962		8,238		7,661
All other		8,878		5,733		6,912		13,760
Wool, manufactures of		82,559		84,285		86,295		67,200
All other articles		253,753		258,271		270,082		214,188
Total		2,194,528		2,113,989		2,122,189		1,784,185

The exports from France and Germany to the British West Indies can not be separately stated.

EXPORTS OF THE PRODUCTS OF DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE
FROM THE UNITED STATES,

BY ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.

1889-1898.

EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURES.

SHOWING VALUE OF EACH CLASS OF DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES EXPORTED TO EACH COUNTRY, 1889 TO 1898.

The remarkable increase in the exports of American manufactures during the past few years seems to justify a somewhat detailed study of that subject with the purpose of determining what particular lines of our manufactures are most demanded abroad, and what particular sections of the world are our best markets. With that object in view there is presented herewith a series of tables showing the exportation of each of the principal articles of American manufacture in each year during the past decade, and the amount of each article sent to each of the countries of the world.

These figures show that the total value of our manufactures exported has increased 110 per cent in the last decade, while an examination of the exportation of manufactures by other countries fails to show any considerable percentage of increase in any of them during the same period. Great Britain's exports of manufactures show no increase since 1890, the earliest year at which a separate statement of manufactures exported is attainable, while her total exports of domestic products (of which manufactures form about 85 per cent) shows no increase in value in the decade 1888-1897. From France the exports of manufactures show an increase of but 10 per cent in the decade 1887-1896; Germany, 13 per cent; Switzerland, 6 per cent; Netherlands, 3 per cent, and Austria-Hungary and Russia a loss, while, as above indicated, the exports of American manufactures in the decade 1889-1898 shows an increase of 110 per cent, and in the year 1899 will be about three times that of 1879.

An examination of the details of our own exportation of manufactures shows that it is in the production, manufacture, and exportation of metals that we seem to excel. The history of nations and peoples shows that great groups of people frequently excel in certain industries, and the growth of our exportation as well as our domestic production of manufactures seems to point to metals as our most successful line of work, at least at the present time. In 1889 manufactures of metals formed less than 20 per cent of our total exportation of manufactures, and in 1898 was over 44 per cent of our exports of manufactures. The increase in exportation of metals and manufactures thereof in the decade 1889-1898 was 339 per cent, while the increase in the exportation of all manufactures in that time was but 110 per cent, and the increase in exportation of manufactures other than those of metals during that time was but 55 per cent. In this statement of the exportation of manufactures of metals only those articles composed exclusively of metals are included, those made up in part of metals, such as railway cars, agricultural machinery, etc., being included among the other manufactures. The rapid increase in the exportation of manufactures of metals is shown by the fact that the exports of brass and manufactures thereof in 1889 were but \$321,137, and in 1898, \$1,320,093; instruments for scientific purposes increased from \$1,033,338 to \$2,770,893, and in the year about to end will reach nearly \$4,000,000; cycles, of which there were no exportations in 1889, amounted to \$6,846,529 in 1898; clocks and watches increased from \$1,355,319 in 1889 to \$1,727,489 in 1898; zinc and manufactures thereof from \$28,684 to \$1,339,668; copper and its manufactures from \$2,348,954 to \$32,180,872, and iron and steel from \$21,156,077 in 1889 to \$70,406,885 in 1898, while in the fiscal year 1899 it will exceed \$90,000,000.

Another interesting fact developed by an examination of the figures is that the European countries, in which manufactures have long been established furnish as satisfactory a market for our manufactured goods as do the countries where manufacturing has not yet been largely developed. In reapers and mowers, clocks and watches, sewing machines, bicycles, and the various manufactures of iron and steel, and many other articles of the higher grades of manufacture, the European countries in which manufacturing plants and machinery and skilled workmen abound, furnish a market for a large share of our exports, thus failing to justify the expressed fear that a development of manufactures in countries where we are now seeking a foothold for our commerce would destroy their value as a permanent market.

In this attempt to show the growth of the exportation of each article in every direction, it has only been practicable to measure the growth by values, as the varying value of the units of quantity designated by a common name would prove confusing and misleading. A statement of the number of watches, clocks, sewing machines, typewriters,

electrical instruments, mowers and reapers, carriages, articles of glass and china ware, builders' hardware, and miscellaneous articles of cotton and woolen goods, for instance, in which the value of units ranges from a few dollars to hundreds in a single class, would convey no information for comparative purposes and does not supply any facility for measuring the real growth of the industry or the commerce in it, as does the simple statement of total values by classes. On the other hand, the well-known fact that prices of nearly all classes of manufactured goods have greatly decreased by reason of cheapened and improved methods of production, renders a mere statement of values somewhat misleading in an attempt to determine the actual increase in the exportation of numbers or quantity of nearly all articles. For instance, the average value of steel rails exported in 1889 was \$31.80 per ton, and in 1898 \$20.08 per ton, and as a consequence the statement that \$4,613,376 worth of steel rails were exported in 1898, against \$235,377 worth in 1889, does not tell the full story of the growth in this line of export, and it is probable that the increase of 110 per cent in the mercantile value of all manufactures exported in 1898 over those of 1889 represents an increase of fully 150 per cent in quantity if a common unit could be utilized in its measurement.

MANUFACTURES OF IRON AND STEEL.

As already indicated, the largest growth in our export of manufactures is in those of metals. The largest class of manufactures of metals exported is that of iron and steel. In 1880 the export of manufactures of iron and steel was \$14,716,524, and in 1899 will exceed \$90,000,000 or more—six times that of 1880. On the other hand, the imports of iron and steel and manufactures of, which in 1880 were \$71,266,699, will in 1899 be below \$12,000,000, or less than one-sixth that of 1880. This remarkable growth in this general class of exports seems to warrant a study of the more important of its details.

Steel rails.

In no feature of our export trade has there been a more remarkable growth during the decade than in rails for railways, and especially those of steel. The total exportation of iron rails in 1889 was but 7 tons, and in 1898 2,769 tons, the value rising from \$240 in 1889 to \$37,150 in 1898. In steel rails, however, the growth was even more remarkable, the number of tons exported in 1889 being 7,398, and in 1898, 229,783, while the value increased from \$235,387 in 1889 to \$4,613,376 in 1898, and in the fiscal year 1899 seems likely to reach \$6,000,000. This increase has been especially marked during the past three years, the exports of steel rails in the fiscal year 1896 being \$540,797, those of 1897 \$2,482,208, and those of 1898 \$4,613,376, while the first ten months of the fiscal year 1899 show a gain of \$1,360,000 over the corresponding months of last year. While this rapid increase is due to a generally increased demand, the countries showing the most marked growth in their purchases of steel rails from the United States are Russia, Canada, and Japan. The exports of steel rails to Russia, to which there had been no exports of steel rails from the United States in preceding years, amounted to \$323,693 in 1898. To the Dominion of Canada the exports of steel rails in 1898 were \$1,473,580, against \$952,555 in 1897 and \$305,634 in 1896. To Japan the 1898 exports of steel rails were \$1,150,766 in value, against \$899,217 in 1897, prior to which time there had been no exportations of steel rails from the United States to that country.

In structural iron and steel the increase in exportation has been very rapid, though it is difficult to show the exact growth by reason of the fact that this particular class of manufactures of iron was not separately stated in the export tables prior to 1898, in which year the figures reached considerably above \$1,000,000.

Wire.

The demand for American wire has also grown very rapidly in the last few years. In 1889 the total value of our exports of wire was \$594,616; in 1898 it was \$2,593,306, and in 1899 seems likely to reach nearly \$4,000,000. Naturally the newer countries are our largest customers in this line. Canada last year took \$588,062 worth of wire out of the \$2,593,306 worth exported, while British Australasia came second with purchases amounting to \$485,285; Brazil next, \$305,668, while to the United Kingdom we exported \$276,492 worth, though it is not improbable that a part of this was for reexportation to her colonies. To Mexico the exports of wire amounted to \$216,042, or slightly less than in the preceding year; to Argentina, \$199,365, and to British Africa, \$117,215.

Builders' hardware.

In the increasing demand for builders' hardware, including locks, hinges, etc., is a remarkable evidence of the success of American manufacturers in the finer grades of iron and steel production. The total exports of "locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware" amounted in 1889 to \$1,700,390, and in 1898 to \$3,997,796, an increase of 135 per cent. An examination of the details of these exports shows that the growth in the exports to the older countries, where manufactures are in their most highly developed state, has been even more rapid than indicated

by the total growth. To the United Kingdom the exports of these articles in 1889 was but \$295,576, and in 1898 \$1,181,860, an increase of 300 per cent. To Belgium the exports of this class of articles increased from \$36,744 in 1889 to \$149,353 in 1898; and to Germany the exports increased from \$104,115 to \$634,520, or more than 500 per cent, against an average increase of 135 per cent for the total exports. The superiority of our methods of manufacture in these lines is also attested by the fact that in 1898 Germany imported from the United States no less than \$1,669,828 worth of metal-working machinery, and that the United Kingdom also purchased \$1,461,285 worth, France \$577,165, and Belgium \$252,444 worth of metal-working machinery, these four great manufacturing countries of the world having thus taken over three-fourths of our total exports of metal-working machinery, which in 1898 amounted to \$4,618,683.

High-grade machinery sold in European markets.

Another tribute to the skill of American workmen is found in the fact that the United Kingdom has steadily increased her purchases of printing presses from the United States, of which she bought \$33,686 worth in 1889, while in 1898 her total imports of this class of machinery from the United States was \$512,554, or more than one-half of our total exports of this class of manufactures.

Of the \$3,136,364 worth of sewing machines which we sold during the fiscal year 1898, nearly two-thirds has gone to European countries in which the highest development of manufacturing industries in the finer grades is supposed to have been reached. To the United Kingdom alone our sales of sewing machines have ranged from \$600,000 to \$1,000,000 a year during the decade; to Germany there has been a steady increase from \$213,904 in 1889 to \$861,702 in 1898, while to France the exports of sewing machines have ranged in the vicinity of \$100,000 per annum. Out of \$2,247,875 worth of sewing machines exported in 1889, \$1,179,705 worth went to European countries, and of the \$3,136,364 worth exported in 1898, \$2,055,804 worth went to European countries. From this it will be seen that there has been a more rapid increase in our exportations of sewing machines to the great manufacturing countries of Europe during the decade than to other parts of the world where manufactures of the higher grades are not so far advanced as in those countries which are proving our best customers in these lines.

In bicycles and typewriters the same characteristics mark our exportation. The countries having the highest development of industrial skill are our best customers in both these lines. Of the \$6,846,529 worth of bicycles exported last year, \$5,008,752 went to European countries, and of the \$1,902,153 worth of typewriters exported last year, \$1,649,050 went to European countries.

In shoe-manufacturing machinery this condition is even more apparent. Of the \$895,788 worth of machinery for the manufacture of shoes exported from the United States in the fiscal year 1898, \$838,845 worth went to Europe. Of the product of this machinery which we export—finished boots and shoes—about one-fourth went to European countries, the remainder going to Asia, Africa, Australasia, and various parts of America; a quarter of a million dollars' worth to Canada, another quarter of a million dollars' worth to British West Indies, a like quantity to British Australasia, \$170,000 worth to the Hawaiian Islands, \$100,000 to Africa, and \$65,000 worth to South America.

Railway engines.

American railway engines have shown remarkable gains in their popularity throughout the world during the decade. In 1889 the exportations amounted to \$1,227,149 in value, in 1898 to \$3,883,719, and in the fiscal year about to end the total value of railway engines exported will be nearly \$5,000,000. In 1889 the number exported was 144; in 1893, 468, and in the year about to end the number will exceed 500. These go to all parts of the world, and especially where new railways are being constructed. To Japan, where in 1890 but 1 railway engine was sent, the number in 1894 was 15; in 1896, 23; in 1897, 95, and in 1898, 167. To Russia the exportation of engines from the United States began in 1895, when the number sent was 2; in 1896 it was 74; in 1897, 60, while the number sent to Russia during the present fiscal year will probably considerably exceed those of any preceding year. Naturally Canada and Mexico, by reason of their proximity and the similarity of their railway systems to our own, are large purchasers of our engines, the number sent to Canada having averaged 6 or 8 per annum up to 1897, while in 1898 the number was 74. To Mexico the number sent in 1889 was 30; in 1897, 76, and in 1898, 46; to Africa the exportation of engines from the United States began in 1896, when 4 were sent, and in 1898, 33.

American railway cars find less favor in Europe than do our engines, because, especially in passenger cars, the railway methods in that part of the world differ so widely from our own. Our exportation of railway cars to Europe in 1898 amounted to about \$140,000 only out of a total export of \$1,478,188. The larger proportion of our exportation of passenger cars was to Brazil, Mexico, Argentina, and Africa, the relative values of exports being in the order named.

Wire nails.

While no class of our exports of manufactured articles has shown a greater growth than those of iron and steel, no single article of this great class shows a more striking increase than wire nails. These especially are the product of American genius and skill, combining the use of ingenious machinery in their manufacture and the use of steel in their production, which is rendered practicable by the marked reduction in the cost of that article, due largely to improved methods of mining, handling, and manufacture. In 1889 the exportation of wire nails amounted in round numbers to 1,600,000 pounds, and in 1898 to 22,894,099 pounds, while in the ten months of the fiscal year 1899, the exportation is more than double that of the corresponding ten months of the preceding year, indicating that for the full fiscal year 1899 the total exportation of wire nails will amount in round numbers to 45,000,000 pounds, against 1,500,000 pounds in 1889. Exports of cut nails, while not making as rapid a growth as those of wire nails, show in the decade an increase of about 200 per cent, the exportation in 1889 being 11,827,458 pounds, and in 1898, 32,310,399 pounds. The remarkable development in this particular branch of our manufacturing industries is due largely to the superiority of the machinery used in this country in the manufacture of nails, the United States having been the first in the world to produce cut nails, while wire nails, whose manufacture in the United States began in 1851 or 1852, have come into more general use during the past few years, and are, as shown by the figures already quoted, rapidly outstripping all other kinds in this line of production in their sales abroad. Of our exportations of wire nails in 1898, by far the largest portion in value went to Japan, which took more than one-half of the total exportation of this article, the value shipped to that country in 1898 being \$267,210 out of a total export of \$458,787.

In many other articles of iron and steel requiring a high grade of manufacturing skill the exportations show a rapid gain.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Naturally the United States, as an agricultural as well as manufacturing country, finds a demand upon her for agricultural implements. It is interesting, however, to find that this demand comes largely from European countries, where agriculture and manufacturing developed much earlier than in the United States. In mowers and reapers, of which the exportations last year were \$5,500,665 in value, \$4,233,566 worth was sent to European countries, and of this amount \$1,146,551 worth went to France, \$1,100,210 to Germany, and \$874,296 to the United Kingdom. To France and Germany the growth in exportation of harvesting machines has been very rapid, the exports to France in 1889 having been but \$200,259 and to Germany \$167,427 in value, while the year 1898 showed in each case an increase of more than 100 per cent over 1897, that of 1899, so far as its record is now completed, being considerably in excess of the remarkable figures of 1898, both as to Germany and France. Of course such large grain-producing countries as Australia, Argentina, and Canada also buy largely of our mowers and reapers; yet 77 per cent of our total exports of mowers and reapers went in 1898 to the countries of Europe. For plows and cultivators, however, the newer parts of the world in commercial development call more upon the United States than does Europe. Of the \$927,250 worth of plows and cultivators exported last year, only \$225,794 went to Europe, while to Canada alone we exported \$182,763 worth, to Argentina \$151,737, and to British Australasia \$108,116.

CHEMICALS AND PATENT MEDICINES.

In chemicals American manufacturers are making less rapid progress than those engaged in other industries. Our total exportation of chemicals in 1898 was but \$9,441,763, against \$5,542,753 in 1889. Meantime the importations of chemicals in 1898 were \$41,471,291, against \$39,754,672 in 1889, thus showing that American manufacturers have made little headway in capturing the home market, while the growth in their exportations has not been rapid. The largest specified article under the head of chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines is "Patent or proprietary medicines," of which the exportation in 1898 was \$2,460,669, against \$1,796,202 in 1889, while the figures of the year about to end will be something larger than those of last year. While American patent medicines have been the object of more or less adverse criticism in other parts of the world, the exports in this line have made steady headway in every direction, and in no part of the world more rapidly than in Europe. Of this class of articles the exports from the United States to the United Kingdom in 1898 were \$1,108,229, against \$676,335 in 1889. The importations of patent medicines into Germany and France from the United States during 1898 were small, the total for Germany being but \$62,053, against \$49,893 a decade ago, and that for France being but \$2,080 in 1898, against \$6,995 in 1889. Into Canada the importations of this class from the United States increased from \$20,000 in round numbers in 1889 to \$120,000 in 1898. To Cuba and Porto Rico there has been a gradual reduction in the export of patent medicines for several years, the high-water mark having been reached in 1892, when the total to Cuba was \$107,789 and to Porto Rico \$25,193; but this has steadily declined until that of Cuba reached \$48,937 in 1897 and \$37,278 in 1898, while that of Porto Rico had fallen to \$10,339 in 1897.

and \$6,376 in 1898. On the other hand, there is a marked increase in exportations of this line of manufactures to China, British Africa, Argentina, Brazil, and others of the South American countries, the exports to China increasing from \$2,536 in 1889 to \$10,494 in 1898; those to British Africa, from \$30,030 in 1889 to \$87,761 in 1898; to Argentina, from \$88,770 in 1889 to \$106,947 in 1898; to Brazil, from \$154,139 in 1889 to \$245,205 in 1898.

CLOCKS AND WATCHES.

American watches have outstripped American clocks in the race for popularity abroad. In 1889 the exportation of clocks from the United States amounted to \$1,149,289, and in 1898 to \$955,557, while the exportation of watches grew from \$206,030 in 1889 to \$771,912 in 1898, and in the fiscal year about to end promises to reach nearly a million dollars. To the United Kingdom alone the exports of watches during the decade have more than doubled, while Canada, the South American countries, British Australasia, China, and Japan are among our largest purchasers. The prediction made a few years ago that the manufacture of watches by machinery in Japan would soon result in reducing our sales in that direction has not yet been verified. The exportation of watches to Japan has increased from \$11,365 in 1894 to \$21,410 in 1895, \$61,340 in 1896, \$101,925 in 1897, and \$120,761 in 1898, while the exportation of clocks to Japan has decreased from \$172,701 in 1889 to \$42,677 in 1898.

COPPER AND ITS MANUFACTURES.

No class of our exportations shows a more rapid growth than that of copper. This is due both to the increased demand in all parts of the world for copper, which has arisen largely by reason of the increased use of electricity, of which copper proves the most acceptable conductor, and to the further fact that the United States has become the world's largest producer of copper ore, and that of a superior quality. The bulk of the exportation of copper, while classed as manufactures, goes abroad in the lowest form of manufacture, namely, ingots and bars. Naturally a very large proportion of the copper exported goes to European countries, which in 1898 took over \$30,000,000 worth of the \$31,075,636 worth exported in that year, \$8,079,164 going to the United Kingdom, \$8,081,661 to Netherlands, \$6,770,671 to France, \$3,705,937 to Germany, and \$2,270,549 to Belgium. Under the head of manufactures of copper, the total exportations in 1898 amounted to \$1,105,236, of which \$298,584 went to the United Kingdom and \$620,083 to Canada. Of brass, which is composed of about two parts copper and one part zinc, the exportations have also grown very rapidly during the decade, having been in 1889 but \$321,137 in value, against \$1,320,093 in 1898.

TEXTILE MANUFACTURES.

Cotton manufactures, and especially cotton cloth, show a gratifying growth in exportation. The number of yards of cotton cloth exported in 1889 was 118,453,191; in 1898, 270,507,811, and in the fiscal year about to end the total will reach nearly 400,000,000 yards, or more than three times that of a decade earlier. Fully one half of this goes to China, 171,929,748 yards having been exported to China during the ten months of the present fiscal year, out of a total exportation of 330,620,821 yards, while the other half is distributed largely among the South and Central American countries and Oceanica, 22,000,000 yards having been exported during the ten months to the West Indies, 43,000,000 yards in round numbers to South America, 5,500,000 yards to British East Indies, and 7,000,000 yards to Africa. A marked example of the fall in prices of manufactured articles is found in the fact that the average value of cotton cloths exported in the present year is 4.6 cents per yard, against an average of 7.1 cents per yard in 1889.

Manufactures of fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses show an increase of exportation during the decade from \$1,644,485 in 1889 to \$2,557,465 in 1898. The principal item of increase in this group has been twine, which has increased from \$363,611 in 1889 to \$1,091,576 in 1898, and in the present year will considerably exceed last year's total. The large proportion of this goes to Canada, which took \$545,061 worth, and Argentina, whose imports of twine from the United States were \$218,074.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Boots and shoes of American manufacture are proving acceptable in all parts of the world, the exports thereof amounting to \$585,902 in 1889, \$1,816,538 in 1898, and in 1899 will reach about \$2,500,000 in value. Of the \$1,816,538 worth of boots and shoes exported in 1898, about \$500,000 worth went to Europe, \$270,000 to Canada, \$235,000 worth to British Australasia, \$169,000 worth to the Hawaiian Islands, and \$250,000 worth to the West Indies.

SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.

Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electrical instruments, show a rapid increase. Prior to 1889 the exportations of this class of manufactures had never reached a total of \$1,000,000, while in the year 1899 the total will reach \$4,000,000. In this, as in other high grades of

manufactures, European countries are among our largest customers, the exports of this class of goods to Europe last year being 43 per cent of the total exportation; while Canada, Mexico, and Japan each took about 10 per cent of the total.

ILLUMINATING OILS.

In refined illuminating oils, which have for years been classed among manufactures in our export tables, the increase in value from 1889 to 1898 is apparently small, owing to the great reduction in prices, the 1889 figures being \$39,286,333, and those of 1898, \$42,922,682. In quantity, however, there has been a marked increase, the number of gallons of refined illuminating oil exported in 1889 being 502,257,455, and in 1898, 824,426,581, the largest quantity ever exported in a single year. While South America and the Orient are usually looked upon as large consumers of our mineral oils, more than half of our total exports of illuminating oils goes to Europe, the total value of the exports of oil to Europe in 1898 being \$24,914,436, out of a total of \$42,922,082 in value, while to the United Kingdom alone the total was \$7,947,868; to Germany \$5,482,493, and to Netherlands \$5,401,451. China, India, and Japan, however, are large consumers of our mineral oils, the total value of the exportations of refined illuminating oils in 1898 to China being \$2,839,345; to British India, \$2,278,617; and to Japan, \$3,592,587; while to British Australasia the value of the exports in this line was \$1,750,164; to Brazil, \$1,370,425, and to Argentina, \$934,093. A petroleum product whose exportation has largely increased in the past few years is that of paraffin, of which the total exportation in 1889 was \$2,029,602, and in 1898, \$6,030,292. This material, which is much used for the manufacture of candles and as a substitute for wax, goes largely to Europe, the United Kingdom having taken in the fiscal year 1898, \$3,671,424 worth out of the \$6,030,292 worth exported, while the exports to Germany were \$926,540 in value; those to Italy, \$307,311; Belgium, \$143,501; Netherlands, \$129,183; Mexico, \$157,863; Japan, \$158,305, and British Australasia, \$117,246.

A GENERAL ADVANCE IN EXPORTATION OF MANUFACTURES.

A study of the tables which follow will show an increase in the exportation of practically all lines of manufactures. As already indicated, the statements which are confined to values only do not, in many cases, show the full growth in exportation, by reason of the fact that the improved methods of the decade have reduced the cost of production, and consequently values of the units of quantity represented by the statements in values. The fact, however, that the exportation of manufactured articles has increased 110 per cent during the decade, against an increase of 66 per cent in the total exports of domestic products in a decade in which the growth in our total exports has shown such rapid gains, seems to justify the belief that American manufacturers and their products are in future to form important factors in meeting the world's demand. The exportation of manufactures has more than doubled in the last six years, more than trebled since 1880, more than quadrupled since 1870, is more than eight times as large as in 1860, and in 1898 and 1899 for the first time in our history exceeded the importation of manufactures.

The following table shows the value of imports and exports of manufactures each fiscal year from 1888 to 1898, the imports covering only those entered for consumption:

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURES.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Imports for consumption.	Domestic ex- ports.	YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Imports for consumption.	Domestic ex- ports.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1888.....	324,823,601	130,300,087	1894.....	234,139,173	183,728,808
1889.....	328,629,989	138,675,507	1895.....	317,257,176	183,595,743
1890.....	346,638,654	151,102,376	1896.....	328,937,528	228,571,178
1891.....	368,225,181	168,927,315	1897.....	327,324,920	277,285,391
1892.....	316,092,469	158,510,937	1898.....	227,557,514	290,697,354
1893.....	356,866,396	158,023,118			

DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL MANUFACTURES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1868,
1878, 1888, AND 1898.

ARTICLES.	1868	1878	1888	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron and steel.....	10,950,275	16,053,571	17,763,034	70,406,885
Refined mineral oils.....	20,020,016	43,564,869	41,260,401	51,782,316
Copper, and manufactures of.....	479,488	2,329,901	3,812,798	32,180,872
Leather, and manufactures of.....	1,414,372	8,080,030	9,583,411	21,113,640
Cotton manufactures.....	4,871,054	11,438,660	13,013,189	17,024,092
Chemicals, etc.....	2,757,730	3,414,694	5,633,972	9,441,763
Wood manufactures.....	2,088,154	3,903,823	4,753,571	9,098,219
Cycles.....				6,846,529
Agricultural implements.....	673,381	2,575,198	2,645,187	7,609,732
Paraffin.....	47,395	155,998	2,168,247	6,030,292
Paper, and manufactures of.....	524,188	1,086,994	1,078,561	5,494,564
Tobacco manufactures.....	3,179,164	3,681,317	3,578,457	4,818,493
Fertilizers.....	35,632	1,211,769	1,255,023	4,359,834
Scientific instruments.....	13,549	27,929	714,514	2,770,803
Books, maps, etc.....	349,993	586,355	1,734,571	2,434,325
Flax, etc., manufactures.....	686,997	1,591,756	1,391,216	2,557,465
Sugar and molasses.....	318,579	4,920,094	3,255,679	2,111,658
Carriages and horse cars.....	404,072	979,003	1,381,291	1,946,231
Spirits.....	1,416,121	1,149,272	871,377	1,850,353
Oils, vegetable.....	186,701	323,341	381,990	1,843,011
India-rubber manufactures.....	170,689	305,767	866,867	1,723,862
Clocks and watches.....	536,700	1,076,797	1,529,606	1,727,469
Zinc manufactures.....	68,214	216,580	18,601	1,339,668
Marble and stone manufactures.....	105,046	597,356	487,958	1,792,582
Gunpowder, etc.....	546,182	3,459,749	618,616	1,395,406
Stationery.....			425,091	1,005,016
Musical instruments.....	173,341	756,477	908,540	1,383,867
Glass, etc.....	609,708	869,682	881,628	1,211,084
Brass manufactures.....	16,841	589,451	308,124	1,320,093
Starch.....	205,481	605,521	202,932	1,371,549
Soap.....	626,994	658,139	815,864	1,390,603
Railway cars.....		532,840	862,465	1,478,138
Paints, etc.....	131,923	239,075	492,709	1,079,518
Wool manufactures.....	206,879	448,984	471,353	1,089,632

NOTE.—Values in 1868 are expressed in currency whose average value was 71.5 in gold.

**EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES OF THE PRODUCTS OF DOMESTIC
MANUFACTURE, BY ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES, 1889-1898.**

ARTICLES.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Agricultural implements	3,623,769	3,859,184	3,219,130	3,794,983	4,657,333	5,027,915	5,413,075	5,176,775	5,240,686	7,609,732
Art works: Paintings and statuary..	694,413	228,082	406,374	422,238	210,892	391,763	471,104	524,077	301,362	273,521
Blacking	182,188	238,391	219,903	221,116	241,996	295,505	464,707	533,058	394,937	733,568
Books, maps, engravings, and other printed matter	1,712,079	1,886,094	1,820,470	1,943,228	1,808,873	2,620,046	2,316,217	2,338,722	2,647,548	2,434,325
Brass, manufactures of	321,137	467,313	296,349	528,756	519,435	808,427	784,640	872,396	1,171,431	1,320,093
Bricks	70,915	99,293	99,175	87,702	196,159	177,904	127,833	128,055	148,389	157,274
Brooms and brushes	155,551	151,128	150,609	181,110	241,343	179,098	165,672	180,183	186,056	158,272
Candles	138,397	143,073	149,112	165,933	155,403	189,462	190,986	230,146	216,565	232,214
Carriages and horse cars, and parts of.	1,664,284	2,056,980	2,015,870	1,944,170	1,605,801	1,649,154	1,514,336	1,884,658	1,955,760	1,685,838
Cars, passenger and freight, for steam railroads	1,426,237	2,089,698	2,885,250	1,320,265	969,871	1,700,521	868,378	1,002,940	990,950	1,738,581
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medi- cines	4,792,831	5,424,279	5,406,781	5,691,582	5,766,425	6,537,401	7,130,334	8,138,789	8,792,545	8,655,478
Clocks and watches, and parts of....	1,355,319	1,695,136	1,580,164	1,229,616	1,204,181	1,302,813	1,204,005	1,460,375	1,770,402	1,727,469
Coffee and cocoa, ground and pre- pared, and chocolate	94,023	93,735	86,936	70,651	93,292	137,777	104,317	107,740	128,078	137,369
Copper, manufactures of	2,348,954	2,349,392	4,614,597	7,226,392	4,525,573	19,697,140	14,468,703	19,720,104	31,621,125	32,180,872
Cotton, manufactures of	10,212,644	9,999,277	13,604,857	13,226,277	11,809,355	14,340,886	13,789,810	16,837,396	21,037,078	17,024,092
Cycles, and parts of								1,898,012	7,005,323	6,846,529
Earthen, stone, and china ware.....	167,739	175,477	159,526	237,431	226,806	127,437	141,021	149,388	177,832	232,992
Fertilizers	988,569	1,618,681	2,182,274	2,657,120	3,927,343	5,038,445	5,741,262	4,403,593	5,005,929	4,359,834
Flax, hemp, and jute, manufactures of	1,614,485	2,094,807	1,504,740	1,998,663	1,778,746	1,712,744	1,722,559	1,868,601	2,216,184	2,557,465
Glass and glassware	894,200	882,677	868,374	942,302	973,827	922,072	946,381	1,062,225	1,208,187	1,211,084
Gunpowder and other explosives....	885,637	868,728	995,546	860,355	861,513	1,002,126	1,277,281	1,381,102	1,555,318	1,395,406
India rubber and gutta-percha, man- ufactures of	831,748	1,090,307	1,236,443	1,416,067	1,609,406	1,461,842	1,505,142	1,858,556	1,807,145	1,981,501
Ink, printers' and other	129,698	144,057	122,235	145,886	118,480	154,691	154,152	165,238	162,955	203,927
Instruments and apparatus for scien- tific purposes	1,033,388	1,423,785	1,575,444	1,388,117	1,845,621	1,534,277	1,912,771	2,522,217	3,054,453	2,770,803
Iron and steel, and manufactures of, not including iron ore	21,156,077	25,542,208	28,909,614	28,800,930	30,106,482	29,220,264	32,000,989	41,160,877	57,497,872	70,406,885
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver	916,264	662,759	832,440	1,026,188	881,893	851,084	710,844	800,851	658,676	747,780
Lamps, chandeliers, and all appli- ances for illuminating purposes....	509,002	523,021	509,518	538,304	561,458	650,418	669,777	719,173	710,997	672,010
Lead, and manufactures of	199,802	184,317	182,412	166,078	316,943	638,636	216,087	372,941	656,088	223,018
Leather, and manufactures of	10,747,710	12,438,847	13,278,847	12,084,781	11,912,154	14,283,429	15,614,407	20,242,756	19,161,446	21,113,640
Lime and cement	157,010	134,994	148,938	115,205	166,381	162,096	127,256	121,914	143,471	128,476
Malt liquors	625,396	654,408	672,243	657,934	665,538	548,979	558,770	659,875	723,949	585,579
Marble and stone, manufactures of ..	510,054	729,111	653,634	537,759	703,081	912,123	885,179	901,585	1,316,815	1,792,582
Matches	61,171	62,284	73,220	73,066	67,974	66,614	94,799	90,315	70,988	78,548
Musical instruments	998,072	1,105,134	1,326,389	1,164,656	1,824,107	972,590	1,115,727	1,271,161	1,276,717	1,383,867
Oil, mineral, refined	44,830,545	44,658,854	46,150,282	39,704,152	37,574,667	37,083,891	41,498,372	56,261,567	50,463,185	51,782,316
Oils, vegetable (not including cotton- seed and linseed oils)	244,415	326,227	279,364	298,650	583,443	403,670	491,436	587,252	1,571,557	1,267,365
Paints and painters' colors	507,749	578,103	690,698	709,857	700,308	825,987	729,706	880,841	944,536	1,079,518
Paper, and manufactures of	1,191,035	1,226,686	1,299,169	1,382,251	1,540,886	1,906,634	2,185,257	2,712,875	3,333,163	5,494,564
Paraffin and paraffin wax	2,029,602	2,408,709	3,714,649	3,965,263	4,515,534	3,820,656	3,563,614	4,406,841	4,957,096	6,030,292
Perfumery and cosmetics	439,794	430,151	450,663	404,706	345,041	327,835	338,495	350,116	316,913	306,363
Plated ware	587,163	440,714	414,719	369,478	322,016	281,390	336,618	468,314	443,032	417,824
Silk manufactures	72,999	51,449	92,071	152,150	161,673	283,765	256,181	300,884	224,660	297,074
Soap	839,358	1,109,017	1,137,263	1,063,207	1,007,233	1,139,722	1,092,126	1,278,645	1,136,880	1,390,603
Spirits	2,218,101	1,633,110	1,887,431	2,401,117	2,724,057	5,676,936	2,991,686	1,730,804	1,941,703	1,850,353

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES OF THE PRODUCTS OF DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE, BY ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES, 1889-1898—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Starch	272,630	378,115	475,817	612,531	707,093	727,011	366,800	885,198	1,665,926	1,371,549
Stationery, except of paper.....	474,839	490,673	560,456	592,020	597,169	683,278	681,639	774,284	928,378	1,605,916
Stereotype and electrotype plates...	24,683	20,662	28,310	47,912	62,722	58,124	44,839	73,980	69,505	61,482
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of	61,928	63,361	78,814	65,853	155,723	186,427	177,946	269,311	305,418	317,468
Sugar, refined, including candy and confectionery	1,221,921	2,080,662	6,320,247	870,086	1,297,730	1,144,800	1,119,476	966,016	885,272	1,032,376
Tin, manufactures of.....	236,733	284,896	240,836	225,113	223,441	200,494	277,796	240,526	300,441	263,365
Tobacco, manufactures of.....	3,708,600	3,876,045	4,186,713	4,003,380	4,050,555	3,849,996	3,953,165	4,380,361	5,025,817	4,818,493
Toys	36,884	56,598	61,166	124,869	109,890	114,431	133,557	143,390	133,792	177,668
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags..	184,624	209,850	202,520	171,804	147,335	123,968	104,275	113,118	100,382	104,602
Varnish	202,727	216,483	203,285	293,059	258,400	282,278	303,959	362,975	431,761	422,693
Vessels sold to foreigners.....	37,372	104,798	96,422	257,885	124,132	99,042	94,951	154,610	191,840	144,543
Vinegar	10,464	10,520	10,489	11,600	12,177	9,537	11,273	16,975	11,572	12,939
Wood, manufactures of.....	6,150,281	6,599,645	5,987,322	6,062,789	6,058,896	6,773,724	6,249,807	7,426,475	8,592,416	9,098,219
Wool, manufactures of.....	343,949	437,479	519,198	367,737	326,055	774,580	670,226	913,609	947,808	1,089,632
Zinc, manufactures of.....	28,684	156,159	131,732	765,567	610,709	456,856	237,815	228,605	1,829,560	1,339,668
All other manufactured articles not agricultural, mining, forest, or fishery products	1,469,694	1,607,760	1,911,235	1,656,350	1,752,588	1,088,097	1,264,207	1,919,812	3,528,921	4,760,745
Total value of exports of domestic manufacture	138,675,507	151,102,376	168,927,315	159,510,937	158,023,118	183,728,808	183,595,742	228,571,178	277,285,391	299,697,354
Total value of domestic exports.....	730,282,609	845,293,828	872,270,283	1,015,732,011	831,030,785	869,204,937	793,392,599	863,200,487	1,032,007,603	1,210,291,913
Per cent of manufactures	18.99	17.87	19.37	15.70	19.02	21.14	23.14	26.48	26.87	24.02

VALUES OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE (GROUPED ACCORDING TO SOURCES OF PRODUCTION), EXPORTED DURING 1860, 1870, AND FROM 1877 TO 1898.

YEAR END- ING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE OTHER THAN MANUFACTURES. <i>a</i>												Exports of domes- tic manufactures.	Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.	
	Agriculture.		Mining.		Forest.		Fisheries.		Miscellaneous.		Total.				
	Values.	Per ct.	Values.	P. ct.	Values.	P. ct.	Values.	P. ct.	Values.	P. ct.	Values.	Per ct.	Values.	Per ct.	Values.
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
1860.....	256,500,972	81.13	999,465	.31	10,299,959	3.26	4,156,480	1.31	3,879,655	1.23	275,896,531	87.24	40,345,892	12.76	316,242,423
1870.....	361,188,493	79.35	5,026,111	1.10	14,897,963	3.27	2,835,508	.62	2,980,512	.66	386,928,577	85.00	68,279,764	15.00	455,208,341
1877.....	459,734,148	72.63	8,770,769	1.39	19,143,290	3.14	5,737,879	.91	4,861,219	.77	499,047,305	78.84	133,933,549	21.16	632,980,854
1878.....	536,192,873	77.07	6,732,119	.97	17,750,396	2.55	6,434,182	.92	4,833,164	.70	571,942,734	82.21	123,807,196	17.79	695,749,930
1879.....	546,476,703	78.12	6,405,813	.92	16,336,943	2.34	6,282,368	.90	7,021,186	1.00	582,523,013	83.28	117,015,729	16.72	699,538,742
1880.....	685,961,091	83.25	5,863,232	.71	17,321,268	2.11	5,255,402	.64	6,689,345	.81	721,090,338	87.52	102,856,015	12.48	823,946,353
1881.....	730,394,943	82.63	7,401,282	.84	19,486,051	2.20	5,556,439	.63	6,854,013	.78	769,692,728	87.08	114,233,219	12.92	883,925,947
1882.....	552,219,819	75.31	8,175,692	1.11	25,580,264	3.50	6,197,752	.85	6,271,859	.85	598,445,386	81.62	134,794,346	18.38	733,239,732
1883.....	619,269,449	77.00	10,446,719	1.30	28,636,199	3.56	6,276,375	.78	5,366,807	.67	669,995,549	83.31	134,228,083	16.69	804,223,632
1884.....	536,315,318	73.98	15,022,255	2.07	26,222,959	3.62	5,614,111	.77	5,417,322	.75	588,591,965	81.19	136,372,887	18.81	724,964,852
1885.....	530,172,966	72.96	15,797,885	2.18	22,014,839	3.03	5,955,122	.82	5,554,607	.76	579,495,419	79.75	147,187,527	20.25	726,682,946
1886.....	484,954,595	72.82	13,654,286	2.05	20,961,708	3.15	5,138,806	.77	4,713,156	.71	529,422,551	79.50	136,541,978	20.50	665,964,529
1887.....	523,073,798	74.41	11,758,662	1.67	21,126,273	3.01	5,155,775	.73	5,173,310	.73	566,287,818	80.55	136,735,105	19.45	703,022,923
1888.....	500,840,086	73.23	17,993,895	2.63	23,991,092	3.51	5,518,552	.82	5,218,392	.76	553,562,017	80.95	130,300,087	19.05	683,862,104
1889.....	532,141,460	72.87	19,947,518	2.73	26,997,127	3.70	7,106,388	.97	5,414,579	.74	591,607,102	81.01	138,675,507	18.99	730,282,609
1890.....	629,820,308	74.51	22,297,755	2.64	29,473,084	3.49	7,458,385	.88	5,141,420	.61	694,191,452	82.13	151,102,376	17.87	845,293,828
1891.....	642,751,344	73.69	22,054,970	2.53	28,715,713	3.29	6,208,577	.71	3,612,364	.41	703,342,968	80.63	168,927,315	19.37	872,270,283
1892.....	799,328,232	78.69	20,692,885	2.04	27,957,423	2.75	5,403,587	.53	3,838,947	.38	837,221,074	84.39	158,510,937	15.61	1,015,732,011
1893.....	615,382,986	74.05	20,020,026	2.41	28,127,113	3.38	5,541,378	.67	3,936,164	.47	673,007,667	80.98	158,023,118	19.02	831,030,765
1894.....	628,363,038	72.28	20,440,598	2.35	28,000,629	3.22	4,261,920	.49	4,400,944	.52	683,476,129	78.86	183,728,808	21.14	869,204,937
1895.....	553,210,026	69.73	18,509,814	2.33	28,576,235	3.61	5,328,807	.67	4,171,974	.52	609,796,856	76.86	183,595,743	23.14	793,392,599
1896.....	569,879,297	66.02	20,045,654	2.32	33,718,204	3.91	6,850,392	.79	4,135,762	.48	634,629,309	73.52	228,571,178	26.48	863,200,487
1897.....	682,471,139	66.23	20,804,573	2.01	40,489,321	3.92	6,477,951	.63	3,479,228	.34	754,722,212	73.13	277,285,391	26.87	1,032,007,603
1898.....	853,683,570	70.54	19,410,707	1.60	37,900,171	3.13	5,435,483	.45	3,164,628	.26	919,594,559	75.98	299,697,354	24.02	1,210,291,913

a The group "Other than manufactures" embraces substantially all articles crude or only slightly enhanced in value by manufacture.

NOTE.—The values of exports of products of domestic agriculture from the United States for decennial fiscal years prior to 1860 were as follows: 1820, \$41,657,673, or 81 per cent; 1830, \$48,035,184, or 82 per cent; 1840, \$92,548,067, or 83 per cent; 1850, \$108,605,712, or 81 per cent of all exports of merchandise.

VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES FROM PRINCIPAL COMMERCIAL COUNTRIES DURING THE
TEN YEARS 1887 TO 1896.

(In 1,000 dollars.)

YEAR.	United States.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	United Kingdom.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	Austria-Hungary.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	France.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	Germany.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	Italy.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	Netherlands.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	Russia.	Per cent of total domestic exports.	Switzerland.	Per cent of total domestic exports.
	Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.	
1887.....	136,735	19.45	No data.		72,918	53.4	335,531	53.5	487,662	65.4	28,181	14.1	104,684	26.3	11,036	3.1	95,930	73.9
1888.....	130,300	19.05	do		68,472	51.2	329,374	52.6	487,186	61.7	27,760	14.0	103,618	23.1	13,084	3.0	95,735	73.6
1889.....	138,676	18.99	do		78,967	50.8	371,699	52.0	501,652	66.3	28,943	15.5	96,870	22.0	10,958	2.7	101,892	75.9
1890.....	151,102	17.87	1,118,171	87.2	68,797	49.8	385,897	53.3	510,986	64.5	26,595	15.8	107,740	24.7	11,156	2.9	103,874	76.6
1891.....	168,927	19.37	1,044,025	86.8	74,186	46.5	371,757	53.9	487,662	64.5	No data.		96,919	21.2	13,207	3.0	98,707	76.1
1892.....	158,510	15.61	961,728	86.6	67,848	46.3	362,608	54.3	463,862	66.0	23,628	12.8	113,996	25.0	11,698	4.5	95,085	74.9
1893.....	158,023	19.03	972,381	87.0	74,633	45.6	336,167	53.8	475,524	64.6	27,356	14.7	99,469	22.2	10,011	3.4	93,707	75.1
1894.....	183,729	21.14	947,250	85.5	66,745	41.3	318,589	53.9	447,202	63.4	30,251	15.3	97,749	21.8	7,114	2.6	89,685	74.8
1895.....	183,596	23.14	952,545	86.7	65,992	43.9	368,476	56.6	520,840	65.7	34,613	17.3	101,774	21.5	7,751	3.1	97,134	75.9
1896.....	228,571	26.48	1,021,153	87.3	71,505	45.5	369,190	56.2	549,638	65.3	41,843	20.6	107,597	20.0	9,085	3.4	101,476	76.4
1897.....	277,285	26.87	977,312	85.7			373,146	53.7	548,471	60.8					9,817	2.6	102,119	76.3
1898.....	290,697	24.02	968,893	85.3														

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Agricultural implements:										
MOWERS AND REAPERS, AND PARTS OF—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Austria-Hungary.....	12,523	31,356	250	36,039	15,966		2,175	33,281	9,370	28,132
Belgium.....	847	4,089	4,951	59,638	16,879	3,958	36,492	23,329	56,691	119,170
Denmark.....	21,586	8,435	30,865	66,975	82,248	22,288	160,772	137,829	132,118	184,590
France.....	200,259	216,535	245,146	345,086	231,004	220,125	421,312	360,577	494,469	1,146,551
Germany.....	167,427	194,423	152,683	222,261	301,136	386,096	375,348	480,773	538,430	1,100,210
Italy.....	13,065	22,300	18,764	12,578	15,543	31,323	45,062	17,708	30,919	39,829
Netherlands.....	8,285	18,439	17,362	16,687	25,202	15,186	47,923	66,155	36,299	99,987
Portugal.....		2,405	2,270		2,200	1,300	3,450	800	700	2,900
Roumania.....	8,544	6,143	23,091	22,304	42,488	78,592	5,912	18,603	15,966	77,168
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	46,665	11,660	10,145	32,478	81,461	48,294	101,783	86,081	103,347	98,126
Russia, Black Sea.....	334,755	54,406	179,752	49,255	159,272	173,918	527,652	298,617	156,455	284,641
Spain.....	3,705		61		673		2,045	160	214	
Sweden and Norway.....	11,079	43,861	62,598	43,689	42,475	36,064	130,883	127,868	110,840	172,145
Turkey in Europe.....	3,460	650	6,415	169	7,020	12,888	5,347	91	750	5,821
United Kingdom.....	354,960	303,096	251,084	414,677	379,053	337,455	447,114	333,791	360,079	874,236
Bermuda.....				93	120	106	138	110	46	76
British Honduras.....						44			13	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....		175	4,700	3,202	5,200	2,878	6,279	7,627	13,266	5,611
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	5,911	4,739	40,333	43,465	25,129	115,530	83,229	124,008	231,337	430,285
British Columbia.....	505	98	1,832	497	620	586	781	1,159	2,659	4,849
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	516	152	222	240	52	129	8	151	1,097	133
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....		49	205		42	40		33	89	7,585
Guatemala.....				150	50					91
Honduras.....									16	5
Nicaragua.....	66			45	45		7	141		1,312
Salvador.....										2,833
Mexico.....	14,442	8,073	1,636	1,675	2,742	4,121	3,866	4,158	7,407	8,511
West Indies—										
British.....	369	1,739	452	738	874	1,455	811	668	665	985
Danish.....										1
French.....			30					38		
Haiti.....			3		57		16			

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES OF THE PRODUCTS OF DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE, BY ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES, 1889-1898—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Agricultural implements—Continued.										
MOWERS AND REAPERS, AND PARTS OF—										
Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Santo Domingo							3	729	198	743
Spanish—Cuba	250	692	1,570			8,309	1,618	23		
Porto Rico						688				
Argentina	599,967	694,500	75,546	644,085	1,044,763	1,206,031	817,445	570,232	228,391	182,28
Bolivia					70					
Brazil	13	80	110		952	50				908
Chile	29,148	35,917	31,568	12,449	44,308	56,231	85,501	6,300	39,197	10,425
Colombia			1,037	125	125	268		165	131	238
Ecuador										493
Guianas—British		76			88	104	10	82	70	58
Peru	54	210	40	47			225			
Uruguay	41,530	34,221	46,406	65,192	32,946	77,809	60,979	88,491	23,779	46,208
Venezuela		30	117	19		17	105		5	58
China		120		80						3,551
East Indies—British		100	6,141	2,542	3,418	210	1,078	1,417	6,127	5,503
Dutch										485
Hongkong				447						5
Japan	50			88	90			14	77	226
Russia, Asiatic					175			2,618	5,600	26,601
Turkey in Asia			250	2,110	16,668		6,478	875	7,867	163
All other Asia									22	22
British Australasia	94,165	364,618	311,440	187,026	170,715	208,213	106,199	195,533	302,586	421,975
Hawaiian Islands	123	2,527	1,068				1,842	130	328	317
British Africa	8,684	12,366	26,433	61,058	103,728	79,743	141,787	190,542	160,779	90,018
French Africa	4,100	14,047	10,666	17,599	9,121	31,840	24,360	8,362	6,405	13,606
Portuguese Africa								2,990	42,566	1,253
Turkey in Africa—Egypt		215	12,734	8,130	9,176		700	20,164	5	350
Total	1,987,053	2,092,638	1,579,976	2,372,938	2,873,897	3,261,892	3,659,735	3,212,423	3,127,415	5,500,665
Flows and cultivators, and parts of—										
Austria-Hungary				30				1,719	42	657
Azores, and Madeira Islands	161	38	173	247		475	69	52	107	66
Belgium		254	329	1,048	1,090	1,060	512	393	245	5,899
Denmark		1,300	1,623	170	975	110	4,153	3,420	9,512	16,234
France	138	1,074	1,176	7,760	10,986	11,782	39,584	15,048	7,992	49,330
Germany	1,128	1,061	7,416	2,261	1,056	3,874	19,418	6,402	11,206	15,450
Gibraltar				36						
Italy	75	68	2,371	1,000	3,663	5,205	3,327	3,204	2,575	4,450
Netherlands	1,888	1,811	1,375	415	102	231	193	119		768
Portugal	932	1,640	21	272			1,119		221	741
Romania				96			184		61	760
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	19	369	24	916	70	1,107		22,595	1,829	2,958
Russia, Black Sea	930		7,322	446		482	172	223	675	25,412
Spain	2,987		2,329			40		7,154	5,089	6,587
Sweden and Norway			5,454	3,000	12,232	5,749	2,682	15,755	17,259	21,667
Switzerland								77		
Turkey in Europe		285		1,778				839		52
United Kingdom	14,460	19,081	28,172	8,165	19,305	27,594	37,345	43,105	36,142	74,763
Bermuda				376	352	225	21	416	89	249
British Honduras		64		86			3,330	9	22	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	16		188	1,849	2,753	116	895	3,501	943	630
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	59,247	19,780	28,505	11,690	17,782	11,642	20,818	35,659	69,980	181,161
British Columbia	1,920	756	126	1,097	589	745	1,842	1,306	2,066	952
Newfoundland and Labrador	745		100	1,263	328	450		67	34	46

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Agricultural implements—Continued.										
Plows and cultivators, and parts of—Continued.										
Central American States—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Costa Rica.....	279	336	222	514	314	299	412	527	812	424
Guatemala.....	493	593	786	818	1,852	660	940	2,261	1,207	248
Honduras.....	69	15	14	36	14	.....	7	157	258	51
Nicaragua.....	12	111	215	133	52	5	123	100	123	18
Salvador.....	77	491	1,091	164	509	239	406	1,039	283	61
Mexico.....	19,339	27,547	30,582	21,201	54,011	36,080	58,776	50,313	64,000	47,735
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....										323
West Indies—										
British.....	1,123	1,040	2,470	1,782	1,919	2,012	1,152	1,503	2,692	2,820
Danish.....	312	412	156	199	3,057	276	143	242	344	256
Dutch.....	8	62	.....	40	.....	6	16	.....	6	.....
French.....	240	91	177	10	155	205	156	173	202	223
Haiti.....	33	.....	.....	15	50	27	.....	27	15	23
Santo Domingo.....	555	412	537	144	504	219	176	328	440	480
Spanish—Cuba.....	65,374	112,054	45,810	47,924	75,173	81,988	25,194	31,691	2,029	2,532
Porto Rico.....	4,782	5,077	4,116	2,559	2,631	5,359	2,023	3,372	3,215	2,337
Argentina.....	265,254	252,003	66,945	80,303	202,961	116,029	63,481	161,347	104,072	151,730
Bolivia.....	521	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil.....	9,969	18,107	27,261	4,847	12,560	8,965	26,068	13,250	9,673	11,375
Chile.....	21,601	22,876	117,288	17,274	29,634	21,487	9,046	21,094	5,531	38,137
Colombia.....	776	2,043	287	652	954	1,298	246	612	1,209	873
Ecuador.....	.....	.....	403	34	45	869	228	30	141	.....
Guianas—British.....	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	9
Dutch.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peru.....	9,170	12,347	12,301	5,932	5,275	6,485	5,946	8,853	9,227	7,005
Uruguay.....	65,185	160,363	38,356	51,311	55,266	21,965	43,247	52,450	21,877	48,886
Venezuela.....	133	117	2,574	611	366	418	831	1,018	802	570
Aden.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53
China.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	612
East Indies—British.....	575	3,992	200	50	1,468	1,425	143	549	1,378	1,560
Dutch.....	.....	25	.....	1,500	.....	75	.....	65	516	1,044
Hongkong.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27
Japan.....	.....	.....	62	116	50	322	246	119	671	574
Korea.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	.....
Russia, Asiatic.....	.....	.....	.....	1,401	.....	1,003	.....	959	625	1,196
Turkey in Asia.....	.....	.....	.....	613	488	6,260	.....	.....	890	2,800
British Australasia.....	20,728	55,307	20,624	23,905	13,167	21,768	34,003	32,450	39,527	108,116
French Oceania.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
Hawaiian Islands.....	10	5,937	5,857	6,077	3,033	2,579	4,265	5,531	4,509	3,820
Philippine Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	135	3,551	1,592	1,044	1,593	1,357
British Africa.....	134,844	149,735	180,591	83,255	105,892	125,695	97,298	181,894	141,479	74,281
French Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	120	1,560	311	435	709	97	3,133
Liberia.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	363	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,875	4,662	1,060
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	.....	.....	185	10	12	550	1,600	1,690	512	2,575
All other Africa.....	12	.....	.....	162	.....	.....	.....	263	.....	74
Total.....	705,262	878,784	596,728	307,735	614,390	539,721	513,913	746,604	590,779	927,250
ALL OTHER, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary.....	50	3,750	5,470	.....	447	.....	9,093	1,943	4,287	4,643
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,262	952	1,056	663	224	100	165	26	133	178
Belgium.....	2,669	5,012	20,735	24,129	35,099	14,616	18,142	36,604	34,323	35,659
Denmark.....	2,568	7,841	14,675	20,422	26,519	22,694	15,779	33,758	37,724	86,329
France.....	53,909	59,196	118,499	77,523	68,091	54,695	66,301	91,359	121,495	56,286
Germany.....	27,100	57,638	73,682	67,498	75,543	134,746	162,148	94,552	161,182	116,582
Greece.....	250	33	600	200
Gibraltar.....	23
Italy.....	11,463	3,338	8,433	3,723	7,234	6,750	3,455	4,303	3,261	6,553

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Agricultural implements—Continued.										
ALL OTHER, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Netherlands.....	3,753	14,529	13,544	21,137	13,005	9,372	15,869	31,118	45,909	69,469
Portugal.....	492	195	1,097	185	478	318	1,981	866	652	484
Romania.....	260	275	1,560	1,298	3,412	2,131	7,794	176	755	211
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	17,718	13,367	6,855	19,397	35,379	29,644	11,864	3,221	16,205	7,327
Russia, Black Sea.....	55,078	9,012	4,993	4,746	8,483	26,745	57,892	46,815	25,791	7,123
Spain.....	624	2,155	.....	1,425	302	812	550	221	1,591	50
Sweden and Norway.....	7,891	14,526	10,838	12,362	10,562	8,536	8,600	7,228	6,769	4,426
Switzerland.....	.....	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	1,589	62
Turkey in Europe.....	65	243	1,061	164	1,266	423	401	370	5	.....
United Kingdom.....	87,566	132,431	192,517	201,208	211,961	231,822	266,221	211,654	246,036	115,905
Bermuda.....	.....	.....	.....	337	1,085	410	290	464	668	318
British Honduras.....	282	159	133	564	110	29	73	157	34	82
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	2,180	3,201	3,095	1,134	5,517	14,766	10,927	9,770	10,591	16,727
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	66,893	53,476	96,538	66,660	83,981	65,154	163,249	138,106	129,474	136,387
British Columbia.....	2,818	1,195	4,086	1,425	3,932	5,124	5,715	5,589	1,962	3,591
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	4,557	3,560	2,762	3,171	4,432	5,021	1,674	2,701	1,433	1,023
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	825	2,262	2,250	1,205	3,208	1,907	402	1,811	20,607	1,295
Guatemala.....	2,627	2,179	4,969	4,547	4,025	2,857	5,099	4,128	4,814	342
Honduras.....	1,484	160	93	137	118	113	14	120	594	86
Nicaragua.....	179	895	2,490	1,160	536	961	592	3,111	1,423	479
Salvador.....	549	2,004	824	1,751	1,301	3,232	557	553	5,692	88
Mexico.....	26,732	20,354	60,659	71,454	50,228	55,208	59,926	65,367	59,418	68,127
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	230	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	97
West Indies—										
British.....	2,812	2,260	2,245	5,092	1,445	1,202	5,705	2,779	1,336	1,447
Danish.....	707	677	205	191	546	80	149	159	189	292
Dutch.....	8	179	16	20	227	429	9	36	78	22
French.....	114	42	135	175	261	178	25	90	281	62
Haiti.....	83	191	167	973	181	228	157	394	91	746
Santo Domingo.....	366	305	409	295	928	825	1,479	1,924	790	525
Spanish—Cuba.....	8,511	13,776	8,233	36,518	55,168	27,972	11,619	5,112	1,595	5,285
Porto Rico.....	456	439	391	101	539	1,463	705	3,595	1,024	169
Argentina.....	204,099	118,852	57,557	57,552	111,610	192,134	123,625	122,488	82,849	43,034
Bolivia.....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil.....	21,576	31,423	43,262	26,526	22,647	11,068	14,766	22,417	13,963	12,472
Chile.....	64,438	36,415	36,059	48,918	64,880	76,319	39,784	67,258	29,587	31,046
Colombia.....	3,408	1,941	1,787	1,850	2,069	2,319	1,246	1,983	2,022	3,732
Ecuador.....	979	977	262	154	133	1,095	1,119	366	370	251
Guianas—British.....	163	395	473	519	35	364	537	773	9	37
Dutch.....	28	.....	48	327	146	63	199	400	166	.....
French.....	.....	10	.....	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peru.....	1,062	3,587	3,624	2,233	2,168	3,394	2,199	2,550	3,417	4,313
Uruguay.....	18,667	35,676	12,942	10,292	21,650	9,893	15,341	17,354	4,493	8,272
Venezuela.....	699	1,087	2,322	838	1,384	2,206	1,520	5,095	1,405	281
Aden.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....
China.....	139	225	140	12,500	335	63	620	60	795	129
East Indies—British.....	.....	728	1,046	499	78	426	39	91	1,203	1,279
Dutch.....	.....	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	.....	380
Hongkong.....	26	.....	.....	120	57	.....	30	.....	.....	2,647
Japan.....	1,997	1,559	4,731	2,241	1,005	1,207	183	1,190	6,528	2,601
Russia, Asiatic.....	4,929	10,223	11,178	6,166	6,874	10,638	9,124	15,130	11,586	5,263
Turkey in Asia.....	218	58	.....	.....	2,018	.....	50	600	460	314
All other Asia.....	.....	.....	432	70	4,980	23	24	.....	.....	.....
British Australasia.....	134,511	128,302	80,252	113,005	110,547	128,439	106,728	57,739	148,872	167,474
French Oceania.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	224	37	.....	23	143
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15
Hawaiian Islands.....	7,753	6,305	5,811	871	864	3,036	5,266	2,111	3,175	1,790
Philippine Islands.....	54	60	5,913	52	669	95

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Agricultural implements—Continued.										
ALL OTHER, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa	65,230	77,759	114,360	81,266	66,241	53,860	59,638	55,163	55,958	36,247
Canary Islands				274	498	272	241	139	426	172
French Africa		126	1,072	5,180	2,241	914	1,538		602	478
Liberia	47	32		36	19	43	108	218		6
Portuguese Africa						38	12	4,369	3,782	877
Spanish Africa	90	255	443							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt					91	665				11
All other Africa	25		40				16			165
Total	931,454	887,762	1,042,426	1,024,310	1,139,046	1,226,302	1,230,427	1,217,748	1,522,492	1,181,817
Art works, paintings and statuary:										
Austria-Hungary	4,000	247				813	114	49		
Azores, and Madeira Islands	67		7							
Belgium	1,695	2,080	2,089	1,210	52	2,855	1,908	1,935	5,077	3,672
Denmark				25		100		2,510	25	377
France	476,891	58,781	155,155	166,198	31,531	112,722	112,912	231,710	77,624	35,408
Germany	51,825	9,808	103,708	81,150	22,435	53,702	26,238	26,532	33,108	27,981
Gibraltar					213				75	5,000
Italy	11,770	1,800	1,330	7,890	2,196	3,907	7,769	12,973	14,897	9,029
Netherlands	250		1,200	300	1,606	1,072	90,626	10,895	2,210	9,635
Portugal									30	625
Russia, Baltic and White Seas					409		133			125
Spain	11		400	2,650		600		25	110	
Sweden and Norway					850		99	175	776	1,801
Switzerland									500	
Turkey in Europe				56						
United Kingdom	97,408	103,268	82,569	128,558	85,155	117,387	144,873	152,250	88,310	89,353
Bermuda					125	183	114	404	410	464
British Honduras				20						68
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc... ..	734	604	550	342	65	654	782	1,127	797	2,761
Quebec, Ontario, etc'	2,535	6,972	4,342	1,694	39,154	58,897	46,715	43,303	34,709	38,542
British Columbia	476	1,449	237	1,754	763	1,363	328	3	450	5,663
Newfoundland and Labrador	96	100		41	20	108	216	151	58	121
Central American States—										
Costa Rica		555	121	250	81	114	1,412	10	120	521
Guatemala	1,455	6,881	11,199	8,315	5,431	2,938	2,547	1,686	2,828	424
Honduras	553	322				628			13	66
Nicaragua	289	68	1,995	514	507	59	40	53	39	
Salvador	110	572	7,257	3,589	3,594	4,290	4,035	2,729	2,890	517
Mexico	1,353	3,226	794	3,894	6,119	12,395	14,698	14,556	20,173	25,361
West Indies—										
British	231	202	842	20	688	167	302	883	1,026	1,082
Danish	25	3	4	25					21	
Dutch	392	350	2,019	227	444	405	156	238	217	563
French	10		700			10			40	
Haiti	19	144	173	637	260	479	322	592	251	113
Santo Domingo	232	66	1,073	25		31	843		9	
Spanish—Cuba	2,151	1,644	732	1,791	2,677	4,028	1,972	141	174	237
Porto Rico	480	1,138	350	360	740	265	168	211	75	561
Argentina	790	215	200			773	326	5,300	350	695
Bolivia				41						
Brazil	2,464	4,616	1,321		522	668	1,460	407	2,838	331
Chile	3,300	334	355	68	1,010	25	277	87	196	54
Colombia	1,500	1,115	1,307	1,222	1,381	584	561	663	289	935
Ecuador	30	250		150	50	433	612	102	15	
Guianas—British				48				290	54	16
Dutch									34	
Peru	1,111	35	127	362	214	100	165	140	25	270
Uruguay	72	130			25					
Venezuela	949	4,643	358	1,269	488	2,093	5,986	5,778	5,326	3,082

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Art works, paintings, and statuary—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....			150					300	195	51
East Indies—British.....				356				132	166	
Dutch.....				21						
Hongkong.....		125	368	500	70			53	264	100
Japan.....	200	521	1,650	701	350	1,000			562	3,000
Turkey in Asia.....				24				64		12
All other Asia.....								15		2
British Australasia.....	28,366	14,418	20,881	405	1,428	2,349	1,625	2,290	1,832	1,424
French Oceanica.....		30		113	50		44			70
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....										66
Hawaiian Islands.....	383	1,230	891	2,224	150	730	801	2,664	2,009	2,571
British Africa.....	150	25	30	110		37	25	660	69	664
Liberia.....						199				
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....				50						24
All other Africa.....									162	71
All other islands and ports.....		75			45					
Total.....	694,413	228,082	406,374	422,238	210,892	391,763	471,104	524,077	301,362	273,521
Blackings:										
Austria-Hungary.....							133	75	200	253
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	109	205	250	232	70	135	1,245	178	231	351
Belgium.....	714	2,233	3,165	2,367	4,072	5,968	9,075	7,298	9,084	17,338
Denmark.....	880	735	1,656	1,705	1,877	1,106	1,795	1,773	1,778	5,435
France.....	3,340	3,945	4,055	4,462	4,658	4,502	16,308	15,090	15,395	12,622
Germany.....	3,003	3,996	3,750	6,033	6,405	13,195	13,102	8,168	17,982	71,177
Gibraltar.....			14							
Italy.....	562	253	352	355	250	225	528	660	1,231	418
Netherlands.....	1,025	548	3,027	2,072	2,728	7,150	6,868	14,402	12,427	29,927
Portugal.....	8	9	9		30		17	18	6	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						163			149	141
Russia, Black Sea.....								22		
Spain.....	85		350	1,050			880	583		654
Sweden and Norway.....	25	57	67	109	65	15	269	647	1,065	1,923
Switzerland.....	91									
United Kingdom.....	47,242	89,552	62,844	88,775	79,681	100,562	256,831	305,138	156,471	408,065
Bermuda.....				568	819	903	501	664	550	883
British Honduras.....	195	151	765	177	140	309	148	229	155	275
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	10,567	12,188	9,586	6,404	11,157	10,434	10,559	10,712	10,755	9,905
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	2,522	1,748	4,546	3,625	22,424	49,834	45,114	45,704	48,709	57,108
British Columbia.....	1,855	1,346	692	954	592	520	399	161	143	1,364
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,747	1,531	1,075	2,236	3,838	2,764	1,015	1,926	1,670	1,971
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	463	2,586	721	720	1,944	1,313	1,847	2,914	2,894	1,424
Guatemala.....	570	1,500	372	967	1,226	1,115	1,178	1,234	1,749	190
Honduras.....	57	144	43	94	62	100	354	514	91	193
Nicaragua.....	544	528	1,240	677	328	768	1,021	1,124	858	398
Salvador.....	966	500	1,172	1,602	625	416	962	2,013	1,046	367
Mexico.....	4,347	9,399	5,606	5,925	4,853	4,948	4,776	5,630	7,070	5,174
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	39	145	22	131	100	46	55	13	113	161
West Indies—										
British.....	4,388	5,507	6,294	5,480	6,959	6,809	6,713	6,424	6,466	5,737
Danish.....	288	504	118	425	251	309	213	421	476	405
Dutch.....	195	298	310	236	382	246	160	149	137	184
French.....	85	59	100	178	110	100	78	97	143	289
Haiti.....	1,153	3,063	2,491	2,166	2,251	2,575	1,779	2,311	1,836	1,474
Santo Domingo.....	527	570	359	345	426	463	361	298	360	283
Spanish—Cuba.....	5,399	3,755	4,418	3,834	7,230	5,558	4,999	4,008	4,400	4,395
Porto Rico.....	1,420	1,950	1,048	1,648	1,681	1,301	964	2,093	2,512	1,071

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Blacking—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	20,517	21,453	3,817	1,316	7,759	6,221	6,329	10,063	9,715	5,637
Bolivia.....		7	9							10
Brazil.....	8,648	8,815	10,144	8,966	12,505	12,939	15,570	14,150	11,002	10,336
Chile.....	7,012	625	3,824	2,658	3,915	2,056	3,155	3,358	1,374	2,371
Colombia.....	2,004	2,074	1,809	2,216	2,562	1,566	2,443	2,588	2,632	2,261
Ecuador.....	311	437	1,205	427	918	227	121	263	333	530
Guianas—British.....	475	57	17		59	59	57	39	123	125
Dutch.....	158	762	434	418	891	770	821	166	349	496
French.....		40								
Peru.....	3,185	3,937	2,272	1,540	529	936	525	941	753	867
Uruguay.....	939	3,111	610	1,822	948	1,535	1,304	1,357	887	1,414
Venezuela.....	1,277	1,899	1,744	869	1,246	1,799	1,906	1,511	1,419	1,418
China.....	185	403	1,285	814	563	85		635	163	68
East Indies—British.....		11	154		209	215	432	390	48	893
Dutch.....							5			
Hongkong.....	17	185			141					
Japan.....	11,964	11,146	9,701	5,939	8,406	4,588	2,182	11,410	4,280	1,864
Russia, Asiatic.....	212	531	665	392		42	141	53		
All other Asia.....			13							60
British Australasia.....	26,721	29,844	58,243	44,739	81,331	34,286	34,279	36,478	37,301	56,012
French Oceania.....	11	85	15	215	59	60	78	95	162	151
Hawaiian Islands.....	2,000	1,553	1,525	1,049	1,248	1,635	1,844	2,736	1,848	2,542
Philippine Islands.....		950					12	12	12	12
British Africa.....	2,053	1,373	1,654	1,671	1,576	2,574	3,260	3,530	3,824	4,532
Canary Islands.....			18							80
French Africa.....									11	8
Liberia.....	28	31	78	16	8			16	18	250
Portuguese Africa.....				56	4		56	85	290	43
All other Africa.....		7								
Total.....	182,188	238,391	219,903	221,116	241,996	295,505	464,707	533,053	384,937	723,568
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
Austria-Hungary.....	226	295	18		117	1,125	525	790	1,143	1,713
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		11	37			42			29	
Belgium.....	8,474	10,294	3,660	13,551	5,791	9,319	12,940	19,898	14,509	12,527
Denmark.....	2,098	150	472	966	1,138	818	82	1,090	1,553	3,379
France.....	66,991	23,616	28,054	26,282	28,169	69,705	60,996	54,647	44,613	80,454
Germany.....	125,878	124,298	97,966	105,666	87,588	110,282	121,457	119,873	112,153	102,385
Gibraltar.....	596		107	18	988	220	140	210	105	105
Greece.....					37				2	
Italy.....	10,111	5,791	8,283	8,532	9,153	9,614	14,448	8,810	7,975	17,027
Netherlands.....	2,052	4,000	2,908	3,428	2,989	7,519	14,979	6,011	4,937	6,007
Portugal.....	10	584	583	1,110	5	274	737	541	252	1,570
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		550	100	465	12	365	27	1,691	1,448	2,296
Russia, Black Sea.....			68		25	316	101	185	168	132
Spain.....	7,131	7,648	7,157	7,361	1,535	3,418	6,723	5,919	2,459	7,455
Sweden and Norway.....	3,251	1,161	342	916	3,580	829	1,279	1,667	2,870	5,466
Switzerland.....	622	2,503	40	61	6		100	27	488	1,865
Turkey in Europe.....	194	760	102	1,493	1,268		681	1,789	932	2,860
United Kingdom.....	574,834	638,768	642,292	735,843	622,189	664,016	780,314	751,261	890,087	841,098
Bermuda.....				1,700	2,220	2,627	2,514	2,010	2,014	2,867
British Honduras.....	215	1,229	1,157	1,594	535	445	932	846	540	613
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	33,178	22,223	30,191	21,500	33,815	56,403	56,522	50,172	58,715	57,232
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	86,346	127,559	126,588	132,373	254,961	586,803	439,885	516,822	510,363	628,688
British Columbia.....	10,842	13,480	11,059	14,765	21,159	17,814	18,863	22,601	34,546	30,705
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	3,433	7,597	5,580	5,671	6,026	13,873	7,647	5,176	8,964	5,424
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	7,511	12,331	15,035	9,085	5,023	4,139	6,670	7,649	9,218	7,212
Guatemala.....	21,109	22,650	37,911	12,06	12,112	18,469	12,203	51,711	34,742	13,562

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter—Continued.										
Central American States—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Honduras.....	2,596	14,873	5,482	1,343	822	1,817	5,115	3,492	1,835	2,825
Nicaragua.....	6,918	11,799	11,610	9,730	6,124	4,179	6,934	2,231	9,566	3,542
Salvador.....	3,154	10,610	14,599	11,132	8,427	7,233	6,223	15,782	13,793	6,516
Mexico.....	36,583	43,090	53,816	52,131	74,004	73,016	121,420	107,384	121,343	125,066
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....				24				20		
West Indies—										
British.....	12,662	18,247	21,922	22,386	16,681	25,246	53,285	56,293	22,034	19,676
Danish.....	572	9,463	1,228	1,662	1,360	668	387	1,206	829	1,229
Dutch.....	2,548	2,119	13,740	4,237	1,769	3,865	1,936	1,443	997	1,030
French.....	102	83	355	533	58	118	174	213	231	61
Haiti.....	38,421	1,582	3,937	874	2,688	111,213	2,856	3,442	2,992	2,101
Santo Domingo.....	3,677	2,948	2,458	3,185	2,167	3,874	1,506	1,477	1,336	559
Spanish—Cuba.....	46,617	115,810	51,308	52,385	39,075	39,626	33,851	19,595	221,251	22,506
Porto Rico.....	2,367	14,366	1,586	2,024	4,950	2,809	6,785	2,381	5,250	1,332
Argentina.....	92,038	157,819	19,139	21,395	38,161	43,328	35,765	28,769	25,313	26,614
Bolivia.....	35	328			2	110	2,524			
Brazil.....	130,587	136,610	225,530	330,693	212,187	347,659	170,688	43,935	128,214	153,770
Chile.....	19,000	27,001	17,081	21,603	32,525	31,644	27,330	41,668	23,442	14,043
Colombia.....	56,137	45,826	86,818	87,625	87,610	125,525	79,239	106,796	72,389	17,434
Ecuador.....	4,119	4,375	14,866	11,857	10,941	7,271	15,085	5,788	2,160	4,656
Guianas—British.....	1,188	1,413	3,466	1,525	3,529	2,325	1,132	23,916	2,420	2,724
Dutch.....			10	82	64	74	211	111	122	61
Peru.....	9,481	23,865	51,485	19,203	4,177	28,512	7,066	9,996	5,340	4,645
Uruguay.....	2,276	4,002	3,083	5,198	4,467	2,935	3,338	7,662	4,406	3,013
Venezuela.....	13,313	13,343	16,074	23,718	15,184	13,317	8,545	11,764	10,956	14,416
Aden.....									3	
China.....	6,687	13,149	6,134	7,259	6,577	11,831	12,301	11,268	16,520	15,836
East Indies—British.....	11,502	6,851	3,934	7,802	4,911	4,750	11,576	39,343	8,041	12,831
Dutch.....					55	50	1,260		78	54
French.....				6		5				
Hongkong.....	6,344	2,408	5,928	5,418	3,206	5,195	1,237	2,302	3,931	2,074
Japan.....	43,800	20,991	21,331	15,126	16,790	30,367	14,177	18,516	23,659	27,608
Korea.....									145	
Russia, Asiatic.....					280					280
Turkey in Asia.....	834	465	100	3,378	508	991	763	1,202	751	1,174
All other Asia.....	2,010	966	1,042	600	758	1,739	951	752	1,148	603
British Australasia.....	155,429	122,872	107,884	85,095	63,987	67,475	69,840	73,637	67,275	92,706
French Oceania.....	55	55	33	5	572	163	198	9	161	808
Tonga, Samoa, and other, n. e. s.....								1,115	65	1,258
Hawaiian Islands.....	14,790	18,251	18,667	17,239	15,661	17,664	17,318	25,746	25,990	27,270
Philippine Islands.....			19	73			44	627	48	
British Africa.....	14,013	10,790	12,098	10,815	16,071	15,323	27,686	39,909	30,677	38,446
Canary Islands.....		40	21		10		50	5	182	8
French Africa.....				30				50	18	
Liberia.....	1,691	1,184	677	1,240	1,194	992	1,165	572	491	799
Portuguese Africa.....				8			47	412	1,799	1,137
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	680	56	45	284		5,552	100	292	158	263
All other Africa.....	1,052	441	548	386	351	1,137	111	745	494	731
British, all other.....		336	35							
All other islands and ports.....	634	100	566	25	10,000	1,808	230			
Total.....	1,712,079	1,886,094	1,820,470	1,943,228	1,808,873	2,620,046	2,316,217	2,338,722	2,647,548	2,434,325
Brass, and manufactures of:										
Austria-Hungary.....	137	121	521	25	397	18		60	636	1,806
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	15	9							6	50
Belgium.....	427	921	3,398	6,709	5,282	7,403	7,040	14,633	26,319	37,153
Denmark.....	113	225	3,220	3,799	4,939	4,983	3,953	4,415	1,681	4,769
France.....	5,006	4,832	3,052	3,994	4,134	40,516	33,427	3,202	27,182	55,827
Germany.....	11,424	19,773	32,208	74,252	28,761	48,835	32,136	42,784	101,802	150,696

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Brass, and manufactures of—Continued.										
Gibraltar.....						71				
Greece.....										40
Italy.....	1,147	124,196	352	340	1,303	72,554	113,068	7,314	10,797	8,800
Netherlands.....	136	85	3,387	2,554	2,332	10,748	6,161	17,003	43,512	58,611
Portugal.....		25	12	35		47	7	43	520	425
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		297	62					1,165	6,797	7,351
Russia, Black Sea.....			701				283	171	4,984	3,470
Spain.....	248		193	9	396			78	33	617
Sweden and Norway.....			18	53	21	622	234	113	987	2,448
Switzerland.....					1,200				374	1,044
Turkey in Europe.....		176							27	184
United Kingdom.....	76,968	92,562	84,317	157,527	103,710	199,827	244,389	270,073	454,728	429,725
Bermuda.....				85	331	295	154	97	134	380
British Honduras.....	28	56	54	289	465	441	64	178	151	464
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,155	2,684	2,630	6,632	6,622	10,879	11,927	12,107	15,854	14,815
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	104,679	97,011	53,740	87,043	138,104	238,202	171,450	302,152	308,995	346,841
British Columbia.....	1,550	2,293	2,022	5,108	4,292	2,026	1,850	3,262	8,414	7,419
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	268	1,082	287	491	3,073	764	534	475	863	1,496
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,007	741	897	1,174	852	689	720	2,150	1,643	824
Guatemala.....	1,517	2,248	2,876	5,457	8,888	2,879	2,207	2,263	3,142	968
Honduras.....	326	187	767	609	5,137	1,558	753	356	394	1,058
Nicaragua.....	500	1,099	1,851	11,862	2,042	2,943	2,073	573	659	415
Salvador.....	1,069	500	433	3,815	22,652	345	2,452	1,570	1,072	176
Mexico.....	21,859	25,494	24,747	30,883	40,376	27,963	34,774	47,118	64,680	71,783
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....				35						8
West Indies—										
British.....	1,195	2,131	1,837	1,256	1,144	1,053	1,500	2,350	1,893	2,278
Danish.....	69	294	85	56	281	117	64	68	61	56
Dutch.....	1,080	709	140	324	468	570	927	1,401	962	233
French.....			28	20	79	8		67	52	4,773
Haiti.....	493	297	5,674	420	290	570	673	1,168	796	686
Santo Domingo.....	500	184	1,634	489	906	891	418	894	1,445	861
Spanish—Cuba.....	32,420	25,006	25,230	26,534	44,150	42,125	42,078	75,660	19,825	8,737
Porto Rico.....	1,956	2,439	1,871	1,312	2,181	3,161	3,162	4,059	3,738	1,161
Argentina.....	4,076	6,650	683	5,551	12,532	19,963	4,358	4,633	6,450	5,510
Bolivia.....				224	275	68				
Brazil.....	5,428	6,892	9,933	26,187	31,353	28,087	21,570	6,265	4,989	5,016
Chile.....	2,213	740	2,489	28,880	8,738	7,412	2,433	3,830	5,734	1,688
Colombia.....	20,921	3,364	4,527	3,668	3,117	3,662	3,482	3,730	2,544	18,919
Ecuador.....	857	711	424	412	4,456	794	1,340	1,495	1,346	1,679
Guianas—British.....	56	113	337	243	128	130	215	268	22	119
Dutch.....								50	53	72
Pern.....	703	2,579	3,300	3,924	1,257	3,081	1,085	743	2,278	1,501
Uruguay.....	751	826	2,349		235	773	625	1,616	169	77
Venezuela.....	3,301	28,661	2,704	3,108	1,879	4,007	4,231	4,144	4,254	3,280
China.....	956	325	100	6,480	7,940	799	32	360	1,055	96
East Indies—British.....	537	2,744	108	81	40		712	3,238	2,059	6,416
Dutch.....									165	1,550
Hongkong.....	3,735	35	2,800	1,854	2,028	1,227	477	310	221	486
Japan.....	52	250	27	261	541	1,399	2,052	5,732	4,008	13,640
Turkey in Asia.....			36							
All other Asia.....							40			
British Australasia.....	5,710	3,926	5,191	12,720	8,606	9,613	16,132	8,189	13,536	23,012
French Oceania.....	485	66								
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,740	743	2,486	347	347	1,805	2,171	400	610	1,009
Philippine Islands.....						31			363	17
British Africa.....	379	396	589	1,298	1,018	2,323	5,003	7,247	6,032	6,194
French Africa.....						45	125			100

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Brass, and manufactures of—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Liberia	1,934	615	12	155						
Madagascar.....										125
Portuguese Africa.....				24				263	122	229
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....							51			70
All other Africa.....	20			139	123	12	30	41	263	854
Total.....	321,137	467,515	296,349	528,756	519,435	808,427	784,640	872,396	1,171,431	1,320,093
Bricks:										
BUILDING—										
Bermuda.....				179	821	138	95	509	175	96
British Honduras.....					63					292
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	153	360					59			
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	7,922	10,335	13,190	744	953	13,617	1,233	9,393	5,622	3,620
British Columbia.....		218		977	6,619	894	1,120	2,923	6,744	1,300
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		3,676	1,902	3,950	8,208	6,899	1,574			
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	47	45				238				
Guatemala.....		333	30		450			270	30	
Honduras.....	5	40	8	8	162	483		9		14
Nicaragua.....	335	193	67	58	7	159	869		15	7
Salvador.....		80								
Mexico.....	1,880	3,699	3,038	316	1,833	1,876	935	1,587	556	885
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	1,303		359		55		510	295	248	213
West Indies—										
British.....	748	495	1,560	153	371	357	491	609	402	127
Danish.....	388	80	80	70	490	163	35			390
Dutch.....			125	290		163	130	119	65	
French.....							8			
Haiti.....	1,115	5,034	6,010	7,459	6,683	8,096	5,203	11,244	3,125	1,470
Santo Domingo.....	775	5,450	5,663	6,794	8,071	5,324	8,941	3,056	3,952	4,267
Spanish—Cuba.....	1,791	4,066	4,669	5,544	35,532	2,528	2,778	62		
Porto Rico.....			370	23			28			320
Brazil.....	135	112		153	85	160		48		
Colombia.....	1,746	189	525	16	108	38	20	45		180
Venezuela.....	36		120					16		
China.....								20		173
Japan.....										
Russia, Asiatic.....	96				50	81	46			65
French Oceanica.....	42									
Hawaiian Islands.....	6,291	21,046	15,184	7,374	7,220	10,577	15,001	3,782	9,799	15,375
British Africa.....			140						80	
Portuguese Africa.....								299		1,130
All other islands and ports.....	78	24								
Total.....	24,886	55,475	52,830	34,288	77,846	51,791	39,134	33,677	30,213	30,014
FIRE—										
Denmark.....									57	
France.....									3	
Germany.....			18				15			
Italy.....	19						5			
Netherlands.....				2						
Russia, Black Sea.....									38,417	23,366
Spain.....				92			3			2
Sweden and Norway.....				15						17
Portugal.....						103				
United Kingdom.....		29	94	1,114	12	20		244		
Bermuda.....				13		84	10	169	14	300
British Honduras.....							7		54	40

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Bricks—Continued.										
FIRE—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc...	6,945	5,619	3,915	2,015	2,614	6,052	8,441	4,601	3,162	8,928
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	21,823	21,334	14,903	7,857	23,094	33,946	36,177	45,711	44,867	53,064
British Columbia.....	633	202	1,753	913	1,382	6	193	4,173	2,956	1,393
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	512	222	424	41	581	713	48		98	123
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	38	71	15	15	293	52	177	44	73	87
Guatemala.....	94			213	46	512	681	1,632	162	70
Honduras.....	247	109	81				15		48	62
Nicaragua.....	53	51	62	81	43	48	1,453	348		39
Salvador.....			355		160	107	245	178	387	
Mexico.....	6,310	4,111	4,956	8,819	15,627	14,985	15,499	16,291	14,665	25,122
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		12			56					32
West Indies—										
British.....	765	598	1,311	700	5,318	736	1,159	359	516	1,793
Danish.....	559	1,472	309				359	117	117	
Dutch.....	4		8	3	14	66		2	3	2
Haiti.....	1,049	56	234	20	595	541		1,132	1,089	13
Santo Domingo.....	295	2,868	1,412	1,456	4,614	2,655	988	1,524	2,975	2,796
Spanish—Cuba.....	3,131	5,453	7,066	25,208	59,957	61,183	18,728	8,568	1,562	1,428
Porto Rico.....	330	83	1,277	110	1,711	1,673	1,615	6,835	1,663	525
Argentina.....				962					705	2,700
Brazil.....	902	792	2,096	1,502	1,168	1,374	1,158	1,127	2,456	886
Chilo.....		4	350	138		31	44		10	
Colombia.....	1,102	219	1,842	323	554	509	361	358	232	382
Ecuador.....	190	35	550	159			65			
Guianas—British.....	32		200					6		
Dutch.....					35	90				
Peru.....	3		313		80	7			70	1,445
Venezuela.....	285	197	1,532	5	121	475	476	591	114	85
China.....		45	600						850	
Japan.....	70							13		216
British Australasia.....	357	42	141	159	44	45	105	64	70	304
French Oceania.....				20						
Hawaiian Islands.....	290		410	1,420	327		580	231	627	1,510
British Africa.....			120			67	60	60	120	388
Canary Islands.....					17		41		14	
Liberia.....		120								
Portuguese Africa.....										142
Spanish Africa.....		30	7							
Total.....	46,029	43,818	46,345	53,414	118,313	126,113	88,699	94,878	118,176	127,260
Brooms and brushes:										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	388	409	379	291	91	5	3	12	18	2
Belgium.....	63	40	68	100	63	866	388	627	1,921	1,995
Denmark.....	60	12	18	64	17		14	1,043	22	125
France.....	429	6,200	560	353	1,304	292	2,883	2,168	558	1,324
Germany.....	3,549	2,212	2,244	1,838	1,771	4,015	2,365		4,444	1,887
Gibraltar.....							16			
Italy.....	203	283	84	42	44	27	53	22	55	168
Netherlands.....	536	580	391	249	411	85	536	299	606	618
Portugal.....	161	211	157		101	232	84	47	105	54
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....										12
Russia, Black Sea.....									22	26
Spain.....	591	104	53	218	83	26	416	237		
Sweden and Norway.....	43	29	39	24	92	73	385	151	52	258
Switzerland.....	34									
Turkey in Europe.....										45
United Kingdom.....	11,812	9,032	14,325	22,560	82,923	33,341	31,580	33,542	35,066	35,663
Bermuda.....				711	613	785	662	848	789	1,177
British Honduras.....		378	812	650	612	372	614	727	998	1,104

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Brooms and brushes—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	835	282	45	251	515	1,747	1,311	694	652	815
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	19,771	28,578	19,487	14,257	18,955	10,005	10,245	15,672	17,412	14,516
British Columbia.....	1,367	1,440	1,019	1,408	1,076	819	1,136	1,574	1,769	1,114
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,195	901	117	1,002	944	1,547	1,473	771	1,153	1,091
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,210	3,785	3,966	4,052	4,700	4,150	5,628	5,996	6,035	3,345
Guatemala.....	1,739	4,033	2,542	2,859	4,999	2,394	4,222	4,494	4,930	822
Honduras.....	382	430	235	461	322	223	396	487	615	410
Nicaragua.....	768	1,449	1,732	1,157	1,127	823	1,016	1,668	1,304	1,310
Salvador.....	670	926	572	1,427	1,049	461	1,233	1,412	1,122	388
Mexico.....	8,548	6,543	8,346	9,565	9,702	8,585	8,985	10,577	9,380	11,202
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	529	399	251	351	254	136	67	76	62	45
West Indies—										
British.....	4,146	4,024	4,742	4,153	6,791	5,109	4,885	4,907	4,653	5,143
Danish.....	234	425	273	366	306	266	376	365	261	289
Dutch.....	359	690	831	642	1,014	689	499	755	744	671
French.....	88	84	207	126	105	71	75	56	65	134
Haiti.....	538	1,710	941	968	2,463	791	779	769	561	296
Santo Domingo.....	546	459	344	329	501	532	511	436	562	441
Spanish—Cuba.....	5,851	4,950	4,740	6,479	8,917	10,914	5,959	6,513	4,902	2,767
Porto Rico.....	6,241	5,755	3,868	6,791	4,408	4,990	1,898	1,393	1,323	562
Argentina.....	4,872	4,198	655	349	300	984	1,094	1,556	1,404	412
Bolivia.....	80				73					8
Brazil.....	2,395	2,315	4,013	3,298	3,480	3,547	5,617	4,414	4,020	2,417
Chile.....	3,557	2,053	2,282	3,904	6,075	3,308	5,302	7,130	3,229	1,777
Colombia.....	7,090	4,187	4,554	4,677	4,942	3,392	3,693	3,147	5,605	3,876
Ecuador.....	932	866	2,902	824	3,046	1,788	1,089	1,796	3,156	1,038
Guianas—British.....	2,532	2,316	1,479	3,998	3,073	3,776	2,519	2,635	2,760	2,063
Dutch.....	177	396	184	288	267	212	345	261	365	391
French.....	105	138	62	47	43	30	39	107	148	66
Peru.....	1,818	2,053	3,500	2,334	1,795	1,506	1,631	1,789	1,910	2,419
Uruguay.....	283	410	302	115	27	420	112	217	268	58
Venezuela.....	2,751	2,436	2,393	2,343	2,038	2,504	2,562	2,548	2,537	1,087
China.....	186	329	249	4,400	318	379	278	374	427	74
East Indies—British.....	601				125					320
Dutch.....		85	25		24	73	123	267	157	70
Hongkong.....	309	91	151	202	155	199	196	264	736	260
Japan.....	746	645	370	301	319	65	470	1,442	525	317
Russia—Asiatic.....		58	147				87	35	29	
Turkey in Asia.....				12						19
All other Asia.....		36	23		2				2	29
British Australasia.....	31,692	12,361	26,344	36,198	25,534	29,739	18,688	15,419	15,817	15,455
French Oceanica.....	565	726	700	529	684	673	335	456	680	360
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								208	126	63
Hawaiian Islands.....	7,707	10,272	10,003	7,846	7,685	10,741	10,071	10,658	11,403	11,924
Philippine Islands.....					90	795	21			105
British Africa.....	12,850	18,422	16,602	25,132	23,990	20,169	21,317	25,795	25,674	21,757
Canary Islands.....				5			16			
French Africa.....	53	63	7	9	25					
Liberia.....	173	69	143	211	61	95	36	45	46	53
Portuguese Africa.....				182	248	219	236	1,875	2,787	1,450
Spanish Africa.....	43	39	27							123
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	66					12				
All other Africa.....	49	22	6	58	13	8		10	144	511
All other German.....						7				
All other islands and ports.....	33	180	89	97	38	21	92			
Total.....	155,551	151,128	150,609	181,110	241,343	179,098	165,672	180,183	186,056	158,272

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Candles:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Azores, and Madeira Islands	13			41	25		4			
Belgium	31					553				
Germany		10	2	37	17		4	7	50	5
Gibraltar							373			
Italy	394		30		24				448	280
Portugal	5		144						43	
Spain	59	126		175				135		85
United Kingdom		1,004	2,307	88	1,342	1,439	275	1,313	2,997	4,338
Bermuda				897	803	460	656	782	697	633
British Honduras	1,675	1,901	2,857	4,234	2,238	1,570	2,276	4,176	2,668	3,014
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc. . .	253	211	91	21	70	38	48	241	82	513
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	1,728	3,285	2,183	375	981	3,286	5,695	6,251	7,343	14,277
British Columbia	1,850	1,559	2,569	5,625	1,683	6,803	7,760	15,040	36,187	50,821
Newfoundland and Labrador	2,320	1,569	495	822	922	752	208	345	380	390
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	1,866	1,955	1,683	2,307	2,576	3,586	1,175	1,988	2,492	518
Guatemala	905	1,255	3,065	4,639	3,821	6,374	11,855	5,787	5,283	3,193
Honduras	7,921	4,626	5,135	5,417	8,273	7,326	9,069	8,690	9,995	8,292
Nicaragua	1,977	3,386	2,759	2,028	2,315	2,568	3,526	2,936	2,640	3,282
Salvador	202	54		25		697	100	99	2,085	207
Mexico	34,179	35,711	37,210	47,504	49,855	72,591	60,302	95,926	77,030	75,543
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	244	207	223	220	50	44	38			12
West Indies—										
British	11,078	10,997	11,432	8,780	8,634	11,713	8,739	9,242	7,556	8,792
Danish	986	1,218	1,174	940	745	959	643	608	486	699
Dutch	1,000	1,173	1,045	915	938	902	875	827	1,023	756
French		38	145	160	317	91	79	36	28	44
Haiti	4,441	5,447	5,824	5,457	6,160	7,766	6,993	4,324	5,856	3,808
Santo Domingo	4,140	3,506	3,091	3,422	3,055	4,508	3,219	2,148	2,167	2,068
Spanish—Cuba	793	655	316	909	1,076	365	30	175	36	72
Porto Rico	18,755	15,069	14,081	19,345	8,384	9,718	4,975	4,188	1,276	370
Argentina		108	28		146			24		
Bolivia		120		80	204	92	148	45		3
Brazil	12,829	17,094	17,434	21,463	16,764	16,185	11,252	7,981	5,250	2,937
Chile		20	165	1,312	115	250	63	170		18
Colombia	7,146	6,323	7,348	6,453	10,189	8,427	8,054	10,333	10,447	7,069
Ecuador	398	259	1,223	3,037	2,079	278	350	1,306	366	1,223
Guianas—British	2,747	2,784	4,457	2,248	3,158	3,641	2,955	3,215	2,657	3,107
Dutch	188	250	432	739	554	719	740	675	500	967
French			4							
Peru	136	608	1,744	336	137	164	306	1,416	266	479
Uruguay	164	209	166		149		158			
Venezuela	11,173	10,125	10,939	8,348	11,765	10,049	11,019	7,080	7,260	4,570
China		130		70					65	784
East Indies—British			3							
Dutch									53	
Hongkong			250							566
Japan		41	890	1,791	205	1,009	223	1,060	287	310
Russia, Asiatic	87									
British Australasia		25	64	353	677	10	260	65	328	546
French Oceanica	312	394	359	328	386	243	94	132	264	89
Hawaiian Islands	6,042	9,553	5,584	4,936	4,428	5,294	7,010	8,367	5,455	3,785
British Africa	263	28		33	131	112	19,437	24,237	13,841	23,777
Canary Islands			78	9						
Liberia	2	13		6	12				6	
Portuguese Africa								1,176	672	
Spanish Africa			15							

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Candles—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										2
All other Africa		9	3							
All other islands and ports	65	18	65	8						
Total	138,367	143,073	149,112	165,933	155,403	189,462	190,986	230,146	216,565	232,214
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
<i>For steam railways—</i>										
Austria-Hungary										\$600
Belgium										1,120
Denmark										5,047
France										23,821
Germany										20,696
Italy										7,007
Netherlands										1,400
Portugal										6,700
United Kingdom										74,930
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										270
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										21,750
British Columbia										11,043
Newfoundland and Labrador										29,496
Central American States—										
Costa Rica										50
Guatemala										2,607
Honduras										7,053
Nicaragua										2,773
Salvador										1,298
Mexico										364,304
West Indies—										
British										3,970
French										25
Haiti										1,500
Santo Domingo										14,597
Spanish—Cuba										12,933
Argentina										127,862
Brazil										542,984
Chile										2,611
Colombia										23,882
Ecuador										9,723
Guianas—British										204
Peru										7,005
Uruguay										20,790
Venezuela										240
China										24,850
East Indies—British										1,800
Japan										2,607
British Australasia										9,875
British Africa										87,529
Portuguese Africa										576
Total	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	1,478,188
<i>For other railways—</i>										
Austria-Hungary										1,500
Belgium										2,029
France										9,820
Germany										18,194

a See cars, passenger and freight, for steam railroads.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
For other railways—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Italy.....										6,650
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....										264
United Kingdom.....										60,509
Dominion of Canada—										
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										7,228
British Columbia.....										662
Central American States—										
Guatemala.....										4,072
Honduras.....										2,170
Nicaragua.....										3,517
Mexico.....										26,897
West Indies—										
British.....										887
French.....										900
Santo Domingo.....										540
Spanish—Cuba.....										6,337
Argentina.....										46,709
Brazil.....										11,809
Chile.....										1,796
Colombia.....										1,687
Ecuador.....										1,882
Guianas—British.....										83
Peru.....										10,204
Venezuela.....										228
Japan.....										5,093
British Australasia.....										3,005
British Africa.....										24,386
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										255
All other Africa.....										480
Total.....	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	260,393
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary.....								3,771	18,545	41,050
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....										300
Belgium.....								23,127	200,587	130,016
Denmark.....								34,856	238,348	228,370
France.....								108,414	262,006	482,680
Germany.....								145,892	1,026,226	1,724,404
Gibraltar.....								150	2,183	1,075
Greece.....										1,108
Italy.....								49,621	162,877	89,522
Netherlands.....								66,867	445,193	251,918
Portugal.....								2,765	3,774	7,125
Roumania.....										864
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....								7,078	37,468	35,642
Russia, Black Sea.....								1,625	815	781
Spain.....								493	2,504	2,765
Sweden and Norway.....								23,843	79,447	142,443
Switzerland.....								244	2,283	13,751
Turkey in Europe.....								257		1,053
United Kingdom.....								613,292	2,375,675	1,852,166
Bermuda.....								9,897	25,851	14,951
British Honduras.....								1,466	2,014	1,061

a See Cars, passenger and freight, for steam railroads.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....								48,520	73,701	64,755
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....								410,957	625,989	512,997
British Columbia.....								33,208	27,471	33,650
Newfoundland and Labrador.....								3,913	7,332	2,601
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....								4,959	3,752	2,733
Guatemala.....								37,713	26,242	797
Honduras.....								475	777	1,142
Nicaragua.....								962	4,272	2,035
Salvador.....								2,206	10,144	529
Mexico.....								24,278	73,117	68,622
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....									217	1,710
West Indies—										
British.....								6,898	98,024	63,000
Danish.....								44	2,231	4,046
Dutch.....								524	4,479	1,760
French.....								8	1,151	141
Haiti.....								2,544	471	495
Santo Domingo.....								266	4,908	1,171
Spanish—Cuba.....								5,766	4,016	9,214
Porto Rico.....								7,929	4,120	3,359
Argentina.....								4,065	42,091	90,229
Bolivia.....										670
Brazil.....								13,592	29,355	98,482
Chile.....								7,557	22,053	14,246
Colombia.....								23,012	24,290	15,684
Ecuador.....								1,308	1,952	2,512
Guianas—British.....								350	6,587	15,203
Dutch.....								168	830	910
French.....								47	46	60
Peru.....								776	9,905	8,732
Uruguay.....								409	3,951	3,850
Venezuela.....								2,786	28,183	2,823
Aden.....								140	2,023	606
China.....								4,669	18,410	27,449
East Indies—British.....								2,392	18,326	90,388
Dutch.....								351	1,035	13,368
French.....										106
Hongkong.....								738	11,347	7,636
Japan.....								27,056	52,179	88,905
Russia, Asiatic.....								5		85
Turkey in Asia.....								75	372	925
All other Asia.....								275	129	1,133
British Australasia.....								84,610	692,894	309,006
French Oceania.....								874	3,215	4,967
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....									613	272
Hawaiian Islands.....								30,320	42,664	52,072
British Africa.....								7,402	108,847	184,503
Canary Islands.....										219
Portuguese Africa.....								52	2,827	985
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....									1,782	6,059
All other Africa.....								55	12,211	5,599
Total.....								1,868,012	7,005,323	6,846,529
CARRIAGES AND STREET CARS, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary.....	205	534	680	500	28	608	180	3,438	2,046	
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,066	282	510	465		7				

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CARRIAGES AND STREET CARS, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Belgium	4,889	4,673	4,750	8,523	5,944	12,473	7,331	16,953	11,567	.....
Denmark	257	328	619	663	1,475	1,138	1,419	1,694	3,880	.....
France	22,661	13,208	11,500	10,562	6,538	31,555	30,863	13,605	24,926	.....
Germany	40,476	49,032	42,214	52,131	44,697	89,262	57,869	75,809	51,482	.....
Gibraltar	412	.....	380	417	271	159	.....	95	442	.....
Greece .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	.....	.....	.....
Italy	1,535	3,059	935	1,514	2,762	5,118	3,548	1,570	7,522	.....
Malta, Gozo, etc. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....
Netherlands	3,553	4,624	5,605	24,220	11,556	9,742	3,641	1,856	4,676	.....
Portugal	652	1,290	1,179	210	.....	410	.....	.....	46	.....
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	1,168	855	1,198	1,605	1,903	987	80	1,583	2,606	.....
Russia, Black Sea	330	.....	259	980	185	1,005	43	724	370	.....
Spain	594	181	1,120	.....	902	.....	20	2,662	504	.....
Sweden and Norway	75	25	2,998	696	54	1,768	514	1,298	3,536	.....
Switzerland .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	640	1,430	.....
Turkey in Europe	93	.....	.....	.....	65	.....	812	121	.....	.....
United Kingdom	271,960	356,593	374,274	351,653	349,869	445,003	363,686	424,473	511,185	.....
Bermuda .....	.....	.....	.....	12,847	10,452	10,019	8,404	8,624	5,734	.....
British Honduras	757	2,451	2,032	1,157	1,644	741	1,468	664	460	.....
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	8,377	11,025	8,249	8,913	21,246	21,147	29,188	15,960	9,183	.....
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	77,976	80,073	95,246	53,800	54,954	73,147	76,404	80,311	80,636	.....
British Columbia	17,167	4,983	26,159	4,422	9,411	3,785	11,167	9,725	20,411	.....
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,447	698	850	728	1,354	2,747	710	59	693	.....
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	16,171	22,968	19,950	19,441	14,493	7,145	5,686	16,503	16,131	.....
Guatemala	18,974	26,469	44,296	21,824	25,360	21,311	36,242	143,643	83,201	.....
Honduras	1,973	3,555	2,705	3,591	965	1,590	1,540	3,481	3,099	.....
Nicaragua	4,343	11,379	13,104	13,250	6,188	1,532	3,257	2,912	2,312	.....
Salvador	2,984	4,199	2,226	7,478	11,191	3,482	3,674	16,447	6,101	.....
Mexico	134,873	130,510	181,010	118,658	99,325	69,516	62,083	113,599	129,025	.....
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	196	.....	157	130	60	.....	.....	.....	8	.....
West Indies—										
British	79,510	89,544	128,979	89,821	76,537	107,385	88,477	90,311	56,792	.....
Danish	3,965	8,578	2,732	4,665	3,883	4,887	3,702	2,803	6,001	.....
Dutch	4,346	3,569	6,403	8,496	4,953	4,108	2,540	3,120	4,621	.....
French	13,315	22,373	22,500	14,978	14,442	10,346	8,059	8,827	8,361	.....
Haiti	25,456	26,539	37,770	29,241	48,657	46,311	46,348	48,312	17,899	.....
Santo Domingo	8,720	15,371	9,617	4,838	7,231	24,181	46,154	10,764	15,411	.....
Spanish—Cuba	67,282	99,374	166,889	270,276	316,045	261,175	147,740	18,341	3,755	.....
Porto Rico	11,144	20,726	20,881	21,017	10,351	13,819	6,780	7,879	9,430	.....
Argentina	160,893	257,937	13,478	2,457	9,800	13,570	27,520	40,668	66,885	.....
Bolivia .....	.....	980	593	1,425	471	2,005	1,404	.....	.....	.....
Brazil	32,387	23,319	89,471	62,538	32,778	22,958	20,973	44,324	15,327	.....
Chile	17,060	10,826	14,371	20,041	39,547	21,705	19,801	25,001	12,613	.....
Colombia	30,982	12,978	15,577	17,455	21,264	18,112	8,022	12,142	17,891	.....
Ecuador	3,054	4,472	6,672	6,895	1,316	1,357	3,109	1,064	3,608	.....
Gnianas—British	4,365	5,008	5,407	7,389	8,349	11,347	10,292	5,695	3,438	.....
Dutch	312	42	40	170	1,019	1,286	123	116	549	.....
French	173	21	102	54	403	.....	169	.....	125	.....
Peru	4,550	3,944	10,192	9,955	2,259	3,495	1,258	850	2,834	.....
Uruguay	24,930	56,498	4,511	446	197	2,292	1,894	971	2,224	.....
Venezuela	24,197	22,896	51,288	36,806	14,921	16,414	15,842	15,201	14,375	.....
Aden .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,045	2,065	.....
China	413	590	533	111	598	1,484	24	141	1,663	.....
East Indies—British	1,480	10,929	1,584	3,835	3,403	5,487	8,272	3,916	7,843	.....
Dutch .....	.....	723	409	4,924	1,275	85	869	4,474	6,277	.....
Hongkong	36	130	236	1,492	117	348	1,325	1,680
Japan	2,439	2,123	1,315	2,182	719	1,671	1,356	5,370	513

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CARRIAGES AND STREET CARS, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Asiatic		160	496	131	377	220	391	1,995	1,377	
Turkey in Asia	93	63		619	270	212	642	38	5	
All other Asia	276		165	253	710	265	516			
British Australasia	389,053	315,130	420,899	497,008	214,479	175,769	203,884	251,852	319,399	
French Oceania	3,253	2,968	4,837	3,106	2,021	2,294	2,411	3,589	3,676	
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								912	1,164	
Hawaiian Islands	34,931	91,392	47,540	19,651	10,681	13,787	18,712	26,063	26,801	
Philippine Islands	191	1,429		118	2,553	2,202	959	5,182	1,707	
British Africa	75,452	211,817	81,978	73,011	67,055	78,558	103,349	267,092	320,093	
Canary Islands					525	280	16	20	358	
French Africa	25		8		70		451		8	
Liberia	43	40	49		9					
Portuguese Africa				50	950		60	4,727	7,295	
Spanish Africa	38		390							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt ..			360	67		209		916	709	
All other Africa	80	149		1,170	400	150		5,663	4,576	
All other British	4,608	1,350	2,937	6,810	1,542	1,827	942			
All other islands and ports ..	68	18	446	201	632	1,156	1,250			
Total	1,664,234	2,056,980	2,015,870	1,944,170	1,605,801	1,649,154	1,514,336	1,884,658	1,955,760	
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, FOR STEAM RAILROADS—										
Austria-Hungary			176,600							
Belgium				6,000	10,000	11,500			983	
Denmark										
France	2,912	33,000							1,150	
Germany				54,448	49,000			1,415	10,484	
Italy						4,750	2,000		280	
Netherlands									610	
Portugal	17,600	16,792								
Russia, Baltic and White Seas ..							950			
Spain		43,920	3,510	3,280					120	
Sweden and Norway									689	
United Kingdom	2,676	190,773	62,507	38,000		382	6,500	2,550	63,815	
British Honduras									125	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.				9,500			22,465		10,760	
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	90,200	49,900	73,040	6,619	25,430	46,727	990	43,144	2,173	
British Columbia	31,282			4,076				6,195	2,697	
Newfoundland and Labrador										
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	8,530		7,283	1,390				7,085		
Guatemala		3,500	3,300	18,938		26,005	72,480	28,078	20,503	
Honduras							1,550		1,400	
Nicaragua		26,365	1,000	7,840	1,500			15,174	5,620	
Salvador		4,000	339,406		3,712	10,372	27,351	338	16,191	
Mexico	210,412	492,326	590,615	86,614	192,238	62,323	108,457	573,826	486,443	
West Indies—										
British		1,747	56,505		3,210	29,370	3,043	32,250	1,899	
Dutch									24	
French									92	
Haiti						1,821			4,719	
Santo Domingo		1,710			225		1,685		5,177	
Spanish—Cuba	127,533	163,455	337,158	177,605	271,571	197,563	273,103	28,533	9,202	
Porto Rico									810	
Argentina	558,994	1,063,319	492,389			6,000	56,750	8,000	82,881	
Brazil	275,853	347,222	593,252	878,523	295,064	1,256,620	270,277	217,594	104,007	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER CARRIAGES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Chile										1,024
Colombia										16,460
Ecuador										2,707
Guianas—British										3,001
Dutch										291
French										200
Paraguay										12
Peru										541
Uruguay										1,470
Venezuela										6,913
Aden										585
China										4,248
East Indies—British										8,952
Dutch										7,308
Hongkong										3,348
Japan										3,327
Russia—Asiatic										1,181
Turkey in Asia										80
All other Asia										31
British Australasia										311,410
French Oceania										4,748
Tonga, Samoa, etc.										601
Hawaiian Islands										38,730
Philippine Islands										2,511
British Africa										238,473
Portuguese Africa										5,880
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										1,160
All other Africa										400
Total										1,685,838
Celluloid manufactures:										
Austria-Hungary								150		200
Belgium						125				60
Denmark						231	290	159	128	30
France							150	2,676	10,148	3,034
Germany						5,694	6,865	7,052	12,285	9,849
Italy						123		45		
Portugal						510	125			
Russia, Baltic and White Seas									200	
United Kingdom						77,165	59,385	131,794	116,292	121,691
Bermuda								67		
British Honduras								9	4	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.							352	58	140	470
Quebec, Ontario, etc.						920	4,118	2,065	2,334	5,682
British Columbia						41				484
Newfoundland and Labrador										15
Central American States—										
Costa Rica						17		97		43
Guatemala						28			16	
Honduras										5
Nicaragua						7		90		
Salvador									22	40
Mexico						109	530	418	128	624
West Indies—										
British							24	214	27	122
Dutch								182	7	9
French									15	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Celluloid manufactures—Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Haiti							11	2		
Santo Domingo						33	49	12		
Spanish—Cuba							83	272	560	144
Porto Rico								28		
Argentina						40	121	178		123
Brazil							170	301		
Chile								36	18	
Colombia						26			40	27
Ecuador						165	207	40	688	115
Peru							87			22
Venezuela							75	38	163	15
Japan								331	0,058	12,191
British Australasia							284	40	295	317
British Africa									63	110
All other Africa										20
Total				239,004	236,597	85,234	72,926	146,354	149,631	155,444
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines :										
ACIDS—										
Austria-Hungary										1,200
Belgium			250					870	70	5
France										20
Germany	15						150			13
Italy									7,240	
United Kingdom		1,049	1,057			788	8,027	14	8	56
Bermuda				1,163	858	680	409	1,232	575	623
British Honduras	202	214	252	287	302	181	228	311	214	179
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	7,018	3,375	1,483	725	1,093	876	1,849	1,286	1,441	1,542
Quebec, Ontario	1,868	6,595	16,642	472	3,032	7,710	15,856	23,147	20,264	20,120
British Columbia	3,913	5,664	9,878	8,694	1,652	3,094	2,624	3,248	12,781	13,235
Newfoundland and Labrador	447	69	383	69	108	500	290	697	615	350
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	1,841	954	1,162	1,056	871	825	668	1,018	1,518	1,243
Guatemala	211	803	1,004	861	476	845	1,379	277	311	99
Honduras	90	42	257	940	71	419	70	137	102	305
Nicaragua	234	753	382	272	75	86	59	197	372	325
Salvador	409	304	491	394	267	514	330	700	267	370
Mexico	14,859	17,052	26,502	19,674	17,972	19,017	21,030	25,900	18,313	28,154
West Indies—										
British	2,910	3,988	4,190	1,995	1,284	2,372	1,263	1,886	1,011	1,683
Danish		438	38	100	100	236	171	251	177	429
Dutch	31	307	267	217	302	164	332	169	216	681
French			59		15		19	4	98	6
Haiti	85	204	116	213	150	114	225	523	197	238
San Domingo	105	145	37	195	380	265	146	173	602	340
Spanish—Cuba	21,582	24,979	29,825	33,884	34,020	35,326	35,380	14,449	17,348	15,779
Porto Rico	432	755	714	2,480	1,586	2,891	1,881	1,626	1,410	654
Argentina					51			325	5	2,230
Brazil	140	414	64	69	68	339	101	134	2,365	146
Chile	4	100	198		50			42	104	570
Colombia	1,743	649	493	728	823	1,010	1,114	673	714	1,523
Ecuador	100	40	183	398	49	77	1,004	205	160	299
Guianas—British	18,768	22,989	20,014	27,318	20,502	22,739	17,360	11,162	5,381	9,577
Dutch					4					
Peru		24			102	92	27	83	154	
Uruguay							18		14	10
Venezuela	1,450	1,877	3,416	3,581	3,196	3,419	2,439	3,015	2,538	1,392

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines—										
Continued.										
COPPER, SULPHATE OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Bermuda										252
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										338
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										10,118
Central American States—Costa Rica ..										89
Mexico										71,497
West Indies—British										61
Cuba										159
Argentina										9,644
Uruguay										1,619
Venezuela										20
British Australasia										2,744
Total										475,717
DYES AND DYESTUFFS—										
Austria-Hungary	320	125							3,478	308
Azores, and Madeira Islands	146	68			63					
Belgium	54,876	62,746	62,176	48,726	46,258	56,661	65,135	67,806	71,473	34,297
Denmark	11,148	2,940	2,445	1,591	2,646	6,028	5,580	6,093	3,289	4,159
France	11,839	24,492	8,169	10,717	11,489	8,653	9,873	7,161	3,540	3,513
Germany	315,941	255,017	242,410	273,456	279,187	294,326	206,860	203,250	150,432	114,688
Gibraltar							564			1,128
Italy	23,945	30,898	27,491	28,478	26,367	12,904	17,087	19,580	20,817	21,556
Netherlands	26,890	43,483	42,968	41,722	32,342	39,675	28,488	24,793	17,962	18,209
Portugal	728	200		26	100			20		
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	100		346	222	160	700				
Spain	9,247	13,512	13,846	3,603	8,500	5,853	2,315	1,927	505	425
Sweden and Norway		114			1,271	1,432	4,876	2,599		
United Kingdom	242,957	220,395	200,785	141,047	112,306	116,858	95,853	115,125	80,344	138,135
Bermuda				41			20			10
British Honduras	20	101	84	17				704		
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	23,969	22,213	14,740	7,235	8,062	10,636	8,966	8,571	5,490	3,142
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	17,468	18,870	23,819	17,364	126,471	218,644	99,536	67,869	58,874	65,259
British Columbia	23	23		44	19	162	86	53	2	102
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,024	1,078	1,723	1,485	876	308	108	87	168	188
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	240	109	260	222		38	70	212	142	205
Guatemala	22									100
Nicaragua	81	173	132	12	37	15		46		20
Salvador	32	51			14	6		25	237	21
Mexico	3,369	4,786	4,107	4,918	2,971	2,248	10,290	8,445	5,321	5,080
Miquelon, Langley, etc.		153	458							
West Indies—										
British	479	682	40	194	117	100	570	247	400	366
Danish	8									
Dutch	4	6		14		29	12			
Haiti		22	18		6	63		3		
Santo Domingo		137	16						7	
Spanish—Cuba	728	659	403	485	454	997	743	909	928	298
Porto Rico	4	16	12	44	17	3	13	9	30	
Argentina	5,754	1,757	1,852	4,423	3,014	1,113	2,077	1,824	2,078	5,668
Brazil	1,494	739	883	880	2,188	1,184	30	589	161	365
Chile	1,142	687	568	1,004	1,627	842	605	1,049	1,154	406
Colombia		92	138	440	212	840	39	139	397	18
Ecuador	19				21			11		74
Guianas—British		18	38			197				
Dutch		298	8							
Peru	1,546	1,448	2,697	2,434	1,225	1,205	1,413	3,788	1,936	1,979

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines—										
Continued.										
DYES AND DYE STUFFS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Uruguay.....	1,535	253	263	886	1,195	1,342	1,444	1,287	1,042	557
Venezuela.....	455	257	85	171	322	104	931	158	149	237
China.....	448	1,108				57				29
East Indies—British.....		353		27			80			
Dutch.....										
Japan.....	2,722	906	445	723		192	814	151	100	1,466
All other Asia.....		23								
British Australasia.....	8,600	6,022	7,108	4,210	9,589	4,575	10,509	20,731	19,220	20,844
Philippine Islands.....				45						
British Africa.....	540					115	44	91	143	
Canary Islands.....				28		31			35	
French Africa.....	75		25							
Portuguese Africa.....				82	187	125	140		94	124
Spanish Africa.....	95	98	32							
Total.....	770,033	717,128	660,590	597,016	679,373	818,271	575,183	567,352	450,009	442,967
LIME, ACETATE OF—										
Belgium.....										208,039
France.....										2,755
Germany.....										166,746
Italy.....										39,949
Netherlands.....										10,357
Sweden and Norway.....										1,975
United Kingdom.....										108,035
Total.....										537,856
MEDICINES, PATENT OR PROPRIETARY—										
Austria-Hungary.....		200	340	643	129	19	3,730	2,346	3,398	17
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,437	1,271	1,118	519	199	103	43	12	240	
Belgium.....	3,676	3,279	3,722	1,806	6,171	4,572	6,712	9,823	12,208	4,675
Denmark.....	2,425	2,964	3,426	3,053	5,103	390	547	1,138	281	237
France.....	6,995	11,933	8,019	12,302	5,237	3,068	5,157	3,220	3,226	2,080
Germany.....	49,893	53,436	74,627	61,179	91,043	56,297	69,524	72,695	57,951	62,053
Gibraltar.....	938	616	1,207	494	209	361	200	245	337	103
Greece.....					45			110	128	61
Italy.....	2,083	2,906	398	340	1,637	968	986	4,204	2,568	2,036
Malta, Gozo, etc.....								82	612	
Netherlands.....	2,163	694	468	221	4,516	10,819	8,486	5,184	1,569	2,888
Portugal.....	1,418	5,680	2,669	5,826	219	874	2,450	2,138	823	3,544
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	781	46	25	683	5,236	2,523	176	360		
Russia, Black Sea.....				79	14	1,282				
Spain.....	11,162	37,197	23,048	15,845	18,451	11,355	15,532	21,104	11,121	12,199
Sweden and Norway.....	8	219			294		791	6,567	2,434	2,827
Switzerland.....				140						10
Turkey in Europe.....				167	200		216	601	112	1,329
United Kingdom.....	676,335	601,252	617,117	697,413	626,890	583,786	748,310	1,014,805	931,926	1,108,229
Bermuda.....				934	1,562	1,622	2,066	3,617	825	3,706
British Honduras.....	2,140	3,385	3,368	2,631	3,417	2,189	3,607	6,342	4,132	3,527
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	15,573	22,605	8,651	5,008	8,674	16,365	19,370	22,704	17,597	20,533
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	3,009	3,152	4,669	8,670	87,348	53,612	101,422	63,227	56,562	90,720
British Columbia.....	777	4,647	6,972	3,540	897	2,330	1,295	1,971	2,993	4,059
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,995	1,708	2,350	4,418	5,397	5,689	3,562	3,787	4,371	3,713
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	8,581	7,306	10,917	16,898	6,435	4,416	7,967	11,151	11,772	9,258
Guatemala.....	17,979	15,764	18,750	17,668	20,864	12,620	13,768	20,028	18,335	10,407
Honduras.....	7,522	7,270	7,114	8,508	5,487	6,454	7,348	8,979	8,403	8,631
Nicaragua.....	11,086	15,560	27,603	27,100	12,857	13,017	20,895	14,271	19,733	13,996
Salvador.....	14,774	13,069	18,355	24,253	20,172	13,062	12,937	14,529	19,308	17,138

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines— Continued.										
MEDICINES, PATENT OR PROPRIETARY— Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico	76,083	87,953	91,551	108,860	100,375	46,333	55,286	68,208	46,392	50,605
Miquelon, Langley, etc	1,498	1,985	797	356	600	344	506	634	736	714
West Indies—										
British	20,589	18,798	26,430	30,424	29,277	42,731	35,794	32,164	33,881	32,480
Danish	1,414	1,546	1,326	1,796	1,414	1,498	1,267	1,575	1,437	1,432
Dutch	1,460	4,606	2,775	2,477	3,272	3,074	2,469	3,965	1,472	2,554
French	665	2,113	1,041	1,516	377	273	394	242	243	271
Haiti	2,785	3,625	3,509	4,148	6,389	3,462	3,292	3,663	2,526	1,960
Santo Domingo	3,326	3,760	1,751	3,681	3,111	2,093	2,382	6,301	5,858	3,503
Spanish—Cuba	77,577	73,023	77,458	107,789	33,179	67,432	48,470	47,724	48,937	37,278
Porto Rico	13,763	17,435	17,991	25,193	13,152	10,490	7,397	12,001	10,339	6,376
Argentina	88,770	68,891	47,137	26,183	91,611	83,611	93,969	103,438	93,323	106,947
Bolivia	182	951	1,975	932	525	221	977	522	.....	2,024
Brazil	154,139	124,706	186,628	170,669	210,196	206,084	229,515	243,415	192,151	245,205
Chile	38,452	55,778	52,734	46,119	69,914	44,562	68,405	103,878	66,951	47,230
Colombia	58,635	56,943	66,312	62,675	72,343	33,090	41,879	78,826	80,057	71,835
Ecuador	14,367	10,371	16,627	11,487	18,968	15,046	15,701	27,096	19,173	13,838
Guianas—British	3,169	2,766	4,190	4,857	5,367	4,138	5,503	2,540	3,555	4,962
Dutch	1,093	898	533	1,196	896	469	352	1,088	325	1,171
French	130	4	198	218	14	102	105	85	16	94
Paraguay .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62
Peru	12,601	16,640	29,814	20,530	19,583	22,522	28,044	43,138	26,941	36,651
Uruguay	35,204	34,792	29,372	24,343	25,362	29,503	32,183	28,608	19,144	16,453
Venezuela	60,519	67,000	79,260	45,430	57,723	54,545	64,279	65,480	51,371	31,194
Aden .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	394	.....
China	2,536	1,952	2,569	3,517	3,469	2,979	2,188	13,399	13,545	10,494
East Indies—British	28,554	27,788	14,491	18,002	10,335	11,095	11,042	23,846	33,612	23,644
Dutch .....	.....	.....	192	140	4,093	.....	317	207	2,762	222
French .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,859	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hongkong	3,048	4,982	6,600	5,908	.....	1,648	985	1,490	2,064	5,431
Japan	5,392	1,745	7,808	2,354	.....	2,012	2,278	2,273	1,543	3,704
Russia, Asiatic .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....
Turkey in Asia	3,383	350	360	531	84	.....	160	405	215	610
All other Asia	720	1,649	329	226	304	166	.....	.....	686	4
British Australasia	206,224	186,152	233,669	148,543	90,447	86,336	111,524	166,702	235,460	215,820
French Oceania .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
German Oceania .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44
Hawaiian Islands	1,790	4,688	3,520	330	1,659	228	3,069	3,567	830	959
Philippine Islands	840	2,548	540	2,273	506	1,383	80	754	18	.....
British Africa	30,030	35,185	23,696	33,166	43,751	26,009	48,676	67,670	90,356	87,761
Canary Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	1,277	1,571	1,157	569	1,283	966	1,134
French Africa	663	.....	52	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	100
Liberia	2,339	2,257	1,399	1,465	1,075	454	715	769	743	600
Madagascar .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
Portuguese Africa .....	.....	.....	.....	106	67	.....	693	977	2,826	2,480
Spanish Africa	511	1,453	631	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Africa—Egypt .....	.....	.....	80	159	320	.....	350	3,763	1,085	1,955
All other Africa	311	163	200	50	140	13	12	2,550	2,800	2,891
All other British	591	200	50	.....	.....	123	320	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports .....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1,796,202	1,741,925	1,880,728	1,842,889	1,866,061	1,621,019	1,978,144	2,479,510	2,287,744	2,460,660
ALL OTHER—										
Austria-Hungary	1,146	767	1,043	344	1,517	4,483	23,441	19,202	57,944	3,657
Azores, and Madeira Islands	203	134	382	169	473	124	487	525	538	479
Belgium	38,856	39,497	47,042	119,658	134,131	212,265	123,613	227,502	303,184	19,623
Denmark	2,297	7,549	3,000	2,150	1,634	3,130	2,455	2,747	5,928	3,579

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Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines— Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....	11,651	448,894	12,970	44,245	31,831	80,729	51,905	39,766	54,695	32,328
Germany.....	78,212	186,782	257,952	138,779	154,932	225,337	287,262	300,563	393,916	159,028
Gibraltar.....	206		154	1,076	403	351	513	138	210	577
Greece.....							220			
Italy.....	4,736	4,350	4,946	8,861	80,525	230,651	209,444	388,790	351,691	6,822
Malta, Gozo, etc.....									306	162
Netherlands.....	1,915	2,237	5,476	14,492	8,052	34,542	45,312	68,381	80,654	19,583
Portugal.....	1,478	191	368	896	53	4,366	23,313	18,967	3,501	1,832
Roumania.....					567	884			2	9
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	2,614	21	2,415	3,611	687	786	3,424	9,230	3,075	954
Russia, Black Sea.....						16			3	
Spain.....	13,576	23,972	25,688	21,256	14,964	14,751	10,308	12,041	3,605	2,132
Sweden and Norway.....	338	1,913	1,813	915	1,463	1,649	5,425	6,629	4,469	2,094
Switzerland.....	256					3,468	40	374	3,820	77,002
Turkey in Europe.....		435				35	73		42	
United Kingdom.....	440,452	456,934	497,716	683,913	677,952	914,032	1,042,328	1,050,219	1,717,650	1,456,280
Bermuda.....				15,187	16,885	14,548	15,519	19,651	19,831	17,443
British Honduras.....	4,326	3,732	6,842	4,344	4,338	3,294	5,272	4,747	6,362	6,148
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	26,873	25,393	20,311	23,855	20,735	39,821	44,110	30,149	34,563	30,780
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	155,540	218,131	291,963	352,018	339,486	626,645	894,329	834,562	765,119	904,961
British Columbia.....	34,344	34,509	41,471	40,326	37,415	33,597	54,238	71,947	140,776	88,351
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	6,289	9,389	10,024	11,698	13,491	14,153	8,358	11,392	12,608	13,022
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	28,083	25,813	33,832	24,659	30,452	23,995	27,601	30,144	34,237	27,353
Guatemala.....	29,628	30,768	50,556	40,620	46,106	37,240	40,751	50,766	55,009	23,093
Honduras.....	22,429	18,590	9,330	14,806	25,718	31,036	20,257	19,085	23,018	29,045
Nicaragua.....	40,355	53,014	64,476	50,710	25,119	39,305	42,410	36,172	38,507	27,573
Salvador.....	31,608	32,597	37,991	38,434	42,761	40,372	42,821	50,286	46,350	21,934
Mexico.....	234,994	251,917	254,918	305,893	287,177	272,795	319,737	365,381	429,556	361,753
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		175	557	1,402	1,093	1,309	2,811	669	662	620
West Indies—										
British.....	58,510	75,381	80,271	69,131	60,019	60,378	50,498	67,188	68,286	55,999
Danish.....	1,422	2,370	1,216	1,833	2,389	1,996	1,999	2,499	3,664	3,273
Dutch.....	4,778	9,808	8,260	7,125	9,420	10,077	6,188	6,940	9,132	5,780
French.....	3,068	1,473	4,383	2,856	3,702	5,341	5,031	481	18,629	5,878
Haiti.....	14,250	23,322	18,954	16,972	15,648	23,250	20,236	15,592	15,870	13,051
Santo Domingo.....	11,455	15,290	18,634	14,688	20,564	23,204	15,193	21,021	18,561	15,691
Spanish—Cuba.....	122,950	147,000	140,597	244,720	218,528	187,020	186,529	133,801	127,892	115,766
Porto Rico.....	38,711	37,852	35,072	40,577	38,691	41,890	32,406	42,522	36,661	25,770
Argentina.....	53,520	50,597	14,010	9,020	36,173	25,876	34,652	46,269	87,518	114,101
Bolivia.....	130	639	684	1,037	927	221			21	513
Brazil.....	37,008	39,535	59,103	41,270	44,498	38,343	51,030	52,692	42,711	31,601
Chile.....	21,751	28,379	22,013	21,053	38,245	18,344	27,545	36,177	37,921	35,109
Colombia.....	107,473	102,514	97,625	90,266	102,494	89,482	77,542	117,172	116,387	97,683
Ecuador.....	23,818	14,289	16,898	16,886	10,739	9,911	17,171	14,318	25,456	18,039
Guianas—British.....	4,993	4,652	6,789	6,577	6,603	6,242	6,397	8,156	5,606	4,591
Dutch.....	514	514	209	400	337	533	422	879	395	687
French.....	14	90		27	41	151	107	154	7	237
Paraguay.....										16
Peru.....	17,041	19,870	20,007	21,424	18,865	14,786	21,395	24,865	23,477	20,019
Uruguay.....	15,320	7,790	6,006	4,354	5,619	6,159	7,653	8,953	21,832	20,226
Venezuela.....	72,291	85,000	104,413	83,086	97,240	119,951	92,855	83,323	94,146	71,435
China.....	7,523	7,393	15,082	6,887	7,355	8,600	10,735	20,106	18,413	20,918
East Indies—British.....	25,727	15,657	24,232	10,637	14,115	13,495	14,435	36,366	20,382	28,456
Dutch.....		14	87	110	55	103	506	232	100	692
French.....				125		150				
Hongkong.....	5,687	8,119	8,758	8,825	5,513	2,633	17,338	5,200	19,306	5,562
Japan.....	24,548	20,199	21,549	20,331	17,107	19,775	22,428	24,434	31,309	30,303
Korea.....								32		

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Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines—										
Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Asiatic	507	802	686	426	402	521	171	858	313	433
Turkey in Asia	30	173	421			128	530	563	514	380
All other Asia	495	216	64	57	796	281	311	870	775	312
Auckland, Fiji, etc.									200	
British Australasia	136,769	132,281	180,800	212,368	193,131	189,267	190,121	276,228	201,565	248,389
French Oceania		3,415	4,935	3,306	3,033	3,201	3,147	2,707	3,587	3,220
German Oceania									147	76
Spanish Oceania								249		150
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								706	1,260	1,831
Hawaiian Islands	63,385	78,884	84,089	74,490	76,111	77,220	92,836	115,995	96,935	128,626
Philippine Islands	1,314	2,011	545	1,636	1,161	70	240	2,636	3,298	3,241
British Africa	16,721	23,652	34,896	39,011	43,427	49,675	61,817	93,086	76,295	110,723
Canary Islands				219	506	208	238	432	261	78
French Africa		200		25	737			521	271	300
Liberia	360	571	686	402	987	925	401	231	143	120
Madagascar				20			42		72	
Portuguese Africa				107			251	16,214	7,455	9,973
Spanish Africa	615	1,006	509							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt ..			378		121	200	427	379	1,681	260
All other Africa	1,014	815	796	888	1,864	674	63	108	1,897	2,443
All other British	363				43	90	626			
All other French	3,557									
All other German						40				
All other Spanish							78			
All other islands and ports ..	2,333	1,512	2,257	1,622	786	400	700			
Total	2,113,128	2,840,931	2,719,180	3,044,601	3,317,952	3,960,580	4,429,067	4,951,219	5,930,582	4,590,017
Clocks and watches:										
CLOCKS, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary						225		482		
Azores, and Madeira Islands ..	2,663	2,810	3,104	1,844	1,398	2,099	1,463	1,208	693	1,112
Belgium	1,347	17	856	533	77	2,725	206	70	1,316	475
Denmark	12,254	9,735	9,117	9,410	5,811	6,870	6,668	8,696	10,195	5,234
France	9,396	12,422	1,365	13,165	9,298	7,931	22,043	21,013	7,052	10,453
Germany	41,268	34,757	24,777	11,838	7,731	4,469	7,436	6,310	6,226	9,743
Gibraltar	993	240	1,419	517	1,424	120	299	78		7
Greece									60	366
Italy	1,280	393	362	94	62		712	821	2,374	575
Netherlands	2,246	472	2,725	751	783	337	371	430	234	208
Portugal	23,527	22,577	22,387	5,527	14,065	9,647	9,596	9,119	6,334	5,315
Russia, Baltic and White Seas ..		270		116			135	119	564	753
Russia, Black Sea			187							29
Spain	1,021	414	736	103	38	206	1,528	78	5	10
Sweden and Norway	2,402	4,471	7,478	4,334	5,411	5,293	5,090	9,423	5,308	11,536
Turkey in Europe	518	310		354	15		436	172	236	779
United Kingdom	425,510	571,168	628,921	415,987	425,324	365,131	352,819	365,842	377,403	412,518
Bermuda				326	568	372	391	434	481	643
British Honduras	396	473	362	610	285	451	468	379	642	409
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc...	5,295	5,330	4,827	5,267	5,094	6,766	7,670	7,295	4,499	7,911
Quebec, Ontario, etc	6,036	4,441	21,465	6,082	31,675	189,771	107,785	77,575	95,152	123,047
British Columbia	1,703	915	2,319	1,711	430	575	389	826	2,728	3,663
Newfoundland and Labrador ..	2,733	1,846	1,565	3,073	4,044	5,098	2,884	1,340	1,904	1,177
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	700	3,000	2,705	1,426	1,685	878	1,287	980	1,147	1,049
Guatemala	3,085	5,765	1,881	2,429	2,642	675	1,720	1,572	2,443	990
Honduras	529	384	803	667	66	303	560	649	112	46
Nicaragua	737	1,457	1,280	1,053	458	330	792	1,334	797	434
Salvador	562	763	942	787	905	680	660	781	932	198

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Clocks and watches—Continued.										
CLOCKS, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico	14,246	19,177	21,055	18,858	22,343	11,308	15,153	21,064	13,417	12,791
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	288	356	401	125	305	30	48		85	357
West Indies—										
British	3,755	4,409	5,451	3,199	5,032	4,641	4,073	9,965	3,707	4,514
Danish	193	53	106	280	19	475	71	215	93	165
Dutch	849	540	1,798	776	578	1,003	762	576	552	455
French	355	219	359	343	264	213	216	151	98	105
Haiti	367	865	923	785	652	850	775	261	252	155
Santo Domingo	314	872	574	230	95	848	318	125	143	160
Spanish—Cuba	16,740	17,584	11,701	22,952	25,555	16,427	6,802	2,698	739	1,941
Porto Rico	2,301	2,816	2,501	2,334	1,609	890	743	1,201	1,054	379
Argentina	58,150	22,378	5,048	2,631	12,193	20,222	16,908	21,849	23,459	15,805
Bolivia	85			86						
Brazil	42,927	45,436	56,025	43,698	60,956	43,940	58,875	51,325	46,517	28,547
Chile	8,655	8,342	5,856	8,548	10,224	4,008	4,525	15,011	5,003	6,111
Colombia	4,844	8,227	6,427	8,704	8,880	4,700	4,162	7,158	9,277	5,669
Ecuador	2,252	1,499	1,265	1,310	1,467	1,501	3,203	1,722	2,023	1,646
Guianas—British	986	1,549	943	479	762	1,319	1,236	2,229	512	657
Dutch	98		96	205	278	184	47	88	115	90
French	32	28	10		15	10	5		11	15
Peru	1,618	2,126	5,170	1,612	978	437	1,384	5,516	1,726	1,854
Uruguay	12,708	18,017	4,085	983	799	3,774	4,259	5,478	3,017	1,688
Venezuela	5,496	7,759	8,980	6,104	2,871	3,519	3,163	3,580	2,398	1,617
Aden									219	832
China	18,434	33,940	52,989	46,080	15,128	12,459	8,743	11,108	27,286	11,830
East Indies—British	41,840	47,304	58,422	44,721	72,542	62,706	31,470	68,139	37,129	48,782
Dutch	138	3	406	474	269		300	529	974	252
Hongkong	44,075	59,954	39,432	27,428	28,708	10,117	10,192	18,292	8,661	5,661
Japan	172,701	237,089	124,089	127,632	91,176	33,187	14,214	38,402	75,682	42,677
Russia, Asiatic	175	127	212	31	104	187	47	48	223	88
Turkey in Asia		56		467			80	70	248	1,347
All other Asia	621	200	15			713		406	73	425
British Australasia	133,350	96,274	124,023	150,281	68,831	52,548	95,354	99,747	134,697	129,715
French Oceanica		407	217	665	510	573	281	36	519	354
German Oceanica										47
Spanish Oceanica								60		
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								297	155	63
Hawaiian Islands	6,290	8,334	9,497	3,774	1,847	3,327	7,426	5,340	6,239	5,781
Philippine Islands	375	476	275	103	415		576	45		
British Africa	4,123	10,291	9,730	5,464	7,753	10,870	16,205	17,993	25,756	27,835
Canary Islands				1,012	1,466	999	1,353	539	988	980
French Africa	86	143	38	15		30	31	85	54	74
Liberia	54	94	51	106	40	16	16			2
Portuguese Africa	45		383	64		37	52	641	1,374	348
Spanish Africa	1,162	1,148	2,178							
Turkey in Africa						267				
All other Africa	32	386	708	81	228	39	15	347	557	2,350
British, all other	760		1,050							
French, all other	498									
All other islands and ports	70	421	385	229	182	208	210			
Total	1,149,289	1,344,047	1,304,457	1,020,873	962,423	919,534	846,676	923,395	968,911	955,557
WATCHES, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary								9	100	
Azores, and Madeira Islands		80		50			75	49	276	244
Belgium		10		850		835	15	153	215	3,307
Denmark		56							186	
France	3,167	7	4,854	150	150	185	500	393	3,998	766
Germany	5,940	14,352	17,212	14,335	19,132	6,746	7,163	8,873	8,276	1,473

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Clocks and watches—Continued.										
WATCHES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gibraltar.....			27	270		65				
Italy.....	36					18	20	64	210	765
Netherlands.....		106	637	709	2,460		260	64	141	830
Portugal.....		110	1,257	527	216	170	452	438	780	715
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		7,400	2,200		1,862	7,615	3,335	896	1,850	1,100
Spain.....		64						30		
Sweden and Norway.....										66
Turkey in Europe.....										36
United Kingdom.....	104,728	104,293	92,384	37,678	45,244	51,957	71,927	126,005	226,453	233,918
Bermuda.....				100			216		58	12
British Honduras.....	320	586	165	226	75	236	222	119	60	25
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	150		125	25	615	3,203	3,187	6,736	6,216	11,509
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,024	11,725	2,806	1,314	52,477	206,571	90,383	128,676	233,534	200,187
British Columbia.....	135	73	168	567	418	1,045	1,769	735	913	1,157
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	18	615	300		712	335		75		547
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,218	3,858	1,144	2,290		992	668	639	120	867
Guatemala.....	483	1,742	627	192	345	400	216	6,221	5,238	2,726
Honduras.....	200	201	125	675	181		630	280	192	100
Nicaragua.....	1,061	1,064	1,556	236		514	282	558	597	104
Salvador.....	500	335	1,218	2,465	1,000		1,621		194	50
Mexico.....	3,926	4,945	1,195	3,355	12,855	6,589	31,518	33,157	11,699	7,337
Miquelon Langley, etc.....										
West Indies—										
British.....	1,455	728	1,463	2,381	4,018	1,118	5,281	3,315	2,171	2,114
Danish.....	20	43		178	18			10	57	21
Dutch.....	3,069	4,240	6,307	9,408	3,890	3,566	5,563	2,613	850	675
French.....	18		55	31		7		20	25	21
Haiti.....	78	399	8		220	119	19	120	120	
Santo Domingo.....	40	142	18	10	20			32		
Spanish—Cuba.....	659	85	72		996	1,043	318	1,031	864	439
Porto Rico.....	37	9			517	135	30	457	652	279
Argentina.....	325	16,080			77		1,095	7,732	6,443	12,260
Bolivia.....				308					136	
Brazil.....	17,579	21,688	23,503	15,731	10,259	20,736	35,171	21,003	13,093	17,361
Chile.....	2,784	6,618	3,152	18,056	12,830	11,407	30,902	48,381	45,908	40,297
Colombia.....	3,071	2,824	5,095	3,331	3,431	491	532	353	1,524	1,188
Ecuador.....	4,827	2,063	3,510	2,862	3,965	1,925	3,086	1,800	1,343	2,353
Guianas—British.....	106	162	26	250		150	96	6	52	165
Dutch.....		200	195	72	32	15	293		200	10
French.....		372								
Peru.....	3,648	7,574	8,247	12,521	9,451	5,566	5,491	8,654	11,173	18,141
Uruguay.....	252	183			120	140	215	2,000		2,896
Venezuela.....	4,016	18,621	15,435	10,205	2,465	3,825	5,664	9,649	17,531	2,933
Aden.....										200
China.....	758	565	200	53	1,450	1,160	186	1,950	3,956	6,505
East Indies—British.....		10,211	3,592	12	3,349	831	282	1,983	364	211
Dutch.....								154	1,080	2,113
Hongkong.....	156	700	59	3,236	2,500	247	5,306	50		288
Japan.....	10,645	39,061	3,881	3,685	23,518	11,265	21,410	61,340	101,925	120,761
Russia, Asiatic.....						95	250	24	249	
Turkey in Asia.....				72						49
Asia, all other.....		176								258
British Australasia.....	27,891	60,396	64,041	56,166	16,538	24,646	11,154	15,746	30,723	98
French Oceania.....				15	97		15	12		23,007
Spanish Oceania.....										20
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,399	6,680	6,937	3,711	2,163	4,814	3,143	679	3,192	7,405
Philippine Islands.....							2,000			

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Watches, and parts of—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa.....	150		96	152	1,845	2,288	5,368	25,656	41,049	36,694
Canary Islands.....						214				
French Africa.....								65		29
Liberia.....		106	30	150	35					
Portuguese Africa.....			805	100					1,071	637
Spanish Africa.....		41	80					1,375	14,454	4,673
All other Africa.....				33						
All other French.....	141									
All other islands and ports.....										
Total.....	206,030	351,089	275,707	208,743	241,758	583,279	357,329	530,980	801,491	771,912
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate:										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		50		16	5					9
Belgium.....	315	5,700			570	700	810	370	950	20
France.....	105	32	27		73	20	25		10	203
Germany.....	155		187	126	194	6,300	1,452	590	158	109
Gibraltar.....	116									
Italy.....	115	19		19		44	72	23	90	100
Netherlands.....			577	380	25	126	40		4,010	171
Spain.....					25					
Sweden and Norway.....		120				40				100
United Kingdom.....	24,151	2,288	848	393	3,344	847	2,556	4,252	5,461	1,133
Bermuda.....				2,092	2,571	2,739	2,520	4,796	3,920	3,622
British Honduras.....	2,459	2,931	3,164	3,493	5,718	3,558	3,026	7,188	5,236	4,440
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	3,538	1,734	2,531	1,067	1,209	3,419	1,288	223	499	701
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,174	1,607	1,819	2,352	14,781	55,326	46,075	41,411	30,933	55,988
British Columbia.....	5,828	8,333	5,212	4,675	5,960	7,611	7,089	14,555	31,844	25,103
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	288	520	414	286	162	323	96	272	278	476
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	306	465	507	630	795	832	875	1,497	1,764	1,191
Guatemala.....	87	257	160	546	560	1,573	160	275	1,142	84
Honduras.....	357	1,066	821	829	2,608	1,564	896	1,300	805	872
Nicaragua.....	542	10,646	8,011	4,270	5,450	6,744	4,622	1,549	1,055	2,685
Salvador.....		88				86	322		354	37
Mexico.....	26,427	30,228	29,917	22,209	25,108	17,923	5,014	4,105	3,129	4,647
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	3,191	5,076	7,525	2,887	2,114	2,771	4,671	2,134	2,859	2,096
West Indies—										
British.....	9,855	4,888	4,650	3,475	4,348	7,660	6,666	6,674	6,558	7,218
Danish.....	191	193	399	215	307	458	563	297	239	769
Dutch.....	9	8	31	141	147	87	194	147	371	146
French.....		919	3,252	4	205	484	252	196	4	119
Haiti.....	21	38	77	303	77	52	50	91	22	66
Santo Domingo.....	21	13	20	15	111	7	11		13	31
Spanish—Cuba.....	221	60	367	7,298	3,077	3,325	1,067	1,291	12,977	7,010
Porto Rico.....	20		28		77	17	240	337	330	40
Argentina.....				126	156	68			25	176
Brazil.....	560	297	182	83	91	191	2	10	59	81
Chile.....							246	97		
Colombia.....	3,625	1,809	2,787	2,619	3,480	2,243	2,453	4,228	4,160	5,076
Ecuador.....		84			44	198	86	459	16	
Guanias—British.....	26	1,902	755	109	49	1,117	24		15	185
Dutch.....		5		31						163
French.....		231	206			283	80	1,283	469	49
Peru.....			193				30			
Uruguay.....			320				70			12
Venezuela.....	28		36	11	22	57	19	38	70	294
China.....	533	132	623	294	607	553	511	429	492	441
East Indies—British.....	400		42			191				

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Hongkong.....	438	1,650	319	2,088	1,300	1,482	2,922	463	691	2,041
Japan.....	476	1,243	652	1,192	2,235	2,381	2,654	2,217	1,239	459
Russia, Asiatic.....			64		165					
All other Asia.....	14	10	16	21	19					
British Australasia.....	23	147		10	387		28		785	6,041
French Oceania.....		363	439	155	282	121	136	90	109	124
German Oceania.....									238	
Spanish Oceania.....								11		
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								207	597	321
Hawaiian Islands.....	7,453	7,938	9,056	6,064	4,723	4,040	3,846	4,540	3,314	2,557
British Africa.....	50				16		45	66	142	99
French Africa.....			28							
Liberia.....							17	13		22
Portuguese Africa.....	27							16	46	39
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....						46				
All other Africa.....	27		42	52	5					
All other British.....							417			
All other French.....	412									
All other German.....						13				
All other islands and ports.....	419	635	632	75		146	79			
Total.....	94,023	93,735	86,936	70,651	93,292	137,777	104,317	107,740	128,078	137,369
Copper, manufactures of:										
INGOTS, BARS AND OLD—										
Austria-Hungary.....				12,000		4,898	241,149	432,150	777,352	520,821
Belgium.....	17,500	20,833	323,450	353,244	42,767	548,284	697,090	1,525,351	1,548,024	2,270,549
Denmark.....								5,100	3,220	10,047
France.....	1,151,513	762,126	1,516,544	2,551,416	1,441,563	2,896,710	2,628,532	3,888,923	6,272,952	6,770,671
Germany.....	104,028	130,192	399,676	902,217	580,007	2,501,245	1,604,390	2,394,070	3,167,670	3,705,937
Gibraltar.....						2,688				
Italy.....		24,723	33,813	46,120	46,500	254,359	117,223	316,145	389,862	358,672
Netherlands.....	67,866	438,419	1,115,795	1,505,150	1,424,429	5,426,228	4,054,943	5,335,736	9,385,725	8,081,661
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						300,095	198,582	971,761	779,693	1,040,212
Russia, Black Sea.....								2,195	3,200	
Spain.....					6,182					
Sweden and Norway.....						20,652	11,925	15,620	50,750	50,950
United Kingdom.....	794,530	814,011	1,000,498	1,545,095	600,677	7,221,779	4,321,253	3,663,505	8,283,175	8,079,164
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	546		38	1,301	48	20	143	687	724	5,930
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	7,800		700	265	27,718	43,069	24,876	49,817	37,867	149,256
British Columbia.....				67			413			29
Central American States—										
Guatemala.....							2,555			
Nicaragua.....									14	98
Salvador.....	350									
Mexico.....	8,355	29,753	21,365	7,516	13,939	18,289	17,723	18,670	11,046	22,583
West Indies—										
Haiti.....							183			
Santo Domingo.....						70				
Spanish—Cuba.....						2,555				310
Porto Rico.....						128				733
Colombia.....	406			558		141		377	779	498
Peru.....									1,444	2,614
Venezuela.....		40								
Hongkong.....	2,000			9,400	3,680					30
Hawaiian Islands.....	682		1,825			1,160	480	450	1,240	4,871
French Africa.....								25,850		
Total.....	2,155,576	2,220,097	4,413,704	6,934,349	4,187,510	19,242,370	13,921,460	18,646,407	30,711,597	31,075,636

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Copper, manufactures of—Continued.										
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....		2,201						1,502		273
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....								24		103
Belgium.....	100	1,275	1,190	21,566	145	985	11,921	3,511	16,528	2,113
Denmark.....					430					55
France.....	428	2,891	20,188	9,133	154	10,181	4,260	354	25	1,256
Germany.....	461	913	1,898	1,721	580	4,543	15,406	5,195	2,155	2,213
Gibraltar.....										9
Italy.....	70	2,220			1,197	40	21,407		8,620	12,298
Netherlands.....			30	36	6,023	6,539	59,202	474,734	660	231
Portugal.....			51					600		15
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						314	155		10,293	1,623
Russia, Black Sea.....							12	10		
Spain.....		3								
Switzerland.....			71	375						
Sweden and Norway.....								1,831	1,320	321
United Kingdom.....	94,355	8,118	19,811	132,451	101,762	84,710	107,106	140,961	301,207	298,584
Bermuda.....				117	56	15	144	185	167	241
British Honduras.....	70	523	222	798	167	80	2	221	33	1,035
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	2,885	1,942	5,508	4,673	4,333	4,605	5,898	24,840	10,188	14,922
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	19,123	21,859	32,060	19,574	87,510	204,748	172,809	306,013	319,046	592,454
British Columbia.....	5,373	3,454	8,766	22,751	5,608	3,895	8,819	3,316	2,822	2,704
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		49	98	201	1,401	302	45	388	146	63
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	468	111	5,973	5,065	2,482	1,220	144	969	10,741	843
Guatemala.....	2,739	1,949	2,820	1,670	2,477	1,127	1,442	2,723	2,695	710
Honduras.....	602	555	651	953	684	191	310	188	675	855
Nicaragua.....	1,250	1,901	693	3,562	1,317	777	3,218	2,064	1,378	1,103
Salvador.....	760	105	6,458	2,345	571	163	620	2,900	3,203	65
Mexico.....	9,730	9,557	18,923	23,042	33,220	58,493	69,948	56,700	89,978	82,846
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....										65
West Indies—										
British.....	1,054	1,013	5,608	1,511	195	333	1,085	1,060	1,685	11,421
Danish.....	310	156								14
Dutch.....	75	266	142	214	512	337	80	60	192	1,010
French.....		46								
Haiti.....		3,698	2,129	1,241	393	1,278	1,149	1,766	1,855	286
Santo Domingo.....	2,201	1,876	914	2,872	3,122	1,245	1,166	365	1,301	807
Spanish—Cuba.....	13,692	23,386	29,779	14,916	48,656	33,066	14,431	5,805	2,182	4,406
Porto Rico.....	975	1,573	832	252	1,566	1,504	1,969	2,477	1,718	771
Argentina.....	212		6,592	22	15	141	100	306	13,792	8,990
Brazil.....	1,135	1,440	1,496	6,144	7,292	1,410	64	1,333	2,537	8,722
Chile.....	5,890	32	27	277	9,385	60	1,818	1,380	42,449	436
Colombia.....	10,116	3,049	8,114	4,061	2,766	2,522	3,078	4,262	5,538	5,213
Ecuador.....		129	40	512	273	117	198	42	102	111
Guianas—British.....		19				55				15
French.....								62		62
Peru.....	2,569	9,760	3,322	871	1,173	945	23,669	1,529	1,680	9,838
Uruguay.....									195	
Venezuela.....	5,658	6,454	4,792	3,559	6,576	6,235	4,446	5,249	1,759	1,236
China.....	250			685				10		
British East Indies.....		42								921
Japan.....	825	45		2,376	2,368	2,900	3,598	10,676	33,356	8,469
Hongkong.....	3,350	2,214	70	35	70	28				7
British Australasia.....	1,292	1,058	1,112		2,227	954	495	195	1,059	12,236
French Oceania.....		52								
Hawaiian Islands.....	4,781	13,153	9,757	2,462	1,357	4,921	6,979	1,149	2,755	939
Philippine Islands.....	473					13,480			4,333	

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Copper, manufactures of—Continued.										
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa		76						3,727	8,091	10,312
Canary Islands						306			1,037	1,600
French Africa	8									
Liberia	8	132	66							
Portuguese Africa									12	9
Turkey in Africa—Egypt								3,015		330
All other Africa										39
Total	193,378	129,295	200,893	292,043	338,063	454,770	547,243	1,073,697	909,528	1,105,236
Cotton:										
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cloths—										
Colored—										
Austria-Hungary							209			
Azores, and Madeira Islands	40,114	29,058	33,961		1,088	6,967	3,417	3,470	4,952	2,321
Belgium	9,097	1,598	5,468	4,652			149	794	292	110
Denmark				81		377	63		90	90
France		1,464				139		217	2,014	3,003
Germany	1,571	6,612	2,718	3,493	2,685	48,508	75,418	86,938	2,535	3,281
Gibraltar									200	
Greece									25	
Italy	16		75			100	427	225	915	225
Malta, Gozo, etc.									325	
Netherlands	665		131	560	318	385	174	3,108	121	
Portugal	615	1,648	1,399	129				1,075		1,515
Roumania						226				
Spain						15	150		90	
Sweden and Norway					5,006			476	2,474	122
Turkey in Europe		70			169,608	337,441	356,713	347,946	445,847	26,957
United Kingdom	153,997	198,551	156,961	186,755	10,181	9,537	9,303	7,563	10,583	469,066
Bermuda				9,635	5,200	10,108	17,500	30,745	28,059	8,654
British Honduras	16,644	13,941	11,557	10,864	3,045	2,469	2,456	2,409	6,393	25,546
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, N. Brunswick, etc.	9,067	2,733	1,079	2,267	371,608	591,883	193,355	284,391	702,345	3,570
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	7,921	2,968	1,712	1,795	4,456	2,719	63	31	1,504	240,513
British Columbia	4,306	82	76	3,472	3,831	4,944	3,250	4,103	2,117	470
Newfoundland and Labrador	13,166	6,197	6,323	5,095	15,987	24,342	36,796	46,608	37,968	1,986
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	35,511	41,588	55,672	20,161	5,597	8,512	15,978	29,894	14,353	28,730
Guatemala	14,787	17,283	9,184	9,383	25,870	46,132	85,304	56,477	57,342	15,128
Honduras	45,725	41,448	31,441	29,087	20,767	24,246	35,884	20,014	20,104	47,105
Nicaragua	50,211	38,349	43,491	23,592	2,287	13,800	7,621	6,414	24,805	14,684
Salvador	15,412	17,826	53,780	9,472	205,250	197,855	244,114	311,532	231,527	3,007
Mexico	461,675	314,882	317,576	347,687		894			2,335	272,539
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	10,761	5,651	5,398	1,615						2,879
West Indies—										
British	88,784	89,798	91,748	73,077	87,309	155,185	151,750	187,655	173,436	165,364
Danish	4,938	5,574	1,672	2,471	1,124	2,700	1,135	367	1,420	11,498
Dutch	32,297	52,366	80,815	51,053	60,570	40,781	42,364	54,832	64,000	29,752
French	927	560	277	1,133	727	115	425	65		368
Haiti	426,506	529,280	507,911	448,504	538,793	456,085	410,151	332,692	372,730	424,558
Santo Domingo	84,040	38,364	22,724	16,983	61,561	233,383	64,627	90,877	72,222	74,475
Spanish—Cuba	13,192	21,964	3,204	3,657	10,908	6,812	2,708	969	524	2,530
Porto Rico	6,610	16,879	12,314	12,733	3,486	7,975	6,691	11,785	2,467	392
Argentina	36,848	22,250	3,066	60,580	40,149	67,557	8,871	40,637	11,166	25,533
Bolivia	381	635		966	121		167	1,326		1,501
Brazil	412,247	383,593	299,003	323,341	545,019	654,425	703,100	325,118	233,774	427,242
Chile	38,052	37,079	9,707	32,916	8,943	23,084	18,909	21,028	19,891	63,278
Colombia	129,569	83,845	134,245	135,596	87,686	99,849	195,136	291,200	248,308	181,900
Ecuador	83,905	29,989	71,408	73,614	23,027	21,058	9,008	13,664	12,821	21,418
Guianas—British	14,882	5,852	9,328	7,180	7,762	23,306	12,068	18,381	16,064	25,355
Dutch	105	556		329	171	427	819	618	1,429	1,671
French	354	233	454	46				129		

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Cotton—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
Cloths—Continued.										
Colored—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Peru.....	16,043	20,596	23,865	23,883	15,208	10,250	34,135	51,893	42,560	44,547
Uruguay.....	13,481	25,261	15,293	24,602	23,469	55,890	37,524	22,209	32,284	23,957
Venezuela.....	272,962	269,880	345,675	343,330	263,382	367,118	301,871	488,101	267,148	225,067
China.....		20,425	13,360	5,986	937	74,155			1,223,265	774,160
East Indies—British.....	87,293	389	2,386	297	189			20,282	19,151	49,088
Dutch.....			104				222			
Hongkong.....	1,661		779	164					7,223	7,937
Japan.....		409				14,756	5,287	200	33,579	3,028
Russia, Asiatic.....	282	1,097		2,329	1,227					72
Turkey in Asia.....				77,843	62,531	19,293	67,090	11,341	27,569	191,502
All other, Asia.....									25	
British Australasia.....	4,139	987	500	1,576	2,758	19,767	23,052	20,361	5,756	44,862
French Oceania.....		38,071	37,531	34,961	25,081	34,415	18,738	11,799	16,953	8,429
German Oceania.....										270
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	86,108								393	121
Hawaiian Islands.....		121,636	54,492	37,811	59,586	98,495	183,833	89,272	88,061	100,599
Philippine Islands and ports.....									82	179
British Africa.....	1,199	540	602	90	560	31,177	48,239	48,563	50,890	23,777
Canary Islands.....				3,429	120		276	2,046	3,536	
French Africa.....		393		40			130			
German Africa.....									97	
Liberia.....	3,087	1,936	1,657	818	663	1,417	837	459	391	434
Madagascar.....								2,630		
Portuguese Africa.....				1,930	8,649	3,194	7,530	7,668	5,301	7,026
Spanish Africa.....	275	250								386
All other Africa.....	85,617	323,218	103,412	11,950	7,962	447		6,565	700	
All other French.....	46,186									
All other islands and ports.....	2,139	600	400	347		220				
Total.....	2,885,373	2,886,435	2,590,934	2,484,360	2,802,462	3,854,935	3,444,539	3,419,158	4,770,231	4,138,887
Uncolored—										
Austria-Hungary.....	714	1,524		460		285	475	30,344	645	937
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	38,445	27,357	29,614	42,475	29,276	15,035	7,118	4,236	6,395	7,416
Belgium.....	25,701	10,443	15,336	46,598	9,212	4,824	50	1,115	1,656	680
Denmark.....	6,094	6,637	3,911	4,446	4,462	5,293	5,283	12,607	8,007	7,017
France.....	15,529	7,601	9,650	5,069	5,330	7,360	1,897	8,374	31,219	5,875
Germany.....	38,336	51,152	37,080	26,662	15,099	80,016	52,119	62,371	93,137	39,815
Gibraltar.....		72					114			153
Greece.....										155
Italy.....	2,058	120	1,162	274	1,635	957	3,585	1,247	2,076	1,029
Netherlands.....	3,230	4,619	10,376	9,851	7,690	12,720	14,354	16,428	15,741	19,748
Portugal.....	7,784	8,395	5,633	2,341	4,807	9,159	6,515	7,026	10,579	5,216
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	65						160	35		30
Russia, Black Sea.....							200			4,115
Sweden and Norway.....	140	2,292	2,996	2,711	1,856	1,417	1,547	8,199	4,423	85
Switzerland.....	125									
Turkey in Europe.....	1,600	4,123		832			350	1,296	3,391	13,956
United Kingdom.....	683,921	551,003	530,714	371,560	351,195	375,137	302,731	240,530	384,574	257,218
Bermuda.....				1,325	509	1,738	2,811	6,565	5,174	7,011
British Honduras.....	20,313	18,700	23,637	21,631	18,983	22,862	36,055	30,225	32,105	33,296
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, N. Brunswick, etc.....	19,725	13,672	13,820	19,091	1,967	1,410	5,617	346	5,487	2,557
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	4,860	4,214	25,115	9,630	242,041	368,667	170,466	883,010	947,998	520,543
British Columbia.....	570			1,079	1,289	1,065	366	698	250	652
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	59,079	35,503	25,942	43,109	19,426	14,740	11,587	14,687	19,289	13,694
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	40,378	44,257	55,940	37,786	51,142	37,740	52,850	67,864	69,999	33,944
Guatemala.....	48,769	50,054	61,599	56,214	48,920	29,868	58,211	100,706	54,034	13,741

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Cotton —Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
Cloths—Continued.										
Uncolored—Continued.										
Central American States—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Honduras.....	42,135	42,359	32,749	51,984	37,824	84,254	95,965	71,315	108,629	77,348
Nicaragua.....	41,187	34,324	30,545	23,842	19,402	28,648	57,361	37,628	36,077	19,257
Salvador.....	100,926	97,766	162,889	154,472	96,157	100,540	168,806	150,596	115,651	84,524
Mexico.....	138,904	153,875	126,753	144,392	86,643	111,236	145,430	182,833	135,226	143,371
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	10,906	8,683	3,792	14,886	5,566	1,329	262	15	3,015	2,417
West Indies—										
British.....	70,286	71,492	70,547	58,799	71,109	79,426	76,249	98,752	70,676	81,125
Danish.....	3,553	6,415	4,947	5,118	6,360	9,745	6,098	8,786	7,456	7,099
Dutch.....	15,310	16,257	33,055	19,726	34,775	20,691	15,112	16,542	28,459	12,529
French.....	2,614	3,584	5,947	5,507	4,779	3,054	1,725	3,958	5,280	2,371
Haiti.....	105,253	207,978	157,625	89,234	171,827	107,780	119,328	77,200	55,492	42,816
Santo Domingo.....	35,376	25,526	22,514	39,870	33,917	55,752	14,166	23,872	20,609	45,692
Spanish—Cuba.....	56,931	63,517	52,707	45,216	64,451	50,610	21,686	22,583	24,484	9,933
Porto Rico.....	5,727	7,198	4,592	15,536	5,632	4,557	3,855	8,663	4,590	1,814
Argentina.....	426,337	427,103	83,594	99,593	291,336	250,326	179,376	234,326	259,678	156,335
Bolivia.....	365	2,015	2,267	1,511	2,916	1,233	564	13,331	2,000	3,470
Brazil.....	190,611	398,478	232,506	350,384	780,768	781,121	891,626	594,067	373,245	138,679
Chile.....	530,174	458,176	418,472	406,226	479,623	430,891	651,133	603,102	626,380	452,907
Columbia.....	74,404	60,309	104,907	121,735	93,792	60,502	103,196	110,490	134,238	99,903
Ecuador.....	13,051	14,009	20,588	56,146	29,421	23,705	18,125	31,515	35,811	26,025
Guianas—British.....	10,194	22,667	12,727	24,568	14,683	10,572	5,630	8,873	14,078	18,269
Dutch.....	46	321	150	262	911	1,544	2,382	674	1,436	2,374
French.....	409	877	883	1,149				663		75
Peru.....	87,461	39,929	78,255	85,794	28,411	36,785	43,810	49,794	63,100	69,643
Uruguay.....	93,075	119,141	33,496	39,837	85,886	67,466	72,156	89,170	55,819	62,715
Venezuela.....	176,558	140,165	199,509	67,166	142,866	154,458	186,217	158,207	154,382	79,599
Aden.....								467,192	938,800	579,654
China.....	1,519,265	1,203,540	5,321,500	3,881,746	1,637,720	2,772,065	1,703,023	3,854,146	6,214,938	4,421,745
East Indies—British.....	138,776	253,179	318,978	324,933	144,570	330,077	282,278	118,321	180,729	578,755
Dutch.....		265	310		222	230		267	98	297
French.....			175							
Hongkong.....	34,942	15,239	10,799	33,955	14,062	10,057	13,242	21,697	10,269	24,182
Japan.....	25,568	119,083	35,383	10,330	9,084	28,008	87,303	92,630	101,685	44,246
Korea.....										400
Russia, Asiatic.....										795
Turkey in Asia.....	10,717	5,104		32,514	1,003	6,974	2,535	580	13,272	15,427
All other Asia.....	61,395	84,375	126,303	107,947	85,654	175,584	290,637	103,205	255,515	260,314
British Australasia.....	19,191	26,651	27,742	34,476	20,040	30,817	36,032	47,282	62,657	69,220
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								310	169	123
Hawaiian Islands.....	10,884	13,163	26,599	11,806	5,734	8,374	32,392	10,524	11,988	4,066
Philippine Islands.....	832	9,951	6,430	687	2,413	40,664	900	2,527	1,858	1,125
British Africa.....	51,949	33,339	26,895	22,053	41,924	40,286	145,980	84,604	35,788	25,465
Canary Islands.....				8,159	14,902	15,741	13,316	7,593	15,020	19,023
French Africa.....	139	443	171		6,660	4,076		30		192
German Africa.....								180	173	
Liberia.....	1,296	246	1,313	2,231	1,281	1,022	853	790	324	622
Madagascar.....				237,769	113,773	42,920	167,712	462,000	472,560	226,159
Portuguese Africa.....			845	7,892	3,135	2,523	619	2,496	3,714	4,475
Spanish Africa.....	3,245	4,459	5,838							505
Turkey in Europe—Egypt.....			180	1,870	625	508	682	943	889	1,990
All other Africa.....	132,855	181,497	294,433	371,197	290,077	128,379	84,542	167,018	158,853	214,246
All other British.....	367,118	264,617	324,646	557,961	509,249	535,068	557,913			
All other islands and ports.....		1,320								
Total.....	5,577,401	5,480,403	9,277,112	8,673,663	6,306,022	7,639,851	7,034,678	9,539,199	12,511,369	9,151,936
Wearing apparel—										
Austria-Hungary.....	70		41			25		712	490	2,070
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	18	152	323	7		300				35

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Cotton—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Wearing apparel—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Belgium	2,068	1,258	160	137	443	4,595	2,070	3,394	6,383	20,855
Denmark	100	550	780	946	168	3,070	142	1,722	1,145	490
France	7,176	4,536	3,471	4,352	5,421	6,435	4,176	11,773	5,152	1,659
Germany	6,152	6,032	8,321	4,135	3,199	6,628	19,299	20,821	47,652	72,161
Gibraltar								200		250
Italy	2,603	3,826	2,459	3,836	2,545	2,222	2,045	6,589	2,216	3,303
Netherlands	670		375	339		3,550	100	926	1,121	918
Portugal	364	324								1,192
Russia, Black Sea								375		
Spain	103		1,325		30				825	100
Sweden and Norway	100		400	275		100	288	193	689	251
Switzerland							500	15		
Turkey in Europe										1,717
United Kingdom	33,246	22,594	36,069	31,074	24,737	28,357	45,281	123,118	180,121	213,824
Bermuda				2,524	3,015	4,513	6,075	6,258	4,615	9,510
British Honduras	114	324	1,021	404	1,602	807	3,577	8,057	11,077	9,495
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	12,835	5,915	5,808	25,107	23,260	15,790	15,298	11,879	12,179	12,377
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	538	1,988	19,245	99,614	120,238	125,037	88,350	67,294	54,755	157,219
British Columbia	1,510	3,933	962	5,250	15,080	14,693	16,392	14,802	31,625	27,957
Newfoundland and Labrador	6,535	6,106	4,295	13,500	15,786	8,853	6,202	9,494	12,022	10,692
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	2,776	2,936	4,975	3,082	3,934	3,182	4,597	7,647	8,327	7,141
Guatemala	17,123	2,384	5,555	3,393	8,432	1,561	4,789	11,332	4,632	1,882
Honduras	5,755	2,859	2,861	2,304	1,778	3,434	2,972	3,695	7,631	7,325
Nicaragua	7,753	10,396	17,508	12,981	7,494	8,703	11,624	12,991	14,127	9,323
Salvador	4,182	2,653	2,049	1,472	2,665	2,882	8,520	10,741	5,589	1,591
Mexico	54,635	34,738	18,173	29,084	37,888	33,227	51,214	109,075	115,098	33,344
Miquelon, Langley, etc.		1,245	743	6,230	5,545	1,238	980	667	1,058	764
West Indies—										
British	9,533	10,637	8,776	19,182	14,632	17,055	22,178	33,018	27,492	41,416
Danish	343	1,272	821	622	626	664	843	1,674	1,674	981
Dutch	3,003	1,871	3,084	4,853	4,507	3,027	1,782	2,113	2,783	1,780
French		136	80	42	10	20	162	382	4	154
Haiti	2,262	2,783	3,013	2,351	3,450	7,038	6,802	11,967	11,679	13,440
Santo Domingo	1,210	868	5,694	3,383	690	6,186	4,135	2,178	7,596	9,394
Spanish—Cuba	12,515	9,666	6,660	14,691	9,615	4,087	2,903	2,958	2,499	4,379
Porto Rico	2,087	2,153	1,479	1,929	1,447	620	1,134	551	957	1,190
Argentina	1,966	2,092	579	1,501	1,965	1,885	1,600	2,565	3,818	1,055
Bolivia		475			2,362					
Brazil	5,934	9,790	12,745	16,231	18,196	31,303	27,945	13,229	8,734	8,784
Chile	2,289	2,410	1,296	795	1,389	2,891	1,190	1,959	1,273	650
Colombia	23,422	9,751	19,515	10,332	14,202	18,527	12,907	11,409	25,149	23,986
Ecuador	4,454	1,098	562	1,267	1,403	4,316	1,411	4,174	3,181	1,727
Guianas—British	18	165	30	626	1,398	326	3,003	635	1,479	751
Dutch	77		35	196	10	20	184	242	397	1,383
French	5	78						80		2
Peru	1,628	2,278	1,797	1,999	983	450	1,670	518	888	585
Uruguay	1,536	5,100	203	170	4,986	1,895	8,746	2,751	1,017	89
Venezuela	4,787	3,834	3,238	3,661	5,228	5,625	3,030	4,606	2,618	1,961
Aden										85
China	984	4,204	1,668	3,488	4,980	5,737	10,808	8,283	6,619	2,569
East Indies—British	1,407	223	317	400	1,055	769	1,140	1,342	2,528	1,255
Hongkong	252		37		64	395	325	1,375	948	1,085
Japan	366	641	948	202	230	1,146	741	433	707	1,036
Russia, Asiatic				30		34	544	1,876	2,068	
Turkey in Asia	67			75	323	503	2,163	1,026	2,414	1,775
All other Asia	125									1,731
British Australasia	8,453	18,084	33,562	62,175	36,178	41,533	64,152	94,830	139,643	128,059
French Oceania			228	502	2,734	1,290	716		1,671	124

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Cotton—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
All other—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Austria-Hungary.....						1,500				112
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	2,486	7,705	2,087	52	54	332	2,121	2,855	10	159
Belgium.....	41,115	32,580	24,877	7,704	17,792	35,806	32,853	25,922	22,007	7,053
Denmark.....	35	32	280	1,181	876	240	192	773	557	404
France.....	12,002	3,261	2,044	4,319	1,946	3,414	6,508	4,729	5,340	2,819
Germany.....	15,308	19,998	22,153	66,861	116,235	158,207	211,215	150,259	171,417	20,735
Gibraltar.....					150	435	134	78	5	
Greece.....							96		417	4
Italy.....	237	653	1,255	2,223	8,004	22,923	511	793	2,589	480
Netherlands.....	2,522	786	1,132	589	6,470	8,718	2,946	3,625	10,113	501
Portugal.....	167	2,667	327	1,900	3,400	425	256	80	63	44
Roumania.....						529				
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....					105		113	45	635	81
Russia, Black Sea.....									44	35
Spain.....	166	10			24	9,274	506	299		18
Sweden and Norway.....	1,688	3,685	1,882	1,176	260	2,953	3,327	1,834	2,287	1,820
Switzerland.....									30	50
Turkey in Europe.....	700		800	260	964	178				840
United Kingdom.....	392,807	314,074	252,411	130,652	216,933	333,510	213,999	261,557	287,535	93,327
Bermuda.....				3,840	3,817	2,965	2,951	3,129	3,747	5,014
British Honduras.....	878	737	1,259	1,943	1,359	1,568	5,147	4,050	7,310	8,026
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	74,139	51,711	87,563	27,940	58,746	82,344	77,058	71,787	70,974	57,598
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	192,797	195,275	331,058	654,167	1,057,616	963,717	1,460,668	1,505,415	1,081,578	1,274,008
British Columbia.....	23,983	25,722	33,104	31,003	23,334	24,080	28,225	41,688	55,889	51,786
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	15,472	19,859	12,358	8,738	43,941	31,109	18,678	31,643	32,157	23,233
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	3,014	3,684	4,666	4,271	5,153	3,481	5,136	6,854	9,246	8,448
Guatemala.....	5,460	11,973	13,404	18,673	16,867	24,275	60,342	67,383	95,431	75,611
Honduras.....	2,567	19,771	9,651	7,939	2,261	5,133	21,391	7,778	15,905	20,726
Nicaragua.....	6,188	13,842	14,986	20,762	13,906	12,536	23,190	31,515	24,022	33,693
Salvador.....	2,700	2,236	3,002	3,291	5,138	3,862	20,906	21,267	37,386	28,552
Mexico.....	163,658	144,664	139,880	126,278	102,435	118,348	100,710	213,654	231,041	291,673
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	8,791	7,665	10,179	1,073	1,156	6,717	12,703	9,240	9,729	6,548
West Indies—										
British.....	9,789	9,437	17,814	12,427	14,921	15,111	19,175	10,427	14,354	16,918
Danish.....	832	1,632	264	961	783	1,038	596	1,174	749	644
Dutch.....	1,351	1,873	3,659	2,766	3,020	2,081	2,229	2,017	2,669	1,345
French.....	371	679	1,645	1,073	554	1,072	351	252	679	106
Haiti.....	2,690	8,913	8,117	4,482	8,577	7,703	10,014	8,396	12,860	3,713
Santo Domingo.....	5,700	1,767	1,955	2,365	5,168	5,169	2,526	7,941	23,416	8,176
Spanish—Cuba.....	43,542	45,171	39,228	50,546	63,204	58,674	40,144	37,324	39,945	6,340
Porto Rico.....	4,303	3,914	4,144	3,850	5,179	8,132	3,600	5,544	3,988	327
Argentina.....	32,743	24,634	6,150	14,239	54,912	30,576	16,609	39,368	63,027	20,857
Bolivia.....			29	568	60		155	806		205
Brazil.....	22,302	21,839	37,720	59,414	58,586	71,840	79,847	60,558	59,241	41,926
Chile.....	5,795	4,168	2,861	16,598	9,865	5,490	11,310	11,142	6,459	4,597
Colombia.....	27,012	17,553	31,700	28,535	24,309	21,525	21,046	21,363	20,683	19,288
Ecuador.....	2,912	3,671	4,516	3,665	3,122	2,913	2,558	3,647	12,908	3,804
Guianas—British.....	605	807	283	1,387	578	1,193	1,030	615	2,416	1,092
Dutch.....	110	491		186	292	85	198	126	207	640
French.....	215	288	60	768	1,508	290	1,076	18	292	31
Peru.....	1,971	2,913	2,200	2,356	1,061	1,814	1,202	2,737	2,983	1,353
Uruguay.....	4,954	8,083	4,407	1,714	5,840	4,218	3,666	5,185	6,496	2,507
Venezuela.....	12,834	15,215	16,820	12,449	16,062	16,735	17,606	17,392	14,069	11,875
China.....	3,020	2,864	1,510	1,743	996	2,264	9,563	180,895	16,156	5,013
East Indies—British.....		1,179		513	623	188	688	2,379	1,527	627
Dutch.....	175	5					126	154	81	19
Hongkong.....	11,846	6,587	10,855	7,623	9,170	6,092	4,981	10,858	9,723	7,204
Japan.....	5,411	6,069	8,018	22,713	43,188	6,561	17,811	12,206	34,637	15,047

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Cotton—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>All other—</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Korea.....										93
Russia, Asiatic.....	9,993	5,742	9,939	1,693	1,456	1,975	1,454	2,506	6,404	3,603
Turkey in Asia.....				1,033	172	245	220	826	770	146
All other Asia.....			74	23	247	254		1,180	1,472	91
British Australasia.....	21,732	24,543	20,274	33,972	21,673	29,952	24,935	24,607	41,754	39,043
French Oceania.....		20,073	19,093	17,083	15,114	22,522	17,964	21,346	39,557	31,281
German Oceania.....									1,447	380
Hawaiian Islands.....	206,551	233,054	199,846	180,066	143,040	164,983	139,052	171,577	239,696	222,931
Spanish Oceania.....								1,790		1,300
Philippine Islands.....	5,521	9,746	4,641	5,796	6,012	5,077	2,455	7,187	224	
Tonga, Samoa, and other, n. e. s.....								5,068	4,051	5,353
British Africa.....	1,894	4,653	3,592	4,852	9,887	4,982	6,173	10,184	7,944	8,259
Canary Islands.....				129	8		50	124	20	
French Africa.....	4,129	614	3,671	10	117				1,158	617
Liberia.....	591	1,117	617	1,040	510	702	643	1,157	851	708
Portuguese Africa.....	28			5	43	444	573	5,179	2,310	1,619
Spanish Africa.....	44	38	64							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....				23				1,416	2	16
All other Africa.....	73	73	16		35	123	54	17	3,365	1,139
All other British.....							1,191			
All other French.....	15,730									
German Oceania and Africa.....						470				
All other Spanish.....					112	682	486			
All other islands and ports.....	12,418	19,648	22,499	9,599	4,566	7,729	7,504			
Total.....	1,448,067	1,391,643	1,458,642	1,635,152	2,248,515	2,369,483	2,791,863	3,170,940	2,877,254	2,515,434
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
EARTHEN AND STONE WARE—										
Austria-Hungary.....							145	265	728	410
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	41	5	25						2	
Belgium.....	4,448	3,628	3,863	7,922	1,087	2,758	1,492	1,150	176	1,179
Denmark.....	428		114	210	279	475	140	60	122	525
France.....	8,775	5,303	4,501	4,535	3,767	5,812	3,102	4,167	3,507	3,809
Germany.....	1,094	2,146	2,631	2,717	2,559	3,359	1,325	2,273	3,625	2,417
Gibraltar.....						38				
Italy.....		1,273	1,291	97	332	2,445	798	1,144	1,321	904
Netherlands.....	80	179			250	1,698	469	314	871	704
Portugal.....	202	228	193	58	449	725	419	304	452	377
Russia, Black Sea.....								645	92	
Spain.....	310	346	460	475	188	54	142	558	76	75
Sweden and Norway.....	325	1,986	892	764		572	126		357	1,696
Turkey in Europe.....		16		21						138
United Kingdom.....	3,462	7,878	11,667	8,584	9,548	7,481	6,556	6,285	5,014	6,746
Bermuda.....				249	727	1,097	495	886	795	451
British Honduras.....		38	90		92	23	49	51	641	731
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	6,590	5,133	2,828	1,043	1,216	3,069	2,559	3,127	4,056	4,320
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	71,123	60,975	57,537	122,849	130,152	39,073	59,092	50,479	60,333	81,202
British Columbia.....	8,980	13,736	13,914	5,447	10,255	2,511	4,306	6,862	12,439	13,431
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	43	326	167	44	381	599	51	226	670	545
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	456	790	2,169	640	310	250	217	222	185	237
Guatemala.....	4,299	3,307	2,313	2,679	3,277	1,309	4,368	2,702	2,950	966
Honduras.....	1,265	359	466	299	561	1,089	427	1,325	555	1,298
Nicaragua.....	1,202	678	832	427	1,063	914	1,276	1,327	1,457	2,031
Salvador.....	885	382	159	888	637	570	290	421	272	231
Mexico.....	7,926	18,062	14,029	18,366	18,205	13,788	13,845	20,270	27,623	38,970
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	514	451	303	634	623	325	321	392	668	448

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Earthen, stone, and china ware—Cont'd.										
EARTHEN AND STONE WARE—Continued.										
West Indies—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British	879	786	996	1,108	3,811	3,218	1,144	1,657	2,014	1,865
Danish	109	154	18	.....	42	145	495	42	128	120
Dutch	56	20	12	.....	32	90	72	58	87	149
French .....	.....	78	29	.....	3	6	30	6	18	65
Haiti	463	420	210	228	.....	34	62	969	402	528
Santo Domingo	2,348	983	194	183	196	284	260	251	521	631
Spanish—Cuba	3,198	2,587	4,516	2,604	5,510	4,442	3,433	2,225	1,022	1,701
Porto Rico	321	770	263	183	381	167	159	309	137	315
Argentina	1,001	1,410	526	105	694	116	276	891	791	1,460
Brazil	862	1,308	1,996	577	822	1,179	757	1,980	1,432	504
Chile	175	704	392	945	274	260	109	111	105	.....
Colombia	2,328	1,722	2,863	2,018	2,239	2,968	1,491	2,710	2,127	1,182
Ecuador	83	.....	16	72	.....	44	11	.....	206	71
Guianas—British	17	.....	73	42	7	.....	107	6	113	6
Dutch .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	26
French	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90
Peru	248	241	704	172	58	132	117	232	634	369
Uruguay	176	1,347	255	.....	.....	27	144	36	18	.....
Venezuela	3,726	602	336	26,567	411	2,638	500	1,304	1,096	728
China	90	126	.....	32	193	211	292	142	353	576
East Indies—British .....	.....	.....	70	64	.....	.....	128	.....	110	178
Hongkong	528	295	525	25	.....	.....	220	426	161	130
Japan	600	1,169	221	1,551	331	593	1,080	467	2,607	803
Korea .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	381
Russia, Asiatic	168	200	184	97	49	325	.....	138	198	.....
Turkey in Asia .....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	75	.....	470	.....	93
All other Asia	14	.....	6	.....	.....	36	.....	46	82	17
British Australasia	2,158	748	581	1,066	1,552	405	383	758	1,562	4,807
French Oceanica .....	.....	1,392	372	820	324	347	347	109	670	628
Spanish Oceanica .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38
Tonga, Samoa, etc. ....	.....	11,685	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	246	55
Hawaiian Islands	6,855	.....	10,015	5,563	4,084	5,040	3,782	5,586	6,223	11,490
Philippine Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	.....
British Africa	89	18	62	231	30	52	46	413	174	421
Canary Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	4	.....	.....	.....
Liberia .....	.....	.....	24	10	122	42	50	.....	9	11
Portuguese Africa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	7	45	18
All other Africa .....	.....	.....	.....	31	.....	15	.....	150	29	.....
All other French	1,167	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports	137	355	291	135	69	130	16	.....	.....	.....
Total	150,326	150,346	146,194	223,607	207,217	113,080	118,205	126,904	152,272	193,334
CHINA WARE—										
Austria-Hungary .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	810	.....	.....
Azores, and Madeira Islands .....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belgium	15	.....	68	10	74	100	70	1,595	.....	215
Denmark .....	.....	.....	10	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
France	5,331	450	772	1,748	857	523	2,080	1,453	135	237
Germany	783	1,389	1,539	378	951	424	2,111	3,192	715	1,015
Gibraltar .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	.....	5	.....
Italy	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Netherlands	200	.....	200	250	.....	447	.....	114	.....	2
Sweden and Norway .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	.....	.....
United Kingdom	3,834	2,477	1,759	1,969	1,347	1,818	6,233	1,789	1,398	11,870
Bermuda	281	829	278	423	789	163	689
British Honduras	61	47	60	77	5	14	35	70

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1900	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Earthen, stone, and china ware—Cont'd.										
CHINA WARE—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	212	184	.....	250	9	178	231	193	295	365
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	1,000	314	146	666	6,040	4,606	4,101	6,826	11,396	22,085
British Columbia	469	779	.....	193	97	543	997	150	227	261
Newfoundland and Labrador	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	18	.....	31	.....	.....
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	187	375	359	555	785	53	98	192	240	6
Guatemala	68	234	57	174	783	64	19	158	210	.....
Honduras	79	344	297	186	103	117	676	70	130	10
Nicaragua	137	1,529	1,320	782	445	303	203	191	81	25
Salvador	25	46	2	152	55	.....	17	289	62	.....
Mexico	987	2,950	1,965	852	1,896	938	1,983	2,738	7,516	1,601
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	.....	51	.....	97	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....
West Indies—										
British	476	1,413	931	567	1,112	1,056	875	247	110	109
Danish	81	379	80	426	14	152	71	178	196	.....
Dutch	49	88	91	14	20	25	59	50	105	50
French	64	18	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	14	.....
Haiti	256	1,005	583	96	357	193	205	77	37	94
Santo Domingo	.....	16	.....	.....	41	131	45	89	10	70
Spanish—Cuba	16	41	68	645	387	49	142	63	.....	27
Porto Rico	.....	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Argentina	23	5	36	50	.....	853	.....	.....	118	8
Brazil	174	171	323	654	130	100	82	249	366	.....
Chile	.....	161	62	70	103	82	.....	158	1,607	.....
Colombia	866	490	1,090	684	331	216	40	8	107	469
Ecuador	19	249	10	.....	156	33	20	182	.....	13
Guianas—British	.....	.....	1	137	.....	45	57	.....	.....	2
Dutch	.....	.....	.....	86	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	.....
Peru	.....	25	428	.....	100	18	.....	130	.....	.....
Uruguay	.....	1,156	208	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Venezuela	1,352	1,233	168	801	1,591	395	362	20	71	.....
China	80	275	428	154	436	31	28	23	60	25
East Indies—British	.....	73	120	400	.....	59	1,000	301	.....	.....
Hongkong	.....	50	425	119	10	.....	14	.....	30	.....
Japan	83	120	25	22	14	.....	226	.....	101	200
Turkey in Asia	43	24	59	83	.....	.....	121	.....	6	9
All other Asia	52	148	.....	.....	50	15	52	50	12	7
British Australasia	129	.....	.....	119	370	339	84	.....	11	61
Hawaiian Islands	.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British Africa	46	62	56	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
French Africa	.....	.....	6	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberia	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other Africa	.....	.....	18	10	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....
Total	17,413	19,131	13,332	13,824	19,589	14,357	22,816	22,484	25,560	39,658
Fertilizers:										
Austria-Hungary	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,000	65,750	42,179	17,280	.....	36,000
Azores, and Madeira Islands	.....	.....	.....	84	88	.....	130	.....	350	.....
Belgium	.....	.....	2,322	2,060	3,000	29,720	42,792	139,204	233,890	224,143
Denmark	13,506	32,582	23,480	93,636	44,010	111,195	104,109	46,970	102,970	87,240
Franco	.....	.....	32,442	65,192	223,926	251,685	419,561	199,065	279,006	83,130
Germany	109,784	228,126	360,784	738,424	1,493,455	1,842,522	2,165,121	1,609,045	1,944,411	1,738,351
Gibraltar	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	170	.....	.....	.....	.....
Italy	13,383	12,306	29,944	35,055	57,579	178,472	165,416	303,704	222,550	195,152
Netherlands	.....	12,750	980	91,125	212,240	420,422	587,710	380,470	553,115	440,345
Roumania	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000	.....	26,500
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	12,126	54,650	102,440	42,570	51,116	35,813
Russia, Black Sea	8,840
Spain	6,120	15,770	43	25

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Fertilizers—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Sweden and Norway	10,260	43,924	127,725	75,686	146,466	191,148	151,308	157,192	177,800	139,000
United Kingdom	575,398	1,070,872	1,318,116	1,248,889	1,421,484	1,481,310	1,477,824	1,072,650	945,519	779,657
Bermuda				12,987	18,766	17,040	11,160	17,775	17,907	22,998
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	24,674	45,250	62,459	101,815	88,838	100,406	119,149	83,599	75,614	81,169
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	37,031	27,501	5,945	381	2,141	10,505	3,862	4,271	9,685	12,193
British Columbia	10	30	1,946	1,240	898	252		217	1,044	
Newfoundland and Labrador	300	45		37	45			8		103
Central American States—										
Costa Rica			18	716	445	555		19	21	
Guatemala			51	827		80			100	40
Nicaragua	18		20	34		20				
Salvador								30		
Mexico						327	34	589	253	537
West Indies—										
British	29,487	12,315	35,227	28,794	25,961	32,551	23,627	26,653	20,698	24,981
Danish										150
Dutch							18			17
French	593	748	2,159	2,500	1,542	423	920	855	23,500	4,479
Haiti							39	15		
Santo Domingo				20					52	
Spanish—Cuba	24,991	6,501	5,344	6,172	6,260	6,299	3,494	2,421	474	1,840
Porto Rico	16,973	6,875	7,167	10,583	6,976	8,176	3,945	5,335	6,689	2,010
Brazil	49		400	566	90	1,340	195	100	268	37
Colombia		10	1,450	30	114	25		3	50	196
Guianas—British					50				450	3,145
Peru						288				
Uruguay		1,204	2,387	2,453	1,614	2,803	816	2,760	500	
Venezuela			39	38			101			
Hongkong									60	
Japan	4,694				150		13,400		3,510	26,706
British Australasia				95	1,432	3,703	1,400	70	9,138	35,550
Hawaiian Islands	126,473	114,988	157,016	127,674	127,838	221,345	285,635	254,325	311,298	355,479
British Africa		20	350	344	266	815	825	1,153		583
Canary Islands				3,543	2,773	4,395	4,994	7,185	3,831	2,280
Spanish Africa	865	2,684	4,503							
Total	988,569	1,618,681	2,182,274	2,657,120	3,927,343	5,038,445	5,741,262	4,400,593	5,005,929	4,359,834
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:										
BAGS—										
Austria-Hungary								680		32
Azores, and Madeira Islands	267	975	120	270	850	1,166	1,080	731	1,039	1,862
Belgium	9,248	12,531	2,598	46,323	35,624	46,508	16,883	19,207	54,363	57,613
Denmark	6,844	9,954		17,178	6,209	7,654	409	12,085	15,954	17,873
France	42,978	49,651	5,796	104,687	30,086	21,206	2,400	16,982	15,858	77,564
Germany	15,009	33,791	9,459	70,397	33,125	41,317	4,927	3,619	16,353	28,058
Gibraltar	34			430	1,000	67	10			184
Italy	12	180		712	1,000	616		1,179	744	2,039
Netherlands	2,856	6,322	2,204	40,203	18,389	14,769	1,134	2,578	10,095	29,065
Portugal	7,855	9,700	7,330	11,353	24,481	12,531	5,753	4,746	7,411	4,576
Russia, Baltic and White Seas				890	125					395
Russia, Black Sea								50		100
Spain	150	1,055	385	382	6,614	1,535	173			
Sweden and Norway	917			8,682	1,637	881	351	2,395	3,000	1,074
Switzerland										66
United Kingdom	106,489	114,700	48,936	130,595	176,459	157,601	158,093	138,109	190,728	239,348
Bermuda				262	535	294	43	78	30	169
British Honduras	213		32		48		39	12	13	7

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
BAGS—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	939	1,001	837	430	1,876	1,694	856	1,985	302	81
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	26	.....	781	2,210	1,038	2,770	2,242	4,495	7,050	12,136
British Columbia.....	867	53	158	2,328	968	5,177	3,390	5,525	7,473	785
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	128	.....	103	62	.....	10	.....	2	.....	600
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	586	1,066	45	681	485	522	707	289	697	685
Guatemala.....	1,900	557	2,016	927	1,718	1,438	2,295	4,217	3,621	1,404
Honduras.....	365	1,577	34	55	260	641	562	761	124	741
Nicaragua.....	717	774	1,304	1,357	553	456	614	90	668	994
Salvador.....	610	159	126	568	168	377	842	393	499	20
Mexico.....	14,680	22,489	31,813	19,041	42,008	34,267	41,950	31,867	35,716	42,444
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	.....	25	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Indies—										
British.....	3,483	3,473	5,260	6,985	4,779	5,571	5,850	6,703	10,553	8,734
Danish.....	2,709	838	19	.....	.....	.....	238	2,584	3,595	215
Dutch.....	64	.....	38	210	382	201	107	710	540	16
French.....	315	12	48	17	.....	96	5	37	.....	15
Haiti.....	1,815	934	597	481	666	57	878	377	2,053	1,367
Santo Domingo.....	7,201	13,322	291	6,292	32,712	42,580	22,168	24,592	35,073	.....
Spanish—Cuba.....	3,106	11,276	4,934	4,670	9,673	8,133	3,571	270	393	7,552
Porto Rico.....	.....	410	65	280	15	.....	.....	69	47	916
Argentina.....	598	.....	310	230	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	.....
Brazil.....	111	3,304	430	28	4,487	120	250	1,243	463	3,412
Chile.....	.....	.....	52	139	212	.....	.....	549	1,114	655
Colombia.....	3,537	2,802	4,379	1,418	3,712	1,774	2,010	2,809	2,120	2,259
Ecuador.....	4,614	5,978	840	2,257	524	505	365	.....	16	.....
Guianas—British.....	192	342	91	83	.....	30	154	.....	.....	9
French.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	49	22	.....	9
Peru.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	713	677	968	120
Uruguay.....	70	621	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	263	.....
Venezuela.....	79	473	.....	1,960	.....	385	286	.....	14	4
China.....	.....	50	.....	.....	30	184	.....	.....	.....	730
East Indies—British.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....	.....	195	750	.....
Hongkong.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	198	125
Japan.....	.....	4,440	.....	1,453	2,520	400	1,188	.....	.....	420
Russia, Asiatic.....	.....	30	100	37	75	173	.....	.....	50	469
British Australasia.....	760	.....	.....	300	830	15	101	676	3,153	343
French Oceania.....	.....	505	701	986	133	1,004	836	532	1,861	600
Spanish Oceania.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45	85	.....
Hawaiian Islands.....	9,829	21,168	444	9,694	3,692	7,273	1,723	9,077	60,279	11,906
British Africa.....	333	10	.....	34	.....	.....	389	717	1,890	1,067
Canary Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	695	1,028	1,799	469	102	710	717
French Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	20
Liberia.....	252	121	60	27	.....	94	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spanish Africa.....	428	389	957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	363	4,359
All other French.....	831	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports.....	114	328	172	.....	162	.....	283	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	254,131	337,955	133,880	498,459	451,436	423,832	286,386	304,061	498,373	556,926
CORDAGE—										
Austria-Hungary.....	.....	.....	700	.....	.....	.....	.....	213	.....	.....
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	2,013	5,812	4,447	807	647	1,526	1,816	1,437	1,074	1,109
Belgium.....	705	5,120	2,606	884	117	760	1,725
Denmark.....	2,830	2,917	4,893	2,094	1,263	2,610	306	445	211	2,493

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Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
CORDAGE—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
France.....	2,301	759								100
Germany.....	2,497	25	954	1,647	633		60	2,817	2,955	3,505
Gibraltar.....	570	1,349								
Italy.....	1,403		1,381						500	
Netherlands.....	3,072	2,489	2,180	5,294	3,451	3,036	270	580	1,403	1,600
Portugal.....	1,372	895	981	283		645			1,057	1,275
Roumania.....							502			
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....										4,358
Russia, Black Sea.....	11,623	8,432	11,065		6,494	8,338		5,619	4,283	3,513
Spain.....		77								
Sweden and Norway.....	521						384		222	
United Kingdom.....	6,234	5,898	7,436	15,840	20,275	21,514	38,981	10,529	42,575	61,992
Bermuda.....				3,229	3,429	2,492	1,779	2,633	2,403	2,659
British Honduras.....	2,096	2,650	2,221	4,044	2,655	1,614	1,912	2,757	2,924	2,401
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	12,295	7,043	69,882	18,632	8,494	18,552	16,891	8,542	20,967	13,800
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	278	58	1,023	881	15,627	32,123	12,659	7,126	10,444	11,787
British Columbia.....	5,453	4,060	4,690	8,123	4,174	7,578	5,612	4,103	4,128	6,442
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	11,354	9,010	4,683	4,599	4,780	2,619	1,855	1,604	2,528	2,904
Central America States—										
Costa Rica.....	5,758	6,276	6,617	7,456	5,735	4,495	3,817	5,471	8,117	4,585
Guatemala.....	2,975	5,012	4,773	3,134	6,204	2,680	6,113	9,238	5,325	4,384
Honduras.....	1,734	969	768	1,692	2,189	1,362	1,574	1,616	1,363	3,201
Nicaragua.....	9,277	17,924	24,291	11,181	7,491	5,283	7,590	9,219	8,630	8,567
Salvador.....	4,609	1,791	3,122	4,601	2,694	2,369	2,712	3,968	2,842	2,034
Mexico.....	23,786	31,811	27,324	28,671	23,110	17,338	23,825	23,582	26,691	37,285
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	21,482	26,920	20,333	16,045	5,213	4,854	4,654	4,950	4,934	6,595
West Indies—										
British.....	39,061	42,333	40,206	30,461	30,427	28,798	24,666	28,434	25,366	33,716
Danish.....	962	4,216	2,201	3,642	2,771	1,388	1,648	1,492	1,552	2,576
Dutch.....	8,310	9,959	10,711	6,812	7,368	5,553	5,977	4,370	4,286	4,106
French.....	2,957	2,150	6,127	2,972	3,638	1,008	816	1,145	1,734	286
Haiti.....	3,638	9,170	7,282	6,309	5,091	6,248	4,704	4,162	3,947	2,596
Santo Domingo.....	7,446	7,032	8,077	5,250	7,387	6,032	2,901	3,266	2,917	4,526
Spanish—Cuba.....	284,138	441,598	265,603	216,816	56,254	42,304	12,259	6,315	7,247	4,890
Porto Rico.....	16,637	17,885	15,449	20,674	12,383	16,515	11,176	16,458	8,395	4,951
Argentina.....	33,146	48,493	13,049	6,270	2,250	10,969	36,159	111,090	167,294	107,093
Bolivia.....					45				8	11
Brazil.....	8,220	26,154	3,415	7,626	10,121	7,439	11,830	10,151	8,820	21,178
Chile.....	37,097	36,231	11,490	15,511	7,114	6,219	12,310	17,763	10,467	8,111
Colombia.....	68,131	40,321	50,594	44,129	35,566	27,747	18,220	28,094	26,890	28,396
Ecuador.....	5,455	4,538	20,020	7,946	5,611	7,100	4,052	9,300	5,869	12,553
Guianas—British.....	238	265	668	428	820	849	1,867	1,678	1,430	3,656
Dutch.....	320	205			219	225			45	50
French.....	48	401	655			167	249	179	106	176
Peru.....	25,207	45,499	40,198	32,189	12,415	14,861	21,609	32,510	31,817	30,195
Uruguay.....	16,892	15,974	4,047	2,916	7,368	8,017	6,894	8,892	7,708	9,134
Venezuela.....	104,186	124,199	92,904	69,156	65,775	75,762	58,250	55,235	56,859	49,327
China.....	3,615	1,390	324	16						1,150
East Indies—British.....	8,053	4,888	2,136			200		1,650	375	2,816
Dutch.....	3,196	2,747	1,032					300		335
French.....	557	207	507							
Hongkong.....	1,921	3,320	1,725	921						
Japan.....	4,252	4,640	1,291	2,160				2,710	1,017	716
Russia, Asiatic.....	995	1,163	1,530	1,146	409	173	197	1,241	330	6,435
All other Asia.....	22									
British Australasia.....	7,111	5,709	2,141	3,428	566	720	109	1,047	2,783	1,779
French Oceania.....		7,061	4,864	4,850	4,030	6,864	3,587	3,227	4,325	2,624

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CORDAGE—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								16	43	126
Hawaiian Islands	16,182	41,774	65,972	19,329	19,179	23,376	24,325	21,165	25,870	25,833
Philippine Islands	210		225							
British Africa		28,500	7,374	9,561	7,464	6,333	12,556	13,952	17,229	17,688
Canary Islands	10,861			430	526	754	60	272		
French Africa	581		425							
Liberia	169	52	77	119						
Portuguese Africa				44	501	554	56	286	991	511
Spanish Africa	483	1,708	1,121							178
All other Africa	828	1,229	187					1,204	1,211	508
All other British	1,170	36					162			
All other French	6,365									
All other islands and ports		224	1,379	1,126	412	60	113			
Total	864,898	1,127,678	892,379	660,493	430,268	448,187	409,781	495,093	583,267	576,110
TWINE—										
Austria-Hungary	921					150	240		1,650	3,289
Azores, and Madeira Islands	401	830	711	63	120		138	149	456	102
Belgium	259			12,433	540			50	47	410
Denmark				983	725	496	175	525	1,046	9,493
France	3,242	2,000	5,198	2,295	1,600	2,530			1,250	4,333
Germany	1,004	2,736	10,074	650	4,838	4,607	4,403	3,272	469	5,075
Italy	1,459		653		45		1,400	2,650		2,738
Netherlands	25		12		8,995	203				
Portugal			312		2,012				152	37
Roumania	770					5,447			1,260	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	286	218				56	435			
Russia, Black Sea	1,302	579	465			2,160	27,040	8,418	9,039	5,734
Spain		1,647			2,542		19			
Sweden and Norway	422	655	759	548	677	243	126	432	733	387
Turkey in Europe			600		54	694	950			
United Kingdom	21,370	10,046	14,417	55,289	19,309	54,232	101,880	89,505	112,929	127,558
Bermuda				114	113	377	285	430	678	571
British Honduras	982	899	1,210	884	211	314	213	524	375	653
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	73,832	68,422	86,408	96,951	104,373	107,790	102,188	94,251	83,465	90,425
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	2,395	1,934	18,995	113,846	22,734	22,726	97,360	163,282	168,547	442,697
British Columbia	2,328	1,821	1,466	486	2,226	1,864	3,654	5,858	10,115	11,939
Newfoundland and Labrador	10,951	10,880	11,104	27,168	16,455	20,218	4,219	5,652	9,603	5,501
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	338	115	250	329	150	311	312	628	517	437
Guatemala	231	174	69	129	179	17	14	11	60	73
Honduras	150	52	114	44	116	51	7	292	242	361
Nicaragua	478	749	892	451	592	330	859	789	798	709
Salvador		44	58	86	60	19	42	177	149	22
Mexico	667	740	3,008	700	3,038	1,430	2,006	1,408	1,616	1,333
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	29,066	24,913	19,575	15,096	14,772	13,086	23,134	19,458	14,641	12,504
West Indies—										
British	2,650	2,464	2,531	1,043	1,194	1,983	2,715	2,510	2,633	2,291
Danish	141	62	107	183	178	63	156	183	195	317
Dutch	336	768	376	385	584	919	783	959	596	1,519
French	98	37	10	24	113	149	24	25	122	77
Haiti	703	902	519	586	480	659	831	738	584	518
Santo Domingo	649	379	387	583	400	1,141	1,284	1,062	851	474
Spanish—Cuba	2,188	307	1,891	2,218	2,440	1,934	1,139	773	375	309
Porto Rico	96	320	68	339	185	113	88	181	102	62
Argentina	144,552	255,415	92,048	234,180	479,813	342,153	272,906	178,768	225,044	218,074
Bolivia		280		108	40					475
Brazil	14,338	12,101	15,074	8,342	22,603	27,401	32,338	54,282	66,560	46,348

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TWINE—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Chile	302	163	27	1,350	4,325	1,400	2,037	4,429	3,405	2,470
Colombia	4,985	2,270	3,783	2,876	4,947	3,502	3,906	4,368	7,698	3,899
Ecuador	1,184	930	1,682	2,378	1,792	1,800	1,958	3,703	3,572	3,411
Guanas—British	42	75	52	79	95	221	350	130		38
Dutch		7			125	10	17			7
French	119	157		139	733	32	310	131		43
Pern	218	231	238	331	204	499	487	1,160	1,128	1,980
Uruguay	11,399	57,835	20,625	26,425	28,376	37,217	27,070	50,331	39,022	47,819
Venezuela	11,013	8,538	8,036	6,515	8,915	8,924	10,118	11,739	11,503	7,388
China	223	531	116	362	208	43	396	1,614	632	280
East Indies—British			260		468	695	12			
Hongkong	89	246	65	72	187	162	183	447	365	107
Japan	109	302	126				330	294	268	70
All other Asia								14		
Auckland, Fiji, etc.									40	
British Australasia	13,187	9,416	9,840	919	897	1,017	8,630	1,365	5,316	13,569
French Oceanica										1,407
Tonga, Samoa, etc.										295
Hawaiian Islands	111	202	172		100	487	528	1,241	770	3,006
Philippine Islands	696		41		1,312	15			73	2,800
British Africa	1,146	94	955	1,839	155	552	8,039	3,214	8,464	5,928
Canary Islands					108	100	138	80		
French Africa		3	43							5
Liberia		220	80	31	15		20	17	201	
Portuguese Africa	153				77			66	3,146	63
Spanish Africa		148	127							8
Turkey in Africa—Egypt			400	1,517		255	625			88
All other Africa									41	
Total	363,611	483,827	336,029	621,479	767,545	672,957	748,526	727,585	802,563	1,091,576
ALL OTHER—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands					26		200	51	62	90
Belgium	3,044	155	1,347	3,534	4,548	4,645	7,062	9,757	11,227	1,573
Denmark	100				241		15	339	262	
France	404	706	3,854	220	519	1,411	1,409	2,340	3,610	203
Germany	10,187	4,165	1,826	1,847	2,360	7,742	1,234	5,856	9,852	14,903
Italy	1,036						114	30	274	30
Netherlands	1,502		4	110	377	434	4,914	10,577	5,524	1,235
Portugal	52		500	31						
Russia, Baltic and White Seas		480								325
Russia, Black Sea									53	24
Spain										47
Sweden and Norway						216		99	73	126
Switzerland								100		
United Kingdom	19,185	11,482	10,700	23,189	6,342	11,799	60,703	93,479	89,074	75,014
Bermuda				704	1,001	725	407	432	112	418
British Honduras	322	582	193	866	471	600	410	1,237	953	857
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	7,515	12,754	23,422	89,653	11,188	27,738	30,391	23,209	27,192	20,527
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	24,425	24,262	18,851	5,256	15,287	27,085	87,632	78,837	94,862	165,160
British Columbia	5,020	3,110	4,778	5,473	5,045	6,228	5,135	1,814	4,942	7,390
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,163	215	1,523	180	318	465	133	258	1,154	254
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	1,076	2,071	847	2,183	1,971	866	403	821	570	
Guatemala	748	3,040	1,799	671	1,832	638	225	969	842	903
Honduras	345	546	206	241	213	525	464	423	519	135
Nicaragua	3,431	5,508	3,608	3,566	2,011	1,468	2,098	2,937	2,564	654
Salvador	1,487	319	81	265		20	232	487	388	2,180
Mexico	24,275	11,492	16,486	9,901	9,578	14,172	13,100	24,531	21,865	
Micnelon, Langley, etc.		797		5	5	10	10	373		7,537

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ALL OTHER—Continued.										
West Indies—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British	2,841	3,332	6,318	5,788	6,264	4,900	4,446	7,875	5,093	.....
Danish	258	324	629	295	212	592	95	266	191	3,514
Dutch	223	509	514	636	799	891	533	804	818	115
French	4	190	10	84	109	529	193	142	29	449
Haiti	1,831	5,358	3,523	4,846	5,777	3,894	4,090	3,639	1,577	1,142
Santo Domingo	523	323	253	1,667	1,084	1,736	961	1,636	982	731
Spanish—Cuba	11,858	6,397	6,762	11,956	18,111	13,950	13,525	12,473	7,349	3,897
Porto Rico	1,062	515	617	1,812	1,234	1,420	977	1,789	1,038	509
Argentina	961	13,078	786	953	373	914	653	4,371	2,128	52
Bolivia .....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil	5,819	1,753	4,866	4,950	5,978	5,867	6,914	14,332	7,388	699
Chilo	248	269	45	1,157	1,402	2,320	781	1,558	1,820	152
Colombia	5,862	4,552	5,496	9,369	6,564	5,085	4,491	8,756	6,587	3,796
Ecuador	3,737	810	463	873	542	3,587	694	551	744	92
Guianas—British	62	84	109	195	1,562	1,048	495	1,022	200	50
Dutch .....	.....	.....	.....	217	194	267	209	214	140	30
French	2	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peru	1,185	1,214	1,994	946	1,496	797	1,617	2,567	2,475	2,591
Uruguay .....	.....	416	.....	1,268	1,531	622	1,561	1,318	140	270
Venezuela	2,974	5,625	5,899	7,780	6,481	6,631	8,221	6,274	4,715	356
China	441	.....	.....	613	363	385	2,027	566	919	103
East Indies—British	78	.....	.....	.....	40	75	583	.....	2	277
Dutch	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
French .....	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hongkong	175	.....	.....	.....	374	125	.....	1,940	.....	30
Japan	102	267	.....	293	478	95	2,387	1,669	299	557
Russia, Asiatic .....	.....	63	.....	993	.....	.....	.....	462	403	243
Turkey in Asia	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	.....
British Australasia	8,130	10,192	8,347	10,265	2,561	2,680	1,548	2,877	3,937	1,680
French Oceania .....	.....	1,669	234	102	218	.....	.....	.....	568	.....
Hawaiian Islands	5,184	5,640	5,135	2,562	1,719	946	1,319	361	48	750
Philippine Islands	302	134	.....	.....	67	.....	2,881	3,048	.....	.....
British Africa	241	361	129	168	544	1,426	640	2,046	3,966	10,635
Canary Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	62	69	120	31	.....
Liberia	65	152	264	222	13	.....	9	.....	.....	6
Portuguese Africa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	.....	48	1,850	61
Turkey in Africa—Egypt .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
All other Africa	18	.....	.....	18	.....	15	.....	32	592	535
All other British .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other French	1,826	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports	265	409	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	161,845	145,347	142,452	218,232	129,497	167,768	277,866	341,862	331,981	332,823
Glass and glassware:										
WINDOW GLASS—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands	8	21	242	.....	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belgium .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	271	.....	156
Denmark .....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
France	5,665	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Germany .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	177	840	166	197
Turkey in Europe .....	.....	.....	.....	97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
United Kingdom	100	.....	119	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	393	658
Bermuda .....	.....	.....	.....	108	112	163	53	323	55	69
British Honduras	62	.....	54	81	.....	.....	45	32	58	108
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc .....	.....	.....	.....	16	832	286	395	90	48	279
Quebec, Ontario, etc	84	415	64	.....	277	4,582	1,542	4,599	3,793	9,428
British Columbia	496	294	53	352	9	514	1,054	1,266	975
Newfoundland and Labrador	12	116	92

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Glass and glassware—Continued.										
WINDOW GLASS—Continued.										
Central American States—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Costa Rica	146	177	158	296	133	52		34	25	17
Guatemala	59	146	20	5				38	24	
Honduras	329	93	98	296	69	79	25	81		83
Nicaragua	184	452	595	92	43	2	217	79	52	100
Salvador	20	159	38	56	16		196		18	25
Mexico	5,465	2,024	3,140	2,571	3,337	5,984	2,491	2,637	4,734	7,509
Miquelon, Langley, etc.			20	59						
West Indies—										
British	210	194	241	124	128	116	528	499	279	283
Danish	19		189	13					8	69
Dutch	9	18		42	21	50	21	31	31	279
French									24	
Haiti	262	312	265	179	483	375	393	296	121	199
Santo Domingo	29	168	141	85	70	79	65	58	88	265
Spanish—Cuba	966	3,273	2,439	4,163	2,402	4,076	1,889	1,422	435	1,439
Porto Rico	250	220	79	196	88	72	199	69		44
Argentina							59			
Brazil	116			55	39		45	18		
Chile	290	299		91	529	1,257			48	
Colombia	1,493	299	1,671	1,021	999	1,176	562	593	695	873
Ecuador	151	25	620		85	299			79	87
Guianas—British			166				299	165		
Peru			165	35			19		45	
Venezuela	376	161	896	636	293	483	1,236	1,576	258	329
China	53		29							
Hongkong								259		
Japan									241	
British Australasia						88	59		345	
Hawaiian Islands				29						
British Africa	612						458			
Liberia	21	58								
Portuguese Africa				7		19		17		2
Total	16,894	8,948	19,244	19,298	19,529	19,311	11,140	14,994	12,969	23,489
ALL OTHER—										
Austria-Hungary								68	2,240	19
Azores, and Madeira Islands	2,682	1,595	1,757	495	870	428	440	559	543	56
Belgium	1,055	782	540	188	1,327	2,498	662	4,390	4,852	4,782
Denmark	1,370	1,307	615	2,478	4,258	2,465	1,059	399	2,267	1,132
France	9,461	7,936	1,378	1,510	4,723	3,586	3,092	3,238	12,891	8,522
Germany	8,977	8,457		7,488	26,848	18,267	6,113	12,959	22,217	23,620
Gibraltar	89		13				59		259	61
Greece					63					
Italy	796	284	784	649	299	197	577	613	599	1,592
Netherlands	55	147	1,261	1,697	1,652	2,038	2,794	554	8,293	7,699
Portugal	654	694	467	147	5	224	129	399	42	225
Russia, Baltic and White Seas									914	19
Russia, Black Sea									5	798
Spain	299	311	42	351	111	4,846	5,531	5,576	799	5,683
Sweden and Norway	5	199	117	16	39	527	61	29	498	298
Switzerland	185								83	29
Turkey in Europe		84					41	229	66	443
United Kingdom	62,696	46,176	35,944	55,129	73,277	48,137	100,943	112,866	157,682	133,584
Bermuda				2,887	3,050	2,550	2,493	2,676	2,394	3,222
British Honduras	983	688	1,888	1,566	829	888	515	1,136	1,629	1,874
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	19,589	21,682	24,079	13,477	14,553	21,116	21,856	21,679	18,825	26,471
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	274,725	255,213	188,515	255,584	299,816	298,158	284,661	288,919	270,770	341,318
British Columbia	9,596	10,814	13,753	14,027	12,663	10,759	13,436	12,916	22,499	21,680

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Glass and glassware—Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Newfoundland and Labrador	7,535	8,619	8,474	8,443	16,807	15,166	7,833	5,922	4,852	3,166
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	7,463	8,101	13,021	11,185	6,901	4,911	5,348	6,863	10,556	8,119
Guatemala	8,112	10,343	17,154	14,297	13,841	10,334	13,134	14,027	18,514	7,052
Honduras	4,193	3,720	2,227	2,344	2,132	2,114	3,164	3,051	2,159	5,538
Nicaragua	5,544	5,452	9,573	5,582	2,879	2,909	3,934	5,319	3,403	4,203
Salvador	5,041	6,903	8,687	9,084	4,573	5,525	4,293	7,823	8,618	2,775
Mexico	71,573	92,673	123,548	120,975	114,642	106,988	118,997	159,991	163,686	167,016
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	1,583	1,016	472	979	1,486	510	445	572	446	623
West Indies—										
British	21,565	17,340	26,290	16,772	16,169	14,398	15,673	15,608	18,526	15,509
Danish	1,317	4,716	1,733	1,569	1,161	997	1,598	2,127	1,577	1,281
Dutch	1,640	1,623	2,492	1,664	2,745	1,139	716	1,669	3,782	3,358
French	1,181	748	1,846	846	896	677	251	1,652	877	365
Haiti	8,617	28,539	16,989	6,610	10,668	11,550	12,724	12,083	10,286	4,155
Santo Domingo	4,395	6,316	3,285	2,922	2,464	6,199	4,120	7,015	6,273	2,899
Spanish—Cuba	51,212	73,856	64,735	76,188	115,468	92,931	75,801	43,668	47,148	36,847
Porto Rico	21,331	14,670	3,964	10,316	12,613	12,065	7,394	12,108	8,160	4,025
Argentina	60,112	26,491	10,316	7,508	22,588	23,995	21,122	28,495	35,831	34,633
Bolivia	264				161	192	72			
Brazil	23,814	24,613	38,452	38,275	35,591	26,576	34,711	44,222	44,786	36,595
Chile	12,618	10,047	9,950	11,361	18,979	6,252	6,137	17,058	11,471	8,402
Colombia	33,896	22,517	27,841	23,869	22,098	21,916	16,581	22,982	29,184	28,617
Ecuador	6,126	5,509	4,855	3,497	5,832	6,069	6,637	2,996	6,318	6,536
Guianas—British	957	2,314	1,635	1,369	854	1,927	811	1,124	1,416	1,979
Dutch	50	95	181	165	162	619	690	174	305	280
French	12	63	72	18	27	37	27	70	41	245
Paraguay										68
Peru	10,549	14,117	15,331	11,328	4,314	7,095	7,632	10,505	15,999	18,721
Uruguay	7,421	12,278	3,793	2,722	4,967	1,463	3,737	4,627	3,597	3,063
Venezuela	29,788	24,332	27,519	23,770	13,147	17,643	17,990	18,052	17,582	10,969
China	769	484	547	426	267	412	509	1,149	3,381	2,807
East Indies—British	2,146	851	1,353	1,586	2,871	3,023	1,747	2,452	2,707	3,001
Dutch			9				441	661	278	578
Hongkong	8,914	8,322	6,828	8,642	5,080	10,446	3,667	3,339	6,312	7,072
Japan	1,300	1,799	900	2,315	1,109	2,106	2,256	1,910	2,947	1,984
Russia, Asiatic	100	15	195	232	79	130	102		373	160
Turkey in Asia				17				59	10	61
All other Asia	63	202	16		44	38		254	71	466
Auckland, Fiji, etc.									180	
British Australasia	51,822	49,308	90,654	124,718	67,886	54,793	63,756	81,316	130,864	124,203
French Oceania		764	1,083	763	1,134	1,472	996	877	1,799	1,134
German Oceania			8,067							32
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								505	267	304
Hawaiian Islands	13,803	25,609	21,202	15,962	12,371	14,424	17,854	19,347	23,654	27,610
Philippine Islands	564			23	750		190	30	258	772
British Africa	1,822	1,961	2,663	6,895	6,581	6,801	7,443	16,355	15,178	16,877
Canary Islands				212	278	159	233			
French Africa	150	32	17	189						
Liberia	18	64	39		33	16	98	168	36	23
Portuguese Africa	20		955		105		256	337	575	529
Spanish Africa	154	408	236							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt		26			42		89	248	46	273
All other Africa	63	14	25	25	2	32	12	9	339	781
All other British							142			
All other French	840									
All other Spanish							47			
All other islands and ports	699	482	843	170	126	28	192			
Total	877,336	873,767	857,130	932,064	963,598	902,761	935,241	1,047,231	1,194,818	1,187,604

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
GUNPOWDER—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		8								
Belgium.....	600									
France.....							200			
Bermuda.....						188	147		6	
British Honduras.....		36	720		70	63		4	4	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,830	3,013	1,835	1,810	5,283	1,330	2,311	2,298	2,145	7,778
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	13,936	2,892	6,999	193	4,257	5,051	8,335	9,022	5,833	10,921
British Columbia.....		200	147	21	173	70	330	351	515	1,374
Newfoundland and Labrador.....						95	336		154	202
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	35,067	1,141	3,058	1,836	1,912	2,246	2,189	2,380	2,271	1,427
Guatemala.....	982	6,211	2,371		190	2,653	3,700	26	183	
Honduras.....	3,614	1,330	622	766	185	106	400	749	235	310
Nicaragua.....	4,267	9,282	2,440	2,351	3,100	1,749	775	495	1,039	1,611
Salvador.....	16		250			9,600			41	
Mexico.....	10,227	15,723	18,080	28,589	8,787	6,265	43,028	74,805	75,657	100,252
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		500	1,250	700	220	825	960	677	878	977
West Indies—										
British.....	3,258	7,350	10,559	21,966	24,381	14,937	9,649	132	286	244
Danish.....		213			22			11	28	8
Dutch.....	517	753	2,474	510			559			
French.....			277		15					
Haiti.....	8,410	4,217		8,836	10	142	9,665		5,980	8
Santo Domingo.....	11,134	1,610	1,220		900		2,793	290		
Spanish—Cuba.....	2,591	4,531	12,102	3,927	3,857	2,318	844	8,863	2,734	5,766
Porto Rico.....	45	407	25	79	350	544	222			
Bolivia.....								112		
Brazil.....	466	260		329	792	2,210	978	330		270
Chile.....	15,000	3,344	824	6,616	8,976	732	1,517	235		475
Colombia.....	22,558	12,241	13,647	13,768	17,178	8,511	9,784	12,169	16,184	7,922
Guianas—Dutch.....				110						
Peru.....	25	33	565	504						135
Uruguay.....	385	1,572	4,800				85			
Venezuela.....	8		4,185	2,752	4,170	578	161	939	28	
East Indies—British.....		14,500								
French.....						5,000				
Hongkong.....							3,782	8,669		
Japan.....									3,800	
British Australasia.....	109	1,660	226	30		25		458		
Hawanan Islands.....					21	31	35	11		
British Africa.....	23	396		1,832	943	1,570		1,797		
French Africa.....		6								
Liberia.....		1,940								
All other Africa.....				10,750	19,750					
All other British.....		40								
Total.....	135,118	95,348	88,676	108,276	105,547	66,839	102,885	124,824	118,001	140,644
CARTRIDGES, AND OTHER—										
Austria-Hungary.....	12								131	
Belgium.....	2,867	876	11,809	816	63	402	6,228	4,970	5,326	3,045
Denmark.....		194	522				4,287	180	1,485	590
France.....	4,902	2,343	1,323	989	131	193	3,038	23,648	16,488	12,063
Germany.....	2,243	3,364	7,537	13,424	11,849	23,898	12,887	15,684	12,422	11,068
Gibraltar.....			42	2,335		72				
Greece.....									70	159
Italy.....			1,531	65	630	220	154	112	51	538
Malta, Gozo, etc.....								108		544

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Gunpowder and other explosives—Cont'd.										
CARTRIDGES, AND OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Netherlands					52	32	52	3	30	1,817
Portugal	35	70	344			191	153	171	445	372
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	225	279	287		136	1,050		410	1,187	632
Russia, Black Sea								72	48	37
Spain	630	156	620	300	662	1,611	443	521		
Sweden and Norway	10							81		215
Switzerland									40	
Turkey in Europe					88					30
United Kingdom	20,154	16,032	29,872	15,115	15,689	15,173	57,179	33,946	57,418	55,479
 Bermuda				396	790	362	285	330	735	214
British Honduras	459	374	1,237	1,152	233	445	1,004	8,259	2,248	1,691
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	1,470	1,801	1,712	1,667	2,533	6,346	6,741	7,184	5,927	8,736
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	2,014	10,937	5,780	4,181	14,945	30,937	56,510	56,397	59,594	67,284
British Columbia	9,835	17,383	19,894	23,846	13,425	12,697	26,374	26,236	29,452	20,496
Newfoundland and Labrador	346	76	27	1,182	49	271	555	184	925	126
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	2,833	4,208	4,387	4,519	3,053	1,954	1,523	4,115	3,498	68,580
Guatemala	8,834	59,761	65,662	37,373	9,530	21,654	52,759	34,939	13,787	6,503
Honduras	28,759	22,479	34,144	14,958	14,956	13,856	28,904	22,472	18,915	7,199
Nicaragua	19,427	7,414	51,409	11,613	15,397	2,229	4,361	10,197	7,180	11,402
Salvador	12,046	41,052	45,174	49,715	7,700	5,387	22,171	15,940	16,464	5,692
Mexico	283,794	348,845	375,320	339,625	410,513	454,775	572,031	587,706	671,039	656,242
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	540	163	28					11		
West Indies—										
British	20,967	14,791	33,968	32,239	40,555	19,774	38,604	36,691	22,771	17,296
Danish	86	89	134	144	182	386	297	301	131	703
Dutch	832	1,015	1,567	1,103	856	432	555	690	508	1,061
French		17	175	6	2		42	5		
Haiti	80,198	37,542	947	1,264	1,510	6,771	816	1,432	724	529
Santo Domingo	53,498	4,568	6,491	1,164	12,993	3,314	1,412	8,640	2,062	2,061
Spanish—Cuba	12,073	9,213	21,154	18,986	22,801	4,546	2,876	10,654	8,848	4,899
Porto Rico	3,083	2,165	1,787	644	391	935	1,081	1,599	690	289
 Argentina	17,286	4,396	11,479	1,174	127	280	8,600	15,899	30,022	18,789
Bolivia	90	503	55	761	115	10	159	509		1,627
Brazil	11,340	11,823	18,324	8,613	6,754	153,433	36,860	44,287	50,838	56,371
Chile	15,125	17,484	11,428	8,662	12,113	7,283	16,530	36,544	39,776	7,417
Colombia	13,478	37,502	7,842	9,133	14,514	24,068	31,304	12,861	34,161	11,882
Ecuador	3,607	2,597	2,130	1,056	8	449	597	1,647	3,727	4,805
Guianas—British	768	902	1,155	795	815	780	39	11	91	20
Dutch		135		118	59	289	108	87	36	22
French		404	343	113	153					
Peru	6,280	3,909	12,211	22,870	13,457	10,959	47,933	30,768	42,840	11,769
Uruguay	10,704	6,308	20,058	785	5,661	10,388	5,200	2,640	6,975	4,696
Venezuela	13,993	19,139	8,883	5,835	4,311	2,241	5,488	5,225	7,339	573
 Aden										13
China	365	544	12,795	428	67	90		1,998	1,745	417
East Indies—British	4,707	1,380	758	3,462	2,797	2,165	709	769	475	1,485
Dutch	68		51	275	94	32		182	101	57
Hongkong	425	1,605	1,124	1,792	2,187	11,505	28,528	5,595	5,440	31
Japan	2,243	3,679	4,692	9,977	3,272	3,094	19	7,457	10,752	12,886
Russia, Asiatic	1,600	690	2,676	1,900	1,031	323	2,152	1,562	3,969	4,374
Turkey in Asia	88				5				210	6
All other Asia										429
 British Australasia	55,200	21,961	29,794	70,845	51,084	36,520	42,449	119,249	115,089	83,184
French Oceania	208	312	336	366	305	315	182	706	529	195
Spanish Oceania								13		16
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								487	330	234
Hawaiian Islands	12,645	20,661	20,383	9,439	13,091	14,425	18,027	19,441	19,514	25,786

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Gunpowder and other explosives—Cont'd.										
CARTRIDGES, AND OTHER—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
British Africa	7,879	9,169	6,146		16,896	25,976	25,827	34,980	102,053	34,402
Canary Islands						40	10		25	
French Africa	7	6	1,631	12,151						
Liberia	60	58								
Spanish Africa			19							
Portuguese Africa				25				74	292	130
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										13
All other Africa	136	112	5,162	1,923	973				349	
All other British		82	236	124		57	18			
All other islands and ports	615	632	2,275	696	4,374	140	335			
Total	750,519	773,380	906,870	752,079	755,966	935,287	1,174,396	1,256,279	1,437,317	1,255,762
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufac-										
tures of:										
INDIA RUBBER RECLAIMED—										
France										6,700
Germany										23,998
Italy										5,000
United Kingdom										40,514
Total										76,212
INDIA RUBBER, SCRAP AND OLD—										
Austria-Hungary										366
Belgium										336
France										28,682
Germany										22,970
Italy										8,179
Netherlands										184
Sweden and Norway										411
United Kingdom										98,788
Dominion of Canada,										
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										95,933
Mexico										1,373
West Indies—British										8
Japan										505
Total										257,639
BOOTS AND SHOES—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands		539	755		65			120	210	70
Austria-Hungary		38					90			831
Belgium		2,314	3,247	1,818	2,920	7,254	4,560	6,868	5,627	1,604
Denmark	6,858	1,930	2,912	2,571	5,168	5,195	1,852	3,399	4,023	2,967
France	745	692	3,641	41,742	19,819	8,179	10,764	4,366	4,141	13,625
Germany	2,227	1,419	1,203	2,802	518	791	2,230	3,980	29,613	18,342
Gibraltar			116							
Italy		11						18	4	795
Netherlands	977	1,341	1,208	2,433	1,221	984		1,204	275	535
Portugal		29	180					330	40	406
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										1,186
Spain						190				480
Sweden and Norway	6	50			4,927				278	
Switzerland	459		639							3,377
Turkey in Europe			280	495	200		1,035	2,875		325
United Kingdom	14,639	34,932	51,677	40,246	113,331	70,149	103,030	123,602	71,374	108,442
Bermuda				108	78	40	24	102	319	296
British Honduras								103	60	99
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc. ...	12,946	10,776	7,007	9,937	18,535	16,717	25,462	14,390	12,149	16,675
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	8,911	32,489	22,337	26,426	29,940	5,677	17,086	3,243	6,808	6,189
British Columbia	17,570	27,216	21,386	11,475	9,213	12,075	10,793	11,995	6,403	8,493
Newfoundland and Labrador	3,475	3,393	3,035	4,528	5,321	4,227	4,084	2,749	3,763	1,549

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
India rubber and gutta percha, manufactures of—Continued.										
BOOTS AND SHOES—Continued.										
Central American States—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Costa Rica.....	105		273	34	251	87	35	82	11	35
Guatemala.....	652	561	75	291	469	183	208	1,403	151	67
Honduras.....	64	11		35	18	19	90			
Nicaragua.....	121	203	1,426	361	105	100	244	20	21	87
Salvador.....			27					114	39	223
Mexico.....	2,401	1,779	1,003	2,118	1,059	1,211	1,131	597	1,368	1,456
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	1,377	1,691	945	1,730	4,516	785	2,580	2,474	1,872	2,551
West Indies—										
British.....	1,063	504	376	206	231	332	319	309	436	303
Danish.....	4	132		96	13		12	61	44	
Dutch.....	3	101	46	35	34	159	12	23	223	11
French.....						23	11			
Haiti.....	80	619	376	955	5,424	1,856	1,348	740	1,198	1,252
Santo Domingo.....	44	181	44	54	244	486	20	83	18	
Spanish—Cuba.....	90	98	1,050	1,184	4,585	2,329	4,771	1,501	680	470
Porto Rico.....	4	125	23	147	188	229	119	232	250	108
Argentina.....	66	237	300	35						
Brazil.....	559	467	440	1,393	426	573	428	1,185	1,102	1,487
Chile.....	125		29	30	56	50			32	153
Colombia.....	382	1,274	1,108	1,282	1,770	736	1,472	1,291	1,718	2,458
Ecuador.....	207	60	540	138	359	478	32	211	551	214
Guianas—Dutch.....	20							14	55	
French.....				2						
Peru.....		141	3	160	35	752	25	24	119	310
Uruguay.....							194			
Venezuela.....	242	613	371	504	416	654	515	526	386	162
China.....	251	725	128	523	513	498	360	254	125	327
East Indies—British.....			296					43	145	
Hongkong.....	90	172	187	223	136	162	312	3,952	11,995	240
Japan.....	4,502	7,612	1,413	5,678	10,382	791	4,810	9,257	4,250	7,034
Russia, Asiatic.....			357			57				
Turkey in Asia.....							213			80
All other Asia.....									156	
British Australasia.....	4,684	11,225	9,409	9,304	8,498	9,523	11,500	6,799	19,520	16,861
French Oceania.....	74	214	159	49		17		29	167	119
Hawaiian Islands.....	297	3,107	1,587	2,414	1,367	1,426	1,041	4,687	2,360	1,967
British Africa.....				8	40		1,210	797	1,146	353
Canary Islands.....						17				
Liberia.....	85	4								6
Portuguese Africa.....									31	
Spanish Africa.....			65							
All other Africa.....									153	85
All other islands and ports.....							24			
Total.....	86,405	149,055	141,679	183,570	252,391	155,011	225,986	216,057	195,499	224,705
ALL OTHER—										
Austria-Hungary.....		80		300	1,500	399	143	1,558	2,348	253
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	124	65	243	15		95		12	109	136
Belgium.....	2,973	11,541	11,907	37,618	18,166	26,501	42,467	54,384	51,473	37,309
Denmark.....	282	950	3,295	8,981	3,542	3,078	6,206	3,094	2,642	9,971
France.....	39,932	47,339	73,605	110,979	73,632	89,650	67,463	82,310	65,043	43,774
Germany.....	77,618	94,773	94,354	127,925	109,742	192,390	141,890	208,250	193,418	125,736
Gibraltar.....				16	135					56
Italy.....	4,422	3,661	8,134	30,819	25,593	42,466	27,687	35,971	39,432	24,274
Netherlands.....	7,299	27,776	36,194	38,832	72,046	33,276	42,428	76,920	34,349	41,124
Portugal.....	20	89	470			65	14	153	183	34
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	87		3,400	7,558	230	7,265	1,058	7,482	3,568	10,905

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
India rubber and gutta percha, manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Black Sea.....							115			
Spain.....	58		2,258	500	1,492	1,576	493	444		323
Sweden and Norway.....	3,643	4,380	2,711	3,205	13,262	2,555	1,296	2,098	1,933	6,728
Switzerland.....	278	617	35	79				711	1,958	1,027
Turkey in Europe.....				6			23	570		185
United Kingdom.....	248,816	289,610	309,507	347,830	378,573	420,616	453,697	508,415	465,234	378,983
Bermuda.....				684	440	363	348	873	432	693
British Honduras.....	178	62	63	156	413	173	160	244	345	339
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	26,099	12,902	13,353	5,744	14,654	15,403	12,506	15,699	16,895	21,052
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	82,932	189,617	247,850	228,039	372,670	191,909	160,600	261,433	306,152	290,309
British Columbia.....	18,600	21,066	9,661	12,162	8,832	5,429	9,903	9,571	18,981	31,083
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	2,300	1,844	2,343	1,551	1,596	2,410	783	2,882	1,164	1,736
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,220	2,610	5,470	4,341	5,335	2,937	3,483	3,665	4,244	3,808
Guatemala.....	6,908	11,188	7,061	7,132	7,940	5,814	9,930	18,006	21,361	5,053
Honduras.....	10,427	2,912	4,744	3,017	2,918	4,149	2,551	1,747	3,022	4,049
Nicaragua.....	3,024	4,779	5,373	4,328	2,199	1,945	2,441	2,266	1,681	1,440
Salvador.....	1,943	1,565	2,042	2,572	3,025	2,877	4,410	6,296	9,882	2,790
Mexico.....	42,899	50,638	53,781	65,815	62,715	68,881	93,783	93,180	101,929	122,769
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	75	68	190	37	25	209	54	50	260	149
West Indies—										
British.....	4,297	6,910	8,641	6,842	5,747	5,848	7,960	8,590	5,930	7,209
Danish.....	201	381	495	641	550	872	239	480	276	399
Dutch.....	256	204	575	817	1,004	569	424	369	757	603
French.....	159	131	40	92	231	113	28	89	50	52
Haiti.....	724	1,028	1,570	1,596	1,516	1,304	1,232	979	1,118	728
Santo Domingo.....	767	1,148	810	879	808	905	2,196	1,900	940	1,266
Spanish—Cuba.....	27,714	26,419	28,304	26,204	38,294	52,477	38,360	26,841	26,577	22,436
Porto Rico.....	2,700	2,569	1,674	1,997	2,053	2,361	2,510	2,828	2,839	2,494
Argentina.....	5,051	3,460	699	270	3,252	1,752	3,678	3,212	4,486	6,939
Bolivia.....		15			201	389	164			8
Brazil.....	7,162	8,855	21,970	23,615	19,991	16,275	18,321	22,087	16,666	16,844
Chile.....	7,982	5,153	8,815	7,823	7,737	7,643	7,507	6,839	6,890	5,570
Colombia.....	15,451	11,540	11,120	12,554	10,431	9,383	7,920	12,842	14,849	11,176
Ecuador.....	3,718	2,989	6,578	1,296	1,117	2,461	1,561	4,336	2,956	3,842
Guianas—British.....	95	144	37	16	37	291	143	2,182	285	204
Dutch.....	78	270	518		167	113	268	149	92	46
French.....	4	12	10	12	27		14			
Peru.....	4,959	5,242	11,619	6,653	6,300	3,322	3,068	4,359	5,235	6,027
Uruguay.....	2,444	140	2,502	165	538	97	493	706	305	220
Venezuela.....	7,905	8,213	9,912	7,514	5,334	8,125	7,597	6,871	8,151	4,513
China.....	2,554	2,724	2,161	2,335	1,570	4,685	4,177	1,515		2,923
East Indies—British.....		372	226	368	484	544	948	2,389	4,600	1,531
Dutch.....			154		166			84	2,715	163
French.....									451	
Hongkong.....	348	349	955	1,419	1,316	1,335	664	1,457	2,315	639
Japan.....	7,794	15,259	11,532	17,036	17,602	11,908	14,631	28,576	37,756	61,406
Russia, Asiatic.....	88		42	212	125	400	118	199	326	590
Turkey in Asia.....				213		267	35			6
All other Asia.....	619	65								3
British Australasia.....	37,987	32,932	35,202	45,292	25,738	28,755	34,275	55,511	61,620	62,407
French Oceania.....	574	348	553	787	496	1,500	217	250	881	1,101
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....									80	12
Hawaiian Islands.....	19,023	21,696	27,838	13,519	18,132	18,951	19,176	19,093	28,022	27,022
Philippine Islands.....						125	1,329	333		
British Africa.....	1,427	2,311	1,897	2,018	5,345	11,619	13,747	28,314	23,282	74,164
Canary Islands.....					6	21	19	103		

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
French Africa	38								40	
Liberia		496	90							
Portuguese Africa							14	597	313	3,439
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										228
Spanish Africa			25							
All other Africa			11				15	25	2,740	
All other British							80			
All other islands and ports	67	345	106	51	85	50	38			3,749
Total	745,343	941,252	1,094,764	1,202,497	1,357,015	1,306,831	1,279,156	1,642,499	1,611,646	1,499,157
Ink, printers' and others:										
Austria-Hungary	254	128			79			45	605	
Azores, and Madeira Islands				24		43	53			
Belgium	1,823	347	1,361	175	963	1,230	315	1,078	5,043	
Denmark	170	126	96	84	141				361	
France	3,061	990	662	332	227	181	225	64	1,602	
Germany	6,263	8,464	9,780	9,639	8,031	7,673	1,038	1,146	8,965	
Gibraltar	16									
Greece							29			
Italy	1,264	10	33	56	323	5	72	23	4,057	
Netherlands	3,191	443	346	321	206	97	159	141	1,663	
Portugal					5		18		126	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas						295				
Russia, Black Sea									252	
Spain	271	236		4		302		17	521	
Sweden and Norway			161	5	35			115	24	
Switzerland									179	
Turkey in Europe		32								
United Kingdom	28,107	66,883	27,595	49,960	36,588	53,068	60,356	45,838	41,046	
Bermuda				34	61	63	74	69	50	
British Honduras	36	58	45	42	10	39	24	28	117	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	3,964	3,797	3,394	4,883	4,147	3,896	4,334	4,267	5,374	
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	1,801	3,685	4,084	3,105	9,378	31,395	22,484	23,945	27,511	
British Columbia	2,782	1,878	3,045	2,856	3,765	1,868	2,562	1,437	3,336	
Newfoundland and Labrador	325	70	58	62	81	61	112	147	58	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	523	540	1,090	594	789	702	879	1,502	866	
Guatemala	554	434	783	390	686	1,845	467	1,189	692	
Honduras	132	217	94	146	131	280	177	296	297	
Nicaragua	521	435	684	523	235	239	370	591	575	
Salvador	110	431	194	927	318	466	1,062	2,125	515	
Mexico	14,063	5,399	5,275	5,352	7,927	7,848	11,157	12,987	10,931	
West Indies—										
British	2,099	1,097	1,262	914	1,372	1,096	1,035	1,000	1,136	
Danish	28	45	23	57	69	58	26	176	57	
Dutch	268	230	154	360	298	429	300	305	283	
French	14		3	2	46					
Haiti	377	579	599	456	503	431	310	405	420	
Santo Domingo	445	577	313	518	612	564	537	572	552	
Spanish—Cuba	6,976	8,491	6,931	9,774	10,199	10,308	8,769	4,037	5,273	
Porto Rico	1,750	1,997	1,128	1,267	1,725	2,273	1,934	1,871	1,814	
Argentina	2,050	1,753	7	133	105	145	66	443	333	
Brazil	5,049	4,979	5,025	4,037	3,570	2,340	2,296	2,240	1,830	
Bolivia			19							
Chile	432	1,534	2,092	566	1,941	1,209	1,129	3,047	979	
Colombia	2,932	2,035	2,774	3,060	2,893	1,816	2,476	3,492	3,877	
Ecuador	481	241	940	545	629	816	237	778	1,212	
Guianas—British	100	119	35	584		442	3	8		
Dutch				7	154				33	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Ink, printers' and other—Continued.										
OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Japan.....										854
Turkey in Asia.....										99
British Australasia.....										2,616
French Oceania.....										15
Hawaiian Islands.....										439
British Africa.....										750
Total.....										99,493
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
Austria-Hungary.....					529	125	1,144	2,113	2,203	2,660
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....			66			228	25	475		18
Belgium.....	106,059	118,600	126,195	103,001	78,472	41,618	73,531	83,702	168,864	143,217
Denmark.....	3,366	8,903	3,344	1,498	437	1,458	1,851	3,747	4,097	4,761
France.....	95,435	26,085	14,113	39,237	36,784	79,329	157,625	158,733	298,133	174,316
Germany.....	80,039	175,665	166,354	105,035	99,634	101,515	135,333	201,360	240,577	234,042
Gibraltar.....			468					150		522
Greece.....										50
Italy.....	50,588	9,171	1,486	1,149	5,019	15,958	46,586	22,373	86,281	42,047
Netherlands.....	1,012	1,075	775	613	1,023	1,123	7,572	24,266	6,224	16,188
Portugal.....		31	126			210	5,781	2,349	3,205	5,107
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....					1,803	7,775	1,117	1,406	33,445	8,359
Russia, Black Sea.....			2,500	50	535	1,094	1,690	3,497	4,223	3,374
Spain.....	89		511	2,670		836	245	191	2,188	6,967
Sweden and Norway.....	490	3,039	3,126	150	81	1,865	610	1,004	1,984	1,516
Switzerland.....									1,043	3,372
Turkey in Europe.....				72			125			1,520
United Kingdom.....	209,624	239,551	341,417	478,879	303,131	380,016	340,071	385,575	437,086	538,293
Bermuda.....				2,176	1,782	3,371	2,651	2,631	2,236	2,336
British Honduras.....	87	63	993	201	164	41	1,106	206	330	856
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	13,439	28,076	34,865	10,316	13,018	16,691	18,493	21,901	22,242	24,566
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	22,785	54,222	59,610	24,109	68,431	170,885	209,443	159,375	261,104	254,182
British Columbia.....	2,059	16,462	7,131	15,928	5,484	11,033	16,061	21,045	21,317	21,482
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	2,055	2,327	1,584	2,278	3,208	3,029	1,901	3,596	5,926	4,786
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	3,021	6,364	7,180	15,139	6,470	10,853	10,422	20,243	12,550	10,904
Guatemala.....	23,418	15,625	70,835	20,877	20,206	11,856	31,854	34,808	43,703	29,049
Honduras.....	4,635	2,339	9,130	1,822	2,431	1,092	7,034	5,318	3,958	9,050
Nicaragua.....	4,178	3,126	9,605	4,941	5,153	477	12,683	5,375	7,529	10,824
Salvador.....	6,581	22,289	28,627	20,205	16,087	11,620	14,837	12,545	29,383	7,028
Mexico.....	66,932	90,552	107,411	94,614	140,029	110,864	223,951	315,277	234,714	287,270
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	36	147	24							194
West Indies—										
British.....	9,693	20,506	36,136	26,589	23,137	19,514	48,741	30,358	26,586	37,944
Danish.....	765	1,036	489	40	560	604	414	401	303	179
Dutch.....	1,315	1,260	616	1,623	7,277	2,374	1,106	1,756	6,359	4,791
French.....	70	238	245	305	103	192	160	161	804	156
Haiti.....	1,581	955	5,121	5,143	3,399	6,460	3,342	5,741	4,879	1,653
Santo Domingo.....	592	2,104	348	954	1,575	6,486	18,465	5,690	8,536	4,877
Spanish—Cuba.....	21,058	44,225	43,935	72,166	114,485	143,501	94,149	54,238	30,375	20,810
Porto Rico.....	2,045	3,583	2,686	2,552	4,142	5,650	5,350	17,866	22,801	16,064
Argentina.....	100,345	198,516	16,612	11,180	15,580	29,382	23,625	103,730	157,564	109,626
Bolivia.....	165	426	18							
Brazil.....	55,487	85,453	268,850	162,098	140,913	100,837	165,551	282,798	110,468	88,233
Chile.....	12,896	19,581	17,123	21,317	61,639	23,303	53,835	27,550	32,359	25,504
Colombia.....	14,088	10,895	34,611	24,894	39,710	27,623	20,937	19,140	66,084	19,166
Ecuador.....	4,276	5,919	2,573	2,790	4,997	3,310	3,634	5,264	7,550	4,090
Guianas—British.....	70	95	10,243	10,868	9,990	16,726	9,791	8,021	6,435	3,915

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
PIG IRON—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
West Indies—										
British		90	478	282	325		25			
French							91			
Spanish—Cuba	1,807	905		1,305	1,615	3,910	150	13	650	
Porto Rico						225	32		90	
Argentina									275	
Brazil				190					1,150	
Chile								3,523	1,615	
Colombia	240	513				333	522	748	439	
Peru		1,025	3,300		850	990		750	2,575	
Venezuela	85	63		38	29	75		82		
East Indies—British									3,410	
Hongkong	630								479	
Japan									41,965	
British Australasia	1,350	2,535	4,200	566					20,017	
Hawaiian Islands	1,054		686			525			268	
Total	228,945	300,832	221,342	239,915	335,339	370,243	277,066	471,803	2,391,771	
Ferro-manganese—										
Austria-Hungary										2,965
Belgium										110,541
Germany										22,953
Italy										24,403
Netherlands										17,764
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										28,135
United Kingdom										127,982
Total										344,743
All other—										
Austria-Hungary										146,936
Belgium										74,690
Denmark										3,360
France										4,407
Germany										359,354
Italy										254,174
Netherlands										134,804
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										5,100
Spain										15,511
Sweden and Norway										15,040
United Kingdom										799,764
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										10,666
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										230,199
British Columbia										1,621
Newfoundland and Labrador										125
Mexico										14,436
Miquelon, Langley, etc.										255
West Indies—Spanish—Cuba										183
Argentina										990
Colombia										667
Peru										3,097
Venezuela										23
China										52,368
Hongkong										7,047
Japan										162,890

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
PIG IRON—Continued.										
<i>All other—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....										86,383
Hawaiian Islands.....										581
British Africa.....										700
Total.....										2,385,252
IRON, OLD AND SCRAP—										
Germany.....										15
Italy.....								1,816	153,481	275,007
Netherlands.....										300
United Kingdom.....								355	3,835	6,059
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....								2,248	4,129	21,327
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....								5,659	18,900	315,749
British Columbia.....								1,161		283
Mexico.....									6,000	3,791
China.....								150	5,471	7,995
Hongkong.....									1,687	1,623
Japan.....										185
Total.....								11,389	193,503	632,334
BAR IRON—										
Belgium.....			3,278	14,399						
France.....										525
Germany.....								1,500		
Sweden and Norway.....									3,223	1,361
United Kingdom.....				203						2,212
Bermuda.....								20	30	
British Honduras.....			22	25			17		5	63
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	161	909		1,162	325	37	218	20	15	1,350
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,758	15	945	3,747	1,486	6,264	49,791	90,497	41,392	33,361
British Columbia.....	13,393	10,286	17,891	10,775	6,944	8,207	13,594	11,239	16,492	23,677
Newfoundland and Labrador.....				483				660		385
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	295	967	374	301	300		134	68	382	1,155
Guatemala.....	682	5,391	4,765	3,474	8,480	4,914	24,202	12,900	3,432	2,570
Honduras.....	8	173	119	134		72	30	68	348	989
Nicaragua.....	65	115	52	439	76		108	223	475	626
Salvador.....	335	624	390	2,213	797	1,265	1,625	3,045	5,643	258
Mexico.....	19,405	23,519	15,860	31,107	16,251	19,006	29,034	33,924	34,972	36,299
West Indies—										
British.....	63	67	23	53	37	802	93	65	760	1,424
Danish.....										20
French.....								600		
Haiti.....	24	135	661	391	603	274	110	380	501	151
Santo Domingo.....	1,137	826	257	1,624	148	226	56	452	271	2,283
Spanish—Cuba.....	1,704	2,834	3,089	1,891	25,699	86,015	15,938	1,887	3,334	753
Porto Rico.....		522	65		139	586	120	156		723
Argentina.....							460			7,098
Brazil.....	31							30		7,714
Chile.....			25,500					44		3,155
Colombia.....	4,472	4,247	1,122	1,250	2,452	1,400	1,130	3,289	594	1,739
Ecuador.....	33	80								114
Guianas—British.....								3		
Peru.....										80
Venezuela.....		95	1,490	75	54			192	795	585

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BARS OR RODS OF STEEL, OTHER THAN WIRE—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Sweden and Norway										834
United Kingdom										178,521
British Honduras										4
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										9,018
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										86,178
British Columbia										9,051
Newfoundland and Labrador										27
Central American States—										
Costa Rica										526
Honduras										190
Nicaragua										109
Salvador										15
Mexico										27,164
West Indies—										
British										62
Danish										7
Santo Domingo										1,012
Spanish—Cuba										2,066
Brazil										4,143
Chile										1,200
Colombia										841
Ecuador										54
Peru										2,081
Venezuela										31
China										21
Japan										3,499
Russia, Asiatic										842
British Australasia										3,239
Hawaiian Islands										4,191
British Africa										9,714
Turkey in Africa										145
Total										470,052
BARS OR RAILS FOR RAILWAYS—										
Iron—										
Italy							16,880	12,997	66,896	19,959
United Kingdom										3,000
British Honduras								58	800	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.					1,056		634	1,230		2,260
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	60	30,100	4,073	1,200		25,706	2,632	73,700	121	4,592
British Columbia	180	300	150			73	322	1,584	400	57
Central American States—										
Honduras									800	
Nicaragua							480			92
Mexico		443	2,150	100	8,400	863	11,258	21,142	8,400	525
West Indies—										
British		180			900					
Santo Domingo							5,287			
Spanish—Cuba				6,707	757	345				
Colombia							5,213	4,860	1,972	
Venezuela							420			
Japan										6,665
Total	240	31,023	6,373	8,007	11,113	26,987	43,096	115,571	79,488	37,150

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BAND, HOOP, AND SCROLL—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary									1	
Belgium			1,235							
Germany									4,500	16,241
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										298
United Kingdom	398			2,585			852	2,843	86	10,961
Bermuda							40	90		
British Honduras							4	4		7
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.		45	450			10				143
Quebec, Ontario, etc.		43	3,360	829	30	2,031	2,476	2,659	5,105	1,087
British Columbia	16	24	26	63	69	60	285	262		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica						68				
Guatemala										10
Honduras	18		7		18	7	6			13
Nicaragua	173			267	11		10			
Mexico	511	172	111	9	466	238	328	335	596	865
West Indies—										
British	7			9			20	95	200	286
French							174	127	1,206	330
Haiti	258	153	119	153	246	168	140	168	13	14
Santo Domingo					20				16	
Spanish—Cuba		69	25		6,209	4,504				
Argentina									1,700	6,559
Brazil				175		175	36	20	119	1,500
Chile				52						40
Colombia		21	606		5		422			
Guianas—British							1,531	923	3,249	
Dutch		63								
Venezuela	42	30	11	3	24		34	5	3	
East Indies—British							53	100		560
Hongkong										915
Japan										2,799
Turkey in Asia								2,044		588
British Australasia	50								90	3,766
French Oceanica						41				
Hawaiian Islands										123
British Africa			220							172
Portuguese Africa										50
Turkey in Africa—Egypt					769					
Total	1,473	620	6,170	4,145	7,867	7,302	6,411	9,675	16,984	47,327
RODS, WIRE, OF STEEL—										
France										18,090
United Kingdom										89,990
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										72,562
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										95,318
Mexico										1,570
Japan										52,492
Total										330,022
SHEETS AND PLATES—										
Iron—										
Belgium										2,952
Netherlands										26,991
United Kingdom	269	2,756	128						800	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SHEETS AND PLATES—Continued.										
<i>Iron—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Bermuda							50	75		
British Honduras							18			
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.		970	1,608	944	606	140	286		1,244	3,236
Quebec, Ontario, etc.			6,727	3,606	2,484	4,124	6,211	11,449	47,841	82,701
British Columbia	3,826	7,595	4,452	428	3,183	2,857	1,651	2,582	7,371	13,902
Newfoundland and Labrador										28
Central American States—										
Costa Rica		15	61	195				46		69
Guatemala	915	1,503	440		2,713	307		362		19
Honduras	274					22	1	14	445	280
Nicaragua	150	474	120	102	521		253	169	27	224
Salvador			375	1,207				345	54	71
Mexico	13,842	11,459	13,324	3,426	18,842	13,724	22,390	15,368	26,061	19,139
West Indies—										
British	1,181	225	35	195		183	1,004	539	4	2,859
Dutch	82		18							
French								300		
Haiti	571	1,555	630	183	242	296	232	483	597	864
Santo Domingo		533				43	35	213	369	819
Spanish—Cuba	1,406	1,385	3,085	818	36,155	86,719	20,200	1,489	2,241	694
Porto Rico		87	258						375	330
Argentina									1,124	100
Brazil		698							100	583
Chile			625							7,988
Colombia	2,039	2,921	498	503		2,796	146		1,855	3,797
Ecuador									152	
Guianas—British										92
Peru		430							42	412
Uruguay			150							1,029
Venezuela	1,936	4,741	711	5,004	1,022	959	449	598	980	15
Hongkong	482									
Japan		230								13,087
British Australasia									550	110
French Oceanica		91								
Hawaiian Islands	1,617	1,361	10,823							398
Total	28,620	39,032	44,048	16,641	65,768	112,115	52,936	34,013	92,332	182,809
Steel—										
France										176
Germany										38
Italy				1,937	400					
Netherlands								476		131,083
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										10,851
Sweden and Norway									745	
United Kingdom	29	40	104		837				42,415	56,415
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	402	2,358	1,376	2,818	2,039	877	656	543	2,869	3,897
Quebec, Ontario, etc.					1,923	13,948	44,549	22,776	38,561	106,485
British Columbia		10,113	1,468	926	2,047	959	622	846	4,305	8,183
Newfoundland and Labrador								74		1,325
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	110		37	248						21
Guatemala									82	10
Honduras	5									166
Nicaragua								23	100	78
Salvador									195	
Mexico	395	856	38	1,031	4,430	10,465	11,189	14,192	8,989	27,555

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued										
STRUCTURAL IRON AND STEEL—Cont'd.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Argentina.....										1,903
Brazil.....										600
Colombia.....										3,791
Peru.....										6,458
Venezuela.....										236
China.....										17,400
East Indies—British.....										4,166
Japan.....										360,683
Korea.....										46,000
Russia, Asiatic.....										5,016
British Australasia.....										1,051
British Africa.....										30,258
Total.....										1,183,482
WIRE—										
Belgium.....			3,180	2,300				1,775	84,688	
Denmark.....								150		
France.....										2,508
Germany.....			692					4,608	19,959	2,490
Gibraltar.....		220								
Greece.....								25		
Netherlands.....			85	450			495	1,937	12,599	9,967
Sweden and Norway.....										240
United Kingdom.....	3,508	534	1,152	12,952	1,160	14,947	45,439	129,754	221,443	276,492
Bermuda.....				161	383	185	2	30	240	56
British Honduras.....	759	2,386	1,049	518	248	222	999	1,705	1,440	801
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	7,938	549	4,106	9,917	2,600	6,481	8,986	6,574	15,243	31,993
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	31,019	26,627	16,913	22,828	97,621	112,088	152,596	186,833	214,286	555,671
British Columbia.....	1,859	2,971	238	1,081	2,212	755	2,453	2,732	1,246	398
Newfoundland and Labrador.....					17					18
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	17,189	16,386	19,172	27,202	21,623	13,737	22,841	24,375	18,773	11,218
Guatemala.....	18,819	27,946	25,868	17,421	29,546	27,123	45,654	35,667	15,888	4,897
Honduras.....	2,025	4,061	5,357	3,953	2,592	1,673	7,709	8,418	10,794	11,430
Nicaragua.....	20,773	34,854	40,035	25,560	5,901	14,570	36,485	45,768	33,572	14,466
Salvador.....	16,887	18,331	26,071	32,083	40,187	40,751	63,202	53,161	40,435	13,280
Mexico.....	93,257	129,228	165,813	166,080	191,284	145,634	176,525	224,268	238,469	216,042
West Indies—										
British.....	5,755	16,113	27,844	21,026	28,135	25,681	32,846	30,612	26,661	23,397
Danish.....	712	1,374	1,140	275	190	152	391	355	183	312
Dutch.....	933	1,231	428	572	881	1,537	2,660	4,346	4,190	3,383
French.....	436	532	589	770	476	206	38	140	237	288
Haiti.....	78	2,144	2,205	3,034	4,619	5,524	4,375	4,893	4,400	1,495
Santo Domingo.....	7,266	11,501	15,813	12,130	22,766	15,149	16,678	17,081	16,829	18,643
Spanish—Cuba.....	118,214	170,333	112,357	115,583	321,120	248,027	65,992	11,542	35,905	7,587
Porto Rico.....	7,209	15,057	29,139	19,736	28,891	31,607	13,476	21,251	15,719	9,107
Argentina.....	2,410	1,074		220	12,643		21,552	59,065	146,121	199,365
Brazil.....	8,107	4,484	10,794	46,110	31,599	55,624	116,920	130,151	239,279	305,668
Chile.....	2,259	5,152	10,973	3,490	9,528	5,778	9,592	6,763	9,411	22,863
Colombia.....	32,479	34,583	48,656	74,310	102,803	74,548	76,791	116,548	146,936	110,402
Ecuador.....	8,143	25,148	13,998	29,138	42,001	40,686	40,180	14,867	33,279	32,294
Guianas—British.....	94	426	145			174	658	1,845	1,509	1,292
Dutch.....							17		952	303
French.....		125			73			25		
Peru.....	3,139	3,966	3	2,910	82	1,050	120	139	699	1,213
Uruguay.....			48						2,315	18,060
Venezuela.....	61,666	68,483	96,984	78,642	66,151	79,822	111,841	77,488	85,744	46,657

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
WIRE—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....								125		110
East Indies—British.....								156		
Dutch.....				450						87
Hongkong.....	73							2,043	3	3,470
Japan.....							460	1,200	21,317	18,898
All other Asia.....								8		
British Australasia.....	101,278	86,736	82,345	87,918	47,443	47,766	106,799	126,494	227,753	485,285
French Oceanica.....		1,224	1,203	609	203	705	266	245	171	274
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....										12
Hawaiian Islands.....	3,843	2,586	2,377	1,901	2,403	5,139	8,246	3,901	1,099	10,249
Philippine Islands.....									90	
British Africa.....	15,049	63,828	93,128	31,196	71,893	56,755	81,189	146,887	287,237	117,215
Liberia.....	35	29		133						
Portuguese Africa.....								2,135	5,356	3,410
All other Africa.....	92								143	
All other French.....	1,882									
All other islands and ports.....						219				
Total.....	594,616	780,222	859,870	852,659	1,189,219	1,074,915	1,277,479	1,506,885	2,242,617	2,593,306
CAR WHEELS—										
Austria-Hungary.....							184	777		1,187
Belgium.....	45					360	3,252	7,198	11,210	11,180
Denmark.....							145	120		18
France.....	60						1,395	4,555	11,377	19,842
Germany.....		75					1,250	848	560	
Italy.....							1,526	817	3,441	7,493
Netherlands.....	1,147	1,395	1,974	2,810	30	1,800	1,928	2,630	1,865	3,585
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						640				
Russia, Black Sea.....									774	
Spain.....			75					263		106
Sweden and Norway.....									683	
Switzerland.....									45	
Turkey in Europe.....								204		
United Kingdom.....	6,339	3,620	15,030	7,366	12,116	11,666	6,701	3,010	5,217	12,275
Bermuda.....				14				8	160	
British Honduras.....		103			40					
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....			125		177	170	900	183		526
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	969	2,090		336	1,654	2,479	3,213	1,104	400	576
British Columbia.....		26	4,702		157	892	176	112	1,008	182
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		648		955				477		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	3,265	1,085	14		50	263	1,342	625	356	2,528
Guatemala.....	205	1,962	775	3,030	1,166	341	30	400	32	90
Honduras.....	211		30	212	185	713	120	274	228	311
Nicaragua.....	54	295	40	1,338		67		123	290	48
Mexico.....	7,160	15,158	12,743	11,069	44,670	21,981	33,638	49,696	45,900	25,957
West Indies—										
British.....	1,045	495	505	241	553	789	126	87		505
Danish.....										150
Dutch.....	15		15		20		200			
French.....									18	
Haiti.....	33	1,755	1,233	624	350	1,080	1,106			
Santo Domingo.....	327			360	18	1,182	533	497		366
Spanish—Cuba.....	19,848	27,475	26,145	47,053	18,073	12,309	11,846	3,412	2,782	2,734
Porto Rico.....		720				600			88	65
Argentina.....	3,633	8,982		970	196	2,600	933	2,142	484	455
Brazil.....	9,703	12,019	6,100	15,004	7,810	8,702	36,395	6,016	5,427	12,864

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CAR WHEELS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Chile.....	3,814	3,784	9,000	1,809	7,050	1,075	4,822	670	145	4,804
Colombia.....	4,636	255	318		92	1,671	592	679	691	2,875
Ecuador.....	385		330			455	334			52
Guianas—British.....	117	240					266		210	
Peru.....	600	2,077	3,128	3,505	112	4,400	98	5,761	231	300
Uruguay.....	1,725		1,000							
Venezuela.....	338	1,676	902	814	554	3,735	1,062	298	1,312	1,021
China.....										300
East Indies—British.....			441					412	299	768
Dutch.....					112			26		
Japan.....	3,364	5,970	14,527	953	7,588	11,576	24,278	8,513	12,370	5,617
Russia, Asiatic.....										157
British Australasia.....	5,427	10,030	5,685	4,765	3,630	3,408	1,544	1,801	2,770	4,752
Hawaiian Islands.....		1,437	1,225				75		894	3,047
British Africa.....		500						463	870	2,680
Portuguese Africa.....										24
All other Africa.....								14		
Total.....	74,465	103,782	106,152	103,228	106,403	94,954	140,010	164,215	112,187	129,446
CASTINGS, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....			18							
Austria-Hungary.....									868	2,474
Belgium.....	2,169	2,128	1,872	23,755	3,296	5,937	7,300	10,758	30,940	52,636
Denmark.....	824	38	1,310	540	300	923	41	517	4,450	8,196
France.....	21,050	6,170	3,978	6,713	4,465	5,830	5,559	13,224	37,225	35,184
Germany.....	10,216	14,565	12,991	13,852	12,637	18,860	20,936	24,999	51,022	30,605
Greece.....										304
Italy.....	263	28	1,464	150	237		184	37	5,131	5,879
Netherlands.....	846	4,553	3,568	4,435	1,797	1,486	599	1,791	1,138	10,301
Roumania.....									117	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....							1,305	438	16,447	398
Russia, Black Sea.....								702	282	303
Spain.....	1,104			145					155	81
Sweden and Norway.....		750				81	131	1,812	12,783	6,237
Switzerland.....									305	1,158
Turkey in Europe.....							74			
United Kingdom.....	27,355	37,535	46,026	39,597	39,261	26,292	59,234	118,873	148,042	174,861
Bermuda.....				145	228	31	45	159	94	314
British Honduras.....		70	100				126	25	207	348
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	12,309	13,802	644	4,763	2,840	1,820	35,443	2,589	3,307	5,670
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	135,916	283,759	229,245	199,255	211,123	149,972	120,943	142,281	119,024	125,720
British Columbia.....	14,659	15,660	21,083	36,514	23,482	21,316	15,923	22,929	31,551	33,228
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	327		121	50	90	983	61	634	2,109	661
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,191	1,108	1,708	1,473	880	477	14	128	54	964
Guatemala.....	2,455	10,224	16,465	14,303	29,197	21,604	81,265	136,067	121,792	11,537
Honduras.....	3,091	3,501	6,974	641	2,122	721	1,519	2,157	4,005	2,066
Nicaragua.....	136	1,252	3,652	1,815	421	92	574	4,436	717	576
Salvador.....	2,961	2,307	1,282	9,177	13,703	5,881	25,624	54,960	15,819	1,830
Mexico.....	43,123	57,830	61,934	43,167	65,818	64,560	61,764	67,855	107,482	80,652
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....										115
West Indies—										
British.....	614	1,373	448	1,553	595	556	576	2,021	1,335	1,536
Danish.....	352	149	188	43	399	646	28		101	51
Dutch.....	171	671	5	43		147	59	2	65	66
French.....	43	57		25	221	137	14		6	
Haiti.....	278	328	136	148	636	514	90	953	3,360	115
Santo Domingo.....	255	373	5		173	454	2,860	351	1,711	976

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel and manufactures of—Continued.										
CASTINGS, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED—Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Spanish—Cuba	17,549	21,912	64,413	54,385	61,933	40,724	12,853	5,081	1,677	3,529
Porto Rico	119	11	99	152	14	311	212	158	264	150
Argentina	695	21,535	1,181	812	2,395	366	2,874	1,590	2,194	3,940
Brazil	8,929	5,871	25,243	188,307	5,562	3,274	1,125	9,317	10,178	2,709
Chile	985	7,512	191,408	2,472	2,036	106	1,492	1,041	672	3,969
Colombia	3,926	1,615	1,302	2,457	2,665	4,623	339	2,943	1,838	2,686
Ecuador	530	412	152	98	444			20		100
Guianas—British		15		25	100			25	230	
Dutch						6		597	996	75
French		5								
Peru	262	738		451	120	798	425	1,888	1,387	158
Uruguay	147		435			96		973	772	275
Venezuela	1,392	2,066	2,121	880	510	884	2,230	159	347	478
China	575	2,867	15,652	63		20	37	512	3,561	1,331
East Indies—British						2,000		2,171	1,211	3,557
Dutch		72								
Hongkong		242	666					230		57
Japan	3,483	1,048	1,909	1,241			8,392	14,056	14,698	14,025
Russia, Asiatic					443	829		660		
Turkey in Asia							145	500	232	551
All other Asia									45	
British Australasia	18,670	28,919	41,269	62,513	49,540	21,022	17,653	21,960	36,477	37,607
French Oceania		1,050	1,169	440	110	1,187	1,077	1,674	3,026	1,579
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								129	100	
Hawaiian Islands	29,223	98,508	94,632	70,449	39,910	86,127	88,975	103,156	174,272	114,325
British Africa	317	473	204	2,099	138	235	3,156	11,593	8,375	14,979
French Africa							60			132
Portuguese Africa									686	261
All other Africa								3,243	3,950	3,486
All other French	660									
All other British							252			
All other island ports			185							
Total	370,070	653,102	857,230	789,146	570,841	491,928	582,988	794,314	989,432	804,975
CUTLERY—										
Austria-Hungary						32		30		
Azores, and Madeira Islands	15	66	28				12			
Belgium	58	21	1,150	104	283	418	108	278	617	
Denmark			96	324	86	300	203		35	
France	271	3,154	5,297	20,185	20,798	22,496	30,518	35,106	28,252	
Germany	5,092	7,569	16,677	7,342	5,264	9,210	9,127	9,778	7,583	
Italy			133				150	115	566	
Netherlands	1,437	341	1,744	1,583	4,189	3,455	1,785	5,973	313	
Portugal	161	652	160	100		130			10	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas								1,201	65	
Russia, Black Sea								45	19	
Spain	478									
Sweden and Norway	100		11			6		105	271	
Turkey in Europe						250		771	1,676	
United Kingdom	21,686	20,523	39,151	21,466	15,666	12,643	14,463	17,743	17,444	
Bermuda					34	75	26	27	169	
British Honduras	77	145	251	236	68	103	159	241	439	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	59		110	217	292	1,315	996	930	1,291	
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	416	459	696	426	4,854	15,566	17,835	22,774	23,905	
British Columbia	223	402	199	327	797	113	167	507	1,004	

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CUTLERY—Continued.										
All other—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Bermuda.....										66
British Honduras.....										499
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....										1,577
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										27,213
British Columbia.....										455
Newfoundland and Labrador.....										37
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....										469
Guatemala.....										132
Honduras.....										1,014
Nicaragua.....										1,481
Mexico.....										9,129
West Indies—										
British.....										2,026
Dutch.....										69
French.....										75
Haiti.....										112
Santo Domingo.....										244
Spanish—Cuba.....										1,960
Porto Rico.....										0
Argentina.....										473
Bolivia.....										35
Brazil.....										21,682
Chile.....										3,725
Colombia.....										2,012
Ecuador.....										411
Guianas—British.....										328
Dutch.....										24
Peru.....										641
Venezuela.....										3,182
China.....										441
East Indies—British.....										365
Hongkong.....										62
Japan.....										309
Russia, Asiatic.....										512
Turkey in Asia.....										1,063
All other Asia.....										6
British Australasia.....										2,157
Hawaiian Islands.....										3,457
Philippine Islands.....										2,213
British Africa.....										3,332
Portuguese Africa.....										19
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										395
Total.....										125,377
FIREARMS—										
Austria-Hungary.....	400	375	2,337		2,327	2,144	660	4,157	1,379	24
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		38	123	6	4			25	7	
Belgium.....	30,327	26,952	24,877	61,117	34,697	34,069	45,521	14,740	20,642	10,519
Denmark.....	114	190	168	93	1,031	779	3,052	2,123	7,548	233
France.....	28,877	22,134	23,951	25,066	18,643	73,126	28,918	40,114	25,224	18,467
Germany.....	30,035	29,698	43,256	73,491	58,812	47,564	95,385	73,798	53,413	56,748
Gibraltar.....			4,841	9,482	11,722	1,814				50
Greece.....								325	604	3,179
Italy.....	2,728	9,710	12,827	9,928	10,062	4,073	9,271	8,739	8,722	11,011
Malta, Gozo, etc.....								172		912
Netherlands.....	991	1,844	1,723	1,998	1,544	1,153	424	915	779	387

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Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
FIREARMS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Portugal.....	927	1,046	5,090	1,121	2,553	2,383	2,017	2,786	11,263	1,497
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	2,792	1,174	.....	370	375	4,500	1,013	1,090	1,996	1,670
Russia, Black Sea.....	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,853	3,832	1,123
Spain.....	2,132	2,747	1,764	.....	.....	580	1,190	253	809	.....
Sweden and Norway.....	36	53	88	68	325	194	126	329	6,867	8,122
Switzerland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Turkey in Europe.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
United Kingdom.....	66,971	82,398	81,740	74,653	78,341	57,142	138,494	54,313	56,283	69,687
Bermuda.....	.....	.....	.....	364	125	398	41	100	95	307
British Honduras.....	865	341	706	799	3,474	401	1,341	6,977	1,849	1,096
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	944	430	960	1,964	1,827	2,686	3,980	3,111	3,271	4,290
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	10,475	10,199	9,677	6,751	10,477	19,125	18,686	28,239	25,241	53,906
British Columbia.....	8,571	7,966	11,983	16,366	13,264	8,035	7,691	7,649	5,318	12,686
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	217	87	100	250	3,504	1,081	223	602	77	67
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	6,409	5,016	5,312	3,897	860	247	150	292	1,193	26,469
Guatemala.....	2,826	88,087	81,634	5,605	2,849	1,816	78,725	9,132	10,887	2,302
Honduras.....	2,253	1,290	3,193	1,722	11,297	3,924	5,989	2,680	2,507	3,323
Nicaragua.....	3,817	9,092	33,698	30,173	1,788	2,807	1,634	27,070	1,071	13,891
Salvador.....	27,801	95,858	46,451	35,800	40,642	3,605	12,599	8,620	8,093	318
Mexico.....	64,898	61,963	81,307	74,931	47,000	43,258	34,740	69,240	61,864	72,194
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	.....	.....	50	190	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Indies—										
British.....	18,007	6,125	7,699	17,607	33,752	4,464	3,962	8,593	8,559	6,613
Danish.....	4,806	31	14	13	73	.....	9	9	.....	96
Dutch.....	172	75	44	52	1,176	1,092	222	211	154	31
French.....	29	.....	33	28	126	12	43	24	6,898	.....
Haiti.....	169,730	83,527	103	17,453	17	22,613	10,000	10,005	.....	.....
Santo Domingo.....	108,945	4,816	7,221	482	21,113	634	13,861	15,590	4,997	40,231
Spanish—Cuba.....	3,030	9,964	5,162	3,883	3,055	3,080	525	6,147	2,315	5,183
Porto Rico.....	453	2,409	1,480	418	140	.....	460	.....	.....	85
Argentina.....	26,995	22,048	19,744	9,578	14,424	34,497	23,603	67,446	21,401	9,862
Bolivia.....	393	628	144	1,870	617	132	103	1,193	305	2,356
Brazil.....	29,251	30,254	44,305	60,559	77,178	45,962	65,808	75,715	89,086	67,183
Chile.....	8,249	7,233	9,335	60,317	24,072	5,378	10,709	38,739	22,380	10,620
Colombia.....	13,539	55,743	12,100	14,430	17,767	49,080	23,753	5,156	6,501	5,095
Ecuador.....	4,195	2,196	7,650	1,984	1,159	1,730	401	1,063	2,903	2,285
Guianas—British.....	705	31	210	250	167	189	123	130	44	33
Dutch.....	94	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	10	18	95
Peru.....	7,776	4,019	7,511	9,693	7,302	5,519	5,466	11,308	8,512	5,804
Uruguay.....	16,668	17,620	36,111	2,550	8,643	11,090	9,229	6,545	8,332	6,982
Venezuela.....	12,901	12,386	31,477	26,005	18,079	28,131	6,553	13,259	18,353	4,971
China.....	801	29,630	117,458	29,122	11,382	11,626	693	1,787	23,341	1,662
East Indies—British.....	8,769	2,579	2,517	6,060	4,132	11,735	2,734	3,141	2,203	2,373
Dutch.....	39	215	294	386	22	204	104	834	1,280	539
Hongkong.....	1,708	7,701	21,325	9,454	13,903	26,772	40,756	45,791	10,881	25,293
Japan.....	11,194	3,870	9,580	41,048	30,145	8,707	6,012	21,475	32,372	33,433
Russia, Asiatic.....	1,000	2,248	3,657	166	2,353	2,711	2,582	6,758	6,588	10,550
Turkey in Asia.....	353	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	344
All other Asia.....	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	24	1,002
British Australasia.....	71,705	18,782	23,353	91,323	63,606	19,208	467,08	46,120	35,101	44,234
French Oceania.....	.....	91	100	135	255	121	372	168	51	91
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	42	40
Hawaiian Islands.....	2,561	10,068	5,182	3,530	3,502	6,814	7,411	8,185	3,283	3,460
Philippine Islands.....	.....	339	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	211	525
British Africa.....	989	2,460	6,357	6,571	2,426	4,654	4,349	3,765	7,267	6,655
Liberia.....	80	326	213	316	120

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Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
FIREARMS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Portuguese Africa.....	139			14					490	298
Spanish Africa.....			16							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....					56					
All other Africa.....	526	405		215	4,567		2,390		145	
All other British.....		115	381	1,796		287	17			
All other French.....	39									
All other islands and ports.....	106	282	482	42	487	189	70			
Total.....	820,933	797,564	859,123	853,628	723,271	623,624	786,903	770,852	644,962	672,223
LOCKS, HINGES, AND OTHER BUILDERS' HARDWARE—										
Austria-Hungary.....		75	143		68	282	761	3,199	2,222	5,924
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,995	2,251	2,914	1,892	453	1,495	1,880	2,151	2,139	4,916
Belgium.....	36,744	39,298	61,550	66,623	44,976	76,208	54,274	80,539	124,770	149,353
Denmark.....	10,950	7,515	12,165	10,231	10,202	12,126	17,477	28,595	44,361	49,201
France.....	17,211	35,121	33,375	8,747	13,910	19,366	28,149	60,272	101,961	107,698
Germany.....	104,115	138,985	112,942	167,074	143,486	183,648	271,977	319,966	439,356	634,520
Gibraltar.....					68		660		90	105
Greece.....					172		100		170	1,942
Italy.....	8,775	9,109	11,050	11,186	9,921	6,610	8,465	14,072	23,800	51,601
Malta.....									50	
Netherlands.....	22,031	22,495	14,504	13,686	18,071	22,810	33,107	35,643	51,101	64,992
Portugal.....	831	4,025	3,072	477	2,778	3,618	4,773	3,617	5,036	5,326
Roumania.....									1,110	211
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	930	5,666	809	1,296	250	828	1,230	2,911	16,540	11,623
Russia, Black Sea.....	4,849	431	541	1,964	317	1,844	9,522	16,954	25,224	33,044
Spain.....	6,493	608	1,511	1,516	3,295	1,398	5,224	3,884	2,237	722
Sweden and Norway.....	3,203	3,736	3,661	1,878	3,178	12,142	13,763	30,066	25,645	43,806
Switzerland.....	184						115	386	1,031	4,326
Turkey in Europe.....	260	377		907	508	457	830	1,439	2,037	5,567
United Kingdom.....	295,576	380,844	363,288	402,150	412,115	441,446	540,505	762,735	1,279,242	1,181,860
Bermuda.....				5,273	3,514	2,517	2,006	4,224	6,499	5,223
British Honduras.....	767	873	1,532	2,247	1,032	991	1,198	1,637	1,429	1,847
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc...	73,012	76,818	71,968	34,362	53,050	52,824	52,640	50,975	44,642	66,511
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	151,409	170,745	215,370	267,774	373,545	383,996	220,755	233,338	216,246	263,134
British Columbia.....	11,372	17,182	20,647	12,304	11,236	9,689	20,041	51,112	56,451	43,919
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	24,034	18,647	33,106	29,462	66,029	57,647	37,668	23,920	33,979	35,210
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	19,693	16,489	24,548	17,552	17,590	11,808	13,721	12,519	13,691	17,149
Guatemala.....	5,265	8,127	8,691	7,420	8,823	6,688	6,423	24,653	13,349	3,011
Honduras.....	4,467	3,211	2,198	4,867	3,228	2,175	2,710	4,890	4,684	7,524
Nicaragua.....	10,526	11,113	15,812	8,308	11,336	7,190	4,325	7,342	7,852	4,568
Salvador.....	4,503	4,831	5,712	15,889	5,437	2,681	4,855	13,915	11,097	2,232
Mexico.....	92,966	151,636	180,939	239,455	243,512	177,689	180,706	345,963	411,945	209,447
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	4,593	5,148	5,376	3,912	2,823	2,709	1,666	2,554	4,096	3,651
West Indies—										
British.....	21,052	22,543	39,156	23,112	29,553	34,071	31,926	27,060	27,917	22,344
Danish.....	586	1,452	1,125	802	620	1,260	1,120	1,295	772	733
Dutch.....	1,208	1,630	1,559	2,696	2,811	2,338	1,976	2,162	1,989	2,252
French.....	47	150	485	180	190	983	203	300	540	612
Haiti.....	6,422	17,194	18,586	16,484	17,450	13,274	18,092	12,077	9,877	5,580
Santo Domingo.....	4,558	6,379	6,369	6,572	5,819	13,918	6,590	4,823	5,234	5,986
Spanish—Cuba.....	80,285	158,874	174,620	294,490	395,964	246,142	160,623	68,394	49,386	29,993
Porto Rico.....	8,995	7,584	11,757	11,335	10,768	13,622	7,491	8,925	8,216	5,166
Argentina.....	44,271	47,101	16,598	5,178	41,182	26,188	22,137	27,408	33,996	19,934
Bolivia.....	223	46			1,198	118			18	224
Brazil.....	21,261	29,410	50,627	64,879	75,150	71,559	96,199	116,625	64,300	31,105
Chile.....	132,607	122,472	79,952	68,962	142,201	88,959	58,396	95,031	45,784	28,775
Colorado.....	31,834	18,970	33,139	25,824	38,028	38,444	27,844	28,661	41,803	29,840

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
<i>Metal working—Continued.</i>										
Central American States—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Costa Rica										2,487
Honduras										358
Mexico										17,909
West Indies—										
British										88
Danish										1,153
Spanish—Cuba										1,332
Argentina										8,565
Brazil										8,241
Chile										8,627
Guianas—British										13
Peru										5,044
China										19,488
East Indies—British										85,798
Dutch										6,761
Hongkong										8,316
Japan										10,077
All other Asia										9,153
British Australasia										11,969
British Africa										757
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										14,356
All other Africa										580
Total										4,618,683
Printing presses, and parts of—										
Austria-Hungary				500						
Azores, and Madeira Islands	222	383	60			255	125	141	6	196
Belgium	1,600	8,690	2,260	8,909	3,041	3,592	1,000	1,225	1,593	13,689
Denmark	98	443	1,723	778	918	1,358			1,170	3,084
France	4,850	6,000	2,524	3,929	55	40	821	1,083	555	27,422
Germany	20,217	27,817	7,716	17,503	16,116	5,175	2,489	7,930	4,485	41,962
Greece										10
Gibraltar							75			
Italy			300		500				175	1,317
Netherlands	1,500	56	638						1,915	
Portugal	661	500	450	400						300
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										1,920
Russia, Black Sea								300		
Spain		67			92					
Sweden and Norway	692	2,200	4,520	961	2,433	3,749	2,548		5,881	1,400
Switzerland		300								200
Turkey in Europe		787								
United Kingdom	33,686	92,728	125,358	246,403	57,049	151,161	50,423	237,615	433,927	512,554
Bermuda				82	181	235	549	342	250	29
British Honduras	244									
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	5,022	4,348	2,571	3,975	8,966	3,269	10,524	5,369	7,074	4,192
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	17,019	29,057	4,203	2,089	39,875	31,122	34,384	24,828	78,061	108,252
British Columbia	3,847	1,360	1,237	6,697	990	1,585	1,441	350	2,472	2,968
Newfoundland and Labrador			17		8,244	257	2,278	36		240
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	6,567	1,142	1,728	2,224	122	62		476	351	1,076
Guatemala	375	640	1,753	2,001	5,970	5,408	1,964	868	2,743	869
Honduras	281	4,293	667	15	60	5,795	183	110		129

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
<i>Pumps and pumping machinery—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa										85,443
French Africa										170
Portuguese Africa										586
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										3,437
All other Africa										11,688
Total										2,023,034
<i>Sewing machines, and parts of—</i>										
Austria-Hungary	1,111	1,417	14,492	3,850	2,920	5,413	12,160	28,711	7,853	11,001
Azores, and Madeira Islands	420	152	416	280	291	63		125	113	109
Belgium	40,337	34,022	50,626	43,302	53,938	48,363	36,200	45,998	55,879	62,431
Denmark		959	41	340		124	1,773	18,600	1,153	114
France	92,685	115,978	116,046	269,387	52,757	91,246	98,566	103,024	123,606	102,809
Germany	213,904	456,881	609,750	616,936	563,401	255,507	472,203	676,844	761,229	861,702
Gibraltar	55		212	231	37					
Greece							211	153		
Italy	3,956	4,059	10,832	15,820	12,307	8,696	8,756	9,926	12,720	17,666
Netherlands		12,471	34,417	32,869	47,365	4,673	22,613	60,630	97,276	101,124
Portugal	1,630	370	1,666	950		741	77	101		
Russia, Baltic and White Seas					7,223	2,927		5,143	16,855	13,114
Russia, Black Sea		3,775						64,653	1,305	2,131
Spain	247	8,578	3,122	166	437	1,340	1,314	1,859	97	59
Sweden and Norway		2,512	13,240	21,558	17,981	1,097	8,919	1,852	1,218	3,314
Switzerland	2,430		352				100			
Turkey in Europe							137	51		580
United Kingdom	822,730	1,028,442	848,493	809,391	848,540	712,411	615,847	938,861	1,074,489	879,650
Bermuda				1,320	1,394	534	1,024	917	693	836
British Honduras	4,094	3,005	3,862	3,750	3,542	2,159	3,362	4,012	5,493	3,882
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc. .	1,199	1,677	3,800	5,368	10,774	11,709	14,746	12,795	12,017	15,164
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	62,363	53,798	51,530	46,485	69,795	94,386	90,485	84,880	79,804	109,263
British Columbia	5,800	5,615	6,577	5,454	4,755	5,160	4,339	4,395	8,378	13,301
Newfoundland and Labrador	2,072	2,280	2,152	2,801	4,996	3,044	1,818	1,290	2,920	3,444
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	14,818	21,768	12,945	14,768	12,483	3,880	5,525	12,073	13,574	7,054
Guatemala	10,672	15,428	20,372	11,638	13,652	7,965	14,346	20,203	15,663	7,527
Honduras	5,815	6,653	6,696	6,042	4,711	2,985	5,616	3,509	7,251	4,151
Nicaragua	17,069	18,316	25,593	10,667	5,268	4,390	13,764	19,690	12,629	3,626
Salvador	20,925	27,298	35,024	27,976	18,521	10,687	22,363	34,500	33,507	4,072
Mexico	160,723	231,245	174,546	165,122	142,764	151,239	132,841	215,359	199,016	197,692
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	695	465	410	618	65			278	264	159
West Indies—										
British	12,105	12,940	15,101	16,983	10,249	13,853	13,628	12,058	10,215	12,355
Danish	66	207	87	536	776	280	185	275	389	232
Dutch	2,220	1,903	3,961	2,574	2,910	1,191	1,069	1,253	1,063	1,839
French	2,208	2,495	2,728	2,533	750	932	1,849	1,718	1,622	1,271
Haiti	3,392	14,381	7,314	6,619	9,217	11,967	4,906	5,243	3,947	938
Santo Domingo	3,227	4,406	2,931	1,377	3,723	1,962	1,817	1,380	1,798	1,282
Spanish—Cuba	42,571	60,741	112,319	246,218	95,630	212,696	16,114	14,426	3,199	2,785
Porto Rico	4,227	3,913	2,760	5,215	4,618	3,534	2,230	2,953	2,242	3,120
Argentina	109,862	66,243	24,420	22,892	67,886	71,513	53,504	103,171	101,628	77,188
Bolivia	280	178		1,294	199	295	830	80		419
Brazil	78,751	60,558	78,393	72,976	89,832	101,719	140,054	137,520	114,555	95,966
Chile	18,654	13,288	17,079	22,665	19,842	18,126	21,894	35,111	18,709	7,663
Colombia	82,598	95,136	120,248	99,790	65,204	49,674	39,924	71,862	113,043	82,359
Ecuador	19,168	12,009	16,171	9,015	16,738	14,116	11,492	16,175	18,722	21,005
Guianas—British	509	850	1,093	1,116	1,965	2,862	3,189	2,230	1,196	2,090
Dutch	190	150		230	25	165	324	13	34	279

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
<i>Shoe machinery—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Uruguay.....										77
Venezuela.....										3,572
British Australasia.....										15,306
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										60
Total.....										895,788
Steam engines, and parts of—										
<i>Fire engines—</i>										
Italy.....										520
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.								1,750		
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	8,675	5,400		750		3,283	1,410	3,000		187
British Columbia.....					75		3,600			
Central American States—										
Guatemala.....	1,500									680
Nicaragua.....			836							
Mexico.....						1,445		395		5,528
West Indies—										
British.....		2,450							1,500	
Dutch.....										280
Santo Domingo.....										302
Spanish—Cuba.....			1,526							
Porto Rico.....							4,000			
Chile.....		1,589						3,800		
Ecuador.....								1,700	5,290	
Peru.....						4,100				
Hawaiian Islands.....				5,630						
Philippine Islands.....						6,000				
Total.....	10,175	9,439	2,362	6,380	75	14,828	9,010	10,645	6,790	7,497
Locomotive engines—										
Belgium.....				13,220						
Italy.....						6,500				
Portugal.....										63,438
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....								439,141	247,572	260,960
Russia, Black Sea.....							34,000	467,902	371,828	222,550
Spain.....		19,500								
Sweden and Norway.....	7,850	6,500	6,500	18,600						
United Kingdom.....		24,500	2,700	49,200			23,375		22,250	69,224
British Honduras.....									1,000	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	21,050				17,600	17,108	12,475		18,776	17,265
Quebec, Ontario, etc.		18,000	47,750		4,000	55,048	26,557	14,832	12,914	518,584
British Columbia.....	22,000	8,950	6,900						7,704	4,500
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		6,875	13,025	6,715		36,770			16,420	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....					8,500					
Guatemala.....			17,720	5,000	5,079	15,958	28,800	29,895	28,510	12,240
Honduras.....	3,500					2,100	7,365			
Nicaragua.....		23,924	16,905		14,300		3,500	2,966	13,950	3,800
Salvador.....					8,385			20,450	59,336	3,450
Mexico.....	262,755	171,653	297,454	65,900	292,615	27,076	61,729	185,330	785,947	387,994
West Indies—										
British.....		2,765	19,700	21,000	15,200	22,108	11,600	59,100	2,726	
Dutch.....			3,364							

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
<i>Steam engines, and parts of—Continued.</i>										
<i>Locomotive engines—Continued.</i>										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Haiti					11,500				2,185	
Santo Domingo				11,770	13,860	10,771	23,550			10,450
Spanish—Cuba	175,120	239,158	237,827	392,415	418,776	222,109	240,633	27,651	20,638	49,550
Porto Rico					4,408	2,400			26,296	
Argentina	277,762	174,770			10,000	38,100		34,670	126,258	
Brazil	272,155	377,719	818,652	976,959	857,137	190,205	1,048,758	721,361	348,877	443,531
Chile	159,320	81,000	126,050	46,100	58,650	213,460	46,562	266,818		
Colombia	6,100		5,500	14,000	43,740	17,795	4,675	15,060	15,496	43,772
Ecuador	8,350									2,000
Guianas—British								2,500		
Peru		8,977	21,420			3,800				11,601
Uruguay		76,730								
Venezuela	2,793	4,000	6,412	4,311	6,200	31,450	16,742	11,294	13,200	5,000
China									138,140	121,000
East Indies—British							19,250			13,435
Japan		8,000	40,200	42,600		115,578	157,434	173,160	920,130	1,283,865
Russia, Asiatic							2,774			
British Australasia	5,000	13,200	732,374	42,600						19,400
Hawaiian Islands	3,394	14,325	3,910	7,325	4,759		9,740	3,000	20,678	8,700
British Africa								28,040	5,000	76,700
Portuguese Africa										1,575
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										229,126
All other Africa								8,500		
Total	1,227,149	1,280,606	2,424,363	1,717,715	1,794,709	1,028,336	2,379,519	2,512,270	3,225,881	3,883,719
Stationary engines—										
Austria-Hungary						500				3,810
Belgium	1,850		500	5,935			1,069	1,796	4,657	8,144
Denmark	165						1,000			517
France	7,470	800	5,510	7,813	3,749	5,416	9,734	4,866	4,274	10,391
Germany	1,226	4,387	7,525	9,540	984	1,284	1,539	1,915	2,967	10,245
Italy	4,315	11,200	510	8,795		635				950
Netherlands	450		3,684	3,684	595		720	575	225	8,197
Portugal	700	1,000		1,050			585		801	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas		1,228	3,601	820	200			2,950	5,775	4,110
Russia, Black Sea		748		636					10,050	5,455
Spain	600	309	2,400	1,530	2,554	9,204	3,710	1,440	155	
Sweden and Norway	740	137					2,547		174	2,200
United Kingdom	3,850	7,820	7,703	15,837	15,890	8,472	10,638	6,997	25,205	53,010
Bermuda					445	450		300		1,199
British Honduras				2,600	1,025	812				
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc	2,025	2,990		1,276	4,000	2,400	1,693	1,655	885	1,879
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	6,498	19,393	1,415		7,323	19,785	13,225	14,959	25,944	110,122
British Columbia	440	928		2,397	460	3,125	1,581	2,976	735	4,141
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	113	549	12,001	11,620	1,725	6,016	875			4,432
Guatemala	2,500	8,577	7,087	3,098	1,780	6,178	9,670	6,605	1,087	570
Honduras	700	850					1,509			
Nicaragua		3,547	9,133	2,188	3,014	1,429	951	1,175	3,400	4,296
Salvador	795		4,015	595	585	2,236	3,850	1,698	5,939	105
Mexico	28,319	35,081	20,775	19,385	31,485	22,760	37,528	54,142	46,412	38,328
West Indies—										
British	1,780	3,918	6,544	2,082	4,773	3,659	19,516	2,632	6,870	9,068
Danish		3,722			5,000					2,560
Dutch	894		394		900				950	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
Steam engines, and parts of—Cont'd.										
Stationary engines—Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
French							450			
Haiti				730		1,562	858	4,467	120	
Santo Domingo		3,395	1,300	560	900	450	2,046	509	1,700	1,000
Spanish—Cuba	10,493	45,992	46,766	77,264	130,652	62,830	30,629	5,096	1,189	1,553
Porto Rico	2,555	1,025	2,200	2,023	4,291	4,046	3,000	1,265	2,141	952
Argentina	11,474	32,521	6,340	280	5,615	30,135	11,937	36,083	53,751	22,683
Brazil	1,981	2,515	35,055	8,400	8,834	78,042	3,394	11,543	40,010	5,300
Chile	4,190	74,330	6,952	3,650	3,875	2,000	16,380		834	8,033
Colombia	3,275	3,831	5,845	7,185	5,085	3,039	1,875	3,468	9,350	9,781
Ecuador	1,925		225	139		275			3,485	
Guianas—British		175	425	200						275
Dutch		250						1,800	22,200	
Peru	1,000	10,255	1,985	5,062	1,547	2,305	1,813		2,892	3,313
Uruguay	3,856	5,971			425		2,700	700	2,300	920
Venezuela	8,776	3,456	5,638	6,807	3,861	6,874	12,671	10,829	6,542	1,839
China		658	500	4,200				650	1,897	790
East Indies—British	635							350		2,317
Dutch			1,650		625				5,486	
Hongkong										300
Japan	1,725			3,300		1,825	1,260	3,302	5,095	27,911
Turkey in Asia			223	1,604						
All other Asia	552									3,900
British Australasia	7,525	8,493	8,486	4,334	2,201			850	12,171	14,583
Tonga, Samoa, etc.									1,000	
Hawaiian Islands		4,400								3,706
Philippine Islands							1,180			
British Africa	6,500	1,036	1,000	250		25,162	8,242	23,870	800	2,704
Canary Islands				388						
French Africa						263			820	
Liberia	560					177				
Portuguese Africa								1,468	1,800	3,721
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	1,021								350	
All other Africa								4,000		
Total	133,473	305,478	217,387	227,257	254,398	313,346	220,375	216,991	323,438	398,570
Boilers and parts of engines—										
Austria-Hungary								550	460	
Belgium		140			230		250	1,076	8,778	3,678
Denmark			300		1,125					
France	6,146	150	620	726	1,473	2,739	1,561	1,113	6,358	4,680
Germany	2,916	5,234	2,522	2,257	1,179	561	1,565	537	730	1,860
Italy	500		250						950	3,503
Netherlands	332	530	3,557	1,210	1,565	4,342	1,863	1,829	35	4,100
Portugal						145			820	2,800
Russia, Baltic and White Seas							1,140	15,232	51,714	2,037
Russia, Black Sea								13,458	118,617	70,500
Spain							10,194		375	7,700
Switzerland										175
Sweden and Norway						170			95	
United Kingdom	3,540	8,260	3,465	2,975	5,280	23,321	12,781	7,918	4,903	54,847
Bermuda				254	446	147	606	250	154	211
British Honduras	1,542	1,650		600	1,684	500	383	189	2,380	977
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	10,692	613	280	6,013	5,713	8,857	16,742	5,319	8,990	15,207
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	5,219	13,512	10,993	11,317	5,491	29,053	16,127	25,944	34,486	91,349
British Columbia	1,627	3,644	3,705	4,399	1,950	1,674	2,190	3,453	5,080	10,513

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
Steam engines, and parts of—Cont'd.										
Boilers and parts of engines—Cont'd.										
Dominion of Canada—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Newfoundland and Labrador	341	811	583	161	1,566	1,297	171	935	343	2,802
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	322	2,936	4,019	1,493	3,492	2,139	2,865	5,101	3,620	3,168
Guatemala	8,193	9,279	16,612	17,054	7,992	5,796	20,269	7,765	10,139	3,044
Honduras	1,334	3,025	460	2,590	115	732	1,391	1,725	454	11,123
Nicaragua	891	5,836	7,132	7,153	3,780	13,199	2,350	4,227	3,649	2,087
Salvador		983	5,921	671	2,578	3,188	3,437	3,236	8,294	1,226
Mexico	47,084	76,271	113,322	82,469	155,987	76,493	64,456	108,162	92,528	127,551
West Indies—										
British	1,041	4,660	3,619	4,606	19,858	35,313	3,833	3,238	2,742	7,764
Danish	2,500	5,831	425	340	1,596	60	396	1,884	238	901
Dutch		1,222	803	390	289	1,943	89	1,586	92	521
French			156		17					2,000
Haiti	337	120	1,929	96	2,938	2,139	4,110	5,794	828	1,966
Santo Domingo	4,725	10,289	4,155	15,844	4,628	8,023	4,404	5,574	8,018	5,283
Spanish—Cuba	67,758	150,002	181,720	337,756	322,284	221,863	87,306	41,523	35,578	52,011
Porto Rico	2,622	3,128	5,243	982	5,770	4,105	10,115	5,670	10,796	2,925
Argentina	12,632	114,642	110		1,416	2,090	830	4,672	50,860	16,059
Bolivia									25	
Brazil	3,339	11,164	179,854	10,039	9,035	176,984	39,562	125,387	51,592	166,486
Chile	2,745	49,430	5,560	392	4,310	14,143	6,549	2,394	3,475	17,665
Colombia	9,762	7,149	5,401	20,320	14,980	5,779	8,097	27,581	18,833	14,405
Ecuador	4,470	3,872	5,863	1,009	2,211	3,135	3,612	356	706	797
Guianas—British	102		1,047	292		11,450		460		
Dutch			250		911	2,100		125	3,955	816
French		5	155							
Paraguay									740	
Peru	5,991	6,621	24,791	2,393	1,748	4,549	218	1,134	3,424	17,316
Uruguay	1,208	20,500				1,638	2,011		800	500
Venezuela	15,358	14,210	14,799	11,160	7,749	19,530	11,056	11,132	8,187	5,652
China	12,000					1,600	174			12,402
East Indies—British		1,100					1,488	3,124	3,043	1,385
Dutch									720	6,729
Hongkong		1,812								
Japan	1,668	6,425	950	3,478		4,550	9,500	5,696	32,069	51,169
Russia, Asiatic			6,233			750		17,600	6,043	20,726
All other Asia										4,590
British Australasia	6,243	8,247	16,170	5,847	2,667	347	830	2,556	17,591	14,702
French Oceania		491				2,100		1,290		
Hawaiian Islands	20,864	17,116	37,137	12,199	3,705	10,675	21,799	19,573	22,688	61,135
British Africa						1,000		25,223	7,875	13,380
All other French	1,350									
Canary Islands									400	
Portuguese Africa									2,289	1,426
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										1,052
All other Africa								12,500	14,342	
Total	267,394	570,915	669,851	563,483	607,758	710,219	376,325	534,001	671,901	927,552
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary									4,088	15,210
Belgium									39,782	36,875
Denmark									3,564	5,511
France									99,222	94,608
Germany									228,710	425,014
Gibraltar									35	
Greece										109
Italy									7,665	29,235

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
Machinery, machines, and parts of—Continued.										
Typewriting machines, and parts of—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Madagascar.....										57
Portuguese Africa.....									50	193
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										750
All other Africa.....									56	4,187
Total.....									1,453,117	1,902,153
Machinery not elsewhere specified—										
Austria-Hungary.....	10,952	1,715	3,070	13,975	10,272	14,778	12,092	80,730	164,653	40,843
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,660	25	436	69	1,514	213	701	96	1,130	379
Belgium.....	80,924	86,585	120,203	132,909	99,120	243,615	241,023	353,981	709,270	223,572
Denmark.....	7,710	20,550	22,481	15,534	29,941	36,820	32,784	33,157	124,807	91,637
France.....	383,480	204,763	308,260	336,877	243,577	327,033	348,474	465,290	733,542	401,263
Germany.....	294,173	585,231	692,395	475,577	454,850	552,700	485,887	1,074,950	1,920,838	882,165
Gibraltar.....	1,627	615	1,557	84	361	188	26	2,075	87	10
Greece.....					1,296		789	771	1,168	1,110
Italy.....	63,505	98,250	49,966	53,738	30,603	68,231	50,030	55,413	96,273	92,041
Malta, Gozo, etc.....										98
Netherlands.....	46,098	97,431	244,875	120,387	130,309	132,991	148,980	145,863	297,557	135,677
Portugal.....	5,016	12,772	7,630	2,909	17,535	11,723	16,699	8,533	6,057	25,948
Roumania.....			25,036		1,978	2,915	2,139	246	18,822	169
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	23,122	24,162	31,064	44,747	44,983	84,354	151,512	262,953	736,218	155,953
Russia, Black Sea.....	14,046	32,434	22,378	28,651	13,756	12,498	38,968	170,730	337,910	141,674
Spain.....	6,721	10,049	8,999	12,060	18,240	13,234	10,249	19,320	10,091	41,496
Sweden and Norway.....	28,972	27,283	19,236	11,949	35,798	41,953	58,808	98,373	276,686	132,448
Switzerland.....	1,402	13,144	7,453	3,237	158	1,533	1,260	10,528	14,948	13,490
Turkey in Europe.....	695	1,007	1,521	679	2,729	15,173	3,834	1,481	4,464	1,585
United Kingdom.....	1,268,708	1,987,541	2,022,918	2,241,325	1,986,456	1,972,333	2,226,495	3,609,000	4,956,211	2,399,506
Bermuda.....				5,044	9,094	2,382	3,132	4,312	4,709	4,066
British Honduras.....	1,517	7,057	3,968	16,514	8,093	5,031	2,221	2,842	3,142	2,506
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	88,709	40,885	32,077	34,183	57,998	93,843	127,254	114,267	84,261	93,978
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	545,859	574,555	673,129	706,998	814,549	1,158,720	1,292,327	1,136,338	1,199,585	1,826,531
British Columbia.....	55,837	76,778	92,369	90,640	49,496	42,410	47,256	130,718	165,921	237,312
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	7,281	4,432	5,588	10,057	21,721	12,090	8,213	7,966	8,823	4,985
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	34,689	68,218	75,721	74,017	60,186	42,480	35,085	64,402	63,580	54,027
Guatemala.....	61,628	80,199	115,862	90,814	90,492	102,560	186,371	218,704	328,634	32,357
Honduras.....	72,783	26,814	67,928	39,267	25,473	23,403	17,422	20,822	30,092	16,428
Nicaragua.....	39,710	61,372	38,103	43,193	34,727	8,481	28,540	43,449	43,758	51,218
Salvador.....	30,195	29,909	37,433	38,179	53,249	52,701	63,431	119,039	111,836	21,309
Mexico.....	787,065	845,589	917,037	1,485,237	1,273,125	1,468,785	1,672,685	2,107,371	1,891,321	2,359,330
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	535	10					4			
West Indies—										
British.....	62,643	42,576	87,122	83,469	60,102	84,779	100,731	95,490	116,276	47,685
Danish.....	3,858	17,738	7,952	3,383	36,483	21,878	5,320	3,088	3,649	6,967
Dutch.....	1,508	4,929	6,355	6,787	6,485	5,187	7,092	21,096	9,262	3,679
French.....	805	211	1,914	1,351	3,539	550	877	545	1,085	2,535
Haiti.....	9,038	13,229	12,784	15,607	34,294	42,409	23,737	42,240	40,736	6,254
Santo Domingo.....	30,258	87,771	128,308	208,242	146,853	271,038	212,572	109,344	95,877	98,911
Spanish—Cuba.....	965,242	1,154,090	1,317,256	1,952,740	2,792,050	1,587,706	1,286,473	286,854	55,069	92,678
Porto Rico.....	25,983	25,007	18,987	20,023	56,389	31,373	56,642	44,524	69,462	20,070
Argentina.....	258,154	458,730	70,530	87,723	107,498	159,446	148,712	187,047	268,154	116,743
Bolivia.....		663	25	975	323	82	64	373	336	2,435
Brazil.....	233,233	120,180	489,807	299,473	239,857	235,618	354,351	343,124	321,322	161,576
Chile.....	65,822	264,698	238,050	71,916	200,316	186,170	141,325	269,043	141,040	52,088
Colombia.....	201,995	136,117	131,395	95,130	73,984	93,682	85,547	128,174	109,715	157,762
Ecuador.....	37,342	29,750	27,505	26,694	20,194	23,449	25,936	36,291	29,624	33,868
Guianas—British.....	10,272	6,629	16,733	48,684	11,251	28,399	20,213	10,971	22,468	7,612
Dutch.....	121	100	1,899	2,839	11,523	7,642	4,614	9,469	10,195	4,886
French.....	411	675	127	13			108		840	2,517

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Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.										
<i>Machinery, not elsewhere specified—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Peru.....	47,419	196,358	122,075	54,887	52,291	26,976	31,997	76,933	89,935	73,996
Uruguay.....	82,495	63,296	31,870	7,835	32,956	28,978	18,536	19,387	12,990	8,944
Venezuela.....	60,954	93,269	163,450	133,577	78,285	155,427	114,965	85,976	77,999	69,390
Aden.....								200	235	2,500
China.....	14,167	14,335	87,177	7,028	12,270	24,752	61,771	23,240	80,553	84,053
East Indies—British.....	17,291	11,301	16,965	18,243	16,893	27,574	22,613	86,148	89,634	44,461
Dutch.....		789	1,536	2,783	1,465	29,548	13,589	34,243	44,331	32,121
French.....					7,027		914	5,910		
Hongkong.....	12,018	31,629	13,903	11,466	4,111	72,685	6,247	19,121	53,619	38,775
Japan.....	296,538	134,219	104,261	50,322	104,954	26,104	97,472	277,468	909,031	414,933
Korea.....										879
Russia, Asiatic.....	1,691	180	935	948	8,679	690	13,800	103,237	18,553	91,722
Turkey in Asia.....	2,129	165	1,041	2,759	1,063	4,305	3,956	6,838	3,386	596
All other Asia.....	2,356	60,221	1,305	3,817	281	502	577		3,208	1,716
Auckland, Fiji, and Norfolk Islands.....								40	575	
British Australasia.....	583,510	487,222	532,877	406,193	230,551	264,975	321,196	561,127	831,659	831,144
French Oceania.....		4,950	3,162	2,134	763	2,876	7,068	1,374	2,045	8,530
German Oceania.....									40	
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								281	681	110
Hawaiian Islands.....	84,912	276,915	298,459	228,014	55,874	116,843	164,561	390,409	325,913	320,147
Philippine Islands.....	1,831	2,168	2,945	738	4,753	8,062	8,322	4,714	2,009	599
British Africa.....	68,965	169,562	235,635	178,285	328,770	286,316	806,967	1,054,806	1,319,938	850,95
Canary Islands.....				1,304	821	353	2,098	1,547	1,222	14
French Africa.....		1,000		2,058	3,052	884	2,128	2,300	1,255	1,307
Liberia.....	29	93	143	181	59	280		76	4	29
Madagascar.....								64	12	10
Portuguese Africa.....			9	1,505	11,666	2,344	1,917	32,994	58,217	50,274
Spanish Africa.....	13,865	1,247	574							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	653	213	1,204	973	342	155	1,585	2,913	3,655	4,385
All other Africa.....		20,716	2,271	30	760			109,480	138,732	95,204
All other British.....	245	209	127	125		188				
All other French.....	4,147									
All other islands and ports.....	229	258	3,942	149	585	1,773	1,809			
Total.....	7,166,748	8,954,776	9,831,908	10,229,293	10,407,091	10,438,069	11,493,093	14,853,221	19,771,856	13,336,93
NAILS AND SPIKES—										
<i>Cut—</i>										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	146		27							4
Belgium.....			9,604	1,000				325		
France.....										300
Germany.....	1,250	249	683	548	873	183	407	606		
Italy.....		757							103	
Netherlands.....			49,607					2,923		
Russia, Black Sea.....							175			
Spain.....	106		63		340		40			49
United Kingdom.....	104	853	335	12,740	214	6,769	17,218	28,399	14,914	8,192
Bermuda.....				2,602	1,666	659	1,071	2,513	1,688	682
British Honduras.....	1,628	1,439	1,513	1,306	1,187	755	1,407	1,458	1,798	1,043
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,315	1,087	474	964	131	29		850	4,707	104
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	74	11	482	360	910	1,807	3,059	4,040	769	941
British Columbia.....	4,414	4,216	3,813	10,211	3,268	2,074	1,769	1,456	4,001	1,590
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	279	256	86	44	44	11,146	20	190	706	861
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,875	1,628	1,174	1,186	2,279	1,014	1,178	1,682	2,534	622
Guatemala.....	1,824	2,387	3,541	2,990	4,126	1,473	3,019	8,675	4,206	1,154
Honduras.....	1,603	1,246	1,245	1,118	1,127	1,394	2,008	1,558	1,396	1,734

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
NAILS AND SPIKES—Continued.										
Wire—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										32
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										9,520
British Columbia										1,069
Newfoundland and Labrador										223
Central American States—										
Costa Rica										135
Guatemala										224
Honduras										664
Nicaragua										391
Salvador										62
Mexico										5,916
West Indies—										
British										16,593
Danish										83
Dutch										42
Haiti										78
Santo Domingo										1,912
Spanish—Cuba										3,440
Porto Rico										112
Argentina										3
Bolivia										15
Brazil										345
Chile										9,293
Colombia										1,483
Ecuador										362
Guianas—British										1,624
Dutch										8
Paraguay										4
Peru										6
Venezuela										119
China										40,147
East Indies—British										168
Hongkong										25,160
Japan										267,210
Russia, Asiatic										520
British Australasia										22,764
Hawaiian Islands										2,452
British Africa										13,047
Portuguese Africa										434
Total										458,787
Wire, wrought, horseshoe, and all other, including tacks—										
Austria-Hungary								12		
Azores, and Madeira Islands	13					33		65		
Belgium		206	7,993	2,427	2,510	5,512	5,163	4,235	3,430	
Denmark		86						8		
France	625	738			336				16	
Germany	3,616	2,050	530	842	1,194	910	404	16,664	2,056	
Gibraltar							11		12	
Italy			1,114						259	
Netherlands	107	261	18	72	1,533		155	2,331	81	
Spain		10						168		
Sweden and Norway	23	117	136			22	38	295	199	
United Kingdom	6,614	7,658	13,111	15,787	21,128	27,825	60,138	71,624	100,407	
Bermuda				245	480	1,132	426	782	394	
British Honduras	557		86	821			40	495	271	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SAFES—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Belgium.....										30
France.....										41
Germany.....										405
Italy.....										282
Netherlands.....										667
Russia, Black Sea.....										620
Spain.....										135
Sweden and Norway.....										914
Turkey in Europe.....										35
United Kingdom.....										9,322
Bermuda.....										252
British Honduras.....										614
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia.....										853
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										8,423
British Columbia.....										2,685
Newfoundland and Labrador.....										85
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....										1,838
Guatemala.....										1,260
Honduras.....										19
Nicaragua.....										171
Salvador.....										1,481
Mexico.....										20,393
West Indies—										
British.....										1,885
Dutch.....										108
Haiti.....										1,061
Santo Domingo.....										1,169
Spanish—Cuba.....										2,462
Porto Rico.....										1,035
Argentina.....										740
Brazil.....										6,622
Chile.....										187
Colombia.....										3,442
Ecuador.....										767
Guianas—British.....										16
Dutch.....										85
Peru.....										1,526
Venezuela.....										797
China.....										3,464
East Indies—British.....										909
Hongkong.....										404
Japan.....										1,360
Korea.....										35
Turkey in Asia.....										601
All other Asia.....										60
British Australasia.....										50
French Oceania.....										48
Hawaiian Islands.....										6,308
British Africa.....										619
Portuguese Africa.....										79
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										40
Total.....										87,614
SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Austria-Hungary.....	55	289	300	262	679	422	2,856	2,561	5,882	
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	231	93	284	171	616	302	53	186	369	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SAWS AND TOOLS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Belgium.....	9,060	6,485	6,040	11,810	6,589	11,975	10,826	17,352	35,493	.....
Denmark.....	420	874	1,740	1,407	3,196	2,806	1,819	6,593	12,440	.....
France.....	43,860	30,693	29,526	44,781	50,630	56,455	46,169	62,586	83,542	.....
Germany.....	62,155	96,564	101,805	95,899	93,075	109,384	141,081	128,971	120,092	.....
Gibraltar.....		68	284		24	47		16		.....
Greece.....					37					.....
Italy.....	443	1,981	3,085	1,654	1,003	1,824	362	806	7,487	.....
Netherlands.....	10,225	2,575	2,972	4,660	3,623	2,778	10,270	11,404	20,764	.....
Portugal.....	964	940	514	238	666	297	450	396	1,378	.....
Roumania.....	113		375					55	41	.....
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	1,443	663	6,200	925	213	751	4,202	2,532	4,092	.....
Russia, Black Sea.....	1,196	2,201	3,083	2,608	246	2,289	6,221	2,610	6,123	.....
Spain.....	535	1,414	639	1,197	178	630	444	365	734	.....
Sweden and Norway.....	7,682	9,276	1,959	1,736	1,575	3,053	7,732	15,081	16,248	.....
Switzerland.....	1,140	528	1,206	1,036	621	298	1,644	1,188	1,143	.....
Turkey in Europe.....		83	147		940		89	105	513	.....
United Kingdom.....	149,906	194,124	253,090	221,999	101,859	272,708	261,989	229,489	384,672	.....
Bermuda.....				241	760	592	684	776	1,205	.....
British Honduras.....	3,202	3,084	4,963	5,069	3,066	2,104	3,775	5,874	7,204	.....
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	4,258	2,501	3,379	4,674	14,551	20,328	28,600	26,014	30,360	.....
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	25,360	22,877	11,240	7,974	32,287	99,907	127,834	150,407	142,090	.....
British Columbia.....	16,218	15,271	25,184	20,316	13,897	15,285	14,708	19,559	33,594	.....
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,578	2,269	1,368	1,958	6,422	3,209	3,036	2,643	3,222	.....
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	17,506	18,151	25,896	20,452	20,707	13,079	17,671	33,089	35,242	.....
Guatemala.....	17,782	21,484	34,698	22,799	20,317	17,352	21,750	35,845	18,340	.....
Honduras.....	11,753	6,192	5,039	7,778	4,528	4,622	9,611	6,567	8,875	.....
Nicaragua.....	17,473	16,915	18,901	12,532	11,076	5,803	12,035	14,612	14,746	.....
Salvador.....	7,023	9,574	10,286	13,133	8,841	5,171	8,353	18,012	12,792	.....
Mexico.....	140,274	160,675	170,644	163,958	149,047	122,334	162,588	200,985	210,543	.....
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		5			3					.....
West Indies—										
British.....	15,511	18,286	20,154	19,195	17,187	17,794	20,766	20,771	18,454	.....
Danish.....	393	2,000	436	361	1,512	756	614	1,077	829	.....
Dutch.....	1,957	1,517	2,444	1,433	1,914	937	1,008	1,321	1,934	.....
French.....	62	651	189	437	420	158	226	774	312	.....
Haiti.....	5,011	14,744	9,409	9,586	8,531	9,061	6,626	11,893	4,575	.....
Santo Domingo.....	8,467	9,245	6,641	6,593	11,705	13,691	12,554	8,144	6,049	.....
Spanish—Cuba.....	115,232	138,894	107,291	130,393	243,544	192,578	97,369	34,919	34,686	.....
Porto Rico.....	8,157	10,663	10,754	10,571	11,486	16,471	7,881	12,496	7,083	.....
Argentina.....	218,302	155,801	64,275	78,301	174,299	101,032	119,217	164,985	194,348	.....
Bolivia.....	57	469		1,366	2,943	556	1,057	1,297	327	.....
Brazil.....	135,990	161,717	184,129	195,352	205,128	199,155	197,687	189,629	179,619	.....
Chile.....	29,717	33,834	18,906	24,098	37,584	28,817	36,980	65,501	36,107	.....
Colombia.....	70,611	67,882	69,550	82,756	83,620	39,723	35,095	62,035	75,060	.....
Ecuador.....	16,753	15,891	19,583	20,471	27,577	16,482	18,849	29,541	32,879	.....
Guianas—British.....	5,308	6,189	3,954	6,288	5,151	7,435	4,783	4,461	4,275	.....
Dutch.....	1,420	823	1,252	1,291	2,486	1,672	2,764	1,735	2,437	.....
French.....	166	49	133	14		35	130	3	114	.....
Peru.....	15,566	28,163	36,111	28,840	19,829	19,761	15,943	28,206	30,187	.....
Uruguay.....	30,087	39,199	8,661	5,566	13,971	15,442	13,056	16,863	12,860	.....
Venezuela.....	48,724	59,080	57,968	49,916	37,357	37,832	33,600	31,165	32,103	.....
China.....	1,166	2,844	1,550	3,799	4,706	3,831	2,246	4,977	9,564	.....
East Indies—British.....	701	4,069	13,640	5,928	2,380	2,151	8,517	16,061	20,592	.....
Dutch.....	35	5	117	128	215		1,254	1,696	885	.....
Hongkong.....	4,056	2,298	3,925	1,128	1,241	2,123	2,093	1,077	1,907	.....
Japan.....	16,626	13,950	14,590	12,399	7,530	8,734	13,887	11,604	18,332	.....
Russia, Asiatic.....	5,795	10,009	1,863	4,926	12,178	15,271	9,108	11,876	25,228	.....
Turkey in Asia.....	429	1,132		152	103	73	438	246	767
All other Asia.....	834	538	236	215	295	47	451	22	146

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SAWS AND TOOLS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....	573,751	306,179	365,444	451,635	258,056	312,893	314,574	342,984	375,272	
French Oceania.....		1,901	1,794	1,701	886	1,395	1,418	888	1,358	
German Oceania.....									450	
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								614	418	
Hawaiian Islands.....	13,509	25,728	24,449	10,092	6,506	14,084	15,240	13,023	19,745	
Philippine Islands.....	125		126	142	477	940	484	265	297	
British Africa.....	80,951	101,318	67,430	60,871	58,565	60,685	77,690	99,245	83,754	
Canary Islands.....				52	217	229	384	168	217	
French Africa.....		10	35	10		66		74		
Liberia.....	493	558	1,035	2,130	392	184	997	234	87	
Madagascar.....									18	
Portuguese Africa.....			35	294	31		423	7,424	11,046	
Spanish Africa.....	122									
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	269	974	137		34	37			15	
All other Africa.....	633	278	363	489	919	771	1,199	1,022	2,068	
All other British.....	127		204				16			
All other French.....	1,818	693	494							
All other islands and ports.....	102	173	246	258	156	261	146			
Total.....	1,980,878	1,865,603	1,844,290	1,900,444	1,902,423	1,918,968	1,984,612	2,197,450	2,474,630	
SAWS—										
Austria-Hungary.....										50
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....										14
Belgium.....										7,210
Denmark.....										99
France.....										536
Germany.....										8,705
Italy.....										65
Netherlands.....										516
Portugal.....										93
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....										679
Russia, Black Sea.....										2,526
Sweden and Norway.....										871
Turkey in Europe.....										38
United Kingdom.....										77,429
Bermuda.....										102
British Honduras.....										473
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....										13,393
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										23,290
British Columbia.....										15,190
Newfoundland and Labrador.....										882
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....										1,089
Guatemala.....										1,554
Honduras.....										384
Nicaragua.....										283
Salvador.....										37
Mexico.....										6,575
West Indies—										
British.....										693
Danish.....										19
Dutch.....										10
Haiti.....										3
Santo Domingo.....										214
Spanish—Cuba.....										1,092
Porto Rico.....										104
Argentina.....										1,574
Brazil.....										1,844

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SAWS—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Chile										3,429
Colombia										2,928
Ecuador										1,401
Guianas—British										80
Dutch										38
Peru										1,572
Uruguay										375
Venezuela										1,666
China										48
East Indies—British										343
Dutch										2,253
Japan										1,408
All other Asia										14
British Australasia										18,354
French Oceania										283
Hawaiian Islands										761
British Africa										2,422
Canary Islands										5
Liberia										18
Portuguese Africa										600
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										10
All other Africa										1,135
Total										206,799
SCALES AND BALANCES—										
Austria-Hungary							520	53		
Azores, and Madeira Islands				100				8		
Belgium		48		100	136	258	2,323	2,248	836	1,192
Denmark	7	10				18	760	444		26
France	1,185			3,750		394	54		574	292
Germany	8,325	1,917	2,461	3,601	4,816	4,850	9,528	81,320	3,346	3,303
Gibraltar		95	286	82	347	56	53	79	103	
Italy	54	21		539	118		75	285		
Malta, Gozo, etc								147		33
Netherlands	3,014	11,814	3,455	2,936	6,650	7,017	2,818	961	2,885	2,920
Portugal	3,835	2,787	825	1,214	1,082	2,957	1,914	738	611	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	11,171	20,936	21,956	43,033	22,234	27,300	18,794	36,341	41,049	71,513
Russia, Black Sea	800			719	3,695	2,523	2,443	9,216	16,805	6,601
Spain	18	70	465	21	198	98	362	798		375
Sweden and Norway		100	169	15	15			41	940	71
Turkey in Europe								17		88
United Kingdom	23,461	18,012	12,527	17,592	18,807	24,921	35,788	18,437	28,080	29,283
Bermuda				389	562	154	241	374	351	379
British Honduras	196	248	353	353	280	127	467	518	375	301
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc	704	517	1,085	1,336	1,384	4,071	3,318	3,011	2,157	2,798
Quebec, Ontario, etc	21,265	19,978	54,426	42,692	66,419	4,295	10,499	9,933	6,526	25,307
British Columbia	407	348		202	999	547	1,118	1,458	4,479	3,937
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,025	173	128	491	688	269	140	408	164	327
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	869	2,161	2,589	2,353	1,478	1,044	1,229	1,064	1,161	1,700
Guatemala	1,663	3,504	4,294	4,497	2,420	3,211	2,973	5,084	4,952	1,275
Honduras	1,391	714	4,098	380	254	107	617	468	481	640
Nicaragua	1,655	1,702	3,403	830	691	822	1,517	1,069	1,511	1,450
Salvador	1,379	1,598	1,436	2,098	2,014	733	2,187	4,534	2,747	481
Mexico	12,871	21,991	25,691	30,210	46,039	20,915	30,789	38,325	121,359	32,467
Miquelon, Langley, etc		11						85	46	55

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SCALES AND BALANCES—Continued.										
West Indies—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British	5,281	8,157	8,772	6,051	5,935	10,634	6,717	7,066	6,815	5,941
Danish	158	204	97	11	56	42	55	58	51	67
Dutch	507	522	606	364	182	198	149	498	346	307
French		16	18	53	38	19	3	66	30	
Haiti	922	3,854	2,823	2,479	4,586	1,952	2,481	1,572	1,643	903
Santo Domingo	1,156	2,109	1,877	1,218	1,322	2,688	1,707	932	775	1,047
Spanish—Cuba	35,466	47,688	34,783	40,847	62,561	53,174	27,042	6,751	7,781	7,316
Porto Rico	8,792	3,878	5,007	6,345	8,016	7,169	4,975	7,209	6,781	1,551
Argentina	33,411	26,599	7,733	9,993	20,582	26,697	24,698	11,597	10,859	10,614
Bolivia	75			50	20	87		502		301
Brazil	8,270	9,137	17,325	16,630	23,198	18,932	21,570	24,016	18,034	13,552
Chile	21,362	18,774	11,026	15,407	23,390	17,625	14,881	29,758	7,980	13,301
Colombia	4,934	4,464	4,280	4,921	4,930	5,822	4,116	7,280	8,813	4,916
Ecuador	1,355	729	1,451	2,049	2,087	2,699	2,772	2,703	3,641	3,130
Guianas—British	1,166	1,023	509	519	578	634	655	785	1,242	296
Dutch		6						56		71
French		40								
Peru	5,845	6,773	8,923	4,629	7,222	2,952	3,348	6,367	9,176	10,466
Uruguay	6,479	7,647	2,299	1,208	1,654	2,937	3,390	7,002	1,607	3,123
Venezuela	14,002	16,779	15,780	11,269	11,980	12,972	8,285	10,768	7,891	4,861
Aden									97	
China	3,282	2,039	2,819	3,848	7,185	2,365	6,339	7,044	6,389	6,901
East Indies—British	1,849	1,261	1,106	512	1,126	1,421	1,018	1,566	1,840	3,285
Dutch	51	528	970	2,041	464	316	974	725	1,544	1,950
Hongkong	8,565	10,188	6,909	5,021	5,720	11,717	2,556	19,055	1,593	10,010
Japan	20,412	10,478	2,475	4,728	5,388	6,800	4,620	14,801	4,711	13,584
Russia, Asiatic	198	140	191	90	805	398	705	4,802	2,694	6,003
Turkey in Asia							45	215	138	
All other Asia	68	141			96	402	181			718
British Australasia	15,219	12,236	15,504	15,669	16,247	10,563	8,271	11,870	12,315	16,851
French Oceania		173	197	159	297	153	94	231	192	192
Spanish Oceania										20
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								48	136	40
Hawaiian Islands	494	2,730	1,644	2,447	1,438	831	2,516	2,028	2,803	2,553
Philippine Islands		1,684	627	490	1,542	479	1,550	2,122	2,479	912
British Africa	5,697	8,612	9,762	5,803	5,190	5,078	5,098	7,002	7,595	9,397
Canary Islands				340	1,021	672	1,015	823	910	326
French Africa			35	10				100		173
Liberia	34	69	269	301		104	40	74	21	62
Portuguese Africa	120		466	188			635	911	859	1,031
Spanish Africa	335	549	653							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt									11	10
All other Africa	442	573	205					4	556	565
All other British	160	20	200	137	68		185			
All other French	84									
All other islands and ports		174	27	51		56	235			
Total	301,486	318,749	304,026	325,417	406,430	315,290	292,918	416,471	381,886	343,200
STOVES AND RANGES, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary	28			12					60	102
Azores, and Madeira Islands	803	485	1,494	665	122	134	58	256	515	310
Belgium	4,228	10,616	5,756	11,496	8,956	9,110	5,539	3,427	6,886	22,428
Denmark	701	164	2,246	677	2,205	115	179	89	95	1,466
France	3,327	2,697	3,182	815	9,146	3,709	1,368	6,350	2,159	10,970
Germany	8,712	6,750	4,706	1,850	5,316	6,371	13,005	9,586	12,384	11,248
Gibraltar		24	30					14	23	60
Greece							110		40	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
STOVES AND RANGES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Italy	749	422	750	101	358	520	358	579	381	551
Netherlands	1,813	2,052	1,722	13,759	7,848	9,643	13,617	22,302	15,065	17,416
Portugal	717	269	325	4,107	61	165	369	531	595	614
Roumania						35				
Russia, Baltic and White Seas		17	16						112	1,743
Russia, Black Sea						175		224	799	1,505
Spain	87	30				125	220	15		39
Sweden and Norway	5,113	216	363		663	170		283	36	2,848
Switzerland				1,105					181	1,130
Turkey in Europe	26	25	40	171	217		242	1,186	966	1,940
United Kingdom	10,115	15,898	7,972	9,708	9,134	15,364	10,024	22,264	25,322	53,936
Bermuda				2,604	2,622	2,089	2,170	3,637	3,042	3,954
British Honduras	395	438	685	824	693	566	489	599	796	873
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	3,182	2,034	3,201	1,490	943	4,630	9,625	10,345	4,989	9,443
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	23,274	23,247	12,182	6,860	10,283	24,581	38,613	45,678	33,634	61,211
British Columbia	2,028	4,581	6,156	5,785	5,891	7,650	4,915	7,427	19,655	14,371
Newfoundland and Labrador	298	304	536	2,932	3,316	1,294	1,232	1,301	1,678	1,827
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	1,986	1,767	2,782	4,622	2,479	1,512	2,056	2,532	2,388	1,720
Guatemala	1,435	2,045	4,694	3,837	3,086	2,841	3,992	6,357	6,437	967
Honduras	934	254	1,322	603	370	440	227	1,863	345	1,054
Nicaragua	2,193	2,127	3,559	1,825	821	1,895	1,662	1,741	2,650	1,656
Salvador	322	807	1,503	1,180	544	102	855	944	1,047	508
Mexico	11,087	7,559	9,810	7,903	16,200	14,083	27,418	25,618	18,023	18,882
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	1,565	2,005	1,302	1,067	700	533	587	1,370	573	1,063
West Indies—										
British	7,608	8,547	7,941	6,445	6,009	5,770	7,889	7,367	10,459	7,770
Danish	95	526	193	312	419	205	372	145	211	242
Dutch	141	344	575	705	326	474	395	256	875	513
French	182	232	459	116	45	3,184	151	95	281	181
Haiti	173	765	943	954	740	496	573	983	259	927
Santo Domingo	169	256	145	214	366	475	214	268	583	254
Spanish—Cuba	2,815	3,107	2,169	4,526	6,407	9,167	2,329	2,460	3,932	1,062
Porto Rico	888	434	473	823	1,425	564	385	707	814	183
Argentina	49,100	32,328	7,905	1,638	8,756	8,506	5,286	8,264	4,940	13,122
Brazil	11,468	11,564	16,184	10,491	8,115	7,393	6,491	8,698	7,431	4,264
Chile	21,484	14,892	9,899	11,341	16,203	13,513	10,966	14,662	10,688	9,343
Colombia	3,820	1,522	2,313	3,094	2,186	2,765	2,817	3,955	2,726	4,346
Ecuador	318	575	1,150	509	519	446	771	461	480	1,064
Guianas—British	614	908	701	1,658	1,124	2,100	1,312	625	1,273	1,969
Dutch	60	15	50	58	36	53		13	35	173
French		69	3					66		
Peru	673	832	1,317	1,441	800	1,865	350	522	411	782
Uruguay	1,318	2,414	144	145	264	912	675	412	463	447
Venezuela	1,012	2,048	4,721	3,662	2,887	3,053	3,257	2,900	3,319	3,015
China	3,992	7,504	3,832	3,985	2,509	3,445	3,073	9,405	10,118	11,062
East Indies—British	84	171	91	15	49	215	100	102	236	411
Dutch	95			42			47		139	22
Hongkong	1,293	946	426	734	1,340	227	660	976	1,819	444
Japan	4,929	2,891	5,330	356	368	1,165	734	2,779	5,673	4,376
Russia, Asiatic	200	1,117	60	365	738	915	255		840	214
Turkey in Asia	26		35	104		40	146	87	23	342
All other Asia	76	228	164	15	105		92	122	152	383
British Australasia	55,133	39,545	70,617	59,861	31,539	20,489	19,981	13,953	19,751	17,320
French Oceania		872	983	1,387	442	1,200	767	545	1,237	1,517
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								439	62	153
Hawaiian Islands	8,075	10,780	18,400	10,387	7,115	8,707	13,080	15,030	18,320	14,830
Philippine Islands	25		65							

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TOOLS, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Chile										18,663
Colombia										57,541
Ecuador										30,911
Guianas—British										3,595
Dutch										2,289
French										191
Paraguay										422
Peru										29,297
Uruguay										7,709
Venezuela										20,069
China										7,681
East Indies—British										13,958
Dutch										499
Hongkong										4,244
Japan										36,468
Russia, Asiatic										49,183
Turkey in Asia										298
All other Asia										346
British Australasia										325,665
French Oceanica										905
German Oceanica										409
Tonga, Samoa, etc.										513
Hawaiian Islands										25,748
Philippine Islands										469
British Africa										64,985
French Africa										8
German Africa										225
Liberia										77
Portuguese Africa										10,712
Turkey in Africa—Egypt ..										117
All other Africa										1,954
Total										2,223,737
ALL OTHER MANUFACTURES OF IRON AND STEEL—										
Austria-Hungary	258	335	579	158	430	882	630	5,817	3,189	1,500
Azores, and Madeira Islands ..	1,622	1,464	1,406	661	584	1,022	440	431	420	227
Belgium	4,418	5,590	45,576	23,773	28,473	38,055	37,299	70,136	93,438	32,213
Denmark	3,174	6,233	8,282	6,404	10,854	8,551	14,530	14,543	23,988	9,475
France	21,307	14,009	13,409	46,556	8,623	40,678	82,858	30,770	44,710	55,715
Germany	41,458	37,136	32,664	40,258	22,011	30,395	65,651	71,439	87,318	93,714
Gibraltar	310	132	630	24		18	200		87	
Greece		10					143		205	199
Italy	759	10,158	1,664	2,008	1,973	44,409	156,734	10,943	11,391	13,915
Netherlands	12,056	15,602	42,478	23,230	30,292	30,413	45,106	22,819	129,595	39,019
Portugal	2,045	5,384	4,319	985	930	1,953	1,954	2,892	792	1,692
Roumania	274				178		828		132	172
Russia, Baltic and White Seas ..	6,906	6,587	7,318	6,832	32,182	31,625	49,275	20,168	35,907	31,225
Russia, Black Sea	6,145	3,226	7,027	474		29,704	37,016	7,246	179,950	17,143
Spain	802	33	2,286	612	1,108	7,479	5,873	2,212	185	16
Sweden and Norway	2,397	2,906	8,921	2,523	10,122	6,784	7,419	10,621	13,587	11,238
Switzerland		41	65					100	441	364
Turkey in Europe		795	277	331	1,040	378	488	183	173	219
United Kingdom	200,166	244,027	237,164	263,596	235,967	253,228	427,247	787,434	949,165	471,826
Bermuda				4,050	5,836	5,765	6,732	7,669	8,094	4,531
British Honduras	682	2,670	1,598	3,363	1,387	1,052	2,619	4,938	4,413	7,491

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
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Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER MANUFACTURES OF IRON AND STEEL—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	68,419	51,325	53,901	52,390	86,009	102,261	158,706	112,314	117,444	72,968
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	367,123	451,381	419,937	562,506	946,882	1,636,383	1,994,321	2,840,965	3,329,273	5,111,983
British Columbia.....	76,521	84,367	71,560	83,259	83,046	64,341	95,844	102,036	166,738	137,522
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	3,471	4,058	4,265	6,736	19,889	23,676	7,626	9,698	20,330	10,330
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	35,419	22,503	43,656	26,594	26,914	14,289	17,814	30,521	43,571	16,533
Guatemala.....	39,098	57,863	130,062	59,018	79,490	56,478	123,491	152,883	104,451	18,698
Honduras.....	16,207	15,920	47,025	15,052	13,767	17,540	22,055	15,489	32,070	17,565
Nicaragua.....	23,954	58,707	49,837	47,909	19,747	15,445	25,297	36,552	29,343	14,767
Salvador.....	18,320	25,815	19,380	30,765	42,795	22,890	27,761	49,429	89,602	10,247
Mexico.....	426,444	553,357	995,070	1,112,975	979,505	724,007	817,346	1,288,938	1,441,040	1,777,697
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	967	1,026	1,026	839	1,654	66	578	8,208	233	2,414
West Indies—										
British.....	20,661	35,272	48,052	45,390	100,890	41,335	55,669	113,531	41,975	32,145
Danish.....	4,189	8,383	1,979	2,993	3,762	4,103	1,736	2,180	3,477	993
Dutch.....	2,160	3,075	9,965	4,517	4,540	11,963	5,527	8,037	8,709	2,163
French.....	421	1,597	701	4,764	960	385	592	402	639	597
Haiti.....	9,491	29,789	21,588	25,970	25,879	64,578	20,659	105,102	46,336	5,206
Santo Domingo.....	14,690	16,579	14,966	18,511	35,202	62,827	40,120	29,804	32,328	23,040
Spanish—Cuba.....	231,662	329,916	573,851	600,203	1,235,139	885,151	455,169	180,497	94,958	73,032
Porto Rico.....	19,685	13,771	30,188	14,616	15,321	20,025	18,408	23,743	25,519	5,997
Argentina.....	94,656	229,295	22,182	18,023	21,371	33,294	13,145	19,386	8,779	104,119
Bolivia.....	130	170			3,389	10	93			22
Brazil.....	52,302	60,933	225,852	133,193	178,046	63,129	139,473	140,208	132,885	105,657
Chile.....	28,503	22,152	20,174	16,377	80,971	20,072	49,913	47,879	36,235	19,297
Colombia.....	132,236	56,820	122,236	94,584	106,536	67,445	54,350	109,417	91,294	66,869
Ecuador.....	15,530	11,606	17,681	7,966	20,596	10,511	9,691	11,243	15,826	16,072
Guianas—British.....	873	1,480	1,605	2,246	2,146	3,117	4,079	1,927	2,494	653
Dutch.....	237	287	681	691	1,716	1,415	570	1,389	425	1,810
French.....	611	371	638	70	385	1,083	611	504	165	660
Peru.....	10,860	79,361	73,720	27,320	19,699	25,887	9,165	19,625	26,765	13,980
Uruguay.....	5,958	6,555	5,702	2,724	1,973	2,056	5,146	5,937	1,398	708
Venezuela.....	117,693	168,508	145,204	78,329	46,576	65,770	87,521	113,103	80,241	11,037
China.....	23,456	2,600	7,142	2,523	3,615	7,302	25,188	7,410	9,636	13,493
East Indies—British.....	9,843	7,339	1,311	949	2,072	3,500	8,096	51,271	300,688	16,224
Dutch.....			706	82			8,657	17,601	38,620	1,230
French.....						120				
Hongkong.....	8,053	6,818	7,409	4,215	7,764	7,108	17,248	6,414	12,202	4,049
Japan.....	26,058	28,482	24,243	26,417	31,214	27,296	78,398	208,309	232,885	233,898
Korea.....										39,701
Russia, Asiatic.....	2,046	1,325	7,146	1,640	1,091	8,588	2,528	91,652	6,175	18,110
Turkey in Asia.....	135	143	3,025	1,595	408	299	463	1,955	1,265	3,667
All other Asia.....	65	841	181	55	142	177	1,905	91	423	22
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....									272	
British Australasia.....	265,424	161,627	170,213	209,514	124,145	105,640	106,437	152,014	252,183	173,358
French Oceania.....		11,874	11,473	11,285	10,598	12,759	8,675	6,299	11,825	9,690
German Oceania.....									589	
Spanish Oceania.....								640		269
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								3,363	1,500	1,637
Hawaiian Islands.....	139,003	198,845	154,319	94,031	65,096	109,431	114,041	117,779	127,682	166,417
Philippine Islands.....	63		229		8	153	1,175	668	1,680	402
British Africa.....	9,748	11,023	5,131	6,638	17,816	36,798	119,728	312,527	373,203	124,006
Canary Islands.....				146	215	46	3	188	65	1,849
French Africa.....	132	516	14	1,526	4,214	2,691	1,300	155	36	2,700
German Africa.....										22
Liberia.....	240	591	473	190	299	192	903	68		2
Madagascar.....				10						

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Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER MANUFACTURES OF IRON AND STEEL—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Portuguese Africa.....	200			222	149	140	303	1,074	9,424	28,016
Spanish Africa.....	02	296	692							393
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	125	137		171	8,257	127	25	9,948	340	250
All other Africa.....	189	74		12	150	37	7	8,099	40,187	450
All other British.....		300	43				113			
All other French.....	11,323									
All other Spanish.....						246	131			
All other islands and ports.....	4,568	3,349	5,565	3,087	2,623	3,000	4,773			
Total.....	2,644,013	3,194,825	3,988,012	3,877,676	4,896,401	4,983,483	5,706,668	7,648,893	9,112,403	9,305,977
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver:										
Austria-Hungary.....	25		262			55		3,878		
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	26		35	1,272				70		
Belgium.....	2,595	422	1,137	2,072	1,642	7,100	3,970	2,617	5,637	518
Denmark.....	468	663	1,561	2,606	3,554	1,142	400	185	2,989	120
France.....	519,768	89,406	49,474	61,800	91,314	19,330	11,053	105,752	8,736	26,948
Germany.....	42,004	74,920	51,337	67,579	61,382	59,965	69,900	70,669	30,160	22,944
Gibraltar.....	50					30				
Greece.....								120		9
Italy.....	1,001	435	1,280	829	5,801	950	2,278	2,139	1,337	8,814
Netherlands.....	52	1,228	3,650	2,090	1,974	1,188	279	13		170
Portugal.....	43	210	1,262	55	221	152	301	70	210	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						620	1,000			4,136
Russia, Black Sea.....							18		15	
Spain.....	1,484	1,427		9		1,000	321	276		22
Sweden and Norway.....	331	376	1,943	2,094	3,179	2,076	190	1,569	157	2,260
Switzerland.....	424	350	690							
Turkey in Europe.....							590			108
United Kingdom.....	48,604	114,870	212,151	444,173	131,688	198,056	151,788	82,171	95,355	124,124
Bermuda.....				734	822	1,112	462	230	326	1,004
British Honduras.....	900	79	421	119	201	34	163	36	989	588
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,446	387	748	514	2,073	13,361	18,867	14,439	13,544	14,058
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	97,424	122,869	150,753	135,021	286,304	271,784	211,377	258,766	276,674	367,484
British Columbia.....	299	682	1,270	447	2,046	2,576	4,322	3,976	7,922	9,430
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	175	1,247	1,025	1,304	3,342	1,537	71	228	79	54
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,352	2,480	3,857	2,379	4,941	2,446	2,159	2,897	2,510	975
Guatemala.....	2,093	7,277	1,158	2,739	5,857	10,132	7,175	15,104	10,958	1,559
Honduras.....	925	1,796	661	260	100	384	820	133	63	244
Nicaragua.....	1,544	712	5,761	4,070	838	2,966	1,020	2,679	1,693	631
Salvador.....	1,568	234	2,755	3,858	719	2,966	1,929	2,878	4,044	156
Mexico.....	12,476	19,754	18,738	21,411	42,447	54,241	34,069	37,376	38,660	40,341
West Indies—										
British.....	2,072	4,114	6,942	2,705	5,317	3,439	1,974	1,669	3,630	2,142
Danish.....	137	112	465	73	8	65	26	74	233	216
Dutch.....	6,340	4,150	5,896	4,132	1,865	2,953	1,008	2,957	2,101	706
French.....					547	267	115	24	33	
Haiti.....	17	630	7,106	5,978	946	154	511	314	197	
Santo Domingo.....	487	294	1,720	100	375		373	73	3,260	743
Spanish—Cuba.....	5,537	4,676	5,484	9,465	15,536	11,871	8,961	2,196	3,556	3,269
Porto Rico.....	9,451	10,106	9,626	18,545	18,377	10,472	3,747	8,698	3,786	2,574
Argentina.....	13,507	7,419	4,161	1,510	4,011	8,255	1,382	9,150	5,273	3,118
Bolivia.....	200						185			
Brazil.....	61,024	54,565	70,539	72,992	85,498	96,503	101,056	69,464	33,687	19,249
Chile.....	3,736	7,596	6,037	7,345	6,200	2,969	10,920	21,302	9,660	6,359
Colombia.....	12,809	7,658	9,893	18,083	13,787	3,568	4,844	2,963	7,718	1,522
Ecuador.....	19,106	9,911	12,237	7,446	12,265	10,541	11,535	7,927	10,602	7,310

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Guianas—British.....		31	2,094		319		141		36	403
Dutch.....		70		46	502	193		8		125
French.....		51								
Peru.....	1,606	4,794	8,226	2,566	4,057	878	8,434	5,831	5,052	6,473
Uruguay.....	1,891	2,175	445		1,437	3,605	2,988	4,582	2,654	2,717
Venezuela.....	19,883	43,499	56,584	40,720	20,795	21,672	23,482	19,116	12,641	8,061
China.....	250		137	911	400	292		226	16	226
East Indies—British.....	649	1,303	7,827	350	4,863	1,299	150	620	2,862	518
Dutch.....			838	1,657	560	38				
Hongkong.....	1,327	300	3,120	200	1,800	30		581	200	
Japan.....	202	2,245	1,946	517	2,890	1,454	2,621	9,729	5,678	8,982
Turkey in Asia.....				13		235	60	59	109	61
All other Asia.....		45					597		59	
British Australasia.....		30,182	58,121	48,143	23,133	4,447	4,000	13,932	27,368	33,474
French Oceania.....		65	60	56	72		285		13	
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....									90	
Hawaiian Islands.....	3,693	24,578	39,956	24,275	5,636	10,707	2,827	6,620	4,710	3,462
British Africa.....		166	445	182	140	93		4,133	11,469	7,211
Canary Islands.....					44	125		303		
Liberia.....	30					166				
Portuguese Africa.....			606	707				24	27	
All other Africa.....	94								492	152
All other British.....	15,053						100			
All other islands and ports.....					68					
Total.....	916,264	662,759	832,440	1,026,188	881,893	851,084	716,844	800,851	658,676	747,780
Lamps, chandeliers, etc.:										
Austria-Hungary.....	75		7			103	15		5	130
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	95	596	88	64	427	332	210	144	560	1,011
Belgium.....	10,853	1,375	6,118	418	1,454	2,066	1,162	15	1,742	3,030
Denmark.....			90	583	167	571	32	234	624	880
France.....	8,934	23,021	11,991	12,912	4,820	3,274	6,993	9,922	8,146	6,432
Germany.....	5,260	8,183	2,662	1,457	12,255	4,399	1,232	4,363	3,061	3,232
Gibraltar.....	23						7	27	3	24
Greece.....		150	905		260					
Italy.....	4,055	3,071	4,497	719	554	937	27	1,105	1,518	34
Malta, Gozo, etc.....									2	
Netherlands.....	309	834	1,240	717	542	1,659	85	202	820	1,178
Portugal.....	1,438	583	521	38	234	725	1,687	608	259	540
Romania.....								140		
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	25		18							31
Russia, Black Sea.....						16				146
Spain.....	96	131	564	76	19	53	281	156		
Sweden and Norway.....	459	209	358	293	90	151	228	713	320	1,667
Switzerland.....		30							125	270
Turkey in Europe.....		389	91	72	184	826	2,949	2,186	1,291	1,710
United Kingdom.....	69,064	65,267	73,749	108,149	57,661	98,308	112,872	150,465	106,898	104,506
Bermuda.....				1,184	1,502	1,304	1,148	1,591	2,198	2,463
British Honduras.....	937	336	527	387	489	423	1,387	1,630	1,695	2,029
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	4,013	4,156	908	2,648	6,712	16,555	17,092	18,221	14,507	20,396
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	3,263	7,866	9,797	17,364	34,686	68,184	103,993	96,437	90,756	108,334
British Columbia.....	4,200	4,446	7,550	6,832	3,038	4,116	2,512	3,496	3,675	2,558
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	435	1,206	346	910	1,951	4,362	1,481	1,377	1,702	1,241
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,933	2,308	4,968	5,098	3,147	2,128	3,448	2,309	4,701	5,040
Guatemala.....	2,993	5,187	5,956	5,676	5,497	5,101	3,977	5,138	4,069	1,569
Honduras.....	1,462	5,434	1,939	1,538	585	1,063	1,485	726	1,234	1,674
Nicaragua.....	4,372	6,758	10,504	6,743	3,003	3,346	7,898	8,107	6,934	3,144
Salvador.....	2,083	2,693	3,792	5,253	3,872	1,650	2,204	3,608	3,444	1,384

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Lamps, chandeliers, etc.—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico	37,733	44,737	44,641	34,047	39,770	40,459	38,259	50,726	42,850	44,473
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	465	453	490	376	188	135	47	156	444	407
West Indies—										
British	8,493	9,780	13,992	11,271	14,200	14,691	14,586	16,882	15,912	14,413
Danish	741	745	1,709	656	875	625	582	907	629	930
Dutch	887	593	1,725	3,299	1,389	1,094	1,136	1,609	1,662	837
French	480	580	970	798	974	925	1,320	919	1,015	1,054
Haiti	3,526	5,782	8,603	13,240	12,808	11,124	15,887	6,631	3,342	1,015
Santo Domingo	2,850	2,951	2,722	1,998	2,905	3,952	2,886	2,041	1,427	1,561
Spanish—Cuba	28,326	41,771	29,297	39,735	51,389	40,725	23,939	15,120	10,362	10,679
Porto Rico	6,225	5,734	5,534	4,944	5,716	5,336	3,941	6,030	3,615	2,704
Argentina	60,958	53,045	15,785	7,830	27,599	32,870	25,414	34,859	47,571	45,131
Bolivia	215		115		22	111	475			562
Brazil	27,040	28,511	39,443	31,201	38,274	45,316	38,627	37,217	29,195	28,816
Chile	9,405	8,875	9,539	7,456	16,633	12,132	10,081	8,545	5,619	3,927
Colombia	19,503	12,704	16,350	13,574	14,883	10,889	10,644	16,568	17,687	13,582
Ecuador	3,340	4,604	4,344	3,719	1,606	3,993	3,746	4,070	2,896	3,051
Guianas—British	5,157	3,571	2,072	4,739	3,314	4,064	3,130	2,894	3,092	3,204
Dutch	68	93	262	536	304	341	1,037	207	763	876
French	296	82	54	309	206	191	336	245	305	579
Peru	8,233	9,679	10,009	7,650	3,935	7,115	2,939	4,551	5,235	4,861
Uruguay	17,575	12,989	3,057	1,968	2,097	3,656	4,767	5,410	5,227	3,918
Venezuela	15,002	27,465	12,037	13,034	7,131	13,550	8,939	9,814	6,649	5,760
Aden										131
China	4,097	8,026	9,107	10,813	6,594	5,154	1,441	5,412	4,757	4,690
East Indies—British	7,621	12,066	18,127	19,522	29,475	21,451	15,079	26,439	21,705	30,834
Dutch			62	104		46	281	423	1,117	116
French										377
Hongkong	9,613	8,119	5,059	3,304	7,041	11,560	3,337	3,645	944	2,272
Japan	10,986	7,042	1,502	1,376	3,065	3,345	2,655	3,596	10,583	7,131
Russia, Asiatic			37			18		20		10
Turkey in Asia	30		65	35	25	187		61	130	27
All other Asia	654	285	88	52	50	671	1,024	181	2,272	1,910
British Australasia	81,365	54,708	84,194	108,293	106,695	94,493	135,816	108,225	163,474	113,795
French Oceanica	493	659	632	672	750	844	480	392	940	574
German Oceanica										18
Spanish Oceanica										14
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								647	567	131
Hawaiian Islands	6,876	7,707	11,475	6,051	7,751	5,868	8,276	9,490	9,885	10,581
Philippine Islands	568		2,563	802	4,394	2,740	5,778	2,843	3,483	2,728
British Africa	2,172	3,505	3,188	3,278	5,148	7,936	6,309	17,102	22,288	26,170
Canary Islands					45	412	148	290	137	66
French Africa	65	83	147	4	25	38	38	35	663	582
Liberia	333	127	84	1,239	140		406	44	119	82
Madagascar								30	49	
Portuguese Africa			447	259	217	234	267	819	1,083	1,471
Spanish Africa	545	155	350							28
Turkey in Africa—Egypt				6		17		3	316	450
All other Africa	289	85	98	357	326	81	165	150	382	706
All other British	72					182	841			
All other islands and ports	326	899	354	561	150	220	313			
Total	509,002	523,021	509,518	538,304	561,358	650,418	669,777	719,173	710,997	672,010
Lead, manufactures of:										
PIGS, BARS, AND OLD <i>a</i> —										
France									46,478	
Germany								76,534	68,847	
Greece									2,710	
Italy									540	

a Included in "Manufactures of," prior to 1895.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Lead, manufactures of—Continued.										
PIGS, BARS, AND OLD—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....									1,336	
United Kingdom.....								42,085	231,474	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....							551			97
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....							47,039	91,533	113,043	107
British Columbia.....							315	2,269	2,706	27
Central American States—										
Guatemala.....										262
Honduras.....								17	7	10
Nicaragua.....							87	488	8	
Mexico.....							830	475	522	452
West Indies—										
British.....							120			195
Dutch.....							134	153		
Haiti.....								167	60	
Santo Domingo.....								29	50	85
Spanish—Cuba.....							90			
Brazil.....										33
Colombia.....									40	132
Ecuador.....									31	
Venezuela.....								600		
China.....							3			
East Indies—British.....									6,122	
Hongkong.....									33	
Japan.....							10,000			
French Oceanica.....								51		
Hawaiian Islands.....							1,345	1,318	683	62
Total.....							60,514	215,719	474,690	1,462
TYPE—										
Austria-Hungary.....										87
Belgium.....										80
France.....										50
Germany.....										279
Italy.....										299
Sweden and Norway.....										234
United Kingdom.....										27,162
Bermuda.....										215
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....										1,237
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										20,231
British Columbia.....										464
Newfoundland and Labrador.....										11
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....										4,266
Guatemala.....										50
Honduras.....										335
Nicaragua.....										243
Salvador.....										113
Mexico.....										12,865
West Indies—										
British.....										195
Danish.....										3
Dutch.....										23
Santo Domingo.....										1,564
Spanish—Cuba.....										1,859
Porto Rico.....										1,930
Argentina.....										613
Bolivia.....										95

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Lead, manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPE—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Brazil.....										2,165
Chile.....										7,619
Colombia.....										3,137
Ecuador.....										2,018
Peru.....										7,150
Uruguay.....										306
Venezuela.....										2,206
East Indies—British.....										20
Japan.....										19
All other Asia.....										1,634
British Australasia.....										3,213
British Africa.....										128
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										285
Total.....										104,404
ALL OTHER—										
Azores and Madeira Islands.....	8	8								
Austria-Hungary.....	148			53					60	
Belgium.....	693	1,791	3,511	774	228	11,848	850	295	1,010	376
Denmark.....			3		14				1,448	200
France.....	1,051	639	1,298	889	765	7,510	3,456	12,689	4,894	11,750
Germany.....	1,850	646	941	1,066	708	48,687	1,767	571	5,722	56
Italy.....				185	10	128	120	315	874	1,897
Netherlands.....	15		7,537			15,696		117		
Portugal.....									48	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....									543	
Spain.....						60			211	6
Sweden and Norway.....				315					326	1,216
Switzerland.....				375				1,640		
Turkey in Europe.....						255				
United Kingdom.....	75,853	47,794	55,307	55,508	31,955	297,326	31,173	32,776	33,746	19,601
Bermuda.....				25	185	291	328	170	226	399
British Honduras.....	56	30	31		42	23	20	21	21	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,123	881	495	3,698	2,503	3,835	1,547	1,459	1,735	2,607
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	967	14,829	10,408	748	178,598	174,674	42,085	28,495	32,959	33,123
British Columbia.....	6,828	6,605	4,853	2,060	2,758	3,359	2,210	1,858	6,200	7,077
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	298	283	506	27	928	926	20	592	107	396
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	841	1,536	1,218	5,109	1,002	580	1,439	1,124	2,082	446
Guatemala.....	2,518	3,211	1,365	1,771	1,456	3,528	957	2,845	4,248	214
Honduras.....	822	1,572	978	603	292	999	610	795	586	762
Nicaragua.....	3,475	3,121	2,944	1,443	2,387	1,158	682	807	771	107
Salvador.....	499	4,724	1,127	4,332	2,130	1,042	1,306	3,636	2,149	
Mexico.....	17,362	24,099	21,677	14,672	17,289	18,835	18,656	20,591	16,007	19,323
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....								23		
West Indies—										
British.....	2,237	1,453	2,116	1,172	1,389	605	811	854	4,411	441
Danish.....	95	39		37		65	96		141	30
Dutch.....	1,000	152	2,886	297	59	530	353	411	381	63
French.....			18			4		2	722	60
Haiti.....	2,468	1,845	897	183	478	464	592	193	438	189
Santo Domingo.....	1,266	395	416	1,021	453	912	560	590	984	67
Spanish—Cuba.....	7,694	4,243	3,804	18,009	23,242	9,767	10,757	5,927	3,239	1,393
Porto Rico.....	2,363	557	559	4,989	1,107	1,519	1,816	1,731	3,729	58
Argentina.....	3,080	4,021	3,556	150	1,217	296	226	40	3,066	2,470
Bolivia.....			131	20			193			
Brazil.....	34,058	19,522	17,071	13,657	15,444	9,171	10,584	11,711	16,131	940
Chile.....	5,868	4,289	3,506	2,573	7,730	5,028	1,157	5,029	1,323	757

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Lead, manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Colombia	6,184	2,508	4,345	6,839	7,003	5,420	6,151	5,788	9,623	2,369
Ecuador	866	5,753	9,954	3,517	1,660	2,342	1,733	1,182	1,748	79
Guianas—British		65		87	15			40	18	
French				8						
Peru	2,248	1,058	928	6,987	5,632	2,635	1,712	2,270	3,508	194
Uruguay	1,998	163	77	245	35	48	1,223		124	
Venezuela	9,534	18,936	15,224	9,825	4,464	5,566	5,791	5,741	9,787	544
China			43	60	7			165	900	605
East Indies—British	570	64	125		18		326	442		
Dutch									174	166
Hongkong	152			224	1,826					763
Japan	60	219		129	636	318	89	1,035	384	5
Turkey in Asia			40						12	80
All other Asia					146		122	322	11	
Auckland, Fiji, etc.									35	
British Australasia	3,080	5,217	1,062	1,029	591	713	3,607	2,450	3,111	3,725
French Oceanica						285				
Hawaiian Islands	513	2,023	548	712	280	1,470		30	600	1,146
British Africa	53		7	10	225	635	435	443	735	1,444
Liberia	8	26						7		
Portuguese Africa				35	36	72	13		90	
Total	199,802	184,317	182,412	166,078	316,943	638,636	155,573	157,222	181,398	117,152
Leather, and manufactures of:										
UPPER LEATHER—										
Kid, glazed—										
Austria Hungary										6,865
Belgium										2,890
Denmark										1,623
France										11,098
Germany										17,631
Italy										430
Netherlands										8,738
Spain										2,217
Sweden and Norway										74
Turkey in Europe										840
United Kingdom										79,036
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										305
Quebec, Ontario, etc.										53,346
Mexico										2,993
Brazil										2,587
Colombia										159
Venezuela										976
East Indies—British										75
British Australasia										58,047
British Africa										60
Total										249,090
Patent or enameled—										
Austria Hungary									285	57
Belgium	2,990		1,900	2,279	1,629	605	2,930	7,815	1,254	
Denmark		60	62	23	25	1,840	858	1,785	4,080	2,557
France	200	718		588	910	950	625	473	845	25
Germany	12,200	8,654	10,121	17,571	14,083	12,625	5,721	8,732	7,947	2,464
Italy	1,047	6,110	5,322	4,930	5,476	8,369	21,932	17,027	41,246	5,978

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
UPPER LEATHER—Continued.										
Patent or enameled—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Netherlands	630	1,045	8,385	7,508	11,308	6,861	15,289	21,364	11,721	18,534
Russia, Baltic and White Seas							152		909	
Spain					508		800			
Sweden and Norway	66		69		600	162	418	155	983	
Switzerland					565					
Turkey in Europe				461	100	500	259			
United Kingdom	121,074	91,410	147,371	94,495	149,216	152,815	188,715	221,716	147,151	33,950
Bermuda				65	92	122	16	9	51	172
British Honduras	25							9		
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.				18						70
Quebec, Ontario, etc.					7,609	5,363	5,505	19,086	21,892	9,444
Columbia										80
Newfoundland and Labrador		42	92		97			27		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica		15						110		
Guatemala					75			290		
Honduras							30			
Nicaragua									n	
Mexico	285	155	125	226	173	921	98	781	404	342
West Indies—										
British	1,304	1,797	2,335	1,953	1,318	910	846	2,745	1,872	1,824
Danish	35	210	17	59	21		118		16	
Dutch		259	151	43	81	121	118	214	108	
French	101	50	53	45	44	48	45			45
Haiti	387	810	951	698	537	906	109	285	842	110
Santo Domingo	544	738	449	175			103		66	100
Spanish—Cuba	9,739	10,770	11,353	10,361	4,923	4,162	2,329	2,228	365	378
Porto Rico	564	969	475	111	820	233	650	261	234	632
Argentina	16,649	8,008	273		76	1,973			485	
Brazil	1,159	689	950	2,488	565	989	385	151	490	1,042
Chile	613		158		278	1,770			927	
Colombia	344	152	1,569	368	349	692	180	140	210	319
Guianas—British				68	430	210	29	170	48	
Dutch								32		
Peru		1,000	1,000			130	543	444	65	162
Uruguay	350	60					360	856	180	155
Venezuela	2,877	4,380	5,133	2,770	1,602	2,406	2,512	2,719	3,982	1,812
East Indies—British		785	210		80	834	603	487	465	
Dutch				600	652	1,130	335	3,070	2,832	630
Hongkong								490		
Japan	3,924	3,069	3,099	3,120	1,965	3,614	658	7,864	917	
Turkey in Asia	200				380		200			
All other Asia							200			
British Australasia	61,930	77,487	159,036	83,161	32,822	26,525	20,467	32,845	49,208	10,129
Hawaiian Islands								41		
Philippine Islands	347	310	123	795		3,327	1,491	250		350
British Africa	1,795	5,811	3,586	13,612	3,964	6,015	7,147	12,004	11,065	1,736
French Africa								360		
Portuguese Africa								97		
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	335	416	402	648	1,915	1,900	1,895	2,320		700
Total	241,854	226,879	364,770	249,239	245,288	249,127	285,662	369,452	313,151	92,817
Split, buff, grain, and all other—										
Austria-Hungary		234	6,658	3,090		75	3,509	13,258	53,568	52,166
Azores, and Madeira Islands	65			19	50			25	11	
Belgium	73,650	155,200	247,869	135,505	88,109	124,386	139,359	117,659	265,042	317,810
Denmark	1,965	5,600	8,603	11,262	5,716	6,865	9,588	13,020	13,504	21,519

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
UPPER LEATHER—Continued.										
<i>Split, buff, grain, and all other—Cont'd.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Spanish Africa			256							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	192	460		300		401	765	1,190	2,100	3,330
Total	3,143,690	4,249,110	5,161,211	3,880,475	4,440,524	5,221,205	5,753,278	8,903,863	8,793,902	9,949,593
SOLE LEATHER—										
Austria-Hungary		4,167	39,402	52,067	17,055	42,147	46,021	70,391	109,382	95,268
Azores, and Madeira Islands	25	81	30	7						
Belgium	206,358	323,655	303,606	300,022	323,937	350,687	323,344	314,264	273,704	255,600
Denmark	11,074	13,159	22,032	5,223	4,071	2,694	7,222	1,895	17,934	3,300
France	493	2,804	2,753	3,840	12	12,653	16,970	10,177	9,580	13,681
Germany	302,036	294,549	277,719	149,348	92,685	88,429	112,142	132,190	45,101	60,305
Gibraltar						224				
Greece							1,110			
Italy	173		3,123	1,082	22,549	23,158	44,634	15,669	30,026	2,256
Netherlands	32,855	109,363	73,163	85,226	79,291	78,132	41,525	26,657	16,063	10,316
Portugal	30	976								
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	14,229	17,076	7,944		491	16,500	9,685	20,344	3,116	1,629
Russia, Black Sea								680		
Sweden and Norway	540,202	603,878	742,456	496,812	472,764	468,120	315,768	504,179	640,384	405,092
Switzerland	679					8,660				725
Turkey in Europe							460			
United Kingdom	4,399,386	4,648,588	4,302,728	4,314,121	3,812,496	5,038,866	5,411,381	5,665,347	4,906,786	5,125,572
Bermuda				521	573	507	249	275	318	641
British Honduras	1,705	506	790	642	502	658	624	865	1,061	813
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.		1,593	1,725	6,588	2,662	6,975	1,638	515	56	660
Quebec, Ontario, etc.				43	24,842	68,990	60,896	28,240	35,851	134,341
British Columbia	10,674	6,245	4,640	4,361	4,233	2,499	2,975	4,317	2,968	8,246
Newfoundland and Labrador	80,930	72,023	53,418	77,805	60,382	40,909	15,687	41,488	43,847	59,924
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	156	116	160	88	133	361	2,707	3,418	293	1,117
Guatemala		30	880		529	35	2,613	5,430	6,224	1,556
Honduras		59	33					73	862	808
Nicaragua	904	108	225	545	638	570		5,406	7,297	1,216
Salvador				20		64	1,282	9,974	7,044	1,570
Mexico	1,554	3,317	2,561	1,616	892	157	1,587	461	901	1,042
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	107	209	196	132	59	43	130	307	124	149
West Indies—										
British	4,224	3,227	3,085	2,576	3,323	5,911	4,469	4,312	3,636	3,487
Danish	1,704	3,898	1,039	1,725	1,937	1,167	1,773	1,133	662	2,065
Dutch	4,537	4,967	6,200	5,488	6,953	6,992	5,479	4,822	1,957	1,035
French	136	91	247	160	694	146	174	278	209	25
Haiti	340	1,213	1,629	929	580	974	3,365	1,639	726	587
Santo Domingo	180	121	472	124	114	503	641	459	63	108
Spanish—Cuba	1,688	4,393	1,649	5,761	668	241	1,239			
Porto Rico			87	778	752	120	103		1,255	724
Argentina		2,935								
Brazil	163	226		1,141	3,402	974		203		35
Chile		100			56					1,875
Colombia	823	1,029	1,000	1,600	496	1,307	122	1,920	1,086	5,600
Ecuador							82	29		1,368
Guianas—British	1,165	1,493	26	184			305		43	
Dutch		63				22				
Peru			63							
Uruguay							110	271	507	
Venezuela	1,045	2,041	1,788	1,340	1,790	2,395	1,171	1,023	1,472	193
China	2,441	2,394	3,585	977	6,532	847	3,031	8,864	10,040	4,339
East Indies—British	577							450	159	329
Dutch					465				446	
Hongkong		308	453	609	179	240	195		225	288

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
SOLE LEATHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Japan	182,655	187,855	174,666	139,384	147,071	115,028	371,479	474,692	213,853	327,836
Russia, Asiatic	1,022	2,068	1,136	907	761	2,277	3,117	1,925	1,414	5,446
Turkey in Asia								200	1,120	
British Australasia	47,148	55,292	81,474	73,813	54,384	45,093	58,484	48,905	38,571	37,724
French Oceania	471	665	445	762	659	194	541	592	552	670
Hawaiian Islands	32,574	38,561	40,690	29,122	26,620	30,188	26,162	36,239	40,363	20,863
Philippine Islands								1,091		
British Africa	4,046	4,722	8,869	15,458	12,918	14,597	16,650	22,163	32,360	34,539
Canary Islands				608	260					
Portuguese Africa									292	
Spanish Africa			175							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt					563					
Tripoli									37	
All other Africa								179	524	
Total	5,890,569	6,420,134	6,168,362	5,783,555	5,192,063	6,481,257	6,919,372	7,474,021	6,510,404	6,641,553
ALL OTHER LEATHER—										
Austria-Hungary		160	2,008		1,325		1,158	143	10	87
Azores, and Madeira Islands			51			17				
Belgium	24,572	25,215	23,625	16,763	23,280	19,011	6,343	6,681	15,376	1,388
Denmark				120		40			976	9,165
France	219	189	883	60	5,893	150	590	25	3,311	1,815
Germany	14,902	15,089	14,510	21,727	30,769	35,528	23,753	14,204	18,881	14,162
Italy	1,545	2,633	2,950	2,849	4,975	4,777	1,867	639	1,030	4,612
Netherlands	3,888	9,828	6,706	5,414	11,579	19,008	15,329	13,424	7,649	7,118
Portugal							30			
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	2,889							10		151
Spain				210		1,442	1,542	479	75	
Sweden and Norway					110	384	300	401		176
Switzerland	4,153		150							
Turkey in Europe				1,870	3,492	2,000	158			
United Kingdom	127,080	157,410	188,270	478,697	626,668	508,236	446,041	771,419	507,680	439,604
Bermuda				409	299	366	348	110	83	65
British Honduras	230	285	261		33		195	209	6	67
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	2,834	1,586	513	574	418	100	1,088	1,641	2,625	1,501
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	19,600	26,099	49,255	43,128	52,099	133,554	98,607	142,031	216,972	300,976
British Columbia	368	877	1,310	1,772	1,796	1,180	2,005	2,402	179	5,028
Newfoundland and Labrador	181	1,351	118	677	531	174	164	123		89
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	94	207	8	131	126	156	853	220	4	245
Guatemala	287		24				40	289	38	200
Honduras	123						138	28	8	160
Nicaragua	730	225		288	134	93	1,157	68	191	478
Salvador					120	764	210			
Mexico	2,091	2,757	576	3,584	1,136	8,934	13,697	19,458	13,501	3,559
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	159	80	134							
West Indies—										
British	3,372	2,796	2,470	1,725	1,686	3,729	3,902	3,408	3,718	4,069
Danish	207	63	7		55				63	396
Dutch	350	132	299	364	598	460	430	435	154	118
French	187	29	17						80	296
Haiti	305	2,101	2,448	1,239	1,125	1,720	1,730	958	1,619	1,485
Santo Domingo		88				603	680	476		
Spanish—Cuba	192	153	198	884	1,339	1,513	2,001	43	273	196
Porto Rico	279	194	22	337	706	1,069	75	367	23	97
Argentina	185			480						645
Brazil	869	153		211	625	699	258		652	2,723
Chile	441					53				

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER LEATHER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Colombia	204	20	142	357	79	358	290	154	200	856
Ecuador	78	32								
Guianas—British	222	548	92		43	119	332	37	50	584
Dutch										
Peru		60			283	84			163	385
Uruguay						26	155	90		250
Venezuela	886	1,755	3,132	4,262	2,277	3,847	4,377	3,642	3,605	2,888
China										175
East Indies—British		123		1,313	145	1,466		2,277		175
Dutch		134		500		971	670	300	635	
Hongkong	370		519		286			415		
Japan	1,126	935	3,261	2,217	2,457	4,880	1,096		2,671	31,588
Turkey in Asia										120
British Australasia	21,829	19,643	24,823	12,584	39,522	64,216	59,066	28,858	10,849	13,592
Philippine Islands	711							725	220	581
British Africa	1,251	5,914	310	28	1,300	2,463	656	1,460	130	3,836
Liberia	3									
Turkey in Africa—Egypt				250		3,136				2,800
British, all other		155		40						
Total	239,015	279,028	329,102	605,094	817,409	827,356	682,241	1,017,649	813,798	858,421
MANUFACTURES OF—										
<i>Boots and shoes—</i>										
Austria-Hungary	10							120		
Azores, and Madeira Islands	127	68	93				114		442	157
Belgium	107		125	6,401	415	525	1,837	63	1,921	9,720
Denmark								2,503	7,132	8,092
France	381		50	45	5		1,561	8,064	17,119	26,778
Germany	705	313	743	992	767	1,179	2,822	7,821	15,368	68,572
Gibraltar							15			150
Italy	902						10	3,405	4,779	2,591
Netherlands			33	1,650		1,221		64	2,976	6,766
Portugal	769							52	337	456
Spain						56				
Sweden and Norway							566	5,259	14,184	5,432
Switzerland	91			12					478	2,637
Turkey in Europe			131					2,020	150	112
United Kingdom	24,903	23,943	13,184	2,169	5,512	50,422	114,317	278,815	300,978	352,755
Bermuda				25,254	39,180	28,033	25,430	24,327	23,826	28,917
British Honduras	7,363	14,799	17,585	15,241	17,784	26,704	23,389	27,179	36,092	35,113
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc. .	12,657	22,853	14,760	18,691	23,279	39,903	31,216	24,733	18,664	21,942
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	16,048	6,551	29,902	266,677	44,209	129,751	135,750	152,531	183,428	238,905
British Columbia	20,183	19,739	18,962	15,260	11,909	5,554	8,390	15,158	24,790	21,852
Newfoundland and Labrador	2,431	930	631	2,274	780	608	1,260	1,251	797	2,355
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	6,772	14,112	18,782	12,905	10,871	8,624	8,503	6,390	7,549	4,852
Guatemala	1,742	2,642	5,363	14,882	9,397	5,690	3,456	11,315	14,603	3,595
Honduras	7,657	7,240	4,437	9,437	6,877	9,481	13,551	8,742	5,333	12,130
Nicaragua	28,482	32,597	45,657	41,605	30,385	37,290	40,045	41,191	34,629	33,087
Salvador	240	106	439	350	461	52	276	127	472	130
Mexico	39,981	38,959	24,366	21,984	26,731	24,843	26,532	45,115	58,639	87,609
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	2,638	3,469	1,706	1,824	4,438	3,430	3,261	3,392	2,174	3,521
West Indies—										
British	109,638	130,296	105,027	77,858	63,340	109,109	222,259	207,224	177,981	196,783
Danish	9,355	8,813	6,970	4,627	4,839	9,004	12,088	12,208	15,454	19,872
Dutch	2,484	1,989	8,069	1,265	2,838	1,870	1,791	1,230	4,789	5,116
French		100			222	575	601	300	816	587
Haiti	25,394	57,391	39,950	23,058	44,539	41,396	40,117	38,108	22,922	25,970

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Boots and shoes—Continued.</i>										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Santo Domingo	12,249	6,860	7,755	4,599	5,811	7,767	4,007	3,745	3,170	3,250
Spanish—Cuba	74,542	114,676	103,733	193,776	114,943	82,554	53,606	34,992	15,195	9,934
Porto Rico	2,079	1,464	3,146	1,974	1,286	698	120	1,049	725	87
Argentina	222	148	28	.....	.....	80	.....	165	1,691	2,141
Bolivia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil	2,338	1,124	1,267	448	2,597	1,735	2,965	2,126	2,427	2,204
Chile	773	612	100	163	1,132	1,062	650	1,456	625	1,558
Colombia	46,379	12,474	34,613	40,960	33,044	26,489	20,489	34,469	42,719	41,420
Ecuador	11,167	3,922	8,956	4,658	7,049	11,390	4,151	3,357	4,455	4,219
Guianas—British	8,626	7,159	3,471	3,851	2,052	1,921	7,303	9,322	11,315	16,774
Dutch	105	.....	134	836	365	443	917	290	631	950
French	62	90	.....	55	26	.....	.....	180	.....	.....
Peru	224	251	598	.....	.....	.....	425	789	454	999
Uruguay	2,046	851	35	.....	111	.....	572	.....	30	34
Venezuela	49	213	317	73	100	141	1,356	76	4,853	.....
Aden .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	422
China	272	383	235	24	706	443	644	1,316	1,109	1,087
East Indies—British	25	38	.....	114	.....	.....	.....	2,375	1,132	261
Hongkong	105	34	116	28	28	112	.....	120	114	1,322
Japan	30	2,570	187	78	58	1,129	.....	.....	7	935
Russia, Asiatic	2,181	1,634	1,552	1,452	574	384	1,120	1,138	2,885	985
Turkey in Asia .....	.....	.....	.....	134	.....	.....	.....	54	138	166
All other Asia .....	.....	.....	.....	48	8	24	71	38	142	.....
British Australasia	617	136	8,742	12,628	5,756	22,151	62,090	227,821	403,787	235,679
French Oceanica .....	.....	2,403	1,521	1,337	1,614	1,871	1,139	1,419	1,740	2,108
German Oceanica .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
Spanish Oceanica .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	80
Tonga, Samoa, etc. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	174	149	51
Hawaiian Islands	102,604	117,252	118,939	81,430	62,170	79,852	99,264	107,076	122,512	169,901
Philippine Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	.....
British Africa	24	192	200	327	877	9,623	20,792	66,999	58,037	81,396
Canary Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	7	20	.....
French Africa	138	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	24	.....	.....	.....
Liberia	2,125	1,151	1,377	787	337	829	208	811	293	390
Portuguese Africa	72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	617	275	525
Turkey in Africa—Egypt ..	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	174	.....	353
All other Africa	36	57	.....	.....	283	72	.....	5,751	28,745	10,583
All other British .....	.....	92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other French	3,266	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other Spanish .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports ..	526	239	527	485	267	201	146	.....	.....	.....
Total	585,902	662,974	651,343	914,974	590,754	777,354	1,010,228	1,436,686	1,708,224	1,816,538
Harness and saddles—										
Austria-Hungary .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	65	50	17
Azores, and Madeira Islands ..	.....	165	54	63	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belgium	525	50	379	137	936	149	.....	200	2,204	1,068
Denmark .....	.....	.....	259	183	38	49	38	334	1,446	977
France	1,587	614	360	2,447	74	1,329	910	494	1,564	1,790
Germany	1,633	2,139	1,928	3,419	3,411	5,527	8,356	6,600	7,842	7,951
Gibraltar .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	30	.....	.....	.....	27
Italy .....	.....	36	92	.....	351	.....	192	318	340	1,502
Malta, Gozo, etc. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60
Netherlands .....	.....	.....	96	296	1,159	781	484	463	722	2,999
Portugal	58	150
Roumania	27
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	150	1,169	515	575	1,044

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Harness and saddles—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Portuguese Africa.....				3		18		16	400	1,020
Spanish Africa.....		18	78							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....				28		35				126
All other Africa.....								77	805	57
All other British.....	85	59	164	139	63					
All other islands and ports.....					224	406	912			
Total.....	245,943	238,952	260,233	251,269	182,546	198,047	196,018	229,165	246,499	214,665
All other—										
Austria-Hungary.....					1,683	2,194	949	2,125	798	1,602
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....			3					17		
Belgium.....	768	386	592	2,886	4,347	2,843	4,996	2,404	4,069	4,373
Denmark.....		697	210	510	600	912	9,154	10,044	15,139	9,703
France.....	19,016	3,348	2,053	1,744	1,495	2,214	93,499	7,831	13,876	5,794
Germany.....	19,180	26,602	28,844	28,602	17,801	35,094	32,198	103,566	80,653	73,962
Greece.....									50	342
Italy.....	2,967	709	2,141	543	507	581	739	336	1,673	947
Netherlands.....	7,423	6,332	3,711	4,531	4,486	2,102	4,679	5,998	6,622	3,382
Portugal.....	78	9	700	12	84	226	77		639	480
Roumania.....									1,217	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		214	46		1,880	5,340	2,848	9,109	4,624	22,318
Russia, Black Sea.....	819	213				425	15	3,875	268	279
Spain.....	150				102	200	140	215	1,234	1,690
Sweden and Norway.....	176		771	25	310	1,049	3,389	8,174	2,716	5,505
Switzerland.....									593	484
Turkey in Europe.....			197	163			20		45	13
United Kingdom.....	62,760	91,361	67,406	73,660	77,877	103,637	113,992	158,207	180,292	592,509
Bermuda.....				224	109	163	105	769	534	276
British Honduras.....	390	261	143	324	806	236	842	368	490	76
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	1,322	1,553	3,106	2,781	6,915	10,913	10,052	9,167	7,486	8,874
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	102,287	88,957	92,743	128,613	162,598	208,396	369,444	315,603	256,730	345,612
British Columbia.....	2,444	1,901	3,662	919	961	1,312	2,351	4,162	9,217	8,880
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	857	2,719	381	1,583	1,676	187	846	561	1,674	488
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	11,235	1,087	1,214	1,982	2,053	1,387	11,512	5,618	7,395	3,076
Guatemala.....	3,266	2,411	4,832	1,698	2,905	3,105	6,818	7,368	6,155	2,867
Honduras.....	351	1,059	635	836	378	803	2,477	868	974	958
Nicaragua.....	1,290	1,202	1,861	1,203	1,258	1,567	1,827	3,591	3,509	918
Salvador.....	6,690	569	1,023	1,403	846	1,046	2,982	4,871	5,262	1,063
Mexico.....	21,378	21,067	28,659	22,214	29,938	30,703	22,007	29,435	33,197	47,971
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	38	433	497		16					
West Indies—										
British.....	4,991	2,458	1,925	1,720	1,635	1,828	2,689	1,751	2,336	2,550
Danish.....	494	905	472	923	1,037	1,004	639	992	1,933	450
Dutch.....	360	21	105	158	214	419	380	161	334	189
French.....	126	70	62	184	34	118	275	204	123	161
Haiti.....	4,877	12,279	1,101	957	1,349	834	1,146	1,802	674	738
Santo Domingo.....	9,082	327	261	1,310	1,488	1,906	1,419	2,554	1,776	1,059
Spanish—Cuba.....	37,962	26,549	20,202	27,347	33,867	24,346	17,562	7,406	6,839	10,345
Porto Rico.....	1,747	2,504	1,672	2,214	1,656	1,682	454	986	1,509	1,917
Argentina.....	3,973	4,726	1,182	527	1,513	2,645	2,054	807	2,538	3,210
Bolivia.....	25									35
Brazil.....	4,666	7,800	11,982	6,377	3,814	2,902	7,545	4,298	8,946	5,911
Chile.....	3,595	2,340	2,393	3,655	4,642	15,210	2,951	7,205	3,336	2,932
Colombia.....	7,329	8,233	5,144	3,538	9,685	7,343	3,094	1,934	3,100	4,617
Ecuador.....	3,663	1,330	2,675	1,040	1,139	1,006	959	1,353	1,729	2,142
Guianas—British.....	379	261	100	158	225	1,127		750	739	245
Dutch.....					6	14	10		16	3
Peru.....	995	4,223	4,065	2,396	969	783	1,132	1,994	2,612	1,997

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Leather, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
All other—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Uruguay.....	857	563	179	12	.....	165	81	57	23	2,087
Venezuela.....	3,091	2,690	4,006	3,574	3,624	5,445	4,226	6,371	4,021	8,048
China.....	2,473	509	463	628	88	462	4,645	4,357	7,366	2,572
East Indies—British.....	18	801	.....	31	258	.....	592	36,922	10,486	7,829
Dutch.....	.....	.....	.....	655	375	650	.....	186	108	695
Hongkong.....	552	285	428	334	267	252	1,094	818	106	55
Japan.....	7,083	2,097	2,374	4,822	1,741	2,525	3,223	8,035	18,009	16,507
Russia, Asiatic.....	81	.....	.....	.....	.....	137	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Asia.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	24
All other Asia.....	35	121	45	25	.....	.....	68	62	.....	223
British Australasia.....	26,488	20,868	28,162	54,752	45,901	28,796	5,726	14,361	33,770	45,270
French Oceania.....	.....	.....	91	199	.....	200	189	113	186	148
German Oceania.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	.....
Hawaiian Islands.....	10,178	6,109	8,646	4,557	4,218	4,543	4,139	4,539	5,700	6,576
Philippine Islands.....	245	.....	299	532	58	158	.....	.....	.....	32
British Africa.....	567	573	342	1,056	1,866	4,900	2,918	7,420	7,903	12,911
Canary Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
French Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	39	.....
Portuguese Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	1,576	.....
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	260	.....	.....	.....	.....	70
All other Africa.....	23	23	17	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	444	.....
All other islands and ports.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	400,788	361,770	343,826	400,175	443,570	529,083	767,608	811,920	775,468	1,286,033
Lime and cement:										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	184	31	9	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belgium.....	.....	20	.....	1,350	.....	.....	1,232	4,831	.....	.....
Denmark.....	.....	110	.....	157	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Germany.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	4,365	.....	.....
Italy.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....
Netherlands.....	7	63	68	285	.....	75	101	56	.....	.....
United Kingdom.....	501	122	350	15	.....	.....	1,870	7,069	.....	.....
Bermuda.....	.....	.....	.....	541	40	294	69	210	.....	.....
British Honduras.....	92	183	295	397	36	28	102	91	.....	.....
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,912	1,124	1,643	919	1,117	1,123	2,012	757	.....	.....
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	35,463	13,784	7,454	6,312	7,063	15,546	15,345	11,885	.....	.....
British Columbia.....	6,899	5,808	4,169	3,330	8,378	10,100	4,172	8,508	.....	.....
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	120	143	114	188	533	103	.....	65	.....	.....
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	769	817	2,531	1,067	232	100	29	810	.....	.....
Guatemala.....	2,341	2,444	7,108	2,554	5,392	2,166	4,256	6,412	.....	.....
Honduras.....	919	482	300	132	241	720	165	321	.....	.....
Nicaragua.....	364	532	659	1,619	539	541	582	537	.....	.....
Salvador.....	200	958	659	1,950	7,186	1,825	3,242	7,892	.....	.....
Mexico.....	18,905	12,229	10,764	12,516	6,561	5,722	6,209	8,283	.....	.....
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	550	739	263	58	30	40	276	213	.....	.....
West Indies—										
British.....	971	2,690	1,755	2,464	1,160	1,417	1,015	1,940	.....	.....
Danish.....	383	345	211	30	501	277	258	.....	.....	.....
Dutch.....	16	8	249	21	34	47	54	42	.....	.....
French.....	.....	58	381	.....	53	81	25	21	.....	.....
Haiti.....	1,656	3,467	3,851	4,693	5,736	7,555	7,942	10,549	.....	.....
Santo Domingo.....	2,780	5,743	5,167	3,857	8,920	11,152	13,766	9,824	.....	.....
Spanish—Cuba.....	16,500	12,273	9,032	11,350	71,570	68,259	20,199	4,307
Porto Rico.....	514	66	180	177	2,266	4,169	437	156

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Lime and cement—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	2,068	802	458	679	1,229			365		
Brazil.....	717	669	499	2,631	551	1,391	1,108	2,063		
Chile.....	118	126	113	411	770	537	38	425		
Colombia.....	4,337	1,833	2,291	2,487	2,632	2,131	1,348	1,126		
Ecuador.....			35		95					
Guianas—British.....				180		25				
Dutch.....				4		50				
French.....		286		24		101		21		
Peru.....	45	20	20	30	12	1,101	18	96		
Uruguay.....	7,679	8,012	1,244	160	245	543	1,240	1,420		
Venezuela.....	1,223	733	810	1,107	1,786	1,615	13,309	629		
China.....	9		68							
Hongkong.....			68							
Japan.....	80	317			134	277	246	138		
Russia, Asiatic.....						57	39			
British Australasia.....	28,025	27,175	53,941	23,874	11,917	5,762	10,756	8,018		
French Oceanica.....	127	491	328	218		8	34	52		
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								52		
Hawaiian Islands.....	20,419	30,132	31,304	27,042	18,913	16,826	15,386	17,923		
British Africa.....	35	126	302	102	194	122	345	238		
Canary Islands.....						140				
French Africa.....								20		
Liberia.....	25	9	50	3						
Portuguese Africa.....			14	99	45	29	28	74		
All other islands and ports.....	57	24	234	169	270	51				
Total.....	157,010	134,994	148,938	115,205	166,381	162,096	127,256	121,914		
Malt liquors:										
IN BOTTLES—										
Austria-Hungary.....									4	222
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	831	720	467	17	62	235	222	149	346	405
Belgium.....	41			25	110	226		23	185	54
France.....	1,540	299	59	390	220	311	273	200	670	169
Germany.....	1,386	976	1,600	551	382	1,882	856	695	799	846
Gibraltar.....							100	100	117	216
Italy.....		125						20		85
Netherlands.....				200		408	623	180	125	156
Portugal.....		21	25					96		160
Spain.....	23		27			255	149	230	45	225
Sweden and Norway.....										8
Turkey in Europe.....	5	1,220	844	872				425		
United Kingdom.....	1,544				5,808	4,442	4,192	392	812	1,056
Bermuda.....				2,949	2,963	3,091	1,921	1,453	1,453	1,793
British Honduras.....	4,851	9,256	7,850	8,206	7,365	7,621	12,796	14,479	13,773	13,011
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	347	155	426	20	319	28	2,361	2,410	3,324	2,979
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	7,470	9,290	17,008	15,943	16,570	15,670	9,847	14,492	9,422	12,593
British Columbia.....	9,013	8,731	8,250	11,566	8,600	7,578	9,622	16,801	31,015	21,740
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		60	100	203						6
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	17,478	15,723	15,739	19,139	16,739	10,450	18,825	15,584	15,962	14,501
Guatemala.....	13,558	15,381	28,150	29,569	33,670	21,300	41,719	45,119	83,789	11,262
Honduras.....	14,488	16,389	8,469	5,961	4,199	4,934	5,703	4,763	5,873	7,341
Nicaragua.....	17,847	18,250	35,375	18,473	17,277	18,762	26,272	31,103	22,759	13,574
Salvador.....	17,806	19,946	28,639	27,620	36,951	24,154	54,200	65,704	38,669	11,323
Mexico.....	165,700	227,409	207,772	202,981	216,876	110,508	97,465	115,047	95,678	47,934
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	443	281	132	29		15	47		1,016	615
West Indies—										
British.....	12,666	11,846	14,741	12,430	7,366	10,122	15,240	22,515	19,702	28,867
Danish.....	496	279	22		157	173	43	84		349

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Malt liquors—Continued.										
IN BOTTLES—Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Dutch	704	403	1,025	1,150	1,188	943	1,017	1,388	1,077	1,540
French	5,741	3,943	6,111	4,794	4,967	3,741	3,933	4,145	5,343	3,179
Haiti	15,771	28,574	23,193	19,508	18,278	22,624	21,639	19,309	13,179	8,665
Santo Domingo	7,493	11,685	5,530	2,940	3,362	18,636	4,632	4,845	4,486	7,862
Spanish—Cuba	11,834	12,153	12,223	29,551	32,032	40,112	23,191	22,066	18,082	5,027
Porto Rico	6,382	8,305	5,193	8,638	8,254	4,361	1,479	2,173	2,264	3,668
Argentina	5,978	1,337	2,917	.....	1,300	54	.....	8	138	23
Bolivia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil	14,169	3,017	1,768	4,961	4,243	4,945	4,015	28,034	23,506	64,346
Chile	1,314	.....	1,352	370	327	569	116	138	163	45
Colombia	34,445	20,902	37,331	35,710	44,393	32,968	57,330	53,756	54,004	40,046
Ecuador	608	821	2,986	148	1,358	1,057	1,068	840	103	422
Guianas—British	415	.....	575	266	693	350	1,323	2,149	2,074	3,302
Dutch	8,932	1,492	3,476	3,088	2,510	864	2,726	1,957	1,675	2,249
French	1,073	1,017	519	50	6	.....	132	160	63	169
Peru	971	2,116	1,436	383	76	628	759	1,553	526	454
Uruguay	3,317	410	320	.....	34	.....	.....	760	470	.....
Venezuela	23,263	8,147	7,128	5,128	5,550	9,904	6,877	11,585	4,259	2,628
Aden .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	255
China	204	4,755	3,275	3,455	2,810	1,970	2,988	3,655	18,886	33,189
East Indies—British	2,927	850	172	615	.....	.....	.....	276	844	623
Dutch	527	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Hongkong	733	398	1,559	2,009	2,037	4,532	7,041	10,998	20,212	25,373
Japan	371	50	877	1,812	5,104	5,919	4,217	13,080	16,730	6,507
Russia, Asiatic .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	2,453	2,062	1,963	603	1,018
Turkey in Asia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	750	858	470	505
All other Asia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	.....	10
British Australasia	84,877	39,259	16,752	14,393	3,579	6,079	4,600	4,970	5,379	10,617
French Oceanica	2,339	917	1,342	553	821	368	340	68	268	526
Spanish Oceanica .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	50
Tonga, Samoa, etc. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	69	117	95
Hawaiian Islands	47,092	71,376	83,768	79,160	64,003	52,478	32,375	30,906	44,112	61,428
Philippine Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	863	245	1,395	663	337
British Africa	218	.....	220	1,911	265	956	2,029	9,599	40,525	16,250
Canary Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	10,201	15,687	11,534	2,772	3,817	704	1,130
French Africa	88	.....	195	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....
Liberia	95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa .....	.....	.....	332	42	.....	.....	.....	1,047	3,420	2,060
Spanish Africa	1,034	1,589	3,694	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Africa—Egypt .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	425	.....	1,754
All other Africa	100	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	906	89
All other islands and ports	4,481	4,032	2,667	1,804	1,727	512	316	.....	.....	.....
Total	575,089	583,927	602,641	589,784	600,319	471,589	492,448	590,116	636,837	497,031
IN OTHER COVERINGS—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	69	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belgium .....	.....	.....	.....	65	.....	152	.....	.....	40	.....
France	425	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Germany	20	.....	.....	.....	8	10	10	21	126	314
Gibraltar .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Portugal .....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spain .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
United Kingdom .....	.....	128	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bermuda .....	.....	.....	.....	2,152	70	2,408	.....	265	.....	.....
British Honduras .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	1,885	1,418	1,270	498	163	558	1,140	1,133	136	645
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	6,503	13,434	5,544	8,635	10,604	12,936	13,758	12,485	15,592	23,605
British Columbia	3,311	12,261	17,060	25,889	12,972	8,150	6,232	15,753	15,788	13,780

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Malt liquors—Continued.										
IN OTHER COVERINGS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Newfoundland and Labrador		80	69		240	250		70		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....				288			55			
Guatemala.....		163								
Honduras.....		169	16		77	26		44		597
Nicaragua.....	9	280				71	158			11
Salvador.....							10	18	220	
Mexico.....	16,358	12,940	18,769	13,066	9,891	14,150	13,342	9,038	8,373	11,457
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	1,136	1,560	1,397	1,052	1,173	920	1,296	1,671	1,943	759
West Indies—										
British.....	3,199	1,514	1,373	1,238	522	1,143	791	810	1,294	691
Dutch.....									5	
French.....	1,071	21								
Haiti.....			615		4				5,501	1,554
Santo Domingo.....		12						52		
Spanish—Cuba.....	7,478	11,521	13,291	10,320	13,929	16,236	7,034	5,689	9,467	4,884
Porto Rico.....			6						90	
Brazil.....										143
Colombia.....	1,714	1,245	212		860	1,960		380	5	
Guianas—British.....		817	560	50	106	263	522	515	859	225
Venezuela.....						24		116		
Hongkong.....	27				639		34	146	456	
Japan.....	9				2,023			35		
Russia, Asiatic.....								224		201
British Australasia.....				205	910	430	343	431	478	94
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								42		198
Hawaiian Islands.....	7,162	12,590	9,020	9,633	11,018	16,826	21,246	20,481	26,637	25,568
Philippine Islands.....								20		
British Africa.....		298								
Canary Islands.....								320		
All other islands and ports.....					353	877	351			
Total.....	50,307	70,481	69,602	68,150	65,219	77,390	66,322	69,759	87,112	88,548
Marble and stone, manufactures of:										
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Roofing slate—										
Denmark.....										8,150
France.....								12,000		
Germany.....							25	910	5,850	82,916
Netherlands.....	3,000		268						2,087	25
Sweden and Norway.....										270
United Kingdom.....		2,000	200	2,036	1,400	4,800	3,000	197,440	695,980	1,213,377
Bermuda.....				1,195	1,046	336	1,550	2,312	1,395	157
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	32	37		210	119	445	406	1,278	730	
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....		1,800	1,235	975	14,615	15,858	6,974	10,533	6,977	8,147
British Columbia.....	2,231	114	618							22
Newfoundland and Labrador.....				60	32		13			
Central American States—										
Guatemala.....										1,755
Honduras.....						587				
Nicaragua.....	30									
Mexico.....		818		73	22	621	488	821	150	1,872
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....				4,512						35
West Indies—										
British.....	980	2,440	7,043			3,803	4,419	1,150	1,860	2,356
Haiti.....		731	427	266		330				26

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Marble and stone, manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Roofing slate—Continued.</i>										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Santo Domingo.....							10			
Spanish—Cuba.....			16	160		2,643	3,258	90		673
Argentina.....	500									
Colombia.....	488							259	100	
Guianas—British.....						712	702	440	165	600
Dutch.....		650		660	3,145		340		1,640	1,925
Peru.....			55		465					
Uruguay.....	962							417		867
Venezuela.....		575								
China.....										110
Japan.....	950									
East Indies—British.....								1,628	810	550
British Australasia.....	99,924	84,763	74,408	47,089	30,362	7,060	17,363	34,970	60,604	44,642
Hawaiian Islands.....								245	166	
British Africa.....	448		138	178	866		258	1,883	1,598	2,218
Liberia.....	351									
Portuguese Africa.....										42
Total.....	109,896	94,048	84,408	57,514	52,612	37,195	38,806	266,385	789,112	1,370,075
All other—										
Austria-Hungary.....				6,633	1,721	934	3,662	4,275	9,007	6,900
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	175	70	129	33		82		18	63	25
Belgium.....	31,124	45,997	65,159	47,934	30,425	49,130	63,991	46,462	44,543	34,449
Denmark.....	5,022	4,644	1,814	3,355	2,246	4,327	3,249	2,942	2,391	2,801
France.....	11,927	10,142	15,424	28,059	40,352	35,713	36,172	40,834	21,992	27,920
Germany.....	31,114	53,023	61,341	44,533	44,995	60,763	72,797	53,600	32,533	55,249
Gibraltar.....							11			
Italy.....	2,916	721	3,473	1,299	3,013	8,959	5,315	7,693	9,342	6,368
Netherlands.....	3,873	7,264	6,123	9,204	5,104	15,674	12,024	9,914	14,029	6,496
Portugal.....	292	519	210	45	29	434	154	391	571	173
Roumania.....								50	29	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	965	450	100	182		24	396	65	571	638
Russia, Black Sea.....	1,926					25	4,202	2,300	4,434	899
Spain.....				1,015	600	87	53	20	10	10
Sweden and Norway.....	497	451	1,161	1,705	1,207	2,194	3,094	2,341	1,110	1,215
Switzerland.....	200	50						8	385	102
Turkey in Europe.....				19	100			84	16	51
United Kingdom.....	95,551	128,212	189,840	179,023	258,756	419,954	368,389	201,016	200,291	107,764
Bermuda.....				2,682	2,379	551	1,460	595	758	435
British Honduras.....	283	103	340	107	197	165	783	256	364	275
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	9,876	9,277	12,210	5,934	2,053	6,898	8,322	5,684	5,656	4,087
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	72,624	239,167	98,731	26,805	31,545	67,032	66,022	91,850	60,919	75,592
British Columbia.....	2,651	7,060	5,129	4,797	4,551	3,275	4,018	4,772	4,829	5,244
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	2,421	2,737	2,203	2,273	2,165	1,907	1,187	1,001	750	1,542
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,020	1,077	1,967	1,595	1,948	979	1,050	994	941	346
Guatemala.....	1,201	968	837	2,151	1,606	1,685	717	1,755	451	286
Honduras.....	7,409	1,828	361	1,526	4,587	5,804	3,585	3,549	9,167	6,814
Nicaragua.....	1,117	1,691	1,908	1,853	2,942	809	1,293	927	1,133	1,869
Salvador.....	787	787	686	1,833	910	471	1,168	2,351	12,619	35
Mexico.....	9,041	11,019	10,334	14,022	52,322	23,420	26,245	32,534	13,007	14,103
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	5			2						
West Indies—										
British.....	6,948	7,981	5,620	6,329	8,172	10,019	13,022	10,941	6,982	3,120
Danish.....	707	343	447	230	444	690	102	422	153	199
Dutch.....	674	297	954	475	338	772	485	925	713	192

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Marble and stone, manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
All other—Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
French	172	20	131	24	394	21	238	42	110	
Haiti	1,477	2,467	1,758	3,306	3,925	2,606	2,490	5,272	2,552	1,186
Santo Domingo	411	839	520	467	1,326	1,580	2,090	1,270	1,058	1,281
Spanish—Cuba	12,677	14,183	13,785	10,848	62,252	79,098	76,186	13,747	4,163	6,333
Porto Rico	4,286	3,517	1,571	3,906	3,063	6,338	2,174	2,637	2,286	950
Argentina	3,796	5,891	4,316	3,722	8,761	2,718	8,500	4,196	5,747	2,326
Bolivia	52				25					
Brazil	3,774	3,635	4,444	4,157	3,846	6,894	6,685	7,160	6,547	8,423
Chile	3,017	5,467	4,695	3,826	3,205	4,756	3,645	7,917	2,333	3,066
Colombia	2,296	2,630	3,219	3,965	4,241	3,206	3,165	3,946	5,118	2,427
Ecuador	735	715	610	374	455	938	318	408	1,722	272
Guianas—British	1,162	853	315	805	365	859	195	501	212	14
Dutch	2,050	85	414	25	10		201		14	
Pern	385	627	967	714	443	817	451	1,403	723	911
Uruguay	6,764	2,890	548	1,427	538	791	1,659	556	646	812
Venezuela	5,244	9,536	10,607	5,352	6,371	11,243	14,473	13,734	8,449	600
China		84	136	114	307	88	661	39	553	558
East Indies—British	120	1,011	658	325	99	1,319	939	2,523	1,372	1,661
Dutch		370	325		21	50			20	212
Hongkong	4,379	318	534	1,524	980	2,020	228	219	62	1,697
Japan	1,918	901	1,980	405	1,053	1,298	1,213	1,346	573	931
Russia, Asiatic					13			89	50	45
Turkey in Asia	43		39							23
All other Asia			12				15	10	17	
British Australasia	38,566	35,072	23,812	25,437	36,983	15,624	11,278	25,312	18,009	14,421
French Oceania	53	207	61	78	67	137	70	185	211	23
Hawaiian Islands	1,942	3,951	2,902	2,525	1,888	3,638	3,211	2,511	2,889	2,248
British Africa	1,355	3,270	2,095	2,109	2,972	3,432	3,312	8,947	9,551	6,737
Canary Islands					17	108	63	16	43	17
French Africa		817							150	
Liberia	3		7	172	78	185				7
Portuguese Africa			13		3		4	129	105	32
Spanish Africa	32	70	134							16
All other Africa	100		12			14		318	237	
All other islands and ports			64				58			
Total	400,158	635,063	569,226	480,245	651,069	874,928	846,373	635,200	536,703	422,507
Matches:										
Austria-Hungary							370			
Azores, and Madeira Islands	641				34					
Portugal		111	37							
United Kingdom							12	164	15	
Bermuda				444	468	397	201	248	372	249
British Honduras	1,481	1,035	989	2,540	2,782	2,563	3,003	2,829	3,757	3,495
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc							130			88
Quebec, Ontario, etc				117	10	40	431	540	1,800	177
British Columbia	1,967	2,439	5,000	4,320	5,019	1,791	1,770	1,904	2,380	7,575
Newfoundland and Labrador	2,154	1,245	1,972	1,280	753	4			130	129
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	106	479		261	160	77	79	72	453	575
Guatemala	854	1,165	1,294	1,310	1,502	620	632	928	755	533
Honduras	1,310	1,348	1,122	1,258	1,635	2,454	2,621	2,113	2,448	3,523
Nicaragua	2,910	2,756	2,588	1,720	1,198	2,582	2,799	2,668	2,938	3,910
Salvador	17	155		107	245					
Mexico	1,581	1,632	1,025	1,824	1,161	915	2,452	3,814	1,145	414
Miquelon, Langley, etc	596	591	917	901	1,166	164	280	155	408	582

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Matches—Continued.										
West Indies—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British	7,509	4,031	8,769	5,966	7,771	9,207	7,707	9,258	6,222	6,681
Danish	1,534	1,699	1,064	836	1,140	1,298	1,358	613	790	788
Dutch	1,876	1,172	1,620	899	899	502	509	200	70	63
French	886	610	1,553	448	873	584	189	1,197	46	826
Haiti	4,219	8,133	9,582	9,646	12,656	10,128	12,639	6,634	10,482	8,365
Santo Domingo	75	94	45	.....	47	.....	166	34	62	.....
Spanish—Cuba	56	257	120	30	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	51
Porto Rico	38	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Argentina .....	.....	565	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50
Bolivia .....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil	456	850	492	594	683	353	1,177	330	1,026	550
Chile .....	.....	.....	179	.....	700	.....	.....	450	500	3
Colombia	12,540	7,018	3,115	7,018	10,289	8,013	11,881	24,030	15,228	22,250
Ecuador .....	.....	200	250	.....	17	464	36	24	.....	70
Guianas—British	54	.....	134	42	.....	86	578	348	.....	.....
Dutch	800	4,242	1,615	2,478	2,572	1,359	4,529	1,053	2,869	2,910
French	1,378	1,520	1,416	1,317	1,247	1,962	1,705	1,372	1,449	2,125
Peru	23	110	46	274	.....	.....	.....	691	.....	.....
Uruguay .....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Venezuela	2,858	2,099	3,596	5,585	6,748	2,344	7,722	10,015	986	35
China .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	12	.....	.....
Japan	5,650	1,760	3,897	8,010	40	40	103	60	18	30
Russia, Asiatic .....	.....	1,102	4,920	7,570	473	135	1,054	1,453	552	.....
British Australasia	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	66	.....	225	.....
French Oceania .....	.....	30	.....	.....	75	376	31	77	31	.....
Tonga, Samoa, etc .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....
Hawaiian Islands	5,463	12,709	15,285	6,270	4,980	17,266	28,413	16,227	13,742	12,450
British Africa	900	500	.....	.....	.....	505	.....	.....	5	.....
French Africa	805	.....	160	160	296	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberia .....	.....	32	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa .....	.....	.....	.....	312	251	275	90	183	84	60
All other British .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports .....	.....	.....	78	.....	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	61,171	62,284	73,220	73,666	67,974	66,614	94,799	90,315	70,988	78,548
Musical instruments:										
ORGANS—										
Austria-Hungary .....	.....	606	.....	1,310	.....	2,348	.....	.....	.....	674
Azores, and Madeira Islands	235	170	110	.....	.....	310	.....	.....	100	.....
Belgium	1,132	1,500	18,746	11,117	3,487	5,666	9,135	9,456	8,083	4,428
Denmark	642	530	3,230	3,645	2,840	2,861	2,755	5,261	3,915	2,265
France	3,400	2,635	2,150	2,202	1,400	490	1,110	1,020	2,140	4,898
Germany	40,887	75,890	116,893	62,269	60,855	52,450	62,239	88,447	77,306	70,825
Gibraltar .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Italy	250	.....	1,570	100	2,858	55	3,614	1,403	654	1,560
Netherlands	4,853	10,587	14,889	20,313	27,503	27,502	42,976	37,422	47,588	45,322
Portugal	136	1,040	1,945	705	200	270	726	315	1,103	834
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	430	165	98	150	.....	1,050	4,200	4,430	3,529	5,330
Russia, Black Sea	160	762	713	.....	214	2,050	1,283	2,126	.....	1,023
Spain	445	.....	300	.....	1,580	400	1,960	1,876	1,096	3,648
Sweden and Norway	984	1,870	1,753	1,749	1,997	2,784	3,357	7,704	7,877	15,671
Switzerland .....	.....	.....	575	650	160	.....	1,160	720	300	1,448
Turkey in Europe	103	50	.....	110	504	.....	.....	310	275	214
United Kingdom	442,709	482,202	588,241	447,832	396,809	344,262	400,618	427,257	467,975	443,989
Bermuda	797	314	144	130	600	220	588
British Honduras	50	101	1,338	311	101	60	370	860	752	1,237

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Musical instruments—Continued.										
ORGANS—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc . . .	3,058	3,676	5,056	1,349	5,171	6,436	3,619	4,603	1,594	2,643
Quebec, Ontario, etc	23,494	13,884	49,163	79,593	302,776	7,055	8,969	9,123	9,235	7,201
British Columbia	2,755	649	1,498	1,027	266	1,062	1,451	706	606	702
Newfoundland and Labrador	2,575	2,775	3,926	7,209	3,683	3,132	2,521	1,972	2,543	1,825
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	125		35	1,142	150	100		347	310	50
Guatemala	1,073	1,929	377	729	172	914	692	3,331	704	110
Honduras	135	535	95	323	156	130	70	102	728	25
Nicaragua	148	830	376	103	317			330	175	548
Salvador	430	221	110	212			1,231	36	6,000	
Mexico	3,487	2,737	2,566	6,263	6,471	5,175	2,274	4,969	3,129	6,649
West Indies—										
British	8,125	4,630	8,542	3,027	2,720	3,995	4,427	6,183	18,250	4,051
Danish		172		90	110	705	390	97	133	157
Dutch	153	75		195	254	325	158	685	263	
French	50					35	102			
Haiti	406	621	415	733	225	579	320	800	150	150
Santo Domingo	35	305	322		50		113	45	111	40
Spanish—Cuba	213	302	629	1,006	1,351	1,602	869	40		
Porto Rico	215	50	30	385	69	300				
Argentina	9,995	7,164	323	490	885	1,160	595	2,696	3,261	4,018
Bolivia						185				
Brazil	1,405	2,599	2,346	2,640	1,417	587	2,098	4,187	2,355	1,336
Chile	255	1,118	1,301	1,333	769	980	1,247	1,861	1,463	1,876
Colombia	489	2,049	528	2,498	2,441	1,740	551	597	1,240	2,546
Ecuador	6,644	478	71	211		880		100	45	
Guianas—British	465	8		187	100	40	331	100	133	127
Peru	400	250	415	458	113			225	205	148
Uruguay	280	1,648	274	70	297	341	270	587	131	470
Venezuela	668	1,857	1,367	998	274	768	881	1,142	1,271	358
China	2,053	2,604	2,239	2,310	2,575	1,606	925	3,202	3,005	1,944
East Indies—British	4,008	1,550	385	1,256	864	905	888	2,052	1,808	2,062
Dutch		100	150	60	60	75	485	50	813	
Hongkong	1,675	467	80	50	1,288		132	285	65	70
Japan	9,418	3,924	2,248	2,025	984	230	400	600	1,166	2,308
Korea										100
Russia, Asiatic			179	60	180	365	60		42	175
Turkey in Asia		150	147	1,543			269	29	172	383
All other Asia	150	125	233	175	135		29	29	385	58
British Australasia	79,432	77,759	75,538	80,712	36,973	35,013	38,187	45,857	48,585	52,721
French Oceania		140			200		100			
Tonga, Samoa, etc								120		50
Hawaiian Islands	1,232	2,523	273	270	414	973	2,434	3,599	5,282	5,372
British Africa	19,366	32,936	37,780	18,274	22,567	18,971	18,476	36,773	59,546	36,171
Canary Islands									525	
French Africa			75			25				
Liberia	484	340	2,538		214	118	295	1,040	268	225
Portuguese Africa								386	378	1,740
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	225	75	70			50		210		155
All other Africa		100	255	300	92			500	144	475
All other British							200			
All other islands and ports					200					
Total	681,567	750,583	954,507	772,582	897,870	549,278	640,718	729,403	799,132	742,963
PIANOFORTES—										
Austria-Hungary				300		400				
Azores, and Madeira Islands	300							300		
Belgium	700	2,500	650	2,700	500	1,325	1,525	3,494	2,525	1,665

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
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Musical instruments—Continued.										
PIANOFORTES—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Denmark.....			400	900	500	465	675	500		875
France.....	2,510	4,700	3,605	2,700	3,075	6,000	3,200	4,075	8,350	4,850
Germany.....	7,895	8,160	10,280	11,940	3,111	9,145	20,752	22,086	5,225	9,515
Italy.....			1,000	1,200	700	121	1,892	805	2,630	2,365
Netherlands.....	400		740	1,140	1,301	600	250	2,005	1,815	592
Portugal.....										179
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....			2,865							250
Russia, Black Sea.....								640		
Spain.....	100	200				500				
Sweden and Norway.....				210	1,050	655	5,160	250	1,400	700
United Kingdom.....	20,616	31,243	36,619	22,880	22,756	17,232	22,725	31,094	38,437	31,469
Bermuda.....				2,075	1,441	1,142	990	975	660	470
British Honduras.....			538	745			1,145	628	1,609	1,224
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	15,990		12,370	12,348	10,048	11,799	13,007	7,469	8,600	10,330
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	71,362		54,875	97,570	623,924	45,541	70,691	43,179	37,053	66,316
British Columbia.....	8,075		4,517	4,633	6,142	3,775	4,084	2,003	1,990	5,003
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,130		875	1,835	2,125	5,750	2,235	479	865	1,282
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,090	700	1,000	1,435		500	181	665		
Guatemala.....	575	2,485	3,297	2,945	600	600	1,500	3,615	9,104	1,946
Honduras.....	2,000	1,050	500				225			600
Nicaragua.....	1,000	950	1,090	2,267	1,184	2,294	895	1,664	1,079	
Salvador.....	1,968	4,134	5,452	4,366	643	2,750	1,950	3,725	3,105	1,400
Mexico.....	9,625	18,878	17,776	22,592	47,575	36,870	42,307	53,412	33,411	26,227
West Indies—										
British.....	6,945	3,155	8,181	4,590	1,350	4,244	2,952	5,423	3,002	4,521
Danish.....		375		525			400			
Dutch.....		679	720	2,588		900	515	350	150	420
French.....		150								
Haiti.....	813	475	965	1,260	259	519	150	515	400	406
Santo Domingo.....		375	360				300	325	225	
Spanish—Cuba.....	690	1,220	907	2,700	5,899	1,420	2,482	900	900	575
Porto Rico.....	890	1,068	1,054	550	450			500	500	
Argentina.....	12,254	16,696	2,355		2,132	1,200	480	7,009	10,126	9,018
Bolivia.....								300		
Brazil.....	4,690	8,398	9,109	8,324	3,517	6,504	6,911	7,086	4,124	6,069
Chile.....	2,287	4,539	1,170	2,664	1,575	2,030	950	3,172	552	685
Colombia.....	3,696	5,943	4,193	11,533	7,716	5,152	6,009	5,749	7,897	9,060
Ecuador.....		2,790	1,810	2,102	2,990	290	1,311	604	269	160
Guianas—British.....		285			750		250		600	
Dutch.....										660
Peru.....		1,284	2,188	510			131	1,875		650
Uruguay.....	762	1,419	765				680	155		246
Venezuela.....	4,158	3,837	9,759	4,162	1,697	2,073	4,190	4,312	3,636	2,469
China.....	600		700		200	550		1,400	1,770	1,579
East Indies—British.....		800	650		242			925		
Dutch.....								613	876	292
Hongkong.....	900	600		185			400	800	200	
Japan.....	1,525	5,165			700	250	950	1,537	1,275	1,935
Korea.....									350	
Russia, Asiatic.....										1,500
Turkey in Asia.....				240				305	325	250
All other Asia.....								222		
British Australasia.....	1,200	2,000	3,935	4,416	2,370	2,651	3,050	2,900	4,290	7,020
French Oceania.....	250		561			150		100		250
Hawaiian Islands.....	2,190	6,820	4,693	2,500	550	2,045	4,630	12,518	12,381	13,622
Philippine Islands.....								1,125		
British Africa.....	450		600	105	1,225	1,370	383	1,250	2,943	2,020
Canary Islands.....							525			385

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Musical instruments—Continued.										
PIANOFORTES—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Liberia			385					300		
Madagascar								150		
Portuguese Africa				450					200	
Spanish Africa			500							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt				240						290
All other Africa					150					
All other British			300							
Total	191,316	213,369	214,309	246,425	760,447	178,822	233,043	246,083	214,849	292,144
ALL OTHER, AND PARTS OF—										
Austria-Hungary		300					148	100	312	47
Azores, and Madeira Islands	4			50		15				
Belgium	55	150	250	250	200	3,558	820	155	1,023	250
Denmark		101	7		348				767	
France	899	90	263	476	200	1,016	1,011	4,793	727	75
Germany	28,971	20,622	19,869	17,006	16,656	24,517	10,537	25,316	41,664	134,372
Italy	14			150	71	410	20	138	455	100
Netherlands	1,229	5,606	3,646	2,273	3,844	4,813	4,367	2,573	6,058	8,079
Portugal		152	199	150	123		30			189
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	30			102				842		
Russia, Black Sea										34
Spain	323	84			66		741		25	
Sweden and Norway	1,919	2,242	2,420	2,020	2,210	3,990	5,364	6,254	9,825	5,914
Switzerland										300
Turkey in Europe				144						400
United Kingdom	58,482	72,992	74,858	73,785	78,554	71,435	57,038	61,002	54,865	70,540
Bermuda				349	117	84	437	523	451	377
British Honduras	124	40	208	421	37	16	268	212	692	591
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	2,073	1,557	2,710	2,007	3,084	4,465	2,789	1,645	2,357	1,765
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	4,581	6,475	11,674	12,897	16,124	106,849	130,084	162,371	109,555	140,710
British Columbia	1,855	1,229	2,089	984	1,092	1,486	1,493	816	2,830	2,587
Newfoundland and Labrador		12		59	191	220			45	88
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	79	98	106	90		10	118	739	646	217
Guatemala	342	246	434	129	203		414	802	307	198
Honduras	690	278	83	242	370	81	687	441	151	497
Nicaragua	434	269	435	118	192	337	83	213	476	190
Salvador	152	211	550	155	162	11	71	180	81	200
Mexico	1,624	2,526	6,206	7,440	10,980	10,356	3,660	5,228	5,541	13,578
West Indies—										
British	812	2,734	1,706	2,187	2,327	1,499	1,715	1,290	954	929
Danish	24	25	5	74	28	9	3	4	48	
Dutch	176	265	64	46	37	111	157	206	103	183
French			50		3		25		2	
Haiti	113	523	740	335	320	133	103	64	185	304
San Domingo	425	652	848	60	156	59	19	6	24	15
Spanish—Cuba	26	312	662	773	299	960	1,494	84	208	347
Porto Rico	148	147	120	218	97	383	180	5	45	3
Argentina	2,991	10	12	40	15	787	932	104	655	774
Bolivia			8	56	10	186				
Brazil	1,795	5,882	8,820	8,893	14,000	8,332	8,421	8,774	7,687	3,200
Chile	141	810	118	330	672	523	546	1,224	282	414
Colombia	1,742	950	792	615	1,020	451	677	360	953	999
Ecuador	1,531	491	197	64	44	369	201	10	131	152
Guianas—British		27			100	27			13	80
Dutch				31	23	21		11		
French	13	5		10						
Peru	310	1,730	870	403	473	1,084	10	127	338	679
Uruguay	672	175				178		170	430	112
Venezuela	621	1,073	1,354	539	384	709	1,108	802	553	851

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Musical instruments—Continued.										
ALL OTHER, AND PARTS OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....	33	40	1,483	100	130	252	82	83	752	662
East Indies—British.....	655	437	20	84	326	210	837	602	1,604	3,026
Hongkong.....	60	60		260	25			191	135	
Japan.....	3,686	380	1,065	150	151	86	115	600	720	780
Russia, Asiatic.....		420							71	
Turkey in Asia.....				218		66	25			
All other Asia.....	183				55	11	57		497	14
British Australasia.....	2,883	5,115	5,790	6,952	6,185	2,825	1,815	2,291	1,526	9,164
French Oceania.....			71	50	287	127	54	8	155	175
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								173	27	6
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,375	1,726	3,406	1,700	2,393	1,611	2,316	4,073	5,182	2,748
Philippine Islands.....				142						
British Africa.....	737	1,853	3,270		1,031	188	796	12	553	1,765
Liberia.....	53	60	73	22			40	58		
Portuguese Africa.....	80									14
Spanish Africa.....			16							
All other Africa.....					30	25				
All other British.....						29				
All other islands and ports.....	12				335	70	58			
Total.....	125,185	141,182	157,573	145,649	165,790	254,400	241,966	295,675	262,736	408,760
Oils:										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—										
<i>Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation—</i>										
Azores, and Mac'eira Islands.....						64	65			
Belgium.....	25,900	26,300	19,070	14,600						
Denmark.....			3,783		460	220	14		950	1,300
France.....	415,238	364,477	234,155	101,916	236,354	227,766	116,374	153,152	188,775	110,038
Germany.....	241,387	159,834	232,036	230,214	237,484	233,008	165,673	168,099	158,079	348,029
Italy.....		80	36							183
Netherlands.....									91,000	93
Portugal.....	213	674	549	915	546	403	288	881	850	501
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	2,258	2,460		2,106	1,113	1,500		2,000		
Russia, Black Sea.....									1,345	
Spain.....		4								
Sweden and Norway.....	57,035	46,881	41,930	34,327	36,568	20,230	42,574	11,198	18,327	20,504
United Kingdom.....	378,714	494,747	421,126	490,739	524,410	410,726	526,315	656,387	592,935	524,714
Bermuda.....				1,155	1,616	2,623	2,519	2,959	2,234	2,937
British Honduras.....	15	5			14			11	10	23
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	339	266	549	415	339	808	505	816	503	838
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	892	4,726	5,082	769	5,414	6,767	11,588	17,417	20,383	19,053
British Columbia.....	306	447	741	1,370	1,689	901	588	1,563	1,184	2,328
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	33		15	234	287	303	12	65	230	102
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	89	632	48	5		8	24	59	21	17
Guatemala.....			65	72	60	107	7	7	93	4
Honduras.....	38				174	21			20	26
Nicaragua.....		122	993	20	60	26	146	117	7	
Salvador.....	891	162	12			2	73			
Mexico.....	708	1,586	718	55	67	606	511	295	762	1,016
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	30									
West Indies—										
British.....	1,302	1,860	2,373	319	161	242	465	1,242	69	185
Danish.....	3		70	57	18	80	29	26	52	37
Dutch.....		63	19			36	89	277	518	264
French.....					20		23	22	25	
Haiti.....	101		354	1,320	5,885	8,357	11,563	14,213	11,535	1,939
Santo Domingo.....	139	210	324	217	203	256	288	307	144	120

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—Continued.										
<i>Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation—Continued.</i>										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Spanish—Cuba	2	3	153	240	130	439	67			21
Porto Rico	35	189	172	77	58	112	31	76	100	69
Argentina	7,273	9,508	4,536	7,040	3,022	5,562	8,892	7,902	6,197	6,003
Brazil	2,359	4,135	4,589	4,699	4,340	6,293	8,549	5,426	3,897	4,871
Chile	910	593	673	2,080	667	43	1,578	450	584	710
Colombia	36	7		226	57	87	242	168	178	797
Ecuador			55							6
Guianas—British								1,950	2	
Dutch										20
French				28	24					8
Peru				146	96	235	35		122	
Uruguay	1,604	1,022	967	201	791	494	633	683	458	742
Venezuela	11		12	282	377	34	6	250	115	9
Aden									18	
China									40	125
Hongkong				660				85		77
Japan	4	18							6	2
British Australasia	14,139	11,202	13,973	13,299	9,783	13,165	10,473	9,539	19,223	30,276
Hawaiian Islands	1,109		13		7	585	25	55	76	23
British Africa	2,530	1,663	2,995	3,112	2,166	955	924	1,782	2,229	2,237
French Africa		618	870		250					
Canary Islands								3	71	
Portuguese Africa										559
All other Africa								60		
Total	1,155,703	1,134,799	993,056	912,921	1,074,710	943,970	910,988	1,059,542	1,123,347	1,080,797
Illuminating—										
Austria-Hungary	50,941		39,867							
Azores, and Madeira Islands	27,702	22,600	28,856	12,880	20,539	14,441	21,277	31,654	19,402	22,162
Belgium	2,608,275	2,221,947	1,763,197	1,451,302	1,230,471	986,478	1,512,798	2,125,576	2,292,453	1,812,675
Denmark	301,881	496,243	556,575	336,621	568,427	296,707	635,953	880,171	872,248	953,199
France	191,031	155,270	279,235	203,560	502,189	532,886	392,481	406,760	161,613	348,398
Germany	8,458,898	7,766,452	8,599,741	6,153,730	4,516,634	2,460,461	3,841,818	6,766,308	5,574,975	5,482,493
Gibraltar	275,262	74,502	62,041	33,277	39,225	30,799	29,135	61,833	39,571	37,010
Greece	164,829	167,117	158,540	100,370	126,354	123,563	88,088	185,122	95,085	111,285
Italy	1,727,534	1,612,830	1,495,511	1,456,946	1,344,582	1,010,621	1,183,156	1,656,392	1,731,203	1,659,244
Netherlands	2,716,886	2,537,324	2,794,315	3,288,860	1,746,939	894,760	1,763,234	6,569,704	6,075,683	5,401,151
Portugal	318,393	350,240	417,267	282,392	363,814	235,662	317,739	325,479	327,672	329,497
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	8,430	12,811		7,208	4,164	5,400		14,700		
Russia, Black Sea								12,800	5,546	
Spain	17,248	16,400	8,236	15,465		180		14,528	5,720	78,730
Sweden and Norway	768,468	912,241	686,918	776,017	921,284	487,026	1,288,477	787,765	1,390,314	1,330,724
Turkey in Europe	16,503		22,199	10,098		12,896			24,951	
United Kingdom	4,971,067	4,549,920	4,826,834	4,770,821	7,034,072	8,132,407	10,631,131	11,091,009	10,240,927	7,947,868
Bermuda				14,009	15,988	13,883	13,680	23,592	21,745	21,470
British Honduras	10,156	10,906	13,039	13,184	9,289	8,765	11,313	18,843	21,042	15,214
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	209,964	222,608	243,414	259,361	247,561	92,592	53,772	110,440	102,880	104,754
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	212,105	197,229	189,032	181,795	213,894	332,142	308,907	417,234	386,593	405,731
British Columbia	57,430	51,786	56,482	48,403	50,135	63,189	60,928	62,229	45,864	40,397
Newfoundland and Labrador	34,178	42,781	47,895	47,506	60,420	40,566	32,585	53,847	58,369	44,346
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	9,383	9,628	16,796	10,233	13,532	10,854	13,141	11,806	12,829	14,276
Guatemala	14,110	18,362	28,125	25,873	29,853	33,248	38,839	56,595	24,204	29,551
Honduras	7,318	7,694	7,296	6,100	7,955	5,264	7,337	9,598	9,469	7,031

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
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Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—										
Continued.										
<i>Illuminating—Continued.</i>										
Central American States—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nicaragua	20,014	31,261	45,485	32,712	25,686	31,182	30,175	42,250	39,148	28,215
Salvador	21,567	15,771	24,353	21,846	24,337	29,908	19,728	22,215	23,175	10,484
Mexico	226,165	197,648	265,901	192,479	108,854	64,757	44,714	44,733	60,173	68,771
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	4,115	4,223	5,249	3,427	4,361	3,648	3,545	5,623	5,277	3,458
West Indies—										
British	165,946	204,508	216,112	176,055	177,436	171,574	192,844	215,942	190,566	191,335
Danish	7,029	8,542	5,651	6,839	5,193	5,168	6,887	7,584	7,627	8,066
Dutch	13,171	14,678	19,905	16,863	15,141	11,925	13,777	18,904	17,295	14,582
French	41,137	41,080	37,685	33,741	32,668	32,178	31,998	62,495	39,722	28,608
Haiti	29,844	39,650	40,288	35,885	35,426	46,116	48,257	62,040	60,348	48,417
Santo Domingo	38,417	30,702	23,915	34,024	23,707	32,203	29,080	34,537	44,573	41,315
Spanish—Cuba	37,889	31,511	8,502	24,802	33,527	16,903	7,090	2,303	4,453	15,063
Porto Rico	96,763	131,433	8,966	64,219	40,927	10,565	32,005	30,732	30,713	22,122
Argentina	619,877	319,070	333,788	403,619	324,098	247,844	607,296	906,873	948,353	934,093
Bolivia		157		130	223	206	189	94	91	121
Brazil	890,012	876,041	1,047,612	1,195,215	1,166,199	839,663	1,155,803	1,557,201	1,510,018	1,370,425
Chili	208,974	306,945	162,315	296,061	175,053	133,568	296,510	374,882	299,075	282,692
Colombia	72,624	70,694	85,380	70,605	73,417	61,316	74,727	107,639	109,458	87,673
Ecuador	8,321	22,746	31,152	10,066	22,107	20,187	13,240	39,658	27,194	23,534
Guianas—British	49,484	112,096	50,692	53,363	42,511	47,965	42,070	47,989	53,698	39,012
Dutch	14,470	16,873	14,896	18,444	18,784	13,374	16,827	23,592	20,280	19,683
French	3,551	4,374	4,667	3,591	4,186	2,503	2,418	4,964	3,711	8,014
Peru	46,927	24,105	37,713	26,685	26,003	32,832	27,048	57,384	61,045	53,524
Uruguay	267,171	385,627	320,950	368,189	226,538	201,787	377,796	407,576	286,413	325,395
Venezuela	113,363	109,261	128,036	112,322	104,346	96,799	124,519	142,053	131,759	108,367
Aden								36,244	42,265	7,955
China	907,479	1,251,201	2,586,321	1,249,215	1,808,026	2,435,794	1,175,173	2,158,800	3,252,935	2,830,345
East Indies—British	3,724,276	4,070,875	3,714,421	2,942,797	2,533,229	3,470,823	2,049,689	2,197,297	1,598,406	2,278,617
Dutch	2,181,964	1,754,827	2,052,937	1,302,676	1,106,523	1,637,149	1,068,715	1,427,770	1,851,887	809,083
French	318,566	92,625	187,454	139,720	148,588	184,564	68,000	157,200	134,398	151,547
Hongkong	640,606	1,127,255	1,040,208	1,304,380	840,211	1,019,667	819,276	876,050	1,146,038	966,517
Japan	3,069,778	3,559,375	2,878,861	1,798,792	1,710,480	2,209,070	1,591,751	3,060,797	4,029,459	3,592,587
Russia, Asiatic	600	1,367		530	798	414	777	400	595	737
Turkey in Asia	20,525	19,902	13,456	10,850			2,560			
All other Asia	210,421	211,837	193,460	139,112	31,970	110,300	119,635	166,845	196,650	94,234
British Australasia	958,027	970,768	1,149,898	1,015,859	934,714	973,291	1,366,502	1,468,073	1,633,739	1,750,164
French Oceanica	7,517	9,186	10,438	8,438	6,310	6,258	4,662	3,532	3,630	3,524
German Oceanica									300	1,242
Spanish Oceanica								88		54
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								257	179	176
Hawaiian Islands	50,778	94,653	179,191	51,216	63,875	66,491	79,068	79,259	53,503	84,550
Philippine Islands	154,747	71,870	96,564	43,001	105,936	35,325	67,837	89,875	45,300	65,940
British Africa	277,450	453,262	321,626	371,494	283,685	262,715	432,797	577,534	518,855	563,901
Canary Islands				26,856	47,234	31,487	60,597	77,657	71,694	55,687
French Africa	143,477	123,670	190,186	162,012	114,328	52,607	145,951	86,437	84,674	63,658
Liberia	2,882	5,052	1,258	660	162	612				
Madagascar				6,807	2,000			19,500		
Portuguese Africa	150			3,008	2,512	1,770	7,536	51,769	72,439	38,236
Spanish Africa	35,734	30,236	30,651						1,520	1,787
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	107,951	123,340	173,591	111,794	77,797	125,377	74,242	92,913	125,920	105,484
All other Africa	88,630	129,374	103,350	103,122	71,848	42,829	92,532	111,375	52,757	117,482
German Oceanica and Africa						11				
All other British	174,144	15,500	5,375	33,966	49,776	21,447	29,290			
All other Spanish					86		63			
All other islands and ports	5,805	4,967	6,161	694	1,260	255	199			
Total	39,286,333	38,640,638	40,221,201	33,541,224	31,719,404	30,676,217	34,706,844	48,630,920	48,543,916	42,922,682

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—										
Continued.										
<i>Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil—</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	325	11,104	2,020	3,131	54	4,550	9,000	18,498	19,938	10,680
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	42			26		30			39	232
Belgium.....	257,436	249,926	302,938	316,575	280,388	333,835	315,942	512,182	431,537	417,770
Denmark.....	11,175	8,120	9,837	7,721	5,359	12,663	16,281	8,467	33,772	33,277
France.....	358,901	454,205	537,508	406,204	429,737	511,602	518,258	657,010	582,550	674,852
Germany.....	564,238	588,495	599,579	661,296	542,607	678,514	704,699	752,308	884,135	1,037,942
Gibraltar.....	6	763				75		45	12,704	205
Italy.....	45,240	68,553	74,031	66,036	101,939	177,189	177,624	172,785	243,547	290,666
Netherlands.....	263,149	289,683	194,582	289,473	250,902	286,692	303,675	315,029	341,508	443,691
Portugal.....	88	11	487	6,827	5,032	7,797	5,591	15,485	29,792	34,712
Roumania.....							1,800			
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		100			315	1,500	550	753	169	1,731
Russia, Black Sea.....						3,125	9		5	5
Spain.....	1,325	6,027	3,278	8,437	19,945	17,059	21,660	32,745	22,485	19,383
Sweden and Norway.....	34	3,213	1,519	2,477	1,389	2,800	6,618	17,460	37,631	20,894
Switzerland.....		450							54	53
Turkey in Europe.....			60				1,600	254	9	
United Kingdom.....	2,259,364	2,589,574	2,553,616	2,816,586	2,360,522	2,421,250	2,510,072	2,739,278	2,406,665	2,684,877
Bermuda.....				322	184	79	240	172	290	217
British Honduras.....	89	23	237	83	223	42	250	157	135	198
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	29,521	33,002	34,307	24,217	39,195	24,612	20,366	18,721	23,344	21,498
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	46,548	22,608	20,446	13,749	28,747	115,237	85,076	79,463	64,495	77,351
British Columbia.....	3,612	3,423	13,689	12,318	10,308	9,701	7,789	10,476	16,396	18,752
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	5,792	5,195	2,505	3,814	3,132	4,015	3,391	5,508	4,206	2,239
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,392	1,662	3,742	3,608	6,460	2,853	3,302	4,750	3,610	1,616
Guatemala.....	2,388	2,000	1,533	3,334	4,631	2,618	5,764	4,682	6,535	1,999
Honduras.....	1,141	197	350	656	1,104	1,004	1,423	1,046	1,381	1,015
Nicaragua.....	2,434	1,829	2,103	2,745	919	2,877	3,778	2,485	1,615	2,464
Salvador.....	1,091	1,194	718	1,264	2,893	1,757	1,936	2,508	3,295	701
Mexico.....	21,357	34,826	35,491	46,304	89,751	81,250	135,841	97,733	113,172	114,301
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	60	15		47						
West Indies—										
British.....	6,875	4,722	6,456	6,535	8,676	16,450	17,234	15,027	12,012	13,517
Danish.....	786	264	510	425	445	1,193	2,747	2,492	418	1,278
Dutch.....	766	497	489	173	78	154	169	680	519	951
French.....	541	754	3,449	316	589	3,323	18,377	12,389	629	2,902
Haiti.....	2,893	1,538	2,733	693	502	1,808	1,369	2,350	2,034	1,561
Santo Domingo.....	3,274	4,236	2,408	4,164	4,839	5,397	8,044	10,963	7,769	8,616
Spanish—Cuba.....	25,721	32,660	42,552	69,880	77,822	94,535	37,674	15,844	5,614	16,274
Porto Rico.....	1,059	269	1,616	2,256	1,191	4,457	3,914	3,460	2,562	486
Argentina.....	99,645	93,252	80,681	53,001	105,414	94,999	205,058	119,803	105,664	67,402
Bolivia.....		7		45	22		137	6		18
Brazil.....	45,444	49,031	73,726	81,877	87,660	98,471	101,690	153,265	128,997	156,935
Chile.....	25,925	73,093	56,554	52,382	47,691	90,323	101,722	101,834	67,653	72,198
Colombia.....	16,399	6,702	9,971	11,323	7,631	9,380	7,100	16,847	12,225	14,675
Ecuador.....	3,394	2,649	1,614	2,466	2,208	3,126	5,724	3,037	5,309	3,109
Guianas—British.....	2,176	2,506	3,138	2,189	4,094	4,015	3,587	10,172	2,841	1,155
Dutch.....	299				97	530	74	4	47	10
French.....	23				13					
Peru.....	10,238	14,368	15,250	12,160	6,664	13,713	10,900	16,778	15,786	18,484
Uruguay.....	4,590	8,459	10,449	3,650	3,542	5,772	4,160	5,174	3,143	6,545
Venezuela.....	8,285	4,627	4,381	4,967	3,750	5,285	4,657	5,150	7,774	3,711
China.....	1,095	1,888	5,339	1,810	1,411	2,842	6,037	8,178	18,962	25,625
East Indies—British.....	3,776	6,140	12,184	26,841	19,907	94,218	158,160	233,178	299,245	298,599
Dutch.....	34,000							1,041	7,696	7,795
French.....		250	130							
Hongkong.....	354		1,191	347	2,102	4,406	7,884	7,683	11,012	25,335
Japan.....	16,544	14,405	15,716	13,622	14,492	17,177	61,941	88,730	192,918	222,536

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—										
Continued.										
<i>Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil—</i>										
Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Turkey in Asia.....			1,000	5			340	345	4	9
All other Asia.....			123	24				11,000	■	4
Russia, Asiatic.....		71								
British Australasia.....	84,498	77,022	96,679	112,100	114,089	115,850	164,098	143,682	262,737	205,165
French Oceania.....			131						6	12
German Oceania.....										26
Hawaiian Islands.....	7,479	5,447	8,812	7,780	10,777	12,126	13,033	13,083	18,194	16,023
Philippine Islands.....		52				170		83	608	55
British Africa.....	7,228	4,132		33,768	27,145	44,430	47,526	61,472	98,731	131,453
Canary Islands.....				12	56	42	256	134	230	
French Africa.....			15,249					175	2,618	28
Liberia.....		10	5			4				2
Portuguese Africa.....				44	252	36		14,936	33,082	20,580
Spanish Africa.....	5	93	111							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	2,033		330	1,200			2,300	6,435	7,302	6,480
All other Africa.....								1,340	400	6,529
Total.....	4,292,020	4,763,347	4,858,603	5,203,350	4,738,882	5,449,000	5,867,477	6,556,775	6,619,864	7,239,454
Volatile or essential—										
<i>Peppermint—</i>										
Austria-Hungary.....									1,374	42
Belgium.....				708	1,542	2,690	1,837	2,981	2,603	1,435
Denmark.....					150	128		462	510	
France.....				17,371	22,695	18,116	21,469	19,442	34,040	14,487
Germany.....			67,598	79,928	129,956	88,221	33,943	57,156	107,693	88,711
Italy.....					160	377	243	1,386	1,458	829
Netherlands.....			40	2,117	2,979	2,238	2,540	1,815	4,464	1,610
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....				575		675	1,200	4,483	2,393	908
Russia, Black Sea.....							639			
Spain.....				229		64	106	55	144	180
Sweden and Norway.....					386			725		
United Kingdom.....			40,005	54,664	100,107	95,563	127,042	79,884	96,063	66,882
British Honduras.....								1		
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, N. Brunswick, etc.....						127	52	90	102	231
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....					25	1,030	3,391	2,921	1,337	1,741
British Columbia.....				4						
Newfoundland and Labrador.....						75	52			
Central American States—										
Nicaragua.....					36					
Mexico.....			536	379	225	33	25	140	107	
West Indies—										
British.....			46	250	91	23		121	265	368
French.....			12,422	33			64			
Spanish—Cuba.....									19	
Argentina.....				79			625	300	1,082	220
Colombia.....			43						39	
Peru.....			59			47				
Ecuador.....									12	
Uruguay.....								208	76	
East Indies—British.....							484	474		20
Russia, Asiatic.....								475		
British Australasia.....			82	81		315	904	1,601	3,703	3,147
British Africa.....					70					
Total.....			120,831	156,418	267,422	209,722	194,616	174,810	257,484	180,811

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—										
Continued.										
<i>Volatile or essential—Continued.</i>										
<i>Other—</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....				150		20			964	1,344
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	6	6			105					
Belgium.....	2,443	873			37	168		1,732	7,680	
Denmark.....		800								
France.....	7,353	18,196	2,844	2,067	9,453	1,608	2,994	3,881	6,062	22,710
Germany.....	89,018	106,031	18,210	11,394	37,252	26,187	96,420	26,790	28,838	29,632
Italy.....		95	856		4,887	369	2,529	1,432	3,035	2,268
Netherlands.....	3,130	6,499	14		725		3,635	1,320	2,510	4,417
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						590		1,446	632	795
Spain.....		123			70	140	2,421	32	37	2,377
Sweden and Norway.....		11				56		1,730	615	565
Turkey in Europe.....			608							125
United Kingdom.....	74,775	71,491	17,770	22,877	6,969	22,652	64,329	46,830	75,883	113,838
Bermuda.....				6	49	55	165	46	9	248
British Honduras.....	18	8	149	596	116	48	47	12	26	7
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, N. Brunswick, etc.....		282	120	317	86	376	147	255	185	260
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....			35	4,450	2,215	3,773	8,406	5,048	5,419	6,979
British Columbia.....				15	35		1	4		
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	18	154	272	163	237	197		118	8	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	305	227	195	104	67	106	450	22		
Guatemala.....	129	64	24			10		40	1,016	388
Honduras.....	60	65	60	41	144	93	25		25	26
Nicaragua.....	241	795	491	108	77	128	6			760
Salvador.....	22	49		72	770					
Mexico.....	748	696	770	585	7,452	253	470	2,156	3,437	2,136
West Indies—										
British.....	805	1,031	1,328	584	47	286	311	625	78	578
Danish.....	10	38		67		83	30	258		
Dutch.....		161	360	2	23		51	8	27	30
French.....					25			5		
Haiti.....	52	188	12	40	132	17	4		30	160
Santo Domingo.....	7	132	9	30	43				515	10
Spanish—Cuba.....	1,392	755	1,922	3,868	2,751	2,335	2,000	1,628	1,380	1,881
Porto Rico.....	1,287	432	20	456	358	725	278	1,262	415	
Argentina.....	452	5,614				120		156	2,971	197
Brazil.....	153	34	941	86	588	710	676	398	298	1,950
Chile.....	154			1,454						420
Colombia.....	1,626	707	356	184	374	548	517	1,327	649	556
Ecuador.....	61		209	16	33	197		73	132	790
Guianas—British.....		405							24	
Peru.....	70	43			12			40	149	
Uruguay.....	200				343			106		
Venezuela.....	2,475	1,158	2,621	474	350	1,049	1,093	360	892	329
China.....	170		59	646	49	60				
East Indies—British.....										220
Hongkong.....	152		389							
Japan.....			360	1,500	150					521
British Australasia.....	1,228	5,215	13,443	15,205	2,165	50	783	1,765	2,073	3,223
Hawaiian Islands.....							2,300			1,100
French Africa.....		200								
British Africa.....	43	857	657	944	1,731	1,886	691	1,455	550	570
Portuguese Africa.....								127		37
All other Africa.....						12				
Total.....	188,603	223,435	65,104	68,501	79,920	64,907	110,798	102,487	146,569	201,497

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1880	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, REFINED OR MANUFACTURED—										
Continued.										
Volatile or essential—Continued.										
All other—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Austria-Hungary.....								25	1,277	
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		37		44	209					
Belgium.....	4	17,025	15,146	360	5,227	3,800	600	162,197	403,939	26,991
Denmark.....					250					
France.....			1,800	1,212	3,058				5,366	520
Germany.....	610	36	85	2,091	50,188	15,962	10,572	16,219	195,424	500,047
Italy.....							384		13,429	291
Netherlands.....		900		125	1,867	1,460	645	3,277	283,341	160,484
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....								375		
Spain.....				20						
Sweden and Norway.....					432		1,195	17,121	57,857	
United Kingdom.....	2,452	23,500	5,192	12,778	102,528	14,181	24,762	33,292	125,390	92,667
Bermuda.....				13	44	15	4	27	14	37
British Honduras.....		23	10	66	97		74	28	29	48
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, N. Brunswick, etc.....	699	1,014	1,562	1,390	137	936	2,883	815	700	439
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,147	7,183	4,066	12,067	16,043	30,012	25,703	31,143	28,588	51,449
British Columbia.....	4,425	4,997	7,587	5,300	4,020	5,614	4,102	3,345	6,410	16,927
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		577		202		15	6	22	16	20
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	3,132	2,502	1,133	852	1,862	894	422	848	2,374	424
Guatemala.....	787	1,915	2,058	1,499	3,893	1,580	3,428	3,845	3,744	2,948
Honduras.....	491	375	204	349	767	717	601	608	301	676
Nicaragua.....	2,864	2,271	3,868	1,435	597	457	1,510	1,478	1,053	1,649
Salvador.....	873	984	1,768	595	1,767	6,502	1,889	1,363	4,227	1,434
Mexico.....	15,828	12,650	13,387	12,067	22,196	28,289	9,956	16,189	13,313	8,662
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		12		45						
West Indies—										
British.....	546	3,342	5,775	860	1,628	2,906	572	1,192	1,404	946
Danish.....					4			16	2	448
Dutch.....	129	13	630	137	5	32		79	54	62
French.....									347	1,313
Haiti.....	559	78	110	99	57	151	15	36	53	355
Santo Domingo.....	222	1,122	1,215	139	371	153	564	554	664	1,230
Spanish—Cuba.....	878	101	31	516	464	451	1,402	1,017	18	1,162
Porto Rico.....	35	410	550	630	106	56		5	258	232
Argentina.....				1,600	2,288	124	146	35		92
Brazil.....	1,614	3,337	5,743	1,786	1,525	246	323	360	1,322	22
Chile.....	442	650		210	354	382	218		913	34
Colombia.....	745	695	919	862		561	396	495	895	1,063
Ecuador.....		34		26		32		77	248	1,047
Guianas—British.....	450	872	46		1,000				116	207
Dutch.....						140	568			20
French.....			43	25	22			30		107
Peru.....	473	67	527	2,153	368	957	12	350		
Uruguay.....						145			145	
Venezuela.....	8,288	5,962	10,307	3,579	6,824	4,772	6,782	6,614	4,724	1,486
China.....										160
East Indies—British.....					315					
Dutch.....									25	
Hongkong.....				818						
Japan.....	68	369	1,697			317	76	231	148	539
British Australasia.....	1,697	2,095	149	1,627	39		373	1,675	2,563	510
French Oceania.....		76	369		120	21	69		26	108
Hawaiian Islands.....	5,817	6,090	7,496	6,884	5,438	7,161	5,212	4,405	4,646	8,133
British Africa.....							45	537	552	35
Canary Islands.....									60	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Paints, pigments, and colors—Continued.										
ZINC, OXIDE OF—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....										41
Venezuela.....										24
Total.....										211, 299
Paints and painters' colors:										
Austria-Hungary.....		165	798	108	108	162	47		242	439
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	747	821	487	65	173	113	198	56	150	216
Belgium.....	13, 903	19, 690	35, 224	26, 868	17, 769	13, 503	21, 207	19, 654	18, 928	5, 709
Denmark.....	2, 543	5, 044	5, 473	6, 980	5, 120	5, 159	8, 298	8, 777	11, 248	5, 046
France.....	8, 346	9, 884	6, 931	9, 248	13, 502	17, 911	16, 459	31, 786	49, 533	22, 467
Germany.....	24, 379	39, 027	68, 877	56, 555	30, 350	40, 469	31, 724	36, 579	57, 614	15, 636
Gibraltar.....								165	145	291
Greece.....								5		
Italy.....	2, 269	911	283	3, 124	653	474	1, 304	758	844	2, 050
Netherlands.....	4, 477	12, 641	10, 115	6, 532	12, 261	39, 249	34, 884	19, 599	12, 730	4, 302
Portugal.....	35	14	15		82	15		22	415	135
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	213	887	1, 316	13		108	148	186	842	411
Russia, Black Sea.....			39		25				7	35
Spain.....	3, 515	7, 784	1, 985	2, 324	1, 710	2, 131	1, 066	2, 895	2, 377	1, 214
Sweden and Norway.....	4, 365	6, 244	4, 799	11, 446	10, 517	8, 653	8, 451	9, 952	9, 969	7, 350
Turkey in Europe.....				62	73		88			142
United Kingdom.....	149, 040	131, 953	180, 524	218, 522	210, 724	274, 160	183, 853	266, 980	275, 001	131, 457
Bermuda.....				1, 264	1, 179	849	1, 336	1, 278	1, 487	1, 339
British Honduras.....	889	1, 182	3, 185	2, 377	2, 803	559	806	1, 055	966	1, 124
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	18, 654	22, 117	31, 280	16, 713	18, 028	22, 438	33, 122	38, 013	19, 598	24, 647
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	26, 654	28, 354	23, 166	14, 555	36, 876	78, 070	71, 207	88, 134	78, 309	98, 287
British Columbia.....	11, 777	10, 188	11, 828	11, 797	7, 865	6, 776	3, 579	6, 143	9, 425	10, 158
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	9, 998	4, 978	5, 666	6, 800	11, 293	7, 916	3, 143	7, 328	5, 865	5, 524
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	3, 296	4, 666	1, 860	3, 153	2, 001	2, 276	3, 666	3, 419	2, 603	1, 463
Guatemala.....	10, 457	15, 261	15, 409	18, 332	29, 004	19, 532	23, 890	38, 957	36, 387	11, 338
Honduras.....	1, 358	2, 316	2, 038	1, 710	913	987	2, 362	1, 767	1, 614	2, 881
Nicaragua.....	6, 390	7, 693	10, 000	9, 195	5, 914	4, 975	6, 355	5, 714	9, 723	5, 784
Salvador.....	3, 685	4, 438	4, 034	6, 683	7, 146	3, 734	6, 655	13, 699	9, 424	3, 461
Mexico.....	36, 207	46, 439	53, 979	52, 079	57, 577	51, 940	59, 148	65, 124	77, 403	74, 075
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	4, 725	3, 501	3, 602	2, 259	2, 089	1, 993	2, 316	2, 716	3, 299	4, 565</

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Paints and painters' colors—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Hongkong.....	995	452	200	1,067	63	795	595	356	61	.....
Japan.....	1,493	2,029	1,330	1,156	1,731	2,661	6,542	4,033	14,092	14,583
Russia, Asiatic.....	1,690	1,212	1,036	718	1,609	869	1,500	875	431	1,054
Turkey in Asia.....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	.....	45	259	112	119
All other Asia.....	17	362	.....	13	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....
British Australasia.....	35,291	48,699	44,340	46,091	39,903	38,206	30,941	57,266	65,694	69,871
French Oceanica.....	.....	4,623	6,188	5,267	4,848	4,038	4,057	2,316	3,996	3,884
German Oceanica.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	124
Spanish Oceanica.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57	.....	86
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	415	207	219
Hawaiian Islands.....	19,563	30,967	36,935	29,501	25,767	28,603	30,765	34,700	44,263	49,291
Philippine Islands.....	816	264	216	.....	498	600	1,359	2,720	1,530	1,492
British Africa.....	1,500	271	318	533	707	1,313	2,269	12,515	16,720	15,856
Canary Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	.....	56	.....	58	56
French Africa.....	.....	.....	75	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	.....
Liberia.....	46	.....	92	130	84	130	71	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	234	278	167	335	405	894	746
Spanish Africa.....	.....	104	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	356
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	.....	40	3	28	71
All other Africa.....	332	148	42	.....	90	68	17	.....	101	196
All other British.....	.....	93	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....
All other French.....	5,623	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
German Oceanica and Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	109	.....	.....	.....
All other islands and ports.....	1,256	957	1,652	1,261	602	618	492	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	507,749	578,103	690,698	700,857	700,308	825,987	729,706	880,841	944,536	689,797
Paper, and manufactures of:										
PAPER HANGINGS—										
Austria-Hungary.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50
Belgium.....	.....	520	.....	.....	.....	350	150	49	500	8,726
Denmark.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	.....	.....
France.....	101	500	78	.....	.....	2,300	990	2,831	60	3,406
Germany.....	12,171	7,809	741	1,454	177	830	2,807	1,396	313	5,203
Italy.....	.....	2,973	13,535	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	371
Netherlands.....	1,054	.....	125	218	.....	.....	900	.....	.....	.....
Portugal.....	.....	297	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sweden and Norway.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Switzerland.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50
Turkey in Europe.....	.....	.....	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
United Kingdom.....	3,740	6,363	2,098	9,419	6,536	18,777	10,586	5,310	36,950	86,999
Bermuda.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	143	11	67	62	53	110
British Honduras.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	8	.....	34	48
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	1,734	4,280	3,776	4,242	6,249	5,703	6,412	7,836	6,410	8,404
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	24,792	42,524	44,562	15,967	38,656	62,925	58,316	43,187	42,392	38,661
British Columbia.....	1,442	2,124	557	573	2,002	3,304	2,850	4,650	3,032	4,171
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	493	.....	.....	.....	103	312	161	135	134	277
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,350	897	520	991	1,994	221	952	1,842	1,812	346
Guatemala.....	2,150	1,971	1,752	1,576	2,450	887	3,696	656	150	.....
Honduras.....	112	99	50	121	.....	47	26	34	12	168
Nicaragua.....	35	3	313	3	.....	36	122	51	.....	.....
Salvador.....	29	21	.....	1,440	757	64	875	121	304	15
Mexico.....	608	1,978	2,657	5,933	1,250	5,017	10,891	7,436	6,282	17,781
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	268	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Indies—										
British.....	234	579	296	381	505	214	511	674	336	391
Danish.....	58	61	12	93	68	35	14
Dutch.....	26	70	61	52	87	129	70	163	86
French.....	2

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
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Paper, and manufactures of—Continued.										
PRINTING PAPER—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Chile										21,484
Colombia										4,370
Ecuador										1,694
Guianas—British										14
Peru										9,297
Venezuela										4,066
China										8,802
East Indies—British										3,764
Hongkong										307
Japan										231,571
British Australasia										589,881
British Africa										4,686
All other Africa										130
Total										2,702,351
WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES—										
Azores, Madeira, etc		20		12						
Belgium	5				25	6,720	6,538	7,778	4,464	530
Denmark	48			497	22	42		49	36	
France	195	93	117	1,254	1,363	50	2,804	2,200	2,115	1,763
Germany	4,987	2,279	2,940	4,722	2,886	1,292	194	1,378	55	2,447
Italy	25	75	114	22				14		43
Netherlands		46		25	3	70	90			
Portugal	7				20	207	61	18		
Russia, Baltic and White Seas	90	154				18				250
Russia, Black Sea	242					32		16		54
Spain	21		35				35			
Sweden and Norway		178		7					180	
United Kingdom	57,257	38,119	15,104	18,079	21,783	6,501	3,746	2,499	1,517	14,132
Bermuda				86	149	96	217	128	271	348
British Honduras	21	38	48	156	34	44	80	130	138	152
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	742	744	468	61	345	935	1,795	2,989	2,806	8,231
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	455	74	521	50	5,657	11,317	13,298	23,892	34,833	40,603
British Columbia	1,441	1,145	1,019	425	310	637	796	431	346	731
Newfoundland and Labrador	15	256	103	20	570	314	19	36	40	70
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	1,406	2,547	1,715	2,453	2,781	1,242	1,905	1,648	2,013	874
Guatemala	960	529	2,681	1,001	8,078	291	19,704	589	1,869	883
Honduras	677	1,954	1,356	659	500	384	674	906	1,974	501
Nicaragua	1,165	908	1,337	811	2,188	270	791	571	359	262
Salvador	132	291	242	1,548	468	490	950	6,930	343	
Mexico	12,617	17,752	27,821	22,451	20,734	17,083	28,256	24,688	33,084	61,527
West Indies—										
British	3,042	1,330	890	506	894	592	1,050	496	440	2,501
Danish	159	58	42	30	58	36	11	62	12	3
Dutch	41	654	569	755	634	628	273	273	242	220
French										4
Haiti	932	846	410	243	1,943	221	149	113	159	464
Santo Domingo	923	802	493	749	639	1,074	385	1,198	252	541
Spanish—Cuba	17,674	23,736	18,613	21,835	17,106	12,596	6,035	2,929	2,567	3,178
Porto Rico	2,268	3,372	1,893	2,048	1,399	1,680	430	1,073	1,028	531
Argentina	6,459	1,155	6,538	1,285	3,234	3,103	6,784	9,605	678	211
Bolivia			58		5					
Brazil	7,105	5,162	9,826	5,964	6,352	2,518	4,446	3,203	2,055	2,870
Chile	3,570	6,837	8,318	1,838	3,922	3,963	2,064	2,929	5,585	5,786
Colombia	5,385	4,479	3,357	2,428	4,532	4,751	3,068	3,740	3,244	2,243
Ecuador	5,927	418	1,768	899	797	553	2,917	1,177	731	932

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Paper, and manufactures of—Continued.										
WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Guianas—British	130	27	137		175		54	183	10	10
Dutch				35			21		12	
French										8
Peru	1,468	2,417	1,861	2,449	539	261	112	168	87	188
Uruguay	379	623	572							
Venezuela	2,737	3,576	3,059	2,031	2,357	2,572	2,001	2,005	1,633	1,734
China				80				20	57	
East Indies—British				350		35	66			
Dutch		15								
Hongkong	345	236							22	
Japan	180			34	109	69	24		1,377	
Turkey in Asia							30		25	76
British Australasia	7,391	1,936	840	1,636	772	1,085	345	1,065	2,424	4,309
Hawaiian Islands		62	183	121	277	416	582	815	493	123
Philippine Islands										19
British Africa		18	4	56	251	117		83	731	1,096
Canary Islands									2	
Liberia	228	70	40	22	105				20	28
Portuguese Africa				137						23
All other Africa			28							
Total	148,851	125,041	115,020	99,870	114,016	84,305	112,770	108,117	110,329	160,499
ALL OTHER—										
Austria-Hungary			685	23	352	296	522	908	806	971
Azores, and Madeira Islands	12	661	99	27	43	21	35	7	24	46
Belgium	10,845	6,672	18,895	10,671	16,491	19,664	41,980	57,221	55,527	104,725
Denmark	1,910	3,518	692	2,027	1,712	3,112	1,156	2,250	2,973	4,975
France	8,023	8,724	6,606	9,400	11,054	9,977	7,326	27,194	34,065	20,300
Germany	26,438	27,945	34,072	29,917	37,754	40,143	41,276	98,552	63,618	51,715
Gibraltar	176	50	86	30	94	242	34	140	43	20
Italy	2,793	1,715	2,845	2,174	3,594	3,865	3,023	2,913	6,233	3,601
Netherlands	7,594	8,614	7,855	5,722	8,129	12,065	8,715	7,439	9,150	11,552
Portugal	21	104	128	75	452	478	135	219	843	388
Russia, Baltic and White Seas				20			1,250	1,607	3,070	2,531
Russia, Black Sea	31						72	5	39	
Spain	168	329	1,048	518	338	74	797	873	148	375
Sweden and Norway	412	980	237	907	1,270	1,546	427	1,421	1,688	5,042
Switzerland										1,156
Turkey in Europe				224	90					8
United Kingdom	214,916	247,902	222,296	245,595	245,479	371,959	487,418	587,993	1,005,841	693,622
Bermuda				5,204	3,664	3,835	4,893	5,909	4,941	5,753
British Honduras	1,754	1,557	1,437	2,296	1,613	1,416	1,619	2,647	2,185	2,037
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	24,208	18,992	20,731	20,541	21,568	27,391	21,925	16,067	24,197	20,649
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	67,190	56,505	52,282	89,759	124,551	428,788	505,812	525,684	534,900	554,572
British Columbia	9,312	8,454	11,281	15,699	11,794	16,313	54,316	35,821	38,078	25,462
Newfoundland and Labrador	3,876	5,589	3,203	7,697	14,593	9,978	6,157	5,873	6,178	5,524
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	5,480	7,033	6,585	8,124	6,608	3,654	5,323	13,144	8,012	5,150
Guatemala	6,739	6,837	16,162	12,091	17,317	21,041	40,926	32,646	23,451	6,784
Honduras	1,299	9,123	3,763	5,228	2,198	4,950	4,895	4,854	6,118	3,527
Nicaragua	3,994	5,257	6,097	3,239	3,936	3,539	3,505	5,337	4,584	5,382
Salvador	3,112	2,293	3,949	8,219	5,704	4,924	7,052	10,020	10,718	2,916
Mexico	64,130	74,640	78,137	89,398	108,318	98,832	101,489	197,427	201,222	140,750
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	701	599	181	312	385	336	106	168	95	55
West Indies—										
British	27,908	29,313	35,077	28,508	28,151	29,679	32,515	49,707	51,143	42,569
Danish	692	1,036	1,333	1,732	1,172	1,204	926	1,096	1,609	1,089
Dutch	1,748	1,360	1,798	1,138	1,843	1,965	1,513	1,392	1,732	2,288
French	465	80	118	142	194	202	168	60	100	133

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Paper, and manufactures of—Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Haiti	2,447	5,494	3,588	3,429	2,882	2,012	2,196	4,861	3,642	3,624
Santo Domingo	7,123	9,093	5,705	8,795	12,809	8,615	9,472	13,655	10,097	5,271
Spanish—Cuba	180,695	181,800	131,487	135,667	142,482	140,051	107,439	66,276	48,733	27,655
Porto Rico	46,489	41,294	27,684	42,395	19,145	16,630	12,038	14,338	12,796	3,141
Argentina	20,950	21,407	4,945	6,136	14,332	19,702	22,354	28,727	22,642	25,416
Bolivia	55	23	20			46	5			
Brazil	27,387	34,294	50,327	38,789	34,548	32,065	39,480	40,408	29,215	27,361
Chile	11,178	7,381	7,563	8,513	9,181	10,979	26,572	41,849	19,045	8,884
Colombia	26,024	14,197	14,487	19,705	23,222	16,648	13,300	18,539	22,423	12,431
Ecuador	2,417	1,930	1,719	3,555	2,331	3,057	3,866	2,250	6,374	2,958
Guianas—British	217	338	249	1,371	12,250	7,532	6,981	12,460	10,671	8,894
Dutch		53	8	34	25	48	170	191	234	457
French	5		4	25	18	33		22	490	456
Peru	4,014	3,000	7,596	4,921	4,456	2,819	3,363	5,161	5,051	6,997
Uruguay	5,317	6,323	1,220	1,614	1,921	3,223	3,518	4,429	3,984	3,089
Venezuela	12,794	17,609	18,755	9,433	8,624	8,015	8,126	16,960	18,280	4,335
China	198	702	317	618	1,700	1,462	840	453	3,247	25,070
East Indies—British	1,236	168	1,011	1,117	279	29	1,335	2,439	2,825	3,013
Dutch		76						85		151
French				70						
Hongkong	1,222	81	442	3,413	405	185	885	1,034	991	1,051
Japan	1,357	1,606	1,297	1,322	4,320	2,486	4,892	10,016	5,491	256,257
Russia, Asiatic		653	117	116	144	329	69	232	106	48
Turkey in Asia		10		489			45			15
All other Asia		217	206		204		221	464	344	
British Australasia	87,162	78,319	258,345	295,538	352,204	284,466	267,947	496,376	724,251	230,584
French Oceania		949	867	781	1,014	671	792	873	995	795
Tonga, Samoa, etc								166	164	276
Hawaiian Islands	27,019	38,297	34,237	25,347	25,601	29,621	35,550	31,782	35,091	45,359
Philippine Islands					21		20	10		525
British Africa	1,151	860	276	912	659	1,107	3,220	9,472	18,047	14,168
Canary Islands				16	93	91	650	14		9
French Africa	23									
Liberia		3	9	12		68		69		
Portuguese Africa								288	120	710
Spanish Africa	97		96							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	18			79	210				305	5
All other Africa				30				405	2,038	738
All other French	1,095									
All other islands and ports	123	85	86	122	108	453	641			
Total	963,760	1,002,144	1,090,351	1,221,021	1,355,764	1,713,929	1,963,284	2,520,901	3,111,688	2,444,810
Paraffin and paraffin wax:										
Austria-Hungary	2,678		1,790	10,846		12,758	91,941	69,691	86,873	137,194
Belgium	1,260		52,133	11,164	123,635	167,317	88,280	201,913	182,536	143,501
Denmark					26,055	11,117	9,750	5,073	3,653	3,641
France	2,850	2,255	5,503	43,523	61,811	33,006	21,683	81,773	56,696	120,750
Germany	225,571	256,504	209,921	390,860	273,102	292,236	254,061	624,161	658,619	926,540
Gibraltar						6,000	285	36		
Italy	6,516	9,708	4,292	10,204	89,111	84,016	88,222	150,846	209,060	307,311
Netherlands	4,366	15,900	39,688	37,144	46,846	26,698	19,679	28,880	58,274	129,183
Portugal				740	4,140	140		4,680	3,870	33,353
Russia, Baltic and White Seas				8,916			952	7,120	2,750	3,750
Russia, Black Sea						7,300			3,210	2,600
Spain			9,608	10,541	20,199			1,888	12,900	22,726
Sweden and Norway		2,000					3,313	10,448	28,005	19,259
Switzerland										24
United Kingdom	1,750,069	2,064,247	3,298,268	3,320,770	3,666,228	2,847,809	2,568,201	2,759,112	3,126,041	3,671,424

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Paraffin and paraffin wax—Continued.										
British Honduras.....									10	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc...	368	84	110	60	58	38	257	246	73	460
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	7	15,444	13,326	16,975	3,995	14,148	2,177	1,859	1,663	3,289
British Columbia.....	5							55	7	30
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	83			342					11	51
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	4,646	6,297	9,320	4,624	6,795	15,955	21,708	24,606	31,073	21,397
Guatemala.....					58		525	610		
Honduras.....										297
Nicaragua.....	31									
Mexico.....	17,683	32,898	58,487	68,776	79,456	88,283	117,141	163,644	144,805	157,861
West Indies—										
British.....	216	388	884	656	846	580	729	604	602	660
Danish.....	37	13			9		8	26		
Dutch.....	257									
French.....	72	66	83	32	114	48	35	65	35	30
Haiti.....					433					127
Santo Domingo.....		145	39				12	19	11	
Spanish—Cuba.....		106	325	1,150	2,412	692	274	1,282	2,482	90
Porto Rico.....	295	965	1,123	834	1,496	3,362	250	556	939	330
Argentina.....	506			6				215		212
Brazil.....	284	696	889	2,130	2,976	5,308	13,677	14,959	13,960	10,968
Chile.....								430	214	825
Colombia.....				172		11	109	199	295	407
Ecuador.....										20
Guianas—British.....									12	371
Peru.....	24		1,105					4,178	4,052	3,816
Uruguay.....					8			15		
Venezuela.....	11	169	258	299	142	1,773	54		120	52
China.....					227					50
East Indies—British.....						2,400	416	1,000	3,078	
Hongkong.....							300		165	2,698
Japan.....	123		255	976	77,824	73,315	63,858	127,001	171,476	158,305
British Australasia.....	44	824	6,437	18,092	19,233	102,624	154,068	96,608	96,590	117,241
British Africa.....	2,570			5,431	8,305	24,227	47,649	23,043	49,892	29,336
French Africa.....			810							
Portuguese Africa.....									3,074	170
Total.....	2,029,602	2,408,709	3,714,649	3,965,263	4,515,534	3,820,656	3,569,614	4,406,841	4,957,096	6,000,292
Perfumery and cosmetics:										
Austria-Hungary.....			33	297	227			17		
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	167	358	192	38	28	108	7	16	6	50
Belgium.....	1,937	2,366	2,265	3,771	2,631	3,187	3,451	3,702	2,189	3,115
Denmark.....	312	526	747	478	521	1,216	590	553	710	503
France.....	6,811	1,905	1,090	3,671	2,190	787	804	2,749	766	2,705
Germany.....	13,836	8,160	7,177	6,935	8,060	12,859	3,192	2,798	2,610	4,043
Gibraltar.....	10,685	24,202	18,675	12,004	6,818	9,047	18,300	6,128	7,820	6,235
Greece.....								144		
Italy.....	389	3,296	138	44	75	33	920	126	454	1,891
Malta, Gozo, etc.....								8,208	6,150	5,042
Netherlands.....	732	853	1,517	494	1,225	1,244	663	1,280	1,176	1,441
Portugal.....	2,191	4,377	2,783	6,245	655	619	277	316	123	387
Roumania.....				1,502	146	306	46		34	17
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	666	76	160	1,425	1,552	931	153	76		6
Russia, Black Sea.....					451			28		
Spain.....	67	288	2,642	148	302		975	4,934	2,442	2,556
Sweden and Norway.....			16		480	6	11	9	20	207
Turkey in Europe.....						143	554	923		612
United Kingdom.....	32,154	55,584	38,909	45,599	31,533	50,876	27,378	15,390	13,568	23,571

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
<i>Perfumery and cosmetics—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Bermuda				580	1,814	1,842	1,723	1,096	1,202	1,622
British Honduras	3,081	3,025	4,057	3,839	2,407	1,824	3,414	3,838	4,992	3,529
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	344	475	1,007	882	158	290	524	1,133	56	264
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	7,316	7,735	10,200	16,966	21,646	6,648	7,048	7,573	9,080	11,173
British Columbia		361		82		176	174	58	13	860
Newfoundland and Labrador	1,465	1,402	1,787	1,434	2,634	1,194	785	912	708	533
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	4,042	4,440	7,771	5,124	4,312	4,408	4,654	6,285	5,427	3,728
Guatemala	5,813	4,369	9,303	5,181	6,581	2,602	4,267	5,261	5,808	1,970
Honduras		5,475	4,963	3,408	1,661	2,323	3,644	4,808	3,869	4,004
Nicaragua	6,443	7,160	14,664	8,493	3,323	6,046	12,192	9,043	12,151	3,774
Salvador	5,042	4,651	5,999	5,275	5,387	4,174	4,501	6,526	4,812	2,993
Mexico	14,396	15,062	26,383	31,922	8,800	7,807	14,533	11,083	8,553	5,048
Miquelon, Langley, etc.		27								
West Indies—										
British	14,308	13,144	20,963	15,400	16,301	18,859	20,930	19,502	19,901	18,402
Danish	1,443	1,685	600	2,117	954	2,215	602	1,430	1,336	1,051
Dutch	252	508	952	578	1,066	1,379	892	1,498	1,842	1,373
French	209	75	159	441	121	77	119	54	48	18
Haiti	647	1,370	408	729	1,636	1,797	2,134	1,936	1,385	1,798
Santo Domingo	1,232	888	890	1,027	1,147	2,544	841	860	668	1,030
Spanish—Cuba	21,388	22,653	24,564	21,003	26,453	22,228	13,161	8,561	8,898	7,935
Porto Rico	2,201	3,138	2,266	2,945	2,501	2,844	1,946	1,987	1,680	844
Argentina	8,533	3,599	3,534	1,860	2,727	1,138	6,377	4,782	5,275	3,819
Bolivia	50		180	97	60	70				92
Brazil	56,461	43,992	52,588	30,475	50,791	38,126	43,090	39,615	19,013	23,340
Chile	19,981	14,578	15,459	14,715	12,631	6,707	12,719	10,973	8,198	6,947
Colombia	19,826	17,880	22,306	19,632	16,092	12,323	15,276	20,262	23,487	16,941
Ecuador	22,774	8,675	9,926	880	2,942	692	1,570	1,376	1,504	9,239
Guianas—British	2,233	290	1,226	2,151	2,796	2,926	4,297	2,819	3,604	1,608
Dutch		536	276	489	243	193	764	378	418	492
French				18						
Paraguay										29
Peru	31,813	21,068	37,390	22,192	14,600	14,039	17,686	35,374	19,060	26,287
Uruguay	17,245	4,141	4,212	5,292	3,800	1,595	6,855	4,980	6,248	4,116
Venezuela	5,650	5,417	9,788	7,464	8,793	10,443	11,386	10,895	10,959	8,073
Aden										224
China	12,375	12,471	13,919	9,253	16,490	6,090	13,979	7,486	18,319	6,733
East Indies—British	3,242	2,186	7,065	2,963	4,568	5,379	4,771	15,917	10,210	12,583
Dutch							130	94		88
Hongkong	36,948	27,266	13,573	32,148	11,966	15,056	12,081	14,846	25,516	20,304
Japan	1,500	3,617	5,134	2,681	3,795	1,975	3,029	1,579	2,368	4,785
Russia, Asiatic					132	66				
Turkey in Asia				335			16	72	305	348
All other Asia	52									280
British Australasia	11,904	37,879	23,194	16,277	13,414	14,147	7,772	12,991	15,389	16,100
French Oceania		65			86				24	120
Hawaiian Islands	1,409	2,241	2,101	2,834	2,652	1,786	3,660	2,259	1,803	995
Philippine Islands	253	3,060	483	1,348	86	103	118	1,507		
British Africa	2,034	2,438	3,115	5,972	4,091	4,030	4,032	8,351	8,433	8,913
Canary Islands				8,263	6,195	11,392	9,390	12,119	2,771	6,875
French Africa	160		210					41	7	33
Liberia	87	99	282	96	66	132	18	24		
Portuguese Africa				65	35	42	81	64	248	206
Spanish Africa	5,014	6,730	7,051							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	138		4,125	4,200		3,026		134	3,210	2,974
All other Africa				179				247	28	89
All other British	16,514	12,271		2,750	194	3,690	3,093			
All other islands and ports	89		246							
Total	439,794	430,151	450,663	404,706	345,041	327,835	338,495	350,116	316,913	306,363

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Plated ware:										
Austria-Hungary.....									75	
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....						32				
Belgium.....	4,143	7,098	5,064	4,781	1,858	3,366	146	444	1,909	1,028
Denmark.....	2,644	1,734	1,809	793	4,494	4,707	1,053	1,446	508	
France.....	21,855	28,179	24,347	16,135	1,380	1,610	1,490	2,901	10,305	5,342
Germany.....	41,935	44,625	41,048	29,223	33,877	33,282	20,697	26,307	28,667	16,262
Gibraltar.....	24		120	130	83			95	569	
Greece.....					55					85
Italy.....	5,382	1,265	180	351	787	494	66	1,081	57	158
Netherlands.....	9,382	2,104	1,819	293	189	1,283	1,005	5,216	1,445	336
Portugal.....	355	705	970	137	266	546	72	223	48	68
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....								386		175
Russia, Black Sea.....								135	91	81
Spain.....	4,848	2,209	1,248	1,162	446	1,292	1,457	532	534	456
Sweden and Norway.....	661	1,266	593	279	1,707	953	1,000	227	686	466
Turkey in Europe.....				54				284		128
United Kingdom.....	38,914	15,398	18,585	23,061	21,453	11,485	31,199	33,439	26,846	17,587
Bermuda.....				474	484	897	1,381	5,032	2,003	1,900
British Honduras.....	291	248	57	492	367	250	91	397	530	439
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	23	278	348	230	1,090	5,773	7,800	7,540	7,891	9,059
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	27,792	31,677	38,934	60,503	50,996	53,317	104,979	96,696	99,656	131,132
British Columbia.....	1,736	1,425	2,256	517	13	66	636	159	394	185
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		188		330	572	1,837	532	31	565	585
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,647	2,136	2,867	3,429	1,398	568	616	3,770	4,161	1,054
Guatemala.....	2,237	7,728	9,634	3,326	2,628	1,289	1,352	3,281	5,677	1,437
Honduras.....	35	795	321	252	17	266	361	194	138	
Nicaragua.....	478	1,334	2,162	2,853	1,025	378	1,016	2,244	1,223	379
Salvador.....	439	1,035	905	619	1,116	397	362	458	2,321	60
Mexico.....	9,012	7,666	9,706	7,460	9,195	3,692	10,406	6,628	7,887	7,999
West Indies—										
British.....	2,667	3,011	2,952	4,522	2,023	4,417	3,962	3,839	4,156	4,528
Danish.....	1,428	1,029	702	204	114	566	654	526	482	73
Dutch—British.....	1,193	1,402	806	959	1,013	1,509	1,209	3,035	4,217	1,395
French.....	1,141	885	1,016	564	693	433	460	550	685	145
Haiti.....	310	1,106	924	1,129	729	928	1,020	1,122	1,037	447
Santo Domingo.....	311	562	233	482	255	215	280	263	305	101
Spanish—Cuba.....	10,695	11,801	14,206	18,832	20,722	14,352	10,030	5,395	6,619	7,130
Porto Rico.....	3,668	3,661	2,103	2,991	2,950	2,712	1,784	1,890	2,013	1,336
Argentina.....	131,561	72,370	15,310	4,379	28,180	24,189	22,024	28,727	47,382	50,129
Bolivia.....	75				861	1,475				
Brazil.....	32,439	22,736	63,450	45,777	22,328	23,117	27,639	25,556	17,148	19,991
Chile.....	30,860	27,508	15,445	21,288	40,765	10,953	16,554	28,229	15,136	11,318
Colombia.....	10,222	3,173	3,524	7,710	3,755	4,125	2,155	4,788	5,752	3,998
Ecuador.....	2,118	1,836	3,771	3,824	2,258	2,281	3,474	2,212	2,225	2,024
Guianas—British.....	198	430	627	599	692	534	560	213	260	328
Dutch.....			60		10	15	15	7		
French.....	22			41		65	33	85	14	47
Peru.....	6,115	8,409	8,523	6,936	3,267	2,432	975	4,736	3,419	2,102
Uruguay.....	25,688	29,322	7,237	4,397	4,885	6,015	5,352	6,375	8,390	7,158
Venezuela.....	10,308	11,374	11,330	2,427	1,399	3,378	6,582	5,927	4,987	1,233
China.....	5,326	18,500	33,475	5,825	394	300		920	524	112
East Indies—British.....	29,237	3,985	1,777	4,436	3,136	1,096	2,867	3,904	5,023	2,762
Dutch.....			1,255	2,493	464	50	642	2,365	1,077	1,731
Hongkong.....	4,112		2,864	3,297	132	195	42	2,600	3,182	111
Japan.....	1,482	940	4,502	132	338	51	160	2,383	3,468	965
Turkey in Asia.....		30		172				60	63	38
All other Asia.....		14				16			72	10
British Australasia.....	91,623	48,643	46,731	52,430	24,406	37,547	26,494	49,816	80,158	70,170
French Oceania.....		70	118							

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Plated ware—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Hawaiian Islands.....	5,740	6,800	5,880	4,441	2,286	2,637	4,628	3,365	9,047	11,679
Philippine Islands.....	1,934		98	67	315	402				
British Africa.....	2,417	1,997	2,538	11,555	8,409	7,566	9,163	19,672	11,374	19,186
Canary Islands.....				76	110					
Liberia.....		7	52		31	39				
Portuguese Africa.....								50	113	74
Spanish Africa.....			140							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....							93		32	243
All other Africa.....								558	486	859
All other British.....			77							
All other islands and ports.....							20			
Total.....	587,163	440,714	414,719	369,478	322,016	281,890	336,618	408,314	443,032	417,821
Silk, manufactures of:										
Austria-Hungary.....						38				
Belgium.....		420		2,100	575	13,632	835	678	1,905	4,120
Denmark.....	347									
France.....	5,517	1,819	2,427	29,785	750	400	2,475	13,139	1,301	1,982
Germany.....	131	660	34	1,453	5,919	4,626	559	234	337	3,176
Italy.....	100	50							1,125	5,380
Netherlands.....									4	
Sweden and Norway.....										34
Switzerland.....		200				800		200		
United Kingdom.....	14,992	4,481	13,985	4,551	5,286	3,711	24,154	15,065	7,905	5,483
Bermuda.....				817	131	183	289	300	403	224
British Honduras.....						10	15	63	176	248
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	226	173	447	1,568	3,741	5,855	5,471	5,194	3,825	8,200
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	2,407	3,047	19,530	57,147	68,088	135,061	142,052	125,468	128,220	200,497
British Columbia.....	739		56	490	468	680	322	293	800	1,331
Newfoundland and Labrador.....			59			66			144	414
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	350		63			545	2,635		69	380
Guatemala.....	320	309	373	396	214	1,764	4,618	14,151	1,617	926
Honduras.....		129	5			2,600	58	20	8	35
Nicaragua.....	214	57	421	197	131	44	297	636	146	108
Salvador.....	250		48	1,000	300	1,149	344	890	375	
Mexico.....	7,163	2,996	2,974	2,425	6,044	10,812	19,532	66,153	34,724	37,196
West Indies—										
British.....	372	762	247	198	42	374	122	1,210	861	357
Danish.....	5			51			15	10	6	3
Dutch.....	34	163	17	110	26	104	298	826	65	49
French.....								5		
Haiti.....		20		24		376	8	498	151	115
Santo Domingo.....								50		
Spanish—Cuba.....	460	176	619	1,679	1,243	440	2,567	593	193	358
Porto Rico.....	21	8						10		
Argentina.....	1,346	4,703	12	1,340	3,510	1,150	1,115	689	21	551
Brazil.....	25,566	22,111	37,594	33,386	54,346	27,763	31,625	38,979	21,142	15,683
Chile.....		22						15	44	391
Colombia.....	738	677	623	850	254	826	654	401	1,973	903
Ecuador.....	341	378	801	358	1,019	130	266	22	265	235
Guianas—Dutch.....										25
Peru.....			93	50		61		39	126	200
Uruguay.....	120						132	60		
Venezuela.....	1,220	1,702	2,401	1,638	1,613	1,751	3,919	2,402	2,625	982
China.....	325									
Japan.....	400		10	78	86	36	138	1,433	1,593	450
Hongkong.....	761	26								

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Silk, manufactures of—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia.....	4,435	4,321	4,768	5,730	5,040	15,110	8,893	6,274	8,567	4,037
French Oceania.....		36		300	1,040	870	24			
Hawaiian Islands.....	4,081	5,003	4,464	4,440	1,807	2,798	2,734	4,884	3,458	3,001
British Africa.....									160	
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....							15			
All other Africa.....									386	
All other French.....	18									
Total.....	72,990	54,449	92,071	152,150	161,673	283,765	256,181	300,884	224,660	297,074
Soap:										
TOILET OR FANCY—										
Austria-Hungary.....				85	191		32		228	103
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	81	89	137	45	21	5	14		36	167
Belgium.....	180	2	104	255	128	65	1,352	220	176	84
Denmark.....		50		5					160	
France.....	184	723	1,064	792	1,133	684	848	706	1,027	1,371
Germany.....	1,303	723	995	1,310	2,024	1,859	1,017	918	656	1,410
Italy.....	189	99	208	86	125	18	132	323	482	101
Netherlands.....	75	66	146	145	47	572	622	903	124	223
Portugal.....	69	355	298	94	29	11	50	36	117	13
Roumania.....				120		137	98		203	87
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....				272	313	14	18		10	
Russia, Black Sea.....				22	15					
Spain.....	18	526	1,200				76			
Sweden and Norway.....	38	5	136	43	65	88	65	115		399
Turkey in Europe.....										116
United Kingdom.....	14,387	10,795	19,224	6,204	12,453	20,640	43,497	30,028	30,171	75,699
Bermuda.....				1,061	1,073	994	1,100	667	580	649
British Honduras.....	94	99	530	813	428	221	482	727	858	1,161
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	350	380	133	474	410	257	1,424	926	558	1,577
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	7,351	6,657	7,585	11,085	12,383	13,535	20,610	34,384	36,328	27,730
British Columbia.....	52	230	424	593	376	576	411	559	332	3,952
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	218	76	127	295	173	215	111	269	22	233
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	354	414	400	273	389	267	568	410	963	103
Guatemala.....	241	739	1,362	904	891	852	1,177	1,874	2,395	1,633
Honduras.....	121	81	214	376	220	296	410	437	473	671
Nicaragua.....	667	873	1,332	1,161	962	1,247	1,108	1,281	985	240
Salvador.....	44	11	215	468	159	48	197	393	392	76
Mexico.....	1,439	2,042	3,832	5,197	4,720	2,769	3,757	4,683	4,601	4,068
West Indies—										
British.....	2,706	3,373	6,559	4,898	4,350	5,143	6,514	5,606	8,645	7,249
Danish.....	75	45	76	124	9	123	152	24	65	255
Dutch.....	195	184	805	300	736	544	594	1,188	714	685
French.....	23	10		7	42		17	25	36	6
Haiti.....	45	735	435	10	133	607	1,094	617	90	180
Santo Domingo.....	308	354	521	271	571	1,029	370	884	695	470
Spanish—Cuba.....	2,893	5,429	5,501	4,359	6,944	9,787	3,961	1,879	2,050	2,343
Porto Rico.....	90	161	271	175	386	424	343	365	164	82
Argentina.....	3,996	4,298	733	560	3,882	2,553	4,180	7,753	11,861	18,173
Bolivia.....						111				
Brazil.....	2,505	1,020	2,171	1,762	3,866	4,461	6,810	7,040	6,089	6,381
Chile.....	579	1,235	751	2,469	1,836	3,216	3,143	4,722	2,852	5,354
Colombia.....	4,285	2,400	3,020	3,346	3,292	1,539	2,640	2,963	4,739	3,636
Ecuador.....	236	47	80	117	289	647	501	601	1,495	1,309
Guianas—British.....	27	28	346	150	194	359	668	1,783	1,046	430
Dutch.....				13	101	78	67	110	64	75
Peru.....	536	213	498	1,809	2,391	2,055	2,121	1,635	3,390	3,365
Uruguay.....	539	518	62	546	531	256	729	662	111	306
Venezuela.....	950	1,652	2,714	1,387	1,404	1,847	2,363	1,629	2,253	1,685

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Soap—Continued.										
TOILET OR FANCY—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
China.....	211	71	269	781	554	189	553	437	396	1,395
East Indies—British.....	257	506	581	63	1,269	1,075	477	2,697	3,473	4,140
Dutch.....							12	4		
Hongkong.....	315	751	476	742	901	495	910	1,294	1,058	1,202
Japan.....	380	887		1,734	664	557	1,965	1,660	2,079	8,171
Turkey in Asia.....								135	91	446
All other Asia.....	25		33		47	10	37	127	15	
British Australasia.....	12,128	16,519	19,488	41,116	29,480	17,456	23,409	36,077	65,428	82,002
Hawaiian Islands.....	248	1,051	161	479	160	645	1,060	239	351	1,049
Philippine Islands.....							9			
British Africa.....	137	285	315	427	706	636	781	1,367	2,777	3,508
Canary Islands.....				51		6				
Liberia.....	5	21	980	20	75	69			9	5
Portuguese Africa.....				22	103	3			86	27
Spanish Africa.....		199	177							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	15		15						80	
All other Africa.....									483	120
Total.....	61,164	67,027	86,704	99,914	103,649	101,290	144,656	169,382	204,564	275,935
OTHER—										
Austria-Hungary.....									300	
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	283	84	147	23	126		58		17	12
Belgium.....	6,407	2,283	3,497	1,191	876	1,016	438	608	938	922
Denmark.....			80	338		4		582	2,125	387
France.....	199	60	406	80	2,475			2	1,159	1,572
Germany.....	2,036	4,484	2,508	939	345	19,770	1,106	735	2,933	1,172
Italy.....	124	76			200				502	214
Netherlands.....	114	183	429	48		1,644	243	2,719	88	270
Portugal.....			591		135	108		181		270
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		300	493					2,400		
Spain.....			790	1,600						
Sweden and Norway.....	117		448	961	399	317	319	224	846	171
Turkey in Europe.....				160						
United Kingdom.....	298,363	451,917	466,565	432,788	375,522	496,739	560,654	625,276	469,346	686,086
Bermuda.....				6,750	5,689	6,487	5,017	8,548	5,238	5,940
British Honduras.....	2,674	1,619	2,106	1,940	1,316	670	808	2,180	1,728	3,028
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	4,714	4,317	4,705	3,635	708	516	1,656	394	749	2,156
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,043	2,990	143	799	6,946	8,719	6,247	21,023	17,120	15,461
British Columbia.....	672	1,143	2,002	1,214	1,611	3,080	2,770	3,520	3,173	5,786
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	8,924	9,896	6,260	9,815	8,090	2,454	2,014	1,453	2,016	523
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	949	801	1,178	1,273	1,126	831	532	1,960	2,061	2,137
Guatemala.....	1,224	1,621	1,481	2,555	2,826	451	712	1,455	1,849	1,081
Honduras.....	4,163	3,473	7,127	5,129	3,941	6,970	6,285	6,015	8,313	7,445
Nicaragua.....	4,648	3,705	4,676	1,740	1,306	686	875	1,709	2,960	3,613
Salvador.....	1,184		93	32		235	105		206	65
Mexico.....	36,151	22,845	26,221	30,632	30,667	28,952	22,162	33,705	8,099	14,033
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		62	15	34					5	
West Indies—										
British.....	30,681	20,285	22,175	20,202	20,367	25,993	16,650	30,035	34,339	26,519
Danish.....	516	1,785	2,462	1,350	3,295	1,872	1,609	1,389	671	1,329
Dutch.....	1,331	2,034	2,394	1,727	2,103	2,067	2,153	3,485	4,156	1,630
French.....	263	21	444	50	109	59	274	144	151	598
Haiti.....	184,281	283,389	277,903	283,587	305,550	283,524	173,375	168,248	147,977	102,691
Santo Domingo.....	8,811	273	452	53	608	1,982	2,714	4,675	11,575	3,462
Spanish—Cuba.....	1,824	1,215	1,304	1,540	1,575	2,049	1,084	1,917	1,017	1,712
Porto Rico.....	81		88		19	42	200	255	338	
Argentina.....	2,322	2,653	3,960	588	2,752	4,544	2,495	7,010	5,611	10,461
Bolivia.....				115	227		54	714		561

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Spirits, distilled—Continued.										
OTHER, INCLUDING PURE, NEUTRAL, OR COLOGNE SPIRITS—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....										2,620
Belgium.....			190				6,996		7,500	
France.....				106,139					5,100	26,112
Germany.....				93,545		2,600	98,249	28,775	8,996	77,043
Netherlands.....						5,500				
Turkey in Europe.....										320
United Kingdom.....	260	459	1,204	20,840		15,518	39,737	14,004	300	226
Bermuda.....				1,227	2,199	1,604	1,290	213	70	278
British Honduras.....		130	1,164	10		10				4
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....		8		6,873						
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	4,723	5,631	11,436	8,394	20,492	19,880	26,347	19,188	11,299	20,092
British Columbia.....				17		25				65
Newfoundland and Labrador.....								9		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	10	1,018	1,077	30	23		4,000		29,312	7,961
Guatemala.....		536	1,363	4,401	1,755	245	77	265	64	16
Honduras.....	932	2,210	8,664	221	90	17			17	3
Nicaragua.....	1,515	5,426	15,654	24,379	10,913	4,858		3	1,552	2,136
Salvador.....				31	129			1,834	20,477	
Mexico.....	14,902	13,389	2,849	15,554	4,480	2,933	1,621	15,691	11,787	8,132
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	29,001	122,626	116,726	114,167				666		
West Indies—										
British.....	994	4,069	4,163	154	61	239	61	230	195	32
Danish.....	1,667	735	891	2,900	3,132	2,640	702	750	145	
Dutch.....		9	29			27	25		127	68
Haiti.....	77	744	1,168	1,248	1,414	1,870	1,090	446	796	124
Santo Domingo.....		12	7	14	108	145	53	82	37	17
Spanish—Cuba.....	121		97	125		78			29	
Porto Rico.....	167		48	162						
Brazil.....		42			498					
Chile.....			18							
Colombia.....	1,404	1,944	8,023	2,272	897	2,128	769	1,269	1,231	507
Ecuador.....				340						13
Guianas—British.....	27									
Peru.....			97	132					105	
Uruguay.....	14,171			6,062						
Venezuela.....	28	23		28	27	25	16	95		
China.....	207	60								
Japan.....	7,647	1,061	2,762	52,216	2,577			375	20,997	316,787
Russia, Asiatic.....				246	73	116	300	243		
Turkey in Asia.....				5,000						
British Australasia.....		754		4,145		1,600		130	810	387
French Oceania.....	40									
Hawaiian Islands.....		1,720	1,849	1,095	3,460	108		900	317	400
British Africa.....		15,648						124	16,602	
Canary Islands.....				2,363						273
Liberia.....				30						
Spanish Africa.....	722		1,320							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....				1,577						
All other Africa.....									2,271	
Total.....	78,615	178,257	180,299	475,937	52,328	62,166	181,393	85,292	140,046	463,616
BRANDY—										
Austria-Hungary.....								15		
Belgium.....						3,890	425	28	358	
Denmark.....				30				595	577	125
France.....				152	691		1,507	97	505	6

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Spirits, distilled—Continued.										
BRANDY—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Germany			71,390	91,133	28,305	225,264	14,264	327	444	1,427
Gibraltar					229					
Italy.....								684		6
Netherlands.....			50	224	110	10		109		72
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....					77					
Russia, Black Sea					209					
Switzerland				480						
United Kingdom			25,470	70,804	54,778	45,889	68,714	60,087	4,214	23,165
Bermuda				48	50	10,000	1,824	2,193		
British Honduras								6		
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....			17				12	17		6
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....			18	33	60	25	389	38	90	9
British Columbia			935	2,678	829	26	34	283	29	10,031
Newfoundland and Labrador.....								4		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....			598	617	365	350	94	698	116	61
Guatemala.....			1,061	1,641	756	679	273	1,741	1,222	445
Honduras.....			311	27	12	34	274	444	751	702
Nicaragua			1,274	1,056	81	605	50	372	386	16
Salvador.....			5,973	2,204	1,489	443	1,860	5,973	632	84
Mexico			1,803	1,561	1,417	1,158	1,837	2,794	1,913	2,054
West Indies—										
British			375	497				608	12	
Danish						211	42		70	75
Dutch								13	69	
French					10					
Haiti				233			84			
Santo Domingo.....			29	28			10			
Spanish—Cuba.....				42		54				
Porto Rico.....							10			
Argentina							33			
Brazil				5		4				
Chile					8	50				
Colombia			420	757	57	32		211	103	87
Ecuador									11	
Peru.....						9				166
Venezuela						9	18	8	60	80
China.....				75	10			57	26	39
East Indies -British.....			15					14		
Hongkong.....						26		50		
Japan			603	128	153	609	274	489	87	359
British Australasia.....				466	37	31	1,975	7,986	9	
French Oceania.....			133		16	56	75			
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								10		
Hawaiian Islands.....			1,136	3,367	892	1,440	826	1,143	956	440
German Oceania and Africa.....						93				
Liberia				8						
All other islands and ports.....			46			25				
Total			111,657	178,294	90,731	291,022	94,924	87,294	12,640	39,455
WINE—										
Austria.....										2,650
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		842								
Belgium							300			
Denmark					714					
France.....		1,092				25,362	4,500			
Germany									930	

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Spirits, distilled—Continued.										
<i>RYE</i> —Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Greenland, Iceland, etc.										60
Russia, Baltic and White Seas							185			
Turkey in Europe				3,072	13,505	13,354				43,050
United Kingdom		235,290	202,697	32,281	38,740	34,443	228,925	160,112	107,657	1,232
Bermuda					89			9		
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.										2
Quebec, Ontario, etc.						10		200	138	238
British Columbia							11		13	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica										75
Guatemala			67	335	103			38	95	66
Honduras			63							
Mexico		10	20				21	30	4	51
West Indies—										
British		50	252	60						
Dutch					20					9
Spanish—Cuba			12	23					71	
Chile			375			80				
Colombia									116	
Guianas—British		56,325								
French								185		
China			60	24					300	662
Japan					33		16		856	1,308
Turkey in Asia			60,873	20,287	41,426	60,833	26,148			1,930
British Australasia		27							50	
Hawaiian Islands								55		
British Africa		212,367	719,358	863,798	680,633	944,569	874,659	998,436	992,545	792,188
French Africa			245,396							
Liberia		106,979								
Turkey in Africa—Egypt			1,690	2,033	2,675	3,065				2,152
All other Africa								6,028		
All other islands and ports		57	191		67					
Total		663,039	1,230,994	921,913	778,006	1,081,716	1,134,965	1,174,093	1,102,267	845,673
WHISKY—										
<i>Bourbon</i> —										
Azores, and Madeira Islands			30							
Belgium					60		45		136	
Denmark								460		
France	708	229	266	266	314	351	192			
Germany	855,493	358,461	89,876	484,930	1,247,944	3,517,207	1,360,115	29,323	293,318	131,040
Gibraltar			46	26	231					
Italy							34	42		
Netherlands									60	
Spain	33		5							
Sweden and Norway				85	100					
United Kingdom	23,675	17,350	2,983	22,341	16,412	8,057	3,788	955	3,125	4,278
Bermuda				36,957	75,375	90,335	9,900	3,385	352	
British Honduras	232	115	25	83			139	1,853	4,041	1,161
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	7,015	1,358	3,559	3,635	1,985	3,460	2,295	2,235	7,364	1,832
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	1,082	3,475		50	111	604	702	663	1,079	
British Columbia	4,020	5,473	4,810	5,941	2,040	738	888	873	3,944	2,802
Newfoundland and Labrador					100					
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	4,918	5,657	5,528	9,816	10,437	4,349	3,334	7,123	3,965	2,665
Guatemala	6,215	11,170	13,149	24,516	25,374	17,435	18,055	33,857	27,519	13,002

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Spirits, distilled—Continued.										
WHISKY—Continued.										
<i>Bourbon—Continued.</i>										
Central American States—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Honduras.....	819	804	831	1,533	2,215	1,001	2,358	1,616	4,199	1,501
Nicaragua.....	1,843	2,794	1,292	3,557	3,833	3,682	10,601	7,754	10,032	11,647
Salvador.....	3,709	3,340	5,974	6,424	10,540	9,518	23,187	54,556	4,497	2,998
Mexico.....	5,430	2,407	13,845	10,354	15,855	13,265	13,133	9,937	9,974	14,705
West Indies—										
British.....	107,652	23,901	63,051	1,229	28		552	595	251	88
Danish.....	20,508	105	86	144	87	61				
French.....							30		6	
Haiti.....	40	62					236			30
Santo Domingo.....							6			
Spanish—Cuba.....		113	262	428	425	102	280	11		
Porto Rico.....			12							
Argentina.....	319		682				23	217		
Brazil.....						134				
Chile.....	430	247	535	210	485		56	220		
Colombia.....	8,161	303	1,428	107	691	918	775	1,210	5,860	3,079
Ecuador.....							18			115
Guianas—British.....	97									
Peru.....	50	65		146						
Uruguay.....		91							343	
Venezuela.....	23	149	38				60	306	7	
China.....	534	38	272	351	997	833	279	1,660	2,831	3,944
East Indies—British.....							35			244
Hongkong.....	374	309	430	419	405	695	690	184	732	7,783
Japan.....	4,051	4,074	3,201	3,210	1,876	3,671	1,971	6,129	4,319	8,100
Russia, Asiatic.....									140	40
British Australasia.....	963	247	46	590	448	260	449	601	6,919	1,141
French Oceania.....	222	281	42	22	68	44	119	160	28	218
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								23	210	284
Hawaiian Islands.....	22,249	45,545	48,330	46,715	42,280	43,542	30,700	21,390	26,364	27,682
British Africa.....				75					611	487
Portuguese Africa.....					15				180	
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....					21	186				
All other Africa.....							316			
German Oceania and Africa.....						23				
All other islands and ports.....	482	1,127	237	170	311	55	140			
Total.....	1,081,347	489,250	260,871	664,330	1,461,013	3,720,562	1,485,525	187,336	422,451	241,066
<i>Rye—</i>										
Austria-Hungary.....					104	106		183	139	46
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	15									
Belgium.....	50	218	150	150	822	913	592	947	248	10
Denmark.....	183	237	30		15	26	78	431	597	
France.....	2,554	1,897	3,141	4,647	3,746	2,186	4,261	4,288	8,562	2,966
Germany.....	278,096	51,162	28,041	93,526	127,687	239,540	5,499	5,549	3,501	2,764
Gibraltar.....		47	79	50						
Italy.....	20		75	341	343	86	244	199	346	285
Netherlands.....	220	465	20	125		883	81	781	37	570
Portugal.....							50			32
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	12							25		
Spain.....						15			110	
Sweden and Norway.....			48				500	25	140	21
Switzerland.....				90				428		
United Kingdom.....	13,839	7,781	3,700	2,640	528	1,215	1,755	5,417	535	1,116
Bermuda.....				990	260	222		3,072	10	2,384
British Honduras.....	30	765	162	100	644	108	1,467	729	106	222

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Spirits, distilled—Continued.										
WHISKY—Continued.										
Rye—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	760	108	294	23		264				164
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,050	200	400	215	405	39	15	166	985	2,251
British Columbia		353	157	161		8		76	113	245
Newfoundland and Labrador				11						
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	1,691	3,399	7,256	8,537	15,907	3,419	2,794	2,437	2,861	4,174
Guatemala	676	1,136	1,392	813	3,938	1,845	1,122	4,493	1,934	959
Honduras	272	1,255	1,273	72	232	518	349	595	618	2,209
Nicaragua	281	3,713	5,722	2,325	3,875	4,195	2,650	605	1,168	1,793
Salvador		400	380	175	580	94		31	45	102
Mexico	6,930	5,652	5,648	7,068	9,449	3,022	2,840	1,801	2,511	1,372
West Indies—										
British	26,864	1,104	1,899	1,156	1,403	939	498	1,458	643	873
Danish	13,964	44,899	7,963	628	1,145	108	183	117	512	341
Dutch					135	155	60	15	53	403
French		32					21			32
Haiti	59	90	28	277	61	1,139	203	239	215	90
Santo Domingo		7				25	34			
Spanish—Cuba	455	407	384	1,235	838	908	769	721	395	158
Porto Rico			25		48	21			15	
Argentina	2,575	1,430	2,321	663	576	1,945	809	889	34	1,142
Brazil	141	52	92	97	337	165	174	676	509	205
Chile	1,163	1,034	10	546	546	742	600	388	475	247
Colombia	4,747	4,605	10,456	2,712	1,532	640	2,027	2,818	1,903	1,155
Ecuador	1,680	80	7	270				66	43	336
Guianas—British	40	263			13				37	
Dutch		9		13	7				70	
Peru	86	300	203	386	187					173
Uruguay	449	250			79	92	1,316	1,190	112	95
Venezuela	355	817	245	209	259	470	288	112	232	235
Aden									10	
China	201	290					736	301	886	179
East Indies—British			475		44	21				183
Hongkong						84				
Japan	20			9			208	228	278	220
British Australasia	1,010	1,000	577		201		200	125	35	16
Hawaiian Islands	2,000	1,572		4,302	3,588		1,425		5,058	
British Africa	200		18	469		135	675	2,028	1,851	442
Canary Islands							14	14		
French Africa							218		210	
Portuguese Africa										256
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										415
All other Africa								1,600	260	283
Total	362,688	137,029	82,671	135,045	179,534	266,293	34,755	45,268	38,402	31,164
ALL OTHER—										
Belgium		4	30	139	20	17,550		18,625	60,315	
Denmark		45								16
France	97	552	15					40		
Germany	60,431	111,688	58		91,621	135,122	26,880	80,908	105,068	223
Italy						2,250			659	
Netherlands		125			20	44,610		9,900		
Sweden and Norway	921	94								
United Kingdom	91,919	26,011	9,701	18,555	58,122	47,651	22,702	17,528	14,842	105
Bermuda				1,029	1,155	500	452	1,039	2,225	4,478
British Honduras		194	32	13	18	20	68	171	24	64

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Spirits, distilled—Continued.										
ALL OTHER—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	414					213	15			
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	114	50	42		281	1,873	437	828	388	165
British Columbia.....	620	1,548		249	2,528	134	440	33	271	3,584
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,728	1,955	74	17	84		34	387	29	231
Guatemala.....	455	333	120	181	168	100	453	946	1,227	437
Honduras.....	532	396	15	267	73	79	188	85	67	346
Nicaragua.....	1,862	2,582	286	1,047	259	1,166	2,154	1,196	157	185
Salvador.....	505	806			57		603	958	26	
Mexico.....	2,488	3,038		245	648	1,175	4,470	13,949	37,679	16,363
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....			7,000							
West Indies—										
British.....	2,429	2,776	643	427	184	1,048	255	115	211	410
Danish.....	200	3,176	485	50				1,107		
Dutch.....			9				8		380	
Haiti.....	1,550	1,607	563	254	211	239	107	256	140	11
Santo Domingo.....		66	14				7		26	
Spanish—Cuba.....	20	152	115	1,131	25	210	5	350		727
Porto Rico.....	68		52	55						
Argentina.....		1,611								
Brazil.....	29	131								
Chile.....				168	235					
Colombia.....	68	841	375	183	1,248	127	86	89	180	465
Ecuador.....	100	160		40						
Uruguay.....		1,209								
Venezuela.....	290			27		8	11	17		
China.....	40					130				335
East Indies—British.....	2,767	40								
Japan.....	95			99					609	70
Russia, Asiatic.....									201	
British Australasia.....		1,022	135	530	3,375	115	96	2,350	1,127	930
French Oceanica.....	20	207								
Hawaiian Islands.....	634	2,699	1,175	892	2,113	657	500	471		2,312
British Africa.....								173	49	
Canary Islands.....										612
Liberia.....							11			
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										50
All other British.....							142			
All other islands and ports.....	431	417								
Total.....	170,827	165,535	20,939	25,598	162,445	255,177	60,124	151,521	225,897	30,149
Starch:										
Austria-Hungary.....										153
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	317	230	37	63	74	13	6	5	22	27
Belgium.....	21,923	25,257	7,611	50,088	12,834	11,464	13,800	6,064	87,182	146,550
Denmark.....		295		1,367	123	321			7,503	840
France.....	8	15							392	5,884
Germany.....	3,936	3,211	244	7,279	1,440	342	487	4,302	1,904	8,352
Italy.....	75			900	760	200			475	3,833
Netherlands.....	136,901	212,296	188,559	143,123	226,168	193,693	153,534	265,372	305,610	207,914
Portugal.....			163							
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....									20	
Spain.....						410				
Sweden and Norway.....	130				130	89	123	110	259	125
Turkey in Europe.....		17								
United Kingdom.....	46,871	89,761	241,062	369,428	421,330	472,039	153,654	555,382	1,209,745	910,051
Bermuda.....				2,876	1,614	1,981	1,448	2,445	2,350	1,794
British Honduras.....	77	17	4	10	56	16	35	30	5	14

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Starch—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	2,297	1,073	921	782	857	608	1,777	1,131	1,367	1,365
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	1,681	1,234	2,040	2,780	2,968	6,533	11,651	14,842	16,277	53,024
British Columbia.....	57	548	63	92	130	129	336	1,180	3,114	
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	411	56	68	41	2,490	64	32	173	89	51
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	610	473	2,720	1,510	1,499	704	33	361	1,700	1,092
Guatemala.....	1,935	2,529	4,103	333	3,037	8,346	3,814	5,233	3,141	2,450
Honduras.....	21	7	10	19	83	42	31	10	14	45
Nicaragua.....	337	419	539	611	286	248	1,230	122	251	1,888
Salvador.....		84		202	41	240	80		393	156
Mexico.....	7,565	5,873	7,786	6,951	5,659	6,750	5,732	8,110	2,794	2,848
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....				6						
West Indies—										
British.....	3,730	2,753	3,568	2,692	2,389	3,552	2,860	3,180	2,681	2,685
Danish.....	5,810	6,361	5,645	7,072	5,936	7,231	5,736	5,918	4,426	4,785
Dutch.....	76	44	16	24	147	14	18	16	136	23
French.....	7		67	398			15		20	136
Haiti.....	179	181	163	109	748	1,833	3,464	2,140	1,594	1,268
Santo Domingo.....	19	80	162	858	925	530	621	556	104	287
Spanish—Cuba.....	60	506	238	1,781	3,876	4,673	1,435	1,316	3,900	1,321
Porto Rico.....	1,048	513	591	747	636	1,280	673	985	1,093	761
Argentina.....	18,011	15,067	1,477	414	1,179					
Bolivia.....										4
Brazil.....	557	192	1,399	1,876	698	1,219	1,504	1,985	1,302	343
Chile.....	12			191	59				20	25
Colombia.....	983	73	299	122	163	151	84	66	383	85
Ecuador.....	30		19						754	4
Guianas—British.....	432	63		875	1,872		5	2	9	6
Dutch.....		50		42	25					
Pern.....	15		9	24	97	74				
Uruguay.....	12,783	5,892	1,836	3,405	4,614		371	350	430	516
Venezuela.....	102	160	103	108	112	52	95	269	148	406
China.....	498	20	60			49	46			30
East Indies—British.....		24	2							
Hongkong.....	112	172	244		2					57
Japan.....				24	13	104	111	250	193	908
All other Asia.....		31	22	15	6		5			
British Australasia.....	1,060	163	894	550	100	23	410	1,050	2,377	2,491
French Oceania.....										4
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....									13	12
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,494	1,913	2,726	2,585	1,790	1,840	2,283	1,918	2,962	2,627
British Africa.....	74	196	263	55	90	2	68	257	636	1,036
French Africa.....			3							36
Liberia.....	5					12				
Portuguese Africa.....				72	71			12	33	
Spanish Africa.....	315	75								
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....						139			3	
All other Africa.....	5				4				36	118
All other islands and ports.....	52	191	110							
Total.....	272,630	378,115	475,817	612,531	707,093	727,011	366,809	885,198	1,665,926	1,371,549
Stationery, except of paper:										
Austria-Hungary.....	125				265	115	275	12	72	889
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	113	112	16	10	60				57	10
Belgium.....	283	410	415	327	937	1,230	353	448	4,786	6,246
Denmark.....	1,096	431	1,362	577	776	665	1,543	1,942	1,986	4,395
France.....	11,211	14,786	2,674	8,077	7,948	1,482	4,980	8,634	11,010	16,473
Germany.....	41,322	42,211	47,553	34,948	43,221	43,326	35,993	36,542	36,275	56,164
Gibraltar.....	24		34	24	424	50	269	12	23	325

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Stationery, except of paper—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Italy.....	193	1,112	1,491	1,502	2,801	3,543	3,459	5,188	3,078	6,209
Netherlands.....	491	830	543	798	614	1,023	1,242	4,654	916	2,200
Portugal.....	319	355	1,059	366	649	1,409	1,143	574	369	665
Roumania.....									111	4,251
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....				100		1,009		63	171	77
Russia, Black Sea.....	38					18	75	127	425	1,217
Spain.....	62	203	20	10	36		551	114	57	2,147
Sweden and Norway.....	1,109	992	1,350	825	1,076	2,784	1,284	1,405	1,603	16
Switzerland.....										
Turkey in Europe.....			128	22	265	100	904	308		209
United Kingdom.....	112,656	119,465	199,424	233,450	214,448	236,793	258,616	307,073	417,845	458,614
Bermuda.....				534	766	703	656	2,459	1,752	2,697
British Honduras.....	203	205	369	55	139	68	292	622	939	572
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	3,830	3,054	2,908	2,943	2,918	5,061	7,022	7,960	5,946	10,099
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	4,107	5,005	5,853	5,672	11,306	34,811	45,111	45,967	39,092	61,283
British Columbia.....	5,204	8,239	6,287	6,961	5,216	3,132	3,695	7,235	14,016	10,784
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	5,905	1,975	1,762	1,259	4,353	4,677	3,834	1,599	2,624	2,653
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	9,514	4,432	5,407	3,865	8,276	3,561	3,302	13,317	4,550	3,676
Guatemala.....	8,756	8,605	12,210	10,630	17,438	17,078	20,349	21,530	19,140	4,739
Honduras.....	3,429	1,490	1,036	2,431	1,105	1,375	1,451	1,989	2,592	1,605
Nicaragua.....	4,805	7,348	6,086	5,410	3,408	3,155	4,238	7,899	6,563	5,373
Salvador.....	1,696	3,354	9,488	11,209	12,306	9,345	10,023	17,828	15,139	5,143
Mexico.....	47,109	54,895	46,687	47,227	54,443	71,991	60,924	85,267	90,566	71,173
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	201	20		7						33
West Indies—										
British.....	14,565	3,669	8,274	5,266	7,576	7,401	8,024	9,578	7,849	10,927
Danish.....	563	590	410	340	230	650	607	497	444	657
Dutch.....	545	452	841	1,208	3,080	819	1,324	767	1,302	393
French.....	44	131	70	5	133	45	23	11	113	115
Haiti.....	2,553	5,329	3,453	2,646	3,095	2,155	1,316	1,347	2,972	1,277
Santo Domingo.....	2,375	2,330	1,588	1,673	3,509	4,218	2,893	1,084	1,856	2,348
Spanish—Cuba.....	13,290	17,471	24,557	25,931	30,740	21,909	15,900	9,014	9,314	18,829
Porto Rico.....	5,962	4,559	5,037	5,528	7,319	4,350	3,164	5,765	5,257	2,866
Argentina.....	4,560	11,995	821	1,781	3,818	20,588	8,672	9,874	26,443	10,798
Bolivia.....	75			67	24					
Brazil.....	10,790	6,648	18,453	26,205	15,111	10,855	52,754	16,927	13,701	23,855
Chile.....	6,478	9,822	7,806	9,874	11,161	16,411	10,258	10,174	15,308	10,722
Colombia.....	29,576	16,360	23,527	17,614	24,551	16,384	13,675	10,623	19,533	10,362
Ecuador.....	5,699	10,552	2,198	2,671	2,628	5,050	2,716	7,357	11,070	8,902
Guianas—British.....	789	191	656	269	816	1,589	873	757	1,650	1,360
Dutch.....	100		273	93	83	171	133	74	112	132
French.....	5		7							
Peru.....	3,516	4,796	7,097	5,727	4,106	4,532	4,608	4,881	8,495	8,101
Uruguay.....	1,487	6,233	622	477	308	4,163	852	1,670	5,662	2,461
Venezuela.....	4,085	5,640	8,159	7,558	4,519	6,521	7,585	7,288	6,403	3,344
China.....	2,502	4,728	1,264	1,040	707	1,060	204	468	825	2,276
East Indies—British.....	689	1,261	158	100	241	452	1,507	1,409	5,689	11,528
Dutch.....					148	443		185	460	385
Hongkong.....	1,601	3,033	554	690	1,415	30	688	735	1,133	1,775
Japan.....	34,982	36,410	15,185	16,802	14,174	5,859	6,248	17,761	15,628	11,800
Russia, Asiatic.....	134	25	190	33	223	92	73	326	125	400
Turkey in Asia.....				123	96		245	174	195	71
All other Asia.....	53	307	70	30	200	242	400	338	318	369
British Australasia.....	35,603	31,088	45,516	45,470	34,152	71,945	31,628	32,790	40,285	57,002
French Oceanica.....	1,452	808	597	1,525	1,027	1,474	975	959	1,258	1,250
German Oceanica.....									23	17
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								267	237	221
Hawaiian Islands.....	25,504	26,076	28,010	30,092	26,331	23,781	31,461	33,741	35,452	54,850
Philippine Islands.....	232	116	102	51		272		210	192	

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Stationery, except of paper—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
British Africa.....	490	356	115	1,367	207	356	779	5,995	5,499	4,563
Canary Islands.....				90	50	93	137	338	110	
French Africa.....		18								
Liberia.....	5	34	162	38	79	20	26	21	161	89
Portuguese Africa.....				70			9	54	163	257
Spanish Africa.....	45	122	130							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	42					84		55	625	22
All other Africa.....	387	95	13	106	22	51		22	805	565
All other British.....	25					271				
All other Spanish.....						57				
All other islands and ports.....	235	399	380	212	66	372	298			
Total.....	474,839	490,673	560,456	592,020	597,169	683,278	681,639	774,284	928,378	1,005,016
Stereotype and electrotype plates:										
Austria-Hungary.....						15			325	868
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....										109
Belgium.....			110	1,360	2,058	75	110	77	468	212
Denmark.....			47							21
France.....	81	309	93	65	21	392	690	627	617	4,437
Germany.....	1,422	1,836	1,253	5,043	2,824	1,684	3,999	5,227	5,563	9,251
Italy.....				249	20	15	277	208		5
Netherlands.....		170				5	125		51	56
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....									19	99
Russia, Black Sea.....										12
Spain.....	157			60	75	245	31			
Sweden and Norway.....		1,000		300		22	5		2	23
Switzerland.....								26	100	15
Turkey in Europe.....										51
United Kingdom.....	15,716	20,694	21,908	26,637	46,873	41,839	30,914	57,295	42,805	30,626
Bermuda.....					5			5	5	145
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	125		21	321	229	85	48	84		576
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	3,960	2,923	2,388	11,106	9,025	7,306	5,237	5,100	13,316	9,682
British Columbia.....		153	47	33	126		23	3	71	29
Newfoundland and Labrador.....			60	782	321	75	79	416	283	6
Central American States—										
Guatemala.....	400			43		205			19	
Honduras.....						30				
Nicaragua.....	41									
Salvador.....		3		450						
Mexico.....	186	177	106		138	121	112	2,264	1,332	859
West Indies—										
British.....	24	79	107	92	211	86	144	142	88	59
Danish.....										38
Dutch.....	29	17	6	94		27	41	22	68	35
Haiti.....				35						1,915
Santo Domingo.....	40	8				35	30			28
Spanish—Cuba.....	240	15	50	52	40	542	733	37	30	99
Porto Rico.....				13		64	52	13	18	35
Argentina.....		1,705					100	17	27	313
Brazil.....	97	267	686	25	40	50	979	81	101	129
Chile.....		18	24			1,230	50	122	291	13
Colombia.....	102	12	44	75	3	22	20		2	30
Ecuador.....						101			60	70
Guianas—British.....						188				
Dutch.....								130		
Peru.....	8		15				27		84	
Uruguay.....							3			60
Venezuela.....	1,192	1,201	1,129	865	566	646	225	1,430	256	419
China.....	100	50		20	18					
East Indies—British.....										

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Stereotype and electrotype plates—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Hongkong.....										225
Japan.....	700									
Turkey in Asia.....				127						
All other Asia.....							75			
British Australasia.....	63	25	216	65	129	2,899	600	437	3,306	726
Hawaiian Islands.....							110			31
British Africa.....						120		217	253	146
Total.....	24,633	30,662	28,310	47,912	62,722	58,124	44,839	73,980	69,505	61,482
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of:										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		16	36							
Belgium.....					150	50	582	1,085	2,187	2,130
Denmark.....						23				
France.....	100		5					23	630	1,152
Germany.....	1,098	318	435	33	343	3,457	1,139	2,826	2,824	2,832
Gibraltar.....	18									
Italy.....	21				1,198	250	25	2,525	1,900	196
Netherlands.....	22					325				
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....									140	107
Switzerland.....							320			
United Kingdom.....	5,066	822	321	1,635	7,614	1,920	1,645	18,297	8,422	5,178
Bermuda.....				742	457	362	284	948	682	1,267
British Honduras.....	79	67	210	332	393	223	398	937	1,156	1,007
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	1,416	1,466	4,000	3,544	8,140	4,916	3,682	4,909	3,908	6,464
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	4,374	1,624	1,460	4,757	65,465	93,450	89,577	142,657	177,828	213,380
British Columbia.....	31	408		68	34	10	241	253	670	459
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	153	185	94				43	66	71	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	243	912	2,766	1,389	1,453	1,495	1,224	2,059	2,772	797
Guatemala.....	163	1,016	2,251	2,850	4,520	5,223	4,599	10,282	8,617	2,115
Honduras.....	457	1,710	243	602	192	686	549	1,137	2,584	1,685
Nicaragua.....	1,820	1,343	4,337	2,634	1,354	1,840	4,955	3,803	3,479	1,688
Salvador.....	245	939	1,268	2,075	1,554	1,348	4,734	3,075	2,001	1,075
Mexico.....	2,730	5,223	6,939	5,762	8,678	6,919	11,573	21,829	23,096	25,594
West Indies—										
British.....	9,901	5,971	5,270	2,555	4,056	3,246	3,449	2,796	1,559	1,553
Danish.....	379	511	339	559	736	394	382	222	298	284
Dutch.....	534	491	839	728	745	500	681	1,150	899	482
French.....	9	10		14	26		5			8
Haiti.....	1,426	12,569	15,490	8,167	4,967	5,760	2,363	1,824	1,317	1,825
Santo Domingo.....	602	1,786	854	856	1,327	1,308	652	473	457	558
Spanish—Cuba.....	6,379	5,104	6,196	3,862	16,177	10,558	4,832	1,719	664	2,892
Porto Rico.....	286	522	72	465	753	313		579	1,033	38
Argentina.....	17		40			798	876	7	1,913	2,962
Brazil.....	5,326	3,623	3,731	5,551	7,068	18,477	18,627	27,343	29,018	20,215
Chile.....		102	4		167	74	144	994	675	1,617
Colombia.....	12,770	8,540	12,123	9,223	11,414	8,135	9,802	10,085	17,843	10,962
Ecuador.....	64		96	167	247			84	145	113
Guianas—British.....		42	41			66	102	20	202	19
Dutch.....						385	39	23		
Peru.....	66		8	7		15	153	775	194	165
Uruguay.....					50					
Venezuela.....	1,142	1,185	593	325	826	719	2,205	1,862	2,430	651
China.....		928								
Hongkong.....							6	7		150
Japan.....									132	561
British Australasia.....		972	1,796	1,786	610	8,835	1,586	238	304	2,311
Hawaiian Islands.....	4,548	4,934	6,850	5,053	4,961	3,592	6,029	1,173	948	1,774

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Straw and palm leaf, manufactures of—										
Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa	400	8	100	12	108	198	223	1,226	2,126	2,170
Liberia	43	16	37						21	
Portuguese Africa										232
Turkey in Africa—Egypt							220			
All other Africa									183	
Total	61,928	63,363	78,844	65,853	155,783	186,427	177,946	269,311	305,448	317,468
Sugar:										
SUGAR, REFINED—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands	12,405	15,786	24,067	13,985	15,641	12,524	4,764	2,413	45	283
Belgium					81	286		21		
Denmark		1,302			430				9	
France	37	54			60				732	
Germany	8,081	9,984	2,901	2,544	484	1,619	152	255	535	98
Gibraltar	3,860									
Greece										15
Italy	2,270	40				25				20
Netherlands	450	5,403	4,088	129				6		
Portugal		280	219	749	314	397				
Sweden and Norway	1,400							50	120	
United Kingdom	35,897	474,222	4,720,526	46,460	473	863	1,791	7,111	20,127	24,698
Bermuda				21,713	14,314	14,581	8,355	3,417	6,587	2,275
British Honduras	6,713	7,062	5,762	4,040	6,144	3,596	6,364	7,223	5,625	6,085
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc ..	4,805	12,129	8,825	992	72	73	1,414	5		2
Quebec, Ontario, etc	29,870	14,394	34,775	98,704	373,134	3,576	385	980	407	156
British Columbia	77,575	10,628	50,706	6,241	2,082	4,388	4,466	2,012	2,317	3,904
Newfoundland and Labrador	11,485	16,885	54,197	16,765	3,047	2,755	515	72	130	501
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	19,061	11,617	10,517	12,123	14,210	5,040	4,998	9,009	6,327	2,846
Guatemala	889	2,546	1,875	3,445	3,574	3,052	4,951	10,424	14,619	6,819
Honduras	12,657	15,757	14,956	9,090	13,101	10,376	9,866	15,867	16,778	14,241
Nicaragua	17,032	22,004	24,896	21,803	13,091	12,551	13,729	25,774	14,805	20,376
Salvador	136	44	22	2,572	459	20		5,352	1,511	81
Mexico	58,280	41,461	31,854	33,576	66,281	47,094	31,422	29,459	23,619	18,722
Miquelon, Langley, etc	37,830	28,138	27,697	13,179	7,383			45		
West Indies—										
British	141,464	136,417	123,238	61,910	107,636	81,173	72,907	70,115	43,457	41,727
Danish	8,373	22,501	6,985	10,143	9,937	9,609	9,680	4,767	6,146	6,039
Dutch	9,376	11,317	18,930	8,782	17,507	13,580	6,835	7,356	3,802	1,777
French	368	768	521	222	436	893	549	395	56	245
Haiti	114,790	129,714	117,674	78,972	88,558	95,425	85,179	82,128	55,144	44,727
Santo Domingo	23,520	19,098	10,996	9,966	11,960	9,925	5,650	2,885	2,332	1,618
Spanish—Cuba	206	110	181	502					28	87
Porto Rico	772	825	1,840	814	182	272	12		72	
Argentina	2,755	25		249		990		280		
Brazil	935	600	69	84	541	65		22	128	
Chile	48,057	87,947	28,983	13,766	20,325	14,468	496	1,933	982	
Colombia	205,306	141,929	117,534	97,042	102,431	108,194	60,730	83,889	44,386	26,815
Ecuador	45	213			24	4,185	392	167	9	63
Guianas—British	1,620	205	522	438	158	389	128	58		14
Dutch	371		125	781	98					8
French	7,971	4,329	5,751	3,092	2,665	18				
Peru					88	166			285	
Uruguay	13,075	450	420		379	670	1,341	1,163	878	500
Venezuela	850	121	668	119	3,264	539	481	30	140	4,619
China	1,231	803	468	30	296	731	350	197	551	828
East Indies—British	680	417	210							
Dutch	70		125							
French			110							
Hongkong		265	144,499			31,813				13

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Sugar—Continued.										
SUGAR REFINED—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Japan.....	19,497	14,580	37,838	5,917	7,173	92,745	12,876	2,014	2,214	2,466
Russia, Asiatic.....	1,242		1,000			62			745	1,526
All other Asia.....	7		3					5		
British Australasia.....	5,595	487,000	343,388	211	190	805		400		
French Oceanica.....		23,272	17,168	12,862	8,308	13,526	8,749	6,717	7,024	7,147
Spanish Oceanica.....								60		50
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								524	300	326
Hawaiian Islands.....	59,276	91,833	104,156	26,937	17,850	26,973	27,271	37,440	24,140	44,891
British Africa.....	33,803	33,619	64,187	22,210	24,895	21,461	18,699	21,248	16,316	13,123
Canary Islands.....				27	1,792		278	1,400	13	
French Africa.....	95	116	1,293	195						
Liberia.....	1,938	2,555	1,427	480	494	148	233	230	126	91
Portuguese Africa.....				743	480	758	361	5,796	7,004	1,466
Spanish Africa.....		150	302							245
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										8
All other Africa.....	245	209	141	64	88	59				
All other British.....							477			
All other French.....	23,178									
All other islands and ports.....	2,792	166	1,095	779	988	603	678			
Total.....	1,070,236	1,901,386	6,138,746	665,477	963,123	653,052	406,924	450,753	341,641	301,511
CANDY AND CONFECTIONERY—										
Austria-Hungary.....										29
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....		58	366	14		120	12		35	71
Belgium.....	128	10		32	10		2,473	397	308	2,766
Denmark.....			593		9					15
France.....	772	23		39		105	383	59	535	283
Germany.....	993	754	409	214	456	681	322	3,134	3,595	1,028
Italy.....		5			5		5	26	13	341
Netherlands.....	85		240	2	15	293	1,462	1,020	60	305
Portugal.....			19					16	87	20
Spain.....			50							
Sweden and Norway.....								444	267	748
Turkey in Europe.....									45	
United Kingdom.....	48,761	52,700	58,222	85,791	208,026	367,306	561,836	360,585	351,133	555,088
Bermuda.....				3,157	3,247	2,727	1,883	4,014	4,236	4,694
British Honduras.....	161	259	619	558	457	233	759	1,396	1,156	1,552
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	2,873	2,533	2,510	2,340	2,456	4,091	5,322	4,156	3,580	4,192
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	13,910	17,898	6,596	897	2,949	9,002	24,868	14,870	24,985	36,233
British Columbia.....	2,149	2,389	2,429	2,490	1,441	2,703	4,097	4,495	5,765	7,016
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	1,408	2,286	1,872	3,419	5,527	4,394	1,706	1,019	1,033	1,749
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	2,891	6,252	7,679	3,840	3,530	2,359	4,829	6,914	6,923	4,700
Guatemala.....	1,650	1,645	1,799	1,743	1,459	610	1,794	4,032	5,777	880
Honduras.....	741	418	500	662	172	307	901	1,414	1,782	1,670
Nicaragua.....	690	512	674	1,403	1,051	1,249	1,057	1,148	2,394	1,196
Salvador.....	275	472	529	902	413	136	365	977	1,252	116
Mexico.....	6,480	4,660	4,154	4,339	6,922	6,701	4,906	8,715	5,268	4,255
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	1,253	781	579	596	150		23	18	12	177
West Indies—										
British.....	6,441	8,709	10,150	6,670	6,968	7,895	9,170	9,410	10,771	9,039
Danish.....	181	304	144	188	116	205	345	699	625	791
Dutch.....	1,088	1,147	1,054	864	957	1,030	1,199	2,105	3,273	1,517
French.....				30	49	157	11	30	58	7
Haiti.....	1,336	2,369	1,459	1,865	2,354	2,923	3,968	3,575	1,953	1,604
Santo Domingo.....	1,311	1,437	1,630	1,122	1,705	1,802	1,776	1,969	1,788	1,882
Spanish—Cuba.....	19,735	27,752	26,199	32,205	35,885	28,705	16,185	11,557	13,497	9,216
Porto Rico.....	3,884	5,289	4,549	4,572	2,603	1,939	959	1,006	459	420

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Sugar—Continued.										
CANDY AND CONFECTIONERY—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	59					206		773	925	818
Bolivia.....										6
Brazil.....	105	200	574	335	133	158	268	274	319	291
Chile.....	75	23	183	112	258	1,358	3,940	3,501	2,434	3,198
Colombia.....	3,987	2,266	2,798	2,924	3,504	3,063	3,827	5,533	8,204	6,156
Ecuador.....	284	205	214	149	186	280	179	420	191	216
Guianas—British.....	83	34	27	295	7	108	124	49	137	428
Dutch.....			21	101	79	86	233	16	54	150
Peru.....	434	1,524	763	1,570	604	1,027	782	1,004	1,727	2,119
Uruguay.....				15	38			172	128	116
Venezuela.....	8,961	17,073	26,160	20,684	19,221	21,720	26,904	25,225	21,860	10,758
China.....	479	595	200	637	269	672	198	635	1,213	1,083
East Indies—British.....		1,316	196						302	13
Hongkong.....	287	105	112		43	100		90	122	300
Japan.....	470	392	531	111	512	473	72	864	672	1,527
British Australasia.....	13,620	10,415	9,921	14,112	15,577	6,981	11,632	6,009	15,838	23,379
French Oceania.....		375	274	299	412	475	404	225	496	615
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								42	65	63
Hawaiian Islands.....	3,163	3,843	4,145	2,593	2,491	3,567	3,992	4,292	5,444	6,427
British Africa.....	42	50	169	707	2,301	3,726	7,411	14,143	29,015	18,180
French Africa.....								1,655	660	
Liberia.....	57	12	8	8	4	57	6		9	19
Portuguese Africa.....			86		10	18	17	214	1,087	1,324
Spanish Africa.....										15
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....					15			28	23	16
All other Africa.....					11		7	209	8	45
All other French.....	374									
All other islands and ports.....		153	95							
Total.....	151,685	179,276	181,501	204,609	334,607	491,748	712,552	515,263	543,631	730,865
Tin, manufactures of:										
Austria-Hungary.....	1,044	350	1,200	1,000	149	509		15	154	
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	54	2,330	1,953	1,071	842	564	495	262	138	143
Belgium.....	410	420	1,350	8,001	3,631	15,200	17,761	5,846	5,717	1,615
Denmark.....			501	442	144	9	227	714	603	46
France.....	1,412	158	2,221	5,549	5,827	2,192	4,096	4,394	3,560	532
Germany.....	7,385	8,769	6,710	11,755	4,661	8,239	8,747	4,248	4,318	3,428
Gibraltar.....					16				5	
Italy.....	131	460	1,009	832	687	995	862	1,043	495	725
Netherlands.....	1,009	716	1,889	1,584	14,001	71,776	38,502	17,664	29,803	13,820
Portugal.....	326	1,228	637	55	38	211	92	44		90
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....			70					30	286	
Russia, Black Sea.....	68					85	912	25	26	16
Spain.....	83	20	15	75	734	28	195	249	45	50
Sweden and Norway.....	4	87	148	216	151	92	158	46	423	166
Turkey in Europe.....				15						
United Kingdom.....	9,159	23,759	23,884	11,978	11,116	13,978	26,942	14,637	24,334	17,520
Bermuda.....				1,498	1,240	999	659	1,680	1,358	1,270
British Honduras.....	1,046	633	725	1,155	737	592	580	1,003	2,238	1,186
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	4,238	5,271	2,158	1,158	3,763	4,156	4,882	2,481	3,762	3,226
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	15,382	18,473	10,327	4,589	13,517	36,898	42,295	34,899	54,802	51,790
British Columbia.....	3,969	2,182	781	2,289	1,407	3,898	3,355	6,427	19,194	25,143
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	893	764	351	926	2,020	1,408	1,656	1,791	1,267	970
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,902	1,009	1,736	2,939	1,682	1,516	1,021	1,515	1,421	667
Guatemala.....	554	1,983	1,894	1,338	2,157	857	1,500	975	1,176	708
Honduras.....	624	865	365	540	335	433	994	823	783	1,540
Nicaragua.....	2,462	3,496	4,596	1,833	2,524	2,080	1,556	1,335	1,671	1,498
Salvador.....	363	320	98	354	110	112	192	581	415	7

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Tin, manufactures of. Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico	19,919	28,659	25,323	22,754	20,610	20,967	24,193	30,264	24,554	27,094
Miquelon, Langley, etc			18	111					2	207
West Indies—										
British	21,818	26,047	30,816	9,601	21,902	7,369	21,474	15,078	11,741	18,799
Danish	612	632	190	467	195	579	612	322	373	294
Dutch	876	675	679	974	1,039	644	454	1,067	888	730
French	874	841	1,024	1,485	933	946	553	363	375	429
Haiti	2,420	16,436	8,804	2,175	2,351	3,155	4,375	2,845	1,175	3,371
Santo Domingo	786	951	1,864	1,810	3,651	2,432	990	645	1,521	892
Spanish—Cuba	19,686	20,887	19,319	20,709	24,777	26,003	13,590	10,410	8,599	4,009
Porto Rico	3,617	2,856	1,611	2,702	1,883	1,223	1,396	786	1,139	2,762
Argentina	4,144	4,019	1,273	3,362	2,011	2,143	2,042	3,735	2,552	2,028
Bolivia					15				953	
Brazil	5,886	4,417	6,983	10,671	13,273	8,998	7,735	6,257	6,692	5,685
Chile	2,499	10,321	12,491	17,234	12,877	1,896	2,631	6,872	1,796	1,705
Colombia	11,777	5,264	5,412	7,193	7,471	5,435	4,034	4,224	4,901	5,587
Ecuador	234	99	324	137	235	472	284	1,527	909	760
Guianas— British	457	238	454	403	237	123	127	191	165	193
Dutch	41	2,979	4,867	5,174	5,235	3,126	2,090	2,759	3,023	1,814
French		100	978	1,634	2,121	2,677	1,945	3,677	2,900	1,138
Peru	96	592	262	2,093	494	306	104	396	3,185	1,685
Uruguay	1,340	11,741	5,451	7,633	4,452	4,092	2,051	5,162	3,638	3,320
Venezuela	4,951	4,020	3,537	3,166	2,385	2,650	1,640	1,767	1,989	1,426
China	3,724	70	2,632	165	461	305	211	183	537	1,216
East Indies— British		255	90		734	56	840	31	349	276
Dutch									57	
Hongkong	52		649			196	69	113	39	289
Japan		172		75	85	31	344	537	375	12,579
Korea										85
Russia, Asiatic					100	72		260		
Turkey in Asia			8,500	16		60	110	25	359	
All other Asia	11	141	21				45	99	36	
British Australasia	70,222	59,629	18,266	19,691	11,797	10,898	10,495	15,896	23,685	18,438
French Oceania		351	331	325	242	204	111		556	133
Tonga, Samoa, etc								45		9
Hawaiian Islands	1,070	2,588	4,126	1,739	1,027	3,469	3,805	2,202	6,366	4,703
Philippine Islands							83			
British Africa	668	6,127	7,928	10,894	6,985	11,834	9,390	17,587	22,803	12,54
Canary Islands				52			39	5	10	
French Africa		100	2,190	254	1,268	920	831	1,180	1,094	950
Liberia	59	96	58	172	25	62	34	165	5	87
Madagascar				2,900						
Portuguese Africa				638	820	320	1,344	1,124	957	1,795
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	26									41
All other Africa		14	8,706	5,132		13	40		1,948	407
All other British		200								
All other French	345									
All other islands and ports		80	68	180	191					
Total	236,733	284,896	249,836	225,113	223,441	290,494	277,796	240,526	300,441	263,365
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars—										
Austria-Hungary				35						
Belgium	3,471	694	1,145	1,375		935	358	367	10	115
Denmark			25	206	75			365	557	
France	1,590	50	250	71	530	240	305	760	221	346
Germany	1,562	4,045	588	3,591	4,811	473	145	1,294	3,677	1,691
Italy				35		35			131	400
Netherlands	602	1,000		150	90	1,959	320	40		50

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898.
Tobacco, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Cigars—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Portugal.....									550	
Spain.....		20								
Sweden and Norway.....	700	700	400							
Turkey in Europe.....							180			
United Kingdom.....	10,326	29,611	16,922	29,677	14,576	17,771	15,074	5,971	6,067	7,558
 Bermuda.....				1,962	1,673	754	1,454	1,043	737	785
British Honduras.....	321	552	1,130	600	258	156	233	80	564	288
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....				500	380	8	355		1,619	23
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....		300	320	100	136	211	107	512	19	281
British Columbia.....	40		420	190	314	86	268	273	534	522
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	490		123		279	1,354	448			35
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,709	3,058	2,605	839	1,723	2,377		709	1,429	
Guatemala.....	184	1,879	902	1,117	2,440	2,284		361	1,106	393
Honduras.....	94	345	50	5	102		61		245	44
Nicaragua.....	1,406	2,880	5,384	6,136	10,509	8,620	5,043	3,148	3,320	605
Salvador.....								130	52	
Mexico.....	120	145		30	36	110				175
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	308		180	300			75			28
West Indies—										
British.....	871	1,655	4,920	1,310	400	1,588	2,005	255	1,116	404
Danish.....							40			
Dutch.....				50						
French.....				250						
Haiti.....	594		79	389	78	70	491		150	49
Spanish—Cuba.....	26,698									
 Argentina.....	30	321		783	255	317		1,393	1,022	295
Bolivia.....						630				
Brazil.....		80	1,241	913	1,390	390	200	152	675	550
Chile.....					194		1,545	135	953	
Colombia.....	271		77	48	195	24			50	
Guianas—British.....	50	1,065	1,409		140		660			100
Dutch.....					53				90	
Peru.....							100		273	
Uruguay.....								200	147	90
Venezuela.....	518		540	260				36		258
 China.....		582	195						314	753
East Indies—British.....		131	95			88				
Hongkong.....	240			1,450			642	897	561	654
Japan.....		47	142	1,281			40	1,255	749	1,090
Russia, Asiatic.....			32			6				
 British Australasia.....	8,089	24,926	15,544	10,860	5,567	595	2,463	537	1,622	10,081
French Oceania.....		153		161	81	57			50	66
Hawaiian Islands.....	22,768	19,130	41,477	17,209	13,287	8,195	8,039	6,918	7,538	5,649
 British Africa.....	2,139	3,715	2,007	2,350	4,343	1,890	1,549	3,282	3,596	3,993
French Africa.....	132	218	89	94						
Liberia.....		224							35	
Portuguese Africa.....					80	40				
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....									10	
All other Africa.....									1,893	
All other French.....	270									
 All other islands and ports.....	273	177	65							
Total.....	85,866	97,703	98,356	83,544	63,995	51,263	42,200	30,113	41,685	37,381

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Tobacco, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Cigarettes—</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Azores, and Madeira Islands			119							
Belgium	8,697	9,791	8,352	17,415	5,707	10,518	11,699	15,867	9,985	7,923
Denmark	21,649	5,814	7,864	11,230	27,371	39,994	31,991	25,405	30,385	23,881
France	3,438	3,419	2,484	2,844	2,571	2,254	5,375	5,790	5,856	6,354
Germany	48,058	49,454	54,103	65,367	77,783	47,586	40,099	40,422	57,229	47,366
Gibraltar	135	144	105	46	57	137	58		4,339	3,064
Italy	4							527	1,342	555
Malta, Gozo, etc								547	1,812	1,379
Netherlands	11,375	7,550	7,061	7,099	8,752	9,851	12,059	9,726	12,123	11,002
Portugal	1,500					1,968				
Spain				50						
Sweden and Norway	25,461	35,850	49,262	52,348	37,111	28,638	47,930	79,618	94,043	148,399
Switzerland							1,013		1,216	8,025
United Kingdom	169,643	176,674	225,070	291,031	326,630	298,022	369,467	387,713	424,000	338,994
Bermuda				2,309	2,644	3,228	2,676	2,301	3,333	2,425
British Honduras	212	273	479	582	2,157	1,012	4,227	4,907	4,282	4,872
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	527	608	387	915	558	100	317	22	555	102
Quebec, Ontario, etc	4,185	2,607	2,553	1,675	100	709	637	365	73	32
British Columbia	1,678	149	1,047	1,533	434	2,059	417	400	89	7
Newfoundland and Labrador	591	443	600	687	994	1,330	1,490	1,818	1,858	2,065
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	795	888	664	281	132	428	545	153	200	50
Guatemala	260	1,759	745	478	560	870	1,209	1,437	1,952	733
Honduras	107	101		3	80	111	74	15	201	381
Nicaragua	194	569	957	1,400	933	1,291	461	685	154	9
Salvador		7	31			12	40	21	203	676
Mexico	565	483	1,074	453	731	3,570	127	12		
Miquelon, Langley, etc	130	360	40	85			169			
West Indies—										
British	21,634	20,649	29,741	31,986	28,795	27,379	41,057	42,360	65,946	42,409
Danish	272	288	340	376	348	583	421	636	396	487
Dutch	3,290		4,745			18		1	1,128	10
French	43	29	205	46	179	60	86			
Haiti	943	637	262	20	638	166	139		520	40
Spanish—Cuba		300								
Argentina	2,840	2,403	1,800			1,259	888	2,641	1,247	793
Brazil	1,150	106	323	93	100		74			
Chile	2,193	7,324	4,997	8,592	5,059	3,802	6,375	5,337	350	200
Colombia	585	49	72	85	38					14
Ecuador			16		436				85	13
Falkland Islands								88		
Guianas—British	300	291	279	138	60					
Dutch	62					15				
Peru	514	324	968	174		265	72	91		69
Uruguay	661	605	428			32		393	261	
Venezuela	256	25	929	15	293	945	11	10		
China	17,382	28,838	28,407	44,309	64,894	113,952	100,161	184,331	221,102	310,749
East Indies—British	2,494	10,002	7,731	12,621	36,623	41,097	47,691	44,908	78,395	85,101
Dutch									168	
Hongkong	14,146	11,612	10,236	14,967	17,824	16,520	6,622	9,441	23,675	15,983
Japan	46,390	76,556	120,127	114,198	179,118	137,895	75,206	202,774	349,503	400,542
Russia, Asiatic			130		130	280				
All other Asia	93									
British Australasia	229,797	258,601	336,379	214,421	194,710	168,209	200,956	182,169	269,529	348,443
French Oceanica		19	30	79	8			10		30
Tonga, Samoa, etc								23		6
Hawaiian Islands	10,579	15,815	15,050	15,744	14,765	12,428	16,236	20,781	20,888	29,441
Philippine Islands		469								

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	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Tobacco, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Cigarettes—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa	95,291	96,422	82,407	112,647	112,164	115,675	151,674	130,805	269,966	169,886
French Africa		70				32	50	64		
Liberia		11								
Portuguese Africa								3,941	857	906
Turkey in Africa—Egypt	635								6	
All other Africa	988	2,300						265		150
 All other British	1,086					40				
All other islands and ports	29	129	58	85						
Total	752,857	830,817	1,008,657	1,018,427	1,151,487	1,094,340	1,180,699	1,403,623	1,959,252	2,018,616
All other—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands	45	4,248		10	75	32	149		159	
Belgium	82,638	60,822	113,529	44,573	31,411	113,016	47,990	41,216	66,108	2,855
Denmark	10,704	7,167	10,098	6,546	5,056	5,770	4,911	6,548	5,289	945
France	81,942	60,987	60,065	18,095	13,714	15,690	12,352	12,114	10,835	1,896
Germany	111,258	121,033	57,903	145,358	91,641	46,954	57,616	83,656	138,840	37,438
Gibraltar	54,206	43,196	28,761	21,019	21,792	31,311	14,706	23,248	24,467	5,581
Italy	2,075	17	20	19	1,060	48	83	10	5,063	61
Malta, Gozo, etc.								16,475	15,873	29
Netherlands	45,451	28,592	51,851	103,142	90,152	72,565	51,543	74,106	71,806	10,285
Portugal	5,268	43	9,473	36	3,447	8	15	75	2	25
Russia, Black Sea								20	266	
Spain	55			31		1,000				
Sweden and Norway	699	1,439	845	718	1,392	384	513	204	181	343
Switzerland						48	306		49	1,205
Turkey in Europe	304									
United Kingdom	654,568	811,463	675,528	832,420	714,527	665,798	754,407	1,109,477	1,159,883	143,069
 Bermuda				10,012	9,570	8,637	8,848	7,379	6,937	3,222
British Honduras	3,079	2,813	2,331	2,743	2,210	2,178	2,969	2,238	1,698	1,303
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc. .	1,693	1,304	1,228	3,143	8,083	4,538	3,250	2,766	1,668	642
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	19,827	29,066	44,674	27,824	18,564	18,187	20,688	29,633	27,950	18,154
British Columbia	13,145	7,590	9,496	9,784	3,586	8,829	11,796	10,628	16,851	12,747
Newfoundland and Labrador	7,717	6,554	6,533	13,054	42,670	10,886	9,321	4,611	13,243	1,221
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	20,998	26,763	26,715	30,845	58,806	32,294	49,147	39,990	35,795	1,233
Guatemala	594	2,730	1,758	1,418	2,223	59,280	5,347	11,208	9,237	2,851
Honduras	605	499	545	425	663	621	244	2,271	396	637
Nicaragua	5,095	10,462	10,870	8,947	9,448	9,909	9,604	8,732	6,924	2,362
Salvador	1,211	8	26	62	22			1,012	97	
Mexico	10,434	11,401	5,458	6,821	9,859	11,300	10,760	14,844	13,235	24,704
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	1,772	1,946	246	5,824	4,506	3,450	591	1,374	690	111
West Indies—										
British	70,473	71,157	63,547	72,533	110,691	73,384	64,233	58,068	43,815	12,457
Danish	3,602	7,593	3,232	4,533	6,568	4,543	3,118	2,051	3,947	458
Dutch	29,715	38,807	61,732	57,574	123,135	59,855	78,247	61,491	73,513	14,669
French		2,573	567	1,073	426	560	758	218	1,403	15
Haiti	8,238	9,520	3,515	1,397	1,638	1,707	418	914	1,610	3,936
Santo Domingo	90	338	411	224	83	144	188	114	38	471
Spanish—Cuba	32,960	42,958	39,154	57,018	61,404	38,233	47,906	36,690	116,679	3,382
Porto Rico	739	153		16		45	6		53	
 Argentina	37,709	35,800	23,457	9,757	9,454	8,222	2,923	35,234	48,198	1,212
Brazil	509	915	2,674	773	1,106	2,342	673	1,216	680	10
Chile	5,903	8,387	3,386	3,906	6,948	7,956	8,686	10,773	10,786	1,661
Colombia	57,709	42,312	49,745	48,713	36,575	919	509	3,453	1,209	3,323
Ecuador	252	151	142		94		51		49	260
Falkland Islands								600	800	
Guianas—British	3,054	2,193	1,872	1,197	5,070	21,582	1,030	270	191	616
Dutch	143		55		319	144	139		2	126
French		20	65			139			140	

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Tobacco, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
All other—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Peru.....	3,602	1,870	2,098	635	766	527	221	621	121	457
Uruguay.....	2,571	5,010	1,164	1,043	1,208	1,629	2,491	1,296	2,631	586
Venezuela.....	72,250	54,149	31,777	23,892	28,890	31,453	40,518	38,389	48,533	39,972
Aden.....								556	275	46
China.....	6,180	9,658	11,269	12,917	11,855	4,087	4,752	7,117	8,540	10,184
East Indies—British.....	84,460	57,637	81,555	116,389	149,285	102,584	37,810	35,208	46,676	21,587
Dutch.....	851	1,493	5,620	3,483	756	767	4,598	5,608	6,987	5,200
French.....	218	75		165	105	135	50	110	40	
Hongkong.....	11,112	14,452	10,052	15,396	16,088	14,847	15,994	16,286	17,872	23,397
Japan.....	54,487	52,428	68,558	45,092	53,544	33,009	22,456	56,469	57,325	35,057
Russia, Asiatic.....	267		1,534	208	107	958	537	681	1,318	
All other Asia.....		14	205				1,214			
British Australasia.....	1,074,944	1,046,181	1,316,116	1,007,232	875,004	999,359	1,100,271	840,413	678,715	70,571
French Oceania.....		350	713	109	477	168	151	741	248	426
German Oceania.....									1,334	3,795
Spanish Oceania.....								5,864		
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								291	116	400
Hawaiian Islands.....	107,139	128,873	122,316	127,401	143,908	123,707	141,376	146,401	142,889	154,069
Philippine Islands.....	244	56	275	25	96			100	50	
British Africa.....	35,359	41,884	27,289	36,219	31,658	23,944	56,823	60,941	60,360	2,698
Canary Islands.....				5,569	7,513	5,756	5,274	8,315	8,082	
French Africa.....		50	6,989	340	82	188	575	9	740	
Liberia.....		170	222	7	25					
Madagascar.....								61		
Portuguese Africa.....				2,076	295			191	874	173
Spanish Africa.....	4,413	6,320	2,669							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	23								25	225
All other Africa.....	1,174	385	745	121	123		70	712	4,564	88
All other British.....	14,297	17,270	7,277	12,595	3,677	6,812	8,388			
All other French.....	854									
German Oceania and Africa.....							32			
All other Spanish.....					235	554	341			
All other islands and ports.....	8,697	6,180	9,750	4,812	755	361	193			
Total.....	2,869,877	2,947,525	3,079,700	2,967,409	2,835,073	2,704,393	2,730,266	2,941,425	3,024,880	684,832
Plug—										
Belgium.....										10,890
Denmark.....										3,408
France.....										9,186
Germany.....										48,503
Gibraltar.....										16,033
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....										165
Malta, Gozo, etc.....										14,302
Netherlands.....										57,228
Sweden and Norway.....										100
Switzerland.....										14
United Kingdom.....										693,459
Bermuda.....										5,933
British Honduras.....										199
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....										602
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										7,523
British Columbia.....										2,677
Newfoundland and Labrador.....										15,496
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....										31,318
Guatemala.....										42

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Tobacco, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Plug—Continued.</i>										
Central American States—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Honduras.....										149
Nicaragua.....										2,081
Mexico.....										1,026
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....										3,247
West Indies—										
British.....										27,084
Danish.....										2,313
Dutch.....										31,192
Haiti.....										246
Santo Domingo.....										64
Spanish—Cuba.....										142,910
Argentina.....										26
Chile.....										3,791
Colombia.....										411
Ecuador.....										3
Falkland Islands.....										1,010
Guianas—British.....										69
Dutch.....										20
Peru.....										386
Uruguay.....										125
Venezuela.....										32,203
Aden.....										200
China.....										6,718
East Indies—British.....										31,920
Hongkong.....										6,405
Japan.....										37,547
British Australasia.....										788,894
Philippine Islands.....										835
British Africa.....										30,834
Canary Islands.....										3,662
German Africa.....										2,072
Portuguese Africa.....										476
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										160
All other Africa.....										1,541
Total.....										2,077,664
Toys:										
Austria-Hungary.....						10				
Belgium.....	560	1,255	255	1,834	698	1,234	70	48	38	20
Denmark.....	248	679	523	403	357	60	209	256	33	3
France.....	1,313	3,937	3,522	6,767	708	331	1,287	11	213	676
Germany.....	3,269	4,982	5,044	9,121	6,864	7,802	10,944	8,463	2,796	2,614
Gibraltar.....							14			
Greece.....					25					
Italy.....				424	70	90	175	745	331	25
Netherlands.....	812	448	1,373	1,675	1,373	516	509	1,055	533	175
Portugal.....				80	25	99	30	393	3	
Russia, Black Sea.....									13	50
Spain.....					12	133		40		
Sweden and Norway.....				31	40	91		55	47	10
Turkey in Europe.....				42		17	308	381	95	31
United Kingdom.....	8,562	11,337	26,914	32,259	30,632	47,492	55,504	50,044	42,665	24,792
Bermuda.....				235	89	265	475	784	394	236
British Honduras.....	59	36	31	214	24	17	139	212	243	196
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	78	176	584	174	988	2,970	5,003	4,737	4,083	5,145
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	61	279	165	4,295	23,499	13,232	18,951	24,211	33,790	28,566
British Columbia.....		134	93	2,118	361	302	550	494	1,685	1,103
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	550	250	113	189	412	287	12	4	64	159

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Toys—Continued.										
Central American States—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Costa Rica.....	45	95	160	487	720	893	6	138	1,493	258
Guatemala.....	303	232	284	963	772	270	141	622	499	196
Honduras.....	105	302	69	88	356	497	34	266	171	83
Nicaragua.....	245	264	377	4,139	2,832	4,239	1,540	427	209	111
Salvador.....	255	52	43	458	91	54	140	22	103
Mexico.....	2,907	1,970	3,185	9,017	6,844	7,312	12,224	25,001	18,800	80,818
West Indies—										
British.....	2,120	617	1,098	394	838	1,040	1,015	1,124	1,218	1,532
Danish.....	57	314	313	195	59	2	167	97	98	185
Dutch.....	263	65	488	549	229	209	117	182	163	181
French.....	45	31	8	74	28	5	25
Haiti.....	550	1,281	1,425	608	502	527	319	566	396	336
Santo Domingo.....	234	780	527	270	502	290	297
Spanish—Cuba.....	1,794	6,351	5,256	4,305	3,627	2,876	1,609	504	964	254
Porto Rico.....	1,120	831	566	444	458	235	26
Argentina.....	723	366	151	733	1,208	1,288	478	1,057	375	932
Brazil.....	535	1,130	608	3,797	1,444	877	1,062	1,290	256	902
Chile.....	99	1,061	504	368	565	587	554	1,053	513	560
Colombia.....	211	92	12	1,806	2,161	1,387	684	240	1,047	309
Ecuador.....	559	168	484	639	296	292	25	116	4	269
Guianas—British.....	22	36	343	40	48	41
Dutch.....	112	127
Peru.....	155	218	234	362	160	175
Uruguay.....	100	119	487	139	295	58
Venezuela.....	1,222	1,555	1,153	1,239	1,249	761	1,391	1,480	1,543	941
China.....	419	144	177	20	27	287	136	45	459	406
East Indies—British.....	386	188	160	349	1,330	535	240	1,658	297	362
Dutch.....	7	60	225	45	32	76	102	25
Hongkong.....	13	150	100	600	35	50	112	32
Japan.....	244	16	9	451	190	705	831	141	2,819	4,526
Russia, Asiatic.....	50	27	8	25	23
Turkey in Asia.....	59	99	44	20	127
All other Asia.....	21
British Australasia.....	6,758	16,218	6,300	11,954	6,045	5,720	8,413	6,691	6,703	10,496
French Oceania.....	2,595	2,423	1,554	622	922	1,631	867
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	182	99	185
Hawaiian Islands.....	1,255	126	15,550	6,060	4,878	4,746	4,166	4,934	6,182
Philippine Islands.....	359	23	75	46
British Africa.....	242	99	1,416	887	387	1,015	1,523	1,034	1,887
Liberia.....	30	15	54	13
Portuguese Africa.....	15	9
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....										

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags—C't'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Spain	23	50		179	14	125	440	94	159	
Sweden and Norway	5			24				101		
Turkey in Europe								76		
United Kingdom	8,315	7,413	25,324	15,266	4,686	7,646	6,351	6,467	8,413	7,148
Bermuda				272	104	308	76	240	281	732
British Honduras	2,029	1,542	2,458	1,842	1,275	1,171	1,223	1,820	1,957	1,095
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	15	75		530	709	486	872	1,540	2,018	1,236
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	5,543	6,809	24,414	28,563	28,741	1,276	1,811	3,119	3,231	5,946
British Columbia	607	278			260	329	4	34	800	1,935
Newfoundland and Labrador		242	31	226	206		54	146	84	176
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	879	602	1,018	1,161	372	548	468	1,025	789	553
Guatemala	905	801	1,396	2,125	2,778	378	669	518	1,618	469
Honduras	1,560	671	609	1,025	1,733	432	1,041	1,107	1,478	1,277
Nicaragua	2,892	3,014	6,003	3,124	3,510	2,096	2,428	3,280	1,749	2,147
Salvador	98	122	1,025	911	297	320	720	1,568	1,082	187
Mexico	11,991	13,575	10,439	10,757	8,849	10,552	12,182	12,505	10,299	12,032
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	1,053		135	171	94					55
West Indies—										
British	11,260	15,919	20,484	14,908	13,387	14,381	12,148	10,889	10,224	7,653
Danish	645	3,110	1,777	1,313	882	1,375	824	541	950	717
Dutch	5,912	7,214	7,943	12,418	7,364	8,491	4,637	8,957	4,559	3,707
French	1,804	1,589	2,097	1,293	945	285	576	509	398	504
Haiti	4,586	15,561	9,497	4,872	3,893	5,778	4,600	3,547	1,398	1,173
Santo Domingo	2,192	2,420	3,196	839	1,137	1,959	1,514	371	491	769
Spanish—Cuba	17,880	26,060	22,529	27,834	18,404	25,062	9,247	14,134	7,929	5,289
Porto Rico	8,464	8,266	6,493	5,257	1,252	4,335	2,185	958	500	1,003
Argentina	36,977	33,175	2,683	85	679	452	4,100	544	600	1,340
Bolivia	70	6		80		51				13
Brazil	6,165	5,591	4,789	3,025	6,835	6,444	8,193	6,699	6,787	14,406
Chile	4,573	2,446	3,052	5,348	4,320	1,754	788	2,017	767	825
Colombia	15,514	7,024	7,168	5,306	6,858	3,469	3,560	4,878	4,797	3,906
Ecuador	1,166	1,248	1,200	1,095	1,253	1,450	1,359	2,143	2,707	1,239
Guianas—British	73	295	476	531	303	456	611	287	526	757
Dutch	431	313	314	184	352	452	208	115	113	78
French	500	193	24	143	103	50	124	268	391	1,152
Peru	3,228	1,275	2,462	2,638	1,160	817	430	1,047	1,571	1,595
Uruguay	1,459	1,719	584	430	116	325	100	192	464	522
Venezuela	2,112	1,849	2,761	1,681	1,254	1,690	1,524	738	551	194
China		20	220	150		1,170	133	367	182	240
East Indies—British	36			15				422	169	98
Dutch				14				27		
Hongkong			437	82		255		109	40	
Japan	406	219	175	18	91	166				
Russia, Asiatic	21			163					40	90
Turkey in Asia								100		
All other Asia										10
British Australasia	8,412	7,507	10,621	4,315	5,746	4,904	3,747	4,199	3,768	4,922
French Oceania	47	60			170	35	161	32	171	35
Hawaiian Islands	4,937	9,338	8,669	2,175	3,112	4,735	7,115	4,295	7,877	5,304
Philippine Islands					22					
British Africa	7,463	18,495	8,352	7,473	13,663	6,479	5,680	7,632	5,900	10,789
French Africa									119	
Canary Islands	17			51	70					
Liberia	187	163	219	31	14		16		34	10
Portuguese Africa								279	231	58
Turkey in Africa—Egypt										10
All other Africa	36	34		12	13		321	5	169	250
Total	184,624	209,850	202,520	171,804	147,335	123,968	104,275	113,118	100,382	104,602

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Varnish—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....		300			2,227	146	154	2,990	3,296	3,108
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....			5					13	18	
Belgium.....	2,241	2,168	3,275	11,149	19,857	17,098	18,143	22,615	25,514	27,747
Denmark.....	130	809	267	1,514	644	2,661	3,195	2,511	5,405	5,473
France.....	16,166	15,554	10,041	34,707	12,793	23,026	16,706	22,828	24,627	29,839
Germany.....	25,867	22,031	16,808	26,223	25,387	18,938	33,388	35,132	41,511	48,409
Italy.....	1,507	1,553	2,183	4,714	2,271	5,808	6,036	8,162	15,066	11,060
Netherlands.....	14,520	26,093	29,842	21,969	18,775	25,725	34,439	27,532	39,302	36,357
Portugal.....		160	1,779	2,592		501	582	3,710	2,410	730
Roumania.....					29	222				
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....	110	623	937	857	288	504	2,091	2,638	2,237	3,201
Russia, Black Sea.....						75		40	23	
Spain.....	1,795	1,221	7,591	1,768	2,187	4,945	1,571	1,976	727	957
Sweden and Norway.....	60	215	160		2,857	1,079	1,435	1,389	5,407	3,696
Switzerland.....					60			362		1,033
Turkey in Europe.....										2
United Kingdom.....	29,248	29,209	37,163	92,728	65,060	88,288	85,007	123,436	155,803	149,663
Bermuda.....				690	779	502	293	679	626	810
British Honduras.....	199	164	318	200	170	184	284	298	166	193
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	3,654	3,415	2,993	2,398	1,201	752	474	559	398	1,182
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	8,507	8,491	2,572	3,070	9,330	10,272	7,589	6,425	4,335	10,178
British Columbia.....	42	1,000		305	2,279	269	225	979	7,178	3,167
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	917	494	493	499	843	1,042	784	229	849	563
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,316	472	1,123	1,227	819	962	988	1,811	1,785	755
Guatemala.....	743	1,166	616	997	1,053	963	301	607	533	266
Honduras.....	80	74	119	177	46	21	210	128	116	183
Nicaragua.....	753	1,421	1,174	1,290	360	391	1,195	907	935	539
Salvador.....	1,535	1,101	866	1,447	1,350	1,256	1,756	1,206	945	169
Mexico.....	17,729	18,516	15,841	19,990	18,725	17,748	25,062	27,979	23,234	22,045
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....										62
West Indies—										
British.....	3,282	7,554	10,898	3,316	2,569	2,804	2,563	4,306	3,476	3,103
Danish.....	100	193	350	236	183	63	105	221	161	143
Dutch.....	126	280	131	161	78	132	133	198	304	248
French.....	73	50	105	168	43	25	118	88	248	198
Haiti.....	151	150	415	129	524	479	398	354	336	170
Santo Domingo.....	168	197	154	92	230	372	261	419	280	322
Spanish—Cuba.....	13,853	16,425	9,355	11,543	17,518	19,729	14,287	12,303	11,670	9,414
Porto Rico.....	1,665	1,866	2,114	1,436	1,988	2,271	1,840	2,653	1,878	1,258
Argentina.....	11,860	6,834	2,237	2,264	3,018	2,764	4,806	5,427	6,817	7,678
Brazil.....	4,044	3,551	12,186	5,964	3,652	1,934	2,118	2,576	2,292	2,010
Chile.....	5,668	5,485	4,157	3,269	7,127	1,467	3,335	3,011	2,162	2,523
Colombia.....	6,049	4,827	5,730	5,088	4,879	4,264	3,878	4,824	5,709	5,483
Ecuador.....	636	1,387	499	177	618	904	785	151	462	651
Guianas—British.....	647	1,237	530	839	504	550	323	307	215	391
Dutch.....				5		8			7	
Peru.....	455	1,755	1,458	1,361	852	397	358	376	673	455
Uruguay.....	4,986	4,035	504	1,729	1,187	1,901	994	2,432	436	696
Venezuela.....	3,802	3,514	3,261	2,561	2,211	4,007	3,219	3,352	4,011	2,139
China.....	165	69	630	807	1,576		1,883	91	699	50
East Indies—British.....				674	653		116	92		128
Dutch.....								1,080		
Hongkong.....	596		26	15	232		4,000			944
Japan.....	1,957	5,139	643	1,361	4,477	1,029	1,409	6,108	4,264	3,403
Russia, Asiatic.....										96
Turkey in Asia.....									56	
British Australasia.....	6,411	3,116	5,897	11,979	5,034	6,376	5,634	7,230	6,234	5,929
Hawaiian Islands.....		640	140	155		551	1,897	486	785	1,130
Philippine Islands.....	3,337	3,402	1,329	1,530	2,442	191	2,605	1,500	2,239	3,449

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Varnish—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
British Africa.....	5,286	8,392	3,916	5,623	7,352	6,332	4,313	6,008	12,781	8,542
Canary Islands.....				66	54	135				
French Africa.....	2					125				
Liberia.....			62							
Portuguese Africa.....							13	188	1,000	750
Spanish Africa.....	283	122	332							
All other British.....		7								
Total.....	202,727	216,483	203,285	293,059	258,400	282,278	303,959	362,975	431,761	422,693
Vessels sold to foreigners:										
STEAMERS—										
Denmark.....							1,000			
France.....	1,400	1,165			1,000					
Germany.....				850		1,300	15,000			
Italy.....			975		801					6,274
Portugal.....			900							
Sweden and Norway.....			1,100			976			2,330	1,720
United Kingdom.....	2,112	3,133	1,000		3,226	15,212	16,150	1,300	917	1,000
Bermuda.....								2,500		800
British Honduras.....				1,000					650	
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc....	1,210	2,000			1,600			3,000		4,450
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....							8,500			
British Columbia.....		900								
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		8,000	2,500	9,000	30,500					
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	1,150	4,000	900		4,212					696
Guatemala.....				900		11,000	800	15,000		
Honduras.....	500	1,000	10,000		1,415					
Nicaragua.....		1,600	1,750			500	6,000			400
Salvador.....				600						
Mexico.....		14,000	8,529	57,015	2,200	6,036	1,000	5,700	15,515	3,580
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....							400			
West Indies—										
British.....		39,125	1,450	10,000		3,500	7,515	500	5,813	6,500
Danish.....									2,000	
Dutch.....								4,500		
Haiti.....	1,700			1,485	2,376	1,500				
Santo Domingo.....				3,800	9,585		700	4,250		3,500
Spanish—Cuba.....	7,900		3,400	1,600	6,100	2,568	6,000	38,100		15,000
Porto Rico.....	3,000									
Argentina.....		17,944	1,250							
Brazil.....			1,808	2,700	3,000			1,000	1,188	
Chile.....		800	4,400							175
Colombia.....		5,250	49,400	102,650	6,000	5,100	3,161	62,000	159,000	71,918
Ecuador.....				25,000	15,000	20,000				
Guianas—British.....							2,500	550	2,000	
Dutch.....	1,250			2,000	2,950			5,250		
Peru.....		2,680	1,600		1,360	5,100				
Venezuela.....				27,000	1,050		11,223	6,500		
British Australasia.....			1,900	600						
Hawaiian Islands.....										1,630
British Africa.....										2,600
Total.....	20,222	101,598	92,922	246,200	92,375	72,792	79,951	150,150	189,413	120,213
SAILING VESSELS—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....					600					
France.....				2,000						
Germany.....							9,000			
Portugal.....		700								

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Vessels sold to foreigners—Continued.										
SAILING VESSELS—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Sweden and Norway.....				3,500						
United Kingdom.....				2,035			2,800	500		
Bermuda.....										1,000
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc...	2,750	500		4,150		2,100		300	802	300
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....						150			600	
British Columbia.....								3,160		
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	5,750				25,000					
Central American States—										
Nicaragua.....	1,550									
Salvador.....			2,000							
Mexico.....								500	1,025	
West Indies—										
British.....	5,100	800	1,500		3,598					
Santo Domingo.....					959					23,000
Spanish—Cuba.....						24,000				
Argentina.....	2,000						3,000			
Colombia.....					1,600					
Guianas—French.....		1,200								
Hawaiian Islands.....							100			
Total.....	17,150	3,200	3,500	11,685	31,757	26,250	15,000	4,460	2,427	24,300
Vinegar:										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	6			7						
Belgium.....	9									
Denmark.....									6	
France.....								400		
Germany.....	90									
Italy.....	53									
Netherlands.....							625	3,472		
United Kingdom.....	8	96		1,248	1,569		21	6	256	1,520
Bermuda.....				685	380	353	283	564	395	442
British Honduras.....	222	117	325	277	232	191	259	211	249	220
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc...										3
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....		7	9		1	52	87	631	8	557
British Columbia.....	436	226	344	45	53	177	1,062	848	666	2,511
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	55	117	108	212	210	56		19		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	155	206	135	100	217	72	106	257	87	79
Guatemala.....	30	72	85	21	104	157	168	202	232	152
Honduras.....	106	54	19	75	48	30	77	67	46	132
Nicaragua.....	240	487	490	461	222	283	331	633	271	497
Salvador.....						25	23	79	54	16
Mexico.....	846	1,153	769	917	659	1,441	1,269	1,722	1,262	766
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	21	15		18						
West Indies—										
British.....	2,240	2,248	2,873	2,395	1,978	1,931	2,142	2,493	2,012	2,032
Danish.....	111	267	188	219	198	171	145	163	146	94
Dutch.....				37	2	21	6	54	63	24
French.....		1							4	
Haiti.....	3	193	77	82	106	49	47	67	39	70
Santo Domingo.....	14	20	10		20	26			22	25
Spanish—Cuba.....	5		13	32	110	12				12
Porto Rico.....					62					
Argentina.....				20					360	
Brazil.....			4					8		
Chile.....	140	305	71	137	45	133	137	43	27	34
Colombia.....	426	182	235	228	200	274	35	84	136	103

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Vinegar—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ecuador	2	15			20	17	26	27		3
Guianas—British	259		23		579	200	485	573	237	373
Dutch			7							
Peru				22		3			3	
Uruguay	20	35					80			
Venezuela	22	12	15	40	8			2	10	
China		24	5					29	16	
Japan	70	122	46	46	40			12	26	89
Hongkong			42							
British Australasia	8	167	45				6	50	698	44
French Oceania		58	22	46		33	14		44	
Hawaiian Islands	4,702	4,274	4,480	4,300	5,105	3,810	3,796	4,096	4,225	3,145
British Africa		8	3			20	19	149		
Liberia	8	16	28	20						
Portuguese Africa							6	16		
Turkey in Africa—Egypt									2	
All other British		8					18			
All other French	74									
All other islands and ports	81	15	18							
Total	10,464	10,520	10,489	11,690	12,177	9,537	11,273	16,975	11,572	12,939
Wood:										
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds—										
Belgium										25
France						11			20	25
Germany	15	91	876	45	2,636	36	40		376	40
Italy	10	100								
Netherlands		61		240						275
Sweden and Norway	15				850		49			
Turkey in Europe				48					95	
United Kingdom	43,310	35,055	53,177	57,043	43,432	33,641	79,335	81,588	211,549	436,648
Bermuda				5,580	5,703	4,870	3,340	3,419	3,366	6,336
British Honduras	515	513	449	433	332	536	811	1,068	2,721	3,264
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.				15	1,561	22	13	229	205	47
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	29,712	22,665	20,032	9,991	7,941	13,833	15,967	20,116	16,535	25,963
British Columbia		186	616	1,213	2,049	685	3,128	4,595	14,818	5,373
Newfoundland and Labrador		630		203	8,125	3,475	2,475		210	306
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	292	882	1,361	3,333	3,591	4,948	1,275	1,508	278	337
Guatemala	4,310	6,046	18,276	10,904	13,932	8,526	11,892	11,143	6,124	661
Honduras	314	572	226	74	872	494	316	238	236	158
Nicaragua	540	496	1,867	299	227	1,492	1,117	550	604	924
Salvador	1,659	635	707	2,253	2,211	1,941	3,978	10,463	5,987	921
Mexico	5,054	7,412	21,324	11,692	14,674	3,562	5,044	9,583	3,379	40,012
Miquelon, Langley, etc.			131	628	2,204					66
West Indies—										
British	7,812	10,481	19,153	10,433	14,688	14,458	10,764	8,795	9,304	7,753
Danish		50	1,369	405				83	580	666
Dutch	39		45		32	41			7	
French	80	300		4					20	60
Haiti	1,025	1,476	3,030	2,080	3,020	7,101	5,453	2,492	1,874	782
Santo Domingo	727	300	186	227	440	1,847	798	1,373	1,183	238
Spanish—Cuba	282	670	2,830	794	2,614	4,065	2,985	1,392	197	236
Porto Rico	3,062		25	131	2,320		24			
Argentina		8,503						24		
Brazil	15	309	6	200	2,325	19	539		1,118	45
Chile	120	590	850	1,356	5,338	347	754	1,399	1,831	103

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Doors, sash, and blinds—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Colombia	3,772	1,689	1,969	1,370	1,610	2,946	2,317	1,617	1,621	1,196
Ecuador	73	420	98			190				1,434
Guianas—British	457		21	793	676	629	558	351	95	247
Dutch					46	410				
French									93	
Peru	33						3	1,310		2,142
Uruguay		330								
Venezuela	400	235	88	12		133	93	368	486	42
China	400		376	28	8		146	11	453	49
East Indies—British	15					83			10	
Dutch							36			
Japan					109			366	11	58
Russia, Asiatic		37	60		472	75	154		13,363	157
Auckland, Fiji, etc.								80		75
British Australasia	100,982	76,680	99,266	105,497	35,233	14,328	41,061	79,060	115,942	96,018
French Oceanica		1,325	1,787	1,231	1,290	1,085	998	1,105	1,304	3,210
German Oceanica									102	63
Spanish Oceanica										18
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								800	815	470
Hawaiian Islands	11,104	17,909	25,198	14,569	10,014	9,982	14,263	20,470	26,135	36,159
British Africa	87,881	122,862	58,393	51,801	82,333	66,793	64,814	102,721	103,365	117,699
Canary Islands									14	
French Africa						15				
Liberia	594	94	1,864	221	190	120	553	236	104	256
Portuguese Africa				24				8,107	7,869	26,239
All other Africa	65			51						719
All other British						50	60			
All other French	1,114									
German Oceanica and Africa							62			
All other islands and ports	1,558	1,236	2,607	697	348	308	661			
Total	307,356	320,840	338,263	295,918	273,455	203,107	275,876	376,960	557,404	817,515
Hogsheads and barrels, empty—										
Austria-Hungary							860		20	
Azores, and Madeira Islands	65	39	44	191						
Belgium	3,508	25	2,222	1,471	1,250	1,384	19,243	37,928	33,946	33,070
Denmark					135					
France							125	12,463	5	134
Germany	20,788	28,722	10,021	4,023	4,883	6,316	1,040	4,840	6,000	5,484
Gibraltar	30									
Italy	52					30	100	210	45	40
Netherlands	683	1,173	5,695	7,300	3,418	2,876	7,614	51,227	29,479	4,480
Portugal	10									
Russia, Baltic and White Seas										200
United Kingdom	30,533	37,069	56,016	51,541	47,137	71,767	114,686	110,659	144,644	147,412
Bermuda				2	153	71	96		857	
British Honduras	51					140	30	85	57	161
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	300	100	697	401	272		100	253	713	1,079
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	8,736	8,390	3,141	5,839	13,423	4,586	4,182	3,648	11,547	7,347
British Columbia	760	334	1,267	2,591	1,040	1,099	137	316	3,027	4,085
Newfoundland and Labrador	72			89	411	15	20	40	120	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	120						47			
Guatemala					414	102	48	44	209	235
Honduras	168	100		225			2	39		4
Nicaragua	68	80	577	37	44		5	237	76	127
Salvador	58	25							20	152

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Hogsheads and barrels, empty—Cont'd.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico	4,155	10,377	7,170	14,799	11,696	10,132	12,852	26,255	16,618	18,231
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....										145
West Indies—										
British.....	3,315	5,164	5,359	2,332	4,314	2,511	7,002	2,910	2,887	1,085
Danish.....	906	686	316	578	680	598	620	1,300	1,064	211
Dutch.....		12	842		1,026		29			
French.....	2,504	3,536	343	1,327	521	1,156	27	556	15	3
Haiti.....	397	367	1,014	3,453	3,369	1,983	2,041	1,452	413	505
Santo Domingo.....	7,030	10,410	2,414	6,528	13,343	7,830	3,206	1,784	2,291	2,713
Spanish—Cuba.....	220,366	316,186	140,023	173,983	74,202	79,486	36,232	9,585	4,542	786
Porto Rico.....	447	190	115	1,396	2,151	326	421	518	349	
Argentina.....			1,445	9,500	33,803	15,788	1,600	15,550	1,520	2,362
Brazil.....			26	300	60	331				135
Chile.....				153			160	259		233
Colombia.....	400	28	79	798	93	22	13	10	246	363
Guianas—British.....	357	693	330	524	150	150	28	400	2	
French.....				13						
Peru.....	542	130			100					
Uruguay.....	5	164	564						130	
Venezuela.....	1,896	258	76	60	104	16	46	45		
East Indies—British.....				353					10	578
Hongkong.....										3,852
Japan.....									65	
Russia, Asiatic.....	1,050		85				90		265	
Turkey in Asia.....						437				
British Australasia.....	1,516	51	197		30	36	2,517	3,115	4,774	
French Oceania.....			32	92						
Hawaiian Islands.....	140	916	320	100	150	68	350	514	265	94
British Africa.....	873	53		90	508	686	665	604	1,001	1,498
Canary Islands.....									42	
Liberia.....	75									
Portuguese Africa.....									81	6
All other Africa.....	425									
All other British.....				24						
Total	312,401	425,278	240,430	290,113	218,880	209,852	216,234	286,846	267,345	236,860
Household furniture—										
Austria-Hungary.....	1,485	650	183	142	1,150	1,617	2,808	29,033	9,275	9,669
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	1,801	2,404	3,579	1,155	165	51	75	49	2,179	56
Belgium.....	25,752	19,901	19,114	36,904	44,298	77,707	102,019	70,730	87,358	66,543
Denmark.....	3,273	3,236	8,208	7,373	19,329	10,498	11,305	6,035	9,113	7,997
France.....	153,266	117,127	88,399	208,705	137,814	163,930	101,613	163,690	183,334	234,447
Germany.....	114,699	218,208	254,463	242,055	173,113	282,764	299,676	297,724	255,073	314,084
Gibraltar.....	1,077	871	734	5,400	2,500		179	725	13	152
Greece.....					113		2,350	25		3,000
Italy.....	27,619	18,493	22,147	19,805	27,890	50,140	25,382	45,778	50,069	69,877
Malta, Gozo, etc.....										100
Netherlands.....	22,291	26,549	25,560	24,987	23,879	27,642	14,467	30,178	21,860	28,867
Portugal.....	3,253	5,106	4,601	1,968	1,706	1,146	2,000	1,628	1,735	2,114
Roumania.....									61	202
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....		1,265	107	2,000		534	1,134	513	5,742	8,196
Russia, Black Sea.....	195	156	353	137	210	308	432	181	106	593
Spain.....	380	1,036	16,646	555	1,337	6,351	2,739	1,427	2,218	20,689
Sweden and Norway.....	4,339	5,172	4,177	4,639	12,823	15,498	14,579	7,308	14,919	18,474
Switzerland.....	433	546	3,356	285	129	554		332	12,323	18,187
Turkey in Europe.....	315	2,798	268	859	2,664	1,618	14,482	3,365	1,725	5,537
United Kingdom.....	376,771	490,296	557,880	574,904	779,730	675,054	662,143	713,826	935,183	1,027,463

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Household furniture—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Bermuda				13,176	11,772	14,079	18,982	14,896	10,629	16,402
British Honduras	1,358	2,540	2,603	5,452	1,820	3,272	4,331	6,480	4,450	3,654
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc. . .	30,389	20,339	25,624	22,086	31,089	65,171	56,686	58,529	57,545	63,385
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	389,165	351,273	299,598	372,786	419,886	688,472	400,953	407,774	393,204	327,453
British Columbia	49,160	19,647	18,009	28,156	66,918	70,360	78,073	77,104	169,179	124,264
Newfoundland and Labrador	7,251	4,191	3,275	12,413	26,062	27,465	9,928	6,111	9,873	8,332
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	12,383	18,826	26,104	33,548	15,871	12,716	18,695	23,046	21,378	28,383
Guatemala	24,987	44,618	45,833	45,964	33,208	27,831	48,842	66,630	76,796	17,857
Honduras	3,814	6,269	4,448	6,182	3,518	6,570	7,998	5,307	6,053	6,164
Nicaragua	10,119	18,306	18,722	17,115	10,110	11,319	7,848	10,637	9,577	6,328
Salvador	10,885	26,802	27,040	41,079	28,550	24,774	37,342	51,330	38,110	12,200
Mexico	139,824	198,836	174,309	168,765	149,420	119,074	138,844	172,212	197,864	157,095
Miquelon, Langley, etc.	3,586	3,743	2,619	3,170	2,725	1,896	2,084	1,327	2,030	3,378
West Indies—										
British	52,692	72,964	107,850	51,175	58,804	67,587	60,870	75,996	67,010	58,986
Danish	3,547	4,393	4,415	3,629	4,561	3,984	5,529	8,021	6,260	5,691
Dutch	9,901	10,762	12,836	13,795	12,129	17,212	9,734	9,855	9,715	7,859
French	7,350	5,798	5,825	4,742	4,308	2,923	3,406	3,177	3,551	4,309
Haiti	31,215	72,302	85,316	83,211	74,561	73,636	65,917	60,078	40,135	20,013
Santo Domingo	11,702	18,219	11,050	9,659	13,735	17,633	14,205	9,367	12,016	11,657
Spanish—Cuba	83,928	148,163	108,988	167,656	217,126	180,104	103,283	48,542	34,288	24,910
Porto Rico	27,397	24,192	25,046	20,952	25,624	22,521	18,120	16,518	15,700	6,041
Argentina	255,547	255,480	49,493	12,850	24,812	56,413	59,138	47,889	89,638	62,224
Bolivia	338	15	50	244	152	555	429			34
Brazil	50,816	50,905	125,788	118,725	65,592	70,306	79,867	72,936	51,537	36,010
Chile	54,195	73,886	46,860	52,039	59,314	28,773	29,888	54,643	26,267	17,076
Colombia	59,519	29,690	46,091	44,558	38,470	35,359	27,825	38,862	40,831	33,410
Ecuador	14,148	7,983	10,601	8,273	6,331	12,766	10,636	6,959	11,032	13,208
Guianas—British	6,223	10,302	9,273	9,449	12,698	11,327	10,813	5,603	6,592	4,880
Dutch	182	2,938	5,170	2,247	2,934	2,990	3,465	1,839	2,112	2,029
French	749	440	1,440	708	560	437	576	460	436	426
Peru	16,076	23,448	38,557	23,023	13,781	14,232	7,252	14,645	19,392	17,981
Uruguay	41,802	97,931	15,126	6,349	2,903	4,578	5,251	10,150	10,028	5,143
Venezuela	34,599	55,815	66,406	61,442	23,511	34,567	33,461	25,896	25,823	15,185
Aden								102	129	681
China	24,440	8,970	15,803	24,258	33,039	26,809	20,114	14,202	30,046	21,320
East Indies—British	5,180	5,144	7,807	8,097	13,913	10,229	7,715	5,554	16,061	18,555
Dutch		425	318	145	741	36	247	18	66	
Hongkong	12,245	8,615	7,967	11,935	13,265	8,028	8,443	5,176	4,845	7,759
Japan	16,862	22,768	42,779	14,773	20,351	28,799	16,927	20,094	27,845	27,424
Korea										300
Russia, Asiatic	234	781	1,217	1,157	1,898	1,926	947	1,956	3,267	1,768
Turkey in Asia	2,923	1,217	2,543	3,797	2,828	3,967	4,827	2,304	397	1,324
All other Asia	3,441	2,605	2,662	3,226	2,499	3,309	2,070	1,978	1,205	16,458
British Australasia	227,959	213,820	271,572	292,970	157,117	131,773	113,161	128,695	205,058	185,924
French Oceania		2,278	3,196	1,953	2,548	3,591	1,365	1,202	2,867	2,590
German Oceania									12	
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								864	123	127
Hawaiian Islands	53,494	69,093	86,179	54,428	51,230	59,464	73,867	66,022	96,573	110,040
Philippine Islands	60	50	50		286	192	137	262	343	189
British Africa	86,735	147,376	65,838	67,721	106,972	89,004	89,488	210,967	303,188	309,541
Canary Islands				4,005	5,403	5,300	8,190	4,440	3,400	2,157
French Africa	401	765	1,124	324	1,751	924	1,199	827	392	1,271
Liberia	1,015	1,700	685	453	2,277	835	1,347	554	644	1,009
Madagascar								7	21	
Portuguese Africa	70		1,212	2,228	504	674	856	10,739	17,706	23,175
Spanish Africa	3,030	5,852	8,138							194

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
Household furniture—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	44	712	540	16	2,748	3,562		2,731	2,424	4,446
All other Africa.....	4,538	871	1,341	1,913	1,585	624	120	2,041	5,194	1,385
All other British.....	640		567	55	202	1,228				
All other French.....	3,329									
German Oceania and Africa.....							39			
All other Spanish.....						75				
All other islands and ports.....	237	1,600	436	190	29	484	112			
Total.....	2,628,673	3,088,902	2,956,114	3,090,146	3,112,291	3,427,147	3,048,895	3,261,209	3,785,143	3,701,851
Trimmings, moldings, and other house finishings—										
Belgium.....					150	32	580	720		
France.....	5					929	200	140		150
Germany.....	596	175	2,218	90	8,478	293	408	167	141	936
Italy.....								495	835	
Netherlands.....							150	180	433	1,950
Roumania.....								100		
Russia, Black Sea.....							75			
Sweden and Norway.....							883	50		1,122
United Kingdom.....	50,206	38,130	53,150	110,843	128,945	86,943	115,091	93,916	100,758	161,883
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....				65						365
Denmark.....										5
Portugal.....										2,250
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....										
Bermuda.....				1,204	539	943	574	828	151	556
British Honduras.....								106	968	618
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	2,681	997	3,250	1,189	1,186	2,555	2,969	1,144	1,785	2,124
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	6,872	4,346	9,516	24,568	23,653	25,906	13,370	26,726	24,823	30,124
British Columbia.....	2,187	429	7,803	1,196	1,493	1,813	1,390	1,880	1,578	1,950
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	27		120	15		113	35	240		60
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	54	430	269	2,491	610	550	347	302	1,250	366
Guatemala.....	381	461	2,483	2,372	316	688	38	439	626	279
Honduras.....				123	2		26	9	32	364
Nicaragua.....	52	350	14	95	66	95	52	52	33	139
Salvador.....		316	812	761	776	328	782	469	778	83
Mexico.....	2,753	6,947	3,435	3,122	2,270	5,853	3,323	4,101	10,051	5,414
West Indies—										
British.....	1,516	1,626	4,515	1,141	1,833	617	1,073	2,548	2,013	1,687
Danish.....			25				20		25	7
Dutch.....	54	446		7	137	144		24		22
French.....								80		
Haiti.....	1,474	1,658	2,610	866	696	683	776	951	876	322
Santo Domingo.....	153	90	26	102	295	184	644	235	449	240
Spanish—Cuba.....	3,580	5,386	4,408	7,377	6,288	6,131	4,470	1,347	670	539
Porto Rico.....	11	12	12	110	143	340	212	64	201	144
Argentina.....	2,134	1,366	280		54	1,141	785	433	4,486	2,215
Bolivia.....					16	329				
Brazil.....	484	757	1,109	797	1,076	156	3,260	4,528	2,982	4,507
Chile.....	1,590	22,533	2,357	891	3,805	1,488	686	5,087	1,837	1,881
Colombia.....	2,281	1,090	758	1,295	1,729	1,484	710	670	776	1,072
Ecuador.....	109	35	170	277		363	25	110		216
Guianas—British.....			70	10		45	117	50		35
Dutch.....				5						
Peru.....	77	2,003	2,043	3,322	443	490	550	1,049	487	1,850
Uruguay.....	2,536	1,198				70	111	874	316	247
Venezuela.....	557	305	891	277	243	623	168	302	867	393
China.....										37
East Indies—British.....		280				33				

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
Trimmings, moldings, and other house finishings—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Hongkong.....		101								
Japan.....				180						186
Russia, Asiatic.....						1,475				4
Turkey in Asia.....								46		
British Australasia.....	15,811	5,400	18,958	25,455	9,518	11,363	7,352	19,940	31,122	30,906
French Oceania.....		245	145			72				
Hawaiian Islands.....	2,781	7,299	6,391	3,072	153	427	571	816	1,714	3,518
British Africa.....	14,023	11,884	7,732	9,162	13,089	8,886	5,824	5,286	3,487	12,262
Portuguese Africa.....								557	1,384	244
All other Africa.....				57						2,192
All other British.....				52						
Total.....	114,985	116,255	140,670	202,589	208,002	163,585	167,652	177,061	197,934	287,494
Wooden ware—										
Austria-Hungary.....		235	225	459	44			165	238	342
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	518	237	221	42	138	111	247	149	94	86
Belgium.....	1,936	2,310	1,963	1,332	2,458	4,440	3,324	3,212	7,262	8,364
Denmark.....	56	62	477	23	45	95	95	125	1,119	2,040
France.....	8,721	2,182	1,423	3,748	3,023	2,554	7,118	11,137	21,235	30,471
Germany.....	29,364	26,910	32,706	23,132	14,964	25,229	44,485	16,114	43,360	40,951
Gibraltar.....										6
Greece.....										50
Italy.....	1,554	627	561	273	240	1,148	359	201	2,049	3,054
Netherlands.....	3,012	1,595	2,298	1,600	1,573	2,568	2,243	4,575	4,655	5,478
Portugal.....	324	326	70	200	231	43	5	339	232	239
Roumania.....										7
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....						32			104	454
Russia, Black Sea.....	16					83		153	137	35
Spain.....	92	328	35		89			665	22	
Sweden and Norway.....	408	180	368	243	413	704	859	1,182	1,426	664
Switzerland.....		109								52
Turkey in Europe.....	88									
United Kingdom.....	150,759	196,687	235,388	193,024	191,190	185,778	197,492	205,763	223,964	204,009
Bermuda.....				1,887	1,349	928	962	1,112	1,103	1,548
British Honduras.....	373	671	546	392	180	130	362	2,356	531	314
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc..	3,160	2,487	3,491	1,497	5,459	8,924	9,871	8,456	6,873	9,770
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	8,239	2,622	7,862	5,342	3,609	12,331	27,823	28,513	35,654	47,093
British Columbia.....	1,919	1,256		53	221	1,347	2,055	316	744	446
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	6,398	2,367	961	4,110	6,907	6,088	4,178	2,739	3,626	2,372
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	596	709	1,392	1,334	1,201	992	766	1,120	1,223	707
Guatemala.....	99	164	196	397	399	58	219	660	211	78
Honduras.....	71	86	122	67	253	252	259	104	54	82
Nicaragua.....	296	1,134	1,134	1,368	753	317	514	593	300	163
Salvador.....		123	289	73	5	24	10	17	45	5
Mexico.....	4,077	7,071	1,971	2,863	687	865	9,222	8,569	9,651	2,580
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....	10	50	55	198	321	457	516	502	494	882
West Indies—										
British.....	5,478	5,563	4,890	3,206	2,950	2,847	3,585	4,260	2,979	3,787
Danish.....	148	163	60	81	67	117	138	112	89	123
Dutch.....	637	119	252	171	449	221	274	378	507	407
French.....	56	143	68	2	73		5	150	150	69
Haiti.....	1,237	4,263	2,213	1,322	1,892	1,791	2,135	1,359	895	605
Santo Domingo.....	311	538	371	473	149	289	421	166	377	414
Spanish—Cuba.....	10,628	7,307	5,935	11,635	11,905	13,160	12,815	3,203	5,244	2,581
Porto Rico.....	910	916	350	804	941	577	397	547	497	330

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
Wooden ware—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	8,358	9,025	700	1,012	2,881	1,788	1,332	2,462	3,378	3,651
Bolivia.....					56					
Brazil.....	1,474	1,084	1,563	1,557	2,542	2,425	1,954	3,881	3,731	651
Chile.....	3,852	6,501	3,439	4,155	4,838	1,890	4,500	8,120	3,393	3,051
Colombia.....	7,706	1,364	3,129	2,565	2,264	1,399	1,354	2,087	2,209	2,361
Ecuador.....	450	25	42	15	26	16	119	106	521	652
Guianas—British.....	147	252	339	305	256	346	880	108	132	159
Dutch.....	57	53	258	138	79	90	796	337	261	134
French.....	76	122	40	163	217	329	705	283	496	355
Peru.....	1,307	1,898	1,010	2,412	1,242	602	256	1,388	1,169	1,591
Uruguay.....	3,490	2,055	335	705	93	133	948	804	482	484
Venezuela.....	1,162	414	609	517	443	388	604	740	695	460
China.....	94	70	41			18	43	379	48	19
East Indies—British.....		147	169	1,571	280	203	215	267	397	450
Dutch.....		270	33						4	
Hongkong.....	68			19	90				89	30
Japan.....	369	324	716	71				52	1,154	
Russia, Asiatic.....						18		25		
Turkey in Asia.....									23	
All other Asia.....					23				22	
British Australasia.....	48,142	53,935	56,355	65,657	44,392	42,519	85,917	97,980	99,887	87,506
Hawaiian Islands.....	534	2,179	806	135	265	825	1,226	877	1,065	1,389
British Africa.....	1,789	10,767	9,734	9,007	14,432	19,166	16,862	28,590	33,258	20,402
Canary Islands.....				12	19	4	32	7	21	
French Africa.....	9		477							
Liberia.....	32	72	109	7	28	26	33	25	18	56
Portuguese Africa.....				119	158	153	507	1,078	1,402	2,268
Spanish Africa.....	2	40	6							
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	46								5	
All other Africa.....					15			43	470	3,705
All other British.....	650	373								
Total.....	321,378	360,515	387,823	356,553	328,817	346,947	451,037	458,651	531,480	500,042
Wood pulp—										
Austria-Hungary.....										692
Belgium.....										70,043
Denmark.....										3,342
France.....										34,415
Germany.....										21,406
Italy.....										10,433
Sweden and Norway.....										2,199
United Kingdom.....										358,466
Dominion of Canada—										
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										27,818
Mexico.....										4,910
Brazil.....										150
Chile.....										1,206
Peru.....										990
Japan.....										496
British Australasia.....										104
Total.....										536,670
All other—										
Austria-Hungary.....	1,678	1,345	1,808	2,391	2,290	3,031	2,429	5,668	4,196	2,345
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	5,585	5,997	2,796	1,126	333	1,121	1,275	444	1,037	1,088
Belgium.....	7,866	8,693	55,062	22,789	10,562	31,255	31,508	41,412	68,763	19,337

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wood—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>All other—Continued.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Asiatic.....	742	245	1,369	891	439	513	159	1,727	1,292	2,224
Turkey in Asia.....	175						15	49	16	11
All other Asia.....	438	205	53		120		205		25	198
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....									250	
British Australasia.....	499,590	205,464	169,381	210,297	141,650	213,616	139,404	137,548	190,274	168,476
French Oceania.....		2,023	1,866	2,214	2,901	2,554	2,172	1,726	1,893	1,599
German Oceania.....										258
Spanish Oceania.....								9		40
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....								1,360	481	271
Hawaiian Islands.....	21,017	39,907	85,425	13,881	9,676	13,217	16,269	13,509	23,532	25,310
Philippine Islands.....	380	217	436		540	328	140			217
British Africa.....	133,501	107,245	25,010	59,355	126,807	112,978	142,727	294,704	248,502	122,775
Canary Islands.....				73	4	30	2,419	122	732	
French Africa.....	1,894	944	828	648	1,728	1,514	442	232	810	449
Liberia.....	1,945	374	617	225	367	110	30		110	15
Madagascar.....									29	
Portuguese Africa.....	152		490	648	439	530	437	9,296	18,314	12,902
Spanish Africa.....		47	5					340	2	561
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....	246			19						214
All other Africa.....	136		253			100	420	3	1,205	369
All other British.....	150		45	215		123				
All other French.....	2,305									
All other islands and ports.....	1,914	2,740	3,023	2,036	1,311	541	1,338			
Total.....	2,465,488	2,197,815	1,924,022	1,827,470	1,917,451	2,423,186	2,090,113	2,865,748	3,253,110	3,017,787
Wool, and manufactures of:										
MANUFACTURES OF—										
<i>Carpets—</i>										
Austria-Hungary.....			100							
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....			50							
Belgium.....		250		30		25	100	6,838	2,983	1,143
Denmark.....						25	200	1,500		977
France.....	359	200	150	96	50					500
Germany.....	292	62		135	88	2,341	7,629	18,072	3,692	3,326
Italy.....							1,431	3,401	1,069	1,341
Netherlands.....		50					4,706	4,502	6,086	1,501
Russia, Baltic and White Seas.....								175		
United Kingdom.....	510	409	1,145	1,717	920	232,216	125,926	161,796	128,544	116,928
Bermuda.....				98	197	138	101	75	320	253
British Honduras.....			60							
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....	424		1,317	775	438	4,011	3,774	6,577	7,531	2,343
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	34	150	10,826	424	6,157	5,272	13,060	11,592	25,123	23,678
British Columbia.....		293	306	2,033	71	50	223	788	1,885	377
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		560		15			44			34
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	112	1,085	94	488	36			175	97	139
Guatemala.....	527	653		132		168	91	208	216	
Honduras.....		278	33	67		440	135	170		148
Nicaragua.....	90	80	112	130	64	19			60	
Salvador.....		24	446	122	126				35	
Mexico.....	387	250	1,431	420	523	2,460	1,752	1,598	1,708	5,053
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		75								25
West Indies—										
British.....	85	262	164	336	185	58	219	919	483	614
Danish.....	12			51						
Dutch.....	7		43	10				193	85	
Haiti.....		66	85	43	284	255	212	192	95	23

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wool, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Carpets—Continued.</i>										
West Indies—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Santo Domingo.....	138			29	234	126	404	39	33	338
Spanish—Cuba.....	377	47	100	470	269	396	53		30	
Porto Rico.....							40			
Argentina.....			673			126	80	375	609	66
Brazil.....		433		75	300		35	50	1,975	37
Chile.....					410				137	102
Colombia.....	821	955	171	222	173	229	292	40	925	64
Ecuador.....	110	110				81				84
Guianas—Dutch.....							80			15
Peru.....		60						89		
Uruguay.....								177	1,261	559
Venezuela.....	180	350	1,099	1,305	899	547	81	1,132	406	36
East Indies—Dutch.....					68					
China.....								38		310
Hongkong.....								222		
Japan.....										52
British Australasia.....	113		10		13	983	160	2,088	5,889	3,654
British Africa.....			60				160	1,932	1,742	554
Canary Islands.....								254		
Liberia.....	19					40	18			
Turkey in Africa—Egypt.....				65						
Total.....	4,597	6,702	18,475	9,378	11,510	250,006	161,006	225,207	189,579	164,274
Dress goods—										
Belgium.....										600
Denmark.....										150
United Kingdom.....										18,394
Bermuda.....										18
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.....										464
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....										19,988
British Columbia.....										5
Central American States—										
Honduras.....										50
Nicaragua.....										1,706
Mexico.....										78
Total.....										41,472
Flannels and blankets—										
Belgium.....				739		40				
Denmark.....						100				
France.....	65	65	100	215	10				10	5
Germany.....		983	100	1,306			78		50	
Italy.....							300			
Netherlands.....							50			
United Kingdom.....	15	4,004	1,607		210	195	15,186	1,188	6,626	2,993
Bermuda.....				31	21	69	25	171	155	110
British Honduras.....			36	5			84	154	93	68
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, Brunswick, etc.....						461	73	46	107	454
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	390	12		163	2,050	21,728	5,639	7,950	28,898	12,781
British Columbia.....	505	60	540	666	164	145	571	701	1,027	1,157
Newfoundland and Labrador.....		85		93		132	675	122	2,431	5,352
Central American States—										
Costa Rica.....	265	829	1,387	194	469	54	328	1,634	352	1,583
Guatemala.....	249	1,718	631	125	1,061	469	1,448	328		65

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES OF THE PRODUCTS OF DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE, BY ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES, 1889-1898—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wool, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
<i>Flannels and blankets—Continued.</i>										
Central American States—Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Honduras.....	342	364	318	296	63	177	73	101	147	.....
Nicaragua.....	204	655	1,239	1,124	903	281	94	324	95	222
Salvador.....	90	492	511	930	308	512	447	2,076	172	34
Mexico.....	4,807	2,285	2,711	4,481	3,952	1,580	516	3,139	257	100
West Indies—										
British.....	359	107	245	92	12	576	1,073	200	120	112
Danish.....	78	94	.....	60	84	6	108	.....	415	.....
Dutch.....	.....	.....	.....	273	156	23	13	.....	.....	.....
French.....	9	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Haiti.....	324	386	534	303	28	.....	234	45	352	265
Santo Domingo.....	31	142	70	.....	55	1,019	164	13	.....	.....
Spanish—Cuba.....	604	52	725	839	309	189	650	60	.....	407
Porto Rico.....	.....	170	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35
Argentina.....	60	.....	36	.....	950	434	397	804	172	.....
Bolivia.....	.....	410	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil.....	1,548	1,400	1,026	1,524	5,167	3,738	815	1,300	1,041	500
Chile.....	25	60	450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colombia.....	1,258	994	1,265	686	730	365	1,046	1,846	1,101	2,890
Ecuador.....	431	260	843	462	835	39	.....	.....	126	410
Gaianas—British.....	.....	111	19	.....	.....	.....	15	26	.....	.....
Peru.....	39	1,435	.....	.....	.....	142	740	420	741	689
Uruguay.....	.....	7,633	733	.....	25	345	7,975	193	190	.....
Venezuela.....	113	251	1,199	834	3,215	1,349	3,019	1,607	276	.....
China.....	31	7,709	684	180	150	.....	.....	205	.....	6,660
Hongkong.....	1,234	370	1,833	38	.....	.....	62	575	160	550
Japan.....	146	302	1,060	1,025	102	.....	59	.....	95	.....
Russia, Asiatic.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	152	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Asia.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30
British Australasia.....	403	306	1,375	3,860	300	100	690	930	84	.....
French Oceanica.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	47	.....	169	242
Hawaiian Islands.....	4,644	7,113	5,125	3,774	2,693	4,301	6,976	10,611	11,591	9,271
British Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	230	.....	32	286	21	218
Canary Islands.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
Liberia.....	145	90	141	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other Africa.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	290	175
All other British.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	61
Total.....	18,414	40,957	26,543	24,443	24,252	38,756	49,822	37,055	57,373	47,439
Wearing apparel—										
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	638	690	469	592	285	57	.....	241	.....	.....
Belgium.....	1,140	984	381	1,410	1,219	1,998	1,252	744	1,480	430
Denmark.....	1,077	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	50
France.....	3,901	725	2,575	15,135	900	550	695	160	230	221
Germany.....	9,279	12,624	12,602	10,011	7,403	17,221	7,325	18,935	2,076	903
Gibraltar.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Greece.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Italy.....	934	1,025	250	865	100	195	25	.....	5	.....
Netherlands.....	40	600	.....	.....	.....	200	1,397	150	385	.....
Russia, Black Sea.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,075	.....	.....
Sweden and Norway.....	450	.....	.....	.....	100	50	695	.....	375	447
Switzerland.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turkey in Europe.....	.....	.....	.....	450	2,725	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,501
United Kingdom.....	14,326	24,091	28,270	35,066	48,263	40,990	59,887	80,477	41,048	19,474
Bermuda.....	273	226	405	86	269	108	1,372
British Honduras.....	189	150	161	437	224	123	285	384	412	178

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wool, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
Wearing apparel—Continued.										
Dominion of Canada—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	1,306	579	6,416	11,275	13,263	54,177	45,992	44,181	59,343	70,684
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	77,775	126,315	205,884	41,983	29,998	79,028	84,095	93,207	160,741	151,314
British Columbia	19,760	18,822	13,092	7,292	15,968	17,536	11,864	11,172	15,549	26,518
Newfoundland and Labrador	119	48	32	1,275	6,577	3,501	814	1,528	202	387
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	187	339	1,264	992	2,546	1,256	1,825	2,207	2,641	485
Guatemala	3,021	5,631	6,106	7,895	11,920	5,686	6,530	9,848	7,497	3,354
Honduras	1,460	709	1,291	412	569	576	607	745	378	321
Nicaragua	3,134	3,312	5,410	2,842	3,387	4,407	672	4,787	855	921
Salvador	912	934	1,281	15,292	1,230	875	9,012	2,224	2,927	638
Mexico	27,352	19,356	25,431	36,028	19,453	22,297	14,907	21,310	28,263	49,397
Miquelon, Langley, etc.					700					107
West Indies—										
British	3,070	1,361	1,953	1,402	2,057	729	1,096	1,289	851	2,419
Danish	195	201	115	57	116	17				36
Dutch	229	23	57	161	244	51	43	3		10
French			8							
Haiti	843	1,203	663	649	124	67	863	27	43	82
Santo Domingo	129		255	29			1,900	160		10
Spanish—Cuba	563	820	1,933	3,135	614	1,918	824	369	82	227
Porto Rico	56	201		294	239			150	30	
Argentina	920	54	9			1,298		760		3,932
Bolivia					480					31
Brazil	90	807	129	514	580	732	378	164	130	36
Chile	797	75	960	2,405		168	300			200
Colombia	6,024	1,134	3,476	4,416	4,518	2,734	2,173	20,235	3,372	25,892
Ecuador	981			30	255	596				
Guianas—British		50	80	50	28					
Peru	263		367					60		
Uruguay	735	3,365								
Venezuela	1,427	1,094	293	234	450	28	188	30	474	
China	1,440	2,518	952	684	413	895	417	6	13	
East Indies—British	281	500		1,531	952			589	56	64
Hongkong	7,270	15,978	16,540	9,775	6,704	11,170	7,360	1,750	3,946	1,157
Japan	8,275	6,497	5,053	1,392	3,163	4,228	1,711	2,218	2,796	2,375
Korea										100
Russia, Asiatic	63	175	310	1,312	556	648	1,023	249	769	250
Turkey in Asia	123			1,531	1,302				797	1,614
All other Asia								36		10
British Australasia	5,688	10,064	26,367	4,886	5,139	5,540	3,149	2,528	2,634	4,353
French Oceania	324	599	515	24		39			577	59
Tonga, Samoa, etc.								63		
Hawaiian Islands	56,114	52,446	52,691	44,127	26,937	34,219	45,883	40,762	44,898	54,272
British Africa	466	273	24	137	441	1,090	751	279	459	384
French Africa				332						
Liberia	209	366								
Portuguese Africa					23					10
Turkey in Africa—Egypt		73								6
All other Africa	46	130	23							2,833
All other British		400								
All other islands and ports	426	574	334	343	25					
Total	264,074	317,910	424,022	268,985	222,416	317,295	316,154	365,371	385,845	429,03
All other manufactures of—										
Austria-Hungary								22		
Azores, and Madeira Islands			1		230					

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Wool, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
All other manufactures of—Continued.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Belgium	6	76	906	500	144	60	1,146	19,115	1,500	10
Denmark	1,395	705								15
France	1,305	2,204	725	550		647	1,325	93	3,351	546
Germany	3,730	6,667	3,250	1,666	821	1,090	3,261	11,704	2,955	4,124
Italy	376			365			50	88	20	25
Netherlands	688	9		20		49	450	1,042	100	
Russia, Baltic and White Seas								10	621	48
Spain			765	261						99
Sweden and Norway			104	40	34	28			175	353
Turkey in Europe				699						
United Kingdom	6,332	17,678	7,577	16,488	5,902	9,841	32,282	24,183	8,172	17,130
Bermuda				36	554	75	77	163	463	81
British Honduras		111	179	48	24		724		72	141
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	265	2,472	266	1,690	5,466	4,046	3,900	5,634	5,044	4,700
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	11,372	13,471	12,347	16,571	32,592	123,113	75,985	198,808	251,493	346,583
British Columbia	10,479	2,421	3,571	5,275	3,509	2,767	2,127	2,741	7,623	4,238
Newfoundland and Labrador	370	193	27	40	150	115	397	44	250	220
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	184	150	61	68	69	2,897	291	193	529	584
Guatemala	21	741	1,594	192	25	55	242	124	43	3,708
Honduras	497	100	40	167	15	120	239	44	82	437
Nicaragua	1,100	810	237	330	106	71	1,221	790	140	
Salvador	75	69	6		6	35	232	77	417	89
Mexico	4,456	16,353	7,252	9,723	10,980	17,031	12,994	10,989	18,955	10,674
Miquelon, Langley, etc.		13		244						75
West Indies—										
British	1,789	351	686	827	507	231	452	369	232	149
Danish	95	52	77		18	59		12	36	
Dutch	92	324	357	160	91	128	185	35		6
French	22							5	15	
Haiti	789	441	828	173	113	153	123	258	37	84
Santo Domingo	78	171	18	94	138	231	257	357	62	205
Spanish—Cuba	1,823	1,847	2,790	2,712	2,941	1,187	486	678	395	255
Porto Rico	22		43	80	67		107	45	27	50
Argentina	120	188	1,818				22	128	1,855	336
Brazil	957	140	517	2,352	891	1,124	402		219	885
Chile	265	233	475	110	335	130	222	669	197	210
Colombia	4,200	885	1,583	710	876	827	575	1,443	1,976	2,153
Ecuador	24				10	74		697	46	84
Guianas—British					205		8			
Dutch	50			92						29
Peru	258	38	7	317	527	168	24	626	299	251
Uruguay	105				46	20	21			78
Venezuela	2,662	418	493	585	21	156	347	191	210	16
China	345					58	343		81	
East Indies—British								25		761
Hongkong	172		74				330	400	6	
Japan	100	95	333	110		100	836	1,285	5,257	
Turkey in Asia				34						5,266
All other Asia									11	
British Australasia	149	956	674	656	440	1,117	1,179	1,785	1,078	1,613
Hawaiian Islands		494		419		475		241	54	108
British Africa		927	147	159	8	109	268	745	925	1,376
Liberia	96	87	218	90	16	56	114	44		
Portuguese Africa				500					13	14
Turkey in Africa—Egypt				73						
All other Africa			12					74	5	145
Total	56,864	71,910	50,158	64,931	67,877	168,523	143,244	285,976	315,011	407,414

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Zinc:										
MANUFACTURES OF—										
<i>Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets—</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary										1,047
Azores, and Madeira Islands				11						
Belgium		2,200		6,878	735	1,452	5,550	7,700		
Denmark	4				3,248					
France				41,478	13,600	15,973			48,716	1,500
Germany			400	11,281	83,499	52,457	12,695	15,551	23,553	
Italy				3,200	1,275	1,759	582	391	430	
Netherlands				7,162	69,420	45,654		9,783	1,661	58,637
United Kingdom	3,050	121,438	100,994	531,382	256,578	120,452	133,285	138,091	1,669,959	1,172,091
Bermuda					31	38	14			75
British Honduras							7			
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.		629				50				
Quebec, Ontario, etc.		15	1,485	39,475	33,145	13,439	8,052	2,349	8,180	11,565
British Columbia								12	22	
Central American States—										
Costa Rica		35	21	61	56				114	40
Guatemala							100	343		
Honduras	75		28			3	7	36		442
Nicaragua	136	199	40	447	242	71	147	211	16	169
Salvador	13			150						
Mexico	762	310	532	379	7,543	670	679	1,333	2,679	3,147
West Indies—										
British	19	134	418	157	21	127	8			59
Dutch	46		111			7				422
Haiti	468	1,062	500	441	814	592	271	287	94	608
Santo Domingo					75			70	6	145
Spanish—Cuba			153	90	284	648			15	
Porto Rico									39	24
Colombia		778	137	325	307	136	281	561	229	1,016
Peru									647	
Venezuela	209	147	64	16		14				132
East Indies—British								10,500		
Japan					443					
Hawaiian Islands								100	257	127
Total	4,872	126,947	164,892	642,883	471,316	253,542	161,678	187,318	1,756,617	1,251,246
All other—										
Belgium	260			50	18	350	881		2,226	2,061
Denmark	5									
France				110				300		
Germany	445	153	290		140	2	369			25
Italy								320	175	90
Netherlands				4,600	2,791	2,403			36	
Spain		60								
Sweden and Norway				80						57
United Kingdom	16,897	21,096	14,514	109,725	123,052	180,647	57,606	25,489	46,021	66,178
Bermuda						11		3	5	
British Honduras		17			23				6	156
Dominion of Canada—										
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, etc.	73	180		122	149			199	30	251
Quebec, Ontario, etc.	121	22	452		879	11,896	10,756	7,928	18,695	10,851
British Columbia		559	298	490	156	473	73	170	493	705
Newfoundland and Labrador			23	53			45	15		
Central American States—										
Costa Rica	372	156	469	102	76	222	2	154	140	380
Guatemala	33	180	397	40	36	110	69			4
Honduras	80	10	86	1,390	931	618	36	36	113	39

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	VALUES.									
	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
Zinc—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—Continued.										
All other—Continued.										
Central American States—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Nicaragua	375	512	313	433	288	403	407	181	270	163
Salvador	16	69	60	1,116	15	450	.....	98	55	.....
Mexico	644	1,130	1,358	929	5,300	1,349	3,268	3,811	2,436	5,379
West Indies—										
British	48	169	247	62	84	75	192	9	141	142
Danish	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dutch	26	23	31	73	49	42	29	90	118	79
Haiti	8	527	149	443	175	65	218	471	292	141
Santo Domingo	16	88	50	16	130	247	3	5	87	.....
Spanish—Cuba	1,954	2,252	4,771	1,160	2,813	1,696	1,096	726	879	649
Porto Rico	91	27	134	44	94	32	16	236	20	.....
Argentina	14	195	180	273	209	138	100	100	.....	.....
Brazil	141	.....	90	25	.....	73	121	135	.....	.....
Chile .....	.....	.....	68	.....	39	85	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colombia	1,572	413	1,746	757	461	1,247	317	220	140	499
Ecuador	35	483	.....	.....	24	2	.....	115	25	263
Guianas—British	24	.....	60	174	.....	.....	16	28	.....	.....
Dutch .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
French .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57	.....
Pern	45	52	217	148	12	.....	.....	60	18	53
Uruguay .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23
Venezuela	478	204	76	89	53	28	210	147	282	61
East Indies—British .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	111
Japan .....	.....	31	.....	.....	76	.....	225	.....	.....	.....
British Australasia	35	589	752	180	1,320	650	.....	175	.....	62
Hawaiian Islands .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	78	.....
British Africa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83	.....	.....	.....
Liberia .....	.....	6	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portuguese Africa	105
Total	23,812	29,203	26,840	122,084	139,393	203,314	76,137	41,287	72,943	88,422

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EXPLANATIONS OF REGULAR STATISTICAL TABLES.

General imports.—The regular statement of imports of merchandise by articles and countries in this publication is what is termed the statement of *general imports*, embracing imported articles entered for immediate consumption on arrival, and articles entered for warehouse, as distinguished from special imports, which embrace imports entered for immediate consumption and withdrawals from warehouse for consumption.

The statement of *general imports* and the statement of *imports entered for consumption* for any period will differ to the extent that the value of *entries for warehouse* for the period differs from the value of *withdrawals from warehouse for consumption*. The term "*entry for consumption*" is the technical name of the import entry made at the customhouse, and does not imply that the goods have been actually consumed, but simply that they have been delivered into the custody of the importer and that the duties have been paid on the dutiable portion.

The values of articles imported since August 1, 1890, are governed by the provisions of section 19 of the act of June 10, 1890, which prescribes that the values of imported merchandise subject to ad valorem rates of duty shall be "the actual market value or wholesale price of such merchandise as bought and sold in usual wholesale quantities at the time of exportation to the United States in the principal markets of the country from whence imported and in the condition in which such merchandise is there bought for exportation to the United States or consigned to the United States for sale, including the value of all cartons, cases, crates, boxes, sacks, and coverings of any kind, and all other costs, charges, and expenses incident to placing the merchandise in condition ready for shipment to the United States."

Domestic exports.—The regular statement of domestic exports by articles and countries in this publication exhibits the exports of domestic products or manufactures, also exports of commodities of foreign origin which have been changed from the form in which they were imported or enhanced in value by further manufacture in the United States, such as sugar refined in this country from imported raw sugar, flour ground from imported wheat, and articles, utensils, etc., made from imported materials. The value of exports of domestic merchandise is their value at the time of exportation in the ports of the United States whence they are exported.

Foreign exports.—The regular statement of foreign exports by articles in this publication, sometimes called "reexports," exhibits exports of foreign merchandise which had been imported. The value of such commodities exported "from warehouse" is their import value; the value of such commodities exported "not from warehouse" comprising free goods mainly, is the value at the ports of the United States whence they are exported.

Warehoused merchandise.—The regular statement of articles remaining in warehouse in this publication exhibits imported merchandise in bonded warehouses. This merchandise has already appeared in the statement of *general imports*. The official values of the articles therein represented are the same as the *import values*.

Tonnage tables.—In the tables of tonnage movement, in American foreign trade the tonnage is stated in net tons, of 100 cubic feet carrying space, after the prescribed allowances are made for crew space, engine space, etc.

Weights.—In all tables published by the Bureau the ton weight is 2,240 pounds and the hundredweight is 112 pounds, unless indicated otherwise.

Customs districts.—Statements of imports, exports, and tonnage movement are shown by customs districts, which have a certain prescribed limit of territory, with a port of entry. The customs districts having the port of entry with name different from that of the customs district are the following:

District.	Port of entry.	District.	Port of entry.	District.	Port of entry.
Alaska	Sitka.	Frenchman Bay, Me	Ellsworth, Me.	Oswegatchie, N. Y.	Ogdensburg, N. Y.
Albemarle, N. C.	Edenton, N. C.	Genesee, N. Y.	Rochester, N. Y.	Pamlico, N. C.	Newbern, N. C.
Arizona	Nogales, Ariz.	Georgetown, D. C.	Washington, D. C.	Paso del Norte, Tex.	El Paso, Tex.
Aroostook, Me.	Houlton, Me.	Great Egg Harbor, N. J.	Somers Point, N. J.	Passamaquoddy, Me.	Eastport, Me.
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Humboldt, Cal.	Eureka, Cal.	Pearl River, Miss.	Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Brazos de Santiago, Tex., and N. Mex.	Brownsville, Tex.	Huron, Mich.	Port Huron, Mich.	Portland and Falmouth, Me.	Portland, Me.
Bristol and Warren, R. I. .	Bristol, R. I.	Little Egg Harbor, N. J.	Tuckerton, N. J.	Puget Sound, Wash.	Port Townsend, Wash.
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.	Buffalo, N. Y.	Memphremagog, Vt.	Newport, Vt.	Salem and Beverly, Mass. .	Salem, Mass.
Burlington, N. J.	Trenton, N. J.	Miami, Ohio.	Toledo, Ohio.	Saluria, Tex.	Eagle Pass, Tex.
Champlain, N. Y.	Plattsburg, N. Y.	Michigan, Mich.	Grand Haven, Mich.	Southern Oregon, Oreg.	Coos Bay, Oreg.
Cherrystone, Va.	Cape Charles City, Va.	Minnesota, Minn.	St. Paul, Minn.	St. Johns, Fla.	Jacksonville, Fla.
Cuyahoga, Ohio.	Cleveland, Ohio.	Montana and Idaho.	Great Falls, Mont.	St. Marks, Fla.	Cedar Keys, Fla.
Delaware	Wilmington, Del.	Niagara, N. Y.	Niagara Falls, N. Y.	Superior, Mich.	Marquette, Mich.
Eastern Md.	Crisfield, Md.	Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.	Norfolk, Va.	Teche, La.	Morgan City, La.
Fairfield, Conn.	Bridgeport, Conn.	North and South Dakota ..	Pembina, N. Dak.	Vermont, Vt.	Burlington, Vt.
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Total South America	3316

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DATE.	Title.	Territory embraced in title.
1868.....	Canada	Quebec and Ontario.
	British American Possessions, Atlantic.....	Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Cape Breton Island, Newfoundland, Labrador.
	British American Possessions, Pacific.....	British Columbia, Vancouver Island.
1869 to 1870.....	Dominion of Canada.....	Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Northwest Territory.
	All other British Possessions in North America.....	British Columbia, Vancouver Island, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland, Labrador.
1871 and 1872.....	Dominion of Canada.....	Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Northwest Territory, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Cape Breton Island, British Columbia, Vancouver Island.
	All other British Possessions in North America.....	Newfoundland and Labrador.
1873 to date.....	Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island.	Includes Cape Breton Island.
	Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, and Northwest Territory.....	Includes Rupert's Land.
	British Columbia	Including Vancouver Island.
	Newfoundland, Labrador	

SUMMARY.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

GROUPS.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
IMPORTS.								
FREE OF DUTY:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Per cent.</i>
Articles of food, and live animals	8,493,079	37.08	9,444,344	36.46	105,064,473	36.06	89,814,258	29.91
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	11,934,024	52.07	12,392,115	47.86	152,192,787	52.22	175,321,653	58.39
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	1,813,387	7.91	2,596,826	10.03	20,461,375	7.02	20,180,433	6.72
For consumption.....	580,958	2.53	785,622	3.03	9,236,093	3.17	9,685,186	3.22
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	93,988	.41	678,200	2.62	4,459,447	1.53	5,266,418	1.76
TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.....	22,920,436	100.00	25,897,107	100.00	291,414,175	100.00	300,267,948	100.00
DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	8,371,387	29.52	11,696,768	32.65	76,141,371	23.46	122,055,660	30.76
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	4,451,760	15.71	4,754,334	13.27	49,235,588	15.17	46,676,724	11.76
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	3,105,265	10.96	3,940,535	11.00	38,123,184	11.74	40,532,085	10.21
For consumption.....	7,185,271	25.35	7,871,202	21.97	88,146,311	27.15	98,936,220	24.93
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	5,231,117	18.46	7,564,829	21.11	72,989,025	22.48	88,648,217	22.34
TOTAL DUTIABLE.....	28,344,795	100.00	35,827,728	100.00	324,635,479	100.00	396,848,906	100.00
FREE AND DUTIABLE:								
Articles of food, and live animals	16,869,466	32.91	21,141,112	34.25	181,205,844	29.41	211,869,918	30.39
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry..	16,385,784	31.96	17,146,449	27.78	201,428,375	32.70	221,998,377	31.85
Articles manufactured—								
For mechanic arts.....	4,918,647	9.59	6,537,361	10.59	58,584,559	9.51	60,712,518	8.71
For consumption.....	7,766,229	15.15	8,656,884	14.02	97,382,404	15.81	108,621,406	15.58
Articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc.....	5,325,105	10.39	8,243,029	13.36	77,448,472	12.57	93,914,635	13.47
TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....	51,265,231	100.00	61,724,835	100.00	616,019,654	100.00	697,116,854	100.00
PER CENT OF FREE		44.7		41.96		47.3		43.07
DUTIES COLLECTED	14,555,729		18,446,908		149,819,594		206,507,812	
REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE at the end of the month.....	37,726,964		35,956,021					
EXPORTS.								
DOMESTIC:								
Products of—Agriculture.....	59,516,168	63.99	54,368,312	57.48	853,683,570	70.54	784,999,009	65.20
Manufactures.....	27,216,669	29.26	31,812,775	33.64	290,697,354	24.02	338,667,794	28.13
Mining.....	1,972,147	2.12	2,734,222	2.89	19,410,707	1.60	28,832,547	2.39
Forest.....	3,850,643	4.14	5,237,594	5.54	37,900,171	3.13	42,316,779	3.51
Fisheries.....	355,576	.36	314,381	.33	5,435,483	.45	6,025,446	.50
Miscellaneous.....	120,894	.13	111,946	.12	3,164,628	.26	3,281,559	.27
TOTAL DOMESTIC	93,012,297	100.00	94,579,230	100.00	1,210,291,913	100.00	1,204,123,134	100.00
FOREIGN:								
Free of duty	1,176,277	59.81	762,376	38.04	9,677,363	45.67	9,504,493	41.12
Dutiable.....	790,149	40.19	1,242,202	61.96	11,513,054	54.33	13,577,792	58.88
TOTAL FOREIGN.....	1,966,426	100.00	2,004,578	100.00	21,190,417	100.00	23,082,285	100.00

GOLD AND SILVER.					TONNAGE.				
GOLD AND SILVER.		June—		Twelve Months ending June—	VESSELS.		June—		Twelve Months ending June—
		1898	1899				1898	1899	
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>			<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Gold—Imports.....		3,330,612	3,165,686	120,391,674	Entered—Sailing		426,017	507,085	4,611,094
Exports.....		375,529	20,908,327	15,465,391	Steam		1,745,355	2,046,013	20,968,305
Silver—Imports		2,028,803	1,895,393	30,927,781	Cleared—Sailing.....		434,104	469,739	4,740,585
Exports		4,156,650	3,843,299	55,105,239	Steam.....		1,811,415	2,004,294	21,007,647

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Agricultural implements.....free..						11,469				
Animals (number):										
Cattle.....free..	21	2,268	95	11,223	204	24,360	577	76,631	626	95,513
Do.....dut..	14,974	149,958	13,817	141,481	328,773	2,565,497	291,012	2,836,592	199,128	2,225,009
Horses.....free..	75	23,740	153	40,456	699	97,058	800	145,456	1,064	296,092
Do.....dut..	181	44,788	237	32,074	6,299	367,750	2,285	269,443	1,975	254,793
Sheep.....free..	30	450	290	5,356	2,382	32,640	3,047	42,805	2,396	46,132
Do.....dut..	247	1,729	376	1,038	403,251	987,028	389,267	1,063,517	343,515	1,153,949
All other, including fowls..free..		13,178		7,751		146,378		155,967		183,473
All other, including live poultry.....dut..		4,516		9,189		64,744		83,714		81,559
Total.....{free..		39,636		64,789		300,436		420,859		621,210
{dut..		200,991		183,782		3,985,019		4,253,266		3,215,315
Total.....		240,627		248,571		4,285,455		4,674,125		4,336,525
HORSES (free, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	5	10,413	67	36,457	16	20,754	35	59,540	143	155,275
British North America.....	46	2,133	86	3,993	646	68,639	722	67,640	745	55,827
Other countries.....	24	11,194			37	7,665	43	18,276	176	84,990
Total.....	75	23,740	153	40,456	699	97,058	800	145,456	1,064	296,092
HORSES (dutiabie, number), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	15	1,996	7	3,699	16	10,391	43	18,800	47	20,922
British North America.....	166	42,792	227	28,177	4,777	342,720	2,019	246,393	1,916	232,877
Other countries.....			3	198	1,506	14,639	223	4,250	12	999
Total.....	181	44,788	237	32,074	6,299	367,750	2,285	269,443	1,975	254,793
Antimony ore (pounds).....free..	161,419	4,501	244,320	3,139	4,464,608	201,963	5,359,590	78,510	3,020,016	40,362
Antimony, as regulus or metal (pounds).....dut..	264,956	20,071	195,923	15,547			2,230,902	121,116	2,316,728	179,373
Articles the growth, product, and manufacture of the United States, returned.....free..		258,574		345,384		3,370,107		3,783,241		3,540,921
Art works.....free..		26,690		13,826		4,424,158		701,208		418,857
Do.....dut..		73,984		161,281		375		1,562,219		2,040,121
ART WORKS (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		1,046		10,890		1,183,569		170,372		136,410
France.....		2,381		505		2,448,713		353,403		211,332
Germany.....				32		228,024		28,303		16,693
Italy.....		23,058		1,885		301,205		80,484		46,718
Other Europe.....		193		495		156,133		24,668		6,424
British North America.....		12				89,946		36,050		70
Other countries.....				19		14,568		7,928		1,210
Total.....		26,690		13,826		4,424,158		701,208		418,857
ART WORKS (dutiabie), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		11,985		10,368				691,658		478,907
France.....		33,862		105,433		375		524,216		1,251,297
Germany.....		2,069		6,009				115,060		118,283
Italy.....		24,962		34,385				173,284		103,444
Other Europe.....		796		3,677				48,741		42,549
British North America.....		80		99				5,569		36,120
Other countries.....		230		1,310				3,691		9,521
Total.....		73,984		161,281		375		1,562,219		2,040,121

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude (tons)										
free..					122,122	395,554	12,440	34,157		
Do. (tons) ..dut..	9,451	30,828	13,618	32,080			79,060	260,765	73,494	234,420
Bark, hemlock (cords).....free..	2,737	9,308	2,068	7,341	28,983	133,051	27,033	106,306	17,845	62,504
Bolting cloths.....free..		11,669		14,882		212,385		187,249		207,480
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanu- factured.....free..		25,492		72,851				471,731		704,959
Bones and horns, manufactures of .....dut..		19,803		19,135				165,209		181,706
Books:										
Music, maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. ....free..		118,883		139,710		1,806,476		1,538,907		1,688,446
Maps, engravings, etc., n. e. s. .....dut..		89,810		111,088		1,373,230		1,345,085		1,393,473
Books, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		51,951		59,136		737,795		645,343		751,439
France.....		11,031		23,344		195,098		155,436		202,640
Germany.....		37,295		40,829		656,927		554,291		548,354
Other Europe.....		12,644		13,316		161,974		138,511		147,269
British North America.....		5,119		2,187		35,675		35,506		26,717
Other countries.....		843		898		19,007		9,820		12,027
Total.....		118,883		139,710		1,806,476		1,538,907		1,688,446
Books, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		61,690		76,017		915,393		947,375		981,953
France.....		3,391		4,717		52,312		65,843		68,120
Germany.....		15,726		20,441		295,643		221,937		237,841
Other Europe.....		5,161		6,570		41,400		59,115		60,810
British North America.....		2,132		2,137		23,656		27,734		26,178
China.....		148		265		2,545		3,494		4,108
Japan.....		1,309		618		33,554		13,375		10,750
Other countries.....		253		323		8,727		6,212		3,713
Total.....		89,810		111,088		1,373,230		1,345,085		1,393,473
Brass, manufactures of.....dut..		2,323		3,321		147,130		35,096		55,185
Breadstuffs:										
Barley (bushels).....dut..	1	1	12	6	1,271,787	394,749	124,804	43,863	110,475	53,696
Corn (bushels).....dut..	200	90	35	24	6,284	2,070	3,417	1,479	4,171	1,618
Oats (bushels).....dut..	567	238	1,108	494	46,459	12,071	9,098	3,368	11,500	4,432
Oatmeal (pounds).....dut..	6,094	226	2,825	97	1,525,409	32,742	287,910	15,697	298,764	17,740
Rye (bushels).....dut..	3	2			72	170	32,938	13,223	402	982
Wheat (bushels).....dut..	21,304	25,594	32,592	24,264	1,534,117	1,176,337	2,046,590	1,948,289	1,871,091	1,407,615
Wheat flour (barrels).....dut..	84	455	102	402	2,250	9,914	2,744	12,230	902	4,046
Farinaceous substances, etc., n. e. s. ....free..		16,237		22,131		249,635		195,829		203,615
All other, and preparations of, etc., n. e. s. ....dut..		79,180		82,732		897,075		917,989		850,978
Total.....		122,023		130,150		2,774,763		3,152,067		2,544,722
Bristles (pounds):										
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free..					630	385	1,203	416	21,421	12,399
Sorted, bunched, or prepared .....dut..	67,338	54,114	108,211	86,474	1,347,270	1,216,794	1,533,887	1,248,703	1,835,156	1,445,853
Total.....	67,338	54,114	108,211	86,474	1,347,900	1,217,179	1,535,090	1,249,119	1,856,577	1,458,252
Brushes.....dut..		66,866		75,311		782,802		745,267		890,624
Buttons and button forms.....dut..		31,164		40,318		950,061		435,069		451,331
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc. (pounds).....dut..	60,321,251	187,360	95,673,265	325,896	939,100,866	2,972,350	797,648,183	2,578,282	839,421,118	2,776,336
CEMENT (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	2,322,400	7,691	2,364,000	8,943	184,237,053	596,195	113,723,295	379,759	100,592,130	368,253
Belgium.....	24,706,727	70,155	31,733,273	99,041	258,312,102	749,174	240,127,308	716,440	265,274,395	789,268
France.....	594,900	2,396	595,200	2,415	12,849,762	37,467	13,060,916	39,072	7,655,200	24,170
Germany.....	31,578,637	103,114	58,318,110	207,470	464,362,050	1,517,232	407,467,520	1,366,209	442,660,779	1,535,258

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cement, Roman, etc.—Continued.										
CEMENT, etc.—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other Europe	912,662	3,071	1,970,757	5,008	15,738,463	56,956	21,093,145	66,405	21,290,544	50,611
British North America	205,925	933	631,925	3,019	2,749,425	11,454	2,170,799	10,330	1,946,070	8,767
Other countries					802,011	3,872	5,200	67	2,000	9
Total	60,321,251	187,360	95,673,265	325,896	939,100,866	2,972,350	797,648,183	2,578,282	839,421,118	2,776,336
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes, n. e. s. :										
Alizarin, and alizarin colors or dyes, etc. (pounds)	375,597	68,979	478,179	57,169	6,148,268	1,022,970	5,872,015	886,332	5,231,507	700,485
Argal, or argol, or crude tartar (pounds)					23,457,576	1,967,042	741,150	65,154		
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)										
Argols, or wine lees (pounds)	1,998,502	162,081	1,861,413	159,182			18,461,479	1,525,873	23,300,762	1,914,450
Barks, cinchona, or other, etc. (pounds)	422,061	32,500	267,708	38,298	2,532,493	142,512	2,935,100	273,228	3,281,977	346,576
Coal-tar colors and dyes		336,222		350,892		3,196,478		3,689,214		3,709,353
Cochineal (pounds)	16,407	4,357	2,311	485	142,261	41,943	158,055	45,762	97,563	23,207
DYEWOODS—										
Logwood (tons)	3,918	60,740	2,703	33,145	33,362	611,010	46,596	741,455	37,375	546,274
All other		16,033		36,434		119,716		174,386		222,967
Extracts and decoctions of (pounds)	248,103	15,778	181,021	10,932	5,562,264	284,868	4,084,672	256,176	3,183,864	219,192
Total		92,551		80,511		1,015,594		1,172,017		988,433
LOGWOOD (tons), imported from—										
Central America					336	7,535			50	1,570
Mexico	11	222	76	1,515	1,219	32,684	821	21,922	1,322	22,853
British West Indies	612	8,918	1,010	12,533	7,928	144,740	16,625	264,422	14,614	224,788
Cuba										
Other West Indies	3,295	51,600	1,617	19,097	23,244	414,354	29,083	453,646	21,380	297,063
Other countries					635	11,697	67	1,465		
Total	3,918	60,740	2,703	33,145	33,362	611,010	46,596	741,455	37,375	546,274
DYEWOODS, EXTRACTS OF (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	92,846	5,331	71,847	3,051	923,892	55,772	1,400,223	86,725	997,485	58,885
France	27,022	1,447	59,709	3,352	1,571,717	99,123	912,537	61,010	860,828	55,900
Germany			7,031	765	1,946,364	63,850	357,118	16,119	95,864	8,061
Switzerland	19,252	1,663			557,200	44,112	281,800	26,050	189,270	14,870
Other countries	108,983	7,337	42,434	3,764	553,091	22,011	1,132,994	66,272	1,040,417	81,476
Total	218,103	15,778	181,021	10,932	5,562,264	284,868	4,084,672	256,176	3,183,864	219,192
Glycerin (pounds)	881,579	52,578	1,670,692	112,915	12,717,098	1,182,099	12,274,987	774,709	15,665,252	1,024,131
GUMS (pounds)—										
Arabic	34,494	5,360	131,474	18,485	686,670	85,807	942,239	114,943	928,089	116,382
Camphor, crude	228,526	36,609	125,233	31,625	1,469,601	332,748	2,047,234	365,652	1,807,888	322,100
Chicle			426,091	69,990					2,445,061	363,051
Copal, cowrie, and damar			536,648	56,364					18,126,228	1,844,779
Gambier, or terra japonica	2,573,440	54,453	2,310,551	47,736	31,349,545	959,501	42,334,590	1,021,341	38,123,478	754,497
Shellac	590,086	81,196	1,626,924	223,485	7,151,459	1,082,401	6,984,395	939,361	9,829,111	1,397,635
All other		175,982		111,078		3,294,790		2,599,391		1,070,321
Total		353,660		558,763		5,755,247		5,040,688		5,868,765
Indigo (pounds)	202,374	162,013	89,583	39,854	3,522,016	1,696,641	3,097,340	1,815,411	3,127,357	1,698,583
Licorice root (pounds)	1,152,325	16,509	4,059,506	58,802	62,370,337	1,022,659	70,136,591	1,171,621	98,432,319	1,566,830
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder (pounds)					99,274,138	1,375,560	6,720,638	92,487		
Do. (pounds)	9,805,335	108,016	8,329,406	78,422			107,511,940	1,329,433	112,107,250	1,159,271
Mineral waters, all not artificial (gallons)					2,449,604	581,947	73,505	17,463		
Mineral waters (gallons)	184,499	57,019	230,846	76,970			1,466,216	440,540	1,606,988	596,337

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Cont'd.										
OPIUM (pounds)—										
Crude, or unmanufactured		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
free.										
Do. ....dut.	24, 798	54, 593	39, 447	83, 932	1, 072, 914	2, 184, 727	14, 414	32, 340	514, 499	1, 223, 951
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc. ....dut.	18, 156	112, 987	20, 500	141, 599	157, 061	1, 132, 861	100, 258	652, 341	124, 214	828, 203
OPIUM, CRUDE (pounds), im- ported from—										
United Kingdom	9, 754	23, 861	9, 040	22, 261	175, 022	393, 579	48, 074	114, 853	104, 819	275, 690
Other Europe	12, 793	26, 759	8, 303	21, 724	289, 041	595, 717	38, 646	75, 601	174, 544	427, 671
Asia and Oceania	2, 251	3, 973	22, 104	39, 947	606, 142	1, 188, 929	22, 711	42, 813	235, 136	520, 590
Other countries					2, 709	6, 502				
Total	24, 798	54, 593	39, 447	83, 932	1, 072, 914	2, 184, 727	109, 431	233, 267	514, 499	1, 223, 951
OPIUM, PREPARED (pounds), im- ported from—										
China	18, 081	112, 587	20, 500	141, 599	152, 684	1, 113, 310	99, 958	650, 644	123, 394	823, 863
Other countries	75	400			4, 377	19, 551	300	1, 697	820	4, 340
Total	18, 156	112, 987	20, 500	141, 599	157, 061	1, 132, 861	100, 258	652, 341	124, 214	828, 203
POTASH (pounds)—										
Chlorate of. ....free.					5, 985, 212	458, 095	630, 340	45, 026		
Do. ....dut.	621, 951	39, 369	254, 744	16, 155			4, 287, 636	263, 432	2, 808, 718	173, 486
Muriate of. ....free.	4, 813, 218	76, 212	5, 398, 848	83, 963	89, 560, 413	1, 400, 603	118, 056, 204	1, 817, 221	95, 856, 263	1, 509, 915
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude										
free.	1, 440, 800	37, 788	2, 332, 958	65, 647	19, 719, 876	408, 761	12, 920, 986	270, 291	19, 985, 505	409, 818
All other. ....free.	1, 719, 622	46, 602	3, 022, 812	59, 682	25, 838, 028	632, 203	35, 904, 415	893, 132	39, 828, 207	892, 551
Total	8, 595, 591	199, 971	11, 009, 362	225, 447	141, 103, 529	2, 890, 662	171, 799, 581	3, 289, 102	158, 478, 633	2, 985, 772
Quinia, sulphate of, etc. (ounces)										
free.	286, 501	65, 675	471, 179	156, 893	3, 517, 844	582, 945	4, 372, 477	896, 908	3, 978, 421	949, 104
SODA—										
Caustic (pounds) ....dut.	2, 134, 968	28, 544	857, 150	12, 648	66, 476, 152	1, 147, 763	29, 697, 185	476, 032	18, 405, 244	252, 291
Nitrate of (tons) ....free.	18, 244	296, 352	930	9, 389	83, 331	2, 610, 389	125, 081	2, 729, 750	122, 314	2, 042, 932
Salsoda (pounds) ....dut.	473, 544	2, 029	414, 400	1, 662	18, 875, 029	82, 695	8, 851, 011	40, 266	4, 224, 680	20, 905
Soda ash (pounds) ....dut.	4, 495, 429	25, 961	1, 722, 949	14, 114	162, 583, 074	1, 241, 321	87, 809, 619	589, 714	45, 444, 305	310, 742
All other salts of (pounds)										
dut.	1, 397, 561	25, 435	1, 958, 024	32, 260	3, 919, 339	67, 684	21, 400, 585	225, 628	23, 891, 135	317, 032
Total		378, 321		70, 073		5, 179, 852		4, 061, 390		2, 943, 902
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude										
(tons) ....free.	20, 569	440, 713	10, 687	188, 004	130, 133	2, 183, 607	172, 389	3, 193, 528	123, 683	2, 370, 449
Sumac, ground (pounds) ....dut.	673, 880	10, 197	1, 201, 690	20, 029	18, 688, 635	248, 048	8, 301, 235	120, 205	12, 975, 970	183, 136
Vanilla beans (pounds) ....free.	7, 717	32, 953	29, 313	175, 679	165, 001	884, 865	63, 997	279, 755	272, 174	1, 235, 412
All other. ....free.		432, 832		472, 477		5, 594, 434		5, 291, 584		5, 137, 511
Do. ....dut.		394, 351		443, 468		5, 057, 068		5, 080, 421		5, 124, 870
Total chemicals, free.		2, 083, 718		1, 964, 694		31, 307, 867		25, 773, 522		25, 158, 328
drugs, and dyes. ....dut.		1, 426, 060		1, 665, 170		13, 649, 885		15, 697, 251		17, 510, 403
Total		3, 509, 778		3, 629, 864		44, 948, 752		41, 470, 773		42, 668, 731
Chicory root, raw, unground										
(pounds) ....free.					16, 930, 162	232, 494	176, 210	2, 137		
Do. ....dut.							139, 497	2, 963	159, 269	2, 353
Chicory root, roasted, ground or										
prepared (pounds) ....dut.			58, 096	1, 932					335, 347	11, 061
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not in- cluding confectionery) (pounds)										
dut.	122, 648	17, 103	63, 776	13, 035			868, 905	128, 539	1, 124, 446	201, 415
Clays or earths of all kinds (tons)										
dut.	9, 312	64, 984	9, 204	59, 695	99, 455	689, 456	106, 266	738, 819	116, 757	786, 514
Clocks and watches, and parts of										
(dentiable):										
Clocks, and parts of.		11, 400		15, 342		448, 690		276, 766		274, 023
Watches, and parts of.		51, 032		92, 079		1, 118, 399		689, 656		1, 061, 959

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Coal:										
Anthracite (tons).....free..							5,851	14,729	601	2,684
Bituminous (tons).....dut..	135,987	373,495	119,919	344,758	1,287,977	3,553,876	1,273,311	3,401,301	1,258,784	3,595,793
COAL, BITUMINOUS (tons), im- ported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,214	2,978	4,096	11,464	54,474	150,919	133,245	311,733	106,860	263,294
Other Europe.....	140	520	50	97	1,345	3,972	2,355	5,184	1,433	3,746
British North America.....	90,842	280,392	77,829	255,315	840,983	2,654,444	756,920	2,380,486	830,537	2,736,409
Mexico.....	11,380	20,377	8,043	15,576	99,760	218,456	108,103	200,728	120,105	234,884
Japan.....			6,690	18,980	1,575	3,908	2,675	8,075	7,552	21,412
Other Asia and Oceania.....	32,378	60,129	23,137	43,252	284,849	568,040	266,318	486,935	192,013	335,491
Other countries.....	33	99	74	74	4,901	14,137	3,695	8,160	284	557
Total.....	135,987	373,495	119,919	344,758	1,287,977	3,553,876	1,273,311	3,401,301	1,258,784	3,595,793
Cocoa or cacao, crude, etc. (pounds)										
.....free..	2,098,669	295,259	1,891,852	249,125	31,406,612	2,997,866	25,717,404	3,492,033	35,512,364	5,064,703
Prepared, etc. (pounds).....dut..	82,874	31,549	65,597	24,198			636,564	223,596	926,219	295,413
COCOA, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	94,027	16,311	97,705	14,703	2,665,693	352,238	1,960,626	304,147	2,030,945	343,447
Netherlands.....	87,546	13,076	63,583	9,668	1,074,195	130,146	722,579	113,398	630,884	99,556
Other Europe.....	35,090				270,364	31,981	627,076	39,164	550,392	83,707
Central America.....					2,150	269			68,513	8,597
British West Indies.....	521,204	76,236	492,791	62,289	11,468,956	1,077,278	8,376,766	1,257,225	14,396,659	2,107,891
Other West Indies.....	10,142	1,268	16,577	2,016	796,134	76,367	1,612,194	225,865	987,355	157,000
Brazil.....	26,615	3,731	112,567	13,824	4,330,178	332,620	1,376,810	173,846	4,631,201	646,756
Other South America.....	1,081,295	144,390	993,840	131,802	10,689,194	984,558	10,617,740	1,203,376	10,388,891	1,378,604
East Indies.....	242,594	33,847	2,701	354	66,833	8,243	374,614	111,865	112,023	14,398
Other countries.....	156	6,400	112,088	14,464	42,915	4,226	48,399	63,147	1,715,501	224,747
Total.....	2,098,669	295,259	1,891,852	249,125	31,406,612	2,997,866	25,717,404	3,492,033	35,512,364	5,064,703
Coffee (pounds).....free..	61,442,303	4,426,555	70,560,341	4,630,804	737,645,670	81,544,384	870,514,455	65,067,631	831,820,341	55,274,646
COFFEE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	19,647	2,221	280,152	27,328	2,986,695	482,803	1,796,985	254,206	4,465,794	494,553
France.....	42,671	3,053	30,449	4,007	466,877	70,108	859,419	62,173	92,319	8,255
Germany.....	419,506	23,641	606,730	64,503	5,636,746	716,993	7,334,801	538,717	2,138,780	209,399
Netherlands.....	111,185	20,293	165,921	14,944	2,798,082	507,620	2,409,967	361,095	3,655,289	404,137
Other Europe.....	67,626	3,126	39,499	2,166	1,235,293	180,504	2,427,834	136,902	390,660	22,041
Central America.....	2,250,529	266,467	4,236,247	441,683	40,968,550	6,038,335	35,862,385	4,459,183	45,298,800	5,368,711
Mexico.....	1,772,948	163,745	2,905,340	235,340	28,704,190	4,573,865	34,511,168	3,599,362	27,324,827	2,686,248
West Indies.....	249,599	22,088	578,174	49,296	10,667,133	1,394,722	6,412,209	673,800	11,701,202	945,622
Brazil.....	43,714,071	2,402,725	51,074,812	2,909,139	542,857,265	52,792,937	661,008,372	40,956,963	628,417,812	35,253,010
Other South America.....	8,401,595	722,997	9,247,721	680,108	80,067,960	11,160,238	90,113,241	9,276,212	90,332,351	7,217,560
East Indies.....	3,653,482	621,500	407,668	36,261	14,051,884	2,517,892	21,311,159	3,603,055	10,498,299	1,502,493
Other Asia and Oceania.....	704,160	168,163	384,827	60,546	5,241,732	878,002	4,947,018	918,104	5,290,164	840,736
Africa.....			531,331	95,590	44,791	7,250	42,305	6,040	642,003	104,671
Other countries.....	34,884	6,536	71,470	9,893	1,918,472	223,115	1,477,592	221,789	1,572,041	216,880
Total.....	61,442,303	4,426,555	70,560,341	4,630,804	737,645,670	81,544,384	870,514,455	65,067,631	831,820,341	55,274,646
Copper, and manufactures of:										
Ore and regulus (tons).....free..	89	9,502	501	99,732	3,421	544,868	4,648	748,446	5,250	1,173,160
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc. (lbs.)...free..	3,485,739	221,963	8,937,045	1,278,688	11,504,382	999,824	40,722,945	3,077,835	51,108,228	5,604,839
Manufactures of.....dut..		243		4,649		80,814		42,730		39,058
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanu- factured.....free..		109,421		83,263		1,323,409		1,152,325		1,147,802
Cork, manufactures of.....dut..		38,597		46,142				251,501		394,565
Cotton, and manufactures of:										
Unmanufactured (pounds)...free..	3,226,839	310,135	3,729,526	404,397	51,898,926	5,884,262	52,660,363	5,019,503	50,158,158	5,013,146
Waste or flocks (pounds)...free..			506,982	17,853					6,032,434	210,876

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED (lbs.), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	861,616	91,167	869,649	99,561	13,536,095	1,471,095	12,594,972	1,286,438	10,562,318	1,124,319
Other Europe.....					23,460	2,132	26,039	1,963		
South America.....	20,723	2,118	44,872	3,302	908,650	98,779	1,300,476	123,771	1,577,711	136,776
East Indies.....					58,120	5,448	61,745	4,847	189,804	14,317
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	29,150	2,778	8,212	999	234,345	17,788	3,988,367	364,271	107,821	10,064
Africa (Egypt).....	2,315,350	214,072	2,776,793	298,885	37,023,249	4,277,618	34,558,429	3,225,172	37,506,062	3,712,224
Other countries.....			30,000	1,650	115,007	11,402	130,335	13,041	214,442	15,446
Total.....	3,226,839	310,135	3,729,526	404,397	51,898,926	5,884,262	52,666,363	5,019,503	50,158,158	5,013,146
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
CLOTHS (square yards)—										
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	166,603	7,874	97,782	10,514	3,177,241	273,654	1,520,108	120,767	1,250,932	107,023
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	2,226,011	296,188	3,137,248	406,955	35,937,975	4,404,025	43,258,291	5,313,683	51,204,781	6,648,771
Total.....	2,332,614	304,062	3,235,030	417,469	39,115,216	4,677,679	44,778,399	5,434,450	52,455,713	6,755,794
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		61,678		70,481		2,627,222		1,050,554		1,027,299
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		322,880		258,785		5,596,703		4,034,483		4,335,209
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		580,277		769,398		12,573,207		11,768,704		14,549,353
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc. (pounds).....	132,293	45,983	230,465	92,080	1,064,217	647,388	1,817,970	687,999	2,325,974	849,819
All other.....		338,558		414,679		8,307,164		4,291,110		4,535,977
Total manufactures.....		1,653,438		2,022,892		34,429,363		27,267,300		32,053,511
CLOTHS, ETC. (square yards), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	1,731,394	228,721	2,534,352	319,316	28,845,397	3,283,173	35,431,524	4,177,711	41,047,242	5,271,889
France.....	242,947	33,695	256,669	42,880	4,454,219	582,609	4,242,348	559,076	4,557,601	617,747
Germany.....	180,539	25,836	211,794	29,693	2,741,205	415,101	3,455,567	500,801	3,952,599	519,725
Switzerland.....	94,302	10,250	223,198	24,500	2,989,744	389,262	1,271,022	156,467	2,630,094	315,047
Other Europe.....	83,128	5,533	7,934	905	26,513	3,328	282,782	32,206	134,499	17,132
Japan.....	91	10	975	69	54,296	3,794	83,130	6,643	69,656	5,654
Other countries.....	213	17	108	16	3,842	412	12,026	1,546	64,022	8,600
Total.....	2,332,614	304,062	3,235,030	417,469	39,115,216	4,677,679	44,778,399	5,434,450	52,455,713	6,755,794
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF COTTON, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		382,302		549,699		11,175,712		6,567,468		7,382,408
Belgium.....		20,577		20,734		420,975		318,900		269,109
France.....		209,053		198,500		3,102,568		3,222,669		3,704,089
Germany.....		484,615		462,218		8,932,847		6,715,855		6,715,875
Switzerland.....		228,720		348,587		5,902,474		4,800,414		6,987,285
Other Europe.....		9,491		8,697		77,602		85,884		91,424
China.....		2,398		2,884		25,630		29,407		32,142
Japan.....		2,569		3,297		73,681		34,682		36,602
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		3,497		4,593		21,039		22,922		23,908
Other countries.....		6,154		6,214		18,156		34,649		44,175
Total.....		1,349,376		1,605,423		29,751,684		21,832,850		25,297,757
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):										
CHINA, PORCELAIN, PARIAN, AND BISQUE—										
Not decorated or ornamented.....		81,656		87,182		1,513,474		834,226		1,009,158
Decorated or ornamented.....		513,287		588,175		8,087,443		5,579,407		6,262,812
All other.....		15,741		24,926		376,380		273,727		321,025
Total.....		610,684		700,283		9,977,297		6,687,360		7,592,995
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		252,384		281,789		4,010,077		2,709,925		2,934,513
Austria-Hungary.....		42,723		50,054		658,268		499,264		500,677
France.....		23,034		77,623		1,655,391		909,055		1,422,283

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable)—Continued.										
EARTHEN, STONE, AND CHINA WARE, etc.—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Germany.....		254,094		248,440		3,034,040		2,086,999		2,242,473
Other Europe.....		5,784		11,995		114,181		119,145		135,513
Japan.....		25,110		16,633		445,793		313,288		288,572
Other countries.....		7,555		13,749		59,547		49,684		68,964
Total.....		610,684		700,283		9,977,297		6,687,360		7,592,995
Eggs (dozen).....dut..	7,705	390	11,874	823	580,681	47,760	166,319	8,078	225,180	21,300
Feathers, etc., natural and artificial:										
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed.....free.....						2,232,908		145,448		
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut..		198,180		209,064				2,093,507		1,768,092
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut..		76,151		63,542		712,610		774,259		828,457
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial,.....dut..		27,511		52,933		2,138,215		2,248,183		1,927,623
Total.....		301,842		325,539		5,083,733		5,261,397		4,524,172
Fertilizers (free, tons):										
Guano.....	122	464	15	107	7,103	91,836	4,563	56,806	4,210	43,610
Phosphates, crude.....	1,074	3,491	3,467	9,871	9,931	65,420	9,840	59,726	114,954	489,226
All other.....		80,470		49,124		954,276		1,254,001		959,183
Total.....		84,425		59,102		1,111,532		1,370,533		1,492,019
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of, n. e. s.:										
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—										
Flax, and tow of.....free.....					7,480	1,256,717	1,779	245,012		
Flax.....dut..	650	121,524	613	142,476	1,710	641,259	3,750	948,585	6,474	1,306,520
Hemp, and tow of.....free.....					5,096	633,288	299	43,729		
Hemp.....dut..	230	23,520	482	50,517	24	6,569	3,718	516,605	3,941	477,108
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free.....	67	4,105	446	28,364	6,313	335,841	2,563	130,294	4,419	274,811
Jute and jute butts.....free.....	10,536	237,761	3,793	113,958	68,550	1,640,484	112,306	2,543,498	83,161	2,296,189
Manila.....free.....	4,441	339,416	642	91,036	46,260	3,408,322	50,270	3,239,341	53,263	6,211,475
Sisal grass.....free.....	6,793	1,030,489	4,148	570,248	63,266	3,834,732	69,322	5,169,900	71,898	9,211,377
All other.....free.....	1,278	88,654	669	53,096	8,734	579,206	9,791	603,222	7,466	513,247
Total unmanufactured.....free.....	23,115	1,700,425	9,098	858,702	205,699	11,688,590	246,330	11,980,996	220,207	18,507,099
tured.....dut..	880	151,044	1,095	192,993	1,734	647,828	7,468	1,465,190	10,415	1,783,628
Total.....	23,995	1,851,469	10,793	1,051,695	207,433	12,336,418	253,798	13,446,186	230,622	20,290,727
FLAX (free and dutiable, tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	111	41,925	293	75,865	2,389	709,065	2,116	632,532	1,888	545,417
Other Europe.....	520	76,653	239	54,339	4,055	777,667	2,702	471,094	3,774	646,673
British North America.....	19	2,946	81	12,272	2,730	410,227	711	89,971	812	114,430
Other countries.....					16	1,017				
Total.....	650	121,524	613	142,476	9,190	1,897,976	5,529	1,193,597	6,474	1,306,520
JUTE (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	189	12,727	133	8,569	2,179	133,905	2,035	100,091	4,271	225,578
East Indies.....	10,347	225,034	3,660	105,589	62,934	1,447,465	109,909	2,428,409	78,784	2,065,103
Other countries.....					3,437	59,114	362	14,998	106	5,508
Total.....	10,536	237,761	3,793	113,958	68,550	1,640,484	112,306	2,543,498	83,161	2,296,189
MANILA (tons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	133	17,217	191	30,344	7,085	659,820	1,572	135,690	12,913	1,988,272
Philippine Islands.....	4,308	322,199	451	60,692	38,526	2,701,651	48,541	3,092,285	33,665	3,394,338
Other countries.....					649	46,851	157	11,366	6,685	828,865
Total.....	4,441	339,416	642	91,036	46,260	3,408,322	50,270	3,239,341	53,263	6,211,475
SISAL GRASS (tons), imported from—										
Mexico.....	6,573	1,035,641	3,902	540,970	62,839	3,809,415	68,432	5,101,228	69,596	8,902,213
Other countries.....	220	24,848	246	29,278	427	25,317	890	65,072	2,302	309,164
Total.....	6,793	1,030,489	4,148	570,248	63,266	3,834,732	69,322	5,169,900	71,898	9,211,377

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—										
Continued.										
BANANAS, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British North America.....		6,450		6,603		91,684		90,337		87,047
Central American States.....		199,379		229,290		1,506,839		1,569,749		1,816,843
British West Indies.....		236,554		464,440		1,568,483		1,852,843		2,762,949
Cuba.....				15,396		147,133				61,258
South America.....		8,750		146,226		679,180		103,692		732,431
Hawaiian Islands.....		2,190		5,578		63,774		48,081		52,294
Other countries.....		52,821		24,200		29,207		571,716		152,766
Total.....		506,144		891,733		4,086,320		4,236,418		5,665,598
LEMONS, imported from—										
Italy.....		456,954		701,172		3,831,137		2,771,875		4,287,801
British North America.....		13,262		4,514		153,415		59,160		92,478
Other countries.....		677		91		59,270		17,095		17,725
Total.....		470,893		705,777		4,043,822		2,848,130		4,398,004
ORANGES, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....				1,187		519,517		23,149		87,673
Italy.....		76		46,053		697,193		207,464		238,005
Mexico.....		18		2,454		258,340		134,672		139,644
British West Indies.....		66		4		731,806		502,915		546,851
Cuba.....						8,780		1,991		622
Japan.....		3				11,788		9,448		5,656
Other countries.....		40		313		97,483		7,083		19,145
Total.....		203		50,011		2,324,907		886,722		1,097,596
NUTS:										
Almonds.....dut..	722,035	79,210	325,275	56,250	9,644,338	880,263	5,746,362	650,659	9,957,427	1,222,587
Cocoanuts.....free..		55,972		61,473				554,061		625,789
Do.....dut..						471,387		21,874		
All other.....dut..		84,052		31,699		848,511		1,002,344		879,166
Total fruits and nuts.....		1,415,309		2,104,526		17,126,932		14,566,950		18,317,201
FURS:										
Furs and fur skins, undressed										
.....free..		340,254		492,373		2,938,979		3,832,603		5,645,580
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut..		349,716		451,494		3,076,125		4,048,569		5,211,019
FURS AND FUR SKINS, ETC., imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		59,172		96,075		826,162		1,122,891		1,728,999
France.....		25,057		115,014		362,147		355,956		794,239
Germany.....		167,655		170,092		915,877		1,428,863		1,866,756
Other Europe.....		16,227		30,716		74,586		213,026		275,964
British North America.....		39,064		32,344		239,760		289,462		397,120
South America.....		24,125		19,443		16,428		62,973		151,704
Japan.....		4				2,896		75		994
Other countries.....		8,950		28,689		501,123		559,357		429,804
Total.....		340,254		492,373		2,938,979		3,832,603		5,645,580
FURS, AND MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		109,463		124,386		1,076,482		1,310,753		1,373,769
Belgium.....		19,302		46,179		180,813		235,710		484,120
France.....		113,538		148,105		917,492		1,331,078		1,804,251
Germany.....		101,624		117,607		752,261		930,768		1,133,293
Other Europe.....		36		4,211		13,999		15,733		56,780
China.....		4,829		7,517		110,967		204,678		313,692
Other countries.....		924		3,489		24,111		19,849		45,114
Total.....		349,716		451,494		3,076,125		4,048,569		5,211,019
Ginger ale or ginger beer (dozen pints).....dut..	43,959	31,315	61,872	45,856			182,683	132,709	367,945	268,236

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES OF—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc. free..						394, 409		24, 907		
Do. dut..		225, 805		45, 103				449, 614		518, 015
Bags for grain made of burlaps free..						2, 019, 856		320, 201		
Bags of jute dut..		224, 978		130, 478				566, 049		904, 749
Burlaps free..						9, 243, 025		489, 412		
Do. dut..		643, 208						5, 181, 718		
Cables, cordage, threads, and twine, n. e. s. (pounds) dut..	17, 837	2, 994	16, 271	4, 851	195, 161	20, 373	493, 106	69, 951	454, 851	75, 130
Coir yarn (pounds) free..	2, 328, 317	79, 109	885, 124	33, 915	4, 702, 809	118, 328	3, 928, 501	131, 453	2, 530, 914	95, 968
Twine, binding (pounds) free..	374, 395	30, 989	819, 240	110, 871	1, 374, 347	79, 356	426, 055	34, 391	1, 819, 527	182, 042
Carpets and carpeting (square yards) dut..			9, 285	2, 945					254, 827	74, 742
Fabrics, plain, woven, of single jute yarn dut..				1, 045, 192						8, 115, 364
Handkerchiefs dut..				85, 076						1, 057, 190
Oilcloths (square yards) dut..			45, 724	25, 338					466, 350	216, 034
Yarns (pounds) dut..	155, 280	36, 380	133, 119	33, 139	1, 859, 373	517, 617	1, 956, 883	383, 048	1, 911, 295	406, 809
All other dut..		1, 108, 377		953, 757		20, 153, 903		14, 249, 050		12, 796, 452
Total manufactures		2, 351, 840		2, 479, 665		32, 546, 867		21, 899, 794		25, 132, 495
Fish (pounds):										
FRESH—										
Lobsters, canned or uncanned free..	1, 889, 548	226, 669	1, 654, 815	205, 604			6, 596, 859	599, 577	6, 897, 328	730, 460
Salmon free..					1, 848, 565	163, 106	160, 083	16, 379		
Do. dut..	539, 238	46, 607	503, 850	46, 313	259	27	983, 969	85, 304	1, 224, 090	113, 360
All other free..					1, 780, 079			252, 771		
Do. dut..		73, 640		105, 404		160, 309		907, 255		903, 283
CURED OR PRESERVED—										
Anchovies and sardines, etc. dut..		46, 318		55, 640		902, 742		1, 110, 674		1, 152, 873
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc. dut..	76, 808	2, 802	207, 465	8, 918	14, 321, 139	451, 654	16, 062, 597	525, 968	11, 382, 462	425, 414
Herring—										
Dried or smoked dut..			144, 994	2, 309	4, 587, 162	88, 085	5, 432, 265	107, 840	3, 590, 069	87, 279
Pickled or salted dut..	423, 560	10, 852	417, 502	13, 162	25, 446, 855	886, 647	28, 019, 942	1, 053, 050	31, 902, 596	1, 074, 792
Mackerel, pickled or salted dut..	1, 143, 079	65, 519	1, 428, 988	76, 774	20, 515, 529	1, 164, 424	16, 241, 870	992, 822	16, 209, 117	1, 105, 027
Salmon, pickled or salted dut..	84, 200	6, 854	58, 968	5, 956	954, 194	67, 175	903, 990	65, 693	521, 904	41, 415
All other dut..		11, 154		13, 932		444, 466		267, 712		321, 287
Total		490, 415		534, 072		6, 108, 714		5, 985, 045		5, 955, 190
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):										
FRUITS—										
Bananas free..		506, 144		891, 733		4, 086, 320		4, 236, 418		5, 665, 588
Currants free..					77, 191	3, 599				
Do. dut..	939, 283	34, 037	901, 941	18, 750	29, 188, 570	592, 485	25, 186, 210	837, 987	30, 849, 253	798, 357
Dates dut..	1, 508	33	316	4	11, 847, 279	284, 056	13, 561, 434	371, 992	12, 943, 305	324, 087
Figs dut..	29, 146	791	8, 004	484	8, 940, 762	535, 389	9, 628, 426	509, 002	7, 284, 058	356, 762
Lemons dut..		470, 893	34, 650, 490	705, 777		4, 043, 822		2, 848, 130		4, 398, 004
Oranges dut..		203	2, 224, 704	50, 011		2, 324, 907		886, 722		1, 097, 596
Plums and prunes dut..	1, 515	181	351	31	710, 028	73, 303	303, 992	39, 660	600, 360	63, 574
Raisins dut..	6, 040	817	275	10	12, 650, 598	567, 039	6, 593, 833	381, 889	4, 933, 201	282, 400
Prepared or preserved fruits dut..		58, 325		64, 312		605, 053		922, 357		1, 020, 643
All other fruits free..		27, 302		99, 561		672, 549		421, 657		543, 361
Do. dut..		97, 289		124, 431		1, 138, 258		873, 198		1, 039, 287
Total fruits		1, 196, 075		1, 955, 104		14, 926, 771		12, 329, 012		15, 589, 659

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Glass and glassware (dutiable):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bottles, etc., empty or filled		30,239		36,634		600,308		338,861		371,369
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished, pounds.....	3,600,077	91,919	4,220,855	118,002	55,961,813	1,181,696	38,908,992	953,116	47,189,667	1,275,184
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—										
Unsilvred	289,351	55,163	156,072	29,601	1,232,849	301,412	2,810,541	569,380	2,651,534	521,957
Silvred.....	2,380	334	11	42	2,532,012	772,296	244,044	66,763	896	622
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—										
Fluted, rolled, or rough.....	931	441			420,149	18,245	179,981	9,880	219,099	9,528
Cast, polished, unsilvred	24,318	5,467	98,863	26,895	1,099,785	285,485	656,183	161,637	928,273	233,190
Cast, polished, silvred			6	13	57,388	21,870	519	562	358	419
All other		158,324		134,838		2,328,314		1,574,841		1,769,872
Total		341,897		346,025		5,509,626		3,675,045		4,182,141
GLASS, CYLINDER, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	238,553	12,656	88,555	4,801	3,633,010	181,863	2,890,943	150,083	3,729,098	193,297
Belgium.....	3,350,713	76,930	4,082,616	110,957	51,504,608	952,910	35,638,022	765,335	43,059,835	1,044,260
France					542,405	22,318	150,496	8,205	82,553	3,046
Germany.....	8,703	2,269	49,350	2,226	237,178	23,228	185,711	27,985	256,007	32,533
Other Europe					2,250	77	18,575	641	23,036	354
Other countries	2,105	64	304	18	42,362	1,300	25,245	867	39,138	1,694
Total	3,600,077	91,919	4,220,855	118,002	55,961,813	1,181,696	38,908,992	953,116	47,189,667	1,275,184
Glue (pounds)	267,770	29,786	483,418	39,621			3,726,324	397,990	5,358,073	479,450
Grease and oils, n. e. s. free		15,920		25,348		976,305		431,080		436,171
Grease, n. e. s. dut		18,852		15,107				161,748		260,503
Hair:										
Unmanufactured		121,041		194,209		1,330,632		1,839,668		1,814,964
Manufactures of		12,062		10,362		721,572		286,698		159,049
Total		133,103		204,661		2,052,204		2,126,366		1,974,013
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free						1,990,735				
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, and materials								36,308		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods		15,937		7,243				583,994		619,370
Materials for		54,324		65,439				1,624,047		1,807,956
Total		70,261		72,682				2,244,349		2,426,726
Hay (tons)	322	2,749	12,898	77,081	119,942	1,030,497	3,887	34,659	19,871	115,209
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):										
Goatskins	4,682,269	1,259,474	6,910,322	1,676,669	49,868,020	11,328,162	64,923,487	15,776,601	71,032,102	18,488,326
All other, except hides of cattle, etc. free	4,587,299	710,820	6,524,063	936,634	156,232,824	16,534,864	54,607,534	7,667,342	66,953,560	9,877,773
Hides of cattle	14,825,475	1,606,751	14,537,965	1,662,575			126,243,595	13,624,989	130,220,120	13,621,946
Total	24,095,043	3,577,045	27,972,350	4,275,928	206,100,844	27,863,026	245,774,616	37,068,932	268,305,782	41,988,045
HIDES AND SKINS (pounds) imported from—										
United Kingdom	4,442,808	520,419	4,177,739	459,146	37,437,185	4,598,332	46,673,962	6,432,181	48,700,441	6,433,669
France	1,733,104	275,964	1,594,569	296,034	9,873,797	1,742,830	19,901,428	3,460,236	20,509,334	3,826,509
Germany.....	1,356,167	271,283	2,118,976	292,481	6,771,886	1,279,417	13,755,842	2,572,454	22,406,250	3,885,238
Other Europe	2,099,773	276,362	1,682,092	214,770	13,387,920	2,082,993	23,191,180	3,860,465	29,743,374	4,133,863
British North America.....	1,318,537	121,078	2,211,007	229,675	21,467,733	1,555,343	14,414,711	1,148,935	15,133,704	1,324,302
Central American States.....	176,418	15,915	345,573	40,242	1,825,941	238,429	1,962,803	193,874	2,516,334	287,557
Mexico	1,078,549	119,584	1,243,503	123,216	13,744,511	1,827,615	13,300,779	1,698,574	12,313,046	1,879,750
West Indies	46,162	10,410	228,279	28,191	10,105,872	815,490	4,230,753	419,853	3,209,243	387,970
South America	6,681,211	1,065,940	8,101,707	1,449,873	61,052,241	9,295,135	59,195,320	9,178,328	61,611,440	10,447,178
East Indies	3,075,155	523,236	3,799,184	647,789	12,423,674	1,746,807	23,560,789	3,853,206	27,211,970	5,021,702
Other Asia and Oceania.....	718,072	141,554	639,682	187,536	6,250,167	1,154,132	8,828,131	1,766,930	9,195,661	2,246,061
Africa	542,895	113,622	583,558	105,831	4,501,217	629,744	7,334,150	1,226,844	6,461,227	1,158,530
Other countries	826,192	121,678	1,245,881	201,144	7,258,700	896,159	9,424,768	1,316,962	9,293,758	1,455,516
Total	24,095,043	3,577,045	27,972,350	4,275,928	206,100,844	27,863,026	245,774,616	37,068,932	268,305,782	41,988,045

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....				91,816						718,968
Hops (pounds).....dut.....	32,338	7,553	9,383	3,720	3,017,821	629,987	2,375,972	648,155	1,319,319	591,755
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		104,080		170,499		2,438,363		1,779,055		3,112,885
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, lbs.)—										
Gutta-percha.....	14,147	2,272	63,187	24,168	1,117,665	100,187	636,447	159,381	518,939	167,577
India rubber.....	2,250,097	1,281,293	2,851,972	1,731,182	35,574,449	17,457,976	46,055,497	25,386,010	51,079,258	31,708,765
Total unmanufactured.....	2,264,244	1,283,565	2,915,159	1,755,350	36,692,114	17,558,163	46,691,974	25,545,391	51,598,197	31,876,342
INDIA RUBBER, CRUDE (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	667,555	343,852	432,429	306,764	6,987,119	3,265,497	9,001,797	5,322,469	10,735,223	6,956,670
Germany.....	88,110	38,329	128,253	70,862	933,635	368,750	1,691,683	682,995	1,887,161	1,034,046
Other Europe.....	388,418	242,982	380,191	280,254	2,760,543	1,325,755	5,661,852	3,167,976	6,103,926	4,388,576
Central America.....	68,258	37,006	114,263	71,186	1,078,949	446,214	972,631	419,742	1,486,783	855,145
Mexico.....	23,158	8,063	30,621	15,907	106,871	32,675	136,874	41,901	324,730	142,887
West Indies.....	2,277	325	811	394	47,116	15,162	10,467	2,500	30,069	9,686
Brazil.....	822,885	517,124	1,516,893	872,370	21,858,028	11,400,931	26,570,127	14,980,875	27,464,654	16,999,345
Other South America.....	111,542	40,384	135,727	68,343	1,234,615	462,371	1,557,508	622,641	1,981,291	951,737
East Indies.....	75,977	43,313	92,503	41,472	491,056	135,277	418,860	131,529	993,877	342,796
Africa.....					4,760	1,614	11,731	3,832	5,734	2,852
Other countries.....	1,887	915	20,281	3,630	11,757	3,730	21,967	9,550	59,810	25,325
Total.....	2,250,097	1,281,293	2,851,972	1,731,182	35,574,449	17,457,976	46,055,497	25,386,010	51,079,258	31,708,765
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Gutta-percha.....		5,084		12,700		97,194		156,997		113,425
India rubber.....		28,431		38,758		297,953		309,247		379,076
Total manufactures.....		33,515		51,458		395,147		466,244		492,501
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore (tons).....dut.....	250	1,065	43,762	73,160	543,241	778,084	352,455	470,089	269,113	403,298
Pig iron (tons).....dut.....	1,718	52,289	1,698	57,791	22,159	520,745	25,640	675,883	23,316	711,088
Scrap iron and steel, etc. (tons).....dut.....	123	3,745	819	4,959	3,410	72,258	1,502	14,931	4,642	65,185
Bar iron (pounds).....dut.....	4,187,566	77,710	5,256,447	114,060	30,148,571	598,382	33,996,958	683,429	44,745,118	907,495
Bars, railway, of iron or steel, etc. (tons).....dut.....			1	27	7,777	208,054	529	18,824	624	20,353
Hoop, band, or scroll (pounds).....dut.....	368	11	1,129	32	5,584	1,930	69,443	3,097	19,800	3,929
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc. (pounds).....dut.....	1,913,150	74,168	2,639,970	107,253	39,560,628	1,554,438	30,821,157	1,202,055	23,798,994	1,088,847
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel (pounds).....dut.....	481,342	18,032	891,879	31,874	9,553,233	225,410	5,893,900	183,402	4,211,296	178,652
Ties for baling cotton (pounds).....free.....					16,265,506	239,498				
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin (pounds).....dut.....	8,253,964	183,559	10,303,442	299,049	230,073,683	5,344,638	171,662,345	3,809,148	108,484,826	2,613,664
Wire rods (pounds).....dut.....	3,064,281	66,610	3,663,678	79,664	33,153,178	682,803	39,601,639	844,841	34,610,656	730,158
Wire, and articles made from (pounds).....dut.....	155,059	19,490	520,955	37,011	6,328,110	389,297	5,318,193	548,854	5,278,044	348,060
MANUFACTURES—										
Anvils (pounds).....dut.....	51,607	3,292	18,793	1,066	733,482	44,781	777,903	47,797	522,436	32,325
Chains (pounds).....dut.....	13,802	1,220	6,165	350	698,481	52,666	176,346	11,429	362,855	21,006
Cutlery.....dut.....		80,730		115,255		2,339,963		944,056		1,187,236
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.....		6,111		4,271		47,407		35,344		42,760
Firearms.....dut.....		34,433		87,999		753,112		409,032		758,575
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free.....		35,039		33,109		309,754		362,606		407,746
Machinery.....dut.....		133,069		129,034		1,289,666		1,875,222		1,630,542

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
MANUFACTURES—Continued.										
Shotgun barrels, in single tubes, forged, rough-bored . . . free		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
.....		4,166		19,020		33,089		48,885		138,871
All other dut		87,316		125,986		1,386,666		1,107,596		1,210,787
Total, not including ore		880,990		1,247,819		16,094,557		12,626,431		12,098,239
TIN PLATES, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	8,171,707	181,311	10,305,773	298,494	229,208,495	5,320,238	170,872,133	3,786,626	107,831,639	2,591,806
British North America	82,057	2,237	3,669	555	864,225	24,361	779,482	22,151	653,187	21,758
Other countries	200	11			963	39	10,730	371		
Total	8,253,964	183,559	10,309,442	299,049	230,073,683	5,344,638	171,662,345	3,809,148	108,484,826	2,613,564
Ivory (free, pounds):										
Animal	15,912	43,969	29,342	72,305	173,480	452,461	244,138	520,518	321,315	690,980
Vegetable	1,616,186	16,355	1,242,601	12,126	4,445,100	44,618	15,156,128	155,934	8,864,257	88,479
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:										
Diamonds, uncut, including miner's, etc., not set free		623		575,602		47,865		2,517,759		3,678,266
Diamonds, cut, but not set dut		310,294		881,569		1,937,944		4,438,030		8,497,284
Other precious stones, rough or uncut free				1,429				22,802		39,928
Other precious stones, cut, but not set dut		53,472		278,789		686,789		1,982,456		2,140,275
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver dut		78,131		397,231		886,969		1,427,833		3,293,693
Total		442,520		2,134,620		3,559,567		10,388,860		17,649,446
PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (free), imported from—										
United Kingdom				406,595		6,802		1,108,661		2,302,602
France				926		1,308		124,454		60,266
Netherlands				169,122		649		1,227,387		1,343,044
Other Europe				388		36,785		71,660		8,447
Brazil						2,318		1,303		
Other countries		623				3		7,096		3,835
Total		623		577,031		47,865		2,540,561		3,718,194
JEWELRY, AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES, ETC. (dutiable), imported from—										
United Kingdom		112,762		441,069		799,478		1,958,618		3,600,367
France		103,429		490,621		1,074,729		2,546,392		4,360,486
Germany		39,115		99,644		319,412		539,146		917,857
Netherlands		143,552		463,486		590,571		2,122,257		3,991,481
Other Europe		37,995		61,924		707,059		573,186		1,018,962
British North America		47		152		4,378		92,111		5,440
Mexico		855		482		3,737		6,747		13,930
East Indies		2,609		71		3,542		3,944		7,198
Other countries		1,533		140		8,796		5,918		15,531
Total		441,897		1,557,589		3,511,702		7,848,319		13,931,252
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):										
Lead in ore, etc.	9,055,403	97,321	11,880,076	177,035			181,656,980	2,514,258	191,931,295	2,763,384
Pigs, bars, and old	51,274	1,394					3,313,090	82,271	414,023	10,652
Pigs, bars, old, and other in ore					169,008,200	1,943,700				
Manufactures of		3		238		4,525		4,250		10,575
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	81,670	1,509			1,198,485	32,596	644,482	17,830	267,422	7,522
Germany							336,053	8,944		
Other Europe					222,169	4,224	1,120,528	28,938	111,952	1,940
British North America	652,650	16,402	1,389,342	36,492	26,671,077	435,067	42,557,856	934,149	33,212,553	816,560

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Lead, and manufactures of (duti- able, pounds)—Continued.										
LEAD, PIGS, BARS, ETC.—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico.....	8,317,058	79,984	10,386,115	139,016	139,648,154	1,456,320	139,867,339	1,601,458	157,998,249	1,908,111
Other countries.....	55,299	820	104,619	1,527	1,268,315	15,493	443,812	5,210	755,142	10,903
Total.....	9,106,677	98,715	11,880,076	177,035	169,008,200	1,943,700	184,970,070	2,596,529	192,345,318	2,774,036
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER (dutiabie) —										
Band or belting, and sole leather.....		22,936		5,082		157,128		155,860		52,688
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....		19,494		8,738		53,395		176,578		258,846
Skins for morocco.....		112,992		157,471		3,716,259		3,081,770		2,455,332
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		195,162		213,560		2,410,862		2,210,937		2,470,841
Total leather.....		350,494		384,851		6,337,644		5,625,145		5,237,707
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiabie)—										
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		197,546		134,324		6,486,813		5,384,168		5,398,125
All other.....		31,043		52,566		458,694		404,812		480,719
Total manufactures.....		228,589		186,890		6,945,507		5,788,980		5,878,844
GLOVES, imported from—										
Belgium.....		5,117		2,399		372,094		284,619		264,186
France.....		41,041		43,747		2,271,669		1,624,114		2,064,582
Germany.....		127,463		72,766		2,610,175		2,684,287		2,347,827
Other Europe.....		23,763		15,499		1,232,689		790,679		720,931
Other countries.....		162		3		186		469		599
Total.....		197,546		134,324		6,486,813		5,384,168		5,398,125
Malt, barley (bushels).....dut..	409	349	321	354	11,084	9,384	4,769	4,412	4,984	4,447
Malt liquors (dutiabie, gallons):										
In bottles or jugs.....	54,955	53,185	110,407	112,210	1,048,994	1,025,867	733,535	695,102	915,899	914,229
In other coverings.....	125,648	32,319	164,389	41,880	1,915,650	534,426	1,777,202	506,428	1,928,655	570,677
Total.....	180,603	85,504	274,796	154,090	2,964,644	1,560,293	2,510,737	1,201,530	2,844,554	1,484,906
Manganese, ore and oxide of (tons)										
.....free..	21,066	139,208	3,690	49,566			97,320	772,310	115,094	876,478
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiabie):										
Marble, and manufactures of.....		49,702		66,332		872,169		689,454		680,292
Stone, and manufactures of, in- cluding slate.....		19,626		15,356		325,039		249,502		203,319
Total.....		69,328		81,688		1,197,208		938,956		883,611
Matting for floors (rolls).....free..					1,211,391	3,922,003	20,804	61,899		
Matting and mats for floors, etc. (square yards).....dut..	1,202,517	81,376	997,851	71,850			19,792,451	1,375,272	37,908,009	2,651,106
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (dutiabie):										
Bronze manufactures.....		36,655		48,202		519,458		480,281		558,472
All other.....		256,881		300,977		3,599,140		3,340,787		3,559,346
Total.....		293,536		349,179		4,118,598		3,821,068		4,117,818
Musical instruments, and parts of.....dut..		71,140		108,159		1,147,926		920,094		1,057,794
Oils (gallons):										
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—										
Whale and fish.....dut..	5,525	1,098	16,402	8,623	202,308	179,879	673,244	221,830	531,932	198,110
Other.....dut..	386	879	1	2	38,334	6,066	14,163	5,715	9,056	1,569
Mineral.....free..	163,635	11,114	175,419	17,762	21,980	20,871	376,147	98,252	1,789,514	140,143
Do.....dut..	616	209	50	5	212,295	14,611	15,439	3,114	2,775	697
VEGETABLE—										
Fixed or expressed.....free..		209,397		318,495		1,627,086		1,893,878		1,907,923
Do.....dut..		34,457		20,246		725,998		540,331		611,234
Olive.....dut..	68,456	85,231	106,536	119,664	928,567	1,134,077	736,877	923,804	930,004	1,090,213

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils (gallons)—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
Volatile, or essential, and dis-		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
tilled free		102,208		135,985		1,624,313		1,133,371		1,381,263
Do dut		29,593		30,170		261,210		377,707		309,994
Total		474,186		650,952		5,594,111		5,198,002		5,641,146
Paints, pigments, and colors .. free ..						110,447		8,470		
Do dut		92,121		131,447		1,276,906		1,056,618		1,205,737
Paper stock, crude (free) (see also										
Wood pulp):										
Rags, other than woolen lbs..	4,473,042	55,680	5,063,144	69,278	51,181,009	668,385	49,800,209	699,981	55,596,560	805,545
All other		201,428		124,649		2,403,320		2,170,342		1,809,369
Total		257,108		193,927		3,071,705		2,870,323		2,614,914
PAPER STOCK, crude, imported										
from—										
United Kingdom		85,261		86,449		1,031,038		1,068,272		1,006,108
Belgium		26,720		17,271		301,559		273,141		256,092
France		26,670		13,018		215,812		208,923		191,048
Germany		65,129		44,697		459,647		571,965		579,014
Italy		16,603		11,026		217,712		254,407		227,938
Other Europe		11,377		7,960		147,959		129,890		109,961
British North America		7,292		7,449		587,694		212,526		66,082
East Indies						34,362		10,777		9,051
Japan		9,864				38,994		80,318		105,455
Other countries		8,192		6,117		36,928		60,104		64,145
Total		257,108		193,927		3,071,705		2,870,323		2,614,914
Paper, and manufactures of (duti-										
able):										
Lithographic labels and prints,				71,465		3,121,530				799,087
n. e. s.										
Parchment papers lbs..			88,324	6,519				750,469		56,453
All other		240,673		205,893				2,838,738		2,334,545
Total		240,673		283,877				2,838,738		3,190,085
PAPER, AND MANUFACTURES OF,										
imported from—										
United Kingdom		38,932		35,927		615,162		522,374		544,652
Belgium		4,706		4,894		92,960		58,166		60,014
France		27,594		16,621		196,583		255,625		295,833
Germany		149,013		203,777		1,922,582		1,708,826		1,920,129
Other Europe		920		4,784		60,937		55,474		103,585
Japan		15,437		14,795		205,929		198,836		221,300
Other countries		4,071		3,079		27,377		39,437		44,572
Total		240,673		283,877		3,121,530		2,838,738		3,190,085
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc .. dut ..		22,519		43,559		698,095		432,093		514,660
Pipes and smokers' articles .. dut ..		30,383		31,454		371,072		259,854		280,997
Plants, shrubs, and vines .. dut ..				12,247						763,538
Platinum free .. lbs..	917	167,719	426	92,145	6,357	1,049,780	6,003	1,032,192	6,357	1,193,475
Plumbago free .. tons..	1,580	83,876	3,569	295,159	12,459	321,355	11,154	472,401	15,970	1,081,859
Provisions, comprising meat and										
dairy products (dutiable):										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
Meat and meat extracts		7,753		16,066		601,808		345,108		263,748
All other		9,347		8,067		49,484		80,031		109,647
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
Butter lbs..	809	119	1,577	279	37,963	6,077	31,984	5,474	23,700	3,962
Cheese lbs..	775,427	103,574	908,213	116,096	12,319,122	1,668,796	10,012,188	1,343,173	11,819,993	1,562,193
Milk		4,114		3,697		58,467		67,729		52,603
Total		124,937		144,205		2,384,632		1,811,515		1,992,153

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products, etc.—Cont'd.										
CHEESE (pounds) imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	14,313	1,932	9,788	1,525	95,012	18,462	197,439	30,537	159,433	27,379
France.....	62,321	9,722	72,080	12,786	919,900	150,698	919,116	146,860	1,093,710	192,030
Germany.....	18,490	2,545	39,173	4,830	381,900	47,915	263,795	34,215	356,355	45,148
Italy.....	292,527	37,718	270,110	33,226	3,633,249	521,117	3,160,006	417,816	3,857,887	475,201
Netherlands.....	21,988	2,560	20,461	2,059	905,743	99,079	867,085	96,100	1,091,265	120,804
Switzerland.....	348,171	46,812	485,601	60,517	6,002,544	783,767	4,346,580	585,309	4,875,973	653,958
Other Europe.....	16,367	2,092	10,551	1,081	341,235	41,861	224,886	27,907	328,906	40,183
British North America.....	1,126	179	409	64	32,190	4,391	27,389	3,755	51,629	6,820
Other countries.....	124	14	40	8	7,349	906	5,892	674	4,815	601
Total.....	775,427	103,574	908,213	116,096	12,319,122	1,668,796	10,012,188	1,343,173	11,819,993	1,562,193
Rice (pounds):										
Rice.....dut..	23,232,399	560,445	6,689,334	135,620	128,058,330	2,324,449	125,396,330	2,604,572	151,497,888	3,022,969
Rice, free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands..	60,000	3,210			5,881,600	231,511	4,414,300	188,539	2,595,600	135,683
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....dut..	6,552,938	97,608	5,072,907	78,770	63,876,204	961,200	60,474,625	953,722	49,979,805	771,411
Total.....	29,845,337	667,263	11,762,241	214,390	197,816,134	3,517,160	190,283,315	3,746,833	204,073,293	3,930,063
Salt (pounds).....free..					583,134,519	734,719	26,053,890	34,168		
Do.....dut..	23,319,514	36,272	33,052,238	36,807	15,223,837	19,179	316,200,216	490,493	363,182,933	558,922
Sausage casings.....free..		50,202		60,715	598,358,356	753,898		488,755		622,493
Seeds (bushels):										
Linseed or flaxseed.....dut..	16,943	16,443	20,021	18,685	105,222	108,871	136,098	150,515	81,953	87,602
Seeds, n. e. s.....free..		38,769		26,222		839,955		698,387		748,877
Do.....dut..		11,461		19,479		475,100		382,864		385,155
Total.....		66,673		64,386		1,423,926		1,231,766		1,221,634
Shells, unmanufactured.....free..		55,820		86,160				860,706		973,944
Silk, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—										
Cocoons.....	6,630	2,651					10,492	3,999	13,537	2,288
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	617,528	1,957,851	377,628	1,504,525	6,513,612	18,496,944	10,315,162	31,446,800	9,691,145	31,827,061
Waste.....	87,274	28,202	80,812	41,771	1,479,832	421,339	1,762,297	659,267	1,545,701	650,278
Total unmanufactured.....		1,988,704		1,546,296		18,918,283		32,110,066		32,479,627
SILK, RAW (pounds), imported from—										
France.....	41,835	149,827	23,835	109,542	233,005	751,846	339,934	1,192,008	330,248	1,218,037
Italy.....	183,802	685,091	161,397	717,696	865,972	3,019,515	1,742,157	6,250,671	2,251,216	8,929,776
China.....	77,511	217,591	103,931	328,307	1,800,587	4,364,392	2,612,279	6,311,188	2,512,299	6,497,983
Japan.....	314,380	905,342	88,316	348,504	3,474,875	10,010,895	5,217,182	16,510,502	4,515,116	14,920,787
Other countries.....			149	476	139,173	350,306	403,610	1,182,431	82,266	230,478
Total.....	617,528	1,957,851	377,628	1,504,525	6,513,612	18,496,944	10,315,162	31,446,800	9,691,145	31,827,061
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—										
Clothing, ready-made, and other wearing apparel.....		74,263		100,569		2,285,042		1,855,279		1,618,638
Dress and piece goods.....		937,443		901,354		7,576,001		10,495,057		13,082,364
Laces and embroideries.....		105,355		107,331		2,157,927		3,349,464		2,878,720
Ribbons.....		114,294		86,932		963,969		2,035,411		1,726,242
Spun silks, in skeins, cops, warps, or on beams.....lbs..			169,921	206,089					1,727,710	1,975,016
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics.....lbs..			42,503	143,827					478,285	1,553,687
All other.....		443,292		190,932		12,216,128		5,788,454		2,270,815
Total manufactures.....		1,674,647		1,737,034		25,199,067		23,521,665		25,105,482

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Silk, and manufactures of—Cont'd.										
MANUFACTURES OF, imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....		129,221		203,614		1,507,528		1,935,072		2,273,519
Austria-Hungary.....		23,368		22,211		150,127		135,634		166,954
Belgium.....		678		378		27,625		31,216		59,396
France.....		587,457		655,361		11,321,676		10,842,561		10,569,524
Germany.....		378,590		403,984		5,198,114		4,434,957		4,630,622
Italy.....		29,158		25,131		293,207		356,978		395,589
Switzerland.....		271,707		237,748		3,276,674		3,492,734		4,079,437
Other Europe.....		6,079		353		35,114		46,585		39,995
China.....		20,857		12,700		139,298		135,889		147,399
Japan.....		221,838		160,233		2,758,963		2,061,907		2,689,766
Other countries.....		5,694		5,321		70,741		50,132		66,281
Total.....		1,674,647		1,737,034		25,199,067		23,523,665		25,105,482
Soap (dutyable):										
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	72,493	28,871	51,956	24,650	1,095,007	352,369	592,692	254,443	793,907	327,923
All other.....		15,434		19,189		414,067		214,069		218,266
Total.....		44,305		44,038		786,376		498,512		576,189
Spices:										
UNGROUND (pounds)—										
Nutmegs.....free..	132,476	31,632	60,620	14,774	1,669,740	451,614	1,213,994	351,235	1,550,102	368,765
Pepper, black or white.....free..	1,077,130	77,469	1,009,292	95,487	15,053,452	711,453	14,080,136	909,711	12,332,747	1,053,100
All other.....free..	1,469,060	85,866	1,167,480	81,384	29,411,490	1,076,963	13,784,689	898,992	13,851,055	997,733
Do.....dut..	114,562	19,171	214,399	22,461	3,030,031	336,686	2,658,706	264,691	3,346,925	332,633
Total.....		214,168		214,166		2,576,716		2,404,629		2,782,281
NUTMEGS, PEPPER, ETC. (free, pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	591,569	34,588	519,011	31,622	8,925,107	473,087	7,576,669	599,742	5,032,785	374,533
Netherlands.....	456,170	33,682	46,792	6,906	4,253,246	383,057	2,023,148	220,837	1,076,372	171,830
Other Europe.....	25	3	76,482	8,155	1,222,114	66,889	1,142,043	85,988	274,987	26,161
British North America.....					116,244	6,734	2,515	166	260	48
British West Indies.....	151,362	12,669	270,168	21,541	3,648,398	184,484	2,368,264	166,365	3,756,519	284,092
China.....	307,744	19,211	181,531	13,034	4,039,636	190,873	2,508,689	158,069	2,426,110	149,023
East Indies.....	1,014,618	88,194	1,036,232	105,763	11,962,327	800,576	11,238,416	795,620	11,886,256	1,220,982
Other Asia and Oceania.....	156,562	6,635	39,105	1,698	1,159,307	72,377	493,870	50,282	1,401,846	127,891
Africa.....			53,512	2,825	1,663,752	50,872	1,666,225	60,079	1,811,935	92,726
Other countries.....	616	15	2,469	101	124,551	6,081	58,380	2,190	46,834	2,362
Total.....	2,678,666	194,997	2,228,302	191,645	37,114,682	2,240,030	29,078,519	2,133,938	27,713,904	2,449,648
SPICES, ALL OTHER (dutyable), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....		17,479		17,408		276,084		191,680		244,830
Other Europe.....		1,168		1,017		20,696		28,661		27,498
Mexico.....		362		2,061		30,133		30,468		38,144
Other countries.....		162		1,975		9,773		13,882		22,161
Total.....		19,171		22,461		336,686		264,691		332,633
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free..	47,269	42,402	68,407	55,834	956,760	863,558	854,586	734,901	998,273	834,948
Brandy.....dut..	10,242	28,855	19,281	52,849	337,595	911,721	137,902	395,758	219,838	626,656
All other.....dut..	86,522	99,145	110,683	154,936	1,727,110	2,074,835	770,830	1,004,135	1,227,157	1,683,015
Total.....	144,033	170,402	197,771	263,619	3,021,465	3,850,114	1,763,318	2,134,794	2,445,268	3,144,619
SPIRITS (not of domestic manufacture, proof gallons), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	33,319	46,632	46,520	83,757	645,583	911,560	328,486	490,535	585,934	897,478
Belgium.....	718	692	5,466	5,343	37,182	37,173	25,757	32,946	26,299	36,009
France.....	14,296	33,153	24,828	64,404	391,459	1,070,326	172,907	492,297	272,223	792,363
Germany.....	5,418	3,613	8,512	7,938	119,133	119,974	51,806	35,989	79,138	55,935
Italy.....	486	863	5,615	6,266	29,752	48,032	9,946	14,767	23,919	37,331
Netherlands.....	15,021	7,482	14,434	7,531	338,813	153,749	111,701	56,889	157,047	83,149
Other Europe.....	1,629	3,508	1,903	3,817	41,802	62,714	9,323	18,599	20,562	37,192
British North America.....	10,630	20,897	9,142	18,295	232,637	438,931	98,430	183,919	136,221	265,268

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons)— Continued.										
SPIRITS (not of domestic manu- facture, etc.)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
West Indies	3,041	2,535	4,651	7,473	52,884	95,133	22,830	54,555	26,556	59,056
China	9,313	2,827	6,662	2,230	131,017	28,530	41,324	11,243	86,584	26,720
Other Asia and Oceania	1,677	685	1,126	393	36,987	9,232	21,194	6,067	19,240	7,595
Other countries	1,156	108	505	338	7,406	11,152	5,022	2,810	12,962	11,644
Total	96,764	128,000	129,364	207,785	2,064,705	2,986,556	908,732	1,390,893	1,446,995	2,309,671
Sponges		23,989		56,301		487,143		401,725		429,776
Straw and grass, manufactures of				18,795						259,084
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:										
Molasses (gallons)	free.				284,627	18,376	49,275	2,346	15,300	542
Molasses (gallons)	dut.	475,321	84,663	1,300,522	3,417,844	568,137	3,551,272	541,670	5,682,596	783,808
SUGAR (pounds):										
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard in color—										
Beet	dut.	100,719,019	2,086,693	41,237,939	1,000,033	1,865,577,495	33,689,158	140,611,485	2,717,955	723,336,514
Cane	free.	60,885,153	2,201,268	75,398,159	2,903,686	431,196,980	13,164,379	499,766,798	16,660,109	462,299,880
Cane and other	dut.	156,263,763	3,080,047	298,562,308	7,284,848	2,422,995,089	47,284,494	1,948,423,905	38,659,764	2,731,868,574
Above No. 16 Dutch standard	dut.	11,189,384	260,751	5,776,666	220,369	199,136,169	4,928,150	101,088,663	2,434,921	62,745,601
Total sugar	free.	60,885,153	2,201,268	75,398,159	2,903,686	431,196,980	13,164,379	499,766,798	16,660,109	462,299,880
Total sugar	dut.	268,172,166	5,377,491	345,576,913	8,595,246	4,487,708,753	85,901,802	2,190,154,053	43,812,640	3,517,950,689
Total		329,057,319	7,578,759	420,975,072	11,408,932	4,918,905,733	99,066,181	2,689,920,851	60,472,749	3,980,250,569
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand- ard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom			237,708	6,604	74,280,451	1,360,003	16,551,980	388,472	16,594,179	431,518
Austria-Hungary	330,690	6,834	7,047,886	169,293	93,547,897	1,683,410	1,046,190	24,473	68,462,705	1,459,468
Belgium					130,317,484	2,308,793				
Germany	100,288,189	2,029,857	34,190,053	830,740	1,511,401,968	27,636,433	138,084,955	2,656,135	754,843,277	13,808,655
Netherlands					24,906,329	390,843	2,398,083	57,128		
Other Europe					65,800,077	1,046,385	77,230	1,698	1,996,400	41,070
British North America			51,832	968	922,667	66,527	935,904	44,705	236,598	5,983
Central America	1,028,168	38,372	1,542,053	54,988			4,764,387	195,149	6,019,812	158,639
Mexico	725,970	6,466	485,529	10,247	1,412,255	19,111	2,893,145	44,508	3,088,331	52,976
West Indies—										
British	57,275,844	1,179,097	59,632,618	1,460,551	322,103,866	5,893,877	232,798,204	4,610,350	264,596,400	5,967,815
Cuba	10,588,200	221,216	94,665,407	2,606,213	576,261,058	11,953,994	440,225,111	9,828,607	603,543,657	16,412,088
Other West Indies	37,309,512	755,206	51,193,606	1,270,508	235,003,208	3,956,325	211,342,294	4,203,484	247,212,608	5,848,601
Brazil	11,332,781	192,619			140,773,692	2,136,989	139,426,195	2,317,987	41,222,162	810,276
Other South America	13,766,052	309,874	10,189,210	252,577	243,487,721	5,012,422	192,755,229	3,940,648	226,877,064	5,341,713
China	11,669	178	11,684	220	323,096	7,034	365,973	5,755	369,623	6,365
East Indies	18,186,101	290,812	65,950,729	1,254,298	645,344,707	13,264,848	610,269,566	11,246,988	916,037,563	20,383,943
Hawaiian Islands	60,885,153	2,201,268	75,398,159	2,903,686	431,196,980	13,164,379	499,766,798	16,729,752	462,299,880	17,287,683
Philippine Islands	4,569,600	66,770			72,463,577	1,199,202	30,489,600	381,279	51,625,280	969,323
Other Asia and Oceania	7,893	148	6,764	114	171,841	3,183	295,918	7,423	3,436,415	86,527
Africa	1,462,113	19,291	14,586,168	367,526	149,950,690	3,034,273	64,435,286	1,353,195	189,043,014	4,198,543
Other countries							140	2		
Total	317,867,935	7,318,008	415,198,406	11,188,563	1,719,769,564	94,138,031	2,588,832,188	58,037,828	3,917,504,968	93,271,185
Above No. 16 Dutch standard (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	112,000	2,346			18,757,131	446,976	4,991,263	126,655	1,307,373	30,226
Austria-Hungary	61,300	15,007	30,000	788	11,589,531	273,617	696,933	32,977	964,638	26,357
France			44,800	1,456	2,397,303	34,844	6,693	324	66,007	2,506
Germany	6,645,453	146,752	51,250	1,544	92,831,103	2,207,588	37,100,485	864,661	12,284,496	286,762
Netherlands	2,300,000	44,671			57,252,335	1,526,090	38,107,744	928,653	6,894,728	176,013
China	771,900	20,013	1,632,814	46,253	11,115,476	306,981	6,794,691	170,996	10,388,541	290,209
Other countries	1,238,731	31,962	4,017,802	170,328	5,193,290	132,014	13,390,854	310,655	30,839,818	880,862
Total	11,189,384	260,751	5,776,666	220,369	199,136,169	4,928,150	101,088,663	2,434,921	62,745,601	1,692,935
Confectionery	dut.	1,383		2,783		24,752		27,133		31,772
Sulphur ore (tons)	free.		23,505	115,333					296,216	970,804

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Tea (pounds) free..	2,171,897	406,081	.....	.....	113,347,175	14,835,862	69,455,847	9,653,672	.....	.....
Do dut..	2,501,868	400,611	3,369,484	488,239	.....	.....	2,501,868	400,611	74,088,153	9,673,678
TEA (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	238,707	47,488	135,461	30,945	6,212,008	1,165,765	3,011,390	580,183	1,687,507	378,092
British North America	345,149	62,930	95,028	13,502	2,551,371	396,738	1,521,170	242,420	1,221,630	189,285
China	20,450	2,444	457,034	55,077	56,483,924	7,281,931	38,631,890	5,811,051	39,597,365	4,797,175
East Indies	149,146	20,860	266,890	42,647	2,120,003	272,683	2,254,202	278,273	2,068,243	266,558
Japan	3,906,556	669,614	2,403,485	343,609	45,465,161	5,651,279	26,233,407	3,106,663	29,277,708	4,007,805
Other Asia and Oceania	13,757	3,347	10,549	1,364	454,111	57,226	303,179	34,951	231,439	31,856
Other countries .....	.....	.....	1,037	1,095	60,597	10,240	2,477	742	4,252	2,907
Total	4,673,765	806,602	3,369,484	488,239	113,347,175	14,835,862	71,957,715	10,054,283	74,088,153	9,673,678
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc. (pounds) free..	5,112,839	706,773	3,187,589	810,721	50,460,123	6,535,852	63,938,889	8,776,151	67,342,105	11,843,357
TIN IN BARS, ETC. (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom	1,536,414	222,212	313,651	80,325	20,903,129	2,723,133	21,622,583	3,122,562	11,795,569	2,309,037
Netherlands	118,425	16,696	173,211	44,355	3,385,206	479,076	3,783,288	532,924	2,131,319	400,609
East Indies	3,254,069	438,426	2,522,807	617,580	23,301,919	2,982,960	36,782,625	4,882,412	52,420,247	8,953,001
Other Asia and Oceania	178,421	25,526	156,743	32,992	1,824,417	236,409	1,571,307	213,515	864,899	155,600
Other countries	25,510	3,913	21,177	5,469	1,045,452	114,274	179,086	24,738	130,071	25,110
Total	5,112,839	706,773	3,187,589	810,721	50,460,123	6,535,852	63,938,889	8,776,151	67,342,105	11,843,357
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
LEAF (dutiable, pounds)—										
Suitable for cigar wrappers	731,287	747,012	611,055	607,564	6,057,268	5,663,214	3,988,561	3,913,294	4,147,048	4,349,034
Other	227,306	83,439	790,587	482,835	7,747,959	3,920,941	6,488,547	3,575,314	9,888,583	5,550,999
Total leaf	958,593	830,451	1,401,642	1,090,399	13,805,227	9,584,155	10,477,108	7,488,608	14,035,631	9,900,033
Imported from (pounds)—										
Germany	6,889	1,067	25,566	673	1,874,119	1,189,523	395,806	41,565	349,334	42,208
Netherlands	697,523	716,593	596,987	551,053	5,413,448	5,033,202	3,685,435	3,595,382	3,806,921	3,791,385
Other Europe	9,958	10,430	10,668	14,720	486,614	161,505	489,875	328,611	474,329	293,520
British North America	45,956	33,126	34,565	32,261	676,337	566,501	395,246	253,694	563,733	491,642
Mexico	91,450	28,603	2,021	1,171	749,560	297,262	578,548	259,279	624,654	229,554
Cuba	38,333	26,073	724,979	483,604	4,409,369	2,306,063	4,346,475	2,848,524	7,825,657	4,964,529
Other countries	68,424	14,540	36,856	6,917	195,830	39,099	585,723	161,553	391,003	87,395
Total	958,593	830,451	1,401,642	1,090,399	13,805,277	9,584,155	10,477,108	7,488,608	14,035,631	9,900,033
MANUFACTURES OF (dut., lbs.)—										
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.	7,662	33,831	36,848	182,841	455,697	2,040,444	331,902	1,551,009	418,634	2,082,450
All other .....	.....	5,789	.....	3,857	.....	57,103	.....	52,497	.....	61,549
Total manufactures .....	.....	39,620	.....	186,698	.....	2,097,547	.....	1,603,506	.....	2,143,999
Toys dut..	.....	301,470	.....	265,083	.....	3,295,057	.....	2,214,482	.....	2,261,969
Toys, imported from—										
France .....	.....	13,244	.....	13,748	.....	198,027	.....	93,183	.....	101,529
Germany .....	.....	279,372	.....	245,610	.....	2,979,138	.....	2,020,045	.....	2,085,632
Other Europe .....	.....	7,547	.....	4,057	.....	93,266	.....	72,080	.....	47,830
Other countries .....	.....	1,307	.....	1,668	.....	24,626	.....	20,174	.....	26,978
Total .....	.....	301,470	.....	265,083	.....	3,295,057	.....	2,214,482	.....	2,261,969
Vegetables (dutiable, bushels):										
Beans and dried peas	4,454	3,495	6,649	4,679	482,984	489,274	163,560	149,227	184,499	165,830
Onions	85,194	58,844	127,376	57,864	560,138	627,273	488,853	429,173	771,960	499,529
Potatoes	12,214	5,144	18,643	6,160	246,178	145,584	1,171,378	473,154	530,420	294,391
Pickles and sauces .....	.....	22,814	.....	26,203	.....	332,243	.....	243,354	.....	352,008
All other—										
In their natural state .....	.....	6,912	.....	11,539	.....	256,752	.....	239,733	.....	312,650
Prepared or preserved .....	.....	51,601	.....	48,884	.....	720,822	.....	499,959	.....	554,298
Total .....	.....	148,810	.....	155,329	.....	2,571,948	.....	2,034,600	.....	2,178,697
Wines (dutiable):										
Champagne, and other sparkling (dozen)	13,855	206,184	24,235	359,929	228,628	3,348,004	223,827	3,264,323	268,667	3,668,720
STILL WINES—										
In casks (gallons)	189,627	141,951	255,303	196,206	2,997,952	2,039,250	1,930,870	1,392,710	2,250,451	1,571,532
In other coverings (dozen)	34,536	150,236	36,846	166,993	300,281	1,475,211	268,921	1,312,147	274,847	1,346,551
Total .....	.....	498,371	.....	723,128	.....	6,862,465	.....	5,969,180	.....	6,586,803

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wines (dutyable)—Continued—										
Wines, imported from—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		13,181		18,358		201,463		222,042		201,607
France.....		283,117		424,090		4,112,307		3,783,137		4,246,999
Germany.....		94,052		155,830		1,358,929		917,180		1,081,252
Italy.....		41,674		29,686		319,047		280,747		228,854
Other Europe.....		65,432		91,570		830,897		736,551		799,951
Other countries.....		915		3,594		39,822		29,523		28,140
Total.....		498,371		724,128		6,862,465		5,969,180		6,586,803
Wood, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (M feet)—										
Cabinet woods—										
Mahogany.....free..	1,422	80,084	2,002	118,855	15,129	656,976	14,679	799,149	21,714	1,214,921
All other.....free..		137,643		99,659		544,490		903,187		846,356
Logs and round timbers.....free..	82,075	732,490	15,547	133,199	333,727	2,616,397	275,547	2,439,089	198,195	1,766,294
Timber, hewn, etc.....free..					4,743	93,777		815		22,416
Timber, hewn, etc (cu. ft.).....dut..	21,030	2,145	29,452	4,083		395	138,786	17,118	133,792	18,068
Lumber (M feet)—										
Boards, planks, etc.....free..					883,735	9,072,262	107,953	1,055,126		
Do.....dut..	40,089	415,720	65,469	642,038	46	3,710	245,262	2,454,692	423,925	4,200,114
Shingles (M).....dut..	49,777	84,305	54,175	95,039			435,421	760,984	473,028	828,053
Other lumber.....dut..		122,380		156,412		18,979		786,843		986,962
All other unmanufact'd.....free..		212,606		216,597		4,702,031		2,290,188		1,969,801
Do.....dut..		1,571		354		34		14,578		20,110
MANUFACTURES OF (dutyable)—										
Cabinetware or house furniture.....		21,703		15,889		264,240		274,153		315,242
Wood pulp (tons).....	3,953	88,838	2,322	56,592	41,770	800,886	29,846	601,642	33,319	671,506
All other.....		129,698		148,938		1,769,624		1,444,758		1,632,060
Total wood, and mfrs. of.....		2,024,888		1,687,365		20,543,810		13,861,923		14,499,487
MAHOGANY (M feet), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	127	18,334	258	30,042	448	131,251	1,354	261,095	4,041	337,145
Central America.....	52	2,602	73	5,004	3,996	116,642	4,253	141,724	7,078	369,126
Mexico.....	631	28,986	1,505	70,246	8,791	321,800	7,160	309,493	11,426	413,222
Cuba.....			107	10,624		433		40		412
Other West Indies.....			26	1,002		328		125		8,821
South America.....	602	30,112	33	1,937		942		31,964		1,662
Other countries.....						191		9,675		85
Total.....	1,422	80,084	2,002	118,855	15,129	656,976	14,679	799,149	24,714	1,244,921
BOARDS, PLANKS, ETC. (M feet), imported from—										
British North America.....	40,024	407,279	65,453	640,704	883,770	9,073,405	353,075	3,499,056	423,720	4,187,057
Other countries.....	65	8,441	16	1,334	11	2,576	140	10,762	205	13,057
Total.....	40,089	415,720	65,469	642,038	883,781	9,075,981	353,215	3,509,818	423,925	4,200,114
WOOD PULP (tons), imported from—										
Germany.....			28	1,802	1,783	94,574	1,607	72,167	713	41,519
Other Europe.....	818	31,326	441	18,302	5,183	207,606	3,809	159,042	4,471	180,455
British North America.....	3,135	57,512	1,853	36,488	34,804	498,706	24,430	370,433	28,135	449,532
Total.....	3,953	88,838	2,322	56,592	41,770	800,886	29,846	601,642	33,319	671,506
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Class 1—clothing—										
In the grease.....free..					176,350,510	27,824,507	10,902,270	1,841,523		
Do.....dut..	3,316,282	618,875	2,453,471	388,520			32,159,162	5,461,318	12,973,444	1,948,402
Scoured.....free..					24,408,569	6,457,149	2,274,045	643,069		
Do.....dut..			3,389	540			107,570	23,701	3,555	552
Class 2—combing—										
In the grease.....free..					37,627,967	7,119,201	3,197,646	631,929		
Do.....dut..	181,657	27,619	180,623	50,079			1,107,917	224,452	2,154,232	586,865
Scoured.....free..					323,523	68,419	15,310	3,218		
Do.....dut..									1,187	196
Class 3—carpet—										
In the grease.....free..					119,665,432	11,569,886	5,186,116	473,820		
Do.....dut..	5,291,316	471,425	5,754,355	486,170			77,841,550	7,480,339	61,578,547	5,784,444
Scoured.....free..					1,476,025	174,029	2,197	208		
Do.....dut..			24,575	2,305			1,479	115	25,244	2,438
Total.....(free)					350,852,026	53,243,191	21,577,584	3,593,767		
Total.....(dut)	8,729,255	1,117,919	8,416,404	927,614			111,217,618	13,189,925	76,736,209	8,322,897
Total.....							132,795,202	16,783,692		

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
WOOLS (lbs.), imported from—										
Class 1—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	196,306	33,895	117,026	19,701	107,515,170	18,982,124	20,074,328	2,836,259	4,592,541	720,926
France.....					16,976,281	4,283,671	1,154,631	299,073	115,953	13,591
South America.....	19,698	1,845	1,489,115	108,419	36,056,984	4,632,933	6,729,538	841,377	3,930,204	478,180
Asia and Oceania.....	2,126,287	576,924	843,392	170,201	18,618,721	3,159,935	14,265,227	3,516,665	3,039,929	546,298
Other countries.....	3,891	211	7,318	739	21,591,923	3,162,993	3,279,263	476,237	1,388,372	189,959
Total.....	3,946,282	618,875	2,456,851	389,060	200,759,079	34,281,656	45,442,987	7,919,611	12,976,999	1,948,954
Class 2—										
United Kingdom.....	27,655	5,059	123,377	30,270	21,011,983	4,297,774	3,090,310	645,550	1,797,574	470,565
Other Europe.....	13,341	3,748	52,171	18,179	1,073,993	249,781	35,119	7,933	314,287	107,208
British North America.....	24	5	5,075	1,630	7,374,463	1,448,137	969,549	177,506	36,971	8,166
South America.....	140,657	18,813			8,339,497	1,173,810	222,533	28,411	1,485	166
Asia and Oceania.....					22,454	3,639				
Other countries.....					129,190	14,479	3,362	199	5,102	1,016
Total.....	181,657	27,619	180,623	50,079	37,951,490	7,187,620	4,320,873	859,599	2,155,419	587,061
Class 3—										
United Kingdom.....	1,165,424	193,183	1,802,682	189,218	40,073,884	4,929,083	22,870,248	2,622,959	19,297,058	2,024,559
France.....	4,157	493	6,034	358	8,799,115	1,146,891	3,146,122	333,060	1,542,469	154,908
Germany.....	54,224	5,771	82,415	8,520	2,379,634	262,887	1,053,930	111,093	721,258	73,946
Other Europe.....	458,149	45,432	391,368	38,705	16,214,393	1,818,559	19,147,426	1,925,507	14,897,587	1,507,049
British North America.....					33,654	3,016	29,988	1,756		
South America.....	2,482,360	194,238	1,743,891	131,262	16,408,044	1,362,914	10,589,418	862,321	6,105,714	459,429
China.....	1,616,009	90,266	1,385,497	79,749	21,449,747	1,553,947	20,308,267	1,510,166	14,264,551	1,084,535
Other Asia and Oceania.....	20,372	2,190	237,022	28,293	6,725,776	661,531	5,508,141	552,777	3,944,085	394,188
Other countries.....	27	2	110,021	12,460	57,730	5,584	417,792	34,843	830,969	88,268
Total.....	5,291,316	471,425	5,778,920	488,475	112,141,457	11,773,915	83,031,342	7,954,482	61,603,791	5,786,882
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carbonized (pounds).....dut..					43,726	13,513				
Carpets and carpeting (square yards).....dut..	57,954	226,445	63,259	187,007	470,757	782,955	589,745	1,790,132	631,397	1,758,902
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit fabrics.....dut..		34,827		51,792		984,689		765,181		832,666
Cloths (pounds).....dut..	261,556	240,453	374,067	339,474	27,859,311	17,907,273	5,062,261	3,985,577	4,092,898	3,909,466
Dress goods, women's and children's (square yards).....dut..	2,398,355	456,831	1,802,769	422,996	77,169,841	16,787,241	29,125,529	6,036,080	27,098,584	5,905,548
Knit fabrics.....dut..		28,451		15,589		2,531,058		387,269		625,795
Rags, noils, and wastes (pounds).....free..					44,213,140	5,220,793	1,724,489	253,779		
Shoddy, mango, flocks, etc. (pounds).....dut..	10,071	2,234	12,982	4,618	5,670,592	1,714,865	1,574,262	443,843	314,540	70,224
Shawls.....dut..		4,453		4,912		464,835		39,683		55,331
Yarns (pounds).....dut..	23,400	13,703	13,553	8,616	1,842,356	956,543	331,839	185,447	173,870	109,681
All other.....dut..		50,601		32,383		2,699,227		956,780		564,354
Total manufactures.....		1,057,998		1,077,387		49,162,992		14,823,771		13,831,967
CARPETS (sq. yds.), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	7,541	23,613	13,523	39,286	352,988	545,997	211,895	500,556	235,495	541,706
Other Europe.....	29,222	168,252	32,974	105,027	78,114	146,642	245,092	881,188	272,840	850,827
Japan.....	2,287	3,034			6,685	5,769	12,244	13,887	7,359	9,810
Other Asia and Oceania.....	5,043	15,555	11,920	37,233	22,430	59,914	93,918	290,684	78,755	223,234
Other countries.....	3,861	16,611	4,842	18,461	11,140	24,783	25,995	92,817	36,948	133,325
Total.....	57,954	226,445	63,259	187,007	470,757	782,955	589,745	1,790,132	631,397	1,758,902
CLOTH (pounds), imported from—										
United Kingdom.....	159,809	134,350	261,121	231,702	23,412,241	13,056,678	4,062,973	3,009,633	2,807,703	2,675,396
Austria-Hungary.....	9,247	9,013	3,327	3,433	502,782	179,451	49,976	47,009	83,803	79,212
Belgium.....	5,545	4,216	18,277	15,271	565,244	463,051	106,321	89,522	152,215	136,174
France.....	9,151	11,844	11,990	16,175	421,165	447,181	111,760	123,940	210,545	241,374
Germany.....	86,643	80,812	77,651	71,302	3,230,769	2,837,136	720,854	666,057	822,683	763,667
Other Europe.....	24	41	1,624	1,505	13,542	10,059	3,580	3,060	9,219	7,712
Other countries.....	157	147	77	86	13,568	11,717	6,797	6,359	6,730	5,931
Total.....	261,556	240,453	374,067	339,474	27,859,311	17,907,273	5,062,261	3,065,577	4,092,896	3,909,466

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc.—Continued.										
DRESS GOODS (square yards), imported from—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
United Kingdom.....	1,148,110	192,591	889,955	193,073	28,221,043	5,218,648	13,366,681	2,318,563	12,676,762	2,338,525
France.....	589,735	124,257	398,106	120,616	29,578,402	6,768,965	7,036,334	1,620,345	7,187,661	1,913,688
Germany.....	658,366	139,364	514,762	119,301	18,748,912	4,633,530	7,381,048	2,060,994	7,135,801	1,630,388
Other Europe.....	2,108	691			618,334	165,289	1,339,168	35,329	97,727	22,707
Other countries.....	36	18	6	6	3,150	809	2,298	849	633	240
Total.....	2,398,355	456,831	1,802,769	432,996	77,169,841	16,787,241	29,125,529	6,036,080	27,098,584	5,905,548
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):										
In blocks or pigs, and old....lbs..	272,496	9,572	108,654	6,614	1,662,356	57,316	3,250,965	127,033	2,124,928	99,004
Manufactures of.....		1,403		1,308		21,654		11,694		17,083
Total.....		10,975		7,922		78,400		138,727		116,087
All other articles.....free.....		485,473		639,177		9,900,502		6,397,310		5,888,372
Do.....dut.....		313,339		402,415		8,079,508		5,538,849		5,460,527
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		22,920,436		25,897,107		38,938,243		291,414,175		300,267,941
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		28,344,795		35,827,728		382,702,169		324,635,479		396,848,906
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.....		51,265,231		61,724,835		764,730,412		616,049,654		697,116,854
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES.....		48,155,132		57,261,912		722,686,041		578,598,406		652,296,245
IMPORTED THROUGH EXTERIOR PORTS, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT.....		3,110,099		4,462,923		42,044,371		37,451,248		44,820,609
ENTERED FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.....		41,893,294		52,240,213		657,724,700		523,379,596		587,687,300
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSE.....		9,371,937		9,484,622		107,005,712		92,670,058		109,429,554
BROUGHT IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		2,488,873		2,680,308		35,812,620		30,427,784		33,418,895
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS.....		1,664,638		7,108,274		76,011,807		64,422,388		56,793,135
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:										
Belgian.....		1,637,344		1,953,675				20,252,417		22,015,968
British.....		24,763,046		24,663,206				294,207,519		339,452,943
Dutch.....		2,231,892		1,815,320				21,979,037		21,764,533
French.....		2,830,371		3,747,711				36,557,082		51,238,820
German.....		6,387,896		7,755,983				63,195,471		81,778,190
Italian.....		44,885		232,827				227,770		1,153,238
Norwegian.....		1,294,337		2,821,315				12,700,279		20,013,455
All other.....		886,187		1,199,280				11,135,700		16,781,356
Total foreign steam.....		40,075,448		44,189,317		588,301,144		460,255,275		554,198,503
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS.....		2,771,415		4,450,110		33,121,647		29,113,479		25,256,716
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....								8		
British.....		2,742,722		1,877,327				20,139,596		17,393,864
Dutch.....				306,808				931,193		965,638
French.....		1,521		5,016				118,788		173,188
German.....		193,023		73,818				1,987,057		1,319,939
Italian.....		102,494		174,605				2,657,959		2,245,904
Norwegian.....		594,659		8,121				2,835,563		1,172,117
All other.....		630,438		851,131				3,160,564		4,178,955
Total foreign sailing.....		4,264,857		3,296,826		31,483,194		31,630,728		27,449,605

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Agricultural implements:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mowers and reapers, and parts of.....		953,166		1,469,816		3,127,415		5,500,665		9,053,830
Plows and cultivators, and parts of.....		89,167		146,092		590,779		927,250		1,545,410
All other, and parts of.....		89,502		150,932		1,522,492		1,181,817		1,832,957
Total.....		1,131,835		1,766,840		5,240,686		7,609,732		12,432,197
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		198,597		268,355		642,317		1,145,025		1,372,393
France.....		181,640		315,843		623,956		1,252,167		1,781,659
Germany.....		251,362		260,128		710,818		1,232,242		1,646,711
Other Europe.....		113,844		177,620		1,070,241		1,451,284		2,641,891
British North America.....		139,923		305,140		464,959		781,415		1,521,054
Central American States and British Honduras.....		409		166		35,925		14,910		6,244
Mexico.....		10,076		20,603		100,825		121,368		222,476
Santo Domingo.....		23		144		1,428		1,070		735
Cuba.....				11,412		3,624		7,817		43,104
Porto Rico.....				716		4,239		2,504		2,955
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		1,745		911		6,705		7,432		11,460
Argentina.....		15,249		225,785		415,312		377,054		1,679,019
Brazil.....		789		803		23,626		24,755		34,130
Colombia.....		1,047		5		3,362		4,843		1,540
Other South America.....		20,253		11,379		140,117		196,054		284,204
East Indies—British.....						8,708		8,333		6,701
British Australasia.....		151,389		89,732		490,985		697,565		768,672
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,773		3,128		46,206		56,159		66,491
Africa.....		42,625		74,970		417,333		224,306		340,758
Other countries.....		97						420		
Total.....		1,131,835		1,766,840		5,240,686		7,609,732		12,432,197
Aluminum, and manufactures of.....		(a)		35,315		(a)		(a)		441,846
Animals:										
CATTLE (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	27,699	2,029,840	27,890	2,536,185	378,459	35,374,322	378,956	35,431,464	308,126	28,213,572
Other Europe.....					3,648	333,125				
British North America.....	2,070	141,916	280	6,215	6,812	459,036	15,805	1,068,239	3,709	221,037
Central American States and British Honduras.....					397	16,561	98	7,058	59	3,485
Mexico.....	199	9,700	154	8,050	690	29,186	1,953	78,400	2,301	98,920
West Indies and Bermuda.....	265	16,687	9,401	272,428	1,982	133,303	42,119	1,232,157	74,757	1,949,958
South America.....	25	250			44	3,134	285	7,462	223	5,193
Asia and Oceania.....	2	303	40	1,750	157	8,434	39	2,720	241	13,295
Other countries.....					1	350			74	11,373
Total.....	30,201	2,801,723	37,895	2,824,628	392,190	36,257,451	439,255	37,827,500	389,490	30,516,833
HOGS (number)—										
United Kingdom.....					66	539	1,030	7,987	20	125
British North America.....	14	111	93	297	3,768	17,883	4,039	24,940	1,363	6,847
Mexico.....	12	45	2,130	26,156	22,164	263,083	4,007	44,487	7,390	87,642
West Indies and Bermuda.....			3,024	15,584	17	160	1,463	11,556	17,949	95,926
South America.....			24	1,000	8	110	24	488	42	1,253
Asia and Oceania.....	4	40			2,615	13,487	3,636	19,213	6,139	33,110
Other countries.....					113	736	122	1,816	128	2,338
Total.....	30	156	5,271	43,037	28,751	295,998	14,411	110,487	33,031	227,241

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals—Continued.										
HORSES (number)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	1,727	239,850	2,044	285,375	19,350	2,579,736	22,129	3,072,498	20,929	3,024,952
France.....			1	200	23	8,500	72	9,000	684	97,780
Germany.....	491	69,200	391	103,650	4,897	822,250	7,913	1,161,750	5,484	824,295
Other Europe.....	581	58,100	386	39,000	4,218	467,365	7,559	769,170	4,852	491,400
British North America.....	1,476	177,575	1,074	54,799	3,902	478,574	9,415	874,674	10,088	667,165
Central American States and British Honduras.....	15	750	2	200	486	38,172	294	12,795	99	6,228
Mexico.....	117	7,425	61	3,795	1,884	88,978	1,297	77,090	1,138	81,849
West Indies and Bermuda.....	13	520	291	11,750	4,235	234,320	2,043	141,382	1,565	154,118
South America.....			6	720	170	11,655	21	5,700	33	4,559
Asia and Oceania.....	9	890	124	11,818	365	39,190	350	34,925	779	75,316
Africa.....	14	2,100	10	1,500	1	400	117	17,585	127	16,680
Other countries.....					1	125				
Total.....	4,443	556,410	4,393	512,807	39,532	4,769,265	51,150	6,176,569	45,778	5,444,342
Mules.....No.	240	20,242	1,034	69,934	7,473	545,331	8,098	664,789	6,755	516,098
SHEEP (number)—										
United Kingdom.....	9,407	66,716	9,540	69,197	180,304	1,316,104	142,178	1,016,895	98,080	702,347
Other Europe.....	1	50			3,751	34,406	1	50		
British North America.....	5,374	11,032	4,480	9,533	48,437	91,353	48,325	108,446	34,782	75,323
Mexico.....	108	238	11	32	4,028	11,877	2,359	9,748	3,235	11,525
West Indies and Bermuda.....	387	2,625	526	3,133	5,466	39,807	5,056	38,871	5,654	34,794
South America.....	231	2,095	125	850	1,280	14,076	1,475	12,409	1,180	8,620
Other countries.....	2	5			254	25,022	236	27,467	355	20,946
Total.....	15,510	83,061	14,682	82,746	214,120	1,531,645	199,690	1,213,886	143,286	653,555
All other, including fowls.....		7,953		24,411		68,771		250,175		322,037
Total animals.....		3,469,585		3,557,563		43,568,461		46,243,406		37,880,916
Art works: Paintings and statuary.....		45,831		20,315		391,362		273,521		303,493
Bark, and extract of, for tanning.....		32,919		42,881		241,979		329,994		369,693
Beeswax.....lbs.	7,611	2,272	32,594	9,287	(a)	(a)	151,094	41,827	152,494	41,915
Blacking:										
Stove polish.....		49,924		22,415				382,001		420,219
All other.....		27,690		36,921		384,937		351,567		421,468
Bones, hoofs, horns, and horn tips, strips, and waste.....		6,748		9,858		280,149		174,861		195,759
Books, maps, engravings, etchings, and other printed matter:										
United Kingdom.....		66,900		59,701		890,087		841,098		782,597
France.....		2,678		6,074		44,613		39,454		38,473
Germany.....		7,315		14,616		112,153		102,385		121,296
Other Europe.....		3,510		3,715		38,870		62,402		59,490
British North America.....		57,104		62,085		612,588		722,049		844,409
Central American States and British Honduras.....		433		684		60,564		34,264		41,103
Mexico.....		5,858		1,943		161,343		125,006		57,819
Santo Domingo.....		95		1,522		1,336		550		11,934
Cuba.....				6,652		221,251		22,506		45,743
Porto Rico.....				1,946		5,250		1,332		16,831
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		2,208		1,950		29,067		26,967		27,642
Argentina.....		1,422		2,026		25,313		26,614		20,971
Brazil.....		1,958		1,540		128,214		153,770		45,536
Colombia.....		559		1,635		72,389		17,484		48,695
Other South America.....		5,634		5,209		53,846		43,558		123,150
China.....		80		1,569		16,520		15,836		29,448
East Indies—British.....				377		8,041		12,831		22,118
Japan.....		925		6,624		23,689		27,698		36,163
British Australasia.....		8,809		6,798		67,275		92,706		150,852
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,301		2,781		32,320		33,521		51,478
Africa.....		5,117		5,653		33,819		41,384		80,353
Other countries.....				30						75
Total.....		172,906		196,039		2,647,548		2,434,325		2,656,136
Brass, and manufactures of.....		104,667		154,725		1,171,431		1,320,093		1,351,049

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Barley.....bush..	166,281	52,934	314,052	147,622	20,030,301	7,646,384	11,237,077	5,542,040	2,267,400	1,375,274
Bran, middlings, and mill feed.....tons..	6,213	89,968	17,322	273,543	(a)	(a)	91,189	1,329,519	127,953	2,002,588
Bread and biscuit.....lbs..	955,631	52,473	1,482,717	75,414	15,214,619	697,695	15,990,558	788,264	16,447,240	809,998
Buckwheat.....bush..	115	57			1,677,102	678,959	1,370,403	589,285	1,533,980	846,028
CORN (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	5,937,747	2,348,593	5,866,921	2,404,234	75,489,129	22,952,199	82,876,864	29,580,758	68,607,317	27,512,398
France.....	1,001,380	344,880	174,517	70,757	7,092,156	2,113,628	11,447,980	3,935,687	5,236,194	2,060,101
Germany.....	4,152,776	1,610,771	4,212,227	1,747,907	31,784,181	9,881,821	39,263,528	14,171,961	34,605,373	13,855,290
Other Europe.....	2,930,150	1,120,493	3,661,154	1,485,359	40,444,535	11,930,336	48,211,439	17,203,435	43,529,764	17,350,163
British North America.....	2,803,889	1,001,114	1,764,901	647,308	9,506,877	2,541,453	23,476,509	7,850,840	19,150,676	6,867,627
Central American States and British Honduras.....	8,644	4,576	3,588	2,236	107,672	50,421	130,227	70,965	73,332	36,313
Mexico.....	2,698	1,153	35,519	15,643	8,825,860	3,233,781	125,310	43,557	154,644	63,412
Santo Domingo.....			24	10	1,087	389	409	166	572	266
Cuba.....			191,507	91,217	689,846	247,905	1,055,512	415,803	636,106	293,507
Porto Rico.....					1,200	433	200	80	155	63
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	77,229	35,163	75,096	37,233	710,819	271,366	739,543	314,120	686,409	320,018
South America.....	2,884	1,343	4,101	1,995	38,235	13,921	95,419	38,186	49,082	23,122
Asia and Oceania.....	2,153	1,529	2,766	2,016	278,941	106,149	15,261	10,168	277,337	117,881
Africa.....	12,634	6,243	32,801	15,359	1,941,267	741,898	1,302,442	509,516	1,076,769	474,890
Other countries.....	400	190			4,560	1,452	4,296	1,608	5,364	2,397
Total.....	16,932,613	6,506,048	16,025,122	6,522,265	176,916,365	54,087,152	208,744,939	74,196,850	174,089,094	68,977,445
Corn meal.....bbls..	64,424	152,662	41,366	95,465	475,263	902,061	827,651	1,766,068	791,488	1,775,868
Oats.....bush..	5,287,616	1,803,264	5,231,564	1,757,474	35,006,736	8,756,207	69,130,288	20,632,914	30,309,680	9,787,540
Oatmeal.....lbs..	12,194,605	240,807	3,120,773	82,053	47,310,251	1,071,340	85,500,350	1,757,978	58,042,505	1,295,988
Rye.....bush..	1,135,719	712,174	502,124	327,498	8,560,271	3,667,505	15,541,575	8,825,769	10,140,876	5,936,078
Rye flour.....bbls..	87	276	94	329	2,566	7,366	3,410	11,815	4,826	15,015
WHEAT (bushels)—										
United Kingdom.....	6,884,293	7,312,407	4,799,953	3,585,459	55,742,689	41,975,657	80,163,805	76,834,524	74,613,304	55,367,397
France.....	3,913,144	4,805,160	40,000	30,600	264,422	185,006	30,041,289	32,566,250	2,232,190	1,675,339
Germany.....	48,000	52,650	343,525	265,183	3,000,477	1,997,639	3,218,401	3,124,543	10,311,450	7,666,210
Other Europe.....	1,797,039	1,811,707	1,426,886	1,150,281	8,504,852	6,300,919	22,124,014	21,307,934	41,045,883	31,268,327
British North America.....	377,140	405,310	334,077	253,363	5,581,151	3,975,433	5,116,901	5,104,800	8,369,314	6,142,290
Central American States and British Honduras.....	3,872	4,015	4,991	4,113	80,575	71,236	41,510	43,808	39,869	34,323
Mexico.....			1	2	40	32	45	41	7,083	5,145
West Indies and Bermuda.....	390	378	70	63	1,539	1,363	1,384	1,580	899	823
South America.....	75,876	76,043	406	385	178,423	165,292	1,857,433	1,705,171	259,492	191,211
British Australasia.....					1,829,591	1,538,846	102,316	85,395		
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,427	1,331	1,543	1,131	996,788	769,645	70,663	59,607	30,112	22,445
Africa.....	90,901	82,340	133,177	100,719	3,381,473	2,939,110	5,493,470	4,850,946	2,523,219	1,895,659
Total.....	13,191,992	14,551,341	6,994,629	5,391,299	79,562,020	59,921,178	148,231,261	145,684,659	139,432,815	104,269,169
WHEAT FLOUR (barrel)—										
United Kingdom.....	561,915	2,751,025	815,156	3,026,081	8,256,630	30,925,512	9,132,465	41,083,120	10,233,360	41,335,606
France.....	438	2,400	100	440	408	1,350	3,826	16,990	1,959	7,720
Germany.....	16,345	72,372	34,972	139,142	169,363	613,309	190,039	851,713	502,874	2,007,404
Other Europe.....	102,529	491,991	124,517	473,695	808,531	2,754,203	1,282,457	5,146,080	1,861,949	7,214,364
British North America.....	51,892	333,711	18,150	68,414	709,873	2,748,355	557,471	2,767,203	743,463	3,386,553
Central American States and British Honduras.....	16,334	86,881	17,217	65,672	289,530	1,190,324	250,228	1,183,182	248,956	986,717
Mexico.....	2,531	13,390	4,765	18,556	24,659	96,762	19,210	86,848	34,537	138,979
Santo Domingo.....	7,230	48,182	3,371	13,716	35,968	163,078	35,889	197,338	34,694	146,106
Cuba.....			49,435	190,252	132,738	564,638	245,293	1,160,736	442,681	1,719,225
Porto Rico.....			30,906	48,452	126,933	516,188	90,578	459,493	152,079	492,664
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	49,376	267,557	76,460	255,944	868,886	3,625,122	770,289	3,836,418	739,277	2,863,501
Brazil.....	35,321	220,701	71,444	295,696	786,378	3,541,579	637,592	3,240,362	818,816	3,339,027
Colombia.....	11,111	54,826	13,807	53,979	133,254	580,237	115,256	541,147	98,519	425,904
Other South America.....	27,660	157,329	43,211	154,099	378,207	1,500,024	365,290	1,740,204	382,588	1,410,485

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Breadstuffs—Continued.										
WHEAT FLOUR (barrels)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
China.....	1,544	5,918	2,500	8,693	18,270	72,100	19,609	89,305	28,526	105,200
East Indies: British.....			10	45	7,608	28,953	8,866	39,678	4,672	17,976
Hongkong.....	77,339	315,918	134,899	404,256	(a)	(a)	939,053	3,835,727	1,221,314	4,030,340
Japan.....	17,409	71,489	17,978	48,009	237,126	819,620	161,654	644,039	226,029	722,710
British Australasia.....	2,380	11,399	565	2,200	318,073	1,310,175	41,845	174,118	80,334	299,194
Other Asia and Oceanica.....	14,100	71,773	52,792	158,441	1,049,554	3,850,108	139,756	614,483	249,519	828,175
Africa.....	21,123	113,895	32,632	121,159	214,402	964,004	332,553	1,511,956	380,078	1,495,240
Other countries.....	1,173	5,923	450	1,675	12,154	48,106	10,694	52,578	17,066	60,777
Total.....	1,017,665	5,105,590	1,545,337	5,548,407	14,569,545	55,914,347	15,349,943	69,263,718	18,502,690	73,093,870
Preparations of, for table food.....		183,438		160,151				1,765,207		2,133,110
All other.....		198,190		161,756		4,508,025		1,743,033		1,681,725
Total breadstuffs.....		29,649,222		20,543,266		197,857,219		333,897,119		273,999,699
Bricks:										
Building.....M..	210	1,683	839	5,919	4,732	30,213	4,368	30,014	7,296	53,743
Fire.....		16,831		14,013		118,176		127,260		175,312
Total.....		18,514		19,932		148,389		157,274		229,055
Broom corn.....		16,194		7,614		136,007		163,066		185,907
Brooms and brushes.....		10,585		24,195		186,056		158,272		211,931
Candles.....lbs..	322,615	23,834	229,701	22,973	2,673,717	216,565	3,172,379	232,214	3,416,513	275,470
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of:										
CARS, PASSENGER AND FREIGHT, AND PARTS OF—										
For steam railways.....		172,360		310,452				1,478,188		1,554,012
For other railways.....		26,432		4,870		990,950		260,393		504,484
All other carriages, and parts of, except cycles.....		163,708		179,385		1,955,760		1,685,838		2,047,788
Total.....		362,500		494,707		2,946,710		3,424,419		4,106,284
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		62,507		54,024		575,000		606,671		786,190
France.....		21,955		19,131		26,076		71,031		106,507
Germany.....		33,548		14,980		64,966		103,583		106,680
Other Europe.....		10,750		4,658		41,507		60,895		63,883
British North America.....		11,060		128,349		126,553		183,233		582,094
Central American States and British Honduras.....		3,226		393		155,143		45,149		36,695
Mexico.....		25,548		94,712		615,468		508,678		510,247
Santo Domingo.....		737		254		20,588		24,111		21,941
Cuba.....				13,991		12,957		22,194		131,211
Porto Rico.....				1,160		10,240		5,821		6,171
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,741		5,795		106,140		74,842		91,880
Argentina.....		36,026		20,026		149,766		237,506		533,931
Brazil.....		30,786		1,280		119,334		564,773		105,583
Colombia.....		3,991		1,841		55,718		42,029		25,801
Other South America.....		2,451		2,107		47,042		79,934		51,531
China.....		115				1,663		29,098		10,792
East Indies: British.....		1,339		1,545		7,843		10,752		15,091
Japan.....		620				1,418		10,907		6,035
British Australasia.....		24,013		21,560		351,886		324,890		394,202
Other Asia and Oceanica.....		3,067		8,071		44,752		59,123		203,345
Africa.....		85,020		100,830		412,642		359,139		316,474
Other countries.....						8				
Total.....		362,500		494,707		2,946,710		3,424,419		4,106,284

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Carriages, cars, other vehicles, and parts of—Continued.										
CYCLES AND PARTS OF—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....		211,625		66,521		2,375,675		1,852,166		868,190
France.....		63,411		41,026		262,606		482,680		479,381
Germany.....		161,043		61,072		1,026,346		1,724,404		1,117,352
Other Europe.....		76,704		50,605		1,194,988		949,502		1,365,860
British North America.....		62,133		44,128		734,493		614,003		582,500
Central American States and British Honduras.....		934		728		53,801		8,267		6,330
Mexico.....		8,046		2,219		73,117		68,022		48,301
Santo Domingo.....		37				4,993		1,171		255
Cuba.....				7,583		4,016		9,214		22,614
Porto Rico.....				223		4,120		3,359		2,012
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		11,471		9,770		132,607		84,393		67,840
Argentina.....		9,600		34,737		42,091		90,229		238,788
Brazil.....		9,633		3,040		29,355		98,482		55,046
Colombia.....		653		1,040		24,290		15,684		9,328
Other South America.....		2,592		4,531		73,507		48,966		54,441
China.....		365		3,585		18,410		27,449		26,180
East Indies—British.....		7,699		2,388		18,326		90,888		142,301
Hongkong.....		1,819		157		(a)		7,636		8,847
Japan.....		7,887		7,592		52,179		88,905		117,943
British Australasia.....		19,281		15,427		692,894		309,006		255,053
Other Asia and Oceania.....		8,788		12,505		61,398		73,528		82,848
Africa.....		31,133		19,727		125,979		197,365		200,813
Other countries.....		485		143		217		1,710		759
Total.....		695,339		388,747		7,005,323		6,846,529		5,753,880
Total carriages, cars, etc.....		1,057,839		883,454		9,952,033		10,270,948		9,860,164
Celluloid, and manufactures of.....		19,524		18,696		(b)		155,444		173,771
Cement..... bbls..	2,306	4,277	4,558	10,143	38,490	71,160	48,836	86,208	64,122	131,361
Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines (pounds):										
Acids.....		10,702		12,330		102,483		115,050		207,247
Ashes, pot and pearl.....	127,334	4,494	15,194	614	511,830	21,727	869,841	33,202	745,433	29,676
Copper, sulphate of.....	621,875	20,993	3,062,830	150,746			14,736,373	475,717	27,475,001	1,173,186
Dyes and dyestuffs.....		47,055		33,446		450,009		442,967		478,582
Ginseng.....	1,107	4,300	4,481	20,550	179,573	840,686	174,063	638,446	196,196	782,545
Lime, acetate of.....	3,559,518	51,889	4,955,955	77,469	(c)	(c)	37,496,288	537,856	48,987,511	700,900
Medicines, patent or proprietary.....		217,985		241,482		2,287,744		2,460,669		2,661,008
Roots, herbs, and barks, n. e. s.....		14,978		13,579		154,347		147,839		169,828
All other.....		422,283		454,991		5,930,582		4,590,017		4,792,317
Total.....		794,679		1,005,207		9,787,578		9,441,763		10,695,289
Cider..... galls..	47,183	5,924	4,123	768	(b)	(b)	465,873	60,063	490,767	64,500
Clocks and watches:										
Clocks, and parts of.....		78,619		96,538		968,911		955,557		1,043,621
Watches, and parts of.....		56,341		45,453		801,491		771,912		819,810
Total.....		134,960		141,991		1,770,402		1,727,469		1,863,431
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		51,299		46,866		603,856		646,436		652,177
France.....				335		11,050		11,219		2,901
Germany.....		852		3,980		14,502		11,216		18,055
Other Europe.....		2,812		2,552		31,079		33,522		32,791
British North America.....		31,188		23,638		344,946		349,198		410,237
Central American States and British Honduras.....		75		167		12,474		6,998		2,757
Mexico.....		1,443		2,690		25,116		20,128		28,008
West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,025		1,779		11,956		12,059		14,836
Argentina.....		3,150		4,552		34,902		28,065		26,616
Brazil.....		2,205		3,387		59,520		40,898		67,745

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Clocks and watches—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America		4,873		8,632		102,019		85,040		93,532
China		1,170		1,666		31,242		18,504		16,699
East Indies: British		2,299		9,484		37,493		48,943		78,517
Japan		15,990		2,799		177,607		163,438		133,307
British Australasia		8,221		17,532		165,420		152,722		188,602
Other Asia and Oceania		1,397		6,072		21,832		25,264		34,084
Africa		6,951		5,860		85,303		73,512		62,476
Other countries		10				85		307		41
Total		134,960		141,991		1,770,402		1,727,469		1,863,431
Coal and coke:										
COAL (tons)—										
Anthracite	152,342	616,645	210,813	846,960	1,274,417	5,678,198	1,326,582	5,906,171	1,572,957	6,478,693
Bituminous	243,826	569,080	315,865	631,244	2,384,069	5,330,445	2,682,414	5,777,578	3,478,976	7,182,335
Total coal	396,168	1,185,725	526,678	1,478,204	3,658,486	11,008,643	4,008,996	11,683,749	5,051,933	13,661,028
Exported to (tons)—										
United Kingdom					55	241	53	550	7,896	30,512
France					779	3,985	2,057	11,322	1,011	2,398
Germany					198	470	37	156	27	158
Other Europe	1	5	1,704	3,716	6,935	48,733	5,905	37,346	31,871	88,705
British North America	296,702	937,111	411,010	1,213,459	2,975,813	9,076,567	3,186,745	9,510,922	3,631,761	10,348,534
Central American States and British Honduras	51	200	260	990	7,411	28,000	5,668	19,335	4,590	13,104
Mexico	50,366	121,650	40,044	104,372	221,031	649,955	340,426	974,040	450,813	1,235,265
Santo Domingo	143	559	830	1,808	6,415	26,211	3,384	11,288	4,647	12,827
Cuba			30,859	56,655	254,244	632,896	210,079	464,888	357,368	685,297
Porto Rico					22,785	58,977	9,766	21,014	21,980	45,092
Other West Indies and Bermuda	33,443	76,281	18,605	41,624	124,513	325,862	183,840	422,488	224,208	478,857
Brazil	3,488	19,182	380	822	16,353	88,080	17,570	93,778	47,028	150,254
Colombia	3,900	5,850	4,904	9,356	11,690	25,175	16,109	38,284	14,082	43,815
Other South America	497	2,125	170	732	8,296	32,548	6,165	20,425	82,687	162,475
Asia and Oceania	7,577	22,762	17,603	43,504	1,114	7,605	16,641	47,939	119,191	267,205
Other countries			309	1,106	854	3,338	4,551	9,974	52,773	96,524
Total coal	396,168	1,185,725	526,678	1,478,204	3,658,486	11,008,643	4,008,996	11,683,749	5,051,933	13,661,028
Coke	11,907	38,416	27,797	75,048	155,972	547,046	212,021	608,784	215,513	632,788
Coffee and cocoa, ground or prepared, and chocolate		8,934		16,106		128,078		137,369		192,863
Copper, and manufactures of:										
ORE (tons)—										
United Kingdom	267	26,235	17	2,220	13,960	1,889,564	5,896	579,939	1,612	179,035
Germany							2	300		
Other countries	600	40,000	437	19,000	1,041	170,215	2,507	243,926	4,298	261,540
Total	867	66,235	454	21,220	15,001	2,059,779	8,395	824,165	5,910	440,575
INGOTS, BARS, PLATES, AND OLD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	8,155,583	933,546	1,906,560	326,582	76,619,993	8,283,175	72,306,274	8,079,164	72,722,558	9,668,604
France	2,635,459	313,513	4,634,486	740,133	56,270,720	6,272,652	60,656,376	6,770,671	48,172,635	6,673,345
Germany	3,977,733	513,279	4,077,232	688,765	28,533,912	3,167,670	32,898,962	3,705,937	44,690,972	6,208,095
Other Europe	9,422,599	1,092,917	2,737,069	509,898	117,469,132	12,934,686	111,431,982	12,332,912	87,938,298	11,719,778
British North America	132,112	15,834	82,159	14,353	354,891	38,591	1,398,565	153,215	1,133,038	146,635
Mexico	9,177	1,113	66,923	12,097	96,698	11,046	186,515	21,500	266,734	38,800
Other countries			5,063	1,050	28,461	3,477	77,937	9,154	152,844	21,086
Total	24,332,663	2,870,232	13,533,492	2,292,788	279,393,807	30,711,597	278,956,641	31,075,636	251,987,079	34,476,343
Manufactures of		120,091		123,315		909,528		1,105,236		1,507,186
Total copper and manufactures of, not including ore		2,990,323		2,416,103		31,621,125		32,180,872		35,983,529
Cork, manufactures of		6,152		2,362		(a)		45,891		52,385

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
UNMANUFACTURED—										
Sea Island.....	bales .. 1,055 lbs..... 412,637	81,916	bales .. 1,139 lbs..... 455,853	67,247	bales .. 55,347 lbs..... 21,585,360	4,078,044	bales .. 40,037 lbs..... 15,610,202	2,767,291	bales .. 36,213 lbs..... 14,142,052	2,361,697
Upland and other.....	bales .. 236,872 lbs..... 119,869,925	7,421,174	bales .. 269,747 lbs..... 135,419,139	8,271,442	bales .. 6,121,018 lbs..... 3,082,169,589	226,812,927	bales .. 7,540,967 lbs..... 3,834,653,993	227,674,924	bales .. 7,337,169 lbs..... 3,759,268,241	207,203,077
Total.....	bales .. 237,927 lbs..... 120,282,562	7,503,090	bales .. 270,886 lbs..... 135,874,992	8,338,689	bales .. 6,176,365 lbs..... 3,103,754,949	230,890,971	bales .. 7,581,004 lbs..... 3,850,264,295	230,442,215	bales .. 7,373,382 lbs..... 3,773,410,293	209,564,774
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....	bales .. 115,252 lbs..... 58,476,780	3,647,156	bales .. 90,822 lbs..... 46,158,854	2,826,550	bales .. 3,105,892 lbs..... 1,563,592,959	117,292,717	bales .. 3,461,895 lbs..... 1,766,050,390	105,853,614	bales .. 3,487,269 lbs..... 1,804,721,935	99,709,352
France.....	bales .. 8,797 lbs..... 4,361,038	282,381	bales .. 55,406 lbs..... 28,538,147	1,708,284	bales .. 704,216 lbs..... 353,012,469	26,110,302	bales .. 822,512 lbs..... 421,018,931	24,599,724	bales .. 778,216 lbs..... 401,703,208	21,946,691
Germany.....	bales .. 63,968 lbs..... 31,994,195	1,991,429	bales .. 46,317 lbs..... 22,269,118	1,362,123	bales .. 1,370,728 lbs..... 685,788,346	50,264,855	bales .. 1,846,947 lbs..... 929,262,297	54,886,245	bales .. 1,711,798 lbs..... 864,487,271	47,346,679
Other Europe.....	bales .. 36,920 lbs..... 18,660,287	1,133,796	bales .. 54,003 lbs..... 26,182,372	1,608,220	bales .. 825,724 lbs..... 408,875,745	30,491,886	bales .. 1,062,554 lbs..... 532,654,257	31,938,894	bales .. 1,086,243 lbs..... 541,885,936	30,614,182
British North Amer- ica.....	bales .. 2,019 lbs..... 984,282	61,632	bales .. 2,813 lbs..... 1,407,849	84,927	bales .. 79,983 lbs..... 40,203,937	3,137,860	bales .. 122,123 lbs..... 61,247,250	3,961,586	bales .. 98,118 lbs..... 49,114,841	2,994,674
Mexico.....	bales .. 250 lbs..... 130,508	9,300	bales .. 100 lbs..... 53,000	4,064	bales .. 29,508 lbs..... 15,103,628	1,236,447	bales .. 39,603 lbs..... 21,216,287	1,321,473	bales .. 33,933 lbs..... 18,064,891	1,043,473
South America.....	bales .. lbs.....		bales .. lbs.....		bales .. 40 lbs..... 19,020	1,497	bales .. lbs.....		bales .. lbs.....	
Japan.....	bales .. 8,197 lbs..... 4,394,658	294,809	bales .. 21,395 lbs..... 11,265,652	744,521	bales .. 60,506 lbs..... 32,011,252	2,345,016	bales .. 212,542 lbs..... 112,106,823	7,428,226	bales .. 173,362 lbs..... 91,367,051	5,775,784
Other Asia and Ocean- ica.....	bales .. 2,524 lbs..... 1,280,874	82,587	bales .. lbs.....		bales .. 250 lbs..... 139,178	9,742	bales .. 13,010 lbs..... 6,699,498	451,800	bales .. 4,338 lbs..... 2,062,664	133,752
Other countries.....	bales .. lbs.....		bales .. lbs.....		bales .. 18 lbs..... 8,415	649	bales .. 18 lbs..... 8,553	653	bales .. 5 lbs..... 2,496	187
Total unmanufac- tured.....	bales .. 237,927 lbs..... 120,282,562	7,503,090	bales .. 270,886 lbs..... 135,874,992	8,338,689	bales .. 6,176,365 lbs..... 3,103,754,949	230,890,971	bales .. 7,581,004 lbs..... 3,850,264,295	230,442,215	bales .. 7,373,382 lbs..... 3,773,410,293	209,564,774
Waste.....	lbs..... 2,373,348	93,962	lbs..... 1,294,566	39,941	(a)	(a)	lbs..... 12,521,574	511,004	lbs..... 14,308,829	524,802
MANUFACTURES OF—										
CLOTHS (yards)—										
Colored.....	7,759,637	390,047	10,502,989	514,504	83,409,441	4,770,231	79,415,376	4,138,887	108,940,972	5,221,278
Uncolored.....	17,450,265	800,976	42,808,040	1,931,530	230,123,603	12,511,389	191,092,442	9,151,936	303,063,083	13,748,619
Total.....	25,209,902	1,191,023	53,311,029	2,446,034	313,533,044	17,281,620	270,507,818	13,290,823	412,004,055	18,969,897
Exported to (yards)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,089,303	64,431	255,036	21,937	11,094,345	830,421	10,765,645	726,284	9,951,404	628,445
France.....	2,835	298	1,316	184	663,346	33,233	163,687	8,878	24,131	2,480
Germany.....	58,139	2,678	45,223	5,086	1,588,698	95,672	487,387	43,096	257,145	28,565
Other Europe.....	162,162	6,161	75,096	5,277	687,603	62,397	1,381,134	91,877	1,270,813	81,162
British North America.....	1,866,780	89,841	712,818	38,933	29,460,860	1,775,483	14,116,228	783,985	17,114,475	819,241
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,035,404	40,583	1,805,684	78,420	11,581,098	599,126	8,496,741	396,510	13,527,417	567,514
Mexico.....	553,727	36,079	526,633	31,810	5,577,808	366,753	6,679,429	415,910	8,399,834	481,569
Santo Domingo.....	673,108	28,973	983,393	45,956	1,837,647	92,831	2,642,038	120,167	4,444,698	198,893
Cuba.....			1,916,996	95,892	291,263	25,008	138,662	12,163	9,001,836	447,839
Porto Rico.....			1,434,721	64,638	110,698	7,057	22,878	2,206	3,852,581	169,657
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	735,804	39,119	1,774,692	85,268	13,453,938	794,706	13,593,473	793,175	18,743,736	939,143
Argentina.....	214,016	16,877	208,215	22,190	3,262,983	270,844	2,673,651	181,868	2,835,517	195,624
Brazil.....	1,242,731	80,474	798,318	49,071	8,331,326	607,019	8,666,686	565,921	9,328,170	545,545
Colombia.....	616,070	25,806	1,021,320	53,047	6,736,924	382,546	5,857,768	281,803	8,325,980	392,343
Other South America.....	2,420,791	124,462	1,704,769	80,678	26,257,078	1,364,903	24,000,963	1,126,871	31,752,638	1,374,117
China.....	13,047,389	557,445	35,306,208	1,568,725	140,121,035	7,438,203	115,492,797	5,195,845	221,043,642	9,823,253
East Indies: British.....	86,088	4,041	45,257	2,754	3,670,360	199,880	13,411,373	627,843	5,547,691	266,405
Hongkong.....	28,469	1,672	82,796	4,052	(b)	(b)	302,652	32,169	578,001	47,426
Japan.....	19,712	2,323	3,902	560	2,525,985	141,264	580,861	47,234	329,479	33,822

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

b Included in "Other Asia and Oceanica" prior to July, 1898.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Cotton, and manufactures of—Continued.										
CLOTHS, colored and uncolored—Continued.										
Exported to (yards)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
British Australasia	206,386	17,617	110,267	8,869	651,432	68,423	1,148,627	114,088	2,427,900	216,384
Other Asia and Oceania.....	1,113,352	45,532	3,155,698	124,673	29,265,624	1,372,265	26,630,361	1,163,283	33,267,717	1,309,494
Africa.....	97,606	6,611	1,342,471	58,014	16,284,319	748,236	13,149,131	554,301	9,696,464	396,697
Other countries					78,674	5,350	100,641	5,296	77,577	5,079
Total cloths	25,209,902	1,191,023	53,311,029	2,446,034	313,533,044	17,281,620	270,507,818	13,290,823	412,004,055	18,969,897
OTHER MANUFACTURES OF—										
Wearing apparel		160,734		128,604		878,804		934,192		1,275,839
Waste, cop and mill.....lbs..	630,174	24,158	400,279	20,453				283,643		315,375
All other		226,081		263,231		2,877,254		7,096,908		7,088,492
Total		350,973		412,288		3,756,058		2,215,434		3,006,803
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		41,096		36,573		467,656		380,089		430,978
France		340		63		10,492		4,478		18,813
Germany		16,819		12,921		219,069		190,041		194,146
Other Europe		7,172		10,307		51,817		70,085		99,774
British North America		146,879		167,225		1,351,179		1,681,645		1,939,929
Central American States and										
British Honduras		16,547		32,717		240,683		213,503		232,896
Mexico		43,432		38,487		346,139		334,651		401,962
Santo Domingo		596		1,240		31,012		18,491		26,205
Cuba				14,286		42,444		11,715		112,580
Porto Rico				5,751		4,945		1,678		28,263
Other West Indies and Ber-										
muda		7,041		18,415		83,305		96,920		136,236
Argentina		4,261		2,872		66,845		34,726		65,484
Brazil		4,603		2,098		67,975		50,828		41,657
Colombia		4,713		6,116		54,832		45,364		46,793
Other South America		2,619		4,602		56,683		34,810		52,404
China		277		1,721		22,775		7,582		21,312
East Indies: British						4,055		1,882		2,386
Hongkong		98		886		(a)		8,289		16,039
British Australasia		21,935		15,873		181,397		167,274		197,780
Other Asia and Oceania		25,139		28,366		371,736		319,178		405,977
Africa		6,743		11,667		70,232		52,728		119,496
Other countries		63		102		10,787		7,312		5,907
Total other manufac-		350,973		412,288		3,756,058		3,733,269		4,598,017
tures of										
Total manufactures of		1,541,996		2,858,322		21,037,678		17,024,092		23,567,914
Earthen, stone, and china ware:										
Earthen and stone ware		18,495		40,275		152,272		193,334		312,887
China ware		1,243		3,743		25,560		39,658		38,943
Total		19,738		44,018		177,832		232,992		351,830
Eggs doz..	77,021	13,274	478,891	77,328	1,300,183	180,954	2,754,810	448,370	3,693,611	641,385
Feathers		21,946		15,939		(b)		157,553		212,374
Fertilizers (tons):										
Phosphates, crude										
All other	36,459	354,508	57,097	446,181	530,313	5,005,929	474,230	4,359,834	780,513	5,989,891
			92,910	92,563					41,587	974,474
Total	36,459	354,508	64,007	538,744	530,313	5,005,929	474,230	4,359,834	822,100	6,964,365
Exported to—										
United Kingdom	5,247	35,261	13,344	97,228	146,513	945,549	98,315	779,657	176,098	1,179,381
France	200	4,450	3,220	25,200	32,770	279,006	14,864	83,130	64,445	400,659
Germany	16,410	147,605	18,325	157,890	195,825	1,944,411	183,231	1,738,351	270,089	2,521,983
Other Europe	13,330	132,880	22,338	151,890	135,874	1,341,791	147,377	1,184,193	244,615	1,887,688
British North America	11	140	117	1,448	4,409	86,373	4,574	93,470	6,401	131,537
Central American States and										
British Honduras					4	121	1	40	2	35

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fertilizers—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Mexico					10	253	21	537	26	905
West Indies and Bermuda	22	1,133	337	13,625	3,256	79,320	2,422	56,475	4,784	100,853
South America					88	1,268	76	3,378	3	144
Asia and Oceania	1,239	33,026	6,325	91,110	11,371	324,006	23,139	417,735	55,251	736,531
Other countries			1	53	193	3,831	210	2,868	286	4,599
Total	36,459	354,508	64,097	538,744	530,313	5,005,929	474,230	4,359,834	822,100	6,961,315
Fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses, manufactures of:										
Bags		62,201		24,869		498,373		556,926		406,593
Cordage	647,554	50,945	742,058	65,152	10,735,443	583,267	10,104,130	576,140	8,672,348	725,049
Twine		194,976		350,355		802,563		1,031,576		1,504,674
All other		47,297		34,485		331,981		332,823		446,486
Total		335,419		474,861		2,216,184		2,557,465		3,093,102
Fish:										
Fresh, other than salmon ..lbs..	52,533	1,918	58,217	2,165	1,078,359	59,563	1,250,055	48,878	1,444,079	53,072
DRIED, SMOKED, OR CURED—										
Cod, haddock, hake, and pollock	719,066	26,406	833,902	32,642	10,598,963	396,422	7,989,681	300,953	9,247,076	370,112
Herring	211,726	4,946	336,902	6,449	5,600,570	105,770	3,701,526	74,844	3,101,560	66,032
Other	75,584	4,654	76,830	4,624	710,994	38,571	1,093,325	48,442	842,342	40,308
PICKLED—										
Mackerel	113	1,345	90	1,131	3,001	28,990	1,370	14,830	1,017	12,771
Other	848	3,348	1,542	6,412	22,889	84,978	20,345	75,403	14,428	61,650
SALMON—										
Canned	350,290	30,314	391,026	36,680	35,303,299	3,215,798	27,279,455	2,564,017	30,167,267	2,906,475
Other, fresh or cured		10,355		23,816		284,891		332,023		331,001
Canned fish, other than salmon and shellfish		11,984		12,614		213,669		146,510		124,520
Caviare		91,580		82,649		(a)		195,110		215,387
SHELLFISH—										
Oysters		10,352		15,262		623,285		586,403		727,349
Other		15,060		19,403		309,458		266,406		249,457
All other fish and fish products ..		2,092		639		(a)		20,840		11,039
Total		220,354		244,516		5,361,435		4,674,659		5,169,773
Fruits and nuts:										
Apples, dried	859,363	47,391	111,795	7,775	30,775,401	1,340,159	31,031,254	1,897,725	19,305,749	1,245,733
Apples, green or ripe	1,554	6,478	413	775	1,503,981	2,371,143	605,390	1,684,717	380,222	1,210,459
Oranges		56,646		18,147		(b)		339,396		282,313
Prunes	234,019	13,919	57,727	3,963	(b)	(b)	15,940,791	1,021,888	5,615,505	330,847
Raisins	105,187	4,272	322,707	18,521	(b)	(b)	3,109,639	167,062	4,659,807	242,752
All other, green, ripe, or dried ..		131,590		124,148		2,172,199		2,033,845		1,997,517
FRUITS, PRESERVED—										
Canned		24,756		37,615		1,086,723		1,624,741		2,330,715
Other		7,146		5,003		43,276		82,504		66,809
Nuts		19,672		12,492		125,805		161,432		140,200
Total		211,870		228,439		7,733,305		9,013,310		7,897,485
Exported to—										
United Kingdom		36,201		5,407		3,683,577		3,415,616		3,282,490
France		41,323		19,355		301,380		747,389		702,863
Germany		39,871		18,190		1,080,304		1,644,723		890,635
Other Europe		26,151		14,739		1,087,809		1,195,547		939,199
British North America		132,758		121,492		750,752		1,202,998		1,156,047
Central American States and British Honduras		1,823		2,284		58,976		35,716		27,324
Mexico		5,723		3,978		72,654		58,513		75,920
Santo Domingo		47				2,388		1,394		1,769
Cuba				5,513		46,745		38,175		64,683
Porto Rico				585		4,121		2,318		4,826

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

b Returned under "All other green, ripe, or dried fruit" prior to July, 1897.

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Fruits and nuts—Continued.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Other West Indies and Bermuda		3,716		5,128		56,894		56,096		57,533
Argentina		1,135		1,120		4,610		9,761		17,202
Brazil		906		687		11,528		11,843		17,228
Colombia		457		1,127		9,472		10,189		8,749
Other South America		1,040		794		35,495		24,220		22,164
China		100		1,233		18,119		31,785		23,761
East Indies: British		655		290		13,175		12,853		12,346
Hongkong		3,030		2,191		(a)		43,471		67,718
British Australasia		4,297		6,556		311,625		293,757		260,611
Other Asia and Oceania		3,931		6,959		109,734		85,358		147,151
Africa		8,622		10,781		79,740		50,711		116,232
Other countries		75		30		204		847		1,054
Total fruits and nuts		311,870		228,439		7,739,305		9,013,310		7,897,485
Furniture of metal		2,507		26,941		(b)		21,758		182,128
Furs and fur skins:										
United Kingdom		30,414		59,969		2,432,774		2,020,459		2,083,597
France		44		300		1,025		15,497		46,140
Germany		12,652		27,753		579,863		527,220		516,131
Other Europe						8,878		15,271		13,597
British North America		10,731		16,667		249,116		386,798		427,624
Other countries				551		12,693		21,725		5,757
Total		53,841		96,240		3,284,349		2,986,970		3,092,846
Glass and glassware:										
Window glass		938		2,173		13,369		23,480		32,690
All other		98,312		142,384		1,194,818		1,187,604		1,470,961
Total		99,250		144,557		1,208,187		1,211,084		1,503,651
Glucose or grape sugar	23,080,990 lbs.	342,805	17,961,022	264,878	194,419,250	2,736,674	196,864,605	2,871,839	229,003,571	3,624,890
Glucose	244,510 lbs.	25,660	144,602	13,418	1,400,863	132,581	2,318,711	209,441	2,368,087	222,072
Grease, grease scraps, and all soap stock		207,797		280,499		2,070,111		1,964,565		2,576,508
Gunpowder and other explosives:										
Gunpowder	132,586 lbs.	15,871	86,741	10,130	1,086,465	118,001	1,202,971	139,644	1,504,724	182,142
Cartridges and other		104,660		111,857		1,437,317		1,255,762		1,350,247
Total		120,531		121,987		1,555,318		1,395,406		1,532,389
Hair, and manufactures of		61,240		42,239		517,469		635,716		503,712
Hay	8,626 tons	124,516	4,369	55,137	61,658	845,590	81,827	1,151,273	64,916	858,992
Hides and skins, other than furs (pounds):										
United Kingdom	7,700	528			2,098,358	157,030	318,551	29,456	343,970	40,068
France	24,900	3,735			4,829,171	404,728	687,736	67,382	259,151	30,273
Germany	324,624	30,804	376,905	27,895	8,333,374	652,613	4,879,327	392,292	5,118,499	439,417
Other Europe	11,100	994	1,400	280	1,859,284	184,714	382,021	54,492	511,816	67,824
British North America	229,776	19,059	231,703	18,982	13,513,923	943,937	5,142,937	460,325	3,878,576	355,871
Central American States and British Honduras					12,935	1,411				
Mexico	2,350	370	4,630	550	289,898	21,243	19,117	2,676	16,403	2,606
West Indies and Bermuda			647	165	4,069	554	1,472	163	3,750	633
Japan					28,808	1,892	20,200	1,205	4,975	875
Other Asia and Oceania					13,600	1,385				
Africa	17,675	1,295			135,700	9,000	80,962	6,650		
Other countries			100	20	46	23	3,750	391	3,700	550
Total	618,125	56,785	615,385	47,892	31,119,166	2,388,530	11,536,073	1,015,032	10,140,840	929,117
Honey		3,367		480		22,368		93,504		55,899

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not enumerated prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING MAY—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Hops (pounds):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	181,873	28,237	303,586	46,824	9,913,152	1,159,262	15,809,457	2,468,853	18,961,836	3,291,347
Other Europe.....	1,360	200	43,985	7,110			1,935	280	757,773	131,473
British North America.....	8,098	981	11,431	1,794	369,188	31,509	282,374	35,185	461,013	61,389
Central American States and British Honduras.....	1,240	166	1,227	211	22,501	2,655	21,335	3,279	26,386	3,783
Mexico.....	3,228	439	2,017	299	474,132	55,619	290,772	32,425	17,951	2,362
Santo Domingo.....					2,910	287	122	19	288	42
Cuba.....			2,193	400	2,242	247	3,097	359	7,251	1,532
Porto Rico.....			280	33	2,505	266	495	54	974	130
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	631	68	306	40	7,213	736	6,734	773	4,995	596
South America.....	343	42	703	113	10,525	1,287	8,615	1,248	13,122	2,082
East Indies: British.....					36,160	2,824	27,008	3,760	85,406	11,382
British Australasia.....	44,616	5,478	80	10	552,445	46,450	682,580	93,101	752,663	113,291
Other Asia and Oceania.....	650	71	2,230	310	33,268	3,041	23,827	3,090	46,562	6,440
Other countries.....							3,318	323	3,202	301
Total.....	242,659	35,702	368,039	57,144	11,426,241	1,304,183	17,161,669	2,642,779	21,145,512	3,626,144
Ice..... tons..	1,237	2,785	1,789	3,006	26,454	51,560	22,542	38,116	22,898	43,461
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:										
Boots and shoes.....pairs..	21,740	13,974	61,012	30,994	306,026	195,499	391,832	224,705	486,586	260,886
All other.....		120,086		142,411		1,611,646		1,499,157		1,504,499
Total.....		134,060		173,405		1,807,145		1,723,862		1,765,385
India rubber, scrap and old.....		27,780		33,701		(a)		257,639		376,962
Ink:										
Printers'.....		11,570		5,996				113,924		104,693
Other.....		7,266		7,430		162,955		90,003		106,280
Total.....		18,836		13,426		162,955		203,927		210,973
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone, and other electric:										
United Kingdom.....		71,934		113,250		437,086		538,293		950,426
France.....		13,858		55,911		298,133		174,316		454,818
Germany.....		27,894		49,915		240,577		234,942		412,995
Other Europe.....		15,467		23,125		313,667		239,618		272,381
British North America.....		25,895		36,716		310,589		305,016		429,734
Central American States and British Honduras.....		2,779		3,232		97,453		58,711		80,136
Mexico.....		28,621		37,094		284,714		287,270		427,041
West Indies and Bermuda.....		10,329		14,706		102,879		88,815		185,700
Argentina.....		5,148		36,701		157,564		109,696		247,062
Brazil.....		3,904		6,646		110,468		88,233		113,981
Other South America.....		6,770		10,974		210,037		124,800		120,951
China.....		8,199		936		5,813		31,139		34,135
Japan.....		10,015		23,430		148,271		230,197		232,892
British Australasia.....		6,589		34,865		58,348		57,907		177,524
Other Asia and Oceania.....		8,930		13,082		82,188		107,559		180,857
Africa.....		3,046		9,479		196,666		94,637		77,748
Other countries.....		55		45				194		790
Total.....		243,524		470,107		3,054,453		2,770,803		4,399,180
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:										
Iron ore.....tons..	530	1,248	2,228	3,469	9,770	34,162	11,537	34,224	31,412	66,400
Pig iron (tons) —										
Ferro-manganese.....	491	20,147					8,403	344,743	435	20,667
All other.....	13,451	140,737	15,657	222,753	168,690	2,331,771	228,465	2,385,252	290,271	3,290,628
Scrap and old, fit only for re- manufacture.....tons..	10,147	108,739	5,243	63,081	16,566	193,503	60,195	632,334	91,985	1,041,229

^a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Bar iron.....lbs..	895,274	13,176	2,392,045	45,258	7,764,206	126,646	10,684,034	163,261	23,564,511	365,144
Bars or rods of steel, other than wire.....lbs..	5,330,249	55,084	4,447,752	67,930	92,507,017	1,121,090	37,776,372	470,052	73,861,862	944,874
BAIRS OR RAILS FOR RAILWAYS—										
Iron.....tons..	114	1,362	17	349	4,181	79,488	2,769	37,150	11,776	141,706
Steel (tons)—										
Europe.....	9,343	178,937	51	1,322	(a)	(a)	22,162	426,427	30,570	581,753
British North America.....	16,146	309,725	11,310	226,911			84,669	1,555,405	92,569	1,720,503
Central American States and British Honduras.....	12	250	46	1,000			623	11,074	1,635	34,627
Mexico.....	2,894	56,637	3,966	89,945			30,321	561,151	28,873	587,589
West Indies and Bermuda...	1,601	39,751	272	6,706			5,085	124,445	9,337	190,275
South America.....	2,124	46,432	88	2,300			9,235	207,015	10,338	249,080
Japan.....	6,692	120,772	483	14,434			49,631	1,150,766	8,360	192,588
Asia and Oceania.....	4,269	108,160	3,290	77,786			24,952	513,358	43,516	959,016
Africa.....	480	12,000					3,105	63,735	40,891	782,654
Total steel.....	43,561	872,661	10,506	420,404	107,991	2,482,208	229,783	4,613,376	266,089	5,298,125
Billets, ingots, and blooms...tons..	4,149	78,560	1,736	44,826	(b)	(b)	16,100	290,827	43,242	832,790
Hoop, band, and scroll.....lbs..	175,617	3,920	292,584	5,167	860,884	16,984	3,475,969	47,327	6,753,270	107,703
Rods, wire, of steel.....lbs..	2,753,670	26,169	5,372,530	57,625	(b)	(b)	32,409,526	330,022	56,492,707	530,490
SHEETS AND PLATES (pounds)—										
Iron.....	684,463	14,251	1,511,997	37,907	4,273,349	92,332	9,087,071	182,809	15,107,028	324,747
Steel.....	3,945,671	50,312	8,781,222	123,048	5,594,423	118,965	27,360,932	354,579	112,689,113	1,634,866
Tin plates, terneplates, and taggers tin.....	2,770	120	9,693	519	(c)	(c)	20,827	962	205,910	10,045
Structural iron and steel...tons..	1,270	37,346	5,533	218,967	(b)	(b)	30,586	1,183,482	49,069	1,759,988
Wire.....lbs..	19,747,715	344,996	18,808,030	387,007	107,729,155	2,242,617	137,054,694	2,593,306	215,194,475	3,891,180
Car wheels.....No..	2,745	16,474	2,068	15,276	18,550	112,187	21,006	129,446	23,933	132,124
Castings, not elsewhere specified.....		66,924		105,003		989,432		804,975		1,055,525
CUTLERY—										
Table.....		2,667		3,390				31,151		31,437
All other.....		9,374		17,789		178,381		125,377		164,603
Firearms.....		41,958		71,738		644,992		672,223		681,440
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, AND SAWS AND TOOLS—										
Locks, hinges, and other builders' hardware.....		394,512		481,092		4,152,836		3,997,796		4,898,752
Saws.....		22,405		17,332				206,799		223,764
Tools, not elsewhere specified.....		236,576		270,787		2,474,630		2,223,737		2,719,856
Total.....		653,493		769,211		6,627,466		6,428,332		7,842,372
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		189,152		167,822		1,670,057		1,585,069		1,833,369
France.....		21,014		36,046		185,506		181,866		269,157
Germany.....		81,502		92,701		568,448		778,623		866,872
Other Europe.....		42,036		112,947		440,269		555,568		778,576
British North America.....		64,660		82,791		554,441		719,326		906,047
Central American States and British Honduras.....		6,174		6,656		149,211		82,462		82,480
Mexico.....		60,705		37,340		622,488		461,532		352,213
Santo Domingo.....		1,297		546		11,283		13,197		11,072
Cuba.....				38,279		84,072		56,961		262,379
Porto Rico.....				4,492		15,299		9,439		18,750
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		5,852		10,286		74,903		62,739		79,617
Argentina.....		18,444		33,514		228,341		147,958		232,579
Brazil.....		12,428		21,855		246,819		100,884		225,191
Colombia.....		9,452		10,956		116,861		90,309		108,758
Other South America.....		14,110		15,112		252,851		205,323		234,059
China.....		15		5,514		31,463		19,669		55,685

a Not reported in detail prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

c Not separately stated prior to December, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.—C'td.										
Exported to—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
East Indies—British.....		355		4,176		25,002		22,066		41,639
Japan.....		9,034		3,787		45,910		76,500		67,489
British Australasia.....		73,142		56,029		969,774		877,635		1,018,011
Other Asia and Oceania.....		19,994		7,072		73,084		108,868		151,766
Africa.....		24,044		20,630		257,286		208,622		238,709
Other countries.....		83		60		4,096		3,716		1,924
Total.....		653,493		760,211		6,627,466		6,428,332		7,842,372
MACHINERY, MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
Electrical.....		169,258		218,313		(a)		2,052,564		2,736,110
Metal-working.....		453,752		609,421		(a)		4,618,683		6,491,586
Printing presses, and parts of.....		56,497		74,825		649,710		874,515		847,066
Pumps and pumping machinery.....		187,998		225,871		(a)		2,023,034		2,710,654
SEWING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		87,981		100,762		1,074,489		879,650		956,424
France.....		9,066		6,367		123,606		102,809		95,953
Germany.....		122,243		59,313		761,229		861,702		688,980
Other Europe.....		20,268		13,689		194,469		211,643		167,375
British North America.....		12,561		18,730		103,119		141,172		163,035
Central American States and British Honduras.....		1,706		2,152		88,117		30,312		20,312
Mexico.....		9,024		13,601		199,016		197,692		270,592
Santo Domingo.....		46		127		1,798		1,282		2,373
Cuba.....				4,121		3,199		2,785		12,323
Porto Rico.....				1,607		2,242		3,120		4,086
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		2,632		4,510		17,929		17,471		22,174
Argentina.....		1,402		24,377		101,628		77,188		143,893
Brazil.....		11,864		11,440		114,555		95,966		112,398
Colombia.....		7,862		8,681		113,043		82,359		69,374
Other South America.....		9,063		8,288		117,889		101,289		127,299
China.....		555		985		9,505		3,848		4,544
East Indies—British.....		64				2,814		4,363		7,818
Japan.....		125		213		7,275		5,883		5,270
British Australasia.....		18,044		27,561		249,510		274,154		321,785
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,559		7,362		35,642		30,961		55,918
Africa.....		2,830		954		18,903		10,556		11,985
Other countries.....				31		264		159		373
Total.....		319,935		315,180		3,340,241		3,136,364		3,264,344
Shoe machinery.....		62,852		76,659		(a)		895,788		853,936
Steam engines, and parts of (number)—										
Fire.....	3	5,528	1	3,800	2	6,790	9	7,497	4	13,973
Locomotive.....	49	454,054	74	719,401	338	3,225,831	468	3,883,719	519	4,728,748
Stationary.....	43	21,553	86	48,352	423	322,438	565	398,570	605	335,061
Parts of, and boilers.....		47,441		83,077		671,901		927,552		1,132,489
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—										
United Kingdom.....		63,612		107,758		731,152		896,575		1,054,060
France.....		6,110		14,578		99,222		94,608		160,357
Germany.....		45,520		46,809		228,710		425,614		507,000
Other Europe.....		18,342		32,616		175,976		232,233		360,608
British North America.....		3,665		6,327		30,710		51,677		59,323
Central American States and British Honduras.....		40		275		13,270		2,360		2,440
Mexico.....		3,692		5,920		25,298		28,975		45,824
Santo Domingo.....				20		267		90		203
Cuba.....				1,021		2,745		1,457		19,769

a Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.										
TYPEWRITING MACHINES, AND PARTS OF—Continued.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Porto Rico.....				283		590		65		4,220
Other West Indies and Bermuda		93		802		5,540		4,225		5,736
Argentina.....		4,015		1,096		11,914		18,187		31,104
Brazil.....		15		650		4,006		4,945		6,135
Colombia.....		115		286		3,995		4,228		3,942
Other South America.....		885		2,646		11,278		14,652		25,981
China.....		241		1,007		3,672		2,642		5,799
East Indies—British.....		910				7,608		9,014		12,981
Japan.....				160		4,858		4,220		7,262
British Australasia.....		8,278		9,220		67,622		60,039		77,285
Other Asia and Oceania.....		2,241		3,328		5,062		9,985		18,400
Africa.....		5,616		813		19,622		36,342		31,627
Other countries.....										75
Total.....		163,450		235,665		1,453,117		1,902,153		2,449,205
All other machinery, etc.....		1,227,481		1,665,741		19,771,856		13,336,930		18,722,251
NAILS AND SPIKES (pounds)—										
Cut.....	1,757,469	29,695	1,479,747	33,093	26,476,585	519,471	32,310,399	612,234	32,809,265	604,215
Wire.....	1,597,472	29,437	8,317,044	169,350	9,941,714	357,541	22,894,099	458,787	51,233,212	973,434
All other, including tacks.....	383,573	20,140	274,225	18,576						
Pipes and fittings.....		351,007		543,423		(a)		3,092,016		5,874,228
Safes.....No..	117	5,764	237	14,180	(a)	(a)	1,349		2,257	145,349
Scales and balances.....		33,369		43,109		381,886		343,200		390,214
Stoves, ranges, and parts of.....		48,433		55,556		325,625		382,980		503,739
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....		923,736		1,011,249		9,112,403		9,305,977		10,450,779
Total iron and steel, etc., not including ore.....		7,171,856		8,842,001		57,497,872		70,406,885		93,715,951
Jewelry, and other manufactures of gold and silver:										
Jewelry.....		39,779		39,944		658,676		555,719		729,194
Other manufactures of gold and silver.....		11,349		11,035				192,061		233,062
Total.....		51,128		50,979		658,676		747,780		963,156
Lamps, chandeliers, and all other devices for illuminating purposes.		51,001		61,271		710,997		672,010		777,409
Lead, and manufactures of (lbs.):										
Pig, bars, and old.....	4,831	255	7,479	366	b 17,632,455	471,690	32,560	1,462	164,306	6,502
Type.....	35,013	10,103	25,898	10,125	181,898	301,988	104,404	259,309	117,152	97,745
All other.....		8,931		8,997						
Total.....		19,289		19,488		656,088		223,018		235,112
Leather, and manufactures of:										
LEATHER, SOLE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,838,293	476,504	1,834,828	308,779	29,737,380	4,906,786	30,019,395	5,125,572	31,381,148	5,168,588
Germany.....	175	25	59,775	13,440	230,276	45,101	305,900	60,305	411,134	84,468
Other Europe.....	321,769	59,587	339,730	59,247	6,066,132	1,100,189	4,201,948	787,867	3,041,063	555,217
British North America.....	109,585	18,642	71,088	14,154	488,037	82,722	1,056,204	203,161	843,119	157,707
West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,920	362	1,958	405	44,609	8,826	41,828	8,672	36,230	7,566
South America.....	10,853	2,571	3,181	633	15,788	3,108	42,950	9,071	17,142	4,321
Japan.....	78,550	16,132	105,920	23,884	1,054,058	213,853	1,563,105	327,836	757,961	165,603
British Australasia.....	17,000	3,508	6,261	1,648	187,271	38,571	178,522	37,724	127,064	28,207
Other Asia and Oceania.....	13,950	2,934	22,420	4,992	271,097	54,310	192,118	40,935	330,887	72,018
Africa.....	10,172	2,044	10,811	2,474	170,781	33,123	166,538	34,539	126,573	26,495
Other countries.....	3,057	628	3,910	879	118,885	23,806	44,511	8,871	48,591	10,714
Total.....	3,405,323	582,937	2,459,882	430,535	38,384,314	6,510,404	37,813,019	6,644,553	37,120,912	6,280,904

a Not separately stated prior to July 1, 1897.

b Part of this is foreign lead, returned by collectors of customs, by mistake as domestic lead, prior to July 1, 1897.

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	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Leather, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEATHER, OTHER—										
Upper leather—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Kid, glazed.....		20,883		63,330		13,151		249,990		694,265
Patent or enameled.....		6,712		9,586				93,847		82,908
Splits, buff, grain, and all other upper leather.....		818,322		1,029,534		8,793,902		9,949,593		11,576,822
Other leather.....		58,333		102,396		813,798		858,421		1,090,574
Total.....		904,250		1,204,836		9,920,851		11,151,851		13,444,569
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		645,365		783,677		7,511,770		8,025,217		9,595,206
France.....		32,261		74,211		173,618		291,228		385,087
Germany.....		46,635		102,647		317,174		587,602		954,347
Other Europe.....		83,096		130,290		964,165		1,162,151		1,260,305
British North America.....		54,877		61,408		654,001		674,893		663,823
Central American States and British Honduras.....		431		56		5,143		4,713		10,278
Mexico.....		711		100		16,456		9,310		9,872
Santo Domingo.....				225		1,177		569		1,759
Cuba.....				5,746		1,217		2,298		14,828
Porto Rico.....				1,670		839		1,394		8,843
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		1,703		2,933		16,032		15,105		26,015
Argentina.....				2,388		4,055		4,360		34,433
Brazil.....		2,833		13,182		18,914		54,022		53,913
Colombia.....		1,582		550		2,388		4,133		3,781
Other South America.....		466		4,147		14,242		13,288		32,033
British Australasia.....		21,644		16,591		172,316		239,124		318,345
Other Asia and Oceania.....		10,634		1,917		18,756		38,028		39,062
Africa.....		2,012		3,098		28,185		23,886		32,271
Other countries.....						403		530		268
Total.....		904,250		1,204,836		9,920,851		11,151,851		13,444,569
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Boots and shoes—										
United Kingdom.....		58,570		74,036		300,978		352,755		525,242
France.....		3,263		5,724		17,119		26,778		39,664
Germany.....		2,524		2,769		15,368		68,572		79,578
Other Europe.....		1,719		3,377		32,399		36,113		53,481
British North America.....		19,896		35,165		227,679		285,054		427,623
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,851		11,678		98,678		88,907		106,554
Mexico.....		17,837		24,103		58,639		87,669		212,245
West Indies and Bermuda.....		17,991		82,249		264,878		290,516		504,095
Colombia.....		4,315		4,871		42,719		41,430		34,231
Other South America.....		2,970		710		26,481		28,879		36,532
British Australasia.....		30,425		37,197		493,787		235,679		409,067
Other Asia and Oceania.....		16,008		19,101		129,955		177,418		175,538
Africa.....		13,630		12,052		87,370		93,247		99,877
Other countries.....						2,174		3,521		2,178
Total.....		194,999		313,132		1,708,224		1,816,538		2,711,385
Harness and saddles.....		17,943		26,174		246,493		214,665		217,552
All other.....		78,191		64,690		775,468		1,286,033		792,575
Total leather, and manufactures of.....		1,778,320		2,039,367		19,161,446		21,113,640		23,466,985
Lime..... bbls..	2,598	2,170	4,434	4,425	78,726	72,311	48,887	42,238	73,377	5,735
Malt..... bush..	47,472	34,293	45,780	33,785	(a)	(a)	496,792	287,173	452,038	124,087

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Malt liquors:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
In bottles.....doz..	39,227	48,548	112,377	145,888	549,910	636,837	406,231	497,031	1,433,802	1,733,373
In other coverings.....galls..	31,237	7,403	70,395	18,002	391,018	87,112	391,802	88,548	602,055	154,751
Total		55,951		163,890		723,949		585,579		1,888,124
Marble and stone, and manufac- tures of:										
Unmanufactured		7,595		7,824		66,665		95,953		68,903
Manufactures of—										
Roofing slate.....		132,006		89,703		780,112		1,370,075		1,363,617
All other.....		46,294		54,509		536,703		422,507		454,236
Total		185,895		152,036		1,383,480		1,883,535		1,886,756
Matches		3,518		8,018		70,988		78,548		103,693
Musical instruments (number):										
Organs.....	1,035	59,462	1,185	68,058	13,725	799,132	13,421	742,963	17,119	985,097
Pianofortes.....	79	19,008	124	23,420	826	214,849	987	232,144	1,169	253,950
All other, and parts of.....		39,154		37,973		262,736		408,760		551,896
Total		117,624		129,451		1,276,717		1,383,867		1,791,843
Naval stores:										
ROSIN, TAR, TURPENTINE, AND PITCH (barrels)—										
Rosin.....	160,530	249,215	165,536	275,174	2,429,116	4,688,163	2,206,203	3,689,252	2,563,229	3,741,581
Tar.....	2,293	3,891	1,680	4,073	17,640	34,878	19,316	36,475	36,907	86,002
Turpentine and pitch.....	982	2,055	1,078	2,666	18,920	44,366	19,225	48,611	22,945	54,953
Total	163,805	255,161	168,294	281,913	2,465,676	4,767,407	2,244,744	3,774,338	2,623,081	3,882,536
Exported to (barrels)—										
United Kingdom.....	65,962	102,997	70,220	118,077	726,042	1,523,543	614,203	1,068,256	766,955	1,176,592
Germany.....	4,717	5,578	50,042	77,472	610,993	1,122,761	520,427	843,611	625,750	859,258
Other Europe.....	61,610	81,456	28,024	43,959	713,760	1,301,391	698,653	1,102,577	816,637	1,092,808
British North America.....	4,207	11,693	8,905	19,338	54,657	116,123	49,960	111,482	59,460	132,740
Central American States and British Honduras.....	368	990	482	1,100	9,080	24,151	5,774	15,459	5,011	13,924
Mexico.....	293	861	406	847	2,343	6,910	4,323	10,212	3,714	8,924
Santo Domingo.....	223	639	18	46	2,083	5,036	2,895	6,156	1,781	3,760
Cuba.....			306	629	4,839	9,398	4,077	7,543	4,867	9,032
Porto Rico.....			39	77	523	1,045	401	814	639	1,281
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	543	1,010	456	1,184	8,322	18,808	7,537	15,853	5,200	11,508
Argentina.....	13,559	22,841	507	1,205	34,210	75,851	53,782	95,161	41,775	74,242
Brazil.....	5,421	12,454	3,939	7,350	124,427	234,731	113,058	194,409	127,980	220,213
Colombia.....	847	2,060	149	278	9,029	19,163	6,037	13,102	5,061	12,517
Other South America.....	4,994	10,470	1,983	4,328	46,034	95,528	49,753	95,878	43,532	80,540
China.....			378	703	3,230	6,307	2,139	4,635	3,025	5,943
Japan.....	170	331	813	1,669	9,574	20,446	8,067	17,762	11,030	19,114
British Australasia.....	706	1,411	1,417	3,288	42,826	83,668	60,288	106,564	53,443	99,628
Other Asia and Oceania.....	45	78	22	45	62,279	99,433	42,979	62,726	45,051	57,384
Africa.....	140	292	188	318	1,396	3,042	952	2,046	1,570	3,128
Other countries.....					29	72	36	92		
Total rosin, tar, etc.....	163,805	255,161	168,294	281,913	2,465,676	4,767,407	2,244,744	3,774,338	2,623,081	3,882,536
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gal- lons)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,344,781	379,977	1,855,592	687,409	8,478,694	2,111,852	7,508,837	2,156,130	8,988,225	2,996,538
Germany.....	378,056	100,668	486,159	177,698	2,418,796	613,772	2,810,720	797,125	2,634,867	876,389
Other Europe.....	846,535	238,353	1,002,467	391,885	4,922,738	1,270,136	6,079,499	1,753,074	4,560,063	1,595,670
British North America.....	68,343	19,724	62,357	25,713	491,050	132,670	670,432	207,600	627,472	230,758
Central American States and British Honduras.....	493	217	1,675	828	13,377	4,346	7,468	3,029	9,495	4,181
Mexico.....	2,087	668	768	374	7,612	2,667	10,071	3,626	10,348	4,393
Santo Domingo.....	133	44	222	110	959	312	1,229	491	1,452	627
Cuba.....			12,562	4,686	63,616	18,800	48,149	15,352	68,935	35,371
Porto Rico.....			1,022	509	9,890	3,174	4,675	1,048	9,645	4,345
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	2,187	671	4,448	1,463	27,865	8,835	22,310	7,785	25,648	10,754

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Naval stores—Continued.										
TURPENTINE, SPIRITS OF (gallons)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina	45,460	18,841	46,230	21,539	168,350	50,264	335,677	129,506	139,186	55,785
Brazil	36,691	12,459	10,328	4,543	152,401	46,722	202,207	74,148	136,784	51,791
Colombia	1,261	473	879	426	15,620	5,781	11,757	4,513	14,110	6,738
Other South America	40,874	14,458	17,672	7,602	113,151	36,672	169,334	61,934	111,284	47,859
China			2,000	930	11,250	3,701	6,655	2,494	20,050	8,289
Japan	4,500	1,505	5,500	2,480	27,750	8,651	12,500	4,088	20,200	8,476
British Australasia	97,424	31,740	28,760	13,513	294,879	96,843	368,593	126,553	271,944	105,494
Other Asia and Oceania					14,470	4,134	20,550	7,358	38,226	16,970
Africa	8,183	3,127	7,794	3,868	70,254	23,183	60,066	24,192	83,549	39,968
Other countries	51	19			101	36	411	160	50	23
Total	2,877,059	822,074	3,546,435	1,345,576	17,302,823	4,447,551	18,351,140	5,380,806	17,791,533	6,100,419
Total naval stores		1,078,135		1,627,439		9,214,958		9,155,144		9,982,955
Nickel, nickeloxide, and matte.lbs.	599,745	148,861	291,940	73,710	3,240,209	725,309	5,699,110	1,402,803	4,907,722	1,110,222
Nursery stock		2,416		3,972		(a)		96,330		134,929
Oil cake and oil-cake meal (pounds):										
Cotton seed	59,227,682	506,628	49,631,136	461,314	623,386,638	5,515,800	919,727,701	8,040,710	1,081,108,979	9,218,398
Flaxseed or linseed	17,430,876	285,351	43,890,218	463,442	433,106,448	4,095,244	436,206,321	4,540,824	486,061,890	5,262,744
Total	86,658,558	791,979	93,530,354	924,756	1,056,493,086	9,611,044	1,355,934,022	12,581,534	1,567,170,869	14,531,142
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	24,909,615	236,316	28,598,420	302,951	350,698,838	3,170,883	351,137,738	3,295,959	374,435,429	3,547,924
France	1,127,910	10,833	2,722,474	26,394	31,703,258	266,749	67,343,237	629,967	66,397,448	654,546
Germany	34,503,505	292,983	32,973,677	300,900	311,526,721	2,827,285	433,308,664	3,795,548	463,957,019	4,032,654
Other Europe	23,179,160	219,488	27,813,536	277,690	348,152,267	3,198,013	487,844,589	4,661,127	643,001,057	6,071,151
British North America	1,580,887	15,224	356,400	3,644	1,100,497	10,340	3,579,666	36,571	7,101,857	64,728
West Indies and Bermuda	1,320,381	16,747	1,024,963	12,641	12,594,713	130,600	12,296,858	157,178	11,828,036	154,070
South America	31,900	341	24,026	314	560,417	5,619	301,282	3,724	349,035	4,825
Other countries	4,700	47	16,858	222	156,275	1,555	121,988	1,460	100,988	1,244
Total oil cake and oil-cake meal	86,658,558	791,979	93,530,354	924,756	1,056,493,086	9,611,044	1,355,934,022	12,581,534	1,567,170,869	14,531,142
Oilcloths:										
For floors		3,481		4,473		(b)		29,429		31,080
Other		6,754		8,345		(b)		89,212		101,452
Total		10,235		12,818		(b)		118,641		132,532
Oils:										
ANIMAL (gallons)—										
Fish	1,449	510	4,060	1,313	798,211	155,052	585,930	108,194	946,358	191,342
Lard	67,024	23,109	85,533	35,143	961,407	419,803	775,102	305,825	917,007	412,447
Whale	8,881	3,449	4,426	1,334	55,129	22,233	83,302	37,726	79,767	35,970
Other	25,214	8,118	19,211	7,603	112,565	47,836	123,711	50,587	166,372	64,368
Total animal	102,701	40,186	113,200	45,393	1,927,302	643,924	1,568,045	502,332	2,109,504	704,127
MINERAL, crude, including all natural oils, without regard to gravity (gallons)—										
France	10,207,649	387,219	7,081,127	342,481	100,153,929	4,584,562	85,125,657	3,221,437	83,030,510	3,832,827
Other Europe	911,226	34,527	1,077,478	42,022	18,225,384	795,845	16,042,002	544,761	18,009,994	768,061
British North America	160	8	240	12	18,390	899	100	8	20,510	1,420
Mexico	699	81	1,194,574	59,838	7,090,853	349,021	7,713,859	317,514	7,969,871	395,386
Cuba			505,070	25,913	4,772,589	296,849	3,829,463	207,640	3,297,175	192,686
Porto Rico			160,000	12,512	623,958	59,676	585,290	51,808	160,000	12,512
Other countries					841,140	85,000	1,026	85		
Total	11,119,575	421,835	10,018,489	482,778	131,726,243	6,171,852	113,297,397	4,343,262	113,088,060	5,202,892

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
MINERAL, refined or manufactured, not including residuum (gallons)—										
Naphthas, including all lighter products of distillation.....	1,009,537	92,951	1,146,897	87,660	14,249,028	1,123,347	16,252,929	1,080,797	16,252,785	1,170,29½
Illuminating.....	72,696,854	3,748,692	70,284,904	4,288,046	771,350,626	48,513,916	824,426,581	42,922,682	722,279,480	41,087,031
Lubricating and heavy paraffin oil.....	6,113,583	709,496	5,497,468	656,842	50,199,345	6,619,864	60,290,365	7,230,454	67,424,080	7,943,193
Total.....	80,419,974	4,551,140	76,929,329	5,032,548	835,798,999	56,287,127	900,978,875	51,242,933	805,956,345	50,200,518
Exported to (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	15,383,409	776,174	19,166,476	1,091,258	213,627,168	13,240,527	212,265,563	11,157,459	212,734,107	12,023,768
France.....	429,940	51,389	688,236	68,246	9,065,114	932,938	12,835,631	1,133,288	12,012,773	1,118,254
Germany.....	13,838,591	686,710	15,672,996	832,355	124,201,435	6,617,189	152,293,222	6,838,464	128,084,786	6,542,815
Other Europe.....	24,571,419	1,095,284	22,059,015	1,316,977	244,336,854	14,165,611	260,431,316	12,431,565	253,544,389	13,554,069
British North America.....	453,627	30,992	502,673	38,911	10,013,517	724,447	11,067,592	737,389	10,912,296	762,624
Central American States and British Honduras.....	58,174	6,363	95,990	9,739	1,256,760	146,789	1,064,980	112,834	1,123,072	131,333
Mexico.....	96,152	16,257	198,420	24,590	836,628	174,107	1,106,853	184,088	1,259,263	191,489
Santo Domingo.....	1,104	267	3,632	964	526,671	52,486	579,825	50,051	344,633	39,955
Cuba.....			34,417	4,625	68,747	10,097	243,202	31,358	1,086,309	125,156
Porto Rico.....			43,070	4,838	276,195	33,375	200,542	22,677	554,650	61,015
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	259,631	23,196	367,043	37,600	4,224,737	376,638	4,108,714	338,290	3,978,825	383,354
Argentina.....	1,132,750	104,599	1,293,785	124,172	10,394,716	1,060,214	11,099,132	1,007,498	7,371,260	797,604
Brazil.....	2,623,635	189,998	879,582	79,073	20,563,693	1,642,912	20,561,684	1,532,231	16,987,232	1,499,118
Colombia.....	132,440	11,278	183,275	20,351	1,245,185	121,861	1,069,022	103,145	1,260,960	129,690
Other South America.....	2,000,183	180,191	781,494	76,533	10,213,795	990,080	11,283,540	967,067	9,131,085	890,460
China.....	3,123,260	212,900	335,028	29,491	42,627,184	3,371,937	44,523,552	2,865,095	22,869,793	1,816,565
East Indies—British.....	1,897,920	125,574	2,144,104	174,834	21,361,346	1,897,651	35,752,592	2,577,216	24,469,724	1,800,519
Hongkong.....	1,908,091	131,246	1,189,795	99,906	(a)	(a)	15,732,618	991,629	18,198,402	1,399,374
Japan.....	6,079,761	388,281	2,293,530	194,660	47,411,176	4,222,383	53,398,185	3,815,125	33,602,276	2,461,475
British Australasia.....	1,600,998	158,202	1,585,761	161,542	13,837,914	1,915,699	20,495,398	1,985,605	17,138,568	1,788,201
Other Asia and Oceania.....	3,705,550	245,610	5,611,207	458,538	46,111,098	3,512,417	18,621,008	1,242,989	16,763,295	1,382,031
Africa.....	1,121,911	116,505	1,892,700	183,337	10,474,918	1,072,522	12,292,744	1,114,103	12,488,595	1,298,288
Other countries.....	1,528	124	100	8	63,548	5,277	42,020	3,458	40,045	3,500
Total mineral, refined or manufactured, not including residuum.....	80,419,974	4,551,140	76,929,329	5,032,548	835,798,999	56,287,127	900,978,875	51,242,933	805,956,345	50,200,518
Residuum, including tar, and all other, from which the light bodies have been distilled.....bbls..	53,254	61,847	21,391	27,372	142,612	176,058	475,562	539,383	730,214	869,753
Total refined or manufactured, including residuum.....		4,612,987		5,059,920		56,463,185		51,782,316		51,070,276
VEGETABLE—										
Corn.....galls..	340,003	70,786	178,890	45,388	(b)	(b)	2,646,560	575,646	2,363,623	565,293
COTTON SEED (gallons)—										
United Kingdom.....	89,538	25,788	390,539	86,871	1,147,573	294,611	2,560,000	629,679	5,845,123	1,296,342
France.....	2,056,982	510,644	411,131	90,375	10,464,382	2,601,526	14,393,581	3,617,133	16,959,352	4,013,709
Germany.....	177,794	51,322	142,300	35,250	1,766,586	430,535	2,600,577	639,312	3,521,410	873,395
Other Europe.....	1,436,901	382,341	1,049,904	240,176	9,614,594	2,558,614	15,471,225	3,977,385	17,911,699	4,411,086
British North America.....	44,043	10,881	33,108	8,666	277,630	62,220	460,649	115,648	477,830	111,517
Central American States and British Honduras.....	484	154	1,041	361	16,949	4,855	8,869	3,080	12,925	5,114
Mexico.....	33,355	7,202	359,669	73,435	1,616,407	320,496	1,727,423	328,768	2,678,027	491,114
Santo Domingo.....	20,142	7,138	12,779	4,013	46,828	15,616	82,773	27,824	94,542	30,627
Cuba.....			14,370	3,667		1,090	9,543	2,774	70,466	20,39

a Included in "Other Asia and Oceania" prior to July, 1897.

b Not separately stated prior to July, 1897.

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Oils—Continued.										
VEGETABLE—Continued.										
COTTON-SEED—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Porto Rico.....			396	128	170	46	100	20	4,736	1,619
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	46,481	12,431	46,514	13,372	737,545	193,708	754,504	196,192	702,698	183,448
Argentina.....	5,297	1,759	10,648	3,716	35,651	11,594	19,270	5,947	94,066	29,752
Brazil.....	37,103	10,728	37,387	11,452	656,555	172,833	876,307	237,065	781,078	196,501
Other South America.....	40,037	13,678	26,329	9,180	230,521	73,379	323,247	104,844	308,096	97,897
British Australasia.....	14,560	4,240	2,003	686	52,282	16,823	76,506	22,686	47,440	14,629
Other Asia and Oceania.....			500	136	2,800	860	1,300	355	803	236
Africa.....	16,308	4,464	2,974	816	531,319	139,355	864,820	228,897	1,116,931	270,138
Total.....	4 019,025	1,042,770	2,541,592	582,300	27,198,882	6,897,361	40,230,784	10,137,619	50,627,219	12,077,519
Linseed.....galls..	5,821	2,719	8,783	3,977	111,262	42,700	90,074	38,439	106,300	47,681
VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL—										
Peppermint.....lbs..	10,365	12,795	16,344	13,828	162,492	257,484	145,375	180,811	117,462	118,227
Other.....		14,942		24,519		146,569		201,497		162,358
All other.....		196,301		20,002		1,167,504		885,057		838,257
Total vegetable.....		1,340,313		690,014		8,511,618		12,019,069		13,809,335
Paints, pigments, and colors:										
Carbon black, gas black, and lampblack.....		15,567		12,608		(a)		178,422		191,827
Zinc, oxide of.....lbs..	743,243	24,140	568,290	20,033	(a)	(a)	7,140,102	211,299	9,719,741	316,862
All other.....		55,927		85,863		944,536		689,797		938,736
Total.....		95,634		118,504		944,536		1,079,518		1,447,425
Paper, and manufactures of:										
Paper hangings.....		4,060		6,294		111,146		186,904		129,000
Printing paper.....lbs..	8,291,289	198,135	9,733,581	232,985	(a)	(a)	107,405,503	2,702,351	98,154,644	2,385,067
Writing paper and envelopes.....		10,063		11,446		110,329		160,499		158,096
All other.....		201,109		234,875		3,111,688		2,444,810		2,805,121
Total.....		413,367		485,600		3,333,163		5,494,564		5,477,884
Paraffin and paraffin wax (pounds):										
United Kingdom.....	6,234,913	223,710	8,002,141	313,039	82,639,081	3,126,041	96,105,035	3,671,424	107,362,181	4,050,114
France.....	154,680	6,600	66,276	2,935	1,323,807	56,696	2,768,836	120,756	2,508,011	101,282
Germany.....	3,573,563	139,725	2,151,396	91,757	16,344,506	668,619	23,588,735	926,540	21,604,920	867,287
Other Europe.....	1,827,650	75,258	2,105,718	80,608	14,208,006	591,131	19,734,325	802,544	30,172,657	1,201,455
British North America.....	4,829	208	480	132	41,807	1,754	88,664	3,839	59,432	2,651
Central American States and British Honduras.....	55,888	2,628	51,037	2,896	530,342	31,083	444,809	21,694	624,587	31,935
Mexico.....	238,816	10,632	389,250	20,843	2,888,475	144,805	3,637,767	157,863	5,119,362	241,110
West Indies and Bermuda.....	3,368	121	4,116	174	101,664	4,069	31,656	1,246	55,058	2,607
Brazil.....	21,223	844	38,504	2,112	250,559	13,960	234,939	10,968	280,115	13,583
Other South America.....			28,525	1,537	99,257	4,733	111,879	5,703	152,795	7,994
Japan.....	628,208	16,958	10,446	520	4,313,395	171,476	4,380,586	158,305	3,328,059	132,273
British Australasia.....	84,149	3,242	41,445	2,000	2,213,124	96,590	2,727,684	117,246	2,480,451	107,836
Other Asia and Oceania.....					79,502	3,213	58,154	2,658	211,514	9,008
Africa.....	80,570	2,927	149,668	6,564	1,331,603	52,926	715,391	29,506	885,559	35,549
Total.....	12,907,857	482,853	13,039,002	525,117	126,365,128	4,957,096	154,628,460	6,030,292	174,844,701	6,804,684
Perfumery and cosmetics.....		23,592		26,548		316,913		306,363		316,542
Plated ware.....		32,935		32,651		443,032		417,824		450,462
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:										
MEAT PRODUCTS—										
BEEF PRODUCTS—										
BEEF, CANNED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	477,161	41,378	1,255,589	108,972	34,714,439	3,019,451	20,763,131	1,828,593	22,723,304	2,066,308
France.....			10,400	972	1,111,143	91,471	422,017	35,503	354,534	32,029
Germany.....	61,090	4,903	139,938	12,155	4,611,748	372,460	5,069,003	446,440	3,334,880	294,123
Other Europe.....	116,197	11,177	70,426	6,301	3,191,531	284,919	3,046,732	256,779	2,281,096	202,393

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
BEEF PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CANNED (pounds)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British North America.....	12,191	1,264	21,710	2,021	1,382,395	107,204	519,315	40,159	1,583,766	136,937
Central American States and British Honduras....	24,384	2,467	14,796	1,370	309,320	37,407	257,318	28,579	198,033	20,148
Mexico.....	7,270	996	18,765	2,422	117,420	14,253	112,162	14,237	148,179	19,570
Santo Domingo.....	96	7			910	72	466	40	1,256	117
Cuba.....			5,043	470	32,686	2,508	81,046	6,412	144,680	13,698
Porto Rico.....					2,496	192	384	30	600	50
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	27,325	2,592	33,310	3,223	370,982	32,028	449,213	41,651	361,743	35,349
Argentina.....	1,380	136	960	93	1,750	135	4,880	545	15,148	1,445
Brazil.....	12,976	1,196	8,560	725	220,260	17,610	184,600	17,744	171,942	17,101
Colombia.....	3,042	368	6,020	552	76,634	6,467	72,273	6,623	56,563	5,073
Other South America.....	32,356	2,936	3,292	263	154,299	12,750	157,317	14,492	124,196	11,861
China.....	830	135	10,808	1,339	117,081	16,762	173,858	24,470	122,313	16,814
East Indies—British.....			1,920	185	6,145	591	5,000	668	10,161	1,201
Hongkong.....	270	40	7,200	1,085	(a)	(a)	133,220	19,712	158,198	23,185
Japan.....	1,500	210	6,400	960	706,490	60,013	227,672	33,452	345,778	40,750
British Australasia.....	2,600	390			139,974	13,893	69,945	7,695	24,510	2,498
Other Asia and Oceania....	39,910	6,685	53,190	7,921	603,664	85,686	383,435	56,958	591,155	85,945
Africa.....	452,448	36,185	464,226	38,956	6,147,902	480,393	4,976,319	398,855	5,633,440	476,678
Other countries.....					500	43	264	20		
Total.....	1,273,926	113,065	2,132,573	189,985	54,019,772	4,656,308	37,109,570	3,279,657	38,385,475	3,503,293
FRESH (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	24,576,846	2,142,229	31,087,185	2,625,539	290,007,772	22,626,778	274,183,636	22,922,136	281,041,427	23,456,488
British North America....	525	42	3,672	220	37,105	2,173	144,860	9,676	483,851	39,055
West Indies and Bermuda..			18,897	1,552	350,053	24,725	459,578	34,744	442,501	35,579
Other countries.....					1,000	66			172,195	14,063
Total.....	24,577,371	2,142,271	31,109,754	2,627,311	290,395,930	22,653,742	274,768,074	22,966,556	282,139,974	23,545,185
SALTED OR PICKLED, AND OTHER CURED (pounds)—										
Salted or pickled.....	2,740,922	165,402	3,765,748	195,078	67,712,940	3,514,126	44,314,479	2,368,467	46,561,876	2,525,784
Other cured.....	147,416	12,663	22,421	2,355	939,448	83,701	1,589,052	150,051	1,579,313	145,926
Total.....	2,888,338	178,065	3,788,169	197,433	68,652,388	3,597,827	45,903,531	2,518,518	48,141,189	2,671,780
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1,218,364	79,742	1,284,323	69,567	38,030,224	2,127,815	19,279,027	1,125,707	20,035,195	1,186,322
France.....	26,000	1,533	12,000	600	236,766	11,371	323,775	17,911	180,400	10,304
Germany.....	243,000	14,911	543,007	30,443	4,949,385	252,347	4,832,150	271,011	5,911,654	319,506
Other Europe.....	325,750	15,611	218,845	10,870	7,416,354	379,556	5,637,239	293,593	6,723,916	348,674
British North America....	168,797	9,508	457,800	21,383	5,736,957	248,220	3,364,157	155,528	3,866,983	187,882
Central American States and British Honduras..	29,062	1,771	92,460	4,737	581,291	27,921	793,031	39,079	673,504	35,858
Mexico.....			490	45	4,220	250	8,275	492	11,744	625
Santo Domingo.....	18,800	1,075	21,230	1,098	61,650	2,612	52,600	2,718	93,574	4,875
Cuba.....			13,871	744	91,000	4,141	279,189	13,720	618,079	32,014
Porto Rico.....			3,400	152	147,100	6,960	16,700	839	24,300	1,227
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	442,566	27,050	576,293	28,848	6,486,683	305,904	5,869,499	311,033	4,944,572	260,516
Brazil.....	2,000	125	900	44	81,900	3,601	22,400	1,237	41,550	2,530
Colombia.....	31,534	1,740	41,650	2,192	276,687	12,652	252,180	13,240	280,043	14,713
Other South America.....	370,465	24,300	271,700	14,093	3,292,811	153,416	3,123,675	175,027	3,221,825	174,498
Asia and Oceania.....			6,000	372	794,197	39,775	1,417,625	65,650	1,003,250	65,217
Africa.....	10,000	589	244,200	12,245	446,203	20,473	613,500	30,752	489,500	25,633
Other countries.....	2,000	110			18,900	813	18,500	961	21,100	1,186
Total beef, salted, etc...	2,888,338	178,065	3,788,169	197,433	68,652,388	3,597,827	45,903,531	2,518,518	48,141,189	2,671,780

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
TALLOW (pounds)—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
United Kingdom.....	7,550,486	306,321	3,210,725	142,022	24,527,265	898,966	41,661,299	1,598,528	37,190,354	1,538,114
France.....	340,919	14,777	1,138,363	53,440	18,823,183	675,424	9,603,964	351,545	15,803,083	616,048
Germany.....	1,153,484	48,727	1,333,031	57,205	9,277,703	336,545	11,195,548	445,231	16,895,585	677,487
Other Europe.....	1,760,181	71,563	2,212,575	106,667	14,439,711	534,074	11,419,748	422,424	29,714,611	1,190,962
British North America.....	87,213	2,527	4,770	195	76,013	2,382	247,375	7,185	597,782	16,829
Central American States and British Honduras.....	168,538	7,800	168,114	7,783	2,724,512	119,156	2,206,331	95,679	2,052,822	92,126
Mexico.....	46,746	1,883	43,523	1,986	997,216	36,561	636,742	24,364	814,723	33,575
Santo Domingo.....	101,543	4,178	300	18	538,562	21,037	786,763	30,338	374,390	15,840
Cuba.....			400	23	566,729	20,958	404,767	13,231	497,770	19,160
Porto Rico.....			3,500	200	4,565	256	5,307	287	10,015	547
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	101,160	4,680	64,116	3,218	2,323,087	102,019	2,041,605	85,917	1,266,006	58,815
Brazil.....			17,780	990	222,675	9,256	572,245	25,070	701,601	37,778
Colombia.....	1,400	55	42,310	2,346	245,644	11,704	373,283	16,230	277,995	14,408
Other South America.....	183,269	8,057	9,947	508	310,680	13,126	453,419	20,033	732,046	33,762
Asia and Oceania.....	2,240	180	20,000	800	29,585	1,078	133,563	5,447	420,519	21,292
Other countries.....			340	23	1,704	53	2,850	144	11,707	613
Total.....	11,506,179	470,748	8,259,794	377,424	75,108,834	2,782,595	81,744,809	3,141,653	107,361,009	4,367,356
HOG PRODUCTS—										
BACON (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	34,478,200	2,549,922	39,598,687	2,993,054	386,457,491	27,564,915	473,201,692	34,919,807	395,474,204	30,312,477
France.....	607,941	46,007	796,666	48,144	1,979,586	133,086	2,370,565	165,925	12,366,110	853,030
Germany.....	3,170,711	209,743	1,218,486	80,697	26,878,289	1,572,234	51,524,565	3,338,869	36,151,678	2,532,600
Other Europe.....	3,386,225	236,282	6,205,243	395,470	44,823,834	2,642,802	82,533,846	5,335,717	88,521,122	5,975,282
British North America.....	2,929,588	187,750	243,538	17,555	10,799,240	541,485	19,699,775	1,267,287	9,804,713	604,189
Central American States and British Honduras.....	23,227	1,716	27,553	1,835	281,230	19,248	217,533	16,692	263,640	17,914
Mexico.....	9,181	930	21,380	2,059	101,727	9,449	95,100	9,804	184,482	17,277
Santo Domingo.....	10,659	801	5,740	320	46,906	2,706	31,824	2,213	31,552	1,903
Cuba.....			1,869,563	95,175	10,581,819	574,402	10,736,382	672,008	11,353,301	643,381
Porto Rico.....			119,785	7,491	618,015	33,233	496,391	33,013	1,138,421	74,283
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	199,069	14,527	36,060	2,732	520,576	39,004	737,730	56,123	676,705	47,075
Brazil.....	140,772	11,176	104,625	7,340	16,770,805	1,013,182	7,857,354	508,171	6,040,051	415,745
Colombia.....	1,061	93	5,020	308	27,781	1,662	18,460	1,366	27,325	1,862
Other South America.....	43,160	3,257	5,083	382	321,353	21,593	380,001	29,223	235,429	16,758
China.....			4,220	496	20,372	2,650	85,655	4,635	59,110	7,532
Other Asia and Oceania.....	11,115	1,395	15,095	1,746	76,209	9,787	140,488	17,906	247,387	30,354
Africa.....	1,061	72	17,328	1,291	91,915	5,687	31,172	2,159	76,250	5,405
Other countries.....					300	22				
Total.....	45,011,979	3,263,671	50,294,072	3,656,095	500,399,448	34,187,147	650,108,933	46,380,918	562,651,480	41,557,067
HAMS (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	10,793,885	989,253	18,822,206	1,820,977	134,933,004	13,008,512	153,549,559	14,567,748	177,702,854	16,366,854
France.....	61,688	6,729	161,200	14,616	316,624	30,078	1,182,618	117,513	1,145,490	106,499
Germany.....	612,244	54,351	222,100	19,806	2,943,983	268,216	11,963,631	1,109,550	9,813,118	903,010
Other Europe.....	1,333,807	133,897	1,298,780	118,403	15,648,739	1,544,715	19,902,884	1,893,425	20,634,498	1,893,573
British North America.....	1,308,798	119,614	155,771	13,829	3,070,486	301,751	5,793,345	513,129	5,933,259	509,000
Central American States and British Honduras.....	19,352	1,914	27,303	2,495	312,078	33,654	278,160	28,291	248,286	23,260
Mexico.....	30,328	3,543	18,244	1,974	264,049	28,976	211,471	23,790	277,623	30,956
Santo Domingo.....	11,734	1,316	4,408	545	62,984	7,316	59,918	6,716	69,055	7,483
Cuba.....			864,869	72,809	4,012,433	374,185	3,532,940	365,243	6,229,486	559,584
Porto Rico.....			4,980	437	888,945	79,369	602,415	50,941	127,234	11,641
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	133,135	11,434	161,417	13,501	1,276,843	125,501	1,534,182	138,380	1,696,163	147,931
Brazil.....	547	66	1,464	176	18,373	1,733	33,016	3,262	32,412	3,649
Colombia.....	12,392	981	30,717	2,642	172,921	14,969	156,021	13,805	194,327	16,507

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HAMS (pounds)—Continued.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Other South America.....	58,393	5,883	66,384	7,159	864,375	94,131	795,108	84,268	818,841	84,837
China.....			7,020	855	49,233	6,557	68,159	8,788	103,490	13,127
British Australasia.....			8,414	928	11,680	1,544	6,985	909	46,758	5,259
Other Asia and Oceania.....	16,088	2,021	26,601	3,211	275,387	35,805	347,856	43,713	535,223	65,989
Africa.....	8,994	1,045	9,487	1,041	119,956	12,469	152,025	16,604	215,650	23,136
Other countries.....	1,041	103			5,209	510	15,568	1,450	22,983	1,789
Total.....	14,402,426	1,332,150	21,891,365	2,095,204	165,247,302	15,970,021	200,185,861	18,987,525	225,846,756	20,774,084
PORK (pounds)—										
Fresh.....	1,628,716	107,247	1,658,680	117,135	1,306,424	94,816	12,224,285	815,075	41,310,364	2,722,661
Salted or pickled.....	6,734,041	404,888	9,305,706	541,642	66,768,920	3,297,214	88,133,078	4,906,061	137,197,200	7,917,066
Total.....	8,362,757	512,135	10,964,386	658,777	68,075,344	3,392,030	100,357,363	5,722,036	178,507,564	10,639,727
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	2,565,721	166,440	5,724,245	376,533	19,005,770	1,098,919	31,691,732	2,014,665	90,686,214	5,805,258
France.....	17,200	1,010	10,000	500	131,550	8,037	112,900	5,670	212,936	12,472
Germany.....	631,310	36,181	668,597	36,376	1,902,637	101,639	9,617,039	524,859	15,515,225	824,018
Other Europe.....	1,564,721	91,746	909,455	50,788	2,936,869	170,899	13,829,336	804,817	20,553,645	1,572,435
British North America.....	1,582,086	102,326	1,128,891	60,877	12,269,836	561,850	15,751,791	867,101	17,994,454	983,818
Central American States and British Honduras..	73,781	4,360	142,826	6,402	1,307,365	57,582	1,423,005	70,438	1,306,575	63,395
Santo Domingo.....	29,600	1,870	24,001	1,165	95,500	4,357	95,000	5,338	112,801	5,949
Cuba.....			88,051	4,289	222,660	10,005	267,600	14,103	752,766	39,466
Porto Rico.....			329,200	16,511	3,450,200	152,411	3,556,700	176,219	3,332,800	173,151
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	1,340,613	78,742	1,468,370	82,479	21,881,575	995,397	19,205,017	985,879	16,686,667	872,600
Brazil.....	1,200	90	26,600	1,488	315,400	17,684	32,300	2,045	117,900	7,368
Colombia.....	15,500	980	25,500	1,410	135,722	6,830	154,039	8,899	171,474	9,513
Other South America.....	492,600	27,192	344,900	15,992	3,907,250	175,566	4,242,440	218,508	4,515,559	236,575
Asia and Oceania.....	6,725	521	2,050	154	276,585	19,047	141,735	9,840	168,980	12,688
Africa.....	6,200	345	62,800	3,301	128,900	6,476	85,500	5,336	209,600	11,291
Other countries.....	5,500	332	8,900	512	107,525	5,331	147,629	8,319	169,968	9,760
Total.....	8,362,757	512,135	10,964,386	658,777	68,075,344	3,392,030	100,357,363	5,722,036	178,507,564	10,639,727
LARD (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	18,639,872	1,174,434	18,671,575	1,123,846	192,116,083	10,040,789	241,077,725	13,807,640	204,645,770	12,310,730
France.....	899,505	57,475	2,891,933	154,411	20,934,590	1,032,236	21,317,239	1,129,191	32,312,597	1,810,281
Germany.....	14,251,589	893,216	15,890,937	897,462	166,192,473	8,317,050	233,844,879	12,813,226	229,230,175	13,600,767
Other Europe.....	9,551,997	607,881	12,249,333	696,263	107,780,558	5,485,167	138,510,606	7,631,883	159,922,867	9,367,911
British North America.....	916,071	57,548	29,707	1,775	5,372,233	219,756	6,589,294	355,448	7,016,986	373,403
Central American States and British Honduras.....	237,636	20,059	225,204	13,186	2,104,781	111,747	2,666,022	156,161	2,742,674	158,967
Mexico.....	128,126	7,440	280,776	14,509	7,195,747	332,235	3,602,758	177,525	3,270,339	169,689
Santo Domingo.....	158,097	10,653	75,366	4,692	420,634	23,077	489,767	29,682	468,927	27,945
Cuba.....			3,457,415	189,016	25,717,439	1,255,183	20,139,515	1,027,657	27,291,504	1,462,604
Porto Rico.....			509,915	27,840	4,572,985	228,051	3,609,131	190,630	4,741,704	256,372
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	522,901	38,383	513,615	34,100	6,993,212	408,022	6,482,058	418,487	5,594,892	330,568
Argentina.....	2,840	179	2,232	153	83,903	4,665	46,002	3,133	53,912	3,636
Brazil.....	404,589	31,672	1,665,016	101,013	12,358,589	714,828	15,362,399	973,990	17,819,050	1,219,882
Colombia.....	146,931	10,258	336,589	21,690	2,917,290	152,501	2,057,865	120,436	1,766,263	105,119
Other South America.....	961,969	71,763	971,901	59,425	11,625,901	646,087	10,837,480	681,023	9,745,658	628,355
Asia and Oceania.....	40,260	3,099	229,826	11,977	466,403	32,095	661,288	46,854	1,307,334	81,955
Africa.....	223,335	18,468	435,596	31,130	1,411,078	90,172	2,018,217	145,228	3,253,787	238,165
Other countries.....			1,320	80	51,731	2,774	41,800	2,498	54,812	3,113
Total.....	47,150,718	3,002,528	58,438,346	3,382,568	568,315,610	29,126,485	709,344,045	39,710,672	711,250,851	42,208,462

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
MEAT PRODUCTS—Continued.										
HOG PRODUCTS—Continued.										
LARD (pounds)—Continued.										
Lard compounds, and substitutes for (cottonlens, lardine, etc.) lbs..	2, 440, 701	<i>Dollars.</i> 130, 763	2, 484, 257	<i>Dollars.</i> 133, 302	16, 261, 991	<i>Dollars.</i> 857, 708	21, 343, 028	<i>Dollars.</i> 1, 118, 659	22, 114, 712	<i>Dollars.</i> 1, 200, 231
Casings for sausages.....		136, 483		150, 856		1, 514, 651		1, 821, 519		1, 671, 052
Mutton..... lbs..	1, 781	158	5, 928	464	361, 955	28, 341	329, 169	27, 961	379, 110	29, 427
OLEO AND OLEOMARGARINE (pounds)—										
Oleo, the oil	12, 517, 110	756, 524	17, 439, 929	1, 164, 639	113, 506, 152	6, 742, 061	132, 579, 277	7, 904, 413	142, 390, 402	9, 183, 659
Oleomargarine, imitation butter	402, 492	39, 735	433, 411	41, 805	4, 864, 351	472, 856	4, 328, 536	386, 297	5, 549, 322	509, 703
Total.....	12, 919, 602	796, 259	17, 873, 340	1, 206, 444	118, 370, 503	7, 214, 917	136, 907, 813	8, 290, 710	147, 939, 814	9, 693, 362
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	807, 111	47, 588	562, 129	38, 021	7, 661, 339	476, 172	9, 164, 137	551, 425	7, 700, 908	476, 875
Germany.....	2, 891, 841	187, 282	3, 310, 176	241, 862	24, 887, 346	1, 398, 082	31, 590, 087	1, 911, 780	30, 612, 969	2, 080, 029
Netherlands.....	8, 052, 655	483, 330	11, 590, 061	748, 227	70, 988, 741	4, 375, 564	81, 452, 099	4, 878, 313	86, 452, 770	5, 514, 523
Other Europe	896, 380	52, 428	1, 970, 253	138, 750	10, 283, 582	570, 105	11, 536, 933	668, 194	19, 129, 704	1, 250, 434
British North America.....	23, 444	1, 538	99, 022	7, 559	1, 296, 160	65, 227	823, 902	49, 604	912, 204	57, 618
Central American States and British Honduras.....	2, 290	248	1, 900	190	2, 610	261	10, 930	1, 254	22, 875	2, 514
Mexico.....	740	72			6, 414	701	9, 017	961	7, 514	731
Porto Rico			22, 880	2, 654					204, 891	22, 903
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	191, 815	19, 274	172, 048	15, 422	2, 573, 397	260, 225	1, 753, 190	170, 090	2, 120, 435	208, 093
Colombia.....	12, 286	1, 110	23, 900	2, 153	86, 896	7, 513	93, 896	8, 400	123, 224	11, 225
Other South America	13, 590	1, 122	34, 600	3, 828	309, 375	32, 663	161, 766	15, 855	222, 312	23, 913
Asia and Oceania	22, 500	1, 682	28, 579	2, 008	92, 768	9, 782	198, 896	22, 440	271, 688	28, 675
Other countries	5, 040	585	57, 792	5, 779	181, 875	18, 622	112, 960	12, 394	158, 320	15, 829
Total.....	12, 919, 602	796, 259	17, 873, 340	1, 206, 444	118, 370, 503	7, 214, 917	136, 907, 813	8, 290, 710	147, 939, 814	9, 693, 363
Poultry and game		2, 253		17, 493		72, 082		85, 739		183, 503
All other meat products.....		346, 400		556, 692		2, 944, 486		4, 193, 078		5, 834, 865
DAIRY PRODUCTS—										
BUTTER (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	1, 171, 741	177, 668	200, 432	43, 300	20, 022, 410	2, 995, 036	14, 801, 641	2, 269, 931	10, 278, 788	1, 705, 190
Germany.....	73, 498	9, 007	107, 224	17, 733	2, 834, 147	329, 892	1, 448, 806	171, 735	918, 262	135, 299
Other Europe	296, 299	37, 541	126, 741	18, 231	2, 638, 485	297, 479	1, 141, 279	139, 418	972, 801	141, 427
British North America.....	494, 421	86, 938	85, 554	15, 035	1, 797, 089	276, 005	3, 809, 452	594, 033	1, 986, 083	324, 996
Central American States and British Honduras.....	23, 373	3, 817	24, 605	4, 415	268, 208	45, 737	279, 895	48, 631	250, 195	46, 637
Mexico.....	26, 351	4, 381	17, 592	3, 000	238, 595	40, 089	249, 079	43, 726	280, 924	49, 767
Santo Domingo.....	12, 053	1, 760	5, 540	910	53, 051	7, 331	55, 816	7, 911	76, 547	11, 154
Cuba.....			28, 638	5, 157	58, 120	10, 475	42, 715	8, 087	585, 840	99, 497
Porto Rico.....			2, 005	431	33, 525	4, 009	18, 900	2, 407	45, 706	8, 169
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....	144, 339	23, 595	187, 859	26, 705	1, 984, 709	289, 484	1, 857, 252	284, 855	2, 065, 538	329, 100
Brazil.....	55, 007	5, 318	169, 150	20, 127	318, 787	40, 303	749, 653	92, 191	1, 420, 222	177, 514
Colombia.....	5, 177	854	9, 566	1, 733	132, 947	17, 833	134, 644	19, 672	83, 351	15, 127
Other South America	77, 485	11, 593	103, 185	17, 130	675, 295	87, 960	651, 569	91, 622	911, 943	141, 219
China.....			900	240	25, 336	4, 621	21, 555	4, 688	22, 337	5, 159
Japan.....	5, 680	1, 152	1, 800	370	87, 180	15, 654	115, 203	23, 097	92, 495	18, 592
Other Asia and Oceania.....	13, 319	2, 799	8, 010	1, 591	150, 464	27, 079	255, 304	52, 995	216, 882	48, 128
Africa.....	1, 506	412	2, 800	681	15, 820	2, 791	20, 987	4, 186	17, 147	3, 505
Other countries	6, 300	945			11, 056	1, 586	36, 275	5, 586	22, 936	3, 471
Total.....	2, 406, 549	367, 780	1, 171, 721	176, 789	31, 345, 224	4, 493, 364	25, 690, 025	3, 864, 765	20, 247, 997	3, 263, 951
CHEESE (pounds)—										
United Kingdom.....	3, 952, 982	298, 670	6, 714, 761	500, 722	40, 660, 737	3, 701, 536	38, 146, 255	3, 267, 507	23, 715, 719	2, 063, 409
Germany.....					520	76	105	9		
British North America.....	2, 417, 616	176, 621	302, 174	27, 521	8, 479, 813	716, 487	13, 149, 652	1, 073, 447	11, 873, 701	942, 612

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products—Continued.										
DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued.										
CHEESE (pounds)—Continued.										
Central American States and British Honduras.....		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico.....	12,327	1,381	13,598	1,609	172,839	19,707	156,187	17,721	150,324	17,602
Santo Domingo.....	11,125	1,212	15,725	1,821	129,623	15,519	123,541	14,436	167,555	19,889
Cuba.....	5,439	702	3,620	471	40,661	4,711	32,766	3,984	39,755	4,928
Porto Rico.....			27,291	3,137	64,869	11,284	219,531	25,888	635,225	76,884
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....			26,860	3,019	26,478	3,022	12,167	1,535	220,917	27,404
Brazil.....	61,235	6,848	63,758	8,513	854,565	103,718	766,813	90,483	719,693	85,945
Colombia.....					1,704	212	2,285	257	5,615	638
Other South America.....	5,611	643	6,491	728	91,883	11,294	91,658	11,082	64,540	7,950
China.....	10,820	1,211	8,045	1,017	129,722	16,142	134,899	17,079	110,467	13,362
Japan.....			330	38	41,690	4,589	44,264	4,817	101,950	11,161
Other Asia and Oceania.....	3,385	400	1,920	250	40,965	4,433	35,594	3,867	52,580	5,965
Other countries.....	11,045	1,307	12,428	1,456	187,908	20,935	241,215	26,071	318,271	36,044
Total.....	6,491,585	488,395	7,203,071	610,809	50,944,617	4,636,063	53,167,280	4,559,324	38,198,753	3,316,049
Milk.....		30,044		92,356		524,968		671,670		1,049,211
Total provisions, etc.....		13,313,168		16,130,002		138,652,735		167,340,960		175,508,605
Quicksilver.....lbs.....	35,903	15,807	104,022	46,224	1,131,901	448,333	973,460	414,938	1,123,471	516,398
Rice.....lbs.....	52,854	2,575	84,035	3,469	(a)	(a)	637,146	27,501	852,704	38,511
Rice bran, meal, and polish.....lbs.....	889,927	5,730	180,000	1,193	3,518,466	20,113	5,563,841	35,498	14,481,985	80,301
Salt.....lbs.....	831,647	3,682	1,622,002	6,878	(a)	(a)	17,073,214	66,151	25,246,634	86,315
Seeds:										
Clover.....lbs.....	622,043	37,980	671,031	37,969	13,042,394	1,003,157	31,155,381	1,892,101	19,982,234	1,264,922
Cotton.....lbs.....	279,824	1,625	1,597,795	7,845	26,566,024	170,604	32,764,781	197,258	34,443,806	197,023
Flaxseed or linseed.....bush.....					4,713,747	3,850,835	257,228	231,237	2,830,991	2,815,449
Timothy.....lbs.....	2,793	93	395,906	12,554	16,733,993	574,457	10,238,780	317,173	16,149,611	492,710
Other grass seeds.....		1,497		1,974		429,379		167,109		150,200
All other.....		4,211		7,973				149,845		153,092
Total.....		45,406		68,315		6,028,432		2,954,723		5,079,396
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		4,848		9,580		2,966,905		1,065,977		852,496
France.....		1,630		800		122,565		44,904		172,184
Germany.....		28,529		42,904		601,733		838,904		920,394
Other Europe.....		6,109		4,730		1,529,455		390,943		1,641,413
British North America.....		695		4,486		699,553		481,486		1,384,233
Central American States and British Honduras.....		367		428		10,074		5,387		4,875
Mexico.....		393		330		20,085		29,472		15,724
Santo Domingo.....		122		114		538		864		320
Cuba.....				664		3,458		2,612		4,190
Porto Rico.....				42		327		19		539
Other West Indies and Bermuda.....		170		138		3,969		3,970		4,364
Argentina.....				3,048		782		368		10,842
Brazil.....				50		1,583		858		1,085
Colombia.....		201		242		2,768		1,733		1,594
Other South America.....		339		152		4,905		2,345		2,440
China.....		100		35		590		909		616
British Australasia.....		813		490		52,666		76,134		50,684
Other Asia and Oceania.....		365		68		4,542		5,609		7,113
Africa.....		725		14		1,934		2,229		4,290
Total seeds.....		45,406		68,315		6,028,432		2,954,723		5,079,396
Shells.....		27,201		12,875		(a)		129,143		116,052
Silk, manufactures of.....		24,748		14,450		224,660		297,074		290,729

a Returned under "All other unenumerated articles" prior to July, 1897.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Soap:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Toilet or fancy		20,645		20,292		204,564		275,935		314,326
Other.....lbs..	3,073,249	87,162	3,903,179	143,212	24,662,178	932,316	29,397,734	1,114,668	32,529,093	1,143,284
Total.....		107,807		163,504		1,136,880		1,390,603		1,457,610
Spermaceti and spermaceti wax										
.....lbs..	19,530	5,270	15,083	3,993	228,777	72,568	236,537	68,428	214,443	57,929
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):										
ALCOHOL—										
Wood	6,163	3,833	102,546	60,375			385,938	199,230	727,062	414,875
Other, including pure, neutral, or cologne spirits.....	124,665	30,378	48,473	16,350	416,725	140,046	1,619,230	463,616	1,476,028	427,288
Brandy.....	614	979	1,222	1,329	11,815	12,640	24,886	39,455	20,844	29,289
Ram	10,465	14,181	181,043	250,920	808,393	1,102,267	607,634	845,673	850,719	1,175,306
WHISKY—										
Bourbon.....	46,387	43,263	13,423	23,411	569,413	422,451	286,599	241,066	224,918	267,865
Rye	682	1,516	4,593	9,365	21,282	38,402	17,495	31,164	104,884	156,617
All other.....	2,568	2,630	773	1,489	500,338	225,897	36,869	30,149	19,536	24,372
Total.....	191,544	96,780	352,073	363,239	2,327,966	1,941,703	2,378,651	1,850,353	3,423,991	2,495,612
Starch	7,860,570	149,554	8,109,736	186,555	79,088,876	1,665,926	72,806,313	1,371,549	110,223,776	2,292,973
Stationery, except of paper.....		84,357		92,264		928,378		1,005,016		1,120,893
Stereotype and electrotype plates.....		4,266		4,271		69,505		61,482		60,940
Straw and palm leaf manufactures of		28,316		30,985		305,418		317,468		359,780
Sugar and molasses:										
Molasses.....galls..	436,156	30,573	239,390	23,293			3,817,829	267,202	5,682,080	444,392
Sirup.....galls..	383,474	60,358	1,286,134	183,742	8,913,830	788,323	7,573,541	794,727	10,070,650	1,465,849
Sugar, brown.....lbs..	9,450	345	19,900	822	1,107,864	35,367	460,682	17,353	403,119	14,275
SUGAR, REFINED (pounds)—										
United Kingdom					491,835	20,127	547,132	24,698	308,967	15,051
Germany			300	15	10,690	535	2,075	98	580	30
Other Europe					17,998	906	5,949	318	2,010	98
British North America.....	9,365	494	167,650	7,780	45,736	2,854	74,151	4,563	2,036,781	92,012
Central American States and British Honduras.....	57,811	2,920	29,597	1,446	1,313,239	59,695	1,041,455	50,408	412,113	19,047
Mexico.....	126,537	5,181	510,267	24,856	484,112	23,619	416,981	18,722	1,036,120	50,104
Santo Domingo.....	1,955	114	2,032	90	49,179	2,332	30,280	1,618	22,570	1,206
Other West Indies and Bermuda	53,098	3,006	111,577	5,420	2,368,833	115,732	1,789,814	96,877	2,093,881	106,576
Colombia.....	24,481	1,302	35,375	1,718	926,066	44,386	525,688	26,815	319,641	15,316
Other South America	1,000	63	5,138	286	48,795	2,422	92,355	5,204	42,528	2,328
Other Asia and Oceania.....	190,363	7,746	50,126	1,960	966,213	44,974	1,231,167	57,257	2,881,709	108,723
Africa.....	6,229	356	20,806	1,200	474,654	24,059	290,561	14,933	305,328	15,711
Total.....	470,839	21,182	932,868	44,771	7,197,355	341,641	6,047,608	301,511	9,462,238	426,202
Candy and confectionery		61,689		48,306		543,631		739,865		603,170
Total sugar and molasses.....		174,147		300,994		1,708,962		2,111,658		2,953,888
Tin, manufactures of		30,986		41,885		300,441		264,365		365,470
Tobacco, and manufactures of:										
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—										
Leaf.....	18,772,202	1,674,146	23,435,548	2,160,921	305,978,292	24,513,567	252,258,902	21,924,337	272,421,295	25,170,771
Stems and trimmings	1,210,121	49,393	1,755,936	98,895	8,953,399	197,879	10,761,312	247,243	11,191,827	296,447
Total.....	19,982,323	1,723,539	25,191,484	2,259,816	314,931,691	24,711,446	263,020,214	22,171,580	283,613,122	25,467,218
Exported to (pounds)—										
United Kingdom	4,634,202	440,318	6,038,467	492,478	89,684,816	8,121,335	88,480,225	8,575,626	85,799,321	7,821,659
France	2,401,355	168,799	234,545	17,695	23,762,881	1,832,903	22,016,203	1,724,682	23,656,171	1,918,624
Germany.....	7,593,281	674,566	6,184,855	505,931	67,697,957	4,650,021	60,303,403	4,323,743	50,591,017	4,021,447
Other Europe.....	3,454,853	271,092	5,072,957	438,618	106,852,977	7,488,168	79,462,138	5,435,039	73,553,317	6,697,576
British North America.....	428,013	46,939	2,184,209	205,046	15,415,909	1,553,832	7,183,730	700,995	12,098,069	1,252,125
Central American States and British Honduras.....	10,475	928	12,706	1,254	138,967	16,787	218,429	30,777	179,226	24,629

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Tobacco, and manufactures of—										
Continued.										
LEAF, STEMS AND TRIMMINGS—										
Continued.										
Exported to (pounds)—Cont'd.		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Mexico.....	98,008	6,073	190,318	12,275	1,458,871	109,152	1,814,085	135,636	1,852,700	143,786
West Indies and Bermuda...	320,662	30,002	219,654	20,269	2,720,656	251,428	3,201,279	311,645	2,765,017	269,811
Argentina.....	141,556	7,880	35,917	2,252	67,790	5,020	236,146	12,984	337,071	24,677
Colombia.....	6,420	839	8,300	964	18,393	2,405	56,029	8,057	49,589	6,449
Other South America.....	106,062	10,386	99,898	10,343	1,113,017	92,576	1,172,617	100,298	1,068,979	97,663
Japan.....	392,347	23,320	4,300,590	492,528	861,677	55,124	2,751,246	197,036	24,198,879	2,414,482
British Australasia.....	118,053	17,780	51,513	10,664	1,752,035	261,312	2,246,127	332,369	2,701,384	374,299
Other Asia and Oceania.....			9,538	1,150	205,591	17,485	238,245	21,195	522,881	40,393
Africa.....	228,636	24,565	548,017	48,319	3,178,634	253,719	2,637,612	259,203	3,817,901	359,413
Other countries.....	400	52			1,520	179	2,400	295	1,600	185
Total unmanufactured...	19,982,323	1,723,539	25,191,484	2,259,816	314,931,691	24,711,446	263,020,214	22,171,580	283,613,122	25,467,218
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Cigars.....M.	52	859	282	5,590	1,962	41,685	1,547	37,381	3,732	76,172
Cigarettes.....M.	106,583	223,919	104,950	187,839	921,316	1,959,252	1,005,905	2,018,616	1,169,467	2,197,353
Plug.....lbs.	660,778	152,017	601,325	117,478			9,439,002	2,077,664	8,999,945	2,097,815
All other.....		59,177		89,099		3,024,880		684,832		807,672
Total.....		435,972		400,006		5,025,817		4,818,493		5,179,012
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		80,148		49,286		1,589,950		1,183,080		727,040
France.....		1,598		1,126		16,912		18,052		13,242
Germany.....		13,207		11,215		199,746		134,098		80,558
Other Europe.....		44,166		50,919		345,756		333,862		375,970
British North America.....		4,749		14,081		64,459		62,139		82,841
Central American States and British Honduras.....		5,545		988		67,765		49,571		51,694
Mexico.....		8,189		2,016		13,235		25,914		20,329
Cuba.....				14,475		116,679		146,292		160,547
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		11,193		16,300		204,642		148,669		138,123
Argentina.....		18		2,028		50,467		2,362		6,204
Brazil.....						1,355		560		500
Colombia.....		636		1,281		1,259		3,748		6,663
Other South America.....		8,837		4,561		65,412		82,015		84,655
China.....		24,325		41,634		229,956		328,404		322,571
East Indies—British.....		10,030		22,878		125,071		138,608		246,017
Hongkong.....		3,508		1,938		(a)		46,439		57,383
Japan.....		38,959		36,047		407,577		474,236		512,240
British Australasia.....		120,290		81,062		949,866		1,217,989		1,732,916
Other Asia and Oceania.....		23,163		25,340		224,012		200,579		266,799
Africa.....		37,411		22,649		351,008		216,914		291,654
Other countries.....				182		690		4,062		1,066
Total manufactures of.....		435,972		400,006		5,025,817		4,818,493		5,179,012
Toys.....		13,127		8,680		133,792		177,668		148,791
Trunks, valises, and traveling bags.....		10,183		12,280		100,382		104,602		132,638
Varnish.....galls.	33,882	35,743	35,845	38,587	409,569	431,761	398,841	422,693	438,134	463,547
Vegetables:										
Beans and pease.....bush..	44,180	59,368	73,492	93,760	909,219	1,110,387	854,284	1,094,094	883,201	1,269,812
Onions.....bush..	5,309	5,096	6,941	7,251	73,511	60,088	100,148	90,832	164,902	134,250
Potatoes.....bush..	22,696	15,834	41,511	34,307	926,646	515,067	605,187	460,666	581,833	449,939
Vegetables, canned.....		18,084		31,040		408,840		386,039		555,691
All other, including pickles and sauces.....		41,206		67,896		243,542		350,157		388,908
Total.....		139,588		234,254		2,337,924		2,381,788		2,798,600
Vessels sold to foreigners (tons):										
Steamers.....	23	5,346	19	8,050	1,425	189,413	678	120,243	143	49,400
Sailing vessels.....	1,131	12,000	68	400	144	2,427	2,267	24,300	1,507	17,625
Total.....	1,154	17,346	87	8,450	1,569	191,840	2,945	144,543	1,650	67,025

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Vinegar.....galls..	11,500	1,268	9,490	1,063	93,969	11,572	108,657	12,939	107,314	13,479
Whalebone.....lbs..	20,337	60,616	16,666	43,618	111,040	383,603	129,476	382,766	144,283	395,443
Wine:										
In bottles.....doz..	590	2,861	490	2,447	16,794	69,444	9,672	46,721	10,973	52,015
In other coverings.....galls..	156,924	70,232	103,922	43,541	1,389,375	629,270	1,623,103	682,028	1,498,078	624,315
Total.....		73,093		45,988		698,714		728,749		676,330
Wood, and manufactures of:										
TIMBER AND UNMANUFACTURED										
WOOD—										
Sawed.....M feet..	33,046	323,977	40,797	433,119	391,291	4,036,214	338,575	3,438,578	416,448	4,161,097
Hewn.....cubic feet..	424,956	87,127	745,215	141,836	6,406,824	1,236,112	5,489,714	1,128,893	4,796,658	818,841
Logs, and other.....		436,557		332,170		3,945,106		3,189,820		3,262,189
Total.....		847,661		907,125		9,217,432		7,757,291		8,242,527
Exported to—										
United Kingdom.....		261,004		432,482		4,332,373		3,032,929		3,482,156
France.....		41,865		40,667		230,167		328,822		384,668
Germany.....		142,924		123,096		1,385,979		1,331,621		1,171,164
Other Europe.....		180,313		134,222		1,135,419		1,202,576		1,444,568
British North America.....		133,308		124,779		1,185,430		1,111,820		880,347
Central American States and British Honduras.....		642		1,600		145,861		49,526		28,183
Mexico.....		64,800		6,473		276,440		296,589		257,918
Cuba.....				7,216		18,637		14,863		43,723
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....		75		857		23,645		5,121		6,000
Argentina.....		4,643		607		33,799		11,728		18,706
Brazil.....						18,434		7,278		4,524
Colombia.....				258		21,294		23,737		22,445
Other South America.....		1,457				18,320		50,997		26,192
British Australasia.....		879		1,420		196,908		154,201		239,752
Other Asia and Oceania.....		11,253		27,702		53,667		90,237		120,525
Africa.....		4,498		5,746		141,059		45,246		111,451
Total.....		847,661		907,125		9,217,432		7,757,291		8,242,527
LUMBER (M feet)—										
Boards, deals, and planks.....	71,764	1,107,490	108,482	1,923,558	876,689	13,076,247	790,659	12,080,318	973,064	15,221,066
Joists and scantling.....	2,148	22,024	1,822	20,491	36,253	423,875	35,610	387,671	34,394	371,840
Total.....	73,932	1,129,514	110,304	1,944,049	912,942	13,500,122	826,269	12,467,989	1,007,458	15,592,906
Exported to (M feet)—										
United Kingdom.....	13,271	255,363	21,835	542,304	143,184	3,214,340	124,676	2,853,842	150,340	3,606,492
France.....	1,674	23,804	1,464	24,846	19,763	273,068	26,080	368,101	29,580	436,147
Germany.....	3,310	74,224	6,985	127,178	28,154	639,586	37,805	817,088	52,858	1,101,310
Other Europe.....	11,685	207,899	22,239	503,835	104,338	1,534,670	116,751	2,004,828	155,976	2,880,862
British North America.....	11,038	153,192	9,663	144,567	62,643	859,018	79,793	1,097,138	92,060	1,308,201
Central American States and British Honduras.....	300	3,190	305	3,875	12,269	139,965	3,254	38,469	4,795	60,506
Mexico.....	5,220	69,772	7,200	85,083	76,627	1,158,754	65,215	843,300	73,774	797,500
Santo Domingo.....	108	1,720	162	3,538	4,025	65,512	2,696	38,090	2,088	34,174
Cuba.....			2,763	35,931	27,451	286,387	23,897	258,076	64,456	730,964
Porto Rico.....			383	5,016	9,586	124,510	4,050	51,129	4,875	61,543
Other West Indies and Ber- muda.....	3,071	46,310	4,562	65,460	56,446	813,203	35,963	513,302	47,449	653,601
Argentina.....	3,620	46,365	6,227	78,059	81,186	999,491	75,096	876,362	89,035	190,730
Brazil.....	2,374	36,213	3,924	52,682	53,877	700,007	48,705	623,796	34,350	443,622
Colombia.....	167	2,561	276	4,436	4,363	58,211	4,355	56,838	3,752	49,736
Other South America.....	5,925	54,267	3,826	48,972	60,303	706,474	46,085	516,490	40,223	521,315
China.....	2,404	20,215			7,371	60,709	17,256	121,469	15,487	138,545
Hongkong.....	124	4,210	97	1,184	(a)	(a)		967	14,592	2,401
Japan.....	165	2,244	29	377	20,290	172,588	7,685	62,237	1,257	13,828

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.										
LUMBER (M feet)—Continued.										
Exported to (M feet)—Cont'd.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
British Australasia	4,216	49,576	4,985	49,867	63,943	636,761	40,801	451,564	46,817	510,687
Other Asia and Oceanica	4,135	37,340	4,678	44,249	32,043	323,415	42,536	405,118	53,704	520,597
Africa	1,125	41,049	8,623	121,428	44,691	726,012	22,456	447,939	41,929	704,476
Other countries			78	1,162	389	7,441	147	2,171	243	3,945
Total boards, deals, etc.	73,932	1,129,514	110,304	1,944,040	912,942	13,500,122	826,269	12,467,989	1,007,458	15,592,906
Shingles	6,222	9,606	6,861	11,732	58,508	103,231	50,524	101,040	73,734	126,939
Shooks—										
Box		39,766		46,804		529,492		486,860		434,290
Other	17,981	25,594	24,983	41,633	695,858	597,606	544,079	557,895	683,524	590,866
Staves	3,879,623	302,002	3,711,573	354,882			54,142,759	3,559,750	44,325,545	3,718,302
Heading		29,709		9,339		3,922,031		227,328		177,006
All other		354,837		251,660		3,162,470		3,256,880		3,081,295
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Doors, sash, and blinds		81,500		70,925		557,404		817,515		1,136,907
FURNITURE, N. E. S.—										
United Kingdom		102,540		86,616		935,183		1,027,463		1,083,625
France		4,872		4,115		183,334		234,447		74,952
Germany		28,917		13,143		255,073		314,084		173,741
Other Europe		20,752		22,303		218,696		260,253		231,208
British North America		46,244		35,427		631,801		523,434		439,536
Central American States and										
British Honduras		3,070		4,113		156,364		74,586		37,489
Mexico		14,094		20,547		197,864		157,095		241,771
Santo Domingo		991		1,808		12,016		11,657		9,042
Cuba				13,776		34,288		24,910		92,248
Porto Rico				4,461		15,700		6,041		23,914
Other West Indies and Bermuda		8,290		10,104		137,300		113,260		97,170
Argentina		2,257		17,222		89,638		62,224		77,157
Brazil		937		3,345		51,537		36,010		32,819
Colombia		2,027		3,608		40,831		33,410		29,969
Other South America		5,903		1,978		101,682		75,962		66,555
China		530		360		30,046		21,320		10,093
East Indies—British		500		244		16,061		18,555		7,138
Japan		825		990		27,845		27,424		16,552
British Australasia		14,574		9,927		205,058		185,924		250,650
Other Asia and Oceanica		10,102		21,307		109,827		147,236		243,232
Africa		45,459		23,913		332,969		343,178		330,570
Other countries		233		265		2,030		3,378		1,944
Total furniture, n. e. s.		313,117		299,572		3,785,143		3,701,851		3,571,375
Hogsheads and barrels, empty ..		19,227		11,852		267,345		236,860		210,137
Trimmings, moldings, and other										
house finishings		35,185		33,769		197,934		287,494		376,273
Wooden ware		53,399		66,853		531,480		500,042		728,591
Wood pulp	2,712,147	45,928	2,307,177	35,757	(a)	(a)	50,428,161	536,670	55,952,270	696,319
All other		275,913		277,673		3,253,110		3,017,787		2,995,683
Total wood and manufac-										
tures of		3,563,858		4,363,625		39,624,800		37,513,252		41,679,416
Wool, and manufactures of:										
Wool, raw			684,871	110,143	5,271,535	619,932	121,139	18,071	1,683,419	237,350
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Carpets	26,412	21,528	5,388	4,939	247,213	189,579	192,891	164,274	107,779	81,138
Dress goods	2,092	1,268	531	383	(a)	(a)	80,979	41,472	27,657	16,936
Flannels and blankets		3,603		1,795		57,373		47,439		42,672
Wearing apparel		25,258		45,254		385,845		429,033		538,334
All other manufactures of		18,325		17,139		315,011		407,414		368,330
Total manufactures		69,982		69,510		947,808		1,089,632		1,017,407

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EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	1898		1899		1897		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Zinc, and manufactures of:		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Ore tons..	1, 213	33, 958	1, 645	47, 660	5, 311	122, 765	11, 310	313, 370	15, 489	418, 145
MANUFACTURES OF—										
Pigs, bars, plates, and sheets										
..... lbs..	1, 912, 617	94, 746	95, 897	5, 488	35, 869, 987	1, 756, 617	25, 892, 221	1, 251, 246	18, 321, 375	972, 076
All other manufactures of.....		6, 768		21, 889		72, 943		88, 422		184, 894
Total, not including ore.....		101, 514		27, 377		1, 829, 560		1, 339, 668		1, 156, 970
ALL OTHER ARTICLES		566, 320		573, 151		4, 670, 126		4, 560, 145		5, 893, 652
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE		93, 012, 297		94, 579, 230		1, 032, 007, 603		1, 210, 291, 913		1, 204, 123, 134
CARRIED IN—										
CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES		6, 098, 582		7, 873, 101		50, 308, 566		67, 058, 739		77, 159, 770
AMERICAN STEAM VESSELS		1, 512, 721		6, 309, 961		53, 694, 482		45, 485, 753		55, 494, 817
FOREIGN STEAM VESSELS:	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	
Belgian.....	1, 425, 361		1, 335, 831				18, 752, 879		16, 488, 412	
British.....	60, 263, 890		51, 054, 853				776, 246, 060		753, 389, 367	
Dutch.....	1, 098, 592		2, 337, 648				20, 474, 037		26, 562, 948	
French.....	1, 615, 871		1, 437, 959				16, 728, 339		15, 760, 064	
German.....	8, 489, 212	77, 549, 112	10, 700, 608	73, 138, 263		a 826, 851, 289	90, 850, 821	992, 518, 662	109, 425, 869	993, 765, 956
Italian.....	146		190, 278				942, 122		2, 561, 651	
Norwegian.....	2, 049, 475		2, 314, 154				24, 353, 368		25, 382, 818	
All other.....	2, 015, 595		3, 766, 932				44, 169, 026		44, 194, 827	
AMERICAN SAILING VESSELS		2, 029, 619		2, 146, 596		23, 461, 110		19, 221, 038		20, 005, 833
FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS:										
Belgian.....									2, 889	
British.....	3, 599, 653		2, 659, 568				58, 151, 413		32, 778, 791	
Dutch.....	156, 038		159, 776				708, 889		1, 142, 518	
French.....	115, 217		47, 193				1, 660, 418		978, 317	
German.....	658, 225	5, 822, 263	323, 095	5, 111, 309		a 68, 692, 156	8, 309, 819	86, 007, 721	6, 601, 061	57, 696, 758
Italian.....	365, 226		537, 374				4, 427, 681		4, 252, 310	
Norwegian.....	755, 445		1, 022, 693				8, 822, 446		7, 544, 656	
All other.....	232, 457		359, 610				3, 927, 064		4, 396, 216	

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EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Animals (number):								
Cattle.....dut.....					23	1,230	4,307	63,770
Horses.....free.....					8	2,550	3	102
Do.....dut.....	43	19,430	4	4,130	191	91,728	212	60,145
Sheep.....dut.....					67	390	61	875
All other, including fowls.....free.....						203		9,050
Do.....dut.....						6,946		6,367
Total.....		19,430		4,130		103,047		140,309
Antimony ore.....free..lbs..					2,246	157	32,075	627
Antimony ore, as regulus or metal.....dut..lbs..	815	64			29,364	2,016	16,815	1,275
Articles, the growth, produce, and manufacture of the United States, returned, n. e. s.....free.....				5		200		125
Articles for the use of the United States, etc.....free.....						144		
Art works.....free.....				3,100		84,303		14,305
Do.....dut.....		4,092		21,834		310,778		445,424
Asphaltum or bitumen, crude.....dut..tons..	354	6,719	13	210	510	10,516	1,000	19,606
Bolting cloths.....free.....				9				1,009
Bones, horns, and hoofs, unmanufactured.....free.....				43		5,833		4,158
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....dut.....		283		43		2,387		802
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....free.....		2,794		2,450		37,473		25,189
Do.....dut.....		715		5,653		20,878		28,994
Brass, and manufactures of.....dut.....				107		1,343		1,401
Breadstuffs:								
Barley.....dut..bush..							86	29
Corn.....dut..bush..							1,480	463
Wheat.....dut..bush..	21,145	25,409			1,874,432	1,810,644	1,930,429	1,447,797
Wheat flour.....dut..bbls..	2	12			1,430	4,923	1,044	3,898
All other, and preparations of, etc.....free.....		266		206		6,812		4,903
Do.....dut.....		338		34		5,269		3,260
Total.....		26,025		240		1,827,648		1,460,350
Bristles (pounds):								
Crude, not sorted, bunched, or prepared.....free.....					46	18	4,321	2,740
Sorted, bunched, or prepared.....dut.....	1,846	2,300	1,120	279	25,481	21,571	46,366	19,150
Total.....	1,846	2,300	1,120	279	25,521	21,589	50,687	21,890
Brushes.....dut.....		3		45		1,875		929
Buttons and button forms.....dut.....		120		55		2,013		1,980
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....dut..lbs..	33,359	130	942,881	4,012	3,938,602	14,709	9,210,308	34,675
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:								
Alizarin and alizarin colors or dyes, etc.....free..lbs..	3,568	476	896	181	14,680	2,046	41,799	6,962
Argols, or wine lees.....dut..lbs..					375	19	4,312	700
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....dut.....		4,412		2,918		48,285		40,648
Cochineal.....free..lbs..					404	113		
DYEWOODS—								
Logwood.....free..tons..	9	201	4	148	58	1,209	126	3,072
All other.....free.....				4,790		10,511		6,623
Extracts and decoctions of.....dut..lbs..	56,175	4,093	5,015	418	112,634	8,112	146,836	19,509
Total.....		4,296		5,356		19,832		29,204
Glycerin.....dut..lbs..					56,146	4,812		
Gums (pounds)—								
Arabic.....free.....	2,130	469	1,637	252	19,587	4,510	44,532	8,860
Camphor, crude.....free.....					713	107	908	294
Chicle.....dut.....			2,132	260			166,405	27,045
Copal, cowrie, and dammar.....free.....			27,438	2,932			370,583	41,151
Gambier, or terra japonica.....free.....	3,030	90			196,568	7,101	262,035	8,350
Shellac.....free.....	3,621	661	3,931	659	40,834	8,830	69,867	13,815
All other.....free.....		11,273		6,113		168,270		106,329
Total.....		12,493		10,216		188,818		205,844

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ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes—Continued.								
Indigo.....free..lbs.			7,974	3,904	196,307	123,812	117,040	82,594
Licorice root.....free..lbs.							490	40
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....free..lbs.					24,660	393		
Do.....dut..lbs.					34,359	489	110	3
Mineral waters, all not artificial.....free.galls.					155	114		
Mineral waters.....dut.galls.	620	233	889	383	3,925	1,427	10,079	4,399
OPICUM (pounds)—								
Crude or unmanufactured.....free.					50	100		
Do.....dut.	359	752	13,563	28,164	8,029	15,762	55,938	131,140
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....dut.					3	25	4	60
POTASH (pounds)—								
Chlorate of.....free.					1,108	99		
Do.....dut.					18,416	1,426	55,160	4,036
Muriate of.....free.					128,300	2,575	74,298	1,495
Nitrate of, or saltpeter, crude.....free.					12,180	220	111,417	4,294
All other.....free.			1,074	57	44,155	2,211	31,183	887
Total.....			1,074	57	204,159	6,531	271,968	10,712
Quinia, sulphate of, etc.....free..ozs.			11,095	2,890	200	55	12,228	3,236
SODA—								
Caustic.....dut..lbs.	31,706	527	89,418	1,502	1,499,803	27,151	1,068,492	19,239
Nitrate of.....free..tons.			130	4,201	886	32,574	1,059	35,091
Sal soda.....dut..lbs.					1,272	14		
Soda ash.....dut..lbs.	448,000	1,460			2,195,175	8,487	4,455,482	14,824
All other salts of.....dut..lbs.	26,444	384			110,619	1,297	31,765	350
Total.....		2,371		5,703		69,523		69,504
Sulphur, or brimstone, crude.....free..tons.	225	5,400			674	14,304	1,407	32,204
Sumac, ground.....dut..lbs.					23,359	334	24,375	383
Vanilla beans.....free..lbs.			2,980	4,480	7,889	40,707	29,863	103,300
All other.....free.		30,825		25,894		364,660		289,150
Do.....dut.		9,018		9,386		141,651		115,473
Total chemicals, drugs, and dyes.....		70,276		99,532		1,043,833		1,125,547
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....dut..lbs.	600	165			12,145	1,832	14,324	1,632
Clays or earths of all kinds.....dut..tons.	2	53			67	450	210	1,270
Clocks and watches, and parts of (dutiable):								
Clocks, and parts of.....				179		702		4,580
Watches, and watch materials, etc.....		3				1,279		813
Coal, bituminous.....dut..tons.	123	246	697	943	5,032	5,351	7,272	7,235
Cocoa, or cacao, crude, etc.....free..lbs.	116,128	12,937	166,631	24,807	1,394,626	196,618	2,361,336	307,861
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....dut..lbs.			2,110	422	3,103	813	3,668	812
Coffee.....free..lbs.	1,767,509	280,121	2,090,447	198,713	18,823,371	2,393,450	30,070,195	2,905,286
Copper, and manufactures of:								
Ore and regulus.....free..tons.			64	6,093	668	96,739	4,762	727,472
Pigs, bars, ingots, etc.....free..lbs.	8,130,330	350,475			22,374,167	1,381,197	1,517,933	76,868
Manufactures of.....dut.		178		374		6,130		6,786
Total, not including ore.....		350,653		374		1,387,327		83,657
Cork wood or cork bark, unmanufactured.....free.		13,190		8,450		93,177		75,455
Cork, manufactures of.....dut.		1,674		6,089		10,391		11,350
Cotton, and manufactures of:								
Unmanufactured.....free..lbs.					499,684	41,659	293,998	31,147
Waste or locks.....free..lbs.							10,960	274
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Cloth (square yards)—								
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....					1,525	167	18,901	1,104
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	13,985	1,041	24,376	3,499	1,012,910	78,125	215,459	19,649
Total.....	13,985	1,041	24,376	3,499	1,014,435	78,292	234,360	20,753
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		452		1,413		16,654		12,417
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		1,197				8,330		7,324
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		6,165		981		28,166		14,912
Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs.					3,140	1,241	3,602	1,244
All other.....		5,100		15,421		157,413		122,701
Total manufactures.....		13,955		21,314		290,036		179,351

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ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Earthen, stone, and china ware (dutiable):								
CHINA, PORCELAIN, FARIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>
Not decorated or ornamented.....		99		367		1,936		7,637
Decorated or ornamented.....		272		1,360		13,060		21,665
All other.....				362		12,526		4,875
Total.....		371		2,089		27,522		34,177
Eggs.....doz.....dut.							24	50
Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....dut.		137		5,738		15,407		41,226
Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....dut.		103		1,012		5,789		6,859
Feathers, flowers, etc., artificial, for millinery use.....dut.		128		169		11,170		1,267
Fertilizers (free, tons):								
Guano.....				8				8
Phosphates, crude or native.....					75	2,088	200	2,241
All other.....				490		794		16,572
Total.....				498		2,882		18,821
Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—								
Flax, hackled.....dut.					26	2,379	5	454
Hemp, and tow of.....free.					57	5,117		
Hemp, hackled.....dut.	98	8,220	253	10,900	305	26,128	582	50,940
Istle or Tampico fiber.....free.	97	6,800	301	29,523	778	55,852	1,582	137,450
Jute and jute butts.....free.					2	95		
Manila.....free.	582	93,664	253	46,282	2,166	291,042	824	126,426
Sisal grass.....free.			323	45,577	1,469	117,310	1,777	250,934
All other.....free.	39	2,969	6	500	126	17,239	165	10,839
Total unmanufactured.....	816	111,653	1,141	132,782	4,929	515,162	4,935	577,043
MANUFACTURES OF (pounds)—								
Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.....dut.		1				1,066		465
Bags for grain, made of burlaps.....free.						350		
Bags of jute.....dut.		1,349		7,363		12,924		26,738
Burlaps.....free.						24		
Do.....dut.		1,463				11,495		
Cables, cordage, and twine, n. e. s.....dut.			90	32	38,544	3,995	676	125
Coir yarn.....free.	115,171	2,700	81,920	4,052	172,870	4,430	125,160	5,945
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds.....dut.			6,882	1,181			16,083	3,552
Fabrics, plain, woven of single jute yarn.....dut.				22				34,102
Handkerchiefs.....dut.				1,389				2,279
Oilcloths.....sq. yds.....dut.							1,553	1,157
Twine, binding.....free.							1,125	124
Yarns or threads.....dut.					13,946	3,648	66	17
All other.....dut.		3,921		8,238		62,033		47,756
Total manufactures.....		9,494		22,277		99,965		122,260
Fish (pounds):								
FRESH—								
Lobsters, canned or uncanned.....free.	1,152	192			6,266	1,191	43,786	6,629
All other.....dut.						203		
CURED OR PRESERVED (dutiable)—								
Anchovies and sardines, etc.....		4,377		883		17,298		12,116
Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	701,749	24,126	714,301	27,269	10,855,511	350,406	8,010,455	295,805
Herring—								
Dried or smoked.....	293,567	6,888	249,191	4,688	5,214,166	97,311	1,943,982	43,855
Pickled or salted.....					65,647	2,180	94,943	2,346
Mackerel, pickled or salted.....			1,000	49	19,400	1,177	13,600	737
Salmon, pickled or salted.....					18,800	1,182	153,473	23,932
All other.....		1,679		5,520		25,029		70,787
Total.....		37,262		38,409		495,977		456,207
Fruits, including nuts (pounds):								
Bananas.....free.		57,442		71,434		301,405		345,036
Currants.....dut.	38,528	1,564	12,711	370	1,118,238	36,460	385,564	11,334
Dates.....dut.	1,926	94	27,590	852	170,560	6,097	286,890	9,201
Figs.....dut.	339	13	788	25	64,554	3,886	152,765	7,437
Lemons.....dut.		379		329		9,560		7,613

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ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Fruits, including nuts (pounds)—Continued.								
Oranges.....dut.....				179		9,939		11,279
Plums and prunes.....dut.....	100	3			3,831	603	1,660	250
Raisins.....dut.....	61,371	2,241	58,235	2,033	559,170	24,978	388,695	18,275
Prepared or preserved.....dut.....		554		456		17,675		9,081
All other.....free.....		7,361		8,473		47,668		47,453
Do.....dut.....		3,360		24,815		75,668		107,907
Total fruits.....		73,013		108,976		533,639		574,866
NUTS—								
Almonds.....dut.....	13,499	1,871	11,562	629	82,774	7,830	231,192	17,914
Cocanuts.....free.....		1,211		2,179		4,737		8,116
Do.....dut.....						2,667		
All other.....dut.....		1,336		486		18,085		16,429
Total fruits and nuts.....		77,431		112,270		566,958		617,325
FURS:								
Fur and fur skins, undressed.....free.....		6,673		4,502		79,499		149,990
Furs, and manufactures of.....dut.....		9,136		4,031		152,763		88,600
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....dut.....doz..	190	119	50	34	2,174	1,481	1,593	1,033
Glass and glassware (dutiable):								
Bottles, etc., empty or filled.....		223		168		1,677		1,829
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs.....			12,740	259	62,364	1,142	32,922	776
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, silvered.....sq. ft.....			1,500	45		7	1,500	45
Plate glass, cast, polished, unsilvered.....sq. ft.....					900	215		
All other.....		59		266		14,604		7,924
Total.....		282		738		17,645		10,574
Glue.....dut.....lbs.....	2,772	415			19,379	2,744	7,215	679
Grease and oils, n. e. s.....free.....						570		2,199
Grease, n. e. s.....dut.....		273				3,672		18,451
Hair:								
Unmanufactured.....free.....						1,651		4,427
Manufactures of.....dut.....						1,082		1,328
Total.....						2,733		5,855
Hats, bonnets, and hoods, materials for, etc. free.....						9,622		
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....dut.....		425		1,487		28,676		9,159
Materials for, etc.....dut.....		1,857		3,895		56,161		70,581
Hides and skins, other than fur skins (pounds):								
Goatskins.....free.....	22,606	7,155	25,621	8,234	698,328	212,362	405,802	118,430
All other, except hides of cattle, etc.....free.....	17,317	2,650	55,082	10,745	780,475	84,302	492,859	81,741
Hides of cattle.....dut.....	205,840	22,428	330,112	36,187	7,057,057	678,167	3,548,455	432,460
Total.....	245,763	32,233	410,815	55,166	8,535,860	974,831	4,447,116	632,631
Hide cuttings, raw, and other glue stock.....free.....								2,477
Hops.....dut.....lbs.....	4,035	1,010			36,921	7,084	22,746	6,004
Household and personal effects, etc.....free.....		1,001		1,040		47,914		11,295
India rubber and gutta-percha, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Gutta-percha.....			55,135	37,485	11,853	8,320	153,337	102,120
India rubber.....	184,079	127,978	91,983	68,231	2,717,418	1,462,973	2,806,494	1,840,482
Total unmanufactured.....	184,079	127,978	147,118	105,716	2,729,271	1,471,293	2,959,831	1,942,602
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gutta-percha.....		39				209		41,634
India rubber.....		357		20		101,648		21,382
Total manufactures.....		396		20		101,857		63,016
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Pig iron.....dut.....tons.....			61	630	376	4,502	741	8,976
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....dut.....tons.....			18	150	66	385	107	998
Bar iron.....dut.....lbs.....	1,339	46	7,768	298	53,658	1,876	57,317	2,017
Bars, railway, of iron or steel.....dut.....tons.....					402	15,400		
Hoop, band, or scroll.....dut.....lbs.....	138	22			138	22	145	25
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, of steel, etc.....dut.....lbs.....	287	120	4,498	233	33,639	3,179	91,488	3,646
Sheet plate, and taggers iron or steel.....dut.....lbs.....	51,894	1,306	55,253	2,201	1,992,029	53,815	358,295	9,793
Tin plates, terne plates, and taggers tin.....dut.....lbs.....	262,700	5,672	3,066	96	867,978	21,174	497,813	14,480
Wire rods.....dut.....lbs.....					293,250	5,865		
Wire, and articles made from.....dut.....lbs.....	148	118	232	24	115,643	5,231	164,963	3,446

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JUNE —				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE —			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Anvils.....dut...lbs..					6,149	221		
Chains.....dut...lbs..					843	50	700	50
Cutlery.....dut.....		457		265		13,498		10,418
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....dut.....						17		132
Firearms.....dut.....		5,157		1,636		14,548		19,171
Needles, hand sewing and darning.....free.....						11		129
Machinery.....dut.....		552		18,536		26,214		218,309
Shotgun barrels, forged, rough-bored.....free.....						728		
All other.....dut.....		12,031		3,395		118,033		135,239
Total, not including ore.....		25,481		27,464		284,778		426,838
Ivory (free, pounds):								
Animal.....					1,880	4,308	2,310	6,113
Vegetable.....	69,655	1,307			576,659	10,284	640,089	9,537
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:								
Diamonds, rough or uncut, including miners', etc., not set.....free.....		802				802		
Diamonds, n. e. s., not set.....dut.....				25,000		309		25,067
Other precious stones, rough or uncut.....free.....								661
Other precious stones and imitations of, not set.....dut.....				142		7,214		52,924
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....dut.....		512		6,589		11,499		28,954
Lead, and manufactures of (dutiable, pounds):								
Lead in ore and base bullion.....	11,344,216	157,756	15,965,882	336,342	138,596,838	2,478,577	159,098,697	2,604,963
Pigs, bars, and old.....			2,900	88			9,909	351
Manufactures of.....						24,048		584
Leather, and manufactures of:								
LEATHER (dutiable)—								
Band or belting, and sole leather.....				471		10,605		11,013
Calfskins, tanned, etc.....				120		1,496		13,237
Skins for Morocco.....		796				6,967		737
Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....		700				7,309		35,187
Total leather.....		1,496		591		26,377		60,174
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Gloves, of kid or other leather.....		1,561		11,226		4,209		25,711
All other.....		794		357		27,721		20,898
Total manufactures.....		2,355		11,583		31,930		46,609
Malt, barley.....dut...bush..			1,610	938			1,610	938
Malt liquors (dutiable, gallons):								
In bottles or jugs.....	1,343	1,126	1,389	1,173	9,169	7,119	12,245	8,578
In other coverings.....							4,180	1,265
Total.....	1,343	1,126	1,389	1,173	9,169	7,119	17,425	9,843
Manganese ore or oxide.....free...tons..	1	49			16	134	34	268
Marble and stone, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
Marble, and manufactures of.....				235		2,454		1,773
Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....		1,422		286		3,841		2,003
Total.....		1,422		521		6,295		3,776
Matting for floors.....free...rolls..					69	204		
Matting and mats for floors.....dut...sq. yds..	4,260	333	1,040	108	68,557	7,283	123,463	13,832
Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of (dut.):								
Bronze manufactures.....						1,718		1,123
All other.....		3,335		911		38,609		72,864
Total.....		3,335		911		40,417		73,987
Musical instruments.....dut.....		138		2,928		7,406		8,206
Oils (gallons):								
ANIMAL OR RENDERED—								
Whale and fish.....dut.....			5,114	1,519	17,520	6,841	38,021	12,200
Other.....dut.....	84	75			84	75	64	62
MINERAL.....free.....	240	27				27	90	10
Do.....dut.....	31	27			1,799	308	1,090	141
VEGETABLE—								
Fixed or expressed—								
Olive.....dut.....	396	380	141	185	2,035	2,414	4,129	4,271
Other.....free.....		2,649		1,547		27,418		20,171
Do.....dut.....		2,539		1,792		27,451		27,700
Volatile or essential and distilled.....free.....		1,072		1,872		53,958		19,847
Do.....dut.....		6,877		1,877		17,016		9,325
Total.....		13,646		8,702		135,508		93,727

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>	Quantities.	Values. <i>Dollars.</i>
Paints, pigments, and colors..... free.....						¹		
Do..... dut.....		993		1,459		12,568		19,178
Paper stock, crude (free; see also Wood pulp):								
Rags, other than woolen..... lbs.....					43,878	825	26,839	414
All other.....						1,024		120
Total.....						1,849		534
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Lithographic labels and prints, n. e. s. dut.....				508				701
Parchment papers..... dut..... lbs.....							9,593	586
All other paper..... dut.....		801		1,777		19,275		18,890
Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc..... dut.....		813		17		6,847		10,924
Pipes and smokers' articles..... dut.....				140		1,130		5,612
Plants, trees, shrubs, and vines..... dut.....								6,139
Platinum..... free..... lbs.....			1	16			1	16
Plumbago..... free..... tons.....					5	269	165	11,697
Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products (dut.):								
MEAT PRODUCTS—								
Meat and meat extracts.....		4,119		279		6,662		15,464
All other.....		3,772		45		8,132		61,075
DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—								
Butter.....					3,399	767	2,302	500
Cheese.....	1,454	303	16,149	2,476	96,393	13,764	279,947	31,385
Milk, condensed.....		163		618		1,280		2,041
Total.....		8,357		3,418		30,605		110,465
Rice..... dut..... lbs.....	1,347,577	27,954	1,373,466	27,728	10,305,694	183,432	19,114,498	411,033
Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....							2,800	70
Total.....	1,347,577	27,954	1,373,466	27,728	10,305,694	188,432	19,117,298	411,123
Salt..... free..... lbs.....					67,260	66		
Do..... dut..... lbs.....	410,000	300	125,600	450	5,067,521	4,276	4,192,618	5,549
Total.....	410,000	300	125,600	450	5,134,721	4,342	4,192,618	5,549
Sausage casings..... free.....				748		750		17,919
Seeds (bushels):								
Linseed or flaxseed..... dut.....					2,172	1,375		
All other..... free.....		168		390		6,110		12,972
Do..... dut.....		299		30		9,880		2,654
Total.....		467		420		17,365		15,626
Shells, unmanufactured..... free.....		3,517		2,594		36,002		39,784
Silk, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (free, pounds)—								
Raw, or as reeled from the cocoon.....	9,819	33,956	15,713	57,869	83,385	245,638	68,566	228,831
Waste.....							490	276
Total unmanufactured.....	9,819	33,956	15,713	57,869	83,385	245,638	69,046	229,101
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—								
Clothing, ready-made, etc.....		392		188		14,338		30,331
Dress and piece goods.....		401		1,187		21,906		75,299
Laces and embroideries.....				827		8,103		8,041
Ribbons.....		222		518		812		2,185
Spun silk, in skeins, etc..... lbs.....							14,542	47,675
Velvets, plushes, and other pile fabrics..... lbs.....							1,260	3,536
All other.....		3,045		7,470		65,865		123,788
Total manufactures.....		4,060		10,190		111,074		290,855
Soap (dutiable, pounds):								
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....					455	115	2,506	671
All other.....		337		463		7,493		8,323
Total.....		337		463		7,608		8,994
Spices:								
UNGROUND (pounds)—								
Nutmegs..... free.....	206	73	25	10	21,024	5,869	20,203	7,158
Pepper, black or white..... free.....	52,855	6,461	50,077	5,471	920,876	69,761	836,955	85,677
All other..... free.....	31,915	3,812	53,062	6,204	693,463	75,671	1,732,148	156,801
Do..... dut.....	2,864	303	2,786	203	152,827	7,579	156,058	6,539
Total.....	87,840	10,679	105,950	11,888	1,788,190	158,880	2,745,364	256,175

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):								
Of domestic manufacture, returned (subject to internal-revenue tax).....free					964	881	21,604	22,057
Brandy.....dut	862	2,537	46	199	8,470	12,056	2,535	5,876
All other.....dut	3,364	4,931	15,340	25,633	32,365	48,070	56,422	96,718
Total.....	4,226	7,468	15,386	25,832	41,799	61,007	80,561	124,651
Sponges.....dut		10,460		14,132		89,192		92,664
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....dut				8				11,092
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:								
Molasses.....free...galls					4,009	922		
Molasses above 40° polariscopic test.....dut...galls	28,693	3,153	26,290	4,468	148,641	20,518	190,046	30,934
SUGAR (pounds)—								
Not above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet.....dut					100	6	28,000	650
Cane.....free					490	40	183,325	7,338
Cane and other.....dut	257,118	5,320	28,660	1,353	7,600,956	135,027	888,002	19,209
Above No. 16 Dutch standard—								
Beet, cane, and other.....dut	240,457	5,534	788,701	27,637	5,817,629	147,582	5,999,539	174,246
Total sugar.....	497,575	10,854	817,361	28,990	13,419,175	282,655	7,098,866	201,438
Confectionery.....dut				21		2,457		1,231
Tea.....free...lbs	303,238	28,061			3,260,420	445,753	170	50
Do.....dut...lbs			40,409	5,423			1,254,913	151,718
Tin, in bars, blocks, pigs, etc.....free...lbs	90,691	13,596	27,084	6,250	1,047,991	148,232	823,686	167,401
Tobacco, and manufactures of (dutiabie, pounds):								
LEAF—								
Suitable for cigar wrappers.....	80,124	71,398	78,522	65,033	945,040	883,644	811,919	701,843
Other.....	188,289	113,330	64,669	19,126	1,418,482	564,166	1,164,959	585,940
Total leaf.....	268,413	184,728	143,191	84,159	2,363,522	1,447,830	1,976,878	1,287,783
MANUFACTURES OF—								
Cigars, cigarettes, etc.....	775	857	879	1,745	20,631	28,016	12,387	19,563
All other.....				31		460		1,657
Total manufactures.....		857		1,776		28,476		21,220
Toys.....dut		16		55		9,995		2,341
Vegetables (dutiabie, bushels):								
Beans and dried pease.....			733	472	41,916	40,243	19,889	25,655
Onions.....	139	166	4	4	231	299	132	171
Potatoes.....					196	64		
Pickles and sauces.....		90		75		2,463		1,596
All other—								
In their natural state.....				142		648		5,360
Prepared or preserved.....		322		824		9,663		15,027
Total.....		578		1,517		53,380		47,809
Wines (dutiabie):								
Champagne, and other sparkling.....doz	358	4,605	262	4,584	2,920	39,797	2,557	32,872
STILL WINES—								
In casks.....galls	1,825	1,529	5,249	4,441	31,615	14,653	21,388	12,470
In other coverings.....doz	503	1,328	246	571	5,166	15,495	3,126	9,295
Total.....		7,462		9,596		69,855		54,637
Wood, and manufactures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED—								
Cabinet woods—								
Mahogany.....free..M feet	65	6,050	211	21,425	1,575	114,214	2,695	215,920
All other.....free		1,079		73		50,845		31,230
Logs and round timber.....free..M feet							7	647
Timber, hewn, etc.....dut..cub. ft					27,365	3,928	22,329	2,521
Lumber—								
Boards, planks, etc.....free..M feet					4,874	132,809		
Do.....dut..M feet	2,131	31,875	4,142	49,631	21,311	309,850	30,783	318,985
Shingles.....dut..M					1,523	1,523		
Other lumber.....dut		5				1,062		1,615
All other unmanufactured.....free		45,139		12,328		183,821		162,415
Do.....dut				151		292		1,655

EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—			
	1898		1899		1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Wood, and manufactures of—Continued.								
MANUFACTURES OF (dutiable)—		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.
Cabinet ware or house furniture		1, 197		5, 106		6, 725		11, 265
Wood pulp.....tons.....							321	3, 497
All other.....		12, 928		1, 405		125, 254		133, 024
Total wood, and manufactures of.....		98, 273		90, 089		930, 323		882, 674
Wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, etc., and manu- factures of:								
UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—								
Class 1—Clothing: In the grease.....free.....					13, 084	2, 355		
Do.....dut.....	389, 042	52, 302	1, 065, 820	193, 621	1, 964, 635	252, 514	11, 551, 601	1, 835, 245
Scoured.....dut.....					26, 925	4, 914	22, 215	2, 291
Class 2—Combing: In the grease.....free.....					3, 581	895		
Do.....dut.....			726	74	275, 702	55, 410	2, 992	402
Scoured.....dut.....			160, 000	25, 685			205, 740	38, 316
Class 3—Carpet: In the grease.....dut.....			125, 000	10, 000	203, 636	21, 795	629, 368	65, 706
Scoured.....dut.....					17, 269	975		
Total unmanufactured.....	389, 042	52, 302	1, 351, 546	229, 380	2, 504, 832	338, 858	12, 411, 916	1, 941, 963
MANUFACTURES OF WOOL (dutiable)—								
Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds.....	730	2, 105	681	2, 011	4, 620	21, 483	7, 079	17, 370
Clothing, etc., except shawls and knit goods.....		859		537		34, 669		19, 423
Cloths.....lbs.....	1, 459	547	29, 790	17, 858	135, 444	79, 174	136, 061	74, 342
Dress goods, women's and children's.....sq. yds.....	70, 878	9, 919	35, 201	8, 849	383, 048	59, 411	345, 498	76, 689
Knit fabrics.....				402		768		572
Shoddy, mungo, flecks, etc.....lbs.....	14, 692	698			946, 960	94, 505	86, 915	8, 187
Shawls.....		54		355		3, 207		2, 440
Yarns.....lbs.....					207	81	1, 073	485
All other.....		2, 026		4, 875		51, 373		51, 768
Total manufactures.....		16, 208		34, 887		344, 671		251, 276
Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of (dutiable):								
In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs.....					46, 184	1, 584	32, 581	1, 306
Manufactures of.....						241		128
Total.....						1, 825		1, 434
All other articles.....free.....		489		6, 447		175, 127		73, 793
Do.....dut.....		4, 698		17, 745		102, 271		251, 885
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE FREE OF DUTY.....		1, 176, 277		762, 376		9, 677, 363		9, 504, 493
TOTAL VALUE OF MERCHANDISE DUTIABLE.....		790, 149		1, 242, 202		11, 513, 054		13, 577, 792
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS OF FOREIGN MER- CHANDISE.....		1, 966, 426		2, 004, 578		21, 190, 417		23, 082, 285
FROM WAREHOUSE.....		1, 074, 335		1, 021, 230		10, 225, 689		12, 217, 721
NOT FROM WAREHOUSE.....		892, 091		983, 348		10, 964, 728		10, 864, 564
CARRIED IN CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.....		523, 273		616, 316		6, 224, 965		6, 715, 068
CARRIED IN AMERICAN VESSELS: Steam.....		66, 057		143, 885		2, 371, 746		2, 654, 559
Sailing.....		17, 892		13, 506		713, 613		432, 706
CARRIED IN FOREIGN VESSELS: Steam.....		1, 289, 688		1, 194, 939		11, 515, 617		12, 958, 730
Sailing.....		69, 516		35, 932		364, 476		321, 222

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
EUROPE.										
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	369,284	573,089	554,412	324,247	8,158,323	4,716,510	6,551,256	4,023,011	5,697,912	7,378,935
Azores, and Madeira Islands.....	5,443	3,016	9,076	73,816	12,535	23,797	9,823	208,809	364,828	361,252
Belgium.....	579,016	935,533	3,612,819	3,355,071	14,082,414	8,741,826	10,552,777	33,071,555	47,619,201	44,239,239
Denmark.....	9,270	33,003	1,092,843	1,284,667	356,355	211,877	280,198	10,194,857	12,697,421	16,605,828
France.....	3,249,588	4,484,886	8,479,851	4,925,983	67,530,231	52,730,848	62,145,337	57,594,541	95,459,290	60,596,899
Germany.....	7,780,609	7,037,855	11,623,907	11,221,813	111,210,614	69,697,378	84,242,795	125,246,088	155,039,972	155,772,279
Gibraltar.....	838	112	1,263	23,570	26,462	32,519	17,996	332,245	304,829	567,961
Greece.....	33,947	32,134	2,813	1,537	732,702	910,390	944,521	110,763	127,559	213,507
Greenland, Iceland, etc.....	8,993				40,056	144,227	78,408		225	159
Italy.....	2,123,269	2,477,191	1,441,481	1,425,654	19,067,352	20,332,637	24,832,713	21,592,423	23,290,858	25,034,940
Malta, Gozo, etc.....	182	48	3,631	12,029	8,647	13,476	9,770	29,520	64,352	144,080
Netherlands.....	1,232,092	1,444,697	4,541,396	5,568,176	12,824,126	12,525,065	14,457,620	51,045,011	64,274,524	79,305,998
Portugal.....	289,142	162,966	898,116	509,243	2,234,291	2,605,370	2,975,504	2,520,058	3,532,057	4,132,400
Roumania.....			898	1,404		12		42,065	111,154	140,048
Russia, Baltic, etc.....	161,900	72,525	686,112	295,583	1,885,967	2,825,608	2,830,223	5,995,204	6,251,202	7,301,068
Russia, Black Sea.....	81,833	21,685	43,593	27,219	1,333,692	1,714,081	1,710,161	1,607,072	1,084,880	1,185,599
Servia.....					12,646	12,095				217
Spain.....	194,198	333,330	34,736	700,929	3,631,973	3,575,565	3,982,363	10,912,745	10,228,545	9,077,807
Sweden and Norway.....	201,425	212,330	582,637	1,199,248	2,500,118	2,675,053	2,605,555	5,463,641	6,313,786	12,218,289
Switzerland.....	755,540	894,028	18,741	20,799	13,849,782	11,380,835	14,826,694	70,871	263,970	267,732
Turkey in Europe.....	273,743	212,680	12,295	46,480	2,766,094	2,119,337	2,359,302	54,767	139,075	354,457
United Kingdom.....	7,681,381	9,932,093	39,237,995	37,676,416	167,947,820	108,945,185	118,472,048	483,270,398	540,940,605	511,816,475
Total Europe.....	25,031,693	28,864,101	72,838,609	68,693,894	430,192,205	305,933,691	353,885,064	813,385,644	973,806,245	936,781,169
NORTH AMERICA.										
Bermuda.....	3,207	30,212	72,480	116,960	621,831	459,282	494,812	854,832	986,915	1,065,388
British Honduras.....	17,594	18,661	46,416	53,125	226,683	171,920	198,203	569,767	576,111	499,839
British North America:										
Nova Scotia, New Brun-										
swick, etc.....	450,670	494,987	295,073	528,347	5,751,302	4,095,331	3,708,462	4,247,724	4,538,968	4,710,543
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	2,705,088	2,212,836	7,950,478	6,563,505	30,919,400	23,143,411	23,044,926	57,139,661	74,917,794	79,028,342
British Columbia.....	361,473	412,121	422,240	386,271	3,638,669	4,631,744	4,449,776	3,541,436	4,257,324	4,239,227
Newfoundland and Lab-										
rador.....	7,831	24,241	88,454	166,216	413,421	372,115	383,168	1,099,904	1,175,733	1,595,497
Total British North										
America.....	3,525,062	3,144,185	8,756,245	7,644,339	40,722,792	32,242,601	31,586,332	66,028,725	84,889,819	89,573,609
Central American States:										
Costa Rica.....	251,998	233,377	120,029	91,773	3,439,374	2,732,426	3,581,899	1,357,472	1,520,161	1,241,191
Guatemala.....	102,312	302,977	74,934	81,977	1,862,589	1,854,303	2,111,264	3,047,181	1,261,714	1,102,779
Honduras.....	75,815	103,800	39,410	105,143	847,230	784,741	911,849	724,991	752,208	831,998
Nicaragua.....	76,378	134,312	73,788	137,613	1,262,701	1,095,865	1,514,630	1,190,695	1,049,505	1,186,950
Salvador.....	62,629	82,964	35,348	48,603	1,112,534	799,145	1,085,703	1,619,568	796,575	625,414
Total Central American										
States.....	569,132	857,430	343,599	465,109	8,524,428	7,266,480	9,205,345	7,939,907	5,320,158	4,988,332
Mexico.....	1,847,151	2,174,195	1,901,361	2,580,757	18,511,572	19,004,863	22,994,091	23,421,064	21,206,939	25,480,281
Miquelon, Langley, etc.....		2,355	11,782	9,545	139,803	161,030	86,283	167,449	205,005	194,624
West Indies:										
British.....	1,732,374	2,379,200	851,273	864,494	12,285,885	10,632,187	14,150,482	7,913,290	8,366,240	8,751,817
Danish.....	34,307	193,296	22,331	33,860	367,289	327,759	599,328	521,765	707,622	498,066
Dutch.....	12,836	88,661	53,080	70,786	96,343	174,243	246,902	652,341	544,463	474,435
French.....		128	88,043	115,239	9,944	30,888	28,725	1,679,625	1,617,130	1,512,984
Haiti.....	64,828	38,080	182,474	130,615	1,460,220	876,582	826,426	3,832,388	2,968,579	2,455,966
Santo Domingo.....	115,404	342,283	188,901	157,146	2,369,424	2,382,439	3,125,695	1,098,635	1,151,258	1,104,513
Cuba.....	266,087	3,644,904		2,123,935	18,406,815	15,232,477	25,411,410	8,253,776	9,561,656	18,615,707
Porto Rico.....	696,509	814,603		361,425	2,181,024	2,414,356	3,179,827	1,988,888	1,595,946	2,685,848
Total West Indies.....	2,922,915	7,501,435	1,386,102	3,857,498	37,176,941	32,070,631	47,588,805	25,976,717	26,442,894	36,129,336
Total North America.....	8,885,691	14,728,473	12,517,895	14,727,553	105,924,053	91,376,807	112,133,871	124,958,461	139,627,841	157,931,409

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
SOUTH AMERICA.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Argentina.....	613,443	1,032,547	565,192	1,061,910	10,772,627	5,915,879	5,112,561	6,384,984	6,429,070	9,563,510
Bolivia.....			994	1,099				5,155	20,675	31,238
Brazil.....	3,546,697	4,392,436	1,022,893	948,985	69,039,389	61,750,369	57,875,747	12,441,065	13,317,036	12,240,036
Chile.....	216,343	136,317	249,981	151,291	3,792,434	3,736,307	2,931,089	2,590,539	2,351,727	2,107,124
Colombia.....	494,960	537,322	306,226	366,316	4,730,933	5,183,604	5,123,731	3,807,165	3,277,257	3,042,694
Ecuador.....	51,036	69,711	72,397	68,366	566,526	765,590	1,054,653	734,868	855,193	882,621
Falkland Islands.....								800	1,010	
Guianas:										
British.....	197,312	153,802	180,981	166,506	3,661,956	3,060,968	3,500,207	1,565,936	1,747,375	1,749,545
Dutch.....	214,654	90,216	49,573	42,784	1,036,688	1,457,135	1,651,009	384,336	408,414	443,757
French.....			28,925	1,119	8,137	12,551	37,929	113,674	150,041	170,090
Paraguay.....				480				160	740	699
Peru.....	69,260	115,477	200,271	68,224	722,089	714,247	1,496,978	1,108,436	1,302,695	1,325,650
Uruguay.....	190,531	161,418	200,591	106,617	3,515,054	1,772,480	1,281,109	1,213,426	1,214,248	1,242,822
Venezuela.....	608,444	598,000	195,101	224,531	9,543,572	7,722,564	6,507,847	3,417,522	2,746,261	2,851,634
Total South America.....	6,232,590	7,287,246	3,073,125	3,208,228	107,389,405	92,091,694	86,576,020	33,768,646	33,821,701	35,660,932
ASIA.										
Aden.....	297,945	134,476	600	111,261	1,503,802	2,017,756	1,924,941	991,397	593,345	993,741
China.....	831,734	1,079,962	956,167	1,743,695	20,403,862	20,326,436	18,619,268	11,924,433	9,992,894	14,493,440
East Indies:										
British.....	3,074,633	3,587,555	164,842	603,159	20,567,122	27,238,459	32,550,312	3,844,911	4,696,013	4,341,936
Dutch.....	841,762	1,147,950	225,025	471,106	15,004,866	14,529,335	21,313,945	2,094,109	1,201,416	1,548,973
French.....			29,147	175				135,183	152,265	7,632
Portuguese.....					519		9			
Hongkong.....	69,331	97,874	524,923	659,305	923,842	746,517	2,479,274	6,060,039	6,265,200	7,732,525
Japan.....	2,042,718	1,094,140	1,238,812	2,014,873	24,009,756	25,223,610	26,716,493	13,255,478	20,385,541	17,264,688
Korea.....		408	10,140	6,611			408	509	125,936	141,679
Russia, Asiatic.....			62,714	155,028	201,421	111,050	113,562	413,942	618,015	1,543,126
Turkey in Asia.....	55,954	220,249	30,745	5,994	4,009,027	2,325,078	3,284,778	74,899	243,190	167,007
All other Asia.....		542	16,716	10,049	70,389	76,352	78,431	480,005	433,976	124,814
Total Asia.....	7,214,137	7,363,156	3,259,858	5,811,256	87,294,597	92,594,593	107,081,421	39,274,905	44,707,791	48,360,161
OCEANICA.										
Auckland, Fiji, etc.....		10,850					926,849	19,776	4,743	10,121
British Australasia.....	800,156	473,030	1,390,157	1,375,090	5,900,144	5,578,898	3,502,402	17,460,283	15,609,863	19,777,129
French Oceanica.....	11,778	31,386	20,627	43,547	378,144	185,121	290,557	330,364	300,684	287,124
German Oceanica.....			1,650	1,763	4,594			11,102	8,721	27,573
Hawaiian Islands.....	2,221,731	2,933,479	580,212	712,710	13,687,799	17,187,380	17,831,463	4,690,075	5,907,155	9,305,470
Spanish Oceanica.....					5,047	8,811	10,649		4,070	6,853
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....	7,199	550	4,733	3,884	40,971	68,005	25,814	46,576	39,982	56,522
Philippine Islands.....	453,234	61,882	14,447	67,778	4,383,740	3,830,415	4,409,774	94,597	127,804	404,171
Total Oceanica.....	3,494,098	3,511,177	2,011,826	2,204,772	24,400,439	26,859,230	26,997,508	22,652,773	22,003,022	29,874,993
AFRICA.										
British Africa.....	52,660	23,813	1,073,188	1,543,634	1,468,994	875,338	1,311,282	13,096,643	12,027,142	15,155,610
Canary Islands.....				6,814	49,909	26,283	24,293	297,878	274,827	216,626
French Africa.....	35,280	53,361	9,818	18,243	254,755	476,836	585,629	302,010	663,186	543,555
German Africa.....					96			320	2,139	
Liberia.....			1,267		7,023	6,670	9,390	11,443	12,683	18,412
Madagascar.....	1,319	78			17,088	16,772	1,475	473,353	229,798	1,134
Portuguese Africa.....			110,175	172,634	23,233	15,343	7,169	1,869,933	2,898,058	1,595,008
Spanish Africa.....						33		4,740	29,674	
Turkey in Africa:										
Egypt.....	238,262	701,377		103,727	7,027,035	5,017,707	7,489,929	323,761	816,915	494,196
Tripoli.....		1,211	57,883		119,238	65,810	60,066	37		278
All other Africa.....	80,101	188,842	25,079	93,173	562,352	692,847	953,737	573,019	559,188	659,005
Total Africa.....	407,622	970,682	1,277,410	1,938,225	9,529,713	7,193,659	10,442,970	16,953,127	17,515,730	18,594,424
Grand total.....	51,265,241	61,724,835	94,978,723	96,583,708	764,730,412	616,049,654	697,116,854	1,050,993,556	1,231,482,830	1,227,203,088

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
RECAPITULATION.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Europe	25,031,693	28,864,101	72,838,609	68,693,894	430,192,205	305,933,691	353,885,064	813,385,644	973,806,245	936,781,169
North America	8,885,091	13,728,473	12,517,895	14,727,333	105,924,053	91,376,807	112,133,871	424,958,461	139,627,841	157,931,409
South America	6,232,590	7,287,246	3,073,125	3,208,228	107,389,405	92,091,694	86,576,020	33,768,646	33,821,701	35,660,932
Asia	7,214,137	7,363,156	3,259,358	5,811,256	87,294,597	92,594,593	107,081,421	39,274,905	44,707,791	48,360,161
Oceanica	3,494,098	3,511,177	2,011,826	2,204,772	24,400,439	26,859,230	26,997,508	22,652,773	22,003,022	29,874,993
Africa	407,622	970,682	1,277,410	1,938,225	9,529,713	7,193,639	10,442,970	16,953,127	17,515,730	18,594,424

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.	Europe.	North America.	South America.	Asia and Oceanica.	Africa and other countries.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893	458,450,093	183,732,712	102,207,815	113,621,824	8,388,478	666,400,922	661,976,710	119,788,889	32,639,077	27,421,831	5,838,687	847,665,194
1894	295,077,865	166,962,559	100,147,107	87,644,320	5,162,771	654,994,622	700,870,822	119,693,212	33,212,310	32,786,943	5,577,285	892,140,572
1895	383,645,813	133,915,682	112,167,120	95,077,290	7,164,060	731,969,965	627,927,692	108,575,594	33,525,935	30,434,288	7,074,656	807,538,165
1896	418,639,121	126,877,126	108,828,462	114,206,986	11,172,979	779,724,674	673,043,753	116,567,496	36,297,671	42,827,258	13,870,760	882,606,938
1897	430,192,205	105,024,053	107,389,405	111,695,036	9,529,713	764,730,412	813,385,644	124,958,461	33,768,646	61,927,678	16,953,127	1,050,993,556
1898	305,933,691	91,376,807	92,091,694	119,453,823	7,193,639	616,049,654	973,806,245	139,627,841	33,821,701	66,710,813	17,515,730	1,231,482,330
1899	353,885,064	112,133,871	86,576,020	134,078,929	10,442,970	697,116,854	936,781,169	157,931,409	35,660,932	78,235,154	18,594,424	1,227,203,083

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Alexandria, Va.		185			11,412	11,006	7,970			
Arroostook, Me.	10,595	7,807			130,125	121,895	170,945			180
Baltimore, Md. (a)	792,462	913,852	8,603,921	7,799,261	11,371,193	8,907,118	9,151,155	85,692,651	118,845,580	107,156,240
Bangor, Me. (a)	89,089	92,862	82,829	147,775	1,094,912	768,224	791,180	1,303,911	1,911,523	3,485,237
Barnstable, Mass.					17,521	6,735	709			
Bath, Me. (a)	1,242	1,528			52,004	44,740	64,655	656		4,338
Beaufort, S. C.			9,264	12,110	118,610	66,761	52,125	3,262,695	2,426,877	940,134
Belfast, Me.	1,031	1,014	467	576	17,395	8,433	8,814	1,795	1,913	1,994
Boston and Charlestown, Mass. (a)	3,996,158	5,571,766	9,089,466	10,675,285	90,178,419	51,475,094	52,097,960	100,857,281	117,531,903	128,037,149
Bridgeton, N. J.	12,000				44,220	83,222	61,340	28,993		
Bristol and Warren, R. I.					5,201	3,653	2,608			
Brunswick, Ga.		28	154,559	221,332	16,936	31,630	45,975	7,396,241	10,602,410	10,421,488
Castine, Me.	131	799			2,915	9,163	2,372	10,154	44,631	10,702
Charleston, S. C. (a)	69,533	18,338	95,735		984,113	1,311,533	997,879	10,872,026	11,440,130	8,059,158
Delaware (a)	15,810	19,414	395,772	404,898	113,536	236,939	216,835	4,724,644	4,003,629	3,874,175
Edgartown, Mass.					1,707	1,583				210
Fairfield, Conn.	27,377	30,353			217,054	244,694	307,757	1,927		
Fall River, Mass.	1,193	2,749			73,610	20,842	6,165			
Fernandina, Fla. (a)			201,500	209,000	28,874	604	25,740	1,526,963	1,801,418	2,424,496
Frenchman Bay, Me.					1,474	1,496	923			
Georgetown, D. C.	9,377	21,008			195,794	177,897	192,414			
Georgetown, S. C.								6,919	231	
Gloucester, Mass.	2,957	360			59,765	40,168	41,456	9,421	3,459	530
Hartford, Conn.	16,814	21,557			662,455	271,404	213,562			
Machias, Me.	175	30		1,746	2,677	965	1,511	2,287	1,831	2,064
Mablehead, Mass.	255				56,814	16,862	2,539			
Newark, N. J.	49,317	27,069	37,012	138,593	205,131	575,405	369,502	642,888	1,000,536	706,864
New Bedford, Mass.		2,579	1,355	4,091	500,136	18,382	5,406	11,276	13,342	9,925
Newburyport, Mass.					5,022		617	15		
New Haven, Conn.	6,775	20,821			220,233	178,705	164,789			
New London, Conn.		825			32,010	14,530	39,316			
Newport, R. I.	1,349	7,851			28,455	15,593	14,840			
Newport News, Va. (a)	91,095	196,127	2,112,342	2,402,535	1,169,315	1,066,727	1,332,426	22,109,575	30,287,521	28,177,817
New York, N. Y. (a)	31,824,944	39,634,942	47,215,880	40,814,252	480,603,589	402,281,650	465,558,936	391,679,907	445,515,794	459,444,217
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. (a)	415	1,322	1,197,557	777,036	121,858	201,080	208,005	18,581,532	13,978,478	13,831,233
Panama, N. C.					2,929	1,876	2,337	1,904	2,993	3,855
Passamaquoddy, Me.	54,769	54,137	32,514	54,118	522,585	409,333	342,365	343,985	455,991	549,320
Perth Amboy, N. J.	639	480	107,787	100,055	82,108	207,642	204,333	906,479	976,376	1,117,514
Petersburg, Va.					681		327			
Philadelphia, Pa. (a)	3,502,621	3,673,909	4,087,182	5,172,117	48,072,672	31,419,997	41,222,528	47,305,273	56,244,436	60,950,065
Plymouth, Mass.	2,081	809			15,502	5,967	7,761			
Portland and Falmouth, Me. (a)	30,086	49,879	17,135	562,442	577,295	433,275	652,191	4,106,200	6,347,176	9,713,447
Portsmouth, N. H.		864			24,732	17,275	17,014			
Providence, R. I.	43,963	134,413			962,849	686,247	860,392	4,129	1,291	2,974
Richmond, Va.	5,239	3,343			89,529	40,302	53,360		4,000	
Sag Harbor, N. Y.						6,752	2,892			
St. Augustine, Fla.					2,431	13,751	8,997	2,426	300	
St. Johns, Fla.	23	20	17,253	8,661	17,113	15,337	37,752	101,567	138,539	176,308
St. Marys, Ga.								34,691	36,438	19,273
Salem and Beverly, Mass.	1,836	112			43,088	25,441	11,354	25		
Savannah, Ga. (a)	44,838	15,783	1,105,833	1,212,859	415,906	391,634	376,154	23,442,727	28,938,166	24,029,572
Stonington, Conn.	2,649	2,903			27,694	14,723	9,797			
Waldoboro, Me.	4,557	2,707			51,183	44,259	34,381			
Wilmington, N. C.		9,111	26,438	13,703	155,428	186,421	142,923	8,225,272	9,761,606	7,586,526
Wiscasset, Me.	128				78	2,210	4,995	6,533	6,486	11,023
Total	40,714,119	50,543,656	74,531,801	70,732,445	639,407,219	592,145,575	576,150,279	733,204,968	892,325,066	870,748,028
GULF PORTS.										
Apalachicola, Fla.	99		46,685	23,876	3,023	106	1,374	364,080	353,715	396,436
Brownsville, Tex.	2,650	3,269	6,005	17,816	194,981	139,217	72,677	214,115	196,782	194,572
Corpus Christi, Tex.	31,700	81,756	376,281	549,161	860,829	1,021,419	1,118,593	5,242,886	4,415,453	6,214,777

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
GULF PORTS—Cont'd.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Galveston, Tex. (a).....	250,957	365,709	892,360	1,706,779	779,101	1,166,180	2,921,366	58,198,174	68,428,621	78,476,681
Key West, Fla. (a).....	29,577	69,916	436	146,882	569,072	460,084	295,918	526,523	521,515	1,742,313
Mobile, Ala. (a).....	93,143	204,424	199,497	599,915	848,129	1,124,401	1,590,648	10,131,342	9,584,248	8,902,119
New Orleans, La. (a).....	713,952	1,554,896	6,122,164	5,904,952	16,618,727	9,664,457	11,907,659	101,494,120	112,826,681	88,182,878
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	71,312	88,533	339,451	551,490	1,670,970	1,492,890	1,046,550	6,074,497	4,108,319	5,023,225
Pearl River, Miss.....	.....	.....	129,750	151,575	4,613	528	439	1,673,286	1,371,538	1,704,939
Pensacola, Fla. (a).....	7,040	363	350,818	1,288,217	532,083	182,234	53,400	8,021,112	8,211,429	14,214,690
St. Marks, Fla.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	266	21	.....	.....	.....	3,666
Saluria, Tex.....	54,041	62,112	246,454	305,598	640,149	654,198	908,950	1,439,586	2,225,928	2,868,878
Tampa, Fla. (a).....	5,870	88,637	16,500	43,875	636,223	464,593	702,444	837,526	547,353	956,235
Teche, La.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	2	2,952	2,600	.....
Total.....	1,260,332	2,519,615	8,726,404	11,341,136	23,358,166	16,370,453	20,620,020	194,240,199	212,794,182	208,881,409
PACIFIC PORTS.										
Alaska.....	40,261	14,373	23,130	4,567	96,694	175,235	196,251	27,206	30,705	45,729
Arizona.....	66,674	223,098	138,082	179,703	768,469	1,757,422	1,485,231	1,027,491	1,188,381	1,518,380
Humboldt, Cal.....	.....	.....	14,978	3,474	1,183	1,181	2,006	162,027	146,725	195,678
Los Angeles, Cal. (a).....	15,849	58,463	757	691	504,028	476,042	769,472	7,499	110,440	4,090
Oregon, Ore.....	704	284	.....	2,600	323,051	88,390	18,742	420,639	372,236	150,049
Puget Sound, Wash. (a) ..	354,723	204,934	1,056,466	1,253,039	7,066,131	5,058,069	7,239,718	11,864,925	17,918,626	15,200,320
San Diego, Cal. (a).....	16,754	32,810	4,795	457,846	222,063	198,477	397,115	199,540	491,139	1,425,861
San Francisco, Cal. (a)...	3,565,667	3,743,452	1,362,173	2,220,235	34,375,945	42,821,945	35,747,535	39,047,606	41,223,759	30,214,904
Southern Oregon, Ore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	16,833	6,166	.....
Willamette, Ore. (a).....	268,756	70,563	899,273	391,967	1,317,040	1,444,452	1,503,355	6,578,896	13,883,426	8,966,924
Total.....	4,329,388	4,348,877	3,499,654	4,514,122	44,674,612	52,021,213	47,359,425	59,952,662	75,371,603	57,721,935
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.										
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	252,786	263,004	547,230	785,452	4,001,346	3,631,815	3,675,047	5,015,247	7,339,127	8,010,354
Cape Vincent, N. Y.....	18,854	30,823	18,674	24,828	266,149	188,053	202,062	126,710	264,807	196,151
Champlain, N. Y.....	440,815	339,528	908,871	754,910	4,822,570	2,803,573	2,788,747	4,666,158	6,101,430	6,834,278
Chicago, Ill. (a).....	1,069,615	971,211	1,259,385	696,402	11,527,552	10,141,413	12,153,814	2,309,549	7,488,886	7,074,812
Cuyahoga, Ohio (a).....	112,703	75,725	411,504	319,061	1,602,868	985,205	1,203,196	1,498,103	1,822,813	2,175,849
Detroit, Mich. (a).....	206,223	190,472	1,231,178	1,496,419	3,226,463	2,206,033	2,153,229	11,080,772	13,309,801	13,615,977
Duluth, Minn. (a).....	27,077	920	205,634	630,880	1,273,907	1,861,376	1,286,389	3,818,624	3,931,572	4,498,976
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	4,573	486	.....	.....	6,393	4,709	7,938	.....	.....	.....
Erie, Pa.....	.....	155,036	98	903	20,030	7,495	273,033	15,873	3,691	2,182
Genesee, N. Y. (a).....	47,136	40,891	147,482	105,749	655,968	544,094	622,622	810,000	832,128	1,005,709
Huron, Mich. (a).....	705,905	159,259	554,319	805,954	2,719,262	2,491,597	2,108,049	6,722,018	6,837,046	7,099,895
Memphremagog, Vt.....	183,847	212,220	273,504	135,673	.....	1,368,532	2,041,172	.....	1,900,672	2,254,882
Miami, Ohio (a).....	8,612	8,351	83,842	120,386	354,865	68,267	167,885	752,049	1,215,021	891,053
Michigan, Mich. (a).....	95,619	.....	.....	11,810	394,751	278,911	277,815	26,448	18,789	11,810
Milwaukee, Wis.....	74,381	73,972	105	274	500,914	675,018	624,557	2,761	105	1,327
Minnesota, Minn.....	84,077	85,831	45,900	32,556	1,046,567	694,985	1,283,135	117,357	66,168	275,061
Montana and Idaho.....	5,254	4,566	9,985	3,185	156,228	142,136	204,593	50,470	125,036	86,654
Niagara, N. Y.....	180,238	248,145	530,428	573,546	3,187,805	1,753,082	1,773,809	5,803,106	7,232,247	6,978,367
North and South Dakota.....	37,439	56,044	428,887	816,767	503,999	813,663	724,272	1,987,412	4,488,935	6,360,687
Oswegatchie, N. Y. (a) ..	592,625	362,533	331,265	513,948	5,806,542	5,127,309	8,731,505	3,662,013	4,894,891	3,710,651
Oswego, N. Y.....	68,590	74,779	247,619	328,263	896,871	588,858	500,556	1,721,551	1,798,270	1,820,230
Sandusky, Ohio.....	5,146	10,885	5,948	4,818	60,382	79,512	53,759	14,664	30,356	115,678
Superior, Mich. (a).....	75,151	53,533	319,089	929,138	435,052	303,891	395,896	4,469,750	3,459,095	8,009,243
Vermont, Vt.....	226,577	284,840	655,638	789,186	6,599,928	2,718,504	2,835,248	8,924,959	7,819,774	7,770,996
Total.....	4,433,243	3,703,054	8,216,585	9,910,144	50,066,412	39,478,025	45,588,328	63,595,594	80,980,660	89,400,822
INTERIOR PORTS. (b)										
Albany, N. Y.....	4,076	10,051	.....	.....	122,304	89,678	120,554	133	.....	.....
Atlanta, Ga.....	.....	1,283	.....	.....	26,453	9,048	17,171	.....	.....	1,550
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	61,418	140,247	.....	.....	1,220,978	891,998	1,234,089	.....	.....	.....
Columbus, Ohio.....	3,169	3,381	.....	.....	98,030	78,480	94,416	.....	.....	.....
Council Bluffs, Iowa.....	2,212	2,191	.....	.....	7,426	11,854	20,636	.....	.....	.....
Denver, Colo.....	6,111	.....	4,279	.....	76,176	71,735	101,682	.....	4,279	193,067
Des Moines, Iowa.....	2,637	7,405	23,696	21,846	34,324
Dubuque, Iowa.....	1,480	3,810	34,046	17,524	51,459

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CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND PORTS OF DE- LIVERY.	JUNE—				TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE—					
	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS (a)— Continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Evansville, Ind.	156	2,960			11,119	5,292	20,872			
Grand Rapids, Mich.	3,048	2,527			102,121	68,069	157,079			
Indianapolis, Ind.	48,468	38,153			326,538	300,331	306,889			
Kansas City, Mo.	18,850	13,808		1,961	391,370	269,989	255,378			5,486
Knoxville, Tenn.		79					1,809			
Lincoln, Nebr.	684	849			21,598	18,762	19,694			
Louisville, Ky.	22,633	20,386			423,394	271,075	267,870			
Memphis, Tenn.	2,149	1,272			87,595	41,755	44,323			
Nashville, Tenn.	963	5,305			44,402	40,930	21,158			
Omaha, Nebr.	10,734	9,035		84,000	238,488	286,707	375,131		6,600	250,791
Pittsburg, Pa.	22,582	36,699			941,558	648,837	839,816			
St. Joseph, Mo.	13,257	14,479			108,380	104,289	133,218			
St. Louis, Mo.	295,775	290,503			2,667,290	2,579,011	3,029,044			
Sioux City, Iowa	91	24			25,053	4,154	26,162			
Springfield, Mass.	3,385	1,360			147,879	80,703	65,820			
Syracuse, N. Y.	4,268	3,835			78,100	119,321	160,198			
Total	528,149	669,633	4,279	85,961	7,224,003	6,034,388	7,398,802	133	10,879	450,894
Grand total	51,265,231	61,724,835	94,978,723	96,583,808	764,730,412	616,049,654	697,116,854	1,050,993,556	1,231,482,330	1,227,203,088
RECAPITULATION.										
Atlantic ports	40,714,119	50,543,656	74,531,801	70,732,445	639,407,219	502,145,575	576,150,279	733,204,968	862,325,006	870,748,028
Gulf ports	1,260,322	2,519,615	8,726,404	11,341,136	23,358,166	16,370,453	20,620,020	194,240,199	212,794,182	208,881,409
Pacific ports	4,329,388	4,348,877	3,499,654	4,514,122	44,674,612	52,021,213	47,359,425	59,952,662	75,371,603	57,721,935
Northern border and lake ports	4,433,243	3,703,054	8,216,585	9,910,144	50,066,412	39,478,025	45,588,328	63,595,594	80,980,660	89,400,822
Interior ports	528,149	669,633	4,279	85,961	7,224,003	6,034,388	7,398,802	133	10,879	450,894

FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.	Atlantic ports.	Gulf ports.	Pacific ports.	Northern border and lake ports.	Interior ports.	Total.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1893	717,360,074	35,755,310	51,067,607	52,923,430	9,294,501	866,400,922	624,278,456	137,623,470	42,349,866	43,413,402		847,665,194
1894	537,643,885	27,796,696	42,353,998	41,692,558	5,507,485	654,994,622	652,921,714	133,211,018	34,302,557	48,769,648		869,204,937
1895	613,737,342	18,865,503	40,568,501	51,016,783	7,781,536	731,969,965	590,392,743	130,275,045	36,879,310	49,991,067		807,538,165
1896	645,204,456	20,728,964	49,679,945	56,153,380	7,957,929	779,724,674	635,841,697	141,362,346	45,012,888	60,389,603	404	882,606,938
1897	639,407,219	23,358,166	44,674,612	50,066,412	7,224,003	764,730,412	733,204,968	194,240,199	59,952,662	63,595,594	133	1,050,993,556
1898	502,145,575	16,370,453	52,021,213	39,478,025	6,034,388	616,049,654	862,325,006	212,794,182	75,371,603	80,980,660	10,879	1,231,482,330

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MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON JUNE 30, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

[Abbreviation: n. e. s., not elsewhere specified.]

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				ARTICLES.	JUNE—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
Animals (number):		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	Cotton, manufactures of—Continued.				
Horses	29	15,525	49	14,780	Thread (not on spools), yarn, warps, etc.....lbs.	137,030	<i>Dollars.</i> 42,832	106,134	<i>Dollars.</i> 31,620
All other, including fowls.....				170	All other.....		241,248		525,521
Total.....		15,525		14,950	Total manufactures.....		841,201		1,101,400
Art works.....		109,122		5,641	Earthen, stone, and china ware:				
Asphaltum, or bitumen, crude.....tons..	214	2,595	142	1,359	CHINA, PORCELAIN, PAIRIAN, BISQUE, ETC.—				
Bones and horns, manufactures of.....		6,414		5,154	Not decorated or ornamented.....		44,635		56,854
Books, music, maps, engravings, etc.....		32,884		30,211	Decorated or ornamented.....		270,720		211,573
Brass, manufactures of.....		892		19,736	All other.....		3,764		6,065
Breadstuffs:					Total.....		325,119		274,492
Oatmeal.....lbs..	2,683	115	3,568	139	Eggs.....doz.			50	2
Wheat.....bush..			16,180	11,959	Feathers and downs, crude, not dressed, etc.....		29,062		34,120
Wheat flour.....bbls..			64	247	Feathers and downs, natural, dressed, colored, etc.....		49,293		1,323
All other, and preparations of, etc.....		34,874		13,344	Feathers, flowers, fruits, etc., artificial.....		34,201		72,585
Total.....		34,989		25,689	Fibers, vegetable, etc., and manufactures of:				
Bristles, sorted, bunched, or prepared.....lbs..	88,082	54,445	95,384	65,616	UNMANUFACTURED (tons)—				
Brushes.....		16,686		17,249	Hemp.....	25	5,241	25	5,269
Buttons and button forms.....		8,364		6,680	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Cement, Roman, Portland, etc.....lbs..	3,397,098	9,472	2,958,539	8,546	Bagging, gunny cloth, etc.....		9,190		37,011
Chemicals, drugs, and dyes:					Bags, of jute.....		42,005		1,249
Coal-tar colors and dyes.....		293,297		136,269	Burlaps, except for bagging for cotton.....		562,544		
Glycerin.....lbs..	156,129	10,634	153,877	10,534	Cables, cordage, and twine.....lbs.	9,926	1,785	10,193	2,589
Gum chicle.....lbs..			1,108,782	170,283	Carpets and carpeting.....sq. yds..			21,613	6,501
Lime, chloride of, or bleaching powder.....lbs..			185,600	1,945	Fabrics, plain, woven, etc.....				46,004
Logwood and other dyewoods, extracts and decoctions of.....lbs..	326,341	25,533	370,675	22,116	Handkerchiefs.....				27,513
Mineral waters.....galls..	46,951	12,022	59,505	10,366	Oilcloths.....sq. yds.			1,835	741
OPIUM—					Yarns or threads.....lbs..	23,967	5,610	49,652	13,491
Crude, or unmanufactured.....lbs..	45,708	91,254	171,158	374,735	All other.....		1,500,285		1,464,931
Prepared for smoking, and other, etc.....lbs..	26,634	169,075	12,387	156,285	Total manufactures.....		2,121,428		1,600,030
Potash, chlorate of.....lbs..	7,283	454	8,960	410	Fish (pounds):				
SODA—					Fresh.....				33
Caustic.....lbs..	1,309,040	22,844	769,866	9,505	CURED OR PRESERVED—				
Soda ash.....lbs..	383,245	1,842	8,697	472	Anchovies and sardines, etc.....		173,265		157,517
All other salts of.....lbs..	190,729	1,440	81,730	800	Cod, haddock, etc., dried, smoked, etc.....	1,132,826	37,706	1,150,302	40,525
Sumac, ground.....lbs..	124,175	830	440,346	6,700	Herring—				
All other.....		331,095		280,474	Dried or smoked.....	417,948	10,105	1,332,868	34,656
Total chemicals, drugs, etc.....		960,340		1,180,894	Pickled or salted.....	124,562	4,225	231,406	8,754
Chicory root, raw, unground.....lbs..			43,645	1,534	Mackerel, pickled or salted.....	61,221	3,656	21,724	1,967
Chocolate, prepared, etc. (not confectionery).....lbs..	52,615	7,829	6,039	1,408	Salmon, pickled or salted.....	43,700	2,605	41,400	2,575
Clays or earths of all kinds.....tons..	1,902	12,984			All other.....		38,553		11,127
Clocks and watches, and parts of:					Total.....		270,115		257,154
Clocks, and parts of.....		41,439		34,084	Fruits, including nuts (pounds):				
Watches, and parts of, etc.....		24,998		28,109	Currants.....	1,141,089	40,174	2,502,179	38,833
Total.....		66,437		62,193	Dates.....	896,258	24,254	555,998	16,641
Coal, bituminous.....tons..	152	535	2,030	4,809	Figs.....	78,554	3,843	785,124	21,808
Cocoa, prepared, etc.....lbs..	13,861	2,707	12	9	Plums and prunes.....	1,846	226	1,930	291
Copper, manufactures of.....		5,806		6,010	Raisins.....	159,828	7,253		
Cork, manufactures of.....		12,449		25,826	Prepared or preserved.....		44,133		52,160
Cotton, manufactures of:					All other.....		1,322		1,277
CLOTHS (square yards)—					Total fruits.....		121,205		131,010
Not bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	2,937	229	11,479	928	NUTS—				
Bleached, dyed, colored, etc.....	1,420,448	195,717	417,361	59,649	Almonds.....	700,714	71,506	1,771,887	214,742
Total.....	1,423,385	195,946	428,840	60,577	All other.....		99,372		82,905
Clothing, ready made, etc.....		18,328		23,219	Total fruits and nuts.....		292,083		428,657
Knit goods: Stockings, hose, etc.....		285,278		252,961					
Laces, edgings, embroideries, etc.....		57,569		207,502					

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON MAY 31, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				ARTICLES.	JUNE—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.		Dollars.	
Furs, and manufactures of.....		144,343		280,259	Leather, and manufactures of:				
Ginger ale or ginger beer.....doz..	2,370	1,492	6,980	5,313	LEATHER—				
Glass and glassware:					Calfskins, tanned, etc.....	41,434		422	
Bottles, vials, etc., empty or filled.....		38,595		41,948	Skins for morocco.....	182,722		29,186	
Cylinder, crown, etc., unpolished.....lbs..	1,465,550	30,170	2,604,694	60,280	Upper leather and skins, dressed, etc.....	11,354		105,071	
CYLINDER AND CROWN GLASS, POLISHED (square feet)—					Total leather.....	235,510		134,679	
Unsilvered.....	2,001	385	7,745	1,524	MANUFACTURES OF—				
Silvered.....	26,486	6,366	8,137	809	Gloves, of kid or other leather.....	242,540		152,876	
PLATE GLASS (square feet)—					All other.....	54,562		36,765	
Cast, polished, unsilvered.....	26,200	5,277	26,785	4,797	Total manufactures.....	297,102		189,641	
Cast, polished, silvered.....	20,656	9,148	60	94	Malt liquors (gallons):				
All other.....		203,688		209,004	In bottles or jugs.....	46,612	45,579	53,613	
Total.....		293,629		318,456	In other coverings.....	1,899	783	1,562	
Glue.....lbs..	156,348	16,467	44,162	14,702	Total.....	48,511	46,362	55,175	
Grease, not elsewhere specified.....		7,346		10,417	Marble and stone, and manufactures of:				
Hair, manufactures of.....		19,318		21,410	Marble, and manufactures of.....	45,034		29,719	
Hats, bonnets, and hoods.....		10,523		40,606	Stone, and manufactures of, including slate.....	8,036		6,464	
Materials for, etc.....		192,452		247,454	Total.....	53,070		36,183	
Hay.....tons..			24	154	Matting and mats for floors...sq. yds..	4,009,457	264,601	4,032,248	
Hides of cattle.....lbs..	6,805,803	811,678	6,945,610	844,994	Metals, metal compositions, and manufactures of:				
Hops.....lbs..	25,216	6,359	11,043	13,419	Bronze manufactures.....	25,092		29,829	
India rubber and gutta-percha, manufactures of:					All other.....	46,595		89,983	
Gutta-percha.....		1,942		1,589	Total.....	71,687		119,812	
India rubber.....		23,066		28,555	Musical instruments.....	74,240		67,014	
Total manufactures.....		25,008		28,144	Oils (gallons):				
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:					ANIMAL OR RENDERED—				
Pig iron.....tons..	870	9,905	45	336	Whale and fish.....	22,561	14,504	22,628	
Scrap iron and steel, etc.....tons..	73	586	60	1,269	Other.....	3,039	1,132		
Bar iron.....lbs..	7,254,461	173,186	7,349,552	183,865	Mineral.....	1,251	436	1,251	
Ingots, blooms, slabs, billets, etc.....lbs..	748,767	20,408	582,392	13,412	VEGETABLE—				
Sheet, plate, and taggers iron or steel.....lbs..	492,342	10,540	398,908	9,027	Fixed or expressed—				
Tin plates, terneplates, and taggers tin.....lbs..	4,422,901	99,108	2,123,514	46,766	Olive.....	23,172	32,612	16,921	
Wire rods.....lbs..	347,265	4,799	364,997	6,352	Other.....		24,300	30,904	
Wire, and articles made from.....lbs..	454,077	28,334	480,356	26,498	Volatile or essential and distilled.....		8,274	5,947	
MANUFACTURES OF—					Total.....		81,258	69,968	
Chains.....lbs..	6,353	908	6,353	908	Paints, pigments, and colors.....		19,375	13,858	
Cutlery.....		20,434		6,353	Paper, and manufactures of.....		49,480	37,400	
Files, file blanks, rasps, and floats.....		18		45	Perfumeries, cosmetics, etc.....		20,922	22,834	
Firearms.....		5,622		8,557	Pipes and smokers' articles.....		5,486	6,769	
Machinery.....		86,759		78,128	Provisions, comprising meat and dairy products:				
All other.....		101,543		24,000	MEAT PRODUCTS—				
Total, not including ore.....		562,150		405,516	Meat and meat extracts.....		39,022	28,216	
Jewelry, manufactures of gold and silver, and precious stones:					All other.....		1,062	1,147	
Diamonds, cut, but not set.....				10,015	DAIRY PRODUCTS (pounds)—				
Other precious stones, cut, but not set.....		2,931		2,925	Butter.....	17	2	836	
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....		22,664		35,251	Cheese.....	25,065	3,720	54,437	
Lead, and manufactures of:					Milk, condensed.....			43	
Lead in ore and base bullion.....lbs..	8,532,967	147,274	17,399,593	407,994	Total.....		43,806	37,385	
Pigs, bars, and old.....lbs..	7,834	167	59,254	1,013	Rice (pounds):				
Manufactures of.....		14,394		14,897	Rice.....	19,211,340	426,843	20,618,505	
					Rice flour, rice meal, and broken rice.....	356,264	7,550	435,006	
					Total.....	19,567,604	434,393	20,653,511	
								528,211	

MERCHANDISE REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE ON JUNE 30, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY—Continued.

ARTICLES.	JUNE—				ARTICLES.	JUNE—			
	1898		1899			1898		1899	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		Dollars.		Dollars.					
Salt.....lbs.	12,435,396	10,997	15,821,241	14,781	Wines:				
Seeds.....		29,074		35,365	Champagne, and other sparkling		Dollars.	Dollars.	
					.....doz..	15,248	238,775	24,828
Silk, manufactures of:					STILL WINES—				
Clothing, ready-made, and other		95,315		91,097	In casks.....galls..	311,652	227,194	285,345	
wearing apparel.....		715,204		698,067	In other coverings.....doz..	24,047	96,000	11,557	
Dress and piece goods.....		101,692		66,207	Total.....		561,069	584,088	
Laces and embroideries.....		112,087		113,581	Wood, n. e. s., and manufactures of:				
Ribbons.....			42,185	48,342	LUMBER—				
Spun silk, in skeins, etc.....lbs..					Boards, planks, etc....M feet..	7,237	86,833	14,723	
Velvets, plushes, and other pile			5,698	23,155	Shingles.....M..			208	
fabrics.....lbs..				402,822	Other lumber.....		375	150	
All other.....		507,414			MANUFACTURES OF—				
Total.....		1,531,712		1,443,271	Cabinet ware or house furni-		29,308	25,262	
Soap:					ture.....				
Fancy, perfumed, etc.....lbs..	8,235	4,045	6,310	3,025	Wood pulp.....tons..	7	427		
All other.....		740		1,011	All other.....		22,790	5,075	
Total.....		4,785		4,036	Total.....		139,733	170,347	
Spices, n. e. s.....lbs..	381,083	9,453	56,670	7,405	Wool, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca,				
Spirits, distilled (proof gallons):					etc., and manufactures of:				
Of domestic manufacture, returned					UNMANUFACTURED (pounds)—				
(subject to internal-revenue tax).	614,784	689,954	654,644	694,194	Class 1, clothing—				
Brandy.....	54,799	130,151	76,297	196,516	In the grease.....	25,615,312	4,409,054	17,901,002	
All other.....	185,816	162,433	170,746	173,935	Scoured.....	72,898	12,303	65,177	
Total.....	855,399	982,538	901,687	1,064,645	Class 2, combing—In the				
Spunges.....		45,010		23,665	grease.....	204,078	32,614	169,451	
Straw and grass, manufactures of.....				4,968	Class 3, carpet—In the grease.	34,547,076	3,370,208	30,162,091	
Sugar, molasses, and confectionery:					Scoured.....			24,212	
Molasses above 40° polariscopic					Total unmanufactured.....	50,439,364	7,824,180	18,321,933	
test.....galls..	306,932	40,335	762,115	101,612	MANUFACTURES OF WOOL—				
SUGAR (pounds)—					Carpets and carpeting				
Not above No. 16 Dutch stand-					.....sq. yds..	222,943	650,254	178,945
ard—					Clothing, ready-made, etc.,				
Beet sugar.....	80,199,971	1,603,980	22,516,776	480,929	except shawls and knit		27,419	33,190	
Cane and other.....	289,186,938	5,876,439	121,052,280	2,963,540	goods.....		436,487	416,296	
Above No. 16 Dutch standard..	14,463,580	345,607	13,339,646	361,797	Cloths.....lbs..	699,606	718,419	4,660,870	
Total sugar.....	389,850,479	7,826,026	156,908,702	3,806,266	Dress goods, women's and		99,862	709,017	
Confectionery.....		2,898		1,036	children's.....sq. yds..	3,363,732		83,010	
Tea.....lbs..	1,072,105	169,259	26,098,333	3,031,340	Knit fabrics.....				
Tobacco, and manufactures of:					Mungo, flocks, shoddy, etc.		45,779	240,974	
LEAF (pounds)—					.....lbs..	151,737	794	45,520
Suitable for cigar wrappers....	3,264,175	3,213,949	3,694,290	3,814,121	Shawls.....		66,254	966	
Other.....	5,534,649	2,909,914	6,749,848	3,592,358	Yarns.....lbs..	123,096	417,995	83,994	
Total leaf.....	8,798,824	6,123,863	10,444,138	7,406,479	All other.....			398,669	
MANUFACTURES OF—					Total manufactures.....		2,463,171	2,064,531	
Cigars, cigarettes, etc....lbs..	8,042	29,770	9,736	56,409	Zinc or spelter, and manufactures of:				
All other.....		4,358		14,721	In blocks or pigs, and old.....lbs..	4,409	207	6,668	
Total manufactures.....		34,128		71,130	Manufactures of.....		1,167	2,204	
Toys.....		24,688		22,962	Total.....		1,374	2,561	
Vegetables:					All other articles.....free..		434,697	553,779	
Beans and dried pease.....bush..	3,607	2,463	6,068	7,117	All other articles.....dut..		124,849	44,526	
Pickles and sauces.....		7,137		7,328	Total value of merchandise				
ALL OTHER—					FREE OF DUTY.....		1,124,651	1,247,973	
In their natural state.....		597		23	Total value of merchandise				
Prepared or preserved.....		29,218		12,162	DUTIABLE.....		36,602,313	34,708,048	
Total.....		39,415		26,630	Total value of imports of				
					merchandise REMAINING				
					IN WAREHOUSE.....		37,726,964	35,956,024	

WAREHOUSE TRANSACTIONS, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	WAREHOUSED DURING MONTH—			ADDITIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	TOTAL REMAINING IN, AND ENTERED, WAREHOUSE.	WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE DURING THE MONTH—							DEDUCTIONS BY LIQUIDATION.	REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE AT CLOSE OF MONTH.
	IN WAREHOUSE AT COMMENCEMENT OF MONTH.	Direct importation.	From other districts.			For exportation—				For transportation.	For consumption.			
						To adjacent British provinces.	To Mexico.	To other foreign countries.	Total.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894—July	44,882,579	13,868,752	1,062,880	102,094	59,916,305	78,998	5,710	388,057	472,765	520,533	6,668,110	962,178	51,292,719	
August	51,292,719	16,310,684	1,488,412	410,599	69,502,414	128,921	5,772	473,935	608,628	821,052	20,042,001	825,832	47,204,901	
September	47,204,901	5,558,127	1,023,072	1,434,690	55,220,790	115,400	6,073	329,705	451,178	845,958	18,624,120	1,763,015	33,536,519	
October	33,536,519	7,624,625	1,125,414	771,955	43,058,513	71,138	6,471	475,181	552,790	1,007,049	8,549,232	1,259,609	31,689,833	
November	31,689,833	7,303,944	986,172	463,658	40,443,607	167,054	7,526	247,920	422,500	689,587	5,912,432	819,875	32,599,213	
December	32,599,213	9,985,710	1,228,525	422,857	44,236,305	146,454	8,863	465,485	620,802	445,038	6,156,104	1,036,270	35,978,091	
1895—January	35,978,091	8,120,144	955,730	711,313	45,765,278	96,033	3,422	280,406	379,861	530,261	11,482,648	1,147,544	32,224,964	
February	32,224,964	6,039,140	780,681	683,636	39,728,424	106,189	10,966	202,986	320,141	442,247	6,410,830	1,051,507	31,503,699	
March	31,503,699	8,290,505	1,107,887	713,545	41,705,636	186,167	11,888	354,817	552,872	465,787	8,031,743	1,224,700	31,430,534	
April	31,430,534	9,436,104	1,204,219	663,610	42,734,467	80,482	6,659	351,424	438,565	394,340	6,219,506	1,258,223	34,423,833	
May	34,423,833	11,073,751	721,474	832,455	47,051,513	297,096	27,960	257,316	582,372	462,586	7,760,620	1,112,143	37,133,792	
June	37,133,792	9,883,507	677,504	650,242	48,345,045	276,574	44,973	240,768	562,315	400,558	6,852,528	816,882	39,712,762	
July	30,712,762	11,253,930	1,041,677	735,644	52,744,013	213,506	23,559	402,583	639,648	501,027	8,025,409	1,094,809	42,483,120	
August	42,483,120	9,005,593	970,624	773,715	53,233,052	180,076	35,028	309,326	524,430	604,024	9,790,619	1,083,007	41,230,972	
September	41,230,972	9,144,223	772,558	940,332	52,088,085	225,587	46,495	379,938	652,020	660,444	10,035,354	1,013,033	39,727,234	
October	39,727,234	11,218,379	787,644	609,867	52,343,124	376,491	46,783	734,366	1,157,640	663,312	9,253,061	786,987	40,482,124	
November	40,482,124	8,811,935	1,248,942	467,574	51,010,575	523,150	51,159	889,698	1,444,007	766,302	6,849,868	1,019,163	40,931,235	
December	40,931,235	9,175,807	1,332,257	396,189	51,835,488	227,858	43,686	491,487	763,031	682,725	8,083,877	760,379	41,545,476	
1896—January	41,545,476	9,466,098	1,241,533	697,197	52,950,304	146,027	45,074	386,728	577,829	398,049	10,264,199	1,052,615	40,657,612	
February	40,657,612	8,974,632	856,198	733,361	51,221,803	95,406	23,354	396,597	515,357	543,973	8,615,265	1,064,494	40,482,714	
March	40,482,714	10,325,929	820,902	754,055	52,363,600	172,850	34,153	339,335	546,338	615,749	7,821,668	909,520	42,490,325	
April	42,490,325	9,811,316	977,521	1,002,051	54,281,213	109,902	30,087	372,214	512,203	543,601	8,530,049	1,362,973	43,332,387	
May	43,332,387	12,457,105	834,267	653,118	57,276,877	276,522	41,826	608,443	926,791	553,406	7,284,658	913,039	47,598,983	
June	47,598,983	11,867,773	1,003,044	671,741	61,141,541	315,172	57,473	447,859	820,504	902,943	7,153,257	810,495	51,454,342	
July	51,454,342	9,218,544	906,877	1,140,745	62,720,508	303,546	26,112	509,258	838,910	762,222	7,990,075	1,088,193	52,041,108	
August	52,041,108	7,608,876	575,996	940,474	61,166,454	225,638	28,297	501,437	845,372	551,274	8,435,757	1,060,429	50,273,622	
September	50,273,622	8,265,443	472,529	847,929	59,859,523	76,967	28,933	449,976	555,876	483,583	9,087,057	826,766	48,906,241	
October	48,906,241	8,677,983	548,095	716,753	58,849,072	326,658	46,108	353,497	726,263	563,137	9,203,652	907,165	47,448,855	
November	47,448,855	6,342,498	647,308	74,734	54,513,395	136,020	31,166	530,236	697,422	520,006	9,141,684	473,911	43,680,372	
December	43,680,372	7,411,054	643,422	94,881	51,829,729	176,203	27,095	335,934	539,322	608,604	6,856,639	344,217	43,480,947	
1897—January	43,480,947	5,708,144	612,362	139,322	49,940,775	188,507	17,192	414,658	620,357	786,398	7,421,592	288,303	40,824,125	
February	40,824,125	5,648,020	694,940	191,146	47,358,231	322,527	11,213	525,157	858,897	415,781	6,942,467	198,303	38,942,783	
March	38,942,783	7,486,989	756,754	569,851	47,756,377	360,967	15,416	530,152	906,535	774,205	24,330,034	624,318	21,120,685	
April	21,120,685	13,443,307	543,508	599,366	35,706,866	245,315	18,091	271,752	535,158	427,325	16,215,000	312,949	18,216,434	
May	13,216,434	15,169,909	453,962	36,184	33,876,489	399,116	22,404	412,251	833,831	471,116	6,600,612	82,668	25,888,242	
June	25,888,242	12,024,945	413,165	761,639	30,057,991	97,142	33,120	428,950	559,212	475,870	19,284,520	632,666	18,135,723	
July	18,135,723	3,772,463	499,110	1,132,449	23,539,745	81,061	15,537	443,560	540,158	468,645	10,199,988	648,574	11,082,380	
August	11,082,380	4,218,947	352,105	171,952	16,425,384	98,355	17,276	465,974	581,605	355,533	1,820,558	96,404	13,571,284	
September	13,571,284	5,361,482	421,153	148,787	19,502,700	130,572	16,991	635,201	782,764	531,483	2,588,551	135,818	15,464,090	
October	15,464,090	7,435,478	467,150	31,354	23,398,072	180,144	16,296	1,205,956	1,402,396	624,463	3,099,132	53,468	18,218,613	
November	18,218,613	7,171,571	651,409	143,214	26,184,807	291,880	28,633	1,071,471	1,391,984	583,478	3,290,007	77,109	20,842,229	
December	20,842,229	8,071,225	643,884	100,459	29,657,797	112,929	35,779	441,735	590,443	530,405	4,206,761	168,046	24,162,142	
1898—January	24,162,142	6,788,515	545,379	75,157	31,571,193	189,936	10,673	542,701	743,310	621,001	5,168,343	104,254	24,934,285	
February	24,934,285	8,114,135	727,532	73,110	32,849,062	107,843	18,550	762,368	888,761	477,076	5,649,363	70,682	26,763,180	
March	26,763,180	11,527,973	649,357	71,374	39,011,884	150,804	29,850	700,756	831,410	557,988	6,165,171	106,135	31,301,180	
April	31,301,180	11,370,513	597,121	72,837	43,341,651	212,228	23,947	466,122	702,297	405,237	6,366,573	143,407	35,724,137	
May	35,724,137	9,465,432	500,659	63,254	45,753,482	210,564	32,272	403,390	646,226	601,050	7,125,815	88,000	37,292,385	
June	37,292,385	9,371,937	987,892	50,567	47,702,781	236,890	13,023	824,422	1,074,335	678,546	8,065,410	157,526	37,726,964	
July	37,726,964	9,600,498	576,516	28,121	47,932,099	191,347	8,708	415,125	615,180	705,872	6,917,202	86,981	39,596,864	
August	39,596,864	7,312,925	689,229	39,430	47,638,448	160,267	14,231	468,649	643,147	742,394	8,448,496	40,087	37,764,324	
September	37,764,324	7,181,238	498,895	77,892	45,522,349	187,765	79,885	363,835	631,485	633,127	8,950,022	80,281	35,207,434	
October	35,207,434	9,893,310	678,663	112,710	45,892,117	632,815	9,747	685,131	1,327,693	810,738	7,776,906	1,329,927	34,646,853	
November	34,646,853	8,253,449	1,043,486	185,475	44,129,262	506,572	24,581	958,488	1,489,641	676,265	7,303,894	157,196	34,502,267	
December	34,502,267	9,716,618	791,831	97,158	45,107,874	358,262	18,486	1,040,246	1,416,994	803,415	7,251,008	124,287	35,507,140	
1899—January	35,507,140	8,356,904	720,825	92,469	44,677,338	345,486	27,190	663,907	1,036,583	755,367	8,814,558	100,129	33,970,701	
February	33,970,701	8,373,108	695,149	149,687	43,188,645	186,026	23,730	528,807	738,563	650,536	7,114,645	134,359	34,550,542	
March	34,550,542	10,859,636	827,855	409,783	46,647,816	227,971	21,229	632,577	881,777	676,246	10,029,294	456,630	34,603,669	
April	34,603,669	10,524,643	630,243	163,697	45,922,252	114,752	37,210	624,446	776,408	659,431	7,819,076	146,879	36,520,458	
May	36,520,458	9,833,185	756,883	205,179	47,315,705	240,121								

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, BY MONTHS.
MERCHANDISE.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.				EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Per cent of free.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	32,815,769	40,209,877	73,025,646	44.9	55,156,878	1,384,711	56,541,589	16,484,057	.....
August.....	35,650,550	35,461,393	71,111,943	50.1	54,821,159	1,159,460	55,980,619	15,131,324	.....
September.....	30,568,563	34,736,757	65,305,320	46.8	57,063,808	1,476,255	58,540,063	6,765,257	.....
October.....	37,765,403	37,314,941	75,080,344	50.3	85,089,206	2,001,766	87,090,972	.....	12,010,628
November.....	32,559,971	30,784,846	63,344,817	51.4	85,152,500	2,160,081	87,312,581	.....	23,967,764
December.....	29,452,767	32,748,280	62,201,047	47.3	91,076,350	1,452,767	92,529,117	.....	30,328,070
1896—January	32,900,589	35,747,011	68,647,600	47.9	85,543,304	1,426,724	86,970,028	.....	18,322,428
February.....	28,513,192	33,964,924	62,478,116	45.6	76,378,143	1,323,761	77,701,904	.....	15,223,788
March.....	31,016,387	35,439,276	66,455,663	46.7	74,000,616	1,573,568	75,574,184	.....	9,118,521
April.....	28,595,639	30,053,940	58,649,579	48.8	60,402,585	1,689,162	71,091,747	.....	12,442,168
May.....	24,788,242	32,472,617	57,260,859	43.3	64,587,491	1,980,772	66,568,263	.....	9,307,404
June.....	25,130,398	31,033,342	56,163,740	44.7	64,928,447	1,777,424	66,705,871	.....	10,542,131
Total, 12 months.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
July	22,674,353	29,434,199	52,108,552	43.5	65,686,419	2,031,370	67,717,789	.....	15,609,237
August.....	20,645,161	28,823,029	49,468,190	41.7	66,689,981	1,911,025	68,601,006	.....	19,132,816
September.....	23,955,772	26,900,218	50,855,990	47.1	83,746,362	1,384,736	85,131,098	.....	34,275,108
October.....	24,013,430	26,453,889	50,467,319	47.6	111,957,796	1,558,790	113,516,586	.....	63,049,267
November.....	27,819,906	22,223,382	50,043,288	55.6	107,821,778	1,251,061	109,072,839	.....	59,029,551
December.....	32,899,388	26,081,272	58,980,660	55.8	116,087,158	1,098,768	117,185,926	.....	58,205,260
1897—January	27,299,139	24,054,879	51,354,018	53.2	92,474,282	1,477,601	93,951,883	.....	42,597,865
February.....	32,764,969	26,472,408	59,237,377	55.3	77,842,500	1,978,586	79,821,086	.....	20,593,709
March.....	41,114,784	35,236,660	76,351,444	53.8	85,420,041	1,862,206	87,282,247	.....	10,930,803
April.....	50,889,374	50,433,032	101,322,406	50.3	76,098,128	1,550,658	77,648,786	23,673,620	.....
May.....	36,702,676	42,655,471	79,358,147	46.3	76,295,675	1,575,601	77,871,276	1,486,871	.....
June.....	41,159,291	44,023,730	85,183,021	48.3	71,887,483	1,305,551	73,193,034	11,989,987	.....
Total, 12 months.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
July	29,271,389	24,403,370	53,674,759	54.5	60,911,444	1,192,524	71,103,968	.....	17,429,209
August.....	21,182,871	18,661,734	39,844,605	53.1	79,481,095	1,343,355	80,825,050	.....	40,980,445
September.....	22,059,214	20,369,912	42,429,126	52	103,097,617	1,443,295	104,540,912	.....	62,111,786
October.....	24,332,909	25,646,803	49,979,712	48.7	109,527,345	2,217,172	111,744,517	.....	61,764,805
November.....	26,383,165	25,971,486	52,354,651	50.4	114,645,003	2,027,322	116,672,325	.....	64,317,674
December.....	24,128,615	27,377,348	51,505,963	46.8	123,153,083	1,900,878	125,053,961	.....	73,547,998
1898—January	22,116,649	28,711,065	50,827,714	43.5	106,698,651	1,728,023	108,426,674	.....	57,598,960
February.....	22,588,894	30,485,755	53,074,649	42.6	93,284,932	1,632,521	94,917,453	.....	41,842,804
March.....	26,642,887	34,919,296	61,562,183	43.3	110,750,861	1,869,635	112,620,496	.....	51,058,313
April.....	24,413,855	31,502,555	55,946,410	43.6	98,013,579	1,301,237	99,314,816	.....	43,368,406
May.....	25,343,291	28,241,360	53,584,651	47.3	108,715,406	2,568,029	111,283,435	.....	57,698,764
June.....	22,920,436	28,344,795	51,265,231	44.7	93,012,297	1,966,426	94,978,723	.....	43,713,492
Total, 12 months.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
July	19,575,833	31,408,548	50,984,381	38.4	71,250,845	1,274,204	72,525,049	.....	21,540,663
August.....	21,304,444	28,372,905	49,677,349	42.9	83,157,397	1,408,164	84,565,561	.....	34,888,212
September.....	19,658,433	28,797,954	48,456,387	40.6	89,304,880	1,341,057	90,645,937	.....	42,189,550
October.....	20,163,538	32,185,988	52,349,526	38.3	116,416,821	2,202,742	118,619,563	.....	66,270,037
November.....	22,125,620	29,371,208	52,096,828	42.3	127,474,112	2,323,853	129,797,965	.....	77,701,137
December.....	21,500,293	33,638,846	55,139,139	39	135,478,359	2,372,235	137,850,594	.....	82,711,455
1899—January	26,362,783	31,876,988	58,239,771	45.2	113,855,890	1,735,556	115,591,446	.....	57,351,675
February.....	28,065,413	32,193,039	60,258,452	46.6	92,185,372	1,651,779	93,837,151	.....	33,578,699
March.....	34,497,073	38,323,673	72,820,746	47.4	102,249,456	2,303,588	104,553,044	.....	31,732,298
April.....	29,501,111	35,707,117	65,208,228	45.3	86,917,586	1,877,287	88,794,873	.....	23,586,645
May.....	31,616,300	38,544,912	70,161,212	45.1	91,250,855	2,587,242	93,838,097	.....	23,676,885
June.....	25,897,107	35,827,728	61,724,835	42	94,579,230	2,004,578	96,583,808	.....	34,858,973
Total, 12 months.....	300,267,948	396,848,906	697,116,854	43.1	1,204,120,803	23,082,285	1,227,203,088	.....	530,086,231
Twelve months ending June 30—									
1890.....	265,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	33.5	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	63,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,074,844	844,316,196	43.3	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,014
1892.....	457,999,658	363,402,804	827,402,462	55.4	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	51.3	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,686	654,994,622	58	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	49.6	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,757,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	47.4	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	49.9	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	47.3	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July.....	171,683	571,451	743,134		3,490,845		376,673	3,867,518		3,124,384
August.....	129,500	1,534,086	1,663,586	3,240	15,428,861		1,238,400	16,670,501		15,006,915
September.....	173,935	749,456	923,391	5,884	17,348,088		75,977	17,429,949		16,506,558
October.....	214,019	1,797,040	2,011,059	13,810	881,978		991,919	1,887,707	123,352	
November.....	227,308	591,309	818,617	14,760	14,045,981		13,516	14,074,257		13,255,640
December.....	110,217	1,310,448	1,420,665	7,156	14,211,410		1,269,937	15,488,503		14,067,838
1896.										
January.....	179,012	10,367,940	10,546,952	5,002	10,566,327		199	10,571,528		24,576
February.....	100,008	11,559,089	11,659,097	7,101	1,361,850		821,850	2,190,801	9,468,296	
March.....	78,883	677,733	756,616	17,940	384,080			402,020	354,596	
April.....	155,400	1,119,768	1,275,168	5,426	3,210,734		571,532	3,787,692		2,512,524
May.....	107,276	604,498	711,774	7,022	19,038,188		65,725	19,110,935		18,399,161
June.....	157,337	837,669	995,006	13,470	6,865,183		49,883	6,928,536		5,933,530
Total, 12 months.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525		5,475,611	112,409,947		78,884,882
July.....	162,058	1,505,928	1,667,986	23,295	11,391,141		517,000	11,931,436		10,263,450
August.....	232,437	4,057,101	4,289,538	2,440	1,951,104		19,000	1,972,544	2,316,994	
September.....	187,879	34,159,130	34,347,009	32,505	59,750		1,300	93,555	34,253,454	
October.....	232,686	27,961,083	28,193,769	24,839	343,168			368,007	27,825,762	
November.....	143,072	7,344,228	7,487,300	44,611	423,399			468,010	7,019,290	
December.....	233,929	2,567,115	2,801,044	25,970	404,416		1,440	431,826	2,369,218	
1897.										
January.....	386,685	556,621	943,306	70,411	371,944			442,355	500,951	
February.....	285,480	544,700	830,180	16,450	153,266		183,431	353,147	477,033	
March.....	555,273	884,166	1,439,439	3,137	173,418		398,650	575,205	864,234	
April.....	352,054	619,452	971,506	1,800	6,622,002	10	7,404	6,631,216		5,659,710
May.....	389,849	561,666	951,515	1,260	9,389,682		77,529	9,468,471		8,516,956
June.....	441,845	650,343	1,092,188	130	7,622,384		3,294	7,625,808		6,533,620
Total, 12 months.....	3,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	
July.....	346,754	592,197	938,951	2,750	5,459,119		1,000	5,462,869		4,523,918
August.....	344,174	4,376,395	4,720,569		1,983,588			1,983,588	2,736,981	
September.....	433,758	4,289,423	4,723,181		142,922			142,922	4,580,259	
October.....	423,717	11,351,766	11,775,483	1,640	281,667		30,004	313,311	11,462,172	
November.....	509,071	2,545,018	3,054,089	173	694,138		5,202	699,513	2,354,576	
December.....	472,392	2,110,013	2,582,405	4,458	573,233		305	577,996	2,004,409	
1898.										
January.....	776,638	5,716,776	6,493,414	2,468	205,945		2,450,250	2,658,663	3,834,751	
February.....	833,572	5,329,109	6,162,681		151,896		878,516	1,030,412	5,132,269	
March.....	493,575	30,214,745	30,708,320	69,873	322,788		336,046	728,707	29,979,613	
April.....	234,720	32,345,138	32,579,858	100	97,068		1,226,556	1,323,724	31,256,134	
May.....	203,477	13,118,634	13,322,111		109,016		141	109,157	13,212,954	
June.....	145,838	3,184,774	3,330,612		367,529		8,000	375,529	2,955,083	
Total, 12 months.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909		4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	
July.....	149,437	2,492,231	2,641,668	3,200	1,490,582		3,231	1,497,013	1,144,655	
August.....	226,475	15,070,336	15,296,811		1,449,712		506,196	1,955,908	13,340,903	
September.....	318,922	16,489,419	16,808,341	3,245	202,783		2,896,782	3,102,810	13,705,531	
October.....	435,896	16,302,457	16,738,353	100	356,596		923,230	1,279,926	15,458,427	
November.....	607,804	4,716,737	5,324,601	2,710	302,003		608,754	913,467	4,411,134	
December.....	591,379	8,165,893	8,757,182		159,138		1,060,500	1,219,638	7,537,544	
1899.										
January.....	549,237	5,843,107	6,392,344		1,280,053		475,398	1,755,451	4,636,893	
February.....	306,973	4,841,933	5,148,906		179,759		388,203	567,962	4,580,944	
March.....	363,641	2,823,934	3,187,575	2,810	612,251		494,784	1,109,845	2,077,730	
April.....	337,153	2,145,718	2,482,871		151,677		1,010,807	1,162,484	1,320,387	
May.....	433,110	2,637,155	3,070,265	2,100	943,290		1,103,865	2,049,255	1,021,010	
June.....	353,842	2,751,844	3,105,686		20,836,403	150	571,774	20,908,327		17,802,641
Total, 12 months.....	4,673,920	84,280,674	88,954,603	14,165	27,464,247	150	10,043,524	37,522,086	51,432,517	
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890.....	91,679	12,943,342	13,035,021	a 1,973,976	13,403,632	1,952	3,870,859	19,250,419		6,215,398
1891.....	214,803	18,232,567	18,447,370	a 34,542	84,939,551	209	1,423,103	86,397,405		67,950,035
1892.....	249,304	49,099,454	49,948,758	a 39,325	43,321,351	13,004	6,873,976	50,247,656		298,898
1893.....	894,999	21,174,381	22,069,380	a 225,524	102,068,153	16,607	6,612,691	103,922,975		86,853,595
1894.....	540,444	72,449,119	72,989,563	a 146,779	64,487,354	17,069	12,490,707	77,141,909		4,152,346
1895.....	1,238,026	35,146,734	36,384,760	323,012	55,890,295	9,286	10,240,888	66,468,481		30,083,721
1896.....	1,804,578	31,720,487	33,525,065	100,811	106,833,525		5,475,611	112,409,947		78,884,882
1897.....	3,603,247	81,411,533	85,014,780	246,848	38,905,674	10	1,209,048	40,361,580	44,653,200	
1898.....	5,217,686	115,173,988	120,391,674	81,462	10,388,909		4,936,020	15,406,391	104,985,283	

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN.

MONTHS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.					EXCESS OF—	
	Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Total.	Domestic.		Foreign.		Total.	Imports.	Exports.
				Ore.	Bullion and coin.	Ore.	Bullion and coin.			
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
July	955,085	772,363	1,727,448		4,420,201		393,890	4,814,091		3,086,643
August	1,112,598	1,114,677	2,227,275	25,778	4,200,615		353,083	4,579,476		2,352,201
September	982,997	1,781,193	2,764,190	38,065	4,067,753		1,331,641	5,437,459		2,673,269
October	1,178,995	1,391,831	2,570,826	99,840	3,679,888		914,559	4,694,287		2,123,461
November	1,092,377	1,030,023	2,122,400	72,295	4,587,416		827,143	5,486,854		3,364,454
December	1,687,485	883,489	2,570,974	105,813	4,646,741		512,796	5,265,350		2,694,376
1896.										
January	1,433,622	1,057,597	2,491,219	84,670	4,547,372	730	355,927	4,988,699		2,497,480
February	1,388,938	1,411,967	2,800,905	38,115	4,549,684		812,635	5,400,434		2,599,529
March	1,468,100	1,353,526	2,821,626	67,568	4,125,850		888,867	5,082,204		2,260,668
April	1,574,353	509,301	2,143,654	14,665	4,936,598		203,470	5,154,643		3,010,989
May	1,386,140	564,332	1,950,472	35,807	4,941,159		217,971	5,194,937		3,244,465
June	1,598,538	987,059	2,586,197	93,368	3,815,379		532,399	4,443,146		1,856,949
Total, 12 months	15,850,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670		31,764,484
July	1,804,206	839,155	2,643,361	33,652	5,373,037		364,717	5,771,406		3,128,045
August	1,350,066	929,422	2,279,488	25,387	4,808,737		467,210	5,301,334		3,021,846
September	1,237,622	741,678	1,979,300	168,880	5,337,041		196,469	5,702,990		3,723,690
October	1,489,353	993,440	2,482,793	179,046	4,492,814		301,525	4,973,385		2,490,592
November	1,338,333	1,776,699	3,115,032	148,232	4,340,865		633,546	5,122,643		2,007,611
December	1,705,892	1,279,801	2,985,693	101,285	5,062,996		1,756,549	6,920,830		3,935,137
1897.										
January	1,907,479	877,067	2,784,546	156,903	3,742,415		255,339	4,154,657		1,370,111
February	1,568,369	763,563	2,331,932	66,158	4,208,697		451,665	4,726,520		2,394,588
March	1,518,765	480,170	1,998,935	23,639	4,681,238		234,446	4,939,323		2,940,388
April	1,604,104	578,124	2,182,228	250	4,807,377		89,518	4,897,145		2,714,017
May	1,984,320	766,704	2,751,024	12,200	4,148,920		188,422	4,340,542		1,598,518
June	2,044,013	954,882	2,998,895		4,621,454		465,409	5,086,863		2,087,968
Total, 12 months	19,532,322	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191		5,404,815	61,946,638		31,413,411
July	1,681,473	1,012,391	2,693,864	180	4,068,884		636,090	4,705,154		2,011,290
August	1,563,457	1,491,752	3,055,209		4,317,093		817,899	5,164,992		2,109,783
September	2,228,231	856,393	3,084,624		3,625,600		956,878	4,582,478		1,497,854
October	1,591,762	1,691,661	3,283,423	95	3,939,347		1,285,995	5,225,437		1,942,014
November	1,540,145	1,610,691	3,150,836	1,334	3,939,895		1,039,422	4,980,651		1,829,815
December	1,703,434	1,063,352	2,766,786	48,259	4,661,185		1,139,086	5,848,530		3,081,744
1898.										
January	1,990,631	544,830	2,535,461	39,424	3,841,239		421,157	4,301,820		1,766,359
February	1,703,601	382,034	2,085,635	6,820	3,631,065		122,086	3,759,971		1,674,336
March	2,120,018	457,577	2,577,595	7,695	3,974,363		113,995	4,095,963		1,518,368
April	1,601,909	489,157	2,091,066	58,860	3,880,402		159,899	4,099,161		2,008,095
May	1,083,811	490,668	1,574,479		4,006,265		178,167	4,184,432		2,609,953
June	1,220,048	799,755	2,028,803		3,751,640		405,010	4,156,650		2,127,847
Total, 12 months	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978		7,275,594	55,105,239		24,177,458
July	1,350,588	1,303,158	2,653,746	150	3,643,118		1,241,654	4,884,922		2,231,176
August	2,093,589	1,458,154	3,551,743		3,837,786		960,692	4,798,478		1,246,735
September	1,031,302	969,394	2,000,696	860	4,157,422		993,821	5,152,103		3,151,407
October	1,722,767	830,677	2,553,444		4,248,479		264,348	4,512,827		1,959,383
November	1,422,381	846,878	2,269,259	165	3,586,013		436,901	4,023,079		1,753,820
December	2,209,425	1,000,028	3,209,453	9,525	5,288,326		529,817	5,827,698		2,618,245
1899.										
January	2,469,092	659,760	3,128,852	4,520	5,203,007		170,279	5,380,806		2,251,954
February	1,046,110	380,917	1,427,027	9,390	4,122,382		187,302	4,319,074		2,692,047
March	2,565,598	560,261	3,125,859	150	4,936,189		121,314	5,057,653		1,931,794
April	1,349,959	499,272	1,849,231		3,928,526		154,041	4,082,567		2,233,336
May	2,297,816	712,537	3,010,353	2,002	4,380,508		54,039	4,436,549		1,426,196
June	1,492,643	492,750	1,895,393		3,807,252		36,047	3,843,299		1,947,906
Total, 12 months	23,961,270	9,713,786	30,675,056	26,762	51,142,008		5,150,285	56,319,055		25,643,999
Twelve months ending—										
June 30, 1890.	7,748,572	21,032,984	28,781,556		22,378,557	75,073	12,495,372	34,949,602		6,168,046
1891.	8,953,698	18,026,880	26,980,488		14,033,714	104,175	8,557,274	22,695,163	4,285,325	
1892.	9,656,761	19,955,086	29,611,847		16,765,007	332,336	16,045,492	33,142,895		3,531,048
1893.	11,100,747	23,193,252	34,293,999		23,559,254	144,338	17,178,065	40,881,657		6,587,658
1894.	6,679,161	13,286,552	19,965,713		39,069,087	69,015	11,382,178	50,520,280		30,554,567
1895.	10,658,659	9,552,520	20,211,179	46,206	49,073,222	21,763	7,154,095	47,295,286		27,084,107
1896.	15,859,228	12,917,958	28,777,186	677,984	52,518,575	730	7,344,381	60,541,670		31,764,484
1897.	19,532,322	10,980,705	30,533,227	915,632	55,626,191		5,404,815	61,946,638		31,413,411
1898.	20,037,520	10,890,261	30,927,781	162,667	47,666,978		7,275,594	55,105,239		24,177,458

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.

IMPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	June—		Twelve months ending June—		June—		Twelve months ending June—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....			43,717					
Bangor, Me.....	27,335	18,650	389,071	253,924	468	554	12,241	14,062
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....	8,150	13,180	653,740	113,162				973
Newark, N. J.....	8,574	5,493	57,105	242,956	41,330	22,343	254,609	144,825
New York, N. Y.....	99,391	938,887	81,230,114	37,671,545	768,148	1,008,371	12,916,788	14,809,214
Perth Amboy, N. J.....			28,823	28,801			726,083	1,055,436
Philadelphia, Pa.....			731,203	10,367			2,560	11,063
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....						3,304	11,220	21,049
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	62,205	160,417	543,559	1,058,524	55,839	58,944	838,273	1,596,157
Galveston, Tex.....			2,220					
Mobile, Ala.....	3,901	2,845	27,566	22,323	3,400	3,178	23,286	14,736
New Orleans, La.....	19,887	13,328	256,495	281,992	16,951	14,877	242,948	342,505
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	29,820	22,613	787,015	194,405	783,138	396,707	8,024,075	5,894,999
Pensacola, Fla.....								1,500
Saloria, Tex.....	40,460		433,239	137,944	53,575	11,331	1,161,395	375,346
Alaska.....			50	9,065,000				100
Arizona.....	124,638	105,449	1,635,593	1,723,059	98,084	67,257	1,064,033	1,282,723
Puget Sound, Wash.....	3,150	200,039	2,917,724	1,625,336	77,446	63,541	2,213,179	1,514,328
San Diego, Cal.....	3,415	21,723	76,554	75,570				
San Francisco, Cal.....	2,889,536	1,529,351	25,799,405	32,124,013	128,626	212,375	2,472,347	2,551,666
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....			2,000					
Champlain, N. Y.....	8,000	57,410	3,865,194	3,671,289	1,200	2,680	49,863	36,411
Chicago, Ill.....				1,278			15,537	83,931
Detroit, Mich.....	1,200		2,790	4,658	98		556	11,437
Huron, Mich.....			85	900				800
Minnesota, Minn.....							8,589	
Montana and Idaho.....			983	234			94,218	108,332
Niagara, N. Y.....	950	15,807	929,304	128,464	500	3,100	20,240	98,631
North and South Dakota.....			40					
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....		494		517,859		22,191		124,434
Vermont, Vt.....				1,000				
Kansas City, Mo.....			7,365				182,381	
Omaha, Nebr.....			720			4,640	593,360	580,398
Total.....	3,330,612	3,105,686	120,391,674	88,954,603	2,028,803	1,895,393	30,927,781	30,675,056

IMPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	June—		Twelve months ending June—		June—		Twelve months ending June—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....		752,797	22,799,157	10,962,144			24,718	4,424
Germany.....			8,428,050	190,996	1,190		3,240	1,940
United Kingdom.....	390	41,777	43,133,538	24,046,175	505	17,339	26,063	110,160
Other Europe.....	3,183	3,442	545,724	26,744	221		1,982	73
British Honduras.....	3,901	5,452	35,976	39,304	9,567	14,601	193,239	282,949
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	10,150	73,217	4,707,493	13,314,842	1,798	5,780	69,821	161,198
British Columbia.....	34,318	245,672	3,427,358	2,324,475	114,950	112,715	3,370,649	2,486,656
Central American States.....	22,083	31,670	516,943	643,174	22,044	89,400	790,646	765,226
Mexico.....	369,861	388,037	5,122,282	5,451,352	1,809,632	1,496,013	25,028,888	25,309,207
West Indies:								
British.....	4,607	6,067	127,909	44,013	210	2,553	18,746	40,259
Cuba.....			5,165,063	86,383		449	2,095	25,161
Other West Indies.....	31,739	22,948	558,739	366,068	17,215	52,994	654,046	482,185
Other North America.....	35,485	32,425	535,484	345,385	468	554	12,241	18,454
Colombia.....	2,522	19,427	238,596	203,887		7,032	137,553	264,050
Venezuela.....	11,734	1,186	620,287	197,239	78		495	3,899
Other South America.....		4,080	18,508	582,698	51,525	81,881	576,956	598,545
China.....				244,235			45	53,789
Japan.....			2,000,247	5,020,424				18,000
British Australasia.....	2,806,729	1,477,489	22,279,470	21,755,599		14,082		48,980
Hawaiian Islands.....			130,000	109,466				
Other Oceanica.....			850				16,358	
Total.....	3,330,612	3,105,686	120,391,674	88,954,603	2,028,803	1,895,393	30,927,781	30,675,056
Ore and bullion.....	801,992	730,760	31,287,488	37,767,551	1,471,057	1,638,473	23,163,235	25,129,282
Coin.....	2,528,620	2,374,926	89,104,186	51,187,052	557,746	256,920	7,764,546	5,545,774

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER, ETC.—Continued.

EXPORTS BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	June—		Twelve months ending June—		June—		Twelve months ending June—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.....			773	5,082	860		3,966	1,728
Bangor, Me.....		150	75,648	150	157		2,144	1,196
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....			8,100	4,409				18,000
New York, N. Y.....	136,465	19,846,388	10,806,054	31,120,954	3,969,833	3,672,745	44,235,616	51,208,333
Philadelphia, Pa.....							2,415	
Corpus Christi, Tex.....							483,905	
Galveston, Tex.....							100	1,882
Mobile, Ala.....			5,000					
New Orleans, La.....				1,896				4,300
Paso del Norte, Tex.....							522,379	5,000
Saluria, Tex.....			8,158		1,280		172,853	12,409
Alaska.....			1,055					
Puget Sound, Wash.....	6,738	2,665	92,917	64,874	2,755	3,514	23,743	22,971
San Diego, Cal.....							1,150	
San Francisco, Cal.....	27,205	105,575	1,217,490	1,774,717	165,946	151,670	9,514,531	4,889,974
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....	650	5,496	2,365	7,001	1,225	2,718	4,963	18,097
Champlain, N. Y.....	200,000	948,000	2,929,165	4,248,083	9,543	4,570	87,701	67,646
Detroit, Mich.....						1,260		2,462
Memphremagog, Vt.....				10		200		1,027
Niagara, N. Y.....	4,387		259,454	294,379	5,051	5,325	49,753	58,834
Vermont, Vt.....	84	53	212	531		1,297	20	5,196
Total.....	375,529	20,908,327	15,406,391	37,522,086	4,156,650	3,843,299	55,105,239	56,319,055

EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	June—		Twelve months ending June—		June—		Twelve months ending June—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
France.....	8,000	7,000,000	4,016,535	7,000,000	77,250		1,062,250	2,056,408
Germany.....		3,000,000	1,260,840	3,018,000		2,800	945	59,612
United Kingdom.....	3,650	9,025,000	444,100	9,052,215	3,881,059	3,592,846	42,456,009	48,044,198
Other Europe.....							100	1,882
Dominion of Canada:								
Quebec, Ontario, etc.....	205,121	953,549	3,191,196	4,550,004	15,619	15,370	142,437	153,262
British Columbia.....	6,738	2,665	93,972	64,874	2,755	3,514	23,743	22,971
Central American States.....	265	4,225	113,778	27,959	21,217	448	373,337	34,858
Mexico.....		20,320	11,158	37,395	1,280		1,199,071	56,809
West Indies:								
Cuba.....		669,917	4,197,546	10,886,916		11,508		428,688
Haiti.....	30,550	51,500	343,771	306,133			960	
Santo Domingo.....	84,000	15,426	182,559	124,842			339,996	392,500
Other West Indies.....	10,000	10,000	40,049	175,604	5,918	51,627	33,241	91,699
Other North America.....		150	211,901	133,596		157	2,144	19,196
Colombia.....			25,100	19,922	860		27,137	2,923
Venezuela.....		50,000	106,422	363,439				
Other South America.....			22,710	975	5,606	12,857	65,820	98,120
China.....							973,458	1,043,432
East Indies—British.....							1,439,588	
Hongkong.....	1,990	3,075	64,390	76,022	140,938	150,670	6,824,747	3,571,048
Japan.....					1,380		61,910	
Hawaiian Islands.....	25,215	100,000	1,080,355	1,678,190		1,000	75,000	237,704
All other countries.....		2,500		6,000	2,411	659	3,246	3,745
Total.....	375,529	20,908,327	15,406,391	37,522,086	4,156,650	3,843,299	55,105,239	56,319,055
Ore and bullion.....	5,121	5,699	2,069,155	86,115	3,748,885	3,738,532	47,717,444	50,420,003
Coin.....	370,408	20,902,628	13,337,236	37,435,971	407,765	104,767	7,387,795	5,899,052

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER ORE, BULLION, AND COIN DURING MONTH OF JUNE, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	GOLD.					SILVER.							TOTAL GOLD AND SILVER, INCLUDING ORE.
	Ore.	Bullion.	Coin.		Total gold, including ore.	Ore.	Bullion.		Coin.		Total sil- ver, includ- ing ore.		
			United States.	Foreign.			United States.	Foreign.					
IMPORTS.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Ounces.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
Bangor, Me.....		18,650			18,650				554		554	19,204	
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.....		13,180			13,180							13,180	
Newark, N. J.....	5,493				5,493	22,343					22,343	27,836	
New York, N. Y.....	121,925	34,984	23,338	758,640	938,887	820,948	92,668	55,601	1,686	130,136	1,008,871	1,947,258	
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.....										3,304	3,304	3,304	
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	394	94,840	65,183		160,417	31,776	36,465	22,448		4,720	58,944	219,361	
Mobile, Ala.....		25	1,734	1,086	2,845				50	3,128	3,178	6,028	
New Orleans, La.....		7,877	5,451		13,328					14,877	14,877	28,205	
Paso del Norte, Tex.....	22,138	475			22,613	349,475	65,338	35,936		11,296	396,707	419,320	
Saluria, Tex.....						5				11,326	11,331	11,331	
Arizona.....	10,367	95,082			105,449	47,593	41,661	19,664			67,257	172,706	
Puget Sound, Wash.....	172,989	27,050			200,039	63,541					63,541	263,580	
San Diego, Cal.....	2,607	19,116			21,723							21,723	
San Francisco, Cal.....	17,435	49,832	2,134	1,459,950	1,529,351	40,131	153,500	102,181		70,063	212,375	1,741,726	
Champlain, N. Y.....				57,410	57,410				2,680		2,680	60,090	
Niagara, N. Y.....		15,807			15,807				3,100		3,100	18,907	
Oswegatchie, N. Y.....	494				494	22,191					22,191	22,685	
Omaha, Neb.....						4,060					4,640	4,640	
Total imports.....	353,842	376,918	97,840	2,277,086	3,105,686	1,402,643	389,632	235,830	8,070	248,850	1,895,393	5,001,679	
EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC.													
New York, N. Y.....			19,274,655		19,274,655		5,920,632	3,593,590	61,808		3,655,398	22,930,053	
Puget Sound, Wash.....			2,665		2,665				3,514		3,514	6,179	
San Francisco, Cal.....			105,575		105,575		229,272	137,800	1,000		138,800	244,375	
Buffalo Creek, N. Y.....		5,496			5,496		866	520	2,198		2,718	8,214	
Champlain, N. Y.....			948,000		948,000							948,000	
Memphremagog, Vt.....									200		200	200	
Niagara, N. Y.....							9,000	5,325			5,325	5,325	
Vermont, Vt.....		12			12		2,058	1,297			1,297	1,309	
Total domestic exports.....		5,508	20,330,895		20,336,403		6,161,828	3,738,532	68,720		3,807,252	24,143,655	
EXPORTS OF FOREIGN.													
Bangor, Me.....	150				150							150	
New York, N. Y.....				571,733	571,733					17,347	17,347	589,080	
San Francisco, Cal.....										12,870	12,870	12,870	
Champlain, N. Y.....										4,570	4,570	4,570	
Detroit, Mich.....										1,260	1,260	1,260	
Vermont, Vt.....		41			41							41	
Total foreign exports.....	150	41		571,733	571,924					36,047	36,047	607,971	

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE FROM 1835 TO 1898—(Specie values).

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.			EXCESS OF—	
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—								
1835.....	64,809,046	71,955,240	136,764,295	100,459,481	14,756,321	115,215,802	21,548,493	.....
1836.....	78,655,600	97,923,554	176,579,154	106,570,942	17,767,762	124,338,704	52,240,450	.....
1837.....	58,733,617	71,739,186	130,472,803	94,280,895	17,162,232	111,443,127	19,029,676	.....
1838.....	43,112,889	52,857,399	95,970,288	95,560,880	9,417,690	104,978,570	.....	9,008,282
1839.....	70,806,616	85,690,340	156,496,956	101,025,533	10,626,140	112,251,673	44,245,283	.....
1840.....	48,313,391	49,945,315	98,258,706	111,660,561	12,008,371	123,668,932	.....	25,410,226
1841.....	61,031,098	61,926,446	122,957,544	103,636,236	8,181,235	111,817,471	11,140,073	.....
1842.....	26,540,470	66,534,601	96,075,071	91,799,242	8,078,753	99,877,995	.....	3,802,924
June 30 --								
1843 (9 months).....	13,254,249	29,179,215	42,433,464	77,686,354	5,139,335	82,825,689	.....	40,392,225
1844.....	18,936,452	83,668,154	102,604,606	99,531,774	6,214,058	105,745,832	.....	3,141,226
1845.....	18,077,598	95,106,724	113,184,322	98,455,330	7,584,781	106,040,111	7,144,211	.....
1846.....	20,990,007	96,924,058	117,914,065	101,718,042	7,865,206	109,583,248	8,330,817	.....
1847.....	17,651,347	104,773,002	122,424,349	150,574,844	6,166,754	156,741,598	.....	34,317,240
1848.....	16,356,319	122,282,325	148,638,644	130,203,709	7,986,806	138,190,515	10,448,129	.....
1849.....	15,726,425	125,479,774	141,206,199	131,710,081	8,641,091	140,351,172	855,027	.....
1850.....	18,081,590	155,427,926	173,509,526	134,900,233	9,475,493	144,375,726	29,133,800	.....
1851.....	19,653,084	191,118,345	210,771,429	178,621,138	10,295,121	188,915,259	21,856,170	.....
1852.....	24,187,890	184,252,508	207,440,398	154,911,147	12,053,084	166,964,231	40,456,167	.....
1853.....	27,182,152	236,595,113	263,777,265	180,869,162	13,620,120	203,489,282	60,287,983	.....
1854.....	25,760,447	272,043,347	297,803,794	215,328,300	21,715,464	237,043,764	60,760,030	.....
1855.....	36,430,524	231,378,184	257,808,708	192,751,135	26,158,368	218,909,503	38,899,205	.....
1856.....	52,748,074	257,684,236	310,432,310	266,438,051	14,781,372	281,219,423	29,212,887	.....
1857.....	54,267,507	294,100,835	348,428,342	278,906,713	14,917,047	293,823,760	54,604,582	.....
1858.....	61,044,779	202,233,875	263,338,654	251,351,033	20,660,241	272,011,274	.....	8,672,620
1859.....	72,286,327	259,047,014	331,333,341	278,392,080	14,599,971	292,992,051	38,431,290	.....
1860.....	73,741,479	279,874,640	353,616,119	316,242,423	17,333,634	333,576,057	20,040,062	.....
1861.....	71,130,351	218,180,191	289,310,542	204,899,616	14,654,217	219,553,833	69,756,709	.....
1862.....	52,721,653	136,635,024	189,356,677	179,644,024	11,026,477	190,670,501	.....	1,313,824
1863.....	35,241,924	208,093,891	243,335,815	186,003,912	17,960,525	203,964,437	39,371,368	.....
1864.....	41,126,332	275,320,951	316,447,283	143,504,027	15,333,961	158,837,988	157,609,295	.....
1865.....	44,519,516	194,226,064	238,745,580	136,940,248	29,089,055	166,029,303	72,716,277	.....
1866.....	59,028,526	375,783,540	434,812,066	337,518,102	11,341,420	348,859,522	85,952,544	.....
1867.....	23,133,495	372,627,601	395,761,096	279,786,809	14,719,332	294,506,141	101,254,955	.....
1868.....	15,190,781	342,245,659	357,436,440	269,359,900	12,562,999	281,952,899	75,483,541	.....
1869.....	21,446,692	395,859,687	417,506,379	275,166,697	10,951,000	286,117,697	131,388,682	.....
1870.....	20,140,786	415,817,022	435,958,408	376,616,473	16,155,295	392,771,768	43,186,640	.....
1871.....	36,587,737	483,635,947	520,223,684	428,398,908	14,421,270	442,820,178	77,403,506	.....
1872.....	47,267,213	579,327,864	626,595,077	428,487,131	15,690,455	444,177,586	182,417,491	.....
1873.....	144,815,884	497,320,326	642,136,210	505,033,439	17,446,483	522,479,922	119,656,288	.....
1874.....	151,481,762	415,924,580	567,406,342	569,433,421	16,849,619	586,283,040	.....	18,876,698
1875.....	146,279,927	386,725,509	533,005,436	490,284,100	14,158,611	513,442,711	19,562,725	.....
1876.....	140,361,913	320,379,277	460,741,190	525,582,247	14,802,424	540,384,671	.....	79,643,481
1877.....	140,788,452	310,534,674	451,323,126	589,670,224	12,804,996	602,475,220	.....	151,152,094
1878.....	141,278,265	295,773,267	437,051,532	680,709,268	14,156,498	694,865,766	.....	257,814,234
1879.....	142,681,505	303,096,270	445,777,775	698,340,790	12,098,651	710,439,441	.....	264,661,666
1880.....	208,301,863	459,652,883	667,954,746	823,946,353	11,692,305	835,638,658	.....	167,683,912
1881.....	202,401,547	440,173,081	642,664,628	883,925,947	18,451,399	902,377,346	.....	259,712,718
1882.....	210,579,007	514,060,567	724,639,574	733,239,732	17,302,525	750,542,257	.....	25,902,683
1883.....	207,504,718	515,676,196	723,180,914	804,223,632	19,615,770	823,839,402	.....	100,658,488
1884.....	209,884,184	457,813,509	667,697,693	724,964,852	15,548,757	740,513,609	.....	72,815,916
1885.....	193,213,624	384,313,705	577,527,329	726,682,946	15,596,809	742,189,755	.....	164,662,426
1886.....	212,159,296	423,276,840	635,436,136	665,964,529	13,560,301	679,524,830	.....	44,088,694
1887.....	234,221,131	458,098,637	692,319,768	703,022,923	13,160,288	716,183,211	.....	23,863,443
1888.....	244,071,615	479,885,499	723,957,114	683,862,104	12,092,403	695,954,507	28,002,607	.....
1889.....	256,487,078	488,644,574	745,131,652	730,282,609	12,118,766	742,401,375	2,730,277	.....
1890.....	263,668,629	523,641,780	789,310,409	845,293,828	12,534,856	857,828,684	.....	68,518,275
1891.....	366,241,352	478,674,844	844,916,196	872,270,283	12,210,527	884,480,810	.....	39,564,614
1892.....	457,999,658	369,402,804	827,402,462	1,015,732,011	14,546,137	1,030,278,148	.....	202,875,686
1893.....	444,544,211	421,856,711	866,400,922	831,030,785	16,634,409	847,665,194	18,735,728	.....
1894.....	379,795,536	275,199,086	654,994,622	869,204,937	22,935,635	892,140,572	.....	237,145,950
1895.....	363,233,795	368,736,170	731,969,965	793,392,599	14,145,566	807,538,165	.....	75,568,200
1896.....	369,737,470	409,967,204	779,724,674	863,200,487	19,406,451	882,606,938	.....	102,882,264
1897.....	381,938,243	382,792,169	764,730,412	1,032,007,603	18,985,953	1,050,993,556	.....	286,263,144
1898.....	291,414,175	324,635,479	616,049,654	1,210,291,913	21,190,417	1,231,482,330	.....	615,432,676
1899.....	300,267,948	396,848,906	697,116,854	1,204,120,803	23,082,285	1,227,203,088	.....	530,086,234

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION FROM 1835 TO 1898.

YEAR ENDING—	GOLD.				SILVER.		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of—		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of exports over imports.
			Imports over exports.	Exports over imports.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
September 30—							
1835.....	2,325,196	1,355,230			10,806,251	5,122,495	
1836.....	7,231,862	647,455			6,169,019	3,676,881	
1837.....	2,431,814	3,213,735			8,084,603	2,762,514	
1838.....	11,674,883	1,213,204			6,072,233	2,294,842	
1839.....	1,164,580	4,800,663			4,430,506	3,976,075	
1840.....	3,055,157	3,703,373			5,797,656	4,713,641	
1841.....	1,269,449	3,589,869			3,719,164	6,444,463	
1842.....	757,294	2,304,756			3,329,722	2,508,783	
June 30—							
1843 (nine months).....	17,066,437	407,687			5,253,898	1,113,104	
1844.....	1,613,304	1,366,521			4,217,125	4,087,693	
1845.....	818,850	3,055,425			3,251,392	5,551,070	
1846.....	910,413	2,053,199			2,867,319	1,852,069	
1847.....	21,574,931	1,037,921			2,546,358	869,103	
1848.....	3,408,755	11,071,197			2,951,529	4,770,419	
1849.....	4,068,647	1,972,233			2,582,593	3,432,415	
1850.....	1,776,706	4,560,627			2,852,086	2,962,867	
1851.....	3,560,090	22,829,913			1,884,413	6,635,839	
1852.....	3,658,059	40,073,979			1,846,985	2,600,156	
1853.....	2,427,356	25,442,858			1,774,026	2,044,017	
1854.....	3,031,961	40,470,269			3,726,623	727,040	
1855.....	1,092,802	55,109,215			2,567,010	1,138,128	
1856.....	990,305	45,000,977			3,217,327	744,508	
1857.....	6,654,636	65,232,653			5,807,163	3,904,269	
1858.....	11,566,068	50,002,894			7,708,428	2,630,343	
1859.....	2,125,397	61,108,053			5,306,332	2,779,358	
1860.....	2,598,786	58,446,039			6,041,349	8,100,200	
1861.....	42,291,930	27,423,973			4,047,681	2,367,107	
1862.....	13,907,011	35,439,903			2,508,041	1,447,737	
1863.....	5,530,538	62,162,838			4,053,567	1,993,773	
1864.....	11,176,769	100,661,634		89,484,865	1,938,843	4,734,907	2,796,064
1865.....	6,498,228	58,381,033		51,882,805	3,311,844	9,262,193	5,950,349
1866.....	8,196,261	71,197,309		63,001,048	2,503,831	14,846,762	12,342,931
1867.....	17,024,866	39,026,627		22,001,761	5,015,609	21,841,745	16,796,136
1868.....	8,737,443	72,396,344		63,658,901	5,450,925	21,387,758	15,936,833
1869.....	14,132,568	36,003,498		21,870,930	5,675,308	21,134,882	15,459,574
1870.....	12,056,950	33,635,962		21,579,012	14,362,229	24,519,704	10,157,475
1871.....	6,883,561	66,686,298		59,802,647	14,386,463	31,755,780	17,369,317
1872.....	8,717,458	49,548,760		40,831,302	5,026,231	30,328,774	25,302,543
1873.....	8,682,447	44,856,715		36,174,268	12,798,490	39,751,859	26,953,369
1874.....	19,503,137	34,042,420		14,539,283	8,951,709	32,587,985	23,636,216
1875.....	13,696,793	66,980,977		53,284,184	7,203,924	25,351,165	17,947,241
1876.....	7,992,769	31,177,050		23,184,341	7,943,972	25,329,252	17,385,280
1877.....	26,246,234	26,590,374		344,140	14,528,180	29,571,863	15,043,683
1878.....	13,330,215	9,204,445	4,125,760		16,491,099	24,535,070	8,044,571
1879.....	5,624,948	4,587,614	1,037,334		14,671,052	20,409,827	5,738,775
1880.....	80,758,396	3,639,025	77,119,371		12,275,914	13,503,894	1,227,980
1881.....	100,031,259	2,565,132	97,466,127		10,514,238	16,811,715	6,297,477
1882.....	34,377,054	32,587,880	1,789,174		8,095,336	16,829,599	8,734,263
1883.....	17,734,149	11,690,888	6,133,261		10,755,242	20,219,445	9,464,203
1884.....	22,831,317	41,081,957		18,250,640	14,594,945	26,051,426	11,456,481
1885.....	26,691,636	8,477,892	18,213,804		16,550,627	33,753,633	17,203,006
1886.....	20,743,349	42,952,191		22,208,842	17,850,307	29,511,219	11,660,912
1887.....	42,910,601	9,701,187	33,209,414		17,260,191	23,296,504	9,036,313
1888.....	43,954,317	18,376,234	25,558,083		15,403,669	28,037,940	12,634,280
1889.....	10,284,858	59,952,285		49,667,427	18,678,215	36,680,248	18,011,033
1890.....	12,943,342	17,274,491		4,331,149	21,032,984	34,873,929	13,840,945
1891.....	18,232,567	86,362,654		68,130,087	18,026,880	22,590,988	4,564,108
1892.....	49,699,454	50,195,527		495,873	19,955,086	32,810,559	12,855,473
1893.....	21,174,381	108,680,844		87,506,463	23,193,252	40,737,319	17,544,067
1894.....	72,449,119	76,978,061		4,528,942	13,286,552	50,451,265	37,164,713
1895 a.....	36,384,760	66,468,481		30,083,721	20,211,179	47,295,286	27,084,107
1896 a.....	33,525,065	112,409,947		78,884,882	28,777,186	60,541,670	31,764,484
1897 a.....	85,014,780	40,361,580	44,653,200		30,533,227	61,946,638	31,413,411
1898 a.....	120,391,674	15,406,391	104,985,283		30,927,781	55,105,239	24,177,458
1899 a.....	88,954,603	37,522,086	51,432,517		30,675,656	56,519,653	25,843,997

a Includes gold and silver in ore.

NOTE.—Gold and silver can not be separately stated in domestic exports before 1864, but it is probable that the greater portion of the exports was gold.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899.
Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.
BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Alexandria, Va. Imports..				185								
Aroostook, Me. Imports..	10,595	7,807										
Baltimore, Md. { Imports..	5,926	453	160,443	207,050	5,263		404,980	439,549	628	968	163	3,712
Exports..			32,234	122,973			6,759,891	6,276,429		69,000		
Bangor, Me. { Imports..	88,542	80,763	489	12,097			58					
Exports..	50,303	83,929		1,192				51,601				
Bath, Me. Imports..	1,212	1,528										
Beaufort, S. C. Exports..							9,264	4,185				
Belfast, Me. { Imports..			75	330			956	684				
Exports..			467	576								
Boston and Charles- Imports..	2,275	2,153	226,846	608,033	1,421	4,979	3,362,434	4,189,298	2,207	307,435	11,573	4,349
town, Mass. { Exports..			45,593	356,259			8,664,404	10,014,800			11,024	
Bridgeton, N. J. Imports..							12,000					
Brunswick, Ga. { Imports..												
Exports..							17,050	16,200				
Castine, Me. Imports..							131	107				
Charleston, S. C. { Imports..				424			7,704	13,475				
Exports..												
Delaware, Del. { Imports..				4,286			7,352	15,051				
Exports..							222,966	116,753			76,669	73,860
Fairfield, Conn. Imports..				3,195	61	6,053	17,094	20,353		752	500	
Fall River, Mass. Imports..				1,153			1,193	1,596				
Fernandina, Fla. Exports..							160,500	179,000				
Georgetown, D. C. Imports..				1,400			2,575	15,972			5,730	2,262
Gloucester, Mass. Imports..			1,240	200			377	160				
Hartford, Conn. Imports..	6,080			727	3,864	3,952	5,581	12,647	415		874	176
Machias, Me. { Imports..							175	30				
Exports..				1,746								
Marblehead, Mass. Imports..							255					
Newark, N. J. { Imports..	30,777	11,038	3,155	8,308			14,401	3,527	117	238	208	92
Exports..			4,160	1,358			1,847	7,337				
New Bedford, Mass. { Imports..				130				2,404				
Exports..												
New Haven, Conn. Imports..				640		551	5,157	19,310			842	
New London, Conn. Imports..								825				
Newport, R. I. Imports..	20			300			1,329	4,203				3,348
Newport News, Va. { Imports..				7,681			73,886	108,205				
Exports..				5,121			1,628,347	2,043,550				
New York, N. Y. { Imports..	194,114	164,568	1,816,298	7,144,339	1,008,108	1,401,431	17,317,274	17,198,371	2,077,829	1,756,421	2,494,906	3,325,364
Exports..			458,865	3,631,274	686,301	361,606	34,055,059	21,865,640	1,629,294	1,934,414	1,163,619	1,364,099
Norfolk and Ports- Imports..			378	1,227			37	95				
mouth, Va. { Exports..			8,590	3,240			1,101,835	734,596				
Passamaquoddy, Me. { Imports..	3,524	5,857	31,388	37,200			19,857	11,080				
Exports..	2,246	21,401	29,942	31,448								
Perth Amboy, N. J. { Imports..			639					480				
Exports..			2,988				14,294	4,399				
Philadelphia, Pa. { Imports..			9,311	582,017	475,270	411,170	2,074,414	1,651,074	91,488		51,512	143,672
Exports..			2,713	66,084	567,160	695,415	2,567,455	2,826,787	105,867	99,112	26,006	47,193
Plymouth, Mass. Imports..							2,081	809				
Portland and Fal- Imports..	617		5,620	18,588			23,830	31,267			19	
mouth, Me. { Exports..			1,183	12,841			8,903	523,649				
Portsmouth, N. H. Imports..								773				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.		1898	1899	
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899			
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	ATLANTIC PORTS.
											185	Imports.....Alexandria, Va.
										10,595	7,807	Imports.....Aroostook, Me.
144,519	207,642		5,425	62,603	49,053	7,937		626,093	706,349	792,462	913,852	Imports.....
1,446,045	1,249,408			245,636	80,796	119,310		8,570,882	7,675,633	8,603,116	7,798,606	Exports.....}..Baltimore, Md.
	2							58	2	89,089	92,862	Imports.....
			7,465	15,755		11,206		26,961	59,066	77,264	144,187	Exports.....}..Bangor, Me.
										1,242	1,528	Imports.....Bath, Me.
							7,925	9,264	12,110	9,264	12,110	Exports.....Beaufort, S. C.
								956	684	1,031	1,014	Imports.....
										467	576	Exports.....}..Belfast, Me.
381,075	206,132	765	82,506	7,362	163,430	200	3,361	3,767,037	4,961,580	3,996,158	5,571,766	Imports.....}..Boston & Charles-
210,027	127,524				455		30,903	8,885,455	10,173,682	8,931,048	10,529,941	Exports.....}..town, Mass.
								12,000		12,000		Imports.....Bridgeton, N. J.
							28		28		28	Imports.....
			13,833	100,190	161,677	37,319	29,622	154,559	221,332	154,559	221,332	Exports.....}..Brunswick, Ga.
			692					131	799	131	799	Imports.....Castine, Me.
61,834	2,811				1,628			69,538	17,914	69,538	18,338	Imports.....
95,735								95,735		95,735		Exports.....}..Charleston, S. C.
	77			8,458				15,810	15,128	15,810	19,414	Imports.....
	136,996					36,137	77,284	335,772	404,898	335,772	404,898	Exports.....}..Delaware, Del.
9,722								27,377	27,158	27,377	30,353	Imports.....Fairfield, Conn.
								1,193	1,596	1,193	2,749	Imports.....Fall River, Mass.
				41,000	30,000			201,500	209,000	201,500	209,000	Exports.....Fernandina, Fla.
772	638	143	67			157	669	9,377	19,608	9,377	21,008	Imports.....Georgetown, D. C.
		1,340						1,717	160	2,957	360	Imports.....Gloucester, Mass.
	4,055							10,734	20,830	16,814	21,557	Imports.....Hartford, Conn.
								175	30	175	30	Imports.....
											1,746	Exports.....}..Machias, Me.
								255		255		Imports.....Marblehead, Mass.
659	3,660					206		15,385	7,723	49,317	27,069	Imports.....
								1,847	7,337	6,007	8,695	Exports.....}..Newark, N. J.
						45			2,449		2,579	Imports.....
						1,355	4,091	1,355	4,091	1,355	4,091	Exports.....}..New Bedford, Mass.
776	20							6,775	20,181	6,775	20,821	Imports.....New Haven, Conn.
									825		825	Imports.....New London, Conn.
								1,329	7,551	1,349	7,851	Imports.....Newport, R. I.
8,371	62,868				17,373	9,438		91,695	188,446	91,695	196,127	Imports.....
245,542	165,364		10,500	170,401		68,052	178,000	2,112,342	2,397,414	2,112,342	2,402,535	Exports.....}..Newport News, Va.
4,809,582	5,855,939	92,577	263,165	1,261,578	1,641,419	752,678	883,925	29,814,532	32,326,035	31,824,944	39,634,942	Imports.....
6,028,390	7,596,198	111,706	450,529	1,238,832	1,354,332	1,019,919	1,320,792	45,933,120	36,247,610	46,391,985	39,878,884	Exports.....}..New York, N. Y.
								37	95	415	1,322	Imports.....
	14,250		15,200	87,132	9,750			1,188,967	773,796	1,197,557	777,036	Exports.....}..Norfolk and Ports- mouth, Va.
								19,857	11,080	54,769	54,137	Imports.....}..Passamaquoddy, Me.
									480	630	480	Imports.....
								14,294	4,399	17,282	4,399	Exports.....}..Perth Amboy, N. J.
643,666	768,616	12,228	38,812	141,732	77,950		598	3,493,310	3,091,892	3,502,621	3,673,909	Imports.....
333,859	899,536	34,748	76,589	277,153	415,140	119,607	42,983	4,081,855	5,102,755	4,084,568	5,168,839	Exports.....}..Philadelphia, Pa.
								2,081	809	2,081	809	Imports.....Plymouth, Mass.
	24							23,849	31,291	30,086	49,879	Imports.....
			16,966					8,903	540,615	10,086	553,456	Exports.....}..Portland and Fal- mouth, Me.
	91								864		864	Imports.....Portsmouth, N. H.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Providence, R. I. Imports.			5,725	8,452			19,892	20,451		149	9,261	94,599
Richmond, Va. Imports.							1,322	2,270			3,486	381
St. Johns, Fla. Imports.								20				
Exports.							7,407	8,661				
Salem and Beverly, Mass. Imports.							1,636	112				
Savannah, Ga. Imports.			318	341	50	3,153	1,195	237				1,054
Exports.					171,900	278,810	488,209	31,453		252,621		
Stonington, Conn. Imports.							2,649	2,903				
Waldoboro, Me. Imports.			3,211	710			1,346	1,997				
Wilmington, N. C. Imports.				9,106								
Exports.				10,629			6,581	3,074				
Wiscasset, Me. Imports.			128									
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla. Imports.				5,005				2,075				
Exports.												
Brazos de Santiago, Tex. Imports.			2,650	3,269								
Exports.			5,333	15,646								
Corpus Christi, Tex. Imports.	31,700	81,756										
Exports.	374,642	497,054										
Galveston, Tex. Imports.			2,506				7,425	10,200				
Exports.							530,694	943,989	119,469	142,277		
Key West, Fla. Imports.			19,103	69,342			1,034	574	9,440			
Exports.				103,687			361	927				
Mobile, Ala. Imports.			6,624	8,907			13,050	3,566				
Exports.			7,187	9,911			104,815	235,635			3,855	
New Orleans, La. Imports.			6,063	82,583			460,914	444,479			148,119	37,937
Exports.				208,471			4,423,500	3,809,660			380,695	
Paso del Norte, Tex. Imports.	71,312	88,533										
Exports.	336,279	470,182										
Pearl River, Miss. Exports.			5,709	13,208			52,171	61,868				
Pensacola, Fla. Imports.		73		175			7,031	74				
Exports.				227			267,491	825,090				
Saluria, Tex. Imports.	54,041	61,664										
Exports.	244,770	298,856										
Tampa, Fla. Imports.			4,803	88,143			1,067	494				
Exports.				1,400			16,500	13,459				
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska. Imports.	36		20,082	9,692			19,238	4,771				
Exports.	2,323		15,719	700			5,088	3,623				
Arizona Imports.	68,674	223,998										
Exports.	106,291	127,242										
Humboldt, Cal. Exports.			2,671	3,474			12,307					
Los Angeles, Cal. Imports.			225	14,238			3,765	14,727		140	132	
Exports.			757	686								
Oregon, Oreg. Imports.				284			704					
Exports.		2,600										
Puget Sound, Wash. Imports.	23,579	96,253	30,079	39,745			215,415	6,886				
Exports.	137,003	200,531	212,486	478,419			342,060	369,211				
San Diego, Cal. Imports.	2,133	8,407	3,748	1,075			6,484	23,328				
Exports.	659	602		260			3,439	456,194				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	ATLANTIC PORTS—continued.
6,356	10,684					2,729	78	38,238	125,961	43,963	134,413	Imports.....Providence, R. I.
431	692							5,239	3,343	5,239	3,343	Imports.....Richmond, Va.
23								23	20	23	20	Imports.....St. Johns, Fla.
				9,846				17,253	8,661	17,253	8,661	Exports.....
								1,836	112	1,836	112	Imports.....Salem and Bever- ly, Mass.
	4,683	30,593			6,315	3,682		44,520	15,442	44,838	15,783	Imports.....Savannah, Ga.
40,362	49,700	54,193	22,300	311,132	525,475	29,994	52,500	1,105,792	1,212,859	1,105,792	1,212,859	Exports.....Stonington, Conn.
								2,649	2,903	2,649	2,903	Imports.....Waldoboro, Me.
								1,346	1,097	4,557	2,707	Imports.....Wilmington, N. C.
	5								5		9,111	Imports.....Wiscasset, Me.
				19,857				26,438	3,074	26,438	13,703	Exports.....
										128		Imports.....
				90				90		90		GULF PORTS.
				26,333	16,796	20,352		46,085	18,871	46,685	23,876	Imports.....Apalachicola, Fla.
										2,650	3,269	Imports.....Brazos de Santi-
										5,333	15,646	Exports.....ago, Tex.
										31,700	81,756	Imports.....Corpus Christi,
										374,642	497,054	Exports.....Tex.
22,589	40,086			217,012	315,416	1,425	7	248,451	365,709	250,957	365,709	Imports.....Galveston, Tex.
183,044	285,459	6,165		32,825	154,744	20,163	173,013	892,360	1,699,482	892,360	1,699,482	Exports.....Key West, Fla.
					22,500		18,680	10,474	574	29,577	69,916	Imports.....Mobile, Ala.
								361	42,107	361	145,794	Exports.....
214	60,579			73,255	190,201		1,750	86,519	195,517	93,143	204,424	Imports.....New Orleans, La.
			29,322	70,884	146,723	12,415	117,500	191,969	589,759	193,156	599,670	Exports.....Paso del Norte,
21,228	265,829	563	10,647	77,065	298,835		414,566	707,889	1,472,313	713,952	1,534,896	Imports.....Tex.
495,118	374,189	43,055		45,698	136,874	358,744	1,406,674	5,746,810	5,727,397	5,746,810	5,935,868	Exports.....Pearl River, Miss.
										71,312	88,533	Imports.....Pensacola, Fla.
										336,279	470,182	Exports.....Saluria, Tex.
10,315		10,391		51,164	50,157		26,342	124,041	138,367	129,750	151,575	Imports.....Tampa, Fla.
			20		17	9	4	7,040	115	7,040	363	Exports.....
	8,500	36,905	84,948	18,903	193,443	27,519	176,009	350,818	1,287,990	350,818	1,288,217	Imports.....Alaska.
			448						448	54,041	62,112	Imports.....Arizona.
										244,770	298,856	Exports.....Humboldt, Cal.
								1,067	494	5,870	88,637	Imports.....Los Angeles, Cal.
					15,825		13,200	16,500	42,475	16,500	43,875	Exports.....Oregon, Oreg.
												PACIFIC PORTS.
				618		287		20,143	4,771	40,261	14,373	Imports.....Alaska.
								5,088	3,633	23,130	4,333	Exports.....
										66,674	223,998	Imports.....Arizona.
										106,291	127,242	Exports.....Humboldt, Cal.
								12,307		14,978	3,474	Exports.....Los Angeles, Cal.
11,727	13,281						16,077	15,624	44,225	15,849	58,463	Imports.....
										757	686	Exports.....Oregon, Oreg.
								704		704	284	Imports.....Puget Sound,
											2,600	Exports.....Wash.
591	1,720					85,149	60,330	301,065	68,936	354,723	204,934	Imports.....San Diego, Cal.
		8,209				349,297	201,442	699,506	570,653	1,049,052	1,249,603	Exports.....
4,389								10,873	23,328	16,754	32,810	Imports.....
								2,439	456,194	4,098	457,056	Exports.....

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
PACIFIC PORTS—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
San Francisco, Cal. { Imports..	23		985,795	1,972,179	1,794	307	1,875,854	980,003		2,614	12,070	42,965
Exports..			840,491	1,136,853			469,068	779,220			7,100	
Willamette, Oreg. { Imports..	2,858	166	4,217	2,211			259,182	61,608				134
Exports..							794,921	311,807			62,120	
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.												
Buffalo Creek, N. Y. { Imports..	193,907	199,357	63	38,088	3,404		48,553	16,716	793	2,023	4,123	4,281
Exports..	526,844	728,820	9,439	32,928			7,460	9,600				
Cape Vincent, N. Y. { Imports..			295	4,151			18,559	26,672				
Exports..							18,192	13,928				
Champlain, N. Y. { Imports..	251,267	259,375	184,409	80,153			5,139					
Exports..	711,922	547,464	121,240	108,772				1,145				
Chicago, Ill. { Imports..	54,670	89,060	64,107	122,289	120,470	79,858	584,974	466,096	29,314	30,227	36,763	41,493
Exports..			964,409	615,014			283,222	65,303				
Cuyahoga, Ohio. { Imports..			15,012	7,084	374		74,033	56,787	682	165	5,188	1,637
Exports..			348,062	246,908			63,442	72,153				
Detroit, Mich. { Imports..	131,636	117,267	53,569	35,375			14,868	27,638	158	151	2,442	1,578
Exports..	1,150,707	1,439,946	71,311	45,635				2,607				
Duluth, Minn. { Imports..	25,409		1,339	644			329	196				
Exports..			144,241	430,320			35,984	200,560				
Dunkirk, N. Y. { Imports..			2,434	486			2,139					
Exports..				75,960				78,848				
Erie, Pa. { Imports..							98	903				
Exports..												
Gencsee, N. Y. { Imports..			243	1,803	7,304		13,596	19,011	190	221	3,487	1,321
Exports..			60,609	37,876			86,873	67,873				
Huron, Mich. { Imports..	107,672	62,055	594,671	87,823			3,562	9,290		91		
Exports..	530,745	803,634		2,270								
Memphremagog, Vt. { Imports..	161,364	210,972					22,483	1,248				
Exports..	139,215	90,595										
Miami, Ohio { Imports..	20		3,573	1,711			4,788	3,817			231	
Exports..		9,496	12,617	6,040			71,225	104,850				
Michigan, Mich. { Imports..			95,619									
Exports..								11,810				
Milwaukee, Wis. { Imports..		3,721		4,600	993	14,637	15,715	33,794	10,738	8,174	13,534	
Exports..	38,629	21,660		6,441		146	34,374	42,674	139	2,360	2,005	1,325
Minnesota, Minn. { Imports..				613			42,326	31,868				
Exports..												
Montana and Idaho { Imports..	5,049	4,558					205	8				
Exports..	1,565	2,918	8,044				376	267				
Niagara, N. Y. { Imports..	157,823	191,699	15,919	41,501			6,496	14,945				
Exports..	469,421	529,102					9,451					
North and South Dakota { Imports..	37,439	56,044										
Exports..	423,696	810,310										
Oswegatchie, N. Y. { Imports..	494,103	349,148	4,270	3,531			4,252	9,854				
Exports..	260,817	415,571	8,712	67,984			58,283	55,580				
Oswego, N. Y. { Imports..			90				68,500	74,779				
Exports..			59,615	85,821			188,004	242,448				
Sandusky, Ohio { Imports..			3,591	10,880			1,555					
Exports..			3,310	1,685			2,638	3,163				
Superior, Mich. { Imports..	13,311	13,473	43,645	35,690			18,195	4,370				
Exports..	5,934	67,650	53,643	552,003			259,512	309,485				
Vermont, Vt. { Imports..	215,404	258,224		6,617			11,173	19,999				
Exports..	623,203	725,198										

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	PACIFIC PORTS—continued.
18,191	31,991		3,602	39,223	59,028	632,717	650,763	2,579,849	1,771,273	3,565,667	3,743,452	Imports... ..San Francisco, Cal.
						6,663	249,582	482,831	1,028,802	1,323,322	2,165,655	Exports... ..
2,240	6,113					259	331	261,681	68,186	268,756	70,563	Imports... ..Willamette, Oreg.
	58,000			42,179	22,160			899,220	391,967	899,220	391,967	Exports... ..
												NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.
1,943	1,339		1,200					58,816	25,559	252,786	263,004	Imports... ..Buffalo Creek, N. Y.
								7,460	9,600	543,743	771,348	Exports... ..
								18,559	26,672	18,854	30,823	Imports... ..Cape Vincent, N. Y.
								18,192	13,928	18,192	13,928	Exports... ..
								5,139		440,815	339,528	Imports... ..Champlain, N. Y.
									1,145	833,162	657,381	Exports... ..
178,581	127,990		687		8,751	736	4,760	950,838	759,862	1,069,615	971,211	Imports... ..Chicago, Ill.
								283,222	65,303	1,247,631	680,317	Exports... ..
17,414	9,986						66	97,691	68,641	112,703	75,725	Imports... ..Cuyahoga, Ohio.
								63,442	72,153	411,504	319,061	Exports... ..
3,374	8,463					176		21,018	37,830	206,223	190,472	Imports... ..Detroit, Mich.
									2,607	1,222,018	1,488,188	Exports... ..
							80	329	276	27,077	920	Imports... ..Duluth, Minn.
								35,984	200,560	180,225	630,880	Exports... ..
								2,139		4,573	486	Imports... ..Dunkirk, N. Y.
	228								79,076		155,036	Imports... ..Erie, Pa.
								98	903	98	903	Exports... ..
29,152	11,231					468		46,893	39,088	47,136	40,891	Imports... ..Genesee, N. Y.
								86,873	67,873	147,482	105,749	Exports... ..
								3,562	9,381	705,905	159,259	Imports... ..Huron, Mich.
										530,745	805,904	Exports... ..
								22,483	1,248	183,847	212,220	Imports... ..Memphremagog, Vt.
	2,823									139,215	90,595	Exports... ..
								5,019	6,640	8,612	8,351	Imports... ..Miami, Ohio.
								71,225	104,850	83,842	120,386	Exports... ..
										95,619		Imports... ..Michigan, Mich.
									11,810		11,810	Exports... ..
33,401	9,046							74,381	65,651	74,381	73,972	Imports... ..Milwaukee, Wis.
8,021	6,608		38			909	4,579	45,448	57,730	84,077	85,831	Imports... ..Minnesota, Minn.
								42,326	31,868	42,326	32,481	Exports... ..
								205	8	5,254	4,566	Imports... ..Montana and Idaho.
								376	267	9,985	3,185	Exports... ..
								6,496	14,945	180,238	248,145	Imports... ..Niagara, N. Y.
								9,451		478,872	529,102	Exports... ..
										37,439	56,044	Imports... ..North and South Dakota.
										423,696	810,310	Exports... ..
								4,252	9,854	502,625	362,533	Imports... ..Oswegatchie, N. Y.
								58,283	55,580	327,812	539,135	Exports... ..
								68,500	74,779	68,590	74,779	Imports... ..Oswego, N. Y.
								188,004	242,448	247,619	328,269	Exports... ..
	5							1,555	5	5,146	10,885	Imports... ..Sandusky, Ohio.
								2,638	3,163	5,948	4,848	Exports... ..
								18,195	4,370	75,151	53,533	Imports... ..Superior, Mich.
								259,512	309,485	319,089	929,138	Exports... ..
								11,173	19,999	226,577	284,840	Imports... ..Vermont, Vt.
										623,203	725,198	Exports... ..

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
INTERIOR PORTS.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Albany, N. Y.....Imports..				2,345		438	1,235	6,102	101	127	156	519
Atlanta, Ga.....Imports..		237		73				208				
Cincinnati, Ohio.....Imports..	95		201	15,165	10,993	12,361	20,146	57,603	899	707	10,534	33,378
Columbus, Ohio.....Imports..			719	301		25	555	856			725	
Council Bluffs, Iowa..Imports..							2,212	1,537				
Denver, Colo.....Imports..	35		200				2,357				117	
Des Moines, Iowa.....Imports..							1,359	3,929				10
Dubuque, Iowa.....Imports..							1,236	1,135				5
Evansville, Ind.....Imports..						2,479		416		12	131	53
Grand Rapids, Mich..Imports..				53			1,144	1,720	540	124		
Indianapolis, Ind.....Imports..				321	187		36,958	27,507		77	301	
Kansas City, Mo.....Imports..	1	1					13,378	10,844	524			285
Knoxville, Tenn.....Imports..												
Lincoln, Nebr.....Imports..								600				
Louisville, Ky.....Imports..				1,198	388		9,662	11,876		628	150	872
Memphis, Tenn.....Imports..			606				1,406	605		229		40
Nashville, Tenn.....Imports..							878	1,806				
Omaha, Nebr.....Imports..		4,786					5,634	2,519			126	
Pittsburg, Pa.....Imports..				5,605		881	10,329	7,614	191	7,269	1,072	2,696
St. Joseph, Mo.....Imports..		3,654		1,022			10,018	5,210			138	
St. Louis, Mo.....Imports..	4,877			17,602	4,704	3,368	175,445	170,484	5,499	561	5,515	442
Sioux City, Iowa.....Imports..	94							24				
Springfield, Mass.....Imports..							2,288	432			325	
Syracuse, N. Y.....Imports..			328			282	1,506	519		265	2,434	2,747
Total.....Imports..	2,488,873	2,680,308	4,436,053	11,558,384	1,637,344	1,953,675	27,505,768	26,540,533	2,231,892	2,122,128	2,831,892	3,752,727
Exports..	6,098,582	7,873,101	3,542,340	8,456,557	1,425,361	1,335,831	63,863,513	53,714,421	1,854,630	2,497,424	1,731,088	1,485,152

RECAPITULATION.

Atlantic ports.....Imports..	343,712	274,167	2,265,255	8,658,119	1,494,037	1,831,589	23,383,371	23,769,335	2,172,684	2,065,963	2,582,074	3,579,009
Exports..	52,549	105,330	586,735	4,244,741	1,425,361	1,335,831	55,714,012	44,708,119	1,735,161	2,355,147	1,277,318	1,485,152
Gulf ports.....Imports..	157,053	232,026	41,749	252,419			490,521	459,387	9,440		148,119	37,937
Exports..	955,691	1,266,092	18,229	357,555			5,395,532	5,892,694	119,469	142,277	384,550	
Pacific ports.....Imports..	95,303	328,824	1,044,146	2,039,334	1,794	307	2,380,642	1,091,323		2,754	12,202	43,099
Exports..	246,273	330,975	1,072,124	1,620,392			1,626,883	1,920,065			69,220	
Northern border and lake ports.....Imports..	1,887,703	1,886,613	1,082,849	564,827	125,241	101,945	953,488	906,742	42,014	43,412	67,773	51,635
Exports..	4,844,069	6,170,704	1,865,252	2,233,869			1,127,086	1,193,543				
Interior ports.....Imports..	5,102	8,678	2,054	43,685	16,272	19,834	297,746	313,746	7,754	9,999	21,724	41,047

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	INTERIOR PORTS.
2,584	520							4,076	7,706	4,076	10,051	Imports... Albany, N. Y.
	765								973		1,283	Imports... Atlanta, Ga.
17,807	21,033					743		61,122	125,082	61,418	140,247	Imports... Cincinnati, Ohio.
1,170	2,199							2,450	3,080	3,169	3,381	Imports... Columbus, Ohio.
	654							2,212	2,191	2,212	2,191	Imports... Council Bluffs, Iowa.
3,402								5,876		6,111		Imports... Denver, Colo.
1,278	3,463		3					2,637	7,405	2,637	7,405	Imports... Des Moines, Iowa.
244	2,670							1,480	3,810	1,480	3,810	Imports... Dubuque, Iowa.
25								156	2,960	156	2,960	Imports... Evansville, Ind.
1,364	630							3,048	2,474	3,048	2,527	Imports... Grand Rapids, Mich.
11,022	10,248							48,468	37,832	48,468	38,153	Imports... Indianapolis, Ind.
4,947	2,678							18,849	13,807	18,850	13,808	Imports... Kansas City, Mo.
	70								70		70	Imports... Knoxville, Tenn.
684	249							684	849	684	849	Imports... Lincoln, Nebr.
12,400	5,812					33		22,633	19,188	22,633	20,386	Imports... Louisville, Ky.
137	368		30					1,543	1,272	2,149	1,272	Imports... Memphis, Tenn.
85	3,490							963	5,305	963	5,305	Imports... Nashville, Tenn.
4,974	1,730							10,734	4,249	10,734	9,035	Imports... Omaha, Nebr.
10,990	4,425						8,065	22,582	31,094	22,582	36,699	Imports... Pittsburg, Pa.
3,101	4,393							13,257	9,803	13,257	14,479	Imports... St. Joseph, Mo.
82,672	98,046	170				16,893		290,898	272,901	295,775	290,503	Imports... St. Louis, Mo.
									24	94	24	Imports... Sioux City, Iowa.
772	745						183	3,385	1,360	3,385	1,360	Imports... Springfield, Mass.
	22							3,940	3,835	4,268	3,835	Imports... Syracuse, N. Y.
6,580,409	7,820,801	147,379	407,432	1,888,996	2,829,436	1,516,625	2,050,411	44,340,305	47,486,143	51,265,231	61,724,835	Imports... } -- Total.
9,138,437	11,025,703	305,374	727,652	2,804,920	3,336,847	2,248,052	4,126,542	83,371,375	78,249,572	93,012,297	94,579,230	Exports... }

RECAPITULATION.

6,067,786	7,128,639	146,646	390,757	1,481,733	1,957,168	776,821	888,910	38,105,152	41,611,370	40,714,119	50,543,656	Imports...Atlantic ports.
8,449,960	10,238,976	200,640	613,382	2,516,934	2,577,625	1,452,899	1,744,100	72,772,294	65,058,332	73,411,578	69,408,403	Exports...Atlantic ports.
44,031	305,915	563	11,115	367,422	804,489	1,434	416,327	1,061,530	2,035,170	1,260,332	2,519,615	Imports...Gulf ports.
688,477	728,727	96,516	114,270	245,807	737,062	439,193	1,931,418	7,369,544	9,546,448	8,343,464	11,170,095	Exports...Gulf ports.
37,048	53,105		3,602	39,841	59,028	718,412	727,501	3,189,939	1,980,719	4,329,388	4,348,877	Imports...Pacific ports.
	52,000	8,209		42,179	22,160	355,960	451,024	2,102,451	2,451,240	3,420,848	4,402,616	Exports...Pacific ports.
271,886	177,719		1,925		8,751	2,289	9,485	1,462,691	1,301,614	4,433,243	3,703,054	Imports...Northern border
								1,127,086	1,193,543	7,836,407	9,598,116	Exports...and lake ports.
159,658	164,423	170	33			17,669	8,188	520,993	557,270	528,149	609,633	Imports...Interior ports.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
EUROPE.												
Austria-Hungary	Imports.. 73			1,223	3,628	3,375	126,698	88,575	8,549	19,294		52,929
	Exports..						415,856	90,939			75	
Azores, and Madeira Islands	Imports..						368	2,755			4,490	
	Exports..						7,000	53,287				
Belgium	Imports.. 28,603			910	214,622	317,980	290,826	535,366	85		81	30,436
	Exports..	33,000			710,631	655,569	2,518,946	2,381,089	82,675	234,852	23	
Denmark	Imports..							11,822				
	Exports..						276,980	555,965				
France	Imports.. 11,842		42,479	944,656	135,866	169,769	845,080	759,674	2,412	4,973	2,034,285	2,459,375
	Exports..			22,142		1,995	5,606,328	2,391,505			1,524,008	1,411,855
Germany	Imports.. 4,157	1,590	558	8,588	467,852	581,736	1,689,141	950,186	843,697	714,085	23,458	45,940
	Exports..	59,593		25,083	13,437	5,728	4,004,123	2,140,177	15,116	34,837		
Gibraltar	Imports..						838	24				
	Exports..						578	18,620				
Greece	Imports..						33,616	15,572		3,603		
	Exports..						1,720	868			1,093	
Greenland, Iceland, etc	Imports..						8,993					
Italy	Imports..		13,237	19,094	16,191	71,095	987,860	1,214,784		184	42,883	63,528
	Exports..						755,945	412,472			1,480	22
Malta, Gozo, etc	Imports..							48				
	Exports..						3,631	8,144				
Netherlands	Imports..				9,674	523	171,396	67,418	938,529	887,498	74,828	461,381
	Exports..						1,970,523	2,959,500	1,500,863	1,893,193		
Portugal	Imports..			5,983	319	329	13,335	20,747				
	Exports..						458,128	113,900			80,000	68,500
Roumania	Exports..						722	1,404				
Russia	Imports..				1,395	397	208,204	76,972			20	258
	Exports..						544,253	265,391				
Spain	Imports..			15,750	3,161	17,286	178,836	260,728	832		7,802	5,402
	Exports..			219			187	131,256			34,549	2,377
Sweden and Norway	Imports..				913		141,833	111,178	9,031	8,032		
	Exports..						208,846	408,239	38	165		
Switzerland	Imports..			76,468	147,209	188,492	165,749	114,749	966	8,216	416,200	488,906
	Exports..				9,202	2,198	5,864	11,276	2,830	2,402	845	1,973
Turkey in Europe	Imports..				1,244		263,965	187,369			6,706	5,251
	Exports..			32			12,004	43,798				
United Kingdom	Imports.. 35,161	3,290	40,764	785,639	389,609	284,129	7,189,714	8,606,101	3,267	4,856	365	60,417
	Exports.. 209,985	1,402,788		1,756,224	614,084	591,042	37,125,308	31,958,145		126,800	10,955	
NORTH AMERICA.												
Bermuda	Imports..						3,207	30,212				
	Exports..			5,121			70,692	110,763				
British Honduras	Imports..			6,698			6,715	8,360				
	Exports..			16,516			26,087	16,569				
British North Amer- ica	Imports.. 1,605,989	1,846,076	1,215,863	538,776			582,863	613,037			7,330	
	Exports.. 4,683,512	4,463,520	2,109,552	1,627,574			1,393,413	1,033,594				
Central American States	Imports..		188,543	507,736			301,707	191,534				
	Exports..		141,407	193,382			139,148	148,386				
Mexico	Imports.. 225,694	464,251	111,340	663,977			679,566	299,970				
	Exports.. 1,062,641	1,393,936	189,105	475,616			312,297	242,650				
Miquelon, Langley, etc	Imports..							2,355				
	Exports..			3,697			758	5,848			11,024	

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	EUROPE.
214,803	392,655				12,057	15,533	2,981	369,211	571,866	369,234	573,089	Imports...
34,698	49,665		733			87,851	166,327	538,480	307,664	538,480	307,664	Exports...Austria-Hungary.
						585	261	5,443	3,016	5,443	3,016	Imports...
						2,070	20,529	9,070	73,816	9,070	73,816	Exports...Azores, and Ma- deira Islands.
41,117	47,818					3,682	3,023	550,413	934,623	579,016	935,533	Imports...
183,044				100,270	17,630	4,343		3,599,932	3,289,140	3,599,932	3,322,140	Exports...Belgium.
				1,262	25	8,008	21,156	9,270	35,003	9,270	33,003	Imports...
85,937	124,065			46,010	3,810	683,916	600,827	1,092,843	1,284,667	1,092,843	1,284,667	Exports...Denmark.
151,066	145,937	716	502	25,844				3,195,269	3,540,230	3,249,590	4,484,886	Imports...
378,138	34,372	95,055	42,039	390,797	300,007	192,875	633,817	8,187,201	4,815,590	8,187,201	4,837,732	Exports...France.
4,656,421	4,643,917		816	22,307	76,084	73,013	11,913	7,775,889	7,027,677	7,780,604	7,037,855	Imports...
7,100,193	8,244,338			236,394	285,554	73,586	178,954	11,442,849	10,889,588	11,442,849	10,974,264	Exports...Germany.
	88							838	112	838	112	Imports...
685	4,950							1,263	23,570	1,263	23,570	Exports...Gibraltar.
	211		945		11,803	331		33,947	32,134	33,947	32,134	Imports...
	350		319					2,813	1,537	2,813	1,537	Exports...Greece.
								8,993		8,993		Exports...Greenland, Ice- land, etc.
782,163	837,662	85,934	209,644		35	162,655	61,165	2,077,686	2,458,097	2,090,923	2,477,191	Imports...
296,997	508,601	69,857	330,460	215,254		58,834	165,280	1,398,367	1,416,835	1,398,367	1,416,835	Exports...Italy.
182								182	48	182	48	Imports...
	2,910							3,631	11,054	3,631	11,054	Exports...Malta, Gozo, etc.
37,694	9,106				18,771	16		1,232,137	1,444,697	1,232,137	1,444,697	Imports...
344,031	232,316	36,644		588,561	444,499	9,850	18,521	4,450,472	5,548,029	4,450,472	5,548,029	Exports...Netherlands.
288						275,153	135,907	289,095	156,983	289,095	162,966	Imports...
	23,745	22,400	10,000			337,579	291,452	898,116	507,597	898,116	507,597	Exports...Portugal.
176								898	1,404	898	1,404	Exports...Roumania.
23,379	6,775			9,986		749	9,808	243,733	94,210	243,733	94,210	Imports...
13,411	27,529			104,128	11,100	65,482	17,657	727,274	321,677	727,274	321,677	Exports...Russia.
3,025	13,690		19,832			314	642	193,970	317,580	193,970	333,330	Imports...
	473		18,250				546,540	34,736	698,896	34,736	699,115	Exports...Spain.
9,905	35,936			11,552	56	28,191	57,128	201,425	212,330	201,425	212,330	Imports...
35,061	200,811			94,438	74,104	242,215	515,929	580,598	1,199,248	580,598	1,199,248	Exports...Sweden and Nor- way.
25,416	18,097							755,540	818,460	755,540	894,928	Imports...
	250				2,700			18,741	20,799	18,741	20,799	Exports...Switzerland.
1,441	1,872				18,188	387		273,743	212,680	273,743	212,680	Imports...
181	939		248			110	963	12,295	45,948	12,295	45,980	Exports...Turkey in Europe.
15,129	172,822			9,925	14,839			7,608,009	9,143,164	7,683,934	9,932,093	Imports...
98,437	204,870	26,400	31,997	494,013	728,399	101,916	261,452	38,471,113	33,902,705	38,681,098	37,061,717	Exports...United Kingdom.
								3,207	30,212	3,207	30,212	Imports...
								70,692	110,763	70,692	115,884	Exports...Bermuda.
				3,332	3,603			10,047	11,963	10,047	18,661	Imports...
				21,293	18,764			47,380	35,333	47,380	51,849	Exports...British Honduras.
				39,841	67,354	77,854	78,942	707,888	759,333	3,529,731	3,144,185	Imports...
						702	2,059	1,394,115	1,035,653	8,187,179	7,126,747	Exports...British North America.
	22,575			78,882	135,585			380,589	349,694	569,132	857,430	Imports...
	2,118			35,887	94,656			175,635	245,160	319,442	438,542	Exports...Central American States.
83,360	240,002			745,706	490,847	1,425	6,148	1,510,117	1,045,967	1,817,151	2,174,195	Imports...
225,862	125,633			49,675	82,374	1,255	40,956	589,089	491,613	1,840,835	2,361,165	Exports...Mexico.
									2,355		2,355	Imports...
								11,782	5,818	11,782	9,545	Exports...Miquelon, Jang- ley, etc.

NORTH AMERICA.

Imports..	3,207	30,212	Imports..	3,207	30,212
Exports..	70,692	110,763	Exports..	70,692	115,884
Imports..	10,047	11,963	Imports..	10,047	18,661
Exports..	47,380	35,333	Exports..	47,380	51,849
Imports..	707,888	759,333	Imports..	3,529,731	3,144,185
Exports..	1,394,115	1,035,653	Exports..	8,187,179	7,126,747
Imports..	380,589	349,694	Imports..	569,132	857,430
Exports..	175,635	245,160	Exports..	319,442	438,542
Imports..	1,510,117	1,045,967	Imports..	1,817,151	2,174,195
Exports..	589,089	491,613	Exports..	1,840,835	2,361,165
Imports..		2,355	Imports..		2,355
Exports..	11,782	5,848	Exports..	11,782	9,545

Miquelon, Langley, etc.

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Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
					Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
NORTH AMERICA—continued.												
West Indies:	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
British	Imports..		161,415	482,041			1,328,511	1,400,260	95,701	57,990		
	Exports..		5,545	195,319			709,377	555,148	2,875	18		
Danish	Imports..			145,579			34,307	47,707				
	Exports..		467	576			21,280	33,197				
Dutch	Imports..		2,631	85,288			3,816	2,194	6,389	1,179		
	Exports..			2,248			32,962	26,387	4,245	12,131		
French	Imports..			125				3				
	Exports..		577	32,520			61,693	44,149				
Haiti	Imports..		10,778	6,650			32,700	28,931	14,447	2,499		
	Exports..			3,738			71,488	71,584	44,937	14,648		
Santo Domingo	Imports..		16,528	269,895			61,616	14,516				
	Exports..		119,656	136,578			22,592	11,463				
Cuba	Imports..		45,866	1,373,443			134,882	621,036				
	Exports..			1,170,822				249,565				
Porto Rico	Imports..			748,690			625,813	56,488				
	Exports..			351,881								
SOUTH AMERICA.												
Argentina	Imports..		186,467	550,295			456,976	482,552				
	Exports..		4,618	77,971			470,838	820,126				35
Bolivia	Exports..		816	75			178	1,024				
Brazil	Imports..		181,876	295,130	179,872	181,301	2,938,516	3,492,820			147,197	
	Exports..		54,807	107,321	78,007	79,299	843,932	663,666				
Chile	Imports..		4,987	105,220			165,121	31,027				
	Exports..		12,801	17,708			145,410	133,474				
Colombia	Imports..		76,543	12,049			337,888	406,234	7,346	8,382		
	Exports..		99,055	124,787			146,512	202,633				
Ecuador	Imports..		51,036	69,711								
	Exports..		69,203	66,627			3,194	1,717				
Guianas	Imports..		36,019				226,808	153,802	149,139	90,216		
	Exports..			92,622			134,011	9,283	22,615	7,156		
Paraguay	Exports..							480				
Peru	Imports..		5,036	94,210			64,224	21,267				
	Exports..		25,421	28,757			137,516	33,099				
Uruguay	Imports..		178,376				1,468	155,993				
	Exports..						166,036	99,847	33,746		150	
Venezuela	Imports..		44,857	485,265			433,658	15,474	6,617	3,793		
	Exports..			159,287			79,637	3,942	18,567	1,895		
ASIA.	Imports..						242,096	100,677			47,831	2,005
Aden	Exports..						600	111,261				
China	Imports..	146,703	96,673	67,834	305,152		569,121	308,959				
	Exports..	70,964	48,719	24,089	61,515		858,367	803,461				
East Indies:	Imports..	2,037		87,581	248,795	59,032	60,875	2,724,613	2,736,995			
British	Exports..			1,194				163,358	580,849			
Dutch	Imports..	1,940	322	5,708		116,850	108,744	631,797	144,885	311,764		
	Exports..						51,216	286,424	126,123	129,851		
French	Exports..						29,147					95
Hongkong	Imports..	3,280	1,489	24,115	12,575		41,185	46,214				
	Exports..	9,850	34,451	47,316	229,268		355,497	290,072				
Japan	Imports..	411,079	259,707	173,815	323,949	1,498	1,293,297	329,687			10,985	2,989
	Exports..	9,687	388,716	41,100	331,230		885,189	763,758				
Korea	Imports..			408								
	Exports..			5,281			10,140	675				

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	NORTH AMERICA—continued.
37,017	7,219	7,752		128,245	407,081	5,973	31,918	1,001,109	1,897,249	1,764,614	2,379,290	West Indies:
				97,994	90,454			817,465	646,805	823,010	842,124	Imports... British.
								34,307	47,707	34,307	193,286	Imports... Danish.
								21,280	33,197	21,747	33,773	Exports... Danish.
								10,205	3,373	12,836	88,661	Imports... Dutch.
14,950					29,684			52,157	68,202	52,157	70,450	Exports... Dutch.
									3		128	Imports... French.
				15,364	36,967	8,328		85,385	81,116	85,962	113,636	Exports... French.
4,088				26		2,729		54,050	31,430	64,828	38,080	Imports... Haiti.
29,170	1,201			19,035	30,108			164,630	117,541	164,630	121,279	Exports... Haiti.
		28,450	37,672	8,810	20,200			98,876	72,388	115,404	342,283	Imports... Santo Domingo.
		34,169		7,681	618			63,433	12,081	183,089	148,659	Exports... Santo Domingo.
	717,598			85,939	424,596		508,261	220,821	2,271,461	266,687	3,644,994	Imports... Cuba.
	315,495				170,132		172,339		907,531		2,078,353	Exports... Cuba.
					9,623	70,696	2	696,509	66,113	696,509	814,803	Imports... Porto Rico.
											351,881	Exports... Porto Rico.
								456,976	482,252	643,443	1,032,547	SOUTH AMERICA.
169	45,500	8,952	79,531	8,496	7,425			488,453	952,626	493,071	1,030,597	Imports... Argentina.
								178	1,024	994	1,099	Exports... Argentina.
58,277	471,856			40,700		9	1,329	3,364,731	4,097,306	3,546,607	4,392,436	Imports... Bolivia.
19,244	54,640			6,852	7,500	19,750	29,320	967,835	834,425	1,022,642	941,746	Exports... Bolivia.
				46,235			70	211,356	31,097	216,343	136,317	Imports... Brazil.
152	109			84,812		6,708		237,082	133,583	249,883	151,291	Exports... Brazil.
23,882				50,992	103,428		12,229	420,108	525,273	496,651	537,322	Imports... Chile.
26,599				15,967	28,733		1,967	199,078	233,383	298,133	358,170	Exports... Chile.
										51,036	69,711	Imports... Colombia.
								3,194	1,717	72,397	68,344	Exports... Colombia.
								375,947	244,018	411,966	244,018	Imports... Ecuador.
				100,695	90,757			257,321	116,196	257,321	208,818	Exports... Ecuador.
									480		480	Exports... Guianas.
								64,224	21,267	69,260	115,477	Imports... Paraguay.
	50	8,209		29,125			6,247	174,850	29,296	200,271	68,153	Exports... Paraguay.
		10,687	5,425					12,155	161,418	190,531	161,418	Imports... Peru.
								199,932	99,847	199,932	99,847	Exports... Peru.
123,312					93,468			563,587	112,735	608,444	598,000	Imports... Uruguay.
95,183					55,111			193,387	60,948	193,387	220,235	Exports... Uruguay.
7,118	11,901						19,293	297,945	134,476	297,945	134,476	Imports... Venezuela.
								600	111,261	600	111,261	Exports... Venezuela.
30,804	4,148			4,175	266,211	13,097	98,819	617,197	678,137	831,734	1,079,962	Imports... ASIA.
2,747	567,515				243,034		19,451	861,114	1,633,461	956,167	1,743,695	Exports... Aden.
200,353	1,363				537,416		2,111	2,983,998	3,338,760	3,073,616	3,587,555	Imports... China.
808	18,509						518	164,684	599,660	164,684	600,854	Exports... China.
36,786			81,509	549,407				839,822	1,141,920	841,762	1,147,950	Imports... East Indies:
47,425	1,231				53,669	261		225,025	471,106	225,025	471,106	Exports... British.
					80			29,147	175	29,147	175	Imports... Dutch.
					811	31,888		41,996	83,819	69,391	97,874	Exports... Dutch.
27	7,102				34,289	193,263	64,094	463,887	395,557	521,053	659,276	Imports... French.
					8,859	153,692	167,451	1,457,824	510,484	2,042,718	1,094,140	Exports... French.
71,545	151,628				101,999	233,447	291,871	1,190,181	1,312,247	1,240,968	2,032,193	Imports... Hongkong.
											408	Exports... Hongkong.
								10,140	1,330	19,140	6,611	Imports... Japan.
												Exports... Japan.
												Imports... Korea.
												Exports... Korea.

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	CARS AND OTHER LAND VEHICLES.		AMERICAN VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.							
	1898	1899	1898	1899	Belgian.		British.		Dutch.		French.	
					1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
ASIA—continued.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Russia, Asiatic.....Exports				429			19,457	71,798				
Turkey in Asia.....Imports							34,831	108,389		564	451	2,857
Exports							30,343	4,905			402	
All other Asia.....Imports								542				
Exports							16,716	3,882				
OCEANICA.												
Auckland, Fiji, etc...Imports								10,850				
British Australasia.....Imports	11,734	6,075	16,930	82,569			746,810	374,728				5,016
Exports	43,150	35,720	20,600	125,316			1,311,682	970,901		39,476		
French Oceanica.....Imports			11,778	31,386								
Exports			20,389	42,773								
German Oceanica.....Exports								1,667				
Tonga, Samoa, etc.....Imports			3,284	550			3,915					
Exports			704	3,884			4,029					
Hawaiian Islands.....Imports	590	844	1,308,261	2,131,556			310,570	3,583				
Exports	8,793	12,052	508,137	550,676			54,609	62,176				
Philippine Islands.....Imports			127,256	9,570			325,978	28,904				
Exports		606		12,939			14,430	51,196				
AFRICA.												
British Africa.....Imports				11,466			49,764	12,347			2,896	
Exports			43,975	337,476			961,380	950,865			62,995	152
Canary Islands.....Exports								6,499				
French Africa.....Imports					3,096		10,982	18,206			2,765	23,356
Exports							1,289				2,844	143
Liberia.....Exports							1,138					
Madagascar.....Imports											1,319	
Portuguese Africa.....Imports												
Exports				30,476			107,265	129,086				
Turkey in Africa.....Imports				21			234,638	695,591				
Exports							56,439	102,510			645	
All other Africa.....Imports				95,590	3,661	5,040	71,540	33,524				42,081
Exports				29,657			25,079	57,867				
Total.....Imports	2,488,873	2,680,308	4,436,053	11,558,384	1,637,344	1,953,675	27,505,768	26,540,533	2,231,892	2,122,128	2,831,892	3,752,727
Exports	6,098,582	7,873,101	3,542,340	8,456,557	1,425,361	1,335,831	63,863,513	53,714,421	1,854,630	2,497,424	1,731,088	1,485,152

RECAPITULATION.

Europe.....Imports	79,836	4,880	97,038	1,858,311	1,391,683	1,638,111	12,316,452	13,024,068	1,807,368	1,650,741	2,611,118	3,673,823
Exports	209,985	1,495,381		1,803,700	1,347,354	1,256,532	53,916,942	43,945,975	1,601,522	2,292,249	1,653,028	1,484,727
North America.....Imports	1,831,674	2,310,327	1,752,964	4,828,898			3,795,763	3,316,603	116,537	61,668	7,330	
Exports	5,746,153	5,857,456	2,569,309	4,215,588			2,861,787	2,549,303	52,057	26,797	11,024	
South America.....Imports			765,197	1,611,880	179,872	131,301	4,624,659	4,758,869	163,102	97,391	147,197	
Exports			266,721	675,155	78,007	79,299	2,127,314	1,969,291	74,928	9,051	150	35
Asia.....Imports	565,039	358,182	353,345	896,587	59,032	179,223	5,014,697	4,263,260	144,885	312,328	59,267	8,451
Exports	90,501	471,886	112,505	628,917			2,420,030	2,917,085	126,123	129,851	402	95
Oceanica.....Imports	12,324	6,919	1,467,509	2,255,631			1,387,273	418,065				5,016
Exports	51,943	48,378	549,830	735,588			1,384,750	1,085,940		39,476		
Africa.....Imports				107,077	6,757	5,040	366,924	759,668			6,980	65,437
Exports			43,975	397,609			1,152,690	1,246,827			66,484	295

VALUE OF CARRYING TRADE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1898 AND 1899—Continued.

Distribution, by Flag of Carrying Vessel, of the Value of Imports and Exports of Merchandise—Continued.

BY COUNTRIES—Continued.

FOREIGN VESSELS.										TOTAL VALUE OF MER- CHANDISE.		COUNTRIES.
German.		Italian.		Norwegian.		All other.		Total.				
1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	ASIA—continued.
1, 078	60, 641			42, 179	22, 160			62, 714	154, 599	62, 714	155, 028	Exports.....Russia, Asiatic.
726	10, 392	13, 840	45, 635	6, 106	52, 262			55, 954	220, 240	55, 954	220, 249	Imports...}..Turkey in Asia.
			670				419	30, 745	5, 994	30, 745	5, 994	Exports...}
									542		542	Imports...}..All other Asia.
	6, 167							16, 716	10, 049	16, 716	10, 049	Exports...}
									10, 850		10, 850	OCEANICA.
												Imports....Auckland, Fiji, etc.
4, 389	1, 040		3, 602			20, 293		771, 492	384, 386	800, 156	473, 030	Imports...}..British Austral-
10, 727	710		198, 820					1, 322, 409	1, 209, 907	1, 386, 159	1, 370, 943	Exports...}..asia.
										11, 778	31, 386	Imports...}..French Oceanica.
										20, 389	42, 773	Exports...}
1, 650	96							1, 650	1, 763	1, 650	1, 763	Exports....German Oceanica.
								3, 915		7, 199	550	Imports...}..Tonga, Samoa, etc.
								4, 029		4, 733	3, 884	Exports...}
						602, 300	797, 496	912, 870	801, 079	2, 221, 721	2, 933, 479	Imports...}..Hawaiian Islands.
						5, 961	65, 585	60, 570	127, 761	577, 500	690, 489	Exports...}
					6, 840		16, 568	325, 978	52, 312	453, 234	61, 882	Imports...}..Philippine Isl'ds.
	857						2, 180	14, 430	54, 233	14, 430	67, 778	Exports...}
												AFRICA.
								52, 660	12, 347	52, 660	23, 813	Imports...}..British Africa.
292					246, 010		5, 738	1, 024, 667	1, 202, 765	1, 068, 642	1, 540, 241	Exports...}
	65								6, 564		6, 564	Exports....Canary Islands.
	2, 757		1, 800	18, 437	9, 242			35, 280	55, 361	35, 280	55, 361	Imports...}..French Africa.
904		4, 681	14, 500		3, 600			9, 818	18, 243	9, 818	18, 243	Exports...}
129								1, 267		1, 267		Exports....Liberia.
								1, 319		1, 319		Imports....Madagascar.
					5		73		78		78	Imports...}..Portuguese Africa.
778	250				7, 000	2, 132	5, 086	110, 175	141, 422	110, 175	171, 898	Exports...}
3, 268	6, 976			356				238, 262	702, 567	238, 262	702, 588	Imports...}..Turkey in Africa.
799	452		85				680	57, 883	103, 727	57, 883	103, 727	Exports...}
4, 900	12, 607							80, 101	93, 252	80, 101	188, 842	Imports...}..All other Africa.
	3, 701				1, 948			25, 079	63, 516	25, 079	93, 173	Exports...}
6, 580, 409	7, 829, 801	147, 379	407, 432	1, 888, 096	2, 829, 436	1, 516, 625	2, 050, 411	44, 340, 305	47, 486, 143	51, 265, 231	61, 724, 835	Imports...}..Total.
9, 138, 437	11, 025, 703	305, 374	727, 652	2, 804, 920	3, 336, 847	2, 248, 052	4, 126, 542	83, 371, 375	78, 249, 572	93, 012, 297	94, 579, 230	Exports...}

RECAPITULATION.

5,962,029	6,326,586	86,650	231,739	80,876	151,858	568,617	303,984	24,824,793	27,000,910	25,001,667	28,864,101	Imports...}..Europe.
8,570,989	9,660,184	250,365	434,046	2,269,865	1,867,803	1,860,627	3,418,248	71,470,692	64,359,764	71,680,677	67,658,845	Exports...}
124,465	980,175	36,202	37,672	1,090,841	1,567,859	158,677	625,271	5,329,815	6,589,248	8,914,453	13,728,473	Imports...}..North America.
277,201	445,632	33,160		246,929	553,757	10,285	215,354	3,492,443	3,790,843	11,807,905	13,863,887	Exports...}
205,571	471,856	10,687	5,425	137,987	196,896	9	13,628	5,460,084	5,675,366	6,234,281	7,287,246	Imports...}..South America.
151,338	100,308	17,168	79,531	245,947	198,576	26,458	37,534	2,721,310	2,473,625	2,988,031	3,148,780	Exports...}
275,787	27,804	13,840	127,194	560,499	896,736	166,729	293,391	6,294,736	6,108,387	7,213,120	7,363,156	Imports...}..Asia.
123,630	813,448		670	42,179	458,153	342,589	376,137	3,054,953	4,095,439	3,257,959	5,796,242	Exports...}
4,389	1,040		3,602		6,840	622,593	814,064	2,014,255	1,248,627	3,494,088	3,511,177	Imports...}..Oceanica.
12,377	1,663		198,820			5,961	67,765	1,403,088	1,393,661	2,004,861	2,177,630	Exports...}
8,168	22,340		1,800	18,793	9,247		73	407,622	863,605	407,622	970,682	Imports...}..Africa.
2,902	4,468	4,681	14,585		258,558	2,132	11,504	1,228,889	1,536,237	1,272,864	1,933,846	Exports...}

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY CUSTOMS DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES, FOR JUNE, 1899.

DISTRICTS AND COUNTRIES.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane and other.					
DISTRICTS.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
Baltimore, Md.					6,719	134			6,719	134
Boston, Mass.					62,194,623	1,416,829	44,800	1,456	62,239,423	1,418,285
New Haven, Conn.							5,427	159	5,427	159
New York, N. Y.	32,285,956	1,246,242	13,776,971	832,753	184,881,406	4,590,550	2,968,224	81,626	233,912,617	6,251,171
Philadelphia, Pa.	12,168,230	463,663	20,820,905	500,124	28,847,802	632,795			61,836,937	1,596,582
Portland and Falmouth, Me.					504	13			504	13
Brazos de Santiago, Tex.					315	7			315	7
Corpus Christi, Tex.					50	1			50	1
New Orleans, La.			6,640,063	167,156	20,600,848	579,205	51,250	1,544	27,292,161	747,905
Paso del Norte, Tex.					23	2			23	2
Saluria, Tex.					915	50			915	50
Tampa, Fla.					100	8			100	8
Alaska							156	9	156	9
Arizona					2,426	62			2,426	62
Los Angeles, Cal.					1,320	23			1,320	23
Puget Sound, Wash.							351,600	9,948	351,600	9,948
San Diego, Cal.					126	4			126	4
San Francisco, Cal.	30,943,973	1,193,781			2,024,909	65,152	1,688,122	49,192	34,657,004	1,308,125
Willamette, Oreg.							82,150	2,354	82,150	2,354
Cape Vincent, N. Y.					62	2			62	2
Champlain, N. Y.					100	7			100	7
Chicago, Ill.							362,562	49,337	362,562	49,337
Detroit, Mich.							137	13	137	13
Huron, Mich.							20,350	3,339	30,350	3,339
Memphremagog, Vt.							1,609	124	1,609	124
Minnesota, Minn.							129,452	14,130	129,452	14,130
Oswegatchie, N. Y.							25	2	25	2
Superior, Mich.							25	2	25	2
Vermont, Vt.							195	14	195	14
Omaha, Nebr.							30,136	3,466	30,136	3,466
St. Joseph, Mo.							30,446	3,654	30,446	3,654
Total	75,398,159	2,903,686	41,237,939	1,000,033	298,562,308	7,284,844	5,776,666	220,369	420,975,072	11,408,932
COUNTRIES.										
Austria			7,047,886	169,293					7,047,886	169,293
Belgium							30,000	788	30,000	788
France							44,800	1,456	44,800	1,456
Germany			34,190,053	830,740			51,250	1,544	34,241,303	832,284
United Kingdom					237,708	6,604			237,708	6,604
British Honduras					51,670	989			51,670	989
Dominion of Canada:										
Quebec, Ontario, etc.					162	9	584,937	74,081	585,099	74,090
British Columbia							25,464	2,160	25,464	2,160
Central American States:										
Guatemala					944,491	41,222			944,491	41,222
Nicaragua					10,502	179			10,502	179
Salvador					587,060	13,587			587,060	13,587
Mexico					485,529	10,247			485,529	10,247
West Indies:										
British					59,632,618	1,460,551	2,968,224	81,626	62,600,842	1,542,177
Danish					7,202,646	189,499			7,202,646	189,499
Dutch					2,921,541	82,381			2,921,541	82,381
Santo Domingo					11,322,473	306,940			11,322,473	306,940
Cuba					94,665,407	2,606,213			94,665,407	2,606,213
Porto Rico					29,746,946	691,688	5,427	159	29,752,373	691,847
Colombia					4,498	62			4,498	62
Guianas:										
British					5,463,668	153,770			5,463,668	153,770
Dutch					396,828	4,502			396,828	4,502
Peru					4,324,216	94,243			4,324,216	94,243
China					11,684	220	1,632,814	46,253	1,644,498	46,473
British India					9,122,211	145,147			9,122,211	145,147
Dutch East Indies					56,837,518	1,109,151			56,837,518	1,109,151
Hongkong					6,764	111	433,750	12,302	140,514	12,416
Hawaiian Islands	75,398,159	2,903,686							75,398,159	2,903,686
Turkey in Africa: Egypt					14,586,168	367,526			14,586,168	367,526
Total	75,398,159	2,903,686	41,237,939	1,000,033	298,562,308	7,284,844	5,776,666	220,369	420,975,072	11,408,932

SUGAR IMPORTED, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	Free under reciprocity treaty with Hawaiian Islands.		DUTIABLE.						TOTALS.	
			Not above No. 16 Dutch standard.				Above No. 16 Dutch standard (beet and cane combined).			
			Beet.		Cane.					
1895.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
January	15,099,372	434,990	92,367,162	1,662,634	79,208,409	1,379,367	2,526,886	65,068	189,201,829	3,542,059
February	39,730,222	1,099,618	31,349,975	508,429	161,291,283	2,927,178	3,117,125	74,477	235,488,605	4,609,702
March	36,605,359	976,428	6,899,701	122,719	347,940,355	6,236,740	4,574,839	102,841	396,020,254	7,438,728
April	33,686,680	858,390	3,999,603	57,526	335,594,151	5,946,794	4,656,846	113,510	377,937,280	6,976,220
May	45,374,104	1,153,050	1,651,638	25,076	485,620,203	9,162,322	6,018,965	143,782	538,664,910	10,484,230
June	31,085,554	796,606	15,384,879	250,505	334,408,000	6,515,080	7,930,215	198,380	388,808,648	7,760,751
July	28,977,905	781,195	41,001,194	775,758	282,068,349	5,332,334	12,665,220	322,673	364,712,668	7,211,960
August	15,725,350	416,699	3,015,472	52,365	221,438,138	3,977,136	16,599,428	440,903	256,778,388	4,887,103
September	6,421,165	179,750	531,974	9,735	188,552,342	3,577,552	9,014,503	233,249	204,519,984	4,000,286
October	27,908,040	717,813	1,260,740	22,744	247,230,260	4,726,432	9,164,095	243,996	285,563,135	5,711,030
November	6,627,464	188,479	56,128	1,230	145,650,731	3,011,063	7,323,819	205,572	159,658,142	3,406,344
December	2,978,139	85,117	6,088,963	122,835	165,621,681	3,320,457	7,782,128	211,651	182,470,911	3,739,460
1896.										
January	16,135,501	449,307	35,377,666	751,785	203,371,778	4,445,265	9,110,184	250,821	263,995,120	5,897,178
February	38,515,917	1,221,550	104,872,111	2,352,915	179,391,305	3,881,040	15,233,327	429,936	337,992,660	7,885,441
March	49,532,132	1,658,124	116,958,698	2,820,212	252,254,407	6,011,454	10,756,645	318,805	435,501,882	10,807,738
April	49,676,539	1,773,366	60,471,717	1,436,517	259,361,810	6,210,436	18,871,764	571,557	388,381,830	9,991,876
May	49,044,692	1,743,775	134,676,241	3,332,471	323,892,483	7,629,611	36,493,036	1,111,620	544,106,452	13,817,477
June	60,632,435	2,121,621	100,376,081	2,370,347	277,182,334	6,357,875	34,446,536	1,013,225	472,637,376	11,863,068
July	47,490,421	1,060,666	86,129,647	1,770,513	171,359,487	3,488,579	15,195,736	444,321	320,175,291	7,364,079
August	35,319,387	1,172,769	111,699,299	2,211,428	135,067,599	2,671,593	10,421,169	285,751	292,507,454	6,341,541
September	45,036,651	1,468,448	143,135,512	2,746,813	186,909,188	3,840,207	12,666,545	330,173	387,747,896	8,385,641
October	18,504,923	574,390	61,389,479	1,089,619	216,200,222	4,551,527	12,599,775	309,368	308,694,399	6,524,904
November	17,631,371	551,250	41,795,607	781,991	103,680,551	2,072,371	9,204,489	219,568	172,312,018	3,625,180
December	11,360,104	332,275	65,506,946	1,238,430	94,909,606	1,831,992	12,345,858	306,735	184,122,514	3,709,432
1897.										
January	13,953,295	415,031	75,089,083	1,386,565	110,848,403	1,990,720	8,589,972	205,621	208,480,753	3,997,937
February	36,124,491	1,060,405	130,054,470	2,394,358	114,017,832	2,021,901	6,408,657	156,849	286,605,450	5,633,513
March	53,532,407	1,545,084	167,653,100	2,918,836	248,127,014	4,556,941	16,213,469	393,049	485,525,990	9,413,910
April	40,932,737	1,191,799	325,858,788	5,693,356	373,322,520	7,444,939	33,413,432	789,315	773,527,477	15,125,409
May	43,730,125	1,248,942	400,368,077	6,961,874	316,054,212	6,138,524	30,501,581	705,437	790,653,995	15,054,777
June	67,694,447	1,946,492	264,166,562	4,652,045	345,229,380	6,512,534	31,466,107	778,791	708,552,496	13,889,862
July	65,541,110	1,898,191	16,156,314	303,277	75,137,465	1,464,299	22,135,496	513,711	178,970,385	4,179,478
August	77,428,884	2,287,474	161,531	2,469	18,804,080	348,493	14,180,818	318,118	110,515,313	2,956,554
September	35,795,014	1,101,708	335,922	7,946	64,658,118	1,119,510	9,325,983	203,499	110,115,037	2,432,663
October	26,426,128	843,599	380,591	9,388	149,474,394	2,619,088	6,717,832	171,538	182,998,945	3,643,613
November	35,626,044	1,080,325	180	5	118,240,590	2,142,963	5,129,082	132,438	159,004,896	3,355,731
December	5,103,593	166,789	334,819	8,255	98,310,454	1,775,926	2,466,308	62,740	106,215,174	2,613,710
1898.										
January	18,043,839	656,511	220	4	127,090,240	2,508,432	6,269,324	155,526	151,403,623	3,320,473
February	25,054,849	927,103			211,462,662	4,490,397	3,290,573	84,296	239,808,084	5,501,766
March	43,787,235	1,563,175			313,991,691	6,415,958	8,866,473	214,373	366,645,399	8,193,506
April	42,102,485	1,588,276	5,336,175	79,200	354,607,352	7,473,758	4,407,690	106,409	406,453,702	9,247,643
May	62,972,464	2,345,690	17,276,714	270,718	260,373,703	5,220,973	7,063,566	179,518	437,686,447	8,016,899
June	60,885,153	2,201,268	100,719,019	2,036,693	156,263,763	3,080,047	11,098,587	260,705	328,966,522	7,578,713
July	48,207,929	1,809,218	127,558,185	2,597,963	121,578,520	2,560,734	5,824,387	146,779	303,169,021	7,114,694
August	50,574,174	1,856,794	20,309,152	370,579	120,769,323	2,502,875	11,226,046	270,150	202,878,695	5,090,398
September	35,723,373	1,280,369	35,555,484	723,651	169,312,859	3,563,090	6,589,584	169,115	247,181,300	5,736,225
October	22,191,810	794,661	30,337,483	621,143	269,334,493	5,539,807	6,203,147	163,521	328,066,933	7,119,132
November	27,626,057	956,399	2,194,459	45,649	170,688,236	3,508,770	3,010,145	83,472	203,518,867	4,594,290
December	2,967,016	105,480	79,694,439	1,676,420	213,957,823	4,634,355	3,735,911	91,985	303,355,189	6,508,240
1899.										
January	24,629,072	922,527	111,681,059	2,383,932	159,251,627	3,390,615	2,351,041	60,635	297,912,799	6,737,790
February	31,529,451	1,190,048	72,711,980	1,546,006	187,469,798	3,748,430	11,488,891	299,946	303,200,120	6,784,480
March	47,671,110	1,822,819	89,531,801	1,867,288	322,111,233	7,253,801	2,098,913	59,781	461,413,057	11,003,680
April	36,028,774	1,299,045	63,325,504	1,344,913	339,769,229	7,989,559	1,272,728	37,165	440,396,235	10,670,682
May	59,752,955	2,346,637	49,199,029	1,091,836	359,062,643	8,737,183	3,132,902	87,902	471,147,529	12,200,558
June	75,398,159	2,903,686	41,237,939	1,000,033	298,562,308	7,284,844	5,776,666	229,369	420,975,072	11,404,912

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING JUNE, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.		CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	Scoured.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
Austria-Hungary	Austria-Hungary				85,944	85,944
Belgium	Belgium		3,380			3,380
France	France				2,736	2,736
Germany	Germany				57,840	57,840
Iceland	Denmark				24,270	45,588
	England				21,318	
Italy	France				1,985	1,985
Portugal	Portugal	32			78	110
Russia, Baltic	Russia, Baltic				29,040	29,040
Russia, Black	Russia, Black				190,168	190,168
Turkey in Europe	Turkey in Europe			31,682		34,682
	(Russia, Baltic				8,923	84,071
Russia, not otherwise specified	Russia, Black				516	
	England				74,632	121,725
England	England			15,590	106,135	
Scotland	Scotland				217,788	372,909
	England			18,141	136,980	
Dutch West Indies	Dutch West Indies				1,804	1,804
Argentina	Argentina	1,332,321			1,093,444	3,025,765
Brazil	Brazil				4,055	4,055
Chile	Chile	156,794			45,479	202,273
Peru	England			46,181		46,181
Venezuela	Venezuela				913	913
China	China				1,385,497	1,388,983
	England				3,486	
	British East Indies				107,933	1,227,125
British East Indies	England				1,091,546	
	Dutch East Indies				284	266,625
	Turkey in Asia				27,362	
	Turkey in Asia				229,660	266,625
Turkey in Asia	France				1,313	
	Turkey in Europe			17,489		201,493
	England			16,420	1,733	
Asia, all other	Turkey in Europe				52,420	201,493
	England				149,064	
British Australasia	British Australasia	801,221				907,180
	England	105,959				
British Africa	British Africa	41,975				47,776
	England	268		5,533		
	Total	2,438,570	3,380	154,046	5,754,355	8,350,351
Imported into	Boston	2,115,856		130,456	2,285,057	4,531,369
	New York	199,514	3,380		2,953,512	3,156,406
	Philadelphia	123,200		23,590	515,786	662,576

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING THE YEAR ENDING JUNE, 1899.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.		CLASS 2.	CLASS 3.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	Scoured.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
Austria-Hungary	Austria-Hungary.....		8		448,895	448,895
Belgium	Belgium	304	3,380			3,684
Denmark	Denmark				34,493	34,493
France	France	16			69,958	69,974
Germany	Germany	150		452	541,687	542,289
	Denmark				54,299	
Iceland	England				301,400	355,699
	Italy	447		225	2,143	
Italy	France				5,110	7,925
	Portugal	32			78	
Portugal	England				62,537	62,647
	Russia, Baltic, etc.....				1,682,553	
Russia, Baltic, etc.....	France				2,646	1,689,450
	England				124,221	
	Russia, Black Sea.....				7,468,824	
	Belgium				26,811	
Russia, Black Sea, etc.....	France				79,894	8,417,614
	Russia, Baltic, etc.....				224,109	
	England				618,006	
	Belgium				36,974	
	Russia, Baltic, etc.....				597,408	1,614,800
Russia, n. o. s.....	Russia, Black Sea.....				644,039	
	England				336,379	
	Austria-Hungary.....				110,969	182,185
Servia	Germany				71,216	
Spain	France	105,564			219	105,783
Switzerland	Switzerland				19,782	19,782
	Turkey in Europe.....			91,346	79,550	
Turkey in Europe.....	France			152		181,752
	England			10,704		
England	England	86,295		681,752	1,906,454	2,895,764
	British Australasia	221,263				
	Scotland			10,599	3,660,049	6,255,725
	England			31,839	2,553,238	
	England			5,135		5,135
British islands in the Mediterranean.....	British islands in the Mediterranean.....				12,233	12,233
Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	54				54
British West Indies	British West Indies				162	162
Danish West Indies	Danish West Indies				1,000	1,000
Dutch West Indies	Dutch West Indies	188			10,455	10,643
Mexico	Mexico	419				419
	Argentina	2,693,426			4,699,760	
Argentina	Belgium	554,049				7,957,657
	England	10,422				
Brazil	Brazil	76,246		110	141,135	352,831
	Argentina				135,340	
Chile	Chile	1,177,478			1,154,173	2,394,396
	England	21,853			40,892	
Peru	Peru	50,070		1,375		241,372
	England			189,927		
Uruguay	Uruguay	9,045				149,573
	England	140,528				
Venezuela	Venezuela	95			33,698	78,868
	Argentina				45,075	
China	China			60	14,264,551	14,276,124
	England			10,386	1,127	
	British East Indies.....				816,122	
	France				111,954	
British East Indies	England	85			5,993,684	6,949,491
	Dutch East Indies				284	
	Turkey in Asia				27,362	
Japan	Japan				2,291	36,086
	England				33,795	

WOOL IMPORTED INTO BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND PHILADELPHIA DURING THE YEAR ENDING JUNE,
1899—Continued.

COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.	COUNTRIES OF IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT.	CLASS 1.		CLASS 2.	CLASS.	TOTAL.
		In the grease.	Scoured.	In the grease.	In the grease.	
		<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>
Russia, Asiatic	Russia, Baltic, etc.....				666,316	1,531,480
	Russia, Black Sea.....				532,896	
	France.....				75,101	5,515,625
	England.....				257,173	
Turkey in Asia.....	Turkey in Asia.....	115,845			3,528,020	
	Austria-Hungary.....				30,664	
	France.....				321,192	
	Germany.....				78,699	
	Turkey in Europe.....			222,108	375,862	4,964,881
	England.....			462,877	344,942	
Asia, all other.....	Europe, n. o. s.....				35,416	
	Belgium.....				47,547	
	France.....				764,691	7,249,740
	Russia, Baltic, etc.....				711,977	
	Russia, Black Sea.....				749,004	
	Turkey in Europe.....				282,302	
British Australasia.....	England.....			295,374	1,698,408	758,828
	Turkey in Asia.....				416,178	
	British Australasia.....	2,773,571				
	Austria-Hungary.....	220,697				
British Africa.....	France.....	8,312				2,061
	England.....	4,000,491		6,587	240,082	
	British Africa.....	377,754		4,997		
	France.....				110,437	
French Africa.....	Germany.....	113,267				1,510
	England.....	268		28,040	124,065	
	French Africa.....	277				
Africa, all other.....	France.....	1,784				1,510
	Africa, all other.....	1,510				
Total		12,761,805	3,380	2,054,045	60,679,406	75,498,636
Imported into.....	Boston.....	8,335,942		1,554,556	12,456,404	22,346,902
	New York.....	2,908,303	3,380	155,121	43,251,114	46,317,918
	Philadelphia.....	1,517,500		344,368	4,971,888	6,833,816

WOOL, IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS AND
PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.
BY COUNTRIES OF PRODUCTION.

MONTHS.	Russia.	Turkey.	United Kingdom.	Argentina.	Uruguay.	China.	British East Indies.	British Australasia.	All other countries.	TOTAL.
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.
1895—January	1,291,349	1,582,817	634,418	831,420	7,392	2,067,127	229,572	2,963,682	1,178,768	10,786,545
February	279,402	1,858,878	486,946	1,864,876	2,819	870,365	639,029	7,773,343	659,683	14,435,341
March	698,013	1,321,825	935,436	2,543,670	3,186,484	5,598,160	99,466	5,037,213	1,401,471	20,821,738
April	710,412	2,028,664	729,649	6,374,584	1,636,144	2,197,899	836,000	12,420,792	2,107,522	29,041,576
May	738,517	696,185	1,072,037	6,254,059	1,264,569	667,292	453,248	5,415,629	1,965,010	18,526,486
June	142,182	726,245	1,052,464	4,906,523	82,827	516,158	1,754,867	6,918,884	3,246,317	19,346,467
July	364,918	2,562,529	1,698,127	2,181,481	719,522	1,443,955	494,589	10,303,769	1,674,155	21,443,045
August	385,242	2,093,858	1,806,290	4,004,278	2,697,327	2,432,945	1,839,463	17,032,579	3,125,520	35,417,502
September	639,975	2,516,781	1,341,858	1,053,941	1,676,863	916,059	360,445	2,535,472	3,223,390	14,265,184
October	1,851,408	2,507,714	2,185,722	1,253,953	189,919	2,414,609	861,985	3,140,508	2,246,635	16,652,456
November	2,167,790	2,490,156	1,356,149	1,752,179	.....	300,644	886,711	1,915,205	2,642,085	13,510,919
December	3,222,793	2,846,323	1,046,835	2,088,648	201,912	5,428,510	1,779,506	4,722,947	2,534,562	23,872,036
1896—January	2,201,636	1,604,048	1,762,177	2,713,789	251,438	4,375,258	261,477	7,421,236	2,752,665	23,343,724
February	1,177,142	714,321	1,369,561	2,705,824	824,616	5,119,457	1,880,064	10,816,767	4,406,793	29,014,545
March	407,019	470,552	321,722	2,443,134	2,377,075	1,267,902	4,368	8,910,947	1,281,360	17,484,079
April	132,645	353,617	572,631	5,617,857	72,145	465,397	785,068	1,569,822	2,610,623	12,179,805
May	197,614	66,844	434,114	4,573,104	15,463	1,729,954	5,400	3,894,769	2,521,580	13,438,842
June	400,327	71,430	333,873	1,893,150	22,070	189,542	738,055	731,069	936,669	5,316,185
July	28,676	250,905	477,397	848,117	.....	1,053,519	.....	806,366	782,677	4,247,657
August	222,518	160,004	359,278	216,253	20,000	1,186,974	1,087,400	617,004	850,347	4,719,778
September	904,024	569,123	593,766	751,345	.....	962,473	39,397	74,107	887,060	4,781,295
October	190,425	1,988,369	128,097	107,796	10,439	1,266,411	932,940	942,852	435,299	6,002,628
November	1,352,459	467,580	785,831	1,856,304	14,958	325,281	433,942	2,517,615	1,630,672	9,384,642
December	2,432,582	1,784,391	3,807,169	1,588,090	13,702	1,757,134	1,124,785	9,389,215	3,502,457	25,399,525
1897—January	2,572,372	1,383,008	1,556,858	2,175,508	1,730,000	3,861,605	49,390	3,842,512	3,091,734	20,262,987
February	1,411,816	2,000,110	1,502,894	3,602,254	400,611	4,392,283	2,434,912	9,666,878	4,335,137	29,946,895
March	3,220,004	2,910,302	5,365,531	9,831,689	3,483,976	1,723,911	637,247	22,331,931	5,172,241	54,676,832
April	5,002,237	4,281,876	6,917,932	17,763,421	4,381,529	1,696,639	2,414,084	41,968,292	11,133,923	95,559,933
May	1,272,264	2,471,190	2,662,826	19,579,999	1,545,072	975,561	6,696	9,346,050	6,084,027	43,943,685
June	1,097,072	2,003,688	3,601,840	6,648,780	3,403,970	2,259,687	1,829,187	8,210,029	4,514,932	33,569,185
July	320,450	480,029	2,413,986	3,748,806	.....	2,933,917	305,840	9,345,020	1,937,661	21,485,709
August	62,386	63,087	599,591	148,493	.....	655,531	139,574	986,373	220,864	2,875,899
September	190,370	89,121	328,822	1,638,168	.....	127,684	25,660	.....	30,048	2,429,873
October	821,113	1,462,392	1,541,063	1,153,694	.....	411,579	1,088,564	342,592	303,234	7,124,231
November	3,581,564	1,471,130	1,579,534	93,604	9,262	1,976,263	209,065	440,149	800,742	10,161,313
December	4,434,765	2,250,227	2,688,570	301,332	96,874	3,980,963	1,569,416	938,272	1,508,208	17,768,627
1898—January	2,128,333	1,355,205	1,603,657	859,194	225,939	1,715,624	29,762	1,159,728	1,939,647	11,017,080
February	1,482,288	281,863	360,299	57	29,705	5,040,311	415,797	6,458,797	1,733,664	15,802,781
March	2,253,496	678,217	345,221	156,257	334,600	1,204,978	68,848	4,232,126	2,544,889	11,818,692
April	400,175	171,766	787,221	3,557,321	610,276	576,658	1,398,850	3,293,410	2,227,441	13,023,118
May	1,004,381	954,230	164,264	2,547,560	.....	729,183	123,932	1,370,675	967,469	7,861,694
June	276,281	67,877	67,922	2,530,486	3,258	1,016,603	961,483	3,310,110	479,566	8,713,986
July	137,113	180,797	293,509	131,628	.....	3,927,862	87,083	137,293	878,557	5,773,842
August	263,397	37,215	1,020,545	435,680	.....	2,244,707	616,672	328,463	530,313	5,476,992
September	547,524	445,317	686,263	1,675	.....	474,747	19,608	29,816	65,618	2,270,568
October	1,385,122	433,960	862,719	1,101,177	.....	506,353	699,369	8,312	700,200	5,697,212
November	3,420,476	1,293,178	483,011	.....	.....	403,792	166,371	4,201	729,821	6,500,850
December	683,682	419,033	790,807	154,574	3,053	440,648	990,001	237,628	898,496	4,017,922
1899—January	844,365	903,609	1,230,369	1,061,780	146,520	1,760,758	175,230	730,448	763,329	7,616,408
February	1,438,512	383,819	765,142	551,908	.....	1,075,100	1,082,265	1,973,486	1,110,846	8,361,078
March	1,458,858	358,932	932,542	165,614	.....	408,382	71,710	1,434,650	1,554,049	6,384,598
April	1,738,968	809,528	1,030,010	800,426	.....	1,227,919	1,417,054	639,577	1,936,970	9,600,452
May	1,152,054	130,821	667,073	527,430	.....	416,873	397,003	818,686	718,423	4,828,363
June	303,279	301,307	494,634	3,025,765	.....	1,388,983	1,227,125	907,180	702,078	8,350,351
Years ending June 30—										
1890	15,602,337	15,858,245	17,035,193	13,699,451	228,808	8,742,541	6,642,153	11,950,158	13,159,878	102,918,764
1891	23,772,189	15,426,451	14,668,949	14,099,835	1,042,102	11,080,814	3,889,519	26,576,276	13,890,238	124,446,373
1892	32,578,873	17,960,052	8,267,335	14,217,037	4,944,465	14,742,851	1,853,284	39,764,079	12,125,179	146,453,155
1893	32,667,247	22,041,320	15,893,843	13,930,262	708,940	21,135,791	5,819,878	37,389,843	15,901,916	164,918,540
1894	9,238,030	7,379,686	4,130,118	9,035,568	247,797	10,339,859	2,359,023	8,488,583	4,368,224	55,586,888
1895	13,173,681	21,530,410	8,874,609	31,773,290	11,495,280	26,119,599	8,087,982	53,226,422	16,825,046	191,066,439
1896	13,159,509	17,987,753	14,229,068	32,281,341	9,048,350	26,084,232	9,897,531	72,995,090	30,264,448	225,938,322
1897	17,706,449	20,239,717	64,969,556	15,004,257	21,461,478	10,989,980	109,912,851	42,451,365	332,495,042	332,495,042
1898	16,990,224	9,282,762	12,434,332	16,734,279	1,309,974	29,369,294	6,445,063	31,877,252	14,630,832	130,083,012
1899	13,373,350	5,697,377	9,156,624	7,957,657	149,573	14,276,124	6,940,491	7,249,710	10,688,760	75,498,636

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

WOOL IMPORTED INTO THE PORTS OF NEW YORK, BOSTON, AND PHILADELPHIA, BY MONTHS, PORTS, AND CLASSES.

MONTHS.	BOSTON.			NEW YORK.			PHILADELPHIA.			TOTAL.
	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	Class 1.	Class 2.	Class 3.	
	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	
1895 —January	2,634,883	401,800	588,905	732,054	89,479	4,663,380	266,181	289,793	1,180,070	10,786,545
February	7,564,709	542,728	1,769,584	1,226,219	29,212	2,028,319	217,027	125,802	931,741	14,435,341
March	3,730,670	303,914	919,499	5,366,957	124,170	7,375,054	1,397,360	234,140	1,369,974	20,821,738
April	12,630,922	550,041	4,386,786	4,663,039	128,324	3,822,776	921,187	268,884	1,669,617	29,041,576
May	6,614,693	858,804	3,775,202	2,785,373	25,827	2,463,451	445,354	88,703	1,469,073	18,520,486
June	8,186,692	547,295	3,195,594	2,352,414	90,772	3,483,595	13,743	48,301	1,428,061	19,346,467
July	11,110,320	1,271,708	2,459,897	1,737,119	105,916	1,447,799	616,921	236,068	2,457,357	21,443,045
August	17,181,391	2,000,501	4,160,775	5,514,665	77,392	4,371,191	593,007	188,029	1,390,551	35,417,502
September	4,216,822	817,675	1,760,158	2,341,646	107,409	2,347,089	485,821	522,903	1,005,601	14,265,184
October	3,473,217	497,103	2,764,098	2,374,000	39,423	5,535,492	263,729	271,496	1,433,898	16,652,456
November	2,201,670	665,026	3,138,419	1,412,372	184	3,493,655	479,941	364,856	1,754,796	13,510,919
December	5,200,570	330,581	2,356,845	2,472,829	1,910	10,632,902	674,371	23,139	2,178,829	23,872,036
1896 —January	7,408,645	610,796	2,060,498	2,396,039	68,568	8,158,260	1,437,956	50,228	1,152,734	23,343,724
February	10,555,134	489,170	963,215	5,290,182	56,622	8,552,296	1,738,351	70,151	1,290,424	29,014,545
March	10,671,770	1,239,815	884,959	1,401,547	10,768	1,980,111	998,049	6,278	290,782	17,484,079
April	2,004,339	1,039,962	3,219,830	1,670,660	24,467	2,427,429	812,884	85,892	894,342	12,179,805
May	3,866,983	372,500	4,247,408	1,948,699	41,104	2,225,209	125,555	233,974	377,470	13,438,842
June	507,251	205,044	2,309,571	379,995	9,529	1,593,121	74,694	17,654	219,326	5,316,185
July	838,377	149,289	1,042,268	280,140	64,514	1,483,763	.....	6,235	383,071	4,247,057
August	518,895	205,257	371,267	267,578	25,516	2,449,710	.....	39,870	841,685	4,719,778
September	143,709	81,897	1,776,481	556,740	14,794	1,809,190	76,567	.....	371,917	4,781,295
October	1,028,044	135,111	1,263,111	140,562	.....	3,260,379	23,341	.....	152,080	6,002,628
November	3,124,768	397,597	2,317,145	920,944	101,780	1,821,876	245,297	102,344	352,891	9,384,642
December	11,144,566	596,658	4,234,074	1,635,224	288,676	5,547,437	170,512	138,342	1,644,036	25,399,525
1897 —January	4,323,049	462,665	1,412,746	4,020,903	25,620	7,637,930	463,140	22,454	1,894,480	20,262,987
February	11,336,017	1,556,474	2,388,117	4,002,408	188,251	9,099,483	582,258	30,709	761,178	29,466,985
March	23,715,522	3,331,523	2,673,890	12,755,340	667,129	9,178,465	1,403,553	398,550	552,850	54,676,832
April	48,107,356	7,352,542	6,435,949	15,271,603	198,327	9,612,394	4,633,186	548,844	3,399,732	95,559,933
May	21,026,656	4,413,636	6,316,502	4,424,901	211,986	4,594,715	1,413,523	152,701	1,380,065	43,943,685
June	11,912,488	4,524,104	3,190,179	4,151,671	585,011	6,027,219	873,548	371,349	1,933,526	33,569,185
July	11,016,229	1,936,068	281,957	2,412,256	388,252	5,095,792	224,538	49	130,568	21,485,709
August	986,373	171,026	10,156	77,150	3,421	1,535,245	.....	.....	92,528	2,875,899
September	1,698,168	35	61,859	341	.....	599,599	.....	3,752	126,119	2,429,873
October	419,755	10,852	1,964,632	6,595	13,075	3,599,210	.....	.....	1,110,112	7,124,231
November	240,066	.....	1,725,185	114,391	.....	6,481,008	213,853	.....	1,386,810	10,161,313
December	1,097,198	53,441	3,993,654	583,154	4,300	10,370,808	.....	.....	1,666,072	17,768,627
1898 —January	1,087,065	3,113	2,349,339	752,363	13,361	5,042,622	411,329	.....	1,357,897	11,017,085
February	6,284,750	3,553	740,571	370,896	504	6,686,657	369,834	1,700	1,344,364	15,802,781
March	4,187,017	297,139	1,841,946	503,324	5,020	3,810,283	334,027	745	789,191	11,818,692
April	4,693,453	7,856	3,848,550	711,896	6,685	2,681,567	288,877	5,943	778,291	13,023,118
May	1,349,159	28,076	3,158,208	245,942	10,450	2,195,777	374,954	.....	499,128	7,861,694
June	3,206,479	161,002	2,847,080	87,608	13,664	1,973,431	38,601	5,316	380,805	8,713,960
July	137,250	39,648	299,786	97,015	50,635	4,849,433	4,151	4,923	291,001	5,773,842
August	331,244	52,793	924,302	45,926	2,504	3,770,247	47,549	12,394	290,033	5,476,992
September	2,218	111,182	170,563	687	2,485	1,716,281	27,598	20,872	218,682	2,270,568
October	115,845	58,880	1,566,042	11,487	21,885	2,776,029	37,915	5,644	1,103,485	5,697,212
November	2,920	77,830	735,877	54,541	8,235	5,219,451	4,266	1,858	392,872	6,500,850
December	28,368	109,643	1,532,860	113,882	.....	2,409,492	237,860	6,900	178,917	4,617,922
1899 —January	1,081,338	116,827	1,399,857	150,756	13,710	4,358,237	301,797	.....	193,886	7,616,408
February	1,645,907	464,036	1,335,105	321,127	3,395	3,792,763	302,160	100	516,465	8,381,078
March	1,475,255	139,358	675,433	285,799	10,936	3,374,796	127,301	125	295,595	6,384,598
April	705,785	161,958	1,109,520	1,067,694	36,552	5,760,635	180,980	148,156	429,172	9,600,452
May	692,956	91,945	419,002	559,875	4,784	2,270,238	122,783	119,806	545,974	4,828,363
June	2,115,856	130,456	2,285,057	202,894	.....	2,953,512	123,200	23,590	515,786	8,350,351
Years ending June 30—										
1890	11,154,247	5,196,059	29,277,193	2,716,348	1,178,465	39,413,896	1,621,512	899,649	11,461,395	102,918,764
1891	23,574,857	4,060,718	26,878,778	4,748,593	675,697	46,402,122	2,415,568	987,922	14,702,618	124,446,373
1892	35,389,751	2,139,084	32,691,164	9,205,840	686,577	50,889,755	4,140,263	2,122,551	9,188,170	140,453,155
1893	33,258,991	2,756,142	41,160,922	6,958,992	763,265	58,176,030	1,846,961	1,930,577	18,066,760	164,918,540
1894	7,602,884	969,432	11,463,487	2,292,895	224,905	26,657,324	569,747	266,859	5,539,355	55,580,888
1895	55,992,782	5,017,210	29,840,260	24,823,191	814,650	55,510,709	3,591,566	1,397,276	14,078,795	191,066,439
1896	78,398,112	9,539,881	30,325,673	28,939,693	543,352	52,764,614	8,301,279	2,070,608	15,055,110	225,938,322
1897	137,221,457	23,156,843	33,421,729	48,428,014	2,371,604	62,622,561	9,884,925	1,811,928	13,676,511	332,495,042
1898	36,203,712	2,672,113	22,823,137	5,865,916	458,732	50,071,808	2,306,013	17,505	9,661,885	130,083,012
1899	8,335,942	1,554,556	12,456,404	2,911,683	155,121	43,251,114	1,517,560	341,368	4,971,888	75,498,636

NOTE.—These figures represent about 98.5 per cent of the total quantity of wool imported into all ports of the United States.

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, JUNE, 1899.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
ATLANTIC PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Alexandria, Va.	185				185							
Baltimore, Md.	6,274		2,689	120,761	8,963	120,761	3,855		1,495	139,133	5,350	139,133
Bangor, Me.	695				695		327		774	3,188	1,101	3,188
Barnstable, Mass.			99		99				166		166	
Beaufort, S. C.				1,406		1,406				2,291		2,291
Belfast, Me.	342		604		946		257		604		861	
Boston and Charlestown, Mass.	7,744	19,700	19,127	148,157	26,871	167,857	8,701	21,319	8,821	131,969	17,522	153,288
Brunswick, Ga.	5,304		17,242	1,630	22,546	1,630			11,732	1,613	11,732	1,613
Castine, Me.			523		523				54		54	
Charleston, S. C.				2,640		2,640				339		339
Delaware	575		1,775	23,131	2,350	23,131				11,662		11,662
Fairfield, Conn.	79		632		711				386		386	
Fall River, Mass.	134		394		528				394		394	
Fernandina, Fla.	487			9,157	487	9,157				10,158		10,158
Frenchman Bay, Me.			125		125							
Georgetown, D. C.	467				467							
Gloucester, Mass.	86		85		171		229		85		314	
Hartford, Conn.			99		99				99		99	
Machias, Me.	387	34	99		486	34	1,633				1,633	
Newark, N. J.	1,488		233		1,721		444		1,024		1,468	
New Bedford, Mass.	164		814		978		244		998		1,242	
New Haven, Conn.	397		444		841				197		197	
New London, Conn.			124		124		103		221		324	
Newport, R. I.		970	421		421	970			519		519	
Newport News, Va.	1,936	1,798		37,289	1,936	39,087		1,557	563	40,028	563	41,535
New York, N. Y.	28,622	83,796	23,467	562,312	52,089	646,108	16,717	75,580	41,606	542,716	58,323	618,296
Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.	1,546			13,303	1,546	13,303	254		506	29,534	760	29,534
Passamaquoddy, Me.	842	12,362	1,294	3,828	2,136	16,190	1,377	12,362	1,294	3,828	2,671	16,190
Perth Amboy, N. J.			422		422				1,199		1,199	
Philadelphia, Pa.	9,805		8,767	125,667	18,572	125,667	2,873	1,243	15,190	127,143	18,063	128,386
Plymouth, Mass.			68		68		167		68		235	
Portland and Falmouth, Me.	2,063	363	2,370	6,881	4,452	7,246	2,719	140	2,042	13,097	4,761	13,237
Portsmouth, N. H.			185		185				86		86	
Providence, R. I.	525		1,417		1,942		183		835		1,078	
Saco, Me.							165				165	
St. Johns, Fla.			415		415				763		763	
Salem and Beverly, Mass.			404		404		572		156		728	
Savannah, Ga.	1,819	151	12,415	5,087	14,234	5,238	336	74	12,387	4,660	12,723	4,734
Stonington, Conn.			182		182				84		84	
Waldoboro, Me.	631		2,301		2,932		582		1,618		2,200	
Wilmington, N. C.	653				653		870		246		1,116	
Wiscasset, Me.			365		365							
Total Atlantic ports.	73,270	119,176	99,601	1,061,249	172,871	1,180,425	42,608	112,275	106,272	1,061,359	148,880	1,173,634
GULF PORTS.												
Apalachicola, Fla.			2,783		2,783		440		2,400		2,840	
Galveston, Tex.	618		393	24,327	1,011	24,327			768	23,613	768	23,613
Key West, Fla.	3,538	28,496	328	5,311	3,866	33,807	721	28,540	333	4,355	1,054	32,895
Mobile, Ala.	1,272	1,698	10,681	20,799	11,953	22,497	494	1,698	17,737	24,448	18,231	26,146
New Orleans, La.	1,333	9,775	7,697	89,226	9,020	99,001		8,321	5,046	85,521	5,046	93,842
Pearl River, Miss.	4,742		9,453		14,195		1,292		8,067	1,460	9,359	1,460
Pensacola, Fla.	1,905		21,328	23,625	23,233	23,625	57		27,908	34,392	27,908	34,392
Tampa, Fla.	508		36	4,258	544	4,258	77		36	3,404	113	3,404
Total Gulf ports.	13,916	39,969	52,699	167,546	66,615	207,515	3,081	38,539	62,295	177,193	65,376	213,752
PACIFIC PORTS.												
Alaska.		10,088	983	4,817	983	14,905	918	4,260	933	5,922	1,901	10,182
Los Angeles, Cal.		1,891	1,051	1,926	1,051	3,817	15	1,891		1,926	15	3,817
Oregon, Oreg.			2,121	3,770	2,121	3,770			1,626	1,871	1,626	1,871
Puget Sound, Wash.	7,632	49,031	7,326	6,872	14,958	55,903	9,839	52,514	17,171	6,724	27,010	59,278
San Diego, Cal.	97			5,262	97	5,262	164			5,262	104	5,262
San Francisco, Cal.	15,885	37,299	27,693	28,162	43,578	65,461	15,424	34,682	16,281	25,283	31,705	59,965
Willamette, Oreg.				1,870		1,870			5,653	4,834	5,653	4,834
Total Pacific ports.	23,614	98,309	39,174	52,679	62,788	150,988	26,300	93,347	41,714	51,822	68,014	145,169

VESSELS (NET TONS) ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE FOREIGN TRADE, JUNE, 1899—Continued.

CUSTOMS DISTRICTS.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.		AMERICAN.		FOREIGN.		TOTAL.	
	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
NORTHERN BORDER AND LAKE PORTS.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Buffalo Creek, N. Y	23,660	11,459	370	5,972	24,030	17,431	21,005	8,464	370	2,846	21,375	11,310
Cape Vincent, N. Y	239	3,519	681	35,732	920	39,251	282	2,692	641	35,684	923	38,376
Champlain, N. Y	18,132	294	117	.....	18,249	294	16,855	224	.....	.....	16,855	224
Chicago, Ill	900	29,197	1,631	1,035	2,531	30,232	3,730	30,756	1,631	1,035	5,361	31,791
Cuyahoga, Ohio	1,841	35,934	2,982	10,521	4,823	46,455	10,494	26,113	3,090	15,053	13,584	41,166
Detroit, Mich	2,434	17,957	2,278	10,017	4,712	27,974	1,577	17,964	2,606	9,757	4,183	27,721
Duluth, Minn	856	15,593	.....	20,065	856	35,688	.....	13,339	.....	14,772	.....	28,111
Erie, Pa	34	1,111	969	793	1,003	1,004	20	.....	326	32	246	32
Genesee, N. Y	8,150	.....	7,182	39,601	15,332	39,601	8,150	.....	7,182	39,601	15,332	39,601
Huron, Mich	4,041	8,406	2,651	5,628	6,692	14,034	1,719	6,772	2,422	5,927	4,141	12,699
Memphrenagog, Vt .....	.....	.....	135	3,888	135	3,888	.....	.....	135	3,875	135	3,875
Miami, Ohio	895	1,941	2,901	6,036	3,796	7,977	2,293	1,488	2,727	3,033	5,020	4,521
Michigan, Mich	876	485	543	479	1,419	964	185	811	543	479	728	1,290
Milwaukee, Wis .....	.....	20,930	.....	.....	20,930	.....	.....	15,761	.....	.....	.....	15,761
Minnesota, Minn .....	.....	418	.....	8,471	.....	8,880	.....	399	.....	8,471	.....	8,870
Montana and Idaho .....	.....	.....	.....	2,009	.....	2,009	.....	.....	.....	2,009	.....	2,009
Niagara, N. Y	1,746	1,613	704	41,772	2,450	43,385	1,746	900	704	41,772	2,450	42,672
Oswegatchie, N. Y	5,385	12,404	13,689	4,732	19,074	17,136	16	13,153	2,539	4,732	2,555	17,885
Oswego, N. Y	7,193	12,159	28,703	9,264	35,896	21,423	9,177	4,725	33,540	7,511	42,717	12,236
Sandusky, Ohio	2,614	3,153	583	2,529	3,197	5,682	1,272	2,262	583	2,429	1,855	4,691
Superior, Mich	820	22,970	.....	98,889	820	121,859	553	25,930	.....	98,889	553	124,819
Vermont, Vt	1,551	.....	1,658	79	3,209	79	969	.....	1,781	79	2,750	79
Total northern border and lake ports	81,367	199,543	67,777	307,542	149,144	507,085	80,043	171,753	60,820	297,986	140,863	469,739
Grand total, June, 1899	192,167	456,997	259,251	1,589,016	451,418	2,046,013	152,032	415,934	271,101	1,588,360	423,133	2,004,294
Year ending June 30—												
1895	1,606,269	2,866,561	2,883,000	11,939,085	4,483,269	14,835,646	1,542,680	2,961,547	2,831,343	12,364,976	4,424,023	15,326,523
1896	1,502,138	3,694,182	2,993,043	12,799,821	4,495,181	16,494,003	1,579,461	3,750,138	2,970,690	13,114,296	4,550,151	16,864,434
1897	1,607,749	3,917,579	3,147,563	15,087,359	4,755,312	19,004,938	1,616,929	4,001,213	2,997,410	15,093,643	4,614,339	19,094,856
1898	1,501,865	3,738,181	3,109,229	17,230,124	4,611,094	20,568,305	1,458,843	3,652,604	3,281,742	17,355,043	4,740,585	21,007,647
1899	1,472,163	3,867,184	2,777,236	17,985,641	4,249,399	21,852,825	1,523,749	3,937,899	2,696,924	17,990,122	4,220,673	21,928,021

VESSELS CLEARED WITH CARGO IN THE FOREIGN TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES, TO AND FROM THE PORTS NAMED, DURING THE MONTH AND SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE, 1899.

FOREIGN PORTS TO WHICH, AND UNITED STATES PORTS FROM WHICH, CLEARED.	JUNE.						SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE.					
	ALL-GRAIN CARGO.		GENERAL CARGO.		TOTAL.		ALL-GRAIN CARGO.		GENERAL CARGO.		TOTAL.	
	Steam.		Steam.		Steam.		Steam.		Steam.		Steam.	
	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.	Num- ber.	Tons.
AMSTERDAM:												
New York			4	8,265	4	8,265			9	19,173	9	19,173
Philadelphia			1	1,875	1	1,875			11	23,715	11	23,715
Baltimore			1	1,868	1	1,868	1	1,844	3	5,108	4	6,952
Total			6	12,008	6	12,008	1	1,844	23	47,996	24	49,840
ANTWERP:												
Boston			3	7,044	3	7,044			11	25,938	11	25,938
New York			9	32,258	9	32,258			52	191,204	52	191,204
Philadelphia			2	5,683	2	5,683			12	29,072	12	29,072
Baltimore			3	7,027	3	7,027	1	1,875	14	31,865	15	33,740
Newport News			1	2,746	1	2,746			6	14,015	6	14,015
Total			18	54,758	18	54,758	1	1,875	95	292,094	96	293,969
BREMEN:												
New York			8	39,263	8	39,263			45	196,301	45	196,301
Baltimore			4	10,973	4	10,973			24	67,942	24	67,942
Total			12	50,236	12	50,236			69	264,243	69	264,243
GLASGOW:												
Boston			2	4,274	2	4,274			13	27,455	13	27,455
New York			7	21,881	7	21,881			32	90,429	32	90,429
Philadelphia			2	4,662	2	4,662	1	1,694	13	29,163	14	30,857
Baltimore			2	5,128	2	5,128	1	1,080	18	45,942	19	47,922
Newport News			1	1,984	1	1,984			5	11,009	5	11,009
Norfolk							2	4,601			2	4,601
Total			14	37,929	14	37,929	4	8,275	81	203,998	85	212,273
HAMBURG:												
Boston			1	2,131	1	2,131			9	26,146	9	26,146
New York			12	67,608	12	67,608			47	235,523	47	235,523
Philadelphia			3	10,390	3	10,390	1	1,931	13	38,982	14	40,913
Baltimore			4	20,708	4	20,708	1	2,116	18	75,618	19	77,734
Newport News			2	5,307	2	5,307	6	12,208	9	21,539	15	33,747
Norfolk							2	3,664	12	23,786	14	27,450
Total			22	106,144	22	106,144	10	19,919	108	421,594	118	441,513
HAVRE:												
New York			8	21,162	8	21,162			39	114,614	39	114,614
Baltimore			1	2,285	1	2,285	1	1,691	5	10,090	6	11,781
Total			9	23,447	9	23,447	1	1,691	44	124,704	45	126,395
LIVERPOOL:												
Boston			17	72,863	17	72,863			109	467,933	109	467,933
New York			18	69,284	18	69,284			89	394,612	89	394,612
Philadelphia			4	11,679	4	11,679			23	66,475	23	66,475
Baltimore			4	17,143	4	17,143			30	128,589	30	128,589
Newport News			2	7,267	2	7,267	1	2,244	13	41,523	14	43,767
Norfolk							1	2,244	4	16,228	5	18,472
Total			45	178,236	45	178,236	2	4,488	268	1,115,360	270	1,119,848
LONDON:												
Boston			5	17,735	5	17,735			35	112,540	35	112,540
New York			8	32,527	8	32,527			53	197,185	53	197,185
Philadelphia			4	9,898	4	9,898	2	3,459	33	73,644	35	77,103
Baltimore			3	7,743	3	7,743			22	49,189	22	49,189
Newport News	2	4,164	5	6,128	5	10,292	3	5,984	20	41,609	23	47,593
Norfolk							1	2,593	1	2,472	2	5,065
Total	2	4,164	23	74,031	25	78,195	6	12,035	164	476,639	170	488,675
ROTTERDAM:												
New York			7	26,491	7	26,491			31	110,351	31	110,351
Philadelphia			4	8,924	4	8,924	5	8,828	26	51,678	31	63,506
Baltimore	2	3,902	5	9,961	7	13,863	12	24,875	32	61,718	44	86,593
Newport News	3	6,219			3	6,219	5	9,760	7	14,379	12	24,139
Norfolk							3	5,046	8	15,132	11	20,178
Total	5	10,121	16	45,376	21	55,407	25	48,509	104	256,258	129	304,767

a Includes one sailing vessel, 1,231 tons.

**IMMIGRANTS AND ALIEN NONIMMIGRANTS ARRIVED AT THE PORTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA
DURING THE MONTHS OF MAY AND JUNE, 1899.**

[Compiled by Bureau of Immigration, Treasury Department.]

COUNTRIES.	MAY.					JUNE.				
	Sex.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonim- migrants.	Sex.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonim- migrants.
	Male.	Female.				Male.	Female.			
Austria-Hungary	6,385	3,864	10,249	9,867	382	5,030	3,268	8,298	7,997	301
Belgium	139	86	225	149	76	58	34	92	88	4
Denmark	229	165	394	292	102	212	155	367	303	64
France	325	227	552	246	306	225	134	359	107	252
Germany	1,977	1,546	3,523	2,437	1,086	1,491	1,251	2,742	1,881	858
Greece	165	10	175	165	10	263	7	270	261	6
Italy	10,497	3,177	13,674	13,321	353	5,727	2,116	7,843	7,574	269
Netherlands	142	95	237	129	108	160	97	257	167	90
Norway	737	432	1,169	1,114	55	625	352	977	925	52
Portugal	119	98	217	158	59	183	222	405	354	51
Roumania	108	80	188	185	3	139	65	204	193	11
Russia and Finland	8,129	3,377	11,506	11,208	298	6,325	3,523	9,848	9,724	124
Servia, Bulgaria, and Montenegro	15	1	16	16	.....	2	1	3	1	2
Spain	104	22	126	35	91	123	20	143	66	77
Sweden	1,203	998	2,201	2,009	192	846	867	1,713	1,629	84
Switzerland	161	105	266	128	138	95	58	153	80	73
Turkey in Europe	16	1	17	14	3	16	3	19	12	7
United Kingdom	6,275	6,630	12,905	10,362	2,543	3,363	3,047	6,410	4,333	2,077
Not specified	1	.....	1	1	.....	3	.....	3	3	.....
Total Europe	36,727	20,914	57,641	51,926	5,715	24,886	15,220	40,106	35,704	4,402
China	141	.....	141	141	.....	162	3	165	155	10
Japan	481	8	489	487	2	287	18	305	295	10
India	1	3	4	.....	4	4	3	7	.....	7
Turkey in Asia	728	352	1,080	907	173	544	258	802	744	58
Other Asia	2	2	4	4	.....	4	.....	4	4	.....
Total Asia	1,353	365	1,718	1,539	179	1,001	282	1,283	1,198	85
Africa	11	4	15	5	10	5	2	7	2	5
Australasia	26	24	50	46	4	19	5	24	24	.....
Hawaiian Islands	18	27	45	44	1	9	7	16	12	4
Philippine Islands	1	.....	1	1	.....	7	4	11	11	.....
British North America	143	87	230	75	155	119	70	189	79	110
Central American States	56	16	72	11	61	30	10	40	6	34
Mexico	71	49	120	38	82	58	36	94	17	77
South America	71	33	104	38	66	18	22	40	9	31
West Indies	466	248	714	231	483	604	371	975	275	700
All other countries .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand total	38,943	21,767	60,710	53,954	6,756	26,756	16,029	42,785	37,337	5,448
1898.										
July .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,774	8,906	20,680	17,114	3,566
August .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,843	9,062	20,905	16,779	4,126
September .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,259	15,026	31,285	25,380	5,905
October .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,918	13,414	29,332	25,459	3,873
November .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,326	11,544	26,870	22,718	4,152
December .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,417	7,967	20,384	17,833	2,551
1899.										
January .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,693	4,155	12,848	10,683	2,165
February .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,789	5,121	16,910	14,478	2,432
March .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,557	8,830	33,387	29,704	3,683
April .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32,815	12,525	45,340	40,276	5,064
May .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38,943	21,767	60,710	53,954	6,756
June .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26,756	16,029	42,785	37,337	5,448
Total twelve months .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	227,090	134,346	361,436	311,715	49,721

IMMIGRANTS AND ALIEN NONIMMIGRANTS ARRIVED AT THE PORTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA
DURING TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE 30, 1899.

[Compiled by Bureau of Immigration, Treasury Department.]

COUNTRIES.	TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE, 1899.					COUNTRIES.	TWELVE MONTHS ENDING JUNE, 1899.				
	Sex.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonim- migrants.		Sex.		Total.	Immi- grants.	Nonim- migrants.
	Male.	Female.					Male.	Female.			
Austria-Hungary.....	39,859	24,976	64,835	62,491	2,344	China.....	1,682	16	1,698	1,600	38
Belgium.....	1,202	526	1,728	1,142	586	Japan.....	2,764	154	2,918	2,844	74
Denmark.....	2,001	1,252	3,253	2,690	563	India.....	29	13	42	17	25
France.....	2,928	1,964	4,902	1,694	3,208	Turkey in Asia.....	3,555	1,488	5,043	4,436	607
Germany.....	14,499	11,405	25,904	17,476	8,428	Other Asia.....	21	4	25	15	10
Greece.....	2,316	134	2,450	2,333	117	Total Asia.....	8,051	1,675	9,726	8,972	754
Italy.....	50,612	23,052	73,664	77,419	2,245	Africa.....	72	37	109	53	56
Netherlands.....	1,269	725	1,994	1,029	965	Australasia.....	279	256	535	450	85
Norway.....	4,651	2,462	7,113	6,705	408	Hawaiian Islands.....	153	116	269	252	17
Portugal.....	1,196	1,073	2,269	2,054	215	Philippine Islands.....	14	7	21	19	2
Roumania.....	955	700	1,655	1,606	49	Other Pacific Islands.....	56	24	80	79	1
Russia and Finland.....	40,824	21,713	62,537	60,982	1,555	British North America.....	2,007	892	2,899	1,332	1,567
Servia, Bulgaria, and Montene- gro.....	52	7	59	52	7	Central American States.....	411	139	550	179	391
Spain.....	1,210	218	1,428	412	1,016	Mexico.....	333	220	553	161	392
Sweden.....	6,533	7,008	13,541	12,796	745	South America.....	246	121	367	89	278
Switzerland.....	1,351	943	2,294	1,327	967	West Indies.....	3,317	1,632	4,949	2,585	2,364
Turkey in Europe.....	110	27	137	80	57	All other countries.....	181	76	217	217	.....
United Kingdom.....	34,384	31,036	65,390	45,053	20,337	Grand total.....	227,090	134,346	361,436	311,715	49,721
Not specified.....	8	.....	8	6	2						
Total Europe.....	211,570	129,191	341,161	297,347	43,814						

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

TABLE I.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.					COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Bullion value of a United States silver dollar at average price of silver exchange at par.	Commer- cial ratio of silver to gold.		Middle weights.			
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.				Oak.	Union.	Hemlock nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.					Per pound.				
1898.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
August 6.....	27½	.59735	.59593	.46596	34.31	6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	102
August 13.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	103
August 20.....	27½	.60009	.59836			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	104
August 27.....	27½	.60831	.60656			6½	32½ @ 33	29	21 @ 22	-----
September 3.....	27½	.60831	.60625	.47531	33.62	6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
September 10.....	27½	.61242	.60971			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	100 @ 102
September 17.....	28½	.61653	.61317			6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
September 24.....	28½	.61790	.61453			6½	32 @ 32	29	21 @ 22	98 @ 100
October 1.....	28½	.61790	.61485	.49305	33.79	6½	32 @ 33	29	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
October 8.....	28½	.61516	.61212			6½	32 @ 32½	29	21 @ 22	92 @ 93
October 15.....	27½	.60694	.60394			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	89 @ 88
October 22.....	27½	.61231	.61055			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	86
October 29.....	28½	.61790	.61676	.47359	33.75	5½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 5.....	28½	.61653	.61339			5	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	91
November 12.....	28½	.61516	.61370			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	93
November 19.....	27½	.61231	.61097			6½	32 @ 32½	28	21 @ 22	-----
November 23.....	27½	.60557	.60351	.46519	34.37	6½	31 @ 32	28	21 @ 22	95
December 3.....	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 10.....	27½	.60283	.60017			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 17.....	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	-----	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	92
December 24.....	27½	.60009	.59744	.46519	34.37	7	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
December 31.....	27½	.59872	.59607			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	95 @ 98
1899.										
January 7.....	27½	.59872	.59607	.46502	34.38	6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
January 14.....	27½	.60283	.60047			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94
January 21.....	27½	.60420	.60184			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	93
January 23.....	27½	.60146	.59911			6½	31 @ 32	27 @ 28	21 @ 22	94 @ 95
February 4.....	27½	.60009	.59836	.46514	34.37	6½	-----	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94 @ 100
February 11.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	101
February 18.....	27½	.60283	.60233			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	-----
February 25.....	27½	.60009	.59990			6½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	98
March 4.....	27½	.60146	.60004	.46584	34.32	6½	32 @ 34	29 @ 30	21 @ 22	-----
March 11.....	27½	.60283	.60171			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
March 18.....	27½	.60420	.60234			6½	32 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	103 @ 104
March 25.....	27½	.60283	.60140			6½	33 @ 34	30 @ 31	21 @ 22	102 @ 103
April 1.....	27½	.60420	.60127	.46892	34.09	6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	103
April 8.....	27½	.60420	.60096			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 15.....	27½	.60420	.60158			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	101 @ 102
April 22.....	27½	.60283	.60322			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	102
April 29.....	28½	.63023	.63133	.47725	33.50	6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	100
May 6.....	28	.61379	.61454			6½	33 @ 34	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	100
May 13.....	28	.61379	.61423			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	100
May 20.....	28	.61379	.61655			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	99
May 27.....	28½	.61516	.61655	.47085	33.95	6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	99
June 3.....	27½	.61165	.61274			6½	33 @ 34	32	21 @ 22	-----
June 10.....	27½	.61165	.61274			6½	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	96
June 17.....	27½	.60831	.60968			5½	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	95
June 24.....	27½	.60150	.61168	.47085	33.95	6	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	94
July 1.....	27½	.61379	.61937			6½	33 @ 34	32	22 @ 22½	95
July 8.....	27½	.60831	.60916			6½	33 @ 34	32	22 @ 22½	-----
July 15.....	27½	.60557	.60663			-----	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	99
July 22.....	27½	.60831	.60937	.47085	33.95	5½	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	100
July 29.....	27½	.60964	.60737			5½	33 @ 34	32	21½ @ 22	96 @ 100

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE II.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS. (a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
August 1	5½	5½	5	7½	7 @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 8	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 15	6½	(b)	5½	7½	7½ @ 7½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 22	6	(b)	5½	7½ @ 7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
August 29	5½	(b)	5	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 5	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 12	5½	(b)	4½	7½	6½	2 @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 19	5½	5½	5	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
September 26	5½	5	5	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 3	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	½ @ 1½
October 10	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 17	5½	5	5	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 24	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
October 31	5½	5	5	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 1½
November 7	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 14	5½	4½	4½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 21	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
November 28	5½	4½	4½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 5	5½	4½	4½	6½	6 @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 12	5½	4½	4½	6	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 19	5½	4½	4½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
December 26	5½	5	5½	6½	5½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2½
1899.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 2	5½	5½	5½	6½	5½ @ 6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 9	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 16	5½	5½	5½	6½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1 @ 2
January 23	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
January 30	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 6	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 13	5½	5½	5½	6½	6	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 20	5½	5½	5½	7	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
February 27	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 6	5½	5½	5½	7½	7	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 13	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 20	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
March 27	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 3	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 10	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 17	5½	5½	5½	8	8½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
April 24	5½	5½	5½	8	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 1	5½	5½	5½	7½ @ 7½	7½ @ 8	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 8	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 15	5½	5½	5½	7½	7½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 23	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
May 30	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
June 5	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 12	5½	5½	5½	8	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
June 19	5½	5½	5½	8½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
June 26	5½	5½	5½	8½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
July 3	5½	5½	5½	8½ @ 8½	6½ @ 6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 10	5½	5½	5½	8½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 17	5½	5½	5½	7½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 24	5½	5½	5½	8	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2
July 31				8½	6½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE III.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.			COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.		
	Pig—			Bars.	Bars.	Billets. (b)	Rails. (d)	Furnace.	Crude Pennsylv- ania (per bar- rel, 42 gallons). (b)	Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	Southern No. 2, foundry. (c)							In bar- rels.	In cases.
				Per ton. (f)			Per pound.	Per 100 lbs.				Per ton. (f)		Per ton.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
August 3	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.60	14.75	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 10	10.25@10.35	9.00@ 9.15	7.25	1.05	.95@1.00	14.50@15.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	96	6.40	7.05
August 17	10.50@10.65	9.15@ 9.25	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	97	6.40	7.05
August 24	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.00	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
August 31	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25@16.50	17.50@18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 7	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.05	.97@1.00	16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 14	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	100	6.50	7.15
September 21	10.50@10.65	9.35@ 9.50	7.50	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	102	6.65	7.30
September 28	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00@16.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	106	6.85	7.50
October 5	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	107	6.85	7.50
October 12	10.40@10.50	9.35@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	110	7.10	7.85
October 19	10.40@10.50	9.40@ 9.50	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.30	8.05
October 26	10.35@10.50	9.25@ 9.40	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.75	18.00	1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 2	10.25@10.40	9.25@ 9.35	7.50@7.75	1.10	1.00@1.05	15.50	18.00	1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 9	10.10@10.25	7.50@7.75	7.50@7.75	1.20	1.00	15.00@15.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 16	10.10@10.25	7.50@7.75	7.50@7.75	1.20	1.00	17.25@17.50	18.00	1.50@1.75	118	7.40	8.15
November 23	10.00@10.25	7.75	7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.30	8.05
November 30	10.00@10.25	7.75	7.75	1.00@1.05	1.00	15.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.30	8.05
December 7	10.65	7.75	7.75	1.00	1.00	15.75@16.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
December 14	10.75	7.75	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00	1.50@1.75	117	7.40	8.15
December 21	10.75@11.00	7.75	7.75	1.00	1.00	16.00@16.25	17.00@18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
December 28	10.85@11.00	8.00	8.00	1.00	1.00	16.25@16.50	18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
1899.											
January 4	10.85@11.00	8.00	8.00	1.05	1.07½	16.50@16.75	18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
January 11	10.85@11.00	8.25	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.25
January 18	11.00	8.25	8.25	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	116	7.40	8.15
January 25	11.00	8.50	8.50	1.05	1.07½	17.00	18.00	1.50@1.75	116	7.40	8.15
February 1	11.15	8.50@9.00	8.50@9.00	1.07½	1.07½	17.25	18.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
February 8	11.50@11.65	9.00@9.25	9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	18.00@19.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
February 15	11.50@11.65	9.00@9.25	9.00@9.25	1.10	1.10	18.00	20.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
February 22	12.65	9.50@10.00	9.50@10.00	1.10	1.10	20.50@21.00	20.00	1.50@1.75	115	7.40	8.15
March 1	13.15@13.40	9.75@10.25	9.75@10.25	1.40	1.25	21.00@22.00	21.00@22.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 8	13.50@14.00	10.00@10.50	10.00@10.50	1.50	1.35@1.40	23.50@24.50	22.00@24.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 15	15.50	11.00@11.25	11.00@11.25	1.65@1.75	1.45@1.50	25.00@26.00	23.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 22	15.65	11.00@11.50	11.00@11.50	1.65@1.75	1.60	25.00@26.00	24.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.35	8.10
March 29	15.50	11.50	11.50	1.65@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	24.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.25	8.00
April 5	15.50	11.50	11.50	1.60@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	24.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.25	8.00
April 12	15.15@15.50	11.50	11.50	1.60@1.75	1.75	25.00@26.00	25.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.80	8.05
April 19	15.15@15.50	11.50@12.00	11.50@12.00	1.60@1.75	1.75	26.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
April 26	15.15@15.50	11.50@12.00	11.50@12.00	1.60@1.75	1.75	26.50	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 3	15.15@15.50	11.50@12.00	11.50@12.00	1.75	1.65@1.75	26.50	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 10	15.00@15.65	11.50@12.00	11.50@12.00	1.75	1.65@1.75	26.50@27.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 17	16.00	11.50@12.00	11.50@12.00	1.75@1.80	1.75@2.00	27.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 21	17.65	12.00@12.50	12.00@12.50	2.00	1.80@2.00	28.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	6.95	7.70
May 31	18.15	12.00@12.50	12.00@12.50	1.80@1.90	2.00@2.25	30.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.20	7.95
June 7	18.65	12.75	12.75	1.80@2.00	2.00@2.25	29.00@30.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.20	8.20
June 14	18.65	13.00@13.50	13.00@13.50	1.80@2.00	2.25	30.00@31.00	26.00	1.50@1.75	113	7.20	8.20
June 21	18.65	14.00	14.00	2.00	2.00@2.25	31.00@31.50	2.15@2.25	1.50@1.75	113	7.20	8.20
June 28	20.75	14.00	14.00	2.00	2.00@2.25	32.00@33.50	2.15@2.25	1.50@1.75	113	7.20	8.20
July 5	20.75	14.25	14.25	2.00	2.00@2.25	33.00@34.00	2.15@2.25	1.50@1.75	113	7.20	8.20
July 12	20.75	14.50	14.50	2.00	2.00@2.25	33.00@34.00	30.00	1.50@1.75	119	7.50	8.50
July 19	20.75	14.50	14.50	2.00	2.00@2.25	33.00@34.00	30.00	1.50@1.75	125	7.70	8.70
July 26	20.75	15.00@15.50	15.00@15.50	2.00	2.00@2.25	33.00@34.00	30.00	1.50@1.75	125	7.70	8.70

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburgh, for cash.

c At Birmingham, Ala.

d Eastern mills f. o. b.

e Prices at New York.

f Long ton.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IV.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleo-stearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Muscovados, 89° polarization.	Centrifugals, 96° polarization.	Stand-ard, granu-lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.						
	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	L.	H.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Per pound.		
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cts.	Cts.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
August 4.....	72	73½	36½	36½	27½	28	5.50	5.50	4½	5	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.00	3.50	4.13	5.08
August 11.....	76	77	36½	37½	29	29	5.70	5.70	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.09
August 18.....	76	77	35½	36½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.75	4.25	5.08
August 25.....	73	73	35½	35½	27	27	5.40	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.31	5.08
September 1....	70	70	35	35½	26	26	5.37½	5.40	5	5	3½	3½	9.25	9.50	10.00	11.00	3.81	4.37	5.15
September 8....	67½	67½	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.35	5.35	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.37	5.21
September 15..	69½	72½	34	34½	25	25	5.15	5.17½	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21
September 22..	72½	75	34½	34½	25½	25½	5.10	5.10	5	5	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.21
September 29..	72½	74½	34½	34½	26	26	5.10	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
October 6.....	70½	70½	34½	34½	26½	26½	5.15	5.15	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	8.75	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.22	4.71
October 13.....	70½	72½	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.22½	5.22½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.13	4.72
October 20.....	75½	77½	38½	38½	29	29	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.69	4.25	4.72
October 27.....	74½	75½	38	38½	29	29½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	10.50	3.75	4.31	4.78
November 3.....	73	74½	38	38½	29½	29½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
November 10....	72	73½	37½	38	29	29½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.50	11.00	3.31	4.31	4.72
November 17....	73½	74½	38	38½	30	30	5.12½	5.12½	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
November 24....	74½	77½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.96
December 1.....	72½	75½	39	39½	32	32	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.00	4.44	4.96
December 8.....	71½	74½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5	5½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.96
December 15....	74½	77½	39½	40½	31½	32	5.40	5.40	5	5½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.94	4.44	4.84
December 22....	75	77½	41½	42½	32½	33	5.40	5.40	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
December 29....	77	79½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	10.00	11.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
1899.																			
January 5.....	78	78½	41½	42½	33	33	5.75	5.75	5½	5½	4½	4	9.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 12.....	78½	78½	42½	42½	33½	33½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4	4	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.81	4.31	4.72
January 19.....	78	78½	42	42½	34	34	5.87½	5.87½	5½	6	4	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	3.25	4.72
January 26.....	81½	81½	43½	45½	35	35	5.95	6.00	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.50	10.50	3.75	4.25	4.72
February 2.....	79½	81	43½	44½	34½	34½	5.90	5.90	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.84
February 9.....	80½	82½	43½	43½	34½	34½	5.85	5.85	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.50	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 16....	82½	84½	43½	43½	35½	35½	5.70	5.70	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.50	10.25	10.50	11.00	3.81	4.31	4.72
February 23....	83	84½	44½	45	35½	35½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 2.....	82	84½	44½	44½	34½	35	5.62½	5.62½	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.50	12.00	3.87	4.37	4.72
March 9.....	80	82½	43½	43½	33½	33½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.75	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.41	4.84
March 16.....	79	80½	41½	43	32	32	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 23.....	79½	81½	42½	43	33	33	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	11.00	11.50	3.87	4.37	4.84
March 30.....	81½	84½	43	43½	33½	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	3.87	4.31	4.84
April 6.....	78½	79½	41½	41½	33	33½	5.55	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.00	4.50	4.84
April 13.....	79	84	42½	42½	33	33	5.40	5.45	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	9.50	11.00	4.06	4.56	4.96
April 20.....	80½	83½	43½	44½	33	33	5.50	5.55	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96
April 27.....	77½	79½	43½	44½	32½	32½	5.45	5.50	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.50	10.00	11.00	4.19	4.63	4.96
May 4.....	78	80½	42½	42½	32	32½	5.35	5.35	5½	5½	4	4½	5.50	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.25	4.75	5.08
May 11.....	78½	81½	40½	42	31	31	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	9.00	10.00	11.00	4.13	4.63	5.08
May 18.....	78½	82½	40	40	31½	31½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
May 25.....	80½	82½	39½	39½	31½	31½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
June 1.....	81½	81½	39½	39½	31½	31½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	8.75	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.08
June 8.....	80	81	39½	40½	30½	30½	5.27½	5.27½	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.60	5.21
June 15.....	81½	83½	40½	41½	31	31	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.69	5.21
June 22.....	80½	82½	41½	41½	31½	31½	5.25	5.25	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.13	4.63	5.21
June 29.....	79	80½	39	39½	30½	30½	5.30	5.30	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.75	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.00	4.50	5.21
July 6.....	78½	79½	38½	39½	30	30	5.30	5.35	5½	5½	4½	4½	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.50	4.00	4.50	5.21
July 13.....	77½	79	39½	39½	30	30	5.55	5.55	6½	6½	4½	4½	9.25	9.75	9.50	10.50	3.87	4.44	5.21
July 20.....	75	76½	37½	37½	29½	29½	5.70	5.70	7½	7½	4½	4½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.81	4.37	5.21
July 27.....	75½	76½	37	37½	28½	28½	5.60	5.65	7½	7½	4½	4½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.94	4.50	5.21

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE V.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK. (a)				WOOL. (a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Unwashed.	Territorial fine medium (soured basis). (b)	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton, re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1-2 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 1-2 blood.	Good staple.	Ordinary staple.
Per pound.											
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
August 5	51½	61½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	29½	22½	48	44
August 12	51½	61½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	48	46
August 19	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
August 26	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.70 @3.75	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 2	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 9	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 16	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 23	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.75 @3.80	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
September 30	4½	5½	3.90@4.00	3.80 @3.85	4.20@4.25	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
October 7	5	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
October 14	4½	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	49	46
October 21	4½	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	48	45
October 28	4½	5½	3.95@4.00	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	28½	30	22½	48	45
November 4	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
November 11	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
November 18	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
November 25	4½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	29½	21½	46½	43½
December 2	5	5½	3.90@3.95	3.65 @3.70	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	28½	21½	46½	42½
December 9	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½ @3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27½	23½	21½	46½	42½
December 16	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½ @3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	27	29	21½	46½	42½
December 23	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½ @3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
December 30	5½	5½	3.90@3.95	3.62½ @3.67½	4.10@4.15	2.10@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
1899.											
January 6	5½	5½	3.95@4.15	3.67½ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
January 13	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
January 20	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
January 27	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 3	5½	6½	3.95@4.15	3.67½ @3.75	4.15@4.25	2.15@2.25	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 10	5½	6½	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 17	6	6½	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
February 24	6	6½	4.25@4.30	4.00 @4.10	4.30@4.40	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
March 3	6	6½	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	46½	42½
March 10	6	6½	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	26½	29	21½	45	41
March 17	5½	6½	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	26	28	21½	45	41
March 24	5½	6½	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21½	43	40
March 31	5½	6½	4.40@4.50	4.15 @4.25	4.55@4.65	Nominal.	25	28	21½	42	40
April 7	5½	6½	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21½	42	40
April 14	5½	6½	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	25	23	21½	42	40
April 21	5½	6½	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	25	28	21½	42	40
April 28	5½	6½	4.65@4.75	4.45 @4.55	4.65@4.85	Nominal.	26	28	21½	43	41
May 5	5½	6½	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	26	28	21½	44	42
May 12	5½	6½	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	45	42½
May 19	5½	6½	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42½
May 26	5½	6½	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42½
June 2	5½	6½	4.80@4.85	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	28	22	46	42½
June 9	5½	6½	4.90@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	29	22	47	44
June 16	5½	6½	4.90@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	29	22	49	45
June 23	5½	6½	4.90@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	29	22	50	46
June 30	5½	6½	4.90@5.00	4.65 @4.75	4.70@4.90	None.	27	29	22	50	47
July 7	5½	6½	4.95@5.05	4.65 @4.75	4.65@4.85	None.	28½	31	23	52	50
July 14	5½	6½	4.95@5.05	4.65 @4.75	4.65@4.85	None.	29½	31	23	53	50
July 21	5½	6½	4.95@5.05	4.65 @4.75	4.65@4.85	None.	29½	32	23	53	50
July 28	5½	6½	4.95@5.05	4.65 @4.75	4.65@4.85	None.	29½	32½	23	55	50

a Prices at New York.

b Territorial wools embrace Dakota, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Kansas, and Nebraska.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE VI.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.				
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bank-ers' sterling bills on Lon-don.	Prime com-mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.	
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.									Per box, 100 pounds.
1898.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.	
August 5	6.62½	11.50	15.80	3.93½	4.55	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 12	6.87½	11.75	16.22½	4.02½	4.55	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 19	6.92½	12.00	16.25	4.07½	4.62½	3.85	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½	
August 26	6.80	12.20	16.10	4.10	4.75	3.95	4.81 @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½	
September 2	7.00	12.30	15.95	4.07½	4.77½	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½	
September 9	6.90	12.32½	16.12½	4.01½	4.80	3.95	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.23½ @ 5.22½	40 @ 40½	
September 16	6.95	12.32½	16.12½	4.02½	4.82½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
September 23	6.95	12.30	16.15	3.99	4.85½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
September 30	7.05	12.30	16.15	3.93½	4.86½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.81½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
October 7	7.20	12.32½	16.47½	3.90	4.87½	3.95	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
October 14	7.12½	12.37½	17.00	3.87½	4.95	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
October 21	7.05	12.50	17.75	3.78½	5.00	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
October 28	7.10	12.50	17.95	3.65	5.17½	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
November 4	7.10	12.62½	18.25	3.71	5.20	3.95	4.83 @ 4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.23½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½	
November 11	7.15	12.82½	18.27½	3.72½	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
November 18	7.25	12.92½	17.92½	3.71	5.22½	3.95	4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 40	
November 25	7.15	12.87½	17.95	3.67½	5.22½	3.95	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 40	
December 2	7.15	12.87½	18.25	3.66½	5.32½	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.80½ @ 4.81	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 9	7.20	12.75	18.05	3.60	5.30	3.95	4.82 @ 4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.25 @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 16	7.30	12.82½	17.95	3.72½	5.30	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½	
December 23	7.50	12.92½	18.22½	3.80	5.25	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	40 @ 40½	
December 30	7.75	13.00	18.72½	3.87½	5.12½	3.95	4.82½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½	
1899.											
January 6	7.87½	13.37½	20.45	3.97½	5.17½	d 2.92½	4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 39½	
January 13	8.00	13.87½	21.95	4.07½	5.27½	3.07½	4.82½ @ 4.83	4.81½ @ 4.82	5.22½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40	
January 20	8.25	14.62½	22.30	4.22½	5.37½	3.05	4.82½ @ 4.82½	4.81½ @ 4.82½	5.22½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
January 27	8.50	15.87½	24.25	4.35	5.60	3.20	4.83	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
February 3	8.50	17.10	24.75	4.60	5.80	3.25	4.81 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
February 10	8.50	17.95	24.00	4.50	6.05	3.30	4.84 @ 4.81½	4.81 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40 @ 40½	
February 17	8.75	18.10	23.80	4.52½	6.25	3.37½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
February 24	9.25	17.87½	24.57½	4.40	6.55	3.50	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½	
March 3	9.75	17.75	24.15	4.30	6.37½	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
March 10	9.87½	17.70	23.67½	4.32½	6.30	3.87½	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 17	10.37½	17.60	23.85	4.46	6.35	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 24	10.75	17.00	23.72½	4.45	6.37½	4.02½	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½	
March 31	10.75	17.60	24.00	4.37½	6.37½	3.92½	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
April 7	10.50	18.00	24.50	4.35	6.52½	3.91	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	39½ @ 40	
April 14	10.45	18.37½	25.00	4.32½	6.60	3.92½	4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40	
April 21	10.65	18.67½	25.00	4.32½	6.70	3.95	4.85 @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40 @ 40½	
April 28	10.87½	19.20	25.60	4.31½	6.87½	3.95	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.84 @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½	
May 5	10.87½	19.12½	25.82½	4.42½	6.87½	3.97½	4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
May 12	11.12½	19.00	25.42½	4.45	6.87½	4.00	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.20	40 @ 40½	
May 19	11.37½	19.00	25.70	4.47½	6.87½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½	
May 23	11.62½	18.50	25.62½	4.47½	6.87½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 2	11.87½	18.50	25.65	4.47½	6.75	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 9	12.85	18.50	25.60	4.47½	6.60	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 16	13.50	18.57½	25.62½	4.48½	6.37½	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½	
June 23	13.50	13.25	25.80	4.47½	6.25	4.00	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½	
June 30	13.50	18.25	26.30	4.47½	6.25	4.00	4.87 @ 4.86½	4.86 @ 4.87	5.19½ @ 5.18½	39½ @ 40	
July 7	13.50	18.25	27.87½	4.52½	6.12½	4.00	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40	
July 14	13.50	18.37½	28.37½	4.60	6.37½	4.00	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40	
July 21	14.00	18.50	29.45	4.57½	6.25	4.62½	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40	
July 28	14.00	18.50	31.50	4.55	6.10	4.62½	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.81½ @ 4.83½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 39½	

a Average prices at New York.

b In the yard.

c Long ton.

d American f. o. b., mill, after December 30, 1898.

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RECEIPTS AND PRICES OF CATTLE AND HIDES AT CHICAGO.

TABLE VII.

[Furnished by the editor of the Chicago Shoe and Leather Review.]

SATURDAY.	CATTLE AT THE CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.		TOP PRICE PER 100 POUNDS FOR CATTLE ON THE HOOF FOR EACH WEEK.			HIDES.														
	Receipts.	Slaughter.	Native steers.	Texas steers.	Cows.	No. 1 packers' native steers.	No. 1 packers' Texas steers.		No. 1 packers' Colorado steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy butt-branded steers.	No. 1 packers' heavy native cows.	No. 1 packers' light native cows.	No. 1 packers' branded cows.	Packers' native bulls.	No. 1 country buffs.	No. 1 extreme light hides.	No. 1 country native steers.	No. 1 country heavy cows.	No. 1 country calf skins.	No. 1 kips.
							Heavy.	Light.												
1898.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
August 6	42,157	26,232	5.60	4.55	4.20	12	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	11	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
August 13	45,266	29,637	5.65	4.50	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
August 20	50,471	33,166	5.75	4.05	4.75	12	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11
August 27	58,816	36,819	5.70	4.20	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
September 3	56,851	35,389	4.65	3.95	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11
September 10	53,733	32,340	5.70	3.75	4.00	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	12	11
September 17	46,719	29,881	5.70	3.90	4.25	12	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
September 24	56,177	36,550	5.85	3.90	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
October 1	56,145	34,254	5.85	3.90	4.15	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
October 8	54,256	34,252	5.85	3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.90	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
October 15	44,442	28,229	5.80	4.00	4.30	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
October 22	54,017	36,308	5.90	4.25	4.15	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
October 29	58,187	38,382	5.85	3.80	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 5	40,946	28,208	5.90	3.90	4.00	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11
November 12	46,362	32,232	5.70	3.85	3.85	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 19	43,164	14,808	5.75	4.10	4.15	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
November 26	38,847	26,554	5.80	4.35	4.00	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	9	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 3	52,273	38,775	5.90	4.40	4.60	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	9	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 10	54,060	38,253	5.50	4.60	4.15	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	9	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 17	38,408	27,487	6.10	4.70	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
December 24	32,592	23,235	5.95	5.00	4.40	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
December 31	35,806	24,873	5.95	4.80	4.00	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
1899.	No.	No.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
January 7	33,017	23,098	5.95	5.20	4.35	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	11	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
January 14	42,527	31,284	6.00	5.25	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
January 21	41,977	33,489	6.10	5.25	4.35	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	11
January 28	52,666	37,027	6.30	5.10	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11	10	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	12
February 4	43,824	28,155	6.25	5.10	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	11
February 11	38,892	27,666	6.15	4.70	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
February 18	47,400	22,646	6.10	4.95	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
February 25	44,815	29,658	5.65	4.95	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
March 4	44,835	25,693	5.70	4.90	4.40	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
March 11	44,411	28,767	5.90	5.00	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
March 18	44,516	26,650	5.80	4.80	4.25	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
March 25	52,323	32,978	5.75	6.00	4.35	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	10
April 1	40,690	27,935	5.80	4.85	4.35	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
April 8	44,004	29,765	5.75	5.35	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
April 15	41,061	27,664	5.75	4.85	4.50	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
April 22																				

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TABLE VIII.

SATURDAY.	SILVER.			COFFEE. (a)	LEATHER. (a)			RUBBER. (a)
	London quotations.	Equivalent value—		Rio, Standard No. 7.	Middle weights.			New fine Para.
		With exchange at par (\$4.8665).	Based on average rate of ex- change at New York.		Oak.	Union.	Hemlock, nonacid.	
	Per fine ounce.			Per pound.				
1894.	Pence.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	31½	.69599	.69506	18½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	69 @ 70
February 3.....	30½	.66722	.66736	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66½
March 3.....	27	.59187	.59381	17½	32 @ 34	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18½	66
April 7.....	28½	.61790	.62025	17½	32 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	68 @ 67
May 5.....	29	.63571	.63845	16½	31 @ 33	25 @ 26	17½ @ 18	65 @ 66
June 2.....	28½	.62476	.62744	15½	31 @ 33	22 @ 23	17½ @ 18	65
July 7.....	28½	.62886	.63060	16½	31 @ 32	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	66½ @ 67½
August 4.....	28½	.61653	.63400	16½	28 @ 30	21 @ 22	16½ @ 17	65 @ 67
September 1.....	30½	.66291	.66257	16½	28 @ 30	23 @ 24	16 @ 16½	67 @ 69
October 6.....	29½	.64256	.64269	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 26	16 @ 16½	68 @ 71
November 3.....	29½	.64119	.64264	15½	29 @ 31	24 @ 25	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
December 1.....	28½	.62475	.62617	15½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	69 @ 71
1895.								
January 5.....	27½	.60146	.60405	16	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	73 @ 75
February 2.....	27½	.60283	.60512	16½		25 @ 26		74 @ 76
March 2.....	27½	.60556	.60849	16½	27 @ 28	25 @ 26	16 @ 16½	70 @ 70½
April 6.....	29½	.65626	.66010	16½	28 @ 30	27½ @ 28	16½ @ 17	72 @ 73
May 4.....	30½	.67133	.67457	16	32	32 @ 33	20	71 @ 72½
June 1.....	30½	.67270	.67526	16	36 @ 37	34 @ 35	21½ @ 22	74 @ 75
July 6.....	30½	.67133	.67571	15½	36 @ 40	37	23	72½ @ 74
August 3.....	30½	.66448	.66974	16½	38 @ 40	37	23	70 @ 72
September 7.....	30½	.66722	.67182	15½	38 @ 40	37	24	73 @ 74
October 5.....	30½	.67270	.67422	16½	35 @ 37	36	24	75 @ 77
November 2.....	30½	.67818	.68110	15½	35	32	24	80
December 7.....	30½	.66996	.67320	14½	32	28 @ 30	23	74 @ 77
1896.								
January 4.....	30½	.66859	.67216	14½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	20 @ 21	77
February 1.....	30½	.67407	.67663	13½	29 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	72
March 7.....	31½	.70010	.70204	13½	29 @ 30	26	18 @ 19	74
April 4.....	31½	.68229	.68559	13½	29 @ 30	28	18 @ 19	74
May 2.....	31½	.68092	.68386	13½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	17 @ 18	81
June 6.....	31½	.68778	.69039	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	84 @ 88
July 3.....	31½	.68778	.68968	13½	28 @ 30	26 @ 27	18 @ 19	80 @ 85
August 1.....	31½	.68778	.69109	11½	28 @ 30	25 @ 26	18 @ 19	83 @ 87
September 5.....	30½	.67133	.66802	10½	28 @ 29	24 @ 25	18 @ 18½	78 @ 83
October 3.....	30½	.68620	.66257	10½	28 @ 29	25	18 @ 18½	81 @ 84
November 7.....	30	.65763	.65641	10½	29 @ 30	30	20 @ 21	81 @ 83
December 5.....	29½	.65489	.65502	9½	31 @ 32	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	82½ @ 83
1897.								
January 2.....	29½	.65352	.65298	10½	31 @ 32	28 @ 30	19 @ 20	80
February 6.....	29½	.65215	.65196	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	19 @ 20	80 @ 81
March 6.....	29½	.64256	.64323	9½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	80½ @ 81
April 3.....	28½	.62201	.62278	7½	30 @ 31	28 @ 29	20 @ 22	81 @ 82
May 1.....	28½	.61790	.61898	7½	29 @ 31	27 @ 28	20 @ 22	84
June 5.....	27½	.60420	.60463	7½	28	26 @ 27	19 @ 21	83
July 3.....	27½	.60420	.60463	7½	28 @ 30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	83
August 7.....	26	.56995	.56948	7½	30	27 @ 28	19 @ 21	84
September 4.....	24½	.53980	.53396	6½	31	29 @ 30	20 @ 21	87
October 2.....	26½	.57543	.57318	7½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 22	86
November 6.....	26½	.58091	.57982	6½	31 @ 32	30	20 @ 21	84½
December 4.....	27½	.60420	.60308	6½	32 @ 34	30	20 @ 21	83 @ 84
1898.								
January 8.....	26½	.57309	.57817	6½	32 @ 34	28 @ 29	21	82 @ 83
February 5.....	26½	.57543	.57377	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	88
March 5.....	25½	.55625	.55350	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	93
April 2.....	25½	.56310	.55974	6½	32	28 @ 29	21	96
May 7.....	25½	.56858	.56577	6½	31 @ 32	28 @ 29	21	92½
June 4.....	27½	.60283	.60253	6½	32 @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	94
July 2.....	27½	.59461	.59351	6½	32½ @ 33	28 @ 29	21 @ 22	95½

a Prices at New York.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE IX.

MONDAY.	RICE ("GOOD").			MANILA, SISAL HEMP, JUTE, AND JUTE BUTTS.(a)			
	New York.	Charles-ton.	New Orleans.	Manila.	Sisal hemp.	Jute.	Jute butts.
	Per pound.						
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 1.....	4½	3½	3½	5½ @ 5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
February 5.....	4½	4½	4	5½	3½ @ 3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
March 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5 @ 5½	3½	3½ @ 4½	1½ @ 2½
April 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
May 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
June 4.....	5	4½	4½	4½ @ 5	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
July 2.....	5	4½	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
August 6.....	5	(b)	4½	6½ @ 6½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 2½
September 3.....	5	5	4½	6½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
October 1.....	4½	4½	4½	5½	3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
November 5.....	4½	4½	4½	5½ @ 5½	3 @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
December 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 2½	(b)
1895.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 7.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
February 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	(b)
March 4.....	4½	3½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 1.....	4½	4	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 6.....	4½	4	4	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 5.....	4½	4½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 3.....	4½	4½	4	4½ @ 4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 7.....	4½	4	4	4½	4 @ 4½	2½ @ 2½	1½ @ 1½
November 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
December 2.....	3½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1896.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 6.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
February 3.....	4½	3½	3½	4½ @ 4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
March 2.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
April 6.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 4.....	4	3½	3½	4½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 3.....	4½	3½	4	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	4½	4	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	2½ @ 3½	1½
August 3.....	5	4½	4½	4½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 7.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	8	2½ @ 3½	1½
October 5.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
November 2.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	4½ @ 4½	3½	3 @ 4	1½
1897.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4.....	4½	4½	4½	4½	3½	3 @ 4½	1½
February 1.....	4½	4	4½	4	3½ @ 3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 1.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3½	3 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 5.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	2½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
May 3.....	4½	4½	4½	4	3	3½ @ 4	1½ @ 1½
June 7.....	4½	4½	4	3½	2½ @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 5.....	5	4½	4½	3½	2½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
August 2.....	4½	4½	4½	3½	3	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
September 6.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
October 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
November 1.....	5	4½	4½	3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
December 6.....	4½	4½	4½	3½ @ 3½	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
1898.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 3.....	5	4½	4½	3½ @ 4	3½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
February 7.....	5	4½	4½	4½	4	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
March 7.....	5½	4½	4½	4½	4½	1½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
April 4.....	5½	5	5	4½	4½	2 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
May 2.....	5½	6	6	6	5½	2 @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
June 6.....	5½	6	6	8½	9½	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½
July 4.....	5½	6	6	8½ @ 8½	10	2½ @ 3½	1½ @ 1½

a Prices at New York.

b Nominal.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE X.

WEDNESDAY.	IRON.				STEEL.		COKE. (a)	PETROLEUM.			
	Fig.			Best merchant bar, muck iron. (b)	Billets. (b)	Rails. (c)	Furnace.	Crude (per barrel, 42 gallons). (b)		Refined. (c)	
	Bessemer. (b)	Gray forge, lake ore. (b)	No. 1 X. (c)							In barrels.	In cases.
	Per ton. (d)			Per pound.	Per ton. (d)		Per ton.	Lowest.	Highest.	Per gall.	Per gall.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
February 7	10.75	9.75@10.00	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25	24.80	.90@1.00	80½	81	5.15	6.25
March 7	10.50@10.75	9.60@ 9.75	13.00@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.50	24.00@27.00	.90	81½	82½	5.15	6.25
April 4	10.35@10.50	9.35@ 9.60	12.75@13.50	1.25@1.30	15.75	23.50@26.00	.85@ .90	82½	82½	5.15	6.25
May 2	11.00@11.50	9.40@ 9.50	12.50@13.25	1.25@1.30	16.75@17.00	22.00@24.00	(e)	85½	85½	5.15	6.25
June 6	13.00@13.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	19.00@19.50	22.00@24.00	(e)	87½	87½	5.15	6.25
July 5	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.25@1.30	18.50		(e)	83½	84	5.15	6.35
August 1	12.25@12.50	9.75@10.00	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	17.00@17.25		(e)	79½	79½	5.15	6.35
September 5	11.50@12.00	10.00@10.25	12.50@13.00	1.20@1.25	18.00			82½	83	5.15	6.35
October 3	11.00@11.25	10.00	12.50@13.00	1.05@1.20	16.75@17.00		1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
November 7	10.50@10.75	9.25@ 9.50		1.10@1.15	15.45		1.00	82½	82½	5.15	6.35
December 5	10.25@10.35	9.25@ 9.50	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.50	22.75	1.00	87½	90	5.15	6.55
1895.											
January 2	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	.90	94½	95½	5.70	6.90
February 6	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75	1.00	103	103½	5.80	7.13
March 6	10.15@10.25	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.00@15.25	22.75		105	105½	6.30	7.40
April 3	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.25@15.60	22.75		113	114	7.35	7.70
May 1	10.75@10.85	9.50@ 9.75	12.00@12.50	1.10@1.15	15.50@15.75	22.75	1.15	183½	185	8.50	9.65
June 5	12.00@12.25	10.40@10.50	12.25@12.50	1.20@1.25	17.75@18.00	22.75		147	147	7.85	8.50
July 3	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	9.25	1.25@1.30	20.50@20.75	24.00		149	149	7.80	8.15
August 7	15.40@15.50	11.50@11.75	9.25	1.35@1.40	21.50@22.00		1.35	126	126	7.10	7.50
September 4	17.25@17.50	12.75@13.00	10.00	1.40@1.45				124½	125½	7.10	7.50
October 2	16.75@17.00	12.00@12.75	10.00	1.45@1.50	24.00@24.25	28.00	1.35@1.60	123	123	7.10	7.50
November 6	16.00@16.25	12.50@12.75	10.00	1.40@1.50	21.00@21.50		1.60	133	136	7.10	7.50
December 4	12.75@13.00	12.00@12.25	9.50@10.00	1.40@1.50	18.00@18.50			134	135	7.50	8.50
1896.											
January 1	11.00@11.25	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.75	1.25@1.30	16.00@16.25		2.00	148	149	7.75	8.50
February 5	13.00@13.25	11.00@11.25	8.15@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	18.25@18.50		2.00	143	143	7.60	8.50
March 4	12.00@12.50	10.75@11.00	8.00@ 8.50	1.25@1.30	17.00		2.00	128	128	7.10	8.00
April 1	13.00@13.50	10.75@11.00	7.50	1.20@1.25	20.00		2.00	129	129	7.20	8.10
May 6	13.00@13.25	10.75@11.00	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	125	125	6.95	7.85
June 3	12.25@12.75	10.75@11.00	7.50@ 7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	109	109	6.55	7.45
July 1	12.25@12.50	10.50@11.75	6.90@ 7.20	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	115	115	6.90	7.30
August 5	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	6.40@ 6.60	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	106	106	6.65	7.55
September 2	10.50@11.00	11.50@11.75	6.50	1.20@1.25	20.50		2.00	108	108	6.70	7.60
October 7	11.75@12.00	9.75@10.00	7.00@ 7.25	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	116	116	6.90	7.85
November 4	12.00@12.75	10.00@11.25	7.75	1.20@1.25	20.25		2.00	117	117	7.00	7.95
December 2	11.75@12.00	10.25@10.50	7.50@ 7.75	1.25@1.30	20.25		2.00	105	105	6.70	7.55
1897.											
January 6	10.50@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.25@1.30	16.00	25.00	2.00	90	90	6.20	6.90
February 3	10.25@10.50	9.50@ 9.75	7.00@ 7.50	1.20@1.25	15.50	25.00	1.75	90	90	6.00	6.70
March 3	10.75@11.00	9.50@ 9.75	6.75@ 7.00	1.20@1.25	15.50@16.00	18.00@20.00	1.75	91	91	6.30	7.00
April 7	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	6.50@ 7.00	1.05	15.25	20.00	1.60	88	88	6.20	6.66
May 5	9.50@ 9.75	8.50@ 8.75	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.75	19.00@20.00	1.50	86	86	6.05	6.50
June 2	9.75@10.00	8.25@ 8.50	6.50@ 6.75	1.05@1.10	14.25@14.50	19.00@20.00	1.50	87	87	6.15	6.60
July 7	9.25@ 9.50	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.00@14.25	18.00@20.00	1.50	80	80	6.00	6.45
August 4	9.50@ 9.75	8.25@ 8.50	6.75@ 7.00	95@1.00	14.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.20
September 1	9.75@10.00	8.50@ 8.75	6.75@ 7.00	90@1.00	15.00@15.25	18.50@19.00	1.50	71	71	5.75	6.15
October 6	10.50@10.75	9.75@10.00	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.50	19.00@19.50	1.50@1.75	70	70	5.80	6.15
November 3	10.35@10.50	9.60@ 9.75	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.25	16.25@16.50	19.00@19.50	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
December 1	10.15@10.25	9.25@ 9.40	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
1898.											
January	10.00@10.25	9.00@ 9.15	7.25@ 7.50	1.15@1.20	15.00@15.25	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
February 2	9.75@10.00	9.00@10.00	7.15@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.00	19.00@20.00	1.75	65	65	5.40	5.95
March 2	10.25@10.50	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.15@1.20	15.25@15.50	19.00@20.00	1.75	82	82	6.20	6.85
April 6	10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.05	15.50@15.75	18.00@19.00	1.75	75	75	5.70	6.35
May 4	10.25@10.40	9.00@ 9.25	7.00@ 7.25	1.05	15.00@15.25	18.00@19.00	1.75	71	71	5.60	6.25
June 1	10.50@10.65	9.00@ 9.25	7.25	1.05	15.00		1.75	86	86	6.15	6.80
July 6	10.40@10.50	9.00@ 9.15	7.00	1.05	14.75	18.00	1.75	92	92	6.15	6.80

a Prices of Connellsville coke at oven in Connellsville region, ton of 2,000 pounds.

b At Pittsburg, for cash.

c Prices at New York.

d Long ton.

e Strike.

f Foundry No. 2 at Birmingham, Ala., after June 5, 1895.

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

TABLE XI.

THURSDAY.	BREADSTUFFS. (a)						PROVISIONS. (a)										SUGAR. (a)		
	Wheat, No. 2, red, winter.		Corn, No. 2, mixed.		Oats, No. 2.		Lard, prime, contract.		Oleostearine.		Tallow.		Pork, mess, new.		Beef, family.		Muscovados, 89° polarization.	Centrifugals, 96° polarization.	Stand-ard, granu-lated.
	Per bushel.						Per pound.						Per barrel.						
	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Low-est.	High-est.	Per pound.		
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Dolls.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 4	66	67½	41½	42½	34	34½	8.30	8.35	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.75	14.50	14.00	15.50	2.50	2.75	3.74
February 1	65½	66	42½	42½	34	34	7.95	8.00	7½	7½	5½	5½	14.25	14.75	14.00	15.00	2.69	3.06	3.98
March 1	62½	62½	41½	42½	37	37	7.65	7.65	7½	7½	5½	5½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.81	3.18	4.17
April 5	66½	68½	44½	45	36	26½	7.65	7.65	6½	7	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	12.00	14.00	2.50	2.87	3.98
May 3	60½	61	43½	43½	40	40½	7.85	7.85	7½	7½	5	5½	13.75	14.00	12.00	13.00	2.37	2.84	3.80
June 7	59½	60½	44½	44½	48	48	7.00	7.00	7	7	4½	4½	13.25	13.50	10.50	12.00	2.50	3.87	3.80
July 5	59½	60½	45½	46	50	50½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.00	14.25	9.50	11.00	2.69	3.12	3.98
August 2	56½	56½	55½	55½	41	41	7.35	7.35	7½	7½	4½	4½	14.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	4.35
September 6	58	58½	65	65	34	34½	9.00	9.00	9	9	4½	4½	15.50	15.75	10.50	12.00	3.12	3.81	4.72
October 4	54½	55½	55½	56½	32½	32½	8.10	8.10	9½	9½	4½	4½	14.75	15.50	10.00	12.00	3.12	3.75	4.35
November 1	55	55½	60	60	32½	32½	7.35	7.40	6½	6½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.98
December 6	60½	61	56½	57	34½	34½	7.30	7.30	7½	7½	4½	4½	13.50	14.50	10.50	12.00	3.00	3.50	3.80
1895.																			
January 3	60½	60½	51	51½	34½	34½	7.10	7.10	7½	7½	4½	4½	12.75	13.25	10.50	12.50	2.68	3.00	3.74
February 7	57½	57½	48½	49	33½	33½	6.95	7.00	6½	6½	4½	4½	11.25	12.00	10.00	12.00	2.69	3.12	3.68
March 7	58½	58½	49½	49½	33	33	6.72½	6.75	7½	7½	4½	4½	11.75	12.25	10.50	12.00	2.69	3.00	3.80
April 4	60	60½	56	56	33½	33½	7.20	7.20	9	9	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.00	2.69	3.00	3.80
May 2	68½	69½	-----	-----	32½	32½	7.00	7.00	8	8	4½	4½	13.50	14.00	11.00	13.50	2.75	3.09	3.91
June 6	60	62½	56	57½	33½	34	6.75	6.80	7½	8	4½	-----	13.75	14.50	11.50	13.00	2.94	3.37	4.35
July 4	73½	73½	49½	50½	28	28½	6.65	6.70	6½	7	4½	4½	13.25	14.00	10.50	13.50	2.87	3.25	4.35
August 1	72½	74½	48½	49½	28	28	6.45	6.47½	6	6½	4	4	11.75	12.25	11.00	12.50	2.94	3.25	4.35
September 5	62½	63½	38½	39½	23½	24	6.25	6.25	6	6	4½	4½	10.25	10.75	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.25	4.16
October 3	66	68	37	37½	23½	23½	6.22½	6.22½	6	6	4½	4½	10.00	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.56	4.47
November 7	67½	68½	36½	36½	23½	23½	5.95	5.95	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.75	10.25	10.00	12.00	3.00	3.37	4.24
December 5	60½	70	35½	35½	22½	22½	5.60	5.60	5½	5½	4½	4½	9.00	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.13	3.50	4.35
1896.																			
January 2	69	69½	34½	34½	23½	23½	5.60	5.60	5	5	3½	3½	9.00	9.25	10.00	12.00	3.37	3.75	4.50
February 6	81½	82	36½	37	25½	25½	5.87	5.90	5	5	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	10.00	12.00	3.50	3.87	4.58
March 5	81½	81½	38	39	26	26	5.60	5.65	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.25	10.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.12	4.72
April 2	79½	80	37½	37½	25	25	5.30	5.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.50	10.00	12.00	3.75	4.18	4.89
May 7	72	73½	35½	35½	25	25	5.05	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	10.00	9.50	11.00	3.63	4.25	4.08
June 4	69½	71½	33½	33½	22½	23	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	9.00	9.00	10.00	3.37	3.75	4.72
July 2	64½	65½	33½	33½	21	21½	4.20	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.75	7.50	8.50	3.00	3.50	4.60
August 6	66½	68	30½	30½	23	23½	3.50	3.50	4½	4½	3	3	8.00	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.13	3.50	4.60
September 3	67½	68	26	26	19½	19½	3.70	3.70	4	4½	3½	3½	7.50	8.25	8.00	9.00	2.87	3.25	4.47
October 1	78½	79½	28	29½	22	22	4.40	4.40	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.00	8.50	8.00	9.00	2.69	3.08	4.22
November 5	85½	87½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.55	4.55	5	5	3½	3½	8.50	9.50	8.00	10.00	2.87	3.25	3.98
December 3	104½	106	29½	29½	23	23½	4.20	4.20	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.87	3.25	4.10
1897.																			
January 7	103½	104½	29½	29½	22½	22½	4.05	4.07½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.81	3.18	4.10
February 4	96½	98½	28½	29	21½	21½	4.00	4.00	4	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.18	3.98
March 4	93½	94½	27	28½	21½	21½	4.32½	4.37½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.75	3.25	3.98
April 1	95½	96½	30½	30½	22½	22½	4.45	4.45	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.00	9.50	9.50	10.50	3.00	3.37	3.47
May 6	95½	98½	29½	29½	22½	23	4.25	4.25	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	9.00	10.00	2.75	3.31	4.23
June 3	81½	82½	29	29½	22	22½	3.80	3.80	4½	4½	3	3	8.50	9.00	8.50	9.50	2.75	3.31	4.23
July 1	81½	82	28½	28½	21½	21½	4.25	4.30	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	8.75	8.50	9.50	3.00	3.50	4.47
August 5	84	86½	32½	32½	22	22	4.70	4.70	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.25	8.75	8.50	9.00	3.25	3.75	4.72
September 2	100½	103½	36½	37½	24	24½	5.27½	5.27½	6	6	3½	3½	10.25	10.75	9.00	10.00	3.25	3.78	4.72
October 7	97½	98½	32½	32½	23½	23½	4.60	4.70	5½	5½	3½	3½	9.50	10.00	9.50	10.50	3.31	3.87	4.85
November 4	100½	102	30½	30½	24½	24½	4.60	4.60	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.50	9.25	9.00	10.50	3.31	3.82	4.72
December 2	96	97½	31½	32½	26½	26½	4.47½	4.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.25	9.00	9.50	10.00	3.37	3.94	4.72
1898.																			
January 6	98½	99	33½	33½	28½	28½	5.00	5.05	4½	4½	3½	3½	8.75	9.25	10.50	11.50	3.50	4.19	4.96
February 3	100½	101½	34½	34½	29	29½	5.15	5.15	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.00	10.25	10.00	11.00	3.56	4.06	4.84
March 3	106½	107½	35½	36½	31½	31½	5.52½	5.59½	4½	4½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.00	11.75	3.69	4.19	4.99
April 7	100	100½	34½	35½	30½	30½	5.47½	5.47½	4½	4½	3½	3½	9.75	10.00	10.50	11.50	3.63	4.13	4.96
May 5	130	145	38½	39½	35	35	6.25	6.25	5½	5½	3½	3½	10.75	11.00	11.50	12.00	3.63	4.19	5.15
June 2	110	118	37½	37½	31	31½	6.40	6.40	6	6	4	4½	11.00	12.00	12.00	12.50	3.75	4.31	5.08
July 7	89	90	36½	36½	27½	27½	5.70	5.75	5	5	3½	3½	10.00	10.50	11.50	12.00	3.50	4.13	5.09

a Prices at New York.

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TABLE XII.

FRIDAY.	COTTON.		RAW SILK.(a)				WOOL.(a)				
	New Orleans.	New York.	Italians, classical.	Japan, best filature.	China.		Washed clothing.		Un-washed.	Fine medium (scoured basis)	
					Shanghai, best filature.	Canton re-reels.	Ohio fleece, X and XX.	Ohio medium, 1/2-3/8 blood.	Kentucky and Indiana, 1/2-3/4 blood.	Montana.	Wyoming and Utah.
Per pound.											
1894.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
January 5	7 7/8	8 3/8	4.15 @ 4.25	3.87 1/2 @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	23	24	19	35	33
February 2	7 7/8	7 1/2	3.95 @ 4.10	3.87 1/2 @ 4.00	3.50	2.75	22 1/2	23 1/2	19	35	33
March 2	7 7/8	7 1/2	3.75 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.87 1/2	3.50	2.62 1/2	21	23	19	36	33
April 6	7 5/8	7 1/2	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	21	23	19	35	33
May 4	6 7/8	7 1/2	3.75 @ 3.85	3.60 @ 3.80	3.25	2.60	22	24	20	35	33
June 1	7 7/8	7 7/8	3.60 @ 3.70	3.40 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	21	22	18	34	32
July 6	6 7/8	7 1/2	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	20	17	33	31
August 3	6 7/8	6 7/8	3.40 @ 3.50	3.20 @ 3.35	3.05	2.35	20	22	19	35	33
September 7	6 1/2	6 1/2	3.90 @ 4.00	3.70 @ 3.85	3.15	2.60	20	22	19	35	33
October 5	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.80 @ 3.90	3.50 @ 3.60	3.15	2.45	18 1/2	21	18	34 1/2	32 1/2
November 2	5 7/8	5 3/4	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18 1/2	20	18	34	32
December 7	5 1/2	5 3/4	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	18	20	18	33	31
1895.											
January 4	5 1/8	5 1/2	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.60	3.05	2.45	17 1/2	20	17	32	31
February 1	5	5 7/8	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	17	20	17	32	31
March 1	5 1/8	5 7/8	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.62 1/2 @ 3.75	3.05	2.45	16 1/2	20	17	32	31
April 5	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 1/2	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 1/2	20	17	30	28
May 3	6 1/8	6 1/2	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 1/2	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16 1/2	20	17	30	28
June 7	7	7 1/2	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 3.87 1/2	3.05 @ 3.20	2.45	16	18	16 1/2	30	28
July 5	6 1/2	7 1/8	4.15 @ 4.25	4.00 @ 4.25	3.30 @ 3.45	2.60	18	21	19	33 1/2	32
August 2	6 7/8	7 1/8	4.20 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.12 1/2	3.05 @ 3.37 1/2	2.45	18	21	19	34	32
September 6	7 7/8	8 1/2	4.00 @ 4.25	4.12 1/2 @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 1/2	18	21	19	34	32
October 4	8 1/8	9 1/8	4.40 @ 4.60	4.12 1/2 @ 4.25	3.00 @ 3.50	2.47 1/2	18	21	19	35	33
November 1	8 7/8	9	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 1/2 @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 1/2	18	21	19	34 1/2	33
December 6	8	8 7/8	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 1/2 @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 1/2	18	21	17 1/2	34	32
1896.											
January 3	7 1/8	8 1/8	4.45 @ 4.50	4.12 1/2 @ 4.25	3.50 @ 3.60	2.47 1/2	19	21	17 1/2	35	32
February 7	7 7/8	8 3/4	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 1/2	18	36	33
March 6	7 7/8	8 1/2	4.50	4.25	3.50	2.45	19	21 1/2	17 1/2	36	33
April 3	7 1/2	7 7/8	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	19	21	17	35	31
May 1	7 7/8	8 7/8	4.25 @ 4.50	4.00	3.50	2.45	17 1/2	19	15 1/2	31 1/2	30
June 5	7 1/2	7 7/8	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	8.50	2.45	17	18	14 1/2	31	29
July 3	6 1/2	7 7/8	4.30 @ 4.40	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 1/2	31	29
August 7	7 1/2	8 1/8	4.25 @ 4.30	4.00 @ 4.25	3.50	2.45	17	18	14 1/2	31	28
September 4	7 7/8	8 3/4	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 1/2 @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	17	18	14 1/2	29	26
October 2	7 7/8	8 1/2	3.80 @ 4.00	3.25 @ 3.50	3.62 1/2 @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	18	19	15	29	27
November 6	7 7/8	8 1/2	3.65 @ 3.75	3.40 @ 3.65	3.62 1/2 @ 4.00	2.20 @ 2.25	19	21	16	33	31
December 4	7 1/8	7 7/8	3.65 @ 3.75	3.50 @ 3.70	3.65 @ 3.90	2.05 @ 2.20	19	21	17	33	31
1897.											
January 1	6 7/8	7 1/8	3.50 @ 3.55	3.25 @ 3.50	3.60 @ 3.75	2.05 @ 2.20	19	20	17	33	30
February 5	6 1/2	7 1/8	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.60 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.15	19	21	17 1/2	34	31
March 5	7	7 7/8	3.55 @ 3.60	3.25 @ 3.45	3.40 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 1/2	19 1/2	21 1/2	17 1/2	34	31
April 2	7	7 1/8	3.50 @ 3.55	3.50 @ 3.60	3.30 @ 3.65	2.00 @ 2.12 1/2	21	22 1/2	20	38	36
May 7	7 1/2	7 1/2	3.75	3.37 1/2 @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 1/2	2.15	21 1/2	23 1/2	19	38	36
June 4	7 1/2	7 3/4	3.75	3.37 1/2 @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.62 1/2	2.15	21 1/2	23 1/2	17 1/2	37	34
July 2	7 1/2	7 7/8	3.50 @ 3.55	3.30 @ 3.60	3.20 @ 3.55	2.00 @ 2.10	21 1/2	23 1/2	20	40	38
August 6	6 1/2	8	3.75 @ 3.80	3.40 @ 3.70	3.45 @ 3.80	2.00 @ 2.10	23 1/2	25 1/2	21	46	44
September 3	7 1/2	7 7/8	3.65 @ 3.75	3.37 1/2 @ 3.75	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	24 1/2	27 1/2	22	47	45
October 1	6	6 1/2	3.65 @ 3.75	3.55 @ 3.90	3.25 @ 3.75	2.00 @ 2.10	27	29	23	51	47
November 5	5 7/8	6	3.75 @ 3.90	3.80 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	23	55	52
December 3	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	27 1/2	30	23	54	49
1898.											
January 7	5 7/8	5 1/2	3.75 @ 3.90	3.60 @ 3.85	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	28	30	22	53	50
February 4	5 1/2	5 1/2	3.90 @ 4.00	3.65 @ 3.95	3.50 @ 4.00	2.00 @ 2.15	29	31	22	54	50
March 4	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.90 @ 4.00	3.75 @ 4.00	3.50 @ 4.00	2.10 @ 2.25	29	31	22	53	49
April 1	5 7/8	6 1/2	3.90 @ 4.00	3.80 @ 3.85	4.10 @ 4.15	2.10 @ 2.25	29	29 1/2	22	48	46
May 6	5 1/2	6 1/8	3.85 @ 3.90	3.75 @ 3.80	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21 1/2	48	44
June 3	6 1/8	6 1/2	3.73 @ 3.80	3.65 @ 3.70	4.00 @ 4.10	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	21	47	44
July 1	5 7/8	6 1/2	3.90 @ 4.00	3.60 @ 3.85	4.00 @ 4.05	2.10 @ 2.25	28	29 1/2	22	47	44
Territorial.											

a Prices at New York.

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TABLE XIII.

FRIDAY.	METALS. (a)						RATES OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AT NEW YORK AT 60 DAYS.			
	Pig-iron warrants. (b)	Copper, lake.	Tin, Straits.	Lead.	Spelter (zinc).	Tin plates (Bessemer steel IC 14 x 20).	Prime bank- ers' sterling bills on Lon- don.	Prime com- mercial bills on London.	Paris.	Amsterdam.
	Per ton. (c)	Per pound.				Per box, 100 pounds.				
1894.	Dollars.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Francs.	Guilders.
January 5.....	11.69	10.07½	20.50	3.15	3.50	4.87½	4.84 @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
February 2.....	11.25	9.75	19.87½	3.27½	3.62½	4.85	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
March 2.....	11.13	9.55	18.75	3.20	3.75	4.85	4.87½	4.86 @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 6.....	11.00	9.50	19.35	3.35	3.70	4.80	4.87½ @ 4.83	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 4.....	10.75	9.35	19.95	3.40	3.55	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 1.....	10.75	9.25	19.85	3.30	3.40	4.75	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 6.....	11.00	9.05	19.30	3.42½	3.47½	4.72½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 3.....	10.75	9.05	18.70	3.60	3.45	4.72½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 7.....	10.75	9.15	16.12½	3.22½	3.42½	4.77½	4.85½ @ 4.86	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
October 5.....	10.75	9.65	15.80	3.17½	3.42½	3.85	4.86½ @ 4.87½	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 2.....	10.75	9.55	14.75	3.15	3.37½	3.75	4.87½	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
December 7.....	10.75	9.55	13.60	3.12½	3.30	3.65	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1895.										
January 4.....	10.50	9.90	13.40	3.05	3.27½	3.60	4.88½	4.87 @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
February 1.....	10.50	9.87½	14.30	3.11½	3.20	3.57½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
March 1.....	10.50	9.62½	13.07½	3.08½	3.10	3.50	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
April 5.....	10.63	9.37½	13.93	3.11	3.21	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89½	4.88 @ 4.88½	5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 3.....	10.75	9.86	14.21	3.07½	3.17½	3.52½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 7.....	11.50	10.56	14.19	3.29	3.71	3.52½	4.89	4.87½ @ 4.88	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
July 5.....	12.50	10.55	14.12½	3.30	3.61	3.65	4.89 @ 4.89½	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.15½	40½ @ 40½
August 2.....	12.50	11.79	14.35	3.52	3.84	3.75	4.90	4.88½ @ 4.89	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 6.....	13.13	12.25	14.36	3.45	4.17	3.65	4.89 @ 4.90	4.88½ @ 4.88½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
October 4.....	13.25	12.15	14.54	3.36	4.16	3.65	4.87 @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
November 1.....	13.60	11.68	14.62	3.29	3.93	3.65	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
December 6.....	12.25	10.77	14.08	3.30	3.53	3.60	4.88½	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
1896.										
January 3.....	12.25	10.00	13.08	3.12	3.57½	3.60	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
February 7.....	12.00	10.15	13.42	3.10½	4.03	3.52½	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 6.....	11.88	11.10	13.33	3.20	4.08	3.45	4.87½ @ 4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.18½ @ 5.18½	39½ @ 40
April 3.....	10.63	10.30	13.40	3.07½	4.12½	3.42½	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
May 1.....	10.63	10.75	13.37	3.06	4.04	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 5.....	10.75	11.50	13.43	3.02½	4.05	3.47½	4.88 @ 4.88½	4.86½ @ 4.87	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 3.....	10.25	11.50	13.51	3.01	4.07½	3.47½	4.88	4.86½ @ 4.86½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 7.....	10.25	11.08	13.37	2.83½	3.89	3.50	4.88½ @ 4.89	4.87½ @ 4.87½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
September 4.....	10.00	10.77½	13.31	2.72½	3.66	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
October 2.....	10.25	10.70	12.90	2.78	3.62½	3.50	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.83	5.20½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 39½
November 6.....	10.50	10.85	12.95	2.88½	3.88	3.65	4.82½ @ 4.83½	4.81 @ 4.81½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 39½
December 4.....	11.00	11.37½	12.95	3.03½	4.25	3.70	4.84½	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.19½ @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
1897.										
January 1.....	11.00	11.43	12.97½	3.05	4.09	3.75	4.84 @ 4.84½	4.83 @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
February 5.....	6.87	12.00	13.50	3.18	4.00	3.80	4.85½	4.84 @ 4.84½	5.19½ @ 5.18½	40 @ 40½
March 5.....	6.87	11.92	13.52	3.38½	4.08½	3.75	4.86 @ 4.86½	4.84½ @ 4.85	5.18½ @ 5.18½	40½ @ 40½
April 2.....	6.60	11.77½	13.17	3.39	4.09	3.60	4.86½	4.85 @ 4.85½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
May 7.....	6.35	11.00	13.22½	3.26	4.12½	3.70	4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
June 4.....	6.40	11.00	13.50	3.27½	4.25	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
July 2.....	6.50	11.20	14.05	3.61	4.30	3.70	4.86½ @ 4.87	4.85½ @ 4.85½	5.16½ @ 5.16½	40½ @ 40½
August 6.....	6.37½	11.00	13.77½	3.77½	4.30	3.70	4.86 @ 4.87	4.84½ @ 4.84½	5.17½ @ 5.17½	40½ @ 40½
September 3.....	6.70	11.25	13.61	4.21	4.25	3.70	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.83½	5.20 @ 5.19½	39½ @ 40
October 1.....	7.05	11.25	13.63	4.32½	4.25	3.70	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	39½ @ 40
November 5.....	6.95	10.90	13.72½	3.92½	4.15	3.90	4.83½	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.19½	40½ @ 40½
December 3.....	6.70	10.80	13.72½	3.77½	4.00	3.70	4.83½ @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.20½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
1898.										
January 7.....	6.65	10.90	13.82½	3.65	3.95	3.80	4.83 @ 4.84	4.82½ @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½
February 4.....	6.55	10.95	13.87½	3.60	4.00	3.85	4.83½	4.82 @ 4.82½	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40 @ 40½
March 4.....	6.82½	11.92½	14.22½	3.77½	4.22½	3.85	4.83	4.80½ @ 4.81½	5.23½ @ 5.22½	39½ @ 40
April 1.....	6.75	11.95	14.35	3.75	4.30	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80½ @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.24½	39½ @ 39½
May 6.....	6.75	12.15	14.60	3.74	4.15	3.85	4.81½ @ 4.82	4.80 @ 4.80½	5.24½ @ 5.23½	39½ @ 39½
June 3.....	6.80	12.00	14.85	3.80	4.35	3.85	4.84½ @ 4.85	4.83½ @ 4.84	5.21½ @ 5.21½	40½ @ 40½
July 1.....	6.57½	11.77½	15.37½	3.98	5.00	3.85	4.85 @ 4.85½	4.83½ @ 4.84½	5.21½ @ 5.20½	40½ @ 40½

a Prices at New York.

b In the yard after January 1, 1897.

c Long ton.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their values in the foreign markets.

IMPORT PRICES.

IMPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898							1899					
		June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	Janu-ary.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Coal, bituminous.....	Ton	2.70	2.81	2.70	2.58	2.99	2.80	2.78	2.94	2.81	3.06	3.25	2.74	2.88
Coffee	Pound ..	.072	.064	.064	.061	.067	.056	.062	.064	.067	.077	.071	.071	.065
Cotton cloth:														
Not bleached, etc.....	Sq. yd. ....	.074	.085	.077	.076	.093	.089	.099	.082	.079	.081	.087	.093	.108
Bleached, etc.....	do .....	.133	.137	.126	.121	.124	.128	.128	.131	.132	.135	.128	.130	.129
Fibers, vegetable, etc:														
Unmanufactured—														
Flax	Ton.....	186.96	142.35	170.97	176.34	174.82	283.44	214.44	238.68	218.12	229.53	254.26	235.82	232.43
Hemp	do	128.34	126.40	129.53	122.75	98.71	124.90	122.45	123.91	111.77	121.50	127.72	121.90	104.89
Jute and jute butts	do	22.57	22.91	21.25	18.46	28.00	47.01	35.22	34.69	44.11	32.49	21.91	36.77	30.05
Manila	do	76.43	120.90	114.64	100.08	99.37	119.96	114.13	120.09	138.67	120.10	115.48	115.52	141.80
Sisal grass.....	do	151.70	175.40	107.68	120.23	124.88	120.11	91.75	102.63	126.09	120.33	144.24	137.24	137.48
Fish:														
Pickled—														
Herring.....	Pound ..	.027	.032	.039	.037	.027	.036	.033	.034	.037	.030	.031	.032	.031
Mackerel.....	do .....	.057	.058	.053	.063	.077	.073	.072	.068	.072	.072	.072	.057	.054
Glass: Cylinder, etc., un-														
polished	do .....	.026	.023	.023	.026	.027	.026	.032	.027	.030	.031	.031	.028	.028
India rubber, crude.....	do .....	.569	.606	.636	.608	.586	.588	.597	.635	.663	.628	.571	.672	.607
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron/a	Ton.....	30.44	28.91	27.43	31.04	29.94	29.70	31.13	28.23	31.35	31.87	30.19	33.13	34.04
Sheet, plate, and tag-														
gers iron	Pound ..	.037	.041	.039	.040	.051	.052	.032	.040	.041	.050	.047	.051	.066
Tin plates	do .....	.022	.022	.022	.022	.023	.023	.023	.023	.024	.024	.025	.026	.029
Molasses	gut. ....	.178	.160	.181	.138	.160	.199	.210	.194	.194	.243	.121	.132	.139
Provisions:														
Cheese.....	Pound ..	.134	.131	.130	.126	.142	.128	.133	.142	.142	.134	.136	.122	.128
Rice	do .....	.024	.025	.027	.022	.021	.023	.021	.022	.020	.020	.017	.019	.018
Salt	100 lbs ..	.156	.156	.132	.165	.178	.122	.189	.185	.189	.176	.110	.156	.111
Silk, raw, or as reeled from														
the cocoon	Pound ..	3.18	3.03	2.99	3.14	3.00	3.12	3.12	3.14	3.34	3.43	3.49	3.65	3.98
Sugar not above No. 16														
Dutch standard:														
Beet	do .....	.020	.020	.018	.020	.020	.021	.022	.021	.021	.021	.021	.022	.024
Cane, and all other.....	do .....	.024	.026	.025	.024	.022	.021	.021	.023	.023	.025	.025	.026	.026
Tea	do .....	.187	.148	.142	.138	.129	.119	.128	.118	.117	.114	.123	.149	.145
Tin: Bars, block, and pig.	do .....	.138	.138	.139	.145	.143	.138	.166	.179	.181	.192	.200	.228	.254
Tobacco, leaf:														
Suitable for wrappers.....	do	1.02	.956	1.02	.963	1.03	1.05	1.14	1.53	1.14	1.30	.996	1.08	.994
Other	do .....	.367	.295	.476	.459	.554	.637	.565	.611	.575	.558	.553	.578	.611
Wines:														
Still wines—														
Incasks	Gallon ..	.748	.724	.683	.556	.695	.687	.710	.708	.619	.728	.694	.716	.768
Wools, etc., and manufac-														
tures of:														
Raw—														
Class 1.....	Pound ..	.185	.142	.176	.134	.114	.086	.161	.134	.157	.171	.129	.155	.158
Class 2.....	do .....	.152	.200	.314	.315	.281	.317	.312	.304	.258	.314	.248	.206	.277
Class 3.....	do .....	.091	.087	.091	.099	.096	.097	.095	.094	.097	.096	.095	.101	.084
Manufactures—														
Carpets and car-														
peting	Sq. yd.	3.93	2.67	2.40	2.46	2.50	3.01	2.43	2.99	2.62	3.22	2.89	2.95	2.96
Cloths	Pound ..	.919	.953	.959	.994	.992	.923	.918	1.02	.878	1.02	.961	.987	.908
Dress goods.....	Sq. yd. ....	.191	.206	.224	.211	.183	.176	.219	.222	.235	.224	.213	.256	.240

a Mostly spiegeleisen and ferro-manganese.

MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—Cont'd.

NOTE.—The values of the goods represent their market value at the time of exportation.

DOMESTIC EXPORT PRICES.

EXPORTED ARTICLES.	UNIT.	PRICE PER UNIT.												
		1898							1899					
		June.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	January.	Febru-ary.	March.	April.	May.	June.
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Breadstuffs:														
Corn.....	Bushel..	.384	.377	.380	.357	.359	.382	.405	.418	.419	.413	.414	.401	.407
Wheat.....	do	1.10	.882	.769	.723	.719	.725	.728	.745	.752	.757	.751	.761	.771
Wheat flour.....	Barrel..	5.02	4.58	4.39	4.13	3.93	4.02	3.93	3.97	3.95	3.83	3.76	3.71	3.59
Coal:														
Anthracite.....	Ton.....	4.05	4.14	4.42	4.17	4.07	4.10	4.15	4.05	4.13	4.22	4.05	3.95	4.01
Bituminous.....	do	2.33	2.18	2.15	2.19	2.20	2.09	2.10	2.02	1.89	1.93	1.93	2.11	2.00
Copper, ingots, bars, and old...	Pound..	.118	.117	.114	.117	.118	.118	.121	.131	.155	.163	.169	.170	.169
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	do .....	.062	.061	.060	.053	.052	.051	.054	.056	.061	.062	.063	.061	.061
Cloths:														
Colored.....	Yard...	.050	.047	.048	.047	.046	.048	.048	.046	.047	.050	.049	.050	.049
Uncolored.....	do .....	.046	.049	.048	.047	.048	.046	.042	.046	.044	.041	.045	.047	.045
Hay.....	Ton.....	14.44	13.80	12.73	12.34	12.77	12.78	12.79	12.34	13.97	13.72	14.38	13.43	12.62
Hops.....	Pound..	.147	.140	.126	.115	.156	.175	.181	.171	.181	.173	.164	.163	.155
Iron and steel:														
Pig iron.....	Ton.....	11.54	10.81	10.42	10.41	10.15	10.14	10.26	10.31	10.47	10.91	11.82	14.49	14.23
Nails and spikes, cut.....	Pound..	.017	.019	.018	.019	.019	.019	.017	.016	.017	.018	.018	.020	.022
Leather, sole.....	do .....	.171	.182	.185	.165	.168	.178	.170	.158	.165	.166	.169	.170	.181
Naval stores:														
Rosin.....	Barrel..	1.55	1.48	1.42	1.42	1.54	1.45	1.50	1.37	1.39	1.41	1.45	1.60	1.66
Turpentine, spirits of.....	Gallon..	.286	.272	.271	.290	.315	.366	.386	.440	.430	.435	.406	.394	.402
Oil cake and oil-cake meal.....	Pound..	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.009	.010
Oils:														
Mineral—crude, etc.....	Gallon..	.038	.039	.043	.046	.047	.047	.046	.048	.047	.047	.051	.048	.040
Refined—illuminating.....	do .....	.052	.051	.050	.052	.058	.056	.062	.059	.063	.060	.060	.058	.061
Vegetable—cotton-seed.....	do .....	.259	.258	.233	.235	.236	.240	.249	.233	.234	.238	.249	.236	.229
Paraffin and paraffin wax.....	Pound..	.037	.039	.039	.039	.039	.033	.038	.040	.041	.040	.041	.040	.040
Provisions:														
Beef—														
Fresh.....	do .....	.087	.083	.085	.086	.084	.082	.082	.084	.083	.081	.083	.082	.084
Salted or pickled.....	do .....	.062	.057	.054	.053	.052	.053	.054	.055	.054	.050	.057	.056	.052
Tallow.....	do .....	.041	.039	.038	.039	.040	.041	.038	.040	.039	.042	.043	.044	.040
Bacon.....	do .....	.073	.074	.075	.074	.074	.074	.078	.072	.075	.072	.074	.071	.073
Hams.....	do .....	.092	.093	.093	.090	.090	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091	.091	.093	.096
Pork, pickled.....	do .....	.060	.061	.058	.059	.057	.058	.059	.058	.058	.056	.056	.058	.058
Lard.....	do .....	.064	.061	.060	.059	.059	.058	.059	.060	.060	.060	.060	.059	.058
Oleomargarine—the oil.....	do .....	.060	.058	.058	.059	.063	.062	.062	.064	.072	.072	.069	.069	.067
Butter.....	do .....	.152	.150	.165	.161	.170	.161	.167	.168	.161	.155	.159	.151	.151
Cheese.....	do .....	.075	.075	.079	.082	.091	.092	.099	.102	.101	.107	.109	.096	.085
Seeds:														
Clover.....	do .....	.060	.060	.059	.059	.060	.063	.066	.063	.064	.064	.066	.072	.057
Cotton.....	do .....	.006	.005	.005	.010	.007	.006	.007	.006	.005	.006	.006	.005	.005
Starch.....	do .....	.019	.020	.020	.018	.021	.022	.021	.020	.017	.022	.023	.020	.023
Sugar, refined.....	do .....	.045	.044	.051	.048	.048	.051	.041	.042	.047	.038	.045	.042	.048
Tobacco, leaf.....	do .....	.089	.087	.093	.096	.100	.096	.089	.090	.090	.091	.091	.087	.092
Wood: Boards, deals, and planks	M feet..	15.43	16.41	14.68	15.40	16.37	14.96	14.88	15.69	14.95	15.20	15.57	15.13	17.54

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES.

[From the Economist.]

I.—MINERALS.

DATE.	IRON.			COALS.	COPPER.	TIN.	LEAD.	SALTPETER.
	Scotch pig.	Cleveland bars.	Steel rails.	Best Wallsend London.	Chile bars.	Straits.	English pig.	English, refined.
	Per ton.							Per cwt.
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
January 4.....	2 1 8½	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 9	40 15 0	60 6 3	9 14 0	1 2 9
February 1.....	2 1 2	4 17 6	3 12 6	14 6	40 1 3	60 15 0	9 13 0	1 2 9
March 1.....	2 2 1	4 17 6	3 12 6	15 0	39 2 6	60 5 0	9 13 9	1 2 9
April 4.....	2 1 9	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	39 6 3	63 8 9	10 2 6	1 3 0
May 3.....	2 3 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	41 3 9	64 10 0	10 0 0	1 2 6
June 1.....	2 3 3	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 0 0	64 7 6	10 11 3	1 2 6
July 5.....	2 4 6	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	43 8 9	63 15 0	10 10 0	1 2 6
August 2.....	2 5 5½	4 15 0	3 15 0	14 0	43 15 0	64 13 9	11 3 9	1 3 0
September 1.....	2 7 2½	4 15 0	3 12 6	14 0	46 17 6	64 15 0	11 3 9	1 3 6
October 4.....	2 8 3	4 17 6	4 5 6	14 0	47 6 3	66 12 6	11 5 0	1 3 0
November 1.....	2 6 10	5 0 0	4 10 0	15 6	45 2 6	66 3 0	11 11 3	1 2 0
December 1.....	2 7 1	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 5 0	63 15 0	11 17 6	1 2 0
1896.								
January 1.....	2 5 3	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	41 5 0	58 0 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
February 1.....	2 7 4	4 17 6	4 15 0	15 0	43 18 9	60 5 0	11 8 9	1 1 9
March 1.....	2 7 5	5 0 0	4 15 0	14 6	46 6 3	60 2 6	11 12 6	1 1 9
April 2.....	2 6 8	5 0 0	4 15 0	13 6	45 2 6	60 7 6	11 6 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 6 4½	5 0 0	4 12 6	13 6	45 6 3	59 15 0	11 6 3	1 1 9
June 5.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	60 8 9	11 6 3	1 2 3
July 3.....	2 6 11½	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	49 9 3	61 3 9	11 5 0	1 2 0
August 1.....	2 6 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	12 6	48 10 0	60 2 6	11 3 9	1 2 0
September 4.....	2 5 11	5 0 0	4 10 0	13 6	47 13 9	59 8 9	11 5 0	1 1 9
October 2.....	2 6 6	5 2 6	4 10 0	14 6	47 16 3	57 8 0	11 10 0	1 1 9
November 6.....	2 8 3	5 2 6	4 10 0	16 0	48 13 9	58 7 6	11 10 0	1 1 9
December 4.....	2 8 5½	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	48 12 6	58 4 6	11 15 0	1 1 9
1897.								
January 1.....	2 8 9	5 5 0	4 12 6	17 0	49 8 9	58 8 9	11 16 3	1 1 9
February 5.....	2 7 8½	5 7 6	4 12 6	17 0	51 11 3	61 17 6	11 17 6	1 1 9
March 5.....	2 5 7½	5 7 6	4 12 6	15 6	50 13 9	60 6 3	11 18 9	1 1 0
April 2.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 14 6	59 12 6	11 16 3	1 1 9
May 1.....	2 3 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 2 6	60 7 6	11 18 9	1 1 9
June 4.....	2 5 1	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 14 3	61 16 3	12 1 3	1 0 6
July 2.....	2 4 11	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	48 16 3	62 12 6	12 6 3	1 0 6
August 6.....	2 4 2	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 0	47 16 3	61 5 0	12 13 9	1 0 0
September 3.....	2 4 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	48 17 6	61 3 9	13 13 9	1 1 6
October 1.....	2 4 7	5 5 0	4 10 0	15 0	49 2 6	62 2 0	13 18 9	1 1 9
November 5.....	2 5 6	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 0	47 15 0	62 6 3	13 12 6	1 1 9
December 3.....	2 5 2½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 0 0	62 13 9	13 3 9	1 0 0
1898.								
January 1.....	2 5 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	48 5 0	62 19 3	12 9 3	1 0 0
February 4.....	2 5 10½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	49 5 0	63 5 0	12 11 3	1 0 0
March 4.....	2 6 7½	5 5 0	4 10 0	17 0	G. M. B. 50 5 0	64 16 3	12 13 9	1 0 0
April 1.....	2 6 0½	5 5 0	4 10 0	14 6	50 18 3	65 5 0	12 17 6	1 0 0
May 6.....	2 6 4½	5 5 0	4 10 0	16 6	51 9 3	65 14 3	14 3 9	1 0 6
June 3.....	2 6 1	5 10 0	4 10 0	15 6	50 19 0	67 12 0	13 15 0	1 0 0
July 1.....	2 5 11	5 7 0	4 10 0	15 6	49 19 3	70 14 3	13 11 3	1 0 0
August 5.....	2 6 5½	5 7 6	4 12 6	16 6	50 7 0	71 10 0	12 17 0	1 0 0
September 2.....	2 7 2½	5 15 0	4 12 6	16 6	51 18 9	73 3 0	13 0 0	1 0 0
October 7.....	2 9 3	5 12 6	4 12 6	16 6	52 18 0	76 0 0	13 3 9	1 0 0
November 4.....	2 11 6	6 0 0	4 12 6	16 6	54 13 9	83 5 0	13 6 3	1 0 0
December 2.....	2 9 4	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	56 16 3	82 6 3	13 6 3	1 0 0
1899.								
January 6.....	2 10 3½	6 2 6	4 12 6	16 6	58 3 9	91 2 6	13 8 0	1 1 0
February 3.....	2 15 3	6 5 0	4 15 10	17 0	70 5 10	112 10 0	15 5 0	1 1 0
March 3.....	2 14 0½	6 7 6	4 15 0	17 0	70 5 0	107 0 0	14 1 3	1 1 0
April 7.....	2 14 4	6 7 6	4 17 6	17 0	72 10 0	113 10 0	14 15 0	1 1 0
May 6.....	3 2 2	6 7 6	5 2 6	17 0	76 6 0	117 10 0	14 10 0	1 1 0
June 2.....	3 4 2½	6 15 0	5 2 6	17 0	75 12 0	117 10 0	14 7 6	1 1 0
July 1.....	3 9 3½	7 0 0	5 5 0	17 0	76 16 0	121 0 0	14 10 0	1 1 0

COMPARATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF LEADING ARTICLES—Continued.

[From the Economist.]

II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

DATE.	COTTON.		WOOL.			SILK.	FLAX.	HEMP.	JUTE.
	Raw, mid- dling upland.	Yarn, 40-mule twist.	Southdown hogs.	Lincoln hogs.	New South Wales greasy, average.		Riga ZK.	Manila.	Good marks.
	Per pound.						Per ton.		
	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	d.	₹ d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
1895.									
January 4.....	3 ³ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	10 ³ / ₄	0 10	6 ³ / ₄	9 9	28 0	17 7 ¹ / ₂	14 10
February 1.....	2 ³ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	10 ³ / ₄	0 9 ³ / ₄	6 ³ / ₄	9 0	27 5	17 12 ¹ / ₂	11 10
March 1.....	3	6	10	0 9 ³ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	27 0	17 12 ¹ / ₂	11 0
April 4.....	3 ³ / ₄	6 ³ / ₈	10	0 9 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	9 3	27 5	17 5	12 0
May 3.....	3 ³ / ₄	6 ³ / ₈	10	0 9 ³ / ₄	6 ³ / ₄	9 3	27 10	17 15	12 10
June 1.....	3 ³ / ₄	7	10	0 10	6 ³ / ₈	9 3	27 10	19 5	12 10
July 5.....	3 ³ / ₄	7	10 ¹ / ₂	1 2	7 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	27 10	18 5	12 10
August 2.....	3 ¹ / ₄	6 ⁵ / ₈	10 ¹ / ₂	1 2	7 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	28 0	19 15	12 10
September 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ³ / ₄	1 3 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	9 9	27 15	19 10	13 10
October 3.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	11 ¹ / ₂	1 4	8 ¹ / ₂	9 0	27 0	21 5	13 0
November 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	11 ¹ / ₂	1 4	8 ¹ / ₂	9 0	27 10	21 0	12 10
December 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	11	1 3 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	9 9	28 0	18 10	12 0
1896.									
January 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	11	1 3 ¹ / ₂	8	9 10 ¹ / ₂	27 15	17 5	12 0
February 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	11	1 3	8 ¹ / ₂	9 10 ¹ / ₂	27 15	18 5	12 0
March 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ³ / ₄	1 2 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	9 10 ¹ / ₂	28 10	17 17 ¹ / ₂	12 0
April 2.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ³ / ₄	1 2	9	9 10 ¹ / ₂	28 0	17 2 ¹ / ₂	12 0
May 1.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	1 2	8 ¹ / ₂	9 10 ¹ / ₂	28 0	17 2 ¹ / ₂	12 0
June 5.....	3 ¹ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	1 0	8	9 0	27 0	17 15	12 0
July 3.....	3 ¹ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	0 11 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	9 9	27 10	16 17 ¹ / ₂	12 0
August 1.....	3 ¹ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	0 11 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	9 9	27 10	17 0	12 0
September 4.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	0 10 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	9 5	27 10	18 1 ¹ / ₂	12 0
October 2.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	0 10 ³ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	9 5	27 10	18 8 ¹ / ₂	12 10
November 6.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	0 11 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 10 ¹ / ₂	27 10	18 10	13 10
December 4.....	4 ¹ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	10 ¹ / ₂	0 11 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	8 10 ¹ / ₂	27 17 ¹ / ₂	18 5	13 10
1897.									
January 1.....	4	7	10 ¹ / ₂	0 11	7 ¹ / ₂	8 10 ¹ / ₂	27 10	17 7 ¹ / ₂	13 10
February 5.....	3 ³ / ₄	7	10 ¹ / ₂	0 10 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	26 10	16 5	13 10
March 5.....	3 ³ / ₄	6 ³ / ₄	10 ¹ / ₂	0 10 ¹ / ₂	7	9 4 ¹ / ₂	26 10	16 15	14 0
April 2.....	4	7	10 ¹ / ₂	0 10	6 ³ / ₄	9 4 ¹ / ₂	26 10	16 0	14 10
May 1.....	4 ¹ / ₂	7	10 ¹ / ₂	0 10	6 ³ / ₄	9 7 ¹ / ₂	27 0	15 17 ¹ / ₂	14 0
June 4.....	4 ¹ / ₂	7	10 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	7	9 6	26 5	15 5	13 0
July 2.....	4 ⁵ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	7	9 4 ¹ / ₂	25 15	14 15	13 0
August 6.....	4 ⁵ / ₈	7 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	25 5	15 12 ¹ / ₂	13 13
September 3.....	4 ⁵ / ₈	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	9 1 ¹ / ₂	25 5	15 0	13 13
October 1.....	3 ⁵ / ₈	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	9 3	25 5	15 15	13 13
November 5.....	3 ⁵ / ₈	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	8	9 4 ¹ / ₂	26 0	15 17 ¹ / ₂	12 0
December 3.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	26 0	17 0	12 0
1898.									
January 1.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	7 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	25 10	17 0	12 0
February 4.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	9 4 ¹ / ₂	25 5	18 15	11 0
March 4.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 9	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	24 10	18 15	11 0
April 1.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	24 0	18 17 ¹ / ₂	11 0
May 6.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8	10 9	24 10	25 10	11 0
June 3.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8	10 0	25 0	25 0	12 0
July 1.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 0	25 0	33 10	12 0
August 5.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	24 10	30 10	12 0
September 2.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	24 5	30 10	12 0
October 7.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 0	24 5	31 10	13 0
November 4.....	3	6 ¹ / ₂	9	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	24 15	26 10	13 0
December 2.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	24 10	23 15	13 0
1899.									
January 6.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	10 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
February 3.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	12 9	23 15	24 5	13 0
March 3.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	8 ¹ / ₂	12 9	23 15	31 0	13 0
April 7.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	9	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0
May 6.....	3 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	10 ³ / ₄	13 0	23 15	34 10	13 0
June 2.....	3 ¹ / ₂	7	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	10 ³ / ₄	13 0	23 10	34 10	13 0
July 1.....	3 ¹ / ₂	7	8 ¹ / ₂	0 8 ³ / ₄	10 ³ / ₄	13 0	23 10	34 10	13 0

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III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

DATE.	AMERICAN WHEAT, RED WINTER.	GAZETTE AVERAGES (ENGLISH GRAIN).			FLOUR.	BEEF.		MUTTON.	POTATOES.	RICE.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Town-made, seconds.	Inferior.	Prime.	Prime.	Good Eng- lish.	Rangoon.
Per quarter.				Per 280 lbs.	Per 8 pounds.			Per ton.	Per cwt.	
1895.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 4.....	1 3 9	1 0 5	1 0 10	0 13 9	0 19 0	2 8	4 4	6 4	3 15 0	5 8½
February 1.....	1 3 3	1 0 9	1 1 11	0 13 10	0 19 0	2 8	4 2	6 2	4 5 0	5 8½
March 1.....	1 3 3	0 19 10	1 2 2	0 13 0	0 18 9	2 8	4 4	6 0	5 0 0	5 6
April 4.....	1 4 3	1 0 3	1 0 10	0 14 0	0 18 9	2 8	4 6	6 6	4 17 6	5 5
May 3.....	1 4 3	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 14 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 10½
June 1.....	1 9 0	1 3 5	1 0 1	0 15 9	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 5	3 15 0	6 1½
July 5.....	1 8 0	1 6 1	1 0 3	0 16 7	1 2 6	2 8	4 6	5 6	3 0 0	5 1½
August 2.....	1 6 0	1 4 2	0 18 2	0 15 9	1 1 0	2 8	4 6	5 8	4 5 0	5 3½
September 1.....	1 5 0	1 3 10	1 3 5	0 14 5	1 1 3	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	5 3½
October 1.....	1 5 9	1 3 0	1 4 8	0 13 2	0 19 9	2 10	4 4	5 10	3 0 0	5 3
November 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 5	1 5 4	0 13 7	0 19 7½	2 8	4 2	5 10	2 15 0	5 6½
December 1.....	1 5 9	1 5 7	1 5 1	0 14 4	0 19 10½	2 4	4 4	5 10	2 15 0	5 4
1896.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 7 0	1 5 0	1 3 11	0 13 10	0 19 4½	2 6	4 4	5 10	2 10 0	5 2½
February 1.....	1 7 0	1 6 1	1 3 7	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 6	5 8	2 10 0	5 5½
March 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 6	1 1 10	0 13 10	1 1 3	2 4	4 4	5 6	2 5 0	5 7½
April 2.....	1 8 6	1 4 10	1 1 4	0 13 4	1 1 3	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 0 0	5 6½
May 1.....	1 7 6	1 5 6	1 1 0	0 13 11	1 1 0	2 4	4 4	5 0	2 0 0	5 7½
June 5.....	1 7 0	1 5 4	1 1 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 2	5 4	1 5 0	5 0
July 3.....	1 7 0	1 4 10	1 19 5	0 14 10	1 0 9	2 4	4 0	5 4	0 0 0	5 6
August 1.....	1 6 3	1 4 0	0 19 8	0 15 0	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 2	0 0 0	5 9
September 4.....	1 5 0	1 2 5	1 1 10	0 13 7	0 19 3	2 4	4 2	5 6	3 0 0	5 9
October 2.....	1 4 4	1 6 3	0 14 1	1 2 0	2 4	4 2	5 8	2 15 0	5 9	5 9
November 6.....	1 16 0	1 10 9	1 8 6	0 17 3	1 6 3	2 4	4 4	5 5	3 0 0	7 6
December 4.....	1 17 0	1 13 4	1 6 9	0 17 7	1 7 3	2 4	4 4	5 4	3 0 0	7 2½
1897.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 15 6	1 10 9	1 4 1	0 16 1	1 6 9	2 8	4 8	5 5	3 5 0	6 9
February 5.....	1 15 0	1 11 3	1 4 7	0 16 8	1 6 6	2 0	4 2	5 4	3 10 0	6 11
March 5.....	1 14 0	1 8 2	1 3 8	0 16 3	1 5 9	2 4	4 6	5 0	3 10 6	6 7½
April 2.....	1 12 6	1 7 0	1 2 5	0 16 3	1 4 3	2 6	4 4	6 2	3 10 0	6 6
May 1.....	1 11 0	1 0 6	1 0 7	0 16 7	1 4 0	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 5 0	6 6
June 4.....	1 11 3	1 8 2	1 1 3	0 17 10	1 5 0	2 4	4 6	5 8	3 0 0	6 10½
July 2.....	1 9 3	1 7 0	0 19 9	0 18 6	1 3 9	2 4	4 8	5 10	0 0 0	7 0
August 6.....	1 12 0	1 8 10	0 17 10	0 19 0	1 4 0	2 4	4 6	5 6	0 0 0	7 4½
September 3.....	1 16 6	1 11 8	1 2 5	0 17 1	1 11 6	2 4	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 3
October 1.....	1 18 6	1 13 11	1 9 7	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 4	5 6	3 5 0	7 7½
November 5.....	1 18 6	1 12 10	1 7 5	0 16 0	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	3 15 0	6 7½
December 3.....	1 17 0	1 13 8	1 5 9	0 16 8	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 8	3 15 0	6 7½
1898.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 17 9	1 14 6	1 7 3	0 17 1	1 10 6	2 8	4 4	5 8	4 5 0	5 9
February 4.....	1 18 3	1 14 10	1 8 0	0 17 6	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 5 0	5 9
March 4.....	2 0 6	1 15 10	1 8 0	0 17 11	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 0 0	6 3
April 1.....	1 18 3	1 15 3	1 7 11	0 17 10	1 11 0	2 4	4 2	5 10	4 10 0	6 10½
May 6.....	2 10 0	2 2 4	1 7 8	1 0 4	1 15 6	2 4	4 2	5 0	5 10 0	8 0
Town house- holds.										
June 2.....	2 0 6	2 0 3	1 0 10	1 1 0	1 17 6	2 4	4 2	5 2	5 10 0	8 0
July 1.....	1 16 6	1 18 3	1 3 4	1 0 8	1 14 0	2 4	4 2	5 4	0 0 0	7 10
August 5.....	1 14 6	1 15 7	1 6 11	1 0 7	1 10 6	2 4	4 2	5 4	0 0 0	7 4
September 2.....	1 9 6	1 10 7	1 7 6	0 19 3	1 7 0	2 0	5 10	5 6	4 0 0	7 4½
October 7.....	1 9 6	1 5 9	1 7 0	0 16 7	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 0	3 15 0	7 2
November 4.....	1 12 6	1 8 4	1 8 6	0 17 2	1 5 6	2 4	4 0	5 6	3 15 0	7 3
December 2.....	1 11 6	1 7 7	1 8 6	0 17 1	1 4 6	2 6	4 0	5 6	3 10 0	.....
1899.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
January 1.....	1 11 6	1 7 0	1 8 3	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 8	4 4	5 10	3 5 0	7 1
February 3.....	1 11 6	1 6 6	1 7 2	0 17 0	1 4 0	2 6	4 4	5 4	3 10 0	7 7½
March 3.....	1 11 6	1 5 8	1 6 7	0 17 0	1 3 0	2 8	4 4	5 8	3 5 0	7 7½
April 7.....	1 11 6	1 4 11	1 6 2	0 16 11	1 2 0	2 8	4 8	5 10	3 10 0	7 1½
May 6.....	1 11 6	1 5 3	1 4 5	0 17 6	1 2 0	2 8	4 4	5 6	4 12 6	6 7½
June 2.....	1 11 6	1 5 4	1 4 4	0 18 1	1 2 0	2 8	4 4	6 0	2 15 0	6 8
July 1.....	1 12 0	1 5 7	1 4 2	0 18 0	1 3 0	2 4	4 8	5 6	0 15 0	6 4½

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IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

DATE.	SUGAR.		TEA, CONGOU.		COFFEE.	OILS.		TALLOW.	Quarterly and monthly index number.
	Manila, low brown.	West India refining, sirups.	Common.	Good.	Ceylon, plantation low mid-dling.	Petroleum.	Olive, Spanish.	Town.	
	Per cwt.		Per pound.		Per cwt.	Per gallon.	Per tun.	Per cwt.	
1895.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
January 4.....	6 9	9 3	4	1 1	5 3 0	4 10	37 5 0	1 3 0	1923
February 1.....	6 9	9 6	4 1	1 1	5 4 0	4 1	37 0 0	1 3 0	
March 1.....	6 9	9 3	4 1	1 1	5 5 0	4 1	37 0 0	1 3 9	
April 4.....	6 9	9 3	3 1	1 0	5 1 0	5 10	37 0 0	1 3 6	1921
May 3.....	6 9	10 0	3 1	1 0	4 19 0	7 10	37 10 0	1 3 9	
June 1.....	7 3	10 9	3 1	0 10	4 19 0	5 10	37 0 0	1 3 9	
July 5.....	6 10 1	11 0	3 1	0 10	4 18 0	5 10	37 0 0	1 3 9	1931
August 2.....	7 1 1	10 0	3 1	0 10	4 19 0	5 10	37 0 0	1 3 0	
September 1.....	7 1 1	11 0	3 1	0 10	4 18 0	5 1	37 0 0	1 3 0	
October 3.....		11 3	3 1	0 10	4 17 0	5 1	35 0 0	1 3 0	2009
November 1.....	7 1 1	11 6	3 1	0 10	4 17 0	5 1	34 10 0	1 3 0	
December 1.....	7 3	11 0	3 1	0 10	4 16 0	6 1	34 0 0	1 3 0	
1896.									
January 1.....	7 4 1	10 6	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	6 10	33 0 0	1 3 0	1999
February 1.....	8 0	11 3	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	5 10	32 0 0	1 3 0	1990
March 1.....	8 8	11 3	3 1	0 10	4 16 0	5 1	31 0 0	1 3 0	1992
April 2.....	8 3	11 3	3 1	0 10	4 17 0	5 10	30 10 0	1 1 6	1983
May 1.....	8 3	11 6	3 1	0 10	4 17 0	5 10	29 10 0	1 0 0	1959
June 5.....	8 3	11 3	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	5 10	29 10 0	1 0 0	1965
	Manila low tael.								
July 3.....	8 3	11 3	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	5 10	29 10 0	1 0 0	1947
August 1.....	7 1 1	11 0	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	5 1	29 0 0	0 19 3	1923
September 4.....	7 1 1	10 3	3 1	0 10	4 17 0	5 1	29 10 0	0 18 6	
October 2.....	7 0	10 3	3 1	0 10	4 18 0	5 1	29 10 0	1 0 0	1958
November 6.....	7 0	10 3	3 1	0 10	4 17 0	5 10	29 10 0	1 0 9	
December 4.....	7 1 1	10 3	3 1	0 9 1	4 17 0	5 10	29 10 0	1 0 9	
1897.									
January 1.....	7 7 1	10 3	3 1	0 9 1	4 16 0	5	29 10 0	1 0 9	1950
February 5.....		10 3	3 1	0 9 1	4 18 0	5 10	29 0 0	1 0 9	
March 5.....		10 3	4	0 9 1	5 3 0	4 1	30 0 0	1 0 9	
April 2.....	7 6	10 3	4	0 9 1	5 3 0	4 1	30 0 0	1 0 9	1942
May 1.....	7 4 1	10 3	4	0 9 1	5 2 0	4 10	30 0 0	1 0 9	
June 4.....	7 3 1	10 6	4	0 9 1	5 2 0	4 1	30 0 0	0 19 3	
July 2.....	7 1 1	11 0	4	0 9 1	5 0 0	4 10	30 0 0	0 19 3	1885
August 6.....		10 3	3 1	0 10	4 16 0	5 10	30 10 0	0 19 3	
September 3.....	6 9	9 6	3 1	0 10	4 18 0	4 10	31 10 0	0 19 3	1896
October 1.....		9 6	3 1	0 10	4 18 0	4 10	31 10 0	1 0 0	
November 5.....		9 6	3 1	0 10	4 18 0	4 10	31 10 0	1 0 0	
	Beet.								
December 3.....	9 0 1	10 0	3 1	0 10	4 13 0	4 10	31 10 0	1 0 0	1891
1898.									
January 1.....	9 7 1	9 9	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	4 10	31 10 0	1 1 6	
February 4.....	9 1 1	9 6	3 1	0 10	5 0 0	4 10	33 5 0	1 1 6	1890
March 4.....	9 3 1	9 6	3 1	0 10	4 13 0	4 10	33 0 0	1 1 6	
April 1.....	9 2 1	9 3	3 1	0 10	5 0 0	4 10	33 0 0	1 1 6	1885
May 6.....	9 4 1	10 9	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	4 10	33 0 0	1 3 0	
June 3.....	9 10 1	11 0	3 1	0 10	4 15 0	4 10	33 0 0	1 4 6	
July 1.....	9 7	11 0	3 1	0 10	4 5 0	4 10	33 0 0	1 3 0	1915
August 5.....	9 4 1	11 0	6	1 1	4 12 0	4 10	30 10 0	1 1 6	
September 2.....	9 6	10 6	7	1 1	4 18 0	5	30 10 0	1 1 6	1905
October 7.....	9 8 1	10 9	6	1 1	4 18 0	5 10	30 10 0	1 1 6	
November 4.....	9 8 1	10 9	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 10	30 10 0	1 1 6	
December 2.....	10 1 1	12 6	6	1 1	5 0 0	5 10	30 19 0	1 1 6	1918
1899.									
January 6.....	9 5 1	12 0	5	1 1	5 0 0	6 10	30 10 0	1 1 6	
February 3.....	9 10 1	12 0	5	1 1	4 15 0	6 10	30 10 0	1 3 9	
March 3.....	9 10 1	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	6	30 10 0	1 3 9	
April 7.....	10 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	5 10	31 0 0	1 3 9	1973
May 6.....	11 5	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	4 10	31 0 0	1 3 9	
June 2.....	11 1 1	11 9	5	1 1	4 15 0	5 10	31 0 0	1 3 9	
July 1.....	10 6 1	11 10 1	5	1 1	4 5 0	5 10	31 0 0	1 3 9	

TREASURY FINANCIAL TABLES.

PUBLIC DEBT AND THE CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1899.

INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Title of loan.	Authorizing act.	Rate.	When redeemable.	Amount issued.	Outstanding June 30, 1899.			Outstanding March 1, 1885.	Outstanding March 1, 1889.	Outstanding March 1, 1893.
					Registered.	Coupon.	Total.			
				<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Loan of July 12, 1882.	July 12, 1882.	3 per cent.	Option U. S.	305,529,000				194,190,500		
Funded loan of 1891.	July 14, 1870, and Jan. 20, 1871.	$4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Continued at 2 per cent.	Sept. 1, 1891. Option U. S.	250,000,000	25,364,500		25,364,500	250,000,000	162,842,200	25,364,500
Funded loan of 1907.	do	4 per cent.	July 1, 1907.	740,913,650	491,311,900	68,340,400	559,652,300	737,707,200	681,138,000	559,595,900
Refunding certificates.	Feb. 26, 1879.	do		40,012,750			37,830	251,350	126,020	73,860
Loan of 1904.	Jan. 14, 1875.	5 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1904.	100,000,000	67,645,050	32,354,950	100,000,000			
Loan of 1925.	do	4 per cent.	Feb. 1, 1925.	162,315,400	114,026,650	48,288,750	162,315,400			
Ten-twenties of 1898.	June 13, 1898.	3 per cent.	After Aug. 1, 1908.	198,678,720	98,092,940	100,585,780	198,678,720			
Aggregate of interest-bearing debt.				1,797,449,520	796,441,010	249,569,880	1,046,048,750	1,182,149,050	844,106,220	585,034,260

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

Funded loan of 1891, matured Sept. 2, 1891.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old debt matured at various dates prior to Jan. 1, 1861, and other items of debt matured at various dates subsequent to Jan. 1, 1861.	112,850.00
Aggregate of debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,105,450.26
Bonds issued to Pacific railroads matured but not yet presented: Union Pacific, \$35,000; Central Pacific, \$37,000; Kansas Pacific, \$7,000; total.	1,218,300.26
	79,000.00

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

United States notes.	Feb. 25, 1862; July 11, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863.	<i>Dollars.</i>
Old demand notes.	July 17, 1861; Feb. 12, 1862.	346,681,016.00
National bank notes:		53,847.50
Redemption account.	July 14, 1890.	35,817,381.50
Fractional currency.	July 17, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863; June 30, 1864, less \$8,375,934, estimated as lost or destroyed, act of June 21, 1879.	6,881,408.66
Aggregate of debt bearing no interest.		389,433,653.66

CERTIFICATES AND NOTES ISSUED ON DEPOSITS OF COIN AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES AND PURCHASES OF SILVER BULLION.

Classification.		In Treasury.	In circulation.	Amount issued.
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold certificates.	Mar. 3, 1863; July 12, 1882.	1,641,550.00	32,656,269.00	34,297,819.00
Silver certificates.	Feb. 28, 1878; Aug. 4, 1886; Mar. 3, 1887.	4,216,161.00	401,869,343.00	406,085,504.00
Certificates of deposit.	June 8, 1872.	470,000.00	20,855,000.00	21,325,000.00
Treasury notes of 1890.	July 14, 1890.	912,488.00	92,605,792.00	93,518,280.00
Aggregate of certificates and Treasury notes offset by cash in the Treasury.		7,240,199.00	547,986,404.00	555,226,603.00

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	June 30, 1899.	May 31, 1899.	Increase.	Decrease.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Interest-bearing debt.	1,046,048,750.00	1,046,048,730.00	20.00	
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity.	1,218,300.26	1,218,350.26		50.00
Debt bearing no interest.	389,433,653.66	389,208,420.16	225,233.50	
Aggregate of interest and noninterest bearing debt.	1,436,700,703.92	1,436,475,500.42	225,253.50	50.00
Certificates and Treasury notes offset by an equal amount of cash in the Treasury.	555,226,603.00	555,517,613.00		291,010.00
Aggregate of debt, including certificates and Treasury notes.	1,991,927,306.92	1,991,993,113.42	225,253.50	291,060.00

PUBLIC DEBT AND CASH IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE,
1899—Continued.

CASH IN THE TREASURY.

CLASSIFICATION.			DEMAND LIABILITIES.		
Gold:	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Coin.....	153,522,596.37		Gold certificates.....	34,297,819.00	
Bars.....	119,870,884.23	273,393,480.60	Silver certificates.....	406,085,504.00	
			Certificates of deposit, act of June 8, 1872.....	21,325,000.00	
Silver:			Treasury notes of 1890.....	93,518,280.00	555,220,603.00
Dollars.....	416,869,480.00		Fund for redemption of uncurrent national-		
Subsidiary coin.....	6,070,496.92		bank notes.....	9,059,437.28	
Bars.....	85,288,249.16	508,228,226.08	Outstanding checks and drafts.....	4,013,515.01	
Paper:			Disbursing officers' balances.....	49,299,055.48	
United States notes.....	36,133,667.00		Agency accounts, etc.....	8,982,058.82	71,354,066.59
Treasury notes of 1890.....	912,488.00				
Gold certificates.....	1,641,550.00				
Silver certificates.....	4,216,161.00				
Certificates of deposit, act June 8, 1872.....	470,000.00				
National-bank notes.....	3,518,276.84	40,892,142.84			
Other:					
Bonds, interest and coupons paid, await-					
ing reimbursement.....	31,188.92				
Minor coin and fractional currency.....	244,170.62				
Deposits in national-bank depositories—					
General account.....	73,197,103.23				
Disbursing officers' balances.....	5,974,826.03	79,447,288.80			
Aggregate.....		907,961,138.32			
Cash balance in the Treasury May 31, 1899.....					267,584,093.98
Cash balance in the Treasury June 30, 1899.....					281,380,468.73
Increase during the month.....					13,796,374.75

AMOUNTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND CERTIFICATES, UNITED STATES NOTES, AND NATIONAL-BANK
NOTES IN CIRCULATION JULY 1, 1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.

CLASSIFICATION.	To July 1, 1898.			To July 1, 1899.		
	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.	General stock, coined or issued.	In Treasury.	Amount in circulation.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin.....	765,735,164	104,775,284	660,959,880	855,583,055	153,522,596	702,060,459
Silver, standard dollars.....	461,996,522	404,736,731	57,259,791	480,251,231	416,869,480	63,381,751
Subsidiary.....	76,421,429	12,097,682	64,323,747	76,746,179	6,070,497	70,675,682
Notes, United States.....	346,681,016	60,108,687	286,572,329	346,681,016	36,133,667	310,547,349
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890.....	101,207,280	2,541,700	98,665,580	93,518,280	912,488	92,605,792
National-bank.....	227,900,177	4,770,474	223,129,703	241,350,871	3,518,277	237,832,594
Certificates, gold.....	37,420,149	1,599,510	35,820,639	1,641,550	1,641,550	32,656,269
silver.....	398,556,504	7,897,424	390,659,080	406,085,504	4,216,161	401,869,343
currency.....	26,605,000	560,000	26,045,000	21,325,000	470,000	20,855,000
Total.....		599,087,492	1,843,435,749		623,354,716	1,832,484,239

Population of the United States July 1, 1898, estimated at 74,522,000; circulation per capita, \$24.74.
July 1, 1899, population estimated at 76,143,000; circulation per capita, \$25.34.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION ON JUNE 1 AND JULY 1, 1898 AND 1899, AND THE CHANGES
IN CIRCULATION DURING JUNE, 1899.

CLASSIFICATION.	In circulation—				From June 1, 1899.	
	June 1, 1898.	July 1, 1898.	June 1, 1899.	July 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin.....	649,571,881	660,959,880	724,282,177	702,060,459	22,221,719	
Silver, standard dollars.....	57,596,423	57,259,791	63,434,217	63,381,751	52,466	
Subsidiary.....	64,042,000	64,323,747	70,044,980	70,675,682		630,702
Notes, United States.....	290,202,987	286,572,329	311,095,424	310,547,349	548,075	
Treasury, act of July 14, 1890.....	100,226,855	98,665,580	93,101,782	92,605,792	495,990	
National-bank.....	224,609,636	223,129,703	238,117,598	237,832,594	285,004	
Certificates, gold.....	35,883,209	35,820,639	32,786,189	32,656,269	129,920	
silver.....	391,225,265	390,659,080	401,298,642	401,869,343		570,701
currency.....	26,540,000	26,045,000	21,340,000	20,855,000	485,000	
Total.....	1,839,898,256	1,843,435,749	1,955,501,009	1,932,484,239	23,016,770	

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MONEY AND BULLION IN TREASURY DURING JUNE,
1898 AND 1899, RESPECTIVELY.**

CLASSIFICATION.	In Treasury—				From June 1, 1899.	
	June 1, 1898.	July 1, 1898.	June 1, 1899.	July 1, 1899.	Decrease.	Increase.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Gold coin.....	110,702,400	104,775,284	139,459,075	153,522,596	.....	14,063,521
Standard silver dollars.....	403,583,999	404,736,731	415,606,941	416,869,480	.....	1,262,539
Subsidiary silver.....	12,044,089	12,097,682	6,593,355	6,070,497	522,858	.....
Treasury notes, act July 14, 1890.....	1,754,425	2,541,700	923,498	912,488	11,010	.....
United States notes.....	56,478,029	60,108,687	35,585,592	36,133,667	.....	548,075
National-bank notes.....	3,086,734	4,770,474	4,029,191	3,518,277	510,914	.....
Total.....	587,649,676	589,030,558	602,197,652	617,027,005	.....	15,874,135
Gold bullion.....	96,998,864	98,049,765	121,742,353	119,870,884	1,871,469	.....
Silver bullion.....	98,443,952	98,195,494	85,909,876	85,288,249	621,627	.....
Total.....	783,092,492	785,275,817	809,849,881	822,186,138	.....	12,336,257

PAPER CURRENCY OF EACH DENOMINATION OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1899.

[Prepared by Treasurer's office.]

DENOMINATION.	United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Gold certifi- cates.	Silver certifi- cates.	Total.	Currency cer- tificates. (a)
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
One dollar.....	2,260,653	12,512,202	348,721	.....	40,741,731	55,863,307	.....
Two dollars.....	2,111,638	8,842,088	167,876	.....	22,992,419	34,114,021	.....
Five dollars.....	73,797,782	32,664,010	73,799,985	.....	106,895,153	287,156,930	.....
Ten dollars.....	92,806,381	27,227,680	75,403,810	.....	126,192,871	321,630,742	.....
Twenty dollars.....	79,550,962	8,685,350	56,379,280	4,490,964	80,612,950	229,719,506	.....
Fifty dollars.....	13,599,300	151,150	11,543,400	2,538,355	22,966,110	50,798,315	.....
One hundred dollars.....	24,019,300	1,566,800	23,540,200	3,483,500	5,415,770	58,025,570	.....
Five hundred dollars.....	12,296,000	.....	108,000	3,284,500	113,500	15,802,000	.....
One thousand dollars.....	47,214,000	1,869,000	28,000	5,370,500	155,000	54,636,500	.....
Five thousand dollars.....	15,000	.....	.....	4,770,000	.....	4,785,000	405,000
Ten thousand dollars.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,360,000	.....	10,370,000	20,920,000
Fractional parts.....	.....	.....	31,599	.....	.....	31,599	.....
Total.....	347,681,016	93,518,280	241,350,871	34,297,819	406,085,504	1,122,933,490	21,325,000
Unknown, destroyed.....	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000,000	.....
Net.....	346,681,016	93,518,280	241,350,871	34,297,819	406,085,504	1,121,933,490	21,325,000

^a Issued under act of June 8, 1872, and representing United States notes deposited in the Treasury.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Warrant Division, Secretary's office.]

RECEIPTS.

SOURCE OF REVENUE AND OBJECT OF EXPENDITURE.	June—		Six months ending June—		Twelve months ending June—	
	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Customs.....	14,555,729.11	18,446,907.82	86,976,845.03	110,307,510.74	149,819,594.25	206,507,812.15
Internal revenue.....	16,683,365.80	25,606,859.67	83,329,364.20	134,430,152.54	169,943,039.84	273,142,490.30
Miscellaneous.....	2,270,218.32	3,073,147.94	25,155,602.52	25,571,355.83	84,748,447.60	36,566,442.97
Total.....	33,509,313.23	47,126,915.43	195,461,811.75	270,309,019.11	404,511,081.69	516,216,745.42

EXPENDITURES.

Civil and miscellaneous.....	6,213,628.59	7,074,039.69	41,095,007.19	68,686,041.42	96,546,303.15	119,225,598.68
War.....	19,723,804.77	8,015,395.39	56,927,634.41	83,617,936.33	91,957,801.71	229,041,001.99
Navy.....	9,506,021.10	4,422,319.98	41,684,847.10	27,546,379.96	58,848,762.73	64,734,479.78
Indians.....	448,372.98	600,807.46	6,040,351.04	7,131,535.82	10,986,522.91	12,799,983.70
Pensions.....	11,068,020.12	10,371,713.47	70,962,598.79	67,885,405.65	147,450,940.33	139,394,745.51
Interest.....	892,434.09	898,486.05	18,484,225.99	20,722,788.61	37,585,056.23	39,896,925.02
Total.....	47,852,281.65	31,382,762.04	235,194,664.52	275,590,147.79	443,375,387.06	605,092,734.68

GOLD IN THE TREASURY AND REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD.

[Prepared in the office of the Treasurer of the United States.]

MONTHS.	GOLD AND GOLD BULLION IN TREASURY, AND GOLD CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.				REDEMPTIONS IN GOLD DURING EACH MONTH.		
	Total gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	Gold certificates in Treasury.	Gold certificates in circulation.	Net gold in Treasury, coin and bullion.	United States notes. (a)	Treasury notes of 1890. (b)	Total.
1894.							
January.....	<i>Dollars.</i> 142,665,594.37	<i>Dollars.</i> 78,350	<i>Dollars.</i> 77,015,419	<i>Dollars.</i> 65,650,175.37	<i>Dollars.</i> 118,841	<i>Dollars.</i> 237,515	<i>Dollars.</i> 356,356
February.....	177,462,797.49	106,490	70,935,729	106,527,068.49	10,982,624	8,210,730	19,193,354
March.....	176,450,044.63	137,310	70,306,909	106,149,135.63	2,266,426	1,194,766	3,461,192
April.....	170,192,457.63	102,770	69,990,449	100,202,008.63	6,072,042	1,594,085	7,666,127
May.....	148,067,816.58	41,650	69,374,549	78,693,267.58	25,131,412	1,409,670	26,541,082
June.....	131,217,433.55	43,490	66,344,409	64,873,024.55	20,708,492	1,461,401	22,169,893
July.....	120,922,836.41	103,470	65,947,229	54,975,607.41	13,367,864	555,511	13,923,375
August.....	120,885,869.49	34,730	65,068,969	55,216,900.49	4,209,853	531,560	4,741,413
September.....	123,665,756.92	55,260	64,790,439	58,875,317.92	636,031	300,487	936,518
October.....	125,613,895.73	56,280	64,252,069	61,361,826.73	2,542,719	505,171	3,047,890
November.....	164,350,468.01	751,370	58,925,899	105,424,569.01	7,085,133	714,614	7,799,747
December.....	139,606,354.05	58,960	53,361,909	86,244,445.05	30,819,622	1,087,599	31,907,221
1895.							
January.....	97,353,770.27	837,060	52,647,809	44,705,967.27	43,415,283	1,702,455	45,117,738
February.....	138,593,280.14	80,100	51,507,769	87,085,511.14	4,784,907	776,045	5,560,952
March.....	139,486,496.08	84,660	48,843,189	90,643,307.08	809,495	279,590	1,089,085
April.....	139,998,153.35	63,640	48,751,009	91,247,144.35	733,525	284,046	1,017,571
May.....	147,690,977.53	102,390	48,539,569	99,151,408.53	734,747	431,745	1,166,492
June.....	155,893,931.46	88,390	48,381,569	107,512,362.46	644,621	401,575	1,046,196
July.....	155,354,065.79	219,330	48,117,579	107,236,486.79	3,122,620	704,175	3,826,795
August.....	149,410,926.27	209,820	49,081,089	100,329,837.27	16,218,815	345,252	16,564,067
September.....	143,557,512.75	103,370	50,645,539	92,911,973.75	17,119,814	257,670	17,377,484
October.....	143,360,838.92	168,230	50,417,650	92,943,179.92	1,849,018	317,865	2,166,883
November.....	129,567,945.32	107,910	50,233,979	79,333,966.32	15,616,190	418,400	16,034,590
December.....	113,138,707.67	163,450	49,936,439	63,262,268.67	19,787,951	424,744	20,212,695
1896.							
January.....	99,693,356.57	131,140	49,847,849	49,845,507.57	15,686,024	762,484	16,448,508
February.....	167,695,998.46	651,470	43,733,019	123,962,979.46	21,080,551	656,325	21,736,876
March.....	171,885,709.86	583,220	43,239,249	128,646,460.86	6,381,296	475,250	6,856,546
April.....	168,446,459.31	764,910	43,052,559	125,393,900.31	6,754,718	375,900	7,130,618
May.....	151,307,142.91	687,280	42,961,909	108,345,233.91	21,726,600	312,947	22,039,547
June.....	144,020,363.91	497,430	42,320,759	101,699,604.91	7,963,994	297,353	8,261,347
July.....	150,012,224.73	1,393,710	39,293,479	110,718,745.73	16,275,406	1,009,672	17,285,078
August.....	139,825,200.09	1,618,550	38,867,639	100,957,561.09	11,388,806	980,919	12,369,725
September.....	162,771,311.21	1,591,900	38,736,639	124,034,672.21	3,436,733	1,224,713	4,661,446
October.....	155,323,832.63	1,390,830	38,197,309	117,126,523.63	9,906,832	2,167,003	12,073,835
November.....	169,527,101.34	1,416,390	38,016,749	131,510,352.34	3,137,149	925,261	4,062,410
December.....	175,203,982.52	1,392,350	37,887,439	137,316,543.52	858,444	273,402	1,131,846
1897.							
January.....	182,387,121.93	1,460,160	37,586,629	144,800,492.93	594,412	351,566	946,068
February.....	186,206,028.43	1,501,970	37,544,819	148,661,209.43	521,355	402,769	924,124
March.....	189,242,803.04	1,483,350	37,456,339	152,786,464.04	679,382	569,947	1,249,329
April.....	190,762,888.81	1,517,690	37,421,999	153,340,889.81	6,934,575	567,433	7,502,008
May.....	181,707,391.74	1,455,340	37,387,829	144,319,562.74	8,044,965	837,635	8,882,600
June.....	178,076,656.79	1,496,250	37,285,919	140,790,737.79	6,594,864	518,581	7,113,445
July.....	178,044,577.73	1,473,290	37,226,879	140,817,698.73	5,072,923	202,935	5,275,143
August.....	181,234,165.59	1,509,380	37,017,789	144,216,376.59	2,875,600	240,670	3,116,276
September.....	184,561,664.39	1,535,610	36,893,559	147,663,105.39	2,598,140	144,033	2,742,173
October.....	190,387,256.36	1,534,060	36,814,109	153,573,147.36	2,505,376	190,925	2,696,301
November.....	194,089,260.35	1,548,740	36,725,409	157,363,851.35	1,786,711	323,705	2,110,416
December.....	197,469,235.88	1,570,460	36,557,689	160,911,546.88	1,815,734	203,665	2,019,399
1898.							
January.....	200,731,551.98	1,567,390	36,494,759	164,236,792.98	1,106,548	103,368	1,209,916
February.....	204,063,971.24	1,574,360	36,440,789	167,623,182.24	1,407,273	228,540	1,635,813
March.....	210,903,334.51	1,607,950	36,319,199	174,584,115.51	1,329,038	254,732	1,583,770
April.....	217,190,135.89	1,603,150	35,951,999	181,238,136.89	779,668	376,239	1,155,907
May.....	207,701,263.97	1,602,940	35,883,209	171,818,054.97	268,041	548,997	817,038
June.....	202,825,048.56	1,599,510	35,820,639	167,004,409.56	757,367	146,485	903,852
July.....	225,138,393.10	1,593,470	35,693,679	189,444,714.10	3,860,995	230,072	4,091,067
August.....	253,377,493.83	1,646,146	35,473,009	217,904,484.83	552,111	61,651	613,762
September.....	278,691,452.19	1,596,890	35,393,909	243,297,543.19	381,082	62,789	443,871
October.....	275,224,071.48	1,601,240	35,338,909	239,885,162.48	313,242	34,336	347,578
November.....	276,944,092.75	1,620,400	35,280,649	241,663,443.75	501,398	151,855	653,253
December.....	281,729,434.78	1,608,740	35,200,259	246,529,175.78	1,740,945	933,809	2,674,754
1899.							
January.....	261,692,279.72	1,630,060	33,039,939	228,652,340.72	2,556,940	1,680,782	4,237,722
February.....	264,091,476.65	1,625,890	32,966,839	231,124,637.65	2,155,856	846,049	3,001,905
March.....	278,306,355.72	1,634,180	32,892,649	245,413,706.72	1,600,532	743,221	2,343,753
April.....	278,985,254.61	1,641,800	32,845,029	246,140,225.61	1,255,091	526,179	1,781,270
May.....	281,201,427.12	1,648,640	32,786,189	248,415,238.12	1,878,189	847,189	2,725,378
June.....	273,393,480.60	1,641,550	32,656,269	240,737,211.60	1,848,634	889,318	2,737,952

a Legal-tender notes, commonly called "greenbacks."

b Notes issued in payment of silver bullion also a full legal tender.

SILVER COINAGE AND CIRCULATION.

STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS COINED, IN THE TREASURY, AND IN CIRCULATION; SILVER BULLION IN THE TREASURY; TREASURY NOTES OF 1890 OUTSTANDING; AND SILVER CERTIFICATES IN THE TREASURY AND IN CIRCULATION, AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.

MONTHS.	Estimated dollars in country.	Bullion in Treasury.	Dollars in Treasury.	Dollars in circulation.	Treasury notes of 1890 outstanding.	Certificates in Treasury.	Certificates in circulation.	Net silver in Treasury.	Standard silver dollars coined.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January	419,332,777	127,215,171	363,597,057	55,735,720	153,070,908	6,758,196	330,161,308	7,580,012	.....
February	419,332,777	127,216,957	364,758,231	54,574,546	153,001,184	6,942,257	331,119,247	7,854,757	.....
March	419,333,029	127,220,207	365,807,734	53,525,295	152,900,317	8,755,240	329,447,261	10,680,360	252
April	419,333,029	127,228,437	366,677,908	52,655,121	152,813,072	9,367,524	330,305,980	10,787,293	.....
May	419,333,029	127,231,643	367,380,338	51,952,691	152,679,742	9,702,545	329,959,959	11,972,280	.....
June	419,333,208	127,267,347	368,141,831	51,191,377	152,584,417	10,054,123	327,094,381	15,730,380	179
July	419,756,208	127,113,753	368,796,668	50,959,540	152,447,126	12,027,706	324,491,738	18,971,557	423,000
August	420,504,208	126,454,771	368,991,724	51,512,484	152,151,369	13,492,527	325,217,977	18,507,631	743,000
September	421,176,408	126,104,475	366,900,165	54,276,243	151,609,267	9,155,785	330,520,719	10,874,654	672,200
October	421,776,408	125,261,863	365,332,738	56,443,670	151,140,568	6,569,203	331,143,301	8,310,732	600,000
November	422,176,408	125,351,523	364,726,543	57,449,865	150,979,070	5,312,420	332,317,084	6,781,912	400,000
December	422,426,749	125,014,161	364,537,659	57,889,090	150,823,731	5,846,720	331,077,784	7,650,305	250,341
1895.									
January	422,626,749	124,852,679	366,753,119	55,873,630	150,751,541	7,329,232	326,467,272	14,386,965	200,000
February	422,826,749	124,551,374	368,177,389	54,649,360	150,705,157	7,291,089	325,816,415	16,207,191	200,000
March	422,927,039	124,673,187	369,009,182	53,917,837	150,330,089	7,374,748	323,746,756	19,605,524	100,290
April	423,127,039	124,583,685	369,713,330	53,413,709	149,584,471	7,609,233	323,215,271	21,497,273	200,000
May	423,277,219	124,528,530	370,464,640	52,812,570	148,044,280	6,692,333	321,553,171	25,395,757	150,180
June	423,289,219	124,479,849	371,306,057	51,983,162	146,088,400	9,162,752	319,731,752	29,965,754	12,000
July	423,289,219	124,670,701	371,542,513	51,746,706	145,490,280	10,577,386	320,355,118	30,367,816	.....
August	423,289,219	124,687,226	370,704,376	52,584,843	144,495,280	7,741,243	323,772,261	27,124,061	.....
September	423,289,309	124,652,406	368,142,782	55,146,527	143,666,280	7,862,667	320,434,837	18,694,071	90
October	423,289,309	124,721,501	364,935,217	58,354,092	141,092,280	8,953,268	333,456,236	15,108,202	.....
November	423,289,309	124,603,759	364,528,596	58,760,713	139,583,280	8,471,611	335,855,893	13,693,182	.....
December	423,289,629	124,612,532	364,883,702	59,205,927	137,771,280	9,625,856	336,076,648	13,257,061	320
1896.									
January	423,289,629	124,575,129	366,659,953	56,629,676	137,324,280	14,380,165	331,614,339	22,296,463	.....
February	424,789,629	123,171,286	369,273,688	55,515,941	136,719,280	11,831,561	332,545,943	23,179,751	1,500,000
March	426,289,916	122,187,206	371,497,164	54,792,752	136,081,280	11,230,078	337,032,426	20,570,664	1,500,287
April	427,789,916	120,939,560	374,187,554	53,602,362	133,069,280	11,578,091	338,834,413	23,223,421	1,500,000
May	429,289,916	119,989,914	376,572,499	52,717,417	131,385,280	10,029,424	336,313,080	28,864,053	1,500,000
June	430,790,041	119,053,695	378,614,043	52,175,998	129,683,280	11,359,995	331,259,509	36,724,949	1,500,125
July	431,852,041	118,753,758	379,852,244	51,909,797	128,343,280	12,375,833	331,656,671	38,606,051	1,062,000
August	434,502,041	116,681,740	381,056,160	53,445,881	126,741,280	11,464,610	345,739,894	25,256,726	2,650,000
September	437,202,141	114,829,399	380,688,963	56,513,178	125,004,280	10,045,020	354,431,474	11,082,608	2,701,100
October	439,552,141	113,064,557	381,361,339	58,100,802	123,229,280	8,686,382	357,777,122	13,419,494	2,350,000
November	441,466,141	112,137,954	382,972,296	58,493,845	121,677,280	11,591,383	356,312,121	17,120,849	1,914,000
December	443,166,391	110,815,247	384,584,572	58,581,819	119,816,280	14,227,704	356,655,800	18,927,729	1,700,250
1897.									
January	444,978,391	109,704,519	388,617,255	56,361,136	118,398,280	11,678,971	361,336,533	18,586,953	1,812,000
February	446,318,391	103,914,614	390,939,629	55,378,762	117,550,280	9,876,003	363,709,501	18,594,462	1,340,000
March	447,718,641	107,862,463	393,211,322	54,507,319	117,131,280	12,535,351	364,026,153	19,916,351	1,400,250
April	449,118,641	106,990,150	395,342,193	53,776,448	116,696,280	13,777,565	363,753,939	21,882,124	1,400,000
May	450,518,641	106,042,492	397,511,546	53,007,095	115,782,280	11,576,696	362,768,808	25,002,950	1,400,000
June	451,993,742	104,591,039	399,992,540	52,001,202	114,867,280	17,143,136	358,336,368	31,379,931	1,475,101
July	451,993,742	105,109,460	400,338,020	51,655,722	113,914,280	14,465,854	357,938,659	33,594,550	.....
August	451,993,742	105,125,123	398,908,078	53,085,664	112,672,280	11,249,167	367,863,337	23,497,584	.....
September	452,093,792	105,078,556	394,948,022	57,145,770	111,334,280	10,532,205	374,620,299	14,071,993	100,050
October	452,713,792	104,853,852	392,517,014	60,196,778	109,313,280	11,331,585	372,838,919	15,218,667	620,000
November	454,213,792	103,531,722	392,933,031	61,280,761	107,793,280	11,664,537	373,298,967	15,372,506	1,500,000
December	455,818,122	102,284,736	394,327,049	61,488,073	106,348,280	11,229,912	376,695,592	13,567,913	1,604,330
1898.									
January	457,068,122	101,379,158	397,589,829	59,478,293	105,531,280	14,959,564	373,515,940	19,921,767	1,250,000
February	458,100,347	100,819,300	399,079,443	59,020,904	104,669,280	11,621,077	380,287,427	14,942,036	1,032,225
March	459,200,422	99,829,432	400,637,825	58,562,597	103,615,280	6,859,606	387,770,898	9,081,079	1,100,075
April	459,884,422	99,551,902	401,323,414	58,561,008	102,691,280	3,638,930	392,686,574	5,497,462	634,000
May	461,180,422	98,443,952	403,583,999	57,586,423	101,981,280	6,507,239	391,225,265	8,821,406	1,296,000
June	461,996,522	98,195,494	404,736,731	57,256,791	101,207,280	7,897,424	390,659,080	11,065,865	816,100
July	462,306,522	97,871,096	405,013,186	57,293,336	100,213,280	9,803,068	389,119,436	13,552,166	310,000
August	464,004,522	96,141,237	406,266,209	57,738,313	99,260,280	8,117,131	392,990,373	10,156,793	1,698,000
September	464,834,597	96,066,097	404,045,769	60,788,828	98,549,280	6,636,769	393,425,735	8,136,362	830,075
October	465,836,597	94,675,773	403,399,342	63,437,255	97,833,280	7,575,929	391,177,575	9,064,260	2,002,000
November	468,238,597	93,359,250	404,258,264	63,980,333	97,193,280	6,345,358	392,818,146	7,606,088	1,402,000
December	470,244,857	92,192,207	405,061,304	65,183,553	96,523,280	7,098,509	392,331,995	8,398,236	2,006,260
1899.									
January	471,780,857	91,228,953	408,351,769	63,429,088	95,982,280	7,293,820	392,337,684	11,260,758	1,536,000
February	473,292,857	90,189,188	410,157,482	63,135,375	95,511,280	5,888,709	396,400,705	8,434,685	1,512,000
March	475,193,158	88,825,937	410,650,670	64,536,488	94,954,280	3,753,498	398,874,006	5,654,321	2,308,591
April	476,827,158	87,916,328	412,803,833	64,023,325	94,518,280	3,647,255	400,379,249	5,822,632	1,634,000
May	479,041,158	85,909,876	415,606,941	63,434,217	94,025,280	3,958,862	401,298,642	6,192,895	2,214,000
June	480,251,231	85,288,249	416,869,480	63,381,751	93,518,280	4,216,161	401,869,343	6,770,106	1,210,073

PAPER MONEY AND SUBSIDIARY COIN IN THE TREASURY, CASH BALANCE, CIRCULATION, AND PER CAPITA CIRCULATION, BY MONTHS.

AT THE END OF MONTH OF—	POPULATION.	CIRCULATION.	PER CAPITA CIRCULATION.	IN THE TREASURY.				
				Net United States notes.	Treasury notes of 1890.	National-bank notes.	Subsidiary coin.	Cash balance.
1894.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	67,789,000	1,739,783,511	25.66	2,367,190	2,315,506	14,526,887	15,932,847	84,082,100
February	67,910,000	1,695,765,152	24.90	5,265,488	11,962,418	12,640,479	16,594,888	138,662,365
March	68,032,000	1,690,714,898	24.85	3,369,660	11,583,462	10,758,809	17,073,268	133,950,025
April	68,153,000	1,691,793,990	24.82	4,967,328	11,786,958	8,750,439	17,502,120	125,097,780
May	68,275,000	1,675,669,491	24.54	16,840,927	12,605,052	7,520,998	17,582,973	117,854,336
June	68,397,000	1,664,061,232	24.33	18,973,645	17,722,408	6,598,893	17,889,531	117,584,436
July	68,519,000	1,657,574,239	24.19	20,421,791	22,528,599	4,895,465	17,970,261	119,065,352
August	68,642,000	1,646,671,481	23.99	24,840,913	27,598,929	5,567,162	17,720,835	127,148,097
September	68,764,000	1,655,038,982	24.07	23,642,535	30,113,893	5,017,748	16,809,713	119,919,719
October	68,887,000	1,672,093,422	24.27	12,161,311	28,425,172	4,970,188	15,424,113	107,340,146
November	69,010,000	1,637,226,451	23.72	12,635,527	26,404,164	4,169,283	14,724,392	144,507,600
December	69,134,000	1,626,568,622	23.52	34,914,158	28,369,950	4,759,972	14,483,636	153,337,580
1895.								
January	69,257,000	1,613,657,515	23.30	52,056,673	33,571,316	6,333,175	15,481,586	144,603,304
February	69,381,000	1,574,534,557	22.69	47,767,758	36,455,457	5,154,293	16,131,145	178,197,586
March	69,505,000	1,584,184,424	22.79	52,920,257	28,872,489	4,449,893	16,577,511	187,917,261
April	69,629,000	1,599,434,154	22.97	41,932,111	27,743,971	4,959,625	16,516,559	180,817,016
May	69,753,000	1,606,179,556	23.02	31,497,984	30,089,473	4,899,226	16,589,443	185,370,100
June	69,878,000	1,604,131,968	22.96	26,166,560	30,109,692	4,643,489	16,552,845	195,240,154
July	70,002,000	1,614,633,786	23.06	18,411,899	31,485,689	5,642,488	16,532,936	187,149,531
August	70,127,000	1,603,583,028	22.87	22,589,263	35,058,618	7,600,591	16,055,743	184,039,156
September	70,253,000	1,585,503,509	22.57	42,476,000	36,630,845	6,018,775	14,882,330	185,405,363
October	70,378,000	1,598,859,316	22.72	50,954,735	26,565,611	6,523,602	13,428,421	179,947,998
November	70,504,000	1,594,195,479	22.61	65,833,519	24,322,958	6,391,746	13,032,387	177,406,387
December	70,630,000	1,579,206,724	22.36	83,220,143	22,044,511	7,063,137	12,764,321	178,027,201
1896.								
January	70,756,000	1,589,720,607	22.47	72,010,176	27,103,095	10,409,650	14,186,737	171,591,778
February	70,882,000	1,528,742,057	21.59	73,397,443	30,644,730	8,630,538	14,820,486	262,707,007
March	71,009,000	1,528,629,463	21.53	79,932,534	32,352,314	7,110,998	15,246,374	271,641,748
April	71,136,000	1,540,007,082	21.65	76,401,635	32,148,255	7,587,158	15,459,003	270,090,661
May	71,263,000	1,521,584,283	21.35	87,688,261	33,304,774	10,002,385	15,637,424	267,193,211
June	71,390,000	1,509,725,200	21.15	89,389,658	34,465,919	10,668,620	15,730,976	267,432,097
July	71,518,000	1,514,903,142	21.18	67,730,478	34,394,748	11,933,422	16,004,145	256,158,472
August	71,645,000	1,539,169,634	21.48	76,321,282	35,478,756	13,815,370	15,909,801	243,346,401
September	71,774,000	1,582,362,289	22.05	62,828,716	36,040,233	12,834,494	15,126,483	241,154,455
October	71,902,000	1,627,055,614	22.63	57,265,690	39,269,516	12,981,868	14,632,846	233,572,762
November	72,030,000	1,616,444,746	22.86	33,505,533	41,529,379	13,063,471	14,570,200	225,357,098
December	72,159,000	1,650,223,400	22.87	34,983,258	35,645,059	14,278,970	14,215,766	228,320,380
1897.								
January	72,288,000	1,665,977,688	23.05	12,844,780	35,664,898	17,328,389	15,414,575	215,362,421
February	72,418,000	1,675,694,953	23.14	9,421,400	32,003,659	15,005,984	15,805,023	212,837,256
March	72,547,000	1,669,000,694	23.01	23,707,376	26,886,470	11,374,958	15,974,428	222,045,600
April	72,677,000	1,666,560,583	22.93	29,037,880	24,442,650	8,676,050	16,163,767	228,090,517
May	72,807,000	1,659,733,895	22.80	32,047,213	29,140,874	7,109,698	16,210,920	220,113,813
June	72,937,000	1,646,028,246	22.57	36,967,438	30,962,083	5,030,919	16,210,344	240,137,627
July	73,068,000	1,646,471,139	22.53	31,956,064	32,350,393	5,688,791	16,286,600	233,016,457
August	73,199,000	1,665,680,098	22.76	28,973,702	29,526,968	4,517,847	15,335,285	218,561,207
September	73,330,000	1,678,840,538	22.89	42,060,472	21,518,217	3,814,835	13,455,175	215,192,787
October	73,461,000	1,706,732,904	23.23	39,399,018	7,553,325	4,998,012	11,981,078	207,756,100
November	73,593,000	1,721,081,538	23.39	35,858,016	3,116,582	4,678,007	11,191,630	220,663,560
December	73,725,000	1,721,100,640	23.34	40,885,089	2,904,344	5,186,886	10,679,899	235,474,769
1898.								
January	73,857,000	1,729,991,228	23.42	23,883,606	4,733,614	6,162,923	11,707,173	223,871,786
February	73,990,000	1,726,576,659	23.33	34,086,830	6,204,850	3,417,842	11,969,092	225,564,204
March	74,122,000	1,756,058,645	23.69	41,475,429	3,905,848	2,739,491	11,965,278	226,166,944
April	74,255,000	1,806,761,442	24.33	31,717,698	3,102,310	2,728,961	12,018,967	215,810,622
May	74,389,000	1,839,898,256	24.73	29,938,029	1,754,425	3,086,734	12,044,089	195,754,815
June	74,522,000	1,843,435,749	24.74	34,063,687	2,541,700	4,770,474	12,097,682	205,657,571
July	74,656,000	1,809,193,344	24.23	46,621,829	4,477,727	4,723,423	11,995,082	254,844,215
August	74,790,000	1,792,096,545	23.96	54,005,435	4,339,626	4,415,724	10,993,448	294,887,085
September	74,925,000	1,816,596,392	24.24	37,385,851	1,844,997	3,689,265	9,196,708	307,557,504
October	75,059,000	1,866,575,782	24.87	20,324,396	1,263,500	4,659,172	7,854,660	300,238,275
November	75,194,000	1,886,879,504	25.09	14,754,970	1,411,798	4,675,744	6,673,204	292,376,790
December	75,330,000	1,897,361,412	25.19	13,800,268	1,580,529	5,480,141	5,959,343	294,764,695
1899.								
January	75,465,000	1,918,260,557	25.42	14,867,858	1,988,527	5,748,207	6,931,831	274,584,676
February	75,601,000	1,928,842,612	25.51	15,270,618	1,306,821	3,709,359	7,185,217	269,103,513
March	75,737,000	1,927,846,942	25.45	13,826,899	878,579	2,873,462	6,894,375	284,043,164
April	75,875,000	1,933,867,892	25.49	13,358,611	959,239	3,919,501	6,926,631	263,127,533
May	76,011,000	1,955,501,009	25.73	14,245,592	923,498	4,029,191	6,593,355	267,584,094
June	76,148,000	1,932,484,239	25.38	15,278,667	912,488	3,518,277	6,070,497	281,380,469

RECEIPTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CUSTOMS.	INTERNAL REVENUE.						MISCELLANEOUS.	TOTAL.
		Spirits.	Tobacco.	Fermented liquors.	Stamp taxes.	Other sources.	Total.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July.....	14,076,954.39	6,425,496.35	2,621,675.78	3,667,785.90	.....	183,447.22	12,898,405.25	2,094,308.25	29,069,697.89
August.....	15,639,047.10	5,645,032.93	2,777,802.58	3,632,792.06	.....	116,477.39	12,172,104.96	1,141,544.64	28,952,096.70
September.....	14,653,967.45	6,367,542.50	2,676,066.69	3,088,522.26	.....	127,877.28	12,260,008.73	635,701.87	27,540,678.05
October.....	13,773,055.12	7,491,978.27	2,960,814.10	2,575,511.91	.....	188,278.89	13,216,583.17	912,109.87	27,901,748.16
November.....	11,455,314.76	7,850,891.32	2,577,687.71	2,457,446.11	.....	154,059.73	13,040,084.87	1,491,103.37	25,986,503.00
December.....	12,169,172.51	7,908,125.00	2,311,907.15	2,368,874.62	.....	161,864.51	12,750,771.37	1,368,993.99	26,288,937.87
1896—January.....	16,380,796.30	6,340,157.58	2,539,340.65	2,014,711.75	.....	147,191.34	11,041,401.32	1,815,472.59	29,237,670.21
February.....	13,906,393.38	6,383,119.83	2,260,057.27	2,042,781.61	.....	120,794.01	10,806,752.72	1,346,082.32	26,059,228.42
March.....	13,344,215.85	6,656,415.50	2,532,155.33	2,211,310.60	.....	136,383.22	11,536,264.65	1,160,668.56	26,041,149.06
April.....	11,815,731.20	5,884,154.02	2,372,695.20	2,851,673.99	.....	117,053.92	11,225,577.13	1,241,584.76	24,282,893.09
May.....	10,949,793.79	5,711,203.97	2,500,105.67	2,555,169.70	.....	83,629.72	11,550,109.06	2,143,814.96	24,643,717.81
June.....	11,351,803.65	7,026,121.58	2,581,320.98	3,617,653.97	.....	127,620.53	13,352,717.06	3,089,698.74	27,794,219.45
Total, 12 months.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	.....	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	160,021,751.67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,762,861.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.38
July.....	12,157,390.70	7,795,306.80	2,458,443.64	3,890,347.62	.....	158,434.09	14,302,532.15	2,569,346.48	29,029,209.33
August.....	12,329,495.55	6,091,702.08	2,378,555.76	3,412,556.57	.....	78,523.94	11,961,338.35	1,271,262.61	25,562,096.51
September.....	11,374,116.28	6,205,756.85	2,533,408.25	2,830,667.53	.....	109,304.30	11,679,136.93	1,530,991.36	24,584,244.57
October.....	11,105,493.12	7,996,896.16	2,633,167.34	2,597,599.12	.....	135,493.68	13,363,156.30	1,814,180.51	26,282,829.93
November.....	9,930,385.81	8,260,662.47	2,411,325.53	2,318,144.02	.....	114,696.13	13,104,828.15	2,175,482.34	25,210,696.30
December.....	10,779,412.67	8,301,378.12	2,421,874.63	2,328,195.90	.....	147,549.77	13,198,998.42	1,878,703.15	25,857,114.24
1897—January.....	11,276,874.15	6,701,616.93	2,432,249.15	1,785,324.00	.....	112,649.89	11,031,839.97	2,008,279.93	24,316,994.05
February.....	11,587,260.37	6,504,421.64	2,355,402.66	1,908,429.20	.....	120,168.45	10,888,421.95	1,925,315.06	24,400,997.38
March.....	22,833,856.46	6,794,420.89	2,680,903.44	2,309,188.51	.....	141,181.46	11,925,694.30	1,458,111.32	36,217,662.08
April.....	24,454,351.74	6,142,290.08	2,570,146.25	2,620,932.07	.....	113,844.64	11,447,213.04	1,910,570.26	37,812,135.04
May.....	16,885,011.55	4,964,522.68	2,735,302.94	2,883,618.68	.....	89,567.53	10,673,011.83	2,239,367.21	29,797,390.59
June.....	21,560,152.36	6,088,952.53	3,099,411.24	3,586,733.77	.....	111,988.06	12,887,085.60	2,137,470.29	36,584,708.25
Total, 12 months.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	.....	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
July.....	16,966,801.65	8,432,767.40	2,445,515.20	8,758,798.80	.....	130,750.58	19,767,831.98	2,292,730.62	39,027,364.25
August.....	6,987,702.84	6,723,185.14	2,742,403.91	1,634,801.08	.....	92,804.76	11,193,194.89	842,717.24	19,023,614.97
September.....	7,943,100.28	7,287,568.96	3,026,453.68	2,277,545.89	.....	110,407.24	12,701,975.77	1,288,022.39	21,933,098.44
October.....	9,713,494.62	7,852,696.73	3,088,652.52	2,510,301.34	.....	163,222.21	13,614,872.80	1,063,047.84	24,391,415.26
November.....	9,830,025.00	8,243,332.40	2,849,997.82	2,249,062.55	.....	188,256.71	13,530,649.48	20,002,930.81	43,363,605.29
December.....	11,660,788.74	9,113,764.48	2,615,101.12	2,431,319.57	.....	182,743.80	14,342,928.97	2,334,642,980.64	59,646,698.35
1898—January.....	14,269,492.08	7,572,290.21	2,613,176.94	2,111,936.82	.....	145,795.76	12,443,199.73	2,029,936.58	37,333,628.39
February.....	15,040,680.74	7,007,035.66	2,661,754.35	2,162,277.65	.....	172,251.24	12,003,318.90	1,528,358.69	28,572,358.33
March.....	15,450,431.94	7,021,296.21	2,941,139.46	2,777,774.03	.....	148,024.33	12,888,234.03	2,420,084.53	32,958,750.50
April.....	14,193,976.99	7,208,232.27	4,207,209.02	3,248,735.73	.....	154,860.02	14,819,037.04	2,399,928.99	33,012,943.02
May.....	13,466,534.17	7,490,551.27	3,754,062.82	3,131,505.92	.....	116,088.69	14,492,208.70	2,116,075.41	30,074,818.28
June.....	14,555,729.11	6,206,082.07	3,285,055.53	6,221,361.76	.....	970,866.44	16,683,365.80	2,270,218.32	33,509,313.23
Total, 12 months.....	150,078,758.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168,480,818.09	81,288,032.06	402,847,608.31
Total, 12 months <i>a</i>	149,819,594.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	169,943,039.84	84,748,447.60	404,511,081.69
July.....	15,169,680.96	6,660,377.23	3,444,877.67	7,352,821.23	6,133,695.03	2,578,926.13	26,170,697.29	2,506,730.33	43,847,108.58
August.....	16,249,690.00	8,331,945.03	4,111,128.06	7,053,661.39	3,067,514.98	1,451,685.52	24,015,934.98	1,517,073.81	41,782,707.79
September.....	16,750,574.06	7,504,130.09	4,229,028.84	6,448,178.73	2,822,027.45	551,923.43	21,555,288.54	1,403,207.44	39,778,070.04
October.....	15,555,234.17	9,372,250.20	4,319,480.60	5,327,675.82	2,968,247.49	368,848.76	22,556,511.87	1,718,305.04	39,630,051.08
November.....	15,335,200.88	8,470,798.74	4,337,018.81	4,814,022.75	3,217,098.20	497,205.08	21,336,743.58	2,228,970.95	38,900,915.41
December.....	16,764,324.82	10,397,753.61	3,830,432.15	4,649,733.73	3,344,877.41	398,521.80	22,621,318.70	2,019,150.02	41,404,793.50
1899—January.....	17,991,741.40	8,292,801.02	4,313,505.44	3,881,704.80	4,035,072.98	458,972.56	20,982,056.80	2,801,132.00	41,774,930.20
February.....	16,921,572.48	7,618,071.13	4,348,233.57	3,787,531.31	3,211,484.73	276,978.95	19,242,209.69	1,815,460.55	37,979,332.72
March.....	20,933,436.07	8,892,828.91	4,493,766.83	4,967,553.48	3,892,100.54	424,857.57	22,671,107.33	2,425,696.28	57,030,239.68
April.....	17,645,945.98	7,423,713.75	4,729,849.79	5,503,796.57	3,843,307.64	706,431.86	22,207,093.61	1,758,541.67	41,611,587.26
May.....	18,367,906.99	7,418,240.85	5,223,265.34	6,764,084.90	3,911,857.59	403,280.76	23,720,729.44	2,697,377.39	44,780,013.82
June.....	18,446,907.82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,606,859.67	3,073,147.94	47,126,915.43
Total, 12 months.....	206,141,224.63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	272,486,647.50	37,024,793.42	515,652,665.55
July.....	16,971,454.21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,322,574.70	2,760,229.14	48,054,258.05
Twelve months ending—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
June 30, 1892.....	177,336,944.84	90,068,757.28	31,000,493.07	30,037,452.77	.....	1,508,956.36	152,615,659.48	20,120,411.34	350,073,015.66
1892 <i>a</i>	177,452,964.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	153,971,072.57	23,513,747.52	354,937,784.24
1893.....	203,142,670.81	93,744,446.80	31,889,711.74	32,548,983.07	.....	1,846,034.31	160,029,175.92	18,392,902.71	381,564,749.44
1893 <i>a</i>	203,355,016.73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	161,027,623.93	21,436,988.12	385,819,628.78
1894.....	131,807,758.88	84,813,592.06	28,617,898.62	31,414,788.04	.....	1,876,481.45	146,722,760.17	15,133,841.84	293,664,360.89
1894 <i>a</i>	131,818,539.62	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	147,111,232.81	18,792,255.82	297,722,019.25
1895.....	151,907,588.94	80,188,767.84	29,704,910.63	31,640,617.53	.....	2,037,914.55	143,570,210.55	14,085,577.23	309,563,376.72
1895 <i>a</i>	152,158,617.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	143,421,672.02	17,889,785.64	313,390,075.11
1896.....	159,516,275.50	79,690,238.94	30,711,629.11	33,784,234.48	.....	1,664,677.76	145,850,780.29	18,441,083.92	323,808,139.71
1896 <i>a</i>	160,021,751.67	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,762,861.74	20,191,583.97	326,976,200.38
1897.....	176,273,740.76	81,847,927.23	30,710,190.83	32,471,736.99	.....	1,433,401.94	146,463,256.99	22,919,080.52	345,656,078.27
1897 <i>a</i>	176,554,126.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,688,774.29	24,479,004.22	347,721,905.16
1898.....	150,078,758.16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	168,480,818.09	81,288,032.06	402,847,608.31
1898 <i>a</i>	149,819,594.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	169,943,039.84	84,748,447.60	404,511,081.69
1899.....	206,141,224.63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	272,486,647.50	37,024,793.42	515,652,665.55

a Corrected figures.*b* Includes \$18,194,618.26 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*c* Includes \$31,715,204.14 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*d* Includes \$8,538,401.35 received from sale of Union Pacific Railroad.*e* Includes \$3,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*f* Includes \$2,651,500 received from sale of Kansas Pacific Railroad.*g* Includes \$11,798,314.14 on account of Central Pacific Railroad indebtedness.

EXPENDITURES OF THE UNITED STATES, BY MONTHS.

MONTHS.	CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS.	WAR.	NAVY.	INDIANS.	PENSIONS.	INTEREST.	TOTAL.	EXCESS OF—	
								Receipts.	Expenditures.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—July	10,047,562.11	5,378,939.67	2,380,486.94	677,874.53	12,755,427.42	7,307,773.14	38,548,063.81	.....	9,478,366
August	7,758,621.49	6,551,124.55	2,341,435.71	1,785,610.49	12,302,349.48	1,849,043.25	32,588,184.97	.....	3,635,488
September	4,918,899.66	5,745,339.32	1,855,477.02	796,508.84	10,707,909.14	296,347.99	24,320,481.97	3,229,196	.....
October	9,964,099.90	4,444,014.04	2,322,992.94	712,511.97	11,890,475.06	5,168,431.32	34,503,425.23	.....	6,601,677
November	6,138,883.49	3,823,488.39	2,138,186.80	764,794.54	12,235,039.26	2,098,800.94	27,199,283.42	.....	1,212,780
December	6,106,797.88	4,553,113.52	2,512,895.43	952,671.28	11,366,825.71	322,013.42	25,814,317.24	474,621	.....
1896—January	8,643,635.72	3,607,810.50	2,488,229.32	841,126.13	9,965,237.21	6,983,295.77	32,529,340.65	.....	3,201,670
February	5,819,461.68	3,029,772.12	2,232,231.60	1,082,720.93	12,317,467.48	2,268,302.64	26,749,956.45	.....	600,728
March	6,782,825.05	3,477,914.14	2,305,774.20	2,326,141.16	11,709,996.83	672,342.57	27,274,993.95	.....	1,233,845
April	7,520,508.90	3,278,732.29	2,288,478.72	680,896.38	10,077,392.98	5,141,382.40	28,987,381.58	.....	4,704,438
May	6,691,440.00	3,453,332.64	1,820,864.70	837,149.22	12,803,696.37	2,820,169.65	28,426,592.58	.....	3,782,875
June	6,898,052.06	3,587,040.63	2,475,241.09	726,825.78	11,299,615.98	458,013.76	25,444,789.30	2,349,430	.....
Total, 12 months	87,299,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,291.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,346,811.15	.....	28,578,671
Total, 12 months a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,431,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,146.08	.....	25,203,246
July	12,343,931.46	5,225,425.33	3,756,250.99	951,582.22	13,100,774.51	6,710,503.54	42,088,468.05	.....	13,059,259
August	11,907,121.21	4,512,522.35	2,216,720.17	1,731,155.29	12,396,341.04	2,937,810.59	35,701,676.65	.....	10,139,580
September	5,972,532.70	4,848,095.54	3,139,471.95	711,076.81	11,485,675.15	422,682.88	26,579,535.03	.....	1,995,290
October	10,352,715.23	4,148,470.28	3,377,090.89	721,025.70	10,346,052.29	5,032,923.04	33,978,277.49	.....	7,695,448
November	8,452,859.26	4,877,976.24	2,456,108.26	1,098,282.58	13,178,930.96	3,196,562.84	33,260,720.14	.....	8,050,024
December	4,481,720.37	3,887,275.70	2,542,238.88	982,139.02	11,431,331.16	487,959.73	23,812,664.86	2,044,449	.....
1897—January	4,940,484.03	3,842,874.49	3,187,993.52	999,245.07	10,534,740.78	6,764,051.40	30,269,389.29	.....	5,952,395
February	6,159,172.15	3,128,621.39	2,374,674.69	967,127.31	13,208,413.69	2,958,047.43	28,796,056.66	.....	4,395,059
March	5,929,795.97	3,046,103.81	2,694,834.97	2,918,751.93	12,166,775.06	456,735.56	27,212,997.84	9,004,664	.....
April	8,101,335.64	4,287,020.47	2,744,078.93	573,820.93	10,763,090.76	5,602,750.74	32,072,097.47	5,740,038	.....
May	6,419,410.97	4,214,955.76	2,537,576.03	470,406.29	12,393,334.35	3,073,575.77	29,109,259.17	688,131	.....
June	5,405,764.79	2,886,016.91	3,563,922.73	894,870.72	10,039,147.44	144,971.96	22,934,694.55	13,650,014	.....
Total, 12 months	90,406,843.78	48,965,768.27	34,599,962.91	13,019,481.93	141,014,697.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
Total, 12 months a	90,401,267.82	48,961,267.89	34,591,546.29	13,016,892.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
July	12,977,446.41	5,236,758.90	2,998,809.47	769,238.53	14,958,378.20	6,660,277.33	50,100,908.84	.....	11,073,545
August	7,597,311.96	5,022,652.65	2,072,691.83	976,595.91	13,792,376.34	2,926,218.72	33,588,047.41	.....	14,564,432
September	6,201,757.29	4,276,022.16	2,787,253.20	723,857.33	10,992,078.37	387,847.36	25,368,815.71	.....	3,435,718
October	8,746,118.06	5,268,718.99	2,988,575.75	600,954.14	10,885,319.63	5,211,825.54	33,701,512.11	.....	9,310,097
November	6,117,794,983.19	5,376,080.29	2,736,454.83	1,236,658.28	13,649,843.72	3,016,818.55	37,810,838.86	5,552,766	.....
December	7,179,796.08	3,728,420.73	2,984,538.81	638,166.07	12,205,327.64	897,842.74	27,634,092.07	32,012,606	.....
1898—January	8,966,127.38	4,946,098.41	3,230,106.51	1,040,429.36	12,375,223.33	6,138,726.07	36,696,711.06	636,917	.....
February	5,065,112.80	3,780,749.78	2,056,766.56	735,985.28	11,978,924.88	2,981,716.56	26,599,255.86	1,973,102	.....
March	6,118,243.17	5,159,571.11	5,241,442.99	2,716,526.47	12,290,628.25	356,032.46	31,882,444.45	1,076,306	.....
April	9,024,995.14	6,223,814.48	12,556,932.74	532,599.28	10,867,716.66	5,108,003.75	44,314,062.05	.....	11,301,119
May	5,706,900.11	17,093,595.86	9,093,577.20	566,437.67	12,382,085.55	3,007,313.06	47,849,909.45	.....	17,775,091
June	6,213,628.59	19,723,804.77	9,506,021.10	448,372.98	11,068,020.12	892,404.09	47,852,281.65	.....	14,343,968
Total, 12 months	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
Total, 12 months a	96,546,303.15	91,957,801.71	58,848,762.73	10,986,522.91	147,450,940.33	37,585,056.23	443,375,387.06	.....	.....
July	12,061,387.26	34,774,153.27	8,514,279.61	689,868.55	12,687,894.50	5,585,892.25	74,263,475.44	.....	30,416,367
August	7,782,314.74	25,163,235.94	6,386,277.49	766,084.26	13,084,735.14	3,078,070.30	56,260,717.87	.....	14,478,010
September	6,393,964.28	24,643,374.99	7,231,219.89	1,162,509.97	10,937,670.22	3,855,181.79	54,233,921.14	.....	14,445,851
October	10,991,284.64	22,895,029.54	5,314,567.82	937,969.74	9,965,960.26	3,877,464.68	53,982,276.68	.....	14,352,226
November	6,905,766.22	20,391,876.06	4,676,181.03	1,225,482.56	13,688,918.66	2,202,755.20	49,090,980.73	.....	10,190,065
December	6,663,466.77	18,184,676.06	4,373,729.90	897,254.51	11,171,893.17	573,787.15	41,864,807.56	.....	460,014
1899—January	9,814,421.24	18,656,554.96	5,226,653.74	950,676.41	10,967,015.51	5,507,448.89	51,122,770.75	.....	9,347,841
February	6,299,421.19	15,132,098.05	4,430,215.87	1,084,874.15	12,791,491.82	4,180,828.41	43,918,929.49	.....	5,939,597
March	9,142,563.16	14,696,406.19	4,842,434.58	2,583,053.97	11,251,944.20	462,108.99	42,978,571.09	14,051,669	.....
April	8,657,604.28	15,937,159.13	4,627,863.53	995,963.20	10,369,068.09	5,361,445.69	65,949,105.92	.....	24,337,519
May	8,048,527.11	10,344,134.53	4,768,064.66	910,129.84	12,129,048.00	4,312,479.60	40,513,064.74	4,273,069	.....
June	7,074,039.69	8,015,395.39	4,422,319.98	600,807.46	10,371,713.47	898,486.05	31,382,762.04	15,744,153	.....
Total, 12 months	119,834,760.58	228,834,154.11	61,814,440.10	12,784,675.62	139,387,353.04	39,895,940.00	605,551,323.45	.....	89,898,659
July	13,503,489.81	19,291,080.06	5,090,245.40	571,754.88	12,925,674.80	5,178,845.38	56,561,090.33	.....	8,506,832.28
Twelve months ending—									
June 30, 1892	100,077,639.63	46,903,851.31	29,214,672.13	11,100,063.59	134,097,755.97	23,379,550.97	344,773,533.60	5,290,482	.....
1892 a	99,841,988.61	46,895,456.60	29,174,138.98	11,150,577.67	134,583,052.79	23,378,116.23	345,023,330.58	9,914,454	.....
1893	103,605,015.02	49,646,517.55	30,133,207.72	13,330,072.80	159,347,202.31	27,264,738.18	383,331,743.58	.....	1,766,994
1893 a	103,752,709.27	49,641,773.47	30,136,084.43	13,345,347.27	159,857,557.87	27,264,392.18	383,477,054.40	2,341,674	.....
1894	109,960,010.70	54,325,644.35	31,383,463.16	10,282,279.56	141,169,383.42	27,669,027.56	395,989,808.75	.....	72,325,446
1894 a	101,943,884.67	54,567,929.85	31,701,293.79	10,293,481.52	141,177,284.96	27,841,405.64	367,525,279.83	.....	69,803,261
1895	93,262,214.09	51,810,378.10	28,812,267.67	9,922,267.74	141,386,992.86	30,928,236.37	356,122,285.83	.....	46,558,909
1895 a	95,279,730.14	51,804,759.13	28,797,795.73	9,939,754.21	141,395,228.87	30,978,030.21	356,195,298.29	.....	42,805,223
1896	87,299,787.94	50,931,527.72	27,162,291.47	12,184,921.25	139,431,432.92	35,385,846.85	352,346,811.15	.....	28,578,671
1896 a	87,216,234.62	50,830,920.89	27,147,732.38	12,165,528.28	139,431,000.98	35,385,028.93	352,179,146.08	.....	25,203,246
1897	90,406,843.78	48,965,768.27	34,599,962.91	13,019,481.93	141,014,697.73	37,788,581.48	365,815,837.20	.....	20,159,759
1897 a	90,401,267.82	48,961,267.89	34,591,546.29	13,016,892.46	141,053,164.63	37,791,110.48	365,774,159.57	.....	18,052,254
1898	96,592,420.18	91,936,488.13	58,853,170.99	10,985,821.30	147,445,922.69	37,585,056.23	443,398,879.52	.....	40,551,271.21
1898 a	96,546,303.15	91,957,801.71	58,848,762.73	10,986,522.91	147,450,940.33	37,585,056.23	443,375,387.06	.....	.....
1899	119,834,760.58	228,834,154.11	61,814,440.10	12,784,675.62	139,387,353.04	39,895,940.00	605,551,323.45	.....	89,898,659

a Corrected figures.

b Includes \$4,549,368.26 on account of sale of Union Pacific Railroad.

c Includes \$20,000,000 paid to Spain.

NATIONAL-BANK STATISTICS.

[From Report of Comptroller of the Currency.]

DATE, FIRST OF EACH MONTH.	No. of banks.	Authorized capital stock.	SPECIE HELD.		U. S. bonds on deposit to secure circulation.	Circulation secured by U. S. bonds.	Lawful money on deposit to redeem circulation.	Total national-bank notes outstanding.
			Gold.	Silver.				
		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894.								
January	3,787	693,353,165	203,508,089	47,745,559	205,961,600	185,194,522	23,344,322	208,538,844
February		691,893,165			203,594,500	182,887,853	24,974,254	207,862,107
March	3,777	684,690,165	199,185,936	56,980,640	202,052,350	181,148,710	26,330,810	207,479,520
April		682,538,165			202,933,850	181,666,268	26,200,427	207,875,695
May	3,774	680,438,165	204,820,488	55,112,435	201,330,250	180,601,247	27,231,785	207,833,032
June		678,996,165			201,251,500	180,613,565	26,631,434	207,245,019
July		678,023,165			201,691,750	180,662,521	26,690,723	207,353,244
August	3,770	677,258,165	199,635,167	51,035,485	202,268,500	181,149,511	26,389,555	207,539,066
September		676,568,165			202,276,950	181,300,217	26,211,998	207,592,215
October	3,755	674,866,365	196,927,230	40,323,424	200,953,700	180,251,065	27,220,463	207,471,501
November		672,671,365			199,706,200	179,401,364	28,071,239	207,472,603
December		671,471,365			197,349,700	177,073,359	29,612,978	206,686,337
1895.								
January	3,737	670,906,365	175,794,767	42,246,456	196,707,700	176,667,467	29,938,243	206,605,710
February		669,156,365			195,826,100	175,674,250	29,623,321	205,297,571
March	3,728	668,146,365	178,160,435	42,771,206	197,116,700	176,485,063	28,558,588	205,043,651
April		667,193,265			201,170,200	179,847,383	27,603,828	207,541,211
May	3,711	665,893,265	177,264,387	41,382,213	204,356,800	182,534,324	27,185,526	209,719,850
June		665,123,265			206,652,300	184,969,578	26,509,138	211,478,716
July	3,715	666,383,265	171,217,437	43,209,757	207,680,800	186,062,098	25,628,937	211,691,035
August		664,659,265			207,832,800	186,577,433	24,794,612	211,372,045
September		664,855,265			209,447,550	187,990,343	24,348,857	212,339,200
October	3,712	664,425,265	162,925,290	33,312,021	210,196,550	188,596,877	24,255,057	212,851,934
November		664,136,915			211,717,800	190,180,961	23,706,660	213,887,630
December	3,706	664,091,915	168,244,431	38,467,979	212,048,950	190,468,526	23,491,072	213,900,598
1896.								
January	3,711	664,076,915			212,495,100	190,616,160	23,100,813	213,716,973
February		663,851,915			212,655,300	190,939,637	22,506,910	213,496,547
March	3,699	661,940,915	156,894,081	39,123,429	217,944,950	195,048,955	22,132,963	217,181,917
April		661,431,915			222,998,800	199,723,005	21,593,022	221,316,027
May	3,694	660,496,915	157,761,800	44,611,646	226,478,550	203,403,239	20,786,098	224,189,337
June		659,951,915			228,651,800	205,215,839	20,072,096	225,287,935
July	3,689	659,106,915	161,853,560	41,981,889	228,915,950	205,538,929	20,461,618	226,000,547
August		658,376,915			229,544,450	206,103,504	19,920,538	226,030,040
September		658,126,915			235,078,700	210,293,574	19,320,322	229,613,896
October	3,676	658,126,915	160,723,890	40,084,742	238,773,200	214,667,694	18,971,663	233,699,357
November		658,204,915			241,103,350	216,510,014	18,474,430	234,984,444
December	3,661	657,969,915	181,020,260	44,520,449	241,272,150	216,609,684	18,789,206	235,398,890
1897.								
January	3,667	655,334,715			240,236,150	215,850,307	19,812,811	235,663,118
February		654,174,915			237,190,100	213,186,711	21,907,951	235,094,662
March	3,664	653,719,895	188,304,756	45,644,107	234,797,800	210,915,415	23,320,912	234,236,327
April		651,658,295			233,693,350	209,767,702	24,027,439	233,795,141
May	3,614	648,613,395	190,396,251	45,680,132	232,749,300	208,768,549	24,119,435	232,887,984
June	3,620	646,788,395			230,915,550	207,139,381	24,736,460	231,875,841
July	3,619	643,933,295	193,686,596	47,236,006	230,471,550	206,775,898	24,065,788	231,441,686
August	3,617	641,229,395			230,111,300	205,944,175	24,322,499	230,266,734
September	3,614	639,488,295			229,471,100	207,100,170	24,752,547	229,908,497
October	3,614	638,903,295	195,895,108	43,492,594	229,348,550	205,604,781	25,120,710	230,193,900
November	3,617	637,915,295			227,732,550	203,926,950	26,120,685	230,047,635
December	3,615	636,310,295	207,093,145	45,070,408	225,369,300	201,735,572	27,814,135	229,549,707
1898.								
January	3,611	639,440,295			218,992,950	190,146,090	32,784,190	228,930,280
February	3,602	637,527,295	222,855,517	48,522,409	215,487,650	192,724,299	33,720,607	226,444,906
March	3,596	638,385,295			213,414,650	191,056,818	33,774,253	224,831,071
April	3,594	635,060,295			214,365,400	191,611,600	32,786,419	224,398,019
May	3,590	631,635,295	267,614,954	49,537,819	217,162,650	194,138,732	31,891,404	226,030,136
June	3,588	631,035,295			219,377,900	196,155,935	31,456,910	227,612,845
July	3,590	630,025,295	284,921,377	50,755,754	220,201,400	197,078,092	30,738,610	227,816,702
August	3,589	629,315,295			218,525,050	195,082,685	31,004,185	226,096,870
September	3,589	629,151,295	250,670,426	43,203,732	220,496,160	196,775,704	30,402,911	227,178,615
October	3,592	625,356,295			229,960,120	205,056,063	30,300,887	235,356,950
November	3,598	624,552,195			235,618,470	210,045,456	29,500,825	239,546,281
December	3,594	625,067,195	281,475,196	47,125,515	239,349,130	213,918,643	28,783,395	242,702,038
1899.								
January	3,590	622,482,195			239,943,050	214,016,088	29,719,017	243,735,105
February	3,585	613,076,895	321,915,796	49,927,609	236,479,840	211,041,299	32,200,202	243,241,501
March	3,589	612,831,895			236,075,690	211,155,017	31,747,351	242,902,307
April	3,583	610,313,895	317,210,532	46,952,021	234,433,890	209,925,989	33,126,328	243,052,317
May	3,586	609,053,895			232,167,910	207,966,287	34,748,046	242,714,333
June	3,585	610,028,895			230,600,310	206,305,954	35,758,600	242,064,554
July	3,589	607,871,245			229,688,110	205,264,094	36,004,602	241,268,696

VALUES OF FOREIGN COINS, 1889-1899.

[Prepared by the Director of the Mint.]

COUNTRY.	Standard.	Monetary unit.	Value January 1—										July 1—
			1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1899
Argentina.....	Gold and silver.	Peso.....	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5	\$0.96, 5
Austria-Hungary.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3	.20, 3
Belgium.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Bolivia.....	Silver.....	Boliviano.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.44, 3
Brazil.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6	.54, 6
British Possessions, N. A. (except Newfoundland).	do.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
British Honduras.....	do.....	do.....										1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Central American States:													
Costa Rica.....	Gold.....	Colon.....									.46, 5	.46, 5	.46, 5
Do.....	Silver.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4			
Guatemala.....													
Honduras.....	do.....	do.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.44, 3
Nicaragua.....													
Salvador.....													
Chile.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	.91, 2	c .36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5	.36, 5
		Amoy.....								.76, 7	.68, 5	.71, 0	.71, 6
		Canton.....								.76, 5	.68, 3	.70, 8	.71, 4
		Chefoo.....						.70, 4	.75, 9	.73, 3	.65, 5	.67, 9	.68, 4
		Chin Kiang.....								.74, 9	.66, 9	.69, 3	.69, 9
		Fuchau.....								.70, 9	.63, 4	.65, 6	.66, 2
		Haikwan (customs).....	1.14, 8	1.27, 0	1.13, 7	1.01, 0	.84, 9	.74, 9	.80, 8	.78, 0	.69, 7	.72, 2	.72, 8
China.....	Silver.....	Tael {								.71, 7	.64, 1	.66, 4	.67, 0
		Hankow.....								(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
		Hongkong.....								.71, 9	.64, 3	.66, 5	.67, 1
		Niuchwang.....								.73, 7	.65, 9	.68, 2	.68, 8
		Ningpo.....								.70, 0	.62, 6	.64, 8	.65, 4
		Shanghai.....	1.03, 1	1.13, 9	1.02, 1	.90, 6	.76, 2	.67, 3	.72, 5	.70, 8	.63, 3	.65, 5	.66, 1
		Swatow.....								.77, 2	.63, 0	.71, 4	.72, 0
		Takao.....								.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.69, 4
		Tien-Tsin.....						.71, 4	.76, 9	.74, 3	.66, 4	.68, 8	.69, 4
Colombia.....	do.....	Peso.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.44, 3
Cuba.....	Gold and silver.	do.....	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6	.92, 6
Denmark.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Ecuador.....	Silver.....	Sucre.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.49, 1	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.44, 3
Egypt.....	Gold.....	Pound (100 piasters).....	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3	4.94, 3
Finland.....	do.....	Mark.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
France.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
German Empire.....	Gold.....	Mark.....	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8	.23, 8
Great Britain.....	do.....	Pound sterling.....	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½	4.86, 6½
Greece.....	Gold and silver.	Drachma.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Haiti.....	do.....	Gourde.....	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5	.96, 5
India.....	Silver.....	Rupree (d).....	.33, 2	.36, 6	.32, 8	.29, 2	.24, 5	.21, 6	.23, 3	.22, 5	.20, 1	.20, 8	.21, 0
Italy.....	Gold and silver.	Lira.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Japan.....	do.....	Yen {											
		Gold.....	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7	.99, 7
		Silver.....	.75, 2	.83, 1	.74, 5	.66, 1	.55, 6	.49, 1	.52, 9	.51, 1			
Liberia.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0	1.00, 0
Mexico.....	Silver.....	do.....	.75, 8	.83, 7	.75, 0	.66, 6	.56, 0	.49, 5	.53, 8	.51, 5	.46, 0	.47, 7	.48, 1
Netherlands.....	Gold and silver.	Florin.....	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2	.40, 2
Newfoundland.....	Gold.....	Dollar.....	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4	1.01, 4
Norway.....	do.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Persia.....	Silver.....	Kran.....							.09, 0	.08, 7	.07, 8	.08, 1	.08, 2
Peru.....	do.....	Sol.....	.69, 8	.77, 1	.69, 1	.61, 3	.51, 6	.45, 5	.48, 6	.47, 4	.42, 4	.43, 9	.44, 3
Portugal.....	Gold.....	Milreis.....	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0	1.08, 0
Russia.....	do.....	Ruble (e) {											
		Gold.....	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2	.77, 2
		Silver.....	.55, 8	.61, 7	.55, 3	.49, 1	.41, 3	.36, 4	.39, 3	.37, 9			
Spain.....	Gold and silver.	Peseta.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Sweden.....	Gold.....	Crown.....	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8	.26, 8
Switzerland.....	Gold and silver.	Franc.....	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3
Tripoli.....	Silver.....	Mahbub of 20 piasters.....	.62, 9	.69, 5	.62, 3	.55, 3	.46, 5	.41, 1	.44, 3				
Turkey.....	Gold.....	Piaster.....	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4	.04, 4
Uruguay.....	do.....	Peso.....								1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4	1.03, 4
Venezuela.....	Gold and silver.	Bolivar.....	b. 14, 0	b. 15, 4	b. 13, 8	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3	.19, 3

a The "British dollar" has the same legal value as the Mexican dollar in Hongkong, the Straits Settlements, and Labuan.

b Value of the silver bolivar.

c The law of February 11, 1895, introduced the gold standard, with an ideal gold peso weighing .599 grams as the monetary unit.

d Value of the rupee to be determined by consular certificate.

e By Imperial ukase January 3-15, 1897, 1½ paper rubles = 1 gold ruble.

BANKING AND CLEARING-HOUSE STATISTICS, NEW YORK AND LONDON.

MONTHS.	CLEARING-HOUSE RETURNS.			ASSOCIATED BANKS OF NEW YORK. (b)	BANK OF ENGLAND. (5)		
	New York City. (a)	Outside of New York. (a)	London. (a)	Specie.	Coin and bul- lion.	Reserve.	Circulation.
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,165,564,656	1,888,002,030	2,842,357,189	111,073,400	121,417,200	75,681,200	125,303,177
February	1,724,039,790	1,482,614,610	2,518,214,224	129,558,900	138,439,500	99,440,100	119,053,277
March	2,048,811,551	1,705,763,757	2,661,888,770	97,526,300	147,594,100	111,409,400	117,941,217
April	2,018,318,188	1,704,410,893	2,675,324,310	99,623,000	150,361,200	109,616,300	122,502,117
May	2,093,135,412	1,801,476,972	2,597,601,438	100,082,100	155,436,594	113,075,974	124,117,820
June	1,898,580,224	1,703,067,084	2,503,755,852	99,018,600	180,355,361	140,589,949	121,522,613
July	1,843,418,776	1,671,682,872	2,610,250,338	91,223,000	189,313,454	142,590,917	128,479,737
August	1,871,609,351	1,693,598,268	2,394,614,851	90,546,900	186,831,350	140,893,074	127,695,476
September	1,865,031,613	1,660,111,815	2,232,711,268	91,187,800	193,754,238	150,346,517	125,164,921
October	2,281,509,977	2,007,480,621	2,581,639,318	92,215,100	182,274,890	135,735,294	128,296,805
November	2,241,483,312	1,931,581,376	2,519,776,370	93,755,600	171,071,199	128,690,821	124,137,578
December	2,336,304,760	1,977,583,869	2,702,253,935	76,527,600	166,415,919	125,259,588	122,913,531
1895.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,394,672,415	2,007,996,504	2,961,128,988	75,867,000	161,037,736	116,661,217	126,133,719
February	1,864,441,227	1,546,705,226	2,743,426,111	81,555,500	179,095,960	138,607,240	122,245,921
March	2,240,741,015	1,797,494,058	2,911,369,026	69,592,500	180,969,708	140,718,352	122,008,557
April	2,373,478,979	1,886,085,068	2,863,633,527	64,471,200	183,681,273	138,307,171	127,131,302
May	2,833,846,640	2,030,511,248	3,149,350,609	69,728,200	180,237,013	134,303,701	127,690,512
June	2,480,839,052	1,923,480,085	2,762,994,807	70,641,000	180,166,960	134,977,444	126,946,717
July	2,527,267,496	2,012,828,904	3,453,516,592	64,496,500	184,605,023	138,325,396	128,036,740
August	2,316,813,044	1,830,241,274	3,210,196,458	65,474,800	185,394,447	136,925,859	130,225,789
September	2,372,980,009	1,808,370,604	2,974,599,460	64,427,100	202,507,956	155,028,849	153,588,273
October	2,933,618,760	2,311,092,416	3,572,896,703	60,937,900	208,151,471	157,963,135	131,945,537
November	2,593,205,250	2,152,394,884	3,318,802,139	64,208,800	193,522,717	153,127,533	127,682,385
December	2,909,892,035	2,169,407,592	3,028,865,802	67,371,900	215,774,600	171,902,908	125,628,892
1896.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,562,413,708	2,046,320,782	3,182,019,423	68,954,700	218,798,113	171,746,723	123,808,590
February	2,372,991,630	1,728,770,777	3,029,250,235	76,845,900	236,490,921	194,400,927	123,847,194
March	2,316,256,654	1,811,813,648	3,042,214,611	61,538,100	228,249,966	196,524,644	123,482,523
April	2,393,455,325	1,895,399,642	2,856,100,185	59,251,600	239,030,605	190,690,542	130,067,362
May	2,340,091,793	1,886,793,797	3,115,134,247	59,324,000	229,328,260	183,313,799	127,771,661
June	2,414,383,739	1,879,465,515	3,220,445,307	61,808,500	232,791,709	186,270,402	128,278,507
July	2,430,389,690	1,882,869,393	3,393,755,972	61,806,300	235,953,499	181,630,000	136,080,699
August	1,971,162,104	1,580,390,199	2,856,679,299	46,254,700	229,422,125	175,789,788	135,389,607
September	2,063,094,193	1,638,933,015	2,771,072,697	49,196,900	214,341,503	171,159,946	133,938,757
October	2,613,816,577	1,981,164,613	3,290,089,789	55,801,100	192,292,171	136,963,229	137,086,142
November	2,686,840,544	1,920,616,048	2,985,563,685	63,702,600	174,255,773	123,953,585	132,059,388
December	2,655,939,099	2,051,632,108	3,120,696,655	75,676,900	173,157,409	127,625,292	127,289,318
1897.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,589,347,332	1,919,870,148	3,101,619,977	76,342,300	167,982,295	120,430,507	129,309,135
February	2,045,130,179	1,646,078,618	2,889,927,227	79,684,600	181,559,373	137,451,582	125,864,991
March	2,387,110,544	1,830,313,900	3,107,965,893	85,061,700	189,937,432	144,802,664	126,891,968
April	2,249,763,759	1,861,834,318	2,818,642,735	85,988,300	186,856,723	134,222,184	134,387,440
May	2,315,157,306	1,858,145,811	2,958,277,219	87,329,800	176,428,705	123,945,400	134,259,969
June	2,561,546,708	1,905,041,273	2,807,868,304	89,510,900	175,321,653	122,861,318	134,217,535
July	2,833,918,896	1,978,735,980	3,175,415,583	90,496,600	178,696,674	122,925,440	137,528,434
August	2,936,856,960	1,969,390,044	3,035,289,582	92,129,800	175,127,368	118,211,777	138,072,792
September	3,452,320,044	2,119,369,296	2,827,217,507	92,423,400	174,088,025	119,563,296	136,281,928
October	3,336,060,361	2,296,614,664	3,287,491,078	92,365,100	161,548,860	105,032,832	136,273,228
November	3,121,440,430	2,271,452,163	3,140,556,843	102,176,000	152,267,969	100,811,694	134,213,496
December	3,588,361,952	2,382,327,130	3,303,647,038	104,150,500	157,564,472	106,257,740	133,063,931
1898.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	3,660,282,724	2,321,724,811	3,497,217,762	106,588,500	151,942,116	96,770,367	136,928,930
February	3,516,257,710	2,036,091,681	3,146,927,092	114,088,200	169,274,221	110,830,045	131,201,375
March	3,418,019,443	2,222,720,082	3,410,029,548	120,125,900	164,694,302	114,876,891	131,574,612
April	2,868,945,026	2,103,431,502	3,205,602,482	141,556,200	146,160,228	89,304,884	137,282,410
May	3,145,411,658	2,191,088,998	3,245,074,664	153,791,500	164,062,937	110,565,601	135,254,537
June	3,265,851,790	2,233,533,405	3,176,354,817	175,502,100	180,173,978	126,754,188	135,176,990
July	2,977,035,218	2,009,810,261	3,349,573,018	186,970,200	189,582,003	123,145,892	139,173,311
August	3,511,798,974	2,080,547,676	3,033,858,831	168,988,000	167,792,531	111,308,013	138,241,721
September	3,418,988,661	2,082,656,049	3,074,844,494	148,378,200	169,120,856	115,778,902	137,000,102
October	3,594,241,280	2,394,923,013	3,368,523,169	136,314,400	154,496,493	99,211,682	137,042,611
November	3,972,682,392	2,501,101,963	3,249,726,028	157,428,800	155,197,750	102,681,479	134,182,472
December	4,652,357,561	2,704,839,800	3,647,733,740	158,462,300	161,560,741	101,560,828	140,221,628
1899.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	5,690,749,776	2,801,939,029	3,895,988,505	173,442,100	147,653,625	94,355,975	135,034,841
February	4,550,639,231	2,429,704,424	3,719,972,066	197,207,800	160,462,322	111,784,230	130,455,025
March	5,992,084,979	2,824,514,154	3,828,611,812	198,407,100	164,214,738	115,639,510	130,326,427
April	5,576,911,841	2,705,357,491	3,671,642,854	187,144,300	146,436,859	92,443,066	135,754,993
May	5,524,658,306	2,803,633,746	3,816,479,628	188,438,700	148,029,723	94,231,897	140,418,423
June	4,780,181,672	2,718,004,812	.....	205,605,200	147,656,000	95,050,000	134,455,000
July	4,420,356,113	2,691,017,609	.....	182,466,100	157,269,000	97,396,000	141,630,000

a Entire months.

b First week of month.

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	BANK OF FRANCE.			AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN BANK.			IMPERIAL GERMAN BANK.	
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Coin and bullion.	Circulation.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1894.								
January.....	330,625,100	245,120,700	703,121,653	51,730,800	79,489,400	242,984,879	198,801,200	261,004,995
February.....	331,282,000	245,510,000	702,343,013	49,482,500	79,080,600	208,690,120	216,223,400	227,007,628
March.....	333,437,900	246,789,900	680,585,286	50,027,000	79,027,100	202,096,012	222,267,700	221,080,129
April.....	336,163,200	247,719,400	686,711,815	50,095,800	79,406,700	212,325,395	207,113,400	253,573,240
May.....	342,650,265	248,191,500	697,924,231	49,385,770	79,674,338	220,379,453	213,376,559	240,804,153
June.....	346,421,803	248,945,808	609,104,818	50,134,033	79,528,343	210,772,982	227,606,205	221,574,376
July.....	352,762,852	248,512,689	675,616,195	51,268,578	79,786,208	219,956,067	218,622,640	257,890,435
August.....	362,865,706	247,310,664	671,659,731	61,400,631	77,518,479	231,290,413	225,980,794	238,526,031
September.....	371,075,492	246,278,966	654,573,449	63,332,631	73,367,486	233,484,937	230,891,093	234,789,159
October.....	370,024,328	244,113,373	672,589,232	67,907,141	72,647,112	244,780,084	221,201,891	271,531,234
November.....	370,486,645	241,217,806	686,901,609	72,797,974	70,515,585	240,276,730	242,668,023	258,571,746
December.....	390,380,897	241,402,733	676,745,223	73,347,888	69,094,567	238,682,359	260,049,740	253,267,260
1895.								
January.....	402,795,339	240,521,896	716,197,939	74,228,725	67,941,207	237,339,205	249,309,193	283,240,033
February.....	416,849,791	240,585,101	707,000,254	74,330,921	66,831,645	218,768,641	207,209,782	249,184,266
March.....	418,207,544	241,120,476	701,656,837	83,582,138	66,744,048	226,920,029	261,664,603	238,058,027
April.....	406,347,684	241,344,335	707,370,108	86,594,501	66,573,720	239,110,611	251,807,310	275,005,915
May.....	400,527,550	240,463,498	705,710,631	95,232,539	65,989,740	245,840,981	250,253,055	261,404,048
June.....	398,795,076	243,529,393	684,585,155	98,424,963	65,619,886	244,152,305	261,457,579	255,033,790
July.....	397,622,249	243,373,665	685,475,424	101,763,382	65,172,168	257,617,911	244,093,907	288,095,380
August.....	398,843,741	245,344,598	676,107,712	104,450,190	64,583,822	259,545,545	247,090,251	286,193,999
September.....	398,702,612	245,091,540	656,841,238	103,046,717	64,082,072	274,640,928	238,784,556	258,299,221
October.....	390,405,230	243,154,673	678,623,692	106,547,151	63,308,299	287,542,019	219,065,498	292,925,026
November.....	381,071,283	239,519,397	687,524,521	110,401,419	62,729,185	299,065,891	221,883,201	282,031,721
December.....	381,509,268	240,132,576	682,166,504	114,679,073	62,334,999	284,656,185	218,719,976	266,134,286
1896.								
January.....	379,640,532	240,332,103	709,944,486	118,835,064	62,110,000	288,067,601	211,483,491	298,608,440
February.....	376,959,090	241,538,995	708,873,856	120,810,863	62,257,135	268,455,606	229,640,402	253,724,711
March.....	379,932,522	242,400,365	706,727,730	125,117,715	61,838,616	267,589,369	229,148,886	242,755,620
April.....	379,776,794	242,731,287	710,698,794	127,842,955	62,047,875	272,455,869	211,916,609	287,907,007
May.....	381,903,454	242,702,088	710,075,882	131,074,311	62,247,462	279,424,697	219,868,470	264,557,540
June.....	391,519,658	244,497,827	703,846,762	133,006,312	62,636,722	288,325,526	222,992,200	247,329,500
July.....	397,344,859	244,687,020	703,875,961	132,918,715	62,909,246	292,865,970	211,493,491	282,982,103
August.....	403,685,908	244,424,829	690,337,358	135,664,222	62,918,979	291,702,877	220,467,050	253,992,368
September.....	398,279,227	244,162,038	688,400,491	141,240,430	63,143,656	301,757,066	216,753,910	253,510,585
October.....	384,599,495	242,122,975	693,099,425	141,634,016	62,286,334	318,741,151	195,677,099	293,717,608
November.....	375,771,664	239,295,538	715,565,294	110,552,281	62,656,118	298,472,178	202,509,665	268,664,866
December.....	375,980,924	240,176,375	718,339,199	111,603,445	62,709,719	282,276,466	208,169,404	253,447,320
1897.								
January.....	371,474,545	238,677,493	734,345,117	147,430,618	61,220,570	310,852,554	200,674,994	286,802,311
February.....	372,404,993	239,587,528	732,924,099	148,705,641	61,527,160	291,887,804	215,508,086	245,748,517
March.....	372,724,369	239,553,463	717,015,511	150,661,974	61,629,356	286,262,130	222,856,501	239,071,679
April.....	373,435,744	238,813,754	720,641,053	126,835,590	51,112,850	244,551,358	208,291,067	230,485,594
May.....	375,596,470	238,112,979	720,762,716	132,806,785	51,122,583	249,485,989	218,953,568	263,307,983
June.....	386,984,080	239,451,266	721,667,885	140,048,137	51,219,913	245,111,006	222,569,378	249,456,706
July.....	390,250,235	239,869,785	714,591,994	191,895,828	51,351,308	250,186,765	209,381,163	282,237,034
August.....	393,660,918	238,434,168	708,475,303	152,530,710	51,093,384	252,775,743	210,880,045	256,007,099
September.....	394,974,873	237,626,329	703,978,157	154,642,771	50,859,792	269,063,919	207,541,626	259,574,244
October.....	386,409,100	235,553,200	721,580,288	155,718,267	50,499,671	280,408,230	182,050,899	302,233,983
November.....	381,154,013	235,008,152	729,235,292	151,197,289	50,144,416	286,286,462	197,570,167	277,594,893
December.....	381,475,202	235,485,069	726,602,516	152,769,168	50,193,081	271,794,025	211,683,017	293,301,563
1898.								
January.....	377,820,461	234,881,623	751,898,583	147,766,406	50,027,620	275,619,094	206,451,530	300,039,191
February.....	375,095,221	235,446,137	751,270,804	147,688,542	50,343,943	254,075,099	225,382,215	257,082,596
March.....	373,898,062	236,341,573	740,715,366	149,669,208	50,621,333	252,590,816	233,538,409	248,473,757
April.....	361,673,414	236,969,351	731,551,746	148,807,837	50,850,059	257,194,525	210,573,455	295,381,951
May.....	362,315,792	237,159,145	729,498,087	143,406,022	50,820,860	258,231,090	208,038,009	274,733,391
June.....	363,420,487	239,164,143	723,624,218	141,264,762	51,020,386	251,544,519	212,155,068	255,895,170
July.....	365,143,228	241,008,546	710,212,144	141,255,029	51,224,779	259,671,574	196,776,928	308,625,118
August.....	365,785,606	241,835,851	720,825,980	141,853,609	51,156,648	264,839,797	208,490,593	267,730,629
September.....	366,805,969	242,643,690	689,378,657	142,184,531	51,195,580	271,331,708	209,055,107	258,895,337
October.....	361,683,147	240,843,085	711,832,688	142,379,191	50,806,260	289,331,556	176,683,149	314,774,953
November.....	356,850,712	237,898,853	742,000,122	143,454,687	50,528,870	297,461,548	177,461,789	286,573,717
December.....	356,130,470	235,923,054	737,392,080	143,289,226	79,703,537	288,979,741	192,577,138	271,789,158
1899.								
January.....	352,636,323	232,652,706	767,651,443	174,829,013	60,305,668	345,589,631	189,754,568	304,355,777
February.....	354,171,004	233,178,348	763,417,588	145,133,630	50,465,605	270,241,612	208,125,606	260,649,740
March.....	354,821,382	233,105,350	750,458,099	145,727,343	50,084,598	262,990,527	216,272,127	252,746,544
April.....	353,921,079	234,370,640	742,866,350	145,639,746	50,879,256	264,523,474	202,285,806	295,075,361
May.....	355,527,000	234,575,000	736,005,000	146,175,000	51,074,009	272,373,000	214,476,000	278,062,000
June.....	353,496,000	237,067,000	733,951,000	146,822,000	51,629,000	263,779,000	222,579,000	263,059,000
July.....	369,800,060	236,692,000	737,669,000	147,270,000	51,638,000	273,906,000	261,259,000	304,254,000

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From the London Economist.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	NATIONAL BANK, BELGIUM.		NETHERLANDS BANK.			BANK OF SPAIN.		
	Coin and bul- lion.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulation.
1894.	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollar.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
January.....	22,541,600	85,188,083	18,711,600	33,041,100	84,750,098	38,532,900	34,479,100	181,802,707
February.....	24,751,000	84,170,984	20,585,200	34,123,800	83,917,920	38,532,900	35,262,600	182,907,403
March.....	25,254,500	81,766,933	20,857,800	34,172,600	81,217,019	38,532,900	37,233,600	180,571,483
April.....	22,843,351	82,092,988	21,096,277	34,445,087	82,915,427	38,532,947	39,720,373	182,046,032
May.....	20,960,000	83,661,422	21,631,593	33,900,039	86,570,169	38,532,947	40,795,870	182,469,418
June.....	22,454,031	77,917,532	21,967,381	34,201,762	83,153,886	38,532,947	42,508,678	180,118,898
July.....	21,839,250	81,470,077	22,006,313	33,924,372	84,112,586	38,532,947	44,810,732	183,291,856
August.....	21,724,056	74,827,304	22,030,645	33,593,449	83,095,487	38,581,612	44,708,536	183,476,783
September.....	21,169,275	77,907,799	22,035,512	33,580,185	81,601,472	38,654,610	45,423,911	181,549,649
October.....	23,733,921	76,423,516	19,801,789	33,019,203	82,516,371	38,951,466	47,000,657	183,038,798
November.....	23,412,732	80,603,840	19,816,388	32,819,676	84,375,377	38,951,466	47,681,967	181,427,987
December.....	24,376,299	81,489,543	19,855,320	33,238,195	83,528,606	38,951,466	51,263,711	177,826,777
1895.								
January.....	26,074,707	88,701,696	19,903,985	33,311,193	85,304,879	38,951,466	54,154,412	177,890,041
February.....	25,583,190	93,212,941	19,991,582	33,525,318	84,691,700	38,951,466	56,115,612	179,938,838
March.....	25,500,460	86,356,043	21,539,129	34,031,435	85,368,143	38,951,466	57,891,884	177,145,467
April.....	24,965,145	87,538,602	20,809,154	34,211,495	84,278,047	38,951,466	60,227,804	180,342,757
May.....	23,252,137	87,207,680	20,857,819	34,265,027	88,142,048	38,951,466	60,607,391	181,384,188
June.....	21,310,404	85,742,864	20,891,885	34,323,425	85,217,282	38,951,466	60,631,724	181,510,717
July.....	20,390,635	86,828,093	20,838,353	34,192,029	85,105,352	38,951,466	60,038,012	185,725,101
August.....	20,268,003	86,652,899	20,848,086	33,875,707	85,139,418	38,951,466	58,977,114	187,486,779
September.....	21,237,406	83,202,551	20,852,953	33,544,785	82,365,513	38,933,946	57,429,567	187,623,041
October.....	21,709,457	83,898,460	20,794,555	33,145,732	85,373,010	38,951,466	56,281,073	190,085,490
November.....	21,062,212	86,784,295	20,789,688	32,912,140	88,122,582	38,951,466	53,930,553	191,438,377
December.....	20,176,509	85,703,932	18,083,914	33,189,530	83,333,940	38,951,466	51,945,021	192,445,743
1896.								
January.....	20,113,245	89,903,721	17,115,481	33,243,062	88,200,446	38,951,466	49,210,048	196,140,149
February.....	20,069,446	86,813,494	15,115,349	33,330,659	87,986,320	38,951,466	49,648,033	197,735,628
March.....	19,393,003	85,519,005	12,764,530	33,544,785	81,090,490	38,951,466	50,392,608	197,803,759
April.....	19,397,669	86,214,914	12,764,830	33,681,047	81,148,888	38,951,466	50,538,603	197,914,888
May.....	19,646,061	87,621,333	12,784,296	33,865,974	85,275,080	40,747,205	52,329,475	202,378,269
June.....	20,103,512	85,630,934	12,823,228	34,046,034	80,068,525	40,907,799	52,825,858	203,721,423
July.....	20,098,645	86,102,985	12,818,361	33,890,306	82,024,858	40,902,333	55,964,750	205,025,645
August.....	19,738,524	85,986,189	12,818,361	33,651,848	81,319,215	40,907,799	55,093,647	207,527,026
September.....	20,361,436	83,776,798	12,818,361	33,350,125	79,051,426	41,501,512	50,640,799	207,329,696
October.....	19,723,925	86,273,312	12,818,361	33,009,470	81,338,681	41,501,512	50,519,137	207,517,293
November.....	20,147,310	86,283,045	12,818,361	32,610,417	85,119,952	41,501,512	47,784,164	211,756,015
December.....	20,259,240	87,246,612	12,818,361	32,941,339	82,565,039	41,501,512	49,633,434	200,110,480
1897.								
January.....	20,405,235	93,480,599	12,818,861	33,369,591	84,292,647	41,501,512	49,346,310	201,356,304
February.....	20,823,754	91,801,056	12,813,495	33,306,326	81,737,734	41,501,512	50,913,323	207,867,681
March.....	20,930,817	88,735,761	12,813,495	33,681,047	80,472,444	41,501,512	51,842,825	207,478,361
April.....	21,154,676	91,071,681	12,808,628	33,194,397	82,195,185	41,501,512	52,543,601	208,797,183
May.....	21,140,076	91,777,324	12,798,895	33,204,130	80,166,249	41,559,910	51,020,386	211,409,760
June.....	20,755,623	89,558,200	12,701,565	32,079,968	81,460,344	42,460,213	49,847,560	214,203,864
July.....	19,354,071	92,682,493	12,798,895	34,021,702	84,190,450	43,472,446	52,436,558	217,931,603
August.....	20,916,217	90,7066,94	12,807,628	33,554,518	81,421,412	43,856,898	50,777,067	220,175,060
September.....	21,293,341	89,903,721	12,808,628	33,367,457	81,328,948	43,929,896	51,726,289	220,958,566
October.....	20,434,434	91,816,256	12,794,029	32,990,004	84,268,314	43,929,896	51,667,631	224,399,182
November.....	20,930,817	92,059,581	12,789,162	32,342,759	86,716,164	44,903,196	52,514,402	231,445,874
December.....	20,643,693	92,731,158	12,789,162	32,732,079	84,136,919	45,039,458	53,658,029	231,484,806
1898.								
January.....	20,882,152	95,106,010	12,794,029	33,038,669	86,735,630	45,895,962	50,191,081	236,098,248
February.....	21,519,063	93,480,599	12,789,162	33,281,994	84,399,710	46,207,418	51,195,580	242,875,083
March.....	21,115,744	91,976,850	13,324,477	33,595,052	82,321,714	46,523,740	52,918,321	244,273,998
April.....	20,118,110	93,891,788	13,451,006	33,676,180	83,080,888	46,860,262	52,144,548	248,551,621
May.....	21,368,802	95,033,612	13,884,125	33,612,916	87,601,867	47,852,295	52,828,557	254,479,018
June.....	21,558,595	93,104,276	13,913,324	33,846,508	84,477,574	47,852,295	50,483,099	255,744,368
July.....	20,838,353	93,660,159	14,857,425	34,011,969	84,823,095	48,431,408	51,977,114	262,899,606
August.....	22,123,100	94,261,006	20,887,018	33,880,573	84,023,856	50,407,207	55,797,317	272,694,328
September.....	21,295,804	95,569,128	20,984,348	33,973,037	83,163,619	51,526,502	57,194,002	272,329,340
October.....	20,887,018	95,422,332	20,848,875	32,848,875	86,604,234	52,923,188	56,045,508	274,757,724
November.....	21,320,137	96,969,879	20,998,948	32,231,097	89,699,328	53,833,223	56,648,954	283,726,683
December.....	22,434,563	97,475,995	20,994,081	32,620,882	88,005,786	53,833,223	51,914,374	279,755,619
1899.								
January.....	23,505,199	102,280,204	20,994,081	32,839,142	92,054,714	53,833,223	39,686,041	282,110,272
February.....	23,607,192	102,498,223	20,994,081	33,014,306	89,407,338	53,833,223	42,499,145	286,724,447
March.....	23,772,853	100,551,623	20,939,215	33,359,858	88,180,080	54,689,727	49,910,824	286,544,654
April.....	22,527,000	101,139,000	19,294,000	33,292,000	90,113,000	56,646,000	57,824,000	286,218,000
May.....	22,478,000	102,262,000	18,659,000	33,146,000	92,882,000	56,695,000	61,702,000	289,568,000
June.....	22,902,000	104,411,000	18,658,000	33,102,000	89,169,000	57,712,000	63,814,000	287,367,000
July.....	21,885,000	103,111,000	15,402,000	30,245,000	89,986,000	63,070,000	65,192,000	29,623,000

SPECIE IN, AND NOTE ISSUES OF, EUROPEAN NATIONAL BANKS—Continued.

[From L'Économiste Européen, Paris.]

FIRST WEEK IN—	ITALY.						RUSSIA.		
	National bank.			Institutions of issue. (a)			Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.
	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.	Gold.	Silver.	Circulating notes.			
1894.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	52,167,900	8,048,100	174,742,200				293,495,100	2,605,500	789,436,440
February	54,792,700	12,506,400	182,192,000				294,228,500	2,740,600	775,837,100
March	55,301,000	12,332,700	173,449,100				317,928,900	2,856,400	764,666,000
April	55,661,200	9,302,600	166,037,900				282,281,800	2,895,000	755,884,500
May	57,880,700	8,569,200	161,869,100				293,263,500	2,972,200	760,670,900
June	57,784,200	8,492,000	159,688,200				294,421,500	3,088,000	760,265,600
July	57,726,300	10,036,000	167,717,000	24,781,200	2,316,000	58,150,900	288,650,800	2,779,200	740,830,500
August	58,922,900	10,788,700	165,323,800	24,897,000	2,296,700	58,691,300	289,114,000	3,377,500	742,123,600
September	59,579,100	10,808,000	158,086,300	26,055,000	2,316,000	55,854,200	290,272,000	3,281,000	749,264,600
October	59,482,600	10,962,400	161,541,000	26,711,200	2,316,000	55,777,000	290,947,500	3,126,600	764,801,100
November	58,691,300	11,888,800	162,506,000	26,769,100	2,316,000	54,773,400	293,302,100	3,088,000	760,458,600
December	56,433,200	13,413,500	159,398,700	26,769,100	2,316,000	55,120,800	292,302,100	3,030,100	755,730,100
1895.									
January	56,491,100	13,317,000	156,947,600	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,185,900	300,539,600	2,856,400	830,710,600
February	58,150,900	14,745,200	150,269,800	27,155,100	2,316,000	58,286,000	300,308,000	3,088,000	818,320,000
March	57,900,000	11,580,000	143,341,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	52,631,100	300,925,000	3,242,400	810,349,100
April	57,977,200	11,541,400	144,711,400	27,155,100	2,316,000	54,831,300	301,427,400	3,088,000	821,253,600
May	57,842,100	10,537,800	137,493,200	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,869,900	302,469,600	3,242,400	820,829,000
June	58,073,700	11,058,900	140,484,700	27,174,400	2,296,700	54,889,200	299,343,000	3,319,000	829,417,500
July	58,266,700	11,078,200	154,728,100	27,174,400	2,296,700	58,942,200	378,318,600	2,637,600	830,421,100
August	58,421,100	11,522,100	151,582,200	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,413,900	377,894,000	2,605,500	829,900,000
September	57,629,800	9,707,900	148,513,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	378,473,000	4,979,400	839,357,000
October	57,571,900	9,804,400	156,021,200	27,193,700	2,277,400	55,931,400	375,095,500	4,439,000	856,669,100
November	57,514,000	9,920,200	150,501,400	27,174,400	2,296,700	55,912,100	372,876,000	3,705,600	850,203,600
December	57,764,900	10,286,900	147,876,600	27,174,400	2,296,700	56,413,900	371,389,900	3,667,000	836,172,500
1896.									
January	57,957,900	10,422,000	151,176,900	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,536,900	368,861,000	4,303,900	829,571,900
February	59,212,400	10,576,400	147,741,500	27,174,400	2,354,600	57,649,100	368,089,600	4,767,100	818,049,800
March	57,957,900	10,808,000	150,424,200	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,919,300	408,445,900	5,751,400	813,340,600
April	60,312,500	10,827,300	152,605,100	27,155,100	2,316,000	56,915,700	417,266,000	5,539,100	820,044,800
May	59,135,200	10,692,200	143,263,900	27,155,100	2,316,000	57,224,500	424,194,700	7,777,900	823,338,000
June	58,556,200	10,692,200	139,925,000	27,155,100	2,316,000	59,386,100	436,257,200	9,399,100	812,877,400
July	58,479,000	10,904,500	151,929,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,549,000	434,365,800	8,935,900	813,417,800
August	59,231,700	11,271,200	150,636,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,068,400	432,262,100	8,472,700	808,322,600
September	59,405,400	11,811,600	144,576,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,645,500	428,151,200	7,083,100	817,702,400
October	58,942,200	12,506,400	152,643,700	27,174,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	433,748,200	5,597,000	843,796,000
November	57,822,800	12,101,100	149,131,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,440,400	442,992,900	5,365,400	843,892,500
December	57,687,700	12,294,100	148,185,400	27,174,400	2,316,000	58,710,600	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
1897.									
January	58,787,800	12,409,900	151,157,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	56,857,800	455,692,300	6,446,200	842,946,800
February	59,637,000	12,023,900	146,815,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	54,059,300	461,424,400	10,537,800	836,144,364
March	58,382,500	12,139,700	141,025,100	27,174,400	2,316,000	53,210,100	446,717,800	11,348,400	516,757,500
April	58,517,600	12,101,100	144,769,300	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,399,500	467,330,200	18,605,200	489,023,400
May	57,919,300	12,120,400	141,777,800	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,938,300	461,270,000	19,435,100	492,323,700
June	58,566,500	11,078,200	141,700,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,218,600	458,452,200	21,172,100	494,388,800
July	69,607,200	13,124,000	152,894,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	51,666,100	461,231,400	23,603,900	490,374,400
August	60,582,700	13,934,600	152,701,600	27,174,400	2,316,000	50,527,400	463,315,800	24,221,500	493,366,000
September	59,945,800	12,583,600	148,610,000	27,174,400	2,316,000	52,438,100	459,841,800	24,221,500	515,117,000
October	59,251,000	12,506,400	154,496,500	27,174,400	2,316,000	55,178,700	580,640,500	21,715,500	506,509,200
November	57,822,800	11,020,300	150,443,500	18,624,500	2,316,000	55,584,000	588,765,800	20,168,500	491,185,000
December	57,957,900	10,788,700	150,559,300	18,682,400	2,316,000	55,970,000	587,434,100	20,072,000	478,948,800
1898.									
January	57,900,000	10,943,100	153,801,700	18,682,400	2,316,000	57,147,300	598,917,600	19,608,800	461,810,400
February	57,957,900	11,116,800	148,841,600	18,682,400	2,316,000	58,904,900	592,432,800	21,210,700	450,693,600
March	58,170,200	9,688,600	144,904,400	18,814,500	2,316,000	51,839,800	585,272,500	21,886,200	442,143,700
April	58,324,600	9,707,900	147,799,400	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,496,000	575,912,000	21,924,800	435,099,200
May	58,556,200	10,171,100	140,446,100	18,817,500	2,316,000	52,592,500	567,149,800	23,835,500	435,562,400
June	58,073,700	10,209,700	138,998,600	18,817,500	2,316,000	53,268,000	567,420,000	23,005,600	429,386,400
July	58,614,100	10,904,500	156,523,000	18,875,400	2,316,000	56,836,500	557,982,300	22,561,700	417,555,500
August	59,135,200	11,348,400	154,554,400	18,856,100	2,316,000	55,159,400	553,273,700	23,044,200	409,217,900
September	58,768,500	11,541,400	148,320,500	18,875,400	2,316,000	54,734,800	536,636,500	21,820,300	407,558,100
October	58,421,100	11,908,100	156,272,100	19,010,500	2,316,000	56,838,500	507,976,000	18,875,400	391,499,500
November	58,303,200	11,585,300	156,021,200	19,009,500	2,316,000	57,880,700	500,835,000	18,470,100	375,597,300
December	58,556,200	12,216,900	154,361,400	19,010,500	2,316,000	58,228,100	503,440,500	20,844,000	355,621,800
1899.									
January	58,614,100	12,390,600	161,888,400	19,049,100	2,316,000	55,738,400	510,292,000	21,519,500	340,760,800
February	58,498,300	12,371,300	158,684,600	18,914,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	503,845,800	22,909,100	329,335,200
March	56,935,000	10,422,000	154,593,000	19,107,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	491,764,000	23,739,000	320,766,000
April	56,935,000	14,089,000	157,285,000	19,107,000	2,316,000	52,689,000	493,115,000	25,669,000	306,677,000
May	57,128,600	11,387,000	149,768,000	19,107,000	2,509,000	53,461,000	480,763,000	26,441,000	302,817,000
June	56,935,000	11,001,000	150,733,000	19,107,000	2,509,000	55,005,000	483,658,000	26,634,000	300,887,000

a By a law of August 10, 1893, the Banca Nazionale del Regno d'Italia combined with two Tuscan banks and became the Banca d'Italia. This bank and the banks of Naples and of Sicily alone enjoy the privilege of issuing circulating notes.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, AND BANK RATES IN LEADING FINANCIAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.

[From New York Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY.	MONEY MARKET.		BANK RATES.						
	New York.		London.	Paris.	Berlin.	Hamburg.	Amsterdam.	Vienna.	St. Petersburg.
	Call.	Prime commercial.							
1898.									
June 3.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 10.....	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 17.....	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
June 24.....	1 @ 1½	3 @ 4	3	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 1.....	1½ @ 1½	3 @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 8.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 15.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 22.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
July 29.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 5.....	1½ @ 1½	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 12.....	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 19.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
August 26.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	2½	2	4	4	3	4	5½
September 2.....	2½ @ 3	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 9.....	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 16.....	3½ @ 5	4 @ 5	2½	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 23.....	2½ @ 4	4 @ 5	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
September 30.....	3 @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 7.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	3	2	4	4	2½	4	5½
October 14.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	2	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 21.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
October 28.....	1½ @ 2	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 4.....	1½ @ 2	3 @ 4	4	3	5	5	2½	4½	5½
November 11.....	1½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 18.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	5½	5½	2½	4½	5½
November 25.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 2.....	2 @ 2½	3½ @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 9.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 16.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 4	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 23.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
December 30.....	2 @ 4	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
1899.									
January 6.....	2½ @ 6	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 13.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	4	3	6	6	2½	5	5½
January 20.....	2 @ 2½	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
January 27.....	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3½	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 3.....	2½ @ 3	2½ @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 10.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 17.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	5	5	2½	5	5½
February 24.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 3.....	2½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 10.....	2½ @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 17.....	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 24.....	4 @ 4½	4 @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
March 31.....	6 @ 12	3½ @ 5	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 7.....	5 @ 15	2½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 14.....	3 @ 5	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 21.....	3 @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
April 28.....	3½ @ 6	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
May 5.....	3½ @ 4½	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4½	4½	2½	5	5½
May 12.....	3½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	5	5½
May 19.....	2½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
May 26.....	2 @ 3	3½ @ 4½	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
June 2.....	1½ @ 2½	3½ @ 4	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
June 9.....	2 @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
June 16.....	2 @ 3	3 @ 3½	3	3	4	4	2½	4½	5½
June 23.....	2½ @ 2½	3 @ 3½	3	3	4½	4½	3	4½	5½
June 30.....	4 @ 15	3½ @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	3	4½	5½
July 7.....	2 @ 6	3 @ 4	3	3	4½	4½	3½	4½	5½
July 14.....	3½ @ 6	3½ @ 4½	3½	3	4½	4½	3½	4½	5½
July 21.....	3½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½	3½	3	4½	4½	4½	4½	5½
July 28.....	3½ @ 4	3½ @ 4½							

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING MARCH.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.												
					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	4	20	26	31	298,800	527,500	2,265,095	1,414,345	74,700	26,375	87,119	45,624
Machinery and tools.....	25	63	43	36	1,478,334	2,022,619	1,695,952	1,961,404	59,133	32,105	39,441	54,483
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	9	11	15	16	620,800	341,600	558,500	1,351,200	68,977	31,055	37,233	84,450
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	6	7	20	10	185,781	464,800	476,000	905,824	30,963	66,400	23,800	90,582
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	95	96	115	146	1,591,819	2,623,529	2,515,547	4,719,449	16,756	27,328	21,874	32,325
Clothing and millinery.....	59	56	58	94	999,666	467,205	747,834	1,125,266	16,943	8,342	12,894	11,971
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	6	11	9	16	53,435	190,400	47,484	383,396	9,239	17,309	5,276	23,962
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	12	30	35	30	273,253	2,355,253	403,452	788,974	22,771	78,508	11,527	26,325
Printing and engraving.....	43	41	53	51	690,811	200,367	941,105	1,161,426	16,065	4,887	17,737	22,773
Milling and baking.....	28	45	34	54	269,074	277,722	941,910	970,022	9,610	6,171	27,703	17,963
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	30	46	52	47	545,880	606,588	1,238,482	1,248,740	18,196	13,197	23,817	26,569
Liquors and tobacco.....	20	33	45	52	1,454,021	598,637	2,217,998	2,228,821	72,701	18,140	49,288	42,862
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	13	23	22	20	400,482	383,276	945,866	467,059	30,806	16,664	42,994	23,253
All other.....	161	205	231	232	1,877,908	2,586,660	7,416,919	4,781,400	11,664	12,618	29,547	20,609
Total manufacturing.....	511	687	778	835	10,742,064	13,646,156	22,412,144	23,507,326	21,021	19,861	28,807	28,152
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	407	484	505	494	3,098,481	2,652,033	2,696,485	3,880,772	7,613	5,479	5,339	7,855
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	525	775	646	666	1,803,628	2,356,035	2,674,297	3,809,447	3,435	3,040	4,139	5,720
Hotels and restaurants.....	87	89	106	97	640,675	515,692	757,116	562,219	7,364	5,794	7,142	5,796
Liquors and tobacco.....	216	247	286	262	1,217,524	971,972	1,464,068	1,604,387	5,637	3,935	5,119	6,124
Clothing and furnishing.....	158	213	222	224	1,097,677	1,694,273	1,983,363	3,318,062	6,947	7,954	8,934	14,813
Dry goods and carpets.....	138	175	207	236	1,698,968	1,737,642	2,664,525	4,739,372	12,311	9,357	12,872	20,082
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	110	148	16	174	1,178,455	864,944	1,680,752	3,269,648	10,713	5,814	10,065	18,791
Furniture and crockery.....	51	98	107	91	435,730	806,532	945,497	939,502	8,543	8,230	8,836	10,323
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	70	99	175	156	547,441	1,082,038	1,518,884	1,299,508	7,820	10,929	8,679	8,330
Drugs and paints.....	87	145	149	153	490,585	618,509	795,644	818,902	5,639	4,265	5,339	5,352
Jewelry and clocks.....	57	60	88	103	312,584	459,618	1,656,862	916,645	5,484	7,660	18,828	8,899
Books and papers.....	13	36	58	56	53,948	372,546	448,536	680,997	4,149	10,348	7,733	12,161
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	10	19	21	31	157,070	920,154	117,475	222,872	15,707	48,429	5,594	7,190
All other.....	246	329	336	375	2,304,852	2,418,827	4,643,100	5,361,979	9,369	7,352	13,819	14,300
Total trading.....	2,175	2,917	3,073	3,118	15,037,618	17,470,815	24,046,604	31,424,312	6,914	5,989	7,825	10,078
Brokers and transporters.....	86	83	81	78	1,372,349	1,829,594	1,549,163	2,493,497	15,958	22,043	19,125	31,711
Total commercial.....	2,772	3,687	3,932	4,031	27,152,031	32,946,565	48,007,911	57,425,135	9,795	8,936	12,210	14,246

NOTE.—Iron, woolens, and cottons include all the branches of those manufactures; machinery includes implements and tools; lumber includes saw, planing, sash and door mills, carpenters, and coopers; clothing includes millinery and furnishings; hats include furs and gloves; chemicals include drugs, fertilizers, paints, and oils; printing and books include engraving and maps; milling includes baking; leather and shoes include makers of harness, saddlery, trunks, and rubber goods; liquors include tobacco, wine, brewers, and beer; glass includes earthenware, pottery, brick, lime, and cement; groceries include meats and fish; hotels include restaurants; dry goods include carpets and curtains; furniture includes crockery; hardware includes stoves and tools, and jewelry includes clocks and watches; brokers include all real-estate, note, insurance, or produce dealers whose main business is not the handling of actual products, with mortgage and other loan concerns, and transporters include all except incorporated railway companies.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	APRIL.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.												
Iron, foundries, and nails.....	1	3	9	13	Dollars. 250,000	Dollars. 23,000	Dollars. 764,413	Dollars. 668,779	Dollars. 250,000	Dollars. 7,666	Dollars. 84,935	Dollars. 51,444
Machinery and tools.....	13	20	5	6	199,000	561,648	41,258	32,400	15,308	28,232	8,251	5,400
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.....	3	3	6	15	50,519	168,000	265,300	943,606	16,839	56,000	44,217	62,907
Cottons, lace, and hosiery.....	2	2	14	10	3,000	255,000	8,244,234	208,000	1,500	127,500	588,874	20,800
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.....	21	37	26	49	674,363	468,363	496,073	1,560,705	32,112	12,658	19,077	31,851
Clothing and millinery.....	17	21	26	21	61,209	403,938	98,687	463,547	3,600	19,235	3,795	22,073
Hats, gloves, and furs.....	2	1	1	5	23,143	750	3,800	40,500	11,571	750	3,800	8,100
Chemicals, drugs, and paints.....	2	2	3	4	203,000	1,700	4,700	206,900	101,500	850	1,566	51,725
Printing and engraving.....	12	13	13	16	57,538	80,602	85,904	163,422	4,795	6,200	6,608	10,213
Milling and baking.....	10	11	15	17	354,590	76,433	848,000	232,500	35,459	6,948	56,533	13,676
Leather, shoes, and harness.....	12	10	14	11	92,178	263,800	82,383	190,000	7,681	26,380	5,884	17,272
Liquors and tobacco.....	10	2	11	14	303,666	44,000	201,244	672,721	30,366	22,000	18,295	48,051
Glass, earthenware, and brick.....	4	4	4	6	12,400	144,687	36,000	108,321	3,100	36,172	9,000	18,053
All other.....	46	71	73	75	491,053	2,539,787	1,265,977	1,161,120	10,675	35,772	17,342	15,481
Total manufacturing.....	155	200	220	262	2,775,659	5,034,708	12,437,979	6,652,521	24,136	25,173	56,536	25,391
TRADERS.												
General stores.....	80	82	111	117	358,930	361,548	732,985	854,481	4,487	4,409	6,603	7,203
Groceries, meats, and fish.....	145	198	143	154	459,535	737,963	544,241	547,851	3,169	3,727	3,806	3,557
Hotels and restaurants.....	22	25	31	33	51,213	186,491	107,819	203,154	2,328	7,459	3,478	6,156
Liquors and tobacco.....	51	57	72	74	193,743	113,373	274,847	457,668	3,799	1,971	3,817	6,184
Clothing and furnishing.....	24	61	48	48	181,349	422,041	331,519	470,389	7,556	6,919	6,906	9,790
Dry goods and carpets.....	26	37	33	49	181,174	468,350	597,163	545,127	6,968	12,658	18,096	11,125
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.....	14	36	30	22	90,611	242,253	294,695	388,800	6,472	6,729	9,823	17,672
Furniture and crockery.....	16	25	34	29	154,523	132,580	200,018	212,800	9,658	5,303	5,883	7,337
Hardware, stoves, and tools.....	19	27	25	31	91,504	256,414	186,028	202,505	4,816	9,497	7,441	6,532
Drugs and paints.....	16	27	32	35	76,303	80,081	188,902	476,296	4,769	2,966	5,872	13,608
Jewelry and clocks.....	11	16	12	26	100,903	49,442	60,507	238,605	9,173	3,090	5,042	9,177
Books and papers.....	5	5	7	16	39,069	22,500	117,800	100,645	7,814	4,500	16,828	6,290
Hats, furs, and gloves.....	2	5			36,050	28,842			18,025	5,768		
All other.....	59	108	126	88	480,992	885,580	1,002,040	831,424	8,152	8,199	7,952	9,448
Total trading.....	490	709	704	722	2,495,899	3,987,467	4,658,564	5,529,745	5,094	5,624	6,617	7,658
Brokers and transporters.....	21	18	17	16	518,538	345,627	516,934	305,431	24,692	19,207	30,408	19,089
Total commercial.....	666	927	941	1,000	5,790,096	9,367,802	17,613,477	12,487,697	8,694	10,105	18,718	12,487

See note on page 3148.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	MAY.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Iron, foundries, and nails	4	1	7	8	18,601	75,000	679,400	116,225	4,650	75,000	97,657	14,528
Machinery and tools	4	26	8	10	60,038	634,354	94,709	582,904	15,009	24,398	11,838	58,240
Woolen, carpets, and knit goods	3	7	3	9	101,235	1,117,000	81,000	454,300	33,745	159,571	28,000	50,478
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	1	2	3	7	8,000	50,000	517,300	90,000	8,000	25,000	172,433	15,714
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers	23	39	27	37	156,369	697,710	295,489	504,239	6,799	17,800	10,944	18,676
Clothing and millinery	23	17	21	36	335,911	145,750	133,495	383,310	14,605	8,574	6,357	10,047
Hats, gloves, and furs	2	3	2	3	10,700	83,505	67,400	97,558	5,350	27,835	33,700	32,519
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	2	5	6	7	6,600	76,775	39,500	222,181	3,300	13,355	6,583	31,740
Printing and engraving	8	21	12	14	43,100	339,100	101,370	393,423	5,387	16,148	8,472	28,101
Milling and baking	7	8	7	8	107,612	40,768	169,908	33,950	15,373	5,096	24,272	4,487
Leather, shoes, and harness	8	10	16	11	38,994	525,282	738,541	284,754	4,874	52,528	46,159	25,887
Liquors and tobacco	7	6	10	10	44,534	258,392	248,027	89,000	6,362	43,065	24,802	8,900
Glass, earthenware, and brick	2	6	4	8	35,600	52,356	224,300	17,928	17,800	8,726	56,075	2,241
All other	51	60	73	88	355,172	1,191,700	1,206,106	1,354,456	6,964	19,861	16,522	15,391
Total manufacturing	145	211	199	256	1,322,466	5,287,701	4,590,845	4,624,228	9,120	25,060	23,115	18,063
TRADERS.												
General stores	71	105	77	78	389,033	568,942	331,214	498,791	5,479	5,418	4,302	6,395
Groceries, meats, and fish	93	164	162	136	288,387	685,717	474,541	947,651	3,101	4,181	2,929	6,968
Hotels and restaurants	34	27	38	27	268,440	127,502	157,910	680,798	7,895	4,722	4,155	25,214
Liquors and tobacco	46	83	73	57	100,866	464,972	492,679	402,198	4,149	5,602	6,749	7,056
Clothing and furnishing	28	76	72	54	172,988	873,711	687,535	515,600	6,178	11,496	9,548	9,548
Dry goods and carpets	20	39	44	37	200,035	291,538	702,713	933,782	10,000	7,476	15,971	25,237
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	23	42	37	41	92,970	315,971	142,326	248,623	4,042	7,523	3,847	6,064
Furniture and crockery	15	17	25	16	209,606	80,420	234,821	87,136	13,974	4,731	9,393	5,446
Hardware, stoves, and tools	11	23	35	39	68,384	163,162	485,147	357,526	6,217	7,094	13,861	9,167
Drugs and paints	13	31	34	37	124,916	182,511	161,460	331,654	9,609	5,887	4,749	8,964
Jewelry and clocks	3	16	18	16	12,500	328,271	107,300	168,544	4,166	20,517	5,961	10,534
Books and papers	7	4	8	8	32,486	17,600	52,007	97,219	4,641	4,400	6,751	12,152
Hats, furs, and gloves	2	4	3	9	4,000	32,000	23,500	331,479	2,000	8,000	7,833	26,831
All other	54	80	76	82	358,624	955,658	785,877	1,493,757	6,641	11,945	10,340	18,216
Total trading	420	711	702	637	2,413,235	5,087,995	4,839,010	7,094,767	5,746	7,156	6,893	11,137
Brokers and transporters	16	33	35	24	84,985	754,383	1,880,534	577,353	5,311	22,860	53,729	24,056
Total commercial	581	955	936	917	3,820,686	11,130,079	11,319,389	12,296,348	6,576	11,655	12,093	13,409

See note on page 3148.

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	JUNE.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Iron, foundries and nails	2	8	15	6	63,000	268,569	1,488,037	376,476	31,500	33,571	99,202	62,746
Machinery and tools	15	26	17	11	119,748	982,925	630,136	680,377	7,983	37,805	37,066	61,852
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	1	1	1	3	150,000	40,000	18,000	1,431,000	150,000	40,000	18,000	493,666
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	1	2	3	6	2,000	21,750	8,000	55,500	2,000	10,875	2,666	9,250
Lumber, carpenters and coopers	27	34	27	35	228,473	594,275	464,333	700,673	8,463	17,479	17,197	20,019
Clothing and millinery	20	31	25	26	171,030	486,169	173,477	277,157	8,551	15,683	6,939	10,659
Hats, gloves, and furs	6	5	5	2	34,884	28,178	30,500	2,000	5,814	5,036	6,100	1,000
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	5	7	5	9	119,500	39,151	67,325	147,600	23,900	5,593	13,465	16,400
Printing and engraving	19	17	24	21	180,087	1,135,348	358,393	217,809	9,478	66,785	14,933	10,371
Milling and baking	5	11	12	19	10,039	52,800	352,381	444,384	2,007	4,800	29,365	23,388
Leather, shoes, and harness	8	8	14	16	188,023	99,700	282,813	417,180	23,503	12,463	20,200	26,073
Liquors and tobacco	9	9	18	10	219,167	274,692	225,165	43,000	24,352	30,454	12,509	4,300
Glass, earthenware, and brick	4	10	9	6	54,500	150,767	159,900	85,899	13,625	15,077	16,766	14,316
All other	47	76	63	114	342,719	2,625,855	2,115,550	3,280,929	7,292	34,551	33,580	28,780
Total manufacturing	169	245	238	284	1,833,165	6,799,579	6,365,010	8,209,984	11,143	27,753	26,743	28,908
TRADERS.												
General stores	89	125	87	118	428,153	739,167	670,218	687,966	4,811	5,913	7,703	5,830
Groceries, meats, and fish	171	207	160	153	498,072	924,323	616,080	582,836	2,912	4,465	3,850	3,839
Hotels and restaurants	25	44	40	16	76,950	276,810	319,469	163,832	3,078	6,291	7,985	10,239
Liquors and tobacco	81	105	73	66	264,064	407,597	679,938	689,906	3,267	3,881	9,313	10,316
Clothing and furnishing	54	81	77	75	366,191	877,350	862,773	887,376	6,781	10,832	11,204	11,831
Dry goods and carpets	28	46	42	43	133,072	775,650	700,869	884,598	4,753	16,862	16,687	20,572
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	23	54	44	33	201,551	489,227	410,503	466,067	8,763	9,060	9,329	14,123
Furniture and crockery	22	30	34	21	172,330	146,331	623,944	176,134	7,833	4,878	18,351	8,387
Hardware, stoves, and tools	14	25	25	33	52,824	126,546	453,854	336,446	3,772	5,162	18,154	10,195
Drugs and paints	33	37	41	42	146,137	154,238	176,515	168,285	4,428	4,170	4,305	4,006
Jewelry and clocks	10	17	14	20	66,438	150,388	143,152	236,061	6,644	8,846	10,225	14,303
Books and papers	5	9	12	10	27,769	23,156	79,362	44,860	5,554	2,573	6,613	4,480
Hats, furs, and gloves	1	3	6	3	2,500	101,736	61,643	44,000	2,500	23,912	10,273	14,666
All other	87	89	95	146	627,961	1,217,780	1,934,835	1,915,429	7,218	13,762	20,366	13,119
Total trading	643	872	750	779	3,064,612	6,410,349	7,733,065	7,324,786	4,766	7,351	10,810	9,402
Brokers and transporters	22	32	24	15	352,343	790,265	653,935	125,732	16,016	24,696	27,247	8,382
Total commercial	834	1,149	1,012	1,078	5,300,120	14,000,193	14,752,010	15,600,502	6,355	12,185	14,577	14,527

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FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

BUSINESS.	QUARTER ENDING JUNE.											
	NUMBER.				LIABILITIES.				AVERAGE.			
	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896	1899	1898	1897	1896
MANUFACTURERS.												
Iron, foundries, and nails	7	12	31	27	<i>Dollars.</i> 331,601	<i>Dollars.</i> 366,569	<i>Dollars.</i> 2,931,856	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,161,480	<i>Dollars.</i> 47,371	<i>Dollars.</i> 30,547	<i>Dollars.</i> 94,576	<i>Dollars.</i> 43,017
Machinery and tools	32	72	30	27	378,781	2,181,927	766,103	1,295,681	11,837	30,305	25,536	47,988
Woolens, carpets, and knit goods	7	11	10	27	301,754	1,325,000	367,300	2,878,906	43,108	120,455	30,730	106,626
Cottons, lace, and hosiery	4	6	20	23	13,000	326,750	8,769,534	353,500	3,250	54,458	438,476	15,369
Lumber, carpenters, and coopers	71	110	80	121	1,059,295	1,760,348	1,255,895	2,765,617	14,918	16,003	15,698	22,856
Clothing and millinery	60	69	72	83	568,150	1,035,866	405,659	1,124,014	9,469	15,013	5,634	13,542
Hats, gloves, and furs	10	9	8	10	68,727	112,433	101,700	140,058	6,872	12,493	12,712	14,005
Chemicals, drugs, and paints	9	14	14	20	329,100	117,626	111,525	576,681	36,567	8,402	7,966	28,834
Printing and engraving	39	51	49	51	280,725	1,555,050	545,967	774,654	7,198	30,491	11,142	15,189
Milling and baking	22	30	34	44	472,241	170,001	1,370,289	710,834	21,465	5,667	40,302	16,155
Leather, shoes, and harness	28	28	44	38	319,105	888,782	1,103,737	891,934	11,399	31,742	25,084	23,471
Liquors and tobacco	26	17	39	34	567,367	576,484	674,436	804,721	21,821	33,911	17,293	23,668
Glass, earthenware, and brick	10	20	17	20	102,500	347,810	411,200	212,148	10,250	17,391	24,188	10,667
All other	144	207	209	277	1,188,944	6,357,342	4,587,633	5,796,505	8,256	30,712	21,950	20,926
Total manufacturing	469	656	657	802	5,981,290	17,121,988	23,402,834	19,486,733	12,753	26,101	35,620	24,297
TRADERS.												
General stores	240	312	275	313	1,176,116	1,669,657	1,734,417	2,041,238	4,900	5,351	6,307	6,521
Groceries, meats, and fish	409	569	465	443	1,245,994	2,348,003	1,634,862	2,078,388	3,046	4,127	3,515	4,601
Hotels and restaurants	81	96	109	76	396,603	590,803	585,138	1,047,784	4,896	6,154	5,368	13,786
Liquors and tobacco	178	245	218	197	649,273	985,942	1,447,414	1,540,772	3,648	4,024	6,639	7,821
Clothing and furnishing	106	218	197	177	720,528	2,173,102	1,881,827	1,873,374	6,797	9,968	9,552	10,584
Dry goods and carpets	74	122	119	129	514,281	1,535,558	2,000,745	2,363,507	6,950	12,587	16,729	18,324
Shoes, rubbers, and trunks	60	132	111	96	385,132	1,047,451	847,524	1,103,490	6,419	7,935	7,635	11,494
Furniture and crockery	53	72	93	66	536,459	359,331	1,058,783	476,070	10,122	4,991	11,363	7,213
Hardware, stoves, and tools	44	75	85	103	212,712	546,122	1,125,029	896,477	4,834	7,282	13,235	8,703
Drugs and paints	62	95	107	114	347,356	416,880	526,877	976,235	5,602	4,388	4,924	8,563
Jewelry and clocks	24	49	44	62	179,841	528,101	310,959	693,210	7,493	10,778	7,067	11,180
Books and papers	17	18	27	34	99,324	63,256	249,169	242,004	5,842	3,515	9,230	7,137
Hats, furs, and gloves	5	12	9	12	42,550	162,578	85,143	375,479	8,510	13,548	9,460	31,289
All other	200	277	297	316	1,467,577	3,059,027	3,742,752	4,240,610	7,338	11,043	12,602	13,419
Total trading	1,553	2,292	2,156	2,138	7,973,746	15,485,811	17,230,639	19,949,298	5,134	6,756	7,992	9,330
Brokers and transporters	59	83	76	55	955,866	1,890,275	3,051,403	1,008,516	16,201	22,774	40,150	18,336
Total commercial	2,081	3,031	2,889	2,095	14,910,902	34,498,074	43,684,876	40,444,547	7,165	11,382	15,121	13,504
Banking	16	24	42	35	6,784,733	2,104,178	4,724,757	4,000,199	424,016	87,674	112,494	114,291

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	MANUFACTURERS.														
	Iron, foundries and rails.	Machinery and tools.	Woolens, carpets, and knit goods.	Cottons, lace, and hosiery.	Lumber, carpenters, and coopers.	Clothing and millinery.	Hats, gloves, and furs.	Chemicals, drugs, and paints.	Printing and engraving.	Milling and baking.	Leather, shoes, and harness.	Liquors and tobacco.	Glass, earthenware, and brick.	All other.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—January	180,000	80,000	30,000	50,000	240,000	110,000	70,000	30,000	80,000	230,000	280,000	80,000	240,000	1,590,000	3,310,000
February	360,000	50,000	100,000	60,000	480,000	260,000	190,000	40,000	60,000	90,000	90,000	110,000	270,000	1,710,000	3,900,000
March	510,000	990,000	.....	60,000	490,000	430,000	160,000	280,000	130,000	200,000	170,000	4,960,000	20,000	4,610,000	13,010,000
April	290,000	190,000	10,000	560,000	370,000	160,000	210,000	180,000	70,000	580,000	210,000	400,000	110,000	1,160,000	4,520,000
May	140,000	40,000	90,000	30,000	340,000	70,000	370,000	50,000	80,000	180,000	120,000	140,000	170,000	1,580,000	3,400,000
June	180,000	210,000	130,000	100,000	320,000	320,000	.....	480,000	70,000	180,000	190,000	340,000	40,000	9,580,000	12,160,000
July	60,000	150,000	120,000	40,000	120,000	230,000	.....	30,000	70,000	140,000	30,000	140,000	40,000	1,690,000	2,870,000
August	190,000	510,000	50,000	10,000	120,000	190,000	50,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	80,000	90,000	100,000	2,510,000	4,130,000
September ..	90,000	120,000	90,000	40,000	720,000	1,110,000	90,000	70,000	760,000	40,000	150,000	290,000	80,000	1,550,000	5,210,000
October	860,000	80,000	1,290,000	240,000	1,580,000	1,060,000	110,000	150,000	70,000	90,000	50,000	240,000	210,000	860,000	6,900,000
November ..	140,000	540,000	180,000	50,000	500,000	340,000	130,000	320,000	60,000	40,000	200,000	220,000	230,000	1,300,000	4,250,000
December ..	1,120,000	400,000	200,000	60,000	780,000	440,000	510,000	40,000	200,000	20,000	130,000	70,000	60,000	6,220,000	10,260,000
	4,120,000	3,360,000	2,290,000	1,300,000	6,060,000	4,720,000	1,890,000	1,690,000	1,780,000	1,860,000	1,700,000	7,080,000	1,570,000	34,360,000	73,920,000
1896—January	530,000	730,000	190,000	10,000	1,260,000	370,000	170,000	120,000	330,000	220,000	800,000	1,450,000	110,000	2,260,000	8,580,000
February	240,000	100,000	70,000	820,000	620,000	220,000	30,000	60,000	430,000	70,000	300,000	530,000	180,000	1,820,000	5,500,000
March	630,000	1,130,000	1,090,000	70,000	2,840,000	530,000	180,000	610,000	390,000	680,000	140,000	240,000	180,000	700,000	9,420,000
April	670,000	30,000	940,000	210,000	1,560,000	460,000	40,000	210,000	160,000	230,000	190,000	670,000	110,000	1,160,000	6,650,000
May	120,000	580,000	450,000	90,000	500,000	380,000	100,000	220,000	390,000	30,000	280,000	90,000	20,000	1,350,000	4,620,000
June	380,000	680,000	1,480,000	60,000	700,000	280,000	.....	150,000	220,000	440,000	420,000	40,000	90,000	3,280,000	8,210,000
July	700,000	280,000	460,000	60,000	1,460,000	320,000	50,000	570,000	850,000	130,000	80,000	230,000	730,000	1,630,000	7,570,000
August	600,000	370,000	160,000	120,000	3,790,000	110,000	20,000	50,000	40,000	650,000	60,000	230,300	190,000	6,160,000	13,100,000
September ..	350,000	580,000	600,000	720,000	1,310,000	330,000	50,000	170,000	80,000	230,000	880,000	1,600,000	20,000	4,890,000	11,810,000
October	190,000	330,000	2,070,000	80,000	730,000	690,000	30,000	150,000	170,000	220,000	180,000	450,000	50,000	1,580,000	6,940,000
November ..	70,000	540,000	150,000	280,000	560,000	520,000	70,000	100,000	180,000	100,000	140,000	240,000	40,000	1,660,000	4,660,000
December ..	580,000	390,000	690,000	130,000	970,000	370,000	350,000	240,000	270,000	1,010,000	500,000	2,510,000	340,000	3,040,000	11,390,000
	5,060,000	5,740,000	8,350,000	2,650,000	16,300,000	4,580,000	1,090,000	2,650,000	3,510,000	4,010,000	3,970,000	8,280,000	2,060,000	29,530,000	98,450,000
1897—January	1,550,000	490,000	120,000	20,000	760,000	170,000	20,000	90,000	190,000	360,000	450,000	1,950,000	280,000	2,090,000	8,570,000
February	520,000	640,000	290,000	300,000	830,000	470,000	.....	170,000	190,000	130,000	230,000	150,000	540,000	2,530,000	7,110,000
March	190,000	570,000	140,000	150,000	910,000	100,000	20,000	150,000	560,000	450,000	550,000	120,000	120,000	2,690,000	6,730,000
April	760,000	40,000	260,000	8,540,000	500,000	100,000	.....	90,000	850,000	80,000	200,000	40,000	40,000	1,260,000	12,140,000
May	680,000	90,000	80,000	520,000	290,000	130,000	70,000	40,000	100,000	170,000	740,000	250,000	220,000	1,210,000	4,600,000
June	1,490,000	630,000	120,000	10,000	460,000	170,000	30,000	70,000	360,000	350,000	280,000	220,000	150,000	2,120,000	6,360,000
July	20,000	190,000	250,000	110,000	190,000	190,000	30,000	20,000	50,000	110,000	40,000	30,000	160,000	1,150,000	2,550,000
August	120,000	350,000	10,000	220,000	420,000	120,000	10,000	30,000	220,000	110,000	240,000	260,000	50,000	1,430,000	3,580,000
September ..	380,000	410,000	40,000	40,000	510,000	140,000	30,000	60,000	210,000	70,000	460,000	180,000	110,000	680,000	3,320,000
October	20,000	130,000	10,000	30,000	320,000	360,000	30,000	90,000	160,000	80,000	60,000	440,000	140,000	990,000	2,880,000
November ..	80,000	180,000	.....	120,000	1,610,000	260,000	90,000	70,000	880,000	50,000	230,000	150,000	10,000	590,000	4,330,000
December ..	130,000	990,000	260,000	30,000	580,000	250,000	360,000	30,000	210,000	210,000	150,000	580,000	150,000	1,530,000	5,340,000
	5,940,000	4,710,000	1,580,000	10,090,000	7,380,000	2,460,000	490,000	820,000	3,220,000	2,940,000	3,510,000	4,530,000	1,970,000	18,370,000	68,510,000
1898—January	334,500	301,601	.....	56,800	771,263	95,911	52,319	44,702	41,498	104,622	243,338	187,300	198,976	621,225	3,054,055
February	7,000	1,113,862	314,800	38,000	636,791	216,982	75,300	136,907	36,003	93,200	163,650	104,002	110,942	591,299	3,639,339
March	186,000	607,156	26,800	370,000	1,215,475	154,312	62,781	2,173,644	122,266	79,900	199,600	307,334	73,358	1,374,136	6,952,762
April	23,000	564,648	168,000	255,000	468,363	403,938	750	1,700	80,602	76,433	263,800	44,000	144,687	2,539,787	5,034,708
May	75,000	634,354	1,117,000	50,000	697,710	145,759	83,505	76,775	339,100	40,768	525,282	258,392	52,356	1,191,700	5,287,701
June	208,509	982,925	40,000	21,750	594,275	486,169	28,178	39,151	1,135,348	52,800	99,700	274,092	150,767	2,625,855	7,799,579
July	301,000	824,400	53,500	25,000	259,000	52,943	.....	52,000	153,100	361,559	184,913	148,392	186,900	1,700,958	4,303,665
August	2,600	195,100	89,500	12,200	105,136	80,755	700	47,300	20,695	71,200	176,500	88,300	152,600	838,647	1,881,233
September ..	121,709	509,700	.....	1,084,300	320,313	137,354	30,500	16,707	157,524	45,832	127,050	12,400	118,000	1,241,810	3,923,199
October	65,000	822,000	1,987,600	70,123	555,715	195,380	15,500	61,670	21,248	49,000	1,312,801	159,800	28,500	1,802,873	7,146,710
November ..	215,635	188,900	35,500	600	254,449	268,216	68,177	21,500	62,700	5,050	7,230	86,350	12,800	1,996,506	3,223,613
December ..	506,176	541,743	2,596,000	32,800	455,955	189,225	87,500	161,300	93,413	139,200	292,586	180,450</			

FAILURES, LIABILITIES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS AND MONTHS—Continued.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

MONTHS.	TRADERS.														
	General stores.	Groceries, meats, and fish.	Hotels and restaurants.	Liquors and tobacco.	Clothing and furnishing.	Dry goods and carpets.	Shoes, rubbers, and trunks.	Furniture and crockery.	Hardware, stoves, and tools.	Drugs and paints.	Jewelry and clocks.	Books and papers.	Hats, furs, and gloves.	All other.	Total.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1895—January	2,110,000	1,060,000	190,000	710,000	680,000	2,070,000	490,000	320,000	370,000	350,000	490,000	180,000	310,000	1,870,000	11,220,000
February	1,030,000	1,000,000	180,000	1,050,000	540,000	1,160,000	480,000	230,000	140,000	250,000	130,000	110,000	40,000	1,040,000	7,430,000
March	970,000	480,000	230,000	740,000	780,000	840,000	350,000	370,000	210,000	130,000	260,000	100,000	40,000	1,320,000	6,830,000
April	1,650,000	890,000	130,000	380,000	510,000	630,000	240,000	190,000	280,000	170,000	230,000	130,000	30,000	910,000	6,320,000
May	1,110,000	660,000	220,000	490,000	460,000	430,000	310,000	110,000	340,000	80,000	20,000	100,000	270,000	1,550,000	6,140,000
June	520,000	730,000	130,000	550,000	570,000	1,610,000	300,000	100,000	140,000	140,000	260,000	100,000	220,000	1,830,000	7,230,000
July	410,000	410,000	500,000	180,000	524,000	790,000	170,000	90,000	230,000	130,000	70,000	160,000	150,000	2,870,000	6,700,000
August	490,000	520,000	540,000	250,000	820,000	1,090,000	170,000	50,000	680,000	210,000	90,000	110,000	30,000	1,220,000	6,270,000
September	620,000	510,000	270,000	170,000	490,000	270,000	150,000	100,000	250,000	950,000	220,000	80,000		1,360,000	5,460,000
October	1,400,000	620,000	380,000	530,000	1,490,000	890,000	740,000	130,000	430,000	220,000	150,000	70,000	50,000	1,180,000	8,280,000
November	1,340,000	530,000	90,000	310,000	1,230,000	1,000,000	210,000	100,000	420,000	150,000	80,000	80,000	150,000	1,310,000	6,990,000
December	1,570,000	810,000	660,000	630,000	1,660,000	1,450,000	440,000	280,000	520,000	230,000	480,000	80,000	160,000	4,550,000	13,830,000
	13,250,000	8,130,000	3,520,000	6,000,000	9,750,000	12,230,000	4,050,000	2,070,000	4,010,000	3,010,000	2,480,000	1,300,000	1,450,000	21,310,000	92,700,000
1896—January	1,470,000	1,680,000	150,000	660,000	1,350,000	1,370,000	2,050,000	250,000	330,000	480,000	390,000	410,000	100,000	1,430,000	12,140,000
February	1,120,000	910,000	190,000	400,000	370,000	600,000	510,000	140,000	590,000	90,000	230,000	90,000	60,000	1,170,000	6,610,000
March	1,280,000	1,220,000	210,000	440,000	1,590,000	2,760,000	700,000	540,000	370,000	240,000	230,000	170,000	60,000	2,770,000	12,670,000
April	850,000	550,000	200,000	460,000	470,000	550,000	390,000	210,000	200,000	480,000	240,000	100,000		830,000	5,530,000
May	500,000	950,000	680,000	400,000	523,000	930,000	250,000	90,000	360,000	330,000	170,000	100,000	330,000	1,490,000	7,090,000
June	690,000	580,000	160,000	680,000	830,000	880,000	470,000	180,000	340,000	170,000	290,000	40,000	40,000	1,920,000	7,320,000
July	690,000	700,000	80,000	730,000	240,000	760,000	210,000	150,000	350,000	180,000	100,000	240,000	30,000	2,460,000	6,910,000
August	460,000	620,000	160,000	340,000	870,000	2,470,000	450,000	600,000	320,000	100,000	700,000	20,000	50,000	1,880,000	9,060,000
September	1,110,000	920,000	480,000	820,000	930,000	2,630,000	490,000	880,000	720,000	390,000	470,000	270,000	20,000	2,650,000	12,780,000
October	1,030,000	690,000	270,000	350,000	1,070,000	1,640,000	380,000	150,000	430,000	150,000	150,000	90,000	70,000	920,000	7,420,000
November	1,350,000	510,000	200,000	350,000	1,730,000	1,160,000	223,000	260,000	400,000	170,000	90,000	10,000	20,000	1,020,000	7,480,000
December	1,840,000	1,490,000	390,000	700,000	1,750,000	2,960,000	1,440,000	420,000	710,000	340,000	480,000	60,000	120,000	1,340,000	14,040,000
	12,390,000	10,820,000	3,170,000	6,420,000	11,780,000	18,710,000	7,560,000	3,870,000	5,120,000	3,120,000	3,600,000	1,610,000	900,000	19,880,000	109,050,000
1897—January	1,110,000	870,000	320,000	540,000	760,000	1,090,000	630,000	240,000	530,000	300,000	1,130,000	230,000	30,000	1,600,000	9,390,000
February	810,000	600,000	340,000	400,000	540,000	740,000	520,000	290,000	470,000	190,000	130,000	50,000	60,000	930,000	6,130,000
March	780,000	1,140,000	90,000	530,000	680,000	830,000	530,000	420,000	520,000	300,000	400,000	170,000	30,000	2,110,000	8,530,000
April	730,000	540,000	110,000	270,000	330,000	600,000	290,000	200,000	190,000	190,000	60,000	120,000		1,000,000	4,660,000
May	330,000	470,000	160,000	490,000	690,000	700,000	140,000	230,000	490,000	160,000	110,000	50,000	20,000	790,000	4,840,000
June	670,000	620,000	320,000	680,000	860,000	700,000	410,000	620,000	450,000	170,000	140,000	80,000	60,000	1,930,000	7,730,000
July	420,000	380,000	470,000	310,000	460,000	510,000	160,000	280,000	200,000	120,000	50,000	70,000	20,000	690,000	4,140,000
August	430,000	410,000	150,000	510,000	340,000	350,000	340,000	80,000	430,000	180,000	110,000	170,000	10,000	660,000	4,180,000
September	530,000	520,000	140,000	270,000	510,000	400,000	530,000	160,000	280,000	180,000	70,000	50,000	10,000	810,000	4,510,000
October	590,000	360,000	130,000	460,000	340,000	1,480,000	260,000	60,000	270,000	170,000	30,000	20,000	210,000	570,000	4,940,000
November	1,050,000	470,000	350,000	220,000	730,000	1,150,000	170,000	90,000	310,000	170,000	140,000	60,000	60,000	480,000	5,450,000
December	1,730,000	1,230,000	240,000	430,000	1,060,000	1,490,000	580,000	310,000	790,000	240,000	340,000	180,000	90,000	1,210,000	9,990,000
	9,230,000	7,670,000	2,820,000	5,110,000	7,300,000	10,040,000	4,510,000	2,980,000	4,930,000	2,370,000	2,710,000	1,250,000	610,000	12,780,000	74,490,000
1898—January	1,003,659	778,617	357,317	471,107	859,554	439,028	356,403	328,462	303,292	260,098	165,785	91,964	836,600	761,128	7,022,014
February	679,041	716,051	55,456	202,279	313,902	830,812	304,297	207,100	401,238	172,316	142,769	223,382	14,854	877,541	5,148,032
March	969,333	861,367	102,925	291,586	520,817	467,802	204,244	270,970	377,508	177,095	151,064	57,200	68,700	780,158	5,300,769
April	361,548	737,963	186,491	113,373	422,041	468,350	242,253	132,580	256,414	80,081	49,442	22,500	28,842	885,589	3,987,467
May	568,942	685,717	127,562	464,972	873,711	201,558	315,971	80,423	163,162	182,511	328,271	17,600	32,000	955,658	5,087,995
June	739,167	924,323	276,810	407,597	877,350	775,650	489,227	146,331	126,546	154,288	150,388	23,156	101,736	1,217,780	6,410,349
July	326,090	471,346	216,113	333,724	135,611	366,085	222,525	118,084	111,806	126,884	56,124	11,700	15,000	860,322	3,371,414
August	268,439	374,883	50,467	338,459	265,295	438,034	917,265	31,353	215,409	77,465	25,127	46,286	158,500	612,174	3,819,156
September	491,302	574,099	241,050	253,534	205,720	352,112	236,867	334,940	447,950	130,105	82,374	29,627	170,837	854,425	4,404,852
October	676,559	434,849	116,543	241,451	324,806	1,967,302	403,904	58,794	269,499	168,480	22,400	11,200	3,560	398,186	5,097,533
November	790,930	502,077	141,399	153,709	732,299	323,931	72,364	276,685	157,616	119,351	69,673	105,178	21,000	510,899	

FAILURES IN THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

QUARTERLY STATEMENTS OF FAILURES AND AVERAGE OF LIABILITIES, 1875-1899.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR THE YEAR.		
	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.	Num-ber fail-ures.	Amount of liabilities.	Aver-age liabili-ties.
		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.
1875.....	1,952	43,173,000	21,782	1,582	33,667,000	21,295	1,771	54,328,000	30,676	2,405	70,888,000	29,475	7,740	201,060,333	25,960
1876.....	2,806	64,644,000	23,039	1,794	43,771,000	24,398	2,450	47,857,371	19,533	2,042	34,844,893	17,064	9,092	191,117,786	21,020
1877.....	2,869	54,538,074	19,010	1,880	45,068,097	23,972	1,816	42,346,085	23,318	2,307	48,717,680	21,117	8,872	190,669,936	21,491
1878.....	3,355	82,078,826	24,464	2,470	48,753,940	19,738	2,853	66,378,363	23,266	1,800	37,172,003	20,651	10,478	234,383,132	22,369
1879.....	2,524	43,112,665	17,081	1,534	22,666,725	14,776	1,262	15,275,550	12,104	1,338	17,094,113	12,775	6,658	98,149,053	14,741
1880.....	1,432	12,777,074	8,922	1,065	20,111,689	18,884	979	12,121,422	12,381	1,259	20,741,815	16,474	4,735	65,752,000	13,886
1881.....	1,761	24,447,250	13,900	1,105	16,499,395	14,931	1,024	10,112,365	9,875	1,692	30,096,922	17,600	5,582	81,155,932	14,530
1882.....	2,127	33,338,271	15,670	1,470	17,242,649	11,722	1,300	18,942,893	14,571	1,841	32,023,751	17,394	6,738	101,547,564	15,070
1883.....	2,821	38,372,643	13,602	1,816	27,816,391	15,317	1,803	52,072,884	28,881	2,744	54,612,254	19,902	9,184	172,874,172	18,823
1884.....	3,296	40,186,978	12,193	2,214	84,204,304	37,998	2,346	56,627,821	24,138	3,112	45,324,324	14,547	10,968	226,343,427	20,632
1885.....	3,658	46,121,051	12,608	2,346	28,601,304	12,091	2,173	23,874,391	10,986	2,460	25,623,575	10,416	10,637	124,220,321	11,678
1886.....	3,203	29,681,726	9,266	1,953	20,752,734	15,746	1,932	27,227,630	14,090	2,746	36,982,029	13,467	9,834	114,644,119	11,651
1887.....	3,007	32,161,762	10,695	1,905	22,976,330	12,061	1,938	73,022,550	37,674	2,784	39,400,296	14,152	9,634	167,560,944	17,392
1888.....	2,948	38,884,789	13,190	2,241	29,229,370	13,043	2,361	22,114,254	9,366	3,129	33,601,560	10,738	10,679	123,829,973	11,595
1889.....	3,311	42,972,516	12,979	2,292	22,856,337	9,972	2,276	39,227,045	17,235	3,003	43,728,439	14,561	10,882	148,784,337	13,672
1890.....	3,223	37,852,968	11,747	2,162	27,466,416	12,704	2,196	35,452,436	16,144	3,326	89,085,144	26,784	10,907	189,856,964	17,406
1891.....	3,545	42,167,631	11,894	2,529	50,248,636	19,868	2,754	44,302,494	16,086	3,445	53,149,877	15,428	12,273	189,868,638	15,471
1892.....	3,384	39,284,349	11,609	2,119	22,989,331	10,849	1,984	18,659,235	9,405	2,867	33,111,252	11,549	10,344	114,044,167	11,025
1893.....	3,202	47,338,300	14,784	3,199	121,541,239	37,984	4,015	82,469,821	20,402	4,826	95,430,529	19,770	15,242	346,779,889	22,751
1894.....	4,304	64,137,333	14,900	2,734	37,595,973	13,751	2,868	29,411,196	10,028	3,979	41,848,354	10,172	13,885	172,992,856	12,458
1895.....	3,862	47,813,683	12,577	2,855	41,026,261	14,370	2,792	32,167,179	11,528	3,748	52,188,737	13,924	13,197	173,196,060	13,124
1896.....	4,031	57,425,135	14,246	2,995	40,444,547	13,504	3,757	73,285,349	19,507	4,305	54,941,803	12,762	15,088	226,096,834	14,932
1897.....	3,932	48,007,911	12,210	2,889	43,684,876	15,121	2,881	25,601,188	8,886	3,649	37,038,096	10,150	13,351	154,332,071	11,559
1898.....	3,687	32,916,565	8,926	3,031	34,498,074	11,381	2,540	25,104,778	9,886	2,928	38,113,482	13,017	12,186	130,662,899	10,722
1899.....	2,772	27,152,031	9,795	2,081	14,910,902	7,165									

FAILURES AND AGGREGATE LIABILITIES, 1879-1898.

[From Dun's Review, New York.]

CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.	CALENDAR YEARS.	Number of failures.	Number of business concerns.	Per cent of failures.	Liabilities.
				Dollars.					Dollars.
1879.....	6,658	702,157	.95	98,149,053	1889.....	10,882	1,051,140	1.04	148,784,337
1880.....	4,735	746,823	.63	65,752,000	1890.....	10,907	1,110,590	.98	189,856,964
1881.....	5,582	781,689	.71	81,155,932	1891.....	12,273	1,142,951	1.07	189,868,638
1882.....	6,738	822,256	.82	101,547,546	1892.....	10,344	1,172,705	.88	114,044,167
1883.....	9,184	863,993	1.06	172,874,172	1893.....	15,242	1,193,113	1.28	346,779,889
1884.....	10,968	904,759	1.21	226,343,427	1894.....	13,885	1,114,174	1.25	172,992,856
1885.....	10,637	919,900	1.16	124,220,321	1895.....	13,197	1,209,282	1.09	173,196,060
1886.....	9,834	969,841	1.01	114,644,119	1896.....	15,088	1,151,579	1.31	226,096,834
1887.....	9,634	994,281	.90	167,560,944	1897.....	13,351	1,058,521	1.26	154,332,071
1888.....	10,679	1,046,662	1.02	123,829,973	1898.....	12,186	1,005,830	1.10	130,662,899

MISCELLANEOUS STATEMENTS.

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COMMERCE BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM IN ITS TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES DURING THE MONTH AND SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE, 1897, 1898, AND 1899.

IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of June—			Six months ending June—			Month of June—			Six months ending June—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Animals, living (for food):							£	£	£	£	£	£
Cattle.....No..	35,579	29,883	26,453	217,791	209,785	162,300	602,628	494,370	453,016	3,778,944	3,556,737	2,786,415
Sheep and lambs.....No..	24,535	12,208	9,621	128,347	119,600	102,705	36,605	17,974	14,773	185,534	179,291	156,693
Corn:												
Wheat—												
On the Atlantic...cwt..	2,014,500	2,270,800	1,838,800	9,605,900	13,627,300	15,439,370	667,755	1,095,272	635,523	3,344,044	6,356,228	5,315,357
On the Pacific...cwt..	982,300	82,500	363,800	8,553,200	4,252,800	3,180,300	340,867	44,062	124,224	3,027,800	1,896,183	1,062,267
Meal and flour...cwt..	887,000	1,030,400	883,300	6,851,900	9,554,170	9,992,900	402,398	659,614	397,574	3,258,839	5,471,385	4,071,425
Barley.....cwt..	284,100	148,400	11,200	2,549,200	2,027,700	364,770	70,493	51,698	3,650	696,079	676,389	129,587
Oats.....cwt..	751,600	590,500	760,500	3,380,200	4,799,270	2,489,400	117,849	168,781	207,400	780,615	1,333,323	684,586
Indian corn or maize...cwt..	2,219,400	4,300,600	2,366,700	23,455,200	24,847,400	19,920,300	352,025	842,863	466,024	3,751,360	4,858,080	4,195,047
Bacon.....cwt..	274,198	292,068	298,270	1,830,162	2,212,244	2,139,243	398,472	468,624	466,640	2,642,640	3,440,958	3,368,699
Beef:												
Salted.....cwt..	14,727	12,907	16,082	82,046	98,057	92,931	17,968	17,400	20,868	101,264	129,665	121,916
Fresh.....cwt..	188,510	217,125	271,616	1,095,436	1,162,903	1,338,854	385,519	451,593	567,894	2,245,716	2,452,979	2,783,492
Hams.....cwt..	183,768	165,593	149,922	774,008	960,145	895,455	402,169	325,364	301,009	1,650,801	1,889,140	1,733,847
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh.....cwt..	4,001	9,670	7,578	30,115	49,995	57,860	6,121	16,160	12,744	44,221	90,765	102,156
Pork, salted (not hams).....cwt..	9,121	9,733	12,173	75,347	92,508	97,074	10,441	12,484	13,434	93,042	122,496	120,932
Butter.....cwt..	12,306	6,225	2,160	68,265	29,509	78,458	50,333	23,757	9,007	286,609	124,512	347,285
Cheese.....cwt..	52,959	27,803	26,953	304,504	291,560	341,842	120,459	53,747	69,582	708,568	621,852	792,406
Fish, cured or salted.....cwt..	23,267	3,932	2,441	241,812	240,258	212,948	53,311	12,546	13,604	509,468	442,511	448,807
Hops.....cwt..	1,075	2,387	4,364	34,871	97,768	86,067	3,067	9,955	17,268	112,007	399,753	426,446
Lard.....cwt..	178,822	190,864	178,027	856,977	1,185,914	1,088,194	189,804	286,516	240,318	954,478	1,609,530	1,518,111
Sugar, refined, and candy.....cwt..	1,833	659	3,229	7,144	5,099	4,839	1,297	763	2,917	6,769	6,619	5,195
Copper, ore.....tons..	13	29	3	629	554	355	235	725	150	7,921	10,950	12,747
Regulus and precipitate.....tons..	956	795	99	8,962	7,121	3,382	27,796	22,989	3,610	264,824	221,668	114,881
Unwrought and part unwrought.....tons..	3,037	3,999	1,161	15,075	19,363	13,457	149,915	208,887	86,539	782,987	998,069	927,400
Iron and steel: Iron, pig and puddled.....tons..	9,057	2,249	6,833	44,597	30,281	58,321	19,745	5,169	21,092	103,106	66,431	145,557
Lead, pig and sheet.....tons..	3,084	2,808	3,410	14,113	16,000	15,844	35,959	38,243	48,113	163,196	203,869	218,980
Oils: Petroleum.....galls..	11,261,458	11,330,001	16,226,184	62,319,838	86,696,786	90,661,234	219,618	198,679	313,140	1,226,366	1,437,798	1,789,867
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	282,065	767,063	459,553	6,302,998	8,322,521	7,007,428	593,624	1,358,819	779,747	13,500,227	14,490,832	11,978,620
Pulp of wood:												
Chemical.....tons..		83	556		2,803	7,349		705	3,593		19,583	45,211
Mechanical.....tons..		27	90		8,987	694		249	407		29,888	3,409
Tallow and stearin.....cwt..	43,801	71,304	74,585	127,031	347,425	347,104	36,101	69,683	78,383	109,636	321,721	363,299
Wood and timber:												
Hewn.....loads..	20,974	15,154	20,873	86,529	66,294	77,091	89,655	67,997	81,026	404,440	318,960	344,280
Sawn or split, planed or dressed.....loads..	82,792	73,925	81,894	278,374	218,552	223,030	208,468	207,554	218,672	761,210	607,421	637,260
Clocks, and parts of.....							8,184	7,410	12,107	41,662	46,346	57,599
Leather.....cwt..	39,852	50,317	50,334	253,323	307,896	355,435	209,732	269,183	267,578	1,295,141	1,653,007	1,862,638
Paper:												
Unprinted.....cwt..	42,455	45,988	42,233	188,213	333,466	222,009	29,934	34,521	28,969	137,676	228,093	162,404
Printed.....cwt..	506	1,065	1,160	4,185	9,130	7,077	1,402	2,975	2,381	8,399	18,348	15,346
Animals: Horses.....No..	1,798	2,275	1,405	18,285	18,393	15,467	54,201	73,620	49,196	529,381	545,049	481,693
Flaxseed or linseed.....qrs..	14,653		32	72,881	1,370	1,552	21,330		76	110,624	2,350	2,887

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ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of June—			Six months ending June—			Month of June—			Six months ending June—		
	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
							£	£	£	£	£	£
Beer and ale.....bbls..	2,380	1,645	2,219	21,384	16,663	21,152	11,584	7,949	9,961	99,845	76,043	92,575
Salt, rock and white.....tons..	6,831	6,973	6,059	59,121	43,617	35,205	8,400	9,452	7,244	56,534	44,011	40,362
Spirits, British and Irish.....proof galls..	29,910	26,151	30,863	280,411	136,217	203,547	13,617	10,787	14,270	117,506	61,012	91,982
Wool, sheep and lambs'.....lbs..	2,836,800	70,400	558,700	19,341,200	1,913,200	4,403,300	109,976	1,655	13,170	722,949	51,369	105,354
Cotton manufactures:												
Piece goods—												
Gray or unbleached .....yds..	877,700	164,000	626,400	3,515,800	886,800	2,604,800	18,054	3,290	9,996	68,531	16,938	44,951
Bleached.....yds..	496,900	724,500	1,175,800	8,231,100	6,793,400	10,559,000	9,621	17,303	21,657	147,239	142,400	218,645
Printed.....yds..	118,800	103,800	47,400	2,623,703	1,701,800	1,506,900	2,748	2,528	1,262	58,091	37,860	33,855
Dyed or manufactured of dyed yarn.....yds..	5,105,500	1,722,000	3,666,000	25,629,700	17,030,100	23,526,500	142,138	47,455	95,250	716,103	443,399	606,078
Total piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	6,598,900	2,714,900	5,515,600	40,000,300	26,412,100	38,197,200	172,561	70,576	128,165	989,964	640,507	903,529
Jute yarn.....lbs..	56,500	42,800	103,100	205,300	229,400	434,500	542	442	959	2,181	2,309	4,162
Jute manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	2,254,400	9,891,000	10,234,300	110,983,900	49,125,800	46,641,000	187,098	76,399	79,540	898,426	396,429	385,164
Linen yarn.....lbs..	103,400	96,500	152,900	447,200	725,000	721,100	5,161	2,675	5,247	22,623	19,026	22,666
Linen manufactures: Piece goods of all kinds.....yds..	14,136,200	6,405,300	7,770,400	72,489,700	46,327,600	47,083,600	257,289	112,850	145,429	1,328,658	826,366	901,310
Silk: Thrown, twist, and yarn.....lbs..	27,248	68,244	79,907	176,057	340,485	444,574	7,378	13,857	18,371	50,511	77,135	94,609
Silk manufactures:												
Wholly of silk—												
Broad stuffs of silk or satin.....yds..	66,835	24,295	40,280	161,448	154,279	159,683	5,161	2,094	2,780	17,813	15,080	18,030
Lace.....							4,153	1,523	2,751	38,700	25,610	26,341
Other articles, of silk only.....							974	682	1,273	6,059	7,246	8,843
Of silk and other mate- rials.....							8,131	3,734	5,691	35,367	38,187	35,300
Woolen yarn.....lbs..	4,200	100	300	49,100	2,000	1,300	303	15	18	3,629	185	153
Worsted yarn.....lbs..	150,200	1,400	14,400	565,400	71,800	62,200	13,862	173	1,983	55,772	7,292	7,954
Woolen and worsted manufac- tures:												
Woolen tissues.....yds..	1,062,900	99,600	139,500	7,200,300	685,760	995,600	124,160	17,406	23,634	769,782	114,719	157,363
Worsted tissues.....yds..	6,845,200	972,000	1,018,200	35,411,900	7,668,500	6,128,800	387,498	51,109	72,479	2,033,692	420,234	374,286
Carpets, not being rugs .....yds..	24,000	7,900	12,100	185,000	90,600	102,700	6,270	1,133	3,113	35,387	15,533	22,522
Metals, and articles manufac- tured therefrom, except ma- chinery:												
Hardwares, unenumerated.....							18,351	844	3,037	109,925	8,667	16,593
Cutlery.....								2,563	5,430		31,182	33,702
Iron and steel:												
Iron, pig.....tons..	944	1,672	2,326	5,548	11,859	10,371	6,091	11,074	14,916	27,669	68,275	69,644
Bar, angle, bolt and rod .....tons..	18	94	755	814	1,054	2,058	266	1,607	9,424	13,271	17,268	30,927
Railroad, of all sorts.....tons..					143	86					940	569
Wire of iron and steel and manufactures of (except telegraph wires).....tons..	63	197	124	833	1,081	1,129	1,294	3,252	3,156	16,875	20,988	23,252
Hoops, sheets, and boiler and armor plates.....tons..		4	46	166	82	132		34	480	1,431	712	1,199
Tin plates and sheets.....tons..	7,172	4,840	5,032	51,080	40,312	26,503	74,701	49,699	56,841	562,895	422,278	283,982
Cast and wrought iron, and all other manufactures unenumerated (except ordnance).....tons..	126	205	156	927	748	926	2,364	4,641	2,694	21,776	18,836	20,135

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	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899	1897	1898	1899
Iron and steel—Continued.							£	£	£	£	£	£
Old, for remanufacture							12	.....	171	47	1,060	171
..... tons..	4	.....	40	16	311	40	19,308	22,834	26,348	143,595	135,688	143,291
Steel, unwrought..... tons..	866	1,059	1,276	7,092	7,000	6,478						
Black plates for tinning												
(iron and steel) tons..	4	41	150	339	494	294	60	369	1,438	3,340	4,637	2,860
Manufactures of steel, or of												
steel and iron combined												
..... tons..	44	97	44	599	313	247	6,383	11,090	7,523	49,482	44,319	44,261
Lead:												
Pig, and manufactures of												
..... tons..	3	.....	9	123	55	39	58	.....	168	1,707	781	723
Tin, unwrought..... cwt..	1,112	516	.....	2,373	1,016	1,161	3,506	1,850	.....	7,799	3,505	6,186
Machinery and millwork, or												
parts thereof:												
Steam engines—												
Locomotives								140	486	252	242	1,523
Agricultural.....								10	.....	15	10	4,840
Other descriptions							150	1,835	498	3,448	3,750	2,289
Not steam engines—												
Agricultural.....									63	97	293	806
Mining.....									1,304	70	18	1,443
Textile.....							14,826	15,310	26,979	110,398	150,300	145,399
Other descriptions							5,838	2,249	10,022	21,287	23,888	37,590
Apparel and articles of per-												
sonal use:												
Apparel and slops.....							4,258	2,685	2,572	27,909	18,396	22,619
Haberdashery and milli-												
nery, including embroid-												
ery and needlework.....							3,069	1,419	1,468	18,362	18,118	12,522
Chemicals, and chemical and												
medicinal preparations:												
Alkali..... cwt..	197,940	67,656	36,566	1,273,878	510,142	274,528	45,870	13,565	8,452	297,233	98,817	56,371
Bleaching materials or												
preparations..... cwt..	69,036	76,207	73,152	345,231	384,214	434,293	21,546	19,593	16,550	110,005	103,972	99,884
All other articles:												
Bags and sacks, empty, for												
packing merchandise												
..... doz..	16,342	46	5,171	71,230	4,247	22,851	1,897	40	787	7,057	579	2,802
Cement..... tons..	5,284	4,303	6,139	38,998	26,835	13,592	8,404	8,343	12,260	63,167	49,682	28,602
Earthen and china ware:												
Earthenware, chinaware,												
parian, and porcelain.....							91,749	53,173	66,647	417,725	287,965	317,963
Paper:												
Writing or printing, and												
envelopes..... cwt..	536	467	426	6,404	5,070	2,306	1,430	866	1,151	16,858	9,344	5,405
All other descriptions..... cwt..	1,130	406	747	6,472	3,592	4,323	3,552	1,879	2,622	22,392	12,467	15,027
Saddlery and harness.....							4,708	3,366	4,927	22,540	18,892	21,904
Skins and furs of all sorts.....							114,770	50,968	94,106	318,727	331,374	465,866
Stationery, other than paper.....							5,019	5,129	4,810	29,336	30,194	29,975

AMERICAN COMMERCE.

1821-1898.

TRANSPORTATION ROUTES BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER AMERICAN COUNTRIES.

— RAILROADS IN OPERATION
— RAILROADS UNDER CONSTRUCTION
— PROPOSED RAILROADS IN INTERCONTINENTAL RAILWAY CONVENTION
— PROPOSED EXTENSIONS INTERCONTINENTAL RAILWAY CONVENTION
— STEAMSHIP LINES

NOTE. Cuban and South American railway lines from report of Intercontinental Railway Commission

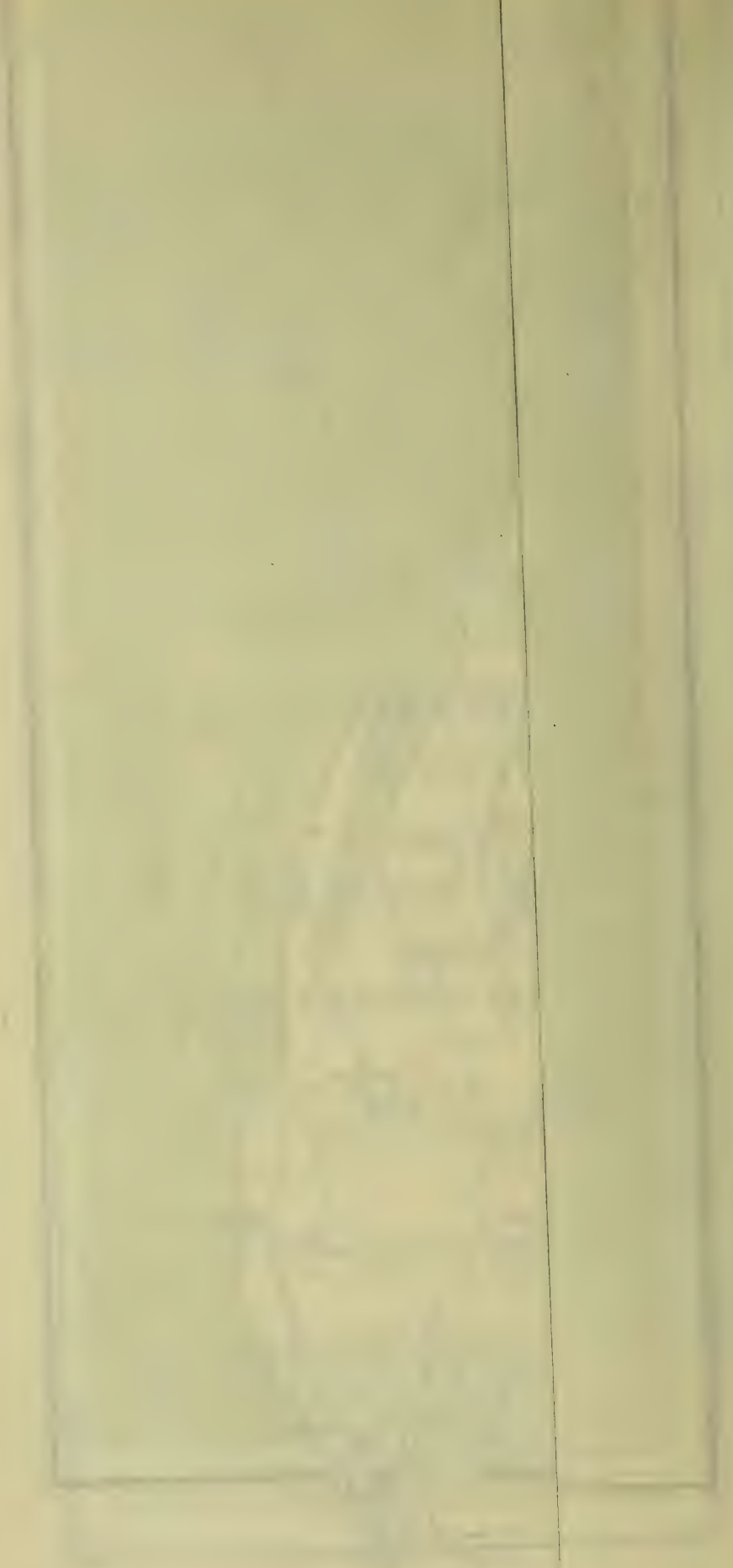
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DENSITY OF POPULATION IN SOUTH AMERICA

SCALE 1:100,000



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AMERICAN COMMERCE.

The commerce of the United States with the American countries lying south of her borders has long been an object of solicitude to her statesmen, economists, and business men. With the English-speaking people of American territory lying upon the north her commercial relations have rapidly grown and proven mutually satisfactory. With those of another language, occupying the contiguous territory at the south, the growth has been slower and less satisfactory, and as the distance increases the growth decreases. To British North America the United States supplies 59 per cent of the total imports for consumption; to Mexico, equally adjacent, but speaking another language than our own, 49 per cent; to the Central American States, next removed by distance, though readily reached by water and now being tapped by railways, 37 per cent; to Colombia, a trifle farther removed, but equally accessible by direct water transportation, 33 per cent; to Venezuela, equally accessible, 27 per cent; to the West Indies, which lie in close proximity, but which have been up to the present time controlled by commercial nations whose policy in many cases has been to retain their commerce for their own people, 20 per cent; to the Guianas, also readily reached by water, 25 per cent of the imports of British Guiana, 17 per cent of those of Dutch Guiana, and but less than 6 per cent of those of French Guiana.

Up to this point the study of the growth of commerce between the United States and other American countries is fairly satisfactory. Beginning with 59 per cent of the import trade of Canada, 49 per cent of that of Mexico, and ranging on downward along the Gulf of Mexico and Caribbean Sea, a fairly satisfactory share of the commerce of those countries is enjoyed by the people of the United States; though it will be conceded that her people have a right to expect a larger share of the commerce of the countries lying so near at hand, especially in view of the fact that our purchases from them are much larger than our sales to them.

Even this somewhat unsatisfactory condition of trade with the countries bordering upon the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean Sea is, however, gratifying when compared with the trade relations of the United States with the countries of South America bordering upon the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. Of the total imports of all South America, 87 per cent is taken by the countries bordering upon the two oceans, and but 13 per cent by those bordering upon the Caribbean. Marching down the eastern coast of South America, we find Brazil importing, in 1897, goods to the value of over \$105,000,000, of which the United States supplied about 12 per cent; Uruguay and Paraguay, \$22,000,000, of which our share was less than 7 per cent; and Argentina, \$95,000,000, of which less than 7 per cent was from the United States, while a tour of the Pacific coast shows importations into Chile of \$24,000,000; Peru, \$8,700,000; Bolivia, \$11,600,000, and Ecuador, \$7,000,000, the proportion from the United States averaging about 10 per cent. Thus the northern coast of South America, fronting on the Caribbean Sea, imports goods to the value of \$36,000,000, of which we supply an average of 25 per cent; the eastern coast, fronting upon the Atlantic, \$222,000,000, and the Pacific coast, \$51,000,000, of which our proportion is in each case about 10 per cent.

Nor can it be urged that this condition is a temporary one. While exports from the United States to Mexico have grown rapidly, especially since the opening of railway communication, and have experienced a moderate development in the case of the countries bordering upon the Caribbean Sea, the total sales to countries south of us have not grown with the rapidity which has characterized those to the world at large. In 1868 our sales to the countries lying south of us were 20 per cent of our total exports; in 1878, a little less than 10 per cent; in 1888, a fraction above 10 per cent; and in 1898, but 7 per cent of our total exports.

An examination of our list of purchases from the Central and South American countries seems to increase the anomaly presented by their small purchases from us. Of Brazil, we are by far the largest single customer in her chief articles of export, coffee and rubber, while from Argentina and Chile our purchases of wool and hides are also heavy, and for the tropical products of the other countries of South America—sugar, spices, fruits, dyewoods, cabinet woods, textiles, and chemicals—the United States offers a constant and rapidly increasing market. From the countries of South America fronting upon the Atlantic and Pacific, the United States, in 1897, purchased goods valued at \$88,408,119, while her sales to them in that year were but \$24,480,013, or less than one-third of

her purchases from them; in 1898, in spite of the fact that to the whole world our sales were double the amount of our purchases, those to the South American countries beyond the Caribbean Sea were still but about one-third of the amount of our purchases from them.

OUR COMMERCE WITH SOUTH AMERICA UNSATISFACTORY.

It is thus apparent that the United States is not making satisfactory progress in her commerce with the American countries lying at the south, and that this unsatisfactory condition increases in proportion to the distance from the United States. To British North America the sales, as already indicated, have grown rapidly and satisfactorily, and to Mexico exports of merchandise from the United States are showing a gratifying growth, especially since the complete inauguration of close rail communication. To the countries bordering upon the Caribbean Sea, between whose ports and those of the United States there is comparatively frequent steamship communication, the growth of exports has been fairly satisfactory; but to that great stretch of country south of the easternmost point of South America, and extending around Cape Horn and up the entire western coast, conditions are not only unsatisfactory, but apparently growing more so each year.

AN AMERICAN MARKET FOR AMERICAN GOODS.

An examination of the details of the imports of the countries of South America suggests that the wants of their people could be readily supplied by the United States. Cotton goods, clothing, machinery, manufactures of iron and steel, furniture, medicines, coal, mineral oils, flour, provisions, and other merchandise of this character form the principal articles of their large and constantly growing importations—lines in which the manufacturers and producers of the United States are not only successful, but in which they are now proving themselves able to compete with the greatest and most experienced manufacturers and producers of the world. The details as to character, quantity, and source of supply of the articles imported by each of the countries in question are shown by the discussions of the commerce of the respective countries which follow and by the statistical tables covering their commerce for a term of years.

A CIRCUITOUS WATER ROUTE TO SOUTH AMERICAN MARKETS.

A study of the map of the world, and especially that which shows the relation of South America to the United States and Europe, seems to offer a partial explanation of the anomalous conditions with reference to the trade of all the countries lying south of the easternmost point of South America and stretching up its westerly coast. The commerce of the world reaching Brazil (south of the Amazon), Uruguay, Paraguay, and Argentina, on the Atlantic coast; and Chile, Peru, Ecuador, and the interior State of Bolivia, on the west, must reach them by water, and their sales to other parts of the world must also go by water. An examination of the map and of the routes of the steamships, the sole vehicles of transportation for these countries, shows that the markets of Europe are practically as near to all of South America fronting on the Atlantic and Pacific as are those of the United States. This may seem to the casual observer a startling statement, but an examination of the map and of the distances actually traveled by the great steamships following the usual course of commerce between the countries in question will justify it. The easternmost point of South America extends 2,600 miles farther east than New York, and the sailing distance from that point to New York is actually greater than that to the cities of Southern Europe and but slightly less than to the principal commercial cities of England and Germany, our greatest commercial rivals. This fact of itself would place the United States upon practically an equal footing with Europe in the matter of proximity alone; but when it is considered that nearly all of the steamship lines entering the ports of South America are controlled by European capital and European interests, it is not surprising that a large share of the commerce of those countries should be diverted to Europe. Naturally a considerable share of their exports goes direct to Europe, and to that extent it would be quite reasonable to expect that their purchases would be from that part of the world.

The fact that the exports from the United States to Europe greatly exceed the imports from Europe make it practicable for the vessels which bring the rubber, coffee, hides, and wool of South America to the United States to readily load at our ports with grain or provisions for Europe, and there load again with goods for the South American markets, thus making the tour of the triangle, of which the line from New York to Liverpool forms the base and the ports of Brazil and Argentina the apex. That this should occur under ordinary conditions would not be surprising, and that it should occur with lines of steamships controlled almost exclusively in the interests of European capital and European trade is to be expected. Added to this is the lack of banking and business facilities for direct intercommunication with the United States, neglect of American merchants to closely study the trade methods and requirements of the countries in question, the absence of direct solicitation of trade in the language of the country where business is sought, all of which are valuable aids in increasing the commercial relationship, and especially in increasing our sales to the countries in question. That closer, more frequent, and

direct steamship communication is an important factor in obtaining the commerce of countries which can be reached only by steamship lines is evidenced by the more rapid growth of our exports to the countries fronting upon the Caribbean Sea, with which fairly satisfactory steamship connections now exist, and suggests the advantages which may be expected to accrue to our trade with at least the western coast of South America when an isthmian canal shall place Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, and Chile in as direct communication with ports of the United States as those fronting upon the Caribbean now possess. With a steamship route to western South America by way of the Isthmus, the completion of the trans-Andean road connecting western South America at Valparaiso with eastern South America at Buenos Ayres and Montevideo, and increased steamship facilities between our ports and those of both coasts of South America, the manufacturers and producers of the United States may reasonably expect to increase their sales in those markets, to which their annual exports are now but one-third the amount of their annual imports from them.

POSSIBLE DEVELOPMENT THROUGH MODERN ELECTRICAL METHODS.

One possible, if not probable, development of the near future in certain sections of Central and South America is worthy of consideration, and especially so with reference to the proposed intercontinental railway, since it relates especially to the regions which that line would invade. The possibility of utilizing, with the assistance of modern electrical methods, the enormous quantity of water power now going to waste in the mountain regions of Central America and northern South America is worthy of attention in considering the future possibilities of that section of the continent. The trade winds, sweeping westward across the Atlantic in the equatorial regions, become heavily charged with moisture evaporated from the ocean by the extreme heat of the sun, and striking the mountain chain stretching southward through Mexico, Central, and South America, are forced upward to a cooler atmosphere where the moisture is condensed into heavy rainfalls, thus feeding the mountain streams and rendering them capable of developing power in great and almost unmeasured quantities. With the facilities which modern electrical methods supply of utilizing, controlling, and conveying this power, the development of mining, mechanical, and manufacturing industries in that region, where nature is so lavish in her supplies and producing possibilities, may be very great within the near future, and especially so when access shall be obtained by the proposed railway lines which, if present plans are realized, will invade this very section and with lateral lines bring it into communication with the sea.

MEXICO.

Mexico gives to the United States a larger share of its purchasing trade than does any other of the American countries south of us. Proximity and the conveniences of rail, telegraph, and telephone intercommunication are the factors which have produced a more rapid growth in the share of the United States in the commerce of Mexico than that of other nations. While the United States does not control so large a percentage of the import trade of Mexico, her neighbor on the south, as she does in the case of Canada, her neighbor at the north, the advantage in the case of Canada is doubtless due to the fact that one language is spoken by the people of Canada and the United States, while this condition does not exist in the commercial relations between the United States and Mexico. Although Canada is nearer to and in more constant steamship communication with the European countries than is Mexico, and in the case of England has closer relations by reason of blood and governmental control, she takes from the United States 59 per cent of her purchases for home consumption; while Mexico, where the Spanish tongue prevails, although equally accessible to our markets and less convenient to those of Europe, takes only 49 per cent. This fact emphasizes the importance of familiarity with the language of the country in which trade is sought, a fact constantly pointed out by American representatives abroad and those engaged in commerce in foreign countries. The United States, however, is making rapid gains in her exports to Mexico, largely due, of course, to the increased facilities of rail transportation between the two countries, which, with the increased familiarity with language and customs, at the same time gives to the exporters of the United States a marked advantage in quickness of communication and promptness of delivery of goods ordered.

The exports of merchandise from the United States to Mexico, which in 1888 were \$9,897,772, were in 1893 \$21,206,939, an increase of 114 per cent. During the same time the exports from the United Kingdom to Mexico increased from \$6,683,432 in 1888 to \$8,427,989 in 1897, an increase of 26.12 per cent. The exports of France to Mexico in 1888 were \$8,471,374, and in 1897 \$5,123,488, a loss of 39.39 per cent. Germany, who has been making rapid gains in her export trade to all American countries south of the United States, sold to Mexico in 1888 goods valued at \$1,616,020, and in 1897 \$4,257,106, an increase of 8 per cent; while Spain, although speaking the same language, exported to Mexico in 1888 goods valued at \$1,344,885, and in 1896, the latest available figures, \$1,675,657. The most important of our exports to Mexico are manufactures of iron and steel, machinery, unmanufactured cotton, lumber, manufactures of wood, manufactures of cotton, and gunpowder. Under the general classification of "manufactures of iron and steel" the exports increased rapidly between 1890 and 1898, as did also builders' hardware and machinery, as will be seen by an examination of the accompanying tables. Unmanufactured cotton

exported to Mexico in 1898 amounted to \$1,321,473 in value, against \$1,217,805 in 1890, showing a slight increase; cotton cloths show a slight reduction, the total for 1898 being \$415,910, against \$468,757 in 1890, this decrease being due to the rapid increase in the cotton growing and manufacturing industries of Mexico. In the finer grades of manufactures there is a marked increase. Furniture and all other articles included under the general head of manufactures of lumber increased from \$328,707 in 1890 to \$515,676 in 1898; gunpowder and other explosives from \$364,568 in 1890 to \$756,494 in 1898; steam engines from \$283,005 in 1890 to \$559,401 in 1898. The total for 1898 is slightly below that for 1897, owing to the unusual demand for corn from the United States in 1897, of which the exportations in that year amounted to \$3,233,281, against but \$43,557 in 1898, in which year the home supply of corn in Mexico was equal to the home demand.

The imports of merchandise into the United States from Mexico nearly equal our exports to that country, and in addition to this Mexico sends us large quantities of her gold and silver in ore, for which we have better smelting and refining facilities than she possesses. The importation of precious metals into the United States from Mexico in 1898 were, gold, \$5,122,282; silver, \$25,028,888, including coin, base bullion, and ore, though the most of this was in the form of base bullion and ore. Of merchandise other than the precious metals, our total imports from Mexico in 1898 were \$19,004,863, against \$21,206,939 of exports to Mexico. The chief imports from Mexico are coffee, hides, textile grasses—especially sisal—cattle, lead, copper, and tobacco. The importations of coffee have materially fallen during the last few years, the imports of coffee in 1898 being \$3,599,392, against \$5,094,839 in 1891.

The importance of the trade of Mexico naturally attracts the attention of the civilized world. With an area nearly equal to that of all of the United States lying east of the Mississippi River, possessed of a fertile soil and semitropical climate, productive mines, and such supplies of natural water power as to give her valuable facilities for manufacturing, the future commerce of that country is looked upon as likely to be of great value. The supply of minerals is very large, including gold, silver, lead, iron, copper, quicksilver, tin, cobalt, antimony, coal, and petroleum, and the latest record (1894) shows over 3,000 mining enterprises in actual operation in the country. Coffee, tobacco, hemp, sisal, sugar, dyewoods and cabinet woods, are the most important of her products for the export trade aside from the precious metals, which form a large portion of her exports. Of the exportations of 1897-98, which amounted to \$128,972,745 in Mexican dollars (or \$59,069,519 in United States currency), \$75,042,332 was precious metals and \$53,930,417 merchandise. Of the \$128,972,725 of merchandise and precious metals exported in 1898, \$94,974,616 was sent to the United States, \$14,775,638 to Great Britain, \$6,995,733 to Germany, \$5,320,016 to France, all of these being stated in Mexican dollars. The relative importance of the exports, aside from precious metals, were Henequen, \$11,588,572; coffee, \$10,649,119; cattle, \$4,507,327; tobacco, \$4,489,768; hides and skins, \$3,597,077; wood, \$3,597,069, all in Mexican dollars.

CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.

The divisions usually included under the term Central American States are Guatemala, with an area of 63,400 square miles, and about equal in size to the State of Georgia; Honduras, area, 43,000 square miles, about the size of the State of Virginia; British Honduras, area, 7,562 square miles, nearly equal in size to New Jersey; Salvador, area, 7,225 square miles; Nicaragua, area, 49,200 square miles, being slightly larger than the State of Louisiana, and Costa Rica, area, 23,000 square miles, nearly equal in size to West Virginia, making a total of 193,387 square miles, the area being considerably in excess of that of the New England and Middle States combined. The entire population, however, is but 3,488,383, or less than two-thirds of the population of Pennsylvania. With tropical climate and vegetation, mountainous and heavily wooded territory, lack of highways, and a comparatively small area of cultivation, the productions and exports and, consequently, the importations for consumption are relatively small. The total imports of the Central American States amounted in 1870 to \$11,720,475; in 1887 to \$15,800,285, and in 1897 to \$23,999,561. Of this amount the importations from the United States in 1887 were \$2,935,447; from the United Kingdom, \$4,941,464; from France, \$302,063, and from Spain, \$58,666. In 1897 the imports from the United States were \$7,939,907, as against \$2,935,447 in 1887, while those from the United Kingdom were \$5,266,444, against \$4,941,464 in 1887, those of France and Spain showing a considerable reduction in each case. Germany, for which details are not accessible prior to 1889, showed in that year exports to Central America valued at \$1,739,301, and in 1897 \$1,781,668. It is thus apparent that the United States is the only country showing any considerable increase in exports to the Central American countries in the decade, her total exports to the entire group having increased nearly 200 per cent meantime, while those of Great Britain showed a gain of less than 7 per cent, France and Spain a reduction, and Germany no material change.

Guatemala's imports in 1897 amounted to \$8,584,821 (gold), and her exports \$8,385,939, while in 1896 the imports amounted to \$11,429,200 and the exports to \$9,788,270. The chief imports in 1897 were cottons, \$1,716,994, and cereals.

Commercial statistics regarding Honduras are extremely meager. For the year 1895-96 the total imports were given at 1,322,418 pesos (value of peso, 49 cents), and the exports at 3,125,000 pesos. For 1896-97 the imports were 3,260,575 pesos and the exports 2,647,248. The chief exports in 1897 were: Precious metals, 1,075,000 pesos; cattle, 705,000 pesos; bananas and other agricultural products, 839,000 pesos. The trade is mostly with the United States, but Great Britain, Germany, and France also participate, the exports from the United Kingdom amounting to about \$200,000 annually, the chief article being cottons.

British Honduras, lying just south of Yucatan on the Caribbean Sea, is a British crown colony, with imports amounting to about \$1,500,000 (gold) and exports to about an equal sum.

Salvador, which corresponds in size with British Honduras, lies immediately west of Honduras, its ocean frontage being upon the Pacific. An official estimate in 1894 gave the population at 803,534, of which but about 20,000 are whites or descendants of Europeans. The population is largely engaged in agriculture, the chief productions being coffee, indigo, sugar, and tobacco. The mineral wealth of the Republic includes gold, silver, copper, iron, and mercury. The chief imports in 1896 were cottons, 961,554 pesos; spirits, 371,205 pesos; iron, goods, 183,616 pesos; flour, 132,438 pesos; silk goods and yarn, 142,389 pesos; coin, 119,199 pesos (value of peso in 1898, 42.4 cents). The chief exports are coffee, tobacco, indigo, and balsams.

Nicaragua, to which attention is especially attracted because of the facilities which it offers for an interoceanic canal, is about equal in size to Louisiana, its area being 49,200 square miles, while its population is 420,000 against 1,118,500 in Louisiana. The great mass of the population consists of aboriginal Indians, mulattoes, negroes, and mixed races, the number of Europeans and their descendants being less than 1,500, though their property in the Republic is estimated at over \$4,000,000. Of those of foreign birth 88 are German, 69 Italian, 60 from the United States, and 52 from Great Britain. The chief occupation of the inhabitants is the rearing of cattle and the growing of coffee. The British foreign office report for 1897 gives the imports at \$2,571,180 and the exports at \$2,976,025. Of the imports, about \$488,207 were from the United States, \$995,286 from England, \$462,142 from Germany, and \$359,000 from other countries. The chief imports from the United States in 1896 were barbed wire, \$29,000; beer, \$10,000; cotton goods, \$18,600; flour, \$155,000; drugs, \$37,000; sewing machines, \$11,000; kerosene, \$47,000; wine, \$60,000; calico, \$11,700; and tallow, \$16,400.

Costa Rica, the most southerly of the group of Central American States, has an area of about 23,000 square miles, about equal to that of West Virginia, but its population is but about one-third of that of West Virginia, being 294,940, against 762,794 in that State. The imports in 1895 amounted to 13,250,000 pesos (value of peso, 46.5 cents), though in 1896 they were but 4,748,818 pesos. The principal productions are coffee and bananas, though corn, rice, and potatoes are cultivated for local consumption. The principal export is coffee, and the chief imports are cottons, machinery, iron and steel manufactures, woollens, and worsteds. A report of the United States consul at San Jose gives the value of the importations in 1896 at \$4,540,060; \$2,478,429, or 52.50 per cent, was from the United States; \$1,220,775, or 26.80 per cent, from Great Britain, and \$843,545, or 18.50 per cent, from Germany.

THE WEST INDIES.

The West India Islands, taken as an entire group, form a large market for breadstuffs, provisions, and manufactures, their total importations having been in 1870, \$89,913,941; in 1887, \$106,862,820, and in 1897, \$137,327,190. Of this amount the United States supplied in 1887 about 27 per cent and in 1897 about 23 per cent. The details of the trade of the more important of these islands, Cuba, Porto Rico, and the British West Indies, have been discussed in the Monthly Summary of Commerce and Finance for the months of February and May, 1899. In general terms it may be said that the imports of the West Indies are cotton goods, manufactures of iron and steel, machinery, furniture, breadstuffs, and provisions. With an exceedingly fruitful soil and tropical climate they are able to produce sugar, coffee, tobacco, and tropical fruits, articles which are required in the temperate zone and for which they find ready sale in the United States, their nearest market. Under reciprocity treaty arrangements existing a few years ago the United States supplied a much larger proportion of the imports of certain of these islands than in the more recent years, though since the events of 1898 the exports from the United States to not only Cuba and Porto Rico, but to the West India Islands generally, have increased, a disposition to cultivate closer commercial relations being apparent among the people of nearly all of the group, under whatever flag. The total population of the West Indies is in round numbers 6,000,000, with an average of 647 to the square mile. This group, by far the most densely populated part of the territory lying south of the United States, exported in 1870 merchandise to the value of \$99,100,399; in 1887, \$130,749,238, and in 1897, \$163,024,007. The exports from the United States to the entire group amounted in 1892 to \$38,508,303; in 1894, to \$41,899,416; in 1895, to \$31,563,830; in 1896, to \$26,545,205, and in 1898, to \$26,442,894. The imports into the United States from the entire West India group amounted in 1892 to \$99,606,305; in 1895, to \$68,860,152, and in 1898, to \$32,070,631. This remarkable falling off in the imports into the United States from the West Indies is due, first, to a reduction in the price of sugar, one of their chief exports; and, second, to the great reduction in

the production of the islands, and especially of Cuba, in the war between the people of that island and Spain, by which sugar plantations and works were destroyed and the production of cane suspended. This condition applies also, though to a less extent, to the tobacco and tropical fruit industries.

COLOMBIA.

Colombia, although small in area when compared with many countries of South America, exceeds in size the entire group of Southern States lying east of the Mississippi River, its area being 513,938 square miles, and its population 4,000,000. The imports in 1897, the latest date for which the figures are available, were \$11,500,000. In 1897 the exports of Great Britain to Colombia were \$5,900,000; United States, \$3,800,000, and those of Germany, \$2,000,000. In 1892 the exports from the United Kingdom to Colombia were \$5,898,344; from the United States, \$3,134,152; France, \$5,809,300, and Germany, \$839,902. The United States thus supplied in 1892 but about 20 per cent of the total imports of Colombia, though the figures of the exports of the United States, Germany, and Great Britain to Colombia in 1897 indicate that the United States now probably holds a larger percentage of the trade than was shown by the official figures of 1892. Consul-General McNally, of Bogota, after referring to the commercial depression of Colombia during the past year on account of the change of administration and the small coffee crop, says that the United States manufactures have probably suffered less than those of any other country in the Colombia market. Exports from the United States to Colombia show little change during the last decade, those of France having materially fallen and those of Germany increased meantime, while those from the United Kingdom were about the same in 1897 as they were in 1887.

ECUADOR.

Ecuador, which lies directly south of Colombia and fronts only on the Pacific, has an area of 120,000 square miles, about equal to that of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois combined, and a population of 1,272,000, which is about equal to nearly half that of the State of Ohio only. Although lying directly under the equator, the great elevation of its table-lands gives very considerable variety to its productions. Coffee, cacao, rice, sugar, rubber, cabinet woods, chemicals, and minerals are its chief products and exports. Its chief imports are cotton and other tissues, provisions, manufactures of iron and steel, clothing, and mineral oil. Fronting as it does only on the Pacific, its distance by water from the eastern part of the United States is very great, and as a consequence its purchases are largely from European countries. The exports from the United States to Ecuador have never reached \$1,000,000 annually, the nearest approach being in 1891, when the total was \$903,159, though that of 1898 was \$855,193. According to the message of the President of Ecuador delivered in August, 1898, the imports of 1897 amounted to 18,004,048 sucres (value of sucre in 1897, 47.4 cents; present value, 43.4 cents). British exports to Ecuador in 1897 amounted to \$2,000,000, the chief articles exported being cotton goods, \$1,350,000; woollens, \$200,000; iron, wrought and unwrought, \$130,000. The roads of the country are mostly bridle paths and often impassable for over half the year, and as a consequence articles intended for the interior must be made up in small packages. The one highway is from Quito toward Guayaquil for a distance of 115 miles, but the work of thus connecting the capital and chief port has long been discontinued. A railway is now under construction to connect Guayaquil and Quito, a distance of about 350 miles. This work is being conducted under the direction of citizens of the United States, and it is believed that its completion will result in giving to the United States a larger share of the imports of Ecuador and also materially increase the producing, consuming, and importing capacity of the latter country.

BOLIVIA.

Bolivia being entirely an interior country and having no seaport, the official statistics are fragmentary and largely estimates. Imports and exports pass chiefly through Antofagasta, Arica, and Mollendo on the Pacific coast, and in smaller quantities through the eastern river ports, Porto Suraz and Villa Bella. The total imports in 1897 are estimated at 24,467,100 bolivianos (value of boliviano, 43.4 cents). The chief imports are provisions, hardware, spirits, cottons, woollens, silks, and ready-made clothing, and the chief exports silver, tin, copper, coffee, and rubber. Bolivia has an area of 567,360 square miles, or considerably greater than that of the entire group of Southern States east of the Mississippi River, with a population of 2,019,549, or considerably less than that of North and South Carolina combined. The chief products are wheat, corn, barley, beans, and potatoes for local consumption; coffee for exportation, and sugar, which is grown chiefly for the purpose of distillation, while the production of rubber, cinchona, and cacao is increasing and form important articles of export, which in 1897 amounted in total to 23,121,320 bolivianos. Cattle, sheep, and llamas are numerous, and the wool product is woven into coarse cloth for the use of the Indians, who constitute one-half of the population, while the "mestizos," or mixed races, are estimated at one-fourth of the population, and the whites the remaining one-fourth.

PERU.

Peru, which stretches southwardly from Ecuador along the western coast of South America, has an area equivalent to that of California, Oregon, and Washington combined, being 463,747 square miles, and a population but slightly greater than that of the State of Massachusetts, being 2,621,000. It is estimated that 57 per cent of the population of Peru are aborigines or Indians; that 22 per cent belong to mixed races, "Cholos" or "Zambos," while the remaining 21 per cent are chiefly descendants of Spaniards, but include about 18,000 Europeans, 25,000 Asiatics, chiefly Chinese, and a very few from the United States. The imports of Peru in 1897 are given at \$8,065,792, of which amount \$737,856, or 9.15 per cent, was from the United States, while \$3,060,736 was from the United Kingdom, \$1,370,880 from Germany, and \$585,536 from France. The United States, however, appears to be gaining slightly, as her proportion of the imports in 1894 was but 6.8 per cent. The chief productions are cotton, coffee, and sugar. The cotton exports reached 5,586 tons in 1897, and coffee 1,239 tons. Cinchona, india rubber, dyes, and medicinal plants are also features of the products. The foreign commerce, which is chiefly with Great Britain and Germany, is carried on from several ports, of which the principal are Callao and Mollendo. The 1897 imports are given at 18,004,048 sols (value of the sol, 43.4 cents); the chief exports are sugar, silver ore, copper ore, coffee, wool, rubber, cocaine, and coca leaves. Over one-third of the imports into Peru are from Great Britain, one-sixth from Germany, and one-ninth from France. The chief exports from Great Britain to Peru in 1897 were woollens, cottons, iron, wrought and unwrought, and machinery.

CHILE.

Chile, which occupies the remainder of the western coast of South America south of Peru, also about equals in size the States of California, Oregon, and Washington, the area being 290,829 square miles and the population 3,049,352, or about equal to that of Peru. Thus the two countries which occupy the principal part of the western coast of South America are more than double the area of the States forming the entire western coast of the United States, but have, combined, a population nearly three times that of the Pacific coast at the last census. Chile, lying largely within the temperate zone, has developed a greater variety of industries and with greater success than its neighbors lying nearer to the equator. About 1,500,000 of its 3,049,352 population are engaged in agriculture, the wheat product alone being about 28,000,000 bushels, other cereals amounting to about 8,500,000, besides fruits and vegetables. Sheep and cattle are also largely grown, and wool, hides, and leather form the important features of her exports. The most important of the exports, however, is nitrate, the exportation of which is rapidly increasing. The total product of nitrate, which in 1885 was but 420,000 quintals, was in 1898 1,254,000 quintals. The importations in 1897 are given at \$23,908,524, of which \$10,614,775 was from the United Kingdom, \$6,013,230 from Germany, \$1,624,485 from the United States, \$184,428 from Spain, and \$5,474,606 from other countries, thus indicating that the United States has less than 7 per cent of the imports of Chile. The Statesman's Year-Book gives the value of the imports into Chile in 1896 at 30,249,002 pesos from Great Britain, 20,080,943 from Germany, 6,807,165 from the United States, 4,397,230 from Peru, 4,105,244 from Argentina, 2,834,216 from France, and 692,534 pesos from Italy (value of peso, 36.5 cents). The imports of 1897 included sugar, valued at 5,983,659 pesos; coal, 4,122,918; cotton and cotton goods, 3,937,000; sacks, empty, 2,440,209; illuminating oil, 1,458,090; cashmeres, 1,221,918; tea, 1,046,256, and galvanized iron, 1,292,176 pesos. Chile was the first State of South America in the construction of railways. In 1897 the total length of her lines open for traffic was 2,661 miles, of which 1,233 belong to the State. The trans-Andine line, which is expected to connect the Pacific with the Atlantic from Valparaiso, Chile, to Buenos Ayres, Argentina, lacks but 46 miles of completion to unite the two sections. Recent appropriations for completing the tunnels required for this purpose encourage the belief that it will soon be completed, and through land transportation thus given between the Pacific and Atlantic at this point.

ARGENTINA.

Argentina, the second largest of the countries of South America, has an area of more than one-half that of the entire United States and a population about equal that of the State of Illinois. The area is 1,778,195 square miles and the population, in 1895, 3,954,911. Although the population is comparatively small, the temperate climate and large grazing and grain-producing areas have enabled that population to produce for the markets of the world enormous food supplies, and, as a consequence, they have become large importers and consumers of the world's manufactures. The number of sheep in Argentina in 1830 was stated at 2,500,000; in 1860, 14,000,000; in 1870, 41,000,000; in 1880, 61,000,000; in 1891, 78,000,000; in 1895, 91,000,000, and in 1897, 105,000,000, while the wool product, which in 1830 was 6,000,000 pounds; in 1870, 130,000,000 pounds; in 1891, 310,000,000 pounds, was in 1897 472,000,000 pounds, the average product of wool per sheep having increased during the period under consideration from 2.3 pounds to 4.5 pounds. This shows that while the number of sheep has increased elevenfold in the last forty years the wool clip has grown fifteenfold. The production of cattle has also proven an important feature of the industries, though the increase has not been so rapid as that of sheep. The comparatively small

cost of producing sheep and cattle has encouraged the establishment of the frozen-meat industry, by which Argentina has been able to place her fresh meats in the markets of Europe. A company was organized in 1882 with British capital to establish warehouses for the freezing of slaughtered animals and suitable steamers for their transport in this condition. This was followed by other and similar establishments until the capital of the organizations now engaged in freezing and shipping mutton and beef is about \$6,000,000 (gold), and the exportation of frozen sheep has increased from 20,500,000 kilos in 1890 to 47,000,000 kilos in 1897, while the exportation of frozen beef also forms a considerable feature of the industry. About 2,500,000 sheep are now annually slaughtered, frozen, and shipped from Argentina, the value being set down at about \$2,000,000 (gold).

Wheat production also forms an important feature of the industries of Argentina, the estimated acreage of 1890-91 being 2,700,000 acres, steadily increasing until that of 1898-99 is estimated at 5,500,000, with an average yield of 15 bushels per acre, or about 82,500,000 bushels. Of this amount it is estimated that a little over two-thirds will this year be exported. The large production of cattle and sheep makes the exportation of wool and hides also an important feature of the commerce of Argentina, the exportation of wool in 1897 being 205,571 tons. The total exports in 1897 amounted to 101,169,199 pesos (value of peso, 96.5 cents), of which 74,044,525 pesos was the value of animals and their products and 23,336,369 that of agricultural products. The imports of 1897 amounted to 98,288,948 pesos, of which 30,449,912 pesos was textiles and apparel, 16,986,023 iron and manufactures, 12,896,503 vegetable substances, 8,011,029 pottery and glass, and 7,728,705 beverages. Of the 98,288,948 pesos of imports, the value of 36,392,057 was from the United Kingdom, 11,114,102 from Germany, 11,019,576 from France, 10,943,038 from Italy, and 10,101,714 from the United States, which thus stood fifth in the list of importing nations. In 1898 the imports, measured in dollars, were \$107,428,900, of which the value of \$32,012,600 was from the United Kingdom, \$13,695,241 from Italy, \$12,571,116 from Germany, \$11,129,075 from the United States, \$10,596,725 from France, and \$3,315,470 from Spain. The United States thus supplied 10.4 per cent of the imports in 1898, 10.3 per cent in 1897, and 9.9 per cent in 1896.

The length of railway, open for traffic in 1897 was 9,270 miles, and, as already indicated in the discussion of commerce and railways in Chile, the completion of 46 miles of road now under construction will place the Argentine and Chilean systems in communication and give rail transportation across the South American Continent from Buenos Ayres, on the Atlantic, to Valparaiso, on the Pacific. The imports of Argentina, it will be observed, average about \$25 per capita, or two and a half times as much per capita as those of the United States and fully twice as much per capita as the average importations of the countries lying south of the United States. The imports are largely manufactures, machinery, agricultural implements, railway cars, engines and supplies, and manufactures of iron and steel. The details of the imports are shown in tables on another page.

URUGUAY.

Uruguay, whose area on a casual examination of the map of South America appears somewhat insignificant, about equals in size the States of Ohio and Indiana, but its population is but little more than one-tenth that of those States. The area is 72,110 square miles, and the population was estimated in 1897 at 827,485. Lying wholly within the temperate zone, and in a well watered region, Uruguay, like Argentina, is a great producer of breadstuffs and provisions, the prime necessities of life. Within her small area a census made in 1896 showed 16,397,484 head of sheep and 5,881,402 head of cattle, 392,246 horses and 15,589 mules, the total value of the flocks and herds being estimated at \$73,038,000. The wool clip reached 33,000 tons in 1897, and the number of cattle slaughtered 671,000 head. The estimated wheat yield in 1897 was 300,000 tons. In addition to the more prominent agricultural industries, tobacco, olives, and the vine are also successfully cultivated, and of the 21,045 farmers 10,853 cultivate their own land. The average importation per capita of Uruguay is even greater than that of its large and prosperous neighbor, Argentina. The total importations in 1895 were given at \$26,249,233, and in 1896 at \$26,398,211 (gold), being an average of over \$30 per capita, against an average of \$25 per capita in Argentina. The importations in 1897 are given at \$20,175,681, and the exportations at \$30,316,438, showing a favorable balance of trade in that year of \$10,000,000. Of the \$26,398,211 importations of 1896, the value of \$7,041,486 was included under the general classification "Foods and drinks," \$6,613,786 as raw materials and machinery, \$4,704,799 as textiles, \$1,446,237 as apparel and haberdashery, \$250,723 tobacco, and the remainder grouped under the head of miscellaneous. Of the exports, which in 1897 amounted to \$30,316,438, the value of \$26,884,575 was animal products and \$1,202,674 agricultural products. The principal exports in 1897 were: Wool, \$12,482,802; hides and skins, \$6,634,461; jerked beef, \$4,312,904; beef extract, \$1,182,810; tallow, \$1,299,130. Great Britain is the chief source of supply for importations, especially in manufactured articles. Of the \$26,398,211 imports in 1896, merchandise to the value of \$7,524,803 was from Great Britain, \$2,843,802 from Germany, \$2,574,437 from France, \$2,283,357 from Italy, \$2,025,993 from Spain, and \$1,836,648 from the United States, which thus stood sixth in the list of countries outside of South America from which these supplies were drawn, the imports from the Argentine Republic being \$3,523,764 and those from Brazil \$1,444,901. The commerce between Uruguay and the United States makes little progress, the exports from the United States to Uruguay in 1898 being \$1,214,248, against

\$2,192,848 in 1889, and the imports from Uruguay in 1898, \$1,772,480, against \$2,986,964 in 1889. Of the population of 827,485, 70 per cent is native born, and of the remainder the greater number are Spaniards, Italians, French, Brazilians, and Argentines, the number of English and Germans being small, and the Spanish and French population being mostly Basques.

PARAGUAY.

Paraguay, which is considerably larger than Uruguay, has an area of 98,000 square miles, being about equal to that of New York and Pennsylvania combined, but a population of only 600,000 aside from Indians, as against 827,485 in Uruguay. Lying nearer the Equator and entirely in the interior, its production and commerce are less than those of equal areas on the coast. The number of cattle in 1896 was set down at 2,102,680 and the number of sheep 130,000. The most important industry is the growing of "yerba maté," or Paraguay tea, of which the exportation in 1897 was 6,548 tons, valued at \$5,475,633 in Paraguay dollars, the nominal value of the dollar or peso being 96 cents and its commercial value about 49 cents. The exportation of "maté," which was formerly in the hands of the Government, has now been transferred to those of capitalists and companies, and is rapidly increasing. The "maté" is a species of holly, from the prepared leaves of which a tea-like beverage is made. The leaves are prepared by roasting and pulverizing, after which boiling water is poured over them to form the tea, which is imbibed through a tube. It is an aromatic beverage whose general effect is that of tea and coffee, and is considered very refreshing and is much consumed by miners and other laborers, its use when once adopted being, however, very difficult to abandon, and the demand, where its use is once established, constantly increasing. This article forms a large proportion of the exports of Paraguay, the remainder being tobacco, hides, timber, and oranges. The imports are chiefly cotton goods, machinery, and provisions, the total importations of 1897 being \$2,203,459 (gold) in value. The direct imports from the United States are very small, being less than \$1,000 annually.

BRAZIL.

Brazil is the largest of the South American States, her area being considerably more than that of the entire United States (omitting Alaska) and her population about equal to that of New York, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts combined. The area is 3,209,878 square miles and the population 14,333,915. Lying almost exclusively within the Tropics, her chief productions are coffee, sugar, tobacco, cotton, and rubber, though in certain of the provinces the cattle industry is important, while the forests and mines promise to be very valuable. Cotton mills are increasing in number, the latest statistics giving 155 cotton factories, also a number of important woolen factories, two silk mills, and two large flouring mills, which draw their supplies chiefly from Argentina and Uruguay. Coffee is the most important of the products of Brazil, forming, indeed, the largest share of the coffee product of the world. The fact that Brazil sells a very large proportion of its coffee and rubber to the United States gives to this country a somewhat larger percentage in her imports than in those of many other of the South American countries. The exports from the United States to Brazil, which, in 1888, were \$8,127,883 in value, in 1898 were \$13,317,036. The imports into Brazil from the United Kingdom are, however, much greater than those from the United States, having been in 1897 \$27,721,024, against \$31,951,789 in 1888. From France the imports are also larger than from the United States, being in 1897 \$16,917,622 and in 1888 \$15,453,898. From Germany the imports of 1897 were \$12,489,526, against \$5,247,900 in 1888. It is thus apparent that while the United States has gained more rapidly in exports to Brazil than have the United Kingdom or France her share in the commerce is smaller than that of either of those countries, and that Germany has made a larger increase than the United States.

A large proportion of the producing and consuming population of Brazil is near the southern border, and as a consequence located about the same distance from the great commercial centers of the United States as from those of Europe. Those of the great Amazon Valley, however, of which Para, with a population of 65,000, is the chief business center, is more accessible to the markets of the United States than to those of Europe, and as a consequence purchase more largely from this country than do those farther south, who are in direct communication with European countries through the steamship lines which converge at that point. Brazil has no regular statistical statements, and consequently details of her imports can only be estimated by consideration of the exports of each of the principal countries to Brazil. From the United States the principal exports to Brazil are manufactures of iron and steel, furniture, cotton goods, mineral oils, breadstuffs, and provisions. From the United Kingdom, which furnishes the largest share of Brazil's foreign purchases, the importations of cotton goods in 1897 were \$8,700,000; wrought and unwrought iron, \$2,900,000; woolen manufactures, \$800,000; coal, \$2,900,000; and machinery, \$1,600,000. The details of the exports from the United States to Brazil will be found in the tables on subsequent pages of this volume.

Published statements regarding the commerce of Brazil are frequently misleading because of the somewhat uncertain and confusing value of the currency of that country. The total value of the imports in 1897 is given at

671,603,280 milreis and the exports at 831,806,918 milreis. As the nominal value of the milreis is 54.6 cents gold, this indicates on the surface an enormous commerce. The facts seem to be, however, that the actual currency is a paper milreis, of which very large sums have been put into circulation, the total at the end of 1896, according to the Statesman's Year-Book, being 712,355,394 milreis, an average of about 50 milreis, or over \$27 per capita, had the paper remained at par. The gold and silver coins have, however, almost entirely disappeared, and while according to the Statesman's Year-Book the present nominal exchange rate of 2s. 2½d. was established in 1846, "the actual value of the paper milreis fell in 1868 as low as 1s. 2d.; in 1891 it touched 1s. 0½d.; in 1893, average 12d.; in 1894, average 10½d.; in 1895, 10¼d.; in 1896, between 8d. and 10d.; in 1897, between 7d. and 9d.; in 1898 it fell as low as 5¾d., but on July 31, 1898, it had recovered to 7¼d." On February 25, 1899, however, United States Consul-General Seeger, in a report to the State Department, says: "I am obliged to add a very unpleasant postscript to my report. During the last two weeks the Brazilian currency has again steadily decreased, and the quotation has fallen from 7½d. to 6¾d., the quotation of to-day."

The Statesman's Year-Book for 1899, estimating the value of the commerce of Brazil, which is stated in the depreciated milreis, says "The total value of exports from Brazil for the year 1897 is given, exclusive of specie, at 831,806,918 milreis = £26,752,224, at 7¾d. to the milreis; and the imports at 671,603,280 milreis = £21,567,660."

Hazell's Annual puts the value of the exports of 1897 at £24,500,000. U. S. Consul-General Seeger's report, in Commercial Relations for 1898, states that the exchange value of the milreis in sight drafts on New York ranged from 7.46 milreis per dollar (13.4 cents per milreis) in January, 1898, to 6.10 milreis per dollar (16.4 cents per milreis) in September, but his dispatch of February 25, 1899, above alluded to, indicates that it was on that date 6.48 milreis per dollar, or about 15.4 cents per milreis.

From these statements it would appear that the real value of the imports of Brazil in 1897 was about \$105,000,000 and the exports about \$130,000,000.

Brazil's most important export is coffee, of which she has the chief supply of the world. She has exported since 1880 over 100,000,000 bags of coffee averaging 132 pounds to the bag. Recent estimates put Brazil's production of coffee at 60 per cent of that of the entire world, and of her enormous exports of this article about one-half is sent to the United States, the 1896 exports to the United States being 4,658,816 bags, and to Europe, 4,625,666 bags. Of rubber, the next in importance of her exports, the United States is also the largest purchaser, the exports of 1895 to the United States being 11,251,410 kilograms, and to Europe 9,518,171 kilograms. The value of rubber exports from Brazil is growing more rapidly than that of coffee. The exports of rubber increased 33 per cent in quantity from 1889 to 1895, while those of coffee in 1897 were but 20 per cent above those of 1889, measured in quantity, but the price of coffee has so much fallen meantime that the money received for the exports has actually fallen. Coffee is still, however, much the largest item in value in the list of exports, being 509,190,115 milreis in value in 1897; rubber, 149,691,825 milreis; tobacco, 23,971,181 milreis; hides, 13,427,224 milreis, and cocoa, 12,757,957 milreis in value.

While Brazil finds the United States her best customer in coffee, rubber, and other exports, she buys little from this country in return, as attested by Consul Hill, of Santos, who, in a recent communication to the State Department, said:

United States trade at Santos is in the same state as at most South American ports. We have either a small import and export trade, bearing no comparison to that of the great commercial nations of Europe, as at Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, Callao, and Valparaiso, or we play a most important part in exports, as at Para, Rio de Janeiro, Maracaibo, and here; but in none are we of consideration as regards imports. Commerce between South America and the United States certainly follows rigidly the so-called "natural" lines of the orthodox economist, each buying of the other that and that alone which it can not elsewhere get—we coffee and rubber, and these people kerosene, lard, lumber, and to some extent flour and cotton goods. In the absence of statistics, which are absolutely unattainable, as the custom-house does not furnish them, the dimensions of our import trade can not be determined. The trade is small and I scarcely think growing. I have no idea that we are sending more manufactured goods than formerly, and perhaps not so much flour.

THE GUIANAS.

The three colonies on the northeast coast of South America, known, respectively, as British, Dutch, and French Guiana, have a total area of about 200,000 square miles, or slightly less than the area of Texas, and a population of 371,000, or about equal to that of Rhode Island. About half of the total area is included within British Guiana, whose population is given at 285,000, while that of Dutch Guiana is stated as 63,000, and French Guiana 23,000. Lying, as the territory does, almost under the equator, the agricultural products are chiefly sugar, cacao, coffee, and rice, and the principal imports are provisions and cotton goods. The total imports in 1897 were as follows: British Guiana, \$6,243,603; Dutch Guiana, \$2,265,335, and French Guiana, in 1893, the latest date for which the figures are attainable, \$2,107,753. Owing to the proximity of the United States, a larger proportion is drawn from that source than is the case of some of the other South American countries, 25 per cent of the imports of British Guiana, 17 per cent of those of Dutch Guiana, and 6 per cent of those of French Guiana coming from the United States.

VENEZUELA.

Venezuela gives to the United States a larger percentage of its import trade than does any of the South American countries, with the single exception of Colombia, though the Central American States, equally adjacent, take 37 per cent of their importations from the United States; Colombia, 33 per cent, and the West Indies 20 per cent. The importations into Venezuela in 1896 were \$13,241,000 in value, of which 27 per cent was from the United States. Trade between the United States and Venezuela has been stimulated within the past year by the establishment of a warehouse, under the direction of citizens of the United States, intended for the exhibition and sale of the products of this country. Machinery, manufactures of iron and steel, provisions, coal, furniture, cotton, linen, and woolen goods, mineral oils, and other products of this class are the chief articles of importation, while coffee, hides and skins, cabinet woods, rubber, and chemicals are the chief exports. The area of Venezuela is 593,943 square miles, or slightly more than that of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Oklahoma, and the Indian Territory, the population, according to the latest estimates (1894), being 2,444,816, or slightly less than that of the State of Missouri. The imports from the United States in 1897 were \$3,417,522, as shown by the export figures of the United States, while those from Great Britain, as shown by the export figures of that country, were \$2,700,000. Further details of the commerce of Venezuela will be found in tables printed on subsequent pages. They have been compiled from the export statements of the principal countries, no general statistics by the Venezuelan Government being available.

TRANSPORTATION.

Transportation within the countries lying south of the United States and between them and other parts of the world forms an extremely important factor in a consideration of their commerce. A large proportion of the territory of Mexico and Central and South America is unprovided with wagon roads and accessible only by pack trains, while the cities and towns are in but comparatively few cases accessible by railway lines. As a consequence shippers who attempt to cultivate the trade of these countries find it advantageous to so pack their goods that they can be easily handled on and off shipboard in lighters or small rowboats and can be still further segregated in such manner that they can be readily transported by pack animals without repacking and rearranging. These details as to the necessity of preparing goods in a manner convenient for landing and internal transportation are discussed in the various statements which follow, prepared by United States consuls and others who have made a personal study of the requirements of local traffic or internal commerce in the countries in question.

A subject of far more importance to our commerce with those countries, however, is that of the methods of transportation between the United States and the countries of Central and South America, especially the latter. While the proposed intercontinental railway, suggested many years ago by Hon. Hinton Rowan Helper, then United States consul in Argentina, seems gradually approaching realization, over 5,000 miles of line yet remain to be completed, at an estimated cost of \$175,000,000, the distance already covered by constructed lines between New York and Buenos Ayres being 4,772 miles. It is thus apparent that to a large proportion of the countries of Central and South America the sole vehicles of communication are those which pass by water and that upon the facilities for water transportation must depend the success or otherwise of efforts to cultivate and increase commerce with the countries in question.

That the United States is at present at a decided disadvantage in the matter of water transportation to the countries lying south of its borders is evident. A recently published statement of the commerce of the port of Callao, Peru, shows that of the 314 steam vessels, with a tonnage of 487,035 tons, entering that port in 1898, only 3, with a total tonnage of 941 tons, were from North America, while of the 172 sailing vessels, with a tonnage of 94,009 tons, only 2, with a tonnage of 1,390 tons, were from North America. A similar statement relating to the commerce of the port of Buenos Ayres, Argentina, shows that of the 1,042 steam vessels, with a tonnage of 1,825,402 tons, entering that port in 1898, not a single one was classed as from the United States, while of the 347 sailing vessels, with a tonnage of 282,335 tons, but 41, with a tonnage of 27,639, were so classed. The Commercial Year Book of 1898, issued by the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, under the head of "Steamship lines from New York to foreign ports," shows that of the nine lines from New York to South America only two sailed under the American flag, the service of one of these being only to the countries on the northern coast of South America fronting upon the Caribbean Sea, while the other renders a freight service "about once in two months" to ports in Chile, Peru, and Ecuador.

An examination of the records of the principal countries doing business with the countries of Central and South America shows in broader terms the disadvantage under which the citizens of the United States attempting to do business with Central and especially South America labor in this particular. The tonnage of the vessels

clearing from ports of the United States for South America in the fiscal year 1898 was 926,543 tons, of which a total of but 323,224 tons was carried by vessels under the American flag, 603,318 tons being under a foreign flag. The tonnage of vessels clearing from the ports of the United Kingdom for South America in the same year was 2,588,020 tons, and of this over 2,000,000 tons went under the British flag. From the ports of Spain the tonnage of the vessels clearing for South America in 1896, the latest obtainable date, was 1,040,988 tons, while that of the vessels clearing from the ports of France to South America was 865,226 tons, and from Germany 625,211 tons. The tonnage of vessels clearing from the ports of the United States, United Kingdom, Germany, France, and Spain for South America in the latest obtainable year was, in round terms, 6,000,000 tons, of which a total tonnage of but 926,542 tons cleared from the ports of the United States, of which a total tonnage of but 323,224 tons was carried under the American flag, and of this 122,001 tons was by sailing vessels and 201,223 by steam vessels.

The entrances of vessels at ports of the United States from the ports of South America were, however, much larger, being 1,590,683 tons in 1898, against 1,651,487 tons entering the ports of the United Kingdom from South America, 1,023,440 tons entering the ports of France, 730,574 tons entering the ports of Germany, and 323,136 tons entering the ports of Spain. It is thus apparent that the number and tonnage of vessels coming into the ports of the United States from South America are very much greater than those departing from her ports for South America. It is also apparent that the number and tonnage of vessels leaving the United Kingdom for South America are greater than those entering her ports direct from South America. This confirms the statement made elsewhere that a considerable proportion of the vessels sailing from South American ports to the United States, after discharging their cargoes at our Atlantic ports, load there direct for Europe, and after discharging their cargoes in European ports, load again for South America, thus completing the circuit of the triangle and holding at a disadvantage merchants of the United States who desire to do a direct export business with South America, but giving to merchants of Europe the advantage of continuous steamship service direct from European to South American ports. Indeed, merchants in the United States desiring to cultivate trade with South America frequently assert that they can more advantageously send their goods by way of Europe than to attempt to send them direct from the United States to South America. A table which is printed elsewhere in this volume shows the number and tonnage of vessels entering and clearing in the commerce of the principal countries with American countries south of the United States, and a study of its figures in conjunction with those showing our percentage in the commerce of the various countries lying south of the United States indicates the close relationship between the carrying trade and the commerce between the countries affected.

An examination of the map accompanying this volume, showing the transportation routes between the United States and other American countries, will indicate more clearly the conditions than will any elaborate discussion. Existing railway lines are shown and the necessary lines to connect the systems of North and South America, as surveyed by the Intercontinental Railway Commission, are also indicated. Steamship routes from the principal ports of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts are also given, with distances from point to point, and the study of these in conjunction with the tables showing the percentages of trade which the United States enjoys with the various sections of America south of her borders will prove extremely suggestive. As already pointed out, the United States enjoys a fair share of the commerce of the countries fronting upon the Gulf of Mexico and Caribbean Sea, with which her business centers now have direct steamship connection. The Isthmus of Panama and the west coast of South America, it will be seen by a study of the map, lie almost due south of the great business centers of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. With a ship canal vessels from the United States would pass in an almost direct line from her eastern and southern ports to all of the west coast of South America and bring the United States into direct communication with that most rapidly developing section of South America located within the temperate zone, where railway systems, production, and commerce are now so rapidly developing. With the completion of 46 miles of the railway line between Valparaiso, Chile, Buenos Ayres, and Argentina, goods from the eastern and southern ports of the United States would find a direct route through the isthmus, along the western coast of South America and by rail through Chile to Argentina, Uruguay, and the most densely populated and productive section of Brazil, instead of being compelled, as at present, to make a detour of 2,600 miles to pass the easternmost point of the South American continent.

CURRENCY.

The fifty-seven million people occupying the countries south of the United States have a total currency of about \$1,000,000,000, but of this sum more than three-fourths is shown by the report of the Director of the Mint to be "uncovered paper," while \$150,000,000 is silver, most of which circulates merely at its bullion value, and but \$90,000,000 is gold. Thus in round terms it may be said that the currency of the countries lying south of the United States averages \$1.50 per capita gold, \$2.50 per capita silver, and \$14.50 per capita paper. That the paper currency

is extremely uncertain in character is shown by the fact that in as prosperous a country as Argentina gold is at the present time reported at a premium of 178 per cent, measured in the paper currency, while as shown in the discussion of conditions in Brazil, the exchange value of the paper money of that country is but about one fourth of its face value in gold. The details of the currency conditions in each of the principal countries in question are shown by the following table:

MONETARY SYSTEM AND MONEY IN CIRCULATION IN THE COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES.

[Prepared by the Director of the United States Mint.]

COUNTRIES.	Monetary system.	Monetary unit.	Value in United States currency.	Stock of gold.	Stock of silver.	Uncovered paper.
			Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Venezuela	Gold and silver	Bolivar	0.193	20,600,000	2,600,000	562,000
Colombia	Silver	Peso	a.443	.....	2,000,000	31,000,000
Ecuador	Silver	Sucre	a.443	500,000	2,678,000	4,682,000
Bolivia	Silver	Boliviano	a.443	.....	7,150,000	3,233,000
Peru	Silver	Sol	a.443	1,000,000	6,000,000	36,315,000
Chile	Gold	Peso .....	.365	9,490,000	2,020,000	1,502,000
Argentina	Gold and silver	Peso .....	.965	30,000,000	.....	292,704,000
Paraguay	Depreciated paper	Peso .....	.....	93,000	.....	6,000,000
Uruguay	Gold	Peso	1.034	15,800,000	4,000,000	4,522,000
Brazil	Gold	Dollar	1.000	.....	.....	370,224,000
French Guiana	Gold and silver	Franc .....	.193	.....	.....	.....
Dutch Guiana	Gold and silver	Florin .....	.402	.....	.....	.....
British Guiana	Gold and silver	Pound sterling	4.8665	.....	.....	.....
Mexico	Silver	Dollar	a.481	8,000,000	106,000,000	4,000,000
Costa Rica	Gold	Colon .....	.465	.....	.....	.....
Other Central American States	Silver	Peso .....	.443	1,000,000	17,000,000	7,500,000
Cuba	Gold and silver	Peso .....	.926	2,000,000	1,500,000	.....
Haiti	Gold and silver	Gourde .....	.965	4,600,000	1,500,000	4,100,000

a Bullion value, July 1, 1899.

A HALF CENTURY OF COMMERCE WITH COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES.

A study of the table on page 3219, which shows the commerce of the United States in merchandise with Mexico, West Indies, Central America, and South America, and the totals for that entire area from 1850 to 1899, proves especially interesting and suggestive. An examination of these figures will show that the United States has not made as rapid gains in her exports to these countries as in her imports from them, or in her exports to other parts of the world. Imports into the United States from the south have, during that period, grown enormously, while in exports to that section the gain has been comparatively small. The imports have grown from \$32,000,000 in 1850 to an average of over \$200,000,000 per annum, except where recently interrupted by the war between Cuba and Spain, which greatly reduced the producing and exporting capacity of that island during the past two or three years. On the other hand, the exports from the United States to the countries in question, which in 1850 were \$21,815,000, have never reached as much as \$100,000,000 save in the exceptional year ending June 30, 1893, in which reciprocity treaties were followed by a marked increase in the exportations from the United States to the West Indies and other parts of the territory in question. During the last ten years of the half century under consideration the exports from the United States to the American countries at the south were but 183 per cent greater than during the first ten years of that period, while the imports from these countries were in the closing decade of the period 273 per cent greater than during the opening decade of the term. During the first decade of the period our sales to the countries at the south of us amounted to \$319,600,000, while we bought from them \$577,000,000; during the last decade of the term our sales to them were \$904,000,000, while our purchases from them amounted to \$2,135,000,000. During the first decade of the period under consideration our exports to the countries south of the United States were 13.90 per cent of our total exports, and during the last decade of the term but 10.65 per cent; while, on the other hand, the imports into the United States from those countries in the first decade of the half century were 21.65 per cent of our total imports, and in the last decade were 31.05 per cent.

GENERAL STATISTICAL STATEMENTS.

The tables which follow show the total imports of each of the countries and islands south of the United States and the share of the principal countries of the world therein, so far as can be ascertained; also the details of the commerce of the United States with each of the countries and islands in question for a term of years. It is proper to add that a large proportion of the countries of Central and South America have little available material of a statistical character relating to their commerce, and in such cases it is necessary to obtain details from the reports of the great commercial nations with which their commerce is chiefly conducted.

In some cases the fluctuating character of the currency in which the value of the commerce is stated renders an accurate determination of its real value difficult. The statistics of the Mexican Government state the value of imports in gold, but the exports in Mexican silver dollars, the value of which fluctuates with the price of silver, having ranged from 83.7 cents on January 1, 1891, to 46 cents on January 1, 1897, and 47.7 cents on January 1, 1899. The value of the Brazilian milreis, in which statements of imports and exports are made, has, as explained elsewhere, ranged downward from its normal value of 54.6 cents to less than one-fourth that sum, and in other cases fluctuating values in currency have presented similar difficulties in obtaining accurate statistics.

COMMERCIAL NOTES.

STEAMSHIP LINES AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATION REQUIRED.

The need of direct United States steamship lines between the United States and South American ports, and personal representation in their markets, is pointed out in a letter written by a prominent merchant of Rio de Janeiro, Mr. Othon Leonardos, jr., and published in the Consular Reports of the State Department. It says:

There is a large field here for the products of American industry. The two greatest impediments to the expansion of American trade in Brazil are poor transportation facilities and the want of direct representation of your manufacturers. As a rule, we have in Rio but two old and slow steamers a month from the United States, and their import trade with Brazil is so organized that there are no direct relations between the American manufacturer and the Brazilian merchant. Everything is done through more or less expensive commission men. The lack of an American bank here is also a general drawback. American manufacturers ought to have a bureau here in which there would be a permanent exposition of their products.

England, France, Germany, Portugal, Italy—all these countries have their lines of steamers and their banks here; their capital is being constantly invested in industrial and commercial enterprises. What does your country possess here? No line of steamers, no banks, no industrial enterprises; there is no investment of capital, with the exception of a few commercial houses.

In regard to the merchandise handled by our house (Leonardos & Co.), I will relate my personal experience concerning articles of American manufacture. My efforts to introduce these goods in the Rio market have been very successful. Cut glass and molded glass are of importance, and I will speak of them first.

Cut glass from Fairpoint competes easily in quality and beauty with the English and French article. It is somewhat higher in price, but sells readily on account of its beautiful designs. The moldings and pressed glassware of certain American factories are as well made and as white as those we import from other countries; they are perhaps better, and, their price being lower, I think they will in time find a good market here. The same applies to bottles, jars, and other articles used by druggists. I think they can easily compete with products from other countries.

American plated metals, silver and nickel plate, from the factories of Reed & Barton (Connecticut), Meriden Britannia Company, and others, are beginning to be favorably known in our markets, and, owing to their price, can well compete with the metals of Elkington, England; Christofle, Paris; Krupp, Austria; and others. I may remark, in this connection, that American plated ware pays only half the rate of duty that plated wares from other countries pay; copper entering into their composition, if at all, in a very small proportion. The importation of plated ware from the United States is susceptible of great development.

American petroleum lamps are not known here; but their quality is superior to those we import from Belgium and Germany. Their price is the same, or even lower.

I have thus given an account as far as my own line of business is concerned. As to other American products, they are beginning to be well known in our market, but as yet are not largely exploited, for the reasons I have mentioned above.

American leather, electrical appliances, photographic apparatus, agricultural implements, and all kinds of manufacturing machinery bicycles, preserves, etc., are well known and greatly appreciated here. It only remains to strengthen the ties between our two countries, by improving means of communication, and securing for commerce and trade with the United States the proper representation here.

GERMAN CAPITAL INVESTED IN SOUTH AMERICA.

[From the European Economist.]

It is worth while to study the enormous extension of financial, industrial, and mercantile enterprises of the Germans in South America. We find in Brazil the Brasilianische Bank, with a capital of 10,000,000 marks, in Rio de Janeiro, São Paulo, and Santos; the Deutsche Überseeische Bank with a capital of 20,000,000 marks, in Buenos Ayres and Valparaiso; the Deutsche Bank of Chile, with a capital of 10,000,000 marks in Valparaiso. Germany is interested in Brazilian mines and railroads to the extent of 62,000,000 marks. In Venezuela the Germans have invested 50,000,000 to 60,000,000 marks in railroads. A considerable number of industrial enterprises of various kinds have been created in South America under their auspices—breweries, hat and shoe factories, paper mills, coach factories, soap and candle factories, cotton factories, foundries, machine shops, etc.

They have contributed much capital to the foundation of Liebig's meat-extract factories; they have invested millions in the saltpeter mines of Chile and in the mines of Peru. It is not easy to estimate the total of German capital invested in financial and industrial enterprises, but from the best information available we give the following data: In Guatemala the Germans have invested 140,000,000 marks; in Mexico, 134,000,000 marks; in Venezuela, 200,000,000 marks; in Brazil, 600,000,000 marks; and in Chile, 100,000,000 marks.

OCEAN FREIGHT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

Freight discrimination against goods from the United States and in favor of those from European markets, made by the European steamship lines, which practically control the carrying trade of South America, is described by United States Consul-General Seeger in a report to the State Department published in the advance sheets of the Consular Reports:

I regard it my duty to again call attention to a serious obstacle in the healthy development of our trade with Brazil, viz, the conditions created by the combination of the foreign transportation companies, whose steamers are plying to and from the ports of Brazil.

These companies are: Lamport & Holt, Liverpool; Prince Line, Newcastle; Norton Line, Liverpool; Sloman Line, Hamburg; Chargeurs Réunis, Havre.

These lines, which constitute a trust, had in August last reduced the freight rates on coffee (almost the only return cargo of the steamers plying between the United States or Europe and Rio de Janeiro and Santos) to 10 cents per bag, in order to drive out of Brazilian waters the trans-Atlantic steamers whose owners did not enter into the above-mentioned agreement. About six weeks afterwards, when the "tramp" steamers (so called by the trust) were hunted down and the refractory coffee shippers brought to terms, freight rates were increased again to 30 cents a bag, which rate is charged at present. One of the results of this practice is that there is not enough freight room available at present for the export trade of the United States with Brazil, and those who want to import merchandise into Brazil before the date on which the increased tariff goes into effect (January 1, 1899) are frustrated to a very large extent.

Another serious obstacle to our competition in Brazil with European exporters is the fact—complained of by Rio de Janeiro and São Paulo importers of American goods and probably traceable to the same combination of non-American shipowners—that freight rates to Brazil are (unnecessarily) higher from the United States than from the European ports. A Rio de Janeiro commission merchant told me not long ago that he made an additional profit on flour bought in New York by shipping it via Hamburg; and the head of a well-known São Paulo house of importers and manufacturers of agricultural and coffee machinery told me last week that in buying a large quantity of pig and cast iron, he could not avail himself of the lower prices offered by American houses as against European competition, on account of the higher freight rates from New York. From the manifest, I saw that a cargo of flour recently arrived here from New York paid 85 cents per barrel, while the scheduled steamer freight of flour from Hamburg to Rio de Janeiro or Santos is 30 marks (\$7.14) per ton (of 11 barrels).

In this connection I may say that the published freight tariffs of the different steamer lines can hardly be taken in evidence in regard to the freight actually charged against different shippers, as the representative of one of the members of the steamer trust has assured me, stating that trans-Atlantic freight rates are, in all cases of importance, the subject of specific agreements.

The above described are among those conditions which ought to be taken into consideration by those who try to understand why the United States is not having its fair share of the import trade of Brazil.

PERSONAL WORK NECESSARY TO SECURE TRADE.

Circulars, catalogues, and price lists, says Consul Jarnigan in the United States Consular Reports, are of little value in an attempt to obtain trade in Central America:

In no other way save through personal and direct work can trade be secured. Merchants and manufacturers should have impressed upon them that which the consular service seems powerless to make understood, to wit, that these goods must be manufactured and selected with an eye single to the tastes, needs, and preferences of the people. They must be packed in parcels, boxes, etc., in size, shape, and weight to suit the trade. All must be packed in a way to, in part at least, insure against loss during transportation and to be as nearly waterproof as possible.

Our well-informed exporters must know that a wharf where vessels can land goods in safety is a thing almost wholly unknown in Spanish America. Nearly everywhere merchandise is conveyed from the ships to the shore in small boats, through many hundred yards of surf. One often sees bales and packages of goods literally floated ashore—even hardware, cutlery, etc., including the ever-present “machete,” are packed in waterproof and therefore not injured by salt water in the process of “landing.”

A thoroughly qualified agent, by direct contact with the people, and through the instrumentality of properly worded and illustrated catalogues, can greatly increase our trade from the outset. These people are thoroughly friendly to Americans and really wish to increase their commercial relations with us.

However the situation may be viewed by my countrymen, I can assure them that in this effort at education they must begin at home. The manufacturer and merchant must be taught how to pack goods for Spanish-American markets. They must learn that the bulk of exports, to reach the consumer in the rural districts, must at some point of the route be packed upon bronchos and mules and transported over mountain and canyon, where trails are dignified with the name of road and where wheels are unknown. They must learn that a merchant in making his purchases will not buy a case large and unwieldy, necessitating unpacking and consequent risk, when the same goods, or “just as good,” can be had packed in small waterproof packages of convenient shape and weight. They should know that goods of one class only should be put in a package. If a dutiable article, however small, is put into a package of goods on which there is no duty, the whole package would become dutiable at the rate of duty on said small article. Different classes of goods have different rates of duty, and when those of a low rate of duty are packed with articles having a high rate of duty all are assessed at the highest rate.

FRANK ADVICE TO THOSE CONTEMPLATING RESIDENCE IN SOUTH AMERICA.

[From the Buenos Ayres Herald, April 8, 1899.]

Those of the English-speaking race who think of leaving their native land for these shores should note the condition of other people who have gone to a country where the language is different from their native tongue, and then reflect that they would be situated here pretty much as a Spaniard, for instance, who landed on American or British soil and was ignorant of English. They should bear in mind that the language of this country is Spanish; that the people are in a great measure of the Spanish race, and have its customs and characteristics; that while there is complete religious liberty, the Catholic Church is that of the State. They should also reflect that the social observances of the country are very different from those of the English-speaking races. Coming to particulars, it may be stated that no mechanic who is not an expert or a specialist in certain occupations should come here hoping to better his condition, for the very simple reason that the country is already overrun by workmen from southern Europe, who are content to work for lower wages than any British or American mechanic would care to accept. Italy can easily outbid America or Britain in most departments of labor; and, as a matter of fact, the operatives and manufacturers here are either Italians or Frenchmen, principally the former. This remark applies to all varieties of mechanical labor, with the exception of specialties, such as electrical engineering; but in this field there is already a congestion in this Republic. We would strongly advise English and American mechanics not to think of coming here to improve their condition. The same advice applies to manufacturers of all sorts. Not only is there a full supply, but the market is overstocked with products of native manufacture, for the most part of a very inferior kind.

With regard to agriculture, our discouraging advice would be emphasized. The farmer here is the Italian or the Basque, who can live in a manner to which English-speaking people are not accustomed, and will work for wages which these would consider sufficient only to escape starvation. At the moment we write there are hundreds of men now seeking employment who would be glad to work for \$2 a day of the money of this country (which is equal to about 90 cents American currency) and board themselves; and this in face of the fact that the cost of living is greater here than in New York or London. Those who have capital to lend on mortgage or who can invest in real estate can safely get twice as much interest or income as in England or America. Those who have a small capital, say of \$5,000 or \$10,000, and are ready to go to the frontier to live a rough life for years, where they will never hear their native tongue, where they will certainly suffer from homesickness, where the conditions of life to English people are nearly unbearable—such persons in the course of time will come out with more dollars, if they come out at all, than they would amass at home. The climate in this country is magnificent; no place in the world can surpass it in that respect. It is essentially a white man's climate. Stock graze in the open all winter, even in the coldest localities. The country has a great future, but no man in his senses would take the responsibility of advising English people to immigrate or to come except with capital, as we have already stated. True, many have come individually and have done well, but every attempt to establish a colony of English-speaking people has proved a miserable failure.

MARKET FOR TEXTILES—SOUTH AMERICA.

The German textile journals are advising the cloth manufacturers and dealers of that country to send goods to South America, especially to the places more difficult of access, which have not been invaded. Consul Monaghan, of Chemnitz, sends the State Department a summarization of this advice, and says:

On the Pacific a few mills make buckskins, chevots, blankets, etc., but because of the enormous cost for freightage over the Andes sales are local. Mules have to carry goods over the comb of the Cordilleras, and this cost cuts off all possibility of competition with countries as well equipped as are England and Germany; this, in spite of steamship freight rates, which run \$30 per cubic meter (35.547 cubic feet), and import duties based on a desire to obtain revenues as well as to protect home industries.

Up to the present the demand for German goods has been confined to manufactured articles. Among these are moleskins, in good and middle grades, in whole "cuts" or pieces of $2\frac{1}{2}$ yards; woolen and cotton blankets (England competes in this line); cotton and silk laces, and summer worsteds in cheap and middle grades; in the last a large business has been built up. Cotton hose, black and in colors, have sold well. Cotton prints, patterns that went ten years ago from Manchester, still find favor. Germans are unable to assign a good reason for this. My own impression is that it is due to the excellent qualities of the goods. The trade is not confined to bright colors; many of Alsace's soft, quiet patterns are in demand. England sends large quantities of nettings (mosquito), tulles, gauzes and mulls, white cotton shirtings, napkins, towels, linen and cotton handkerchiefs, white drills, gray domestics, gray linen drills, hessians, and sailcloths. Large quantities of colored cottons for shirts, as well as ready-made shirts, are going in. Colored pajamas and various kinds of underwear are imported from England and Germany in about equal quantities. Switzerland sends hammocks (it is a good plan to weave in the Peruvian or Brazilian coat of arms), cords for hammocks, handkerchiefs (especially colored lines, fantastically embroidered imitations of silk handkerchiefs, which are great favorites with the natives in their national dance). The United States sends cotton goods, especially blue drills. France sends corsets, shawls, silk ribbons, cloths, caps, sunshades, etc. There is a good business in hats and ready-made suits, that will wash, for any firm that goes to work in the right way to win the market of Iquitos.

White drill pantaloons are sent from the United States, England, France, and Germany. Much of the trade in this section is done by Hamburg and London houses.

If anyone will work the field, taking care to send catalogues in Spanish and Portuguese, rather than in English, there is no doubt that a fairly profitable business can be built up. Small shipments of samples, with a guaranty that goods will go in equal to or better than samples, is an excellent way to win favor in those countries. At present goods go in every five or six weeks, via the Booth-Iquitos Line, whose boats leave Liverpool, Hamburg, Havre, and Lisbon. Rates should be made "free on board" at one of these ports.

It is in such markets—in fact, in the fields sought by the merchants and manufacturers of this Empire—that the United States should win its greatest success. Here we have to contend with conservatism and prejudice. In South America, in the East, in Africa and Australia, we meet Germany's manufacturers and merchants in markets as open and favorable to our efforts and enterprise as to theirs. It is in such markets that we must seek those openings for our exports made necessary by our rapidly increasing power to produce.

PROJECTED INTEROCEANIC RAILWAY ACROSS SOUTH AMERICA.

[British Board of Trade Journal.]

The subject of constructing a great South American interoceanic railway across the continent from a Brazilian port to the Pacific, crossing the Andes by means of a tunnel, has, according to the Iron Age, for long occupied the attention of the South American republics. The chief obstacle which has hitherto stood in the way of such an enterprise is the difficulty of raising the necessary funds. The technical part has already been examined and found feasible. The former difficulty now seems to be in a fair way of removal, as it is announced that the Governments of Brazil, Peru, Chile, and Bolivia have jointly taken up the project and are disposed to guarantee the interest on the capital engaged in the work.

It is said that the construction of such a railway would take about nine years. The necessary capital is understood to have been offered, and there is reason to believe that as soon as an understanding is reached with Ecuador, the only State which has not yet signified its approval of the scheme, the work will be started. The commercial advantages that would be opened up to the South American countries and to other nations interested in the trade of that continent are obvious, having in view the distance, danger, and high freight rates involved in transportation as at present by way of the Straits of Magellan.

UNITED STATES COAL FOR SOUTH AMERICA.

Consul Mayer, of Buenos Ayres, writes, on December 27, 1898: "It affords me great pleasure to report that for the first time American coal has arrived here in sailing vessels. The American schooners *Mary E. Palmer* and *William B. Palmer*, captains W. H. Haskell and L. McDonald, arrived here from Norfolk, Va., with 4,851 tons of Pocahontas coal. They made the trip in forty-nine days. Both left Norfolk on the same day and, strange as it may seem, both arrived at this port on the same day. This is a new era for American shipping, and it will not be long until Argentina will receive her entire coal supply from the United States."

Consul Furniss writes from Bahia, Brazil, July 14, 1898: "The imports of coal at Bahia in 1897 amounted to 78,000 tons (of 2,240 pounds). Large quantities were taken by the Bahia and San Francisco Railroad and by the Government gas works. All the coal was from Cardiff and Newcastle, the former being used for steam purposes and the latter for gas. No anthracite is imported; bituminous coal is used for all purposes. The average wholesale price is 37s. (\$8.99) per ton. Vessels bringing coal discharge it free of expense to purchaser into lighters. Lighterage costs on an average 3 to 5 milreis (42 to 70 cents) per ton. The duty on coal is $2\frac{1}{4}$ milreis (31½ cents) a ton. There are no coal mines in this consular district."

A CANADIAN REPORT ON AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY IN MEXICO.

[From the British Board of Trade Journal.]

The Board of Trade have received a copy of the report of the Canadian commissioner, appointed by the Canadian government to investigate the condition of trade in Mexico and Central and South America. In that portion relating to Mexico occur the following details concerning the agricultural machinery industry of the country:

A dealer, who has been in that business in Mexico for forty years, states that with regard to plows in Mexico they are most popular if they have but one handle, the natives being used to plowing with a crooked stick, through which a sort of share is inserted. They prefer but one handle because they use but one hand in guiding the plow and the other for prodding the oxen, which are attached to the plow by a yoke lashed about their horns. This dealer says that very often when a two-handled plow is provided the native plowman saws one of them off, and in conformity with this prejudice the small manufacturer of plows in Mexico makes, as a rule, a single-handed affair, which is very roughly finished. The price paid for plows is from six to ten dollars each, Mexican silver; the native production being the cheapest. Simplicity is absolutely essential to any manufactured article which is to be used by the Indians.

Reapers have considerable sale and are largely used on haciendas owned by enterprising Mexicans or foreigners, but binders are considerably too complicated to be used with advantage where labor is so cheap. Agricultural help is obtainable at from 25 to 50 cents per day, according to locality. In the majority of cases irrigation has to be resorted to to raise grain, and this necessitates deep furrows and the growing of grain in clumps, which makes it hard to successfully use a binder. On a ground which have been improved by modern engineers the levels are much more even, and consequently the furrows more shallow and the obstructions to the use of machinery less numerous. In California, where the levels have been carefully made for irrigating purposes, reapers and self-binders are successfully used, and this will be the case in Mexico shortly.

It must be remembered that Mexico is largely a Republic of small communities, each hacienda being almost a municipality by itself. As these large farms fall into the hands of progressive people, more modern methods of agriculture are used and provision is made for the successful utilization of modern machinery. With the progress of ideas, the business of providing agricultural implements of a more or less complicated make will also advance rapidly, and the first dealers in the field making systematic and aggressive efforts will find their machines adopted, and will obtain the full benefit of the conservative nature of Mexican sentiment, which is slow to change from one implement to another. It can be safely asserted that the same impulse prevades all business transactions. When anything is purchased which is satisfactory, not only is the trade-mark considered the only necessary introduction of an article of a correct kind, but the dealer himself will be asked to provide everything further that may be required. Though it may be hard to establish a business here in Mexico, it requires very little exertion to retain it, provided that such business is at all satisfactory. Confidence hardly won is rarely lost among those who have transactions in the Republic.

Reapers sell from \$170 to \$200 each, Mexican silver, without the binding attachment, and the people to whom agricultural implements would ordinarily be sold may be considered as good payers. The debt laws of Mexico are very stringent, and only the owners of land are likely to become purchasers.

In the machinery stores, gang plows of a simple and cheap construction, corn shellers and fodder-chopping machines, force pumps, thrashing machines, and the majority of implements seen in Canada can be found. It is said that English-made thrashing machines are sometimes favored because they do not shake to pieces so quickly, but this prejudice is hardly likely to survive when other countries using thrashing machines have adopted the lighter construction.

Any agricultural labor-saving devices imported into Mexico will be worked by Indian labor, and it must not be forgotten that these Indians are not particularly receptive of economical ideas. It is unlikely that any of the machinery in use on a Canadian farm would be acceptable in Mexico until the implements now in use have been scrutinized carefully, and, to a certain extent, imitated. Native workmen and laborers can be gradually led from the primitive implements now in use to much more valuable and economical appliances; but it is almost impossible to at once advance a strongly prejudiced and illiterate person from the tools which he and his forefathers have used to something which he can not comprehend and does not propose to accept, if by any means he can destroy it, or find an excuse to return to the old method.

While this is true, it should be reiterated that manufacturers who take pains to introduce their implements, and gradually educate the Mexican laborers, will be rewarded by a faithful and remunerative patronage.

The duty on agricultural machinery moved by pedals or levers, etc., is 5 cents (2½d.) per kilogram (gross weight).

POSTAL MONEY-ORDER SERVICE WITH MEXICO.

Under date of February 11, 1899, Consul Jones, of Tuxpan, writes to the State Department:

There is much rejoicing throughout this district—and I have no doubt throughout this entire Republic—over the prospects of a money-order postal service between Mexico and the United States. It will be the means, I think, of introducing many of our goods into these markets. The money-order and parcel-post systems open up such a field in Mexico for the mailing departments of our large stores that it will pay our merchants to cover this field with catalogues printed in Spanish. The possibilities in this line can hardly be overestimated, especially if arrangements to facilitate trade are made with express companies.

The well-to-do families of Mexico have long been anxious for our goods, and only the means of getting them has been lacking.

FREIGHT RATES FROM NEW YORK TO CITY OF MEXICO.

[From Consular Reports, March, 1899.]

(Rates in United States currency per 100 pounds, carload lots.)

ARTICLES.	From—	To—	Rate.	ARTICLES.	From—	To—	Rate.
Agricultural implements and machinery.	New York.....	Mexico City..	\$1.13	Machinery	New York.....	Mexico City..	\$0.90
Ale or ginger ale, packed	do	do .....	.82	Mineral water	do	do	a 1.08
Bagging and bags	do	do .....	.80	Nails and spikes	do	do .....	.75
Belting	do	do	a 1.22	Oil, lubricating	do	do .....	.90
Bluestone	do	do .....	.80	Paints	do	do	a .85
Books, boxed	do	do	a 1.22	Paper	do	do .....	.95
Boots and shoes, boxed	do	do	1.22	Pulp, wood	do	do .....	.75
Brick, fire	do	do .....	.70	Rails and fastenings	do	do .....	.38
Candles	do	do	1.00	Stationery	do	do	a 1.22
Canned goods	do	do .....	.95	Tinware, nested	do	do	a 1.22
Carpets	do	do	a 1.32	Wheels, car	do	do	a 1.22
Cement, in barrels	do	do .....	.59	Feathers	Vera Cruz and Tampico	New York...	.63
Corks	do	do	a 1.77	Mineral ores	do	do .....	.21
Drugs and medicines	do	do	a 1.22	Hides	do	do .....	.40
Electrical appliances	do	do .....	.90	Coffee	do	do .....	.27
Firearms	do	do	1.32	Chicle	do	do .....	.53
Furniture	do	do	1.38	Deerskins	do	do	1.05
Glassware	do	do	1.20	Goatskins	do	do .....	.50
Glass (mirrors)	do	do	a 1.47	Beans	do	do .....	.32
Groceries	do	do	a 1.08	Horns	do	do .....	.27
Hops, compressed	do	do	a 1.22	Hair	do	do .....	.67
Ink	do	do	a 1.68	Bones	do	do .....	.27
Insulators	do	do	a .85	Tobacco	do	do	b 1.58
Iron, bar and corrugated	do	do .....	.70	Honey	do	do	c 2.10
Iron beams	do	do .....	.90	Fruit	do	do	d .21
Liquors, wines, whiskeys, etc., in glass, packed.	do	do	1.00				
a Less than carloads.				b Per bale.			
				c Per barrel.			
				d Per cubic foot.			

MEXICAN COMMERCE AND THE SHARE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES THEREIN.

The United States, by reason of proximity, close railway and wire connection, and a growing familiarity with the wants of the Mexican population, now supplies one-half of the imports of Mexico. Consul-General Barlow, in a report to the Department of State, published in the Consular Reports of March, 1899, says that—

In spite of the establishment of factories in Mexico, there was an actual increase of \$1,399,397 in imports during the fiscal year 1897-98, and this in spite of the fact that \$2,600,268 worth of American corn was imported in 1896-97, owing to the partial failure of the corn crop in Mexico, whereas in 1897-98 only \$43,069 worth of this cereal was brought into the country. The increase might therefore be estimated on the basis of normal conditions as nearly \$4,000,000.

Commenting on the fact that other countries gained in their imports into Mexico in 1897-98, he says:

Our exporters are not paying the same attention to the commercial customs of this Republic that is given by manufacturers of other nations, principally England, France, and Germany. The business conditions of Mexico are noteworthy, and it will be of much pecuniary benefit to our merchants to study them. In the first place, there are very few concerns doing business here that have not ample capital to carry out all contracts into which they may enter. Failures are very rare indeed, and when they do occur are carefully investigated by the authorities in the interests of creditors, and any attempts to defraud are severely punished. Book entries are regarded as sacred; all books kept by business houses are known and small stamp taxes paid on them, and thus a sort of surveillance is kept over them by Government authorities. All this tends to keep up a high standard of commercial credit; and, now that the commercial agency of R. G. Dun & Co. has extended its operations to this Republic, exact knowledge of the standing of the business houses here may be obtained.

As the terms of our American merchants are often very rigid, it is hard to reach an agreement, and much trade which by the exercise of a little tact and judgment could be handled by American merchants goes elsewhere. For instance, terms usually offered by European merchants are four to six months' time, whereas American houses often require that the total amount of their invoices be placed in some bank in the United States before the goods are shipped.

With good local agents on the ground familiar with the language and the character of the buyers, the question might be easily settled. The superiority of many kinds of American goods is readily admitted here, and Mexican buyers are desirous of dealing with the United States, and would do so more extensively than at present, if trading facilities were offered them. I do not suggest that the full time offered by other nations be always granted, since we have many goods that this Republic must have, and these, of course, can

be sold practically on our own terms; but I do say that the business methods of Mexico should be carefully studied. Buyers and sellers should acquire mutual confidence, and where that can not be attained no business should be done. A happy medium between extended time and the requiring of a deposit before shipment would seem to be to ship to reliable manufacturers' agents, have them import the goods, and then deliver them and collect and remit therefor according to contract.

A few words as to the value of contracts in Mexico. Once an absolute understanding is had between buyer and seller and the agreement reduced to writing, there is seldom any controversy, as a contract or a preliminary contract (known here as a *minuta*) is regarded as binding, even though the only legal forms required in a "*minuta*" are the affixing of a 50-cent stamp and the depositing of the *minuta* with a notary public, to be reduced to a public deed when one of the interested parties requires it.

EXPORTS. *a*

As to the exports by countries, amounting to \$128,972,749 (\$58,166,719) in 1897-98, \$94,974,616 (\$42,833,552) went to the United States, or 73 per cent of the total amount exported from Mexico, as against 77 per cent in 1896-97.

The increase of \$8,250,000 (\$2,953,500) in volume is very satisfactory, and, in the face of the higher duties imposed by the Dingley tariff, is the more noteworthy; but, as will be seen, the export business of the United States has not kept pace with the increase in the general exports, whereas some other countries have greatly increased their purchases of Mexican goods. For example:

France, which in 1896-97 bought of Mexico but \$1,873,522 (\$670,743), bought in 1897-98 \$5,320,016 (\$1,904,587), an increase of \$3,446,494 (\$1,233,844). Holland, which is reaching out for trade here, increased from \$57,906 (\$20,730) in 1896-97 to \$719,322 (\$257,517)—an increase of \$661,416 (\$236,787). Cuba shows the most notable increase, from \$53,503 (\$19,155) in 1896-97 to \$2,152,544 (\$770,611) in 1897-98. This is due to the fact that Cuba had to have certain Mexican products, and that the advantage in favor of Spain was greatly diminished.

Germany's increase, though large, was not so remarkable, being \$2,578,989 (\$923,278); while the small Kingdom of Belgium about keeps pace with England, since the former increased \$421,765 (\$150,992), whereas the latter, with its position of second only to the United States (though at a great distance), increased only \$495,111 (\$177,249).

IMPORTS.

Imports in 1897-98 were \$43,603,492, against \$42,204,095 in 1896-97. Of this amount about one-half was from the United States, England being second, France third, Germany fourth, and Spain fifth in the list. The imports from the United States in 1897-98 were, according to the figures of the Mexican Government, \$21,490,604; England, \$8,105,696; France, \$5,435,698; Germany, \$4,781,821, and Spain, \$2,039,132; Belgium, \$590,196; Italy, \$186,273; Turkey, \$156,732; India, \$154,115; Austria, \$125,144; Holland, \$103,913; no other country reaching \$100,000.

THE MEXICAN "FREE ZONE" DESCRIBED BY MEXICAN OFFICIALS.

The "Free Zone," a strip of territory 12½ miles wide along the entire northern border of Mexico, into which goods are admitted without payment of the usual tariff charges, is officially described in the following statement, prepared in 1898 by the Mexican Treasury Department, at the request of the United States Treasury Department. The "Free Zone," according to Johnson's Cyclopædia, "was established by the State of Tamaulipas in 1858, and has been extended to the entire northern frontier of Mexico; imports for use in the zone (except cattle) pay only 10 per cent of the ordinary duties; the Mexican authorities claim that this arrangement is necessitated by the retail trade across the frontier."

The official description furnished by the Mexican authorities is as follows:

There is understood by the term "Free Zone" a strip of national territory which, covering all the northern frontier of the Republic in the States of Tamaulipas, Coahuila, Chihuahua, Sonora, and the Territory of Lower California, from the Gulf of Mexico to the Pacific Ocean, extends in a latitudinal direction 20 kilometers (12.42 miles) from the frontier border toward the interior.

It was established in the beginning from Matamoros to Monterey Laredo (to-day Laredo of Tamaulipas) by Col. Ramon Guerra, governor of the State of Tamaulipas, by means of a decree dated the 17th of March, 1858, which was sanctioned by President Juarez the 30th of July, 1861.

The tariff of the 1st of January, 1872, left it in existence, and the tariff of 1885 caused its extension to all the frontier. The general ordinance of custom-houses of 1887, as well as that of 1891, which is now in force, preserved it, although with modifications of importance, especially as regards collection of duties.

DUTIES LEVIED IN THE FREE ZONE.

The franchise granted the Free Zone consisted, in the beginning, in not levying any duty upon imported articles; afterwards, however, some small duties, purely local, were established, and the ordinance of 1887 established as a fixed basis 3 per cent on the value of the duties according to tariff—a basis which was raised to 10 per cent by the ordinance of 1891. By subsequent decrees the duties were raised 1½ per cent for the municipality and 7 per cent for stamps for internal revenue, the result of all this being that the merchandise introduced into the Free Zone from abroad now paid 18½ per cent upon the importation duties according to tariff.

For the better comprehension of this explanation, there is here given an example of the duties paid by a certain article, according to its destination, either to the interior of the country or to the Free Zone.

a The Mexican customs estimate the value of imports in gold and of exports in silver.

Let us suppose a bale of cotton weighs 100 kilograms (220.46 pounds). If destined for the interior of the country, it will pay duties as follows:

DESCRIPTION.	Duties.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
100 kilograms (220.46 pounds) at 7 cents (3 cents).....	7.00	<i>a</i> 3.10
2 per cent for harbor works.....	.14	.06
1½ per cent (municipal).....	.10	.04
7 per cent (revenue stamps).....	.49	.22
Total.....	7.73	3.42

a The reductions in this report are made on the basis of the valuation of the Mexican dollar given April 1, 1898, by the Director of the United States Mint—*i. e.*, \$1 Mexican = 44.4 cents.

If that bale is destined to the Free Zone, it must pay—

DESCRIPTION.	Duties.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
10 per cent on \$7.....	0.70	0.30
1½ per cent on \$7 (municipal).....	.10	.05
7 per cent on \$7 (stamps).....	.49	.32
Total.....	1.29	.67

If this same bale, after having been imported to the Free Zone, is shipped to the interior of the country, it must pay, in addition to the above—

DESCRIPTION.	Duties.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
90 per cent on \$7 (\$3.10).....	6.30	2.79
2 per cent for harbor works.....	.14	.06
Total.....	6.44	2.85

which is equal to the amount charged for importation of the bale directly to the interior (\$7.73=\$3.42).

It must be noticed that not all the merchandise that enters through the custom-houses of the north is destined for the Free Zone, and that much that is primarily imported for consumption there is afterwards shipped to the interior.

The greater part of the merchandise that enters through Laredo, Tamaulipas, Porfirio Diaz (Eagle Pass), City of Juarez (El Paso, Tex.), and Nogales, Sonora, pays at once the entire duties and is forwarded immediately to the interior.

The custom-house of Matamoros has little importation, and those of Guerrero, Camargo, Mier, Boquillas, Lasabe, Tiguana, and La Morita have practically none.

The greater part of the goods imported by these last is consumed by the inhabitants of the towns named and their jurisdictions; and all are United States goods, such as hams, potatoes, lard, butter, beer, matches, coarse cloth material, etc.

POPULATION OF THE FREE ZONE.

The principal cities found in the Free Zone are Matamoros, Camargo, Mier, Guerrero, Laredo City, Porfirio Diaz (Piedras Negras), City of Juarez (Paso del Norte), and Nogales. The others are small towns which have little commercial importance. The total population of the Free Zone could hardly be estimated to be 80,000 or 100,000 people.

LOSSES TO MEXICAN TREASURY DUE TO THE FREE ZONE.

As the records of the frontier custom-houses of the north make no distinction in the duties, those for the Free Zone as well as those for the interior appearing in the same classification, it is impossible to know exactly what the treasury loses by the 90 per cent rebate on the duties of the merchandise destined for consumption in the Free Zone; but, admitting, as an exaggerated estimate, that the total consumption of the Free Zone represents in duties \$400,000 (\$177,600) a year, with the 10 per cent charge on this amount, the average annual loss would be \$365,000 (\$162,060).

COST OF GUARDING.

The institution of the Free Zone obliges the Mexican Government, in order to prevent the introduction clandestinely into the interior of merchandise proceeding therefrom, to maintain a body of fiscal guards at an annual expense of \$562,525.95 (\$249,762). The guards of the custom-houses must not be reckoned in this account, for these, with or without the Free Zone, are necessary to prevent the smuggling which would be carried on from the United States, and which is even now done.

In case of abolishing the Free Zone it would not be possible to completely suppress the fiscal guards; lessened in number and with a distinct organization, they would have to be maintained, especially since in case of their abolition the entire duties would be charged (that is to say, 90 per cent more than is now levied), and this would be inducement enough to provoke attempts at smuggling.

This body of guards, fiscal as well as administrative, supplies the place of an interior custom-house (although it does not levy duties), as it reviews in certain instances the merchandise shipped through the frontier custom-houses, and, in a military capacity, guards the roads leading to and from the frontier, to prevent smuggling. It has a system of fixed sections situated at convenient loca-

tions between the Gulf of Mexico and the Pacific, and of flying detachments continually patrolling the strip of territory named. Experience has demonstrated the usefulness of the body, for instances of smuggling by wagons, carts, or animals, can be said to no longer exist.

INDUSTRIES.

In the Free Zone there are no industries worth mentioning, nor is it possible to establish any, for the general ordinance of the custom-house permits the introduction to the interior of the country of industrial products manufactured in the Free Zone only on payment of the regular duties, which are equal to those levied on foreign goods of the same kind. Exportation to the United States of America would be difficult on account of its protective tariff, and the consumption in the Free Zone would not be sufficient to sustain industrial establishments of any importance, especially as not a single railroad exists, and transportation of merchandise is carried on in certain parts over difficult roads by means of the rudimentary system of ox carts.

AMOUNT OF GOODS SHIPPED TO THE FREE ZONE AND IMPORTED FROM IT.

I will not mention the merchandise coming from the United States of America, but will only consider that from Europe, Asia, etc. According to statistics of the frontier custom-houses, the duties on importations into the Free Zone of European merchandise, etc., during the two years of 1895-96 and 1896-97 were:

CUSTOM-HOUSE.	Amount of duties, calculated as a whole.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.
Mier.....		
Guerrero.....		
Boquillas.....		
Tiguana.....		
La Morita.....		
Camargo.....		
Laredo, Tamaulipas.....	162,326	116,473
Ciudad Juarez.....	100,774	44,744
Ciudad Porfirio Diaz.....	80,914	36,126
Nogales.....	83,182	36,933
Matamoros.....	80,643	35,805
Total in two years.....	607,839	269,881
Average per year.....	303,919	134,940

Of this amount at least 33½ per cent can be calculated to have been shipped later into the interior, paying the regular duties; this would amount to \$101,306.50 (\$44,980), leaving as a balance consumed in the Free Zone \$202,613 (\$89,960).

OPINIONS REGARDING THE FREE ZONE.

Many distinguished financiers and eminent statesmen are opposed to the Free Zone, but all recognize the fact that, on account of existing circumstances in the northern frontier, its sparse population, without resources in agriculture, industry, or mining, the privilege could not be abolished without compensation, and the problem lies in choosing some other advantage without prejudice to the rest of the country.

The attitude of merchants in the interior is, in general, hostile, because they consider it a privilege granted to only a certain portion of the country. Merchants very far removed from the frontier, as those of San Luis Potosi, Guadalajara, and Mexico, do not consider it injurious. Those who are near, as Monterey, Chihuahua, etc., do not fear its competition, but they complain of it for the reason that they can not enjoy the liberty of distributing their goods without documents and without fiscal inspection, as in the rest of the country. In reality the jurisdiction of the fiscal guard extends to all the States of Tamaulipas, Nuevo Leon, Coahuila, Chihuahua, Sonora, and part of Lower California, and in this territory can be shipped no merchandise, according to law, unless the merchant gives legal proof that his goods have paid the just duties and asks permission for every shipment.

SMUGGLING.

Under this title there are two divisions to be made, as follows: Smuggling to the interior of the Republic and smuggling to the United States of America. The first was at one time of importance, since it was practiced on a large scale. Bands of smugglers, resorting at times to violence, conducted merchandise to the interior; but since the Republic entered the period of peace the Government has been able to take measures to end this illegal traffic. The custom-houses, which formerly scarcely produced enough to pay the employees, now render from \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 annually from import duties.

Smuggling from Mexico to the United States of America has never been practiced to any great extent. It consists in petty individual traffic. Smuggling is not only carried on in foreign goods, but also in Mexican products, such as mescal (fire water from the maguey or agave), and tobacco worked into cigarettes, which, on account of having a very high price in the United States of America, offers a great temptation to clandestine traffic. This individual smuggling will exist forever, Free Zone or no Free Zone, as experience has demonstrated that it is very difficult to extirpate it. But it is not carried on in the exaggerated scale that those opposed to the Free Zone claim, for, taking into account the amount of European importations to the Free Zone, the amount consumed in the Free Zone, and that introduced into the interior of Mexico, it is easily seen that the smuggling is relatively insignificant. On the other hand, it must be conceded that the damage is reciprocal. Being, as it is, an illegal traffic, naturally there are no statistics; but at mere sight, and taking into consideration the condition of the frontier, it is probable that smuggling on a small scale from the United States into Mexico (consisting of merchandise for consumption) may be greater than that from Mexico to the United States, which consist of goods of a certain price which only the rich can buy.

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THE TRADE OF PARA AND THE GREAT AMAZON VALLEY.

Para, a city of 65,000 inhabitants, located near the mouth of the great Amazon, and controlling the trade of its enormous valley, is, unlike the other cities of the eastern coast of South America, nearer to the great commercial centers of the United States than to those of Europe. This fact adds especial interest to a statement from Consul Kennedy, published in *Commercial Relations for 1898-99*, in which he says:

The city of Para, situated only about 100 miles from the mouth of the Amazon River, is the key to an enormous stretch of wealthy country; and indications are that it will become the Chicago of South America. Over 150 steamers are employed on the Amazon and its tributaries (about one-third of these vessels belonging to a British company), and the number will be increased materially before the end of the year. The internal communication afforded by the Amazon and its branches is so complete that railroad and terrestrial means of transportation are not needed, except to connect parts of rivers obstructed by rapids. Commerce at Para has developed enormously within the past few years; the custom-house is overwhelmed with work, and there are not at present enough stores to receive the goods as they arrive, although large additions have recently been made. Both lines of steamships running between Para and New York are increasing the number of their ships, as they are entirely unable to carry the heavy freight billed for this section of the country. A short time ago, the two lines made one trip each a month; later a bimonthly service was established; now three trips are made, and I am reliably informed that on the 1st of next January weekly trips will be made. No better evidence could be brought to show the greatly increased demand for United States goods. I learn from the captain of every vessel coming from New York that it is utterly impossible for any one of the steamers leaving that port to clear the freight billed for Para and the Amazon. This statement is gratifying in the extreme, though it is to be regretted that these goods can not be hauled in American ships.

The freight rate from Para to New York is 25 cents per cubic foot, or, as I am informed by merchants, about 17 per cent less than from here to Europe.

In the absence of printed statistics it will be impossible to furnish an absolutely correct list of imports. American trade with Brazil, however, has increased tremendously of late years, and the broad expansion in demand can not be regarded as other than encouraging.

The majority of merchants here require from ninety to one hundred and fifty days' credit; some, of course, only ask for half of such time. Germans stand ready to meet all requirements and competition. Our salesmen must expect to encounter sharp competition. A study of conditions is absolutely necessary.

FLOUR AND FOOD PRODUCTS.

We furnish all the flour to this community, and I am proud to say there is no room for improvement in this particular article. We also supply the bulk of the hams, bacon, lard, and other articles belonging to this class.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

United States boots and especially shoes are recently securing quite a foothold. German-American agents have just received upward of 9,000 pairs, and one advises me that the attractive finish and superior workmanship enabled him to dispose of all of his consignment, which he had had made specially for this market by a Boston house. This same gentleman has gone to Boston to lay in a much larger line of shoes. He intends to open an American shoe house, confining himself entirely to these goods.

MACHINERY.

There is a broad field for expansion in machinery. This line of industry has made rapid strides in the right direction during the past six months, and would increase much more if our manufacturers would take advantage of this opening. It is my opinion, after a careful canvass, that this trade could be indefinitely increased if a thoroughly competent agent were sent to the spot, one with long experience and practical knowledge, who could explain any article he represented, and who knew how to exhibit his goods to advantage. A rich harvest will follow, provided the proper methods are adopted for introducing these articles. Satisfactory results, however, can not be brought by correspondence; an energetic man must be sent—one who, if he fails at the beginning, will not become discouraged.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

There is an excellent opportunity for trade in this line. Every hardware establishment in Para carries some goods manufactured in the United States. Among other articles, I notice the famous Colt's and Winchester repeating rifles, together with many other makes of less reputation. It is to be regretted that, in the absence of statistics, I can not show exactly what proportion of exports each country sends to this corner of the world.

I am convinced that builders' materials could easily be marketed here; also, agricultural implements, such as hoes, shovels, hayforks, spades, hatchets, and axes. Yale locks, hinges, fastenings, and all kinds of cartridges find a ready sale. A general line of household utensils, in my judgment, would quickly get a foothold here, and a number of other articles which belong to this group.

JEWELRY, WATCHES, SPECTACLES, ETC.

To surrender this rich field to our German competitors without even a struggle would be foolish. I have devoted considerable time to this little group of specialties, and I would make the following recommendations:

For spectacles or eyeglasses I observe that a metal known as "alloy" is rapidly gaining favor; in fact, a majority of the jewelers here advise me that it will be difficult to market any other kind.

I am certain that a market could be created here for a cheap line of clocks. Inexpensive watches would sell readily; say, for instance, one selling for from \$4.50 to \$7 or as high as \$9. Of this class, a steamship load can be disposed of here and up the Amazon. One would also have no difficulty in disposing of rolled-gold or cheap plated jewelry.

HIGH-CLASS CONFECTIONERY.

An excellent market can be created here for this class of goods. There is not an establishment in Para dealing in confectionery. A choice line of fancy or mixed candies, together with a general assortment of other articles that are usually carried by similar houses, including, of course, a soda fountain and ice-cream freezer, would probably meet with success.

SEWING AND TYPEWRITING MACHINES.

I believe that not a sewing machine can be found within the limits of this city, or up the Amazon Valley, except of United States manufacture. I have made a careful canvass, and discovered that almost every tailor and shoemaker in the city of Para, as well as a large majority of private residences, owns a sewing machine manufactured in the United States; and it is safe to say that the entire Upper Amazon is amply supplied with American machines. In fact, I have not been able to trace any others.

There are very few typewriting machines in this section of country that are not of American make, and there is a rapidly increasing demand for our machines. This line of goods is slowly but surely finding its way into offices and commercial houses; there is, however, ample room for expansion in this specialty. A rich harvest might be reaped within a very short time, provided a shrewd and experienced agent promptly entered the field. German agents are scattered all over this country, and they are constantly on the lookout for openings of every nature, never allowing a chance to escape. The sooner these goods are placed on the market the more satisfactory the results will be.

BICYCLES.

The one marked development in this district within the past six months, I hear, has been in the bicycle trade. The United States machine was brought into notice in the following way: It appears that for some time past the adoption of a bicycle by the entire police force has been rapidly gaining favor, and, in consequence thereof, a recent special session of the board was called, with a view to putting the question to a test vote. After mature reflection the officers of said board decided to recommend the adoption of the bicycle. A committee was appointed, consisting of three experts, with instructions to carefully canvass the Para market with a view to securing the most substantial and generally superior wheel for the least money. The committee advised, in the strongest terms, a wheel made in the United States, adding that the latter clearly outclassed any other in the market. The wheels were forthwith adopted. The gratifying result was that the public, appreciating the test, have had their faith in our bicycles greatly increased. The favorable decision of the committee will prove an exceptionally valuable card to American manufacturers in other lines as well as in this. The future outlook for this particular industry can not be regarded as other than encouraging.

DRY GOODS, HOSIERY, AND NOTIONS.

As in other cases, I find it impossible to obtain exact information as to what extent we supply this line of trade; yet I feel confident that we have a fair share. As regards cotton goods of the coarser and heavier quality, especially in blue, the work of American mills is preferred and has almost wholly supplanted that from the Manchester mills, or from other parts of Europe; and the same is true of spool and machine thread, twine, and cordage. The trade in hosiery is very much divided, every country in Europe, as well as the United States, having a share. A line of flashy silk handkerchiefs would sell, I believe, faster than anything I could suggest.

The principal importers of coal are the Amazon Steam Navigation Company, A. Bernard & Co., the Para Gas Company, Booth & Co., Silva Volhote & Co., and Companhia Urbana (Electric Light Company). There is but little coal brought here from the United States, and it is my opinion that proper steps are yet to be taken in order to create a demand. The amount of coal in port at present is roughly estimated at more than five times as much as was ever known to be in storage in Para before. The English Government bought unusually large quantities of coal during the late war. Up to this writing our coal has failed to secure a substantial foothold. I believe exports from the United States could be developed.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, ETC.

The terms of credit given by European houses are so much easier that drug dealers prefer to place orders there. They also claim that the packing is more satisfactory. Freights being cheaper to New York than to Europe, there is no reason why, by adopting the proper methods, our manufacturers should not succeed in getting a substantial foothold here in the distribution of various drugs; for instance, cures for chills and fever, rheumatism, neuralgia, headaches, gout, and other complaints common in the tropical climates. It is positively necessary, however, to personally study the market. It is important to state that during my term of office, notwithstanding the many drummers representing American houses who have touched here, not one could speak the Portuguese language.

LUMBER AND DOOR SASHES.

In this specialty the United States has the market. All the material for manufacturing boxes to hold the rubber, nuts, etc., exported comes from the United States. I hear that a demand has recently arisen for window frames, doors, and a number of articles of this class. Whenever one branch of industry begins to develop I find, upon investigation, that it is due in almost every instance to energy and perseverance on the part of the representative of such industry.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

There is no such thing as an establishment in Para carrying ready-made clothing. Everything of the kind is made to order. It would seem, however, that such goods could easily find a market. The cheapest line of clothing, together with calicoes, domestics, and fancy goods, should be sent.

UNITED STATES GOODS IN BRAZIL

[Consul Clark, of Pernambuco, in Commercial Relations, 1897-98.]

If properly handled, United States goods will constitute a large share of the imports into Brazil. There are many openings for textiles, hardware, nails, etc. My attention has been called to the necessity of making hinges of a style desired and used in this country. Agricultural machinery should be brought here and introduced by competent people. Our bicycles are being introduced, and all prefer them, though the roads are in such bad condition that there can be no extensive use in this district. Small hardware is in demand, but must be made to suit the trade and well put up in proper packages.

This is an opportune time for the introduction of United States textiles, dealers preferring them to all others, even on thirty days' credit as against four months from Europe. A concession in this direction would work well.

Our boots and shoes are in demand, particularly for women and children. There is a good opportunity for the introduction of our files and saws, which come here now through English houses.

The chance for American coal was never better, but it should be screened. Spruce and hard-pine lumber, suitable for packing cases and boxes, is in great demand.

The extension of a parcel-post system to this country would be a great boon and open up new lines of trade. There should be increased care in attending to orders and having them properly packed so that the goods will not arrive damaged. The contents and weight of each package should be carefully noted and goods packed in as light packages as possible, as duties are paid on the gross weight.

Trade is best managed by having experienced commercial travelers, who can speak the Portuguese language, make trips about six months apart, and by paying strict attention to their orders and directions. Usually "something just as good or similar" will not please this people. The lack of a very small and apparently insignificant part of a machine renders the whole thing useless, and sometimes three to six months are necessary to replace it. These things should be kept constantly in mind, and the greatest care exercised to see that each shipment is complete in itself.

A WAREHOUSE FOR UNITED STATES GOODS WANTED IN BRAZIL.

[From the Rio Janeiro News.]

Commercial travelers are coming and going, commissions have visited us to investigate the conditions of trade in this country, and thousands of letters have been received on the subject of trade relations. And at times so urgent have been the inquiries that it has seemed but a question of days before the market would be flooded with American goods. But the days slipped by and the effort soon exhausted itself, the result being that no impression whatever had been made upon the market.

In our discussions with the representatives of American manufacturers we have advised their cooperation in establishing a large retail establishment in this city, under the management of trustworthy and experienced men, which should cover the sale of a wide variety of manufactured goods. The prime object should be to place these manufactures within the reach of consumers. Established commercial houses will be very slow to deal in goods unknown to their customers, but as soon as a demand is created they will readily fall in line. It should, therefore, be the object of such a general store to introduce goods and create a demand for them; and to do this, it should be made as attractive as possible and should include the widest possible variety of articles. We have but little faith in commercial travelers and expositions as a means for introducing manufactured goods, for they are transitory in effect and disappointing to those who wish to continue dealing in certain articles. The better method is the one we have recommended—the opening of a permanent retail establishment for the sale of a wide variety of manufactured goods. It may be provided with a wholesale department, but its principal object should be to introduce the goods to consumers.

We do not understand that a very large cash capital would be required, for the shareholders would be the manufacturers themselves and their principal investments would consist of manufactured goods. And the profits would be derived not so much from this pioneer establishment (which should be more than self-supporting), but from the wider demand for goods in a new market through the regular trade.

COFFEE AND RUBBER EXPORTS AND THEIR RELATION TO THE COMMERCE OF BRAZIL.

The following review of the coffee and rubber export trade of Brazil is republished from the Brazilian Review of the Bureau of Foreign Commerce of the State Department.

The relative value of coffee exports and of imported goods since 1894 is, in round numbers, as follows:

YEAR.	Coffee exports.		Imports.		Proportion of coffee.
	£	Dollars.	£	Dollars.	Per cent.
1894	24,000,000	116,788,000	33,677,000	163,889,121	71.3
1895	23,000,000	111,929,300	33,325,000	162,176,812	69
1896	19,000,000	92,463,500	31,508,000	153,333,682	60.3
1897	19,000,000	92,463,500	25,775,000	125,433,478	73.7
1898	14,000,000	68,131,000	23,000,000	111,929,300	60.9

As is shown by the above table, the normal percentages of the value of coffee to imports appear to be about 70 per cent—that is, that coffee alone should be sufficient to pay at least 70 per cent of imports. In 1895 the proportion remained about the same; in 1896, in consequence of falling prices of coffee and insufficient reduction of imports, the proportion fell to only 60 per cent; in 1897, in spite of much lower prices, the greater quantity maintained the value of coffee about the same as in 1896, while imports fell heavily, in consequence of which the percentage rose to 73.7 per cent; while in 1898, if our anticipations be correct, the value of coffee will represent not more than 60.9 per cent of imports, and is therefore considerably below the normal rate of 70 per cent. In other words, we are still importing much more than we can afford and living, in fact, on credit or on the surplus that the funding operation has afforded.

As the value of coffee falls that of imports must decline, unless there is some compensation of another kind. Certainly the suspension of the service of the foreign debt is such a compensation, and has in a way interrupted the natural process of balancing our obligations and assets; but the fact remains evident and indisputable that even with the large reduction imports have already undergone they are still in excess of the true purchasing power of the country.

Exports to Brazil have fallen off since 1893 from every one of the principal countries with the single exception of the United States. The reduction is as follows: Great Britain, 18.5 per cent; France, 28.6 per cent; Hamburg, 21.2 per cent; Belgium, 53.5 per cent; Argentine Republic, 11.1 per cent; Uruguay, 17.8 per cent; and Portugal, 16.7 per cent. The only increase was that of 13.4 per cent for the United States. The greatest reduction was in exports from Belgium, of 53 per cent.

That the falling off is not due solely to high tariffs is proved by the fact that, in spite of the reduction of the tariff, the value of imports continues to decline. Naturally it must adjust itself to the purchasing power of the country. If our principal medium of exchange—coffee—has within a few years experienced a fall of 40 per cent in value, how is it possible to expect that the value of imports can continue unaltered?

For the year 1897 the total value of all the merchandise imported by the eight leading countries given above from Brazil amounted to 53,638,544 milreis gold (\$29,286,645), exclusive of coffee and rubber, the real c. i. f. value of which, for which the country is creditor, being 44,434,542 milreis gold (\$24,261,260), equivalent to £4,998,885, or, say, in round numbers £5,000,000—not a very extravagant valuation when it is considered that it includes the value of all exports of cocoa, hides, and saladero produce, herva matte (which almost reaches a million), tobacco, sugar, minerals, etc.

The years 1897 and 1898 show the following results:

ARTICLES.	1897		1898	
	£.	Dollars.	£.	Dollars.
Coffee exported	18,500,000	90,030,250	14,000,000	68,131,000
Rubber exported	7,600,000	36,985,400	8,000,000	38,932,000
Other products	5,000,000	24,332,500	5,000,000	24,332,500

Summing up, we now perceive that the value of imports and exports for 1897 was:

DESCRIPTION.	Value.	
	£.	Dollars.
Imports	25,774,885	125,433,478
Exports	31,100,000	151,348,150
Balance in favor of our trade	5,325,115	25,914,672

For 1898 we estimate:

DESCRIPTION.	Value.	
	£.	Dollars.
Imports	22,000,000	107,063,000
Exports	27,000,000	131,395,500
Balance available	5,000,000	24,332,500

EUROPEAN COMPETITION FOR TRADE IN URUGUAY.

[From British Board of Trade Journal.]

In a report to the foreign office by Mr. A. Grenfell, H. M. consul at Montevideo (Annual Series, 202), some interesting information is given as to the origin of the goods imported from foreign countries into Uruguay. Mr. Grenfell states that much has been said of the want of enterprise and the proper study of the markets wherein the British merchant has his dealings, but such an accusation can not be brought with justice against those who carry on business and represent British commerce in Uruguay. The large percentage of the whole import trade of the country would be sufficient to refute such a charge on the face of it. It would be well to bear in mind that the competition which British commerce has to struggle against at present is much greater now than it was some years ago. Formerly the Italians were not so numerous as they are at present (forming, perhaps, half the population of Uruguay), nor were there any mercantile houses of importance, as there are now, which supply the wants of their fellow-countrymen, as well as those of the native population, with certain cheap articles which the British merchant probably finds a difficulty in providing. Germany closely studies the market and imitates what she thinks she can sell under the name of British-made goods, although of an inferior quality and price.

Great Britain stands alone in the imports of sweet biscuits, tea, oilskins, cloth and carpets, cotton drawers, soda, and jute, and almost alone in canvas bags, iron safes, portmanteaus, window glass, and tin and zinc plates. First also in the imports of sugar, kerssemeres, baize and cotton stuffs, mixed woolens, saddlery and harness, felt and silk hats, cotton and linen handkerchiefs, woollen quiltings and woollen rugs, prepared sheepskins, agricultural tools (except scythes), thrashing machines, spades and picks, string and thread, linseed and machine oils, iron bars and plates, and ironmongery. In some branches of import, however, Great Britain is not represented at all, or to a very slight extent, such as sheet glass, which comes entirely from Germany and Belgium, and starch, of which Germany supplies 50 per cent and Belgium 25 per cent.

In some other articles German traders have outstripped British ones. Such is the case with linen shirtings, which come nearly all from Germany, and hardly any from Great Britain, and also with mixed woollen and cotton ponchos (cloaks), an article much in use by the lower classes of Uruguay, and in the supply of which Great Britain has given way to Germany. Germany is now also first in the supply of linen collars, cuffs, and socks, sulphates and carbonates of potash, wire for fencing purposes, printing paper, and cotton quiltings.

On the whole, Great Britain holds the prominent position she has hitherto held as regards the imports, for out of a total of £5,431,931 she has contributed no less than £1,548,377, or 28 per cent of the whole.

The most formidable European rival that Great Britain has in the import trade is Germany, which imports £585,168; France comes next with £529,741; then Italy with £485,816.

ARGENTINE IMPORTS.

SHOWING THE CHIEF SOURCE OF SUPPLY IN THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE ARGENTINE REPUBLIC IN 1895.

[From Consular Reports, 1897.]

ARTICLES.	IMPORTED FROM—					
	United States.	Great Britain.	Germany.	France.	Italy.	Belgium.
Lubricating oil.....kilograms..	193,390	46,286	2,627	3,900	720	7,490
Vaseline.....do.....	4,157	610	104,460	10	22,512	4,889
Lamp wicking.....do.....	17,020	15,633	9,976	6,384	6,817	7,905
Trunks, boxes, casks, and staves.....dollars..	77,001	19,681	7,170	8,267	26,551	5,876
Furniture.....do.....	46,775	3,643	138,984	23,069	2,903	15,539
Pianos.....number..	15	18	416	41	36	28
Wood pulp.....kilograms..						3,640,721
Soap, common and prepared.....do.....	36,833	42,782	14,598	19,517	17,492	5,768
Proprietary or prepared medicines.....dollars..	49,535	26,907	15,842	75,257	34,620	3,591
Rosin.....kilograms..	4,322,504	449,230	64,652	360	214,690	296,429
Powder and other explosives.....do.....	92	44,599	6,384	115		2,591
Sulphate of copper, iron, and magnesia.....do.....	21,145	132,626	83,557	5,280		18,265
Stucco.....do.....		149,250	119,300	525,654	1,439,390	168,000
Ink, all kinds.....do.....	768	140,254	36,116	8,267		34,46
Engravings, maps, photographs, and lithographs.....dollars..	7,938	95,181	16,741	12,925	18,893	19,477
Crude steel.....kilograms..		498,043	21,731	4,095	68	19,468
Galvanized wire.....do.....	775,023	821,695	1,706,029	152,626	399	4,000,571
All other wire.....do.....	2,228	3,590,631	10,822,926	86,461	3,971	11,787,496
Nails.....do.....	121,021	445,123	155,025	47,415	1,215	197,142
Axles, springs, and other ironwork for carriages and wagons.....do.....	9,912	52,743	52,594	11,950		165,720
Wagons, carts, and carriages.....number..	458	13	4	8	2	
Iron, crude.....kilograms..	175,525	14,889,716	934,004	1,680		16,721,682
Iron columns and beams.....do.....			284,386			8,922,919
Galvanized iron.....do.....	397,326	16,290,091	154,692		65,830	1,174,604
Nuts, bolts, and screws.....do.....	1,547	462,349	73,233	199		581,327
Soft iron.....do.....	11,340	468,843	296,032			309,780

SHOWING THE CHIEF SOURCE OF SUPPLY IN THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE ARGENTINE
REPUBLIC IN 1895—Continued.

ARTICLES.	IMPORTED FROM—					
	United States.	Great Britain.	Germany.	France.	Italy.	Belgium.
Agricultural implements:						
Plows.....number.....	7,981	376	1,989		4	303
Corn shellers, all kinds.....do.....	2,353	252	3			17
Horse rakes.....do.....	328	356				40
Binders, reapers, and mowers.....do.....	2,215	505				
Scythes, all kinds.....kilograms.....		234	304	4,426		17,504
Drills.....number.....	678	2	10			
Thrashers.....do.....	60	194	21			21
Other implements and small tools.....dollars.....	85,787	17,066	2,931	7	709	3,698
Pasteboard.....kilograms.....	1,235	45,416	684,656	17,204	92,323	577,909
Writing paper.....do.....	5,190	140,134	365,740	18,089	132,714	130,135
Printing and bookbinders' paper.....do.....	28,240	161,311	2,867,779	15,804	542,369	356,366
Wrapping paper.....do.....	2,653	33,064	74,433	18,139	302,897	50,309
Lithographing paper.....do.....	2,822	10,691	82,594	58,227		131,315
Printed books.....dollars.....	15,187	27,639	16,094	41,725	47,918	10,662
Blank books.....do.....	435	22,948	17,747	16,974	5,475	9,668
Pumps, all kinds.....number.....	1,206	96	160			151
Iron chains.....kilograms.....	1,455	210,169	8,819	535		10,413
Safes.....do.....		9,367	2,644	1,465		3,926
Galvanized iron piping.....do.....	118	1,160,564	23,442			36,976
Iron piping.....do.....	12,695	2,494,765	29,176	515	7,450	48,889
Stoves.....do.....	5,757	4,434	16,566	280	90	10,110
Cotton-seed oil.....do.....	291,100	29,344		426,492	5,558,898	
Chicory, ground and whole.....do.....		16,158	88,076	153,039	17,915	387,745
Starch.....do.....	1,865		158,931	7,824	310	150,277
Canned meats.....do.....	3,532	5,250	3,035	10,764	43,995	24
Hams.....do.....	322	100,721	3,250	673	5,702	5
Preserves, jams, and candy.....do.....	118	36,510	2,665	18,035	9,698	2,445
Dried and canned fruits.....do.....	728	12,549	20,634	96,052	1,427,126	2,442
Dried and canned vegetables.....do.....	480	34,209	115,546	81,239	500,669	7,831
Cheese.....do.....		10,625	21,777	65,717	409,619	37,268
Vinegar in barrels.....liters.....		529	465	28,835	367	
Whisky in bottles.....dozens.....	234	12,078		234		120
Whisky in barrels.....liters.....	1,323	14,211	485			
Mineral waters.....dozens.....		11,265	32,506	17,822	11,477	21,215
Bottled beer.....do.....		25,940	1,276	16		1,342
Leaf tobacco other than Havana.....kilograms.....	9,635	11,809	51,453	10,103	4,559	53,839
Raw cotton.....do.....		25,601	3,089	630		30,610
Cotton yarns.....do.....	1,858	587,172	77,740	46,106	155,740	25,378
Cotton twine.....do.....	1,308	330,929	111,753	30,712	118,282	30,165
Cotton goods.....do.....	253,383	16,806,978	1,143,030	471,819	1,675,137	540,362
Canvas.....do.....	351,620	368,615	49,101	6,580	84,029	1,802
Cotton bags.....do.....		91,329	4,239			
Thread.....do.....		13,650	423	234	4,264	53,102
Silk thread.....do.....	141	214	1,120	2,031	161	56,909
Bagging.....do.....		10,454,332	116,974	427,053	169,860	137,835
Twine and rope.....do.....	16,551	13,842	3,861	1,779	57,228	17,713
Hemp bags.....do.....		151,377	295,834			
Binding twine.....do.....	1,197,647	296,539	24,768	1,063	25,913	2,200
Linen goods.....do.....		125,965	86,649	32,656	9,821	282,814
Linen and cotton mixed goods.....do.....		2,741	3,687	1,547		14,018
Woolen goods.....do.....	570	941,250	114,727	276,062	22,509	81,539
Woolen and cotton mixed goods.....do.....		590,082	101,631	39,375	34,992	39,905
Waterproof cloth.....do.....	11,151	150,528	12,395	3,559		5,040
Rubber cloth.....do.....		11,337	6,996	4,814	5,580	10,065
Collars and cuffs.....dozens.....		2,400	5,144	425		2
Handkerchiefs.....kilograms.....		4,690	132	462		1,873
Umbrellas and parasols.....number.....		27,281	320	7,569	1,670	1,604
Ready-made clothing, all classes, value (gold).....dollars.....	140	37,763	25,801	63,985	20,734	11,785
Wool, felt, and silk hats.....dozens.....	17	4,984	1,495	2,895	6,106	765
Straw hats.....do.....		3,064	7	967	7,166	2,062
Towels.....kilograms.....	12	39,116	806	2,743	48,983	1,029
Sulphuric acid.....do.....		59,853	369,592	4,323	2,416	130,603
Linseed oil, raw and boiled.....do.....	2,829	268,037	5,692	2,757	2,950	13,018
Varnish.....do.....	8,739	135,700	13,499	6,019	6,207	4,596

SHOWING THE CHIEF SOURCE OF SUPPLY IN THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO THE ARGENTINE
REPUBLIC IN 1895—Continued.

ARTICLES.	IMPORTED FROM—					
	United States.	Great Britain.	Germany.	France.	Italy.	Belgium.
Borax..... kilograms..	45	33,822	52,148		67,512	770
Chloride of lime..... do.....		71,594	7,390	14,831		2,700
Carbonate of soda and potassium..... do.....	13,616	531,329	1,773	10,159		5,642
Colors, dry..... do.....	14,185	1,588,451	714,914	234,247	193,207	967,020
Colors, prepared..... do.....	15,750	1,278,876	195,544	33,743	45,642	149,150
Sheep dip..... do.....	65,198	3,603,194	113,367	15,020	223,295	254,634
Gelatin..... do.....		5,587	4,549	3,156	311	9,112
Glycerin..... do.....	2,680	20,551	72,652	15,204	42,254	26,471
Glucose..... do.....	206,305	40,006	120,935	440		7,136
Sewing machines..... number..	4,769	598	7,020	36	3	442
All other machines..... dollars..	113,951	161,615	147,801	48,539	31,905	48,984
Motors, divers..... do.....	6,164	87,553	8,374	1,580	3,615	3,311
Woven wire..... kilograms..		58,367	25,784	877		54,065
Pens..... do.....	14	4,638	1,333	4,719		18
Materials for electric lighting..... dollars..	37,375	41,896	26,374	4,079	5,289	4,183
Materials for mines..... do.....		800	23			
Materials for street railways..... do.....	9,590	2,502				11,220
Materials for telephone construction..... do.....		2,413	1,160	40		931
Crude copper and bronze..... kilograms..		138,937	26,022	3,603	470	75,589
Tin plate..... do.....	41,197	2,803,950	7,601	800	353	41,316
Lead..... do.....	76,382	181,833	7,558		733,984	102,194
Zinc..... do.....	139	44,157	131,307	1,325		945,931
Glass bottles and flasks..... dozen..	1,136	50,301	276,456	36,202	2,394	95,700
Glassware..... dollars..	17,755	30,976	85,690	90,526	355	219,299
Lamps of all kinds..... do.....	10,992	3,033	11,752	953	3,165	11,536
Stearin..... kilograms..	27,770	42,476	46,990	20,827	10,258	50,764
Coal..... tons..	4,988	844,848				200
Coke..... kilograms..	58,572	3,600,494				
Gas oil..... do.....	422,037	1,060,240			120,900	5,354
Buttons..... do.....	116	12,412	29,542	36,736	11,699	16,408
Pencils, all kinds..... do.....	1,571	376	10,795	24		2,188
Seeds..... do.....	1,270	31,420	34,422	563,285	226,961	32,277
Desks and office utensils..... dollars..	6,123	13,867	23,389	8,756	493	4,241
Cordage and hemp, in bales..... kilograms..	5,000	1,209,873	52,905	5,614		100
Earthenware..... dollars..	495	77,641	32,941	3,291	2,036	77,873
Cement..... do.....	7,880	134,612	11,639	34,915	889	162,952
Gold watches..... number..		6	339	2,509	93	
All other watches..... do.....	4,692	5,073	7,825	33,942	449	1,145
Clocks..... do.....	3,513	110	18,675	3,311	354	684
Scales and balances..... do.....	185	12,227	3,292	59	386	4,212
Copper and brass goods..... dollars..	1,640	50,052	9,267	12,537	3,544	15,934
Manufactures of lead..... do.....	464	23,517	13,487	36,677	77	2,166
Ironware and household utensils..... do.....	22,887	49,952	13,933	5,990	673	39,151
Gas and electric chandeliers and fittings..... do.....	8,989	22,636	15,625	4,737	247	11,138
Oakum..... kilograms..	450	30,334	32,337		450	5,266
Cork..... do.....	232	1,124	14,039	21,472	5,867	11,384
Fish, preserved, all kinds..... do.....	89,904	60,485	87,687	222,267	403,126	47,573
Guns and revolvers..... dollars..	26,791	7,745	19,602	15,206	711	70,171

NOTE.—The metric weights and measures are given, viz: Kilogram=2.2046 pounds; liter=1.0567 quarts.

AN OFFICIAL REPORT ON BRITISH TRADE IN CHILE AND ARGENTINA.

[From British Board of Trade Journal.]

Mr. T. Worthington, the special commissioner appointed by the Board of Trade to inquire into and report upon the conditions and prospects of British trade in South America, has prepared a series of reports upon these subjects, dealing with Chile and Argentina. The objects of Mr. Worthington's inquiry were to determine whether any, and if so, what, causes have brought about in any branch of trade a diminished demand for articles of British produce or manufacture, either absolutely or relatively to the demand for similar articles produced in other countries, and to ascertain in what directions and under what conditions a demand for British goods might be created or increased.

In the first of his reports, that dealing with Chile, he gives a table showing in millions of dollars the total amount of merchandise cleared from bond from the principal manufacturing countries for consumption at all Chilean ports during each of the years 1887 to 1896. This table is as follows, and, as the Chilean custom-house statistics are fairly complete, it may be taken as affording a fairly correct indication of the origin of the goods, at least as regards British merchandise. Belgian and other continental goods are largely mixed with German in the statistics.

YEARS.	Great Britain.	Germany.	United States.	France.
	<i>Million dollars.</i>	<i>Million dollars.</i>	<i>Million dollars.</i>	<i>Million dollars.</i>
1887.....	20.4	11.6	3.2	5.5
1888.....	26.3	14.0	3.1	6.1
1889.....	27.9	14.8	3.8	6.5
1890.....	29.5	15.7	5.2	6.8
1891.....	27.8	12.1	4.1	4.9
1892.....	34.1	21.0	4.6	6.7
1893.....	30.8	17.0	4.5	4.1
1894.....	25.5	12.3	3.7	2.3
1895.....	32.0	17.3	4.5	1.6
1896.....	30.2	20.1	6.8	2.8

As regards the reasons assigned by Mr. Worthington for the falling off in the demand for British goods, these are stated to be the difficulty often experienced in inducing manufacturers in this country (*a*) to take up a new pattern or design on a small order, (*b*) to make qualities very much lower than they have been accustomed to, (*c*) to make a low quality with a finish and get-up such as they might think only belonged to a higher class, (*d*) to send samples prepared in a sufficiently attractive form, and (*e*) generally to attend to minutiae which might appear to them unimportant, but which may be very important as affecting the sale of goods in Chile.

Mr. Worthington makes a number of suggestions for increasing British trade, and emphasizes the necessity for cheaper goods and cheaper freights. In connection with the former, he quotes the remark of a leading banker in Chile, who observed: "Chile is a poor country, and a poor country will always buy the cheapest goods. Cheapness is the first consideration. There is no use to tell a man, 'This piece of cloth or that saucepan is a little dearer than that other piece or that other saucepan, but it will last double the time. He has only the money to buy the cheap one, and the cheap one he will have.'"

This applies all through, even to higher-class articles, and the buyer of a piece of cheap fancy goods consoles himself with the idea that the better and more expensive piece would be out of fashion before the cheap one is worn out, whilst the buyer of a cheap light threshing machine, for example, thinks that by the time it wears out something better may be invented which will render the high-priced long-lasting article obsolete. Cheapness is the first desideratum.

The Chilean was accustomed years ago to buy his European goods with what was to him the same dollar as it is now. He wants the same piece of cloth or the same saucepan for a dollar; but the dollar is only 1s. 6d., instead of, say 3s. Therefore the piece of cloth or the saucepan must be made proportionately cheaper. Quality must go.

As regards Argentina, the impression appears to be there that the British manufacturer is doing too well, and is too full of orders to care for making changes, which, perhaps, involve expense and alteration of plant to a greater or less extent; whereas, when anything is asked for in Germany or Austria it is promptly made, and, if not quite what is wanted, is altered as required. There are many articles which are made in one form or another in Great Britain, but which do not reach the Argentine market at present; or, if they do, only in comparatively small quantities. In not a few cases the article, identical in quality, is cheaper to manufacture on the Continent; but in many others it appears, from Mr. Worthington's investigations, that the British manufacturers have lost the trade, in greater or less measure, by failing promptly to comply with the information as to changes in quality, make, or "get-up," etc., which may have been conveyed to them.

PACKING OF GOODS FOR CHILE.

Consul Dobbs writes from Valparaiso, December 21, 1896: I have the honor to report the following on the subject of packing American goods: Many American manufacturers still do not seem to realize the harm they are doing themselves and American trade generally by putting up their goods in too slight packages. Shirts, soap, toilet articles, and many kinds of canned goods, just exactly the packages which offer most temptation, often come in very thin boxes, without any protection in the way of wire or sheet-iron bands, nailed with short, wire nails, easily drawn, and the Chilean longshoreman or lighterman, expert in the use of the short, strong knife he carries, often makes a nice plunder right under the eyes of the officers of the steamers. Then, again, in heavier articles, which offer no temptation to theft, the cases are not strong enough to withstand the very rough handling they receive. The peon likes to see a good smash, and not only handles the cases roughly, but, if he is not watched, will deliberately drop a case in such a way as to smash it, just to see it break, and with the same enjoyment that a small boy throws stones through a window. Whenever possible, packing should be done in such a manner that the package could not be broken open by ordinary means or by being dropped. A case in point occurred the other day. A lot of miscellaneous bronze and brass repairs for mining machinery came in what was a little stronger than a cracker box. It broke open in the ship's hold, and certainly many small parts were lost, probably some of them of vital importance. A peon was detected in carrying off some small castings in his bundle, not that they were of any use to him, but simply apparently for the sake of stealing. A prominent Chilean importer of American goods said to me the other day: "If American manufacturers only knew how to pack goods as well as they know how to make them, American trade in South America would very soon make a better comparison with English and German trade than it does to-day."

BRITISH AND GERMAN COTTON TEXTILES IN CHILE.

[British Board of Trade Journal.]

The total value of the imports of cotton textiles into Chile in the year 1896 was £1,346,334, or £60,619 less than in 1895. Of the total amount Great Britain contributed £975,396, or £88,150 less than in 1895, and Germany comes next with £295,126, or £11,702 less than in 1895, the proportions of the trade obtained by the two countries being respectively 72.44 and 21.92 per cent. The proportions assigned to the other countries are: United States, 3.22 per cent; France, 2.32 per cent; Belgium, 0.04 per cent; and Italy, 0.03 per cent; but both France and the United States more than doubled their trade of the previous year. Where Great Britain chiefly lost ground was in gray drills, white shirtings, cotton prints, domestics and Osnaburgs, and it is to be noted that the United States increased their trade in every one of these articles. The competition from that quarter, however, is not alarmingly serious, as may be seen from the small proportion of the total trade obtained by the United States. The article in which their competition is chiefly felt is in gray drills. In 1895 the values of the shipments of this article from Great Britain and the United States were, respectively, £50,019 and £11,734, while in 1896 the corresponding figures were £30,168 from Great Britain and £15,260 from the United States. As regards Germany, there is no doubt that she is making progress in this branch of trade at the expense of Great Britain, but the fact can not be considered surprising in view of the very large proportion of the trade in British hands. The Germans and German firms in Chile are more numerous than the British, and, notwithstanding this fact, the United Kingdom has still nearly three-quarters of the whole cotton textile trade. The English consul writes as follows: "In no branch of it can they be said to be driving us from the field, and in one or two instances, e. g., cotton drills and cotton handkerchiefs, we have made very distinct advance at their expense. In the class of goods in which the British experienced a diminution of trade in 1896, such as white shirtings, cotton prints, and domestics, the decrease in the German trade was far greater in proportion. In sewing cotton they can make no headway against us, and the business is tending to become a British monopoly."

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS IN PERU.

[British Board of Trade Journal.]

Her Majesty's consul at Callao reports that the Lima merchants object to commercial travelers competing with them on what they consider unequal terms, the former being put to great expense in keeping up their offices and houses, while the latter turn their apartments at hotels and inns into show rooms at a trifling expense. Steps are being taken in order to induce the Government to compel all commercial travelers to take out licenses. The matter has been laid before the Lima Chamber of Commerce, which proposes that the cost of the license should be 500 soles (£50) for a period of six months, renewable at the end of each period. In case of infraction double that amount is to be exacted, one-third of which will be paid to the informer.

In the south of Peru every facility appears to be given to such travelers. They are allowed to enter with their samples on presenting, through a responsible agent, to the custom-house an official request to pass so many packages of samples. These are examined and valued by the officer named, and then a bond is presented by the agent, who undertakes to pay the amount of the valuation of any of the samples that may not be reshipped within the term specified, generally ninety days; this process will cost the commercial traveler from 10 shillings to £1, according to the number of packages he brings, and he is then free to go where he likes with his samples without being obliged to give an account of them in any other part of the interior he may wish to visit. Of course, the responsible local agents, before giving the bond to the custom-house, will satisfy themselves as to the status of the traveler, who, in most cases, besides his business card, brings a letter of recommendation to some known resident in the port; indeed, this is almost a requisite, and should not be overlooked by intending visitors.

NEW UNITED STATES RAILWAY ENTERPRISE IN ECUADOR.

An important railway enterprise in Ecuador, backed by capital and management from the United States, is described by United States Consul-General De Leon in a report to the State Department in December, 1898, as follows:

The contract entered into June 14, 1897, between Mr. Archer Harman, of New York, on behalf of himself and associates, with the Ecuadorian Government, after much discussion and some opposition was finally approved by the Congress of Ecuador at the session just ended. The details of the contract have not been officially published, but I have obtained the following data: The road is to run from Duran, on the east bank of the Guayas River, opposite Guayaquil, to Quito, a distance of perhaps 350 miles. It is to be built by Messrs. Harman and associates for Government account. They are to receive therefor \$12,282,000 in first-mortgage bonds, secured by a lien on the customs revenues of the Republic; \$5,250,000 in 7 per cent preferred stock; and 51 per cent of the common stock. Six per cent interest and 1 per cent per annum amortization on the mortgage bonds is guaranteed by the Government, which it is figured will be retired in thirty-three years. The promoter of the enterprise is Mr. Archer Harman, a native of Virginia, now of New York. The president is Robert M. Thompson, esq. (president New York Metal Exchange); secretary, Charles H. Sherrell (lawyer); and Charles R. Lee (manager of United States Leather Company) is treasurer. Messrs. Dent, Palmer & Co., of London and New York, finance the enterprise, and it is stated that the entire sum necessary to build the road has been secured.

The board of directors number twenty-two, and are as follows: American—R. M. Thompson, Ex-Governor George Hoadley, George Coppel (of Maitland, Coppel & Co.), J. H. Powers Farr (of Kilbreth & Farr), George Norton (of Norton, Tunstall & Co.), Stuart Coates (of J. & P. Coates Thread Company), Erskine Hewitt (vice Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, deceased), Col. W. F. Shunk, Thomas Carmichael (Dent, Palmer & Co.), Hon. A. S. Hewitt, Charles R. Lee, John C. Kilbreth, Archer Harman (27 Pine street, New York),

T. Cooper Hewitt, and Charles H. Sherrell; English—Hon. St. George Lane Fox Pitt, Sir Allen Sarle, Sir Miles Fenton, and Sir Gerald Fitzgerald; Ecuadorian—Señor Don Luis Dillon, General Moncayo, and Señor Don Carlos Freile Zaldumbide.

The wealth and standing of a number of these directors seem to render the building of the road an assured fact. Mr. William F. Shunk, an engineer of high repute, is now in the field with a corps of associates determining the lines; and the actual work of construction, I am told by Mr. Harmon, who has returned to the United States, is expected to begin by April or May next.

This railway will connect Quito, the capital, with Guayaquil, on the tidewater of the Pacific, and is to be, according to contract with the Government, 40-inch gauge with 50-pound rails. Of this line there now exists a 60-mile road of 92-centimeter gauge in operation between Duran, the terminal opposite Guayaquil and Chimbo bridge. The broadening of gauge, laying of new ties and rails, improving roadbed, and other work, I am assured, will amount to almost a new construction of this part of the line. This road traverses the low alluvial coast section, which lies between the Andes and the ocean, partially reclaimed and devoted to the cultivation of cane, coffee, rice, cacao, and other tropical products.

The end of the road is at the foot of the western Cordillera of the Andes, at an elevation of 345 meters (1,130 feet) above sea level, and for the next 60 miles there is a rise to Sibambe, through the forest slopes of the mountains, to an altitude of 2,481 meters (8,138 feet), a survey of which has been made during the last three years under the direction of Mr. J. V. S. Miller, an English engineer employed by the Ecuadorian Government. This is considered to be the most difficult part of the entire line, as the country is very abrupt and of andesite (an exceptionally hard rock) formation, besides being side-hill forest, liable to land slides. This portion of the projected railway runs through a territory as yet undeveloped, on account of lack of transportation facilities, but which will become, I am told, immensely valuable for coffee and other crops when work is completed. The country constitutes a part of what is known as the Sierras of Ecuador, a series of mountain valleys (between alternate ridges), having a mean elevation of 8,000 feet above sea level, abounding in every type of production peculiar to the temperate zone, comparatively populous, enjoying a cool and bracing climate, and seemingly only awaiting the completion of this railway to become commercially the most important section of Ecuador. What progress can a country expect, be nature ever so bountiful or population ever so dense and industrious, if separated from the outside world, as this section of Ecuador now is, by almost impassable mule trails, requiring ten or fifteen days to reach a market?

This is the work which is expected to be under construction within the next six months, to cost \$17,532,000 and to be completed within the next three or four years.

AN EXPOSITION IN VENEZUELA IN 1900.

Venezuela, the most accessible to the United States of the South American countries, in which an interest in the products of this country has already been stimulated by the opening of a warehouse for the display of American goods at its chief city, is to hold an exposition in 1900, thus affording the merchants of the United States an opportunity to exhibit their goods to a large number of people of that and adjacent countries. The following is a translation of the decree of President Andrade establishing the chief regulations relative to the exposition:

The President of the United States of Venezuela hereby decrees:

ARTICLE 1. On the 1st of January, 1900, there shall be opened in Venezuela a national exposition of works of art and of natural, agricultural, and manufactured products. The place for the exposition shall be in this capital, and will be selected later. There shall be exhibited also other objects, which, on account of their importance or value, may be sent for this purpose.

ART. 2. This decree shall be communicated by the Ministry of Internal Affairs to all friendly nations, and more especially to the Latin-American countries, in order that they may exhibit their products and be officially represented.

ART. 3. The Ministry of Agriculture, Industry, and Commerce will appoint a board of directors, who shall be charged with the organization of the exposition and the formulation of regulations for the same.

ART. 4. The above-mentioned board of directors will appoint other boards in the different States, and the presidents of the States shall take the necessary steps to cause all the riches and progress of the country to be exhibited here.

ART. 5. The nations that may wish to take part in the exposition must be represented in all and each of the acts which may be decreed to celebrate the advent of the new century.

ART. 6. In the Venezuelan exposition, in addition to the products and articles mentioned in Article 1, there will be exhibited the methods of education employed in the country; the methods of application and general workings of science, letters, and art; everything relating to social economy, hygiene, and public charity, systems of colonization, and all branches of national and foreign industry.

ART. 7. The works of art to be exhibited must be sent to the board of directors, together with a statement explaining the object, its character and dimensions, and also whether it has ever been exhibited in any other exposition.

ART. 8. The statements referred to in the preceding article can be sent to the board of directors, beginning with January 1, 1899.

ART. 9. Judges shall be appointed to examine and pass upon paintings, cardboard drawings, and sketches, engravings on medals and fine stones, architectural objects, industrial and agricultural products, large machinery and apparatus, scientific works, physical and chemical instruments with their products, and works of art in general. The judges shall be named by the board of directors, with the approval of the President of the Republic.

ART. 10. All products, articles, and works to be exhibited must be marked with the number of their respective sections.

ART. 11. The board of directors shall divide the exposition into sections, and arrange catalogues for each section.

ART. 12. The judges referred to in article 9 shall send to the board of directors their decisions as to the diplomas to be given, said diplomas to be authorized by the Minister of Agriculture, Industry, and Commerce, and the president and secretary of the board of directors.

ART. 13. The awards shall consist of gold, silver, and bronze medals and honorable mention.

ART. 14. The Venezuelan exposition shall be closed promptly on the 27th of April, 1900.

ART. 15. The board of directors shall adopt all necessary measures to promote the objects of the Venezuelan exposition.

ART. 16. All the departments of the National Executive shall take all measures necessary for the prompt fulfillment of this decree.

A MARKET IN VENEZUELA FOR COTTON GOODS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

An important market for cotton goods, especially of the coarser grades, lies at the very doors of the American manufacturers, according to Consul Goldschmidt, of La Guayra, Venezuela, who, in a report to the State Department in December, 1898, says:

In looking over the Venezuelan market I find that very few cotton goods come from the United States. With the exception of a few cheap prints and heavy unbleached duck goods and sailcloths, no American goods can be found in the stores of this country. I inquired into the reason for this and find that very little effort is made by our manufacturers to introduce their products here, and I suppose that the same might be said of the greater part of South America.

Overproduction is the general cry of the cotton manufacturers at home, with the attendant shutting down of factories and the reduction of wages. Here we have a continent with over 150,000,000 people, who, by reason of the climate, are the natural consumers of very large quantities of manufactured cottons of all kinds; and these goods are mainly bought from Germany, England, and France.

During my visit to the United States recently, I questioned a manufacturer as to why his goods were not represented in this market, and in answer was told that he would like very much to increase his business in this direction, but he was afraid of doing business with these countries on credit. He also said that his company had an agreement with a large jobbing house not to do any direct export business.

As to the first reason, I will say that there are houses in this business here and in other adjoining countries which are just as reliable as any United States house, and, as far as credit is concerned, very little business is done in the United States where the "dating ahead" of bills is not the rule rather than the exception. I firmly believe that business can be done here just as safely, if properly handled, as in the United States, and that certain grades of goods for which there is now no market at home can be sold here.

In my opinion, the way of attaining the best results would be to open American business houses in the largest distributing centers of South America, which would handle American goods exclusively. This would be impossible for any establishment to undertake alone, but consolidation of interests might accomplish it without too much individual risk.

The question of personnel is also an important factor. There is no use in sending men here who do not understand Spanish, and can not accommodate themselves to the habits and customs of these people, preeminently different from our own. A man must first of all be a gentleman in every sense of the word. Polish goes a great way here. You can not do things in a rush, but persistence and hard work will tell. I have observed that many American drummers sent to these countries to sell goods are, on account of their behavior, a detriment to American business, some of them not knowing what it is to be sober after 8 o'clock in the morning, and, after staying a few months at a local hotel, they frequently leave without paying their board. The result is that good men suffer from their behavior. The English or German representatives are totally different, as a rule. The house which sends them here generally furnishes them with letters of credit, and such a thing as not paying for what they get is unknown. They are generally well-posted, educated gentlemen, and, comparatively speaking, far superior to the average drummer from our country. The latter do not compare at all favorably with our traveling salesmen at home.

I wish to emphasize the necessity of sending good men to represent American interests, and I know that we have many such, if only care is taken in their selection. If these suggestions were followed, the result would be surprising, for American goods can undoubtedly stand the highest competition, and will sell alongside the best of European makes. They are in many cases admittedly superior and fully as cheap. Now is the time for the American manufacturer to introduce his goods into these markets, and, with the application of his usual common sense, he can beat the world in the sale of cotton fabrics, and reap the benefits of an immense commerce, which is to-day sadly neglected.

Here are a few articles which, in my opinion, can be sold in this market: Prints, light and dark, ordinary width; prints, light and dark, wider; ginghams, staple, small checks; ginghams, larger checks; cretonnes and chintz, lining cambrics and silesia, bleached and unbleached cottons, cottonades for suitings, denims and tickings, cotton blankets, white and colored cotton bedspreads, checked and striped nainsooks, printed lawns, and challies, cotton 'towelings by the yard, cotton towels by the piece, mosquito netting, and many other similar items.

Packing is a factor to be considered, as, by the customs laws here, everything pays duty according to weight; therefore, everything in excess of what is absolutely necessary, such as cardboard or boards on which goods are folded or rolled, should be omitted. Heavy packing cases pay the full amount of the specified duty on the contents. Another thing to be considered is that packages must only contain merchandise of one particular kind, since if there are many kinds, the whole must pay duty as of the higher class, of which there may only be a small quantity.

AMERICAN COMPETITION WITH BRITISH TRADE IN COLOMBIA.

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Mr. Villiers, acting consul-general at Bogota, in a recent report to the Foreign Office, states that, in view of certain clauses in the recent United States tariff law, a determined attempt will perhaps be made by that country to secure more trade with Colombia; the chief obstacles to this have hitherto been the higher cost of production in the United States, and the refusals to grant the long terms of credit customary in Bogota.

The Board of Trade Journal, in June and September last, published accounts of the Philadelphia Commercial Museum, and referred to the efforts being made thereby to obtain fuller trade information concerning South America.

In cotton, linen, or cloth goods, United States competition need not at present be feared; the danger is more likely to come from trade in iron, steel, railway materials, and rolling stock, bridges, etc.; not only in the heavy materials, but also in such small articles as steel tools, saws, files and rasps, meat choppers, wire nails, etc. Now also that coffee and sugar planting is increasing, and more especially the proper drying and preparing of the former and refining of the latter, machinery for these purposes deserves the attention of Great Britain. Some excellent wheat is also being grown, and flour mills have been erected in certain districts. Architectural

sheet-iron work, roofing, etc., and barbed wire are already largely supplied from the States, as are also bicycles, sewing machines, clocks, false jewelry, candles, electrical appliances, etc.

This brief and by no means complete outline concerning possible or actual competition may be of use to British commerce; but the most important thing in trade with Colombia is the question of packing.

British firms and mercantile houses who "ship to all parts of the world" are much too apt to think that their experience has taught them all there is to know about the packing and transshipment of goods; and consequently they do not comply with specific directions sent them. This is not a theory, but a fact.

Goods to arrive at any interior Colombian town must be packed for mule transport whenever this is possible, but the requirements for this particular form of transport vary according to the quality of the road over which the merchandise has to travel; on some roads, that is to say, a mule can carry a load that he could not on another; sometimes it is a question of weight, sometimes of length of the load, and whether the road is muddy, marshy, rocky, precipitous or tortuous, with rocky defiles, etc.; and sometimes the load can only be transported by bullocks.

Another question to be considered in packing is the equality of loads. A large consignment of merchandise packed in an infinite variety of shape, weight, and size, may be kept waiting until each package can be paired; if this can not be done with one of the same consignment the carriers will pair it with one of another consignment, for which they will patiently wait months if necessary, to the loss and annoyance of the consignee, who perhaps will ultimately have to pay exorbitant special rates to obtain his goods, which careful packing might have avoided.

Again the question of goods arriving in the dry or rain season, some roads becoming almost impassable in the latter period, makes a difference as to the method of packing, and consequent economy in transport.

Shipments are sometimes conveyed by bullock carts in the few parts where a suitable road exists, or are carried on men's shoulders at enormous expense.

On such points no "many years' experience all over the world" can ever be a guide, and a little reflection seems to make so evident that its demonstration would appear unnecessary were it not that experience proves the contrary; the explanations or excuses for not following shipping directions only cause exasperation and disappointment, and turn trade into channels where care in this all-important particular is more scrupulously observed. England should surely by proper attention to such simple details do all in her power to maintain her supremacy.

AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS IN COLOMBIA.

Consul Bidlake, of Barranquilla, Colombia, under date of October 1, 1897, says:

In the packing of goods for this market American manufacturers do not compare favorably with European manufacturers. Merchants complain that they can not deal directly with the manufacturer, as he knows nothing about packing for this market, and that they are compelled to buy through commission firms who repack the merchandise before forwarding. Duty is collected on the gross weight of the package or case, according to its class; therefore, there should be no unnecessary weight in the packing or covering.

As to boots and shoes, practically only those for women and children are imported and are of the French style, with Spanish heel, costing from 50 to 84 francs a dozen for women's and from 24 to 48 francs for children's. Men's are manufactured in the country, the uppers only being imported.

American tools of all kinds are preferred to European. They are better finished, lighter, and more convenient, but at the same time they are also more expensive. The machete may be taken as an example; the Collins machete is known throughout the whole of South America and is the standard. Germany makes an exact pattern of good material and offers to replace it should it break.

All furniture is imported--the cheap grades of common yellow chairs, cane seats, from the United States; round wood, black or brown, cane seats, from Bohemia, Austria. The Austrian goods are imported very largely; they are light, cool, and suitable for the climate. Furniture of this class comes knocked down, each piece well wrapped with straw and covered with burlap, in bales of 125 pounds, with one iron band lengthways on the bales.

The manager of the electric-light plant in this city informs me that the lowest price that he has been offered incandescent lamps in the United States is 18 cents, but that he has had offers from Italy of ordinary lamps of 3.1 watts candlepower at 55 centimes (10.6 cents). He also informs me that wire can be bought in Germany at from 10 to 15 per cent less than in the United States. In writing to me upon electrical apparatus in Colombia, the manager says:

"In the country which you represent, the major part of the manufacturers of this class of merchandise are sleeping upon their laurels, waiting for orders to come in through commission firms. They do not study the South American market, so as to become acquainted with the requirements of these countries."

PRESENT COMMERCIAL CONDITIONS IN SOUTH AMERICA.

REPORT FROM A SPECIAL BRITISH COMMISSIONER ON THE TRADE CONDITIONS IN THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES AND BY PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.

A special commissioner was sent to South America by the British Board of Trade in 1898 to study the commerce of the various countries and report in a practical way for the benefit of English manufacturers and exporters. The following are extracts from the reports of the commissioner, Mr. T. Worthington:

ARGENTINA.

WHITE OR PLAIN COTTON PIECE GOODS.

The great bulk of these are still British, but there is a certain amount of competition in some directions—e. g., American flannel-ettes, both white and gray, are preferred. In some lines—e. g., wove trouserings, etc.—German goods have for years had the largest sale, but now it is evident on all hands that the manufacturers which are coming to the front in most lines are the Italians. Their colors are bright and lasting, their goods are almost always made of grandrilled yarn, they are asserted to be at the front in the matter of original designs for buyers from this market to choose from, and if a buyer wants a particular pattern in wove goods they have a number of handlooms and colors at their offices and are prepared to make a sample and quote for it at short notice. The vast numbers of their countrymen in this Republic know and appreciate the goods—so much so that some Italians are suspected of selling Manchester trouserings as Italian—and, finally, they have the advantage of rapid and direct communication from Genoa at freights about one-half those from the ports of northern Europe. American prints are also sold here to some extent; but, although they are nice goods, they are not a very serious factor so far in regular business, owing to manufacturers not being prepared to supply them according to a given assortment of patterns, so that importers here have to buy on the assortments offered and in large lots, while they may depress prices at times.

CORDAGE AND TWINE.

Sisal cordage is best known and most generally used. It appears that for some time past the United States market has been the cheapest for this. Jute cordage from Italy, of excellent appearance, costing to sell about 23 cents gold per kilogram, was shown to me as sold as Italian hemp, which costs 20 per cent more. Cotton cordage and twine come from the United States.

FURNITURE, CABINET, AND UPHOLSTERY WARES.

Owing to the high tariff the importation of furniture is of comparatively small importance and consists largely of cheap Vienna and American chairs. The native industry is an extensive one; it is mostly veneer work which is produced, and very little of it high class, the great majority being quite the contrary. Curtains and furniture stuffs, except silk plush, come chiefly from France in the case of the better qualities, costing, say, 4 francs (77 cents) per meter upward, and from France and Germany in the case of lower qualities. Italy is competing in bands and tassels.

HAND PUMPS.

Ordinary single-action well pumps are American; also, the greater part of the double-action pumps. A common kind of semi-rotary pump has been coming freely of late from Germany.

STEAM ENGINES.

The railway companies being, as heretofore mentioned, almost all English, are naturally inclined to import locomotives, like other rolling stock, from England, and, as a rule, do so. I have heard of considerable orders having gone to the United States, not on the grounds of superiority or greater suitability to the country (whatever might have been the case formerly in this respect), but because British makers are unable to give early delivery; and the leading American makers have influential and active agents on the spot. Formerly, no doubt, for newly made and poorly ballasted lines, the United States made the most suitable engines, but the experience of the English companies here has proved that equally suitable engines can be made in England; and I was informed by the chief superintendent of the Government lines that they had obtained better engines for their narrow-gauge lines from a British maker than from the United States.

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

In agricultural machinery, such as plows, reapers, shellers, and sowers, the United States seems now to do the biggest share of the trade—something like 90 per cent, I am assured. The British makers, as a rule, produce too heavy and expensive a machine. They are doubtless handicapped, to some extent, owing to the want of equal facilities for employing the light wood work which enters so much into American machines.

ELECTRICAL MACHINERY.

The bulk of the electric-light plant here and practically all the electric traction machinery is from the United States. Small electric motors and fittings, too, are chiefly American. The American motor is neater, lighter, and cheaper. For example, I have seen a 3-horse-power American motor with a hook at the top for lifting it about, which was certainly a neater and less cumbersome machine than an

English 2-horsepower one which was shown me. The English motor is often capable of working far above its indicated power, or, say, the power which has been indented for; but this is not wanted and only adds to the cost. English makers, too, have given dissatisfaction in their careless packing of delicate machinery—e. g., volt meters, which arrive broken, a thing which never happens when they come from the United States. The hold which American electric machinery has obtained upon this market is sometimes attributed to its having been introduced in a more energetic and business-like manner, and there may be a good deal in this; but I am inclined to think, from what I have learned, that its perfection, as a rule, for doing its work, combined with the neatness and lightness of the American machinery, is what has kept it to the front. German machinery—frequently a poor and cheap copy of the American—finds a market, and even Italian work is now coming. The American electric machinery is looked upon as the most advanced. The English, I am told, have not kept pace with the American improvements and new inventions, while the Germans have carefully watched and promptly copied the American.

BICYCLES.

United States makes predominate. One make has a sale of some 2,000 machines annually, the market for which has been obtained by good advertising and push on the part of the importers, who are content with moderate profits—at first none at all. In sewing machines, the German "Singer" is stated to be the cheapest in the market and can be bought here for \$12 gold.

IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS OF INDUSTRY.

Picks, spades, shovels, and adzes come in largest quantities from the United States. Scythe blades are much less used than formerly, having been superseded by machine mowers and weed cutters, which come from the United States; the scythe blades are mostly French. Augers, gimlets, chisels, axes, and now files are chiefly English, but plane blades and saw blades (for mounting here) are French, and must have the French mark (Peugeot's). In two-handled crosscut saws the English are preferred, but there is also a considerable sale of German saws of this kind of poor quality and much cheaper, while carpenters' handsaws come from the United States. Coach wrenches come from the United States. All-iron wrenches come cheapest from Germany and France. Carpenters' braces come cheapest from the United States.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

In cast-iron hollow ware, the tinned ware comes from England, the enameled ware comes mostly from Germany, but this is an article not much liked by importers, owing to the heavy claims for crackage, and the business in it is insignificant. In wrought-iron hollow ware, the bulk of the trade is in German and French goods. The United States gray enameled ware holds its own, but the trade in this description is not large. I understand that the United States is now trying to compete with the Continent in the regular white-white and blue-white ware; English manufacturers do not appear able to compete, and practically have not done so for years. Wrought-iron enameled baths (for fixtures) come lightest and best from the United States.

RAILROAD IRON OF ALL SORTS.

Steel rails, which are free from all duty when new, have hitherto come from the United Kingdom. In rails for tramways, however, a change is taking place. The 9-inch-deep rail, such as is commonly used in the United States, has been found to suit the pavement here best, and will undoubtedly be adopted in place of the 6-inch-deep rail hitherto in use. The management of a new electric street-car line tried hard, some time since, to have this 9-inch rail made in England, but in vain; makers had not made it before and did want to incur the expense of new rollers. Now all the tramways will require this rail, and they will get it in the United States.

WIRE.

The fencing wire comes chiefly from the Continent, though recently some of the business appears to be returning to England.

BRAZIL.

The import trade is in many hands. A large, and I am disposed to think increasing, proportion of it is done direct by means of travelers or local representatives of European manufacturers. Some idea of the importance of the business done in this manner may be had from considering that the total of European (and American) collections by drafts through Rio de Janeiro alone, based on figures I have obtained from the five leading non-Brazilian banks, must have amounted to something like £2,500,000 to £3,000,000 last year, while a very large sum must be added to represent the business done in account current; that is, where the buyers are allowed to remit more or less, as they are able.

National industries are fostered by the protective tariff, and their products form in some lines the most serious competitors with imports; but in others they do not appear to flourish or are more or less dependent on the condition of exchange. The largest and most developed of these industries is that of manufacturing the raw cotton of the country.

The usual terms of payment are, in the dry goods trade, four to six months from end of month; and in the hardware trade, ninety days from end of month; but four months is, I am told, given by some merchants importing on their own account. In account current, direct business terms of payment are very elastic, as already intimated, and probably in some lines none of our competitors make them more so than do British shippers. Indeed, I have been told the latter are practically the only ones working on this system in dry goods. Indents given to merchants here are usually on the basis of cash in ninety days from arrival of goods from Europe, or sixty days, and sometimes thirty days, from the United States. National factories generally sell at ninety days.

Exchange has fluctuated so much this year (namely, from about 7d. at the beginning to 5½d. in April and May, to 7½d. at the date of my arrival here, and from that again up to 8½d. on the 10th instant, while at the date of this letter it is 8½d.) that import business has been much interfered with. In addition to this the very low price of coffee, the chief product of this part of Brazil, makes the people poor and reduces demand to a minimum.

ARMS AND AMMUNITION.

Revolvers are American (Smith & Wesson), with cheap Belgian and American imitations. Spanish-made imitations of Smith & Wesson's revolvers are also sold, and are very cheap; I saw one marked "New York," and with a horsehead on the handle, said to have cost 7½ francs (\$1.45). Another marked "Smith & Wesson's cartridges will be found to fit best this revolver," and with some initials on the handle, said to have cost 14 francs (\$2.70). The sale of revolvers, however, is probably not one-twentieth that of small double-barreled pistols, which come from Belgium. Shot is made in the country, but is of poor quality. The Newcastle chilled shot is liked best, but a cheaper American product is now coming and winning its way to favor. The makers of this shot, it may be remarked, send buyers a beautifully got up sample case, about 15 by 4 by 2 inches, with samples of the various sizes in glass tubes; this is said to be, as will be readily understood, a vast assistance to sales.

CARRIAGES AND WAGONS, RAILWAY.

The United States has, I understand, heretofore been the chief purveyor of these. A certain amount of building is done by the railway companies, importing what raw or partly manufactured material—such as axles and steel tires, special fittings, etc.—they require, and there is also a national factory which builds railway carriages.

COAL.

The strike in the South Wales colliery districts gave a great incentive to the efforts being made to introduce Pocahontas and other American coal here to replace Cardiff coal, and had it not been for the Spanish-American war occurring about the same time, the result would have been more apparent. As it was, however, several cargoes of American coal actually came, and, moreover, one was consigned to the largest dealer in the place, and another to one of the largest European steamship lines. The cost of these two cargoes is reported to have been 6s. 6d. (\$1.70) per ton f. o. b., and freight 21s. (\$5.11) in the one case and 18s. (\$4.38) in the other. Great efforts are being made, I am told, to capture the railway orders. England has had all the coal trade in Brazil heretofore (except for a small amount of soft native coal in Rio Grande and some American gas coal), and the import amounted last year to 532,437 tons to this port alone.

IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS OF INDUSTRY.

Spades and shovels come largely from the United States, and axes almost entirely, but English hoes still hold their own. Wheelbarrows are also imported from the United States, and compete with barrows made locally upon the American model. Carpenters' tools are largely imported from Germany. A German brace, with the twenty-four bits to correspond, sells here at 5 milreis (85 cents). A German screw-driver sells here at 4 milreis (68 cents) per dozen for assorted sizes—3, 4, 5, and 6 inches.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

In cast-iron hollow ware there has not hitherto been any competition with the English article, the retinned being mostly sold for upcountry and the enameled for town use. Recently, however, some cast-iron hollow ware has been sold in the market which is said to be a German imitation. In wrought-iron ware, retinned, the French make appears to hold its own for kitchen utensils, and the mark is so well known that cheaper English goods, I am told, have not been able to compete. Large retinned basins, however, come from England. Enameled ware is mostly German. Door locks, which are made by the country folk in Portugal in their houses during the winter months, have a large sale. It was contemplated at one time to make these locks in a large iron works here, and special machinery was imported for the purpose. It has, however, never been started, the opinion of the present management being against the prospect of successful competition. A 5-inch Oporto lock sells here at 1.250 milreis (21 cents); a 6-inch, at 1.100 milreis (18 cents). Padlocks of English make are said to have the largest sale, but cheaper German makes are also freely sold. Large flat hinges for gates are English, but bright door hinges are chiefly of German and American make.

MACHINERY.

The majority of stationary engines seem to be of British make, but the reverse is the case with regard to locomotives. The reason alleged for the latter being chiefly American is that the Americans make the most suitable engines for poorly ballasted and new lines; and I have been told, in proof thereof, that some of the smaller lines, which formerly used British locomotives, have taken to Baldwin's. I am not satisfied that the reason alleged is the correct one, nor that it is a fact; not being an expert, I can not say authoritatively, but what I saw and learned in the Argentine seemed to show that the United States makers are not alone successful in building locomotives for new countries, and, curiously enough, some very fine American locomotives, which were imported here a few years ago, proved too heavy and rigid for the road. It seems to me that one great reason of the success of the Baldwin Company in capturing the trade is their admirable local organization. They have good influential agents and also several engineers of the company always on the spot where they are needed, to attend to complaints, remedy defects, and watch for new requirements. Their locomotives are light and cheap to make. They have a large business in the country, so that they can afford to incur expenses in protecting and extending their trade, as well as to sell on very long credit, and yet accept what seem to be moderate prices. Probably the machinery of largest sale in this part of Brazil is that which has to do with the cleaning and preparing of coffee. This is very largely made in the country. For general agricultural machinery there is not much demand, coffee being practically the one crop of the country; but there are evidences of a change having begun in this respect. Light American plows with wooden handles and reversible shares (for hilly country), costing from 45 to 70 milreis (\$7.75 to \$12.06) each, are the favorites, but a few large and much more expensive iron plows—German and French—are also sold. Cotton-mill furnishings are somewhat of a specialty, and come mostly from England. A large importer of these complained to me of the frequent bad interior packing—*e. g.*, drop pins came packed in cardboard boxes of 3 gross each, and the boxes, being too weak for this purpose, often arrived broken. Similarly, belt buckles were packed in paper packages of a quarter of a gross each, and out of a consignment of 200 packages recently received, only 1 dozen arrived fit to put on the shelves; they should be in small cardboard boxes.

ELECTRICAL MACHINERY.

In electric machinery, the American make has by far the largest sale. It is worth noting in this connection that there is an American electrical expert here, with electrical experts under him, who is well backed by a big American company. He has a shop in the leading street of Rio de Janeiro to show his wares, and is, I am assured, the only man in the place who is prepared to estimate at once for an electrical installation anywhere in the country; others have to write to principals. It is not surprising that, quite apart from considerations of suitability and cheapness of machinery, he does the most business.

IRON AND STEEL MANUFACTURES.

The demand for bar, angle, bolt, and rod (including soft steel) is principally confined to the smaller sizes, and the national rolling mill, already referred to, supplies part of this demand (say, up to 3 inches by one-half inch, or 2 inches for square, or 2 inches diameter for round), turning out 250 to 300 tons per month. The import, however, is much larger. Moreover the duty (100 reis per kilogram) is not such a protection to this industry as the duties on castings are to cast-iron work, and I gather that the returns from the rolling mill are not very satisfactory. Bars for up country have to be bent in 5 or 6 feet lengths for packing on mules, and the bending is largely done here. The iron used is often Swedish, which, notwithstanding that its test is much higher than English or Belgian, is preferred in the interior, because after it is worn out in its first use it serves for making into knives, etc., locally. The competition of Belgian iron, of course, affects the sale of English, and is keenly felt, as is likewise the competition of iron from the United States.

The agents for a large English maker of railroad iron of all sorts told me they missed a large contract for the Government railway a couple of years ago because their principals insisted upon payment in Europe, whereas the terms of tender required payment here at the exchange of the day of delivery. After exchange of the day of delivery has been settled it is well known that, owing to official formalities which have to be gone through, an interval of several weeks may elapse before collection, during which exchange may have altered again; hence the objection to payment here. The contract was, however, taken by a leading German maker, although his price was not so cheap. A heavy loss in exchange ensued, but with diplomatic (German) assistance, the maker obtained compensation. A contract for 3,000 tons of steel rails for a railway under English management recently went to the United States. Wire for fencing, both black and galvanized, appears to be mostly Belgian and German; but barbed wire, rolled on wooden bobbins of convenient size, comes from the United States. Belgian competition tells in hoops, sheets, and boiler plates, too, and some importers who have held to the English makers as long as they possibly could have been recently induced to order Belgian sheets, owing to the great difference of price in their favor—30s. and 40s. (\$7.29 and \$9.73) per ton. They say their buyers will have the cheap stuff, even for boilers. Galvanized and corrugated sheets are still English. Tinned plates (from England) are imported for making coffee-sample tins, tins for guava cheese and other sweetmeats, tobacco, etc., probably to the extent of at least 500 cases per month. The tin-making industry is mostly carried on in comparatively small establishments, and I have not seen any very high-class work. The plates are almost all coke; perhaps 5 per cent, I am informed, may be charcoal. The fruit-canning industry does not seem to be large. Terne plates are imported (also from England) for the national safety-match factories, which all put up their matches in terne-plate cases containing 10 dozen packets of 10 boxes each. These plates are not used for roofing and not much now for guttering, for which purpose galvanized iron is preferred. Wrought-iron building girders have not hitherto been largely imported, but their use will doubtless increase, and Belgium is to the front with cheap prices. Iron pipes, both black and galvanized, used all to come from England, but now the United States is a strong competitor; while in regard to cocks, joints, T's, etc., it is said to be only because people are accustomed to English shapes that so many still come from England. A large importer here told me that the United States makes were lighter (duty is by weight) and cheaper, and he looked forward to buying in the United States later on. Wire nails (Paris points) are made in the country from imported Belgian wire. The old English horseshoe nail, which required finishing by the farrier before being used (and the form of which English makers would not change), was replaced a few years ago by the ready-finished German nail, which now holds the market.

BRASS.

A certain amount of brass smelting is done in the country, black-lead crucibles being used for the purpose. One importer of these who used to get the Battersea make told me that he read in the Philadelphia Manufacturer of an American black-lead crucible. He sent for a catalogue, and found that the prices compare as follows:

American—3½ cents per number (number equals about 3 pounds of metal capacity), less 35 per cent.

English—3d. (6.08 cents) per number (number equals about 1 kilogram or 2.2046 pounds of metal capacity), less 20 per cent.

He has since imported the American article, finding it quite satisfactory.

CORDAGE AND TWINE.

Cordage for marine uses is mostly imported from England. There is some United States competition, and for use on a winch the American rope is said to be preferred, as being drier and slipping less. For general uses—agricultural, roping bales, tying mule packs, parcel string, etc.—national factories supply the market. They use chiefly Madras "sunn" hemp. Seaming twine for sewing the coffee bags used to be all imported, but is now largely made locally from Italian tow.

COTTON MANUFACTURES.

In white piece goods, practically the only competitors of British manufactures are national. The most salable qualities are:

Bouquet des Moças—24½ inches wide; weight, 1,270 grams per piece; price, 6.800 milreis (\$1.15) per piece.

Fim de Seculo—28 inches wide; weight, 1,600 grams per piece; price, 9 milreis (\$1.53) per piece.

Dos Presidentes—30 inches wide; weight, 1,690 grams per piece; price, 8.800 milreis (\$1.49) per piece.

Percalle BBB—30 inches wide; weight, 1,510 grams per piece; price, 9.600 milreis (\$1.63) per piece.

Pinga Fina—31½ inches wide; weight, 2,210 grams per piece; price, 11.600 milreis (\$1.97) per piece.

Cretonne Excelsior—31 inches wide; weight, 2,440 grams per piece; price, 10.400 milreis (\$1.76) per piece.

Gata—30 inches wide; weight, 1,920 grams per piece; price, 9.200 milreis (\$1.56) per piece.

Flores—27½ inches wide; weight, 1,550 grams per piece; price, 8.400 milreis (\$1.42) per piece.

It will be observed that whites are usually made in pieces of 20 meters (21.8 yards).

Cotton flannels have dropped out of use to a great extent, being replaced by woolen fabrics made chiefly in the southern provinces. Gray cottons are almost entirely of national make, although doubtless the recent rise in exchange will bring some from England.

Prints are produced successfully in the country, but it is naturally impossible for national factories to undertake the immense variety of patterns offered from abroad, and therefore there is still a large sale of imported printed fabrics. In these the competition with English is not important; it is mostly in dark grounds.

In wove colored goods—ginghams, oxfords, trouserings, zephyrs, etc.—the national factories supply a large proportion of the demand, and owing to the excellence of the cotton used it is difficult for imported goods to compete, except in some poor makes, for which there is not a great requirement; nevertheless, imported goods do compete, at least in certain lines, and Italian goods are noted as coming particularly to the front.

In blue drills the American "S" holds its own (in virtue of the mark) against similar English goods. National goods also compete favorably. One class of the latter, 27 inches wide, weighing 164 grams per meter, sells at 1.100 milreis (18.7 cents) per meter. The excellence of the dye is to be noted.

FURNITURE.

With a good supply of native hard wood of various kinds and a high protective duty, it is not surprising that most of the furniture used in the country is made locally. The only importations possible seem to be cheap chairs which come from the United States and bent-wood furniture from Austria.

GLASS.

Supplies of plate glass seem to come almost entirely from the Continent, although some business still exists with England. A business man of long experience in the country told me that some years ago, when the shop windows were still largely of common glass, foreseeing the change which must inevitably come about in the use of plate glass, he arranged an agency for large English makers with a first-class local house. The efforts of the latter, however, were unavailing against Belgian competition and were not properly backed by the manufacturers, who should have been prepared in the first instance to make prices in order to capture the trade, as the Americans so often do in similar cases.

CHILE.

MACHINERY.

The market for mining machinery is, like the industry itself, in a very depressed condition. German mining machinery is reported better liked than English, and has also the advantage of there being more English mine managers than there used to be; but English winding engines hold their own.

Mining fuse, which was formerly exclusively of English manufacture, is now largely imported from Germany, being very much cheaper, while the quality is satisfactory.

In agricultural machinery the United States seems to have gained the ascendancy. The thrashing machines, for example, are reported lighter and quicker than English, and, although they do not separate so well and will not last as long, they sell far more readily on account of their cheapness.

IRON.

In pig, bar, angle, bolt, and rod England still has the great bulk of the total trade, which is not divided in the statistics. The statistics show, however, that the continental imports have made a very great advance, while the English have not. Cheaper freights from Antwerp and Hamburg tell in favor of the former. The Belgian iron is poorer than Staffordshire, but it does well enough and will go where the c. i. f. cost is in its favor. United States pig has been coming to a small extent of late.

Steel rails are not and never can be made in the country to compete with those from elsewhere. They are admitted free.

The wire trade seems to be falling away in English makes and increasing in continental. United States wire is also coming. The cheapest cost c. i. f. is the prime consideration, and freights helped the continental makers, as will be apparent from the following rates ruling about the end of January last, as I am assured by importers, on this article, viz: Steamer from Antwerp, 20 francs and 5 per cent, or 16s. 10d. per 1,000 kilograms, say 18s. 6d. (\$1.50) per ton; steamer from Liverpool, 22s. 6d. and 5 per cent, or 23s. 7½d. (\$5.74) per ton; sailer from Hamburg, 8s. (\$1.94) per ton, no primage; sailer from Liverpool, 15s. and 10 per cent, or 16s. 6d. (\$1.01) per ton. United States barbed wire is liked.

The tinned-plate trade is a small one, but almost all in the English article, although a little has come from the United States. There are several fruit-canning enterprises in the country, some of which make their own cans; but there are also two small can factories. The machinery used, I am informed, is adequate and up to date. The lobster (really crayfish)-fishery at the island of Juan Fernandez cans its product; the management complains of being unable as yet to find anything which really prevents alkali, in which the fish is very rich, from attacking the cans. The native market takes all this canned fish.

In cast or wrought and all other iron and steel manufactures several well-appointed local foundries and machine shops supply a certain portion of the demand; but the protection is insufficient in a country of small population, and where other imports are highly protected, ever to admit of imports ceasing to be relied on, generally speaking, for supplying the great bulk of it.

Iron pipes come chiefly from England. The trade in cast-iron pipes for mains is mostly a matter of contract; but wrought-iron pipes up to 2½ inches for gas and galvanized-iron pipes up to same size for water are largely dealt in.

Anchor and chains are practically all English.

In cut iron nails the United States manufactures seem to have most acceptance; the nails are considered better proportioned, less likely to turn over or split the wood in driving. The nails are imported in neat little kegs, which form much more handy and attractive packages than the big iron drums in which English nails come.

Wrought-iron "deck" nails come largely from Germany; the English are considered too thin for ship-repair work, for which deck nails are chiefly wanted here. Common English deck nails are used for building purposes. Belgian bright horseshoe nails, which sell at about 25.50 pesos (\$9.30) per keg of 100 pounds, are fast pushing all others out of the market, being cheap and showy.

Tacks of American make prevail, and German G. C. nails are suitable. A packet containing 500 of the latter sells at 60 cents (21.7 cents).

Of wire nails the consumption is large, the supplies coming exclusively from Germany.

In bar iron I was informed by large importers who have their own house in England and none in Germany that they get this 5s. (\$1.21) per ton cheaper f. o. b. from Belgium than from England, and steel rails 10s. (\$2.43) per ton cheaper both from Belgium and the United States. Recently 25-pound rails for use on nitrate works came from the United States at £6 (\$29.19) per ton c. i. f. at Iquique;

and 30-pound rails, which should be rather cheaper, at £6 10s. (\$31.63) per ton c. i. f. at Callao from England. Belgian steel sheets, "ship quality," and American of very good quality, come 5s. (\$1.21) cheaper c. i. f. than similar English quality, and are used largely for tanks in the nitrate works.

In cast or wrought and all other iron and steel manufactures American steam pipes, I found out, are taking the place of all others, owing to their superior flexibility and strength. The small sizes, say up to 2 inches, I am informed, are about the same first cost as English, but the larger are cheaper. Cast-iron and malleable cast pipe fittings, such as elbows, tees, flanges, and crosses, as well as wrought-iron pipe fitting, such as nipples and couplings, come 25 per cent cheaper, I am assured, from the United States than from England.

Brass of all sorts, engine fittings, such as globe, horizontal, and check valves, radiator valves, gas, steam, and service cocks, steam whistles, water gauges, gauge cocks, air cocks, oil cups, lubricators, glass-body oil cups, safety valves, I am informed, all come 25 per cent cheaper from the United States than from England.

IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS OF INDUSTRY.

It is extremely difficult to form a correct opinion as to whether the cheapest and most suitable machinery for nitrate working can be obtained from England or elsewhere, because an English management will usually get English, and a German management German machinery. Probably the advantage lies with the English; but there are exceptions—e. g., a German centrifugal pump to pump up the liquor at one part of the process was preferred in a certain English establishment on account of its being less liable to choke with mud, etc. Freight is in favor of the Continent. Portable railways, largely used in nitrate working, practically all come from Germany, the German make being lighter and cheaper than the English. A certain amount of work is turned out in Iquique, there being two large foundries there; and the nitrate works themselves, being comparatively isolated, generally have machine shops capable of doing a good part of their own renewals. I was informed that two large Chilean modern nitrate works had everything made in Valparaiso except the engines and pumps, which came from England. The electric lighting of the nitrate works is leaving English makers, because there is a very capable resident representative of the United States Westinghouse Company in Iquique, who is always ready to negotiate for new installations, to supply small refits for American machinery, and, for a moderate monthly charge, to look after the electric plant continually—an arrangement which suits the companies well. Mining machinery, reported very good, is made in Caldera, at the works of the Caldera and Copiapó Railway. German metal retorts are preferred to English. I saw a number of the latter at a smelters under English management lying about broken. American iron body, brass-mounted globe horizontal, angle, check, foot, and safety valves are reported to come 25 per cent cheaper than English.

Hammers of 25 pounds weight for breaking rock or hard ground come from Germany 6s. (\$1.459) per cwt. cheaper than from England. An American mechanic's hammer, with handle, which is liked, costs \$14.50 (\$5.29) per dozen, less 70 per cent, 5 per cent, and 2 per cent in the United States.

A small American plow, weighing 18 kilograms (39.6 pounds), and sold at \$8 (\$2.85), has cut out the old "Concepcion" and "Valparaiso" hoes for vineyard work. Supplies of spare points are brought out for sale at 55 cents (20 cents) each point.

Shovels and spades come chiefly from England, but United States competition is keenly felt.

Adzes are less wanted than formerly, owing to the timber in the south being now wrought chiefly by circular saws, which come mostly from the United States.

Chisels and screw-drivers of third quality are now coming from England to hold the market at low prices, but where woodwork bulks largely in any tool the United States seems to have an advantage. Joiners' tools generally are less wanted in proportion than formerly, owing to doors and windows for houses being made by machinery.

German brush ware is fast cutting out the English, American, and French in common and medium qualities, which have, of course, by far the larger sale. A small German scrubbing brush, used in the country for washing cloths, sells at \$2 (\$1.09) per dozen; a German horse brush, at \$7.50 (\$2.73) per dozen; a German whisk dandy, at \$6.50 (\$2.37) per dozen; German shoe brush, at \$1.50 (54 cents) per dozen; German sash tools, at \$1.40 (51 cents) per dozen; German paint brushes (French pattern), at \$6.50 (\$2.37) per dozen.

RAILWAY CARRIAGES AND WAGONS.

The railways in southern Chile almost all belong to the State, and the trade in rolling stock is chiefly by tender. Of late years the United States has been most successful. Much, however, is done locally, as at present tenders for rolling stock from local makers are preferred, if not more than 15 per cent higher than those from importers or than maximum prices fixed for the foreign article.

COAL.

Consumption is estimated at about 1,200,000 tons per annum, of which about half is native; and of the other half, about two-thirds is New South Wales, and the remainder West Hartley and other good English coal. The native coal is soft and does not compete for mining and other industries involving expensive carriage, and thus it does not appear to have gained any proportionate advantage over the imported article. It is worthy of note that much of the English coal comes to the nitrate ports in French bottoms, large vessels with several holds, whose owners buy the coal on ship's account and sell each hold to separate buyers with contract for delivery at the rate of 100 tons per day from each, so that great dispatch is secured. As these vessels get a mileage bounty from the French Government, they sell their cargoes profitably at a rate which would leave the English shipper a loss after paying ordinary freight of 2s. 6d. (60.8 cents) a ton or more.

COTTON MANUFACTURES.

These are all imported.

In white shirtings, drills, etc., English goods hold the market, but there is also a comparatively insignificant importation from the United States, and apparently also from the Continent.

The same remarks apply to domestics, gray drills, etc., as to white shirtings, except that United States competition is becoming felt.

In cotton prints and common qualities of trouserings—1.625d. to 3d. (3.2 to 6 cents) per yard—upon which the demand chiefly runs, the English goods practically hold the market. The trade in better qualities of printed trouserings is comparatively small.

In printed flannelettes also the great bulk of the business is in English goods. A certain amount (perhaps 20 per cent of the whole) of continental goods do, however, find a market.

In wove colored goods the great bulk of the trade in oxfords, tickings, etc., is English, but in trouserings German goods prevail.

STATISTICAL STATEMENTS FROM REPORTS OF CONSULS IN SOUTH AMERICA.

COMMERCE OF ARGENTINA.

[From British Consular Reports.]

TRADE WITH THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER FOREIGN COUNTRIES DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS
1897 AND 1898.

[Values of imports and exports stated in gold pesos = 96.5 cents.]

YEARS.	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.	Free of duty.	Dutiable.	Total.
	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>
1898.....	13,440,355	93,988,545	107,428,900	62,356,811	71,472,647	133,829,458
1897.....	12,589,198	85,699,750	98,288,948	39,314,305	61,854,994	101,169,299

BULLION AND SPECIE.

YEARS.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>
1898.....	7,298,901	1,572,772
1897.....	671,089	4,949,142

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL AND OTHER COUNTRIES DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1898.

COUNTRIES.	Imports.	Per cent of total imports.	Exports.	Per cent of total exports.
	<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	
United States.....	11,129,065	10.4	5,874,295	4.4
United Kingdom.....	39,012,600	36.3	19,205,928	14.4
Germany.....	12,571,116	11.7	20,286,338	15.2
France.....	10,596,725	9.9	29,981,056	22.4
Italy.....	13,695,241	12.8	5,256,054	3.9
Brazil.....	5,012,115	4.7	7,916,301	5.9
Belgium.....	9,444,981	8.8	13,949,751	10.4
Spain.....	3,315,470	3.1	387,998	.3
West Indies.....	27,643		162,397	.1
Paraguay.....	1,757,439	1.6	144,108	.1
Bolivia.....	57,208		408,813	.3
Chile.....	82,772	.1	1,354,494	1.0
Uruguay.....	470,901	.4	3,683,275	2.8
Portugal.....	74,984	.1	11,597	
Netherlands.....	109,881	.1	331,232	.2
Other countries.....	70,759		7,846,673	5.9
Destination unknown.....			17,039,148	12.7
Total.....	107,428,900	100	133,829,458	100

DESTINATION OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS FROM ARGENTINA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1898.

DESTINATION.	Dry ox-hides.	Salt ox-hides.	Dry horse-hides.	Salt horse-hides.	Sheepskins.	Hair.	Tallow.			Goatskins.	Wool.	Frozen wethers.	Wheat.
	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Bales.	Bales.	Pipes.	Casks.	Hogsheads.	Bales.	Bales.	Number.	Tons.
United Kingdom	7,884	49,707			10,910	292	10,753	14,948	6,889	30	24,935	2,458,464	84,898
United States	1,139,239	2,150		586	86	1,220				2,347	13,240		
France	82,936	163,295	100		48,490	588	3,512	510	9,418	1,290	230,458	42,293	34,989
Germany	263,270	568,888	122,677	116,609	3,481	854	1,067	30	355	190	147,259		35,900
Belgium	155,333	442,289	5,210	27,947	404	1,723	250	660	1,424	8	86,591		125,928
Italy	328,966	8,901			8,635	756	12,855	1,339	6,300	34	11,602		32,406
Cape Colony								50					
Brazil						100	3,974	7,321	18,891		1		73,318
Orders		31,500						1,667		30			277,815
Other countries	100,723	9,201		5,862	553	15	581	291	591		144		16,990
Total	2,076,351	1,275,931	127,987	151,004	72,559	5,548	32,992	26,874	43,868	3,929	514,230	2,500,757	682,244

DESTINATION.	Maize.	Linseed.	Flour.	Bran.	Pollards.	Oilseed.	Birdseed.	Hay.	Quebracho.	Tobacco.	Butter.	Sugar.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Bags.	Bags.	Bags.	Bales.	Tons.	Bales.	Cases.	Tons.
United Kingdom	119,464	34,700	22	1,127	11,724	22,077		6,199	26	6	26,256	13,563
United States								63	5,026			
France	125,911	21,395		5,949	82,171	5,083			6,427	38	2	40
Germany	60,954	12,315		30,348	35,870	53,729			35,990	7,212		
Belgium	98,080	37,116	64	1,788	10,691	12,092	49	6,608	40,249	835		
Italy	56,711	350	165	206		1,209		4,700	5,857			
Cape Colony	27,534			625				113,223				
Brazil	50,809	13	26,207	3,405			5,373	640,310			1,389	
Orders	201,008	44,970	168	5,060				31	26,597			2,231
Other countries	17,765	3,731		867	8,847				27,017			
Total	758,236	154,590	26,626	49,375	149,303	94,190	5,422	771,134	147,189	8,091	27,647	15,834

NOTE.—Average weights: 1 bale of wool, 475 kilos.; 1 bale of sheepskins, 450 kilos.; 1 bale of hair, 450 kilos.; 1 bale of goatskins, 370 kilos.; 1 bale of hay, 50 kilos.; 1 pipe of tallow, 400 kilos.; 1 hoghead of tallow, 200 kilos.; 1 cask of tallow, 100 kilos.; 1 case of butter, 25 kilos.

COMMERCE OF PERU, 1897.

VALUE OF IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO THE PRINCIPAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

[From British Consular Report No. 2298.]

NATIONS.	VALUE, 1897.		Total.
	Imports.	Exports.	
	Sols. a	Sols. a	Sols. a
Argentina	389	421	811
Australia	11,787		11,787
Belgium	536,676	8,786	545,462
Brazil	3,718	9,010	12,728
Bolivia	105	56,683	56,788
Central America	82,888	49,546	132,435
Chile	1,207,410	5,753,074	6,960,484
China	568,027	32,660	600,687
Colombia	34,212	452,193	486,406
Ecuador	72,943	1,207,506	1,280,450
France	1,306,978	1,181,312	2,488,290
Germany	3,060,430	2,322,023	5,382,454
Great Britain	6,831,969	15,648,310	22,480,280
Italy	632,957	38,964	671,922
Mexico	662	2,871	3,533
Portugal	830	500	1,330
Spain	110,031	11,965	121,996
United States	1,647,527	1,392,623	3,040,150
Uruguay	19,102		19,102
Iquitos	1,875,399	2,856,929	4,732,328
Total	18,004,048	31,025,382	49,029,430

a Value of sol January 1, 1897, 47.4 cents; January 1, 1898, 42.4 cents; January 1, 1899, 43.9 cents; July 1, 1899, 43.4 cents.

BRAZIL.

EXPORTS OF COFFEE AND RUBBER FROM BRAZIL.

[From United States Consular Reports.]

MOVEMENT OF COFFEE IN THE CHIEF MARKETS OF BRAZIL, RIO DE JANEIRO, AND SANTOS, FROM 1881 TO 1897.

(Bags, 132 pounds.)

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—	ENTRIES.			SHIPMENTS.			STOCK ON HAND JUNE 30 OF EACH YEAR.		
	Rio.	Santos.	Total.	Rio.	Santos.	Total.	Rio.	Santos.	Total.
	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>
1881.....	4,510,613	1,124,920	5,635,533	4,397,128	1,205,016	5,602,144	175,000	30,000	205,000
1882.....	3,837,237	1,723,337	5,560,574	3,928,594	1,524,380	5,452,974	81,000	180,000	261,000
1883.....	4,736,289	1,934,700	6,670,989	4,556,661	1,834,007	6,390,668	300,000	235,000	535,000
1884.....	3,188,488	1,842,280	5,030,768	3,216,172	1,928,915	5,145,087	150,000	290,000	440,000
1885.....	4,113,082	2,056,556	6,169,638	4,263,777	2,162,223	6,426,005	140,000	165,000	305,000
1886.....	3,879,357	1,644,300	5,523,657	3,794,239	1,648,832	5,443,071	236,000	210,000	446,000
1887.....	3,491,384	2,585,610	6,076,994	3,512,499	2,478,818	5,991,317	182,000	260,000	442,000
1888.....	1,915,435	1,116,703	3,032,138	1,993,850	1,309,811	3,303,661	102,000	130,000	232,000
1889.....	4,193,374	2,037,065	6,230,379	3,839,773	2,545,713	6,385,486	278,000	218,000	496,000
1890.....	2,395,924	1,864,306	4,260,227	2,556,091	2,061,584	4,617,675	163,000	55,000	218,000
1891.....	2,426,606	3,050,712	5,477,318	2,443,790	2,918,602	5,392,592	153,752	56,360	210,112
1892.....	3,733,457	3,685,094	7,418,551	3,816,066	3,532,160	7,348,226	54,515	188,000	242,515
1893.....	2,977,850	3,338,390	6,316,240	3,011,793	3,405,390	6,417,183	104,789	120,000	224,789
1894.....	2,603,851	1,686,000	4,289,851	2,493,235	1,772,606	4,265,811	76,152	40,231	116,383
1895.....	2,690,313	4,005,595	6,695,908	2,610,410	3,898,358	6,508,768	152,930	131,219	284,149
1896.....	2,399,379	4,883,565	7,282,935	2,398,475	4,837,213	7,235,688	114,551	115,792	230,343
1897.....				2,066,734	5,621,762	7,687,896			

VALUE OF COFFEE EXPORTED FROM BRAZIL FROM 1894 TO 1898.

[From Brazilian Review, December 20, 1898.]

YEAR.	Coffee exports, value.	
	£	Dollars.
1894.....	24,000,000	116,788,000
1895.....	23,000,000	111,929,300
1896.....	19,000,000	92,463,500
1897.....	19,000,000	92,463,500
1898.....	14,000,000	68,131,000

COFFEE SHIPMENTS FROM SANTOS, BY COUNTRIES, FROM 1856 TO 1897.

SHIPPED TO—	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—						
	1856	1866	1876	1886	1856-1895	1896	1897
	<i>Bags. a</i>	<i>Bags. a</i>	<i>Bags. b</i>	<i>Bags. b</i>	<i>Bags. b</i>	<i>Bags. b</i>	<i>Bags. b</i>
United States.....	8,900	9,000	123,100	48,000	10,700,000	1,054,000	1,567,830
Hamburg.....	34,000	25,500	200,300	426,563	11,000,000	638,000	1,049,815
Havre.....	3,500	16,700	82,500	293,000	8,400,000	314,000	735,226
Lisbon.....	90,700	18,750	208,000	19,500	4,635,000		17,500
Holland.....	4,500		12,200	204,000	5,500,000	406,000	941,350
Mediterranean ports.....	8,400	3,000	5,000	220,000	3,600,000	650,000	517,337
England.....		781	7,600	12,000	1,120,000	16,000	22,515
Cherbourg.....	615	12,500	7,700	2,500	756,000		
Bremen.....	3,400				145,000	21,000	48,671
Total.....				1,648,832	45,856,000	3,101,000	4,900,244

a Bags of 165 pounds.*b* Bags of 132 pounds.

EXPORTS OF COFFEE AND RUBBER FROM BRAZIL—Continued.

COFFEE SHIPMENTS FROM SANTOS FROM 1894 TO 1897.

DESTINATION.	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—			
	1894	1895	1896	1897
	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>
New York	761,094	1,166,498	984,023	1,463,280
New Orleans.....	33,170	133,636	45,470	67,922
Baltimore		44,299	20,706	24,128
Charleston.....				12,500
Hamburg	360,607	776,711	637,187	1,050,206
Havre	156,945	637,714	314,037	735,226
Rotterdam	75,222	313,888	406,501	617,865
Trieste	162,203	327,490	285,371	372,413
Antwerp.....	142,784	303,228	243,912	323,094
Genoa, Naples, and Venice	9,301	65,065	55,639	58,662
Marseilles	5,770	64,246	50,013	58,436
Amsterdam	46,411	2,500		
Bremen	9,655	18,614	20,659	48,071
Fiume	2,000	9,130		9,000
Mediterranean.....		5,001	3,300	6,374
Bordeaux	518	4,035	5,100	3,825
London	3,365	11,702	16,489	22,515
Southampton and Canal		100		17,500
North Europe		10,505	11,425	18,275
Buenos Ayres	795			555
Montevideo	135			
Other parts				300
Coastwise.....	2,404	9,118	13,160	37,215
Total.....	1,772,679	3,904,080	3,135,631	4,963,062

SHIPMENTS OF COFFEE FROM BRAZIL FROM 1882 TO 1897.

CALENDAR YEAR.	TO UNITED STATES.		To Europe from Brazil.	CALENDAR YEAR.	TO UNITED STATES.		To Europe from Brazil.
	From Santos.	From Brazil.			From Santos.	From Brazil.	
	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>		<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>	<i>Bags.</i>
1882.....	345,407			1890.....	566,479		
1883.....	399,395			1891.....	744,461	3,884,300	4,662,598
1884.....	413,408			1892.....	1,416,189	4,481,516	4,609,431
1885.....	400,323			1893.....	1,110,556	4,135,283	4,520,966
1886.....	485,181			1894.....	972,105	4,313,700	4,538,181
1887.....	477,824			1895.....	1,136,572	4,348,000	4,607,248
1888.....	457,164			1896.....	1,061,291	4,658,816	4,625,666
1889.....	721,450			1897 (first 6 months) .	607,255		

QUANTITY AND VALUE OF INDIA RUBBER RECEIVED AT PARA FROM THE NEIGHBORING REPUBLICS.

YEAR.	PERU.		BOLIVIA.		VENEZUELA.		Total value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>
1890.....	1,163,909	2,131,982	432,548	1,119,666	7,976	19,461	3,271,109
1891.....	701,585	2,185,736	502,481	1,564,726	3,775	11,755	3,761,217
1894.....	783,231	2,895,009	653,091	2,422,171			5,317,180

EXPORTS OF COFFEE AND RUBBER FROM BRAZIL—Continued.

EXPORTS OF INDIA RUBBER FROM PARA AND MANAOS DURING 1895.

ARTICLES.	To Europe.	To United States.
INDIA RUBBER:	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Kilos.</i>
Fine	5,964,572	5,772,051
Extra fine	846,456	1,243,817
Sernamby	2,186,976	3,119,197
Caucho	520,167	1,116,345
Total	9,518,171	11,251,410

Total exported.....	<i>Kilos.</i> 20,769,581
Stock on December 31, 1895	687,000
Grand total.....	21,456,581

INDIA RUBBER EXPORTED FROM PARA AND MANAOS, THE CHIEF RUBBER-EXPORTING PORTS, SINCE 1889.

YEAR.	Europe.	United States.	Total exported.	Stock on December 31.
	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Kilos.</i>	<i>Kilos.</i>
1895.....	9,518,171	11,251,410	20,769,581	587,000
1894.....	9,012,658	10,461,030	19,473,688	846,000
1893.....	7,785,270	11,344,929	19,130,199	1,705,000
1892.....	7,077,623	11,431,559	18,509,182	919,000
1891.....	6,957,877	10,831,528	17,789,405	1,447,000
1890.....	6,806,058	9,587,763	16,393,821	1,182,000
1889.....	6,794,044	9,092,733	15,886,777	1,304,000

QUANTITY AND VALUE OF COFFEE AND RUBBER EXPORTS FROM BRAZIL.

[From Brazilian Review.]

ARTICLES.	1897		1898	
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Value.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Value.</i>
Coffee exported	18,500,000	\$90,030,250	14,000,000	\$68,131,000
Rubber exported	7,600,000	36,985,400	8,000,000	38,932,000
Other products	5,000,000	24,332,560	5,000,000	24,332,500

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AT RIO DE JANEIRO DURING THE YEARS 1897 AND 1898.

[From British Consular Report, No. 2284.]

ARTICLES.	Country of supply.	Unit.	QUANTITY.		Per—	VALUE.			
			1898	1897		1898		1897	
						<i>Reis.</i>		<i>Reis.</i>	
Beer	Great Britain.....	Cases	1,097	1,711	Dozen	22\$500 to 23\$000		24\$000 to 25\$000	
	Germany	do	78	924					
	Belgium	do	15	410					
	Total		1,190	3,045					
Beans	Various	Bags	94,136	106,447					
Bran	River Plate.....	do	8,335	10,107	Bag			4 500	6 400
Butter	Various	Cases	44,479	51,243	Tin	2 500	3 100	1 580	3 050
Candles	France and Belgium.....	do	5,898	10,692	Packet	840	960	760	980
Cement	Great Britain.....	Barrels	13,264	21,446	Barrel	19 000	21 000	14 500	20 000
					do	16 000	18 000	13 000	17 000
	Germany	do	10,210	27,030	do	16 000	17 000	12 000	17 000
					do	20 000	22 000	17 500	22 000
	France.....	do	24,845	29,430	do	17 000	19 000	13 000	19 000
					do	14 000	17 000	14 000	15 000
	Belgium	do	86,902	118,224	do	12 500	13 000	12 500	13 000
	Other countries.....	do	739	570		14 000	16 000		
	Total	do	135,960	196,700					

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AT RIO DE JANEIRO DURING THE YEARS 1897 AND 1898—Continued.

ARTICLES.	Country of supply.	Unit.	QUANTITY.		Per—	VALUE.			
			1898	1897		1898		1897	
						<i>Reis.</i>		<i>Reis.</i>	
Coals	Great Britain	Tons	550, 208	515, 932					
	United States	do	25, 627						
	Other countries	do		16, 505					
	Total		575, 835	532, 437					
Codfish	Canada	Tubs and barrels ..	45, 057	40, 328		40\$000	61\$000	38\$000	56\$000
	Norwegian	Boxes	51, 942	70, 404		50 000	65 000	35 000	57 000
	Other countries	Packages	23, 871	39, 663					
	Total		125, 870	150, 395					
Flour	United States	Barrels	212, 837	252, 991		34 000	80 000	40 500	52 000
	River Plate	do	44, 268	65, 797		28 000	73 500	35 000	49 500
	Liverpool	do	8, 630	9, 850					
	Other countries	do	7, 402	7, 895					
	Total		273, 137	336, 533					
Gin	Great Britain	Cases	1, 917	1, 508		32 000	35 000	28 000	36 000
	Belgium	do	4, 315	6, 747		35 000	41 000	39 000	44 000
	Other countries	do	5, 054	5, 880		32 000	35 000	28 000	36 000
	Total	do	11, 286	14, 135					
Grease		Packages	19, 426	15, 970	Kilogram	500	950	500	950
Hay		Bales	285, 987	286, 033	do	125	250	130	200
Jerked beef		Kilograms	47, 095, 040	51, 456, 620	do	700	1 160	440	1 100
Jute bagging	Various	Packages	1, 014	1, 270					
Kerosene	United States	Cases	430, 286	475, 767	Case	8 500	16 000	8 800	16 000
Lard	do	Barrels	161, 455	128, 255	Pound	640	1 200	580	830
		Cases	16, 434	13, 735					
Live stock:									
Bullocks	River Plate		19, 230	12, 191					
Sheep	do		14, 096	21, 859					
Pigs	do		2	1, 624					
Lumber:									
Pine deals	Sweden	Dozen	4, 737 ⁷ / ₂	12, 461 ¹ / ₂					
Pitch pine	United States	Feet	26, 018, 837	25, 940, 429	Dozen lengths	74 000	87 000	66 000	83 000
White pine	do	do	5, 174, 312	5, 830, 964	Foot	180	320	205	250
Spruce	do	do	4, 575, 161	6, 095, 115	Dozen	83 000	90 000	65 000	87 000
Macaroni	Italy	Cases	1, 164	1, 227	Box	10 000	16 000	9 000	10 000
Maize	River Plate	Bags	422, 286	1, 254, 097	Bag	7 500	12 000	6 500	10 500
Matches	Germany	Packages	9, 068	4, 365	Package	380 000	590 000	398 000	430 000
Olive oil	Various	Cases	30, 876	21, 888	16-pound tin	29 000	33 500	28 000	32 000
		Barrels	31	63					
Pitch	United States	do	21, 289	21, 346	280 pounds	21 000	26 000	20 000	30 000
Rice	Farther India	Bags	1, 118, 342	1, 102, 918	Bag	20 000	24 000	20 000	24 000
	Europe, various	do	11, 982	134, 359	do	20 000	24 000	20 000	24 000
	Total		1, 130, 324	1, 237, 277					
Salt	Various	Liters	7, 708, 140	6, 886, 000	40 liters	3 600	4 400	1 400	3 500
Salt pork	United States	Packages	23, 039	76, 088	Kilogram	1 380	2 100	1 240	1 500
Tar	Great Britain	Barrels	110	55	Barrel	55 000	90 000	50 000	55 000
	Germany	do	785	455	do	55 000	90 000	50 000	55 000
	Total		895	510					
Tea	Great Britain	Kilograms	90, 997	98, 279	Kilogram	5 000	17 000	6 000	16 000
	Germany	do	918	4, 725	do	5 000	17 000	6 000	16 000
	Total	do	91, 915	103, 004					
Turpentine	United States				Kilogram	1 000	2 500	840	1 200
Wines	France	Casks	4, 169	3, 933					
		Barrels	51	231					
		Cases	6, 627	6, 678					
		Casks	6, 773	5, 477					
	Italy	Barrels	1, 645	1, 715					
		Cases	4, 833	7, 295					
		Barrels	43, 835	33, 420	Barrel	290 000	500 000	340 000	550 000
		Cases	232, 153	270, 824					
	Portugal	Barrels	15, 591	9, 792					
		Cases	1, 074	1, 692					
	Spain	Barrels	5, 141	1, 790	do	250 000	480 000	340 000	460 000
		Cases	4, 067	6, 186					

COMMERCE OF THE BRITISH WEST INDIES AND BRITISH GUIANA.

[From the British Colonial Abstract.]

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES.

BARBADOS.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

IMPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Bread and biseuits	pounds ... 4,295,590	4,360,721	4,075,377	4,747,721	6,225,924	6,068,104	4,981,354	3,947,761
.....	£ 19,330	19,623	18,339	28,506	34,243	30,341	24,922	19,739
Butter and its compounds	pounds ... 1,037,860	708,633	839,522	824,472	892,949	793,695	942,186	770,280
.....	£ 38,920	26,574	30,012	29,263	28,769	24,625	29,136	24,618
Coal and coke	tons 19,761	18,028	23,488	22,307	17,747	12,440	16,168	19,794
.....	£ 19,761	18,028	23,488	36,695	19,744	12,544	16,572	20,280
Corn and grain	bushels... 278,050	391,480	276,239	309,636	425,708	296,991	302,000	304,873
.....	£ 54,128	64,334	50,996	78,300	97,922	51,529	43,502	40,697
Indian corn meal	barrels... 45,321	46,822	37,861	37,278	40,937	32,271	38,278	46,688
.....	£ 33,990	35,116	28,484	37,045	28,144	22,186	20,574	24,511
Flour, wheat, or rye	barrels... 72,496	71,676	74,271	69,660	90,986	62,986	56,510	55,089
.....	£ 90,620	89,596	92,839	115,374	81,887	56,687	56,510	57,843
Fish, dried	quintals .. 97,742	80,676	77,113	84,427	76,373	77,930	87,656	83,453
.....	£ 58,645	48,466	46,268	65,853	57,280	58,448	78,890	75,108
Hardware and metals (new)	£ 56,557	32,910	29,452	49,856	35,175	30,493	31,852	45,540
Linens and cottons	£ 198,645	130,544	128,680	155,257	128,604	84,172	118,260	135,112
Lumber	feet 10,918,959	9,957,736	8,258,432	10,032,417	9,692,427	4,554,747	7,757,460	9,516,281
.....	£ 32,757	29,873	24,539	37,758	39,549	17,806	30,851	36,081
Manures:								
Guano	tons 830	657	1,737	1,599	922	1,802	30	1,146
.....	£ 8,300	6,570	19,277	16,975	10,068	19,212	337	12,611
Sulphate of ammonia	tons 1,482	1,795	Tons	2,500	2,122	2,285	3,446	1,678
.....	£ 22,964	27,885	11,202	30,996	30,028	25,436	35,828	20,136
Other	tons 8,849	10,836	£	8,805	9,529	5,175	8,632	5,902
.....	£ 43,502	53,724	94,918	56,087	68,178	31,185	54,858	32,790
Meat, salted or pickled	pounds ... 3,496,680	2,777,976	3,509,074	3,003,198	3,311,241	3,024,879	2,989,983	2,891,430
.....	£ 43,708	34,725	43,863	48,302	56,036	51,033	38,742	38,034
Oilmeal and oilcake	pounds ... 7,576,018	6,623,931	5,758,485	5,566,242	7,376,386	5,379,425	5,999,500	4,582,855
.....	£ 31,567	27,600	23,994	30,730	38,419	28,018	14,999	11,457
Rice	pounds ... 11,909,007	20,406,013	16,901,901	15,266,705	16,237,389	13,707,430	11,566,903	9,211,785
.....	£ 49,621	85,025	70,425	87,465	89,306	75,391	63,618	50,665
Staves and shooks	number ... 2,306,603	2,736,163	2,399,641	3,457,075	2,821,170	1,838,648	2,541,830	1,649,968
.....	£ 20,759	24,625	21,597	42,781	29,387	19,153	26,477	17,187
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—Silver	£ 6							
Specie—								
Gold	£ 200		12,710	2,807	100	8,065	7,180	
Silver	£ 4,441		3,906	2,964	922	1,340	4,800	
Total value of principal and other articles	£ 1,193,723	1,067,617	1,081,572	1,372,537	1,279,335	956,921	1,048,887	1,008,699

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

BARBADOS—Continued.

EXPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Coal and coke.....	tons 83	422	412	431	45	603	316	174
	£ 83	422	412	754	68	905	474	261
Corn and grain.....	pounds 974,020	1,784,701	1,405,432	1,147,035	5,360,375	1,413,717	1,285,172	1,477,849
	£ 3,276	5,790	4,991	5,352	23,460	6,688	4,518	5,304
Fish, dried.....	quintals 56,789	46,654	37,479	43,904	33,946	41,573	47,947	45,449
	£ 34,073	27,992	22,487	43,904	33,946	41,573	50,344	47,721
Flour, wheat, or rye.....	barrels 20,238	22,437	18,151	18,572	23,212	18,050	13,777	15,486
	£ 25,297	28,046	22,689	31,108	23,212	18,050	15,844	17,809
Linens, cottons, silks, and woollens.....	£ 30,872	29,264	31,545	29,842	30,321	29,512	26,352	28,018
Manures:								
Nitrate of soda.....	£ 525			24	5,298	1,500	600	2,725
Other.....	tons 552	415	579	826	797	497	1,058	901
	£ 2,943	2,319	4,580	7,399	7,834	5,285	10,724	5,608
Meat, salted or pickled.....	pounds 699,986	643,518	556,963	282,946	339,437	780,880	261,563	459,818
	£ 8,750	8,044	6,962	4,749	5,675	13,026	3,817	6,785
Molasses.....	punchons 51,904	32,318	43,356	43,374	43,558	27,959	36,607	37,432
	£ 162,200	100,994	135,488	162,652	141,564	97,657	122,023	86,094
Oil.....	£ 4,060	3,536	2,260	2,538	5,677	6,707	9,480	4,498
Rice.....	pounds 1,151,435	5,680,348	9,596,018	5,223,118	1,925,801	3,633,323	2,575,065	2,866,506
	£ 4,798	23,668	39,983	30,033	11,073	22,708	16,094	17,910
Sugar:								
Raw.....	hogsheads 81,868	48,186	56,619	63,517	63,215	34,792	45,789	56,397
	£ 818,680	481,860	566,190	793,963	584,739	260,940	389,207	422,977
Other.....	hogsheads 3,393	2,361	2,630	3,640	3,047	1,659	3,610	2,203
	£ 51,270	36,145	39,556	62,158	41,468	21,317	47,345	24,746
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—Gold.....	£ 1,648				788		30	1,635
Specie—								
Gold.....	£ 260							
Silver.....	£ 1,900						2,401	2,000
Total value of principal and other articles.....	£ 1,204,390	814,254	926,572	1,243,083	984,512	587,298	758,228	736,163

VALUE OF IMPORTS INTO BARBADOS, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	508,698	432,636	469,318	583,087	507,534	391,434	467,649	474,622
British Possessions:								
India.....	19,586	46,181	55,107	48,718	38,202	34,700	25,823	11,411
North America.....	95,579	84,007	88,524	119,222	110,278	80,471	98,203	108,835
West Indies.....	64,362	58,884	38,554	64,265	52,120	44,265	40,243	36,558
Guiana.....	31,543	17,217	13,269	22,042	25,511	24,591	17,296	21,630
Foreign West Indies.....	15,444	14,937	8,343	14,581	17,232	11,948	14,736	11,905
Dutch Guiana.....	2,091	2,368	4,659	2,684	1,492	2,699	1,315	1,512
United States.....	426,463	377,947	377,953	501,620	469,510	336,558	357,085	321,908
Peru.....	3,155	1	8,500			10,714		7,202
Argentina.....	929	2,054	1,147	2,207	5,987		6	1
Total principal and other countries.....	1,193,723	1,067,617	1,081,572	1,372,537	1,279,335	956,921	1,048,887	1,008,699

VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM BARBADOS, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	130,540	74,605	119,168	141,943	127,444	69,760	38,520	33,972
British Possessions:								
North America.....	161,951	98,863	123,308	127,714	153,611	95,849	119,728	86,159
West Indies.....	113,748	107,200	117,961	145,781	122,682	122,459	123,628	122,696
Guiana.....	37,737	54,016	31,201	43,980	41,526	44,684	31,457	22,984
Foreign West Indies.....	9,260	21,118	23,633	13,542	9,450	17,122	17,088	17,851
Dutch Guiana.....	8,582	10,320	8,757	5,846	7,982	8,773	5,729	10,310
United States.....	734,588	445,175	500,919	755,465	503,063	226,096	417,674	429,527
Total principal and other countries.....	1,204,390	814,254	926,572	1,243,083	984,512	587,298	758,228	736,163

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

JAMAICA.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

IMPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1895-96	1896-97	1897-98
Apparel and slops.....£.....	36,281	46,215	61,931	63,983	75,777	67,561	48,243
Ale and beer.....{gallons.....	242,558	203,240	310,880	249,272	305,263	231,362	180,746
.....£.....	42,439	40,630	62,145	49,812	61,053	41,929	31,630
Boots and shoes.....{doz. prs.....	25,902	34,180	41,008	37,893	28,790	28,427	22,488
.....£.....	42,349	54,911	66,810	70,983	58,955	57,585	44,987
Bread and biscuit.....{cwt.....	14,182	15,290	19,276	24,659	32,835	32,094	32,657
.....£.....	13,104	14,128	17,822	22,785	30,338	24,488	21,945
Butter and its compounds.....{cwt.....	6,455	7,371	8,371	8,600	8,981	7,600	7,898
.....£.....	27,128	28,099	37,021	38,144	39,953	27,039	26,325
Coal and coke.....{tons.....	47,998	43,976	44,245	58,282	52,258	41,308	56,628
Corn:.....£.....	35,998	43,976	43,653	58,050	52,258	41,308	56,628
Indian.....{bushels.....	178,357	188,680	214,872	259,060	309,478	320,939	300,401
.....£.....	26,736	30,661	28,650	34,383	38,564	31,941	30,040
Meal, Indian.....{barrels.....	23,757	24,577	17,639	21,755	27,865	27,885	37,083
.....£.....	17,817	18,433	11,024	12,712	18,809	16,034	19,005
Cotton manufactures.....{cwt.....	219,375	259,700	350,006	303,247	299,604	248,159	208,317
.....£.....	117,521	116,942	120,872	130,400	130,467	127,135	112,612
Fish, dried or salted.....{£.....	128,333	130,975	135,377	135,094	131,511	121,922	116,240
.....barrels.....	47,272	48,064	49,853	54,213	48,854	48,906	45,850
Fish, wet.....£.....	49,647	49,039	51,377	49,775	38,962	40,858	36,491
.....barrels.....	173,788	177,225	168,875	184,223	202,267	171,715	147,616
Flour, wheat.....£.....	182,347	177,225	151,967	149,681	182,343	158,601	162,378
Haberdashery and millinery.....£.....	72,500	70,562	70,402	61,078	55,779	42,389	32,663
Hardware and cutlery.....£.....	73,934	38,468	39,640	38,958	42,500	35,755	28,424
Linen manufactures (including Osnaburghs).....£.....	6,069	7,825	6,201	5,081	6,781	5,178	3,212
Lumber.....{feet.....	12,827,085	11,837,973	11,665,905	15,564,609	15,794,143	13,214,291	9,501,664
.....£.....	64,281	56,671	61,092	68,232	71,610	55,871	37,374
Pork, wet, salted.....{barrels.....	10,230	10,071	8,252	9,035	10,557	11,372	8,751
.....£.....	30,690	35,250	34,246	31,623	31,164	26,440	22,754
Rice.....pounds.....	11,264,544	11,635,264	7,711,529	8,147,645	12,215,929	6,691,622	8,511,978
.....£.....	67,651	69,812	38,553	38,700	54,972	28,997	40,431
Soap.....pounds.....	3,664,860	3,346,662	3,814,999	3,473,278	3,887,873	3,145,747	2,403,120
.....£.....	33,010	28,440	34,332	31,255	34,984	24,381	19,224
Woolens.....£.....	26,819	36,709	48,505	46,301	48,348	38,504	29,203
Bullion.....£.....						4	
Specie:							
Gold.....£.....	4,262	1,088	3,564	7,581	6,114	644	454
Silver.....£.....	2,087	10,191	37,512	20,944	11,235	27,259	15,295
Total value of principal and other articles.....£.....	1,759,890	1,941,481	2,157,795	2,191,745	2,288,946	1,856,378	1,600,667

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

JAMAICA—Continued.

EXPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1895-96	1896-97	1897-98
Coal.....	tons.....	3	1	1	1		
	£.....	3	1	1	1		
Coffee.....	cwt.....	86,926	97,349	88,293	95,129	84,392	66,614
Fruit:	£.....	336,839	340,715	342,136	356,734	284,822	210,946
Bananas.....	£.....	262,745	339,589	473,257	428,886	316,560	302,415
Cocoanuts.....	number.....	7,855,656	6,978,988	9,171,347	10,143,500	9,443,452	11,802,224
	£.....	26,513	24,426	34,393	36,770	37,774	35,407
Oranges.....	number.....	19,386,466	23,192,992	12,404,291	29,978,895	97,025,398	103,702,775
	£.....	23,263	34,789	18,606	48,716	169,794	155,554
Ginger.....	pounds.....	1,822,531	1,526,776	1,672,410	1,736,460	1,960,590	1,233,547
	£.....	40,681	27,264	44,796	44,574	50,328	33,041
Pimento.....	cwt.....	63,730	69,747	87,756	83,955	97,347	99,551
	£.....	50,984	59,285	76,786	83,956	90,046	77,152
Rum.....	gallons.....	1,704,919	1,698,272	1,461,220	1,956,291	1,881,146	1,642,819
	£.....	255,737	191,056	146,122	187,478	164,600	123,211
Sugar, raw.....	cwt.....	425,793	371,821	410,537	398,683	390,918	321,468
	£.....	255,475	241,684	282,245	239,210	195,459	148,679
Wood, logwood.....	tons.....	86,675	92,631	89,736	76,339	84,478	43,084
Bullion and specie:	£.....	303,363	335,781	448,679	343,526	359,030	161,565
Bullion: Gold dust.....	£.....	100	500		75		
Specie:							
Gold.....	£.....	40,535	45,469	52,475	33,375	56,188	26,823
Silver.....	£.....	20,675	4,757	23,276	24,394	29,348	42,729
Total value of principal and other articles.....	£.....	1,722,096	1,759,806	2,075,689	1,921,422	1,873,106	1,470,241
							1,448,443

VALUE OF IMPORTS INTO JAMAICA, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	1,232,085	862,345	1,001,228	1,190,563	1,106,284	1,106,177	927,314	776,889
British Possessions:								
India.....	8,799	32,550	14,041	12,703	13,662	8,920	623	6,031
North America.....	162,757	182,929	184,902	188,484	186,321	167,762	151,625	118,898
West Indies.....	9,341	10,351	37,278	11,511	29,534	16,483	12,722	4,871
Germany.....	6,461	7,013	8,574	13,962	24,966	23,892	20,362	12,802
France.....	4,530	1,828	2,822	2,353	1,971	2,552	4,249	1,929
United States.....	738,384	654,165	676,515	719,488	803,341	952,683	730,891	719,786
Foreign West Indies.....	1,353	3,283	2,103	1,495	6,833	125	914	196
Republic of Haiti.....	1,983	729	235	279	397	237	110	00
Total principal and other countries.....	2,188,937	1,759,890	1,941,481	2,157,795	2,191,745	2,288,946	1,856,378	1,660,667

VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM JAMAICA, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	614,912	562,913	511,550	554,082	512,769	517,504	403,922	318,853
British Possessions:								
India.....	171		192					
North America.....	42,091	59,794	46,193	35,682	29,972	30,718	17,276	19,765
West Indies.....	22,517	26,512	12,030	25,145	18,141	15,651	13,262	13,743
Germany.....	52,310	48,512	48,229	78,732	82,347	87,702	51,094	31,502
France.....	57,986	56,796	62,052	75,109	37,960	61,986	71,635	82,211
United States.....	1,051,481	877,274	954,782	1,189,619	1,128,311	1,067,186	832,189	902,932
Foreign West Indies.....	566	847	1,180	122	143	501	1,035	784
Republic of Haiti.....	3,039	4,254	4,611	5,356	3,269	2,481	2,593	627
Total principal and other countries.....	1,902,814	1,722,096	1,759,806	2,075,689	1,921,422	1,873,106	1,470,241	1,448,443

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

TRINIDAD.

IMPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Apparel, haberdashery, and textile manufactures	£ 346,517	356,852	318,379	405,638	347,466	487,401	434,759	409,049
Coal	{ tons 14,105	10,235	13,321	9,301	8,823	8,823	10,738	9,097
.....	{ £ 15,097	10,043	14,541	10,621	8,608	8,855	10,068	7,989
Cocoa	{ pounds 2,870,156	2,457,175	4,534,983	2,973,586	3,140,940	3,613,609	4,480,222	4,453,927
.....	{ £ 75,677	69,392	111,320	86,406	85,249	85,319	95,562	92,498
Fish, dried and pickled	{ pounds 6,530,104	6,169,134	6,481,641	7,989,602	6,930,659	6,577,750	8,463,852	8,079,729
.....	{ £ 61,743	55,661	60,288	70,102	72,000	60,019	62,161	58,425
Flour	{ barrels 121,167	115,867	136,162	153,248	166,257	150,895	156,056	146,618
.....	{ £ 122,024	121,726	140,088	126,269	135,783	130,433	130,586	132,104
Hardware and machinery	£ 127,180	118,482	128,314	184,954	165,401	156,030	200,364	143,214
Leather of all kinds (including boots and shoes)	£ 56,107	47,292	54,744	54,817	46,714	66,165	87,283	40,347
Live stock (horned cattle)	{ number 8,749	9,029	6,476	7,844	7,592	7,256	7,697	7,299
.....	{ £ 48,553	51,202	39,181	44,935	42,483	39,660	43,100	40,816
Lumber (pitch and white pine)	{ feet 11,704,166	8,113,172	8,508,515	8,322,740	10,809,520	9,807,303	9,812,901	11,684,508
.....	{ £ 57,062	37,861	38,276	34,239	40,632	30,081	41,095	42,611
Manure	£ 40,892	19,867	25,438	21,382	22,459	25,469	25,959	22,484
Meats of all kinds	{ pounds 4,968,641	5,235,746	5,886,089	6,181,582	6,575,336	5,285,239	6,530,199	4,972,024
.....	{ £ 64,555	59,283	69,249	71,804	72,025	74,046	71,043	46,781
Rice	{ pounds 20,025,124	24,710,817	22,351,362	24,986,995	23,702,787	23,326,713	23,196,060	20,179,343
.....	{ £ 125,222	154,443	140,432	122,892	130,791	123,333	128,524	124,026
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—								
Gold	£ 307,402	234,639	212,194	247,487	242,235	189,862	233,720	139,862
Silver	£	31,431	9,999	100	5,581	8,695	5,686	.....
Specie—								
Gold	£ 68,394	25,234	3,102	21,180	31,727	11,274	9,639	13,891
Silver	£ 41,294	11,958	3,058	15,047	4,010	26,061	26,171	14,641
Total value of principal and other articles	£ 2,248,893	2,096,797	2,039,380	2,270,885	2,152,883	2,276,864	2,463,525	2,161,231

EXPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Apparel, haberdashery, and textile manufactures	£ 105,974	121,989	89,967	126,046	102,230	110,539	131,328	128,925
Asphalt	{ tons 78,842	95,992	112,225	90,204	99,193	86,148	96,385	124,672
.....	{ £ 89,481	105,968	121,631	98,572	112,401	97,325	106,920	138,801
Bitters	{ gallons 43,266	35,764	42,557	38,849	31,018	40,129	31,646	40,145
.....	{ £ 43,266	35,764	42,554	38,849	31,102	40,129	31,646	40,106
Coal	{ tons ..... .....	.....	422	3,327	1,381	740	351	.....
.....	{ £ ..... .....	.....	344	3,921	1,623	749	356	.....
Cocoanuts	£ 43,740	46,663	34,582	33,125	36,001	24,967	26,197	26,319
Cocoa	{ pounds 23,942,582	18,571,277	28,921,177	21,814,044	24,529,310	32,557,585	28,056,813	27,889,347
.....	{ £ 603,506	509,480	761,164	615,470	587,564	694,612	550,588	608,827
Molasses	{ gallons 2,024,884	1,535,415	1,895,773	1,250,968	1,246,948	1,498,215	1,378,254	680,761
.....	{ £ 62,929	53,492	57,599	38,733	42,088	42,551	36,488	16,991
Rum	{ gallons 20,476	15,439	15,438	85,971	73,158	178,226	96,481	99,569
.....	{ £ 1,959	1,747	2,162	6,542	4,289	10,466	5,933	6,089
Sugar, raw	{ cwt 1,038,921	907,158	987,350	903,039	937,379	1,092,444	1,076,455	982,377
.....	{ £ 630,815	662,796	675,342	757,937	598,010	596,415	700,347	537,107
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—								
Gold	£ 314,424	237,866	213,062	248,232	224,976	236,699	239,286	139,862
Silver .....	£ ..... .....	.....	10,000	197	3,611	8,626	5,634	.....
Specie—								
Gold	£ 78,062	99,876	28,870	125,840	45,198	26,412	19,013	30,745
Silver	£ 21,015	4,148	834	5,384	.....	1,500	5,139	501
Total value of principal and other articles	£ 2,179,432	2,058,761	2,258,003	2,320,824	2,000,748	2,065,104	2,165,820	1,994,926

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

TRINIDAD—Continued.

VALUE OF IMPORTS INTO TRINIDAD, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	822,280	777,658	759,539	874,406	835,185	988,553	978,565	857,857
British Possessions:								
India.....	97,696	125,044	116,264	96,820	100,259	98,564	121,291	85,371
North America.....	57,603	66,003	79,275	77,963	64,535	71,453	74,309	60,660
West Indies.....	52,971	38,509	36,388	53,839	33,178	74,528	36,607	49,757
British Guiana.....	19,815	6,245	7,623	15,784	9,672	7,934	8,625	5,129
Germany.....	42,886	45,601	40,777	42,570	37,021	39,895	50,160	32,822
France.....	119,528	118,781	92,175	99,079	91,882	89,900	94,272	60,836
French West Indies.....	2,067	6,146	8,271	6,707	5,120	4,988	3,215	448
Portuguese Possessions.....	7,079	12,615	8,943	11,403	8,218	7,101	3,969	10,737
Spain.....	17,733	17,355	12,594	14,912	23,669	21,172	23,346	26,406
Spanish West Indies.....				3,423	1,518	802	320	137
United States.....	428,563	422,190	456,982	466,351	446,387	443,477	458,480	450,664
Venezuela.....	566,201	381,225	398,892	408,565	431,010	395,788	524,042	462,697
Total principal and other countries.....	2,248,893	2,096,707	2,089,380	2,270,885	2,152,883	2,276,864	2,463,525	2,161,231

VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM TRINIDAD, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	857,025	428,998	793,482	864,302	831,700	907,493	943,888	713,540
British Possessions:								
India.....	50	40	545	56	92	259		135
North America.....	17,815	23,396	14,253	9,871	15,694	13,457	8,045	13,726
West Indies.....	84,538	29,050	23,404	37,335	31,748	35,097	26,266	22,715
British Guiana.....	7,929	16,596	9,117	7,741	6,565	7,745	5,780	4,770
Germany.....	41,539	33,958	28,725	24,290	32,827	36,857	43,411	72,915
France.....	189,108	184,666	277,318	280,237	261,217	261,729	195,691	219,140
French West Indies.....	38,420	33,388	49,706	32,379	36,122	26,014	25,527	11,542
Portuguese Possessions.....	2,828	9,289	413	701	261	39	1,534	1,494
Spain.....	5,089	8,712	20,648	5,092	7,509	3,525	3,630	4,559
Spanish West Indies.....					48	307	3	12
United States.....	725,000	736,345	811,032	753,824	558,863	563,912	669,950	628,264
Venezuela.....	186,215	233,279	198,650	260,422	189,556	189,636	209,727	254,760
Total principal and other countries.....	2,179,432	2,058,761	2,258,063	2,320,824	2,000,748	2,065,104	2,165,820	1,994,926

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

BRITISH GUIANA.

[From British Statistical Abstract.]

IMPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Beef, pickled.....								
{ barrels ...	8,030	6,481	12,684	8,070	11,824	11,341	10,872	7,294
{ £	14,588	16,705	29,256	21,013	29,029	26,391	20,666	15,037
Butter.....								
{ pounds...	640,354	511,467	598,546	516,129	650,027	566,381	529,892	516,172
{ £	22,918	19,397	23,920	22,205	26,036	21,475	19,950	18,163
Coal.....								
{ hogsheads	99	153	279	45	80	68	46	82
{ tons.....	88,133	50,268	66,697	69,852	59,238	55,797	44,175	38,443
{ £	72,978	43,615	65,575	61,266	50,664	48,402	38,257	33,421
Flour.....								
{ barrels...	160,890	169,832	193,178	205,405	203,365	175,466	146,183	154,171
{ £	135,326	158,877	167,601	155,392	147,894	129,728	104,391	139,107
Fish, dried.....								
{ cwt.....	71,669	72,787	70,082	66,039	70,201	68,852	69,992	64,388
{ £	68,192	65,326	59,635	62,200	63,480	53,067	54,475	45,859
Hardware and cutlery.....								
{ £	64,737	46,607	36,992	42,065	35,241	26,426	30,290	28,336
Linens, cottons, and woollens.....								
{ £	213,305	172,040	207,996	199,876	173,838	145,943	153,187	156,120
Lumber.....								
{ feet.....	12,739,080	11,496,315	9,202,027	14,051,533	11,537,182	7,612,209	7,687,609	7,666,469
{ £	42,161	40,879	33,894	47,187	41,603	25,839	32,493	22,253
Machinery.....								
{ £	142,142	66,672	82,574	100,046	73,905	42,946	60,545	73,381
Malt liquor.....								
{ £	38,176	32,160	22,888	32,655	28,039	23,931	22,981	17,471
Manures.....								
{ £	104,868	124,290	109,476	124,376	109,083	85,816	74,815	72,537
Oils.....								
{ gallons...	640,117	572,796	686,279	650,520	651,217	602,679	638,001	601,905
{ £	39,745	28,009	29,624	29,760	30,100	25,813	39,432	25,423
Opium.....								
{ pounds...	10,589	10,675	10,009	9,593	8,370	6,997	4,785	3,713
{ £	8,741	9,186	7,650	6,980	6,224	4,913	2,968	2,090
Pork.....								
{ barrels...	19,777	14,892	18,417	19,256	17,025	28,692	15,240	16,528
{ £	43,329	35,542	49,972	64,511	49,465	69,211	26,861	31,854
Potatoes.....								
{ £	10,579	14,982	18,569	19,840	19,187	15,885	15,595	13,498
Rice.....								
{ pounds...	40,250,280	48,005,844	38,504,112	40,394,200	33,862,064	49,303,208	32,915,833	19,851,854
{ £	139,264	193,758	156,798	174,501	142,233	183,561	131,476	95,933
Spirits: Brandy.....								
{ gallons...	20,058	17,314	18,234	17,237	15,836	7,287	6,572	5,752
{ £	13,292	11,759	12,466	11,245	8,834	3,381	3,195	3,111
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—								
Gold.....								
{ ounces...	299	328	411	149	1,295	626	396	1,234
{ £	1,089	1,296	1,468	636	4,715	2,283	1,354	4,253
Silver.....								
{ £								
Specie—								
Gold.....								
{ £						3,230	1,417	2,637
Silver.....								
{ £	37,408	26,194	37,842	24,965	21,202	16,242	62,551	4,094
Total value of principal and other articles.....	1,887,118	1,707,770	1,780,319	1,920,710	1,668,750	1,443,553	1,341,710	1,282,976

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IN THE COMMERCE OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

BRITISH GUIANA—Continued.

EXPORTS.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897
Balata.....	pounds ... 389,498	295,957	457,964	206,922	293,723	188,294	366,420	492,613
.....	£..... 18,241	15,806	20,605	8,355	15,784	10,214	23,113	30,957
Coal.....	hogsheads 2							
.....	tons 2,547	3,167	2,340	1,870	3,040	2,902	2,514	2,354
.....	£..... 3,042	3,103	2,478	1,967	2,880	2,536	2,459	2,465
Molasses (gallons).....	casks..... 23,939	14,311	10,267	1,214,730	1,138,760	787,850	913,150	471,400
.....	£..... 81,524	45,234	30,855	34,099	20,674	15,987	20,926	9,821
Rice.....	pounds ... 9,643,256	1,837,402	2,788,288	4,242,838	3,887,842	672,252	2,616,751	4,063,497
.....	£..... 37,572	8,226	12,020	20,448	16,719	2,850	12,093	21,385
Spirits: Rum (proof gallons).....	punchons 20,593	22,101	25,829	2,792,371	2,649,553	3,166,450	3,291,190	3,104,448
.....	£..... 221,816	266,966	202,632	121,584	97,781	121,145	136,927	132,586
Sugar, raw (tons).....	hogsheads 117,754	130,416	113,409	107,958	102,742	101,160	107,074	100,840
.....	£..... 1,442,133	1,607,554	1,575,743	1,570,899	1,250,093	1,046,160	1,098,398	1,023,523
Bullion and specie:								
Bullion—								
Gold.....	ounces..... 62,840	101,606	133,594	137,788	135,028	123,501	126,702	125,080
.....	£..... 235,093	376,385	494,551	511,363	500,446	449,836	467,876	456,436
Silver.....	ounces.....							
.....	£.....							
Specie—								
Gold.....	£.....					1,173	1,193	915
Silver.....	£..... 4,081	42,920	6,992	1,119	23,802	19,461	9,587	5,246
Total value of principal and other articles.....	£..... 2,161,792	2,532,554	2,433,213	2,358,918	2,039,901	1,769,500	1,899,457	1,783,764

VALUE OF IMPORTS INTO BRITISH GUIANA, SHOWING COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	1890	1891	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
.....	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	1,129,071	927,397	949,051	1,046,862	882,389	789,817	783,697	740,878
British Possessions:								
West Indies.....	67,508	95,128	76,993	68,250	47,752	50,599	30,421	28,638
India.....	131,076	140,718	134,404	151,957	112,261	84,330	79,252	53,162
British North America.....	62,372	72,106	91,013	89,810	96,997	69,346	86,616	63,117
Other Possessions.....	23,799	8,711	4,728	3,442	721	241	312	589
Holland.....	18,744	12,627	15,922	15,312	17,790	12,674	13,144	10,539
Dutch West Indies.....	3,263	3,853	4,008	4,582	4,936	2,180	1,628	1,576
Dutch Guiana.....	27,755	18,910	19,069	7,708	13,229	10,492	15,602	7,588
France.....	13,604	16,052	17,224	14,682	18,961	11,943	8,037	6,358
French West Indies.....	3,077	4,918	1,939	3,780	5,030	7,686	2,023	643
French Guiana.....	4,581	3,892	4,193	2,244	6,470	4,696	3,425	8,558
Portuguese Possessions.....	15,970	17,624	16,632	18,390	15,757	11,337	9,864	13,257
United States.....	379,370	374,935	437,395	481,333	435,786	381,647	299,751	341,739
Total principal and other countries.....	1,887,118	1,707,770	1,780,319	1,920,710	1,668,750	1,443,553	1,341,710	1,282,976

VALUE OF EXPORTS FROM BRITISH GUIANA, SHOWING COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1890	1891	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898
.....	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.....	958,874	1,220,518	1,270,794	1,234,205	1,273,947	968,252	964,248	949,015
British Possessions:								
West Indies.....	42,523	37,987	25,019	32,085	38,149	15,842	33,033	24,071
India.....	114	223	605	1,653	237	110	224	99
British North America.....	42,096	44,825	63,820	98,869	26,411	42,354	19,928	16,494
Other Possessions.....	3,331	3,158	2,644	2,069	1,641	3,549	2,486	1,399
Holland.....	6,748	5,540	8,790	3,450	6,490	3,097	5,181	5,073
Dutch West Indies.....	6,241	5,948	5,454	4,592	6,386	2,539	6,892	3,294
Dutch Guiana.....	46,384	32,300	24,597	32,127	30,028	25,819	29,689	25,558
France.....	1,526	3,015	1,849	1,313	3,767	4,736	4,847	4,869
French West Indies.....	61,149	35,390	26,312	28,258	21,169	12,015	18,957	16,671
French Guiana.....	27,662	24,626	18,980	18,646	30,863	30,371	27,764	23,808
Portuguese Possessions.....	8,947	6,265	1,217	799	1,976	697	2,882	2,995
United States.....	950,602	1,109,083	980,563	898,464	597,287	657,693	778,953	704,596
Total principal and other countries.....	2,161,792	2,532,554	2,433,213	2,358,918	2,039,901	1,769,500	1,899,457	1,783,764

GENERAL STATISTICAL TABLES.

AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES.

POPULATION, AREA, AND COMMERCE OF BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, AND THE SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THEIR COMMERCE.

COUNTRIES.	POPULATION.		AREA. Square miles.	COMMERCE.									
	Year.	Number.		Year.	Imports into—			Exports from—			Imports and exports.		
					Total.	From United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	To United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	Part of United States.	Per cent of United States.
					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
British West Indies:													
Bahamas	1891	47,565	5,450	1897	905,218			725,522			1,630,740		
Turks Island	1891	4,745	224	1897	161,758			210,733			372,491		
Jamaica	1897	706,394	4,200	1897	8,081,344			7,048,848			15,130,192		
Windward Islands—													
Barbados	1897	190,000	166	1897	4,908,834			3,582,537			8,491,371		
Grenada	1897	61,229	133	1897	799,838			751,577			1,551,415		
St. Lucia	1897	47,332	233	1897	1,193,524			750,740			1,944,264		
St. Vincent	1891	41,054	132	1897	314,665	7,977,554	.....	335,472	12,582,922	.....	680,137	20,560,476	.....
Tobago	1897	20,785	114	1897	56,719			22,780			79,499		
Leeward Islands—													
Antigua	1891	36,819	170	1897	536,230			570,364			1,106,594		
Dominica	1891	26,841	291	1897	263,151			230,750			493,901		
Montserrat	1891	11,762	32	1897	108,372			107,370			215,742		
St. Christopher-Nevis	1891	47,662	140	1897	661,360			726,101			1,387,461		
Virgin Islands	1891	4,639	58	1897	16,065			19,627			35,692		
Trinidad	1897	254,518	1,754	1897	10,517,631			9,708,307			20,225,938		
Total British West Indies		1,501,345	13,097	.....	25,554,709	7,977,554	27.94	24,790,728	12,582,922	50.74	53,345,437	20,560,476	38.54
British Honduras	1895	400,000	43,000	1896-97	3,260,575	735,415	22.56	2,647,248	1,680,014	63.47	5,907,823	2,415,429	40.80
British Guiana	1897	285,315	109,000	1897-98	6,243,603	1,565,936	25.08	8,680,688	3,661,956	42.19	14,924,291	5,227,892	35.03
Bermuda	1897	16,098	20	1897-98	1,572,599	284,832	54.36	621,466	522,672	85.10	2,194,065	1,377,506	62.79
Grand total		2,202,758	165,117		39,631,486			36,740,150			76,371,607		

a United States accounts.

SHOWING AREA, POPULATION, RAILWAYS, TELEGRAPHS, PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF PRODUCTION AND COMMERCE, AND THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE AND SPECIE IN 1870, 1887, AND 1897, AND THE SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES THEREIN.

COUNTRIES.	Area (square miles).	Population.	Popula- tion per square mile.	Railroads (miles).	Tele- graphs (miles).	TOTAL IMPORTS AND SHARE FROM UNITED STATES.						Imports, per capita, 1897.
						1870		1887		1897		
						Total.	Per cent from United States.	Total.	Per cent from United States.	Total.	Per cent from United States.	
						<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		
Mexico	767,005	12,619,959	16.45	7,700	42,150	<i>a</i> 29,552,433	21.76	<i>c</i> 43,380,000	23.55	43,603,492	49.29	3.46
Central America	193,387	3,488,383	18.04	590	9,711	11,720,475	11.50	15,800,285	21.72	23,999,561	36.71	6.88
West Indies	92,391	5,954,055	64.44	1,546	4,887	89,943,941	37.34	106,862,820	26.72	137,327,190	19.82	23.06
Argentina	1,778,195	3,954,911	2.22	9,270	25,345	38,461,816	6.45	113,244,801	5.62	94,843,835	6.73	23.98
Bolivia	567,430	2,019,549	3.56	500	2,260	5,079,840		<i>e</i> 6,820,000		11,597,405	.04	5.74
Brazil	3,209,878	14,333,915	4.46	8,662	10,143	84,449,419	6.89	114,335,076	7.12	104,959,017	11.85	7.32
Chile	290,829	3,049,352	10.48	2,661	12,445	38,640,010	5.08	52,677,831	3.92	23,809,504	10.88	7.80
Colombia	513,938	4,000,000	7.78	400	6,835	3,901,930		6,339,379		11,528,365	33.35	2.88
Ecuador	120,000	1,271,861	10.60	58	1,242	Not stated.		8,333,254	12.63	6,972,394	10.68	5.48
British Guiana	109,000	285,315	2.61	40	546	9,232,227		7,601,851	18.83	6,243,603	25.08	21.90
Dutch Guiana	46,060	64,372	1.40	Not sta'ted.		Not stated.		<i>d</i> 1,846,271	16.10	2,265,335	16.96	35.19
French Guiana	46,850	22,710	.48	Not stated.		<i>b</i> 1,537,171		1,666,183	8.57	<i>h</i> 2,107,753	5.39	92.81
Paraguay	98,000	600,000	6.12	156	360	<i>a</i> 1,000,000		<i>d</i> 1,399,777		2,203,459	.03	3.67
Peru	463,747	2,621,844	5.65	924	1,933	5,597,000	67.95	<i>f</i> 8,044,069	13.49	8,533,919	13.39	3.26
Uruguay	72,110	827,485	11.48	1,026	4,380	15,207,813	7.89	29,950,402	5.24	20,175,631	6.01	24.38
Venezuela	593,943	2,444,816	4.12	545	3,882	<i>b</i> 4,058,609	37.24	<i>d</i> 12,053,502	30.42	<i>g</i> 13,241,000	26.95	5.49
Total	8,962,763	57,558,527	6.42	34,038	126,119	33,385,684	17.92	530,556,101	12.98	513,416,463	17.83	8.92
<i>a</i> 1873.	<i>b</i> 1871.	<i>c</i> 1883.		<i>d</i> 1886.		<i>e</i> 1885.		<i>f</i> 1884.		<i>g</i> 1896.		<i>h</i> 1893.

AREA, POPULATION, RAILWAYS, TELEGRAPHS, PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF PRODUCTION AND COMMERCE, AND THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE AND SPECIE IN 1870, 1887, AND 1897, AND THE SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES THEREIN.

COUNTRIES.	EXPORTS AND SHARE TO UNITED STATES.						Exports, per capita, 1897.	Principal imports.	Principal exports.
	1870		1887		1897				
	Total.	Per cent to United States.	Total.	Per cent to United States.	Total.	Per cent to United States.			
	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>				
Mexico	<i>a</i> 31,594,005	52	<i>c</i> 38,619,000	81.21	59,069,519	73.64	4.68	Cottons, linens, woolens, iron manufactures, ma- chinery.	Silver, coffee, hennequen, gold, wood, cattle, hides, tobacco.
Central America	12,378,814	5.94	20,902,102	39.24	28,174,270	36.72	8.08	Cottons, iron manufactures, woolens, worsteds, ma- chinery, flour.	Coffee, bananas, cabinet and dye woods, chemicals, rubber.
West Indies	99,100,399	71.64	130,749,238	57.62	163,024,007	26.49	27.38	Cottons, machinery, flour, provisions, boots and shoes.	Sugar and molasses, to- bacco, tropical fruits, cof- fee, rum, cocoa, logwood.
Argentina	29,651,585	21.63	81,467,056	5.04	97,628,374	13.08	24.70	Cotton and woolen goods, iron and steel manufac- tures, mineral oils, furni- ture.	Wheat, flour, frozen meats, hides, wool, timber.
Bolivia.....	7,561,825		<i>e</i> 9,745,000		10,959,506		5.43	Provisions, hardware, wines and spirits, cottons, woolens.	Silver, tin, copper, rubber, coffee, coca, cinchona.
Brazil.....	103,128,291	23.07	143,903,651	36.80	130,189,698	53.03	9.08	Provisions, cottons, drugs, patent medicines, coal, machinery, furniture.	Coffee, rubber, tobacco, hides, cacao, sugar.
Chile	28,615,020	2.70	57,194,709	5	23,635,259	16.46	7.75	Sugar, coal, cotton goods, woolens, iron and steel, kerosene.	Nitrate, iodine, silver, cop- per, wheat, hides, and leather.
Colombia	7,783,407		10,037,295	47.53	15,088,406	35.62	3.77	Breadstuffs, provisions, manufactures of iron and steel, furniture, cotton goods.	Coffee, cacao, silver ore, raw cotton, dyewoods, hides, rubber, and to- bacco.
Ecuador	3,113,017		7,356,868	15.37	4,035,480	14.09	3.17	Cotton goods, woolens, man- ufactures of iron and steel, kerosene.	Coffee, cocoa, rubber, hides, panama hats.
British Guiana.....	11,598,923		10,660,516	25.70	8,680,688	42.19	30.42	Cottons, manufactures, pro- visions, mineral oils.	Sugar, molasses, coffee, cacao, cabinet and dye woods.
Dutch Guiana	Not stated.		<i>d</i> 1,220,726	23.12	2,107,152	49.59	32.73	Manufactures of iron and steel, cotton cloths, min- eral oils.	Coffee, sugar, tropical fruits, dyewoods.
French Guiana	<i>b</i> 109,263		1,022,916	.14	913,662	.89	40.23	Cotton cloths, mineral oils, manufactures.	Sugar, molasses, rum, cof- fee.
Paraguay	<i>a</i> 954,000		<i>d</i> 1,535,272		<i>h</i> 5,679,651		9.47	Machinery, cotton goods, clothing, mineral oils.	Paraguayan tea, rubber, coffee, hides.
Peru.....	11,194,000	22.85	<i>f</i> 5,785,920	36.08	14,706,031	7.75	5.61	Cotton goods, woolens, man- ufactures of iron and steel, machinery, kerosene.	Sugar, wool, rubber, coca, cocaine, silver, and cop- per.
Uruguay	12,954,623	12.59	27,373,172	10.30	30,316,438	11.60	36.64	Manufactures of iron and steel, cotton and woolen goods, furniture.	Hides, wool, provisions, cotton, breadstuffs.
Venezuela	<i>b</i> 6,251,677	47.60	<i>d</i> 15,884,728	39.49	<i>g</i> 21,510,842	46.60	8.80	Provisions, dry goods, hard- ware, coal, kerosene, ma- chinery.	Coffee, cocoa, hides, chem- icals, dyewoods, cabinet woods.
Total	371,988,849	37.46	563,458,160	35.30	615,718,983	23.47	16.97		
<i>a</i> 1873.	<i>b</i> 1871.	<i>c</i> 1888.	<i>d</i> 1886.	<i>e</i> 1885.	<i>f</i> 1884.	<i>h</i> 1893.			

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES, IN MERCHANDISE, WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE
UNITED STATES, 1850 TO 1899.

YEARS END- ING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—					Per cent of total imports into United States.	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—					Per cent of total exports from United States.
	Mexico.	West Indies.	Central America.	South America.	Total.		Mexico.	West Indies.	Central America.	South America.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1850	575,200	15,164,213	244,768	16,034,009	32,018,190	18.5	2,012,827	12,033,619	54,002	7,715,005	21,815,453	15.1
1851	720,786	22,691,615	132,186	20,419,584	43,964,171	20.9	1,581,783	13,101,649	248,197	10,594,248	25,525,877	13.5
1852	555,264	24,047,136	160,860	19,705,909	44,469,169	21.4	2,284,929	13,112,031	466,118	9,602,746	25,465,824	15.3
1853	756,100	24,854,275	92,339	22,708,914	48,411,628	18.4	3,558,824	14,378,007	346,330	10,178,733	28,461,894	14
1854	937,856	24,156,304	127,322	25,050,352	50,271,834	16.9	3,135,486	18,100,536	308,884	10,342,788	31,887,694	13.5
1855	904,750	25,544,613	164,957	27,309,309	53,923,629	20.9	2,921,604	17,694,471	262,170	12,689,393	40,392,640	15.3
1856	853,758	33,229,647	186,274	31,397,288	65,666,967	21.2	3,701,789	16,751,945	376,621	14,514,230	35,344,585	12.6
1857	1,026,873	56,154,204	261,888	35,743,165	93,186,130	26.7	3,615,206	20,396,648	109,589	15,179,706	39,301,149	13.4
1858	1,108,501	31,934,510	123,403	30,267,152	63,433,566	24.1	3,312,825	21,678,303	120,962	12,547,301	37,659,391	13.8
1859	1,244,034	42,918,850	362,907	37,287,161	81,813,002	24.7	2,919,742	22,729,175	153,762	14,589,937	40,392,616	13.8
1860	1,903,431	41,642,301	301,258	34,929,235	78,776,225	22.3	5,324,713	23,378,164	138,553	15,705,575	44,547,005	13.4
1861	836,112	28,105,009	309,154	31,076,766	60,377,041	20.9	2,210,426	20,877,975	87,461	17,817,629	36,993,491	16.9
1862	730,988	28,250,120	139,937	20,632,633	49,753,678	26.3	2,209,007	21,744,563	155,591	11,484,833	35,593,994	18.7
1863	3,043,882	28,390,542	184,145	21,237,517	52,865,086	21.7	9,020,624	29,488,953	253,855	15,930,670	54,694,102	26.8
1864	6,128,445	42,506,489	590,387	31,205,021	83,520,342	25.4	9,270,597	30,911,428	312,552	19,174,927	59,669,504	37.6
1865	6,220,874	37,583,568	376,308	22,090,194	66,279,944	27.8	16,350,839	42,259,085	162,453	21,403,280	80,175,657	48.3
1866	1,726,092	49,224,610	734,699	31,538,288	83,223,689	19.1	4,573,218	31,052,591	482,464	17,103,146	53,211,419	15.3
1867	1,071,936	48,689,809	907,752	34,957,349	85,626,846	21.6	5,393,796	28,310,699	618,448	20,560,957	54,885,900	18.6
1868	1,590,667	60,804,218	1,128,735	40,011,103	103,534,723	29	6,441,339	29,871,264	244,437	19,625,763	56,182,803	19.9
1869	2,336,164	73,309,205	730,714	41,078,839	117,445,922	28.1	4,888,107	27,689,871	445,129	18,067,145	51,085,252	17.9
1870	2,715,665	70,478,388	734,565	42,963,841	116,892,459	26.8	5,859,700	29,510,109	232,478	18,200,587	53,802,874	13.7
1871	3,209,688	78,665,297	1,481,016	54,082,792	137,438,793	26.4	7,612,113	31,926,477	521,822	17,216,446	57,276,858	12.9
1872	4,002,920	93,672,521	1,590,011	55,667,177	154,932,629	24.7	5,543,589	31,610,461	937,025	20,871,810	58,962,885	13.3
1873	4,276,165	93,581,826	1,974,968	66,911,420	166,744,379	26	6,204,901	33,590,780	901,810	26,151,073	66,968,564	12.8
1874	4,346,364	100,346,107	2,855,093	67,056,001	175,103,565	30.9	5,946,839	34,643,156	828,960	25,198,250	66,617,205	11.4
1875	5,174,594	82,506,610	2,435,151	73,068,197	163,184,552	30.6	5,737,282	33,350,741	784,232	23,466,818	63,339,073	12.3
1876	5,159,572	69,633,887	1,597,535	64,881,499	141,263,473	30.7	6,200,572	31,745,402	929,841	22,016,630	59,982,445	11.1
1877	5,204,264	83,054,918	2,678,672	66,887,783	157,825,637	35	5,893,494	20,875,566	960,730	22,170,951	59,903,741	9.9
1878	5,251,502	74,400,533	2,968,996	67,855,773	150,476,804	34.4	7,460,704	28,994,770	1,254,757	24,259,407	61,969,638	8.9
1879	5,493,221	78,528,344	2,251,589	59,174,974	145,448,128	32.6	6,752,244	28,225,940	1,155,776	23,437,376	59,571,336	8.4
1880	7,209,593	85,882,603	3,313,469	82,126,922	178,532,587	26.7	7,866,493	28,299,224	1,784,855	23,190,220	61,140,792	7.3
1881	8,317,802	84,218,532	3,159,786	80,627,308	176,323,448	27.4	11,171,238	30,030,689	1,625,738	25,304,846	68,132,511	7.6
1882	8,461,899	91,803,822	4,735,398	81,291,936	186,293,055	25.7	15,482,582	29,253,271	1,644,013	27,224,850	73,604,716	9.8
1883	8,177,123	88,309,091	5,121,315	76,736,983	178,344,512	24.7	16,587,620	32,300,832	2,003,467	29,570,659	81,462,578	9.9
1884	9,016,486	81,864,452	6,161,227	75,753,960	172,796,125	25.9	12,704,292	29,043,077	3,177,853	31,226,934	76,152,156	10.3
1885	9,267,021	64,577,078	6,409,015	65,289,956	145,543,070	25.2	8,340,784	24,752,226	2,762,531	27,734,857	63,590,398	8.6
1886	10,687,972	71,053,146	5,915,413	65,875,425	153,531,956	24.2	7,737,623	26,166,834	2,512,742	26,131,991	62,549,190	9.2
1887	14,719,840	70,043,561	7,637,651	79,764,191	172,165,243	24.9	7,959,557	25,701,309	2,935,447	30,744,497	67,340,810	9.4
1888	17,329,889	71,565,666	7,623,378	84,356,398	180,875,331	25	9,897,772	27,869,102	4,265,586	29,579,227	71,611,687	10.3
1889	21,253,601	77,947,333	8,414,019	92,135,052	199,750,005	26.8	11,486,896	30,840,153	4,325,923	35,621,017	81,673,989	11
1890	22,690,915	78,004,241	8,052,444	90,006,144	198,753,744	25.2	13,285,287	33,197,222	5,296,478	38,752,648	90,531,635	10.6
1891	27,295,992	86,461,705	9,799,122	118,736,668	242,293,487	28.7	14,969,620	34,459,451	6,813,316	33,708,290	89,950,677	10.2
1892	28,107,525	99,606,305	10,219,788	150,727,759	288,661,377	34.9	14,293,999	38,598,303	6,122,046	33,147,614	92,071,962	8.9
1893	33,555,099	102,703,617	8,304,946	102,207,815	246,771,477	28.5	19,568,634	44,504,651	5,522,586	32,639,077	102,234,948	12.1
1894	28,727,006	96,464,964	9,769,049	100,147,107	235,108,126	35.9	12,842,149	41,899,416	5,231,981	33,212,310	93,185,856	10.5
1895	15,635,788	68,860,152	11,580,761	112,167,120	208,243,821	28.4	15,005,906	31,563,830	6,629,369	33,525,935	86,725,040	10.7
1896	17,456,177	58,193,947	9,127,750	108,828,462	193,606,336	24.8	19,450,256	26,545,205	7,844,880	36,297,671	90,138,012	10.2
1897	18,511,572	37,176,944	8,524,428	107,389,405	171,602,349	22.4	23,421,064	25,976,717	7,939,907	33,768,646	91,106,334	8.7
1898	19,004,863	32,070,631	7,266,480	92,091,694	150,433,668	24.4	21,206,939	26,442,894	5,320,158	33,821,701	86,791,692	7.1
1899	22,994,091	48,063,617	9,403,548	86,576,020	167,037,276	24	25,480,281	37,194,724	5,488,171	35,660,932	103,824,108	8.5

COMMERCE OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES OTHER THAN THE UNITED STATES
COMMERCE DURING

COUNTRIES INTO WHICH IMPORTED AND FROM WHICH EXPORTED.	FIRST PERIOD.				SECOND PERIOD.				Total imports and exports in 1887 in excess over 1870.	Per cent of excess.
	Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total imports and exports.	Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total imports and exports.		
		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
British North American Possessions.	1870	77,985,662	79,880,080	157,865,742	1887	111,111,613	94,564,258	205,675,871	47,810,129	30.30
Mexico	1873	29,552,433	31,594,005	61,146,438	1888	43,380,000	33,619,867	81,999,867	20,853,429	34.10
Central America:										
British Honduras.....	1870	897,081	376,980	1,274,061	1887	823,568	1,012,626	1,836,194	62,133	.....
Guatemala.....	1870	1,844,893	2,472,707	4,317,600	1887	5,312,160	7,044,498	12,356,658	8,039,058	.....
Honduras.....	1870	a 1,200,000	1,305,000	2,505,000	1887	1,215,600	1,296,000	2,511,000	6,000	.....
Nicaragua.....	1869	914,648	924,031	1,838,679	1886	1,062,040	1,770,413	2,832,453	993,774	.....
Costa Rica.....	1870	2,825,135	3,422,772	5,867,907	1887	4,200,919	4,677,422	8,878,341	3,010,434	.....
San Salvador.....	1870	4,038,718	3,757,324	7,796,042	1887	3,186,598	5,101,143	8,287,741	491,699	.....
Total Central America.....		11,720,475	12,378,814	24,099,289		15,800,285	20,902,102	36,702,387	12,603,098	52.30
West Indies:										
Danish West Indies.....		(b)	(b)							
French West Indies.....	1871	9,727,200	7,759,300	17,486,500	1887	8,501,406	8,302,625	16,804,031	-662,469	.....
British West Indies:										
Bahamas.....	1870	1,381,490	923,866	2,305,356	1887	921,988	610,571	1,532,559	-774,797	.....
Bermuda.....	1870	1,133,345	178,878	1,312,223	1887	1,289,233	432,734	1,721,967	409,744	.....
Turks Island.....	1870	172,006	91,758	263,764	1887	130,562	126,602	256,664	- 7,100	.....
Jamaica.....	1870	6,327,462	6,210,895	12,538,357	1887	6,435,148	7,343,597	13,778,745	1,210,368	.....
Windward Islands:										
Barbados.....	1870	5,206,513	4,735,202	9,941,715	1887	4,784,684	5,175,026	9,959,710	17,995	.....
Granada.....	1870	508,428	618,941	1,127,369	1887	696,810	1,059,676	1,756,486	629,117	.....
St. Lucia.....	1870	517,236	716,213	1,233,449	1887	562,694	572,996	1,135,690	- 97,759	.....
St. Vincent.....	1870	669,017	1,076,178	1,745,195	1887	387,870	417,400	805,270	-939,925	.....
Tobago.....	1870	299,037	402,051	701,088	1887	112,504	160,142	272,646	-428,442	.....
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua.....	1870	798,972	1,138,819	1,937,791	1887	706,757	715,376	1,422,133	-515,658	.....
Dominica.....	1870	293,343	302,906	596,249	1887	228,200	234,103	462,303	-133,946	.....
Montserrat.....	1870	112,139	142,058	254,197	1887	142,803	122,811	265,614	11,417	.....
Nevis.....	1870	264,182	312,035	576,217	1887	873,946	3,137,890	2,011,836	-576,217	.....
St. Christopher.....	1870	954,082	1,333,810	2,287,892	1887				-276,056	.....
Virgin Islands.....	1870	38,377	33,131	71,508	1887	14,784	21,967	36,751	- 34,757	.....
Trinidad.....	1870	5,074,192	6,217,314	11,291,506	1887	9,337,208	9,103,333	18,440,541	7,149,035	.....
Total British West Indies.....		23,740,841	24,466,055	48,215,896		26,624,691	27,234,224	53,858,915	5,643,019	11.70
Haiti.....	1869	2,696,518	4,413,331	7,109,849	1887	5,544,934	8,250,146	13,795,080	6,685,231	.....
Dutch West Indies.....	1881	1,081	318	1,399	1886	1,136,784		1,136,784	1,135,385	.....
Santo Domingo.....	1869	2,530,580	3,357,885	5,888,465	1887	1,666,922	2,154,982	3,821,904	-2,066,561	.....
Spanish West Indies:										
Cuba.....	1862	38,230,521	51,302,571	89,533,092	1887	53,124,000	74,560,000	127,684,000	38,150,908	.....
Porto Rico.....	1870	13,008,200	7,820,939	20,829,139	1887	10,264,083	10,247,261	20,511,344	- 317,795	.....
Total West Indies.....		89,943,941	99,100,399	189,044,340		106,862,820	130,749,238	237,612,058	48,567,718	25.70
South America:										
Colombia.....	1870	3,901,930	7,783,407	11,685,337	1887	6,339,379	10,037,295	16,376,674	4,691,337	.....
Venezuela.....	1871	4,058,609	6,251,677	10,310,286	1886	12,053,502	15,884,728	27,938,230	17,627,944	.....
Guianas—British.....	1870	9,232,227	11,598,923	20,831,150	1887	7,801,851	10,660,516	18,462,367	-2,368,783	.....
Dutch.....		(b)	(b)		1886	1,846,271	1,220,726	3,066,997	3,066,997	.....
French.....	1871	1,537,171	109,263	1,646,434	1887	1,666,183	1,022,916	2,689,099	1,042,665	.....
Brazil.....	1870	84,449,419	109,128,291	193,577,710	1887	114,335,676	143,903,651	258,239,327	64,661,617	.....
Uruguay.....	1870	15,207,813	12,954,623	28,162,436	1887	29,950,402	27,373,172	57,323,574	29,161,138	.....
Argentina.....	1870	38,464,816	29,651,585	68,116,401	1887	113,244,801	81,467,056	194,711,857	126,595,456	.....
Paraguay.....	1873	1,000,000	954,000	1,954,000	1886	1,399,777	1,535,272	2,935,049	981,049	.....
Chile.....	1870	38,640,010	28,615,020	67,255,030	1887	52,677,831	57,194,709	109,872,540	42,617,510	.....
Bolivia.....	1870	5,379,840	7,561,825	12,941,665	1885	6,820,000	9,745,000	16,565,000	3,923,335	.....
Peru.....	1870	5,597,000	11,191,000	16,791,000	1884	8,044,069	5,785,920	13,829,989	-2,961,011	.....
Ecuador.....	1869	(b)	3,113,017	3,113,017	1887	8,333,254	7,356,868	15,690,122	12,577,105	.....
Falkland Islands.....	1870	100,230	96,814	197,044	1887	325,000	525,558	850,558	653,523	.....
Total South America.....		207,269,065	229,012,445	436,281,510		364,838,005	373,713,387	738,551,392	302,269,882	69.28
Total group.....		416,471,576	451,965,743	868,437,319		641,992,723	658,548,852	1,300,541,575	432,104,256	49.77

a Estimated.

b No data.

NOTE.—The foreign moneys were computed on the following bases: Mexico, exports, dollar=79 cents; British Possessions, £=\$4.8665; French Possessions, franc=19.3 cents; Dutch Possessions, florin=40.2 cents; Guatemala and San Salvador, dollar=97.3 cents; Honduras and Nicaragua, dollar=81 cents; Costa Rica, peso=75 cents; Haiti, piaster=81 cents; Santo Domingo, dollar=81 cents; Cuba and Porto Rico, peso=93.2 cents; United States of Colombia, peso=72.7 cents; Ecuador, sucre=72.7 cents; Peru, sol=72.7 cents; Brazil, milreis=54.6 cents; Uruguay, dollar,\$1.04; Argentina, dollar=96.5 cents; Paraguay, peso=73 cents, and Chile, dollar=91.2 cents.

OTHER THAN THE UNITED STATES.

DURING 1870, 1887, AND 1897; ALSO AREA, POPULATION, AND SHARE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THEIR THE LATTER PERIOD.

COUNTRIES INTO WHICH IMPORTED AND FROM WHICH EXPORTED.	THIRD PERIOD.												
	POPULATION.		AREA. Square miles.	COMMERCE.									
	Year.	Number.		Year.	Imports into.			Exports from.			Imports and exports.		
					Total.	From United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	To United States.	Per cent of United States.	Total.	Part of United States.	Per cent of United States.
					Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	
British North American Possessions.....	1891	5,031,173	3,357,647	1898	136,636,138	80,840,524	59.18	169,078,301	46,238,836	27.35	305,714,439	127,079,360	41.57
Mexico.....	1895	12,619,959	767,005	1897-98	43,603,492	21,490,504	49.29	59,069,519	43,498,374	73.64	102,673,011	64,988,978	63.30
Bermuda.....	1897	16,098	20	1897	1,572,599	c854,832	54.36	621,466	c522,674	84.16	2,194,065	c1,377,506	62.79
British Honduras.....	1897	34,277	7,562	1897	1,422,097	c569,767	40.07	1,404,387	c226,683	16.15	2,826,484	c796,450	28.18
Central American States:													
Costa Rica.....	1897	294,940	23,000	1896	4,812,969	c1,362,972	28.32	5,275,286	c3,470,171	65.84	10,088,255	c4,833,143	47.91
Guatemala.....	1897	1,535,632	63,400	1897	8,584,821	c3,307,935	38.52	8,385,939	c1,930,911	23.03	16,970,760	c5,238,816	30.87
Honduras.....	1895	400,000	43,000	1896-97	3,260,575	c735,415	22.56	2,647,248	c1,680,014	63.47	5,907,823	c2,415,429	40.80
Nicaragua.....	1895	420,000	49,200	1897	2,571,381	c1,191,195	46.33	2,976,026	c1,841,866	61.85	5,547,407	c3,033,061	54.68
Salvador.....	1894	803,534	7,225	1896	3,347,718	c1,642,933	49.07	7,485,384	c1,195,096	15.97	10,833,102	c2,838,029	26.20
West Indies:													
British—													
Bahamas.....	1891	47,565	5,450	1897	905,218	.....	.....	725,522	.....	.....	1,630,740	.....	.....
Turks Island.....	1891	4,745	224	1897	161,758	.....	.....	210,733	.....	.....	372,491	.....	.....
Jamaica.....	1897	706,394	4,200	1897	8,081,344	.....	.....	7,048,848	.....	.....	15,130,192	.....	.....
Windward Islands—													
Barbades.....	1897	190,000	166	1897	4,908,834	.....	.....	3,582,537	.....	.....	8,491,371	.....	.....
Grenada.....	1897	61,229	133	1897	799,838	.....	.....	751,577	.....	.....	1,551,415	.....	.....
St. Lucia.....	1897	47,332	233	1897	1,193,524	.....	.....	750,740	.....	.....	1,944,264	.....	.....
St. Vincent.....	1891	41,054	132	1897	341,655	.....	.....	335,472	.....	.....	680,137	.....	.....
Tobago.....	1897	20,785	114	1897	56,719	.....	.....	22,780	.....	.....	79,499	.....	.....
Leeward Islands—													
Antigua.....	1891	36,819	170	1897	536,230	.....	.....	570,364	.....	.....	1,106,594	.....	.....
Dominica.....	1891	26,841	291	1897	263,151	.....	.....	230,750	.....	.....	493,901	.....	.....
Montserrat.....	1891	11,762	32	1897	108,372	.....	.....	107,370	.....	.....	215,742	.....	.....
Nevis and St.Christopher.....	1891	47,662	140	1897	661,360	.....	.....	726,101	.....	.....	1,387,461	.....	.....
Virgin Islands.....	1891	4,639	58	1897	16,065	.....	.....	19,627	.....	.....	35,692	.....	.....
Trinidad.....	1897	254,518	1,754	1897	10,517,631	.....	.....	9,708,307	.....	.....	20,225,938	.....	.....
Total British.....	1,501,345	13,097	.....	.....	28,554,709	c7,977,554	27.94	24,790,728	c12,582,922	50.74	53,345,437	20,560,476	38.54
Danish.....	1890	32,786	138	1897	d1,142,038	c521,765	45.70	d574,720	425,570	74.05	d1,716,758	947,335	55.21
Dutch.....	1896	49,599	403	1896	d2,144,742	c652,791	30.45	d1,765,475	337,502	19.12	3,910,217	990,293	25.33
French.....	1895	354,692	964	1897	d13,070,254	c1,679,625	12.85	d8,334,874	9,944	.12	21,405,128	1,689,569	7.90
Haiti.....	1887	960,000	10,204	1897	6,141,065	c4,754,487	77.43	12,110,603	1,997,157	16.49	18,251,668	6,751,644	37.00
Santo Domingo.....	1888	610,000	18,045	1896	1,824,938	c1,388,407	76.08	2,710,641	2,689,991	99.26	4,535,579	4,078,398	89.93
Cuba.....	1894	1,631,696	45,872	1896	d66,166,754	c8,260,676	12.48	d94,395,536	22,928,499	24.29	160,562,200	31,189,175	19.44
Porto Rico.....	1897	813,937	3,068	1896	a18,282,690	c1,988,888	10.88	a18,341,430	2,212,137	12.06	36,624,120	4,201,025	11.47
Total West Indies.....	5,954,055	92,391	.....	.....	137,327,190	27,224,193	19.82	163,024,007	43,183,722	26.49	300,351,197	70,407,915	23.45
South America:													
Argentina.....	1895	3,954,911	1,778,195	1897	94,848,835	c6,384,984	6.73	97,628,374	10,772,627	13.08	192,477,209	c17,157,611	8.91
Bolivia.....	1893	2,019,549	567,430	1897	11,597,405	c5,155	.04	10,959,506	.....	.....	22,556,911	5,155	.02
Brazil.....	1890	14,333,915	3,209,878	1897	104,959,017	b12,441,065	11.85	b130,189,698	b69,039,389	53.03	b235,148,715	81,480,454	39.65
Chile.....	1897	3,049,352	290,829	1897	23,809,504	c2,590,539	10.88	23,635,259	c3,888,686	16.46	47,444,763	6,479,235	13.65
Colombia.....	1895	4,000,000	513,938	1897	11,528,365	c3,845,114	33.35	15,088,406	c5,374,892	35.62	26,616,771	9,220,006	34.64
Ecuador.....	(e)	1,271,861	120,000	1897	d6,972,394	c744,768	10.68	d4,035,480	c569,080	14.09	11,007,874	1,313,848	11.94
Falkland Islands (British).....	1897	2,050	6,500	1897	307,992	c800	.26	608,912	.....	.....	c916,904	800	.09
Guianas—													
British.....	1897	285,315	109,000	1897-98	6,243,603	c1,565,936	25.08	8,680,688	c3,661,956	42.19	14,924,291	5,227,892	35.03
Dutch.....	1896	64,372	46,060	1897	2,265,335	c384,336	16.96	2,107,152	c1,044,928	49.59	4,372,487	1,429,264	32.69
French.....	1896	22,710	46,850	1893	2,107,753	c113,674	5.39	913,662	c8,137	.89	3,021,415	121,811	4.03
Paraguay.....	1897	600,000	98,000	1897	2,203,459	c740	.03	5,679,651	.....	.....	7,883,110	710	.01
Peru.....	1876	2,621,844	463,747	1897	8,533,919	c1,142,471	13.39	14,706,631	c1,139,948	7.75	23,239,950	2,282,419	9.82
Uruguay.....	1897	827,485	72,110	1897	20,175,631	c1,213,426	6.01	30,316,438	3,515,054	11.60	50,492,069	4,728,480	9.36
Venezuela.....	1894	2,444,816	593,943	1896	d13,241,000	c3,568,137	26.95	21,510,842	c10,026,150	46.60	34,751,842	13,594,287	39.12
Total South America.....	35,498,180	7,916,480	.....	.....	308,794,212	34,001,145	11.01	366,060,099	109,040,847	29.79	674,854,311	143,041,992	21.19
Total group.....	62,607,848	12,326,930	.....	.....	651,933,192	173,221,515	26.57	786,027,662	252,820,194	32.15	1,437,960,865	426,050,709	29.63

a Trade of Porto Rico. Bulletin No. 13. Agricultural Department.

c United States accounts.

d Review of Foreign Commerce.

b Merchandise only.

e Not stated.

NOTE.—Population, area, and foreign commerce from Statesman's Year-Book, 1899. The foreign moneys are computed on the following bases: Mexico, dollar = 15.0 cents; Guatemala, pesos = 42.4 cents; Honduras, pesos = 42.4 cents; Nicaragua and Costa Rica, ¢ = 4.8665 dollars; Salvador, pesos = 42.4 cents; Danish West India, kroner = 26.8 cents; all British West Indies, £ = 4.8665 dollars; Haiti, gourde = 95.5 cents; Dutch West Indies, guilders = 40.2 cents; Argentina, pesos = 96.5 cents; Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, and Peru, pesos, sucres, or soles = 47.4 cents; Brazil, milreis = 54.6 cents; Venezuela, bolivar = 19.3 cents.

MEXICO.

TOTAL VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MEXICO, BY PRINCIPAL AND OTHER COUNTRIES, DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1897 AND 1898.

[From official Mexican sources.]

COUNTRIES.	1896-97		1897-98	
	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
	<i>Pesos. a</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>
United States.....	22,593,860	86,742,951	21,490,604	94,974,616
United Kingdom.....	6,881,701	14,280,527	8,105,696	14,775,638
Franco.....	4,989,082	1,873,522	5,435,698	5,320,016
Germany.....	4,003,263	4,416,744	4,781,821	6,995,733
Spain.....	1,983,794	1,192,328	2,039,132	1,231,342
Belgium.....	479,650	1,134,325	590,196	1,556,090
India.....	210,845		154,115	
Italy.....	184,186	10,765	186,273	30,600
Switzerland.....	163,293	720	156,732	200
Holland.....	132,728	57,906	103,913	719,322
Austria-Hungary.....	128,367		125,144	
Colombia.....	64,317	17,675	24,127	2,260
Ecuador.....	53,249		73,681	342
China.....	51,357	5,396	41,157	2,260
Guatemala.....	46,323	1,197,247	14,950	846,016
Norway.....	41,670		45,219	
Russia.....	31,387	294,165	19,644	270,370
Sweden.....	29,078	180	21,466	
Venezuela.....	27,608		36,963	170
Japan.....	23,673	1,660	24,013	2,052
Australia.....	24,833		33,744	
Portugal.....	22,653		44,999	
Egypt.....	10,271		22,297	
Other countries.....	26,707	120,383	31,908	2,245,722
Total.....	42,204,095	111,346,494	43,603,492	128,972,749

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO MEXICO DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1897 AND 1898.

[From official Mexican sources.]

ARTICLES.	1898					1897				
	ARTICLES FREE OF DUTY.		ARTICLES SUBJECT TO DUTY.		Total.	ARTICLES FREE OF DUTY.		ARTICLES SUBJECT TO DUTY.		Total.
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Values.
Animals and animal products:		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>
Animals, live.....head.....		8,803		291,225	300,034		17,965		566,740	581,705
Integuments and nutritive parts of carcass (despojos).....kilos.....				293,275	293,275			63,967	509,677	509,677
Animal products.....do.....		22,929	5,367,399	939,704	962,633		23,854	8,056,230	1,240,021	1,263,875
Manufactures and preparations.....do.....	546	226		781,276	781,502	7,180	1,413		816,783	818,196
Total.....		31,964		2,305,480	2,337,444		43,232		3,133,231	3,176,453
Vegetable products:										
Textile fibers.....kilos.....			12,707,232	1,475,967	1,475,967			11,654,315	1,671,112	1,671,112
Fruits and grains.....do.....		32,063	13,689,679	1,050,391	1,082,454		20,097	239,766,849	3,576,711	3,596,808
Various vegetables.....do.....	2,663,046	143,364	1,197,330	271,587	414,951	6,004,917	106,397	982,802	203,473	309,870
All other.....do.....	66,360	2,720	11,987,683	846,014	848,734	105,803	4,704	16,491,175	1,162,507	1,167,211
Manufactures of.....do.....	67,149	2,001		385,132	387,133		325		386,437	386,762
Wood, and manufactures of.....do.....	145,482,101	1,109,353		443,776	1,553,129	118,650,178	1,034,279		625,583	1,659,802
Furniture.....do.....			1,025,780	306,861	306,861			1,084,704	328,987	328,987
Total.....		1,289,501		4,779,728	6,069,229		1,165,802		7,954,810	9,120,612
Minerals:										
Gold, silver, and platinum.....		1,190,589		136,114	1,326,703		73,737		159,385	233,122
Copper.....kilos.....	1,094,399	141,847	982,179	676,753	818,600	309,736	52,715	871,535	600,800	653,515
Tin, lead, and zinc.....do.....	21,565	3,951	664,605	131,117	135,068	21,157	4,265	742,148	129,253	133,518
Iron and steel.....do.....	72,162,694	1,819,292	50,461,925	3,351,145	5,170,437	42,284,482	1,203,436	46,571,067	3,236,656	4,440,092
Other metals.....do.....	725,159	514,013	27,650	14,752	528,765	816,249	469,907	40,993	4,104	474,011

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO MEXICO DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1897 AND 1898—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1898					1897				
	ARTICLES FREE OF DUTY.		ARTICLES SUBJECT TO DUTY.		Total.	ARTICLES FREE OF DUTY.		ARTICLES SUBJECT TO DUTY.		Total.
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	
Minerals—Continued.		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>
Stone and earth	kilos 537,613,590	1,519,560		1,017,202	2,536,762	402,664,209	1,375,457		912,406	2,287,863
Crystal, glass, delft, and porcelain	kilos 155,230	18,058	10,190,150	800,188	878,246	93,301	10,946	7,740,689	792,270	803,216
Total		5,207,310		6,187,271	11,394,581		3,190,463		5,834,874	9,025,337
Textiles, and manufactures of:										
Cotton				4,854,845	4,854,845				4,992,588	4,992,588
Flax				598,575	598,575				607,352	607,352
Wool				1,623,765	1,623,765				1,479,669	1,479,669
Silk	kilos 619	9,406		526,399	535,805	351	3,447		456,126	459,573
Silk, mixed with other material				602,377	602,377				549,889	549,889
Total				8,145,961	8,155,367				8,083,624	8,089,071
Chemical and pharmaceutical preparations	kilos			1,946,456	1,946,456				1,624,329	1,624,329
Spirits, fermented drinks, etc.				2,254,184	2,254,184				2,330,575	2,330,575
Paper, and manufactures of.	895,439	135,597	5,584,247	1,225,719	1,361,316	892,443	146,128	6,217,822	1,367,691	1,513,819
Machinery and apparatus	313,733	231,176		6,039,476	6,270,652	313,432	213,424		4,347,428	4,500,852
Vehicles	20,507,747	740,055	1,667,867	360,318	1,100,373	5,638,968	274,241	1,789,897	358,575	632,816
Firearms and explosives			3,890,541	1,618,233	1,618,233			3,717,343	999,952	999,952
Other articles		733		1,094,924	1,095,657		551		1,129,728	1,130,279
Total imports		7,645,742		35,957,750	43,603,492		5,037,288		37,166,807	42,204,095

NOTE.—Average value of the peso according to quarterly estimates made by the Director of the Mint, 0.524 cents for the fiscal year 1897; 0.458 cents for the fiscal year 1898. The kilo is equal to 2.2046 pounds avoirdupois.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM MEXICO TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 1897 AND 1898.

[From official Mexican sources.]

ARTICLES.	1897		1898		ARTICLES.	1897		1898	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.		Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>			<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Animals, live	head 452,542	4,008,690	305,187	4,867,303	Tobacco	kilos 1,770,135	2,720,091	3,497,316	4,489,768
Antimony	kilos 4,031,411	50,916	5,609,017	65,873	Vanilla	do 34,710	997,155	18,887	633,270
Bones	do 2,599,160	45,501	2,188,846	43,999	Vegetables:				
Breadstuffs:					Pulse—				
Barley	do 2,466	225	1,801,572	87,857	Chick-peas	do 5,112,442	656,734	3,866,615	632,651
Corn	do 546,725	34,063	2,549,534	161,798	Kidney beans	do 1,322,838	140,519	4,533,508	426,442
Wheat flour	do 5,004	651	1,014,438	131,255	Beans	do 8,381	738	11,950	1,175
India rubber	do 64,843	63,126	87,420	106,023	Potatoes	do 5,558,427	124,602	9,198,881	250,047
Chicle (Mexican chewing gum),					All other	do 281,172	18,698	355,722	21,910
..... kilos 2,122,337		1,529,047	891,612	532,332	Wood	do 66,525	1,339,626	71,841	1,802,272
Coal	do 97,028,473	399,474	106,405,839	438,261	Do	kilos 84,186,498	2,179,324	61,426,473	1,794,797
Coffee	do 14,817,662	9,876,532	20,353,734	10,649,119	Zacatan root	do 4,051,136	1,187,700	4,560,268	1,196,293
Copper	do 19,973,387	3,920,201	11,268,907	2,277,882	Foreign merchandise	do 2,582,203	219,303	3,994,449	223,150
Copper ore	do 11,653	2,090	9,097,908	2,493,749	All other		831,140		2,844,715
Fibers, vegetable, and textile grasses:					Total exports		45,163,397		53,930,417
Henequen	kilos 71,091,697	7,433,806	75,244,863	11,588,572	Precious metals:				
Ixtle	do 9,165,477	812,974	6,959,511	616,650	Ores—				
Fruit, fresh and dried	do 9,052,809	362,847	5,964,343	296,717	Gold		349,682		389,393
Hair, horse	do 157,860	84,205	134,635	87,218	Silver		10,680,732		11,137,996
Hides	do 6,691,236	2,925,476	7,197,219	3,590,477	Coin and bullion—				
Honey	do 668,487	72,395	1,473,772	193,019	Gold bullion		5,858,366		6,364,308
Lead	do 55,926,677	2,814,074	58,513,553	2,909,705	coin, foreign		103,767		163,839
Marble, rough and manufactured	kilos 2,681,491	214,638	845,493	85,764	domestic		93,632		116,425
Rice	do 382,893	48,905	590,695	96,392	Silver bullion		32,137,257		35,721,275
Seed, cotton	do 1,561,832	17,616	7,801,488	178,093	coin, foreign		605,985		669,564
Sugar drainings (piloncillo),					domestic		14,578,958		18,214,989
..... kilos 422,144		30,366	617,942	55,879	All other		1,775,318		2,234,540
					Total		65,183,097		75,042,332

STATEMENT OF TONNAGE AND VALUES OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS VIA THE VARIOUS SEAPORTS AND GATEWAYS OF MEXICO.

[From report of Mexican Central Railway Company, 1899. Values of exports are in Mexican silver; values of imports are in gold.]

IMPORTS.

YEARS END- ING JUNE 30—	TAMPICO.		EL PASO.		EAGLE PASS.	VERA CRUZ.		LAREDO.	OTHER PORTS AND GATEWAYS.	Total value.
	Metric tons.	Value.	Metric tons.	Value.	Value.	Metric tons.	Value.	Value.	Value.	
		Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1886.....	10,246									
1887.....	10,278									
1888.....	11,774									
1889.....	12,774	512,927.15	72,993	5,793,960.86	2,732,367.00		16,445,569.00	5,728,029.06	8,811,041.25	40,024,894.32
1890.....	16,430	757,029.08	75,288	10,063,672.16	3,394,366.00		19,203,600.00	7,435,727.26	11,164,264.39	52,018,658.89
1891.....	43,770		47,470							
1892.....	51,626		70,818							
1893.....	98,242	2,649,993.00	84,176	4,494,359.00	4,149,689.00	162,957	14,643,276.00	9,012,965.00	8,462,849.00	43,413,131.00
1894.....	117,956	2,492,084.00	25,602	2,878,887.00	1,748,426.00	100,202	12,614,005.00	3,990,777.00	6,502,410.00	30,287,489.00
1895.....	166,853	3,642,007.00	28,430	2,571,977.00	2,386,451.00	169,293	16,123,505.00	3,449,802.00	5,826,698.00	34,000,440.00
1896.....	188,313	8,685,442.00	35,494	2,677,525.00	4,228,658.00	151,331	15,296,544.00	3,868,956.00	7,496,813.00	42,253,938.00
1897.....	339,825	8,773,275.00	122,100	2,910,359.00	4,710,415.00	200,530	14,036,136.00	4,693,818.00	7,080,092.00	42,204,095.00
1898.....	344,282	7,417,665.00	101,881	4,302,119.00	2,271,828.00	268,658	17,653,750.00	4,892,196.00	7,065,934.00	43,603,492.00

EXPORTS.

1885.....	8,645	869,480.65		9,839,057.24	505,232.93	16,764	19,651,196.48	1,440,902.71	14,364,974.99	46,070,845.00
1886.....	8,326	879,895.71		10,577,925.14	788,284.52	17,511	17,425,828.17	1,337,916.24	12,637,867.61	43,647,717.39
1887.....	12,126	762,896.26		10,641,034.55	567,595.45	17,467	20,168,149.32	1,424,028.91	15,683,225.56	49,191,930.05
1888.....	8,952	719,789.06		12,022,678.45	874,572.62	19,372	16,067,992.84	1,215,515.04	17,935,360.37	48,885,908.38
1889.....	7,235	658,022.75	72,866	15,492,955.33	2,195,586.00	21,645	19,532,519.07	2,240,521.52	20,038,818.35	60,158,423.02
1890.....	7,821	718,125.10	58,013	15,137,724.50	2,521,946.74	28,059	20,115,353.85	3,047,864.71	20,958,373.79	62,499,388.69
1891.....	7,892	1,075,121.13	85,112	14,301,855.87	2,698,218.71	28,676	20,533,460.73	3,332,243.57	21,335,495.33	63,276,395.34
1892.....	10,599	3,596,119.71	121,138	16,859,696.03	2,986,294.60	30,194	26,463,287.39	4,847,371.77	20,714,945.45	75,467,714.95
1893.....	14,150	8,844,537.00	128,682	16,803,659.00	2,375,396.00	31,812	28,073,101.00	6,520,507.00	24,892,021.00	87,509,221.00
1894.....	49,886	10,967,448.00	107,478	15,701,714.00	2,662,975.00	38,100	22,977,860.00	4,601,913.00	22,431,377.00	79,343,287.00
1895.....	75,255	15,546,228.00	89,467	14,255,800.00	2,850,062.00	43,425	27,413,009.00	3,016,000.00	27,773,854.00	90,854,953.00
1896.....	84,213	23,920,464.00	120,184	19,599,797.00	3,065,014.00	35,257	22,354,298.00	3,311,273.00	32,766,056.00	105,016,902.00
1897.....	101,392	29,952,441.00	122,694	17,929,521.00	2,888,535.00	32,749	22,484,633.00	3,701,086.00	34,390,278.00	111,346,494.03
1898.....	129,760	36,492,544.00	136,663	19,583,522.00	3,089,394.00	44,692	27,779,293.00	4,158,675.00	37,869,316.00	128,972,749.00

Statistics, Department of Fomento (1897).

Number of—

Farms in the Republic of Mexico	8,101
Farms producing corn and other cereals	3,400
Cattle ranches	1,560
Sugar plantations	1,385
Henequen plantations	395
Coffee plantations	373
Cocoa plantations	239
Cotton plantations	335
Magney plantations	279
Tobacco plantations	92
Grape plantations	5
Magney alcohol plantations	134

Production of cereals in Mexico (1897).

	Mexican dollars.
Rice.....	2,254,462
Barley.....	5,503,243
Corn.....	87,232,671
Wheat.....	18,680,475

SOUTH AMERICA.

[The peso=96.5 cents.]

ARGENTINA.

[From official reports of Argentina.]

VALUE OF THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF ARGENTINA, BY COUNTRIES, DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1893 TO 1897.

COUNTRIES.	1893		1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.	Pesos.
United States.....	9,619,317	3,416,740	10,149,018	5,285,210	6,686,999	8,947,165	11,210,475	6,461,365	10,101,714	8,321,611
United Kingdom.....	32,523,270	18,596,349	33,189,014	20,410,884	39,524,270	14,094,783	44,729,966	14,388,761	36,392,057	12,984,690
Germany.....	11,030,573	10,376,577	10,683,487	11,544,516	11,162,519	13,323,324	13,895,065	13,332,785	11,114,102	14,047,135
France.....	12,094,253	18,158,977	10,156,320	18,844,323	9,116,870	20,337,169	12,028,514	23,654,976	11,019,576	22,999,019
Italy.....	9,318,945	3,374,929	8,873,377	3,066,767	10,363,129	3,518,087	11,394,910	3,897,063	10,943,038	3,964,616
Belgium.....	9,636,845	10,771,163	8,958,561	12,769,341	7,441,356	15,417,711	8,453,200	12,062,348	8,046,254	8,934,829
Spain.....	3,164,731	2,560,486	1,793,314	2,384,597	2,575,125	1,311,999	3,007,207	1,166,400	3,245,646	1,271,149
Brazil.....	2,117,377	5,268,000	1,980,468	6,794,000	4,095,665	8,096,105	5,152,621	9,841,460	4,761,505	8,685,187
Paraguay.....	1,157,644	371,641	1,712,615	211,730	1,824,312	100,160	1,222,025	159,387	1,457,327	159,094
Uruguay.....	2,613,164	4,160,878	2,317,129	4,511,904	736,110	3,290,574	568,560	2,784,661	505,170	2,586,214
Chile.....	326,624	1,584,076	20,843	1,764,500	41,635	3,067,411	15,697	2,171,214	248,902	1,977,398
Netherlands.....	168,891	71,640	102,856	164,473	103,931	92,050	110,381	581,686	80,055	33,653
Austria.....		1,000				46,587		10,316		18,782
Portugal.....	49,107	1,061,117	48,286	74,276	58,405	138,497	84,728	19,487	71,588	19,562
West Indies.....		1,030,974	2,547	1,391,318	86,233	1,616,602	25,119	252,600	52,558	296,817
Canada.....			31,282		1,625					
Bolivia.....	68,557	384,598	73,547	385,586	72,639	591,868	55,405	320,208	50,260	352,520
South Africa.....						8,010		465,326		573,447
Sweden and Norway.....	21,975			21,211		44,700		740		
Other countries.....	2,312,355	13,015,011	2,779,961	12,063,439	1,205,585	25,424,988	209,718	25,231,233	199,196	13,943,576
Total.....	96,223,628	94,090,159	92,788,625	101,687,985	95,096,438	120,067,790	112,163,591	116,802,016	98,288,948	101,169,299

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO ARGENTINA DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1896 AND 1897. (SPECIAL IMPORTS.)

[The peso=96.5 cents.]

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		ARTICLES.	1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
I. Animal substances.					II. Vegetable substances—Cont'd.				
Live animals:		Pesos.		Pesos.	Nutritive substances—Cont'd.		Pesos.		Pesos.
Horses.....head..	190	52,730	257	57,210	Chocolate.....kilos..	77,646	46,585	62,536	37,519
Cattle.....do....	1,023	415,779	1,336	278,932	Confectionery, sweets, etc.				
Sheep.....do....	111,809	784,324	57,400	651,822	.....kilos..	137,956	99,498	120,861	80,517
Other animals.....		36,843		14,407	Fruits—				
Total.....		1,289,676		1,002,371	Fresh.....		170,497		155,448
Other animal substances:					Dried and preserved				
Cod and stock fish...kilos..	2,052,709	281,627	1,679,351	270,546	.....kilos..	263,952	65,975	351,720	102,373
Meat.....do....	88,107	41,651	104,430	66,140	Vegetables, dried and pre-				
Ham.....do....	168,263	81,123	163,653	81,826	served.....kilos..	1,965,707	211,634	5,303,072	349,025
Fish, preserved.....do....	1,907,844	490,706	1,663,967	419,621	Nuts.....do....	1,299,044	144,006	615,322	73,835
Fur, rabbit.....do....	94,826	180,692	63,212	126,424	Wheat.....do....	319,395	12,776	14,405,834	576,233
Cheese.....do....	729,668	362,540	797,134	398,555	Other articles.....		427,780		469,243
All other.....		90,662		69,276	Total.....		2,925,701		3,384,420
Total.....		1,546,420		1,423,388	Tobacco and manufactures of:				
Total animal substances.....		2,836,096		2,425,759	Havana cigars.....kilos..	102,554	512,832	21,271	106,355
II. Vegetable substances.					Other cigars.....do....	332,603	525,692	333,959	515,534
Nutritive substances:					Cigarettes.....do....	9,565	19,130	13,218	26,436
Olives.....kilos..	747,579	81,897	688,901	74,923	Sheep wash.....do....	8,829,461	2,207,362	5,888,273	1,472,066
Starch (from wheat and other					Tobacco, leaf—				
cereals).....kilos..	358,468	59,768	427,429	64,112	Havana.....do....	73,225	146,450	74,643	149,286
Rice.....do....	18,496,360	1,317,845	18,733,916	1,240,300	Other.....do....	932,402	643,748	1,078,472	687,670
Sugar, refined.....do....	2,070,747	207,072	946,346	94,634	Rappee (snuff).....do....	2,656	3,186	3,287	3,944
Cacao and Peruvian bark					Other articles.....		11,147		11,210
.....kilos..	410,593	80,359	334,222	66,258	Total.....		4,069,547		2,972,501

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO ARGENTINA DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1896 AND 1897. (SPECIAL IMPORTS)—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		ARTICLES.	1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
II. Vegetable substances—Continued.					IV. Textile materials and manufactures—Continued.				
Other vegetable substances:		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	Other textile fibers:				
Saffron .....kilos..	7,756	155,120	7,357	147,140	Articles de mode and fancy boxes.....	2,685	<i>Pesos.</i> 218,879	<i>Pesos.</i> 4,181	191,938
Coffee .....do....	4,590,166	1,377,047	3,727,109	1,118,125	Sackcloth and coarse linen.....kilos..	25,290,815	5,058,161	13,504,254	2,700,850
Spices .....do....	1,417,441	339,745	1,005,840	225,225	Twine, binders', pack thread.....kilos..	3,022,279	698,267	3,102,348	721,386
Gutta-percha and india rubber, manufactures of, pack.....	891	104,428	1,239	161,381	Cordage, ropes, etc.....do....	2,254,435	389,124	1,678,355	255,674
Maltha (malta) .....do....	3,222,336	161,117	3,452,864	172,643	Duck, canvas, sailcloth, etc.....kilos..	1,129,125	644,134	654,680	385,915
Grain and seed .....do....	1,115,610	147,631	679,109	141,296	Agave (pita) and manufactures of.....kilos..	1,147,995	71,854	1,962,154	126,048
Tea .....do....	884,730	707,781	627,068	501,651	Knit goods and cloth of different descriptions.....kilos..	1,656,913	1,848,137	1,142,919	1,443,462
Yerba—					Knit goods, finished.....do....	148,192	280,530	120,043	262,943
Paraguay .....do....	7,484,831	893,316	9,787,755	1,033,825	Jute, crude and spun.....do....	265,485	19,093	465,388	31,228
Paranagua .....do....	21,954,269	3,142,835	20,190,370	2,892,862	Other articles.....		831,487		759,981
Other articles.....		243,674		140,434	Total.....		10,059,666		6,879,425
Total.....		7,112,694		6,539,582	Total textile materials and manufactures.....		38,413,339		30,449,912
Total vegetable substances.....		14,107,942		12,896,503	V. Oils, fixed, mineral and volatile.				
III. Spirits, liquors, and other beverages.					Oil:				
Wine, common, in casks.....liters..	58,748,359	5,929,249	52,324,858	5,280,507	Lubricant .....kilos..	4,557,676	455,555	3,786,314	378,633
Other wines.....		827,434		937,241	Cotton-seed, palm, flax-seed, etc.....kilos..	891,817	124,810	369,297	56,816
Total.....		6,866,490		6,107,941	Olive .....do....	6,626,121	1,324,757	4,766,160	952,405
Spirits, distilled.....		1,367,088		1,248,889	Other oils, vegetable.....do....	356,637	94,352	373,997	83,881
Soda and mineral waters, dozen.....	128,806	193,964	177,228	259,720	Kerosene (United States).....liters..	31,284,210	938,526	44,713,826	1,341,414
Beer.....		79,299		67,919	Naphtha, crude.....kilos..	3,986,044	398,604	2,895,606	289,559
Other beverages.....		36,003		44,236	Essences of all sorts.....do....	24,052	90,265	26,957	101,533
Total soda, mineral waters, etc.....		309,266		371,875	Benzine.....do....	71,044	10,718	72,071	10,816
Total spirits, liquors, and other beverages.....		8,542,844		7,728,705	Total oils.....		3,437,587		3,215,057
IV. Textile materials and manufactures.					VI. Chemical and pharmaceutical products.				
Silk:					Candles, stearin, paraffin, etc.,.....kilos..	271,514	81,714	237,053	71,428
Ribbons .....kilos..	44,089	318,594	30,619	263,655	Matches.....do....	19,201	14,324	97,809	141,941
Shawls .....do....	26,994	455,641	17,561	295,331	Medicines, patent.....boxes..	8,648	285,508	12,262	487,379
Piece goods (pañuelos).....do....	184,991	1,512,377	194,435	1,455,314	Perfumery.....do....	2,591	172,772	2,234	203,362
Other articles.....		265,362		247,519	Pitch (pez).....kilos..	8,031,528	240,942	4,399,624	131,989
Total.....		2,551,974		2,262,119	Pharmaceutical substances and products.....cases..	7,121	221,577	6,289	275,629
Wool, and manufactures of:					Other chemical products.....kilos..	549,573	148,772	243,540	67,966
Shirts and gowns.....kilos..	17,066	68,773	24,274	97,096	Salt, common, rock, etc.....		447,165		525,163
Thread.....do....	111,601	119,807	111,657	92,580	Other articles.....		1,080,112		1,080,374
Washed.....do....	28,802	7,021	24,146	8,387	Total chemical and pharmaceutical products.....		2,692,886		2,985,231
Cloth and wearing apparel.....packages..	2,214	231,592	1,834	154,231	VII. Paints, colors, etc.				
Hats .....do....	11,065	116,664	5,395	86,330	Varnish of all sorts.....kilos..	261,898	196,424	185,833	128,012
Piece goods, shag, etc.....kilos..	3,061,998	7,495,048	2,465,525	6,108,178	Paints, powdered or lump.....do....	2,682,495	253,494	1,504,328	165,470
Other articles.....		442,406		380,888	Printers' ink, etc.....	64,565	16,213	103,667	24,957
Total.....		8,481,311		6,926,690	All other articles.....		358,717		307,561
Cotton and manufactures of:					Total paints and colors.....		824,848		626,000
Raw .....kilos..	148,145	37,246	45,610	11,401	VIII. Timber, lumber, woods, etc.				
Yarn and thread.....do....	1,585,375	634,674	1,782,316	712,923	Cedar .....cub. meters..	4,786	47,901	11,332	113,333
Bags, pouches, etc.....do....	322,448	161,224	293,155	146,577	White pine.....do....			57,047	798,672
Lace, tulle, etc.....do....	153,541	558,094	113,005	415,012	Spruce (pino spruce).....do....	452,900	5,160,675	99,149	931,507
Blankets.....do....	184,531	184,531	320,939	320,939	Candle-wood pine (pino de téa).....cub. meters..			98,969	1,187,641
Spool cotton.....do....	1,634,141	263,846	2,164,986	322,290					
Stockings (medias).....do....	336,602	823,322	233,210	548,408					
Shawls (pañuelos).....do....	354,236	533,986	238,489	341,747					
Piece goods, cloth, etc.....do....	14,759,627	12,945,132	12,154,538	10,504,187					
Various finished goods.....do....	441,534	508,473	335,835	445,474					
Other articles.....		670,360		522,690					
Total.....		17,320,888		14,381,678					

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO ARGENTINA DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1896 AND 1897. (SPECIAL IMPORTS)—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		ARTICLES.	1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
VIII. <i>Timber, lumber, woods, etc.</i> —Continued.					XI. <i>Iron, and manufactures of</i> —Continued.				
Other wood, not manufactured and partly manufactured		Pesos.		Pesos.	Cutlery.....cases..	2,971	320,577	3,580	334,671
.....cub. meters..	40,732	338,927	23,513	227,104	Tools.....kilos.....		271,794		307,848
Boxes, cases, empty barrels, etc.		254,166		210,608	Locomotives.....pieces.....			21	267,625
Pianos and musical instruments.		252,683		209,953	Machines:				
Cork.....kilos.....	406,518	273,352	311,869	221,850	Sewing.....do.....	20,482	246,056	21,409	263,210
Cars.....No.....			145	150,275	Typewriting.....do.....			170	5,950
Wood manufactures.....		267,392		151,119	Other.....do.....	10,209	592,053	11,447	512,499
All other articles.....		418,549		723,632	Railway construction materials		1,940,169		991,057
Total timber, lumber, wood, etc.....		7,013,645		4,985,698	Electric illumination, machinery for.....packages..	2,960	151,745	5,123	236,746
IX. <i>Paper, and manufactures of.</i>					Machinery for sugar mills.....do.....	1,127	51,332	5,363	165,672
Raw material.....		292,096		163,605	Various power motors.....pieces..	209	96,238	770	212,881
Pasteboard and other stiff paper,.....kilos.....	2,636,084	289,402	2,305,924	257,490	Duplicate parts of machinery (repuestos).....packages.....			8,579	459,423
Paper, writing, drawing, etc.,.....kilos.....	1,030,360	210,413	1,011,471	207,298	Bicycles.....pieces.....			1,858	97,890
Paper for newspapers (diarios) and manufacturing purposes (para obras).....kilos.....	5,867,741	850,856	4,829,927	678,422	All other.....		2,430,445		1,382,638
Brown paper, wall, for binding, etc.....kilos.....	938,538	225,446	951,492	234,289	Total iron, and manufactures of.....		17,753,662		16,986,023
Paper, cigarette and silk.....do.....	299,459	188,795	238,533	178,913	XII. <i>Other metals, and manufactures of.</i>				
For other uses.....do.....	155,802	77,467	133,383	66,692	Wire, brass, electric.....kilos..	186,305	54,577	378,667	173,037
Books, pamphlets, lithographs, etc.....		817,733		856,275	Copper, bronze, crude.....kilos..	234,797	95,669	195,693	78,274
Total paper, and manufactures of.....		2,952,208		2,642,984	Tin, crude.....do.....	6,250,226	500,799	3,170,105	253,757
X. <i>Leather, and manufactures of.</i>					Lead, crude.....do.....	2,536,290	202,903	2,452,492	196,169
Skins and hides, tanned.....kilos..	196,258	669,449	158,007	586,812	Zinc, crude.....do.....	1,625,313	133,329	1,676,390	131,534
Boots, shoes, etc.....		54,636		104,072	Other metals.....		94,859		79,624
Manufactures:					Total metals, etc.....		1,082,136		912,395
Pocketbooks, gloves, saddles, etc.....		200,960		198,861	Copper and bronze, manufactures of.....kilos.....	536,705	277,528	537,389	316,758
All other.....		5,317		14,893	Silver, manufactures of.....do.....			2,687	67,175
Total leather, and manufactures of.....		930,362		904,638	Clocks and watches.....		321,374		388,389
XI. <i>Iron, and manufactures of.</i>					Other articles.....		651,510		823,813
Wire, galvanized ("alambré"), and other.....kilos.....	40,318,571	2,256,786	37,630,960	2,153,691	Total other metals, manufactures of.....		1,250,412		1,596,135
Nails of all sorts.....kilos.....	3,253,752	318,993	2,173,383	240,798	Total other metals, and manufactures of.....		2,332,548		2,508,530
Clamps, sleepers (durmientes),.....kilos.....			21,959,831	1,097,991	XIII. <i>Stones, earthen and glass ware.</i>				
Iron:					Sand.....tons.....	157,594	128,025	140,213	112,519
Pig (hierro en bruto).....kilos..	41,067,640	1,587,954	32,446,130	1,272,079	Coal, pit.....do.....	866,227	5,197,357	776,825	4,660,953
Galvanized.....do.....	24,969,820	1,972,800	18,494,035	1,486,668	Marble, alabaster, etc., crude,.....cubic meters..	2,164	247,252	1,849	212,911
Steel ingots.....do.....	65,836,818	2,619,493	51,256,342	2,619,493	Precious stones, not set.....do.....	2,233	130,852	2,106	110,455
Iron joists and columns.....do.....	10,264,407	412,427	14,572,668	586,082	Various stones, for building.....tons.....	48,441	57,170	92,076	108,964
Screws and eyes, rods, staves.....do.....	3,221,596	302,847	5,176,817	385,774	Talcum.....kilos.....	3,259,479	81,486	3,250,250	81,353
Machines and utensils:					Earth, hydraulic.....do.....	39,724,036	476,691	38,875,401	466,490
Plows.....pieces.....	18,842	158,450	11,026	102,726	Earth, refractory.....do.....	863,085	10,354	954,398	11,439
Reapers.....do.....	3,054	227,613	1,985	177,034	Glass, looking glass, etc.....		458,821		485,024
Shovels, pickaxes, hoes, etc.,.....kilos.....	568,234	110,317	632,342	122,403	Other articles, crude.....		280,271		254,321
Other machines and instruments.....		340,565		180,087	Tiles and flagstones.....		278,284		216,516
Firearms and accessories.....boxes..	2,784	265,332	2,185	188,168	Bottles and flasks.....dozen..	963,857	350,393	907,412	306,674
Kitchen utensils, etc.....kilos..	2,952,296	734,779	2,506,434	681,468	Lamps, incandescent.....do.....	8,921	26,763	35,216	105,648
Pipes and tubing, galvanized and other.....kilos.....	6,482,116	344,897	9,055,459	453,451	Earthenware.....packages..	8,041	201,720	10,430	247,938
					Porcelain.....do.....	2,082	102,474	3,132	114,847
					Other glassware.....do.....	12,329	168,602	15,518	338,830
					All other manufactures of.....		372,916		176,147
					Total stones, earthen and glass ware.....		8,569,431		8,011,629

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO ARGENTINA DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1896 AND 1897. (SPECIAL IMPORTS)—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		ARTICLES.	1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
XIV. Various manufactures.		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	XIV. Various manufactures—Continued.		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Buttons of all sorts.....kilos..	147,692	169,736	111,807	148,034	Office material	59,842	75,850		
Brushes (cepillos).....dozen..	28,074	37,140	36,455	56,862	Sundry articles	582,675	520,547		
Toys, trinkets, etc...packages..	4,252	150,305	5,554	180,588	Provisions, etc	105,589	199,196		
Material for the construction of bridges, tramways, etc		103,457		216,369	All other	252,322	300,245		
Materials for telephones and telegraphs		51,560		34,030	Total various manufactures	1,756,013	1,922,879		
Combs	62,708	172,346	29,759	79,511	Total imports	112,163,591	98,288,948		
Druggists' sundries		71,041		81,647					

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM ARGENTINA DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1896 AND 1897 (SPECIAL EXPORTS).

ARTICLES.	1896		1897		ARTICLES.	1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Animals and animal products.		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	Animals and animal products—Continued.		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Live animals:					Animal products, residual:				
Asses.....head..	7,515	75,150	16,390	164,000	Bone ashes, crackles, guano..	165,036	150,511		
Horses.....do....	11,936	185,545	13,615	243,967	Claws, bones, hoofs, etc.....	228,001	471,140		
Goats.....do....	45	113	127	318	Dried blood, tripes, salted and dried	82,530	91,480		
Sheep.....do....	512,016	1,536,056	504,128	1,512,684	Total	475,567	713,131		
Hogs.....do....	374	3,740	666	7,818	Total animals and animal products	70,534,040	74,044,525		
Mules.....do....	18,105	230,968	16,317	261,094	Agricultural products.				
Cattle.....do....	382,539	6,543,550	238,121	5,018,222	Raw materials:				
Total		8,635,122		7,208,133	Barley, rye, oats, etc.....	171,470	49,660		
Animal products (despojos animales):					Wax.....kilos..	24,268	16,783	7,552	
Horns of cattle.....tons..	1,982	99,094	2,009	160,447	Fruit, fresh.....	6,819	3,261		
Mutton, refrigerated ..tons..	45,105	1,804,205	50,894	2,035,778	Flax.....tons..	229,675	6,856,106	162,477	4,996,288
Hair, animal.....do....	2,419	902,441	2,580	981,650	Corn (maize).....do....	1,570,517	15,994,556	374,942	5,478,718
Skins of goats and kids,	1,578,339	1,376,959	1,707,292	1,432,081	Potatoes.....kilos..	57,480	31,507		
Skins of sheep, unwashed,	36,918,687	4,061,055	37,077,316	4,094,640	Hay.....tons..	104,775	899,781	103,700	933,716
Hides—					Seeds and grains.....kilos..	1,152,613	50,434	4,753,852	216,230
Bovine, salted.....do....	29,308,010	4,598,515	27,382,953	4,605,572	Wheat.....tons..	523,001	12,830,027	101,845	3,470,351
dried.....do....	21,839,715	6,600,005	29,300,171	8,596,314	Peanuts.....kilos..	160,536	8,027	7,290,658	364,534
Horse, salted }	233,290	501,956	319,121	756,471	Other articles.....	77,859	17,170		
dried }					Total	36,963,480	15,568,987		
Wool, unwashed	187,619	33,516,049	205,571	37,450,244	Vegetable materials, manufactured:				
Tongues, salted and preserved	639,929	127,980	564,561	112,230	Oil, linseed, peanut, etc.,	8,140	1,550	58,834	12,859
Tallow and grease.....do....	3,792	266	353	25	Sugar.....do....	22,026,327	3,303,949	41,733,901	4,382,936
Beef, jerked.....tons..	45,907	3,217,541	36,238	2,466,313	Flour, wheat.....tons..	51,732	1,949,556	41,443	2,411,719
Meat, refrigerated.....		144,067		197,547	Wine, native.....liters..	4,952	495	4,790	479
Total		56,950,133		62,828,342	Other articles.....	19,889	43,271		
Animal products, manufactured:					Total	5,275,439	6,851,264		
Oil, animal.....kilos..	350,692	29,562	382,200	29,101	Vegetable products, residual:				
Meat, preserved.....do....	2,043,139	204,313	1,151,263	115,127	Bran.....tons..	62,727	708,738	53,194	747,551
Meat extracts, concentrated broth, etc.....kilos..	694,755	745,451	260,591	280,713	Oil cakes.....do....	9,470	113,639	7,818	93,822
Hides, dressed and tanned		11,165		3,251	Other articles.....	71,289	74,745		
Glycerin, soap, etc.....kilos..	661,308	22,227	266,487	12,457	Total	893,666	916,118		
Lard, olein, pepsin, grease and lard, etc.....kilos..	35,216,717	3,439,584	32,187,052	2,843,927	Total agricultural products	43,132,585	23,336,369		
Cheese.....do....	22,834	4,566	11,612	2,323					
Other articles.....		16,350		8,020					
Total		4,473,218		3,294,919					

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER PRODUCTS EXPORTED FROM ARGENTINA DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1896 AND 1897 (SPECIAL EXPORTS)—Continued.

	1896		1897			1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
<i>Forest products.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Mineral products—Continued.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Cedars.....cubic meters..	3,115	99,680	3,933	125,856	Silver and lead.....kilos..	73,500	9,570	6,000	300
Coal (lignite).....hectoliters..	96,503	144,754	98,380	147,570	Salt, common.....hectoliters..	15,047	9,786	21,087	13,707
Sleepers.....pieces..	20,203	30,455	62,312	93,468	Other articles.....		22,756		3,842
Wood extracts (extracto de quebracho).....kilos..	684,194	68,419	1,204,741	120,474	Total mineral products.....		352,840		164,989
Rollizos de quebracho.....tons..	83,206	832,658	135,675	1,356,744	<i>Products of chase.</i>				
Other articles.....		92,697		74,129	Otter furs.....kilos..	51,507	124,058	271,045	467,002
Total forest products.....		1,268,663		1,918,241	Other furs.....		34,862		66,171
<i>Mineral products.</i>					Ostrich feathers.....kilos..	51,059	1,607	47,714	47,053
Borate of lime.....kilos..	1,312,583	104,200	158,500	7,925	Heron feathers.....		4,200		7,200
Copper, in bars.....do....	32,148	12,860	33,063	13,225	Other articles.....		298		437
Marble.....do....	441,075	8,321	642,590	12,852	Total products of chase.....		205,025		587,863
Ore:					All other articles.....		81,706		197,047
Copper.....do....	228,201	45,641	208,976	41,795	Merchandise nationalized.....		96,105		77,913
Silver.....do....	61,681	30,840	16,530	8,265	Stores, provisions, etc.....		1,131,052		842,352
Lead.....do....	58,320	4,706	57,720	4,618	Total.....		1,808,863		1,117,312
Copper, silver, and gold.....do....	356,108	104,160	124,920	35,010	Total exports.....		116,802,016		101,169,299
Copper and silver.....do....			139,648	23,450					

CHILE.

[From official Chilean sources. The peso=36.5 cents.]

VALUE OF THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CHILE, BY COUNTRIES, DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1897.

COUNTRIES.	Imports.		Exports.	COUNTRIES.	Imports.		Exports.
	<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>			<i>Pesos.</i>	<i>Pesos.</i>	
Great Britain.....	29,073,356	42,001,882		Ecuador.....	134,606	270,766	
Germany.....	16,474,602	10,852,692		Costa Rica.....	97,656		
United States.....	4,450,645	3,333,298		Paraguay.....	17,185		
Peru.....	4,631,237	1,492,624		Guatemala.....	7,373		
Argentina.....	3,308,268	338,910		Switzerland.....	7,033		
France.....	2,879,636	2,785,151		Netherlands.....	5,611		
India.....	978,422			Other countries.....	151,458	2,097,597	
Italy.....	780,311	68,690		Bolivia (a).....		621,864	
Brazil.....	592,771	367,900		Colombia (a).....		194,580	
Australia.....	522,808			Central America (a).....		24,604	
Spain.....	505,281	500		Falkland Islands (a).....		10,800	
Uruguay.....	436,704	250,564		Total (b).....	65,502,805	64,754,133	
China.....	241,308						
Belgium.....	199,534	35,711					

a No imports.

b Including 148,342 pesos from fisheries.

**QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO CHILE DURING THE
CALENDAR YEAR 1897.**

ARTICLES.	Quantity.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Quantity.	Value.
		<i>Pesos.</i>			<i>Pesos.</i>
Animals, cattle.....head..	68,912	2,756,600	Iron and steel, and manufactures of—Continued.		
Articles for the use of the ministries of war and marine.....packages..	19,465	1,072,049	Nails, iron.....kilos..	2,340,644	254,068
Articles for the use of hospitals and charitable societies.....packages..	9,858	212,935	Machinery, sundry.....packages..	10,273	627,894
Books, printed.....		220,153	Machines and utensils for the use of the State railways.....packages..	20,609	651,292
Breadstuffs, corn.....kilos..	11,648,750	291,606	Machinery for the production of saltpeter.kilos..	2,022,256	505,561
Candles, spermaceti, and composition.....do....	2,666,615	1,176,557	Hardware, small wares.....packages..	36,212	1,121,710
Cement, Roman.....do....	18,205,079	365,129	Leather, morocco.....kilos..	92,109	325,787
Chemicals and drugs.....packages..	20,871	847,582	Millinery and articles of dress.....packages..	2,234	371,010
Coal, pit.....tons..	513,421	4,122,918	Oils:		
Coffee.....kilos..	900,411	360,499	Olive.....kilos..	1,683,392	411,486
Corks for bottles.....do....	456,018	279,873	Linseed.....do....	940,210	233,622
Cotton, manufactures of:			Illuminating and lubricating.....do....	1,717,150	296,288
Cloths—			Mineral, illuminating and lubricating.....do....	14,312,290	1,161,802
Coarse, drillings.....do....	553,818	525,643	Paper, printing.....do....	2,131,357	562,298
White goods.....do....	1,804,578	1,805,417	Phosphorus.....do....	1,517,822	310,853
Domestics (to enyas).....do....	816,301	610,887	Provisions (viveres).....		253,526
For pantaloons.....do....	733,358	696,230	Rice.....kilos..	9,077,227	824,679
Fine printed (quimones).....do....	1,420,274	2,131,679	Silk goods.....do....	9,556	239,641
Striped.....do....	168,129	534,198	Spirits, distilled (aguardiente).....		376,059
Serge-like.....do....	462,662	402,244	Sugar:		
Hosiery.....dozen..	443,305	383,036	Raw (prieto).....kilos..	26,667,958	3,732,087
Thread, on spools, reels, etc.....		551,140	Refined.....do....	8,266,921	1,904,063
Shawls and handkerchiefs.....kilos..	150,184	268,991	White.....do....	1,875,949	347,509
Earthen and glass ware:			Tea.....do....	701,300	1,046,256
Earthenware.....packages..	16,998	300,645	Yerba maté.....do....	2,526,588	506,317
Glassware, assorted.....do....	26,156	342,157	Timber for building purposes.....sq. meters..	2,060,704	719,247
Bottles, empty.....kilos..	8,247,292	411,365	Tobacco, cigars.....kilos....	23,476	233,971
Fibers, vegetable, manufactures of:			Wines:		
Bagging.....do....	1,204,627	528,506	Red.....dozen..	43,532	180,569
Bags, empty.....do....	15,057,656	2,440,209	White.....liters..	98,337	435,327
Grease:					79,196
Common and impure.....do....	2,715,102	376,095	Wool, manufactures of:		
For candles.....do....	2,418,124	435,313	Shag, etc.....kilos..	232,544	300,010
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:			Textures, cotton and wool mixed.....meters..	1,201,776	378,988
Iron, bars and billets.....do....	7,603,535	354,592	Shawls.....kilos..	120,453	522,209
Steel, sheets, plates, billets, etc.....do....	2,225,030	268,181	Flannels, assorted.....do....	764,880	755,290
Iron, sheet, galvanized.....do....	10,755,803	1,292,176	Cloths.....meters..	1,953,098	784,970
Pipes and tubes, galvanized iron.....do....	1,425,680	176,024	Cassimero.....do....	870,823	1,221,918
Pipes and tubes, other.....kilos..	1,628,592	148,089	Other articles.....do....		16,559,976
Wire (alambre surtido).....do....	4,366,212	571,505	Total imports.....		a 65,502,805

a Of which duty free 16,242,009 pesos.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES EXPORTED (SPECIAL) FROM CHILE
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1897.

ARTICLES.	Quantity.	Value.	ARTICLES.	Quantity.	Value.
		<i>Pesos.</i>			<i>Pesos.</i>
Animals		133, 740	Nuts	1, 956, 270	195, 625
Breadstuffs:			Quillay peel (cáscara de quillay)	997, 041	59, 794
Wheat	72, 394, 139	2, 599, 640	Seeds and grain		65, 261
Barley, spring and dried	18, 851, 110	924, 001	Vegetables:		
Flour, wheat	5, 239, 350	313, 464	Kidney beans	6, 318, 839	368, 535
Chemicals, drugs, etc.:			Lentils	508, 933	50, 893
Borate of lime	3, 154, 100	283, 770	Potatoes	4, 280, 050	86, 710
Iodine	242, 937	2, 429, 370	Pulse, chick-pea	681, 446	68, 155
Saltpeter	1, 047, 639, 549	37, 461, 559	Wax	244, 476	171, 186
Coal	243, 968	1, 869, 310	Wool:		
Copper:			Common	3, 093, 150	621, 209
Ore	3, 396, 190	169, 810	Merino	513, 500	110, 637
Bars	19, 011, 005	5, 226, 199	Gold and silver:		
Billets	2, 519, 177	251, 915	Gold, bullion, bars, etc.	1, 131, 663	905, 168
Furs and skins		66, 886	Silver sulphide (minerales sulfuro-platosos)		
Hair, horse, raw	99, 863	51, 138	..... kilos	182, 994	338, 062
Hay	3, 724, 471	74, 053	Silver ore	984, 127	434, 231
Hides of cattle, raw	1, 619, 602	218, 493	Silver bars	143, 541, 302	3, 781, 125
Honey	2, 074, 697	207, 465	Silver, old plate (chafalonia)	442, 500	12, 518
Lead	323, 720	62, 111	All other		2, 264, 262
Leather, sole	2, 776, 544	1, 344, 005	Total articles exported		64, 754, 133
Manganese ore	23, 528, 524	1, 411, 648			
Metals, ore (iron, nickel, cobalt, etc.)		122, 185			

URUGUAY.

[From official Uruguayan sources.]

VALUE OF THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF URUGUAY, BY COUNTRIES, DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS
1895, 1896, AND 1897.

COUNTRIES.	1895				1896				1897			
	Imports (special).	Per cent of total imports.	Exports (special).	Per cent of total exports.	Imports (special).	Per cent of total imports.	Exports (special).	Per cent of total exports.	Imports (special).	Per cent of total imports.	Exports (special).	Per cent of total exports.
	<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>	
United States	1, 759, 700	6. 93	3, 057, 926	9. 40	1, 776, 255	6. 96	1, 713, 613	5. 64	1, 505, 156	7. 72	2, 886, 792	9. 84
United Kingdom	7, 890, 220	31. 08	4, 949, 737	15. 25	7, 277, 372	28. 51	1, 983, 264	6. 52	4, 843, 937	24. 82	1, 754, 995	5. 99
France	2, 381, 832	9. 38	5, 830, 220	17. 92	2, 489, 784	9. 75	5, 040, 443	16. 58	1, 959, 204	10. 04	4, 970, 588	16. 96
Germany	2, 968, 293	11. 69	1, 670, 376	5. 13	2, 750, 292	10. 77	2, 479, 913	8. 16	1, 828, 556	9. 37	3, 064, 853	10. 45
Italy	2, 178, 931	8. 58	695, 193	2. 02	2, 283, 357	8. 95	477, 166	1. 57	1, 696, 561	8. 70	721, 243	2. 45
Spain	2, 031, 049	8. 00	298, 454	0. 92	1, 959, 374	7. 68	677, 587	2. 23	1, 689, 333	8. 66	396, 799	1. 35
Brazil	2, 218, 487	8. 74	6, 882, 077	21. 18	1, 444, 901	5. 66	7, 243, 034	23. 82	1, 620, 627	8. 31	5, 939, 256	20. 26
Belgium	1, 366, 362	5. 39	4, 363, 407	13. 41	1, 711, 026	6. 70	5, 377, 848	17. 69	1, 123, 636	5. 76	4, 982, 136	16. 99
Argentina	2, 240, 482	8. 83	4, 076, 431	12. 53	3, 523, 764	13. 80	4, 895, 172	16. 10	2, 950, 657	15. 12	4, 015, 771	13. 69
Cuba	214, 008	0. 84	263, 326	0. 63	142, 447	0. 56	14, 437	0. 05	93, 523	0. 48	107, 900	0. 36
Netherlands	2, 675	0. 01			8, 413	0. 03			4, 336	0. 02		
Paraguay	61, 458	0. 24			77, 343	0. 30	558		93, 376	0. 47		
Portugal	14, 614	0. 05	115, 965	0. 36	18, 630	0. 07	143, 287	0. 47	17, 613	0. 09	161, 710	0. 55
India, China, and Japan ..	174		100								160	0. 01
Chile	57, 821	0. 23	284, 362	0. 88	67, 227	0. 26	214, 598	0. 70	85, 701	0. 44	223, 367	0. 76
Other countries			116, 070	0. 37			142, 164	0. 47			94, 303	0. 34
Total	25, 386, 106	100. 00	32, 543, 644	100. 00	25, 530, 185	100. 00	30, 403, 084	100. 00	19, 512, 216	100. 00	29, 319, 573	100. 00

**QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO URUGUAY DURING THE
CALENDAR YEARS 1895, 1896, AND 1897.**

ARTICLES.	1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
I. Wines, spirits, etc.						
		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Spirits (aguardiente) of all kinds.....liters..	2,781,896	222,945	1,308,994	104,773	1,183	175
Bitters.....do.....	180,533	81,314	162,838	73,316	149,176	67,004
Beer.....do.....	31,028	6,521	29,442	6,247	25,544	5,544
Cognac (brandy).....do.....	154,025	71,263	133,883	61,332	99,784	45,512
Cordials.....do.....	30,481	16,775	33,702	18,427	25,019	13,926
Wines.....do.....	22,308,070	2,749,739	20,864,316	12,560,851	18,028,585	2,202,535
All other.....do.....		110,509		97,419		101,646
Total.....		3,259,060		2,922,365		2,496,232
II. Eatables, cereals, and spices.						
Confectionery.....		25,365		32,023		22,586
Spices.....		138,463		137,841		113,564
Fresh fruits.....		16,371		14,263		24,727
Dried fruits.....		146,844		158,940		126,823
Vegetables and cereals:						
Rice.....kilos..	3,777,753	338,779	3,917,113	343,513	3,970,096	352,858
Farina.....do.....	1,653,030	66,201	1,909,724	76,389	3,443,952	137,758
Corn (maize).....do.....	1,000	12	376,598	1,318	20,879,847	323,047
Potatoes.....do.....	2,567,256	115,788	2,541,726	114,331	3,437,969	154,709
All others.....		33,146		44,927		71,718
Fish, oysters, etc.....		95,910		100,373		90,094
Sugar (refined), molasses, etc.....kilos..	15,513,511	1,439,555	13,974,047	1,319,865	15,877,569	1,387,364
Yerba-maté, prepared and unprepared.....do.....	8,970,221	896,032	8,367,241	835,421	7,989,994	798,990
Coffee.....do.....	1,100,261	263,809	1,153,928	276,943	958,228	229,975
Other eatables.....		706,553		662,974		1,539,067
Total.....		4,282,830		4,119,121		4,373,280
III. Cigars and tobacco.						
Cigars.....kilos..	5,923	14,135	20,483	35,606	18,755	28,250
Tobacco, leaf, plug, etc.....do.....	517,129	204,494	692,276	215,117	580,267	156,478
Total.....	523,052	218,629	712,759	250,723	599,022	184,728
IV. Merchandise of all sorts.						
Burlaps.....kilos..	3,054,707	427,418	2,414,408	338,242	1,676,758	234,767
Cassimeres, cotton, wool, etc.....do.....	366,314	698,284	356,056	721,924	269,367	495,156
Cloth:						
Cotton.....		2,562,148		2,493,720		1,655,619
Thread.....kilos..		136,424		149,601		106,415
Silk.....		129,805		194,994		101,586
Wool.....		337,394		366,233		221,388
Oilcloth.....		15,725		17,248		15,206
Canvas, duck, sailcloth, etc.....		151,450		130,053		97,914
Textiles, wool, etc.....kilos..	111,090	187,308	83,178	126,550	119,459	158,361
Other articles.....		210,158		166,235		273,568
Total.....		4,856,114		4,704,800		3,359,980
V. Clothing, wearing apparel, etc.						
Foot wear (shoes, boots, etc.).....		43,200		49,527		38,252
Hats.....		212,993		230,891		136,647
Linen and white goods.....		620,966		658,915		400,712
Ready-made clothing.....		157,472		144,153		84,627
Other articles.....		346,240		362,741		313,886
Total.....		1,380,871		1,446,237		974,124
VI. Articles used in industry, materials, and machines.						
Leather, skins, etc.....		125,066		119,497		80,931
Tools, machines and materials for agriculture:						
Tools.....		144,022		117,180		49,341
Machines.....		200,410		95,793		74,064
Materials.....		38,055		41,543		25,353
Tools and machines for other industries.....		205,768		196,306		119,283
Thread.....		417,199		363,405		300,317
Lumber, timber and building materials.....		770,902		859,563		686,714
Naval articles.....		193,003		191,876		117,958
Oil, linsed, palm, etc.....		68,951		57,170		41,062

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO URUGUAY DURING THE
CALENDAR YEARS 1895, 1896, AND 1897—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
VI. Articles used in industry, materials, and machines—Continued.						
		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Wire fence .....kilos..	9,875,710	554,968	9,217,122	502,500	5,184,236	279,460
Coal.....tons..	114,851	1,148,509	103,583	1,035,829	73,444	734,439
Sheep-wash and medicine.....kilos..	598,460	179,537	944,974	283,492	531,472	159,442
Iron, bar, galvanized, etc.....do..	8,019,657	450,641	7,767,292	425,638	4,259,574	231,697
Paper, printing, picture, cigarette, etc.....do..	1,063,162	154,354	1,610,896	230,960	1,337,350	216,665
Paints.....do..	705,900	79,248	698,722	81,407	476,471	55,864
Salt, common, rock.....do..		181,072		213,028		163,394
Cement, clay, etc.....kilos..	6,337,088	102,070	5,571,991	90,640	4,930,955	79,768
Other materials used in industry (free of duty).....do..		276,315		484,918		590,479
All other articles.....do..		1,114,042		1,223,021		1,046,266
Total.....do..		6,404,132		6,613,786		5,058,497
VII. Various articles.						
Musical instruments.....do..		40,184		54,332		33,449
Charcoal.....hect..	310,499	155,219	231,522	140,761	338,941	169,471
Drugs.....do..		207,273		218,573		179,998
Glassware.....do..		126,600		119,487		67,993
Hardware.....do..		577,406		659,701		332,858
Kerosene.....liters..	8,686,307	400,747	8,268,636	384,168	8,258,711	384,526
Haberdashery (merceria en general).....do..		747,198		812,593		246,405
Paper, writing, brown, silk, etc.....do..		158,445		154,210		55,431
Perfumery.....do..		90,068		98,747		54,470
Articles free of duty.....do..		6,608		110,463		60,649
Other articles.....do..		619,046		699,145		489,289
Total.....do..		3,128,794		3,482,180		2,074,539
VIII. Live animals.						
Mules.....head..	175	1,400	524	3,360	1,251	11,830
Sheep.....do..	33,082	32,904	3,860	20,028	5,146	34,756
Hogs.....do..	27	95	127	405		
Cattle.....do..	265,943	1,790,985	248,583	1,946,212	94,293	770,104
Horses and mares.....do..	2,683	30,286	2,462	20,968	36,361	174,046
Total.....do..	301,910	1,855,670	255,296	1,990,973	137,051	990,736
Total imports.....do..		25,386,106		25,530,185		19,512,216

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF THE PRINCIPAL AND OTHER ARTICLES EXPORTED FROM URUGUAY DURING THE
CALENDAR YEARS 1895, 1896, 1897 (SPECIAL EXPORTS).

ARTICLES.	1895		1896		1897	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
I. Live animals.						
		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>		<i>Pesos.</i>
Cattle.....head..	95,387	617,790	154,017	1,060,563	88,713	637,645
Sheep.....do....	234,898	117,319	404,534	202,267	215,002	107,501
Horses and mares.....do....	26,174	191,824	30,172	140,100	3,707	16,453
Mules.....do....	5,407	64,884	8,489	67,912	1,114	8,912
Hogs.....do....	4,025	12,066	6,403	19,209	3,652	10,956
Other animals.....do....	283	566	1,067	477	300	311
Total.....	366,174	1,004,479	604,682	1,490,528	312,488	781,778
II. Animal products.						
Horns.....pieces..	2,157,845	104,019	2,008,808	104,347	1,934,849	98,099
Animal hair.....kilos..	785,247	287,582	744,345	260,521	987,833	358,389
Bones, bone ash, shin bone, etc.....do....	14,812,362	140,656	17,432,860	126,598	17,579,625	140,302
Jerked beef.....do....	55,024,873	4,921,524	55,293,521	4,561,799	45,753,767	4,312,904
Meat, extracts, preserved, liquid, etc.....do....	598,065	2,042,316	770,607	2,132,061	438,498	1,210,179
Hides and skins.....do....		7,300,477		6,707,130		6,634,461
Grease.....kilos..	1,050,224	99,273	1,552,931	130,446	1,069,564	90,887
Guano.....do....	8,987,598	179,752	11,194,418	223,888	5,364,369	107,287
Wool.....do....	50,765,037	10,252,492	42,850,227	10,284,055	51,678,340	12,402,802
Tongues (preserved).....do....	1,130,026	226,005	791,305	158,261	671,777	134,355
Ostrich feathers.....do....	21,242	33,056	28,702	34,443	40,869	49,075
Candle grease.....do....	19,601,708	1,843,598	19,612,724	1,647,469	15,422,462	1,299,130
Other articles.....do....		44,237		47,578		45,805
Total.....		27,474,987		26,418,590		26,884,575
III. Agricultural products.						
Bran.....kilos..	4,587,529	45,872	7,319,483	76,745	2,647,240	36,697
Bran (special).....do....	978,641	9,329	611,960	6,956	222,200	3,985
Garlic and onions.....do....		29,411		15,508		23,753
Fruit, fresh.....do....		30,909		26,854		41,953
Flour, wheat.....kilos..	19,362,588	681,774	17,714,348	733,282	11,454,191	612,357
Flax and flaxseed meal.....do....	989,594	33,186	2,200,836	68,330	1,201,658	37,645
Corn (maize).....do....	67,645,707	724,130	89,695,850	866,869	1,377,974	34,565
Wheat.....do....	99,964,568	2,097,762	6,390,536	161,112	12,548,612	392,638
Other articles.....do....		92,403		63,323		19,081
Total.....		3,735,776		2,018,985		1,202,674
IV. Other products.						
Paving stones.....pieces..	1,384,700	41,541	1,141,500	34,245	1,538,400	46,152
Sand.....tons..	104,323	90,960	178,118	142,494	180,660	144,528
Skins of sea animals, etc.....do....		68,596		82,068		65,637
Stones, common.....tons..	20,604	20,604	74,634	74,634	83,810	83,810
Other articles.....do....		15,458		19,425		14,831
Total.....		237,159		352,866		354,958
V. Iron, copper, brass, etc.						
		588		12,992		12,435
VI. Supplies and provisions for vessels						
		90,655		108,117		83,153
Total exports.....		32,543,644		30,403,084		29,319,573

NORTH AMERICA.

COMMERCE OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES WITH THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, SPAIN, AND ALL OTHER COUNTRIES.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

[Merchandise only; year ending June 30.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports (special).	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	58,574,024	44,448,410	+14,125,614	61,649,041	49,373,472	+12,275,569	78,705,590	45,705,336	+33,000,254
United Kingdom	32,979,742	66,690,288	-33,710,546	29,412,188	77,227,502	-47,815,314	32,500,917	104,998,818	-72,497,901
France	2,810,942	581,540	+ 2,229,402	2,601,351	690,696	+ 1,910,655	3,975,351	1,025,262	+ 2,950,089
Germany	5,931,459	757,531	+ 5,173,928	6,493,368	1,045,432	+ 5,447,936	5,584,014	1,837,448	+ 3,746,566
Spain	361,778	83,814	+ 277,964	386,532	50,452	+ 336,080	488,787	89,675	+ 399,112
Other countries	9,929,535	8,452,269	+ 1,477,266	10,751,541	9,562,699	+ 188,842	9,443,347	10,486,144	- 1,052,797
Total	110,587,480	121,013,852	-10,426,372	111,294,021	137,950,253	-26,656,232	130,698,006	164,152,683	-33,454,677
Per cent of United States	52.97	36.73	.....	55.39	35.79	.....	60.22	27.84	.....

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897		
	Imports.	Exports. ^a	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports. ^a	Exports. ^a	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	1,321,153	432,603	+ 888,550	1,473,669	489,010	+ 984,659	2,131,934	533,500	+1,601,434
United Kingdom	1,505,485	1,775,192	- 269,707	1,875,690	1,727,792	+ 147,898	1,960,932	1,349,227	+ 611,705
Canada	2,928,071	700,654	+2,227,417	2,231,563	638,718	+1,592,845	1,593,876	478,094	+1,115,782
Brazil .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,082,178	-1,082,178	258	837,364	- 837,106
Portugal .....	.....	.....	.....	16,936	1,245,303	-1,228,397	16,128	858,100	- 841,972
Germany	Not given.	38,232	.....	.....	47,531	- 47,531	.....	57,960	- 57,960
Spain	52,597	231,796	- 179,199	73,302	280,422	- 207,060	47,536	151,657	- 107,121
Other countries	239,344	3,127,685	-2,888,341	315,466	1,127,006	- 811,540	184,469	656,716	- 472,247
Total	6,084,882	6,306,162	- 221,280	5,986,656	6,637,960	- 651,304	5,938,133	4,925,618	+1,012,515
Per cent of United States	21.71	6.86	.....	24.61	7.37	.....	35.95	10.83	.....

^a Including bullion and specie.

Gold and silver bullion and specie: Imports, 1896, \$75,781; 1897, \$8,565. Exports, 1896, \$530; 1897, \$8,005.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM MEXICO.

[Merchandise and specie in Mexican dollars; years ending June 30.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	20,145,763	79,651,695	-59,505,932	22,593,860	86,742,951	-64,149,091	21,490,604	94,974,616	-73,484,012
United Kingdom	7,905,016	16,467,149	- 8,562,133	6,881,701	14,280,527	- 7,398,826	8,105,696	14,775,638	- 6,669,942
France	6,099,183	2,080,802	+ 4,018,381	4,989,082	1,873,522	+ 3,115,560	5,435,698	5,320,016	+ 115,682
Germany	4,363,229	2,968,792	+ 1,394,437	4,003,263	4,416,744	- 413,481	4,781,821	6,995,733	- 2,213,912
Spain	2,174,298	813,162	+ 1,361,136	1,983,794	1,192,328	+ 791,466	2,039,132	1,231,342	+ 807,790
Other countries	1,566,449	3,035,302	- 1,468,853	1,752,395	2,840,422	- 1,088,027	1,759,511	5,675,404	- 3,924,863
Total	42,253,938	105,016,902	-62,762,964	42,204,095	111,346,494	-69,142,399	43,603,492	128,972,749	-85,369,257
Per cent of United States	47.68	75.85	.....	53.54	77.90	.....	49.29	73.64	.....

Specie and bullion: Imports, 1895-96, \$59,336; exports, 1895-96, \$64,838,596. Imports, 1896-97, \$73,737; exports, 1896-97, \$66,183,097. Imports, 1897-98, \$1,190,589; exports, 1897-98, \$75,042,332.

COMMERCE OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES WITH THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE,
GERMANY, SPAIN, ETC.—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM NICARAGUA.

[Merchandise and specie; calendar years.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	700,046	927,114	— 227,068	676,372	1,008,715	— 332,343	488,207	516,336	— 28,129
United Kingdom	1,443,959	666,511	+ 777,448	1,472,385	729,696	+ 742,689	995,686	730,218	+265,468
France	507,947	278,315	+ 229,632	477,611	286,661	+ 190,950	267,658	97,330	+170,328
Germany	810,827	2,406,304	—1,595,477	929,939	2,286,145	—1,356,206	462,142	1,363,350	—901,208
Central American States	194,660	681,310	— 486,650	115,229	919,410	— 804,180	72,998	217,223	—144,225
Other countries	464,926	41,648	+ 423,278	50,173	324,315	— 274,142	284,690	51,468	+233,222
Total	4,122,365	5,001,202	— 878,837	3,721,709	5,654,951	—1,933,242	2,571,381	2,976,025	—404,644
Per cent of United States	16.98	18.54	.....	18.17	17.99	.....	18.99	17.35	.....

WEST INDIES.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM PORTO RICO.

[Merchandise and specie; calendar years.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1894			1895			1896		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	4,682,725	2,347,869	+2,334,856	3,803,307	3,035,209	+ 768,098	3,973,855	2,552,174	+1,421,681
United Kingdom	2,259,844	1,055,767	+1,204,077	1,839,935	1,162,760	+ 647,175	2,267,982	139,430	+2,128,552
France	371,517	1,842,250	—1,470,733	262,597	1,434,043	—1,171,446	288,734	2,606,002	—2,317,268
Germany	1,610,430	1,735,016	— 124,586	1,426,236	1,231,153	+ 195,083	1,297,429	1,885,739	— 588,310
Spain	6,740,153	4,252,506	+2,487,647	5,337,263	2,914,417	+2,422,846	5,971,445	5,288,257	+ 683,188
Other countries	3,421,667	5,456,783	—2,035,116	4,166,115	5,438,057	—1,271,942	4,483,245	5,869,828	—1,386,583
Total	19,086,336	16,690,191	+2,396,145	16,835,453	15,245,639	+1,589,814	18,282,690	18,341,430	— 58,740
Per cent of United States	24.53	14.07	.....	22.59	19.91	.....	21.74	13.91	.....

COMMERCE OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES WITH THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, SPAIN, ETC.—Continued.

[Merchandise and specie—year ending March 31.]

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM JAMAICA.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	4,636,227	5,193,456	— 557,229	3,556,881	4,049,848	— 492,967	3,502,839	4,394,119	— 891,280
United Kingdom	5,383,210	2,518,434	+2,864,776	4,512,774	1,965,686	+2,547,088	3,780,730	1,551,698	+2,229,032
British North America	816,409	149,484	+ 666,925	737,882	84,074	+ 653,808	578,617	96,186	+ 482,431
France	12,414	301,655	— 289,241	20,678	348,612	— 327,934	9,388	400,080	— 390,692
Germany	116,271	426,797	— 310,526	99,092	248,649	— 149,557	62,301	153,304	— 91,003
Other countries	174,620	525,640	— 351,020	106,757	458,659	— 351,302	147,761	453,461	— 305,700
Total	11,139,151	9,115,466	+2,023,685	9,034,064	7,154,928	+1,879,136	8,081,636	7,048,848	+1,032,788
Per cent of United States	41.62	56.98	.....	39.37	56.62	.....	43.31	62.34	.....

Specie and bullion: 1897, imports, \$135,809; exports, \$928,475. 1898, imports, \$76,643; exports, \$245,130.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM TRINIDAD.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	a Imports from—	a Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	2,158,181	2,744,278	— 586,097	2,231,193	3,260,312	—1,029,119	2,193,156	3,057,447	— 864,291
United Kingdom	4,810,793	4,416,314	+ 394,479	4,762,187	4,593,431	+ 168,756	4,174,761	3,472,442	+ 702,319
Venezuela .....	.....	.....	.....	2,550,250	1,020,636	+1,529,614	2,251,715	1,239,790	+1,011,925
France	393,700	1,288,304	— 894,604	458,775	952,330	— 493,555	296,058	1,060,415	— 770,387
Germany	194,149	179,365	+ 14,784	244,104	211,260	+ 32,844	159,728	354,841	— 195,113
Spain	103,034	17,154	+ 85,880	113,613	17,665	+ 95,948	128,505	22,186	+ 106,319
Other countries	3,420,502	1,404,414	+2,016,088	1,628,622	484,329	+1,144,293	1,313,708	495,156	+ 818,552
Total	11,080,359	10,049,820	+1,030,539	11,988,744	10,539,963	+1,448,781	10,517,631	9,708,307	+ 809,324
Per cent of United States	19.48	27.35	.....	18.61	30.93	.....	20.85	31.49	.....

a Including bullion and specie.

b Including Spanish Possessions, except West Indies.

Imports and exports of gold and silver bullion and specie: Imports, 1896, \$1,339,338; 1897, \$819,489; exports, 1896, \$1,309,439; 1897, \$832,698.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM BARBADOES.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897 ^b		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	a Imports from—	a Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	1,637,860	1,100,296	+ 537,564	1,737,754	2,032,611	— 294,857	1,506,565	2,090,293	— 523,728
United Kingdom	1,904,914	339,437	+1,565,427	2,275,814	187,458	+2,088,356	2,309,748	165,325	+2,144,423
British North America	361,612	466,449	— 74,837	477,905	582,656	— 104,751	529,646	419,293	+ 110,353
Other countries	722,470	951,854	— 229,384	612,936	887,192	— 274,256	502,875	907,626	— 404,751
Total	4,656,856	2,858,086	+1,798,770	5,104,409	3,689,917	+1,414,492	4,908,834	3,582,537	+1,326,297
Per cent of United States	35.18	38.50	.....	31.04	55.09	.....	31.91	58.35	.....

a Includes bullion and specie.

b Includes estimated amount for freight, insurance, and value of packages.

Bullion and specie: Imports, 1896, \$45,769; 1897, \$58,301. Exports, 1896, \$13,096; 1897, \$17,690.

SOUTH AMERICA.

COMMERCE OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES WITH THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, SPAIN, ETC.—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM ARGENTINA.

[Merchandise and specie; calendar years. Peso=96.5 cents.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	10,818,108	6,235,217	+ 4,582,891	9,748,154	8,030,355	+ 1,717,799	11,129,075	5,874,295	+ 5,254,780
United Kingdom	43,164,417	13,885,154	+ 29,279,263	35,118,335	12,530,226	+ 22,588,109	32,012,600	19,205,908	+ 12,806,692
France	11,607,516	22,827,052	-11,219,536	10,633,891	22,194,053	-11,560,162	10,596,725	29,981,056	-19,384,331
Germany	13,408,738	12,866,138	+ 542,600	10,725,108	13,555,485	- 2,830,377	12,571,116	20,286,338	- 7,715,222
Italy							13,695,241	5,256,054	+ 8,439,187
Brazil							5,012,115	7,916,301	- 2,904,186
Spain	2,901,955	1,125,576	+ 1,776,379	3,132,048	1,226,659	+ 1,905,389	3,315,470	387,908	+ 2,927,472
Other countries	26,337,131	54,774,808	-28,437,677	25,491,299	40,091,596	-14,600,297	19,096,558	44,921,508	-25,824,950
Total	108,237,865	111,713,945	- 3,476,080	94,848,835	97,628,374	- 2,779,539	107,428,900	133,829,458	-26,400,558
Per cent of United States	9.99	5.58		10.28	8.23		10.36	4.39	

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM CHILE.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	4,176,608	2,012,891	+ 2,163,717	4,346,375	1,372,892	+ 2,973,483	1,624,485	1,216,654	+ 407,831
United Kingdom	29,263,307	49,095,688	-19,832,381	19,313,988	34,594,277	-15,280,289	10,611,775	15,330,687	-4,718,912
France	1,499,382	2,577,884	- 1,078,502	1,809,647	1,731,729	+ 77,918	1,051,067	1,016,580	+ 34,487
Germany	15,776,724	7,328,529	+ 8,448,195	12,821,682	6,393,882	+ 6,427,800	6,013,230	3,961,233	+ 2,051,997
Spain	329,630	132,852	+ 196,778	299,937	1,277	+ 298,660	184,428	183	+ 184,245
Other countries	12,070,724	5,355,088	+ 6,715,636	8,710,242	3,384,429	+ 5,325,713	4,423,539	2,109,922	+ 2,313,617
Total	63,116,375	66,502,932	- 3,386,557	47,301,871	47,478,486	- 176,615	23,908,524	23,635,259	+ 273,265
Per cent of United States	6.62	3.03		9.19	2.89		6.79	5.15	

Total specie: Imports, 1896, \$60,969; 1897, \$15,100. Exports, 1896, \$848,537; 1897, \$109,299 (countries not specified).

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM COLOMBIA.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1891			1892		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) of exports (-).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	1,599,842	4,012,517	-2,412,675	1,286,132	3,355,127	-2,068,995
United Kingdom	5,268,531	4,410,869	+ 857,662	2,963,890	4,123,136	-1,159,246
France	3,073,779	1,037,071	+ 2,036,708	1,550,920	1,050,945	+ 499,975
Germany	1,639,806	1,274,089	+ 365,717	908,962	1,075,574	- 166,612
Other countries	2,480,241	1,335,723	+ 1,144,518	1,556,506	1,364,014	+ 192,492
Total	14,062,199	12,070,268	+ 1,991,931	8,266,810	10,968,796	-2,701,986
Per cent of United States	11.38	33.24		15.55	30.59	

COMMERCE OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES WITH THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE,
GERMANY, SPAIN, ETC.—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM BRITISH GUIANA.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1896			1897			1898		
	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports from—	Exports to—	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	1,857,285	3,290,663	—1,243,378	1,458,738	3,790,775	—2,332,037	1,663,073	3,428,916	—1,765,843
United Kingdom	3,843,644	4,711,997	— 868,353	3,813,861	4,692,513	— 878,652	3,605,483	4,618,381	—1,012,898
British North America	337,473	206,117	+ 131,356	421,517	96,980	+ 324,537	397,159	80,268	+ 226,891
France	58,121	23,043	+ 35,078	39,112	23,588	+ 15,524	30,941	23,695	+ 7,246
Other countries	928,528	469,452	+ 459,076	796,204	639,851	+ 156,353	636,947	529,428	+ 107,519
Total	7,025,051	8,611,272	—1,586,221	6,529,432	9,243,707	—2,714,275	6,243,603	8,680,668	—2,437,065
Per cent of United States	26.44	37.17		22.34	41.01		26.64	39.49	

Bullion and specie: Imports, 1897, \$217,890; 1898 (ended March 31), \$53,451. Exports, 1897, \$2,329,379; 1898 (ended March 31), \$2,251,228.

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM PERU.

[Merchandise and specie; calendar years. Sol = 44.8 cents.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1893			1894			1897		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	493,324	515,097	— 41,773	395,438	490,902	— 104,464	737,856	624,064	+ 113,792
United Kingdom	2,562,722	5,551,855	—2,989,133	2,028,800	3,283,380	—1,254,580	3,060,736	7,010,304	—3,949,568
France	608,647	313,923	+ 294,724	508,209	183,692	+ 324,508	585,536		+ 585,536
Germany	1,153,225	605,657	+ 547,568	887,452	378,624	+ 508,828	1,370,880	1,039,256	+ 331,624
Chile	806,095	2,004,101	—1,138,006	725,541	1,744,199	—1,018,658	530,736	2,577,344	—2,046,608
Other countries	1,228,060	2,230,223	—1,002,163	1,244,163	1,186,109	+ 58,074	1,780,048	2,648,232	— 868,184
Total	6,912,073	11,210,856	—4,328,783	5,789,614	7,275,906	—1,486,292	8,065,792	13,899,200	—5,833,408
Per cent United States	7.12	4.76		6.83	6.87		9.15	5.21	

IMPORTS INTO AND EXPORTS FROM URUGUAY.

[Merchandise and specie; calendar years. Peso = \$1.034.]

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED AND TO WHICH EXPORTED.	1895			1896			1897		
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
United States	1,819,529	3,161,895	—1,342,366	1,836,648	1,771,876	+ 64,772	1,556,331	2,984,943	—1,428,612
United Kingdom	8,158,487	5,118,028	+3,040,459	7,524,803	2,050,695	+5,474,108	5,008,631	1,814,665	+3,193,966
France	2,462,814	6,028,447	—3,565,633	2,574,437	5,211,818	—2,637,381	2,025,817	5,139,588	—3,113,771
Germany	3,069,214	1,727,168	+1,342,046	2,843,802	2,564,230	+ 279,572	1,890,727	3,169,058	—1,278,331
Spain	2,100,104	298,591	+1,791,513	2,025,993	700,625	+1,325,368	1,746,770	410,290	+1,336,480
Other countries	8,639,085	17,305,999	—8,666,914	9,592,523	19,137,545	—9,545,017	7,947,355	16,797,894	—8,850,539
Total	26,249,233	33,650,128	—7,400,895	26,398,211	31,436,789		20,175,631	30,316,438	
Per cent of United States	6.99	9.04		6.96	5.61		7.72	9.84	

Specie (countries not specified): Imports, 1896, \$9,221,751; 1897, \$3,138,892. Exports, 1896, \$8,055,915; 1897, \$3,222,850.

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NORTH AMERICA.

NOTES.—1. The years in this statement end as follows: United States on June 30; United Kingdom, France, and Spain on December 31, and Germany on March 31.
2. The pound sterling is reckoned at \$4.8665; the franc and peseta at 19.3 cents, and the mark at 23.8 cents.

[France, Germany, and Spain do not show their trade with Canada and Newfoundland separately.]

YEARS.	DOMINION OF CANADA.				NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR.			
	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.	
	Imports into, from Dominion of Canada.	Exports from, to Dominion of Canada.	Imports into, from Dominion of Canada.	Exports from, to Dominion of Canada.	Imports into, from Newfound- land and Lab- rador.	Exports from, to Newfoundland and Labrador.	Imports into, from Newfound- land and Lab- rador.	Exports from, to Newfound- land and Lab- rador.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1831.....	37,684,101	37,903,322	52,097,649	42,745,886	357,846	1,609,554	2,897,782	2,548,284
1882.....	50,775,581	36,500,403	48,033,659	48,730,431	337,894	2,069,419	2,572,343	3,258,107
1883.....	44,294,158	44,417,110	57,253,024	46,049,018	446,718	2,163,143	2,525,733	3,149,331
1884.....	38,399,835	44,306,196	50,551,854	44,067,287	616,005	2,105,254	3,172,987	3,073,219
1885.....	26,695,685	38,245,634	48,481,129	38,597,575	264,856	2,879,273	1,873,471	2,157,573
1886.....	37,304,036	33,462,800	48,962,894	42,032,243	192,302	1,322,221	1,723,693	1,993,041
1887.....	37,817,277	34,988,110	49,964,307	42,842,340	168,307	1,174,237	1,448,937	2,028,697
1888.....	42,924,554	35,882,383	43,387,271	39,974,049	159,569	1,362,736	1,716,468	2,401,273
1889.....	42,738,074	40,607,561	57,355,781	43,481,691	271,399	1,533,595	1,973,522	2,399,638
1890.....	39,042,977	40,282,108	58,496,118	38,006,437	354,003	1,221,704	2,064,987	2,252,868
1891.....	39,087,782	38,147,778	58,901,649	37,973,285	346,753	1,295,977	2,447,470	2,418,383
1892.....	34,954,203	43,299,787	68,384,107	38,397,785	380,344	1,586,201	2,503,590	3,111,133
1893.....	37,777,463	46,794,331	62,999,787	38,649,242	408,879	1,834,177	1,936,823	3,013,108
1894.....	30,790,916	56,664,094	60,863,573	31,769,675	535,815	1,649,129	1,951,486	4,150,390
1895.....	36,574,327	52,854,769	62,283,749	30,594,376	431,836	1,126,999	2,930,125	1,499,719
1896.....	40,887,565	59,687,921	78,094,005	30,298,639	324,435	1,398,125	1,931,981	2,286,569
1897.....	40,309,371	64,928,821	93,523,998	29,743,712	413,421	1,099,904	1,562,536	1,717,626
1898.....	31,870,486	83,714,086	.....	.....	372,115	1,175,733	.....	.....

MEXICO.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY.		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Mexico.	Exports from, to Mexico. <i>a</i>	Imports into, from Mexico.	Exports from, to Mexico.	Imports into, from Mexico.	Exports from, to Mexico.	Imports into, from Mexico.	Exports from, to Mexico.	Imports into, from Mexico.	Exports from, to Mexico.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	8,317,802	11,171,238	2,878,218	8,202,247	1,590,883	8,998,140	361,998	699,006	228,146	871,861
1882.....	8,461,899	15,482,562	2,818,531	9,526,252	1,797,737	10,119,841	309,400	823,004	240,456	1,077,079
1883.....	8,177,123	16,587,620	3,546,485	7,884,956	1,537,337	9,791,092	497,420	823,718	211,929	1,231,929
1884.....	9,016,486	12,704,292	3,408,984	5,271,164	1,011,578	6,574,365	872,984	878,696	160,423	891,811
1885.....	9,267,021	8,340,784	3,527,468	4,217,654	1,198,445	5,987,782	1,791,188	644,742	114,066	931,112
1886.....	10,687,972	7,737,623	2,877,497	4,883,252	1,025,098	7,583,221	1,788,332	986,510	192,253	1,043,810
1887.....	14,719,840	7,959,557	2,306,833	5,751,488	1,540,063	7,631,701	1,310,190	1,146,208	180,386	1,266,468
1888.....	17,329,889	9,897,772	2,215,070	6,683,432	1,655,085	8,471,374	1,750,728	1,616,020	50,788	1,344,885
1889.....	21,253,601	11,486,896	2,267,760	7,889,112	1,655,389	10,777,561	2,569,686	3,463,424	159,526	1,625,364
1890.....	22,690,915	13,285,287	2,642,407	9,794,133	1,326,657	10,681,834	2,608,718	3,543,820	84,975	1,797,487
1891.....	27,295,992	14,969,620	2,401,389	9,522,023	1,659,540	8,809,652	3,046,400	3,374,840	200,007	1,509,521
1892.....	28,107,525	14,293,999	2,209,732	7,099,372	1,903,072	6,837,205	3,554,054	2,960,720	112,150	1,433,075
1893.....	33,555,099	19,568,634	2,843,182	6,115,623	3,340,453	5,386,822	3,000,446	2,934,540	166,949	1,250,786
1894.....	28,727,006	12,842,140	2,699,671	6,446,477	3,046,585	5,822,073	3,068,058	2,689,876	193,402	1,345,545
1895.....	15,635,788	15,005,906	2,274,266	8,056,622	2,265,482	7,498,579	2,844,100	4,040,288	336,793	1,476,932
1896.....	17,456,177	19,450,256	2,885,846	8,187,658	3,029,884	6,390,245	3,338,618	3,687,695	376,093	1,675,657
1897.....	18,511,572	23,421,058	2,890,185	8,427,989	3,389,514	5,123,488	3,141,124	4,237,106	.....	.....
1898.....	19,094,863	21,206,939	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

a Exports from the United States to Mexico, defective, the value of goods exported over railways not being included prior to 1894.

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HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY.		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Exports from, to Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Imports into, from Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Exports from, to Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Imports into, from Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Exports from, to Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Imports into, from Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Exports from, to Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Imports into, from Haiti and Santo Domingo.	Exports from, to Haiti and Santo Domingo.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	5,642,050	5,276,518	553,794	1,933,864	10,306,200	2,045,800	.....	.....	40,203	16,243
1882.....	4,445,997	4,159,608	354,890	1,246,525	7,083,100	772,000	.....	.....	35,559	22,280
1883.....	4,389,034	4,424,975	590,000	1,505,865	9,186,800	733,400	.....	.....	42,179	45,476
1884.....	3,829,026	4,064,279	749,305	2,529,894	6,137,400	1,505,400	.....	.....	47,461	27,598
1885.....	3,932,855	4,294,008	560,772	1,808,348	8,665,700	1,389,600	.....	.....	18,612	1,068
1886.....	4,260,123	4,111,650	451,616	1,391,692	8,492,000	1,254,500	.....	.....	4,881	28,296
1887.....	3,132,663	4,262,993	226,993	2,162,429	10,151,800	1,428,200	.....	.....	20,484	11,988
1888.....	4,378,212	5,434,832	391,471	1,564,147	14,938,200	1,659,800	.....	.....	3,564	666
1889.....	5,211,704	5,340,270	229,325	1,278,381	12,390,600	1,312,400	4,315,178	447,202	10,656	8,817
1890.....	4,372,234	6,285,285	436,004	2,664,258	13,703,000	3,223,100	5,377,848	785,400	4,836	13,517
1891.....	4,853,814	6,983,564	217,810	1,632,020	13,536,014	1,965,136	6,390,538	520,744	8,942	1,421
1892.....	5,496,477	6,302,233	199,385	1,273,032	10,972,436	2,335,300	5,877,618	531,216	.....	8,742
1893.....	3,132,336	6,615,519	329,492	1,659,238	14,332,858	3,248,485	5,571,818	750,890	20,098	102
1894.....	4,040,898	7,511,937	394,536	1,699,679	13,369,680	3,364,890	4,818,548	851,326	13,273	.....
1895.....	4,261,122	6,453,868	258,976	1,812,908	17,061,200	2,123,000	6,286,294	763,504	75	.....
1896.....	4,592,687	5,487,618	452,293	1,435,720	12,816,880	3,968,880	4,480,826	632,604	5,504	.....
1897.....	3,829,644	4,931,023	360,286	1,510,547	9,327,048	1,300,789	4,744,910	476,952	.....	.....
1898.....	3,258,721	4,119,837	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

SOUTH AMERICA.

ARGENTINA.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY. ^a		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Argentina.	Exports from, to Argentina.	Imports into, from Argentina.	Exports from, to Argentina.	Imports into, from Argentina.	Exports from, to Argentina.	Imports into, from Argentina.	Exports from, to Argentina.	Imports into, from Argentina.	Exports from, to Argentina.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	5,669,240	2,427,863	2,848,937	16,617,501	25,819,855	23,118,700	1,526,770	1,410,150	1,225,442	3,363,454
1882.....	5,234,914	2,964,253	6,006,473	20,757,988	32,679,873	25,803,231	6,112,316	1,776,908	1,274,163	3,039,624
1883.....	6,192,111	3,543,196	4,602,288	24,577,898	38,018,683	24,897,000	7,923,972	2,430,932	1,482,326	3,362,822
1884.....	4,110,038	5,074,593	5,639,266	28,892,511	38,246,779	27,248,371	11,078,900	3,230,136	1,612,198	3,735,621
1885.....	4,328,510	4,676,501	9,143,769	23,167,839	38,392,784	25,548,567	11,255,734	3,079,244	1,980,939	3,455,051
1886.....	5,022,346	4,725,646	8,011,894	25,900,876	44,344,924	29,350,146	11,225,508	3,167,542	1,789,775	3,628,405
1887.....	4,100,192	6,364,545	10,593,193	31,019,689	36,060,774	36,539,670	11,146,492	4,953,018	1,161,916	3,653,716
1888.....	5,902,159	6,643,553	12,938,364	38,103,794	37,052,936	34,530,611	16,968,924	6,877,248	1,548,978	3,375,621
1889.....	5,454,618	9,293,856	9,811,750	53,038,743	42,603,067	43,111,645	20,407,310	14,851,676	1,653,511	4,494,980
1890.....	5,401,697	8,887,477	20,097,681	41,513,323	41,426,774	23,283,844	17,669,834	6,945,316	2,041,823	2,974,009
1891.....	5,976,544	2,820,035	16,795,401	21,247,275	39,426,900	11,844,200	26,476,786	4,936,120	2,181,451	1,505,913
1892.....	5,343,798	2,927,488	22,095,652	28,265,990	34,633,224	13,781,850	22,560,020	8,999,494	2,621,069	1,898,698
1893.....	5,239,005	4,979,696	23,537,713	27,535,776	33,824,294	15,108,239	23,927,806	10,667,636	2,602,834	1,860,971
1894.....	3,497,030	4,862,746	30,019,609	22,548,027	34,558,593	13,420,785	25,294,640	7,570,066	3,482,187	1,521,440
1895.....	7,675,270	4,456,163	44,209,705	26,672,547	37,056,487	10,631,355	28,406,490	9,114,448	2,780,304	1,936,120
1896.....	9,313,385	5,979,046	43,672,769	33,363,483	42,322,466	14,634,464	26,535,096	11,161,010	1,680,415	1,944,804
1897.....	10,772,627	6,384,984	28,001,432	24,311,385	41,184,709	14,076,724	25,702,572	8,781,248	.....	.....
1898.....	5,915,879	6,429,070	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

^a Includes imports into and exports from Germany from and to the Argentine Republic, Uruguay, and Paraguay prior to 1887.

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BRAZIL.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY.		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Brazil.	Exports from, to Brazil.	Imports into, from Brazil.	Exports from, to Brazil.	Imports into, from Brazil.	Exports from, to Brazil.	Imports into, from Brazil.	Exports from, to Brazil.	Imports into, from Brazil.	Exports from, to Brazil.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	52,782,536	9,252,415	30,855,625	33,648,533	23,950,119	18,099,421	1,190,238	2,433,074	713,379	226,883
1882.....	48,801,878	9,152,562	31,545,354	35,648,665	19,151,408	16,870,130	432,446	2,905,980	308,159	206,137
1883.....	44,488,459	9,252,094	29,873,112	34,140,119	24,215,849	15,657,473	742,798	3,744,216	476,046	133,306
1884.....	50,265,889	8,695,659	22,879,572	33,040,490	20,288,791	15,447,354	699,006	3,936,520	52,678	166,795
1885.....	45,263,660	7,317,293	19,880,670	27,310,102	19,717,384	12,521,623	928,914	3,213,000	176,369	97,513
1886.....	41,907,532	6,541,216	16,843,613	30,927,556	17,410,693	12,912,149	1,019,592	4,126,206	59,694	149,508
1887.....	52,953,176	8,127,883	26,177,259	29,616,843	22,538,478	13,887,308	990,794	3,890,586	33,606	99,504
1888.....	53,710,234	7,137,008	25,339,374	31,951,789	19,407,558	15,453,898	4,346,356	5,247,900	12,720	104,506
1889.....	60,403,804	9,351,081	24,676,211	32,850,593	26,179,203	18,950,419	29,164,996	13,467,230	22,969	112,728
1890.....	59,318,756	11,972,214	21,172,560	37,934,723	24,315,788	18,872,490	38,227,560	13,719,986	22,156	99,129
1891.....	83,230,595	14,120,246	20,682,182	41,877,658	25,006,021	23,423,970	45,160,024	14,500,388	216	85,344
1892.....	118,633,604	14,291,873	17,090,861	39,993,140	30,767,097	18,117,014	35,670,012	13,514,592	661	70,147
1893.....	76,232,138	12,388,124	22,561,590	39,261,793	23,913,062	20,956,431	35,895,398	16,171,862	1,394	62,653
1894.....	79,360,159	13,866,006	19,174,346	38,087,983	17,373,657	23,805,858	23,500,572	15,128,708	3,607	823,733
1895.....	78,831,476	15,165,079	17,588,285	37,198,256	32,178,423	23,211,859	32,715,718	19,198,270	32,807	706,927
1896.....	71,060,046	14,258,187	19,727,151	33,982,993	24,491,037	20,953,857	27,930,490	15,715,616	2,052	561,417
1897.....	69,039,389	12,441,065	18,183,283	27,721,024	27,946,383	16,917,622	28,909,860	12,489,526	.....	.....
1898.....	61,750,369	13,317,036	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CHILE.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY.		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Chile.	Exports from, to Chile.	Imports into, from Chile.	Exports from, to Chile.	Imports into, from Chile.	Exports from, to Chile.	Imports into, from Chile.	Exports from, to Chile.	Imports into, from Chile.	Exports from, to Chile.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	1,435,970	1,614,836	13,288,071	13,075,526	5,478,793	6,364,464	1,123,122	1,016,736	30,535	5,653
1882.....	1,810,487	1,774,645	16,724,117	15,340,230	4,283,151	8,776,059	2,307,648	1,333,752	112,316	7,865
1883.....	435,584	2,860,496	16,690,903	10,652,175	5,447,873	6,907,825	4,598,398	1,175,720	59,975	20,988
1884.....	537,936	3,270,562	12,630,675	10,765,555	4,554,994	4,825,441	4,561,984	1,201,186	10,210	5,263
1885.....	604,525	2,211,007	12,147,976	7,549,426	2,338,071	3,233,553	2,634,898	807,058	28,382	1,526
1886.....	1,182,845	1,983,606	11,083,147	8,488,694	2,725,987	3,693,494	3,175,158	1,063,622	52,432	18,485
1887.....	2,863,233	2,069,138	10,746,950	10,415,605	3,059,909	2,431,800	5,028,702	1,545,096	42,510	111,260
1888.....	2,894,520	2,433,221	15,034,473	11,786,355	3,454,442	3,395,116	6,592,124	2,726,290	138,302	88,390
1889.....	2,622,625	2,972,794	15,887,045	15,720,961	1,614,286	3,882,781	14,620,816	6,995,534	1,855	78,697
1890.....	3,183,249	3,226,364	16,903,048	16,379,782	2,242,257	3,851,952	14,649,852	7,763,322	58,841	30,731
1891.....	3,448,290	3,145,625	18,056,447	10,732,914	10,493,600	4,339,601	18,321,002	4,819,024	.....	16,493
1892.....	3,487,159	3,544,707	18,840,163	19,608,773	10,485,185	5,865,363	17,939,488	11,023,922	.....	56,665
1893.....	3,995,441	2,980,831	18,479,688	12,720,549	8,194,746	4,295,237	18,674,194	6,885,578	.....	65,837
1894.....	3,536,197	2,272,530	18,061,728	11,628,657	10,024,509	2,418,758	20,363,994	5,587,050	106	23,430
1895.....	4,465,561	2,794,099	16,721,485	16,810,007	10,754,256	3,849,379	19,432,938	10,898,020	593	60,017
1896.....	4,709,017	3,431,808	17,549,836	13,232,870	11,087,896	4,619,449	18,378,360	8,497,790	3,352	177,798
1897.....	3,792,434	2,590,539	15,532,326	11,564,215	9,927,572	3,644,438	19,191,844	6,571,180	.....	.....
1898.....	3,736,307	2,351,727	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, GERMANY, AND SPAIN WITH THE
PRINCIPAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

URUGUAY.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY. <i>a</i>		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Uruguay.	Exports from, to Uruguay.	Imports into, from Uruguay.	Exports from, to Uruguay.	Imports into, from Uruguay.	Exports from, to Uruguay.	Imports into, from Uruguay.	Exports from, to Uruguay.	Imports into, from Uruguay.	Exports from, to Uruguay.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	4,164,663	1,612,612	2,265,341	6,891,086	6,624,866	5,018,697	.....	.....	250,544	2,475,795
1882.....	6,837,736	1,555,488	4,072,380	7,224,991	6,858,841	5,634,214	.....	.....	400,295	2,051,953
1883.....	3,980,110	1,452,818	3,109,100	6,463,058	5,839,925	4,731,097	.....	.....	309,657	2,408,227
1884.....	2,128,981	1,368,418	3,195,662	7,914,525	6,261,063	5,350,918	.....	.....	353,316	2,225,938
1885.....	2,734,617	1,682,443	3,049,315	7,027,119	7,502,244	4,359,833	.....	.....	658,891	2,422,312
1886.....	4,925,848	1,221,076	2,015,719	6,452,453	5,937,043	4,394,651	.....	.....	592,874	1,767,691
1887.....	2,818,761	1,567,981	1,403,046	8,770,119	4,683,594	4,402,269	.....	.....	295,132	1,756,442
1888.....	2,711,521	1,459,332	2,229,529	9,006,991	6,023,377	7,261,679	.....	.....	370,912	1,493,330
1889.....	2,986,964	2,192,848	2,192,509	12,618,673	7,825,647	8,882,190	933,436	3,312,484	502,684	1,816,538
1890.....	1,754,903	3,351,874	1,660,489	19,139,324	7,621,839	7,280,914	895,118	1,954,218	392,946	1,464,101
1891.....	2,356,739	1,076,575	1,821,340	5,813,667	6,644,702	3,951,865	988,652	1,231,650	434,692	1,163,199
1892.....	2,480,596	939,030	1,403,046	6,403,219	4,311,569	3,256,231	2,005,388	1,492,022	258,859	879,939
1893.....	1,623,380	960,606	639,274	7,472,968	3,858,427	2,520,413	2,075,360	2,047,276	232,782	896,374
1894.....	1,419,573	1,015,171	1,299,848	7,430,566	4,656,391	2,084,539	2,336,446	1,985,872	626,334	1,053,650
1895.....	2,699,648	1,262,001	2,243,194	6,740,302	7,034,774	2,842,639	2,106,062	2,189,362	261,846	1,163,162
1896.....	3,242,428	1,481,200	1,538,344	7,180,482	6,857,206	2,683,815	2,464,252	2,435,454	1,002,097	925,371
1897.....	3,515,054	1,213,426	1,654,143	4,084,147	5,463,034	2,428,131	2,581,824	1,362,312	.....	.....
1898.....	1,772,480	1,214,248	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

a The imports into and exports from Germany from and to Uruguay are included under the Argentine Republic prior to 1889.

VENEZUELA.

YEARS.	UNITED STATES.		UNITED KINGDOM.		FRANCE.		GERMANY. <i>a</i>		SPAIN.	
	Imports into, from Vene- zuela.	Exports from, to Venezuela.	Imports into, from Vene- zuela.	Exports from, to Venezuela.	Imports into, from Vene- zuela.	Exports from, to Venezuela.	Imports into, from Vene- zuela.	Exports from, to Venezuela.	Imports into, from Vene- zuela.	Exports from, to Venezuela.
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1881.....	6,601,817	2,768,604	1,020,218	2,387,412	3,567,048	2,084,410	.....	.....	333,077	53,593
1882.....	5,746,300	2,175,185	1,280,030	2,307,213	4,149,512	1,328,416	.....	.....	643,922	145,547
1883.....	5,901,724	2,403,705	1,591,691	3,126,123	5,060,679	1,324,468	.....	.....	863,956	361,256
1884.....	6,674,041	2,427,961	1,265,353	2,947,814	3,651,757	1,279,297	.....	.....	946,108	255,058
1885.....	6,309,580	3,043,609	1,101,722	1,705,188	3,500,421	859,505	.....	.....	707,016	148,267
1886.....	5,791,621	2,732,830	705,044	2,240,848	3,743,633	816,206	.....	.....	863,787	109,975
1887.....	8,261,236	2,871,719	572,207	3,850,944	5,946,520	1,224,273	.....	.....	822,245	14,939
1888.....	10,051,250	3,038,515	1,313,804	2,888,000	4,226,742	1,076,602	.....	.....	587,835	106,404
1889.....	10,392,569	3,738,961	1,385,327	3,905,751	6,821,254	1,892,887	688,296	2,194,598	527,946	298,898
1890.....	10,966,765	4,028,583	1,501,559	4,076,152	7,716,321	2,236,975	1,373,498	2,041,326	553,298	403,808
1891.....	12,078,541	4,784,956	1,416,137	4,187,575	7,105,739	2,017,974	1,652,910	2,570,400	533,679	387,045
1892.....	10,325,338	4,049,155	1,249,420	1,871,700	6,255,074	1,164,213	1,699,796	1,330,182	872,200	210,384
1893.....	3,625,118	4,207,661	436,447	4,521,753	8,389,944	2,336,046	3,865,358	3,272,024	553,089	273,607
1894.....	3,464,481	4,137,163	706,974	3,344,566	9,269,228	1,193,298	5,215,770	1,740,018	601,135	350,839
1895.....	10,073,951	3,740,464	259,920	3,954,007	8,627,100	1,048,591	3,509,310	1,758,106	484,489	310,602
1896.....	9,644,911	3,838,746	279,464	3,878,513	8,597,558	1,317,314	4,006,254	1,815,461	578,327	346,899
1897.....	9,543,572	3,417,522	308,449	2,766,931	5,034,091	978,320	2,424,566	1,368,738	.....	.....
1898.....	7,722,564	2,746,261	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

a Imports into and exports from Germany from and to Venezuela are not separately stated prior to 1889.

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM CENTRAL AMERICA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Caoutchouc.....cwt..	94	994	339	4,147	71	813	331	4,545
Coffee, raw.....cwt..	224,723	1,159,366	242,027	1,212,638	193,171	932,757	220,286	1,088,470
Dyestuffs: Indigo.....cwt..	3,703	111,777	3,479	110,765	3,930	105,392	2,862	60,890
Dyewoods: Unenumerated.....tons..	5,217	24,548	7,654	36,243	2,715	13,647	2,740	17,110
Wood, furniture and hard wood:								
Mahogany.....tons..	1,995	17,976	1,843	17,728	1,570	13,290	1,144	9,365
Unenumerated.....tons..	337	1,891	1,051	5,420	1,204	8,776	1,120	11,856
All other articles.....		3,553		13,189		14,580		5,891
Total.....		1,320,305		1,400,130		1,089,255		1,198,127

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Caoutchouc.....cwt..	742	8,795	380	4,131	216	2,589	53	548
Coffee, raw.....cwt..	171,782	860,036	162,429	843,971	151,068	851,687	171,815	930,811
Dyestuffs: Indigo.....cwt..	2,639	52,162	4,697	90,258	3,469	104,617	3,063	57,687
Dyewoods: Unenumerated.....tons..	700	4,200	3,010	22,364	1,300	6,050	830	3,320
Wood, furniture and hard wood:								
Mahogany.....tons..	1,366	10,086	1,410	9,265	1,854	18,047	1,921	16,039
Unenumerated.....tons..					50	400	35	350
All other articles.....		13,454		6,025		5,564		4,768
Total.....		948,733		976,014		918,954		1,013,523

EXPORTS FROM UNITED KINGDOM TO CENTRAL AMERICA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery.....		22,141		25,675		18,645		15,759
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	56,615	20,606	69,363	19,820	43,167	12,776	53,372	18,013
Candles of all sorts.....lbs..	445,300	8,414	457,500	8,562	245,800	4,502	350,100	6,861
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	41,413,000	417,853	55,449,900	556,995	38,341,400	359,060	30,854,200	272,114
Yarn.....lbs..	946,700	36,445	818,500	33,554	792,900	29,160	819,600	31,734
Other manufactures.....		83,447		101,727		67,247		52,539
Earthen and china ware.....		4,497		3,226		2,052		1,137
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought.....tons..	9,743	111,156	5,433	80,828	5,387	73,147	7,093	82,461
Hardware, implements, and tools.....		28,611		29,235		22,691		15,434
Machinery and mill work.....		48,893		44,591		63,321		40,001
Leather, wrought and unwrought.....		6,291		8,726		4,083		2,958
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds..	589,500	12,237	881,600	18,501	456,300	9,608	236,800	4,919
Medicines, drugs, etc.....		11,777		12,649		9,466		9,664
Silk, manufactures of.....		8,920		7,956		5,553		3,163
Soap.....cwt..	5,067	4,674	4,792	4,044	3,016	2,373	3,600	3,002
Woolens and worsteds.....		53,759		83,614		57,781		55,832
All other articles.....		107,447		195,205		84,687		78,914
Total.....		987,108		1,144,948		829,152		694,512

COMMERCE TRADE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM UNITED KINGDOM TO CENTRAL AMERICA—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery.....		14,907		18,348		17,708		17,112
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	108,621	34,343	155,484	47,154	111,900	33,737	109,900	32,527
Candles of all sorts.....lbs..	428,300	7,202	347,400	5,332	470,900	6,638	506,900	6,218
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	63,889,900	503,005	74,256,800	602,403	57,619,100	501,828	38,282,900	320,005
Yarn.....lbs..	1,263,300	41,635	1,465,700	46,425	1,144,000	39,939	1,037,700	34,155
Other manufactures.....		80,317		126,234		119,657		68,702
Earthen and china ware.....		1,875						
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought.....tons..	12,070	93,965	12,438	116,044	17,600	168,959	10,307	93,080
Hardware, implements, and tools.....		20,041		36,458		42,265		26,269
Machinery and mill work.....		34,978		46,906		51,555		41,749
Leather, wrought and unwrought.....		2,332		801		1,147		1,638
Limes, entered by the yard.....yds..	509,800	10,474	972,600	17,272	600,800	11,171	348,500	6,788
Medicines, drugs, etc.....		12,198		11,035		11,359		7,677
Silk, manufactures of.....		4,360		4,582		3,815		2,852
Soap.....cwt..	4,087	3,367	3,962	2,894	3,700	2,664	500	3,602
Woolens and worsteds.....		51,766		94,035		108,963		62,035
All other articles.....		78,994		140,522		145,208		120,697
Total.....		995,759		1,316,465		1,266,713		845,106

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM GUATEMALA, COSTA RICA, AND HONDURAS.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	86,362	130,579	50,206	75,469	24,224	39,873	49,949	96,052
Coffee.....	1,228,087	2,824,600	1,774,415	3,770,632	1,815,536	3,658,305	2,079,997	4,388,794
Dyewoods.....	22,292,698	4,012,685	4,794,700	815,099	8,800,069	1,672,076	7,453,948	1,341,710
Indigo.....	19,319	251,147	53,771	645,252	61,319	919,785	70,657	1,059,855
Wood, furniture.....	127,500	51,000					347,800	92,180
All other articles.....		156,961		166,071		142,310		32,685
Total.....		7,426,972		5,472,463		6,432,349		7,011,276

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	9,160	14,876	36,384	53,484	1,841	2,578	7,525	11,812
Coffee.....	1,741,931	3,658,055	1,922,518	4,710,169	2,148,214	5,005,339	2,002,173	2,722,955
Dyewoods.....	8,673,000	1,474,410	7,230,034	1,229,105	12,232,954	1,837,003	11,203,668	1,585,080
Indigo.....	40,961	491,532	27,539	302,929	25,945	259,450	28,626	257,634
Wood, furniture.....	270,360	54,072	778,252	174,863				
All other articles.....		77,622		261,263		506,775		45,055
Total.....		5,770,567		6,731,813		7,611,145		4,623,136

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL,
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO GUATEMALA, COSTA RICA, AND HONDURAS.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Chemicals: Medicines, prepared		24,010				22,160		
Earthen and glass ware.....kilos..	218,155	47,307	242,530	45,536	116,892	20,402	159,376	21,515
Fish, preserved or in oil.....kilos..	29,558	51,546	47,625	83,664	29,996	43,247	4,693	7,781
Jewelry and watches		133,045		34,830		111,220		
Leather, and manufactures of.....		49,488		29,024		29,935		26,847
Metals: Implements and tools.....kilos..	39,958	58,428	46,404	22,686			8,490	9,296
Oil: Olive.....kilos..			46,868	48,743	46,661	49,461	55,239	54,134
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....		31,982		33,185		16,808		12,217
Spirits and liquors.....liters..	38,900	58,498	47,300	79,987	23,700	36,481	30,700	46,823
Textiles, trimmings and ribbons:								
Of cotton.....kilos..	11,363	132,635		153,046	11,118	135,415	795	3,561
Of silk.....kilos..	491	34,247	809	59,857	735	40,960		
Of wool.....kilos..	4,289	58,090	6,480	79,105	5,196	60,202	18	432
Wearing apparel.....kilos..	2,486	81,844	898	32,647				
Wine.....liters..	189,900	333,390	246,100	425,615	107,000	197,335	111,700	183,672
Wood, furniture and other manufactures of.....		26,251						39,050
All other articles		719,468		417,617		364,285		90,815
Total		1,836,329		1,545,542		1,127,911		496,173

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Chemicals: Medicines, prepared		20,840		10,003		43,454		32,627
Earthen and glass ware.....kilos..	158,537	27,605			366,455	75,803	153,350	20,465
Fish, preserved or in oil.....kilos..	2,302	13,923	5,035	8,432	6,070	10,460	9,476	15,787
Jewelry and watches		64,935		16,909		11,680		1,800
Leather, and manufactures of.....		12,046		37,160		67,906		13,155
Metals: Implements and tools.....kilos..	10,795	18,339	1,642	6,821	836,843	389,624	4,078	12,576
Oil: Olive.....kilos..	34,211	30,790	45,198	37,514	38,933	29,550	26,987	18,891
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....		12,182		11,500		87,269		6,150
Spirits and liquors.....liters..	26,700	38,569	36,600	55,571	61,000	87,191	38,300	57,540
Textiles, trimmings and ribbons:								
Of cotton.....kilos..	2,426	12,130	3,998	49,925	1,424	14,293	3,176	40,801
Of silk.....kilos..			87	5,097	183	12,464	987	71,666
Of wool.....kilos..	533	7,490	532	6,212	1,197	5,440	2,678	32,983
Wearing apparel.....kilos..				5,985		5,910		27,673
Wine.....liters..	90,800	174,183	128,400	234,625	207,700	335,970	213,700	380,355
Wood, furniture and other manufactures of.....				4,327		79,127		7,277
All other articles		141,359		144,755		221,224		214,806
Total		574,391		634,836		1,477,365		954,552

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Cocoa	1,384	180	828	112	560	82	293	45
Coffee	84,699	15,754	95,977	16,796	105,359	16,963	139,846	24,473
Dyewood	15,316	159	28,996	341	13,824	129	7,198	87
Indigo	1,139	1,082	761	761	100	753	950	1,092
Hides	1,202	144	1,400	185	2,720	359	2,043	221
Tar, pitch, resins, and asphaltum	256	148	301	96	1,311	113	211	101
Wood, mahogany, cedar, etc., unmanufactured	5,072	177	13,395	270	15,540	370	52,741	1,265
All other articles		193		140		176		157
Total		17,837		18,701		18,945		27,441

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Cocoa	373	43	822	90	347	35	295	32
Coffee	198,412	35,714	251,242	45,224	237,506	41,088	275,374	41,013
Dyewood	10,618	106	24,789	224	15,919	128	7,376	71
Indigo	1,326	1,591	1,069	1,283	579	608	673	605
Hides	2,704	249	1,925	274	2,289	278	2,220	270
Tar, pitch, resins, and asphaltum	235	113	280	140	282	140	279	154
Wood, mahogany, cedar, etc., unmanufactured	48,588	1,161	56,134	1,341	133,909	3,328	212,717	5,298
All other articles		86		89		110		226
Total		39,063		48,665		45,715		47,689

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer, of all kinds	10,539	222	11,093	319	6,856	197	8,966	238
Cotton and cotton manufactures	2,587	1,511	2,994	1,445	2,023	885	2,283	996
Earthen and glass ware	8,038	464	8,465	484	4,056	289	5,396	353
Iron, and manufactures of	32,826	1,847	16,631	1,344	15,280	889	22,737	1,062
Leather, and manufactures of	548	533	650	545	633	548	745	560
Instruments, machinery, and carriages	3,141	497	2,735	478	1,910	294	1,907	284
Silk, and manufactures of	60	230	52	178	23	66	18	58
Wearing apparel	569	792	646	847	334	392	464	488
Wine	999	141	267	35	160	22	189	25
Wood, and manufactures of	1,236	228	1,043	189	1,178	209	833	158
Wool, and manufactures of	1,066	861	1,117	836	836	590	878	589
All other articles		1,506		1,397		1,300		1,359
Total		8,832		8,097		5,681		6,176

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer, of all kinds	8,236	222	14,162	389	17,101	604	14,782	487
Cotton and cotton manufactures	3,042	1,295	4,253	1,944	3,652	1,666	2,349	1,050
Earthen and glass ware	6,831	364	11,804	673	14,176	1,000	7,589	528
Iron, and manufactures of	50,948	1,185	34,032	1,541	52,938	1,698	21,011	973
Leather, and manufactures of	512	361	738	668	697	544	564	359
Instruments, machinery, and carriages	1,881	249	5,927	612	5,086	562	3,735	375
Silk, and manufactures of	32	101	60	167	52	149	27	75
Wearing apparel	373	409	507	569	573	726	424	518
Wine	192	27	34	4	595	81	333	43
Wood, and manufactures of	746	153	1,162	209	1,260	193	605	94
Wool, and manufactures of	951	608	312	21	1,450	955	911	597
All other articles		1,423		3,272		2,359		2,099
Total		6,897		10,069		10,537		7,198

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

WEST INDIES.

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM THE BRITISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>
Asphaltum.....tons..	3,747	10,575	5,118	15,400	5,841	17,255	9,669	26,626
Cocoa.....lbs..	12,961,411	426,574	14,537,367	465,806	15,596,476	501,804	13,671,684	412,381
Coffee.....cwt..	38,799	188,688	19,580	99,815	24,681	120,593	19,470	99,410
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	5,158	13,971	4,838	12,396	5,386	12,533	5,334	11,676
Dyewoods.....tons..	32,279	166,931	30,519	156,459	36,410	189,081	31,397	185,415
Fertilizers: Guano and phosphates.....tons..	3,970	16,826	1,960	5,945	2,544	4,405	7,690	12,005
Fruits and nuts.....		77,165		63,611		58,299		49,400
Hides, raw.....cwt..	6,623	14,640	8,273	18,579	6,448	14,313	4,491	7,162
Sago and other farinaceous substances.....		29,245		25,194		45,058		42,804
Spices.....lbs..	5,926,060	104,726	3,614,418	90,851	3,971,256	91,798	4,632,973	98,924
Spirits: Rum.....proof galls..	2,016,133	213,082	1,465,243	173,347	2,157,591	226,781	1,699,009	164,328
Sugar, unrefined, and molasses.....cwt..	594,620	427,421	415,827	317,362	739,224	553,574	614,290	513,859
All other articles.....		116,546		107,297		109,874		116,590
Total.....		1,806,390		1,558,152		1,945,373		1,740,580

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>Quantities.</i>	<i>£</i>
Asphaltum.....tons..	6,835	30,174	5,479	15,768	4,321	13,038	6,913	19,769
Cocoa.....lbs..	14,761,091	471,449	16,909,456	565,555	17,409,013	484,049	15,772,460	418,996
Coffee.....cwt..	14,681	76,898	14,603	85,526	15,407	91,592	20,512	112,477
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	4,214	9,058	4,168	8,216	3,590	6,840	2,115	3,957
Dyewoods.....tons..	35,198	223,243	30,953	187,466	25,127	140,780	12,293	58,194
Fertilizers: Guano and phosphates.....tons..	570	1,105	2,006	4,175			808	1,212
Fruits and nuts.....		44,779		40,045		49,613		42,817
Hides, raw.....cwt..	5,768	10,312	6,177	10,914	6,587	12,778	7,648	15,156
Sago and other farinaceous substances.....		37,256		44,453		28,465		24,619
Spices.....lbs..	3,720,999	87,083	3,546,438	109,122	3,500,496	107,282	2,731,987	105,616
Spirits: Rum.....proof galls..	1,979,936	183,238	1,760,349	158,044	1,632,005	153,061	1,587,592	159,155
Sugar, unrefined, and molasses.....cwt..	834,995	651,280	774,346	499,425	772,038	560,288	503,685	338,798
All other articles.....		112,147		134,964		142,665		152,323
Total.....		1,938,022		1,863,673		1,790,451		1,453,089

The imports into France and into Germany from the British West Indies can not be separately stated.

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO THE BRITISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	<i>Quantities.</i>	£	<i>Quantities.</i>	£	<i>Quantities.</i>	£	<i>Quantities.</i>	£
Apparel and haberdashery		303,051		239,802		244,724		281,765
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	80,611	26,230	73,907	22,864	70,681	23,118	92,718	29,105
Candles of all sorts.....lbs..	560,000	11,044	621,300	12,621	681,000	13,225	562,800	12,186
Cement.....tons..	900,900	18,859	11,605	21,519	11,380	19,623	14,271	23,149
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	126,892	87,609	121,561	85,827	126,732	78,118	119,336	69,721
Cordage and twine.....cwt..	6,467	15,867	5,466	14,397	6,184	14,646	6,396	14,349
Corn, grain, meal, and flour.....		6,430		8,951		4,260		3,441
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	52,020,600	582,370	39,290,500	437,836	42,824,900	455,464	47,234,300	503,701
Entered at value.....		118,769		93,748		99,283		114,665
Earthen and china ware.....		23,788		17,945		17,491		20,004
Glass, manufactures of.....		27,589		23,564		24,802		24,347
Hats, of all sorts.....doz..	78,076	52,588	53,168	37,898	59,983	42,915	70,290	49,285
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery, unenumerated.....		43,088		37,458		31,510		32,020
Implements and tools.....		21,070		21,189		18,056		19,433
Machinery and engines.....		111,879		75,430		79,706		104,920
All other.....		156,173		134,371		131,493		149,744
Leather, and manufactures of.....		153,742		121,265		135,292		143,141
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds..	1,825,600	35,603	1,591,900	30,492	1,529,400	28,739	1,198,000	22,617
Malt liquors.....bbls..	19,540	83,661	16,019	70,641	15,561	69,647	16,072	69,562
Manures.....		114,094		114,011		105,881		107,769
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations.....		34,193		29,406		31,435		33,401
Painters' colors and materials.....		21,342		19,349		19,841		17,049
Paper, and manufactures of:								
Books, printed.....cwt..	2,448	20,038	2,077	15,953	2,184	16,647	2,640	19,568
All other.....cwt..	8,349	16,093	9,293	18,830	9,905	19,759	9,932	18,378
Pickles, vinegar, sauces, etc.....		26,064		23,017		21,428		23,457
Provisions, including meat.....		23,192		23,926		22,097		25,620
Soap.....cwt..	68,085	59,845	76,599	67,585	75,656	65,723	80,912	72,581
Stationery, other than paper.....		18,713		18,400		19,438		20,508
Wood, manufactures of:								
Furniture, etc.....		14,478		12,622		11,151		11,008
All other.....		8,821		11,278		12,164		12,086
Wool, manufactures of.....		104,987		83,382		83,827		95,898
All other articles.....		283,202		272,225		222,836		239,773
Total.....		2,624,472		2,217,802		2,184,349		2,384,251

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO THE BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		247, 276		247, 384		263, 000		197, 033
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz.	72, 343	22, 042	70, 449	20, 598	89, 000	23, 961	74, 400	21, 132
Candles of all sorts.....lbs.	576, 200	11, 088	639, 000	11, 189	602, 800	9, 786	569, 400	8, 285
Cement.....tons.	14, 867	22, 864	24, 044	37, 356	14, 766	23, 016	14, 605	23, 405
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons.	121, 633	74, 324	138, 466	73, 375	107, 996	56, 070	140, 548	72, 348
Cordage and twine.....cwt.	6, 217	12, 899	4, 835	10, 509	4, 372	10, 336	3, 115	7, 640
Corn, grain, meal, and flour.....		3, 879		2, 791		2, 548		1, 456
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds.	40, 327, 900	427, 226	44, 756, 600	448, 279	40, 937, 500	410, 250	37, 647, 600	368, 455
Entered at value.....		104, 258		99, 481		92, 455		74, 076
Earthen and china ware.....		22, 128		15, 934		20, 145		18, 213
Glass, manufactures of.....		26, 157		25, 181		23, 925		18, 583
Hats, of all sorts.....doz.	57, 803	41, 528	67, 867	43, 184	60, 910	41, 627	48, 527	31, 593
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery, unenumerated.....		32, 539		27, 070		28, 840		21, 867
Implements and tools.....		18, 782		10, 314		16, 921		15, 532
Machinery and engines.....		91, 029		64, 729		77, 267		48, 785
All other.....		137, 388		151, 062		153, 216		132, 504
Leather, and manufactures of.....		123, 517		111, 916		128, 384		81, 390
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds.	1, 256, 600	24, 607	1, 029, 300	19, 729	875, 800	18, 428	602, 600	12, 210
Malt liquors.....bbls.	17, 506	74, 734	16, 503	71, 012	15, 649	66, 399	14, 710	59, 108
Manures.....		88, 505		57, 124		69, 284		56, 257
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations.....		33, 279		29, 650		28, 712		29, 069
Painters' colors and materials.....		19, 392		17, 487		16, 730		13, 554
Paper and manufactures of:								
Books, printed.....cwt.	2, 764	19, 151	2, 413	18, 250	2, 566	17, 852	2, 569	15, 418
All other.....cwt.	9, 798	17, 991	9, 117	17, 253	10, 019	17, 548	7, 786	14, 136
Pickles, vinegar, sauces, etc.....		22, 464		19, 226		21, 979		16, 398
Provisions, including meat.....		25, 233		23, 566		25, 913		20, 218
Soap.....cwt.	80, 638	72, 343	80, 204	59, 860	80, 200	64, 667	69, 900	51, 829
Stationery, other than paper.....		20, 625		20, 229		21, 403		20, 942
Wood, manufactures of:								
Furniture, etc.....		11, 490		11, 962		8, 238		7, 661
All other.....		8, 878		5, 733		6, 912		13, 760
Wool, manufactures of.....		82, 559		84, 285		80, 295		67, 200
All other articles.....		253, 753		258, 271		270, 082		244, 128
Total.....		2, 194, 528		2, 113, 989		2, 122, 189		1, 784, 185

The exports from France and Germany to the British West Indies can not be separately stated.

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Cocoa.....lbs..	23,978	422	169,330	2,991				
Coffee.....cwt..	942	3,363	5	19				
Dyewoods.....tons..	8,446	54,131	1,300	7,117	1,328	7,520	3,518	23,972
Fertilizers: Phosphate of lime and rock.....tons..	992	2,260	1,639	4,588			795	1,588
Wood, furniture woods, and hard woods:								
Mahogany.....tons..	1,409	12,899	1,022	9,901	2,289	20,622	3,030	23,100
All other.....tons..	1,633	10,183	3,342	19,547	2,270	12,658	2,620	13,161
All other articles.....		6,315		594		568		885
Total.....		89,593		44,757		40,975		67,706

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Coffee.....cwt..	8	30						
Dyewoods.....tons..	9,051	56,510	4,866	28,590	11,970	71,440	9,422	48,448
Fertilizers: Phosphate of lime and rock.....tons..	824	1,462	394	785			830	1,038
Wood, furniture woods, and hard woods:								
Mahogany.....tons..	899	7,986	1,225	11,349	864	6,871	965	8,824
All other.....tons..	2,953	14,557	1,558	11,740	1,646	10,765	2,535	13,956
All other articles.....		527		752		3,864		1,768
Total.....		81,072		53,216		92,940		74,034

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	22,045	6,662	20,298	6,108	9,206	3,035	11,858	3,699
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	26,048,100	312,703	11,321,300	137,806	10,591,000	116,508	15,910,600	181,082
Entered at value.....		43,375		26,582		23,167		37,227
Earthen and china ware.....		9,440		6,489		4,684		4,812
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery.....		6,074		4,080		3,542		3,544
Implements and tools.....		8,314		5,337		4,098		4,913
Machinery.....		8,487		8,417		9,283		5,878
All other.....tons..	2,696	41,201	1,875	28,114	2,028	29,696	2,345	32,737
Linens.....		22,248		19,276		14,522		22,656
Wool, manufactures of.....yds..	749,900	27,426	356,800	18,750	204,000	11,149	167,800	9,412
All other articles.....		42,727		60,039		28,287		26,250
Total.....		528,357		320,998		247,971		332,810

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	16,835	5,297	34,641	9,076	20,500	5,920	41,500	11,197
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	15,656,400	17,534	17,520,100	187,679	12,382,900	137,228	15,059,800	155,557
Entered at value.....		33,479		32,987		25,851		29,550
Earthen and china ware.....		3,988		3,533		2,301		1,777
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery.....		2,919		2,816		2,515		2,407
Implements and tools.....		5,652		6,128		3,578		3,703
Machinery.....		7,662		7,100		20,080		5,622
All other.....tons..	3,198	37,593	2,483	32,139	3,027	31,164	1,741	22,366
Linens.....		22,171		35,806		21,441		14,919
Wool, manufactures of.....yds..	179,700	9,153	191,900	7,868	184,400	11,127	224,200	13,210
All other articles.....		34,719		33,895		27,189		36,656
Total.....		337,979		359,027		288,394		296,964

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	2,036,426	3,079,076	1,585,600	2,381,571	1,460,554	2,404,039	1,976,091	3,800,023
Coffee.....	24,358,671	56,024,943	28,444,915	60,445,449	23,016,309	46,378,044	29,386,019	62,004,500
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	1,179,003	1,709,554	383,529	460,235	511,700	542,402	594,468	652,892
Hides and skins, undressed.....	510,267	714,374						
Tanning material: Libidibi.....							704,670	211,401
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	173,185	225,141			375,058	450,070	506,350	622,810
Wax.....			80,441	257,411	33,971	108,707	42,525	136,080
Wood.....	47,713,328	8,754,155	31,951,736	5,644,581	35,073,285	6,692,831	35,820,787	6,510,318
All other articles.....		504,061		945,539		254,527		286,590
Total.....		71,012,204		70,134,786		56,830,020		74,263,614

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	2,422,674	3,934,423	2,859,992	4,204,188	3,306,278	5,048,816	2,225,857	3,404,595
Coffee.....	27,116,002	56,945,604	32,123,074	78,699,081	23,575,718	54,931,423	29,597,355	40,252,403
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	448,562	402,501	66,081	61,471	241,478	239,063	389,413	346,580
Hides and skins, undressed.....			60,030	96,648	49,558	66,207	61,069	94,533
Tanning: Libidibi.....							189,319	26,505
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	317,467	400,008	517,771	680,818	70,971	95,097	169,360	259,121
Wax.....	94,162	312,618	97,747	322,140	81,559	244,677	95,904	287,712
Wood.....	39,874,386	6,922,473	21,671,610	3,774,671	36,680,021	5,559,672	23,702,560	3,392,840
All other articles.....		310,694		586,434		223,791		172,383
Total.....		69,226,321		88,425,451		66,408,746		48,326,672

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Cotton, manufactures of.....kilos..	88,128	489,874	45,697	257,775	52,428	355,033	113,020	682,124
Furniture, and musical instruments.....		273,374		116,460		195,107		280,591
Furs and skins, dressed.....kilos..	105,634	2,760,245	83,447	2,305,186	89,105	2,043,791		3,010,176
Glassware and porcelain.....		567,791		217,993		278,473		417,679
Hats, of fur or straw.....		273,270		181,281		177,114		450,610
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Machines.....kilos..	89,447	153,110	48,761	73,266	50,093	137,530	83,392	113,093
Tools.....kilos..	526,727	337,035	1,577,999	805,961	218,612	221,338	356,354	378,149
Linon, manufactures of, and clothing.....kilos..	147,745	1,850,634	22,530	1,162,207	83,303	1,040,029	51,359	81,123
Medicines and medicinal preparations.....		312,429		214,628		199,877		376,705
Oil, olive.....kilos..	423,103	537,341	123,423	128,360	336,826	357,036	421,593	413,161
Paper, books, and prints.....		289,920		270,644		255,538		282,579
Spirits, distilled; brandy, and liquors.....liters..	99,100	212,869	129,800	173,098	85,000	192,441	78,400	185,641
Sugar, refined; sirups, and confectionery.....		203,522						
Toys.....kilos..	88,041	792,369	28,488	256,392	40,964	263,676	120,860	1,087,740
Wines.....liters..	1,634,000	2,265,925	919,800	1,354,685	1,258,900	1,746,300	1,300,900	1,837,606
Wool, and manufactures of.....kilos..	35,367	495,955	11,887	168,383	32,219	540,225	52,774	654,981
All other articles.....		1,653,513		1,104,557		1,095,953		2,950,689
Total.....		13,474,176		8,790,876		9,204,461		13,205,647

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AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Cotton, manufactures of .....kilos..	127, 223	628, 280	81, 212	432, 324	110, 294	858, 674	41, 219	241, 746
Furniture, and musical instruments.....		156, 438		90, 848		75, 870		231, 340
Furs and skins, dressed.....kilos..		3, 566, 142		1, 002, 496		464, 241		372, 402
Glassware and porcelain.....		101, 581		259, 207		283, 607		113, 579
Hats, of fur or straw.....		431, 810		292, 908		110, 110		177, 063
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Machines.....kilos..	75, 411	99, 164	242, 544	277, 865	4, 035, 094	12, 219, 257	48, 384	64, 428
Tools.....kilos..	370, 779	317, 277						
Linen, manufactures of, and clothing.....kilos..	73, 455	109, 118	40, 981	117, 890	12, 339	15, 349		143, 342
Medicines and medicinal preparations.....		440, 530		235, 937		380, 127		123, 811
Oil, olive.....kilos..	477, 790	430, 011	435, 064	361, 103	326, 656	247, 932	110, 089	76, 425
Paper, books, and prints.....		356, 580		220, 998		171, 350		160, 919
Spirits, distilled; brandy, and liquors.....liters..			68, 200	146, 120	54, 300	107, 869		
Sugar, refined; sirups, and confectionery.....								
Toys.....kilos..		1, 722, 205		1, 127, 348		822, 269		644, 967
Wines.....liters..	1, 419, 000	1, 726, 018	1, 224, 000	1, 637, 425	683, 500	910, 270	692, 600	894, 470
Wool, and manufactures of.....kilos..	50, 157	705, 246	18, 034	225, 352	9, 434	116, 368	6, 219	72, 235
All other articles.....		3, 209, 590		1, 864, 028		1, 642, 788		1, 510, 977
Total.....		13, 999, 990		8, 291, 849		18, 425, 981		4, 828, 329

IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Cocoa.....	4, 359	567	5, 393	728	7, 003	1, 022	6, 123	949
Coffee.....	70, 919	13, 191	96, 430	16, 875	89, 232	14, 366	93, 854	16, 424
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	1, 531	172	553	48	728	51	1, 989	169
Dyewoods:								
Redwood.....			116	2	223	2	1, 740	21
Logwood.....	92, 709	1, 483	79, 781	1, 197	56, 397	846	61, 897	1, 052
Hides and skins, undressed.....	117	13	224	24	189	23	462	46
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	39, 898	6, 982	47, 554	7, 704	59, 967	8, 096	75, 879	4, 553
Wood, and manufactures of.....	2, 497	54	6, 739	136	3, 099	64	2, 101	36
All other articles.....		134		137		233		161
Total.....		22, 596		26, 851		24, 703		23, 411

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Cocoa.....	6, 995	686	8, 749	787	14, 741	1, 223	11, 586	1, 182
Coffee.....	96, 387	15, 133	141, 808	22, 264	86, 246	12, 075	107, 023	12, 377
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	299	18	173	11	129	10	656	49
Dyewoods:								
Redwood.....	1, 351	14	4, 041	77	7, 235	137	5, 136	98
Logwood.....	59, 339	1, 068	53, 255	913	81, 837	1, 145	26, 274	315
Hides and skins, undressed.....	531	45	637	89	975	116	370	46
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	51, 118	3, 067	35, 614	2, 137	43, 694	3, 932	9, 381	891
Wood, and manufactures of.....	798	10	1, 535	14	6, 196	42	3, 222	18
All other articles.....		265		131		147		34
Total.....		20, 246		26, 413		18, 827		15, 010

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AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO HAITI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Chemicals, medicines, etc	1,802	163	1,379	117	1,665	123	1,864	138
Cotton, manufactures of	689	358	291	123	398	175	633	290
Earthenware	2,513	141	1,824	96	1,754	107	4,895	262
Instruments, machines, etc	1,057	145	462	57	866	101	3,283	234
Iron, manufactures of	3,091	274	6,787	405	5,198	217	13,489	361
Leather, and manufactures of	116	141	100	91	76	65	94	102
Linen and linen goods	231	19	176	16	201	21	455	39
Paper, and manufactures of	429	33	303	23	269	20	312	22
Soap and perfumery	199	73	45	19	38	16	67	30
Wearing apparel	155	185	27	36	84	68	103	103
Wine	30	4	12	1	59	8	105	13
Wool, manufactures of	264	267	157	104	168	107	238	180
All other articles		565		350		1,204		549
Total		2,368		1,438		2,232		2,323

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Chemicals, medicines, etc	2,203	167	1,515	103	1,938	115	534	39
Cotton, manufactures of	811	352	592	287	584	292	268	128
Earthenware	6,469	287	3,877	185	2,704	163	1,271	92
Instruments, machines, etc	2,749	215	2,949	219	1,158	97	353	38
Iron, manufactures of	8,086	292	6,107	300	6,445	368	1,024	93
Leather, and manufactures of	73	62	102	100	84	80	40	37
Linen and linen goods	135	16	109	13	93	8	114	13
Paper, and manufactures of	652	38	366	21	629	35	331	17
Soap and perfumery	123	56	90	36	62	25	33	14
Wearing apparel	88	90	75	95	57	76	38	31
Wine	90	13	100	13	83	10	89	11
Wool, manufactures of	314	189	247	146	150	93	61	36
All other articles		565		472		443		879
Total		2,342		1,990		1,805		1,428

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM SPANISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Coffee	194	868					476	1,700
Cotton, raw	370	920						
Spirits, rum	430,992	31,814	603,335	43,645	300,310	19,479	236,085	12,811
Sugar, brown	42,130	31,597	19,935	15,699	12,528	9,650	82,960	66,745
Tobacco:								
Unmanufactured							119	3
Manufactured	1,215	582	1,031	545	1,654	433	1,403	574
Wood, mahogany	4,027	32,325	3,843	30,797	3,988	27,317	3,288	19,095
All other articles		29,827		50,431		34,015		29,684
Total		127,873		141,117		90,894		130,612

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Coffee								
Cotton, raw								
Spirits, rum	77,900	3,389					21	5
Sugar, brown	230,589	165,625	167,906	96,319	20,160	11,386	21,320	11,046
Tobacco:								
Unmanufactured								
Manufactured	1,212	750	2,008	1,994	2,201	1,723	603	529
Wood, mahogany	6,859	45,843	2,819	16,318	2,083	17,460	1,456	12,646
All other articles		28,359		16,946		5,272		18,687
Total		243,966		131,537		35,841		42,913

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EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO THE SPANISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery.....		17,666		14,805		14,000		9,509
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	75,938	23,766	50,170	14,847	49,028	14,652	37,447	11,835
Beer and ale.....bbls..	7,414	31,117	6,403	27,586	6,715	29,359	7,914	33,128
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	68,447	44,005	56,750	35,772	46,647	26,343	46,614	23,762
Cottons.....		668,902		473,268		473,886		422,454
Earthen, china, and glass ware.....		39,507		33,196		43,613		35,385
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought.....tons..	18,896	215,583	21,402	198,743	13,945	171,415	8,812	125,844
Machinery.....		97,999		114,934		134,022		83,255
Hardware, cutlery, implements, and tools.....		81,858		69,120		74,879		65,245
Linens.....		426,972		324,609		324,986		340,539
Painters' colors, etc.....		19,335		19,512		21,265		18,726
Wool, manufactures of, entered by the yard.....yds..	502,400	34,088	376,900	20,139	449,800	22,434	676,700	36,466
All other articles.....		175,958		134,850		127,287		115,778
Total.....		1,876,756		1,481,381		1,478,171		1,321,926

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery.....		5,288		3,880		1,586		835
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	43,320	12,279	58,288	17,111	66,100	18,504	34,900	11,170
Beer and ale.....bbls..	7,046	29,070	4,543	18,238	4,059	14,312	3,518	12,047
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	29,576	17,121	58,404	31,266	65,352	35,429	69,113	34,536
Cottons.....		389,361		259,180		233,673		149,240
Earthen, china, and glass ware.....		26,666		17,735		11,126		10,781
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought.....tons..	6,767	93,019	7,600	121,569	6,794	78,668	8,821	153,593
Machinery.....		79,763		60,508		43,241		15,816
Hardware, cutlery, implements, and tools.....		53,287		38,680		22,936		20,142
Linens.....		248,764		203,657		137,634		88,471
Painters' colors, etc.....		17,294		14,034		9,169		10,352
Wool, manufactures of, entered by the yard.....yds..	344,500	26,019	262,600	19,152	265,100	15,220	212,600	15,128
All other articles.....		123,165		138,783		101,052		76,526
Total.....		1,121,096		943,793		722,550		508,637

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM SPANISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Bitumen, crude, solid, and fluid.....kilos..	5,627,699	252,655					1,314,500	197,175
Cocoa.....kilos..	847,140	1,280,876	128,739	193,366	66,073	108,756	114,117	219,447
Coffee.....kilos..	4,750,241	10,925,554	1,971,856	4,190,194	3,795,897	7,648,551	2,183,947	4,608,128
Hemp, manila, etc.....kilos..	749,342	689,395	985,444	786,646	296,265	204,423	249,620	149,772
Spirits, alcohol.....liters..	163,500	171,815	1,348,500	1,752,967	573,100	315,790	412,200	327,090
Sponges of all kinds.....kilos..	215,419	3,446,704	160,283	2,564,528	204,112	3,061,800	158,312	2,374,689
Tobacco:								
Leaf.....kilos..	162,785	211,620	205,178	242,110	205,935	247,122	293,140	360,562
Manufactured.....kilos..	210,591	3,638,752	151,212	3,215,024	175,649	3,826,628	288,030	2,619,116
Tortoise shell.....kilos..	2,762	132,576			2,237	116,324	3,747	179,856
Wax.....kilos..	52,006	166,419	27,385	87,632	9,863	31,562	17,765	56,848
Wood.....		674,056		161,629		259,690		294,388
All other articles.....		770,194		1,223,907		459,669		288,015
Total.....		22,360,616		14,420,003		16,280,225		11,675,077

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IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM SPANISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Bitumen, crude, solid, and fluid ..kilos..	2,135,000	256,200	805,617	80,562	573,000	45,840	1,304,000	91,280
Cocoa.....kilos..	53,009	86,088	37,840	55,625	242,098	338,937	180,995	264,162
Coffee.....kilos..	4,217,473	8,856,095	2,720,805	6,606,120	4,649,358	10,833,007	4,980,281	6,773,182
Hemp, manila, etc.....kilos..	482,694	240,622	444,825	200,149	178,490	77,508	26,128	10,451
Spirits, alcohol.....liters..	957,700	736,693	520,200	364,140	177,600	120,768	.....	.....
Sponges of all kinds.....kilos..	122,644	1,839,660	112,662	1,689,930	122,420	1,081,140	126,120	1,144,040
Tobacco:								
Leaf.....kilos..	167,796	211,423	208,823	275,646	98,717	132,281	49,743	76,107
Manufactured.....kilos..	257,678	1,610,944	162,128	2,212,603	168,615	2,588,332	164,003	2,842,757
Tortoise shell.....kilos..	3,606	173,088	3,835	207,090	1,706	56,176	1,499	77,948
Wax.....kilos..	17,982	59,700	40,519	137,762	4,052	12,156	10,287	30,861
Wood.....kilos..	.....	359,356	.....	145,506	.....	280,072	.....	78,828
All other articles.....	.....	821,842	.....	375,190	.....	1,724,998	.....	1,422,121
Total.....	.....	15,252,311	.....	12,410,323	.....	17,291,215	.....	12,831,737

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO THE SPANISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Butter, salted.....kilos..	234,096	643,764	54,755	145,101	52,238	133,207	.....	.....
Earthen, china, and glass ware.....	.....	235,128	.....	183,857	.....	271,782	.....	169,540
Iron and steel, manufactures of.....	.....	454,748	.....	373,075	.....	328,073	.....	340,828
Jewelry and fancy articles.....	.....	991,287	.....	716,884	.....	624,722	.....	535,464
Hats, of all kinds.....	.....	464,792	.....	159,912	.....	.....	.....	.....
Medicines, prepared.....	.....	574,965	.....	173,385	.....	298,864	.....	274,572
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....	.....	954,933	.....	400,893	.....	342,516	.....	219,916
Perfumeries.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	131,808	.....	122,432
Skins and hides, prepared, and manufactures of.....kilos..	90,020	1,796,026	55,169	1,108,270	24,348	371,674	20,603	320,760
Textiles, including laces, ribbons, etc.:								
Of cotton.....kilos..	135,538	781,221	42,033	232,785	70,803	333,077	81,888	835,716
Of silk.....kilos..	1,251	89,509	1,732	62,458	240	12,520	1,382	89,371
Of wool.....kilos..	58,743	820,004	24,569	334,494	7,958	96,980	16,466	228,846
Vegetables, fresh and prepared.....	.....	157,696	.....	141,444	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wearing apparel.....	.....	395,379	.....	391,221	.....	509,454	.....	191,336
Wine.....hectoliters..	7,737	817,825	4,769	544,500	2,546	251,660	1,112	169,690
Wood, manufactures of.....	.....	192,481	.....	183,884	.....	106,019	.....	172,050
All other articles.....	.....	2,301,296	.....	1,474,118	.....	980,022	.....	1,607,169
Total.....	.....	11,671,054	.....	6,626,281	.....	4,792,376	.....	5,277,690

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Butter, salted.....kilos..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Earthen, china, and glass ware.....kilos..	.....	172,994	201,698	114,944	317,433	99,933	73,533	49,028
Iron and steel, manufactures of.....	.....	347,098	.....	125,476	.....	89,762	.....	69,880
Jewelry and fancy articles.....	.....	356,120	.....	223,197	.....	501,986	.....	74,318
Hats, of all kinds.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,958	.....	15,309
Medicines, prepared.....	.....	347,343	.....	169,102	.....	111,234	.....	19,456
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....	.....	194,823	.....	119,685	.....	60,958	.....	47,224
Perfumeries.....	.....	132,537	.....	51,277	.....	40,786	.....	17,095
Skins and hides, prepared, and manufactures of.....kilos..	19,072	240,969	9,855	117,299	5,484	76,521	6,207	86,656
Textiles, including laces, ribbons, etc.:								
Of cotton.....kilos..	49,078	477,105	28,399	370,442	19,619	90,284	8,267	40,920
Of silk.....kilos..	2,150	154,800	4,595	376,509	.....	.....	.....	.....
Of wool.....kilos..	12,113	138,331	17,823	220,710	8,382	133,753	18,754	243,802
Vegetables, fresh and prepared.....	.....	39,247	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wearing apparel.....	.....	123,917	.....	110,825	.....	32,004	.....	37,422
Wine.....hectoliters..	1,185	112,000	353	54,520	285	47,200	247	40,335
Wood, manufactures of.....	.....	167,730	.....	.....	.....	23,723	.....	19,752
All other articles.....	.....	742,681	.....	745,846	.....	392,778	.....	471,058
Total.....	3,747,695	2,799,832	1,713,880	1,232,255

a Not separately stated after 1892.

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IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM SPANISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Chemicals, dyes, etc	8,805	235	6,688	228	4,323	191	2,655	64
Coffee, cocoa, etc	10,149	1,888	2,592	449	10,862	1,746	10,284	1,796
Hides and skins	1,152	145	175	18	196	23	562	44
Spirits	1,547	158	334	39	4,823	810	8,274	1,282
Tobacco:								
Unmanufactured	26,214	4,587	13,646	2,203	26,999	3,637	19,508	6,810
Manufactured	2,227	6,954	2,146	4,882	2,462	5,469	2,356	5,191
Wood, and manufactures of	96,028	2,209	90,225	2,055	58,816	1,412	111,108	2,666
All other articles		820		476		861		708
Total		16,996		10,350		14,169		18,561

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Chemicals, dyes, etc	6,520	251	3,875	135	3,662	123	1,312	56
Coffee, cocoa, etc	17,440	3,407	2,627	494	6,678	1,234	30,862	5,375
Hides and skins	12,932	913	24,723	2,501	31,793	2,725	8,582	704
Spirits	3,028	351	25	2	33	4	578	49
Tobacco:								
Unmanufactured	28,564	8,556	29,095	7,710	19,622	7,847	4,514	1,241
Manufactured	1,882	5,562	2,082	6,189	2,064	7,080	1,953	7,599
Wood, and manufactures of	83,731	2,014	97,024	2,319	19,301	505	2,008	63
All other articles		775		287		665		212
Total		21,829		19,637		20,183		15,323

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO THE SPANISH WEST INDIES.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds	7,975	161	7,198	207	5,577	160	4,037	109
Chemicals, medicines, etc	1,856	264	1,729	251	2,036	304	2,026	249
Confectionery	949	95	331	37	39	7		
Cotton, and manufactures of	853	618	736	539	823	474	658	441
Earthenware	4,083	237	3,167	198	4,113	297	4,138	275
Iron, and manufactures of	17,370	859	19,990	875	19,092	784	14,027	773
Instruments, machinery, etc	10,318	975	10,165	890	11,508	965	15,560	555
Glass and glassware	2,156	141	2,967	122	2,409	122	3,525	136
Jewelry and watches		539		378		409		331
Linen and linen goods	421	85	310	68	1,135	116	538	68
Leather, and manufactures of	178	188	222	206	224	203	180	154
Paper, and manufactures of	3,979	351	3,278	358	3,667	356	4,758	402
Soap and perfumery		78	160	35	106	33	82	30
Wearing apparel		94		96		86		106
Wood, manufactures of	1,149	148	894	139	1,533	178	1,101	157
Wool, manufactures of	530	372	511	355	572	394	556	362
All other articles		696		592		1,142		857
Total		5,901		5,346		6,020		5,005

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds	3,011	81	4,550	125	3,795	135	4,147	137
Chemicals, medicines, etc	2,396	250	2,524	280	1,553	176	1,787	202
Confectionery								
Cotton, and manufactures of	493	307	322	224	263	144	164	87
Earthenware	1,996	118	1,518	92	1,914	153	2,245	105
Iron, and manufactures of	10,907	539	7,564	641	9,158	1,674	5,005	296
Instruments, machinery, etc	5,484	419	2,125	194	723	70	691	48
Glass and glassware	2,848	112	2,242	91	3,251	84	2,619	63
Jewelry and watches		71		6		10		14
Linen and linen goods	278	34	429	47	332	28	99	11
Leather, and manufactures of	213	171	98	100	128	178	37	48
Paper, and manufactures of	3,684	315	2,019	182	1,775	186	3,218	220
Soap and perfumery	43	12	59	21	46	14	6	14
Wearing apparel	31	55	30	46	24	55	8	20
Wood, manufactures of	953	129	906	119	462	67	917	100
Wool, manufactures of	235	141	237	147	113	71	95	63
All other articles		1,036		1,495		1,464		4,359
Total		3,810		3,819		4,509		5,787

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

SOUTH AMERICA.

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM BRAZIL.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Bones (except whale fins).....tons..	7,106	46,460	6,636	43,068	9,323	54,421	4,177	20,563
Caoutchouc.....cwt..	114,510	1,008,062	109,456	1,765,450	124,779	1,729,366	135,405	2,029,858
Cocoa.....lbs..	2,196,417	65,180	2,774,589	86,799	1,294,884	37,345	2,154,081	68,952
Coffee.....cwt..	221,282	852,158	149,522	592,890	141,846	571,027	122,105	516,240
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	249,423	671,990	262,948	681,005	155,534	367,844	508,264	1,179,643
Drugs, unenumerated.....		12,132		8,899		9,575		6,474
Fruits, including nuts.....		47,945		159,232		58,645		53,094
Hides, raw.....cwt..	39,329	91,005	50,316	113,289	41,189	80,803	26,932	57,156
Horns and hoofs.....tons..	243	5,846	285	7,238	206	4,884	110	2,443
Isinglass.....cwt..	1,346	24,622	1,595	25,359	1,618	24,621	1,449	20,195
Seeds, cotton.....tons..	15,767	65,598	16,972	70,739	18,072	79,523	45,409	196,234
Skins and furs of all sorts.....		10,415		3,198		10,580		9,512
Sugar, unrefined.....cwt..	430,847	259,369	502,095	306,912	397,956	243,771	406,162	266,651
Tobacco manufactured.....lbs..	5,283	1,216	6,992	2,085	10,010	3,093	12,023	3,536
Wood.....tons..	992	9,680	640	4,162	765	5,258	1,320	10,652
All other articles.....		278,997		379,584		231,185		194,890
Total.....		4,350,675		4,249,909		3,511,941		4,636,102

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Bones (except whale fins).....tons..	5,516	32,046	5,921	33,443	4,481	16,761	5,101	18,208
Caoutchouc.....cwt..	140,762	2,020,799	147,006	2,176,189	194,206	3,017,921	168,041	2,671,569
Cocoa.....lbs..	2,448,664	78,482	3,667,380	118,520	1,522,435	51,814	3,320,850	89,814
Coffee.....cwt..	92,506	384,512	102,199	431,681	41,585	186,742	57,744	190,273
Cotton, raw.....cwt..	355,869	733,992	124,136	249,490	94,109	201,589	150,129	303,425
Drugs, unenumerated.....		6,438		5,432		19,423		4,456
Fruits, including nuts.....		129,094		71,114		83,474		75,285
Hides, raw.....cwt..	6,035	11,814	14,907	39,111	12,416	31,125	12,625	31,601
Horns and hoofs.....tons..	39	731	53	1,099	57	1,064	77	1,523
Isinglass.....cwt..	1,362	16,977	988	12,490	933	12,561	867	10,996
Seeds, cotton.....tons..	28,698	109,747	13,211	50,738	6,920	27,301	9,725	35,675
Skins and furs of all sorts.....		8,878		4,328		565		21
Sugar, unrefined.....cwt..	469,903	271,424	658,098	287,772	395,313	190,108	324,987	143,082
Tobacco, manufactured.....lbs..	6,248	2,154	8,021	3,140	5,626	2,335	9,907	3,577
Wood.....tons..	321	1,702	10	90	458	3,597	1,459	12,570
All other articles.....		131,279		129,518		207,283		144,344
Total.....		3,940,069		3,614,155		4,053,663		3,736,419

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO BRAZIL.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		77,966		72,469		51,458		60,482
Arms, ammunition, and military stores		39,841		100,012		99,324		75,810
Caoutchouc, manufactures of		32,506		44,901		42,480		46,889
Carriages, railway, and parts of		72,029		210,023		116,625		111,228
Cordage and twine	cwt. 11,144	24,637	11,398	24,570	14,790	30,350	14,635	30,209
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard	yds. 212,640,500	2,502,580	186,466,903	2,082,260	278,898,500	2,880,239	265,757,000	3,083,651
Yarn	lbs. 1,336,300	58,532	1,198,300	55,192	1,117,600	48,437	1,470,900	56,988
All other		414,885		435,631		476,579		468,139
Earthen, china, and glass ware		123,436		154,014		113,185		131,202
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought	tons. 108,421	1,048,630	100,875	1,045,546	63,197	718,365	58,755	609,855
Hardware, cutlery, implements, and tools		216,146		312,017		249,092		271,647
Machinery		637,930		1,091,442		763,236		766,730
Jute, manufactures of: Piece goods	yds. 12,718,500	115,742	7,557,100	64,690	17,414,900	152,516	9,085,500	66,663
Leather, and manufactures of		283,706		265,686		170,287		204,504
Linen, entered by the yard	yds. 3,540,000	119,336	3,416,300	112,869	2,885,100	83,610	3,296,500	101,885
Medicines, chemicals, drugs, etc.		106,027		137,227		128,137		114,286
Metals, not elsewhere specified:								
Copper, wrought and unwrought	cwt. 19,058	61,178	23,103	78,303	23,420	70,665	20,500	59,790
Lead, and manufactures of	tons. 1,173	17,740	1,642	23,793	1,098	11,572	1,073	12,485
Oilseed	tons. 1,855	47,660	1,989	47,174	2,326	48,124	1,873	41,274
Painters' colors and materials		37,672		45,441		35,188		40,235
Stationery, other than paper		29,684		24,383		10,834		15,332
Telegraphic wire and apparatus		22,131		207,844		101,695		10,023
Umbrellas and parasols		6,323		5,416		4,906		6,507
Wood, manufactures of		11,331		18,513		13,323		8,110
Wool, manufactures of		341,455		418,428		411,193		404,045
All other articles		1,005,835		1,212,055		1,069,826		974,904
Total		7,453,628		8,290,039		7,910,326		7,773,433

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		57,521		52,168		42,441		30,981
Arms, ammunition, and military stores		102,365		62,163		143,002		68,152
Caoutchouc, manufactures of		50,926		47,899		49,727		33,938
Carriages, railway, and parts of		76,474		105,191		109,382		122,286
Cordage and twine	cwt. 10,209	29,969	20,039	30,666	11,316	20,125	12,576	20,565
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard	yds. 227,820,800	2,630,589	194,485,000	2,179,757	166,747,000	1,863,096	134,922,300	1,362,407
Yarn	lbs. 3,129,900	98,647	2,653,900	89,763	3,366,600	117,100	2,623,900	101,665
All other		468,949		471,910		398,504		408,828
Earthen, china, and glass ware		122,135		125,719		125,096		91,241
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Iron, wrought and unwrought	tons. 55,248	605,142	76,226	663,237	86,445	756,686	72,134	598,225
Hardware, cutlery, implements, and tools		304,582		276,339		267,786		187,042
Machinery		621,411		624,523		628,439		327,958
Jute, manufactures of: Piece goods	yds. 9,815,500	82,195	9,068,500	75,036	3,722,103	33,549	7,570,700	65,041
Leather, and manufactures of		245,584		245,482		199,402		144,069
Linen, entered by the yard	yds. 3,906,300	124,721	3,478,900	108,453	2,429,800	81,747	2,113,900	60,452
Medicines, chemicals, drugs, etc.		138,460		155,947		123,254		109,038
Metals, not elsewhere specified:								
Copper, wrought and unwrought	cwt. 28,393	75,484	28,949	79,901	25,321	73,766	24,764	74,555
Lead, and manufactures of	tons. 822	9,461	929	11,272	944	11,709	818	11,336
Oilseed	tons. 2,229	48,831	2,505	54,834	2,356	47,089	2,510	43,387
Painters' colors and materials		35,251		44,857		40,118		40,503
Stationery, other than paper		18,649		18,640		17,782		14,371
Telegraphic wire and apparatus		19,848		236,794		45,991		75,702
Umbrellas and parasols		6,540		6,790		(a)		(a)
Wood, manufactures of		12,093		20,473		14,701		23,517
Wool, manufactures of		376,214		390,125		295,265		164,124
All other articles		1,348,597		1,145,557		1,157,617		1,256,461
Total		7,525,986		7,223,696		6,664,004		5,431,234

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COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM BRAZIL.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Bones, horns, and hoofs.....	904, 100	438, 574	854, 859	504, 057	971, 073	477, 205	981, 897	484, 615
Caoutchouc and gutta-percha, crude.....	659, 387	3, 956, 322	1, 005, 367	7, 037, 569	950, 681	5, 704, 086	813, 901	4, 883, 406
Cocoa.....	4, 580, 220	6, 925, 293	6, 132, 550	9, 211, 090	6, 209, 164	10, 222, 306	6, 670, 826	12, 828, 050
Coffee.....	42, 216, 170	97, 097, 191	44, 091, 555	94, 969, 554	64, 587, 642	130, 144, 099	44, 599, 338	94, 104, 725
Cotton, raw.....	121, 476	178, 570	42, 417	52, 597	285, 393	302, 517	39, 292	45, 579
Drugs, etc.: Glycerin.....	51, 343	41, 074	145, 505	101, 854	173, 028	121, 120	129, 073	90, 351
Farinaceous substances.....	141, 414	134, 343	603, 037	573, 455	282, 163	268, 055	81, 847	94, 124
Fruits: Nuts.....					551, 983	165, 595	422, 014	101, 283
Grease, including of fish.....	276, 192	165, 715	110, 592	106, 790			59, 388	38, 607
Hair.....	29, 405	102, 918	20, 435	73, 566	18, 938	47, 333	34, 751	85, 140
Hemp, manila and other.....	106, 547	98, 024			445, 166	338, 326	233, 440	163, 408
Hides.....	9, 207, 012	12, 889, 817	8, 886, 768	12, 441, 475	7, 049, 336	8, 106, 736	5, 598, 482	6, 458, 605
Tobacco, leaf and stems.....	1, 564, 696	2, 034, 105	1, 725, 719	2, 036, 348	1, 022, 916	1, 227, 409	1, 471, 898	1, 810, 434
Wood.....	3, 343, 511	1, 267, 729	3, 827, 046	1, 415, 037	4, 952, 649	1, 364, 567	4, 947, 017	1, 200, 582
All other articles.....		658, 863		1, 040, 884		920, 385		1, 512, 968
Total.....		125, 988, 538		129, 564, 876		159, 409, 829		123, 901, 877

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Bones, horns, and hoofs.....	524, 144	338, 441	286, 760	132, 336	969, 038	379, 476	606, 161	300, 606
Caoutchouc and gutta-percha, crude.....	988, 232	5, 929, 392	1, 211, 637	7, 269, 822	1, 609, 912	9, 659, 472	1, 485, 930	10, 401, 510
Cocoa.....	5, 234, 998	8, 534, 117	7, 182, 868	10, 558, 816	4, 248, 989	5, 949, 692	4, 704, 099	7, 386, 402
Coffee.....	31, 503, 568	66, 157, 834	56, 734, 903	139, 000, 512	42, 742, 247	99, 589, 540	86, 003, 667	116, 965, 138
Cotton, raw.....	131, 046	128, 425			34, 997	37, 097	36, 660	35, 560
Drugs, etc.: Glycerin.....	122, 291	85, 604	144, 480	122, 808	138, 803	166, 564	206, 180	247, 416
Farinaceous substances.....	37, 853	35, 990	56, 978	48, 431	144, 303	115, 442	120, 754	114, 716
Fruits: Nuts.....	443, 248	88, 650	220, 439	44, 088	110, 916	22, 183	322, 290	64, 458
Grease, including of fish.....	113, 689	62, 529	142, 151	71, 076	62, 155	31, 078		
Hair.....	33, 544	77, 152	17, 398	41, 755	14, 260	37, 847	6, 796	19, 029
Hemp, manila and other.....	249, 991	149, 995	58, 216	37, 840	58, 011	43, 508	243, 181	182, 385
Hides.....	5, 231, 680	6, 034, 488	3, 643, 436	5, 867, 170	6, 630, 935	8, 604, 879	4, 651, 797	6, 034, 263
Tobacco, leaf and stems.....	798, 215	1, 005, 751	1, 582, 320	2, 088, 662	888, 602	1, 190, 727	1, 559, 259	1, 767, 546
Wood.....	1, 298, 889	324, 722	2, 214, 259	508, 659	2, 310, 805	608, 910	3, 003, 563	809, 186
All other articles.....		1, 065, 889		935, 629		460, 148		495, 698
Total.....		90, 018, 949		166, 727, 604		126, 896, 563		144, 799, 913

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO BRAZIL.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Candles.....kilos..	140,120	196,168	190,079	266,110	165,188	231,263	97,434	136,408
Chemicals: Medicines, prepared, etc.....		2,140,150		2,644,120		2,418,634		2,710,259
Earthen and glass ware.....		1,347,771		1,970,685		1,317,366		1,274,488
Fancy goods, including fans, buttons, perfumery, etc.....		6,248,111		8,575,134		6,202,325		8,041,313
Fish, packed in oil, etc.....kilos..	167,882	293,794	206,756	363,961	495,578	792,925	298,369	471,774
Hair of all kinds.....kilos..	19,034	190,340	22,476	202,284	26,826	233,369	21,076	152,149
Hats of straw and felt.....		809,938		634,110		704,423		1,084,751
Instruments for scientific purposes.....		284,808		622,822				172,100
Iron and steel, and manufactures of.....		4,111,559		8,234,004		4,029,997		3,291,509
Jewelry and watches.....		4,333,107		5,639,212		2,214,039		2,292,239
Leather and skins, and manufactures of.....		10,371,236		13,273,631		6,568,978		8,376,893
Oils: Olive.....kilos..			44,694	46,482	61,051	64,714	37,875	37,118
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....		2,345,598		3,332,268		2,621,051		2,521,623
Provisions: Butter and cheese.....kilos..	4,426,256	12,108,248	3,105,330	8,186,591	2,316,029	5,874,521	2,446,831	6,723,432
Spirits, distilled, and liquors.....liters..	408,300	523,820	494,200	749,801	490,400	707,913	426,600	560,323
Textiles, including laces, ribbons, etc.:								
Of cotton.....		4,323,525		5,763,379		4,685,315		6,808,381
Of flax and hemp.....		165,261		229,373		197,001		115,247
Of silk.....		746,736		963,328		458,956		404,948
Of wool.....kilos..	346,900	5,207,362	340,982	7,696,469	585,482	8,863,654	793,416	9,155,572
Vegetables, fresh and salted, etc.....		1,257,573		1,312,322		1,056,978		885,440
Wearing apparel.....kilos..	244,873	12,223,273	265,650	14,506,190	196,493	9,848,106	252,295	11,636,614
Wine.....hectoliters..	32,133	4,323,605	41,014	5,885,020	28,768	3,687,065	25,852	3,257,294
Wood, and manufactures of.....		1,194,925		1,796,287		642,051		693,443
All other articles.....		6,263,797		10,041,293		6,099,447		4,550,809
Total.....		81,010,705		102,934,876		69,520,091		75,344,127

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Candles.....kilos..	172,211	223,874	181,884	236,449	139,035	166,842	119,549	143,459
Chemicals: Medicines, prepared, etc.....		2,787,387		2,919,810		2,204,696		2,190,505
Earthen and glass ware.....		1,388,158		1,831,861		1,618,020		1,537,338
Fancy goods, including fans, buttons, perfumery, etc.....		8,424,481		9,866,179		8,543,611		6,917,310
Fish, packed in oil, etc.....kilos..	260,905	417,175	196,164	315,927	205,019	330,806	119,074	191,017
Hair of all kinds.....kilos..	35,840	295,728	37,912	285,320	20,828	141,593	27,034	153,620
Hats of straw and felt.....		871,111		608,210		435,389		619,807
Instruments for scientific purposes.....		196,322		196,760		184,962		250,044
Iron and steel, and manufactures of.....		3,077,537		3,377,120		3,792,299		3,381,778
Jewelry and watches.....		2,462,205		2,024,223		1,498,953		1,448,129
Leather and skins, and manufactures of.....		7,085,928		8,666,153		6,356,479		6,647,830
Oils: Olive.....kilos..	32,165	28,949	33,134	27,501	40,003	30,362	99,185	81,837
Paper, books, engravings, etc.....		2,246,737		3,361,883		2,426,371		3,037,794
Provisions: Butter and cheese.....kilos..	2,977,552	6,674,446	3,066,979	6,125,234	2,961,399	7,984,434	2,771,232	7,595,199
Spirits, distilled, and liquors.....liters..	439,100	541,123	490,600	666,271	306,890	461,062	208,300	280,776
Textiles, including laces, ribbons, etc.:								
Of cotton.....		5,998,383		6,470,469		5,497,937		3,578,616
Of flax and hemp.....		114,358		189,974		105,619		105,390
Of silk.....		626,906		754,082		668,100		361,809
Of wool.....kilos..	641,584	7,652,557	737,759	8,304,624	677,652	8,149,582		7,761,163
Vegetables, fresh and salted, etc.....		1,359,334		964,294		1,039,536		1,527,240
Wearing apparel.....kilos..	257,830	12,903,762	159,292	7,227,589	141,522	5,792,535	97,092	4,068,838
Wine.....hectoliters..	34,183	3,926,445	33,053	4,300,981	27,078	3,490,120	21,245	2,716,875
Wood, and manufactures of.....		426,779		427,169		415,542		336,186
All other articles.....		10,387,170		6,613,912		7,247,722		5,968,317
Total.....		80,116,855		75,761,935		68,581,972		60,900,937

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM BRAZIL.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Bones, horns, and hoofs	4,427	248	5,695	136	6,812	191	7,182	251
Caoutchouc and gutta-percha	2,837	2,269	4,660	2,796	3,900	2,145	3,326	1,497
Cocoa	3,786	492	5,285	714	3,334	487	4,894	759
Coffee	566,843	105,433	684,037	119,707	689,727	111,046	602,527	105,442
Drugs, dyes, etc.	57,814	1,836	55,238	1,578	28,708	1,064	19,813	522
Fruits, including nuts			3,798	188	1,281	66	869	50
Hair, including feathers and bristles	200	54	63	30	219	52	137	26
Hides and skins	142,917	13,530	158,897	13,512	147,097	12,353	123,532	10,091
Tobacco, leaf and stems	191,492	33,511	302,241	48,897	144,890	19,551	302,558	30,244
Wood, etc.	14,914	355	4,531	49	11,922	273	11,162	294
All other articles		2,732		2,141		2,646		1,645
Total		160,620		189,748		149,874		150,821

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Bones, horns, and hoofs	5,754	201	5,932	237	4,729	227	6,346	317
Caoutchouc and gutta-percha	2,324	930	4,435	1,774	4,949	2,079	4,771	2,147
Cocoa	5,933	653	11,507	1,208	14,803	1,332	26,475	3,071
Coffee	471,487	71,173	648,268	98,537	701,913	84,230	770,315	63,937
Drugs, dyes, etc.	14,331	469	7,480	287	13,654	382	11,916	389
Fruits, including nuts			2,400	87	2,471	89	1,711	60
Hair, including feathers and bristles	105	15	232	43	117	21	166	30
Hides and skins	139,860	10,486	140,107	15,277	89,541	8,569	179,038	15,725
Tobacco, leaf and stems	164,286	13,142	210,892	16,671	165,411	18,192	235,459	32,964
Wood, etc.	8,034	233	7,206	254	7,281	252	14,524	435
All other articles		1,672		3,080		2,503		7,186
Total		98,994		137,655		117,876		126,261

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO BRAZIL.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds	54,157	1,128	76,204	2,189	64,017	1,851	55,624	1,491
Caoutchouc and gutta-percha, manufactures of	397	285	514	362	267	175	375	230
Chemicals, dyes, etc.	36,749	2,019	45,173	2,581	43,982	2,389	33,885	2,104
Cotton, manufactures of	27,844	12,198	22,739	9,422	29,048	11,122	36,472	14,405
Earthen and glass ware	36,812	1,712	41,739	1,954	53,566	2,260	53,724	2,354
Flax and hemp, manufactures of	5,856	839	5,580	787	8,174	896	6,877	834
Gold and silver, manufactures of	93	1,864	74	1,485	34	689	42	833
Instruments, machinery, and carriages	19,322	3,184	51,919	5,281	34,008	3,527	33,121	3,834
Iron and steel, and manufactures of	207,737	7,155	327,749	10,603	294,864	7,587	263,148	8,447
Leather, and manufactures of	1,758	1,732	2,077	1,873	1,788	1,506	2,252	1,940
Oils and grease	1,897	110	1,921	122	1,516	93	1,509	93
Paper, and manufactures of	33,221	2,258	35,505	2,207	37,378	2,467	42,354	2,364
Silk, manufactures of	414	1,481	452	1,447	287	1,206	462	1,513
Soap and perfumery	718	212	606	178	550	159	779	238
Wearing apparel, etc.	2,694	3,475	2,213	2,797	1,861	2,099	2,578	2,696
Wood, and manufactures of	31,584	1,202	68,964	1,786	11,334	1,285	8,459	1,204
Wool, manufactures of	9,622	8,691	9,020	7,288	8,955	6,827	12,771	8,991
All other articles		8,102		8,644		5,727		8,645
Total		57,647		61,011		51,856		62,216

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO BRAZIL—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds.....	56,302	1,512	70,052	1,914	25,580	894	15,196	500
Caoutchouc and gutta-percha, manufactures of.....	513	311	650	406	798	506	703	454
Chemicals, dyes, etc.....	37,476	2,068	57,135	3,245	46,571	2,943	42,118	3,164
Cotton, manufactures of.....	31,118	11,780	32,639	13,387	22,584	9,293	15,463	6,411
Earthen and glass ware.....	56,943	2,223	28,352	1,223	31,733	1,440	20,689	1,045
Flax and hemp, manufactures of.....	5,817	691	6,294	742	5,398	602	4,376	514
Gold and silver, manufactures of.....	51	1,015	49	975	24	720	35	1,029
Instruments, machinery, and carriages.....	28,081	3,767	40,152	4,295	34,702	3,212	46,019	5,595
Iron and steel, and manufactures of.....	233,146	8,596	410,595	16,334	475,653	11,776	205,528	7,329
Leather, and manufactures of.....	2,651	2,140	2,588	2,440	2,340	1,986	2,025	1,534
Oils and grease.....	1,435	88	1,678	98	1,187	78	1,215	72
Paper, and manufactures of.....	42,194	2,359	61,054	3,577	58,709	3,078	53,002	2,862
Silk, manufactures of.....	405	1,102	553	1,557	776	1,824	390	1,136
Soap and perfumery.....	824	257	1,005	295	992	217	623	147
Wearing apparel, etc.....	2,455	2,461	2,174	2,311	1,780	2,377	1,130	1,336
Wood, and manufactures of.....	8,735	1,109	13,749	1,820	14,833	1,961	29,299	1,732
Wool, manufactures of.....	11,544	7,994	13,601	9,563	8,380	6,010	4,904	3,462
All other articles.....		7,527		10,749		11,420		11,874
Total.....		57,000		74,931		60,337		50,216

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM COLOMBIA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Cocoa.....lbs.	91,002	2,915	66,854	1,964	318,007	11,349	34,590	1,245
Coffee.....cwt.	25,107	116,259	25,989	128,683	42,263	200,679	53,368	253,553
Cotton, unmanufactured.....cwt.	2,827	8,473	6,822	13,163	9,262	21,093	5,579	10,589
Drugs.....		8,238		8,016		15,963		10,799
Dyewoods and dyestuffs.....		21,163		34,700		10,410		37,445
Hides.....cwt.	1,002	1,654	161	492	1,930	5,248	11,341	25,911
India rubber, crude.....cwt.	2,257	28,349	1,735	23,573	1,533	21,840	2,549	30,691
Ivory, vegetable.....cwt.	28,454	15,754	7,332	3,562	21,245	11,929	14,474	7,147
Ores, silver-bearing.....		35,909		60,997		76,957		164,965
All other articles.....		65,547		54,094		81,626		87,391
Total.....		304,261		329,244		457,094		629,736

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Cocoa.....lbs.	452,555	15,376	687,985	19,774	196,142	6,561	367,300	8,484
Coffee.....cwt.	56,296	276,589	51,599	260,243	62,983	328,837	62,386	324,418
Cotton, unmanufactured.....cwt.	2,197	3,592	637	1,003	2,340	4,146	1,787	2,887
Drugs.....		5,111		6,319		8,021		7,753
Dyewoods and dyestuffs.....		32,049		10,889		7,336		13,232
Hides.....cwt.	7,205	18,634	1,673	4,101	3,953	10,967	1,487	4,263
India rubber, crude.....cwt.	2,064	25,518						
Ivory, vegetable.....cwt.	14,527	5,935	3,090	1,695	18,740	7,530	2,710	1,165
Ores, silver-bearing.....		99,918		61,139		90,725		101,831
All other articles.....		86,690		69,730		105,109		92,527
Total.....		569,412		434,893		569,232		556,560

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO COLOMBIA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery.....		29,977		37,284		35,173		23,151
Arms, ammunition, and military stores.....		6,624		11,471		8,906		10,700
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	42,929	11,382	43,007	12,772	84,608	21,194	71,682	20,527
Candles, all sorts.....lbs..	271,500	5,313	225,400	4,702	324,900	6,285	248,800	4,874
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	5,329	3,903	2,233	1,614	3,257	2,023	8,923	4,516
Cottons, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	62,126,600	610,696	63,486,100	687,874	60,360,600	577,777	46,820,700	451,503
Entered at value.....		97,070		111,893		95,718		83,580
Hats of all sorts.....doz..	5,759	4,857	8,263	6,268	3,884	3,653	4,813	4,234
India rubber, manufactures of.....		11,279		11,195		6,017		5,914
Iron and steel, manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery.....		17,636		20,612		16,841		14,565
Implements and tools.....		16,758		15,348		15,470		13,763
Machinery and mill work.....		31,840		25,187		22,961		31,465
All other.....tons..	2,899	42,793	3,551	48,686	3,634	47,344	4,696	48,470
Jute, manufactures of: Piece goods.....yds..	522,400	7,762	490,900	7,517	443,600	6,575	663,200	10,657
Leather, and manufactures of.....		13,321		18,560		15,013		16,001
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds..	3,776,000	63,073	3,484,600	60,623	3,451,300	57,849	3,043,900	50,978
Malt liquors.....bbls..	703	2,815	1,067	4,682	964	4,289	1,064	4,471
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations.....		7,183		9,437		7,483		6,184
Wool, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	815,600	63,857	969,600	78,194	720,700	54,872	693,500	56,466
Entered at value.....		19,442		25,703		17,205		13,950
All other articles.....		76,665		80,086		82,839		81,641
Total.....		1,144,246		1,279,708		1,105,487		957,608

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery.....		19,731		15,991		22,188		19,159
Arms, ammunition, and military stores.....		11,733		7,281		14,218		8,946
Bags and sacks, empty.....doz..	43,516	12,992	41,903	10,955	56,900	15,987	70,800	18,354
Candles, all sorts.....lbs..	280,360	5,189	327,200	5,682	497,200	7,986	315,560	4,444
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	4,704	2,878	12,383	6,552	17,900	9,528	17,679	9,005
Cottons, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	64,607,600	539,922	91,536,300	751,907	86,549,700	763,614	73,509,100	627,214
Entered at value.....		81,348		95,663		124,737		94,856
Hats of all sorts.....doz..	5,063	3,655	3,563	3,110	4,702	4,295	5,144	4,227
India rubber, manufactures of.....		9,949						
Iron and steel, manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery.....		8,457		6,608		9,753		16,056
Implements and tools.....		12,858		9,285		15,448		14,713
Machinery and mill work.....		22,422		21,052		26,826		27,781
All other.....tons..	2,897	35,946	2,780	33,558	3,475	43,088	3,877	46,512
Jute, manufactures of: Piece goods.....yds..	716,100	11,230	924,100	13,462	422,700	7,179	425,500	6,751
Leather, and manufactures of.....		15,381		12,037		18,044		13,273
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds..	2,839,300	43,121	4,391,100	59,866	3,979,005	57,128	3,409,800	50,783
Malt liquors.....bbls..	817	3,174	651	2,554	1,110	3,919	1,612	5,604
Medicines, drugs, and medicinal preparations.....		7,764		5,527		9,716		9,017
Wool, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	513,200	36,071	813,000	66,397	866,700	77,315	1,021,400	95,359
Entered at value.....		14,923		13,388		15,697		15,700
All other articles.....		77,842		86,377		98,173		103,179
Total.....		976,586		1,227,252		1,344,841		1,191,023

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM COLOMBIA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	3,911,533	5,914,238	1,705,360	2,561,451	1,543,689	2,541,003	2,384,572	4,585,532
Coffee.....	3,751,130	8,627,599	6,133,453	13,033,587	4,771,088	9,613,743	7,901,999	16,673,218
Cotton, unmanufactured.....	484,392	702,368	287,976	345,571	132,363	140,305	200,435	220,297
Dyewoods and dyestuffs:								
Indigo.....	216,070	2,808,910	197,825	2,373,900	175,667	2,635,005	158,540	2,378,100
All other.....	1,912,097	344,161	2,018,549	503,827	2,220,793	544,049	2,766,536	635,367
India rubber and gutta-percha, crude.....	42,738	256,428	44,748	313,236	42,019	252,114	48,956	293,736
Lead, unmanufactured.....	1,459,801	481,734			161,810	194,172		
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	253,819	329,965						
Wood: Furniture woods.....	1,165,641	361,879	688,448	220,708	3,775,016	885,351	2,867,558	596,285
All other articles.....		1,342,127		1,005,780		698,937		1,190,323
Total.....		21,169,409		20,358,060		17,504,679		26,572,858

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	8,712,274	2,780,733	3,431,865	5,044,842	2,695,343	3,773,550	1,749,965	2,747,445
Coffee.....	11,742,275	24,658,677	9,444,118	23,138,089	8,880,897	20,692,490	12,244,954	16,653,137
Cotton, unmanufactured.....			158,336	144,678	199,184	197,192	114,223	101,658
Dyewoods and dyestuffs:								
Indigo.....	177,320	2,127,840	115,015	1,265,165	182,592	1,825,920	217,048	1,953,432
All other.....	3,136,782	533,253	1,456,811	218,521	114,140	15,980		
India rubber and gutta-percha, crude.....		153,533	30,214	181,284	53,517	321,702	46,550	325,850
Lead, unmanufactured.....								
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....					29,273	39,226	155,790	238,359
Wood: Furniture woods.....	4,079,628	835,620	1,314,245	219,828	2,064,562	508,034	3,090,324	732,467
All other articles.....		1,005,338		568,383		530,121		1,162,086
Total.....		32,095,014		30,810,790		27,904,215		23,914,434

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO COLOMBIA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Cotton, manufactures of.....		3,487,598		2,290,472		2,066,580		3,750,731
Fish, pickled, in oil, or otherwise prepared.....kilos..			105,290	189,935	82,695	136,839	85,732	140,602
Furniture and musical instruments.....		593,206				547,183		498,547
Glassware and porcelains.....		628,222		566,081		320,476		354,400
Hats, of straw or fur.....		1,450,574		1,415,023		568,843		141,480
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Machinery.....kilos..	194,278	356,155	157,551	357,014	141,575	309,605		
Tools.....kilos..	522,394	700,771	408,501	604,305	280,001	492,551	351,253	461,201
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold, platinum, or silver.....		586,208		236,533		1,104,862		808,301
Leather:								
Manufactures of.....kilos..	381,946	10,920,007	188,370	5,229,115	96,415	2,299,819	59,831	1,205,303
Prepared skins.....kilos..	149,992	1,468,346	140,353	1,550,525	67,833	780,878	105,600	1,634,360
Medicines and medicinal preparations.....		1,344,889		1,307,173		635,433		1,436,732
Oil, olive.....kilos..			139,563	145,146	78,291	82,988	69,756	68,361
Paper, books, and prints.....		1,352,997		1,399,464		890,316		1,182,278
Perfumery.....		534,394		534,889				515,368
Spirits, distilled, brandy and liquors.....liters..	396,900	575,283	335,400	575,086	260,000	440,707	328,500	484,481
Toys, etc.....kilos..	244,932	2,204,388	289,735	2,607,615	102,091	918,819	217,412	1,901,012
Wearing apparel.....kilos..	276,155	6,933,065	132,163	4,378,495	74,522	2,583,914	251,662	5,691,053
Wines.....liters..	2,125,300	3,195,235	2,078,609	2,698,515	1,283,100	1,741,390	1,297,300	1,711,989
Wool, manufactures of.....kilos..	345,125	5,731,998	306,193	4,515,742		2,601,023	214,582	2,659,476
All other articles.....		4,541,212		4,920,308		3,019,658		4,409,557
Total.....		46,594,548		35,461,436		21,541,884		29,055,232

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO COLOMBIA—Continued.

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Cotton, manufactures of		2,357,251		3,073,951		3,098,480		2,155,948
Fish, pickled, in oil, or otherwise prepared	92,524	146,348	215,624	351,118	83,567	139,630	100,535	164,717
Furniture and musical instruments		229,383		277,501		227,861		314,221
Glassware and porcelains		294,481		222,720		399,384		340,115
Hats, of straw or fur		107,760		164,168		219,230		307,607
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Machinery		149,672		87,663		168,483		179,850
Tools	195,784	291,296	187,496	261,631		672,167		462,998
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold, platinum, or silver		616,379		145,130		227,129		148,639
Leather:								
Manufactures of			119,581	1,914,622	134,762	2,053,812	148,031	2,112,941
Prepared skins	119,428	1,914,972						
Medicines and medicinal preparations		1,318,398		1,034,450		1,497,746		1,066,341
Oil, olive	77,105	69,394	59,916	49,730	67,082	50,915	54,921	38,445
Paper, books, and prints		593,878		667,063		923,298		794,664
Perfumery		423,049		361,257		595,028		303,952
Spirits, distilled, brandy and liquors	148,400	215,443	173,250	342,419	267,300	393,723	219,500	316,373
Toys, etc.	291,594	2,627,586	313,116	3,015,149	444,887	4,268,594	267,133	2,499,349
Wearing apparel	60,303	1,463,213	42,778	1,234,661	39,201	1,236,003	30,619	891,750
Wines	938,600	1,065,979	793,500	951,885	865,000	1,031,845	755,000	1,011,965
Wool, manufactures of	143,680	1,737,138	238,136	2,773,989	345,778	4,182,287	282,233	3,639,166
All other articles		2,966,884		2,844,002		4,071,659		4,904,388
Total		18,618,454		19,773,009		25,457,274		21,713,419

IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM COLOMBIA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Coffee	3,402	633	4,219	738	12,726	2,049	16,624	2,909
Dyewoods and dyestuffs	3,674	33	1,911	17	4,769	124	7,334	169
Hides and furs	261	31	129	15	628	75	1,919	194
India rubber and gutta-percha	90	72	31	19	88	48	50	27
Nuts, thick-shelled	37,027	592	42,046	673	46,610	746	34,800	661
Shells, pearl	930	149	835	134	289	64	203	49
Tobacco, unmanufactured	40,500	7,087	47,496	7,694	28,559	3,855	30,612	2,454
All other articles		257		512		187		252
Total		8,854		9,802		7,148		6,715

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Coffee	32,873	5,588	29,530	5,020	40,212	6,233	32,007	4,333
Dyewoods and dyestuffs	7,885	173	15,411	272	11,715	197	24,249	409
Hides and furs	2,824	241	757	105	2,581	310	2,415	289
India rubber and gutta-percha	68	27	41	16	113	47	230	103
Nuts, thick-shelled			965	10	2,587	26	1,244	15
Shells, pearl			523	126	69	17	23	3
Tobacco, unmanufactured	19,236	1,929	15,920	1,592	27,395	2,739	44,100	5,292
All other articles		1,026		1,001		819		1,080
Total		8,984		8,142		10,288		11,524

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO COLOMBIA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds.....	2,490	71	4,137	118	3,525	102	3,822	102
Chemicals, dyes, etc.....	5,039	477	639	79	697	53	692	70
Copper, manufactures of.....	297	101	281	99	233	61	258	67
Cotton, manufactures of.....	1,916	953	2,102	1,014	1,672	721	1,999	841
Earthenware.....	4,048	226	2,745	150	2,282	151	4,160	229
Glass and glassware.....	787	42	1,897	64	771	41	2,025	61
Instruments, machines, and vessels.....	675	161	579	147	598	102	611	80
Iron, manufactures of.....	5,099	477	8,615	740	6,060	371	9,030	465
Leather, manufactures of.....	228	218	198	242	166	139	155	147
Paper, and manufactures of.....	1,978	118	1,436	99	1,056	88	2,333	127
Silk, manufactures of.....	43	155	34	117	32	91	20	67
Wearing apparel.....	296	447	366	527	295	352	347	428
Wool, manufactures of.....	893	743	1,109	833	779	541	804	545
All other articles.....		169		653		440		503
Total.....		4,361		4,882		3,255		3,732

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds.....	2,511	68	2,660	73	3,515	125	6,207	205
Chemicals, dyes, etc.....	1,159	66	1,364	110	1,211	121	1,540	170
Copper, manufactures of.....	181	56	195	62	360	107	505	147
Cotton, manufactures of.....	2,246	916	2,539	1,090	3,474	1,509	3,282	1,476
Earthenware.....	3,164	191	4,009	196	4,734	329	5,777	389
Glass and glassware.....	953	44	708	49	1,651	76	1,661	89
Instruments, machines, and vessels.....	309	68	457	71	1,829	177	1,295	168
Iron, manufactures of.....	9,499	469	8,713	473	14,758	831	16,065	860
Leather, manufactures of.....	163	126	206	167	270	231	263	238
Paper, and manufactures of.....	1,543	88	2,077	115	2,693	138	2,623	153
Silk, manufactures of.....	15	54	39	114	66	219	56	174
Wearing apparel.....	262	316	270	351	476	717	679	990
Wool, manufactures of.....	720	469	1,342	875	1,794	1,166	1,822	1,219
All other articles.....		490		593		1,125		2,374
Total.....		3,421		4,339		6,871		8,652

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM FROM VENEZUELA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Cocoa.....lbs.	124,694	4,782	693,801	22,501	168,358	5,576	20,837	686
Coffee.....cwt.	349	1,735	61	315	479	2,471	678	4,399
Copper:								
Ore.....tons.	19,452	96,971	21,390	108,171	22,629	90,791	5,731	25,862
Regulus.....tons.	9,425	188,384	8,875	143,262	8,401	151,470	3,068	40,786
Dyewoods and dyestuffs.....		10,398		9,501				795
All other articles.....		6,280		7,247		6,431		17,156
Total.....		308,550		290,597		256,739		89,684

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Cocoa.....lbs.	31,582	1,528	60,817	2,365	79,011	3,552	42,784	1,885
Coffee.....cwt.	3	22	379	2,023	104	805	1,130	7,330
Copper:								
Ore.....tons.	1,043	3,129	1,200	18,000	94	400		
Regulus.....tons.	7,395	106,583			351	5,700		
Dyewoods and dyestuffs.....	5,218	10,237						
All other articles.....		23,713		31,022		a 46,969		a 51,167
Total.....		145,212		53,410		57,426		63,382

a Feathers, ornamental, 1896, \$41,850; 1897, \$36,881.

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO VENEZUELA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		6, 924		11, 183		1, 618		4, 009
Cars, railway, and parts thereof.....		22, 536		10, 260		6, 414		1, 994
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	28, 787	22, 824	32, 657	24, 203	25, 188	16, 493	27, 531	15, 288
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	40, 924, 300	407, 565	41, 231, 000	413, 549	16, 750, 400	166, 744	52, 182, 600	520, 189
Entered at value.....		59, 325		50, 889		25, 542		87, 198
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery.....		15, 840		17, 493		7, 852		13, 945
Implements and tools.....		13, 719		20, 538		14, 069		16, 401
Machinery and millwork.....		34, 969		27, 896		19, 653		12, 128
All other.....tons..	4, 888	66, 200	4, 193	56, 685	2, 145	28, 399	2, 889	34, 194
Jute, manufactures of: Piece goods.....yds..	2, 093, 100	30, 839	1, 936, 700	27, 431	866, 300	11, 814	2, 762, 300	36, 706
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds..	2, 092, 600	38, 307	2, 316, 000	41, 149	884, 900	15, 934	3, 309, 700	54, 502
Wool, manufactures of: Entered by the yard.....yds..	600, 400	34, 206	533, 800	36, 743	166, 200	12, 727	657, 200	59, 269
All other articles.....		75, 724		83, 107		41, 656		63, 436
Total.....		828, 978		821, 326		368, 915		919, 261

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£	Quantities.	£
Apparel and haberdashery		4, 449		2, 992		3, 229		3, 116
Cars, railway, and parts thereof.....		949		114		1, 044		3, 026
Coal, cinders, and fuel.....tons..	22, 907	14, 536	23, 300	12, 217	20, 564	10, 631	23, 112	12, 110
Cotton, manufactures of:								
Entered by the yard.....yds..	38, 906, 300	369, 510	54, 112, 200	481, 842	50, 528, 800	460, 792	35, 624, 900	315, 467
Entered at value.....		58, 111		67, 673		69, 763		54, 870
Iron and steel, and manufactures of:								
Hardware and cutlery.....		12, 447		11, 824		9, 826		8, 393
Implements and tools.....		18, 371		19, 002		18, 617		15, 006
Machinery and millwork.....		10, 543		24, 478		12, 543		13, 000
All other.....tons..	3, 119	36, 614	2, 600	29, 655	2, 780	29, 971	2, 593	28, 014
Jute, manufactures of: Piece goods.....yds..	2, 403, 400	29, 771	2, 247, 100	28, 492	2, 726, 900	33, 351	2, 065, 300	24, 879
Linens, entered by the yard.....yds..	2, 258, 500	38, 956	2, 064, 700	43, 879	2, 866, 900	46, 194	1, 369, 700	23, 232
Wool, manufactures of: Entered by the yard.....yds..	359, 300	33, 927	395, 300	34, 458	524, 100	44, 867	276, 500	25, 884
All other articles.....		50, 859		46, 338		48, 939		37, 700
Total.....		679, 043		802, 964		789, 767		564, 697

IMPORTS INTO FRANCE FROM VENEZUELA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	6, 602, 882	9, 983, 558	5, 163, 007	7, 754, 837	4, 925, 544	8, 107, 445	3, 853, 859	7, 422, 509
Coffee.....	12, 602, 221	28, 985, 108	13, 077, 016	27, 788, 659	11, 589, 406	23, 352, 653	16, 546, 400	34, 912, 904
Dyewoods and dyestuffs.....	827, 674	253, 598	1, 146, 904	464, 308	810, 906	333, 833	1, 209, 904	272, 497
Woods: Furniture woods.....	1, 369, 959	301, 391	897, 283	257, 471	1, 516, 167	328, 746	1, 464, 847	326, 052
All other articles.....		357, 282		551, 927		287, 032		537, 252
Total.....		39, 980, 937		36, 817, 202		32, 409, 709		43, 471, 214

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.	Kilos.	Francs.
Cocoa.....	4, 575, 824	7, 431, 138	5, 460, 343	8, 291, 304	6, 122, 858	8, 572, 000	5, 350, 768	8, 400, 748
Coffee.....	18, 857, 905	39, 601, 600	14, 746, 287	36, 128, 403	15, 080, 845	35, 138, 369	12, 495, 813	16, 994, 306
Dyewoods and dyestuffs.....	251, 574	50, 315	387, 925	58, 188	132, 585	64, 517	81, 940	11, 463
Woods: Furniture woods.....	1, 572, 815	315, 990	266, 222	62, 294	1, 387, 753	254, 033	1, 421, 968	311, 050
All other articles.....		628, 047		191, 874		518, 014		365, 806
Total.....		48, 027, 090		44, 732, 063		44, 546, 933		26, 083, 873

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM FRANCE TO VENEZUELA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Boots and shoes.....kilos.	11,042	320,218						
Clothing.....kilos.	9,360	374,916	8,022	256,625	4,332	133,470	8,716	191,721
Cotton, manufactures of.....		410,436		414,623		385,513		972,886
Fish, pickled or in oil.....kilos.	280,137	501,470	244,670	432,040	86,049	143,858	115,652	198,155
Fruits.....kilos.	168,483	105,462			115,010	78,772	188,478	106,690
Glassware and chinaware.....		159,630		132,015		70,273		108,386
Iron and steel, manufactures of:								
Cutlery.....kilos.	19,035	131,341						
Machinery.....kilos.	66,206	81,424	59,833	69,408	19,473	37,315		
Tools.....kilos.	133,905	182,027	87,685	154,805	33,942	109,941	44,212	53,871
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....grams.	40,279	76,475	30,061	104,694	5,052	4,504	451,320	2,035,221
Leather, and manufactures of, and dressed skins.....kilos.	44,367	390,832	37,191	514,309	32,951	411,331	3,510	74,339
Medicines and medicinal preparations.....		310,997		286,475		241,335		372,369
Oil: Olive.....kilos.	211,690	268,846	283,849	295,203	210,476	223,105	493,769	464,294
Spirits, distilled, etc.....liters.	121,200	179,185	120,100	204,658	70,200	119,062	104,500	156,970
Sugar, refined.....kilos.			882,496	361,899				
Toys.....kilos.	74,703	672,327	64,219	577,971	31,489	283,401	91,448	823,032
Wines.....liters.	1,504,100	2,368,055	1,014,700	1,619,755	586,000	798,665	675,900	968,028
Wood, manufactures of: Furniture.....kilos.	38,792	71,219					77,476	219,122
Wool, manufactures of.....kilos.	55,987	823,061	28,298	401,386	8,690	114,741	51,231	673,680
All other articles.....		1,572,762		1,725,256		1,050,915		2,075,369
Total.....		9,000,683		7,551,122		4,206,201		9,494,142

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.	Quantities.	Francs.
Boots and shoes.....kilos.								
Clothing.....kilos.	6,161	128,675	3,146	59,415	1,200	40,342	1,379	42,938
Cotton, manufactures of.....		534,445		371,983		257,223		84,663
Fish, pickled or in oil.....kilos.	30,659	49,054	56,049	100,237	38,670	69,795	30,548	56,171
Fruits.....kilos.			69,291	49,035	70,429	40,724	28,871	68,572
Glassware and chinaware.....		81,165		57,602		42,351		22,400
Iron and steel, manufactures of:								
Machinery.....kilos.								21,623
Tools.....kilos.	80,198	72,894	47,373	50,921	830,174	2,870,924	629,709	2,183,642
Jewelry, and manufactures of gold and silver.....grams.	56,380	48,210	12,649	38,744	22,431	58,959	2,568	7,301
Leather, and manufactures of, and dressed skins.....kilos.	21,086	339,502	20,272	318,495	11,160	163,966	4,227	62,474
Medicines and medicinal preparations.....		326,708		223,050		160,598		166,173
Oil: Olive.....kilos.	186,911	168,220	128,341	106,523	66,202	50,247	64,654	45,258
Spirits, distilled, etc.....liters.	81,700	123,397	80,200	119,168	67,500	101,223	49,500	75,622
Toys.....kilos.	85,965	773,685	41,689	382,610	16,628	156,932	9,809	87,773
Wines.....liters.	480,400	666,007	a 5,256	713,775	456,200	587,680	379,804	471,960
Wood, manufactures of: Furniture.....kilos.	19,735	68,518		55,970		37,836		
Wool, manufactures of.....kilos.	35,557	378,491	19,353	235,874	13,409	165,646	3,073	46,117
All other articles.....		1,103,442		1,090,655		658,008		611,206
Total.....		4,862,413		3,974,057		5,462,454		4,054,193

a Kilos.

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

IMPORTS INTO GERMANY FROM VENEZUELA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Cocoa.....	3,190	415	4,028	544	4,926	719	3,806	590
Coffee.....	18,776	3,492	26,959	4,718	32,811	5,283	79,559	13,923
Cotton, raw.....	123	14	41	4	45	4		
Drugs, dyes, etc.:								
Peruvian bark.....	239	20	135	11	176	12	63	4
Divi-divi.....	20,952	482	22,573	587	10,271	267	27,637	630
Fustic.....	1,962	18	1,542	14	1,617	18	8,543	103
Hides.....	1,416	182	305	45	1,499	189	4,519	462
Resins, natural balsams.....	271	152	344	172	218	104	173	81
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	4,439	777	3,909	634	2,016	272	1,755	205
Woods.....	6,287	149	4,415	100	5,162	106	6,898	167
All other articles.....		70		116		168		70
Total.....		5,771		6,945		7,142		16,241

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Cocoa.....	4,390	637	4,992	699	5,666	793	7,990	1,278
Coffee.....	117,294	19,940	76,519	13,008	94,485	14,645	56,501	7,345
Drugs, dyes, etc.:								
Peruvian bark.....	218	13	232	14	239	13	60	4
Divi-divi.....	18,422	405	13,822	263	14,588	277	23,694	450
Fustic.....	1,917	19	250	2	1,223	10	1,176	10
Hides.....	5,398	487	2,351	330	4,596	552	2,954	353
Resins, natural balsams.....	87	41	228	112	267	134	310	171
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....	724	58	442	35	707	57	1,402	112
Woods.....	7,085	170	4,116	74	6,758	83	10,516	125
All other articles.....		145		208		269		339
Total.....		21,915		14,745		16,833		10,187

COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES OF EUROPE IN LEADING ARTICLES WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL
AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES—Continued.

EXPORTS FROM GERMANY TO VENEZUELA.

ARTICLES.	1890		1891		1892		1893	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds.....	18,428	377	23,198	666	20,150	580	25,400	684
Chemicals, dyes, etc.....	2,709	290	3,876	383	1,781	191	3,347	381
Copper, manufactures of.....	419	138	568	138	257	61	3,793	1,016
Cotton, manufactures of.....	3,544	1,590	4,397	1,853	1,476	593	4,709	1,895
Earthenware.....	6,644	326	6,988	358	4,248	212	6,238	369
Glass and glassware.....	3,169	112	3,149	108	1,563	54	2,420	89
Instruments, machines, etc.....	1,465	266	3,637	434	6,815	512	4,866	518
Iron, manufactures of.....	31,604	1,447	78,038	2,065	59,132	1,363	118,670	4,153
Leather, and manufactures of.....	357	336	388	375	158	134	445	400
Paper, and manufactures of.....	4,824	299	6,788	377	2,172	167	5,014	262
Silk, manufactures of.....	40	200	51	248	12	56	41	189
Sugar: Confectionery.....	1,409	141	771	85	168	19	403	46
Wearing apparel.....	217	413	234	513	120	153	290	439
Wool, manufactures of.....	599	459	708	504	294	191	702	449
All other articles.....		1,619		1,762		685		1,735
Total.....		8,013		9,869		5,001		12,625

ARTICLES.	1894		1895		1896		1897	
	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.	100 kilos.	1,000 marks.
Beer of all kinds.....	19,040	512	21,455	589	16,644	588	10,698	353
Chemicals, dyes, etc.....	3,113	344	4,729	315	3,312	299	3,219	253
Copper, manufactures of.....	1,337	323	422	105	373	102	312	58
Cotton, manufactures of.....	2,918	1,106	3,323	1,314	3,643	1,457	2,069	851
Earthenware.....	5,603	289	15,939	401	7,849	454	4,793	293
Glass and glassware.....	2,833	89	2,408	74	4,908	113	6,510	123
Instruments, machines, etc.....	2,520	276	3,833	304	1,947	173	2,392	210
Iron, manufactures of.....	12,689	624	13,438	638	19,641	748	12,444	711
Leather, and manufactures of.....	346	360	276	253	265	212	198	162
Paper, and manufactures of.....	109	2	3,844	207	3,714	211	3,952	224
Silk, manufactures of.....	26	116	35	134	43	172	25	85
Sugar: Confectionery.....			41	4	207	31	324	45
Wearing apparel.....	234	304	161	193	175	260	97	159
Wool, manufactures of.....	440	266	462	282	478	297	311	169
All other articles.....		1,594		1,273		1,273		1,924
Total.....		6,205		6,086		6,390		5,520

COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898.

NORTH AMERICA.

BERMUDA. (a)

YEAR.	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO —			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1891							
1892	155,411	396,904	552,315	890,952	17,167	908,119	—355,804
1893	334,491	425,355	759,846	943,602	18,514	962,116	—202,270
1894	120,790	323,805	444,595	900,276	28,600	928,876	—484,281
1895	111,841	353,866	465,707	797,788	23,776	821,564	—355,857
1896	148,998	373,676	522,674	894,024	30,023	924,047	—401,373
1897	101,730	520,101	621,831	829,694	25,138	854,832	—233,001
1898	36,221	423,061	459,282	962,200	24,715	986,915	—527,636

a Included in British West Indies prior to 1892.

BRITISH HONDURAS.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Ending September 30—							
1821	55,158	80,327	135,485	99,895	106,830	206,725	— 71,240
1822	94,812	54,434	149,246	123,115	127,943	251,058	— 101,812
1823	119,977	75,689	195,666	211,383	100,052	311,435	— 115,769
1824	95,159	70,891	166,050	157,000	188,365	345,425	— 179,375
1825	55,737	160,678	216,415	57,286	17,981	75,267	+ 141,148
1826	29,314	41,391	70,705				+ 70,705
1827	10,367	1,005	11,372	13,261	1,573	14,834	— 3,462
1828	919	241	1,160	5,950	2,371	8,321	— 7,161
1829	7,149	11,581	18,730	12,693	8,229	20,922	— 2,192
1830				25,132	5,432	30,564	— 30,564
Total, 10 years	468,592	496,237	964,829	705,775	558,776	1,264,551	— 299,722
1831	6,682	17,278	23,960	46,233	13,732	59,965	— 35,905
1832	10,662	4,399	15,061	65,459	17,397	82,856	— 67,795
1833	33,736	14,067	47,803	70,522	28,724	99,246	— 51,443
1834	54,906	51,164	106,070	56,072	39,376	95,448	+ 10,522
1835	63,450	39,730	103,180	134,703	37,561	172,264	— 69,084
1836	154,788	21,807	175,595	109,823	36,015	145,838	+ 29,757
1837	101,203	22,284	123,487	99,694	12,158	111,852	+ 11,635
1838	84,925	1,621	86,546	89,896	19,300	109,196	— 22,650
1839	68,731	18,875	87,606	181,861	29,339	211,200	— 123,594
1840	41,913	5,326	47,239	132,095	58,371	190,466	— 143,227
Total, 10 years	619,996	196,551	816,547	986,358	291,973	1,278,331	— 461,784
1841	89,872	4,589	94,461	141,864	51,382	193,246	— 98,785
1842	84,923	29,338	114,261	127,339	35,048	162,387	— 48,126
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	27,048	35,037	62,085	92,278	16,304	108,582	— 46,497
1844	46,407	97,797	144,204	194,695	38,504	233,199	— 88,995
1845	69,931	60,310	130,241	182,894	49,422	232,316	— 102,075
1846	81,638	45,901	127,539	323,422	64,538	387,960	— 260,421
1847	86,354	19,446	105,800	261,398	40,519	301,917	— 196,117
1848	373	79,882	80,255	249,648	44,181	293,829	— 213,574
1849	51	153,364	153,415	191,347	34,620	225,967	— 72,552
1850	659	131,287	131,946	166,984	16,551	183,535	— 51,589
Total, 10 years	487,256	656,951	1,144,207	1,931,869	391,069	2,322,938	—1,178,731

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH HONDURAS—Continued.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1851	2,566	156,268	158,834	203,306	18,252	221,558	— 62,724
1852	105	223,247	223,352	281,813	66,822	348,635	— 125,283
1853	251	230,938	231,189	310,355	63,005	373,360	— 142,171
1854	226	240,508	240,734	196,913	48,728	245,641	— 4,907
1855	376	260,282	260,658	469,433	48,531	517,964	— 257,306
1856	898	219,891	220,789	348,000	33,739	381,739	— 160,950
1857	1,496	378,073	379,569	425,379	34,973	460,352	— 80,783
1858	40,090	332,238	372,328	412,645	32,657	445,302	— 72,974
1859	16,977	218,607	235,584	328,468	20,418	348,886	— 113,302
1860	21,289	297,300	318,589	325,181	19,272	344,453	— 25,864
Total, 10 years	84,274	2,537,352	2,641,626	3,301,493	386,397	3,687,890	—1,046,264
1861	19,554	168,431	187,985	237,776	19,601	257,377	— 69,392
1862	82,095	37,153	119,248	337,747	18,267	356,014	— 236,766
1863	132,547	189,138	321,685	687,880	70,421	758,301	— 436,616
1864			307,878	483,885	26,288	510,173	— 202,295
1865	79,235	77,146	156,381	643,074	12,390	655,464	— 499,083
1866	66,295	92,591	158,886	402,308	5,840	408,148	— 249,202
1867	49,195	93,063	142,258	355,510	7,068	362,578	— 220,320
1868	41,952	100,664	142,616	384,463	7,651	392,114	— 249,498
1869			(a)				
1870			(a)				
Total, 8 years	470,873	753,186	1,536,937	3,532,643	167,526	3,700,169	—2,163,232
1871			(a)				
1872			(a)				
1873			(a)				
1874			(a)				
1875			(a)				
1876			(a)				
1877			(a)				
1878			(a)				
1879	115,778	43,312	159,090	293,762	4,960	298,722	— 139,632
1880	313,201	140,118	453,319	370,252	35,430	405,682	+ 47,637
Total, 2 years	428,979	183,430	612,409	664,014	40,390	704,404	— 91,995
1881	298,503	144,617	443,120	471,302	14,657	485,959	— 42,839
1882	299,748	189,721	489,469	498,881	9,432	508,313	— 18,844
1883	395,337	136,502	531,839	487,535	16,882	504,417	+ 27,422
1884	171,331	91,460	262,791	414,746	16,338	431,084	— 168,293
1885	164,171	54,189	218,360	359,730	10,023	369,753	— 151,393
1886	224,735	45,628	270,363	364,528	15,121	379,649	— 109,286
1887	267,197	36,086	303,283	349,510	5,422	354,932	— 51,649
1888	157,093	26,542	183,635	321,525	4,969	326,494	— 142,859
1889	181,515	29,950	211,465	362,623	6,975	369,598	— 158,133
1890	174,372	12,459	186,831	348,564	5,904	354,468	— 167,637
Total, 10 years	2,334,002	767,154	3,101,156	3,978,944	105,723	4,084,667	— 983,511
1891	216,416	2,674	219,090	457,549	5,290	462,839	— 243,749
1892	233,149	376	233,525	464,802	9,104	473,906	— 240,381
1893	154,859	312	155,171	391,106	14,062	405,168	— 249,997
1894	112,439	520	112,959	316,117	4,806	320,923	— 207,964
1895	174,433	7,376	181,809	394,238	8,095	402,333	— 220,524
1896	187,926	12,286	200,212	555,333	16,282	571,615	— 371,403
1897	209,667	17,016	226,683	550,815	18,952	569,767	— 343,084
1898	123,401	48,519	171,920	563,399	12,712	576,111	— 404,191

a Included in British West Indies.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH AMERICAN COLONIES.

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1821	220,541	180,746	401,287	2,009,336	455	2,009,791	— 1,608,504
1822	220,672	138,920	368,592	1,881,273	16,286	1,897,559	— 1,528,967
1823	87,258	156,376	243,634	1,818,113	3,347	1,821,460	— 1,577,826
1824	180,551	226,540	407,091	1,773,107	2,617	1,775,724	— 1,368,633
1825	200,129	191,763	391,892	2,538,224	1,740	2,539,964	— 2,148,072
1826	275,747	152,574	428,321	2,105,115	21,184	2,126,299	— 1,697,978
1827	178,045	112,566	290,611	1,803,382	6,001	1,809,383	— 1,518,772
1828	169,930	97,795	267,725	1,544,788	3,114	1,547,902	— 1,280,177
1829	188,738	147,567	336,305	2,138,104	552	2,138,656	— 1,802,351
1830	236,180	161,844	398,024	2,741,211	8,021	2,749,232	— 2,351,208
Total, 10 years	1,966,791	1,566,691	3,533,482	20,352,653	63,317	20,415,970	—10,882,488
1831	200,457	287,255	587,712	3,070,292	9,546	3,079,838	— 2,492,126
1832	296,286	390,495	686,781	3,315,269	28,122	3,343,391	— 2,656,610
1833	536,236	439,277	975,513	4,033,781	66,299	4,100,080	— 3,124,567
1834	582,595	313,776	896,371	3,077,209	57,567	3,134,776	— 2,238,405
1835	614,148	623,620	1,237,768	3,364,246	44,859	3,409,105	— 2,171,337
1836	1,093,701	787,396	1,881,097	2,424,265	162,563	2,586,828	— 705,731
1837	982,904	927,757	1,910,661	2,669,349	136,512	2,805,861	— 895,200
1838	620,682	484,176	1,104,858	2,155,229	138,054	2,293,283	— 1,188,425
1839	880,836	843,528	1,724,364	3,408,470	139,684	3,548,154	— 1,823,790
1840	610,777	616,819	1,227,596	5,877,715	204,035	6,081,750	— 4,854,154
Total, 10 years	6,518,622	5,714,099	12,232,721	33,395,825	987,241	34,383,066	—22,150,345
1841	821,546	670,750	1,492,296	6,270,790	187,673	6,458,463	— 4,966,167
1842	359,857	634,075	993,932	5,903,143	228,090	6,131,233	— 5,137,301
June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	154,602	299,549	454,151	2,555,571	82,517	2,638,088	— 2,183,937
1844	264,929	754,791	1,019,720	5,297,186	707,473	6,004,659	— 4,984,939
1845	225,217	880,387	1,105,604	4,691,417	873,714	5,565,131	— 4,459,527
1846	348,531	966,143	1,314,674	5,790,766	1,363,767	7,154,533	— 5,839,859
1847	305,678	1,174,798	1,480,476	5,809,467	1,685,516	7,494,983	— 6,014,407
1848	268,074	2,418,245	2,686,319	5,994,059	1,832,696	7,826,755	— 5,140,436
1849	107,058	1,191,210	1,298,268	3,611,783	257,760	3,869,543	— 2,571,275
1850	112,552	1,207,847	1,320,399	3,083,796	501,374	3,585,170	— 2,264,771
Total, 10 years	2,968,044	10,197,795	13,165,839	49,007,978	7,720,580	56,728,558	—43,562,719

CANADA AND OTHER BRITISH NORTH AMERICAN COLONIES.

June 30—							
1851	276,648	5,003,070	5,279,718	9,060,357	2,726,735	11,787,092	— 6,507,374
1852	339,435	5,130,010	5,469,445	6,604,097	3,625,511	10,229,608	— 4,760,163
1853	395,091	6,132,408	6,527,559	7,301,327	5,121,794	12,423,121	— 5,895,562
1854	495,995	8,288,417	8,784,412	15,005,244	9,152,368	24,157,612	—15,373,200
1855	8,085,678	7,032,611	15,118,289	15,746,642	11,995,166	27,741,808	—12,623,519
1856	20,454,890	821,724	21,276,614	22,710,697	6,314,652	29,025,349	— 7,748,735
1857	21,281,172	827,744	22,108,916	19,820,113	4,318,369	24,138,482	— 2,029,566
1858	15,293,104	491,732	15,784,836	19,591,758	4,012,768	23,604,526	— 7,819,690
1859	18,553,850	733,715	19,287,565	21,724,947	6,384,547	28,109,494	— 8,821,929
1860	22,902,386	670,410	23,572,796	18,657,029	4,038,899	22,695,928	+ 876,868
Total, 10 years	108,078,249	35,131,901	143,210,150	156,222,211	57,690,809	213,913,020	—70,702,870
1861	22,204,078	520,411	22,724,489	18,814,615	3,861,898	22,676,513	+ 47,976
1862	17,981,767	529,258	18,511,025	18,185,224	2,387,846	20,573,070	— 2,062,045
1863	16,503,591	981,195	17,484,786	24,967,694	2,651,920	27,619,614	—10,135,028
1864	27,946,755	1,661,981	29,608,736	24,188,147	2,386,477	26,574,624	+ 3,034,112
1865 ^a	31,952,734	1,200,938	33,153,672	25,925,243	1,604,696	27,529,939	+ 5,623,733
1866	43,012,660	5,120,939	48,133,599	21,303,101	2,136,014	23,439,115	+24,694,484
1867	1,833,681	22,919,539	24,753,220	16,557,921	3,605,732	20,163,653	+ 4,589,567

^a Previous to 1865 includes Canada and British North American Possessions.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

CANADA AND OTHER BRITISH NORTH AMERICAN COLONIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1868	1,726,129	24,226,683	25,952,812	20,416,923	2,485,041	22,901,964	+ 3,050,848
1869	2,967,207	25,466,321	28,433,528	17,579,019	2,858,782	20,437,801	+ 7,995,727
1870	2,636,113	32,718,134	35,354,247	17,900,701	3,931,525	21,832,226	+13,522,021
Total, 10 years.....	168,764,715	115,345,329	284,110,114	205,838,788	27,909,931	233,748,719	+50,361,395
1871	2,670,752	28,986,093	31,656,845	24,383,634	4,488,198	28,871,832	+ 2,785,013
1872	4,405,718	30,718,135	35,123,853	21,457,908	4,838,450	26,296,358	+ 8,827,495
1873	6,132,105	31,043,149	37,175,254	28,350,295	4,184,089	32,534,984	+ 4,640,270
1874	8,364,399	25,809,187	34,173,586	37,249,196	4,578,708	41,827,904	— 7,654,318
1875	7,178,336	20,689,279	27,867,615	30,596,060	3,951,159	34,547,219	— 6,679,604
1876	6,970,557	21,835,407	28,805,964	29,945,801	3,429,918	33,375,719	— 4,569,755
1877	6,699,336	17,465,419	24,164,755	34,741,602	2,676,713	37,418,315	—13,253,560
1878	7,109,607	17,935,204	25,044,811	33,802,468	3,344,214	37,146,682	—12,101,871
1879	7,171,375	18,548,396	25,719,771	27,172,056	2,432,329	29,604,385	— 3,884,614
1880	9,294,619	23,693,945	32,988,564	26,757,478	2,702,779	29,460,257	+ 3,528,307
Total, 10 years.....	65,996,804	236,724,214	302,721,018	294,456,498	36,627,157	331,083,655	—28,362,637
1881	10,584,047	27,100,054	37,684,101	34,190,694	3,703,628	37,903,322	— 219,221
1882	12,427,036	38,348,545	50,775,581	33,234,735	3,265,068	36,500,403	+14,275,178
1883	13,756,715	30,537,443	44,294,158	40,716,505	3,700,605	44,417,110	— 122,952
1884	14,624,500	23,775,335	38,399,835	40,423,820	3,882,376	44,306,196	— 5,906,361
1885	12,643,118	24,052,567	36,695,685	34,112,254	4,133,380	38,245,634	— 1,549,949
1886	12,005,533	25,298,503	37,304,036	30,644,285	2,818,515	33,462,800	+ 3,841,236
1887	11,850,164	25,997,113	37,847,277	32,328,036	2,660,074	34,988,110	+ 2,859,167
1888	12,882,186	30,042,368	42,924,554	33,073,866	2,808,517	35,882,383	+ 7,042,171
1889	13,453,269	29,284,805	42,738,074	38,279,044	2,328,517	40,607,561	+ 2,130,513
1890	12,019,680	27,023,297	39,042,977	37,327,963	2,954,145	40,282,108	— 1,239,131
Total, 10 years.....	126,246,248	281,460,020	407,706,278	354,340,202	32,255,425	386,595,627	+21,110,651
1891	11,621,166	27,466,616	39,087,782	36,052,613	2,095,165	38,147,778	+ 940,004
1892	9,785,132	25,169,071	34,954,203	41,006,120	2,293,667	43,299,787	— 8,345,584
1893	11,500,113	26,277,350	37,777,463	43,026,846	3,767,485	46,794,331	— 9,016,868
1894	10,848,860	19,942,056	30,790,916	50,040,870	6,623,224	56,664,094	—25,873,178
1895	21,943,227	14,631,100	36,574,327	47,787,501	5,067,268	52,854,769	—16,280,442
1896	26,582,591	14,304,974	40,887,565	53,063,247	6,624,674	59,687,921	—18,800,356
1897	27,895,466	12,413,905	40,309,371	58,465,048	6,463,773	64,928,821	—24,619,450
1898	14,063,287	17,807,199	31,870,486	77,450,465	6,263,621	83,714,086	—51,843,600

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1873.....	730,567	3,504,774	4,235,341	5,373,911	785,613	6,159,524	— 1,924,183
1874.....	2,463,496	2,199,083	4,662,579	6,846,339	796,786	7,643,125	— 2,980,546
1875.....	2,503,357	1,392,993	3,896,350	7,724,820	536,816	8,261,636	— 4,365,286
1876.....	2,091,031	1,053,061	3,144,092	5,709,367	548,872	6,258,239	— 3,114,147
1877.....	1,861,023	1,840,358	3,701,381	6,094,463	468,108	6,562,571	— 2,861,190
1878.....	2,402,259	1,101,611	3,503,870	6,269,916	585,847	6,855,763	— 3,351,893
1879.....	2,213,050	1,635,919	3,848,969	4,399,712	266,469	4,666,181	— 817,212
1880.....	2,382,751	1,612,879	3,995,630	2,555,857	202,532	2,758,389	+ 1,237,241
Total, 10 years.....	16,647,534	14,340,678	30,988,212	44,974,385	4,191,043	49,165,428	—18,177,216
1881.....	3,156,381	1,656,105	4,812,486	3,219,214	287,244	3,506,458	+ 1,306,028
1882.....	3,664,674	2,803,339	6,468,013	3,142,156	282,466	3,424,622	+ 3,043,391
1883.....	4,002,492	2,088,914	6,091,406	3,529,936	323,994	3,853,930	+ 2,237,476
1884.....	4,373,888	1,164,993	5,538,881	3,366,529	299,477	3,666,006	+ 1,872,875
1885.....	4,190,083	1,160,487	5,350,570	2,697,433	167,616	2,865,049	+ 2,485,521
1886.....	2,130,649	2,426,331	4,556,980	2,502,011	309,265	2,811,276	+ 1,745,704
1887.....	2,288,710	2,692,221	4,980,931	2,288,431	164,929	2,453,360	+ 2,527,571
1888.....	2,606,374	3,677,958	6,284,332	2,909,277	402,251	3,311,528	+ 2,972,804
1889.....	2,976,390	2,658,671	5,635,061	3,316,569	178,168	3,494,737	+ 2,140,324
1890.....	2,695,007	2,790,963	5,485,970	4,190,520	258,833	4,449,353	+ 1,036,617
Total, 10 years.....	32,084,648	23,119,982	55,204,630	31,162,076	2,674,243	33,836,319	+21,368,311

^a Not separately stated prior to 1872.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK, AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of import \pm (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	2,944,532	3,864,103	6,808,635	3,771,313	270,258	4,041,571	+ 2,767,064
1892.....	2,215,796	2,952,422	5,168,218	3,387,712	280,178	3,667,890	+ 1,500,328
1893.....	2,247,724	3,458,990	5,706,714	3,333,890	328,211	3,662,101	+ 2,044,613
1894.....	1,832,905	2,641,748	4,474,653	3,756,605	294,012	4,050,617	+ 424,036
1895.....	3,831,827	2,019,788	5,851,615	3,706,132	335,643	4,041,775	+ 1,809,840
1896.....	4,986,177	1,683,319	6,669,496	4,065,480	329,490	4,394,970	+ 2,274,526
1897.....	4,275,044	1,476,258	5,751,302	3,884,348	363,376	4,247,724	+ 1,503,578
1898.....	1,735,016	2,360,315	4,095,331	4,269,437	269,531	4,538,968	+ 443,637

QUEBEC, ONTARIO, ETC. *a*

Ending June 30—							
1873.....	5,207,792	27,300,807	32,508,599	22,024,276	3,218,533	25,242,809	+ 7,265,790
1874.....	5,700,054	23,280,251	28,980,305	29,504,192	3,585,522	33,089,714	— 4,109,409
1875.....	4,342,643	18,912,252	23,254,895	21,838,407	3,223,134	25,061,541	— 1,806,646
1876.....	4,636,027	20,282,263	24,918,290	23,117,560	2,625,460	25,743,020	— 824,730
1877.....	4,634,215	15,094,437	19,728,652	27,592,987	2,019,723	29,612,710	— 9,884,058
1878.....	4,502,709	16,153,221	20,655,930	26,238,315	2,529,899	28,768,214	— 8,112,284
1879.....	4,744,211	16,206,176	20,950,387	21,570,358	1,992,317	23,562,675	— 2,612,288
1880.....	6,561,838	21,344,850	27,906,688	23,224,824	2,356,961	25,581,785	+ 2,324,903
Total, 8 years.....	40,329,489	158,574,257	198,903,746	195,110,919	21,551,549	216,662,468	—17,758,722
1881.....	6,989,610	24,665,416	31,655,026	29,760,556	3,211,379	32,971,935	— 1,316,909
1882.....	8,464,902	34,775,712	43,240,614	28,649,108	2,702,665	31,351,773	+11,888,841
1883.....	9,394,975	27,599,937	36,994,912	35,193,636	3,133,060	38,326,696	— 1,331,784
1884.....	9,973,771	21,598,832	31,572,603	35,174,214	2,954,584	38,128,798	— 6,556,195
1885.....	7,877,665	21,795,793	29,673,458	29,194,222	2,390,337	31,584,559	— 1,911,101
1886.....	9,361,506	21,901,963	31,263,469	26,301,962	2,316,449	28,618,411	+ 2,645,058
1887.....	9,088,100	22,118,078	31,206,178	28,510,766	2,318,072	30,828,838	+ 377,340
1888.....	9,816,208	24,891,144	34,707,352	28,539,386	2,273,183	30,812,569	+ 3,894,783
1889.....	10,051,215	24,652,719	34,703,934	33,322,037	2,000,699	35,322,736	— 618,802
1890.....	8,944,158	22,166,435	31,110,593	31,454,337	2,490,642	33,944,979	— 2,834,386
Total, 10 years.....	89,962,110	246,166,629	336,128,139	306,100,224	25,791,070	331,891,294	+ 4,236,845
1891.....	8,363,159	21,317,592	29,680,751	30,402,648	1,697,368	32,100,016	— 2,419,265
1892.....	7,198,077	19,801,289	26,999,366	35,827,559	1,854,057	37,681,616	—10,682,250
1893.....	8,842,847	20,343,392	29,186,239	38,048,422	3,251,729	41,300,151	—12,113,912
1894.....	8,459,304	14,462,726	22,922,030	44,636,914	6,124,331	50,761,245	—27,839,215
1895.....	17,619,041	9,300,372	26,919,413	42,070,389	4,642,317	46,712,706	—19,793,293
1896.....	20,996,394	9,684,993	30,681,387	46,617,508	6,186,668	52,804,176	—22,122,789
1897.....	22,788,167	8,131,233	30,919,400	51,205,564	5,934,097	57,139,661	—26,220,261
1898.....	11,139,710	12,003,701	23,143,411	69,074,339	5,843,455	74,917,794	—51,774,383

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

1865.....	10,226	100,505	110,731	1,119,781	179,682	1,299,463	— 1,188,732
1866.....	16,729	378,300	395,029	1,077,551	312,214	1,389,765	— 994,736
1867.....	77,037	233,748	310,785	737,916	118,733	856,649	— 545,864
1868 <i>a</i>	36,711	271,856	308,567	1,002,299	176,514	1,178,813	— 870,246
1869 <i>b</i>	44,423	815,815	860,238	2,506,786	436,884	2,943,670	— 2,083,432
1870 <i>b</i>	33,788	677,293	711,081	3,159,668	347,360	3,507,028	— 2,595,947
Total, 6 years.....	218,914	2,677,517	2,896,431	9,604,001	1,571,387	11,175,388	— 8,278,957
1871.....	110,502	774,790	885,292	3,180,710	223,634	3,404,344	— 2,519,052
1872.....	309,661	913,416	1,223,077	2,968,557	146,539	3,115,096	— 1,892,019
1873.....	203,736	227,568	431,304	932,103	180,543	1,112,646	— 701,347
1874.....	200,849	329,853	530,702	898,665	196,400	1,095,065	— 564,363
1875.....	332,336	384,034	716,370	1,032,833	191,209	1,224,042	— 507,672

a Not separately stated prior to 1873.

b British American Possessions on the Pacific (British Columbia).

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH COLUMBIA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1876	243,499	500,083	743,582	1,118,874	255,586	1,374,460	— 630,878
1877	204,098	530,624	734,722	1,054,152	188,882	1,243,034	— 508,312
1878	204,639	680,372	885,011	1,294,237	228,468	1,522,705	— 637,694
1879	214,114	706,301	920,415	1,201,986	173,543	1,375,529	— 455,114
1880	350,030	736,216	1,086,246	976,797	143,286	1,120,083	— 33,837
Total, 10 years	2,373,464	5,783,257	8,156,721	14,678,919	1,928,090	16,607,009	—8,450,288
1881	438,056	778,533	1,216,589	1,219,924	205,005	1,424,929	— 208,340
1882	297,460	769,494	1,066,954	1,443,471	280,537	1,724,008	— 657,054
1883	359,248	848,592	1,207,840	1,992,933	243,551	2,236,484	— 1,028,644
1884	276,841	1,011,510	1,288,351	1,883,077	628,315	2,511,392	— 1,223,041
1885	575,370	1,096,287	1,671,657	2,220,599	1,575,427	3,796,026	— 2,124,369
1886	513,378	970,209	1,483,587	1,840,312	192,801	2,033,113	— 549,526
1887	473,354	1,186,814	1,660,168	1,528,839	177,073	1,705,912	— 45,744
1888	459,604	1,473,266	1,932,870	1,625,203	133,083	1,758,286	+ 174,584
1889	425,664	1,973,415	2,399,079	1,640,438	149,650	1,790,088	+ 608,991
1890	380,515	2,065,899	2,446,414	1,683,106	204,670	1,887,776	+ 558,638
Total, 10 years	4,199,490	12,174,019	16,373,509	17,077,902	3,790,112	20,868,014	— 4,494,505
1891	313,475	2,284,921	2,598,396	1,878,652	127,539	2,006,191	+ 592,205
1892	371,259	2,415,360	2,786,619	1,790,849	159,432	1,950,281	+ 836,338
1893	409,542	2,474,968	2,884,510	1,644,534	187,545	1,832,079	+ 1,052,431
1894	556,651	2,837,582	3,394,233	1,647,351	204,881	1,852,232	+ 1,542,001
1895	492,359	3,310,940	3,803,299	2,010,980	89,308	2,100,288	+ 1,703,011
1896	600,020	2,936,662	3,536,682	2,380,259	108,516	2,488,775	+ 1,047,907
1897	832,255	2,806,414	3,638,669	3,375,136	166,300	3,541,436	+ 97,233
1898	1,188,561	3,443,183	4,631,744	4,106,689	150,635	4,257,324	+ 374,420

NEWFOUNDLAND AND BRITISH FISHERIES.

1821 .....	.....	213	213	260	4,478	4,738	— 4,525
1822 .....	.....	.....	.....	1,314	.....	1,314	— 1,314
1823 .....	.....	405	405	3,183	2,560	5,743	— 5,338
1824	174	3,689	3,863	7,243	.....	7,243	— 3,380
1825	571	3,025	3,596	16,068	.....	16,068	— 12,472
1826	66	569	635	.....	246	246	+ 389
1827 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	74	— 74

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR.^a

1873	133,330	340,958	474,288	2,011,073	19,056	2,030,129	— 1,555,811
1874	45,250	147,125	192,375	1,634,735	10,535	1,645,270	— 1,452,895
1875	344,417	59,894	404,311	1,642,905	35,611	1,678,516	— 1,274,205
1876	193,532	10,755	204,287	1,580,614	47,798	1,628,412	— 1,424,125
1877	110,526	2,097	112,623	1,934,558	21,307	1,955,865	— 1,843,242
1878	294,165	18,826	312,991	1,126,604	11,135	1,137,739	— 824,748
1879	232,033	181,750	413,783	1,209,513	29,604	1,239,317	— 825,534
1880	218,201	7,575	225,776	1,305,202	10,412	1,315,614	— 1,089,838
Total, 8 years	1,571,454	768,980	2,340,434	12,445,204	185,658	12,630,862	—10,290,428
1881	312,239	45,607	357,846	1,593,337	16,217	1,609,554	— 1,251,708
1882	231,282	106,612	337,894	2,055,124	14,295	2,069,419	— 1,731,525
1883	444,634	2,084	446,718	2,114,500	48,643	2,163,143	— 1,716,425
1884	612,807	3,198	616,005	2,087,112	18,142	2,105,254	— 1,489,249
1885	228,766	36,090	264,856	1,864,561	14,712	1,879,273	— 1,614,417
1886	37,094	155,208	192,302	1,308,839	13,382	1,322,221	— 1,129,919

^a Newfoundland and Labrador, prior to the year 1873, were included in British American Colonies for imports, and prior to the year 1873 for exports.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1887	35,204	133,103	168,307	1,167,367	6,870	1,174,237	— 1,005,930
1888	35,768	123,801	159,569	1,358,193	4,543	1,362,736	— 1,203,167
1889	65,845	205,554	271,399	1,527,638	5,957	1,533,595	— 1,262,196
1890	119,809	234,194	354,003	1,216,491	5,213	1,221,704	— 867,701
Total, 10 years	2,123,448	1,045,451	3,168,899	16,293,162	147,974	16,441,136	—13,272,237
1891	131,178	215,575	346,753	1,292,902	3,075	1,295,977	— 949,224
1892	138,167	242,177	380,344	1,574,458	11,743	1,586,201	— 1,205,857
1893	149,301	259,578	408,879	1,803,357	30,820	1,834,177	— 1,425,298
1894	252,656	283,159	535,815	1,641,019	8,110	1,649,129	— 1,113,314
1895	325,285	106,551	431,836	1,121,133	5,866	1,126,999	— 695,163
1896	221,569	102,866	324,435	1,391,207	6,918	1,398,125	— 1,073,690
1897	303,202	110,219	413,421	1,090,827	9,077	1,099,904	— 686,483
1898	185,975	186,140	372,115	1,170,900	4,833	1,175,733	— 803,618

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Ending September 30—							
1825	13,139	29,704	42,843	40,377	55,945	96,322	— 53,479
1826	53,362	107,895	161,257	79,294	40,480	119,774	+ 41,483
1827	65,471	79,262	144,733	147,574	77,198	224,772	— 80,039
1828	79,225	69,058	148,283	106,773	52,499	159,272	— 10,989
1829	78,255	93,804	172,059	123,631	116,223	239,854	— 67,795
1830	93,625	77,336	171,161	138,456	111,662	250,118	— 78,957
Total, 6 years	383,077	457,259	840,336	636,105	454,007	1,090,112	— 249,776
1831	56,591	53,603	110,194	141,179	165,318	306,497	— 196,303
1832	66,079	127,712	193,791	139,206	144,111	283,317	— 89,526
1833	143,467	39,744	183,211	267,760	275,756	543,516	— 360,305
1834	121,217	22,950	144,167	111,616	72,533	184,149	— 39,982
1835	168,970	15,167	184,137	111,624	67,469	179,093	+ 5,044
1836	141,850	21,543	163,393	86,349	82,269	168,618	— 5,225
1837	94,476	54,301	148,777	82,314	75,349	157,663	— 8,886
1838	98,760	6,550	105,310	111,910	110,089	221,999	— 116,689
1839	105,410	51,764	157,174	106,752	55,187	161,939	— 4,765
1840	89,767	72,672	162,439	128,161	79,185	207,346	— 44,907
Total, 10 years	1,086,582	466,006	1,552,593	1,286,871	1,127,266	2,414,137	—861,544
1841	114,516	53,154	167,670	77,616	72,696	150,312	+ 17,358
1842	69,123	44,976	114,099	41,149	19,302	60,451	+ 53,648
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	18,556	101,793	120,349	34,469	17,697	52,166	+ 68,183
1844	42,231	166,990	209,221	93,377	46,899	140,276	+ 68,945
1845	26,724	35,134	61,858	39,548	25,134	64,682	— 2,824
1846	27,779	76,831	104,610	75,136	40,742	115,878	— 11,268
1847	49,305	26,137	75,442	73,322	23,246	96,568	— 21,126
1848		18,272	18,272	32,940	15,438	48,378	— 30,106
1849		50,110	50,110	112,480	23,739	136,219	— 86,109
1850	57,418	187,350	244,768	41,035	12,967	54,002	+ 190,766
Total, 10 years	405,652	760,747	1,166,399	621,072	297,860	918,932	+ 247,457

TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICA.

Ending June 30—							
1851	8,851	123,335	132,186	209,108	39,089	248,197	— 116,011
1852	22,774	138,086	160,860	381,436	84,682	466,118	— 305,258
1853	1,072	91,267	92,339	225,856	120,474	346,330	— 253,901
1854	2,857	124,465	127,322	250,539	58,345	308,884	— 181,562
1855	90,997	73,960	164,957	210,584	51,586	262,170	— 97,213
1856	69,758	116,516	186,274	327,265	49,356	376,621	— 190,347
1857	85,465	176,423	261,888	88,867	20,722	109,589	+ 152,299
1858	51,934	71,469	123,403	105,611	15,351	120,962	+ 2,441

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1859	149,672	213,235	362,907	105,631	48,131	153,762	+ 209,145
1860	146,477	154,781	301,258	110,389	28,164	138,553	+ 162,705
Total, 10 years	629,857	1,283,537	1,913,394	2,015,286	515,900	2,531,186	— 617,792
1861	192,038	117,116	309,154	74,278	13,183	87,461	+ 221,693
1862	100,007	39,930	139,937	115,640	39,951	155,591	— 15,654
1863	34,438	149,707	184,145	231,087	22,768	253,855	— 69,710
1864	17,684	572,703	590,387	274,036	38,516	312,552	+ 277,835
1865	26,617	349,691	376,308	149,522	12,931	162,453	+ 213,855
1866	23,754	710,945	734,699	450,431	32,033	482,464	+ 252,235
1867	93,637	814,115	907,752	520,628	97,820	618,448	+ 289,304
1868	41,665	1,087,070	1,128,735	225,577	18,860	244,437	+ 884,298
1869	51,864	678,850	730,714	428,645	16,484	445,129	+ 285,585
1870	54,263	680,302	734,565	199,132	33,346	232,478	+ 502,087
Total, 10 years	625,967	5,200,429	5,826,396	2,668,976	325,892	2,994,868	+ 2,841,528
1871	84,853	1,396,163	1,481,016	501,616	20,206	521,822	+ 959,194
1872	168,926	1,421,085	1,590,011	880,965	56,060	937,025	+ 652,986
1873	1,787,730	187,238	1,974,968	899,570	62,240	961,810	+ 1,013,158
1874	2,739,155	115,938	2,855,093	787,056	41,904	828,960	+ 2,026,133
1875	2,220,108	215,643	2,435,751	734,374	49,858	784,232	+ 1,650,919
1876	1,507,795	89,720	1,597,515	891,988	37,853	929,841	+ 667,674
1877	2,519,496	159,176	2,678,672	913,307	47,423	960,730	+ 1,717,942
1878	2,826,008	142,988	2,968,996	1,205,180	49,577	1,254,757	+ 1,714,239
1879	2,044,790	206,799	2,251,589	1,110,603	45,173	1,155,776	+ 1,095,813
1880	3,149,028	164,441	3,313,469	1,729,215	55,640	1,784,855	+ 1,528,614
Total, 10 years	19,047,889	4,098,591	23,146,480	9,653,874	465,934	10,119,808	+13,026,672
1881	2,990,209	169,577	3,159,786	1,541,229	84,509	1,625,738	+ 1,534,048
1882	4,472,427	262,971	4,735,398	1,586,558	57,455	1,644,013	+ 3,091,385
1883	4,876,506	244,809	5,121,315	1,936,813	66,654	2,003,467	+ 3,117,848
1884	5,970,924	190,303	6,161,227	3,064,798	113,055	3,177,853	+ 2,983,374
1885	6,149,873	259,142	6,409,015	2,667,943	94,588	2,762,531	+ 3,646,484
1886	5,467,130	448,283	5,915,413	2,442,171	70,571	2,512,742	+ 3,402,671
1887	7,195,705	441,946	7,637,651	2,861,126	74,321	2,935,447	+ 4,702,204
1888	7,356,855	266,523	7,623,378	4,131,574	134,012	4,265,586	+ 3,357,792
1889	8,332,074	81,945	8,414,019	4,146,511	179,412	4,325,923	+ 4,088,096
1890	7,953,228	99,216	8,052,444	5,104,275	192,203	5,296,478	+ 2,755,966
Total, 10 years	60,764,931	2,464,715	63,229,646	29,482,998	1,066,780	30,549,778	+32,679,868
1891	9,739,556	59,566	9,799,122	6,579,916	233,400	6,813,316	+ 2,985,806
1892	10,215,187	4,601	10,219,788	5,872,029	250,017	6,122,046	+ 4,097,742
1893	8,300,765	4,181	8,304,946	5,265,058	57,523	5,322,586	+ 2,982,360
1894	9,760,507	8,542	9,769,049	4,982,492	249,489	5,231,981	+ 4,537,068
1895	11,500,550	80,211	11,580,761	6,372,827	256,542	6,629,369	+ 4,951,392
1896	9,039,771	87,979	9,127,750	7,478,593	366,287	7,844,880	+ 1,282,870
1897	8,431,715	92,713	8,524,428	7,590,034	349,873	7,939,907	+ 584,521
1898	6,882,701	383,779	7,266,480	4,819,467	509,691	5,329,158	+ 1,946,322

COSTA RICA. a

1886	895,749	2,296	898,045	548,215	10,136	558,351	+ 339,694
1887	1,408,548	968	1,409,516	703,930	8,380	712,310	+ 697,206
1888	1,608,726	253	1,608,979	1,064,549	19,311	1,083,860	+ 525,119
1889	1,441,846	519	1,442,365	965,970	17,194	983,164	+ 459,201
1890	1,675,841	870	1,676,711	1,098,952	27,218	1,126,170	+ 550,541
Total, 5 years	7,030,710	4,906	7,035,616	4,381,616	82,239	4,463,855	+ 2,571,761
1891	2,530,847	1,458	2,532,305	1,298,793	32,256	1,331,049	+ 1,201,256
1892	2,084,955	1,691	2,086,646	1,122,295	31,728	1,154,023	+ 932,623
1893	2,308,222	1,136	2,309,358	1,178,301	32,439	1,210,740	+ 1,098,618
1894	2,287,336	48	2,287,384	961,216	40,833	1,002,049	+ 1,285,335
1895	3,294,874	722	3,295,596	957,862	26,223	984,085	+ 2,311,511
1896	3,833,727	1,460	3,835,187	1,157,840	40,772	1,198,612	+ 2,636,575
1897	3,439,196	178	3,439,374	1,292,709	64,763	1,357,472	+ 2,081,902
1898	2,679,790	52,636	2,732,426	1,259,268	260,893	1,520,161	+ 1,212,265

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**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

GUATEMALA. ^a

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1886	1,663,162	294,470	1,957,632	523,640	22,289	545,929	+1,411,703
1887	2,364,825	283,888	2,648,713	553,179	26,975	580,154	+2,068,559
1888	1,908,281	177,186	2,085,467	887,771	29,090	916,861	+1,168,606
1889	2,297,159	49,526	2,346,685	969,871	24,830	994,701	+1,551,984
1890	2,257,222	24,459	2,281,681	1,326,388	19,331	1,345,719	+ 935,962
Total, 5 years	10,490,649	829,529	11,320,178	4,260,849	122,515	4,383,364	+6,936,814
1891	2,617,988	211	2,618,199	1,971,001	26,943	1,997,944	+ 620,255
1892	3,182,838	.....	3,182,838	1,809,577	41,775	1,851,352	+1,331,486
1893	2,554,578	132	2,554,710	1,713,142	50,720	1,763,862	+ 790,848
1894	2,225,210	376	2,225,586	1,610,509	54,075	1,664,584	+ 561,002
1895	2,691,942	7,442	2,699,384	2,596,032	69,376	2,665,408	+ 33,976
1896	2,079,475	552	2,080,027	3,092,323	65,736	3,158,059	+1,078,032
1897	1,862,011	578	1,862,589	2,992,118	55,063	3,047,181	+1,184,592
1898	1,663,101	251,202	1,854,303	1,162,572	39,142	1,201,714	+ 652,589

HONDURAS. ^a

1886	728,162	2,397	730,559	428,104	13,795	441,899	+ 288,660
1887	854,801	3,118	857,919	425,741	16,182	441,923	+ 415,996
1888	956,381	2,950	959,331	672,796	17,779	690,575	+ 268,756
1889	1,210,607	4,954	1,215,561	618,973	18,202	637,175	+ 578,386
1890	980,681	3,723	984,404	522,631	29,393	552,024	+ 432,380
Total, 5 years	4,730,632	17,142	4,747,774	2,668,245	95,351	2,763,596	+1,984,178
1891	1,152,993	6,598	1,159,591	583,114	57,807	640,921	+ 518,670
1892	959,989	2,340	962,329	478,947	36,277	515,224	+ 447,105
1893	683,424	1,488	684,912	442,907	28,788	471,695	+ 213,217
1894	761,500	3,638	765,138	537,463	21,048	558,511	+ 206,627
1895	825,974	46,338	872,312	615,009	30,772	645,781	+ 226,531
1896	695,933	80,711	776,644	556,893	53,728	610,621	+ 166,023
1897	763,527	83,703	847,230	669,682	55,309	724,991	+ 122,239
1898	766,904	17,837	784,741	706,793	45,410	752,203	+ 32,538

NICARAGUA. ^a

Ending June 30—							
1886	1,067,014	888	1,067,902	471,671	17,702	489,373	+ 578,529
1887	1,060,342	1,820	1,662,162	701,151	22,023	723,174	+ 938,988
1888	1,495,775	396	1,496,171	861,156	65,866	927,022	+ 569,149
1889	1,746,996	250	1,747,246	900,813	108,874	1,009,687	+ 737,559
1890	1,655,372	318	1,655,690	1,270,073	102,946	1,373,019	+ 282,671
Total, 5 years	7,625,499	3,672	7,629,171	4,204,864	317,411	4,522,275	+3,106,896
1891	1,704,506	1,455	1,705,961	1,592,013	100,929	1,692,942	+ 13,019
1892	1,656,708	1,165	1,657,873	1,187,189	119,990	1,307,179	+ 350,694
1893	1,398,867	1,369	1,400,236	812,654	125,205	937,859	+ 462,377
1894	1,560,741	3,731	1,564,472	814,012	121,130	935,142	+ 629,330
1895	1,513,172	25,620	1,538,792	967,329	106,138	1,073,467	+ 465,325
1896	1,263,666	5,256	1,268,922	1,089,320	179,695	1,269,015	— 93
1897	1,254,806	7,895	1,262,701	1,038,664	152,031	1,190,695	+ 72,006
1898	1,047,504	48,361	1,095,865	910,200	139,305	1,049,505	+ 46,360

SALVADOR. ^a

1886	1,113,043	148,232	1,261,275	470,541	6,649	477,190	+ 784,085
1887	907,189	152,152	1,059,341	477,125	761	477,886	+ 581,455
1888	1,387,692	85,738	1,473,430	645,302	1,966	647,268	+ 826,162
1889	1,635,406	26,696	1,662,102	690,884	10,312	701,196	+ 960,966
1890	1,384,112	69,846	1,453,958	886,231	13,315	899,546	+ 554,412
Total, 5 years	6,427,502	482,664	6,910,166	3,170,083	33,003	3,203,086	+3,707,080

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WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

SALVADOR—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	1,733,222	49,844	1,783,066	1,134,995	15,465	1,150,460	+ 642,606
1892.....	2,330,697	5	2,330,702	1,274,021	20,247	1,294,268	+1,036,434
1893.....	1,355,674	56	1,355,730	1,118,054	20,376	1,138,430	+ 217,300
1894.....	2,925,720	749	2,926,469	1,059,292	12,403	1,071,695	+1,854,774
1895.....	3,174,588	89	3,174,677	1,236,595	24,033	1,260,628	+1,914,049
1896.....	1,166,970	.....	1,166,970	1,582,217	26,356	1,608,573	— 441,603
1897.....	1,112,175	359	1,112,534	1,596,861	22,707	1,619,568	— 507,034
1898.....	785,402	13,743	799,145	780,634	15,941	796,575	+ 2,570

TEXAS.

Ending September 30—							
1837.....	18,516	144,868	163,384	797,312	210,616	1,007,928	— 844,544
1838.....	5,695	160,023	165,718	1,028,818	219,062	1,247,880	—1,082,162
1839.....	55,186	245,521	300,707	1,379,065	308,017	1,687,082	—1,386,375
1840.....	20,276	228,509	248,785	937,072	281,199	1,218,271	— 969,486
1841.....	42,422	286,916	329,338	516,255	292,041	808,296	— 478,958
1842.....	25,787	429,595	455,382	278,978	127,951	406,929	+ 48,453
Ending June 30--							
1843 (9 months).....	778	427,447	428,225	105,240	37,713	142,953	+ 285,272
1844.....	952	667,485	668,437	196,447	81,191	277,648	+ 390,889
1845.....	1,170	707,727	708,897	210,736	153,056	363,792	+ 345,105
1846.....	654	171,705	172,359	250,240	223,363	473,603	— 301,244
Total, 10 years.....	171,436	3,469,796	3,641,232	5,700,163	1,934,119	7,634,282	—3,993,050

NORTHWEST COAST OF AMERICA.

Ending September 30—							
1821.....	.....	.....	.....	94,493	282,505	376,998	— 376,998
1822.....	.....	.....	.....	54,799	110,790	165,589	— 165,589
1823.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1824.....	.....	.....	.....	9,703	29,675	39,378	— 39,378
1825.....	.....	.....	.....	11,500	43,601	55,101	— 55,101
1826.....	.....	.....	.....	29,921	74,870	104,791	— 104,791
1827.....	22,170	17,801	39,971	37,702	40,882	78,584	— 38,613
1828.....	.....	.....	.....	39,020	55,365	94,385	— 94,385
1829.....	.....	.....	.....	2,911	4,399	7,310	— 7,310
1830.....	.....	.....	.....	28,392	24,098	53,090	— 53,090
Total, 10 years.....	22,170	17,801	39,971	308,441	666,785	975,226	— 935,255
1831.....	64,863	202	65,065	27,206	51,420	78,626	— 13,561
1832.....	.....	.....	.....	46,078	50,526	96,604	— 96,604
1833.....	.....	.....	.....	22,292	11,266	33,558	— 33,558
1834.....	.....	.....	.....	51,349	67,464	118,813	— 118,813
1835.....	.....	.....	.....	25,899	14,637	40,536	— 40,536
1836.....	17,939	36	17,975	28,838	35,531	64,369	— 46,394
Ending June 30—							
1845.....	245	.....	245	.....	.....	.....	+ 245

MEXICO. ^a

Ending September 30—							
1825.....	142,604	1,298,935	1,441,539	951,040	5,319,158	6,270,198	— 4,828,659
1826.....	77,052	978,737	1,055,789	1,024,275	5,255,275	6,279,550	— 5,223,761
1827.....	88,859	1,137,753	1,226,612	886,007	3,285,550	4,172,457	— 2,945,845
1828.....	67,334	793,044	860,378	522,016	2,359,618	2,881,634	— 2,021,256
1829.....	131,582	550,233	681,815	495,626	1,830,885	2,326,511	— 1,644,696
1830.....	96,197	435,328	531,525	985,764	3,851,694	4,837,458	— 4,305,933
Total, 6 years.....	603,628	5,194,030	5,797,658	4,865,628	21,902,180	26,767,808	—20,970,150

^a Previous to 1825 included in Spanish South America and Mexico.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

MEXICO—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1831	230,213	472,398	702,611	1,091,489	5,062,519	6,154,008	— 5,451,397
1832	324,814	342,436	667,250	845,777	2,620,164	3,465,941	— 2,798,691
1833	623,044	236,882	859,926	1,649,314	3,757,367	5,406,681	— 4,546,765
1834	729,701	131,850	861,551	1,192,616	4,072,407	5,265,053	— 4,403,502
1835	885,915	261,350	1,147,265	3,016,612	6,004,214	9,020,826	— 7,873,561
1836	801,344	277,057	1,078,401	1,500,639	4,540,996	6,041,635	— 4,963,234
1837	969,749	33,275	1,003,024	939,613	2,940,710	3,880,323	— 2,877,299
1838	759,497	51,786	811,283	1,040,906	1,100,459	2,141,365	— 1,330,082
1839	811,796	41,809	853,605	816,660	1,966,502	2,783,162	— 1,929,557
1840	689,487	26,622	716,109	969,938	1,545,403	2,515,341	— 1,799,232
Total, 10 years	6,825,560	1,875,465	8,701,025	13,063,594	33,610,741	46,674,335	—37,973,310
1841	1,192,120	154,753	1,346,873	886,513	1,143,903	2,030,416	— 683,543
1842	519,507	135,372	654,879	969,371	556,182	1,525,553	— 870,674
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	273,355	332,388	605,743	907,745	552,367	1,460,112	— 854,369
1844	219,829	386,966	606,735	1,291,752	497,081	1,788,833	— 1,182,098
1845	247,516	469,013	716,529	784,154	368,177	1,152,331	— 405,802
1846	445,922	692,146	1,138,068	899,893	628,407	1,528,300	— 390,232
1847	77,251	341,559	418,810	536,641	155,787	692,428	— 273,618
1848	15,087	716,014	731,101	2,095,495	1,962,951	4,058,446	— 3,327,345
1849	167,712	520,482	688,194	1,047,999	1,036,579	2,084,578	— 1,396,384
1850	40,716	534,484	575,200	1,498,791	514,036	2,012,827	— 1,437,627
Total, 10 years	3,199,015	4,313,117	7,512,132	10,918,354	7,415,470	18,333,824	—10,821,692
1851	27,666	693,120	720,786	1,014,690	567,093	1,581,783	— 860,997
1852	20,564	534,700	555,264	1,406,372	878,557	2,284,929	— 1,729,665
1853	4,148	751,952	756,100	2,529,770	1,029,054	3,558,824	— 2,802,724
1854	111,405	826,451	937,856	2,091,870	1,043,616	3,135,486	— 2,197,630
1855	17,508	687,242	704,750	2,253,368	668,236	2,921,604	— 2,016,854
1856	79,966	773,792	853,758	2,464,692	1,237,097	3,701,789	— 2,848,031
1857	63,307	964,566	1,026,873	3,017,640	597,566	3,615,206	— 2,588,333
1858	246,894	861,607	1,108,501	2,782,852	529,973	3,312,825	— 2,204,324
1859	234,112	1,009,972	1,244,084	2,252,162	667,580	2,919,742	— 1,675,658
1860	586,016	1,317,415	1,903,431	3,309,379	2,015,334	5,324,713	— 3,421,282
Total, 10 years	1,390,586	8,620,817	10,011,403	23,122,795	9,234,106	32,356,901	—22,315,498
1861	253,703	632,409	886,112	1,559,062	651,364	2,210,426	— 1,324,314
1862	289,011	441,977	730,988	1,840,720	368,287	2,209,007	— 1,478,019
1863	446,070	2,597,812	3,043,882	7,441,579	1,579,045	9,020,624	— 5,976,742
1864	385,037	5,743,408	6,128,445	7,765,133	1,505,404	9,270,597	— 3,142,152
1865	369,915	5,850,959	6,220,874	13,819,972	2,530,867	16,350,839	—10,129,965
1866	402,568	1,323,524	1,726,092	3,701,599	871,619	4,573,218	— 2,847,126
1867	402,779	669,157	1,071,936	4,823,614	572,182	5,395,796	— 4,323,860
1868	482,228	1,108,439	1,590,667	5,048,420	1,392,919	6,441,339	— 4,850,672
1869	511,319	1,824,845	2,336,164	3,835,699	1,047,408	4,883,107	— 2,546,943
1870	522,907	2,192,758	2,715,665	4,544,745	1,314,955	5,859,700	— 3,144,035
Total, 10 years	4,065,537	22,385,288	26,450,825	54,380,543	11,834,110	66,214,653	—39,763,828
1871	976,117	2,233,571	3,209,688	5,044,033	2,568,080	7,612,113	— 4,402,425
1872	1,156,257	2,846,663	4,002,920	3,420,658	2,122,931	5,543,589	— 1,540,669
1873	3,065,140	1,211,025	4,276,165	3,941,019	2,323,882	6,264,901	— 1,988,736
1874	3,026,661	1,319,703	4,346,364	4,016,148	1,930,691	5,946,839	— 1,600,475
1875	3,863,302	1,311,292	5,174,594	3,872,004	1,865,278	5,737,282	— 562,688
1876	3,920,633	1,229,939	5,150,572	4,700,978	1,499,594	6,200,572	— 1,050,000
1877	3,756,191	1,448,073	5,204,264	4,503,802	1,389,692	5,893,494	— 689,230
1878	3,723,281	1,528,221	5,251,502	5,811,429	1,649,275	7,460,704	— 2,209,202
1879	3,981,402	1,511,819	5,493,221	5,400,380	1,351,864	6,752,244	— 1,259,023
1880	4,852,659	2,356,934	7,209,593	6,065,974	1,800,519	7,866,493	— 656,900
Total, 10 years	32,321,643	16,997,240	49,318,883	46,776,425	18,501,806	65,278,231	—15,959,348
1881	5,643,176	2,674,626	8,317,802	9,198,077	1,973,161	11,171,238	— 2,853,436
1882	5,310,796	3,151,103	8,461,899	13,324,505	2,158,077	15,482,582	— 7,020,683
1883	4,211,328	3,965,795	8,177,123	14,370,992	2,216,628	16,587,620	— 8,410,497
1884	5,334,689	3,681,797	9,016,486	11,089,603	1,614,685	12,704,292	— 3,687,806

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

MEXICO—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1885	5,173,441	4,093,580	9,267,021	7,370,599	970,185	8,340,784	+ 926,237
1886	6,808,757	3,879,215	10,687,972	6,856,077	881,546	7,737,623	+ 2,950,349
1887	9,928,122	4,791,718	14,719,840	7,267,129	692,428	7,959,557	+ 6,760,283
1888	11,042,772	6,287,117	17,329,889	9,242,188	655,584	9,897,772	+ 7,432,117
1889	13,825,242	7,428,359	21,253,601	10,886,288	600,608	11,486,896	+ 9,766,705
1890	15,536,100	7,154,815	22,690,915	12,666,108	619,179	13,285,287	+ 9,405,628
Total, 10 years	82,814,423	47,108,125	129,922,548	102,271,566	12,382,085	114,653,651	+15,268,897
1891	23,364,519	3,931,473	27,295,992	14,199,080	770,540	14,969,620	+12,326,372
1892	23,702,496	4,405,029	28,107,525	13,696,531	597,468	14,293,999	+13,813,526
1893	27,145,469	6,409,630	33,555,099	18,891,714	676,920	19,568,634	+13,986,465
1894	21,560,011	7,166,995	28,727,006	12,441,805	400,344	12,842,149	+15,884,857
1895	12,903,789	2,731,999	15,635,788	14,582,484	423,422	15,005,906	+ 629,882
1896	13,819,698	3,636,479	17,456,177	18,686,797	763,459	19,450,256	— 1,994,079
1897	13,990,017	4,521,555	18,511,572	22,726,596	694,468	23,421,064	— 4,909,492
1898	14,108,733	4,896,130	19,004,863	20,405,952	800,987	21,206,939	— 2,202,076

MIQUELON, LANGLEY, ETC.

Ending June 30—							
1851				3,715		3,715	— 3,715
1852		524	524				+ 524
1853				9,005		9,005	— 9,005
1854							
1855	504	139,350	139,854	148,848	35,677	184,525	— 44,671
1856	974	140,558	141,532	146,286	27,088	173,374	— 31,842
1857	205	94,844	95,049	137,561	33,212	170,773	— 75,724
1858	811	90,261	91,072	147,938	29,602	177,540	— 86,468
1859	21	86,776	86,797	152,365	37,022	189,387	— 102,590
1860	743	143,730	144,473	109,201	31,220	140,511	+ 3,962
Total, 10 years	3,258	696,043	699,301	855,009	193,821	1,048,830	— 349,529
1861	377	116,781	117,158	205,615	38,837	244,452	— 127,324
1862			39,684	189,794	36,642	226,436	— 186,752
1863		44,254	44,254	178,450	30,321	208,771	— 164,517
1864			24,053	196,815	30,317	227,132	— 203,079
1865		12,916	12,916	238,950	47,931	286,881	— 273,965
1866		58,427	58,427	251,230	18,755	269,985	— 211,558
1867		80,355	80,355	267,061	58,917	325,978	— 245,623
1868		39,739	39,739	297,628	34,284	331,912	— 292,173
1869							
1870							
Total, 10 years	377	352,472	416,586	1,825,573	296,004	2,121,577	— 1,704,991
1871							
1872							
1873		13,282	13,282	204,447	15,672	220,119	— 206,837
1874	106	3,700	3,806	213,213	12,579	225,792	— 221,986
1875		7,842	7,842	245,067	10,257	255,324	— 247,482
1876				222,132	12,351	234,483	— 234,483
1877	90		90	292,129	12,397	304,526	— 304,436
1878		64	64	283,277	17,521	300,798	— 300,734
1879	97	45	142	305,867	16,274	322,141	— 321,999
1880	375	3,526	3,901	287,307	18,351	305,658	— 301,757
Total, 10 years	668	28,459	29,127	2,053,439	115,402	2,168,841	— 2,139,714
1881	82	16,877	16,959	309,889	20,510	330,399	— 313,440
1882	438	17,887	18,325	315,425	19,820	335,245	— 316,929
1883		17,376	17,376	434,465	17,422	451,887	— 434,511
1884	463	102	565	435,879	13,555	449,434	— 448,869
1885		18,686	18,686	394,864	19,083	414,547	— 395,861
1886		8,284	8,284	374,237	24,294	398,531	— 390,247
1887	509	70,415	70,924	299,763	12,593	312,356	— 241,432
1888	70	32,157	32,227	371,887	19,537	391,424	— 359,197

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
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MIQUELON, LANGLEY, ETC.—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Ending June 30—							
1889	992	28,934	29,926	368,364	18,386	386,750	— 356,824
1890	824	36,471	37,295	446,844	16,299	463,143	— 425,848
Total, 10 years	3,378	247,189	250,567	3,751,617	182,108	3,933,725	—3,683,158
1891	190	15,445	15,635	390,014	10,134	400,148	— 384,513
1892		176	176	357,751	16,072	373,823	— 373,647
1893	270	67,421	67,691	185,226	12,000	197,226	— 129,535
1894		117,255	117,255	149,902	6,742	156,644	— 39,389
1895	899	184,403	185,302	167,496	2,728	170,224	+ 15,078
1896	923	163,443	164,366	141,916	3,531	145,447	+ 18,919
1897	1,724	138,079	139,803	161,525	5,924	167,449	— 27,646
1898	817	160,213	161,030	195,764	9,241	205,005	— 43,975

WEST INDIES.

BRITISH WEST INDIES. a

[For British West Indies from 1821 to 1850 see page 3427.]

1851	225,705	701,591	927,296	3,454,269	54,437	3,508,706	— 2,581,410
1852	201,344	733,032	934,376	3,449,631	79,956	3,529,587	— 2,595,211
1853	160,792	825,140	985,932	4,055,027	105,281	4,160,308	— 3,174,376
1854	202,444	867,233	1,069,677	4,556,005	101,514	4,657,519	— 3,587,842
1855	343,746	1,078,143	1,421,889	4,621,851	232,992	4,854,843	— 3,432,954
1856	415,398	1,823,316	2,238,714	4,402,008	48,644	4,450,652	— 2,211,938
1857	376,709	2,225,889	2,602,598	4,905,055	49,863	4,954,918	— 2,352,320
1858	467,942	1,270,701	1,738,643	5,273,202	105,496	5,378,698	— 3,640,055
1859	608,833	1,244,617	1,853,450	5,197,250	57,452	5,254,702	— 3,401,252
1860	693,480	1,152,719	1,846,199	5,220,374	79,263	5,299,637	— 3,453,438
Total, 10 years	3,696,393	11,922,381	15,618,774	45,134,672	914,898	46,049,570	—30,430,796
1861	661,862	1,036,368	1,698,230	5,277,314	104,034	5,381,348	— 3,683,118
1862 b	503,436	1,202,781	1,706,217	5,389,458	230,050	5,619,508	— 3,913,291
1863 b	451,570	1,547,919	1,999,489	6,906,895	201,770	7,108,665	— 5,109,176
1864 b			2,725,164	7,603,716	202,049	7,805,765	— 5,080,601
1865	448,859	1,618,586	2,067,445	10,505,324	131,843	10,637,167	— 8,569,722
1866	579,669	2,736,256	3,315,925	7,298,149	65,885	7,364,034	— 4,048,109
1867	725,683	2,128,869	2,854,552	7,589,053	77,158	7,666,211	— 4,812,559
1868	350,465	2,414,651	2,765,116	6,659,731	82,650	6,742,381	— 3,977,265
1869 b	529,707	6,022,213	6,551,920	9,102,228	101,760	9,203,988	— 2,652,068
1870 b	949,192	5,504,337	6,453,529	8,087,284	98,954	8,186,238	— 1,732,709
Total, 10 years	5,200,443	24,211,980	32,137,587	74,420,052	1,296,155	75,716,205	—43,578,618
1871 b	386,092	6,907,477	7,293,569	8,804,926	95,448	8,900,374	— 1,606,805
1872 b	453,884	9,011,246	9,465,130	8,614,923	137,629	8,752,552	+ 712,578
1873 b	1,027,071	2,616,098	3,643,169	7,457,823	205,654	7,663,477	— 4,020,308
1874 b	1,390,896	2,243,107	3,634,003	7,467,897	168,861	7,636,758	— 4,002,755
1875 b	1,229,739	3,303,374	4,533,113	7,583,668	171,497	7,755,165	— 3,222,052
1876 b	1,039,526	2,323,284	3,362,810	8,196,842	223,693	8,420,535	— 5,057,725
1877 b	1,084,666	5,139,702	6,224,368	7,519,908	185,557	7,705,465	— 1,481,097
1878 b	939,142	4,708,566	5,647,708	7,392,679	213,722	7,606,401	— 1,958,693
1879	912,166	2,647,829	3,559,995	6,485,391	217,045	6,702,436	— 3,142,441
1880	992,799	4,489,203	5,482,002	6,849,878	217,870	7,067,748	— 1,585,746
Total, 10 years	9,455,981	43,389,886	52,845,867	76,373,935	1,836,976	78,210,911	—25,365,044
1881	916,597	5,377,449	6,294,046	8,138,565	257,579	8,396,144	— 2,102,098
1882	1,152,502	5,491,885	6,644,387	7,824,203	217,073	8,041,366	— 1,396,979
1883	1,495,329	7,240,783	8,736,112	8,241,622	260,531	8,502,153	+ 283,959
1884	2,600,181	7,191,435	9,791,616	8,553,244	296,070	8,849,314	+ 942,302
1885	2,426,952	7,936,449	10,363,381	6,963,219	247,060	7,210,279	+ 3,152,502
1886	2,668,580	7,185,100	9,853,680	7,113,699	208,427	7,322,126	+ 2,531,554
1887	2,776,573	8,793,206	11,569,779	6,465,030	182,174	6,647,204	+ 4,922,575
1888	4,285,755	8,265,185	12,550,940	7,450,018	161,515	7,611,533	+ 4,939,407
1889	5,106,066	10,879,496	15,985,502	8,197,693	190,413	8,388,106	+ 7,597,456
1890	4,729,458	10,135,560	14,865,018	8,074,433	214,353	8,288,786	+ 6,576,232
Total, 10 years	28,157,973	78,496,548	106,654,521	77,021,816	2,235,795	79,257,611	+27,396,910

a Includes Bermuda prior to 1892.

b Includes British Honduras.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	9,781,685	6,511,499	16,293,184	9,546,058	233,060	9,779,138	+ 6,514,046
1892.....	11,897,999	542,133	12,440,132	7,995,185	135,072	8,130,257	+ 4,309,875
1893.....	15,360,315	608,277	16,028,592	7,912,341	132,505	8,044,846	+ 7,983,746
1894.....	12,625,808	391,370	13,017,178	8,387,220	124,796	8,512,016	+ 4,505,162
1895.....	6,827,458	2,949,986	9,777,444	7,667,561	96,617	7,764,178	+ 2,013,266
1896.....	4,616,995	6,183,623	10,800,618	8,566,965	167,188	8,734,153	+ 2,066,465
1897.....	4,801,711	7,484,174	12,285,885	7,808,493	134,806	7,943,299	+ 4,342,586
1898.....	4,498,327	6,133,860	10,632,187	8,235,678	150,562	8,386,240	+ 2,245,947

DANISH WEST INDIES.

Ending September 30—							
1821.....	80,604	1,593,406	1,674,010	1,316,296	470,802	1,787,098	— 113,088
1822.....	121,715	2,214,900	2,336,615	1,603,494	613,489	2,216,983	+ 119,622
1823.....	86,943	871,464	958,407	1,231,152	615,763	1,846,915	— 888,508
1824.....	99,295	1,779,849	1,879,144	1,149,641	586,734	1,736,375	+ 142,769
1825.....	87,197	1,249,475	1,336,672	1,281,248	511,453	1,792,701	— 456,029
1826.....	114,988	1,796,370	1,911,358	1,391,004	673,601	2,064,605	— 153,247
1827.....	148,805	1,887,222	2,036,027	1,463,601	480,840	1,944,531	+ 91,496
1828.....	134,578	1,946,538	2,081,116	2,202,465	542,827	2,745,292	— 664,176
1829.....	81,883	1,816,651	1,898,534	1,942,010	221,201	2,163,211	— 264,667
1830.....	103,780	1,314,728	1,418,508	1,686,472	200,536	1,887,008	— 468,500
Total, 10 years.....	1,059,788	16,470,603	17,530,391	15,267,473	4,917,246	20,184,719	— 2,654,328
1831.....	130,213	1,278,949	1,409,162	1,421,075	184,199	1,605,274	— 196,112
1832.....	132,801	888,638	1,021,439	1,393,490	243,696	1,637,186	— 615,747
1833.....	193,758	829,159	1,022,917	1,270,429	242,417	1,512,846	— 489,929
1834.....	307,162	1,230,791	1,537,953	1,084,202	342,694	1,426,896	+ 111,057
1835.....	228,110	982,925	1,211,035	1,255,880	173,661	1,429,541	— 218,506
1836.....	238,123	1,575,571	1,813,694	1,320,192	178,544	1,498,736	+ 314,958
1837.....	154,068	806,184	960,252	1,118,092	215,416	1,333,508	— 373,256
1838.....	145,798	1,268,108	1,413,906	949,048	127,671	1,076,719	+ 337,187
1839.....	100,691	1,316,073	1,416,764	1,009,081	143,227	1,152,308	+ 264,456
1840.....	45,966	783,024	828,990	918,931	159,089	1,078,020	— 249,030
Total, 10 years.....	1,676,690	10,959,422	12,636,112	11,740,420	2,010,614	13,751,034	— 1,114,922
1841.....	229,499	752,728	982,227	768,608	72,974	841,582	+ 140,645
1842.....	116,775	362,064	478,839	789,328	104,172	893,500	— 414,661
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months).....	5,498	312,563	318,061	672,158	70,250	742,408	— 424,347
1844.....	70,906	451,427	522,333	782,532	75,810	858,342	— 336,009
1845.....	16,409	711,523	727,932	833,503	92,931	926,434	— 198,502
1846.....	11,553	649,441	660,994	959,452	66,194	1,025,646	— 364,652
1847.....	20,782	608,670	719,452	836,672	104,631	941,303	— 221,851
1848.....	4,413	391,494	395,907	876,969	42,778	919,747	— 523,840
1849.....	9,874	316,888	326,762	727,197	45,206	772,403	— 445,641
1850.....	1,003	207,856	208,859	670,975	37,103	708,078	— 499,219
Total, 10 years.....	486,712	4,854,654	5,341,366	7,917,394	712,049	8,629,443	— 3,288,077
1851.....	2,262	219,798	222,060	750,937	33,772	784,709	— 562,619
1852.....	1,632	180,970	182,602	720,111	41,038	761,149	— 578,547
1853.....	13,679	162,993	176,582	585,202	31,114	616,316	— 439,734
1854.....	23,029	254,603	277,632	693,170	34,026	727,196	— 449,564
1855.....	7,757	195,396	203,153	843,111	45,353	888,464	— 685,311
1856.....	13,057	206,941	219,998	817,290	38,411	855,701	— 635,703
1857.....	44,446	234,863	279,309	965,712	81,037	1,046,749	— 767,440
1858.....	8,666	308,963	317,629	708,959	37,214	746,173	— 428,544
1859.....	8,336	273,039	281,375	776,126	43,939	820,065	— 538,660
1860.....	8,461	189,015	197,476	919,259	37,145	956,404	— 758,928
Total, 10 years.....	131,325	2,226,491	2,357,816	7,779,877	423,049	8,202,926	— 5,845,110
1861.....	6,518	203,163	209,681	893,853	41,697	935,550	— 725,869
1862.....	6,100	225,644	231,744	936,967	26,955	963,922	— 732,178
1863.....	5,883	275,493	281,376	1,141,712	50,400	1,192,112	— 910,236

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DANISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1864			196, 204	1, 139, 139	52, 954	1, 192, 093	— 995, 889
1865	30, 642	228, 330	258, 972	1, 526, 666	40, 447	1, 567, 113	— 1,308, 141
1866	7, 540	429, 770	437, 310	1, 124, 580	8, 295	1, 132, 875	— 695, 565
1867	17, 521	570, 187	587, 708	970, 152	19, 279	989, 431	— 401, 723
1868	9, 497	563, 507	573, 004	1, 143, 645	27, 351	1, 170, 996	— 597, 992
1869				(a)			
1870				(a)			
Total, 10 years	83, 701	2, 496, 094	2, 775, 999	8, 876, 714	267, 378	9, 144, 092	— 6,367, 593
1871	50, 605	619, 578	670, 183	901, 182	13, 993	915, 175	— 244, 992
1872	17, 194	739, 268	756, 462	911, 452	36, 866	948, 318	— 191, 856
1873	19, 177	425, 542	444, 719	1, 022, 126	33, 145	1, 055, 271	— 610, 552
1874	15, 968	211, 669	227, 637	905, 629	20, 721	926, 350	— 698, 713
1875	28, 655	486, 993	515, 648	759, 976	9, 026	769, 002	— 253, 354
1876	65, 869	298, 122	363, 991	767, 309	13, 498	780, 807	— 416, 816
1877	8, 058	276, 422	284, 480	741, 664	8, 592	750, 256	— 465, 776
1878	40, 010	295, 531	335, 541	738, 696	7, 613	746, 309	— 410, 768
1879	128, 140	314, 687	442, 827	886, 857	15, 737	902, 594	— 459, 767
1880	97, 034	364, 463	461, 497	689, 104	8, 691	697, 795	— 236, 298
Total, 10 years	470, 710	4, 032, 275	4, 502, 985	8, 323, 995	167, 882	8, 491, 877	— 3,988, 892
1881	34, 429	325, 471	359, 900	721, 128	12, 563	733, 691	— 373, 791
1882	95, 440	443, 584	539, 024	716, 591	12, 137	728, 728	— 189, 704
1883	6, 603	377, 400	384, 003	694, 565	7, 561	702, 126	— 318, 123
1884	14, 827	373, 036	387, 863	578, 997	11, 043	590, 040	— 202, 177
1885	14, 493	321, 810	336, 303	571, 103	15, 056	586, 159	— 249, 856
1886	11, 961	233, 960	245, 921	587, 572	12, 611	600, 183	— 354, 262
1887	33, 058	467, 617	500, 675	604, 844	8, 782	613, 626	— 112, 951
1888	39, 489	359, 731	399, 220	603, 140	8, 999	612, 139	— 212, 919
1889	50, 304	557, 627	607, 931	673, 942	12, 370	686, 312	— 78, 381
1890	55, 429	533, 310	588, 739	785, 395	8, 878	794, 273	— 205, 534
Total, 10 years	356, 033	3, 993, 546	4, 349, 579	6, 537, 277	110, 000	6, 647, 277	— 2,237, 698
1891	48, 720	239, 661	288, 381	625, 609	10, 906	636, 515	— 348, 134
1892	329, 950	32, 128	362, 078	610, 843	4, 080	614, 923	— 252, 845
1893	527, 661	19, 965	547, 626	600, 804	3, 519	604, 323	— 56, 697
1894	496, 647	15, 323	511, 970	579, 977	1, 982	581, 959	— 69, 989
1895	150, 340	89, 435	239, 775	493, 570	1, 646	495, 216	— 255, 441
1896	19, 594	290, 745	310, 339	535, 974	1, 399	537, 373	— 227, 034
1897	26, 634	340, 655	367, 289	519, 448	2, 317	521, 765	— 154, 476
1898	10, 515	317, 244	327, 759	704, 034	3, 588	707, 622	— 379, 863

DUTCH WEST INDIES.

Ending September 30—							
1821	268, 582	486, 792	755, 374	533, 259	115, 424	648, 683	+ 106, 691
1822	560, 937	792, 758	1, 353, 695	921, 072	135, 254	1, 056, 326	+ 297, 369
1823	283, 756	568, 939	852, 695	655, 763	153, 365	809, 128	+ 43, 567
1824	373, 546	537, 749	911, 295	589, 775	108, 984	698, 759	+ 212, 536
1825	304, 506	444, 414	748, 920	497, 194	77, 092	574, 286	+ 174, 634
1826	125, 106	341, 970	467, 076	434, 125	57, 426	491, 551	— 24, 475
1827	32, 936	378, 960	411, 896	387, 573	44, 162	431, 735	— 19, 839
1828	50, 799	338, 580	389, 379	415, 343	41, 599	456, 942	— 67, 563
1829	48, 822	241, 283	290, 105	379, 874	18, 667	398, 541	— 108, 436
1830	34, 247	124, 956	159, 203	319, 495	40, 038	359, 533	— 200, 330
Total, 10 years	2, 083, 237	4, 256, 401	6, 339, 638	5, 133, 473	792, 011	5, 925, 484	+ 414, 154
1831	77, 361	193, 201	270, 562	370, 857	45, 204	416, 061	— 145, 499
1832	89, 023	204, 737	293, 760	357, 520	46, 644	404, 164	— 110, 404
1833	165, 980	165, 729	331, 709	288, 205	54, 038	342, 243	— 10, 534
1834	150, 006	140, 692	290, 698	284, 552	62, 136	346, 688	— 55, 990
1835	226, 536	185, 615	412, 151	319, 432	28, 110	347, 542	+ 64, 609
1836	267, 829	228, 567	496, 396	406, 458	44, 559	451, 017	+ 45, 379

a Included in Denmark.

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WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

DUTCH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1837	226,038	143,197	369,235	291,779	30,876	322,655	+ 46,580
1838	175,601	171,675	347,276	204,234	23,485	227,719	+ 119,557
1839	333,230	210,288	543,518	282,042	23,350	305,392	+ 238,126
1840	223,503	140,634	364,137	259,438	25,779	285,217	+ 78,920
Total, 10 years	1,935,107	1,784,335	3,719,442	3,064,517	384,181	3,448,698	+ 270,744
1841	335,709	102,425	438,134	298,699	13,526	312,225	+ 125,909
1842	215,455	63,731	285,186	249,650	10,156	259,806	+ 25,380
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	26,311	150,456	176,767	204,937	10,819	215,756	— 38,989
1844	37,759	284,374	322,133	303,438	18,906	322,344	— 211
1845	45,315	290,440	335,755	304,080	15,802	319,882	+ 15,873
1846	39,718	329,179	368,897	263,697	9,125	272,822	+ 96,075
1847	14,187	246,004	260,191	214,614	12,730	227,344	+ 32,847
1848	7,468	346,790	354,258	316,666	13,237	329,903	+ 24,355
1849	1,840	411,313	413,153	317,066	16,234	333,300	+ 79,853
1850	1,700	485,409	487,109	364,335	15,389	379,724	+ 107,385
Total, 10 years	725,462	2,716,121	3,441,583	2,837,182	135,924	2,973,106	+ 468,477
1851	12,111	533,500	545,611	327,398	19,045	346,443	+ 199,168
1852	145,886	386,578	532,464	297,879	17,766	315,645	+ 216,819
1853	3,543	377,506	381,109	250,258	15,099	265,957	+ 115,152
1854	1,841	521,225	523,066	363,628	18,392	382,020	+ 141,046
1855	15,634	407,266	422,900	226,440	7,616	234,056	+ 188,844
1856	53,874	477,147	531,021	317,154	6,328	323,482	+ 207,539
1857	3,269	510,952	514,221	362,197	16,779	378,976	+ 135,245
1858	34,459	299,959	334,418	340,198	13,099	353,297	— 18,879
1859	52,526	391,633	444,159	380,177	24,212	404,389	+ 39,770
1860	22,732	308,135	330,867	294,665	8,766	303,431	+ 27,436
Total, 10 years	345,875	4,213,961	4,559,836	3,159,994	147,702	3,307,696	+1,252,140
1861	22,203	273,238	295,441	434,966	15,913	450,879	— 155,438
1862	20,375	265,198	285,573	369,415	24,730	394,145	+ 108,572
1863	17,652	724,672	242,324	352,598	33,732	386,330	— 144,006
1864			454,478	607,610	43,438	651,048	— 196,570
1865	12,933	176,303	189,236	839,190	31,434	890,630	— 701,394
1866	62,510	172,040	234,550	641,103	7,696	648,799	— 414,249
1867	71,059	207,656	278,715	439,920	3,231	443,151	— 164,436
1868	66,326	223,247	289,573	496,093	11,739	507,832	— 218,259
1869	116,491	836,173	a 952,664	899,609	a 29,595	929,204	+ 23,460
1870	84,254	588,082	a 672,336	937,265	a 33,672	970,937	— 298,601
Total, 10 years	473,803	2,963,609	3,894,890	6,037,775	235,180	6,272,955	—2,378,065
1871	264,366	755,856	a 1,020,222	a 824,120	a 25,788	849,908	+ 170,314
1872	518,810	545,691	a 1,064,501	a 767,344	a 24,946	792,290	+ 272,211
1873	782,069	400,955	a 1,182,994	a 951,852	a 43,359	998,211	+ 184,783
1874	1,236,265	344,471	a 1,580,736	a 979,001	a 21,386	1,000,387	+ 580,349
1875	1,187,752	298,825	a 1,486,577	a 818,424	a 20,843	839,267	+ 647,310
1876	387,107	284,619	a 671,726	a 857,546	a 15,450	872,996	— 201,270
1877	283,485	407,209	a 690,694	a 966,322	a 18,308	984,630	— 293,936
1878	318,424	306,510	a 624,934	a 685,789	a 3,588	689,377	— 64,443
1879	580,652	66,750	647,402	622,171	7,955	630,126	+ 17,276
1880	1,161,906	193,611	1,355,517	837,288	11,253	848,541	+ 506,976
Total, 10 years	6,720,836	3,604,467	10,325,303	8,312,857	192,876	8,505,733	+1,819,570
1881	2,500,796	93,589	2,594,376	921,475	18,943	940,418	+1,653,958
1882	1,425,359	156,774	1,582,133	743,304	10,077	753,381	+ 828,752
1883	777,690	104,368	882,058	579,690	9,922	589,612	+ 292,446
1884	591,101	53,491	644,592	580,115	3,843	583,958	+ 63,634
1885	340,197	46,471	386,668	653,853	12,989	666,842	— 280,174
1886	405,772	47,975	453,747	570,159	4,392	574,551	— 120,804
1887	226,939	29,756	256,695	536,300	3,505	539,805	— 283,110
1888	363,288	25,546	388,834	581,055	2,538	583,593	— 194,759

a Includes Dutch Guiana.

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DUTCH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Frec.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1889	174,629	19,458	194,087	619,011	6,192	625,203	— 431,116
1890	125,056	68,980	191,036	609,693	44,620	654,313	— 460,277
Total, 10 years	6,933,827	646,399	7,580,226	6,394,655	117,021	6,511,676	+1,068,550
1891	102,780	21,571	124,351	771,600	2,473	774,073	— 649,722
1892	64,217	33,895	98,112	665,617	3,097	668,714	— 570,602
1893	249,721	21,873	271,594	747,589	5,114	752,703	— 481,109
1894	51,905	10,782	62,687	595,506	2,671	598,267	— 535,580
1895	171,828	4,580	176,408	550,615	68,890	619,505	— 443,097
1896	107,156	55,978	163,134	619,118	3,643	622,761	— 459,627
1897	93,136	3,207	96,343	649,971	2,370	652,341	— 555,098
1898	160,915	13,328	174,243	541,295	3,168	544,463	— 370,220

FRENCH WEST INDIES.

Ending September 30—							
1821	10,610	853,646	864,256	846,597	49,838	896,435	— 32,179
1822	6,543	936,418	942,961	918,699	37,503	956,202	— 13,241
1823	9,094	834,392	843,486	804,218	61,801	866,019	— 22,533
1824	21,685	687,891	709,576	770,515	41,217	811,732	— 102,156
1825	20,867	667,713	688,580	937,368	66,588	1,003,956	— 315,376
1826	12,679	795,036	807,715	901,754	52,059	953,813	— 146,098
1827	9,411	688,451	697,862	976,187	60,556	1,036,743	— 338,881
1828	19,740	670,948	690,688	1,009,437	14,734	1,024,171	— 333,483
1829	32,707	459,048	491,755	1,056,619	15,743	1,072,362	— 589,607
1830	61,154	189,959	251,113	792,241	13,528	805,769	— 554,656
Total, 10 years	204,490	6,783,502	6,987,992	9,013,635	413,567	9,427,202	—2,439,210
1831	22,459	468,259	490,718	704,833	9,202	714,035	— 223,317
1832	8,448	418,293	426,741	605,793	18,059	623,852	— 197,111
1833	23,191	389,387	412,578	613,719	19,817	633,536	— 220,958
1834	61,796	283,320	345,116	561,179	18,284	579,463	— 234,347
1835	31,550	262,595	294,145	549,413	17,587	567,000	— 272,855
1836	43,722	280,986	324,708	471,927	16,305	488,232	— 163,524
1837	41,668	250,365	292,033	505,063	49,710	554,773	— 262,740
1838	25,252	205,194	230,446	430,008	24,689	454,697	— 224,251
1839	81,745	572,784	654,529	575,624	62,231	637,855	+ 16,764
1840	28,210	145,618	173,828	483,595	29,162	512,757	— 338,929
Total, 10 years	368,041	3,276,801	3,644,842	5,501,154	265,046	5,766,200	—2,121,358
1841	12,336	86,072	98,408	381,556	40,966	422,522	— 324,114
1842	3,969	78,930	82,899	495,397	23,609	519,006	— 436,107
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	531	42,724	43,255	281,828	9,052	290,880	— 247,625
1844	847	117,683	118,530	581,568	29,533	611,101	— 492,571
1845	26,075	197,563	223,638	542,455	16,658	559,113	— 335,475
1846	21,724	111,041	132,765	618,112	17,509	635,621	— 502,856
1847	186	36,667	36,853	569,126	34,038	603,164	— 566,311
1848	677	19,663	20,340	469,853	20,071	489,924	— 469,584
1849	5,226	26,493	31,719	180,731	14,267	194,998	— 163,279
1850	367	15,681	16,048	269,377	18,291	287,668	— 271,620
Total, 10 years	71,938	732,517	804,455	4,330,003	223,991	4,613,997	—3,809,542
1851	220	3,995	4,215	289,579	20,702	310,281	— 306,066
1852	680	2,905	3,585	429,846	25,598	455,444	— 451,859
1853		29,179	29,179	362,513	34,738	397,251	— 368,072
1854	131	123,436	123,567	550,225	54,327	604,552	— 480,985
1855	41	1,856	1,897	396,837	12,864	409,701	— 407,804
1856	47	4,350	4,397	472,019	3,025	475,044	— 470,647
1857	568	8,014	8,582	729,779	1,364	731,143	— 722,561
1858		29,344	29,344	622,436	10,642	633,078	— 603,734
1859	40	10,630	10,670	433,278	75,260	508,538	— 497,868
1860		4,153	4,153	467,517	76,714	544,231	— 540,078
Total, 10 years	1,727	217,862	219,589	4,754,029	315,234	5,069,263	—4,849,674

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WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

FRENCH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1861	1,071	2,876	3,947	453,210	61,285	517,495	— 513,548
1862	316	154,578	154,894	617,325	32,405	649,730	+ 494,836
1863	1,873	19,895	21,768	901,244	9,680	910,924	— 889,156
1864			158,950	888,338	32,212	920,550	— 761,620
1865	535	50,385	50,920	940,403	18,505	958,908	— 907,988
1866	270	351,049	351,319	619,944	3,847	623,791	— 272,472
1867	292	247,527	247,819	664,976	4,881	669,857	— 422,038
1868		218,953	218,953	904,726	8,395	913,121	— 694,168
1869 <i>a</i>	422	696,530	696,952	1,174,056	45,514	1,219,570	— 522,618
1870 <i>a</i>	1,939	465,450	467,389	1,117,060	50,130	1,167,190	— 699,801
Total, 10 years	6,718	2,207,243	2,372,891	8,281,282	269,854	8,551,136	— 6,178,245
1871 <i>a</i>	6,368	1,679,741	1,686,109	1,256,791	26,364	1,283,155	+ 402,954
1872 <i>a</i>	12,732	2,270,559	2,283,291	1,469,746	38,888	1,499,634	+ 783,657
1873 <i>b</i>	8,156	1,186,584	1,194,740	1,134,795	11,498	1,146,293	+ 48,447
1874 <i>b</i>	15,063	1,426,071	1,441,134	1,172,143	6,481	1,178,624	+ 262,510
1875 <i>b</i>	9,297	2,026,142	2,035,439	1,167,276	15,284	1,182,560	+ 852,879
1876 <i>b</i>	52,902	1,804,766	1,857,668	1,466,925	12,920	1,499,851	+ 357,817
1877 <i>b</i>	7,722	2,314,931	2,322,653	1,368,074	39,504	1,407,578	+ 915,075
1878 <i>b</i>	19,644	2,857,259	2,876,903	1,569,880	20,785	1,590,665	+ 1,286,238
1879	4,456	2,613,845	2,618,301	1,465,881	15,884	1,481,765	+ 1,136,536
1880	7,012	2,709,992	2,717,004	1,799,972	28,424	1,828,396	+ 888,608
Total, 10 years	143,352	20,889,890	21,033,242	13,882,483	216,032	14,098,521	+ 6,934,721
1881	11,748	2,452,829	2,464,577	1,520,651	34,970	1,555,621	+ 908,956
1882	1,591	2,423,164	2,424,755	1,556,393	16,390	1,572,783	+ 851,972
1883	4,129	2,891,728	2,895,857	1,783,332	30,223	1,813,555	+ 1,082,302
1884	17,486	3,118,916	3,136,402	1,790,584	29,534	1,820,118	+ 1,316,284
1885	36,073	1,111,442	1,147,515	1,394,101	24,872	1,418,973	— 271,458
1886	14,336	520,015	534,351	1,426,683	11,902	1,438,585	— 904,234
1887	24,741	381,884	406,625	1,334,344	18,434	1,352,778	— 946,153
1888	6,865	110,025	116,890	1,574,728	29,099	1,603,827	— 1,486,937
1889	10,641	99,412	110,053	1,852,111	31,909	1,884,020	— 1,773,967
1890	4,447	124,550	128,997	1,768,826	23,786	1,792,612	— 1,663,615
Total, 10 years	132,057	13,233,965	13,366,022	16,001,753	251,119	16,252,872	— 2,886,850
1891	19,176	4,234	23,470	1,854,968	51,071	1,906,039	— 1,882,569
1892	29,441	387	29,828	1,950,403	32,100	1,982,503	— 1,952,675
1893	7,902	428	8,340	1,799,097	19,858	1,818,955	— 1,810,615
1894	17,095	1,241	18,336	1,822,020	26,788	1,848,808	— 1,830,472
1895	25,786	1,846	27,632	1,581,451	8,407	1,589,858	— 1,562,226
1896	6,905	5,881	12,786	1,518,544	11,782	1,530,326	— 1,517,540
1897	8,580	1,364	9,944	1,665,461	14,164	1,679,625	— 1,669,681
1898	17,134	13,754	30,888	1,605,044	12,086	1,617,130	— 1,586,242

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Ending September 30—							
1821	63,651	1,678,197	1,741,848	1,740,383	530,218	2,270,601	— 528,753
1822	148,689	1,963,689	2,112,378	1,746,107	372,179	2,118,286	— 5,908
1823	166,349	2,130,882	2,297,231	1,670,140	603,945	2,274,085	+ 23,141
1824	143,009	1,935,199	2,078,208	1,901,926	411,767	2,313,693	— 235,485
1825	225,150	1,778,944	2,004,094	1,648,655	385,460	2,034,115	— 30,021
1826	237,517	1,147,374	1,384,891	1,252,910	161,584	1,414,494	— 29,603
1827	286,326	1,447,851	1,734,177	1,162,473	169,436	1,331,909	+ 402,268
1828	381,972	1,711,910	2,093,882	1,123,405	188,753	1,312,158	+ 781,724
1829	376,878	1,376,828	1,753,776	814,987	151,733	966,720	+ 787,056
1830	375,286	1,190,126	1,565,422	714,791	108,387	823,178	+ 742,244
Total, 10 years	2,404,827	16,361,680	18,765,907	13,775,777	3,083,462	16,859,239	+ 1,906,668
1831	450,103	1,094,761	1,544,864	1,126,698	180,645	1,307,343	+ 237,521
1832	396,335	1,640,901	2,037,236	1,243,510	424,693	1,668,203	+ 369,033
1833	1,175,755	542,246	1,718,001	1,147,809	273,759	1,421,568	+ 296,433

a French Possessions in America.

b French West Indies and French Guiana.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

HAITI—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1834	2,050,889	49,219	2,100,108	1,244,424	185,563	1,429,987	+ 670,121
1835	2,263,263	73,023	2,336,286	1,538,475	222,564	1,761,039	+ 575,247
1836	1,645,358	115,362	1,760,720	994,361	131,521	1,125,882	+ 634,838
1837	1,379,926	50,990	1,430,916	796,052	101,796	897,848	+ 533,068
1838	1,263,915	65,439	1,269,354	759,460	67,422	826,882	+ 442,472
1839	1,253,881	121,006	1,374,887	814,383	91,718	906,101	+ 468,786
1840	1,177,520	58,816	1,236,336	816,426	47,278	863,704	+ 372,632
Total, 10 years	12,996,945	3,811,763	16,808,708	10,481,598	1,726,959	12,208,557	+ 4,600,151
1841	1,711,480	87,304	1,798,784	921,867	46,525	968,392	+ 830,392
1842	1,011,960	218,773	1,230,733	778,038	53,780	831,818	+ 398,915
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	685,228	126,081	811,309	576,453	39,019	615,472	+ 195,837
1844	1,152,508	198,268	1,350,776	1,022,106	43,234	1,065,340	+ 285,436
1845	888,353	260,397	1,148,750	1,288,169	62,027	1,350,196	— 201,446
1846	1,077,112	205,578	1,282,690	1,043,560	23,581	1,067,141	+ 215,549
1847	930,130	246,725	1,176,855	1,160,763	98,948	1,259,711	— 82,856
1848	1,031,639	292,580	1,324,219	903,611	142,442	1,046,053	+ 278,166
1849	652,325	207,225	859,550	501,530	63,286	564,816	+ 294,734
1850	1,141,905	389,743	1,531,648	1,063,058	122,443	1,185,501	+ 346,147
Total, 10 years	10,282,640	2,232,674	12,515,314	9,259,155	695,285	9,954,440	+ 2,560,874
1851	1,204,506	574,279	1,778,785	1,497,878	167,918	1,665,796	+ 112,989
1852	1,456,448	377,099	1,833,547	1,389,228	239,577	1,628,805	+ 204,742
1853	1,606,018	344,872	1,950,890	1,603,804	260,520	1,864,324	+ 86,566
1854	1,783,145	545,262	2,328,407	1,834,553	329,538	2,164,091	+ 169,316
1855	1,999,082	464,449	2,463,531	1,713,169	307,796	2,020,965	+ 442,566
1856	1,344,583	562,727	1,907,310	1,758,728	263,631	2,022,359	— 115,049
1857	1,539,108	739,608	2,278,716	2,160,713	319,517	2,480,230	— 201,514
1858	2,024,951	98,716	2,123,667	1,894,357	248,392	2,142,749	— 19,082
1859	2,406,560	225,041	2,631,601	2,188,876	226,309	2,415,185	+ 216,416
1860	1,949,157	94,656	2,043,813	2,354,149	222,277	2,576,426	— 532,613
Total, 10 years	17,318,558	4,026,709	21,345,267	18,395,455	2,585,475	20,980,930	+ 364,337
1861	1,620,034	60,021	1,680,065	2,185,883	165,502	2,351,385	— 671,320
1862	252,321	799,192	1,551,513	2,795,577	150,224	2,945,801	— 1,394,288
1863	545,501	964,628	1,510,129	3,680,228	343,314	4,023,542	— 2,513,403
1864 a	432,551	1,534,329	1,967,180	4,029,510	310,512	4,410,022	— 2,442,842
1865	436,882	1,032,889	1,469,771	5,954,283	402,892	6,357,175	— 4,887,404
1866	229,602	883,167	1,112,769	3,488,549	229,560	3,718,109	— 2,605,340
1867	345,748	601,799	947,547	2,345,530	347,674	2,693,204	— 1,745,657
1868	204,232	549,634	753,866	2,950,983	296,517	3,247,500	— 2,493,634
1869 a	322,635	391,893	714,528	1,320,482	129,462	1,449,944	— 735,416
1870 a	518,635	406,142	924,777	2,571,519	183,760	2,755,219	— 1,830,442
Total, 10 years	5,408,141	7,224,014	12,632,155	31,392,544	2,559,367	33,951,901	—21,319,746
1871 a	497,390	510,454	1,007,844	2,398,440	172,989	2,571,429	— 1,563,585
1872	500,871	577,740	1,078,611	2,487,210	204,373	2,691,583	— 1,612,972
1873	1,607,637	41,961	1,649,598	3,308,757	346,704	3,655,461	— 2,005,863
1874	1,347,518	20,075	1,367,593	4,089,764	151,425	4,241,189	— 2,873,596
1875	2,091,568	50,479	2,142,047	4,638,312	94,720	4,733,032	— 2,590,985
1876	2,773,760	55,598	2,829,358	4,685,875	105,998	4,791,873	— 1,962,515
1877	2,759,033	20,377	2,779,410	3,814,566	64,664	3,879,230	— 1,099,820
1878	2,793,184	33,879	2,827,063	4,105,823	61,038	4,166,861	— 1,339,798
1879	2,780,523	9,953	2,790,476	3,148,757	61,318	3,210,075	— 419,599
1880	4,319,966	19,220	4,339,186	3,591,150	60,368	3,651,518	+ 687,668
Total, 10 years	21,471,450	1,339,736	22,811,186	36,268,654	1,323,597	37,592,251	—14,781,065
1881	4,689,095	28,174	4,717,269	4,372,321	116,307	4,488,628	+ 228,641
1882	3,501,235	36,702	3,537,937	3,195,931	49,673	3,245,604	+ 292,333
1883	2,892,997	78,518	2,971,515	3,162,738	60,363	3,223,101	— 251,586
1884	2,338,907	50,266	2,389,173	2,735,150	34,950	2,770,109	— 380,936
1885	2,433,019	38,417	2,471,436	3,227,059	80,248	3,307,307	— 835,871
1886	2,591,485	12,507	2,603,992	2,963,147	104,573	3,067,720	— 463,728

a Includes Santo Domingo.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

HAITI—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1887	1,740,106	12,431	1,752,537	3,059,318	170,810	3,230,128	—1,477,591
1888	2,897,532	21,288	2,918,820	4,322,653	294,472	4,617,125	—1,698,305
1889	3,751,669	5,774	3,757,443	3,975,461	184,790	4,160,251	—402,808
1890	2,419,402	1,819	2,421,221	5,101,464	233,604	5,335,068	—2,913,847
Total, 10 years	29,255,447	285,896	29,541,343	36,115,242	1,329,799	37,445,041	—7,903,698
1891	3,209,026	31,428	3,243,454	5,589,178	370,635	5,959,813	—2,716,359
1892	3,191,806	10,923	3,202,729	4,963,430	319,453	5,282,883	—2,080,154
1893	715,082	20,939	736,021	5,170,634	301,406	5,472,040	—4,736,019
1894	821,431	18,615	840,046	5,342,630	401,305	5,743,935	—4,903,889
1895	2,742,978	3,561	2,746,539	4,759,244	333,557	5,092,801	—2,346,262
1896	1,693,976	3,642	1,697,618	4,104,161	319,341	4,423,502	—2,725,884
1897	1,456,853	3,367	1,460,220	3,554,433	277,955	3,832,388	—2,372,168
1898	858,181	18,401	876,582	2,691,550	277,029	2,968,579	—2,091,997

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Ending June 30—							
1851							
1852							
1853							
1854							
1855	801	132,217	137,018	155,792	7,922	163,714	— 26,696
1856		60,196	60,196	74,986	5,046	80,032	— 19,836
1857	1,609	108,265	109,874	42,283	2,066	44,349	+ 65,525
1858	2,154	195,816	197,970	112,427	6,001	118,428	+ 79,542
1859	425	189,965	190,390	18,818	970	19,788	+ 170,602
1860	19,781	263,317	283,098	156,054	13,246	169,300	+ 113,798
Total, 10 years	24,770	953,776	978,546	560,360	35,251	595,611	+ 382,935
1861	32,516	178,004	210,520	172,540	6,492	179,032	+ 31,488
1862	111,740	210,970	322,710	259,202	25,432	284,634	+ 38,076
1863	79,042	196,239	275,281	418,340	18,889	437,229	— 161,948
1864			(a)	148,618	1,620	150,238	
1865	23,910	6,705	30,615	272,981	3,334	276,315	— 245,700
1866	56,870	19,850	76,720	96,024	233	96,257	— 19,537
1867	49,870	13,823	63,693	52,888	739	53,627	+ 10,066
1868	56,503	26,860	83,363	64,110	2,091	66,201	+ 17,162
1869 a							
1870 a							
Total, 10 years	410,451	652,451	1,062,902	1,484,733	58,830	1,543,563	— 480,661
1871 a							
1872	158,583	273,762	432,345	541,439	39,859	581,298	— 148,953
1873	220,070	189,780	409,850	602,373	69,627	672,000	— 262,150
1874	152,607	129,581	282,188	498,860	49,976	548,836	— 266,648
1875	101,263	191,124	292,387	470,425	28,652	508,077	— 215,690
1876	159,759	206,915	366,674	674,360	40,554	714,914	— 348,240
1877	260,736	258,430	519,166	644,324	42,920	687,244	— 168,078
1878	151,582	234,653	386,235	624,221	27,884	652,105	— 265,870
1879	112,985	321,748	434,733	728,738	28,477	757,215	— 322,482
1880	164,979	495,514	660,493	939,501	23,453	962,954	— 302,461
Total, 10 years	1,482,564	2,301,507	3,784,071	5,733,241	351,402	6,084,643	— 2,300,572
1881	204,205	720,576	924,781	757,590	30,300	787,890	+ 136,891
1882	166,329	741,731	908,060	904,149	9,855	914,004	— 5,944
1883	157,412	1,260,107	1,417,519	1,179,200	22,674	1,201,874	+ 215,645
1884	93,775	1,346,078	1,439,853	1,257,969	36,201	1,294,170	+ 145,683
1885	96,217	1,365,202	1,461,419	962,428	24,273	986,701	+ 474,718
1886	261,862	1,394,269	1,656,131	1,017,285	26,645	1,043,930	+ 612,201
1887	183,100	1,191,026	1,380,126	1,014,414	18,451	1,032,865	+ 347,261
1888	200,702	1,258,690	1,459,392	792,560	25,147	817,707	+ 641,685

a Included in Haiti.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

SANTO DOMINGO—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1889	303,757	1,150,504	1,454,261	1,150,651	29,368	1,180,019	+ 274,242
1890	230,841	1,720,172	1,951,013	926,651	23,566	950,217	+ 1,000,796
Total, 10 years	1,904,200	12,148,355	14,052,555	9,962,897	246,480	10,209,377	+ 3,843,178
1891	1,009,690	600,670	1,610,360	986,826	36,925	1,023,751	+ 586,609
1892	2,279,267	14,481	2,293,748	984,188	35,262	1,019,450	+ 1,274,298
1893	2,368,620	27,695	2,396,315	1,108,733	34,746	1,143,479	+ 1,252,836
1894	3,164,062	36,790	3,200,852	1,715,782	52,820	1,768,602	+ 1,432,250
1895	477,707	1,036,876	1,514,583	1,318,919	12,148	1,361,067	+ 153,516
1896	426,756	2,468,313	2,895,069	1,019,242	44,874	1,064,116	+ 1,830,953
1897	293,865	2,075,559	2,369,424	1,045,037	53,598	1,098,635	+ 1,270,789
1898	310,567	2,071,572	2,382,139	1,087,179	64,079	1,151,258	+ 1,230,881

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September 30—							
1821	83,174	5,338,422	5,421,596	2,950,055	1,325,462	4,275,517	+ 1,146,079
1822	123,491	6,585,662	6,709,153	2,361,045	848,022	3,149,067	+ 3,560,086
1823	95,521	6,585,095	6,680,617	3,271,270	1,780,689	5,051,959	+ 1,628,658
1824	82,290	6,714,290	6,796,580	3,611,693	1,933,742	5,545,435	+ 1,251,145
1825	95,453	6,915,895	7,011,348	3,276,556	1,696,331	4,972,887	+ 2,038,461
1826	106,749	7,141,504	7,248,253	3,747,618	1,975,877	5,723,495	+ 1,524,758
1827	78,204	6,685,055	6,763,259	4,157,815	1,782,105	5,939,920	+ 823,330
1828	78,459	5,465,448	5,543,907	3,910,965	1,706,016	5,616,981	— 73,074
1829	34,730	4,467,874	4,502,604	3,719,263	1,327,482	5,046,745	— 544,141
1830	51,532	5,163,614	5,215,146	3,438,960	1,201,988	4,640,948	+ 574,204
Total, 10 years	829,603	61,062,860	61,892,463	34,385,240	15,577,714	49,962,954	+ 11,929,509
1831	59,167	8,130,856	8,190,023	3,616,863	959,198	4,576,061	+ 3,613,962
1832	76,362	6,901,430	6,977,792	3,669,841	1,441,602	5,111,443	+ 1,866,349
1833	3,208,595	6,446,334	9,654,929	3,966,113	1,248,359	5,214,472	+ 4,440,457
1834	2,975,390	5,513,947	8,489,337	3,692,980	1,515,986	5,208,966	+ 3,280,371
1835	4,044,790	7,035,569	11,080,359	3,917,436	1,244,197	5,161,633	+ 5,918,726
1836	2,944,276	9,668,081	12,612,357	4,475,869	1,287,630	5,763,499	+ 6,848,858
1837	3,640,035	7,159,717	10,799,812	4,303,723	1,556,673	5,860,456	+ 4,939,356
1838	3,411,508	7,872,510	11,284,018	4,720,245	1,220,233	5,940,478	+ 5,343,540
1839	3,299,062	8,979,467	12,278,529	5,023,220	916,114	5,939,334	+ 6,339,195
1840	3,029,804	6,277,510	9,307,314	5,329,144	831,801	6,160,945	+ 3,146,369
Total, 10 years	26,689,049	73,965,421	100,674,470	42,715,494	12,221,793	54,937,287	+ 45,737,183
1841	2,390,500	9,041,528	11,432,118	5,107,011	475,610	5,582,621	+ 5,849,497
1842	1,423,293	5,991,196	7,414,489	4,197,468	472,879	4,670,347	+ 2,744,142
June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	1,438,405	2,922,323	4,360,728	2,926,922	271,380	3,198,302	+ 1,162,426
1844	1,490,364	8,269,130	9,759,494	4,295,051	369,634	4,664,685	+ 5,094,809
1845	283,945	5,992,301	6,276,246	6,201,114	349,941	6,551,055	— 274,809
1846	419,790	7,229,851	7,649,641	4,706,277	451,053	5,157,335	+ 2,492,306
1847	569,948	11,443,162	12,013,110	6,002,017	359,915	6,361,932	+ 5,651,178
1848	236,157	11,849,026	12,085,183	6,432,330	354,334	6,786,664	+ 5,298,519
1849	276,452	9,940,911	10,217,363	4,640,795	349,618	4,990,413	+ 5,226,950
1850	433,719	9,572,668	10,006,387	4,530,256	282,686	4,812,942	+ 5,193,445
Total, 10 years	8,962,663	82,252,096	91,214,759	49,039,241	3,737,055	52,776,296	+ 38,438,463
1851	322,154	16,385,759	16,707,913	5,218,741	271,318	5,490,059	+ 11,217,854
1852	277,870	17,307,746	17,585,616	5,801,196	344,698	6,145,894	+ 11,439,722
1853	220,375	18,327,288	18,547,663	5,769,256	389,873	6,159,129	+ 12,388,534
1854	382,529	16,615,252	16,997,781	8,221,301	268,715	8,490,016	+ 8,507,765
1855	285,392	18,156,460	18,441,852	7,601,079	354,131	7,955,210	+ 10,486,642
1856	386,102	24,025,646	24,411,748	7,029,955	395,216	7,425,201	+ 16,986,547
1857	395,051	44,217,911	44,612,962	8,981,048	327,236	9,308,344	+ 35,304,618
1858	513,332	22,246,839	22,760,171	10,505,389	453,939	10,959,298	+ 11,800,873
1859	594,675	32,094,915	32,689,590	11,185,436	488,845	11,674,281	+ 21,015,309
1860	357,887	32,065,873	32,423,760	11,693,041	416,770	12,109,811	+ 20,313,949
Total, 10 years	3,735,367	241,443,689	245,179,056	82,036,442	3,710,801	85,717,243	+159,461,813

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

CUBA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1861	303,815	30,334,038	30,642,853	9,415,566	374,051	9,789,617	+ 20,853,236
1862	518,848	20,284,974	20,803,822	8,966,640	464,464	9,451,104	+ 11,352,718
1863	278,615	21,067,604	21,346,219	12,866,443	764,868	13,631,311	+ 7,714,998
1864			33,408,098	12,365,556	517,141	12,882,697	+ 20,525,401
1865	336,300	29,694,056	30,030,356	17,930,787	746,324	18,677,111	+ 11,353,245
1866	295,799	37,230,200	37,525,999	14,868,740	471,894	15,340,634	+ 22,185,365
1867	382,304	38,014,222	38,396,526	13,728,761	428,536	14,157,297	+ 24,239,229
1868	259,441	49,515,263	49,774,704	13,805,567	870,130	14,675,697	+ 35,099,007
1869	320,385	56,656,106	56,976,491	11,816,020	630,974	12,446,994	+ 44,529,497
1870	148,773	53,628,335	53,777,108	12,879,287	1,250,527	14,129,814	+ 39,647,294
Total, 10 years	2,849,280	336,424,798	372,682,176	128,643,367	6,538,909	135,182,276	+ 237,499,900
1871	211,638	57,323,287	57,534,925	13,768,060	1,040,737	14,808,797	+ 42,726,128
1872	251,623	67,012,792	67,264,415	12,930,531	889,796	13,850,627	+ 53,413,788
1873	409,614	76,668,111	77,077,725	15,117,767	1,280,110	16,397,877	+ 60,679,848
1874	721,854	84,706,243	85,428,097	15,677,716	1,426,907	17,104,623	+ 68,323,474
1875	322,778	64,264,939	64,587,717	14,185,956	1,166,481	15,352,437	+ 49,235,280
1876	295,864	55,712,002	56,007,866	12,080,303	768,167	12,848,470	+ 43,159,396
1877	265,682	65,562,713	65,828,395	12,709,003	662,575	13,371,578	+ 52,456,817
1878	193,103	56,708,229	56,901,332	11,365,013	624,250	11,989,263	+ 44,912,069
1879	294,933	63,354,723	63,649,656	12,201,091	523,364	12,724,455	+ 50,925,201
1880	555,627	64,867,391	65,423,018	10,924,633	301,066	11,225,699	+ 54,197,319
Total, 10 years	3,522,716	656,180,430	659,703,146	130,990,973	8,689,453	139,680,426	+ 520,022,720
1881	519,390	62,484,014	63,003,404	10,999,276	365,309	11,364,585	+ 51,638,819
1882	656,042	69,794,610	70,450,652	11,775,073	359,751	12,134,824	+ 58,315,828
1883	785,829	64,758,705	65,544,534	14,567,918	535,785	15,103,703	+ 50,440,831
1884	1,484,638	55,696,859	57,181,497	10,562,880	347,873	10,910,753	+ 46,270,744
1885	1,786,049	40,520,044	42,306,093	8,719,195	286,965	9,006,160	+ 33,299,933
1886	1,765,751	49,345,029	51,110,780	10,020,879	368,291	10,409,170	+ 40,701,610
1887	2,033,205	47,482,229	49,515,434	10,138,930	407,481	10,546,411	+ 38,969,023
1888	2,066,379	47,252,768	49,319,067	9,724,124	329,436	10,053,560	+ 39,265,527
1889	2,405,423	49,725,198	52,130,623	11,297,198	394,113	11,691,311	+ 40,439,312
1890	2,761,711	51,039,880	53,801,591	12,663,509	414,906	13,084,415	+ 40,717,176
Total, 10 years	16,264,419	538,029,276	554,293,695	110,474,982	3,829,910	114,304,892	+ 440,058,803
1891	26,044,502	35,669,893	61,714,395	11,929,605	295,283	12,224,888	+ 49,489,507
1892	66,140,835	11,790,836	77,931,671	17,622,411	331,159	17,953,570	+ 59,978,101
1893	66,019,369	12,657,137	78,676,506	23,604,034	553,604	24,157,638	+ 54,518,868
1894	67,418,289	8,250,972	75,669,261	19,855,237	270,084	20,125,321	+ 55,543,940
1895	17,684,765	35,186,494	52,871,259	12,533,260	274,401	12,807,661	+ 40,063,598
1896	2,074,763	37,942,967	40,017,730	7,312,348	218,532	7,530,880	+ 32,486,850
1897	1,270,059	17,136,756	18,406,815	7,599,757	660,019	8,259,776	+ 10,147,039
1898	276,000	14,956,477	15,232,477	9,233,894	327,762	9,561,656	+ 5,670,821

PORTO RICO.

Ending September 30—							
1821	23,538	590,289	613,827	175,217	33,604	208,821	+ 405,006
1822	75,821	824,217	900,038	150,435	7,606	158,041	+ 741,997
1823	46,729	743,609	790,338	256,033	25,495	281,528	+ 508,810
1824	23,006	823,895	847,801	306,896	233,718	540,614	+ 307,187
1825	41,210	746,758	787,968	216,102	22,156	238,258	+ 549,710
1826	63,226	706,703	769,929	210,858	12,688	223,546	+ 546,383
1827	34,979	920,963	955,942	218,156	8,363	226,519	+ 729,423
1828	34,734	1,090,950	1,125,684	222,191	13,727	235,918	+ 889,766
1829	24,875	865,293	890,168	209,780	7,395	217,175	+ 672,993
1830	13,854	1,285,576	1,299,430	245,636	5,873	251,509	+ 1,047,921
Total, 10 years	382,872	8,598,253	8,981,125	2,211,304	370,625	2,581,929	+ 6,399,196
1831	46,141	1,517,842	1,563,983	261,801	17,562	279,363	+ 1,284,617
1832	69,860	1,810,195	1,880,055	322,559	30,192	352,751	+ 1,527,304
1833	372,510	1,497,822	1,870,332	393,992	20,318	414,310	+ 1,456,022

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**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
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PORTO RICO—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1834	574,945	1,660,308	2,235,253	431,805	48,672	480,477	+ 1,754,776
1835	336,364	2,012,550	2,348,914	586,035	20,672	606,707	+ 1,742,207
1836	39,487	3,160,956	3,200,443	592,459	18,813	611,272	+ 2,589,171
1837	281,398	2,140,950	2,422,357	517,778	9,315	527,093	+ 1,895,264
1838	167,250	2,432,119	2,599,369	673,213	19,246	692,559	+ 1,906,810
1839	213,066	2,506,339	3,719,405	737,002	14,188	751,190	+ 2,968,215
1840	107,356	1,744,681	1,852,037	758,348	10,008	768,356	+ 1,083,681
Total, 10 years.....	2,208,377	21,483,771	23,692,148	5,274,992	209,086	5,484,078	+18,208,070
1841	158,388	2,383,833	2,542,221	709,397	11,612	721,009	+ 1,821,212
1842	116,978	2,336,566	2,453,544	610,432	7,342	617,774	+ 1,835,770
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	40,223	989,959	1,028,182	440,152	11,321	451,473	+ 576,709
1844	45,953	2,352,228	2,398,181	632,874	5,177	638,051	+ 1,760,130
1845	36,771	1,936,029	1,972,800	684,149	13,167	697,316	+ 1,275,484
1846	48,944	2,165,487	2,214,431	675,441	10,851	686,292	+ 1,528,139
1847	23,695	2,104,077	2,127,772	821,829	15,811	837,670	+ 1,290,102
1848	27,030	2,049,347	2,076,377	780,166	37,012	817,178	+ 1,259,199
1849	25,110	1,912,087	1,937,197	495,287	33,234	528,521	+ 1,408,676
1850	269,037	1,796,220	2,065,266	793,347	27,548	820,895	+ 1,244,371
Total, 10 years.....	792,129	20,023,842	20,815,971	6,043,074	173,105	6,216,179	+14,599,792
1851	174,742	2,505,242	2,479,984	875,510	43,209	918,719	+ 1,561,265
1852	11,010	2,963,936	2,974,946	968,857	34,442	1,003,299	+ 1,971,647
1853	18,346	2,761,574	2,780,920	784,671	31,926	816,597	+ 1,965,323
1854	129,653	2,701,521	2,831,174	888,096	29,597	918,093	+ 1,913,081
1855	138,812	2,313,561	2,452,373	1,128,581	38,937	1,167,518	+ 1,284,855
1856	37,782	3,818,481	3,856,263	1,078,349	41,125	1,119,474	+ 2,736,789
1857	9,770	5,738,172	5,747,942	1,399,654	52,285	1,451,939	+ 4,296,003
1858	52,389	4,380,279	4,432,668	1,308,304	38,278	1,346,582	+ 3,086,086
1859	27,530	4,790,115	4,817,645	1,564,901	67,326	1,632,227	+ 3,185,418
1860	47,586	4,465,349	4,512,935	1,374,837	34,087	1,408,924	+ 3,104,011
Total, 10 years.....	647,620	36,241,230	36,888,850	11,371,760	411,612	11,783,372	+25,105,478
1861	10,514	3,353,758	3,364,272	1,237,399	35,270	1,272,669	+ 2,091,603
1862	17,897	3,175,750	3,193,647	1,405,473	30,246	1,435,719	+ 1,757,928
1863	3,098	2,719,848	2,722,946	1,743,942	54,898	1,798,840	+ 924,106
1864			3,596,435	2,755,888	143,097	2,898,985	+ 697,450
1865	2,312	3,483,941	3,486,253	2,824,545	70,121	2,894,666	+ 591,587
1866	1,449	6,168,569	6,170,018	2,046,389	81,703	2,128,092	+ 4,041,926
1867	8,054	5,305,195	5,313,249	1,595,474	41,547	1,637,021	+ 3,676,228
1868	2,688	6,342,951	6,345,639	2,456,003	91,533	2,547,536	+ 3,798,103
1869	7,265	7,400,385	7,407,650	2,333,539	106,632	2,440,171	+ 4,967,479
1870	13,490	8,169,759	8,183,249	2,220,705	80,006	2,300,711	+ 5,882,538
Total, 10 years.....	66,767	46,120,156	46,186,923	20,619,357	735,053	21,354,410	+24,832,513
1871	11,976	9,440,469	9,452,445	2,511,305	86,334	2,597,639	+ 6,854,806
1872	26,336	11,301,430	11,327,766	2,406,252	136,907	2,543,159	+ 8,784,607
1873	448,355	7,530,676	7,979,031	1,913,333	28,857	2,002,190	+ 5,976,841
1874	1,416,442	5,468,277	6,884,719	1,857,060	149,329	2,006,389	+ 4,878,330
1875	273,357	6,070,325	6,343,682	2,113,638	97,563	2,211,201	+ 4,132,481
1876	160,279	4,013,515	4,173,794	1,750,162	65,794	1,815,956	+ 2,357,838
1877	83,796	4,321,956	4,405,752	1,980,265	109,320	2,089,585	+ 2,316,167
1878	24,061	4,776,756	4,800,817	1,504,431	49,358	1,553,789	+ 3,247,028
1879	64,621	4,320,333	4,384,954	1,771,483	39,191	1,810,674	+ 2,574,280
1880	539,793	4,904,093	5,443,886	1,969,281	47,289	2,016,573	+ 3,427,313
Total, 10 years.....	3,019,016	62,747,830	65,766,846	19,777,213	869,942	20,647,155	+45,119,691
1881	516,302	3,343,897	3,860,199	1,712,732	50,081	1,763,712	+ 2,096,487
1882	284,042	5,432,832	5,716,874	1,838,214	24,367	1,862,581	+ 3,854,293
1883	34,605	5,442,888	5,477,493	2,116,499	48,209	2,164,708	+ 3,312,785
1884	67,488	6,822,968	6,890,456	2,188,609	36,006	2,224,615	+ 4,665,841
1885	656,992	5,447,271	6,104,263	1,533,177	36,028	1,569,205	+ 4,535,058
1886	431,757	4,162,787	4,594,544	1,676,929	33,640	1,710,569	+ 2,883,975
1887	74,367	4,587,323	4,661,690	1,707,241	31,251	1,738,492	+ 2,923,198

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

PORTO RICO—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1888	293,450	4,119,033	4,412,483	1,920,358	49,260	1,969,618	+ 2,442,865
1889	103,720	3,603,653	3,707,373	2,175,458	49,473	2,224,931	+ 1,482,442
1890	176,394	3,877,232	4,053,626	2,247,700	49,838	2,297,538	+ 1,756,088
Total, 10 years	2,639,117	46,839,884	49,479,001	19,116,917	409,052	19,525,969	+20,953,032
1891	1,856,955	1,307,155	3,164,110	2,112,334	42,900	2,155,234	+ 1,008,876
1892	3,236,337	11,670	3,248,007	2,808,631	47,372	2,856,003	+ 392,004
1893	3,994,673	13,950	4,008,623	2,502,788	7,819	2,510,607	+ 1,498,016
1894	3,126,895	8,739	3,135,634	2,705,646	14,862	2,720,508	+ 415,126
1895	375,364	1,131,148	1,506,512	1,820,203	13,341	1,833,544	— 327,032
1896	48,008	2,248,045	2,296,653	2,080,400	21,694	2,102,094	+ 194,559
1897	101,711	2,079,313	2,181,024	1,964,850	24,038	1,988,888	+ 192,136
1898	50,667	2,363,689	2,414,356	1,481,629	24,517	1,505,946	+ 908,410

SWEDISH WEST INDIES.

Ending September 30—							
1821	12,070	305,308	317,378	507,077	53,149	560,226	— 242,848
1822	5,576	310,960	316,536	569,566	91,247	660,813	— 344,277
1823	9,572	132,055	141,627	241,701	18,362	260,063	— 118,436
1824	6,676	73,639	80,315	204,983	39,687	244,670	— 164,355
1825	6,488	38,061	45,149	193,761	41,247	235,008	— 189,859
1826	8,449	115,068	123,517	120,573	23,284	143,857	— 20,340
1827	9,650	116,965	126,615	416,822	25,014	441,836	— 315,221
1828	36,320	230,019	266,339	611,584	23,616	635,200	— 368,861
1829	12,720	169,588	182,308	684,523	23,791	708,314	— 526,006
1830	8,455	64,201	72,656	552,700	36,954	589,654	— 516,998
Total, 10 years	115,976	1,556,464	1,672,440	4,103,290	376,351	4,479,641	— 2,807,201
1831	15,033	92,743	107,776	251,937	11,111	263,048	— 155,272
1832	8,527	22,668	31,195	141,249	7,478	148,727	— 117,532
1833	5,914	17,353	23,267	100,163	5,057	105,220	— 81,953
1834	10,073	12,712	22,785	81,040	5,502	86,542	— 63,757
1835	4,594	4,723	9,317	72,714	13,641	86,355	— 77,038
1836	6,261	40,151	46,412	80,225	1,620	81,845	— 35,433
1837	2,927	38,843	41,770	84,114	3,005	87,119	— 45,349
1838	4,382	15,624	20,006	74,140	4,281	78,421	— 58,415
1839	1,454	7,044	8,498	103,282	4,130	107,412	— 98,914
1840	6,505	1,093	7,598	98,710	3,610	102,320	— 94,722
Total, 10 years	65,670	252,954	318,624	1,037,574	59,435	1,147,009	— 828,385
1841	4,936	1,217	6,153	165,184	3,707	168,891	— 162,738
1842	1,658	3,109	4,767	129,727	3,320	133,047	— 128,280
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	2,689	2,806	5,495	31,228	2,346	33,574	— 28,079
1844	160	1,160	1,320	63,884	360	64,244	— 62,924
1845	340	3,306	3,646	88,886	1,453	90,339	— 86,693
1846	1,612	1,223	2,835	138,121	2,436	140,557	— 137,722
1847				110,062	3,659	113,721	— 113,721
1848	68	4,158	4,226	75,496	800	76,296	— 72,070
1849		6,064	6,064	95,128	737	95,865	— 89,801
1850		1,693	1,693	98,176	1,166	99,342	— 97,649
Total, 10 years	11,463	24,736	36,199	995,892	19,984	1,015,876	— 979,677

OTHER WEST INDIES.

Ending September 30—							
1821	38	3,689	3,727	513,039	47,474	560,513	— 556,786
1822		1,590	1,590	515,729	18,956	534,685	— 533,095
1823	720	5,403	6,123	554,273	42,172	596,445	— 590,322
1824	98	90	188	559,998	39,886	599,884	— 599,696
1825	234	9,345	9,579	646,638	12,498	659,136	— 649,557
1826		120	120	603,807	8,675	612,482	— 612,362

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OTHER WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1827		167	167	454,904	6,285	461,189	— 461,022
1828		1,860	1,860	437,916	11,040	449,556	— 447,696
1829		1,104	1,104	359,496	10,123	369,619	— 368,515
1830		7,386	7,386	242,114	5,010	247,124	— 239,738
Total, 10 years	1,090	30,754	31,844	4,887,914	292,719	5,090,633	— 5,058,789
1831		10,691	10,691	628,153	7,274	635,427	— 624,736
1832		12,740	12,740	556,446	6,263	562,709	— 549,969
1833				353,061	4,712	357,773	— 357,773
1834				391,565	3,078	394,643	— 394,643
1835				422,600	607	423,267	— 423,267
1836		4,460	4,460	404,945	683	405,628	— 401,168
1837	183		183	445,780	3,320	449,100	— 447,917
1838	120	97	217	334,638	415	335,053	— 334,836
1839				457,968	645	458,613	— 458,613
1840				376,715	971	377,686	— 377,686
Total, 10 years	303	27,988	28,291	4,371,871	28,028	4,399,899	— 4,371,608
1841				255,222	1,151	256,373	— 256,373
1842				205,913	1,790	207,703	— 207,703
Ending June 30—							
1843				95,412	125	95,537	— 95,537
1844				173,460	70	173,530	— 173,530
1845				180,598	378	180,976	— 180,976
1846	12		12	127,461	190	127,651	— 127,639
1847				118,137	1,287	119,424	— 119,424
1848		7,236	7,236	132,961	1,337	134,298	— 127,062
1849				106,329	2,393	108,724	— 108,724
1850		9,417	9,417	67,934		67,934	— 58,517
Total, 10 years	12	16,653	16,665	1,463,427	8,723	1,472,150	— 1,455,485

TOTAL WEST INDIES.

Ending September 30—							
1821	543,223	10,975,000	11,518,223	8,846,555	2,626,441	11,473,996	+ 45,227
1822	1,047,327	13,786,314	14,833,641	9,175,748	2,124,596	11,300,344	+ 3,533,297
1823	766,968	13,127,757	13,894,725	10,302,395	3,304,395	13,606,790	+ 287,935
1824	855,864	14,377,111	15,232,975	10,846,130	3,403,890	14,250,020	+ 982,955
1825	875,355	13,555,867	14,431,222	10,333,096	2,823,817	13,156,913	+ 1,274,309
1826	752,410	13,546,302	14,298,712	10,737,402	2,993,395	13,730,797	+ 567,915
1827	635,972	12,671,794	13,307,766	9,920,726	2,584,231	12,504,957	+ 802,809
1828	738,719	11,542,576	12,281,295	9,958,630	2,543,738	12,502,368	— 221,073
1829	615,735	9,555,353	10,171,088	9,168,015	1,776,315	10,944,330	— 773,242
1830	653,175	9,437,532	10,090,707	7,992,549	1,612,314	9,604,863	+ 485,844
Total, 10 years	7,484,748	122,575,606	130,060,354	97,281,246	25,793,132	123,074,378	+ 6,985,976
1831	937,410	13,524,224	14,461,634	9,799,508	1,436,697	11,236,205	+ 3,225,429
1832	955,902	12,735,469	13,691,371	9,945,456	2,241,576	12,187,032	+ 1,504,339
1833	5,498,385	10,513,096	16,011,481	9,887,796	1,924,022	11,811,818	+ 4,199,663
1834	6,429,379	9,322,996	15,752,375	9,303,847	2,243,048	11,546,895	+ 4,205,480
1835	7,554,170	10,886,412	18,440,582	10,415,922	1,797,749	12,213,671	+ 6,226,911
1836	5,669,843	15,674,408	21,344,251	10,483,828	1,765,244	12,249,072	+ 9,095,179
1837	6,167,419	10,939,396	17,106,815	10,137,039	2,008,127	12,145,166	+ 4,961,649
1838	5,327,547	12,216,098	17,543,645	10,216,726	1,534,703	11,751,429	+ 5,792,216
1839	5,706,024	14,958,510	20,664,534	11,446,648	1,294,648	12,740,949	+ 7,923,585
1840	4,916,448	9,349,956	14,266,404	11,947,241	1,161,998	13,109,239	+ 1,157,165
Total, 10 years	49,162,527	120,120,565	169,283,092	103,533,664	17,407,812	120,991,476	+48,291,616
1841	5,190,427	12,691,434	17,881,861	11,798,777	701,651	12,500,428	+ 5,381,433
1842	2,995,742	9,386,806	12,382,548	10,659,699	698,199	11,357,898	+ 1,024,650
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	2,251,109	4,683,117	6,934,226	7,559,619	439,983	7,999,602	— 1,065,376
1844	2,801,425	11,923,954	14,815,379	11,963,031	563,140	12,526,171	+ 2,289,208
1845	1,417,187	9,774,420	11,191,607	14,193,854	583,332	14,777,186	— 3,585,579
1846	1,759,303	11,053,759	12,813,062	13,447,204	609,418	14,056,622	— 1,243,560

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

TOTAL WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1847	1,615,137	15,192,861	16,807,998	13,806,472	651,189	14,457,661	+ 2,350,337
1848	1,363,738	15,654,317	17,018,055	14,258,838	647,475	14,906,313	+ 2,111,742
1849	1,081,007	13,479,462	14,560,469	10,962,097	552,990	11,515,087	+ 3,045,382
1850	2,013,983	13,150,230	15,164,213	11,445,942	587,677	12,033,619	+ 3,130,594
Total, 10 years	22,579,058	116,990,300	139,569,418	120,095,533	6,035,054	126,130,587	+ 13,438,831
1851	1,941,790	20,749,915	22,691,615	12,491,248	610,401	13,101,649	+ 9,589,966
1852	2,094,870	21,952,266	24,047,136	13,128,956	783,075	13,912,031	+ 10,135,105
1853	2,022,753	22,831,522	24,854,275	13,508,856	869,151	14,378,007	+ 10,476,268
1854	2,527,772	21,628,532	24,156,304	17,264,027	836,509	18,100,536	+ 6,055,768
1855	2,791,265	22,753,348	25,544,613	16,686,860	1,007,611	17,694,471	+ 7,850,142
1856	2,250,843	30,978,804	33,229,647	15,950,489	801,456	16,751,945	+ 16,477,702
1857	2,370,530	53,783,674	56,154,204	19,546,441	850,207	20,396,648	+ 35,757,556
1858	3,103,893	28,830,617	31,934,510	20,765,272	913,031	21,678,303	+ 10,256,207
1859	3,698,925	39,219,925	42,918,850	21,744,862	984,313	22,729,175	+ 20,189,675
1860	3,099,084	38,543,217	41,642,301	22,479,896	888,268	23,378,164	+ 18,264,137
Total, 10 years	25,901,635	301,271,820	327,173,455	173,566,907	8,544,022	182,110,929	+145,062,526
1861	2,663,533	35,441,476	38,105,009	20,070,731	807,244	20,877,975	+ 17,227,034
1862	1,931,033	26,319,087	28,250,120	20,740,057	1,004,506	21,744,563	+ 6,505,557
1863	1,383,234	27,016,308	28,399,542	23,011,402	1,477,551	24,488,953	+ 1,089,411
1864			42,506,489	29,608,405	1,303,023	30,911,428	+ 11,595,061
1865	1,292,373	36,291,195	37,583,568	40,814,185	1,444,900	42,259,085	+ 4,675,517
1866	1,233,709	47,990,901	49,224,610	30,183,478	869,113	31,052,591	+ 18,172,019
1867	1,600,531	47,089,278	48,689,809	27,387,654	923,045	28,310,699	+ 20,379,110
1868	949,152	59,855,066	60,804,218	28,480,858	1,390,406	29,871,264	+ 30,932,954
1869 <i>a</i>	1,296,905	72,003,300	73,300,205	26,645,934	1,043,937	27,689,871	+ 45,610,334
1870 <i>a</i>	1,716,283	68,762,105	70,478,388	27,813,120	1,696,989	29,510,109	+ 40,968,279
Total, 10 years	14,066,753	420,768,716	477,341,958	279,755,824	11,960,714	291,716,538	+185,625,420
1871 <i>a</i>	1,428,435	77,236,862	78,665,297	30,464,824	1,461,653	31,926,477	+ 46,738,820
1872 <i>a</i>	1,940,033	91,732,488	93,672,521	30,101,197	1,509,264	31,610,461	+ 62,062,060
1873 <i>a</i>	4,522,149	89,059,677	93,581,826	31,511,826	2,078,954	33,590,780	+ 59,991,046
1874 <i>a</i>	6,296,613	94,549,494	100,846,107	32,648,070	1,995,086	34,643,156	+ 66,202,951
1875 <i>a</i>	5,214,409	77,292,201	82,506,610	31,746,675	1,604,066	33,350,741	+ 49,155,869
1876 <i>a</i>	4,935,066	64,698,821	69,633,887	30,499,322	1,246,080	31,745,402	+ 37,888,485
1877 <i>a</i>	4,753,178	78,301,740	83,054,918	29,744,126	1,131,440	30,875,566	+ 52,179,352
1878 <i>a</i>	4,479,150	69,921,383	74,400,533	27,986,532	1,008,238	28,994,770	+ 45,405,763
1879	4,878,476	73,649,868	78,528,344	27,310,969	914,971	28,225,940	+ 50,302,404
1880	7,839,116	78,043,487	85,882,603	27,600,810	698,414	28,299,224	+ 57,583,379
Total, 10 years	46,286,625	794,466,021	840,772,646	299,614,351	13,648,166	313,262,517	+527,510,129
1881	9,392,562	74,825,990	84,218,552	29,143,738	886,951	30,030,689	+ 54,187,863
1882	7,282,540	84,521,282	91,803,822	28,553,948	699,323	29,253,271	+ 62,550,551
1883	6,154,594	82,154,497	88,309,091	32,325,564	975,268	33,300,832	+ 55,008,259
1884	7,211,403	74,653,049	81,864,452	28,247,548	795,529	29,043,077	+ 52,821,375
1885	7,789,972	56,787,106	64,577,078	24,024,135	728,091	24,752,226	+ 39,824,852
1886	8,151,504	62,901,642	71,053,146	25,376,353	790,481	26,166,834	+ 44,886,312
1887	7,098,089	62,945,472	70,043,561	24,860,421	840,888	25,701,309	+ 44,342,252
1888	10,153,460	61,412,206	71,565,666	26,968,636	900,466	27,869,102	+ 43,696,564
1889	11,906,211	66,041,122	77,947,333	29,941,525	898,628	30,840,153	+ 47,107,180
1890	10,502,738	67,501,503	78,004,241	32,183,671	1,013,551	33,197,222	+ 44,807,019
Total, 10 years	85,643,073	693,743,869	779,386,942	281,625,539	8,529,176	290,154,715	+489,232,227
1891	42,072,534	44,389,171	86,461,705	33,416,178	1,043,273	34,459,451	+ 52,002,254
1892 <i>b</i>	87,169,852	12,436,453	99,606,305	37,600,708	9,759	38,508,303	+ 61,098,002
1893	89,273,343	13,430,274	102,703,617	43,446,680	1,058,571	44,504,651	+ 58,198,966
1894	87,722,132	8,742,832	96,464,964	41,004,108	895,308	41,899,416	+ 54,565,548
1895	28,456,226	40,403,926	68,860,152	30,724,823	839,007	31,563,830	+ 37,296,322
1896	8,994,753	49,199,194	58,193,947	25,756,752	788,453	26,545,205	+ 31,648,742
1897	8,052,549	29,124,395	37,176,944	24,807,450	1,169,267	25,976,717	+ 11,200,227
1898	6,182,306	25,888,325	32,070,631	25,580,303	862,591	26,442,894	+ 5,627,737

a Includes British Honduras and Dutch Guiana.

b Bermuda included in British West Indies prior to 1892.

SOUTH AMERICA.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

ARGENTINA.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1825	378,779	96,586	475,365	404,201	166,299	570,500	— 95,135
1826	456,727	34,898	491,625	222,832	156,508	379,340	+ 112,285
1827	52,385	2,105	54,490	100,780	50,424	151,204	— 96,714
1828	235,329	21,574	256,903	94,372	59,856	154,228	+ 102,675
1829	708,839	119,894	828,733	444,716	181,336	626,052	+ 202,681
1830	1,122,895	119,778	1,242,673	425,220	204,667	629,887	+ 612,786
Total, 6 years.....	2,954,954	394,835	3,349,789	1,692,121	819,000	2,511,211	+ 838,578
1831	805,910	118,993	924,903	400,489	180,642	581,131	+ 343,772
1832	1,410,864	145,140	1,556,004	464,632	385,031	849,663	+ 706,341
1833	1,284,981	86,351	1,371,332	494,391	186,734	681,125	+ 690,207
1834	1,308,332	97,718	1,406,050	671,166	295,181	966,347	+ 439,703
1835	783,774	59,917	843,691	383,695	225,547	609,242	+ 234,449
1836	1,037,472	11,711	1,049,183	269,818	104,645	374,463	+ 674,720
1837	968,212	21,280	989,492	137,710	110,215	247,925	+ 741,567
1838	933,148	74,700	1,007,908	180,832	43,813	324,645	+ 683,263
1839	513,084	11,229	524,313	525,114	193,709	718,823	— 194,510
1840	288,194	5,368	293,562	280,144	50,551	330,695	— 37,133
Total, 10 years.....	9,333,971	632,467	9,966,438	3,897,991	1,776,068	5,584,059	+ 4,382,379
1841	1,604,264	8,249	1,612,513	509,007	95,073	604,080	+ 1,008,433
1842	1,782,399	53,224	1,835,623	265,356	70,295	335,651	+ 1,499,982
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months).....	68	793,420	793,488	168,083	36,282	204,365	+ 589,123
1844	1,052	1,420,140	1,421,192	245,339	101,002	346,341	+ 1,074,851
1845	941	1,749,757	1,750,698	317,575	55,216	372,791	+ 1,347,997
1846	1	799,212	799,213	128,663	15,940	144,603	+ 654,610
1847		241,209	241,209	123,954	12,920	146,874	+ 104,335
1848	450	1,023,261	1,023,711	208,703	17,225	225,928	+ 797,783
1849	2,004	1,707,823	1,709,827	595,518	102,243	697,761	+ 1,012,066
1850	14,679	2,637,348	2,652,027	718,331	109,096	827,427	+ 1,774,600
Total, 10 years.....	3,405,858	10,433,643	13,839,501	3,280,529	615,292	3,895,821	+ 9,943,680
1851	101	3,265,281	3,265,382	659,852	89,235	749,087	+ 2,516,295
1852	6,416	2,084,256	2,090,672	561,990	40,240	602,230	+ 1,548,442
1853	281	2,162,652	2,162,933	618,855	64,802	683,657	+ 1,479,276
1854	1,000	2,143,971	2,144,971	649,120	64,887	714,007	+ 1,430,964
1855	1,429	2,543,658	2,545,087	807,148	104,516	911,664	+ 1,633,423
1856	1,352	2,320,809	2,322,161	993,809	155,724	1,149,533	+ 1,172,628
1857	648	2,773,425	2,774,073	1,195,401	92,845	1,288,246	+ 1,485,827
1858	877,463	1,783,548	2,661,011	742,428	115,877	858,305	+ 1,802,706
1859	1,282,561	2,787,472	4,070,033	1,000,430	212,844	1,213,274	+ 2,856,759
1860	1,227,768	2,793,080	4,020,848	725,694	149,942	875,636	+ 3,145,212
Total, 10 years.....	3,399,019	24,658,152	28,057,171	7,894,727	1,090,912	8,985,639	+19,071,532
1861	1,847,666	1,299,640	3,147,306	990,783	153,671	1,144,459	+ 2,002,847
1862	114,482	1,775,115	1,889,597	969,279	99,743	1,069,022	+ 820,575
1863	112,549	4,387,526	4,500,075	1,148,449	221,834	1,370,283	+ 3,129,792
1864	135,856	5,835,371	5,971,227	947,611	101,735	1,049,346	+ 4,921,881
1865	99,561	3,482,645	3,583,206	1,711,257	87,362	1,798,619	+ 1,784,587
1866	150,548	6,681,718	6,832,266	1,690,012	52,465	1,742,477	+ 5,089,789
1867	191,541	5,651,176	5,842,717	2,340,589	250,917	2,591,506	+ 3,251,211
1868	261,713	4,544,566	4,806,299	2,549,238	183,362	2,732,600	+ 2,073,699
1869	496,613	4,666,353	5,162,966	2,235,089	205,154	2,440,243	+ 2,722,723
1870	269,490	6,145,179	6,414,669	2,281,100	188,766	2,469,866	+ 3,944,803
Total, 10 years.....	3,680,019	44,470,309	48,150,328	16,863,412	1,545,009	18,408,421	+29,741,907
1871	602,286	6,438,289	7,040,575	1,203,366	89,110	1,292,476	+ 5,748,099
1872	964,831	8,205,151	9,169,982	1,324,282	135,382	1,459,664	+ 7,710,318
1873	3,737,051	3,850,792	7,587,843	2,985,661	249,331	3,234,992	+ 4,352,851

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

ARGENTINA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1874	3,091,999	1,445,671	4,537,670	2,478,513	155,450	2,633,963	+ 1,903,707
1875	4,462,989	1,365,720	5,834,709	1,301,294	138,324	1,439,618	+ 4,395,091
1876	2,465,758	1,136,978	3,602,736	1,519,190	65,862	1,585,052	+ 2,017,684
1877	2,326,642	1,122,667	3,449,309	1,129,168	97,614	1,226,782	+ 2,222,527
1878	3,667,814	1,280,202	4,948,016	2,013,587	138,522	2,152,109	+ 2,795,907
1879	2,662,300	855,805	3,518,105	2,023,401	103,722	2,127,123	+ 1,390,982
1880	4,457,940	1,756,635	6,214,575	1,779,501	103,340	1,882,841	+ 4,331,734
Total, 10 years	28,445,610	27,457,910	55,903,520	17,757,963	1,276,657	19,034,620	+ 36,868,900
1881	4,591,078	1,078,162	5,669,240	2,258,183	169,680	2,427,863	+ 3,241,377
1882	3,733,481	1,501,433	5,234,914	2,727,917	236,336	2,964,253	+ 2,270,661
1883	4,885,249	1,306,862	6,192,111	3,357,670	185,526	3,543,196	+ 2,648,915
1884	3,286,803	823,235	4,110,038	4,825,813	248,780	5,074,593	— 964,555
1885	3,154,337	1,174,173	4,328,510	4,327,026	349,475	4,676,501	— 347,991
1886	3,506,963	1,515,383	5,022,346	4,331,770	393,876	4,725,646	+ 296,700
1887	3,347,936	752,256	4,100,192	5,671,729	692,816	6,364,545	— 2,264,353
1888	4,560,071	1,342,088	5,902,159	6,099,411	544,142	6,643,553	— 741,394
1889	4,134,406	1,320,212	5,454,618	8,376,077	917,779	9,293,856	— 3,839,238
1890	3,888,381	1,513,316	5,401,697	8,322,627	564,850	8,887,477	— 3,485,780
Total, 10 years	39,088,705	12,327,120	51,415,825	50,298,223	4,303,260	54,601,483	— 3,185,658
1891	4,505,828	1,470,716	5,976,544	2,718,075	101,960	2,820,035	+ 3,156,509
1892	3,921,023	1,422,175	5,343,198	2,643,325	284,163	2,927,488	+ 2,416,310
1893	3,843,843	1,395,252	5,239,095	4,766,567	193,129	4,979,696	+ 259,399
1894	2,687,999	809,031	3,497,030	4,593,418	269,328	4,862,746	— 1,365,716
1895	6,835,982	839,288	7,675,270	4,399,216	56,947	4,456,163	+ 3,219,107
1896	8,934,244	379,141	9,313,385	5,491,216	487,830	5,979,046	+ 3,334,339
1897	9,845,917	926,710	10,772,627	5,945,202	439,782	6,384,984	+ 4,387,643
1898	1,443,916	4,471,963	5,915,879	5,948,846	480,224	6,429,070	— 513,191

BOLIVIA.

1887				1,304		1,304	— 1,304
1888				21,893	7,706	29,599	— 29,599
1889	2,103	23	2,126	6,838		6,838	— 4,712
1890	30		30	11,002		11,002	— 10,972
Total, 4 years							
1891	3,734		3,734	6,380		6,380	— 2,646
1892				17,036		17,036	— 17,036
1893	5,328	148	5,476	24,819		24,819	— 19,373
1894				10,071		10,071	— 10,071
1895				10,883		10,888	— 10,888
1896				21,839	68	21,907	— 21,907
1897				5,155		5,155	— 5,155
1898				20,451	224	20,675	— 20,675

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Ending September 30—							
1821	155,116	430,510	585,626	883,348	339,413	1,224,761	— 639,135
1822	570,813	843,951	1,414,764	1,217,411	148,993	1,366,404	+ 48,360
1823	392,161	776,434	1,168,595	1,062,209	270,566	1,332,775	— 164,180
1824	970,606	831,721	1,802,327	1,699,754	512,940	2,212,694	— 357,367
1825	939,360	1,020,159	1,959,519	1,641,296	634,115	2,295,411	— 335,892
1826	1,361,365	685,542	2,046,907	1,558,582	489,915	2,048,497	— 1,590
1827	813,894	1,014,163	1,828,057	1,485,433	291,227	1,776,660	+ 51,397
1828	885,638	2,030,517	2,916,155	1,505,770	347,752	1,853,522	+ 1,062,633
1829	729,599	1,729,032	2,458,631	1,510,266	346,055	1,856,315	+ 602,316
1830	617,222	1,789,543	2,406,765	1,600,999	240,769	1,841,768	+ 564,997
Total, 10 years	7,435,774	11,204,592	18,640,366	14,167,062	3,641,745	17,808,807	+ 831,559

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
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BRAZIL—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1831	813,130	1,539,550	2,352,680	1,631,255	207,528	1,838,783	+ 513,897
1832	1,218,018	2,652,156	3,870,174	1,299,077	441,214	1,650,291	+ 2,219,883
1833	3,360,235	1,712,000	5,072,235	2,474,054	640,706	3,114,760	+ 1,957,475
1834	4,276,026	422,208	4,698,234	1,586,097	413,170	1,999,267	+ 2,698,967
1835	5,083,760	424,101	5,507,861	1,809,791	454,934	2,264,725	+ 3,243,136
1836	5,591,102	1,612,148	7,203,250	1,722,201	461,871	2,184,072	+ 5,019,178
1837	4,689,459	261,907	4,951,366	1,282,517	358,461	1,640,978	+ 3,310,388
1838	2,031,564	436,453	3,068,017	2,090,957	357,531	2,448,488	+ 619,529
1839	4,684,065	603,992	5,288,057	2,105,623	347,435	2,453,058	+ 2,834,999
1840	4,631,663	281,111	4,912,774	2,135,551	268,849	2,404,400	+ 2,508,374
Total, 10 years	36,985,022	9,945,626	46,930,648	18,047,123	3,951,699	21,998,822	+ 24,931,826
1841	5,820,110	461,191	6,281,301	2,936,991	324,979	3,261,970	+ 3,019,331
1842	5,451,941	446,523	5,898,469	2,225,571	294,137	2,519,708	+ 3,378,761
Ending June 30—							
1843	3,419,387	477,922	3,897,309	1,568,584	201,295	1,769,879	+ 2,127,430
1844	5,827,949	1,027,248	6,855,197	2,404,618	270,932	2,675,557	+ 4,179,640
1845	4,511,523	1,565,599	6,077,122	2,295,703	251,740	2,547,443	+ 3,429,679
1846	6,112,901	1,326,280	7,439,271	2,714,921	193,383	2,908,304	+ 4,530,967
1847	5,705,117	1,364,448	7,069,565	2,566,938	227,591	2,794,529	+ 4,275,036
1848	5,980,659	1,994,486	7,975,145	3,074,331	135,031	3,209,362	+ 4,765,783
1849	6,779,412	1,705,565	8,485,007	2,820,388	164,985	2,985,373	+ 5,499,634
1850	7,434,420	1,888,043	9,322,263	2,711,267	206,157	2,917,424	+ 6,404,839
Total, 10 years	57,043,339	12,257,310	69,300,649	25,419,312	2,270,237	27,689,549	+ 41,611,100
1851	8,882,620	2,626,173	11,518,793	3,118,840	203,814	3,322,654	+ 8,196,139
1852	10,076,770	2,059,202	12,135,972	2,729,118	174,458	2,903,576	+ 9,232,396
1853	11,850,166	2,958,795	14,808,961	3,431,857	163,558	3,595,415	+ 11,213,546
1854	10,345,671	3,740,316	14,085,987	3,426,907	169,220	3,596,127	+ 10,489,860
1855	11,855,079	3,362,395	15,217,474	3,864,604	255,144	4,119,748	+ 11,097,726
1856	16,115,222	3,147,435	19,262,657	4,668,632	192,679	4,861,311	+ 14,401,346
1857	18,030,738	3,429,995	21,460,733	5,121,578	277,041	5,398,619	+ 16,062,114
1858	14,281,870	2,638,676	16,920,546	4,653,676	218,872	4,872,548	+ 12,047,998
1859	18,423,442	3,996,276	22,419,818	5,732,854	286,047	6,018,901	+ 16,400,917
1860	17,117,121	4,087,682	21,204,803	5,740,638	281,089	6,021,727	+ 15,183,076
Total, 10 years	126,978,699	32,057,045	169,035,744	42,488,704	2,221,922	44,710,626	+ 124,325,118
1861	15,986,700	2,113,756	18,100,456	4,748,202	225,626	4,973,828	+ 13,126,628
1862	4,251,839	8,495,391	12,747,230	3,774,249	81,745	3,855,994	+ 8,891,236
1863	223,027	10,722,449	10,945,476	4,754,292	185,879	4,940,171	+ 6,005,305
1864	307,861	14,081,038	14,388,899	5,252,387	102,368	5,354,755	+ 9,034,144
1865	220,514	9,563,798	9,784,312	6,485,872	94,289	6,580,161	+ 3,204,151
1866	228,494	16,588,309	16,816,803	5,593,617	88,042	5,681,659	+ 11,135,144
1867	300,723	18,799,577	19,100,300	4,964,308	135,079	5,099,387	+ 14,000,913
1868	314,074	23,281,666	23,595,740	5,585,565	109,839	5,695,404	+ 17,900,336
1869	555,248	24,282,155	24,837,403	5,779,359	87,245	5,866,604	+ 18,970,799
1870	462,766	24,698,453	25,161,219	5,665,098	109,225	5,774,323	+ 19,386,896
Total, 10 years	22,851,246	152,626,592	175,477,838	52,602,949	1,222,337	53,825,286	+ 121,652,552
1871	2,137,601	28,413,614	30,551,215	5,942,416	71,317	6,013,733	+ 24,537,482
1872	2,731,223	27,391,161	30,122,384	5,852,191	60,592	5,912,783	+ 24,209,601
1873	35,784,073	2,756,303	38,540,376	7,090,987	106,735	7,197,722	+ 31,342,654
1874	42,315,962	1,572,685	43,888,647	7,560,502	141,654	7,702,156	+ 36,186,491
1875	39,255,527	2,772,336	42,027,863	7,631,865	110,494	7,742,359	+ 34,285,504
1876	43,965,664	1,480,717	45,446,381	7,252,218	94,162	7,346,380	+ 38,100,001
1877	40,205,874	3,292,167	43,498,041	7,408,118	83,695	7,581,813	+ 35,916,228
1878	39,685,239	3,283,734	42,968,973	8,610,646	76,658	8,687,304	+ 34,281,669
1879	37,038,691	2,336,750	39,375,441	8,106,928	87,442	8,194,370	+ 31,181,071
1880	45,777,595	6,192,495	51,970,090	8,496,696	108,650	8,605,346	+ 43,364,744
Total, 10 years	328,897,449	79,491,962	408,389,411	74,042,567	940,799	74,983,366	+ 333,406,045
1881	44,457,608	8,324,928	52,782,536	9,138,637	113,778	9,252,415	+ 43,530,121
1882	40,230,017	8,571,861	48,801,878	9,035,452	117,110	9,152,562	+ 39,649,316
1883	38,902,469	5,585,990	44,488,459	9,159,330	92,764	9,252,094	+ 35,236,365
1884	39,186,135	11,079,754	50,265,889	8,645,261	50,398	8,695,659	+ 41,570,230

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BRAZIL—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports. (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1885	38,136,191	7,127,469	45,263,660	7,258,035	59,258	7,317,293	+ 37,946,367
1886	36,196,362	5,711,170	41,907,532	6,480,738	60,478	6,541,216	+ 35,366,316
1887	47,076,473	5,876,703	52,953,176	8,071,653	56,230	8,127,883	+ 44,825,293
1888	46,873,824	6,836,410	53,710,234	7,063,892	73,116	7,137,008	+ 46,573,226
1889	55,468,476	4,935,328	60,403,804	9,276,511	74,570	9,351,081	+ 51,052,723
1890	57,604,846	1,713,910	59,318,756	11,902,496	69,718	11,972,214	+ 47,346,542
Total, 10 years	444,132,401	65,763,523	509,895,924	86,032,005	767,420	86,799,425	+423,096,499
1891	80,887,444	2,343,151	83,230,595	14,049,273	70,973	14,120,246	+ 69,110,349
1892	118,428,158	205,446	118,633,604	14,210,009	51,864	14,261,873	+104,341,731
1893	76,008,364	213,774	76,222,138	12,339,584	48,540	12,388,124	+ 63,834,014
1894	79,295,660	64,499	79,360,159	13,827,914	38,092	13,866,006	+ 65,494,153
1895	77,080,854	1,750,622	78,831,476	15,135,125	29,954	15,165,079	+ 63,666,397
1896	67,277,998	3,782,018	71,060,016	14,222,934	35,253	14,258,187	+ 56,801,859
1897	66,883,467	2,155,922	69,039,389	12,406,785	34,280	12,441,065	+ 56,598,324
1898	58,709,543	3,040,826	61,750,369	13,262,951	54,085	13,317,036	+ 48,433,333

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Ending September 30—							
1825	175,877	7,326	183,203	454,254	378,424	832,678	— 649,475
1826	365,664	12,511	378,175	512,650	875,748	1,388,398	— 1,010,223
1827	51,297	37,894	89,191	1,040,748	641,072	1,681,820	— 1,592,629
1828	430,101	20,959	451,060	1,519,978	1,109,424	2,629,402	— 2,178,342
1829	195,652	66,616	262,268	890,356	530,778	1,421,134	— 1,158,866
1830	170,743	10,273	181,016	915,718	620,396	1,536,114	— 1,355,098
Total, 6 years	1,389,324	155,579	1,544,913	5,333,704	4,155,842	9,489,546	— 7,944,633
1831	297,376	24,688	322,064	849,493	497,300	1,246,793	— 1,024,629
1832	463,483	3,657	467,140	535,370	540,987	1,076,357	— 609,217
1833	233,394	3,179	236,573	730,140	733,800	1,463,940	— 1,227,367
1834	398,893	2,985	401,878	714,407	761,587	1,475,994	— 1,074,116
1835	497,712	4,233	501,945	586,188	355,696	941,884	— 439,943
1836	595,144	12,273	607,417	582,866	355,051	937,917	— 330,400
1837	623,081	7,068	630,149	1,092,359	393,800	1,486,219	— 856,070
1838	667,086	12,976	680,062	1,047,572	322,692	1,370,264	— 690,202
1839	1,049,555	2,483	1,052,038	1,307,143	487,410	1,794,553	— 742,515
1840	1,124,855	11,468	1,136,323	1,372,148	356,575	1,728,723	— 592,400
Total, 10 years	5,950,579	85,110	6,035,689	8,817,686	4,804,958	13,622,644	— 2,586,955
1841	873,555	10,929	884,484	846,410	256,578	1,102,988	— 218,504
1842	761,556	29,963	791,519	1,270,141	368,735	1,638,876	— 847,357
Ending June 30—							
1843	560,699	198,177	758,876	869,883	179,580	1,049,463	— 290,587
1844	396,098	167,455	563,553	856,645	248,576	1,105,221	— 541,668
1845	875,244	182,361	1,057,605	1,247,360	300,831	1,548,191	— 490,586
1846	882,115	281,916	1,164,031	1,539,136	177,805	1,716,941	— 552,910
1847	579,731	1,067,060	1,646,791	1,461,347	210,263	1,671,610	— 24,819
1848	45,241	1,244,617	1,289,858	1,703,625	220,886	1,924,511	— 634,653
1849	111,811	1,595,450	1,707,261	1,722,457	294,643	2,017,100	— 369,839
1850	150,448	1,518,372	1,668,820	1,207,133	125,588	1,332,721	+ 256,099
Total, 10 years	5,245,498	6,236,300	11,481,798	12,814,137	2,383,485	15,197,622	— 3,715,824
1851	76,047	2,657,925	2,733,972	1,605,877	286,428	1,892,305	+ 841,667
1852	248,739	1,780,698	2,029,437	2,026,586	295,297	2,321,883	— 292,446
1853	382,584	1,819,350	2,201,934	2,157,320	139,117	2,296,437	— 94,503
1854	452,859	2,856,503	3,309,362	1,935,760	250,929	2,186,689	+ 1,122,673
1855	689,875	2,817,313	3,507,188	2,981,065	432,026	3,413,091	+ 94,097
1856	568,535	1,899,284	2,467,819	2,591,354	266,379	2,857,733	— 389,914
1857	1,335,957	2,376,982	3,712,939	2,466,330	433,957	2,900,287	+ 812,652
1858	2,220,391	434,872	2,655,263	1,662,608	292,354	1,954,962	+ 700,301
1859	2,241,672	385,703	2,627,375	1,751,930	215,394	1,967,324	+ 660,051
1860	1,620,599	447,136	2,067,735	2,845,225	423,448	3,268,673	— 1,200,938
Total, 10 years	9,837,258	17,475,766	27,313,024	22,024,055	3,035,329	25,059,384	+ 2,253,640

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CHILE—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1861	2,719,512	461,024	3,180,536	2,304,355	322,297	2,626,652	+ 553,884
1862	469,594	1,200,686	1,670,280	1,010,051	164,070	1,174,121	+ 496,159
1863	19,682	1,947,231	1,966,913	1,363,672	447,194	1,810,846	+ 156,067
1864	118,273	1,234,833	1,353,106	1,347,520	305,994	1,653,514	— 300,408
1865	19,800	1,518,687	1,538,487	1,604,502	135,639	1,740,141	— 201,654
1866	28,074	712,176	740,250	990,460	28,729	1,017,189	— 276,939
1867	3,845	1,283,331	1,287,176	2,809,092	82,467	2,891,559	— 1,604,383
1868	1,911	949,856	951,767	1,524,612	56,387	1,580,999	— 629,232
1869	15,286	1,171,696	1,186,982	1,969,580	115,905	2,085,485	— 898,503
1870	9,206	764,476	773,682	1,670,534	87,765	1,758,299	— 984,617
Total, 10 years	3,405,183	11,243,996	14,649,179	16,594,378	1,744,427	18,338,805	— 3,689,626
1871	131,939	584,605	716,544	1,548,411	33,108	1,581,519	— 864,975
1872	159,472	562,327	721,799	1,725,697	124,183	1,849,880	— 1,128,081
1873	434,226	635,781	1,070,007	2,273,957	34,279	2,308,236	— 1,238,229
1874	195,822	470,738	666,560	2,730,617	83,373	2,813,990	— 2,147,430
1875	115,872	673,370	789,242	2,061,990	12,776	2,074,766	— 1,285,524
1876	257,353	497,869	755,222	2,157,652	41,758	2,199,410	— 1,444,188
1877	347,762	341,606	689,368	2,175,467	52,084	2,227,551	— 1,538,183
1878	309,316	370,150	679,466	1,977,450	12,511	1,989,961	— 1,319,495
1879	209,061	433,634	642,715	1,233,555	2,468	1,236,023	— 613,308
1880	989,419	265,317	1,254,736	967,551	225	967,776	+ 286,960
Total, 10 years	3,141,242	4,835,417	7,976,659	18,872,347	396,765	19,269,112	— 11,292,453
1881	1,245,529	190,441	1,435,970	1,538,270	18,566	1,614,836	— 178,866
1882	1,561,085	247,402	1,808,487	1,756,645	18,090	1,774,645	+ 35,842
1883	258,485	177,099	435,584	2,877,551	22,945	2,860,496	— 2,424,912
1884	319,242	218,694	537,936	3,236,935	33,617	3,270,562	— 2,732,626
1885	399,464	205,061	604,525	2,192,672	18,335	2,211,007	— 1,606,482
1886	1,004,990	177,855	1,182,845	1,973,548	10,058	1,983,606	— 800,761
1887	2,634,336	228,897	2,863,233	2,062,567	6,631	2,069,198	+ 794,095
1888	2,638,240	256,280	2,894,520	2,423,393	9,918	2,433,221	+ 461,299
1889	2,547,761	78,864	2,626,625	2,967,254	5,540	2,972,794	— 350,169
1890	2,987,183	196,066	3,183,249	3,219,465	6,899	3,226,364	— 43,115
Total, 10 years	15,594,315	1,976,659	17,570,974	24,268,160	148,569	24,416,669	— 6,845,695
1891	3,261,734	186,556	3,448,290	3,133,991	11,634	3,145,625	+ 302,665
1892	3,179,638	307,521	3,487,159	3,533,342	11,365	3,544,707	— 57,548
1893	3,847,588	147,853	3,995,441	2,971,341	9,490	2,980,831	+ 1,014,610
1894	3,420,985	115,212	3,536,197	2,262,011	10,519	2,272,530	+ 1,263,667
1895	4,421,848	43,713	4,465,561	2,789,286	4,813	2,794,099	+ 1,671,462
1896	4,678,781	32,236	4,709,017	3,424,912	6,896	3,431,808	+ 1,277,209
1897	3,791,686	748	3,792,434	2,587,168	3,371	2,590,539	+ 1,201,895
1898	3,594,628	141,679	3,736,307	2,349,955	1,772	2,351,727	+ 1,384,580

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Ending September 30—							
1825	564,673	1,072,918	1,637,591	1,118,280	1,102,575	2,220,855	— 583,264
1826	324,270	1,292,837	1,617,107	946,014	996,158	1,942,172	— 325,065
1827	123,724	860,643	984,367	611,312	333,222	944,534	+ 39,833
1828	200,623	863,709	1,064,332	560,846	294,478	855,324	+ 209,008
1829	197,684	835,289	1,032,973	525,783	240,685	766,468	+ 266,505
1830	202,778	502,321	705,099	316,732	180,258	496,990	+ 208,109
Total, 6 years	1,613,752	5,427,717	7,041,469	4,078,967	3,147,376	7,226,343	— 184,874
1831	185,467	736,784	922,251	375,319	282,830	658,149	+ 264,102
1832	294,423	855,373	1,149,796	406,857	651,375	1,058,232	+ 91,564
1833	881,884	433,572	1,315,456	439,984	439,105	879,089	+ 436,367
1834	1,213,426	237,659	1,451,085	420,758	347,832	768,590	+ 712,495
1835	1,134,825	341,686	1,476,511	455,268	433,032	888,300	+ 588,211
1836	1,134,036	406,371	1,540,407	393,687	273,579	667,266	+ 873,141
1837	1,148,659	274,633	1,423,292	538,250	439,278	977,528	+ 445,264
1838	1,176,906	211,828	1,388,734	406,564	204,058	610,622	+ 778,112

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

COLOMBIA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1839	43,913	4,290	48,212	35,210	29,585	64,804	— 16,592
1840	87,144	2,070	89,214	57,922	76,625	134,547	— 45,333
Total, 10 years.....	7,320,683	3,504,275	10,824,958	3,529,815	3,177,299	6,707,127	+ 4,127,831
1841	88,177	14,508	102,685	50,562	45,720	96,282	+ 5,403
1842	111,017	23,615	134,632	57,363	46,361	103,724	+ 30,908
Ending June 30—							
1843 (7 months).....	5,733	70,286	76,019	70,009	89,464	159,473	— 83,454
1844	26,540	100,470	127,010	75,021	49,225	124,846	+ 2,164
1845	37,726	86,897	124,623	48,717	30,230	78,977	+ 45,556
1846	11,273	23,670	34,943	51,810	21,495	73,304	— 41,001
1847	14,165	67,319	81,475	53,655	19,435	73,090	+ 8,415
1848	21,642	114,154	135,796	79,165	26,438	105,603	— 30,193
1849	9,644	86,754	96,398	192,460	46,247	245,707	— 149,309
1850	19,794	142,159	161,953	765,619	217,660	983,219	— 821,266
Total, 10 years.....	345,711	728,733	1,074,444	1,452,020	504,815	2,046,835	— 972,391
1851	22,765	177,983	199,848	2,442,306	543,121	2,975,427	— 2,775,579
1852	8,078	285,705	293,783	1,266,075	199,258	1,465,333	— 1,171,550
1853	13,554	244,018	257,572	749,929	103,079	853,008	— 595,436
1854	75,028	518,470	593,498	855,254	80,035	935,289	— 341,791
1855	85,485	1,235,244	1,320,729	765,304	82,847	788,151	+ 532,548
1856	156,426	1,906,103	2,062,529	1,194,456	139,462	1,333,918	— 728,611
1857	108,276	2,654,237	2,762,513	1,201,693	243,830	1,534,923	+ 627,584
1858	557,623	1,837,395	2,395,018	1,137,349	195,204	1,332,553	+ 1,062,465
1859	405,120	2,027,929	2,433,049	1,068,143	153,577	1,221,720	+ 1,211,329
1860	599,821	2,253,805	2,853,626	1,341,605	150,090	1,491,695	+ 1,361,932
Total, 10 years.....	2,032,170	12,560,980	14,602,150	12,651,544	1,901,112	13,952,656	+ 649,494
1861	408,164	1,993,645	2,401,809	1,235,458	96,435	1,331,893	+ 1,069,916
1862	587,464	1,312,342	1,899,806	1,570,292	197,261	1,767,553	+ 132,253
1863	262,765	1,301,802	1,564,567	2,401,615	260,794	2,662,409	— 1,097,812
1864			4,872,493	2,423,123	260,301	2,715,424	+ 2,157,069
1865	1,944,835	2,213,892	4,158,727	4,651,561	436,326	5,087,887	— 349,160
1866	315,494	1,096,061	1,351,555	3,338,047	68,894	3,406,941	— 2,055,386
1867	408,127	1,581,913	1,990,040	4,126,699	87,049	4,207,739	— 2,217,699
1868	1,024,582	1,513,915	2,538,497	3,019,394	92,462	3,711,796	— 1,173,499
1869	1,974,028	2,710,426	4,684,454	4,054,501	178,451	4,232,952	+ 451,502
1870	1,438,106	3,070,617	4,508,723	3,979,396	178,759	4,158,155	+ 350,568
Total, 10 years.....	8,363,305	16,737,583	25,100,888	30,793,677	1,849,582	32,643,259	— 2,672,368
1871	2,291,777	3,278,275	5,570,052	3,836,837	227,712	4,064,549	+ 1,505,503
1872	4,266,601	1,864,471	6,131,072	4,259,398	181,501	4,440,899	+ 1,690,473
1873	5,835,048	313,222	6,148,270	5,166,703	267,070	5,433,773	+ 714,067
1874	7,297,020	66,728	7,363,757	5,943,146	223,634	6,166,780	+ 2,096,957
1875	11,925,229	358,834	12,284,063	4,266,618	220,440	4,487,058	+ 7,851,006
1876	4,808,761	165,512	5,034,273	3,887,210	164,834	4,052,044	— 982,259
1877	4,720,465	362,861	5,023,326	3,942,742	78,167	4,020,909	+ 1,002,417
1878	5,609,126	298,917	5,848,043	4,371,198	124,134	4,495,332	+ 1,352,721
1879	6,148,003	182,943	6,330,946	5,199,648	328,366	5,528,014	+ 802,932
1880	8,145,054	296,918	8,441,972	5,228,836	168,478	5,397,314	+ 3,044,658
Total, 10 years.....	61,107,963	7,068,681	68,176,644	45,682,326	1,930,225	47,612,551	+ 21,164,083
1881	5,715,024	276,866	5,991,890	5,179,366	203,772	5,383,138	+ 608,752
1882	4,618,068	342,802	4,960,870	6,230,916	177,430	6,408,346	— 1,446,876
1883	4,678,285	293,170	5,171,455	6,719,787	149,184	6,868,971	— 1,697,516
1884	3,601,390	30,453	3,631,843	6,174,574	207,247	6,381,821	— 2,489,978
1885	2,335,083	6,994	2,342,077	5,397,412	165,957	5,563,369	— 3,241,292
1886	2,970,382	29,599	3,000,981	5,294,798	185,659	5,480,457	— 2,479,536
1887	3,934,359	16,504	3,950,863	5,973,905	140,976	6,114,911	— 2,163,988
1888	4,244,368	148,890	4,393,258	4,923,259	100,621	5,023,880	— 630,622
1889	4,235,819	37,600	4,273,419	3,728,961	92,056	3,821,017	+ 442,502
1890	3,570,594	4,659	3,575,253	2,322,351	63,477	2,385,828	+ 989,425
Total, 10 years.....	49,661,972	1,187,567	50,849,539	52,145,389	1,506,379	53,651,768	— 12,101,129

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

COLOMBIA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	4,747,686	17,668	4,765,354	3,108,989	73,655	3,182,644	+1,582,710
1892.....	3,641,957	474,929	4,116,886	3,065,466	68,686	3,134,152	+ 982,734
1893.....	1,499,527	2,073,391	3,572,918	3,047,620	108,157	3,155,777	+ 417,141
1894.....	1,338,283	896,604	2,234,887	2,702,106	82,528	2,784,634	— 549,747
1895.....	3,363,692	319,990	3,713,682	2,498,856	97,446	2,596,302	+1,117,380
1896.....	4,843,256	126,836	4,970,092	3,310,167	72,421	3,382,588	+1,587,504
1897.....	4,597,317	133,616	4,730,933	3,711,399	95,766	3,807,165	+ 923,768
1898.....	4,666,452	517,152	5,183,604	3,204,440	72,817	3,277,257	+1,906,347

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Ending June 30—							
1846.....					1,130	1,130	— 1,130
1850.....		4,618	4,618	24,414	10,511	34,925	— 30,307
1851.....	806	75,886	76,692				+ 76,692
1852.....		69,324	69,324				+ 69,324
1853.....		12,600	12,600				+ 12,600
1854.....	1,474	39,718	41,192				+ 41,192
1855.....		12,553	12,553	66,092		66,092	— 53,539
1856.....	11,139	73,665	84,804	27,374	2,006	29,440	+ 55,364
1857.....	15,750	53	15,803	34,546	2,630	37,176	— 21,373
1858.....				13,700		13,700	— 13,700
1859.....				33,908	1,302	35,210	— 35,210
1860.....				19,545		19,545	— 19,545
Total, 10 years.....	29,169	263,799	312,968	195,165	5,938	201,163	+ 111,805
1861.....		2,687	2,687	9,116		9,116	— 6,429
1862.....			9,441				+ 9,441
1863.....	(a)		(a)				
1864.....	(a)		(a)	2,250		2,250	— 2,250
1865.....				9,811	1,903	11,714	— 11,714
1866.....		32	32				+ 32
1867.....		30	30	42,302		42,302	— 42,272
1868.....		2,366	2,366	8,264		8,264	— 5,898
1869 b.....							
1870 b.....							
Total, 10 years.....		5,115	14,556	71,743	1,903	73,616	— 59,090
1887.....	1,130,934	235	1,131,169	1,049,392	3,380	1,052,772	+ 78,397
1888.....	1,115,552	3,075	1,118,627	810,567	2,968	813,535	+ 305,092
1889.....	694,088	917	695,005	755,708	503	756,211	— 61,206
1890.....	533,994	1,066	535,060	714,924	284	715,208	— 180,148
Total, 4 years.....	3,474,568	5,293	3,479,861	3,330,501	7,135	3,337,726	+ 142,135
1891.....	836,078	359	836,437	902,738	421	903,159	— 66,722
1892.....	807,187	2,644	809,831	809,466	604	810,070	— 239
1893.....	958,216	2,012	960,228	815,839	1,586	817,425	+ 142,803
1894.....	816,012	472	816,484	759,474	1,704	761,178	+ 55,306
1895.....	814,733	6,933	821,666	734,426	915	735,341	+ 86,325
1896.....	763,633	10	763,643	688,042	1,374	689,416	+ 74,227
1897.....	566,307	219	566,526	734,276	592	734,868	— 168,342
1898.....	679,329	86,261	765,590	853,772	1,421	855,193	— 89,603

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1896.....				688		688	— 688
1897.....				800		800	— 800
1898.....				1,010		1,010	— 1,010

a Included in Peru.

b Included in "All other South America."

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898.**

BRITISH GUIANA.

[For British Guiana from 1833 to 1850 see page 3427.]

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) or imports (+).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1851	1,580	18,309	19,889	540,554	3,734	544,288	— 524,399
1852	290	18,653	18,943	697,286	8,611	705,897	— 686,954
1853	519	41,677	42,196	798,841	6,363	805,204	— 763,008
1854	4,814	40,701	45,515	718,096	1,153	719,249	— 673,734
1855	160	48,573	48,733	824,119	813	824,932	— 776,199
1856	708	148,866	149,574	871,766	3,497	875,263	— 725,689
1857	482	816,871	817,353	978,976	5,618	984,594	— 167,241
1858	18,328	288,359	306,687	881,521	2,980	884,501	— 577,814
1859	19,288	231,092	250,380	1,083,263	1,077	1,084,340	— 833,960
1860	26,653	334,122	360,775	1,010,204	2,916	1,013,120	— 652,345
Total, 10 years.....	72,822	1,987,223	2,060,045	8,404,626	36,762	8,441,388	— 6,381,343
1861	28,061	112,668	140,729	1,031,645	6,973	1,038,618	— 897,880
1862	9,635	213,029	222,664	1,155,591	16,727	1,172,318	— 949,654
1863	4,593	306,949	311,542	1,209,032	3,125	1,212,157	— 900,615
1864			839,585	1,552,210	12,870	1,565,080	— 725,495
1865	655	560,600	561,255	2,412,514	4,195	2,416,709	— 1,855,454
1866	3,234	980,743	983,977	1,814,262	4,107	1,818,369	— 834,392
1867	742	1,431,249	1,431,991	2,017,645	2,457	2,020,102	— 588,111
1868	2,824	2,361,858	2,364,682	1,941,338	4,230	1,945,568	+ 419,114
1869			(a)				
1870			(a)				
Total, 10 years.....	49,744	5,967,096	6,856,425	13,134,237	54,684	13,188,921	— 6,332,496
1871			(a)				
1872			(a)				
1873	27,117	3,187,156	3,214,273	1,638,115	18,153	1,656,268	+ 1,558,005
1874	21,888	1,257,917	1,279,805	1,712,369	41,580	1,753,949	— 474,144
1875	42,576	2,456,069	2,498,645	1,830,807	25,130	1,855,937	+ 643,308
1876	94,856	1,077,263	1,172,119	1,750,452	41,838	1,792,290	— 620,171
1877	45,313	3,460,306	3,505,619	1,854,548	43,022	1,897,570	+ 1,608,049
1878	4,989	2,136,296	2,141,285	1,924,922	51,048	1,975,970	+ 165,315
1879	58,661	515,464	574,125	1,719,827	63,454	1,783,281	— 1,209,156
1880	11,008	1,898,986	1,909,994	1,723,166	60,503	1,783,669	+ 126,325
Total, 10 years.....	306,408	15,990,057	16,296,465	14,154,206	344,728	14,498,934	+ 1,797,531
1881	22,087	2,401,987	2,424,074	1,682,373	41,074	1,723,447	+ 700,627
1882	7,527	3,220,915	3,228,442	1,976,566	52,734	2,029,320	+ 1,199,122
1883	9,892	5,936,537	5,946,429	1,973,422	61,734	2,035,156	+ 3,911,273
1884	4,360	4,091,176	4,095,536	1,833,148	51,268	1,884,416	+ 2,211,120
1885	10,401	910,953	921,354	1,631,608	9,049	1,640,657	— 719,303
1886	6,902	1,857,694	1,864,596	1,554,726	29,568	1,584,294	+ 280,302
1887	15,212	2,724,661	2,739,873	1,423,211	45,828	1,469,039	+ 1,270,834
1888	5,755	2,816,627	2,822,382	1,651,711	65,700	1,717,411	+ 1,104,971
1889	14,135	4,512,046	4,526,181	1,643,249	53,020	1,696,269	+ 2,829,912
1890	1,659	4,325,316	4,326,975	2,011,122	95,223	2,106,345	+ 2,220,630
Total, 10 years.....	97,930	32,797,912	32,895,842	17,381,156	505,198	17,886,354	+ 15,009,488
1891	977,659	3,905,547	4,883,206	1,761,350	97,392	1,858,742	+ 3,024,464
1892	4,362,994	210	4,363,204	1,885,542	47,757	1,933,299	+ 2,429,905
1893	5,028,848	330	5,029,178	1,933,012	47,663	2,000,675	+ 3,028,503
1894	4,223,887	83	4,223,970	2,360,938	53,782	2,414,720	+ 1,809,250
1895	486,375	2,035,329	2,521,704	1,684,830	20,801	1,705,631	+ 816,073
1896	3,891	3,414,687	3,418,578	1,719,705	29,488	1,749,193	+ 1,669,385
1897	4,024	3,657,932	3,661,956	1,532,115	33,821	1,565,936	+ 2,096,020
1898	15,261	3,045,707	3,060,968	1,703,071	44,304	1,747,375	+ 1,313,593

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WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

FRENCH GUIANA.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
Ending September 30—							
1833				4,693		4,693	— 4,693
1834				2,488		2,488	— 2,488
1835							
1836	1,713	1,770	3,483				+ 3,483
1837							
1838	1,086	3,278	4,364	5,302		5,302	— 938
1839				1,643		1,643	— 1,643
1840					100	100	— 100
Total, 8 years	2,799	5,048	7,847	14,126	100	14,226	— 6,379
1841	22,338	9,386	31,724	43,701	340	44,041	— 12,317
1842	4,599	31,776	36,375	44,063	1,030	45,093	— 8,718
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	5,654	26,057	31,711	45,374		45,374	— 13,663
1844		26,066	26,066	56,006	1,033	57,039	— 30,973
1845	110	53,596	53,706	57,052	444	57,496	— 3,790
1846		63,296	63,296	39,270	2,131	41,401	+ 21,895
1847		40,375	40,375	58,287	1,990	60,277	— 19,902
1848		34,247	34,247	48,737	1,684	50,421	— 16,174
1849		19,697	19,697	46,161		46,161	— 26,464
1850		12,551	12,551	43,405	1,382	44,787	— 32,236
Total, 10 years	32,701	317,047	349,748	482,056	10,034	492,090	—142,342
1851		17,948	17,948	45,693	651	46,344	— 28,396
1852		24,987	24,987	61,747	1,278	63,025	— 41,038
1853		10,617	10,617	64,335	1,104	65,439	— 54,822
1854		29,618	29,618	100,148	685	100,833	— 71,215
1855		6,046	6,046	78,652	1,966	80,618	— 74,572
1856		10,956	10,956	148,093		148,093	—137,137
1857		22,882	22,882	84,447	1,000	85,447	— 62,565
1858	304	23,434	23,738	82,565	743	83,308	— 59,570
1859		17,472	17,472	48,049	1,520	49,569	— 32,097
1860		24,660	24,660	86,794	6,660	93,454	— 68,794
Total, 10 years	304	188,620	188,924	803,523	15,607	819,130	—630,206
1861	6	16,480	16,486	124,508	4,002	128,510	—112,024
1862		12,312	12,312	80,253	722	80,975	— 68,663
1863	2,496	14,520	17,016	71,857	115	71,972	— 54,956
1864			13,394	153,128		153,128	—139,734
1865		2,818	2,818	125,831	600	126,431	—123,613
1866		12,824	12,824	78,534	360	78,894	— 66,070
1867		6,059	6,059	28,779	975	29,754	— 23,695
1868	130	15,347	15,477	35,205	1,781	36,986	— 21,509
1869			(a)	(a)			
1870			(a)	(a)			
Total, 10 years	2,632	80,360	83,386	698,095	8,555	706,650	—610,264
1871			(a)	(a)			
1872			(a)	(a)			
1873			(b)	(b)			
1874			(b)	(b)			
1875			(b)	(b)			
1876			(b)	(b)			
1877			(b)	(b)			
1878			(b)	(b)			
1879	3,915	11,874	15,789	69,887		69,887	— 54,098
1880	2,802	470	3,272	75,645	389	76,034	— 72,762
Total, 10 years	6,717	12,344	19,061	145,532	389	145,921	—126,860
1881	803	2,300	3,103	65,762	106	65,868	— 62,765
1882	2,003	16,450	18,453	95,785	1,892	97,677	— 79,224
1883	2,457	15,980	18,437	101,013	1,071	102,084	— 83,647
1884	1,376	945	2,321	102,072	1,535	103,607	—101,286
1885	1,073	730	1,803	107,492	3,352	110,844	—109,041

a Included in French Possessions in America.

b Included in French West Indies.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

FRENCH GUIANA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1886	647	355	1,002	105,719	3,438	109,157	— 108,155
1887	433	1,015	1,448	137,724	4,988	142,712	— 141,264
1888	6,772	5,652	12,424	140,086	6,671	146,757	— 134,333
1889	13,366	.....	13,366	140,768	6,964	147,732	— 134,366
1890	17,647	.....	17,647	154,859	6,074	160,933	— 143,286
Total, 10 years	46,577	43,427	90,004	1,151,280	36,091	1,187,371	—1,097,367
1891	46,520	.....	46,520	150,710	5,244	155,954	— 109,434
1892	5,850	.....	5,850	149,777	6,950	156,727	— 150,877
1893	35,965	.....	35,965	108,004	5,349	113,353	— 77,388
1894	23,400	.....	23,400	98,837	7,020	105,857	— 82,457
1895	25,065	.....	25,065	83,017	3,056	86,073	— 61,008
1896	31,419	.....	31,419	100,697	3,157	103,854	— 72,435
1897	8,100	37	8,137	110,907	2,767	113,674	— 105,537
1898	12,551	.....	12,551	149,023	1,018	150,041	— 137,490

DUTCH GUIANA.

Ending September 30—							
1833	10,156	37,426	47,582	92,515	.....	92,515	— 41,933
1834	2,619	63,724	66,343	27,228	.....	27,228	+ 39,115
1835	4,727	26,693	31,420	30,205	.....	30,205	+ 1,215
1836	310	33,161	33,471	59,315	2,360	61,675	— 28,204
1837	939	44,037	44,976	54,518	1,595	56,113	— 11,137
1838	977	53,177	54,154	68,775	2,073	70,848	— 16,694
1839	1,695	47,313	49,008	58,863	2,803	61,666	— 12,658
1840	6,917	30,849	37,766	52,118	.....	52,118	— 14,352
Total, 8 years	28,340	336,380	364,720	443,537	8,831	452,368	— 87,648
1841	225	35,168	35,393	37,900	.....	37,900	— 2,507
1842	1,648	70,538	72,186	101,055	.....	101,055	— 28,869
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	89	32,169	32,258	24,680	.....	24,680	+ 7,578
1844	59	49,085	49,144	66,980	4,792	71,772	— 22,628
1845 .....	.....	41,347	41,347	47,737	1,872	49,609	— 8,262
1846	97	33,577	33,674	66,845	1,139	67,984	— 34,310
1847	2,621	56,734	59,355	43,840	388	44,228	+ 15,127
1848 .....	.....	51,297	51,297	115,501	1,517	117,018	+ 65,721
1849	1,517	56,348	57,865	104,013	52	104,065	— 46,200
1850	1,517	67,108	68,625	97,014	5,425	102,439	— 33,802
Total, 10 years	7,773	493,371	501,144	705,565	15,185	720,750	219,606
1851 .....	.....	89,673	89,673	85,491	5,582	91,073	— 1,460
1852	2,842	83,896	86,738	83,952	7,282	91,234	— 4,496
1853	600	130,081	130,681	108,389	17,694	126,083	+ 4,598
1854	1,587	84,553	86,140	53,745	7,678	61,423	+ 24,717
1855	1,751	182,737	184,488	237,963	10,643	248,606	— 64,118
1856	151	249,477	249,631	301,661	7,855	309,516	— 59,885
1857	1,400	373,061	374,461	338,728	6,104	344,832	+ 29,629
1858	392	196,598	196,990	264,290	7,741	272,031	— 75,041
1859	2,062	175,613	177,675	261,687	9,290	270,977	— 93,302
1860	13,162	329,205	342,367	271,979	37,907	309,886	+ 32,481
Total, 10 years	23,950	1,894,894	1,918,844	2,007,885	117,776	2,125,661	— 206,817
1861	13,660	263,306	276,966	356,947	13,571	370,518	— 93,552
1862 .....	.....	.....	234,198	251,266	5,159	256,425	— 22,227
1863	972	325,586	326,558	376,087	976	377,063	— 50,505
1864 .....	.....	.....	542,211	441,890	800	442,750	+ 99,461
1865	3,690	266,753	270,443	676,828	1,506	678,334	— 407,882
1866	70	295,416	295,486	490,674	5,154	495,828	— 200,342
1867	1,850	308,598	310,448	409,013	36,983	445,996	— 135,548
1868	2,972	419,609	422,581	437,359	28,164	465,523	— 42,942
1869 .....	.....	.....	(a)	.....	.....	.....	.....
1870 .....	.....	.....	(a)	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, 10 years	23,423	1,879,268	2,679,100	3,440,064	92,373	3,532,437	— 853,337

a Included in Dutch West Indies.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

DUTCH GUIANA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871			(a)				
1872			(a)				
1873			(a)				
1874			(a)				
1875			(a)				
1876			(a)				
1877			(a)				
1878			(a)				
1879	103,496	121,324	224,820	167,130	350	167,480	+ 57,340
1880	74,691	207,779	281,870	253,678	1,118	254,796	+ 27,074
Total, 10 years	177,587	329,103	506,690	420,808	1,468	422,276	+ 84,414
1881	106,386	296,133	402,519	217,609	1,925	219,534	+ 152,985
1882	167,851	296,299	464,150	382,639	2,851	385,490	+ 78,660
1883	249,043	224,000	473,043	447,778	3,571	451,349	+ 21,694
1884	377,667	245,451	623,118	316,613	2,862	319,475	+ 303,643
1885	223,552	41,787	265,339	296,667	2,351	299,018	— 33,679
1886	227,165	46,846	273,951	293,071	4,247	297,318	— 23,367
1887	394,995	87,429	482,424	236,105	3,529	239,634	+ 242,790
1888	362,291	68,692	430,983	264,096	2,149	266,245	+ 164,738
1889	375,285	84,958	460,243	254,626	7,940	262,575	+ 197,668
1890	462,104	112,010	574,114	273,203	6,316	279,519	+ 294,595
Total, 10 years	2,946,279	1,503,605	4,449,884	3,012,407	37,750	3,050,157	+1,399,727
1891	589,859	134,331	724,190	249,704	4,279	253,983	+ 470,207
1892	570,135	58	570,193	328,097	9,035	337,042	+ 233,151
1893	1,079,667	43	1,079,710	364,725	8,634	373,359	+ 706,351
1894	1,078,514	27	1,078,541	381,641	9,216	390,857	+ 687,684
1895	723,246	132,262	855,508	338,687	4,822	343,509	+ 511,999
1896	667,719	289,528	957,247	360,282	1,375	361,657	+ 595,590
1897	655,264	381,424	1,036,688	383,439	897	384,336	+ 652,352
1898	871,612	585,523	1,457,135	406,030	2,384	408,414	+1,048,721

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1894	887	114	1,001				+ 1,001
1895	10,239	35	10,274				+ 10,274
1897				740		740	— 740
1893				699		699	— 699

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Ending September 30—							
1825	7,579	16,144	23,723	359,854	374,944	734,798	— 711,075
1826	350,907	35,065	386,572	278,724	231,175	509,899	— 123,327
1827	232,363	137,311	369,674	202,944	65,077	268,021	+ 101,653
1828	263,180	50,669	313,849	159,389	100,555	259,944	+ 53,905
1829	319,156	83,223	402,379	91,542	119,615	211,157	+ 191,222
1830	313,536	67,827	381,363	32,400	39,402	71,802	+ 309,561
Total, 6 years	1,486,721	390,839	1,877,560	1,124,853	930,768	2,055,621	— 178,061
1831	491,800	94,277	586,077	8,560	7,616	16,176	+ 569,901
1832	521,555	33,421	554,976	7,126	10,834	17,960	+ 537,016
1833	466,856	4,902	471,758				+ 471,758
1834	354,260	921	355,181	42,767	16,096	58,863	+ 296,318
1835	428,533	9,868	448,401				+ 448,401
1836	116,527	1,101	117,628		918	918	+ 116,710
1837	466,246	3,063	469,309	99,757	11,601	111,358	+ 357,951

a Included in Dutch West Indies.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

PERU—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1838	467,765	1,297	469,062	163,868	39,531	203,399	+ 265,663
1839	151,779	3,338	155,117				+ 155,117
1840	286,906	5,068	291,974				+ 291,974
Total, 10 years	3,762,227	157,255	3,919,483	322,078	86,596	408,674	+3,510,809
1841	370,447	24,768	395,215				+ 395,215
1842	181,008	9,380	190,388				+ 190,388
1843	88,117	13,005	101,122				+ 101,122
1844	25,971	136,614	162,585	14,053	2,754	16,807	+ 145,778
1845	180,960	136,931	317,891	33,424		33,424	+ 284,467
1846	292,693	40,406	333,099				+ 333,099
1847	224,767	138,936	363,703	192,978	34,559	227,537	+ 136,166
1848	18,669	241,099	259,768	124,618	16,731	141,349	+ 118,419
1849	101,654	327,891	429,545	93,195	18,041	111,236	+ 318,309
1850	5,848	161,655	167,503	254,939	16,789	271,728	— 108,225
Total, 10 years	1,400,134	1,230,685	2,630,819	717,207	88,874	806,081	+1,824,738
1851	48,085	46,648	94,733	249,416	22,338	271,754	— 177,021
1852	75,909	618,008	693,917	333,794	22,048	355,842	+ 338,075
1853	79,350	77,412	156,762	654,316	40,261	694,577	— 537,815
1854	622,055	383,351	1,005,406	616,797	33,418	650,215	+ 355,191
1855	265,212	332,406	597,618	756,323	114,223	870,546	— 272,928
1856	77,023	149,736	226,759	1,151,632	84,991	1,236,623	—1,009,864
1857	107,126	101,621	208,747	447,733	53,199	500,932	— 292,185
1858	821,299	179,242	1,000,541	603,827	82,082	685,909	+ 314,632
1859	222,938	100,956	323,894	893,857	61,307	955,164	— 631,270
1860	218,434	90,018	308,452	869,781	117,891	987,672	— 679,220
Total, 10 years	2,537,431	2,070,398	4,607,829	6,609,386	636,788	7,246,174	—2,638,345
1861	265,832	40,596	306,428	370,435	24,505	394,940	— 88,512
1862	81,267	84,305	165,572	571,652	37,314	608,966	— 443,394
1863	49,290	107,371	156,661	843,130	199,328	1,042,458	— 885,797
1864	1,674	260,188	261,862	699,105	60,830	759,935	— 498,073
1865	6,993	243,822	250,815	722,803	58,583	781,386	— 530,571
1866	91,298	715,940	807,238	1,144,255	71,580	1,215,835	— 408,597
1867	1,399,087	362,900	1,761,987	1,698,518	32,399	1,730,914	— 28,073
1868	997,267	768,130	1,765,397	1,662,927	63,428	1,726,355	+ 39,042
1869	58,468	1,327,842	1,386,310	1,566,534	116,911	1,683,445	— 297,135
1870	1,343,692	1,214,141	2,557,833	1,858,244	115,924	1,974,167	+ 583,666
Total, 10 years	4,294,868	5,065,235	9,360,103	11,067,603	780,798	11,848,401	—2,488,298
1871	3,707,967	1,023,403	4,731,370	2,279,773	101,232	2,381,005	+ 2,350,365
1872	1,133,349	535,634	1,668,983	4,439,995	155,408	4,595,403	—2,926,420
1873	1,130,984	55,177	1,186,161	2,671,534	193,411	2,864,945	—1,678,784
1874	1,133,826	122,450	1,256,276	1,811,369	103,502	1,914,871	— 658,595
1875	1,234,708	56,527	1,291,235	2,443,657	37,284	2,480,941	—1,189,706
1876	1,421,068	4,975	1,426,043	1,001,722	31,176	1,032,898	+ 393,145
1877	1,468,776	10,735	1,479,511	1,239,036	61,516	1,300,552	+ 178,959
1878	1,516,811	14,780	1,531,591	975,507	30,131	1,005,638	+ 525,953
1879	1,770,809	87,050	1,857,859	1,293,991	11,371	1,305,362	+ 552,497
1880	272,008	89,300	361,308	907,603	10,533	918,136	— 556,828
Total, 10 years	14,790,316	2,600,091	16,390,407	19,064,157	735,594	19,799,751	—3,409,344
1881	760,353	201	760,554	93,785	3,745	97,530	+ 663,024
1882	3,007,228	22,448	3,029,676	531,823	10,996	542,819	+2,486,857
1883	2,499,237	27,681	2,526,918	487,360	6,534	493,894	+2,033,024
1884	2,070,834	6,811	2,077,645	1,043,902	26,626	1,070,528	+1,007,117
1885	1,749,632	15,258	1,764,890	735,979	6,126	742,105	+1,022,785
1886	942,426	21,054	963,480	798,577	15,120	813,697	+ 149,783
1887	450,147	11,579	461,726	717,068	4,861	722,929	— 261,103
1888	308,113	927	309,040	865,160	5,011	870,171	— 561,131
1889	307,761	6,271	314,032	773,244	7,591	780,835	— 466,803
1890	325,853	25,842	351,695	1,418,561	8,740	1,427,301	—1,075,606
Total, 10 years	12,421,586	138,072	12,559,658	7,468,359	95,350	7,563,709	+4,995,949

a Including Ecuador.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

PERU—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891	369,405	17,113	386,518	1,396,207	3,784	1,399,991	—1,013,473
1892	555,959	35,341	591,300	1,002,977	4,058	1,007,035	+ 415,735
1893	811,872	7,206	819,168	635,135	1,586	636,721	+ 182,447
1894	485,319	6,065	491,384	586,761	4,616	591,377	— 99,993
1895	441,885	31,430	473,315	626,897	3,488	630,385	— 157,070
1896	697,951	14,745	712,696	995,617	3,764	999,381	— 286,685
1897	614,441	77,648	722,089	1,105,381	3,055	1,108,436	— 386,347
1898	541,993	172,254	714,247	1,298,570	4,125	1,302,695	— 588,448

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Ending September 30—							
1832				3,325		3,325	— 3,325
1837	10,160	350	10,510	7,864		7,864	+ 2,646
1838	17,285	1,346	18,631	35,762	21,567	60,329	— 41,698
1839	599,367	26,065	625,432	50,998	30,427	81,425	+ 544,007
1840	468,456	18,549	487,005	82,102	35,961	118,063	+ 368,942
Total, 5 years	1,095,268	46,310	1,141,578	180,051	90,955	271,006	+ 870,572
1841	341,440	3,194	344,634	140,031	16,193	156,224	+ 188,410
1842	569,249	7,972	577,221	201,099	57,536	259,535	+ 317,686
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)		121,753	121,753	219,576	67,740	287,322	— 165,569
1844		122,675	122,675	394,266	42,236	436,502	— 313,827
1845		20,573	20,573	140,986	10,050	151,036	— 130,463
1846		23,472	23,472	210,406	9,982	220,388	— 196,916
1847		111,004	111,004	180,536	23,003	203,539	— 92,535
1848	25,792	496,872	522,664	339,859	41,207	381,066	+ 141,598
1849		79,924	79,924	134,638	4,489	139,127	— 69,203
1850				60,024	1,518	61,542	— 61,542
Total, 10 years	936,481	987,439	1,923,920	2,022,321	273,966	2,296,281	— 372,361
1851	1,560	17,554	19,114	32,711	578	33,289	— 14,175
1852	18,812	30,895	49,707	181,156	11,917	193,073	— 143,366
1853	4,294	298,533	302,827	292,088	12,358	304,446	— 1,619
1854		457,179	457,179	450,855	43,543	494,398	— 37,219
1855	360	242,349	242,709	394,657	24,275	418,932	— 176,223
1856	2,040	358,996	361,036	517,849	29,147	546,996	— 185,960
1857		368,297	368,297	976,370	29,802	1,006,172	— 637,875
1858	31,131	590,757	621,888	532,267	25,005	557,272	+ 64,616
1859	48,324	726,219	774,543	592,915	26,566	619,481	+ 155,062
1860	78,210	830,540	908,750	661,326	128,032	789,358	+ 119,392
Total, 10 years	184,731	3,921,319	4,106,050	4,632,194	331,223	4,963,417	— 857,367
1861	60,925	447,478	508,403	674,864	92,059	766,923	— 258,520
1862	26,735	225,845	252,580	290,259	9,297	299,556	— 46,976
1863	17,700	623,310	641,010	596,567	158,332	754,899	— 113,889
1864	35,175	1,426,893	1,462,068	522,090	13,050	535,120	+ 926,948
1865	24,296	602,360	626,656	807,409	66,674	874,083	— 247,407
1866	74,078	1,383,875	1,463,953	363,896		363,896	+1,100,057
1867	47,947	1,470,541	1,518,488	544,199	52,809	597,008	+ 921,480
1868	21,456	1,158,064	1,179,520	797,361	23,645	821,006	+ 358,514
1869	42,739	1,429,869	1,472,608	836,111	58,270	894,381	+ 578,227
1870	35,109	1,595,291	1,630,400	1,142,602	56,635	1,199,237	+ 431,163
Total, 10 years	386,160	10,369,546	10,755,706	6,575,358	530,751	7,106,109	+3,649,597
1871	122,787	2,448,088	2,570,835	1,026,554	17,017	1,043,571	+1,527,314
1872	203,104	3,194,407	3,397,511	1,620,744	52,597	1,673,341	+1,724,170
1873	2,099,709	1,471,667	3,571,376	1,836,421	81,144	1,917,565	+1,653,811
1874	1,814,326	701,237	2,515,563	1,115,042	32,578	1,147,620	+1,367,943
1875	2,776,178	158,861	2,935,039	1,440,665	68,273	1,508,938	+1,426,101
1876	1,689,352	115,200	1,804,552	1,126,123	11,470	1,137,593	+ 666,959
1877	1,874,941	320,337	2,195,278	1,077,434	22,953	1,100,387	+1,094,891

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
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URUGUAY—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending June 30—							
1878	1,666,936	770,166	2,437,102	1,061,417	32,015	1,093,432	+ 1,313,670
1879	1,653,820	126,320	1,780,140	877,615	61,747	939,362	+ 840,778
1880	3,787,307	1,754,728	5,542,035	880,371	48,080	928,451	+ 4,613,584
Total, 10 years	17,688,470	11,061,011	28,749,481	12,662,386	427,874	12,490,260	+16,259,221
1881	3,262,311	902,352	4,164,663	1,536,326	76,286	1,612,612	+ 2,552,051
1882	5,581,482	1,256,254	6,837,736	1,457,978	97,510	1,555,488	+ 5,282,248
1883	3,093,012	887,098	3,980,110	1,385,755	67,063	1,452,818	+ 2,527,292
1884	1,784,693	344,288	2,128,981	1,239,923	128,495	1,368,418	+ 760,563
1885	2,317,139	417,478	2,734,617	1,601,759	80,684	1,682,443	+ 1,052,174
1886	3,577,376	1,348,472	4,925,848	1,110,545	110,531	1,221,076	+ 3,704,772
1887	2,381,111	437,650	2,818,761	1,393,725	174,256	1,567,981	+ 1,250,780
1888	2,318,017	393,504	2,711,521	1,337,430	121,902	1,459,332	+ 1,252,189
1889	2,159,870	836,094	2,995,964	2,027,383	165,465	2,192,848	+ 794,116
1890	1,723,357	31,546	1,754,903	3,210,112	141,762	3,351,874	— 1,596,971
Total, 10 years	28,189,368	6,854,736	35,044,104	16,300,936	1,163,954	17,464,890	+17,579,214
1891	2,193,745	162,994	2,356,739	1,032,937	43,638	1,076,575	+ 1,280,164
1892	1,883,927	506,669	2,480,596	907,067	31,963	939,030	+ 1,541,566
1893	1,535,880	87,500	1,623,380	902,144	58,462	960,606	+ 662,774
1894	1,385,818	33,755	1,419,573	971,547	43,624	1,015,171	+ 404,402
1895	2,403,349	290,290	2,699,648	1,240,025	21,976	1,262,001	+ 1,437,647
1896	3,236,255	6,173	3,242,428	1,401,073	80,127	1,481,200	+ 1,761,228
1897	3,514,841	213	3,515,054	1,045,266	168,160	1,213,426	+ 2,301,628
1898	296,880	1,475,600	1,772,480	1,130,239	84,009	1,214,248	+ 558,232

VENEZUELA.

Ending September 30—							
1839	1,586,617	361,044	1,947,661	413,245	168,254	581,499	+ 1,366,162
1840	999,033	328,612	1,327,645	547,443	162,472	709,915	+ 617,730
Total, 2 years	2,585,650	689,656	3,275,306	960,688	330,726	1,291,414	+ 1,983,892
1841	1,692,454	316,382	2,008,836	531,969	84,816	616,785	+ 1,392,051
1842	1,331,617	185,049	1,516,666	495,780	99,210	594,990	+ 921,676
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	805,567	289,897	1,095,464	480,577	81,892	562,469	+ 532,995
1844	838,403	602,018	1,430,421	442,091	43,808	485,899	+ 944,522
1845	650,889	597,938	1,248,827	527,029	37,064	564,093	+ 684,734
1846	937,789	568,252	1,506,041	583,069	44,435	627,504	+ 878,537
1847	860,590	419,497	1,380,087	571,474	35,794	607,268	+ 672,819
1848	563,112	588,902	1,152,014	400,230	24,287	424,517	+ 727,497
1849	865,535	481,691	1,347,226	388,308	16,944	405,252	+ 941,974
1850	1,293,187	577,330	1,870,517	504,559	23,422	527,981	+ 1,342,536
Total, 10 years	9,829,143	4,626,956	14,456,099	4,925,086	401,672	5,416,758	+ 9,039,341
1851	1,445,362	898,349	2,343,711	574,383	48,067	622,450	+ 1,721,261
1852	1,117,606	981,737	2,099,343	666,727	31,714	698,441	+ 1,400,902
1853	1,132,827	1,469,614	2,602,441	534,365	52,708	587,073	+ 2,015,368
1854	1,042,793	1,972,998	3,015,791	737,631	62,424	800,055	+ 2,215,736
1855	1,480,837	2,126,347	3,607,184	897,340	55,645	952,985	+ 2,654,199
1856	1,728,554	2,451,306	4,179,860	1,076,651	69,153	1,145,804	+ 3,034,056
1857	1,093,402	2,731,968	3,825,370	1,024,048	67,430	1,091,478	+ 2,733,892
1858	1,582,600	1,862,705	3,445,314	951,207	68,632	1,019,839	+ 2,425,475
1859	1,830,271	2,362,660	4,192,931	1,072,906	75,716	1,148,622	+ 3,044,309
1860	1,352,091	1,485,128	2,837,219	792,650	41,550	834,200	+ 2,003,019
Total, 10 years	13,806,352	18,342,812	32,149,164	8,327,908	573,039	8,900,947	+23,248,217
1861	1,839,253	1,154,404	2,993,657	973,642	44,405	1,018,047	+ 1,975,610
1862	257,593	1,740,535	1,998,128	1,139,047	57,866	1,196,913	+ 801,215
1863	33,378	1,426,497	1,459,875	1,708,875	36,627	1,745,502	— 285,627
1864			2,985,426	1,933,003	71,400	2,004,403	+ 981,023
1865	118,435	1,203,841	1,322,276	1,789,912	97,903	1,887,815	— 565,539
1866	126,202	2,107,702	2,233,904	1,218,659	17,582	1,236,241	+ 997,663

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VENEZUELA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1867	47,723	1,706,825	1,754,548	873,070	31,620	904,690	+ 849,858
1868	76,336	2,292,641	2,368,977	926,922	34,340	961,262	+ 1,407,715
1869	62,099	2,286,017	2,348,116	844,859	29,176	874,035	+ 1,474,081
1870	87,808	1,829,507	1,917,315	850,048	16,492	866,540	+ 1,050,775
Total, 10 years	2,648,827	15,747,969	21,382,222	12,258,037	437,411	12,695,448	+ 8,686,774
1871	146,109	2,753,362	2,902,091	819,743	19,850	839,593	+ 2,062,498
1872	171,047	4,284,099	4,455,146	905,260	34,580	939,840	+ 3,515,306
1873	5,400,234	112,676	5,512,910	1,526,342	47,305	1,573,647	+ 3,939,263
1874	5,361,311	38,475	5,399,786	1,860,229	71,045	1,931,274	+ 3,468,512
1875	5,171,794	55,781	5,227,575	1,879,654	39,075	1,918,729	+ 3,308,846
1876	5,484,314	32,475	5,516,789	2,813,694	57,299	2,870,993	+ 2,645,796
1877	6,995,266	5,535	7,000,801	2,775,149	38,892	2,814,041	+ 4,186,760
1878	7,295,628	14,669	7,310,297	2,751,795	52,870	2,804,665	+ 4,505,632
1879	4,850,953	4,081	4,855,034	1,926,923	46,804	1,973,727	+ 2,881,307
1880	5,992,060	47,032	6,039,092	2,268,705	62,040	2,330,745	+ 3,708,347
Total, 10 years	46,868,716	7,350,805	54,219,521	19,527,494	469,760	19,997,254	+34,222,267
1881	6,563,043	38,774	6,601,817	2,704,063	64,541	2,768,604	+ 3,833,213
1882	5,742,343	3,958	5,746,300	2,137,100	38,085	2,175,185	+ 3,571,115
1883	5,889,985	11,739	5,901,724	2,363,211	40,494	2,403,705	+ 3,498,019
1884	6,668,048	5,993	6,674,041	2,388,945	39,016	2,427,961	+ 4,246,080
1885	6,267,887	41,693	6,309,580	2,992,968	50,641	3,043,609	+ 3,265,971
1886	5,754,151	37,470	5,791,621	2,695,488	37,342	2,732,830	+ 3,058,791
1887	8,248,450	12,786	8,261,236	2,827,010	44,709	2,871,719	+ 5,389,517
1888	10,042,905	8,345	10,051,250	3,008,336	30,179	3,038,515	+ 7,012,735
1889	10,385,769	6,800	10,392,569	3,703,705	35,256	3,738,961	+ 6,653,608
1890	10,960,770	5,995	10,966,765	3,084,280	44,303	4,028,583	+ 6,938,182
Total, 10 years	76,523,350	173,553	76,696,903	28,805,106	424,566	29,229,672	+47,467,231
1891	12,053,699	24,842	12,078,541	4,716,047	68,909	4,784,956	+ 7,293,585
1892	9,174,816	1,150,522	10,325,338	3,991,908	57,247	4,049,155	+ 6,276,183
1893	454,122	3,170,996	3,625,118	4,142,051	65,610	4,207,661	— 582,543
1894	189,483	3,274,998	3,464,481	4,089,732	47,431	4,137,163	— 672,682
1895	9,117,079	956,872	10,073,951	3,706,978	33,486	3,740,464	+ 6,333,487
1896	9,644,399	5,512	9,649,911	3,780,715	58,031	3,838,746	+ 5,811,165
1897	9,540,050	3,522	9,543,572	3,376,184	41,338	3,417,522	+ 6,126,050
1898	6,898,592	823,972	7,722,564	2,704,908	41,353	2,746,261	+ 4,976,303

ALL OTHER SOUTH AMERICA.

Ending September 30—							
1821	369,595	615,060	984,655	508,176	474,666	982,842	+ 1,813
1822	997,126	894,745	1,891,871	1,592,767	1,770,588	3,363,355	— 1,471,484
1823	1,514,612	1,357,475	2,872,087	1,372,526	3,229,347	4,601,873	— 1,729,786
1824	1,129,758	1,648,821	2,778,579	2,827,521	4,094,808	6,922,329	— 4,143,750
1825	29,545	4,705	34,250	91,152	46,654	137,806	— 103,546
1826	17,797	24,457	42,254	56,725	8,003	64,728	— 22,474
1827	26,002	1,501	27,503	71,537	21,489	93,026	— 65,523
1828	12,346	11,944	24,290	146,967	13,808	160,775	— 136,485
1829	51,514	4,338	55,852	145,720	6,175	151,895	— 96,043
1830	554	1,639	2,193	9,190	170	9,360	— 7,167
Total, 10 years	4,148,849	4,554,695	8,713,544	6,822,281	9,665,708	16,487,989	— 7,774,448
1831	2,928	1,996	4,924	19,922	15,731	35,653	— 30,729
1832				41,302		41,302	— 41,302
1833	6,924	11,176	18,100	121,050		121,050	— 102,950
1834	13,740	6,474	20,214	323,580	6,314	329,894	— 309,680
1835	79	16	95	212,142	21,110	233,252	— 233,157
1836				1,862		1,862	— 1,862
1837	139		139				+ 139
1838				1,875		1,875	— 1,875

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ALL OTHER SOUTH AMERICA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
Ending September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1839				23,618	27,257	50,875	— 50,875
1840				96,042	28,291	124,333	— 124,333
Total, 10 years	23,810	19,662	43,472	841,393	98,703	940,096	— 896,624
1841	25,438	1,831	27,269	78,981		78,981	— 51,712
1842				147,222		147,222	— 147,222
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)				98,713		98,713	— 98,713
1844				125,938		125,938	— 125,938
1845				75,329	9,910	85,239	— 85,239
1846				103,772		103,772	— 103,772
1847	10,500		10,500	44,427	6,213	50,640	— 40,140
1848				86,385		86,385	— 86,385
1849	11,450	4,709	16,159	85,215	8,019	93,234	— 77,075
1850	83,400	3,259	86,659	22,256	4,042	26,298	+ 60,361
Total, 10 years	130,788	9,799	140,587	868,238	28,184	896,422	— 755,835
1851	39,700	129	39,829	36,196	9,381	45,577	— 5,748
1852	32,159	80,927	113,086	258,035	1,177	259,212	— 146,126
1853	19,390		19,390	166,023	1,371	167,394	— 148,004
1854	17,663	218,030	235,693	47,241	7,322	54,563	+ 181,130
1855	19,500		19,500				+ 19,500
1856							
1857							
1858	38,658		38,658	12,373		12,373	+ 26,285
1859				5,355		5,355	— 5,355
1860							
Total, 10 years	167,070	299,086	466,156	525,223	19,251	544,474	— 78,318
1861		1,303	1,303				+ 1,303
1862							
1863							
1864							
1865							
1866				45,817		45,817	— 45,817
1867	13,565		13,565				+ 13,565
1868							
1869							
1870							
Total, 10 years	13,565	1,303	14,868	45,817		45,817	— 30,949
1871							
1872							
1873	79,625	9	79,634	23,850	75	23,925	+ 55,709
1874	147,927		147,927	33,627		33,627	+ 114,300
1875	179,226		179,226	12,563		12,563	+ 166,663
1876	123,384		123,384				+ 123,384
1877	46,530		46,530		286	286	+ 46,224
1878				55,297	309	55,606	— 55,606
1879				91,686	1,061	92,747	— 92,747
1880	93,309	14,669	107,978	103,851	1,261	105,112	+ 2,866
Total, 10 years	670,001	14,678	684,679	320,874	2,992	323,866	+ 360,813
1881	390,918	22	390,940	103,905	5,094	108,999	+ 281,941
1882	1,158,153	277	1,158,430	134,979	2,086	137,065	+ 1,021,365
1883	1,600,736	1,977	1,602,713	94,220	12,676	106,896	+ 1,495,817
1884	1,346,123	489	1,346,612	622,958	6,936	629,894	+ 716,718
1885	753,321	280	753,601	425,563	2,448	428,011	+ 325,590
1886	933,162	121	933,283	638,343	4,351	642,694	+ 290,589

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TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
Ending September 30—							
1821	524,711	1,025,570	1,550,281	1,393,524	814,079	2,207,603	— 657,322
1822	1,567,939	1,738,696	3,306,635	2,810,178	1,919,581	4,729,759	— 1,423,124
1823	1,905,773	2,143,909	4,049,682	2,434,735	3,499,913	5,934,648	— 1,893,966
1824	2,100,364	2,533,542	4,633,906	4,527,275	4,607,748	9,135,023	— 4,501,117
1825	2,095,813	2,237,848	4,333,661	4,069,037	2,723,011	6,792,048	— 2,458,387
1826	2,876,730	2,085,910	4,962,640	3,575,527	2,757,507	6,333,034	— 1,370,394
1827	1,299,665	2,053,617	3,353,282	3,512,754	1,402,511	4,915,265	— 1,561,983
1828	2,027,217	2,999,392	5,026,609	3,987,322	1,925,873	5,913,195	— 886,586
1829	2,202,444	2,838,392	5,040,836	3,608,377	1,424,644	5,033,021	+ 7,815
1830	2,427,728	2,491,381	4,919,109	3,300,259	1,285,662	4,585,921	+ 333,188
Total, 10 years	19,029,384	22,138,257	41,167,641	33,218,988	22,360,529	55,579,517	— 14,411,876
1831	2,506,611	2,516,288	5,112,899	3,285,038	1,191,647	4,476,685	+ 636,214
1832	3,908,343	3,680,747	7,589,090	2,667,689	2,029,441	4,697,130	+ 2,900,960
1833	6,251,394	2,294,253	8,545,647	4,361,579	2,000,345	6,361,924	+ 2,183,723
1834	7,600,305	859,644	8,459,949	3,893,705	1,840,180	5,733,885	+ 2,726,064
1835	7,945,640	869,680	8,815,320	3,541,532	1,490,319	5,031,851	+ 3,783,469
1836	8,483,639	2,162,209	10,645,848	3,134,824	1,198,424	4,333,248	+ 6,312,600
1837	7,907,936	612,508	8,520,444	3,255,860	1,315,010	4,570,870	+ 3,949,574
1838	5,897,773	808,002	6,705,775	4,147,039	994,787	5,141,826	+ 1,563,949
1839	9,928,246	1,068,813	10,997,059	4,556,372	1,222,500	5,778,872	+ 5,218,187
1840	7,866,029	663,586	8,549,615	4,742,366	912,829	5,655,195	+ 2,894,420
Total, 10 years	68,385,916	15,564,730	83,950,646	37,586,004	14,195,482	51,781,486	+ 32,169,160
1841	10,841,226	889,289	11,730,515	5,556,884	824,968	6,381,852	+ 5,348,663
1842	10,196,577	859,301	11,055,878	4,924,541	939,766	5,864,307	+ 5,191,571
Ending June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	4,887,040	2,022,686	6,909,726	3,661,624	656,954	4,318,578	+ 2,591,148
1844	7,107,250	3,652,475	10,759,725	4,988,609	766,549	5,755,158	+ 5,004,567
1845	6,259,915	4,435,444	10,695,359	5,307,779	699,268	6,007,047	+ 4,688,312
1846	8,155,589	3,162,537	11,318,126	5,989,599	470,544	6,460,143	+ 4,857,983
1847	7,401,335	3,508,829	10,910,164	5,919,339	573,942	6,493,281	+ 4,416,883
1848	6,655,934	5,800,612	12,456,546	6,776,268	486,371	7,262,639	+ 5,193,907
1849	7,883,992	6,025,758	13,909,750	6,851,068	659,422	7,511,090	+ 6,398,660
1850	9,013,996	7,020,013	16,034,009	6,981,323	733,682	7,715,005	+ 8,319,004
Total, 10 years	78,402,854	37,376,944	115,779,798	56,957,634	6,811,466	63,769,100	+ 52,010,698
1851	10,518,626	9,900,958	20,419,584	9,391,319	1,202,929	10,594,248	+ 9,825,336
1852	11,587,621	8,118,288	19,705,909	8,809,466	793,280	9,602,746	+ 10,103,163
1853	13,483,565	9,225,349	22,708,914	9,576,318	602,415	10,178,733	+ 12,530,181
1854	12,564,944	12,485,408	25,050,352	9,621,464	721,324	10,342,788	+ 14,707,564
1855	14,399,688	12,909,621	27,309,309	11,613,297	1,082,098	12,695,395	+ 14,613,914
1856	18,661,153	12,736,135	31,397,288	13,543,277	970,953	14,514,230	+ 16,883,058
1857	20,693,773	15,049,392	35,743,165	13,961,250	1,218,456	15,179,706	+ 20,563,459
1858	20,430,668	9,837,084	30,267,752	11,537,811	1,009,490	12,547,301	+ 17,719,851
1859	24,475,678	12,811,483	37,287,161	13,545,297	1,044,640	14,589,937	+ 22,697,224
1860	22,253,859	12,675,376	34,929,235	14,365,441	1,340,134	15,705,575	+ 19,223,660
Total, 10 years	169,068,975	115,749,094	284,818,069	115,964,940	9,985,719	125,950,659	+158,867,410
1861	23,169,779	7,906,987	31,076,766	12,819,960	997,669	13,817,629	+ 17,259,137
1862	5,788,974	14,843,659	20,632,633	10,811,929	672,904	11,484,833	+ 9,147,800
1863	718,331	20,519,186	21,237,517	14,473,576	1,457,094	15,930,670	+ 5,306,847
1864	1,341,455	29,953,566	31,295,021	18,163,310	1,011,617	19,174,927	+ 12,120,094
1865	2,438,988	19,660,206	22,099,194	20,398,300	1,004,980	21,403,280	+ 695,914
1866	1,017,492	30,520,796	31,538,288	16,768,233	334,913	17,103,146	+ 14,435,142
1867	2,415,150	32,542,199	34,957,349	19,848,205	712,752	20,560,957	+ 14,396,392
1868	2,703,065	37,308,038	40,011,103	19,028,185	597,678	19,625,863	+ 20,385,240
1869	3,204,481	37,874,358	41,078,839	17,276,033	791,112	18,067,145	+ 23,011,694
1870	3,046,177	39,317,664	42,363,841	17,447,022	753,565	18,200,587	+ 24,163,254
Total, 10 years	46,443,892	270,446,659	316,890,551	167,034,753	8,334,184	175,368,937	+141,521,614
1871	9,140,476	44,942,316	54,082,792	16,657,100	559,846	17,216,946	+ 36,866,346
1872	9,629,927	46,037,250	55,667,177	20,127,567	744,243	20,871,810	+ 34,795,367
1873	54,528,637	12,382,783	66,911,420	25,153,570	997,503	26,151,073	+ 40,760,347

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA—Continued.

YEAR—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1874.....	61,380,100	5,675,901	67,056,001	24,345,414	852,836	25,198,250	+ 41,857,751
1875.....	65,170,099	7,898,098	73,068,197	22,809,113	657,705	23,466,818	+ 49,601,379
1876.....	60,370,510	4,510,989	64,881,499	21,508,261	508,369	22,016,630	+ 42,864,869
1877.....	58,031,569	8,856,214	66,887,783	21,692,692	478,259	22,170,951	+ 44,716,832
1878.....	59,746,859	8,108,914	67,855,773	23,741,819	517,588	24,259,407	+ 43,596,366
1879.....	54,499,709	4,673,265	59,174,974	22,730,591	706,785	23,437,376	+ 35,737,598
1880.....	69,602,593	12,524,329	82,126,922	22,685,603	504,617	23,190,220	+ 58,936,702
Total, 10 years.....	502,100,479	155,612,059	657,712,538	221,451,730	6,527,251	227,978,981	+429,733,557
1881.....	67,115,142	13,512,166	80,627,308	24,608,279	696,567	25,304,846	+ 55,322,462
1882.....	65,811,837	15,480,099	81,291,936	26,469,820	755,030	27,224,850	+ 54,067,086
1883.....	62,268,850	14,468,133	76,736,983	28,927,097	643,562	29,570,659	+ 47,166,324
1884.....	58,906,671	16,847,289	75,753,960	30,430,154	796,780	31,226,934	+ 44,527,026
1885.....	55,348,080	9,941,876	65,289,956	26,967,181	767,076	27,734,857	+ 37,555,099
1886.....	55,129,466	10,745,959	65,875,425	25,277,323	854,668	26,131,991	+ 39,743,434
1887.....	69,614,388	10,149,805	79,764,191	29,566,293	1,178,204	30,744,497	+ 49,019,694
1888.....	72,475,908	11,880,490	84,356,398	28,609,144	970,083	29,579,227	+ 54,777,171
1889.....	80,315,939	11,819,113	92,135,052	33,654,324	1,366,693	35,021,017	+ 57,114,035
1890.....	82,076,418	7,929,726	90,006,144	37,745,002	1,007,646	38,752,648	+ 51,253,496
Total, 10 years.....	669,062,697	122,774,656	791,837,353	292,254,617	9,036,909	301,291,526	+490,545,827
1891.....	110,473,391	8,263,277	118,736,668	33,226,401	481,889	33,708,290	+ 85,028,378
1892.....	146,532,244	4,195,515	150,727,759	32,573,922	573,692	33,147,614	+117,580,145
1893.....	95,109,220	7,098,595	102,207,815	32,090,871	548,206	32,639,077	+ 69,568,738
1894.....	94,946,247	5,200,860	100,147,107	32,644,450	567,860	33,212,310	+ 66,934,797
1895.....	105,730,347	6,436,773	112,167,120	33,248,231	277,704	33,525,935	+ 78,641,185
1896.....	100,777,546	8,050,916	108,828,462	35,517,887	779,784	36,297,671	+ 72,530,791
1897.....	100,051,414	7,337,991	107,389,405	32,944,817	823,829	33,768,646	+ 73,620,759
1898.....	77,730,757	14,360,937	92,091,694	33,033,965	787,736	33,821,701	+ 58,269,993

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF
THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898.**

NORTH AMERICA.

BERMUDA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) of imports (+).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) of imports (+).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892 a.....	317		2,025	2,025	— 1,708	1896.....	292				+ 292
1893.....			9,760	9,760	— 9,760	1897.....					
1894.....			102,285	102,285	—102,295	1898.....	115		118,153	118,153	—118,038
1895.....	335				+ 335						

BRITISH HONDURAS.

September 30—						September 30—					
1821.....	80,590				+ 80,590	1831.....	20,503				+ 20,503
1822.....	137,664				+137,664	1832.....	19,101				+ 19,101
1823.....	86,169				+ 86,169	1833.....	53,812				+ 53,812
1824.....	51,047		6,000	6,000	+ 45,047	1834.....	43,529				+ 43,529
1825.....	27,021		5,562	5,562	+ 21,469	1835.....	71,780				+ 71,780
1826.....	17,428				+ 17,428	1836.....	39,797				+ 39,797
1827.....	6,575				+ 6,575	1837.....	79,137				+ 79,137
1828.....	600				+ 600	1838.....	114,902				+114,902
1829.....	46,117				+ 46,117	1839.....	76,421				+ 76,421
1830.....	1,472				+ 1,472	1840.....	111,114				+111,114
Total, 10 years.....	475,004		11,562	11,562	+443,131	Total, 10 years.....	630,096				+630,096

a Included in British West Indies prior to 1892.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Cont'd.

BRITISH HONDURAS—Continued.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1841.....	137,783				+ 137,783	1871.....	(a)				
1842.....	98,607		1,600	1,600	+ 97,007	1872.....	(a)				
June 30—						1873.....	(a)				
1843 (9 months) ..	74,603				+ 74,603	1874.....	(a)				
1844.....	104,139	2,800	3,020	5,820	+ 98,319	1875.....	(a)				
1845.....	74,577	5,600	1,999	7,599	+ 66,978	1876.....	(a)				
1846.....	80,458	2,072		2,072	+ 78,386	1877.....	(a)				
1847.....	91,432				+ 91,432	1878.....	(a)				
1848.....	105,429				+ 105,429	1879.....	41,201				+ 41,201
1849.....	109,005				+ 109,005	1880.....	51,946	8,000	1,325	9,325	+ 42,621
1850.....	46,744	5,000		5,000	+ 41,744	Total, 2 years..	93,147	8,000	1,325	9,325	+ 83,822
Total, 10 years..	922,777	15,472	6,619	22,091	+ 900,686	1881.....	21,380	1,000		1,000	+ 20,380
1851.....	15,692	10,500	5,110	15,610	+ 82	1882.....	143,657	25,000	3,000	28,000	+ 115,657
1852.....	38,294	11,000	2,437	13,437	+ 24,857	1883.....	45,983				+ 45,983
1853.....	37,109	8,000		8,000	+ 29,109	1884.....	19,487		1,000	1,000	+ 18,487
1854.....	48,220	7,000	10,000	17,000	+ 31,220	1885.....	79,433				+ 79,433
1855.....	79,316	2,000	2,995	4,995	+ 74,321	1886.....	108,356		3,632	3,632	+ 104,724
1856.....	111,328	2,000		2,000	+ 109,328	1887.....	191,026	10,575	58,856	69,431	+ 121,595
1857.....	55,461				+ 55,461	1888.....	308,968		1,150	1,150	+ 307,818
1858.....	39,988	7,100	194	7,294	+ 32,694	1889.....	318,898		1,195	1,195	+ 317,703
1859.....	28,555	1,120		1,120	+ 27,435	1890.....	383,037		2,304	2,304	+ 380,733
1860.....	28,519				+ 28,519	Total, 10 years..	1,620,225	36,575	71,137	107,712	+ 1,512,513
Total, 10 years..	482,482	48,720	20,736	69,456	+ 413,026	1891.....	446,296	2,200		2,200	+ 444,096
1861.....	57,312				+ 57,312	1892.....	208,167		27,791	27,791	+ 180,376
1862.....	55,532				+ 55,532	1893.....	457,886	260		260	+ 457,626
1863.....	51,739				+ 51,739	1894.....	322,072		4,222	4,222	+ 317,850
1864.....	(a)					1895.....	296,551	17,988	100	18,088	+ 278,463
1865.....	67,105				+ 67,105	1896.....	338,625	9,500	4,949	14,440	+ 324,185
1866.....	45,542	400		400	+ 45,542	1897.....	362,160		41,000	41,000	+ 321,160
1867.....	58,687	810		810	+ 57,877	1898.....	229,215	10,000		10,000	+ 219,215
1868.....	64,026	12,600	9,196	21,796	+ 42,230						
1869.....	(a)										
1870.....	(a)										
Total, 7 years..	399,943	13,810	9,195	23,006	+ 376,937						

a Included in British West Indies.

BRITISH AMERICAN COLONIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	89,417				+ 89,417	1838.....	450,712	329,758	100,450	430,208	+ 20,504
1822.....	158,225				+ 158,225	1839.....	431,782	10,300	5,000	15,300	+ 416,482
1823.....	219,740				+ 219,740	1840.....	780,171	11,500		11,500	+ 768,671
1824.....	293,840				+ 293,840	Total, 10 years..	5,145,316	3,140,065	457,787	3,597,852	+ 1,547,464
1825.....	218,896				+ 218,896	1841.....	475,891	21,500	176,600	198,100	+ 277,791
1826.....	221,994	459,050	3,200	462,250	— 240,256	1842.....	768,069	47,000	12,076	59,076	+ 708,993
1827.....	154,507	993,632	27,659	1,021,291	— 866,784	June 30—					
1828.....	179,944	72,500	53,272	126,772	+ 53,172	1843 (9 months) ..	403,545	61,434	24,900	86,334	+ 317,211
1829.....	241,237	586,000	40,253	626,253	— 385,016	1844.....	445,995	64,000	647,244	711,244	— 265,249
1830.....	252,279	908,820	128,321	1,037,141	— 784,862	1845.....	914,461	153,549	335,546	489,095	+ 425,366
Total, 10 years..	2,035,079	3,021,002	252,705	3,273,707	— 1,238,628	1846.....	623,043	251,900		251,900	+ 371,143
1831.....	277,197	956,190	25,900	982,090	— 704,893	1847.....	863,451	10,200	480,075	490,275	+ 373,176
1832.....	542,745	254,033	16,961	270,994	+ 271,751	1848.....	960,148	405,900	150,000	555,900	+ 404,248
1833.....	817,880	356,300	14,704	371,004	+ 446,876	1849.....	47,530				+ 47,530
1834.....	652,353	400,500		400,500	+ 251,853	1850.....	38,593	33,044		33,044	+ 5,549
1835.....	197,400	536,299	102,484	638,783	— 441,383	Total, 10 years..	5,540,726	1,048,527	1,826,441	2,874,968	+ 2,665,758
1836.....	546,474	32,150	32,283	64,433	+ 482,036						
1837.....	448,602	253,125	160,000	413,125	+ 35,477						

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

CANADA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1851.....	1,413,404	30	227,801	227,831	+ 1,185,573	1875.....	4,491,944	2,070,796	2,070,796	+ 2,421,148	
1852.....	640,854	51,000	228,408	279,408	+ 361,445	1876.....	1,920,356	2,056,816	2,056,816	— 136,460	
1853.....	1,023,159	102,760	614,761	717,521	+ 305,638	1877.....	1,768,712	1,453,348	1,453,348	+ 315,364	
1854.....	143,148	193,900	210,348	400,248	— 266,100	1878.....	2,612,054	811,422	811,422	+ 1,800,632	
1855.....	18,445	60,000	4,212	64,212	— 45,767	1879.....	1,743,360	1,221,943	2,669	1,224,612	+ 518,778
1856.....	33,807	4,000		4,000	+ 29,807	1880.....	2,763,524	981,972		981,972	+ 1,781,552
1857.....	15,380	116,000	8,000	124,000	— 108,620	Total, 10 years.	31,290,363	21,707,199	2,669	21,709,868	+ 9,580,495
1858.....	21,683	47,201		47,201	— 25,518	1881.....	2,513,123	833,557	1,000	834,557	+ 1,678,566
1859.....	439,986	44,680		44,680	+ 395,306	1882.....	2,921,868	1,951,726	1,700	1,953,426	+ 976,442
1860.....	278,585	10,400		10,400	+ 268,185	1883.....	4,273,566	1,643,130		1,643,130	+ 2,630,436
Total, 10 years.	4,028,451	644,971	1,233,530	1,928,501	+ 2,099,900	1884.....	2,096,583	700,607		700,607	+ 1,395,976
1861.....	338,444	69,100		69,100	+ 269,344	1885.....	1,075,680	578,630		578,600	+ 497,080
1862.....	788,970	466,788	39,257	506,045	+ 282,925	1886.....	894,772	1,136,850		1,136,850	— 332,078
1863.....	6,536,478	3,651,216		3,651,216	+ 2,885,262	1887.....	1,676,408				+ 1,676,408
1864 a.....	9,313,279	2,379,074	33,449	3,412,523	+ 5,900,756	1888.....	880,195				+ 880,195
1865.....	3,023,305	2,937,259	25,484	2,962,743	+ 60,562	1889.....	712,636				+ 712,636
1866.....	5,233,450	4,319,238	33,456	4,352,692	+ 910,758	1890.....	609,557	3,015		3,015	+ 597,542
1867.....	6,789,488	3,132,867	50,000	3,182,867	+ 3,606,621	Total, 10 years.	18,169,388	6,847,485	2,700	6,850,185	+ 11,319,203
1868 b.....	2,616,323	2,003,495		2,003,495	+ 612,828	1891.....	407,722	147,462		147,462	+ 260,260
1869.....	1,919,482	699,594		699,594	+ 1,219,888	1892.....	2,010,840	1,421,413	126,003	1,547,416	+ 463,424
1870.....	4,133,595	1,465,070		1,465,070	+ 2,668,525	1893.....	5,213,894	5,538,463	63,538	5,602,001	— 453,107
Total, 10 years.	49,772,814	21,043,679	181,616	22,225,345	+ 18,547,469	1894.....	2,093,680	1,657,262	282,810	1,940,072	+ 153,608
1871.....	3,844,901	2,144,050		2,144,050	+ 1,700,851	1895.....	4,890,111	3,407,056	103,245	3,510,301	+ 1,379,810
1872.....	3,382,890	3,337,426		3,337,426	+ 45,464	1896.....	7,791,368	5,699,955	180,273	5,880,238	+ 1,911,140
1873.....	4,964,539	4,007,443		4,007,443	+ 957,096	1897.....	7,055,054	3,516,582	511,142	4,057,724	+ 2,937,330
1874.....	3,792,043	3,621,983		3,621,983	+ 170,060	1898.....	12,122,931	2,864,055	665,085	3,529,140	+ 8,593,791

NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK, ETC.

June 30—						June 30—					
1873.....	123,639	.....	.....	.....	+ 123,639	1886.....	168,550	.....	.....	.....	+ 168,550
1874.....	976	2,415	.....	2,415	— 1,439	1887.....	1,700	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,700
1875.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1888.....	3,194	.....	.....	.....	+ 3,194
1876.....	10,102	.....	.....	.....	+ 10,102	1889.....	2,200	.....	.....	.....	+ 2,200
1877.....	59,523	.....	.....	.....	+ 59,523	1890.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1878.....	41,205	.....	.....	.....	+ 41,205	Total, 10 years.	784,286	.....	2,700	2,700	+ 781,586
1879.....	75,090	16,200	2,669	18,869	+ 56,131	1891.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1880.....	918	.....	.....	.....	+ 918	1892.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, 8 years..	311,363	18,615	2,669	21,284	+ 290,079	1893.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1881.....	175,920	.....	1,000	1,000	+ 174,920	1894.....	1,422	1,823	.....	1,823	— 401
1882.....	195,072	.....	1,700	1,700	+ 193,372	1895.....	1,100	2,882	.....	2,882	— 1,782
1883.....	193,700	.....	.....	.....	+ 193,700	1896.....	269,648	25,358	62,585	87,943	+ 181,695
1884.....	20,000	.....	.....	.....	+ 20,000	1897.....	359,376	105,201	23,363	128,564	+ 230,812
1885.....	23,950	.....	.....	.....	+ 23,950	1898.....	547,610	75,748	2,044	77,792	+ 469,818

^a Previous to 1864 includes Canada and British North American Possessions.

^b Includes British American Possessions on the Atlantic.

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QUEBEC, ONTARIO, ETC.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....	4,840,900	4,007,443	.....	4,007,443	+ 833,457	1886.....	16,718	1,136,850	.....	1,136,850	—1,120,132
1874.....	2,747,772	3,619,568	.....	3,619,568	— 871,796	1887.....	1,000,143	.....	.....	.....	+1,000,148
1875.....	3,053,561	2,070,746	.....	2,070,746	+ 982,815	1888.....	317,354	.....	.....	.....	+ 317,354
1876.....	457,056	1,891,816	.....	1,891,816	— 1,434,760	1889.....	160,024	.....	.....	.....	+ 160,024
1877.....	625,314	1,453,348	.....	1,453,348	— 828,034	1890.....	138,807	500	.....	500	+ 138,367
1878.....	1,435,073	811,422	.....	811,422	+ 623,651	Total, 10 years.	11,089,257	6,626,266	.....	6,626,266	+4,462,991
1879.....	699,327	1,205,743	.....	1,205,743	— 536,416	1891.....	5,292	9,947	.....	9,947	— 4,655
1880.....	1,742,120	951,972	.....	951,972	+ 790,148	1892.....	1,638,219	1,343,366	123,503	1,466,869	+ 171,350
Total, 8 years..	15,571,123	16,012,058	.....	16,012,058	— 440,935	1893.....	4,921,059	5,551,032	68,538	5,619,570	— 698,511
1881.....	1,536,254	627,557	.....	627,557	+ 908,697	1894.....	1,783,800	1,594,341	282,810	1,877,151	— 93,351
1882.....	1,971,047	1,939,022	.....	1,939,022	+ 32,025	1895.....	3,378,889	3,376,677	103,245	3,479,922	— 101,033
1883.....	3,445,862	1,643,130	.....	1,643,130	+ 1,802,732	1896.....	4,876,220	5,601,947	117,038	5,719,635	— 843,415
1884.....	2,046,800	700,697	.....	700,697	+ 1,346,103	1897.....	1,395,886	3,252,933	487,779	3,740,712	—2,344,826
1885.....	456,243	578,600	.....	578,600	— 122,357	1898.....	4,777,314	2,670,592	669,041	3,333,633	+1,443,681

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

June 30—						June 30—					
1865.....	1,020,760	50,000	.....	50,000	+ 970,760	1881.....	800,949	206,000	.....	206,000	+ 594,949
1866.....	912,881	175,000	.....	175,000	+ 737,881	1882.....	763,749	12,704	.....	12,704	+ 751,045
1867.....	1,770,685	120,000	.....	120,000	+ 1,650,685	1883.....	640,004	.....	.....	.....	+ 640,004
1868.....	1,454,519	178,000	.....	178,000	+ 1,276,519	1884.....	629,783	.....	.....	.....	+ 629,783
1869.....	877,066	196,387	9,780	206,167	+ 670,899	1885.....	595,487	.....	.....	.....	+ 595,487
1870.....	670,878	45,000	.....	45,000	+ 625,878	1886.....	619,504	.....	.....	.....	+ 619,504
Total, 6 years..	6,706,789	764,387	9,780	774,167	+ 5,932,622	1887.....	674,569	.....	.....	.....	+ 674,569
1871.....	1,037,313	82,500	.....	82,500	+ 954,813	1888.....	559,647	.....	.....	.....	+ 559,647
1872.....	1,231,612	10,200	.....	10,200	+ 1,221,412	1889.....	550,412	.....	.....	.....	+ 550,412
1873.....	1,194,999	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,194,999	1890.....	461,750	2,515	.....	2,515	+ 459,235
1874.....	1,043,295	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,043,295	Total, 10 years.	6,295,845	221,210	.....	221,210	+ 6,074,636
1875.....	1,438,383	50	.....	50	+ 1,438,333	1891.....	402,430	137,515	.....	137,515	+ 264,915
1876.....	1,453,198	165,000	.....	165,000	+ 1,288,198	1892.....	372,021	78,047	2,500	80,547	+ 292,074
1877.....	1,083,875	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,083,875	1893.....	292,825	47,431	.....	47,431	+ 245,404
1878.....	1,135,776	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,135,776	1894.....	308,458	61,098	.....	61,098	+ 247,360
1879.....	999,063	.....	.....	.....	+ 999,063	1895.....	1,510,122	27,497	.....	27,497	+1,482,625
1880.....	1,026,496	30,000	.....	30,000	+ 996,496	1896.....	2,645,510	72,650	.....	72,650	+2,572,860
Total, 10 years.	11,644,010	287,750	.....	287,750	+11,356,260	1897.....	5,299,607	188,448	.....	188,448	+5,111,159
						1898.....	6,798,007	117,715	.....	117,715	+6,680,292

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR.

June 30—						June 30—					
1824 a.....	4,350	.....	.....	.....	+ 4,350	1885.....	50,000	.....	.....	.....	+ 50,000
1825 a.....	5,500	.....	.....	.....	+ 5,500	1886.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1826 a.....	3,000	.....	.....	.....	+ 3,000	1887.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1827 b.....	13,327	.....	.....	.....	+ 13,327	1888.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1831 b.....	2,570	.....	.....	.....	+ 2,570	1889.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1877.....	.....	2,200	.....	2,200	— 2,200	1890.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1878.....	1,335	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,335	Total, 10 years.	53,329	.....	.....	.....	+ 53,329
1879.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1891.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1880.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1892.....	1,054	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,054
Total, 4 years..	1,335	2,200	.....	2,200	— 865	1893.....	559	.....	.....	.....	+ 559
1881.....	2,679	.....	.....	.....	+ 2,679	1894.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1882.....	1895.....	100,000	100,000	— 100,000
1883.....	650	+ 650	1896.....	952	+ 952
1884.....	1897.....	185	+ 185
						1898.....

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OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1825.....	13,946	.....	3,200	3,200	+ 10,746	1839.....	35,671	5,000	49,303	54,303	— 18,632
1826.....	43,013	.....	.....	.....	+ 43,013	1840.....	26,582	2,500	8,100	10,600	+ 15,982
1827.....	106,609	.....	.....	.....	+ 106,609	Total, 10 years.	484,571	8,250	187,543	195,793	+ 288,778
1828.....	56,487	.....	.....	.....	+ 56,487	1841.....	19,241	1,000	1,601	2,601	+ 16,640
1829.....	139,872	.....	.....	.....	+ 139,872	1842.....	10,895	5,500	3,515	9,015	+ 1,880
1830.....	131,672	.....	.....	.....	+ 131,672	June 30—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, 6 years..	491,599	.....	3,200	3,200	+ 488,399	1843 (9 months) ..	11,818	.....	800	800	+ 11,018
1831.....	88,310	750	.....	750	+ 87,560	1844.....	14,187	10,000	.....	10,000	+ 4,187
1832.....	94,525	.....	51,990	51,990	+ 42,535	1845.....	3,411	2,000	967	2,967	+ 444
1833.....	84,529	.....	31,500	31,500	+ 53,029	1846.....	12,123	.....	4,375	4,375	+ 7,748
1834.....	26,801	.....	.....	.....	+ 26,801	1847.....	5,139	.....	.....	.....	+ 5,139
1835.....	31,313	.....	4,700	4,700	+ 26,613	1848.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	— 2,000
1836.....	31,911	.....	20,900	20,900	+ 11,011	1849.....	5,907	.....	.....	.....	+ 5,907
1837.....	14,625	.....	.....	.....	+ 14,625	1850.....	16,691	16,190	.....	16,190	+ 501
1838.....	50,394	.....	21,050	21,050	+ 29,344	Total, 10 years.	99,412	36,690	11,258	47,948	+ 51,464

TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.

June 30—						June 30—					
1851.....	17,670	14,194		14,194	+ 3,476	1875.....	192,208	308,410	89,292	397,702	— 205,494
1852.....	207,495	4,700	2,700	7,400	+ 200,095	1876.....	221,605	46,114	2,816	48,930	+ 172,675
1853.....	498,598				+ 498,598	1877.....	204,930	391,041	4,915	395,956	— 191,026
1854.....	2,233,100				+ 2,233,100	1878.....	101,393	274,608	106,399	381,007	— 279,614
1855.....	121,452	1,000,000		1,000,000	— 878,548	1879.....	215,545	297,491	30,122	327,613	— 82,068
1856.....	60,579	20,000		20,000	+ 40,579	1880.....	175,056	227,524	33,622	261,146	— 86,090
1857.....	26,172	27,432		27,432	— 1,260	Total, 10 years.	1,254,426	3,132,185	329,158	3,461,343	— 2,206,917
1858.....	9,024	10,600	4,000	14,000	— 4,967	1881.....	241,183	146,508	21,511	168,019	+ 73,164
1859.....	227,004	14,450	4,050	18,500	+ 208,504	1882.....	110,621	259,460	27,060	286,529	— 175,908
1860.....	30,000	11,145		11,145	+ 18,855	1883.....	90,512	20,612	3,656	24,268	+ 66,244
Total, 10 years.	3,431,094	1,101,921	10,759	1,112,671	+ 2,318,423	1884.....	88,208	66,173	57,549	123,722	— 35,414
1861.....	1,615				+ 1,615	1885.....	191,893	39,261	1,735	40,996	+ 150,897
1862.....	4,224				+ 4,224	1886.....	171,361	59,314	36,170	95,484	+ 75,877
1863.....	400				+ 400	1887.....	69,327	40,562	30,705	71,267	— 1,940
1864.....	2,000	38,715		38,715	— 36,715	1888.....	124,117	89,728	271,871	361,599	— 237,482
1865.....		58,014		58,014	— 58,014	1889.....	124,821	167,294	329,248	496,542	— 371,721
1866.....	9,889	121,683		121,683	— 111,794	1890.....	470,585	23,270	96,861	120,131	+ 350,454
1867.....	8,359	123,157		123,157	— 114,798	Total, 10 years.	1,682,728	912,191	876,366	1,788,557	— 105,829
1868.....	6,602	85,030		85,030	— 78,428	1891.....	660,870	112,404	293,383	405,787	+ 255,083
1869.....	2,582	895,691	35,662	931,353	— 928,771	1892.....	388,719	46,500	84,484	130,984	+ 257,735
1870.....	1,108	897,306	31,911	929,217	— 928,109	1893.....	807,818	120,566	39,911	160,497	+ 647,521
Total, 10 years.	36,779	2,219,596	67,573	2,287,169	— 2,250,390	1894.....	692,719	562,462	52,958	615,420	+ 77,299
1871.....	47,383	87,889		87,889	— 40,506	1895.....	439,570	430,320	131,399	561,719	— 122,149
1872.....	19,033	525,890	15,000	540,890	— 521,857	1896.....	1,043,442	723,393	7,944	731,337	+ 312,105
1873.....	6,354	379,759	5,980	385,739	— 379,385	1897.....	1,593,630	174,090	125,853	300,543	+ 1,293,087
1874.....	40,919	593,459	41,012	634,471	— 593,552	1898.....	1,507,589	246,556	240,559	487,115	+ 820,474

COSTA RICA.

June 30—					June 30—					
1886.....	128,045	21,809	21,809	+ 106,236	1893.....	6,466	13,625	13,625	— 7,159	
1887.....	11,393	9,677	10,145	— 8,429	1894.....	19,108	1,000	1,000	+ 18,108	
1888.....	11,558	16,361	8,377	— 13,180	1895.....	4,450			+ 4,450	
1889.....	26,929	8,845	8,845	+ 18,084	1896.....	28,740	10,400	10,400	+ 18,340	
1890.....	20,586	5,500	5,500	+ 15,086	1897.....	30,797	5,500	5,500	+ 25,297	
Total, 5 years	198,511	62,192	18,522	+ 117,797	1898.....	25,780	77,208	77,208	+ 51,428	
1891.....	76,942	18,387	18,874	+ 58,039	Total, 8 years	200,308	134,175	5,487	139,662	+ 163,502
1892.....	8,051	8,055	13,055	— 5,001						

a Newfoundland and British fisheries.

b Northwest coast of America.

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GUATEMALA.

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		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1886.....	23,738	28,260	8,770	37,030	— 13,292	1893.....	112,179	1,100	6,860	7,960	+ 104,219
1887.....	14,062	7,885	7,885	+ 6,177	1894.....	326,938	465,562	29,132	494,694	— 167,756
1888.....	7,359	27,095	77,188	104,283	— 96,924	1895.....	29,483	407,520	440	407,960	— 378,477
1889.....	35	133,786	133,786	—133,751	1896.....	77,291	712,993	1,282	714,275	— 636,984
1890.....	241,195	4,000	340	4,340	+236,855	1897.....	68,322	168,125	92,629	260,754	— 192,432
Total, 5 years..	286,389	201,026	86,298	287,324	— 935	1898.....	21,021	92,485	228,207	320,692	— 299,671
1891.....	270,962	74,919	147,231	222,150	+ 48,832	Total, 8 years..	1,064,061	1,958,019	530,071	2,488,090	—1,424,029
1892.....	157,845	35,315	24,290	59,605	+ 98,240						

HONDURAS.

June 30—						June 30—					
1886.....	3,706	.....	.....	.....	+ 3,706	1893.....	513,397	306	17,537	17,843	+ 495,554
1887.....	11,637	5,500	17,515	23,015	— 11,378	1894.....	163,540	.....	8,941	8,941	+ 154,599
1888.....	63,465	495	137,303	137,798	— 74,333	1895.....	164,445	2,000	24,792	26,792	+ 137,653
1889.....	62,170	10,455	145,298	155,753	— 93,583	1896.....	481,634	.....	4,237	4,237	+ 477,397
1890.....	99,188	.....	17,347	17,347	+ 81,841	1897.....	832,784	200	10,224	10,424	+ 822,360
Total, 5 years..	240,166	16,450	317,463	333,913	— 93,747	1898.....	639,138	240	12,352	12,592	+ 626,546
1891.....	127,967	5,000	36,965	41,965	+ 86,002	Total, 8 years..	3,032,958	7,746	167,432	175,178	+2,857,780
1892.....	110,053	.....	52,384	52,384	+ 57,669						

NICARAGUA.

June 30—						June 30—					
1886.....	9,596	3,907	8,400	12,307	— 2,711	1893.....	167,787	1,000	15,514	16,514	+ 151,273
1887.....	24,025	7,500	3,045	10,545	+ 13,480	1894.....	144,404	17,500	10,125	27,625	+ 116,779
1888.....	25,448	32,858	31,803	64,661	— 39,213	1895.....	151,455	1,000	10,197	11,197	+ 140,258
1889.....	34,687	10,338	125,151	135,489	—100,802	1896.....	390,701	.....	2,425	2,425	+ 388,276
1890.....	101,677	13,770	79,174	92,944	+ 8,733	1897.....	579,165	500	.....	500	+ 578,665
Total, 5 years..	195,433	68,373	247,573	315,946	—120,513	1898.....	469,914	5,625	.....	5,625	+ 464,289
1891.....	117,622	9,250	28,285	37,535	+ 80,087	Total, 8 years..	2,128,486	36,875	69,356	106,231	+2,022,255
1892.....	107,438	2,000	2,810	4,810	+102,628						

SALVADOR.

June 30—						June 30—					
1886.....	6,276	5,338	19,000	24,338	— 18,062	1893.....	7,989	104,555	.....	104,555	— 96,566
1887.....	8,210	10,000	.....	10,000	— 1,790	1894.....	38,729	78,400	4,760	83,160	— 44,431
1888.....	16,287	12,919	17,200	30,119	— 13,832	1895.....	89,737	19,800	95,970	115,770	— 26,033
1889.....	1,000	3,870	58,799	62,669	— 61,669	1896.....	65,076	.....	.....	.....	+ 65,076
1890.....	7,939	.....	.....	.....	+ 7,939	1897.....	82,562	365	23,000	23,365	+ 59,197
Total, 5 years..	39,712	32,127	94,999	127,126	— 87,414	1898.....	151,736	70,998	.....	70,998	+ 80,738
1891.....	67,386	4,848	80,415	85,263	— 17,877	Total, 8 years..	508,544	280,096	204,145	484,241	+ 24,303
1892.....	5,329	1,130	.....	1,130	+ 4,199						

TEXAS.

(Republic of Texas.)

September 30—						June 30—					
1837.....	.....	.....	1,700	1,700	— 1,700	1843 (9 months) ..	17,174	.....	.....	.....	+ 17,174
1838.....	.....	.....	825	825	— 825	1844.....	10,114	.....	.....	.....	+ 10,114
1839.....	17,409	.....	.....	.....	+ 17,409	1845.....	46,427	.....	.....	.....	+ 46,427
1840.....	55,062	.....	.....	.....	+ 55,062	1846.....	10,699	.....	.....	.....	+ 10,699
1841.....	65,688	+ 65,688	Total, 10 years..	248,083	2,525	2,525	+ 245,558
1842.....	25,510	+ 25,510						

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MEXICO.

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		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1825.....	2,603,108		199,946	199,946	+ 2,403,162	1861.....	2,803,101	5,000	464	5,464	+ 2,797,637
1826.....	2,860,409		1,500	1,500	+ 2,858,909	1862.....	1,953,864				+ 1,953,864
1827.....	4,005,255		800	800	+ 4,004,455	1863.....	1,485,702	51,588		51,588	+ 1,434,114
1828.....	3,852,880		4,850	4,850	+ 3,849,030	1864.....	1,755,946	3,162,827	248,130	3,410,957	— 1,655,011
1829.....	4,344,046		4,640	4,640	+ 4,340,306	1865.....	1,133,299	664,241		664,241	+ 469,058
1830.....	4,703,716				+ 4,703,716	1866.....	2,429,511	15,000		15,000	+ 2,414,511
Total, 6 years..	22,371,314		211,736	211,736	+ 22,159,578	1867.....	2,849,038	38,452	18,000	56,452	+ 2,792,586
1831.....	4,464,124		24,210	24,210	+ 4,439,914	1868.....	4,525,255	12,924		12,924	+ 4,512,331
1832.....	3,626,704		1,600	1,600	+ 3,625,104	1869.....	4,895,842	2,000		2,000	+ 4,893,842
1833.....	4,592,892		1,410	1,410	+ 4,591,482	1870.....	10,383,366	11,696	4,000	15,696	+ 10,367,670
1834.....	7,204,517				+ 7,204,517	Total, 10 years.	34,214,924	3,963,728	270,594	4,234,322	+ 29,980,602
1835.....	8,343,181		8,395	8,395	+ 8,334,786	1871.....	14,301,475	38,500		38,500	+ 14,262,975
1836.....	4,537,418				+ 4,537,418	1872.....	4,504,204	25,000	10,000	35,000	+ 4,469,204
1837.....	4,650,978				+ 4,650,978	1873.....	12,154,060	143,797	21,465	165,262	+ 11,988,798
1838.....	2,689,426		22,732	22,732	+ 2,666,694	1874.....	8,893,541	57,531		57,531	+ 8,836,010
1839.....	2,273,548		4,200	4,200	+ 2,269,348	1875.....	6,460,389	23,788	9,713	33,501	+ 6,426,888
1840.....	3,458,892				+ 3,458,892	1876.....	7,355,181	5,890	1,800	7,600	+ 7,347,581
Total, 10 years.	45,841,699		62,547	62,547	+ 45,779,152	1877.....	10,240,319	5,239		5,239	+ 10,235,080
1841.....	1,938,083		6,204	6,204	+ 1,931,879	1878.....	8,394,146	32,180		32,180	+ 8,361,966
June 30—	1,342,817		8,680	8,680	+ 1,334,137	1879.....	8,554,598	5,040	4,000	9,040	+ 8,545,558
1843 (9 months) ..	2,176,603		11,825	11,825	+ 2,164,778	1880.....	9,115,824	3,371		3,371	+ 9,112,453
1844.....	1,780,267	1,000	5,000	6,000	+ 1,774,267	Total, 10 years.	89,973,737	340,246	46,978	387,224	+ 89,586,513
1845.....	956,407				+ 956,407	1881.....	9,136,324		1,500	1,500	+ 9,134,824
1846.....	698,553	1,440	1,440	2,880	+ 695,673	1882.....	6,631,938	8,995	9,451	18,446	+ 6,613,492
1847.....	328,008				+ 328,008	1883.....	9,782,086	5,120	91,844	96,964	+ 9,686,022
1848.....	850,146				+ 850,146	1884.....	13,015,901	4,500	331,135	335,635	+ 12,680,266
1849.....	1,528,525		6,290	6,290	+ 1,522,235	1885.....	14,919,611	3,100	76,306	79,406	+ 14,840,205
1850.....	1,560,166				+ 1,560,166	1886.....	16,935,396		110,035	110,035	+ 16,825,361
Total, 10 years.	13,159,635	2,440	39,439	41,879	+ 13,117,756	1887.....	14,855,765		279,812	279,812	+ 14,575,953
1851.....	1,082,993				+ 1,082,993	1888.....	14,032,637	4,500	314,908	319,408	+ 13,713,229
1852.....	1,093,942				+ 1,093,942	1889.....	17,557,248	59,850	116,766	176,616	+ 17,380,632
1853.....	1,411,885				+ 1,411,885	1890.....	18,155,809	15,836	225,076	240,912	+ 17,914,897
1854.....	2,525,334				+ 2,525,334	Total, 10 years.	135,023,615	101,991	1,556,833	1,658,734	+ 133,364,881
1855.....	1,978,080		1,200	1,200	+ 1,976,880	1891.....	14,297,431	111,589	116,145	227,734	+ 14,069,697
1856.....	2,714,923	250	200	450	+ 2,714,473	1892.....	19,174,034	14,231	154,353	168,584	+ 19,005,450
1857.....	4,958,984				+ 4,958,984	1893.....	22,951,604	129,260	344,682	473,942	+ 22,477,662
1858.....	4,368,964	3,000		3,000	+ 4,365,964	1894.....	12,790,199	132,864	576,068	708,932	+ 12,081,267
1859.....	4,093,890	55,008	17,796	72,804	+ 4,021,086	1895.....	20,325,430	5,399	545,665	551,064	+ 19,774,366
1860.....	5,032,441	29,360		29,360	+ 5,003,081	1896.....	29,166,241	19,360	267,200	286,560	+ 28,879,681
Total, 10 years.	29,264,436	87,618	19,196	106,814	+ 29,157,622	1897.....	29,891,525	5,562	109,187	114,749	+ 29,776,776
						1898.....	30,151,170	1,115,935	94,294	1,210,229	+ 28,940,941

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June 30—					June 30—						
1855.....		2,000		2,000	—	2,000	1895.....	4,175	4,000	9,200	13,200 — 9,025
1856.....	8,929				+	8,929	1896.....	2,240		12,000	12,000 — 9,760
1857.....		800		800	—	800	1897.....		1,000	4,000	5,000 — 5,000
1894.....			1,075	1,075	—	1,075	1898.....		8,100		8,100 — 8,100

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TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

BRITISH WEST INDIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	801, 139				+ 801, 139	1861.....	164, 349	53, 600	64, 088	117, 688	+ 46, 661
1822.....	174, 862		2, 200	2, 200	+ 172, 662	1862 <i>a</i>	138, 966	42, 638		42, 638	+ 96, 328
1823.....	520, 730		7, 319	7, 319	+ 513, 411	1863 <i>a</i>	130, 725	448, 426	3, 245	451, 671	— 320, 946
1824.....	828, 199		12, 150	12, 150	+ 816, 049	1864 <i>b</i>	212, 679	998, 805	71, 500	1, 070, 305	— 857, 626
1825.....	638, 210		480	480	+ 637, 730	1865.....	213, 699	362, 486		362, 486	— 148, 787
1826.....	618, 559	4, 118	3, 730	7, 848	+ 610, 711	1866.....	303, 682	7, 863	372	8, 035	+ 295, 647
1827.....	313, 386				+ 313, 386	1867.....	254, 644	16, 300	10, 000	26, 300	+ 228, 344
1828.....	34, 851	825	1, 880	2, 705	+ 32, 146	1868.....	194, 849	14, 505		14, 505	+ 180, 344
1829.....	79, 490		4, 878	4, 878	+ 74, 612	1869.....	130, 471	40, 116		40, 116	+ 90, 355
1830.....	66, 736		1, 761	1, 761	+ 64, 975	1870.....	119, 026	78, 869	14, 520	93, 389	+ 25, 637
Total, 10 years.	4, 076, 162	4, 943	34, 398	39, 341	+ 4, 036, 821	Total, 10 years.	1, 863, 090	2, 063, 408	163, 725	2, 227, 133	— 364, 043
1831.....	429, 446		1, 660	1, 660	+ 427, 786	1871.....	51, 519	42, 521	37, 105	79, 626	— 28, 107
1832.....	411, 824	400	10, 879	11, 279	+ 400, 545	1872.....	85, 217	43, 714	800	44, 514	+ 40, 703
1833.....	380, 491		4, 215	4, 215	+ 376, 276	1873 <i>a</i>	159, 132	22, 461	16, 002	38, 463	+ 120, 669
1834.....	432, 384		3, 306	3, 306	+ 429, 078	1874 <i>a</i>	111, 103	292, 682		292, 682	— 181, 579
1835.....	403, 972	1, 550	6, 190	7, 740	+ 396, 232	1875 <i>a</i>	109, 778	3, 550		3, 550	+ 106, 228
1836.....	200, 226	11, 463	12, 062	23, 525	+ 176, 701	1876 <i>a</i>	116, 481	200		200	+ 116, 281
1837.....	661, 045	200	5, 850	6, 050	+ 654, 995	1877 <i>a</i>	206, 483	22, 126	22, 502	44, 628	+ 161, 855
1838.....	1, 256, 795	8, 890	73, 057	81, 947	+ 1, 174, 848	1878 <i>a</i>	185, 115	6, 875	12, 409	19, 284	+ 165, 831
1839.....	273, 295	29, 134	51, 597	80, 731	+ 192, 564	1879.....	247, 055	39, 103	37, 666	76, 769	+ 170, 286
1840.....	552, 001	1, 650	3, 700	5, 350	+ 546, 651	1880.....	446, 825	4, 625	82, 998	87, 623	+ 359, 202
Total, 10 years.	5, 001, 479	53, 287	172, 516	225, 803	+ 4, 775, 676	Total, 10 years.	1, 718, 708	477, 857	208, 482	687, 339	+ 1, 031, 369
1841.....	271, 306	450	4, 731	5, 181	+ 266, 125	1881.....	453, 237		28, 737	28, 737	+ 424, 500
1842.....	394, 390	600	2, 216	2, 816	+ 391, 574	1882.....	404, 397	46, 500	100, 204	146, 704	+ 257, 693
June 30—						1883.....	262, 087	30, 100	16, 104	46, 204	+ 215, 883
1843 (9 months).....	647, 407	1, 780		1, 780	+ 645, 627	1884.....	393, 247	31, 867	26, 184	58, 051	+ 335, 196
1844.....	345, 294	6, 100	1, 412	7, 512	+ 337, 782	1885.....	618, 374	37, 647	7, 455	45, 102	+ 573, 272
1845.....	249, 740	16, 600	5, 745	22, 345	+ 227, 395	1886.....	873, 743	1, 400		1, 400	+ 872, 343
1846.....	332, 881		4, 000	4, 000	+ 328, 881	1887.....	712, 902	6, 434	1, 019	7, 453	+ 705, 449
1847.....	474, 167				+ 474, 167	1888.....	305, 035	22, 400	5, 828	28, 228	+ 276, 807
1848.....	408, 254	73, 750	4, 883	78, 633	+ 329, 621	1889.....	203, 747	7, 826	4, 583	12, 409	+ 191, 338
1849.....	229, 204	37, 800	175, 084	212, 884	+ 16, 320	1890.....	310, 166	35, 500	21, 271	56, 771	+ 253, 395
1850.....	289, 182	24, 318	95, 593	119, 911	+ 169, 271	Total, 10 years.	4, 536, 935	219, 674	211, 385	431, 059	+ 4, 105, 876
Total, 10 years.	3, 641, 825	161, 398	293, 664	455, 062	+ 3, 186, 763	1891.....	481, 015	31, 600	45, 009	76, 609	+ 404, 406
1851.....	76, 575	489, 291	105, 512	594, 803	— 518, 228	1892.....	525, 352	11, 800		11, 800	+ 513, 552
1852.....	96, 161	62, 502		62, 502	+ 33, 659	1893.....	397, 097	10, 150	9, 510	19, 660	+ 377, 437
1853.....	58, 332	1, 500	800	2, 300	+ 56, 032	1894.....	487, 336	27, 110	2, 988	30, 098	+ 457, 238
1854.....	56, 740	200, 393	51, 763	252, 156	— 195, 416	1895.....	315, 546	9, 920	8, 816	18, 736	+ 296, 810
1855.....	96, 781	166, 300		166, 300	— 69, 519	1896.....	249, 038	28, 500	10, 264	38, 764	+ 210, 274
1856.....	46, 534	31, 000	3, 000	34, 000	+ 12, 534	1897.....	197, 880	20, 285	13, 970	34, 255	+ 163, 625
1857.....	51, 100	127, 000	3, 000	130, 000	— 78, 900	1898.....	146, 655	35, 734	23, 247	58, 981	+ 87, 674
1858.....	169, 095	179, 000		179, 000	— 9, 905						
1859.....	56, 435	30, 000	4, 000	34, 000	+ 22, 435						
1860.....	88, 350	4, 750	64, 092	68, 842	+ 19, 508						
Total, 10 years.	796, 103	1, 291, 736	232, 167	1, 523, 903	— 727, 800						

*a*Includes British Guiana.*b*Includes British Honduras.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

DANISH WEST INDIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	309,564		14,681	14,681	+ 294,883	1861.....	50,183	8,000	1,998	9,998	+ 40,185
1822.....	177,559		14,767	14,767	+ 162,792	1862.....	100	70,700	8,175	78,875	— 78,775
1823.....	342,097		15,239	15,239	+ 326,858	1863.....	355	22,500		22,500	— 22,145
1824.....	231,522		111,568	111,568	+ 119,954	1864.....	1,060	123,500		123,500	—122,440
1825.....	156,093		56,724	56,724	+ 99,369	1865.....	300	5,000		5,000	— 4,700
1826.....	156,542		2,400	2,400	+ 154,142	1866.....	3,569	39,792		39,792	— 36,223
1827.....	263,312		47,350	47,350	+ 215,962	1867.....	53,302	82,935	16,779	99,714	— 46,412
1828.....	175,007		65,207	65,207	+ 109,800	1868.....	30,874	5,746		5,746	+ 25,128
1829.....	154,732		61,200	61,200	+ 93,532	1869 <i>a</i>					
1830.....	247,326	1,550	20,187	21,737	+ 225,589	1870 <i>a</i>					
Total, 10 years.	2,213,754	1,550	409,323	410,873	+ 1,802,881	Total, 10 years.	139,743	358,173	26,952	385,125	—245,382
1831.....	242,479		40,303	40,303	+ 202,176	1871.....	400	166,111		166,111	—165,711
1832.....	97,927		38,645	38,645	+ 59,282	1872.....	11,705	160,052	31,250	191,302	—179,597
1833.....	115,783	9,241	24,783	34,024	+ 81,759	1873.....	20,539	134,000	3,478	137,478	—116,939
1834.....	83,873		12,114	12,114	+ 71,759	1874.....	69,942	209,500		209,500	—139,558
1835.....	71,867		27,655	27,655	+ 44,212	1875.....	63,228	160,000		160,000	— 96,772
1836.....	11,675	6,200	31,548	37,748	— 26,073	1876.....	29,621	38,000		38,000	— 8,379
1837.....	203,865	6,550	18,431	24,984	+ 178,851	1877.....		1,500	(<i>a</i>)	1,500	— 1,500
1838.....	203,841	721	99,746	100,467	+ 103,378	1878.....	476,870				+476,870
1839.....	48,997	5,309	159,927	165,227	— 116,30	1879.....	329,591	6,200	1,000	7,200	+392,391
1840.....	140,187		21,429	21,429	+ 118,758	1880.....	218,623		21,658	21,658	+226,965
Total, 10 years.	1,220,464	28,012	474,584	502,596	+ 712,868	Total, 10 years.	1,320,519	875,363	57,386	932,749	+ 387,770
1841.....	93,303	1,300	9,613	10,913	+ 82,390	1881.....	158,202				+158,202
1842.....	105,482	2,500	53,088	55,588	+ 49,894	1882.....	23,125				+ 23,125
June 30—						1883.....	29,561	1,285		1,285	+ 28,216
1843 (9 months) ..	167,224		4,290	4,290	+ 162,934	1884.....	81,763	1,200	15,795	16,995	+ 64,768
1844.....	102,113	660	11,329	11,989	+ 90,133	1885.....	93,137				+ 93,137
1845.....	32,877		67,995	67,995	— 35,118	1886.....	70,707				+ 70,707
1846.....	91,620		103,270	100,270	— 8,650	1887.....	81,609				+ 81,609
1847.....	127,296		48,009	48,000	+ 79,296	1888.....	29,019		48,238	48,238	— 19,219
1848.....	139,831		34,096	34,096	+ 105,735	1889.....	31,877		14,771	14,771	+ 17,106
1849.....	12,379		8,943	8,943	+ 3,436	1890.....	35,457		15,075	15,075	+ 20,382
1850.....	58,600	196,165	77,715	273,880	— 215,280	Total, 10 years.	639,397	2,485	93,879	96,364	+543,033
Total, 10 years.	930,725	200,625	415,330	615,955	+ 314,770	1891.....	143,561				+143,561
1851.....	13,834	151,750	91,830	243,580	— 229,746	1892.....	87,212		50,649	50,649	+ 36,563
1852.....	9,143	90,328	79,659	169,987	— 160,844	1893.....	104,236		15,000	15,000	+ 89,236
1853.....	7,915	328,279	10,046	338,325	— 330,410	1894.....	64,243				+ 64,243
1854.....	8,412	235,754		235,754	— 227,342	1895.....	58,353				+ 58,353
1855.....	22,155				+ 22,155	1896.....	59,672				+ 59,672
1856.....	5,030		48,100	48,100	— 43,070	1897.....	58,281				+ 58,281
1857.....	2,250	453,306	16,640	469,946	— 467,696	1898.....	30,097		12,004	12,004	+ 18,093
1858.....	8,266	39,404	9,247	48,651	— 40,385						
1859.....	4,813	143,506	17,000	160,506	— 155,693						
1860.....	2,940	300,030	6,990	307,020	— 304,080						
Total, 10 years.	84,758	1,742,357	279,512	2,021,869	—1,937,111						

a Included in Denmark.

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OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

DUTCH WEST INDIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	105,576	.....	34,360	34,360	+ 71,216	1861.....	194,055	.....	.....	.....	+ 194,055
1822.....	137,328	.....	22,450	22,450	+114,878	1862 <i>a</i>	190,557	.....	.....	.....	+ 190,557
1823.....	98,262	.....	3,700	3,700	+ 94,562	1863.....	261,218	.....	.....	.....	+ 261,218
1824.....	86,505	.....	3,000	3,000	+ 83,505	1864 <i>a</i>.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1825.....	74,687	.....	.....	.....	+ 74,687	1865.....	122,436	.....	.....	.....	+ 122,436
1826.....	87,141	.....	.....	.....	+ 87,141	1866.....	194,702	.....	.....	.....	+ 194,702
1827.....	107,810	.....	.....	.....	+107,810	1867.....	88,472	.....	.....	.....	+ 88,472
1828.....	89,018	.....	17	17	+ 89,001	1868.....	96,757	.....	.....	.....	+ 96,757
1829.....	148,027	.....	.....	.....	+148,027	1869 <i>b</i>	46,435	23,442	.....	26,442	+ 10,993
1830.....	127,306	.....	2,200	2,200	+125,046	1870.....	59,637	.....	.....	.....	+ 59,637
Total, 10 years.	1,061,600	.....	65,787	65,787	+995,813	Total, 10 years.	1,254,269	26,442	.....	26,442	+1,227,827
1831.....	73,237	.....	70	70	+ 73,167	1871.....	43,835	18,500	.....	18,500	+ 25,335
1832.....	35,072	.....	.....	.....	+ 35,072	1872.....	3,063	21,911	.....	21,911	— 18,848
1833.....	49,102	.....	.....	.....	+ 49,102	1873.....	9,319	.....	.....	.....	+ 9,319
1834.....	63,494	.....	.....	.....	+ 63,494	1874.....	74,224	13,000	19,344	32,344	+ 41,880
1835.....	69,189	.....	56,000	56,000	+ 13,189	1875.....	32,061	31,000	.....	31,000	+ 1,061
1836.....	25,510	.....	22,868	22,868	+ 2,642	1876.....	25,446	16,000	.....	16,000	+ 9,446
1837.....	49,872	.....	.....	.....	+ 49,872	1877.....	44,831	21,000	.....	21,000	+ 23,831
1838.....	35,315	.....	23,430	23,430	+ 11,885	1878.....	34,613	.....	.....	.....	+ 34,613
1839.....	38,766	.....	47,625	47,625	— 8,859	1879.....	46,476	5,200	16,787	21,987	+ 24,489
1840.....	32,342	.....	17,137	17,137	+ 15,205	1880.....	29,605	14,900	.....	14,900	+ 14,705
Total, 10 years.	421,959	.....	167,130	167,130	+304,829	Total, 10 years.	343,473	141,511	36,131	177,642	+ 165,831
1841.....	62,063	.....	20,668	20,668	+ 41,395	1881.....	116,187	.....	.....	.....	+ 116,187
1842.....	46,084	2,000	3,425	5,425	+ 40,659	1882.....	106,399	10,008	31,810	41,818	+ 64,581
June 30—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1883.....	43,418	.....	32,250	32,250	+ 11,168
1843 (9 months) ..	53,804	.....	.....	.....	+ 53,804	1884.....	186,989	7,500	23,295	30,795	+ 156,194
1844.....	64,150	.....	942	942	+ 63,208	1885.....	280,746	1,286	800	2,086	+ 278,660
1845.....	27,569	.....	17,906	17,906	+ 9,663	1886.....	254,289	30,168	15,180	45,348	+ 208,941
1846.....	28,159	950	5,382	6,332	+ 21,827	1887.....	142,610	25,402	14,954	40,356	+ 102,254
1847.....	18,847	2,600	3,625	6,225	+ 12,622	1888.....	90,283	13,166	6,000	19,166	+ 71,117
1848.....	99,357	.....	8,909	8,909	+ 90,448	1889.....	57,445	23,892	4,446	28,338	+ 29,107
1849.....	39,946	.....	34,018	34,018	+ 5,928	1890.....	74,686	6,000	15,549	21,549	+ 53,137
1850.....	43,037	.....	41,294	41,294	+ 1,743	Total, 10 years.	1,353,052	117,422	144,284	261,706	+1,091,346
Total, 10 years.	483,016	5,550	136,169	141,719	+341,297	1891.....	169,117	.....	131	131	+ 168,986
1851.....	26,859	39,500	119,044	158,544	—131,685	1892.....	117,713	215,000	1,850	216,850	— 99,137
1852.....	20,097	1,800	.....	1,800	+ 18,297	1893.....	94,636	8,300	.....	8,300	+ 86,336
1853.....	28,076	1,000	3,090	4,090	+ 23,986	1894.....	212,462	1,000	.....	1,000	+ 211,462
1854.....	11,912	7,752	3,673	11,425	+ 487	1895.....	78,005	7,700	4,039	11,739	+ 66,266
1855.....	15,941	6,200	.....	6,200	+ 9,741	1896.....	84,275	.....	1,252	1,252	+ 83,023
1856.....	5,854	6,500	.....	6,500	— 646	1897.....	241,159	.....	450	450	+ 240,709
1857.....	4,033	7,320	.....	7,320	— 3,287	1898.....	398,060	1,970	435	2,405	+ 395,655
1858.....	100,237	7,550	.....	7,550	+ 92,687						
1859.....	63,602	.....	.....	.....	+ 63,602						
1860.....	65,777	.....	.....	.....	+ 65,777						
Total, 10 years.	342,448	77,622	125,807	203,429	+139,019						

a Included in Netherlands.

b Includes Dutch Guiana.

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FRENCH WEST INDIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	36,363				+ 36,363	1861.....	4,912	2,217		2,217	+ 2,695
1822.....	26,548		4,800	4,800	+ 21,748	1862.....					
1823.....	95,127		1,576	1,576	+ 93,551	1863.....	537				+ 537
1824.....	174,508				+ 174,508	1864.....	4,080				+ 4,080
1825.....	160,388		8,000	8,000	+ 152,388	1865.....	3,100				+ 3,100
1826.....	165,555	2,361		2,361	+ 163,194	1866.....					
1827.....	223,468	3,510	600	4,110	+ 219,358	1867.....					
1828.....	205,963		600	600	+ 205,363	1868.....					
1829.....	286,237	20	25	45	+ 286,192	1869 <i>a</i>					
1830.....	267,574				+ 267,574	1870 <i>a</i>					
Total, 10 years.	1,641,731	5,891	15,601	21,492	+1,620,239	Total, 10 years.	12,629	2,117		2,217	+ 10,412
1831.....	181,124		3,842	3,842	+ 177,282	1871 <i>a</i>			10,703	10,703	— 10,703
1832.....	152,116		1,123	1,123	+ 150,993	1872 <i>a</i>	7,672	49,000	7,526	56,526	— 48,854
1833.....	98,664		4,529	4,529	+ 94,135	1873 <i>b</i>					
1834.....	70,956		800	800	+ 70,156	1874 <i>b</i>					
1835.....	153,063	40	16,782	16,822	+ 136,241	1875 <i>b</i>	1,827				+ 1,827
1836.....	92,627		13,868	13,868	+ 78,759	1876 <i>b</i>			26,000	26,000	— 26,000
1837.....	122,170		9,995	9,995	+ 112,175	1877 <i>b</i>	1,067		27,757	27,757	— 26,690
1838.....	79,604		14,200	14,200	+ 65,404	1878 <i>b</i>	4,156				+ 4,156
1839.....	48,269	10,292	43,674	53,966	— 5,697	1879.....			14,500	14,500	— 14,500
1840.....	161,423		1,494	1,494	+ 159,929	1880.....	2,752				+ 2,752
Total, 10 years.	1,160,016	10,332	110,307	120,639	+1,039,377	Total, 10 years.	17,474	49,000	86,486	135,486	—118,012
1841.....	99,808				+ 99,808	1881.....	2,041				+ 2,041
1842.....	116,261				+ 116,261	1882.....		135,000		135,000	—135,000
June 30—						1883.....	1,900				+ 1,900
1843 (9 months) ..	92,666		4,056	4,056	+ 88,610	1884.....		8,925		8,925	— 8,925
1844.....	256,165		6,445	6,445	+ 249,720	1885.....		5,694		5,694	— 5,694
1845.....	191,394		4,990	4,990	+ 186,404	1886.....		21,437		21,437	— 21,437
1846.....	215,471				+ 215,471	1887.....					
1847.....	114,513				+ 114,513	1888.....		24,474		24,474	— 24,474
1848.....	106,699				+ 106,699	1889.....					
1849.....	39,750				+ 39,750	1890.....		18,600		18,600	— 18,600
1850.....	59,636				+ 59,636	Total, 10 years.	3,941	214,130		214,130	—210,189
Total, 10 years.	1,292,363		15,491	15,491	+1,276,872	1891.....					
1851.....	18,694				+ 18,694	1892.....					
1852.....	42,702				+ 42,702	1893.....	4,800	4,870		4,870	— 70
1853.....	23,161		1,000	1,000	+ 22,161	1894.....		9,375		9,375	— 9,375
1854.....	37,518	1,300	6,175	7,475	+ 30,043	1895.....	10,868	16,625		16,625	— 5,757
1855.....	42,537				+ 42,537	1896.....	15,488				+ 15,488
1856.....	51,736	100		100	+ 51,636	1897.....	1,476				+ 1,476
1857.....	51,107				+ 51,107	1898.....	6,067				+ 6,067
1858.....	74,295				+ 74,295						
1859.....	27,834				+ 27,834						
1860.....	14,200				+ 14,200						
Total, 10 years.	383,784	1,400	7,175	8,575	+ 375,209						

a French Possessions in America.

b French West Indies and French Guiana

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HAITI.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	504,409				+ 504,409	1861.....	36,108	60,241	16,000	76,241	— 40,133
1822.....	229,439		1,525	1,525	+ 228,014	1862 <i>a</i>	23,754	32,829	785	33,614	— 9,860
1823.....	55,502		104,697	104,697	— 49,195	1863 <i>a</i>	67,917	8,300		8,300	+ 59,617
1824.....	169,027		51,462	51,462	+ 117,565	1864 <i>a</i>	65,532	24,706		24,706	+ 40,826
1825.....	61,235		21,100	21,100	+ 40,135	1865 <i>a</i>	14,579	1,420		1,420	+ 13,159
1826.....	126,945				+ 126,945	1866 <i>a</i>	48,950	12,162		12,162	+ 36,788
1827.....	47,132				+ 47,132	1867 <i>a</i>	10,839	7,080		7,080	+ 3,759
1828.....	69,703		20,553	20,553	+ 49,150	1868 <i>a</i>	6,221	6,000	3,102	9,102	— 2,881
1829.....	46,033		8,438	8,438	+ 37,595	1869 <i>a</i>	15,104	28,956		28,956	— 13,852
1830.....	31,718				+ 31,718	1870 <i>a</i>	54,878	46,114		46,114	+ 8,764
Total, 10 years.	1,341,243		207,775	207,775	+ 1,133,468	Total, 10 years.	343,882	227,808	19,887	247,695	+ 96,187
1831.....	35,714		11,032	11,032	+ 24,682	1871 <i>a</i>	47,831	392,617	960	393,577	— 345,746
1832.....	16,150		800	800	+ 15,350	1872.....	2,180	250,278		250,278	— 248,098
1833.....	22,057		6,395	6,395	+ 15,662	1873.....	91,899	797,367	666	798,033	— 706,134
1834.....	13,009		6,965	6,965	+ 6,044	1874.....	201,759	175,922		175,922	+ 25,837
1835.....	11,270		54,773	54,773	— 43,503	1875.....	65,126	232,500		232,500	— 167,374
1836.....	67,299	60,613	53,544	114,157	— 46,858	1876.....	216,841	46,849		46,849	+ 199,992
1837.....	9,910	75,886	38,247	114,133	— 104,193	1877.....	524,299	36,770		36,770	+ 487,529
1838.....	6,408	51,961	28,412	83,373	— 76,965	1878.....	772,708	67,213		67,213	+ 705,495
1839.....	3,102	176,882	39,576	216,458	— 213,356	1879.....	787,348	52,567		52,567	+ 734,781
1840.....	16,488	128,939	34,571	163,510	— 147,022	1880.....	789,088	323,744	599,012	922,756	— 133,668
Total, 10 years.	202,037	497,281	274,315	771,596	— 569,559	Total, 10 years.	3,529,079	2,375,827	600,638	2,976,465	+ 552,614
1841.....	10,909	171,767	15,398	187,165	— 176,265	1881.....	467,983	94,781	2,500	101,281	+ 366,702
1842.....	36,264	66,414	1,734	68,148	— 31,884	1882.....	968,294	49,000		49,000	+ 919,294
June 30—						1883.....	258,934	1,255	51,219	52,474	+ 206,460
1843 (9 months) ..	87,138	34,343	3,555	37,898	+ 49,240	1884.....	160,028	26,488	112,050	138,538	+ 21,490
1844.....	90,468	60,701	2,315	63,016	+ 27,452	1885.....	226,510	12,073	4,214	16,287	+ 210,223
1845.....	237,617	39,722	15,822	55,544	+ 182,073	1886.....	292,977	23,398	33,300	56,698	+ 236,279
1846.....	260,272	70,453	19,548	90,001	+ 170,271	1887.....	209,728	303,150	101,011	404,161	— 194,433
1847.....	217,725	26,254	12,808	39,062	+ 178,663	1888.....	74,173	1,002,650	138,424	1,141,074	— 1,066,901
1848.....	42,955	33,975	13,787	47,762	— 4,807	1889.....	74,714	380,188		380,188	— 305,474
1849.....	42,174	31,047	6,729	37,776	+ 4,398	1890.....	21,463	1,082,117	19,420	1,101,537	— 1,080,074
1850.....	13,123	147,949	16,738	164,687	— 151,564	Total, 10 years.	2,754,824	2,979,100	462,138	3,441,238	— 686,414
Total, 10 years.	1,038,636	682,625	108,434	791,059	+ 247,577	1891.....	27,180	1,375,175	2,874	1,378,049	— 1,350,869
1851.....	111,183	181,494		181,494	— 70,311	1892.....	20,373	256,115	36,819	292,934	— 272,561
1852.....	37,125	90,098		90,098	— 52,973	1893.....	5,033	1,062,788	45,278	1,108,066	— 1,103,033
1853.....	34,734	134,609		134,609	— 99,875	1894.....	132,000	785,818	111,365	897,183	— 765,183
1854.....	23,845	45,634		45,634	— 21,789	1895.....	79,008	698,049	425	698,474	— 619,466
1855.....	10,956	60,373		60,373	— 49,417	1896.....	537,725	859,103		859,103	— 321,378
1856.....	16,949	104,095		104,095	— 87,146	1897.....	536,937	920,099	2,000	922,099	— 385,162
1857.....	11,526	55,434		55,434	— 43,908	1898.....	249,436	343,771	960	344,731	— 95,295
1858.....	61,895	84,508	352	84,860	— 22,965						
1859.....	34,645	66,779	2,800	69,579	— 34,934						
1860.....	18,910	87,756	9,500	97,256	— 78,346						
Total, 10 years.	361,768	910,780	12,652	923,432	— 561,664						

a Includes Santo Domingo.

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OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

SANTO DOMINGO.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1851.....						1876.....	38,689	21,499		21,499	+ 17,190
1852.....						1877.....	41,543	17,937		17,937	+ 23,606
1853.....						1878.....	188,918	10,175		10,175	+ 178,743
1854.....						1879.....	222,776	12,000	34,100	46,100	+ 176,676
1855.....	4,020				+ 4,020	1880.....	217,171	16,500	137,166	153,666	+ 63,505
1856.....						Total, 10 years.	953,456	287,473	171,266	458,739	+ 494,717
1857.....						1881.....	131,555	12,900	1,800	14,700	+ 116,855
1858.....	1,400				+ 1,400	1882.....	71,298	20,099	23,370	45,469	+ 25,829
1859.....	3,000				+ 3,000	1883.....	70,611	44,916	11,419	56,335	+ 14,276
1860.....						1884.....	46,607	7,670	100,769	108,439	— 61,832
Total, 10 years.	8,420				+ 8,420	1885.....	66,584	1,900	196,888	198,788	— 132,404
1861.....						1886.....	23,751	2,600	122,638	125,298	— 101,547
1862.....	12,945	500	15,290	15,790	— 2,845	1887.....	27,045	53,505	185,679	239,184	— 212,139
1863 ^a	25,000				+25,000	1888.....	18,889	17,831	191,399	209,230	— 190,341
1864 ^a						1889.....	108,144	11,052	750,218	761,270	— 653,126
1865 ^a	8,000				+ 8,000	1890.....	43,505		91,691	91,691	— 48,186
1866 ^a	762				+ 762	Total, 10 years.	607,739	172,473	1,677,931	1,850,404	—1,242,615
1867 ^a						1891.....	424,719	13,864	63,730	77,594	+ 347,116
1868 ^a						1892.....	31,392		541,958	541,958	— 510,566
1869 ^a						1893.....	2,055		477,961	477,961	— 474,906
1870.....						1894.....	114,346	2,682	155,226	157,908	— 43,562
Total, 10 years.	46,707	500	15,290	15,790	+30,917	1895.....	354,074	10,000	255,348	265,348	+ 88,726
1871.....						1896.....	194,747	172,546	424,294	596,840	— 402,093
1872.....	4,815	47,820		47,820	—43,005	1897.....	320,567	29,670	260,102	289,772	+ 30,795
1873.....	109,078	145,749		145,749	—35,671	1898.....	497,652	182,071	340,484	522,555	— 24,903
1874.....	81,637	15,793		15,793	+65,844	Total, 8 years..	1,940,543	410,833	2,519,103	2,929,935	— 989,393
1875.....	48,829				+48,829						

^a included in Haiti.

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CUBA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1821.....	1,163,253	.....	265,162	265,162	+ 898,091	1861.....	2,893,504	45,516	3,056,944	3,102,460	— 208,956
1822.....	590,169	.....	221,551	221,551	+ 368,618	1862.....	128,201	105,141	1,492,465	1,597,666	— 1,469,465
1823.....	271,704	.....	353,406	353,406	— 81,642	1863.....	187,846	840,705	581,281	1,421,986	— 1,234,140
1824.....	1,102,746	.....	262,098	262,098	+ 840,648	1864.....	a 68,501	3,082,373	1,494,095	4,576,468	— 4,507,967
1825.....	545,164	.....	147,815	147,815	+ 397,349	1865.....	576,440	916,815	489,886	1,406,701	— 830,261
1826.....	419,506	2,040	406,897	408,937	+ 1,569	1866.....	269,813	125,806	395,720	431,526	— 161,713
1827.....	478,590	2,932	873,236	876,168	— 397,578	1867.....	928,239	443,074	1,217,704	1,660,778	— 732,539
1828.....	579,228	2,032	784,978	787,010	— 207,782	1868.....	976,023	1,450,276	2,522,455	3,972,731	— 2,996,708
1829.....	363,920	.....	532,144	532,144	— 168,224	1869.....	1,224,883	827,935	6,433,813	7,261,748	— 6,036,865
1830.....	362,084	100	275,687	275,787	+ 86,297	1870.....	279,327	212,375	3,070,592	3,282,967	— 3,003,660
Total, 10 years.	5,867,424	7,104	4,122,974	4,130,078	+1,737,346	Total, 10 years.	7,532,757	8,050,016	20,664,955	28,714,971	—21,182,214
1831.....	181,774	17,281	309,500	317,781	— 136,007	1871.....	705,659	432,436	598,969	1,031,405	— 325,746
1832.....	91,065	11,556	189,132	200,708	— 109,643	1872.....	455,790	208,127	693,202	901,329	— 445,539
1833.....	99,858	.....	458,228	458,228	— 358,370	1873.....	392,101	113,272	117,619	230,891	+ 161,210
1834.....	606,665	.....	113,469	143,469	+ 463,196	1874.....	844,369	3,926,265	566,621	4,486,886	— 3,642,517
1835.....	266,253	.....	345,175	345,175	— 78,919	1875.....	2,157,810	1,400,702	5,207,870	6,608,572	— 4,450,762
1836.....	122,518	125,849	516,142	641,991	— 519,473	1876.....	2,709,822	1,665,755	1,537,767	3,203,462	— 493,640
1837.....	1,648,110	.....	507,147	507,147	+1,140,963	1877.....	1,870,904	39,000	3,259,816	3,298,816	— 1,427,942
1838.....	410,794	1,188	234,092	235,280	+ 175,514	1878.....	1,983,830	.....	1,173,119	1,173,119	+ 810,711
1839.....	321,314	3,406	175,091	178,497	+ 142,817	1879.....	552,785	92,638	392,200	454,838	+ 97,947
1840.....	548,163	2,327	147,243	149,570	+ 398,593	1880.....	2,726,757	101,470	1,729,056	1,830,526	+ 1,896,231
Total, 10 years.	4,296,517	161,607	3,016,239	3,177,846	+1,118,671	Total, 10 years.	15,399,827	7,973,665	15,246,209	23,219,874	— 7,820,047
1841.....	134,903	.....	156,461	156,461	— 21,552	1881.....	1,643,693	57,441	731,033	788,474	+ 855,129
1842.....	235,940	.....	100,102	100,102	+ 135,838	1882.....	2,973,272	23,203	633,238	659,441	+ 2,313,831
June 30—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1883.....	3,754,321	36,245	2,507,750	2,543,995	+ 1,210,326
1843 (9 months) ..	655,205	.....	128,495	128,495	+ 526,710	1884.....	5,095,500	148,890	5,214,832	5,363,722	— 268,222
1844.....	170,927	9,011	564,899	573,910	— 402,983	1885.....	4,802,597	23,983	5,447,015	5,470,998	— 668,401
1845.....	528,168	2,694	11,065	13,699	+ 514,469	1886.....	330,129	405,900	9,139,285	9,545,185	— 9,215,056
1846.....	503,991	7,689	322,112	329,801	+ 180,190	1887.....	4,065,814	4,475	2,156,700	2,161,175	+ 1,904,639
1847.....	381,757	3,600	612,174	615,774	— 234,017	1888.....	4,885,906	1,035	4,797,461	4,798,496	+ 87,410
1848.....	768,289	50	109,999	110,049	+ 658,240	1889.....	1,220,450	20,600	3,813,755	3,834,355	— 2,613,905
1849.....	442,593	350	318,450	318,800	+ 123,793	1890.....	1,190,475	105,000	3,062,127	3,167,127	— 1,976,652
1850.....	286,011	.....	177,355	177,355	+ 108,656	Total, 10 years.	29,962,067	832,772	37,500,196	38,332,968	— 8,370,901
Total, 10 years.	4,113,790	23,394	2,501,052	2,524,446	+1,589,344	1891.....	3,069,650	631,595	1,251,263	1,882,858	+ 1,186,792
1851.....	339,018	20,535	1,013,529	1,034,064	— 695,046	1892.....	2,298,117	311,400	6,637,348	6,948,748	— 4,650,631
1852.....	276,112	2,000	369,657	371,657	— 95,545	1893.....	1,223,953	16,050	6,406,812	6,422,862	— 5,198,909
1853.....	38,092	4,163	124,667	128,830	— 90,738	1894.....	7,343,521	456,238	11,932,589	12,388,827	— 5,045,306
1854.....	126,558	6,815	54,921	61,736	+ 64,822	1895.....	3,590,104	50	8,199,741	8,199,791	— 4,609,687
1855.....	183,487	6,040	43,332	49,372	+ 134,115	1896.....	5,200,673	10,075	2,314,843	2,324,918	+ 2,875,755
1856.....	23,945	169,089	214,982	384,032	— 360,117	1897.....	4,521,684	.....	900	900	+ 4,520,784
1857.....	639,139	398,534	5,216,565	5,615,099	—4,984,960	1898.....	5,167,158	.....	4,197,546	4,197,546	+ 969,612
1858.....	4,454,675	1,167,778	2,306,115	3,473,833	+ 980,782						
1859.....	1,364,834	31,832	562,089	593,921	+ 770,913						
1860.....	1,608,516	51,872	218,183	273,058	+1,335,458						
Total, 10 years.	9,045,376	1,861,649	10,124,043	11,985,692	—2,940,316						

a Includes Porto Rico.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

PORTO RICO.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	12,787				+ 12,787	1861.....	31,161	49,390	59,005	108,395	— 77,234
1822.....	35,629				+ 35,629	1862.....	1,673	149,388	225,612	375,000	— 373,327
1823.....	22,738				+ 22,738	1863.....	9,530	173,781	3,506	177,287	— 167,757
1824.....	8,895				+ 8,895	1864.....	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
1825.....	5,659				+ 5,659	1865.....	2,085	688,936	51,571	740,507	— 733,422
1826.....	7,841				+ 7,841	1866.....	5,000	416,446	30,206	446,652	— 441,652
1827.....	13,670		2,000	2,000	+ 11,670	1867.....	1,410	428,172	40,511	468,683	— 467,273
1828.....	3,446		1,950	1,950	+ 1,496	1868.....	1,384	535,205		535,205	— 533,821
1829.....	8,664		31,505	31,505	— 22,841	1869.....	250	336,425	7,405	343,830	— 343,580
1830.....	7,718		21,650	21,650	— 13,932	1870.....		633,013	21,600	654,613	— 654,613
Total, 10 years.	127,047		57,105	57,105	+ 69,942	Total, 10 years.	52,493	3,410,756	439,416	3,850,172	— 3,797,679
1831.....	16,173		35,683	35,683	— 19,510	1871.....	1,500	888,986	69,749	958,735	— 957,235
1832.....	9,127		42,360	42,360	— 33,233	1872.....	915	236,903	54,020	290,923	— 290,008
1833.....	8,932		7,080	7,080	+ 1,912	1873.....	6,809	82,178	36,100	118,278	— 111,478
1834.....	11,160		11,050	11,050	+ 110	1874.....	260	275,430	21,675	297,105	— 296,905
1835.....	15,256		70,950	70,950	— 55,694	1875.....	16,400	264,119	11,400	275,519	— 259,119
1836.....	8,600	2,100	47,086	49,186	— 40,586	1876.....	132,030	348,914		348,914	— 216,884
1837.....	58,725		42,823	42,823	+ 15,902	1877.....	72,277	343,679	1,300	344,979	— 272,702
1838.....	36,783	19,355	11,138	30,493	+ 6,290	1878.....	216,232	500	7,150	7,650	+ 238,582
1839.....	23,144	42,047	73,160	115,207	— 92,063	1879.....	424,287	20	72,332	72,352	+ 351,935
1840.....	46,695	12,072	19,200	31,272	+ 15,423	1880.....	270,653	250	104,487	104,737	+ 165,916
Total, 10 years.	234,655	75,574	360,530	436,104	— 201,449	Total, 10 years.	1,171,294	2,440,979	378,213	2,819,192	— 1,647,898
1841.....	17,799	12,448	16,475	28,923	— 11,124	1881.....	333,192	20,054	29,602	49,656	+ 283,536
1842.....	63,457	381	12,376	12,757	+ 50,700	1882.....	150,975	12,834	181,608	194,442	— 43,467
June 30—						1883.....	91,000	39,653	36,061	75,734	+ 15,266
1843 (9 months) ..	47,943	1,872		1,872	+ 46,071	1884.....	189,793	7,450	14,671	22,121	+ 167,672
1844.....	27,021	4,088		4,088	+ 22,933	1885.....	106,486	4,800	67,220	72,020	+ 34,466
1845.....	53,453	4,000	7,608	11,608	+ 41,845	1886.....	62,934				+ 62,934
1846.....	62,679		15,054	15,054	+ 47,625	1887.....	49,437				+ 49,437
1847.....	14,157	3,250	18,144	21,394	+ 7,237	1888.....	28,948	15,000	45,081	60,081	— 31,133
1848.....	29,919	21,556		21,556	+ 8,363	1889.....	3,969	15,000	39,954	54,954	— 50,985
1849.....	27,664	28,005		28,005	— 341	1890.....	10,174	10,990		10,990	— 816
1850.....	2,600	22,715	60,043	88,758	— 86,158	Total, 10 years.	1,026,908	125,781	414,217	539,998	+ 486,910
Total, 10 years.	346,092	98,315	135,700	234,015	+ 112,677	1891.....	296,408		989	989	+ 295,419
1851.....	345	85,900	14,000	99,900	— 99,555	1892.....	11,484				+ 11,484
1852.....	26,277	46,706	5,100	51,806	— 25,529	1893.....	18,368				+ 18,368
1853.....	18,016	25,740	22,217	47,957	— 29,941	1894.....	165,531	5,000	2,754	7,754	+ 157,777
1854.....	19,179	102,790	31,000	133,790	— 114,611	1895.....	65,339				+ 65,339
1855.....	23,625	16,000		16,000	+ 7,625	1896.....	19,909	1,400		1,400	+ 18,509
1856.....	14,700	21,250	2,000	23,250	— 8,550	1897.....	31,113				+ 31,113
1857.....	658	383,775	99,760	483,535	— 482,877	1898.....	31,473				+ 31,473
1858.....	22,918	303,744	260,024	563,768	— 540,850	Total, 8 years..	639,625	6,400	3,743	10,143	+ 629,482
1859.....	2,680	134,425	268,550	402,975	— 400,295						
1860.....		143,000	229,826	372,826	— 372,826						
Total, 10 years.	128,398	1,293,330	932,477	2,195,807	— 2,067,409						

a Included in Cuba.

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE
OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

SWEDISH WEST INDIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	292, 738				+ 292, 738	1837.....	27, 207				+ 27, 207
1822.....	76, 583				+ 76, 583	1838.....	26, 013				+ 26, 013
1823.....	44, 181				+ 44, 181	1839.....	3, 960				+ 3, 960
1824.....	22, 520				+ 22, 520	1840.....	49, 947				+ 49, 947
1825.....	36, 553				+ 36, 553	Total, 10 years.	305, 863		2, 400	2, 400	+ 303, 463
1826.....	40, 429				+ 40, 429	1841.....	13, 607				+ 13, 607
1827.....	82, 920				+ 82, 920	1842.....	19, 475				+ 19, 475
1828.....	109, 656				+ 109, 656	June 30—					
1829.....	100, 741				+ 100, 741	1843 (9 months) ..	45, 823				+ 45, 823
1830.....	157, 874		773	773	+ 157, 101	1844.....	22, 399		1, 000	1, 000	+ 21, 399
Total, 10 years.	964, 195		773	773	+ 963, 422	1845.....	8, 473				+ 8, 473
1831.....	111, 142				+ 111, 142	1846.....	2, 450		1, 012	1, 012	+ 1, 438
1832.....	22, 215				+ 22, 215	1847.....					
1833.....	8, 935				+ 8, 935	1848.....	9, 589				+ 9, 589
1834.....	24, 429		2, 400	2, 400	+ 22, 029	1849.....	9, 918				+ 9, 918
1835.....	22, 013				+ 22, 013	1850.....	500				+ 500
1836.....	10, 002				+ 10, 002	Total, 10 years.	132, 234		2, 012	2, 012	+ 130, 222

OTHER WEST INDIES.

September 30—						September 30—					
1821.....						1838.....			3, 999	3, 999	— 3, 999
1822.....			5, 375	5, 375	— 5, 375	1839.....			32, 415	32, 415	— 32, 415
1823.....	1, 000		17, 245	17, 245	— 16, 245	1840.....			1, 543	1, 543	— 1, 543
1824.....			3, 832	3, 832	— 3, 832	Total, 10 years.	2, 000		216, 476	216, 476	— 214, 476
1825.....			10, 532	10, 532	— 10, 532	1841.....			7, 862	7, 862	— 7, 862
1826.....			5, 387	5, 387	— 5, 387	1842.....					
1827.....			5, 671	5, 671	— 5, 671	June 30—					
1828.....			10, 641	10, 641	— 10, 641	1843 (9 months) ..					
1829.....	2, 210				+ 2, 210	1844.....			7, 918	7, 918	— 7, 918
1830.....			200	200	— 200	1845.....		2, 000		2, 000	— 2, 000
Total, 10 years.	3, 210		58, 883	58, 883	— 55, 673	1846.....					
1831.....			200	200	— 200	1847.....			252	252	— 252
1832.....			245	245	— 245	1848.....		3, 358			+ 3, 353
1833.....			10, 000	10, 000	— 10, 000	1849.....					
1834.....			14, 000	14, 000	— 14, 000	1850.....					
1835.....			27, 249	27, 249	— 27, 249	Total, 10 years.	3, 358		2, 000	16, 032	— 14, 674
1836.....			108, 368	108, 368	— 108, 368						
1837.....	2, 000		18, 457	18, 457	— 16, 457						

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

TOTAL WEST INDIES.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	3,225,829		314,203	314,203	+ 2,911,626	1861.....	3,374,272	218,964	3,198,035	3,416,999	— 42,727
1822.....	1,448,217		272,668	272,668	+ 1,175,549	1862.....	440,664	401,196	1,742,327	2,143,523	— 1,702,859
1823.....	1,451,401		503,182	503,182	+ 948,219	1863.....	631,389	1,493,712	588,032	2,081,744	— 1,450,355
1824.....	2,623,922		444,110	444,110	+ 2,179,812	1864.....	351,852	4,229,384	1,565,595	5,794,979	— 5,443,127
1825.....	1,677,989		244,651	244,651	+ 1,433,338	1865.....	940,639	1,974,657	541,457	2,516,114	— 1,575,475
1826.....	1,613,518	8,519	418,414	426,933	+ 1,186,585	1866.....	826,478	601,869	336,298	938,167	— 111,689
1827.....	1,530,288	6,442	928,857	935,299	+ 594,989	1867.....	1,336,906	977,561	1,284,994	2,262,555	— 925,649
1828.....	1,266,872	2,857	885,826	888,683	+ 378,189	1868.....	1,306,108	2,011,732	2,525,557	4,537,289	— 3,231,181
1829.....	1,190,054	20	638,190	638,210	+ 518,144	1869.....	1,417,143	1,259,874	6,441,218	7,701,092	— 6,283,949
1830.....	1,268,336	1,650	322,518	324,168	+ 944,168	1870.....	512,848	970,371	3,106,712	4,077,083	— 3,564,235
Total, 10 years.	17,296,426	10,488	4,972,619	4,992,107	+12,304,319	Total, 10 years.	11,138,299	14,139,320	21,330,225	35,469,545	—24,331,246
1831.....	1,271,089	17,281	393,290	410,571	+ 860,518	1871.....	850,744	1,941,171	717,486	2,658,657	— 1,807,913
1832.....	835,496	11,956	283,204	295,160	+ 540,336	1872.....	571,357	1,017,805	786,798	1,804,603	— 1,233,246
1833.....	783,942	9,241	515,230	524,471	+ 259,471	1873.....	788,868	1,295,027	173,865	1,468,892	— 680,024
1834.....	1,306,570		194,104	194,104	+ 1,112,466	1874.....	1,383,234	4,902,592	607,640	5,510,232	— 4,126,998
1835.....	1,012,886	1,590	604,774	606,364	+ 406,522	1875.....	2,495,059	2,691,871	5,219,270	7,311,141	— 4,816,082
1836.....	538,457	206,225	805,486	1,011,711	— 473,254	1876.....	3,298,030	2,137,217	1,563,707	3,700,924	— 401,994
1837.....	2,782,904	82,636	640,953	723,589	+ 2,059,315	1877.....	2,761,404	482,012	3,311,405	3,793,417	— 1,032,013
1838.....	2,055,553	85,115	488,074	573,189	+ 1,482,564	1878 a.....	3,892,442	84,763	1,192,678	1,277,441	+ 2,615,001
1839.....	760,847	267,061	623,065	890,126	— 129,279	1879.....	2,680,318	207,728	538,585	746,313	+ 1,934,005
1840.....	1,547,246	144,988	246,317	391,305	+ 1,155,941	1880.....	5,731,474	461,489	2,674,377	3,135,866	+ 2,595,008
Total, 10 years.	12,894,990	826,093	4,794,497	5,620,590	+ 7,274,400	Total, 10 years.	24,453,830	14,621,675	16,785,811	31,407,486	— 6,953,656
1841.....	703,695	185,965	231,208	417,173	+ 286,522	1881.....	3,306,000	189,176	793,672	982,848	+ 2,323,152
1842.....	1,017,353	71,895	172,941	244,836	+ 772,517	1882.....	4,702,760	302,644	969,230	1,271,874	+ 3,430,886
June 30—						1883.....	4,511,792	153,454	2,654,823	2,808,277	+ 1,703,515
1843 (9 months) ..	1,797,210	37,995	140,396	178,391	+ 1,618,819	1884.....	6,153,927	239,990	5,507,596	5,747,586	+ 406,341
1844.....	1,078,537	80,560	596,251	676,811	+ 401,726	1885.....	6,194,234	87,383	5,723,592	5,810,975	+ 383,259
1845.....	1,329,291	65,016	131,071	196,087	+ 1,133,204	1886.....	1,948,530	484,903	9,310,463	9,795,366	— 7,886,836
1846.....	1,503,523	79,092	467,378	546,470	+ 957,053	1887.....	5,289,145	392,966	2,459,363	2,852,329	+ 2,436,816
1847.....	1,348,462	35,704	695,003	730,707	+ 617,755	1888.....	5,432,253	1,096,556	5,232,431	6,328,987	— 896,734
1848.....	1,608,251	129,331	171,674	301,005	+ 1,307,246	1889.....	1,700,346	458,558	4,627,727	5,086,285	— 3,385,939
1849.....	843,628	97,202	543,224	640,426	+ 203,202	1890.....	1,685,926	1,258,207	3,225,133	4,483,340	— 2,797,414
1850.....	752,689	391,147	474,738	865,885	— 114,196	Total, 10 years.	40,884,913	4,663,837	40,504,030	45,167,867	— 4,282,954
Total, 10 years.	11,982,639	1,173,907	3,623,884	4,797,791	+ 7,184,848	1891.....	4,611,641	2,052,234	1,363,996	3,416,230	+ 1,195,411
1851.....	586,508	968,470	1,343,915	2,312,385	— 1,725,877	1892.....	3,091,643	794,315	7,268,624	8,062,939	— 4,971,296
1852.....	507,617	293,434	454,416	747,850	— 240,233	1893.....	1,851,178	1,102,158	6,954,561	8,056,719	— 6,205,541
1853.....	208,326	495,291	161,820	657,111	— 448,785	1894.....	8,519,439	1,287,223	12,204,922	13,492,145	— 4,972,706
1854.....	284,164	600,438	147,532	747,970	— 463,806	1895.....	4,551,297	742,344	8,468,369	9,210,713	— 4,659,416
1855.....	399,502	254,913	43,332	298,245	+ 101,257	1896.....	6,361,527	1,071,624	2,750,653	3,822,277	+ 2,539,250
1856.....	164,748	332,025	268,082	600,107	— 435,359	1897.....	5,909,097	970,054	277,422	1,247,476	+ 4,661,621
1857.....	750,813	1,425,369	5,335,965	6,761,334	— 6,010,521	1898.....	6,526,598	563,546	4,574,676	5,138,222	+ 1,388,376
1858.....	4,892,781	1,781,984	2,575,738	4,357,722	+ 535,059	Total, 8 years..	41,422,420	8,583,498	43,863,223	52,446,721	—11,024,301
1859.....	1,557,903	406,542	854,439	1,260,981	+ 296,922						
1860.....	1,798,693	590,408	528,594	1,119,002	+ 679,691						
Total, 10 years.	11,151,055	7,148,874	11,713,833	18,862,707	— 7,711,652						

a Includes British Honduras and Dutch Guiana.

SOUTH AMERICA.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

ARGENTINA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1825.....	274,406		3,020	3,020	+ 271,386	1861.....	53,520		22,166	22,166	+ 31,364
1826.....	31,144				+ 31,144	1862.....	81,235	5,000	10,836	15,836	+ 68,419
1827.....	25,575				+ 25,575	1863.....	1,747		34,569	34,569	— 32,822
1828.....	63,563				+ 60,563	1864.....			22,685	22,685	— 22,685
1829.....	83,381				+ 83,381	1865.....	2,960				+ 2,960
1830.....	183,210				+ 189,210	1866.....		49,960	9,061	59,021	— 59,021
Total, 6 years.....	664,279		3,020	3,020	+ 661,259	1867.....	94		8,008	8,008	— 7,914
1831.....	3,200	15,000	63,648	78,648	— 75,448	1868.....	1,575		86,516	86,516	— 84,941
1832.....	4,167		73,377	73,377	— 69,210	1869.....			67,271	67,271	— 67,271
1833.....	5,785		18,603	18,603	— 12,818	1870.....			9,571	9,571	— 9,571
1834.....	24,068		5,490	5,490	+ 18,578	Total, 10 years.....	144,161	54,960	270,683	325,643	— 181,482
1835.....	34,927	500	99,176	99,676	— 64,749	1871.....		13,092	67,651	80,743	— 80,743
1836.....	4,320		10,470	10,470	— 6,150	1872.....					
1837.....			18,083	18,083	— 18,083	1873.....					
1838.....	3,000		12,470	12,470	— 9,470	1874.....					
1839.....	801		39,884	39,884	— 39,083	1875.....					
1840.....			38,581	38,581	— 38,581	1876.....					
Total, 10 years.....	80,268	15,500	379,782	395,282	— 315,014	1877.....	250				+ 250
1841.....			57,866	57,866	— 57,866	1878.....	1,351				+ 1,351
1842.....			75,610	75,610	— 75,610	1879.....	1,000	889		889	+ 111
June 30—						1880.....					
1843 (9 months).....			57,744	57,744	— 57,744	Total, 10 years.....	2,661	13,981	67,651	81,632	— 79,031
1844.....			157,948	157,948	— 157,948	1881.....					
1845.....		25,000	105,215	130,215	— 130,215	1882.....					
1846.....		18,644	22,178	40,822	— 40,822	1883.....					
1847.....			39,215	39,215	— 39,215	1884.....					
1848.....	2,386		8,000	8,000	— 5,614	1885.....					
1849.....			69,833	69,833	— 69,833	1886.....	3,213				+ 3,213
1850.....	1,850		237,215	237,215	— 235,365	1887.....	3,910				+ 3,910
Total, 10 years.....	4,236	43,644	830,824	874,463	— 870,227	1888.....					
1851.....			325,681	325,681	— 325,681	1889.....			11,483	11,483	— 11,483
1852.....	425	16,017	240,870	256,887	— 256,462	1890.....		1,000		1,000	— 1,000
1853.....	23,708		197,809	197,809	— 174,101	Total, 10 years.....	7,123	1,000	11,483	12,483	— 5,360
1854.....		9,600	38,118	47,718	— 47,718	1891.....					
1855.....		3,608	54,155	57,763	— 57,763	1892.....					
1856.....		19,303	91,027	110,330	— 110,330	1893.....					
1857.....	10,400	6,975	18,586	25,561	— 15,161	1894.....					
1858.....	64,207	22,615	23,674	46,289	+ 17,918	1895.....			100	100	— 100
1859.....		3,070	221,891	224,961	— 224,961	1896.....		3,500,000		3,500,000	— 3,500,000
1860.....		3,312	120,760	124,072	— 124,072	1897.....					
Total, 10 years.....	98,740	84,500	1,332,571	1,417,071	— 1,318,331	1898.....					

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OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRAZIL.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1821.....	19,500		156,999	156,999	— 137,499	1861.....		39,500	9,889	49,389	— 49,389
1822.....	71,803		97,525	97,525	— 25,722	1862.....	40,668	10,600		10,600	+ 30,668
1823.....	46,215		8,615	8,615	+ 37,600	1863.....		60,000		60,000	— 60,000
1824.....	218,792		89,210	89,210	+ 129,582	1864.....	52,718	182,285		182,285	— 129,667
1825.....	197,188		98,343	98,343	+ 98,845	1865.....	65,047	47,421	1,600	49,021	+ 16,026
1826.....	109,771		113,090	113,090	— 3,319	1866.....	14,620	75,896	17,949	93,845	— 79,225
1827.....	232,914		86,146	86,146	+ 146,768	1867.....	32,651	71,622	29,342	100,964	— 68,313
1828.....	181,577		135,183	135,183	+ 46,394	1868.....	87,145	59,459	88,020	147,479	— 60,334
1829.....	76,896		73,612	73,612	+ 3,224	1869.....	75,047	131,205	71,269	202,475	— 127,428
1830.....	84,695		1,470	1,470	+ 83,225	1870.....	14,740	42,263	1,260	43,523	— 28,783
Total, 10 years.	1,239,291		860,193	860,193	+ 379,098	Total, 10 years.	382,636	719,752	219,329	939,081	— 556,415
1831.....	23,149	20,938	216,375	237,313	— 214,164	1871.....	9,433	2,981	72,440	75,421	— 65,988
1832.....	20,671	23,000	381,503	404,503	— 383,832	1872.....	11,865	12,729	60,412	73,141	— 61,276
1833.....	11,458	591	156,840	157,341	— 145,883	1873.....	17,652	2,200		2,200	+ 15,452
1834.....	31,735		60,084	60,084	— 28,349	1874.....	22,668	2,550	1,314	3,664	+ 19,004
1835.....	66,605	1,000	342,931	343,931	— 277,326	1875.....	5,183	3,000		3,000	+ 2,183
1836.....	6,940	10,540	900,324	910,864	— 903,924	1876.....	6,792	1,600		1,000	+ 5,792
1837.....	40,617	18,700	83,531	102,231	— 61,614	1877.....		1,000		1,000	— 1,000
1838.....	123,221	4,000	204,706	208,706	— 85,485	1878.....	3,063				+ 3,063
1839.....	4,898	28,374	156,053	184,427	— 179,529	1879.....	10,197				+ 10,197
1840.....	14,522	10,312	91,802	102,174	— 87,652	1880.....	10,881				+ 10,881
Total, 10 years.	343,816	117,365	2,594,209	2,711,574	— 2,367,758	Total, 10 years.	97,734	25,260	134,166	159,426	— 61,692
1841.....	21,352	5,000	250,303	255,303	— 233,951	1881.....	872				+ 872
1842.....	50,345		81,794	81,794	— 31,449	1882.....					
June 30—						1883.....	499	800		800	— 301
1843 (9 months) ..	50,349		22,409	22,409	+ 27,940	1884.....	300	1,000	5,250	6,250	— 5,950
1844.....	28,609	4,800	137,895	142,695	— 114,086	1885.....	3,666		8,525	8,525	— 4,859
1845.....	7,477	17,864	172,643	190,507	— 183,030	1886.....	16,392	1,500	3,775	5,275	+ 11,117
1846.....	2,532	39,091	196,000	235,001	— 232,559	1887.....	2,415		9,821	9,821	— 7,406
1847.....	26,595		149,249	149,249	— 122,654	1888.....	20,100		16,357	16,357	+ 3,743
1848.....	17,503	18,405	144,667	163,072	— 145,569	1889.....	59	1,280	62,163	63,443	— 63,384
1849.....	9,361	17,992	99,612	117,604	— 108,243	1890.....	5,728	373,073	210,308	583,381	— 577,653
1850.....	2,166	12,500	267,190	279,690	— 277,524	Total, 10 years.	50,071	377,653	316,199	693,852	— 643,821
Total, 10 years.	216,289	115,652	1,521,762	1,637,414	— 1,421,125	1891.....	3,061	569,135	21,574	590,709	— 587,648
1851.....	6,511	10,116	420,146	430,262	— 423,751	1892.....	35,352	656,000	20,015	676,015	— 640,663
1852.....	94,317	53,061	64,405	117,466	— 23,149	1893.....	4,017	5,000	82,106	87,106	— 83,089
1853.....	9,000	302,333	96,696	399,029	— 390,029	1894.....	2,999		112,931	112,931	— 109,932
1854.....	24,400	619,950	23,164	643,114	— 618,714	1895.....	10,099	332	51,126	51,458	— 41,359
1855.....	1,461	108,615	32,910	141,525	— 140,064	1896.....	1,897		58,498	58,498	— 56,601
1856.....		189,493	44,100	233,593	— 233,593	1897.....	879		8,833	8,833	— 7,954
1857.....		146,588		146,588	— 146,588	1898.....	1,254		55,158	55,158	— 3,904
1858.....	31,840	82,158		82,158	— 50,318						
1859.....	20,024	196,150	41,925	238,075	— 218,051						
1860.....	10,000	204,597	53,931	258,528	— 248,528						
Total, 10 years.	197,552	1,913,061	777,277	2,690,338	— 2,492,785						

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CHILE.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1825.....	46,306		88,760	88,760	— 42,454	1861.....	5,516				+ 5,516
1826.....	251,774		59,100	59,100	+ 192,674	1862.....			2,775	2,775	— 2,775
1827.....	95,502		20,781	20,781	+ 74,721	1863.....					
1828.....	330,893				+ 330,893	1864.....					
1829.....	153,850				+ 153,850	1865.....					
1830.....	1,569				+ 1,569	1866.....		144,195		144,195	— 144,195
Total, 6 years..	879,834		168,641	168,641	+ 711,163	1867.....		723,451		723,451	— 723,451
1831.....	91,694		21,362	21,362	+ 70,332	1868.....					
1832.....	37,483	44,000	100,762	144,762	— 107,279	1869.....					
1833.....	97,557				+ 97,557	1870.....		487,510		487,510	— 487,510
1834.....	385,531		361	361	+ 385,170	Total, 10 years.	5,516	1,355,156	2,775	1,357,931	—1,352,415
1835.....	415,150				+ 415,150	1871.....					
1836.....	203,980				+ 203,980	1872.....					
1837.....	550,917		1,580	1,580	+ 548,437	1873.....		154,926		154,926	— 154,926
1838.....	262,033				+ 262,033	1874.....					
1839.....	134,603				+ 134,603	1875.....		200		200	— 200
1840.....	480,536	106		106	+ 480,430	1876.....		160		100	— 100
Total, 10 years.	2,658,584	44,106	124,065	168,171	+2,490,413	1877.....	9,348				+ 9,348
1841.....	346,496				+ 346,496	1878.....					
1842.....	39,520	800		800	+ 38,720	1879.....					
June 30—						1880.....					
1843 (9 months) ..	98,680				+ 98,680	Total, 10 years.	9,348	155,226		155,226	— 145,878
1844.....	186,817				+ 186,817	1881.....					
1845.....	66,085				+ 66,085	1882.....	500				+ 500
1846.....	111,929		51,629	51,629	+ 60,300	1883.....	8,155				+ 8,155
1847.....	70,112				+ 70,112	1884.....	728	25,000		25,000	— 24,272
1848.....	20,593				+ 20,593	1885.....					
1849.....	170,462				+ 170,462	1886.....					
1850.....	119,057				+ 119,057	1887.....					
Total, 10 years.	1,229,751	800	51,629	52,429	+1,177,322	1888.....					
1851.....	774	3,000		3,000	— 2,226	1889.....		260	9,935	10,195	— 10,195
1852.....	32,723	17,250		17,250	+ 15,473	1890.....					
1853.....	12,318		30,000	30,000	— 17,682	Total, 10 years.	9,383	25,260	9,935	35,195	— 25,812
1854.....	22,805	6,570		6,570	+ 16,235	1891.....					
1855.....	11,708	13,166		13,166	— 1,458	1892.....					
1856.....			10,010	10,010	— 10,010	1893.....					
1857.....	29,500	6,898		6,898	+ 22,602	1894.....	72,512				+ 72,512
1858.....		17,579		15,579	— 17,579	1895.....	10,762				+ 10,762
1859.....	19,425				+ 19,425	1896.....	64,360				+ 64,360
1860.....	5,177				+ 5,177	1897.....	96,252				+ 96,252
Total, 10 years.	134,430	64,463	40,010	104,473	+ 29,957	1898.....	202,078				+ 202,078

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COLOMBIA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1825.....	199,459		18,400	18,400	+ 181,059	1861.....	2,053,425	236,175	18,924	255,099	+ 1,798,326
1826.....	462,617		10,500	10,500	+ 452,117	1862 <i>a</i>	503,180				+ 503,180
1827.....	565,881				+ 565,881	1863 <i>a</i>	391,361				+ 391,361
1828.....	420,524		29,200	29,200	+ 391,324	1864.....	338,368	2,889,243	4,544	2,893,787	— 2,555,419
1829.....	222,337		880	880	+ 221,457	1865.....	451,635	107,107		107,107	+ 344,528
1830.....	414,936				+ 414,996	1866.....	340,512	385,000		385,000	— 44,488
Total, 6 years..	2,283,814		58,980	58,980	+ 2,226,834	1867.....	544,180	359,000		359,000	+ 185,180
1831.....	284,903				+ 284,903	1868.....	1,113,422	457,565		457,565	+ 655,857
1832.....	289,386		58,792	58,792	+ 230,594	1869.....	607,252	845,574	1,816	847,390	— 240,138
1833.....	209,166		78,454	78,454	+ 130,712	1870.....	497,467	633,465		633,465	— 135,998
1834.....	246,103		26,977	26,977	+ 219,126	Total, 10 years..	6,840,802	5,913,129	25,284	5,938,413	+ 802,389
1835.....	186,253	2,800	172,916	175,716	+ 10,537	1871.....	866,724	345,730	9,800	355,530	+ 511,194
1836.....	156,243		161,989	161,989	— 5,746	1872.....	458,077	235,860		235,860	+ 222,217
1837.....	144,053	1,900	100,681	102,581	+ 41,472	1873.....	262,124	210,298	31,615	241,913	+ 20,211
1838.....	226,515		114,117	114,117	+ 112,398	1874.....	385,676	80,699	11,845	92,544	+ 293,132
1839.....	42,302				+ 42,302	1875.....	658,242	66,332		66,332	+ 591,910
1840.....	128,168		704	704	+ 127,464	1876.....	463,373	59,232		59,232	+ 404,141
Total, 10 years..	1,913,092	4,700	714,620	719,330	+ 1,193,762	1877.....	431,067	79,490	14,000	93,490	+ 337,577
1841.....	42,432		14,153	14,153	+ 28,279	1878.....	656,056	188,028	9,079	197,107	+ 458,949
1842.....	41,581				+ 41,581	1879.....	856,167	235,989	7,451	243,440	+ 612,727
June 30--						1880.....	598,683	138,480	17,300	155,780	+ 442,903
1843 (9 months) ..	39,714	2,000	480	2,480	+ 37,234	Total, 10 years..	5,636,189	1,640,138	101,099	1,741,238	+ 3,894,961
1844.....	62,605				+ 62,605	1881.....	523,140	209,232	22,009	231,241	+ 291,899
1845.....	47,388				+ 47,388	1882.....	429,813	227,790	62,750	290,540	+ 139,273
1846.....	32,100				+ 32,100	1883.....	374,558	453,972	21,412	475,384	— 100,826
1847.....	75,179				+ 75,179	1884.....	349,453	750,011	114,620	864,631	— 515,178
1848.....	77,500		19,000	19,000	+ 58,500	1885.....	966,956	817,579	7,493	825,072	+ 141,884
1849.....	62,562	45,000	7,077	52,077	+ 10,485	1886.....	932,642	828,994	133,283	962,277	— 29,635
1850.....	430,039	205,000	68,000	273,000	+ 157,039	1887.....	820,350	945,677	97,617	1,043,294	— 222,944
Total, 10 years..	911,103	252,000	108,710	360,710	+ 550,393	1888.....	1,134,097	704,110	86,975	791,085	+ 343,012
1851.....	495,758	65,395		65,395	+ 430,363	1889.....	1,642,795	382,222	11,056	393,278	+ 1,249,517
1852.....	456,744	32,161	18,300	50,461	+ 406,283	1890.....	1,778,326	74,974	27,978	102,952	+ 1,675,374
1853.....	295,956	3,462		3,462	+ 292,494	Total, 10 years..	8,952,130	5,394,561	585,193	5,979,754	+ 2,972,376
1854.....	885,022		2,017	2,017	+ 883,005	1891.....	2,743,663	126,677	40,327	167,004	+ 2,576,659
1855.....	478,943	186,911	86,953	273,864	+ 205,079	1892.....	1,365,362	42,350	3,852	46,202	+ 1,319,160
1856.....	232,490	250,387	7,087	257,474	— 24,984	1893.....	1,192,806	34,300	964	35,264	+ 1,157,542
1857.....	305,662	479,116	23,650	502,766	— 197,104	1894.....	1,268,700	421,516	158,504	580,020	+ 688,680
1858.....	704,703	352,234	3,880	356,114	+ 348,589	1895.....	1,109,670	211,641	262,799	474,440	+ 635,230
1859.....	415,101	316,051	25,193	341,244	+ 73,857	1896.....	1,010,347	19,000	26,343	45,343	+ 965,004
1860.....	989,942	301,195	2,000	303,195	+ 686,747	1897.....	643,959	37,900	49	37,949	+ 606,010
Total, 10 years..	5,260,321	1,986,912	169,080	2,155,992	+ 3,104,329	1898.....	376,149	24,500	27,737	52,237	+ 323,912

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OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

ECUADOR.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1851.....						1875.....					
1852.....	1,261				+ 1,261	1876.....					
1853.....						1877.....					
1854.....	16,342				+16,342	1878.....					
1855.....						1879.....					
1856.....						1880.....					
1857.....						Total, 10 years.					
1858.....						1881.....					
1859.....						1882.....					
1860.....						1883.....					
Total, 10 years.	17,603				+17,603	1884.....					
1861.....						1885.....					
1862.....						1886.....					
1863.....						1887.....					
1864.....						1888.....	500	20,000		20,000	— 19,500
1865.....						1889.....		2,730		2,730	— 2,730
1866.....						1890.....					
1867.....						Total, 10 years.	500	22,730		22,730	— 22,230
1868.....						1891.....	3,150	10,000		10,000	— 6,850
1869.....						1892.....	18,173				+ 18,173
1870.....						1893.....	4,080				+ 4,080
Total, 10 years.						1894.....	1,001				+ 1,001
1871.....						1895.....	1,473	147,000		147,000	—145,527
1872.....						1896.....	3,786	98,000		98,000	— 94,214
1873.....						1897.....	2,554	5,000	4,900	9,900	— 7,346
1874.....						1898.....	4,789				+ 4,789

BRITISH GUIANA.

[Omitted from its proper order. See page 3428.]

DUTCH GUIANA.

September 30—						June 30—					
1833.....	1,744				+ 1,744	1871.....					
1834.....	1,236				+ 1,236	1872.....					
1838.....	200				+ 200	1873.....					
1841.....	400				+ 400	1874.....					
1842.....	3,578				+ 3,578	1875.....					
June 30—						1876.....					
1843.....	275				+ 275	1877.....					
1849.....	416				+ 416	1878.....					
1850.....	2,418				+ 2,418	1879.....	2,098				+ 2,098
Total, 8 years..	10,267				+10,267	1880.....	7,969				+ 7,969
1851.....						Total, 10 years.	10,067				+ 10,067
1852.....						1881.....	10,616				+ 10,616
1853.....						1882.....	16,436				+ 16,436
1854.....	18,096				+18,096	1883.....	34,767				+ 34,767
1855.....	22,145				+22,145	1884.....	31,344				+ 31,344
1856.....	3,162	12,000		12,000	— 8,838	1885.....	60,571				+ 60,571
1857.....		5,000		5,000	— 5,000	1886.....	8,596				+ 8,596
1858.....	28,324				+28,324	1887.....	6,457				+ 6,457
1859.....	3,316				+ 3,316	1888.....	13,594				+ 13,594
1860.....	9,528	12,030		12,030	— 2,502	1889.....	17,748				+ 17,748
Total, 10 years.	84,571	29,030		29,030	+55,541	1890.....	19,604				+ 19,604
1861.....	22,000	16,000		16,000	+ 6,000	Total, 10 years.	219,733				+219,733
1862.....						1891.....	4,040				+ 4,040
1863.....						1892.....	62,916				+ 62,916
1864 ^a						1893.....	74,612	6,000		6,000	+ 68,612
1865.....	13,251				+13,251	1894.....	58,165	6,900		6,900	+ 51,265
1866.....						1895.....	1,383				+ 1,383
1867.....	18,601				+18,601	1896.....	9,116	1,000		1,000	+ 8,116
1868.....						1897.....	8,240				+ 8,240
1869 ^b						1898.....	2,510				+ 2,510
1870.....											
Total, 10 years.	53,852	16,000		16,000	+37,852						

^a Included in Netherlands.

^b Included in Dutch West Indies.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

FRENCH GUIANA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1823.....	9.3	.....	.....	.....	+ 938	1856.....	16,191	.....	.....	.....	+ 16,191
1841.....	23,692	.....	.....	.....	+ 23,692	1857.....	30,411	.....	.....	.....	+ 30,411
1812.....	13,797	.....	.....	.....	+ 13,797	1858.....	25,673	.....	.....	.....	+ 25,673
June 30—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1859.....	3,085	.....	.....	.....	+ 3,085
1843.....	8,700	.....	.....	.....	+ 8,700	1860.....	2,592	.....	.....	.....	+ 2,592
1844.....	2,167	.....	.....	.....	+ 2,167	Total, 10 years.	105,987	.....	.....	.....	+ 105,987
1845.....	5,600	.....	.....	.....	+ 5,600	1861.....	5,356	.....	.....	.....	+ 5,356
1846.....	8,000	.....	.....	.....	+ 8,000	1862.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1847.....	7,400	.....	.....	.....	+ 7,400	1863.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1848.....	29,741	.....	.....	.....	+ 29,741	1864.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1849.....	3,720	.....	.....	.....	+ 3,720	1865.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, 10 years.	103,755	.....	.....	.....	+ 103,755	1866.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1851.....	11,000	.....	.....	.....	+ 11,000	1867.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1852.....	7,435	+ 7,435	1868.....
1853.....	7,100	+ 7,100	1869.....
1854.....	1870.....
1855.....	2,500	+ 2,500	Total, 10 years.	5,356	+ 5,356

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September 30—	September 30—
1825.....	323,157	+ 323,157	1861.....
1826.....	408,622	+ 408,622	1862.....
1827.....	665,788	.....	5,000	5,000	+ 669,788	1863.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1828.....	629,350	.....	.....	.....	+ 629,350	1864.....	1,500	.....	.....	.....	+ 1,500
1829.....	602,079	.....	.....	.....	+ 602,079	1865.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1830.....	591,521	.....	.....	.....	+ 591,521	1866.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, 6 years.	3,220,517	.....	5,000	5,000	+3,215,517	1867.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1831.....	331,711	.....	.....	.....	+ 331,711	1868.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1832.....	165,122	.....	.....	.....	+ 165,122	1869.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1833.....	182,872	.....	.....	.....	+ 182,872	1870.....	.....	1,819,018	.....	1,819,018	—1,819,018
1834.....	263,231	.....	.....	.....	+ 263,231	Total, 10 years.	1,500	1,819,018	.....	1,819,018	—1,817,518
1835.....	669,877	.....	.....	.....	+ 669,877	1871.....	.....	1,200,000	.....	1,200,000	—1,200,000
1836.....	38,203	.....	.....	.....	+ 38,203	1872.....	7,522	4,500,000	.....	4,500,000	—4,492,478
1837.....	440,109	.....	.....	.....	+ 440,109	1873.....	20,090	1,540,099	.....	1,549,099	—1,529,009
1838.....	164,375	.....	.....	.....	+ 164,375	1874.....	.....	707,035	.....	707,035	—707,035
1839.....	87,696	.....	.....	.....	+ 87,696	1875.....	53,360	.....	.....	.....	+ 53,360
1840.....	146,521	.....	.....	.....	+ 146,521	1876.....	14,930	175,200	.....	175,200	—160,270
Total, 10 years.	2,489,717	.....	.....	.....	+2,489,717	1877.....	65,960	.....	.....	.....	+ 65,950
1841.....	129,161	.....	.....	.....	+ 129,161	1878.....	546,705	5,134	.....	5,134	+ 541,571
1842.....	14,380	.....	.....	.....	+ 14,380	1879.....	512,698	.....	.....	.....	+ 512,698
June 30—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1880.....	93,927	.....	275	275	+ 96,652
1843 (9 months) ..	31,441	.....	.....	.....	+ 31,441	Total, 10 years.	1,318,182	8,136,468	275	8,136,743	—6,818,561
1844.....	21,839	.....	.....	.....	+ 21,839	1881.....	21,355	.....	12,166	12,166	+ 9,189
1845.....	18,221	.....	.....	.....	+ 18,221	1882.....	4,800	50,000	.....	50,000	—45,200
1846.....	9,500	.....	.....	.....	+ 9,500	1883.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1847.....	32,520	.....	.....	.....	+ 32,520	1884.....	9,840	10,000	4,900	14,900	—5,060
1848.....	57,991	.....	.....	.....	+ 57,991	1885.....	30,844	.....	.....	.....	+ 30,844
1849.....	17,408	.....	.....	.....	+ 17,408	1886.....	9,543	11,300	.....	11,300	—1,757
1850.....	3,250	.....	.....	.....	+ 3,250	1887.....	.....	102,598	.....	102,598	—102,598
Total, 10 years.	338,711	.....	.....	.....	+ 338,711	1888.....	.....	15,000	10,500	25,500	—25,500
1851.....	.....	344	.....	344	— 344	1889.....	.....	20,000	.....	20,000	—20,000
1852.....	975	.....	.....	.....	+ 975	1890.....	1,017	10,000	4,895	14,895	—13,878
1853.....	16,679	3,000	.....	3,000	+ 13,679	Total, 10 years.	77,399	218,698	32,461	251,359	—173,960
1854.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	— 5,000	1891.....	.....	15,000	7,320	22,320	—22,320
1855.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1892.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1856.....	.....	7,600	.....	7,600	— 7,600	1893.....	.....	.....	637	637	— 637
1857.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1894.....	5,255	.....	.....	.....	+ 5,255
1858.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1895.....	66,073	.....	.....	.....	+ 66,073
1859.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1896.....	363,210	.....	15,605	15,605	+ 347,605
1860.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1897.....	417,859	.....	34,035	34,035	+ 383,824
Total, 10 years.	17,654	15,944	15,944	+ 1,710	1898.....	375,720	19,540	19,540	+ 356,180
						Total, 8 years.	1,228,117	15,000	77,137	92,137	+1,135,980

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TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

VENEZUELA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			E imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1839.....	35,041		104,482	104,482	— 69,441	1871.....	73,538	620,393	51,043	671,441	— 597,903
1840.....	27,521	6,824	67,133	73,957	— 46,436	1872.....	19,055	1,273,128	52,951	1,326,079	— 1,307,024
1841.....	3,168	450	145,267	145,717	— 142,549	1873.....	35,616	1,322,257	188,147	1,510,404	— 1,474,788
1842.....	27,676	3,600	67,622	71,222	— 43,546	1874.....	62,346	523,910	74,634	598,564	— 536,218
June 30—						1875.....	462,649	543,600	17,000	560,600	— 97,951
1843.....	95,816	2,500	18,533	21,033	+ 74,783	1876.....	358,926	610,584		610,584	— 251,658
1844.....	5,058	400	44,933	45,333	— 40,275	1877.....	428,758	291,113	21,660	312,773	+ 115,985
1845.....	19,448	8,516	152,521	161,037	— 141,589	1878.....	134,134	217,230	18,500	235,730	— 101,596
1846.....	2,859	1,000	153,043	154,043	— 151,184	1879.....	394,683	73,608	5,100	78,708	+ 315,975
1847.....	42,409		7,945	7,945	+ 34,464	1880.....	253,270	110,000		110,000	+ 143,270
1848.....	73,597		38,511	38,511	+ 35,086	Total, 10 years.	2,222,975	5,585,828	429,055	6,014,883	— 3,791,908
1849.....	65,870	43,113	89,269	132,382	— 66,512	1881.....	292,487	321,000	1,500	322,500	— 30,033
1850.....	49,730	173,903	310,586	490,489	— 440,759	1882.....	442,053	170,000	10,200	180,200	+ 261,858
Total, 12 years.	420,672	240,306	1,074,114	1,314,420	— 893,748	1883.....	53,201	239,160	79,520	318,480	— 265,279
1851.....	36,584	280,396	141,679	422,075	— 385,491	1884.....	81,090	452,005	73,592	525,598	— 444,508
1852.....	22,521	50,297	35,675	94,972	— 72,451	1885.....	117,590	74,000	7,400	81,400	+ 66,190
1853.....	11,339	215,494	41,960	257,454	— 246,115	1886.....	481,505	66,390	867,655	931,045	— 452,540
1854.....	56,858	393,973	6,855	400,828	— 343,970	1887.....	183,731	861,411	1,772,085	2,633,496	— 2,449,765
1855.....	9,685	255,264	15,200	270,464	— 260,779	1888.....	170,525	642,674	161,710	804,384	— 633,859
1856.....	22,832	566,970		566,970	— 544,138	1889.....	82,447	2,404,576	244,659	2,709,235	— 2,626,788
1857.....	35,148	336,100		336,100	— 300,952	1890.....	59,237	1,143,050	460,366	1,603,416	— 1,544,179
1858.....	156,533	243,087	5,000	218,087	— 91,554	Total, 10 years.	1,993,851	6,434,266	3,678,488	10,112,754	— 8,118,903
1859.....	38,100	571,365	512	571,877	— 533,777	1891.....	9,826	1,661,971	332,730	1,994,701	— 1,984,875
1860.....	46,245	263,600	50,100	313,700	— 267,455	1892.....	500,711	1,727,492		1,727,492	— 1,226,781
Total, 10 years.	435,845	3,185,546	296,981	3,482,527	— 3,046,682	1893.....	233,912	1,818,579	34,385	1,852,914	— 1,619,002
1861.....	6,292	190,503	12,236	202,739	— 196,447	1894.....	768,342	454,925		454,925	+ 313,417
1862.....	24,058	259,542		259,542	— 235,484	1895.....	325,819	905,462	31,321	936,783	— 610,964
1863.....	69,216	162,780		162,780	— 93,564	1896.....	523,798	1,042,520	185,136	1,227,655	— 703,867
1864 a.....						1897.....	482,578	94,750	55,865	159,615	+ 331,963
1865.....	298,722	47,500		47,500	+ 251,222	1898.....	620,782	104,600	1,822	106,422	+ 514,360
1866.....	242,545	89,275	35,221	124,496	+ 118,049	Total, 8 years.	3,465,768	7,810,308	641,209	8,451,517	— 4,985,749
1867.....	242,427	15,500		15,500	+ 226,927						
1868.....	164,467	326,115	8,647	334,762	— 170,295						
1869.....	83,644	347,029		347,029	— 263,385						
1870.....	119,997	457,785		457,785	— 337,788						
Total, 10 years.	1,251,368	1,896,029	56,104	1,952,133	— 703,765						

a Included in Colombia (New Grenada).

ALL OTHER SOUTH AMERICA.

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TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES, 1821-1898—Continued.

TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			Excess of imports (+) of exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	June 30—	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1821.....	148,962		211,892	211,892	— 62,930	1861.....	2,187,490	482,178	63,215	545,393	+1,642,097
1822.....	732,920		155,223	155,223	+ 577,697	1862.....	883,844	274,542	13,611	288,153	+ 395,691
1823.....	1,996,631		8,615	8,615	+ 1,988,016	1863.....	462,324	222,780	34,569	257,349	+ 204,975
1824.....	3,506,833		89,210	89,210	+ 3,417,623	1864.....	302,586	3,071,623	52,229	3,123,857	— 2,731,271
1825.....	1,054,091		209,292	209,292	+ 844,799	1865.....	831,615	202,028	1,000	203,028	+ 627,987
1826.....	1,263,928		182,690	182,690	+ 1,081,238	1866.....	598,497	744,326	62,231	806,557	— 208,060
1827.....	1,585,660		111,927	111,927	+ 1,473,733	1867.....	897,953	1,172,039	37,350	1,209,389	— 371,436
1828.....	1,622,817		164,383	164,383	+ 1,458,434	1868.....	1,366,609	843,139	183,183	1,026,322	+ 340,287
1829.....	1,142,259	1,950	74,492	76,442	+ 1,065,817	1869.....	765,943	1,323,899	140,356	1,464,165	— 698,222
1830.....	1,326,067		1,470	1,470	+ 1,318,597	1870.....	632,204	3,449,041	10,831	3,459,872	— 2,818,668
Total, 10 years.	14,374,168	1,950	1,209,194	1,211,144	+13,163,024	Total, 10 years.	8,759,065	11,776,510	599,175	12,375,685	— 3,616,620
1831.....	734,657	35,938	301,385	337,323	+ 397,334	1871.....	949,695	2,182,201	200,934	2,383,135	— 1,433,440
1832.....	516,829	67,000	614,434	681,434	— 164,605	1872.....	496,519	6,021,717	113,363	6,135,080	— 5,638,561
1833.....	509,728	501	253,897	254,398	+ 253,330	1873.....	335,482	3,291,132	219,762	3,510,894	— 3,175,412
1834.....	952,364		92,912	92,912	+ 859,452	1874.....	470,690	1,460,957	87,813	1,548,770	— 1,078,080
1835.....	1,373,005	4,300	615,023	619,323	+ 753,682	1875.....	1,179,434	613,132	17,000	630,132	+ 549,302
1836.....	410,796	17,216	1,072,783	1,089,999	— 679,203	1876.....	848,624	816,116		846,116	+ 2,508
1837.....	1,179,829	20,099	203,875	223,974	+ 955,354	1877.....	937,896	371,693	35,660	407,353	+ 530,543
1838.....	801,482	4,650	331,293	335,943	+ 465,539	1878.....	1,347,635	410,392	27,579	437,971	+ 909,664
1839.....	302,056	28,374	398,294	336,668	— 27,612	1879.....	1,776,843	313,386	12,551	325,937	+1,450,906
1840.....	814,765	17,242	223,947	241,189	+ 562,576	1880.....	967,730	218,480	17,575	236,055	+ 701,675
Total, 10 years.	7,692,511	195,821	4,023,843	4,219,664	+ 3,382,847	Total, 10 years.	9,310,458	15,759,116	732,237	16,491,353	— 7,180,895
1841.....	578,663	5,450	467,589	473,039	+ 105,629	1881.....	874,410	531,432	35,675	567,107	+ 307,303
1842.....	206,782	4,400	236,658	241,058	— 34,276	1882.....	896,898	478,006	102,050	580,056	+ 316,842
June 30—						1883.....	471,680	694,032	110,457	804,489	— 332,809
1843 (9 months).....	369,291	4,500	106,969	111,469	+ 257,822	1884.....	472,755	1,238,016	198,363	1,436,379	— 963,624
1844.....	346,686	5,200	366,450	371,650	— 34,964	1885.....	1,209,627	892,329	23,418	915,747	+ 293,880
1845.....	169,119	51,380	436,479	487,599	— 318,740	1886.....	1,501,891	913,184	1,014,713	1,927,897	— 426,006
1846.....	171,395	58,735	428,366	487,101	— 315,716	1887.....	1,016,863	1,910,686	1,879,523	3,790,209	— 2,773,346
1847.....	269,046		229,709	229,709	+ 39,337	1888.....	1,338,816	1,381,784	275,542	1,657,326	— 318,510
1848.....	291,919	18,405	212,870	231,275	+ 60,644	1889.....	1,743,049	2,871,068	339,296	3,210,364	— 1,467,315
1849.....	334,478	103,105	274,391	389,496	— 46,018	1890.....	1,863,912	1,602,317	703,547	2,305,864	— 441,952
1850.....	609,010	391,415	955,391	1,316,794	— 737,784	Total, 10 years.	11,389,901	12,512,854	4,682,584	17,195,438	— 5,805,537
Total, 10 years.	3,325,794	645,578	3,714,872	4,360,450	— 1,024,656	1891.....	2,763,740	2,382,783	401,951	2,784,734	— 20,994
1851.....	574,951	359,251	931,340	1,290,591	— 715,640	1892.....	1,982,514	2,425,842	23,867	2,449,709	— 467,195
1852.....	641,401	226,116	369,020	505,130	+ 46,271	1893.....	1,521,427	1,863,879	118,042	1,981,921	— 457,494
1853.....	398,590	557,289	424,654	981,943	— 583,353	1894.....	2,176,974	883,841	271,435	1,155,276	+1,021,698
1854.....	1,025,497	1,045,093	190,699	1,225,792	— 200,295	1895.....	1,556,129	1,117,435	492,346	1,609,781	— 73,652
1855.....	584,889	567,564	192,458	760,022	— 175,133	1896.....	1,986,514	4,660,529	285,582	4,946,111	— 2,959,597
1856.....	276,675	1,045,753	156,557	1,202,310	— 925,635	1897.....	1,652,321	137,656	103,682	241,332	+1,410,989
1857.....	412,121	1,005,677	42,236	1,047,913	— 635,792	1898.....	1,592,395	132,270	114,919	247,189	— 201,039
1858.....	1,634,289	737,473	33,610	771,083	+ 263,197	Total, 8 years.	15,215,014	13,604,229	1,811,824	15,416,053	+1,345,205
1859.....	509,051	1,089,636	297,396	1,387,032	— 877,981						
1860.....	1,063,484	809,734	226,791	1,036,525	+ 26,959						
Total, 10 years.	6,520,939	7,433,580	2,864,761	10,298,341	— 3,777,402						

**QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1781, TO 1898.**

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—										Total imports of merchandise.
	FREE OF DUTY.					DUTIABLE.					
	Articles, the growth, produce, etc., of the United States returned—spirits distilled.		Hides and skins other than for skins.	Seeds.	Total free of duty.	Vegetables.		Total dutiabie.			
						Potatoes.	All other.				
	<i>Proof galls.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1892.....	76,976	109,364	7,106	29,081	155,411	70,318	130,398	258,492	396,904	552,315	
1893.....	184,210	253,663	6,416	51,143	334,491	74,638	125,986	286,761	425,355	759,846	
1894.....	21,028	26,777	6,032	79,579	120,790	64,993	109,122	211,461	323,805	444,595	
1895.....	6,622	8,643	7,208	52,298	111,841	70,073	130,603	214,383	353,866	465,707	
1896.....	8,885	15,413	7,045	19	148,998	65,853	94,681	271,332	373,076	522,674	
1897.....	2,508	5,144	2,774	654	101,730	56,734	92,014	411,470	520,101	621,831	
1898.....	2,888	5,090	197	35	30,221	57,708	93,014	330,047	423,061	459,282	

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—											
	ANIMALS.					BREADSTUFFS.						
	Cattle.		Sheep.		All other.	Corn.		Oats.		Wheat flour.		All other.
	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	1,232	86,075	1,576	13,644	4,764	33,256	22,637	59,969	27,625	17,711	87,170	48,555
1893.....	1,543	96,667	1,752	13,632	7,384	36,342	21,903	66,005	29,269	18,655	79,283	47,055
1894.....	1,670	114,756	1,707	13,732	5,717	33,832	18,446	53,663	22,289	17,071	63,973	41,337
1895.....	1,774	165,656	2,130	17,657	5,960	40,703	23,792	45,402	17,696	17,468	63,235	40,720
1896.....	1,744	145,703	2,366	18,862	10,275	41,180	18,927	69,569	22,022	20,259	77,477	44,538
1897.....	1,638	110,154	2,187	14,763	6,855	42,340	15,861	49,825	13,931	19,821	83,107	34,407
1898.....	1,657	124,694	2,130	16,897	10,237	44,131	19,067	44,794	14,780	21,520	102,891	39,832

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	Carriages and horse cars, and parts of.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coal.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	Fruits, including nuts.	Hay.		Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.
					Cloths.		All other.					
					<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>			<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Yards.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	12,847	17,325	4,554	15,190	166,097	10,960	6,364	8,852	18,880	660	11,842	22,738
1893.....	10,452	19,322	3,157	12,077	159,510	10,690	6,832	7,632	29,310	677	11,209	27,770
1894.....	10,019	16,890	2,823	9,429	173,099	11,275	7,478	6,428	35,034	417	7,334	18,245
1895.....	8,404	18,023	5,047	13,592	193,257	12,114	9,626	5,310	34,220	394	6,244	19,451
1896.....	8,624	24,505	4,499	12,183	214,520	14,128	9,387	6,949	20,050	437	8,112	26,665
1897.....	5,734	21,241	4,823	14,438	256,284	15,757	8,362	7,280	20,178	372	5,936	27,942
1898.....	6,776	22,058	16,780	36,630	249,724	15,695	14,524	7,905	23,681	275	5,823	29,711

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.							
	Boots and shoes.		All other.	Oils, mineral, refined.		Beef, fresh, and salted or pickled.		Bacon, hams, and pork.		Butter.		All other.
	<i>Pairs.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	25,344	25,254	2,430	157,020	15,486	765,151	57,971	456,316	39,298	262,283	55,830	54,147
1893.....	30,172	30,180	3,053	207,541	17,788	431,676	32,169	358,429	40,255	269,937	61,720	71,357
1894.....	25,515	28,033	2,482	155,889	16,585	365,100	27,436	492,231	47,549	234,604	51,456	55,472
1895.....	24,858	25,430	1,789	157,121	16,439	181,313	12,073	381,789	34,736	191,527	34,286	51,556
1896.....	22,145	24,327	2,965	230,162	26,723	315,549	23,480	533,175	44,418	274,372	50,078	55,895
1897.....	25,563	23,826	2,879	247,415	24,296	482,815	31,890	499,103	40,469	304,435	50,682	48,305
1898.....	30,001	28,917	2,761	268,219	24,624	436,646	34,410	645,854	51,367	294,722	55,500	65,339

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	Spirits, distilled.		Sugar, refined.		Tobacco, manu- factures of.	Vegetables.	Wood, and manu- factures of.	Total exports of merchandise.		
		<i>Proof galls.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	35,510	40,251	567,643	21,713	14,283	10,898	44,390	890,95		
1893.....	41,292	76,929	305,742	14,314	13,887	11,687	35,281	943,602		
1894.....	122,199	102,661	318,137	14,581	12,619	8,060	34,520	900,276		
1895.....	15,086	13,466	194,540	8,355	12,978	15,335	39,670	797,788		
1896.....	9,667	9,911	70,649	3,417	10,723	21,342	34,242	894,024		
1897.....	5,570	2,657	155,057	6,587	11,007	16,195	40,603	829,694		
1898.....	5,626	5,212	42,393	2,275	12,365	18,000	39,398	962,200		

NORTH AMERICA.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES, ETC.—Continued.

BRITISH HONDURAS. (a)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.									
	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	Coffee.		Fruits, including nuts. ^b			Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta- percha, crude.		Total free of duty.
				Bananas.	Cocoanuts.	All other.				
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1879.....	35,248	19,326	3,528				5,154	161,241	51,586	115,778
1880.....	53,305	479,719	67,740				21,037	249,184	122,728	313,201
1881.....	57,998	728,476	98,349				24,230	159,747	74,657	298,503
1882.....	35,788	829,604	118,323				18,815	161,288	80,316	299,748
1883.....	45,737	1,544,753	216,916				21,755	94,625	52,186	395,337
1884.....	18,034	148,439	21,964	50,006	22,456	7,827	5,888	33,232	16,579	171,331
1885.....	7,501	15,496	2,064	75,398	19,016	7,454	6,629	79,060	35,010	164,171
1886.....	10,984	167,193	20,689	89,405	24,787	6,953	7,809	120,307	51,851	224,735
1887.....	4,247	115	19	180,396	44,167	6,351	2,910	45,563	26,057	267,197
1888.....	532	28,909	3,306	109,001	14,488	8,094	1,908	38,157	19,254	157,093
1889.....	5,215	17,365	2,541	118,029	17,581	10,449	2,443	42,751	19,958	181,515
1890.....	991	1,040	145	127,363	17,708	8,849	3,467	28,136	13,221	174,372
1891.....	1,516	15,600	3,238	155,704	14,170	10,493	5,727	41,041	19,453	216,416
1892.....	6,785	100	24	172,633	19,625	11,430	3,963	29,861	13,446	233,149
1893.....	6,648	16,300	2,510	100,475	20,869	4,947	2,961	14,053	7,213	154,859
1894.....	14,208	4,400	761	56,639	10,160	4,892	569	23,064	9,132	112,439
1895.....	23,819	17,217	2,764	110,912	1,390	8,969	1,426	30,195	11,330	174,433
1896.....	74,203			96,884		5,241	3,557	16,208	7,166	187,926
1897.....	69,690	23,188	4,255	91,120		12,853	6,159	11,757	3,730	209,667
1898.....	2,861	20,547	4,110	82,294	14,724	8,258	651	19,707	8,574	123,401

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS FROM—Continued.		EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—						
	TOTAL DUTIA- BLE.	TOTAL IMPORTS OF MERCHANT- DISE.	BREADSTUFFS.			Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
			Wheat flour.		All other.		Cloths.		All other.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1879.....	43,312	159,099	12,457	62,668	9,728	10,796	586,960	40,051	2,470
1880.....	140,118	453,319	13,064	81,513	7,164	9,255	839,595	63,077	3,716
1881.....	144,617	443,120	14,723	82,983	10,909	8,407	817,851	61,048	16,742
1882.....	169,721	489,469	13,743	92,788	10,504	6,583	901,552	67,625	20,943
1883.....	136,502	531,839	19,742	107,616	15,808	7,593	658,985	48,562	3,834
1884.....	91,460	263,791	15,645	83,705	10,331	6,018	671,333	43,978	1,597
1885.....	54,189	218,360	12,803	62,014	9,538	4,630	496,051	34,668	851
1886.....	45,628	270,363	13,584	67,091	8,506	4,601	921,394	55,863	2,816
1887.....	36,086	303,283	14,903	69,254	9,487	5,295	431,333	25,825	2,058
1888.....	26,542	183,635	11,840	52,803	5,693	6,190	476,670	31,652	692
1889.....	29,950	211,465	13,465	66,226	8,144	6,788	475,930	36,957	992
1890.....	12,459	186,431	10,988	48,929	7,135	7,555	501,674	32,641	1,061
1891.....	2,674	219,090	15,625	76,629	12,461	10,583	484,573	35,194	2,280
1892.....	576	233,525	15,277	76,251	13,383	7,302	504,868	32,495	2,347
1893.....	312	153,171	10,423	42,594	14,129	8,057	332,082	24,183	2,961
1894.....	520	112,959	8,731	31,131	9,511	5,664	515,883	32,970	2,375
1895.....	7,376	181,809	11,644	37,784	12,137	9,107	1,017,591	53,555	8,724
1896.....	12,286	200,212	15,784	58,143	23,676	12,123	1,030,546	60,970	12,107
1897.....	17,016	226,683	13,722	57,861	20,047	10,784	1,134,332	60,164	18,387
1898.....	48,519	171,920	16,397	78,459	23,347	10,008	1,177,056	58,812	17,534

^a From 1871-1878 included in British West India.^b Not enumerated prior to 1884.^c Made dutiable.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES, ETC.—Continued.

BRITISH HONDURAS—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	Fish.	Flax, hemp, and jute, manufac- tures of.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Malt liquors, in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined, not including residuum.	
				Boots and shoes.		All other.				
				Pairs.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1879.....	Dollars. 7,013	Dollars. 192	Dollars. 10,791	Pairs. 18,752	Dollars. 19,387	Dollars. 5,910	Dozens. 573	Dollars. 824	Gallons. 39,859	Dollars. 5,389
1880.....	8,174	750	20,119	18,751	18,914	2,784	2,075	3,960	35,362	4,273
1881.....	15,116	278	22,553	22,867	23,856	3,628	3,386	6,712	66,882	9,257
1882.....	12,460	3,420	30,714	22,407	22,640	4,912	2,283	4,600	55,943	7,124
1883.....	11,875	5,431	29,050	21,250	20,698	3,542	4,207	8,059	57,829	7,153
1884.....	11,505	3,401	17,016	23,699	22,379	2,367	2,592	5,007	61,472	7,111
1885.....	11,501	1,973	11,216	21,787	20,727	1,736	3,881	6,939	80,148	8,693
1886.....	9,280	3,129	11,096	16,258	16,847	1,976	3,800	6,606	89,538	9,228
1887.....	8,549	3,340	13,773	15,335	14,399	1,861	3,450	5,591	82,191	7,993
1888.....	9,364	3,737	10,850	12,897	13,213	2,175	8,987	6,198	93,315	9,857
1889.....	10,337	3,613	16,525	7,561	7,363	3,183	2,984	4,851	93,971	10,260
1890.....	9,119	4,131	23,509	15,203	14,799	1,450	5,418	9,256	99,681	10,934
1891.....	11,482	3,656	20,688	18,100	17,585	1,892	4,635	7,850	120,814	13,336
1892.....	12,960	5,794	39,025	17,176	15,241	1,459	4,373	8,206	145,064	13,272
1893.....	9,551	3,385	25,819	18,991	17,784	1,966	3,944	7,365	126,326	9,526
1894.....	6,636	2,588	14,826	26,504	26,704	1,292	4,294	7,621	127,935	8,807
1895.....	8,188	2,574	18,625	23,868	23,389	2,177	7,554	12,796	131,196	11,563
1896.....	8,806	4,530	31,572	28,349	27,179	1,990	8,384	14,479	180,945	19,011
1897.....	9,211	4,265	33,193	40,017	36,692	2,205	7,906	13,773	221,220	21,187
1898.....	8,296	3,918	27,899	38,064	35,113	1,635	7,885	13,011	177,693	15,435

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	PROVISIONS, INCLUDING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			Sugar, refined.		Tobacco, and manufac- tures of.	Vegetables.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.	
	Bacon, hams, and pork.		All other.							
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1879.....	503,181	24,305	23,127	41,992	3,705	9,822	1,714	23,990	293,762	
1880.....	538,816	32,787	34,689	39,289	3,169	10,731	2,331	26,283	370,252	
1881.....	674,083	50,658	38,150	44,886	4,390	9,366	3,665	41,307	471,302	
1882.....	563,875	52,213	37,715	44,231	4,437	12,932	4,797	51,941	498,881	
1883.....	727,053	72,857	36,612	59,784	4,688	12,470	7,451	38,906	487,535	
1884.....	802,639	63,702	35,826	36,144	2,683	10,911	7,041	37,750	414,746	
1885.....	807,363	61,101	37,370	61,497	3,656	9,014	8,264	31,689	359,730	
1886.....	810,536	45,649	36,915	67,402	4,652	9,903	8,574	26,444	364,528	
1887.....	966,465	59,979	36,226	82,057	5,246	10,602	8,008	26,712	349,510	
1888.....	850,236	63,537	35,673	103,113	6,676	5,901	6,879	18,430	321,525	
1889.....	791,613	60,526	40,114	89,575	6,713	5,954	7,243	29,497	362,623	
1890.....	990,550	53,476	35,426	96,208	7,062	4,974	6,814	30,884	348,564	
1891.....	1,251,027	71,112	58,584	98,075	5,762	6,633	11,115	36,088	457,549	
1892.....	1,222,309	67,537	59,274	84,017	4,040	5,322	9,251	33,697	464,802	
1893.....	902,972	71,028	57,966	121,555	6,144	8,228	9,251	29,110	391,136	
1894.....	825,485	66,201	40,254	72,490	3,596	4,791	7,397	14,932	316,117	
1895.....	778,708	56,527	37,568	147,248	6,364	7,939	7,552	18,600	394,238	
1896.....	1,213,951	67,491	43,432	146,106	7,223	8,673	7,839	30,854	555,333	
1897.....	1,212,366	59,125	46,634	117,425	5,625	9,071	9,871	40,276	550,815	
1898.....	1,196,587	64,183	52,954	124,210	6,085	6,662	15,492	32,980	563,399	

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898.

NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK, AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND. *a*

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.									
	Animals.			Bark, hemlock.		Eggs.		Fish, n. e. s.		
	Horses.		All other, including fowls.					Fresh.	All other.	
	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cords.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....					10,863	589,718	78,587	4,414,724	139,373	.....
1874.....					5,582	1,065,228	150,078	5,266,324	144,677	1,506,973
1875.....					13,972	917,451	131,932	4,615,220	110,942	1,620,884
1876.....					16,748	937,098	120,153	5,827,778	145,387	1,313,274
1877.....					29,761	948,703	109,823	4,534,678	128,660	1,036,467
1878.....					31,069	1,096,963	126,574	4,357,775	164,018	1,485,004
1879.....					25,463	1,175,972	122,713	2,500,064	103,690	1,347,307
1880.....					42,457	1,377,051	154,334	2,448,415	92,338	1,269,659
1881.....					97,108	1,925,793	233,573	5,818,871	144,844	1,680,008
1882.....					90,726	2,027,291	296,093	7,393,297	202,755	1,778,932
1883.....					81,492	2,546,558	412,004	6,854,004	251,409	2,151,763
1884.....	300	42,648	6,928	19,420	98,055	2,904,093	418,007	7,055,488	274,938	2,430,787
1885.....	214	30,805	3,545	21,283	98,571	2,936,530	408,269	6,913,942	277,751	2,457,472
1886.....	401	58,007	6,061	22,370	100,202	2,937,940	360,246	7,701,751	282,569	398,397
1887.....	334	45,889	2,661	25,893	107,948	3,041,963	360,914	11,297,658	319,983	479,665
1888.....	152	17,405	1,933	17,741	75,916	3,575,190	447,159	13,048,850	328,316	504,072
1889.....	172	22,973	3,360	17,769	77,890	3,637,222	481,609	24,804,068	408,306	601,623
1890.....	130	18,909	5,435	17,388	80,233	3,080,876	371,244	22,072,177	326,596	595,767
1891.....	185	37,030	4,488	28,241	129,064	b 1,613,001	b 216,832	b 7,442,091	b 80,523	c 982,083
1892.....	218	181,190	413	26,569	123,249					745,664
1893.....	181	18,620	632	21,661	93,193					795,552
1894.....	162	15,328	920	22,814	93,497					724,276
1895.....	152	10,470	361	23,775	106,780			d 578,796	d 53,322	755,540
1896.....	79	5,045	140	23,080	103,914			d 1,338,869	d 123,957	966,803
1897.....	43	2,485	835	14,210	61,628			d 1,585,356	d 148,356	912,657
1898.....	66	3,145	429	9,061	37,444			d 154,457	d 15,751	736,556

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	FREE OF DUTY—continued.										
	FREE OF DUTY—continued.										
	Fruit, including nuts.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Paper stock, crude.	Sugar and molasses.				Wood.			Total free of duty.
				Molasses.		Sugar cane and other.		Boards, deals, planks, etc.		All other.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	M. feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....		23,215	20,301							191,070	730,567
1874.....		5,203	18,929							253,717	2,463,496
1875.....		4,170	10,400							260,421	2,593,357
1876.....		7,892	16,941							158,729	2,091,031
1877.....		14,303	20,259							174,002	1,861,023
1878.....		31,818	10,738							159,692	2,402,259
1879.....		33,260	25,583							164,177	2,213,050
1880.....		63,104	32,258							216,390	2,382,751
1881.....		62,910	32,377							273,287	3,156,381
1882.....		70,645	30,588							390,348	3,664,674
1883.....		118,866	37,481							381,355	4,002,492
1884.....	74,290	62,986	43,230							344,064	4,373,888
1885.....	38,129	62,836	38,419							297,037	4,190,083
1886.....	27,128	61,806	42,823							395,998	2,130,649
1887.....	88,609	55,844	48,730							380,749	2,288,710
1888.....	36,092	52,281	58,957							563,339	2,606,374
1889.....	89,490	38,589	55,169							455,935	2,976,390
1890.....	72,256	39,702	39,383							564,201	2,695,007
1891.....	94,241	44,527	37,230	42,120	11,593	597,464	19,656			502,888	2,944,532
1892.....	55,074	45,666	47,652	183,794	48,596	1,257,805	40,373			413,536	2,215,796
1893.....	61,492	45,350	54,116	149,118	34,070	7,424,616	210,670			340,680	2,247,724
1894.....	61,760	38,911	34,510	203,356	42,753	1,598,463	53,191			334,267	1,832,905
1895.....	71,134	69,023	25,354	b 77,231	b 15,447	b 2,645,786	b 77,852	122,102	1,119,394	853,491	3,831,827
1896.....	93,196	73,710	23,323					187,294	1,774,504	988,126	4,986,177
1897.....	64,247	97,378	13,969					139,344	1,299,816	988,582	4,275,044
1898.....	8,410	48,169	15,303					12,765	106,262	398,058	1,735,016

a For 1871 and 1872 see: Quebec, Ontario, etc.

b See Dutiable.

c After 1890 fish unenumerated are included.

d After 1894 fresh salmon only.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.										
	DUTIABLE.										
	Animals. <i>a</i>					Coal, bituminous.		Eggs.		Fish.	
	Horses.		Sheep.		All other.					Fresh.	Cured.
	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dozens.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1873.....					116,731	232,409	522,591				b 1,059,628
1874.....					65,590	263,268	805,348				18,486
1875.....					42,701	127,999	394,800				1,352
1876.....					40,204	92,144	263,228				1,322
1877.....					30,124	76,186	210,190				1,008
1878.....					42,101	129,852	339,254				5,814
1879.....					41,801	73,702	214,715				2,425
1880.....					133,084	74,710	183,311				22
1881.....					140,323	131,647	250,429				233
1882.....					167,589	117,181	185,750				45
1883.....					195,013	131,381	179,870				18
1884.....	2,108	205,893	21,787	65,011	9,017	106,157	131,260				20
1885.....	1,847	177,755	22,251	62,213	2,702	61,505	61,258				368
1886.....	1,845	175,890	20,941	46,172	5,652	76,575	93,900				821,829
1887.....	2,336	212,957	36,057	85,038	13,708	45,935	44,235				1,162,695
1888.....	2,516	222,539	42,200	99,767	12,039	65,368	73,825				1,326,389
1889.....	1,546	138,449	37,789	89,717	4,630	28,510	21,810				1,094,555
1890.....	1,217	110,169	35,652	87,639	2,429	36,317	34,405				1,188,973
1891.....	822	86,764	39,254	94,572	6,242	54,290	77,213	c 810,048	c 88,585	c 230,576	1,426,940
1892.....	631	71,111	40,648	97,040	3,841	24,409	36,086	1,774,880	184,729	318,909	1,152,005
1893.....	604	66,136	42,379	98,994	6,250	21,897	43,974	1,538,980	158,035	347,291	1,094,296
1894.....	341	34,567	20,493	41,561	5,578	57,965	109,546	995,628	102,813	394,847	903,991
1895.....	464	33,111	17,370	34,098	1,435	77,910	127,841	787,884	79,309	c 279,305	816,070
1896.....	355	25,016	22,090	44,370	2,572	123,404	216,698	589,657	58,822	97,734	735,944
1897.....	294	17,228	30,293	57,339	1,484	193,539	342,429	374,910	34,803	70,524	595,922
1898.....	109	16,396	31,398	65,045	5,226	99,157	127,921	20,297	1,959	316,891	559,822

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.										
	DUTIABLE.										
	Fruits, including nuts.	Hay, not enumerated prior to 1884.		Marble and stone, and manufac- tures of.	Sugar and molasses.				Vegetables.		
					Molasses.		Sugar.		Potatoes.		All other.
	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....	2, 012			149, 473	101, 614	31, 826	1, 104, 016	66, 106	120, 813	51, 632	168
1874.....	3, 700			155, 609	126, 352	35, 884	697, 930	33, 144	250, 405	97, 410	58
1875.....	1, 731			149, 732	240, 776	78, 034	2, 027, 093	109, 947	98, 552	38, 024	675
1876.....	8, 817			122, 948	298, 468	83, 225	757, 852	35, 785	10, 617	4, 670	30
1877.....	1, 901			88, 176	351, 056	104, 916	1, 910, 158	107, 030	2, 047, 052	971, 997	1, 522
1878.....	31, 571			84, 762	159, 858	47, 268	1, 240, 250	63, 331	398, 499	128, 909	147
1879.....	3, 382			80, 173	209, 972	56, 145	1, 861, 693	78, 448	1, 876, 474	921, 383	2
1880.....	3, 253			92, 613	367, 763	93, 468	7, 171, 031	382, 736	640, 363	172, 241	3
1881.....	2, 383			119, 558	142, 546	47, 611	1, 553, 953	82, 073	1, 230, 222	437, 054	51
1882.....	10, 418			119, 228	182, 661	64, 065	6, 946, 428	386, 674	1, 592, 081	981, 915	56
1883.....	25, 200			112, 794	52, 389	17, 896	3, 440, 719	171, 243	1, 865, 157	770, 987	149
1884.....	3, 673	4, 572	36, 785	82, 483	57, 986	17, 155	934, 386	44, 400	340, 117	80, 076	24, 102
1885.....	16, 293	3, 168	32, 900	72, 976	121, 847	26, 817	6, 334, 534	199, 392	119, 228	41, 143	14, 799
1886.....	6, 865	6, 632	72, 428	70, 546	251, 264	52, 034	1, 568, 560	51, 714	1, 306, 640	332, 924	26, 738
1887.....	982	1, 116	11, 345	58, 871	92, 188	20, 057	101, 107	2, 539	1, 206, 321	327, 937	23, 442
1888.....	10, 664	2, 984	27, 862	83, 889	101, 239	21, 312	260	18	2, 267, 374	786, 496	28, 492
1889.....	24, 938	7, 467	80, 059	74, 959	160, 649	35, 870	193, 529	9, 918	728, 028	178, 461	17, 168
1890.....	15, 087	1, 821	18, 578	86, 024	86, 648	23, 687	1, 556, 859	55, 879	1, 248, 129	368, 180	25, 446
1891.....	37, 078	295	2, 364	57, 086	c 168, 787	c 47, 820	c 865, 567	c 31, 525	1, 597, 257	614, 526	23, 117
1892.....	62, 264	55	611	50, 814					64, 466	20, 811	21, 031
1893.....	29, 449	2, 177	20, 833	45, 979			2, 894, 210	125, 875	911, 094	277, 243	25, 364
1894.....	48, 444	233	2, 408	22, 681			854	40	596, 799	169, 086	22, 628
1895.....	59, 352	3, 411	24, 118	22, 106	15, 638	3, 025	1, 440, 743	61, 188	483, 445	142, 350	21, 504
1896.....	79, 308	13, 466	126, 504	27, 353	84, 008	16, 556	22, 572	638	73, 533	14, 954	23, 295
1897.....	47, 690	553	5, 407	38, 273	146, 633	23, 627	915	71	86, 366	20, 943	26, 728
1898.....	85, 553	57	482	27, 808	8, 460	1, 319	544	55	420, 551	137, 044	18, 278

a Not separately enumerated prior to 1884.

b Fresh and cured.

c See Free of duty.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM--Continued.							
	DUTIABLE.							Total imports of merchandise.
	Wood, and manufactures of.						Total dutiable.	
	Boards, planks, deals, and other sawed lumber.		Shingles.		All other unman- ufactured.	Manufactures of.		
	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>M.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1873.....	64,507	486,980	22,230	50,985	195,699	57,247	3,504,774	4,235,341
1874.....	34,680	262,117	15,987	34,962	128,628	14,815	2,199,083	4,662,579
1875.....	18,004	143,815	12,703	26,416	84,723	7,510	1,392,993	3,896,350
1876.....	7,523	51,336	3,668	7,227	84,456	7,391	1,053,061	3,144,092
1877.....	8,099	50,986	4,881	9,425	67,328	19,086	1,840,358	3,701,381
1878.....	2,635	17,871	5,456	10,833	48,596	17,091	1,101,611	3,503,870
1879.....	5,993	36,358	8,783	17,750	57,871	2,557	1,635,919	3,848,969
1880.....	17,748	116,731	9,760	19,221	65,365	6,890	1,612,879	3,995,630
1881.....	29,325	225,011	8,899	16,509	77,262	11,165	1,656,105	4,812,486
1882.....	25,088	187,511	4,487	10,055	197,671	24,987	2,803,339	6,468,013
1883.....	14,452	103,337	8,022	17,468	117,509	9,271	2,088,914	6,031,406
1884.....	15,385	118,696	7,372	16,153	148,346	9,325	1,164,993	5,538,881
1885.....	20,382	150,312	12,033	25,298	120,924	8,835	1,160,487	5,350,570
1886.....	21,420	162,596	21,241	45,328	121,152	12,347	2,426,331	4,556,980
1887.....	35,455	273,496	24,362	50,718	160,263	8,248	2,692,221	4,980,931
1888.....	48,178	389,485	29,833	65,799	184,673	10,298	3,677,958	6,284,332
1889.....	30,942	240,811	52,450	112,348	209,691	10,891	2,658,671	5,635,061
1890.....	24,362	204,386	53,400	108,981	183,462	50,932	2,790,963	5,485,970
1891.....	39,982	330,433	58,687	122,934	211,702	50,862	3,864,103	6,808,635
1892.....	35,796	296,021	77,963	162,794	221,194	62,866	2,952,422	5,168,213
1893.....	38,275	323,035	78,739	169,124	314,530	82,100	3,458,990	5,706,714
1894.....	26,820	212,689	58,057	115,623	293,403	37,091	2,641,748	4,474,653
1895.....	4,839	37,551	9,640	20,174	80,431	41,333	2,019,788	5,851,615
1896.....					1,495	83,561	1,683,319	6,669,496
1897.....					1,382	103,570	1,476,258	5,751,302
1898.....	24,640	191,625	76,715	145,913	179,736	93,119	2,360,315	4,095,331

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—												
	BREADSTUFFS.						COAL.				COTTON.		
	Corn.		Corn meal.		Wheat flour.		Anthracite.		Bituminous.		Unmanufactured.		Manufacturers of.
	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1873.....	201,761	134,614	172,203	613,083	180,184	1,367,826	22,523	101,695	1,911	8,895	605,175	123,685	252,628
1874.....	167,290	129,749	164,329	623,496	186,600	1,368,555	28,053	139,505	2,109	10,017	1,042,857	191,701	305,103
1875.....	139,591	121,945	117,960	466,466	272,010	1,678,800	19,990	106,572	2,512	12,116	1,041,836	171,612	468,047
1876.....	123,932	92,996	139,544	483,044	195,074	1,285,637	30,582	156,310	2,505	15,705	601,700	87,340	550,521
1877.....	95,201	57,772	206,400	667,128	187,034	1,223,906	36,416	144,614	4,984	26,951	814,000	98,077	883,521
1878.....	125,708	73,501	152,364	453,425	158,757	1,027,855	30,395	102,137	5,054	21,256	766,050	91,949	765,303
1879.....	111,263	54,038	150,538	359,925	188,081	950,662	39,428	136,054	4,219	20,320	452,170	51,452	559,202
1880.....	132,002	75,515	138,043	341,807	56,644	299,876	36,228	114,821	2,441	19,555			270,664
1881.....	364,227	206,050	138,372	350,246	40,521	208,033	48,861	198,278	1,297	8,756	1,360	151	256,870
1882.....	364,761	231,778	106,552	319,002	19,088	107,622	45,451	190,266	526	2,395	182,666	18,200	270,046
1883.....	208,867	150,217	104,107	352,004	64,151	330,657	60,486	265,403	3,030	10,305	49,345	4,463	317,338
1884.....	217,430	133,828	98,197	293,204	113,203	607,860	75,363	332,325	236	2,350	1,712,090	173,874	261,758
1885.....	71,382	40,724	89,573	250,359	76,328	385,752	54,911	228,073	1,124	7,868	1,549,955	170,914	179,116
1886.....	85,317	44,663	99,989	256,053	16,111	74,268	68,366	246,763	57	281	2,690,839	262,724	133,991
1887.....	35,547	17,826	104,142	254,733	20,253	76,521	57,255	211,316	3,151	8,101	2,551,385	244,945	111,326
1888.....	59,327	34,173	106,259	286,394	7,740	27,983	71,325	294,205	4,854	15,024	4,366,937	411,949	135,611
1889.....	25,242	11,712	119,581	301,967	25,611	118,098	75,845	320,788	4,635	12,082	5,552,694	525,698	115,766
1890.....	322,433	121,039	148,834	332,146	90,966	384,925	75,135	297,378	7,479	20,982	5,666,614	566,775	74,031
1891.....	346,614	214,545	96,863	238,915	15,102	79,393	76,471	293,606	15,056	52,509	6,841,631	700,309	108,270
1892.....	354,899	187,145	51,353	146,090	16,955	73,608	75,992	297,293	7,046	22,762	6,241,051	598,323	74,405
1893.....	128,489	67,041	46,019	117,093	18,051	82,118	86,304	350,603	3,082	9,572	8,068,712	716,195	87,018
1894.....	398,337	177,011	48,319	104,424	11,069	40,610	97,647	392,354	222	902	7,542,369	605,953	102,013
1895.....	253,978	137,356	11,699	28,604	13,759	41,068	104,262	377,754	418	1,388	9,144,984	573,203	100,429
1896.....	518,558	212,065	46,206	91,524	5,465	21,139	95,135	325,256	413	1,261	7,292,345	621,067	86,421
1897.....	562,680	182,700	12,306	19,651	3,240	12,988	97,446	377,699	190	565	8,919,295	714,818	95,033
1898.....	826,209	302,378	76,267	127,198	3,847	17,677	105,054	411,336	616	1,615	10,199,848	656,711	84,184

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	Fertilizers.		Flax, hemp, and jute, man- ufactures of.	Fruits, in- cluding nuts.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	LEATHER, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.		MARBLE AND STONE, AND MANUFACTURES OF.		Musical in- struments.
						Unmanufac- tured.	Manufac- tures of.	Unmanufac- tured.	Manufac- tures of.	
<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1873.....			49,481	108,318	726,980	10,960	27,053	891	27,379	114,422
1874.....			107,790	87,811	1,115,822	7,981	31,201	7,241	22,524	143,626
1875.....			77,198	149,808	1,305,934	12,363	40,351	18,122	18,118	152,774
1876.....			34,317	59,900	691,592	9,152	42,807	9,680	11,833	74,880
1877.....			33,239	103,591	634,902	16,482	61,011	11,529	11,649	75,835
1878.....			18,650	71,939	713,249	10,084	92,137	21,175	16,048	97,422
1879.....			63,320	59,397	376,971	13,048	45,664	14,862	6,242	57,415
1880.....			20,636	37,660	203,764	6,957	29,209	6,301	6,988	27,830
1881.....			27,446	43,989	237,536	5,373	22,610	5,517	5,963	26,847
1882.....			42,026	40,681	294,374	9,533	30,457	6,427	6,049	27,666
1883.....			80,400	67,470	273,141	7,120	31,316	6,551	6,120	28,533
1884.....	273	6,796	60,945	83,580	267,251	7,335	17,632	5,219	7,548	31,763
1885.....	312	10,160	41,091	52,593	199,716	3,646	15,486	4,433	15,990	28,900
1886.....	395	7,572	34,953	43,020	255,747	5,728	19,114	1,095	18,839	35,422
1887.....	367	9,594	29,588	49,044	202,677	10,569	12,042	5,673	8,884	36,058
1888.....	747	20,826	42,222	79,132	363,984	3,803	18,353	4,183	12,517	29,897
1889.....	733	21,671	94,581	107,379	330,281	6,126	14,479	5,836	9,908	21,121
1890.....	1,549	45,250	89,220	149,152	225,781	5,553	24,603	3,464	9,314	20,108
1891.....	2,348	62,459	189,549	172,412	196,622	7,823	17,901	4,695	12,210	20,106
1892.....	4,681	101,815	205,663	212,377	189,166	7,895	21,537	13,080	6,144	15,764
1893.....	3,571	88,838	125,931	121,937	234,141	9,030	30,460	14,750	2,172	18,363
1894.....	3,575	100,406	155,774	93,675	404,993	17,701	51,524	14,806	7,343	22,700
1895.....	4,772	119,149	150,326	79,656	501,780	18,609	46,351	9,747	8,728	19,415
1896.....	3,467	83,599	127,987	50,638	380,813	21,006	38,413	10,815	6,962	13,717
1897.....	3,322	75,644	131,926	71,853	558,727	19,568	27,351	7,771	6,386	12,551
1898 a.....	3,461	81,169	124,833	82,073	598,120	19,269	33,910	10,598	4,087	14,738

	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	OILS, MINERAL, REFINED.				PROVISIONS.					Tobacco, leaf.		Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
	Illuminating.		Lubricating.		Beef, salted or pickled.		Pork, pickled.		All other.			
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1873.....	171,297	49,923	29,178	12,640	939,814	51,979	2,398,300	179,863	56,588	553,297	58,855	5,373,911
1874.....	434,408	95,028	4,075	1,970	910,956	56,793	3,932,930	329,233	98,750	1,081,138	122,834	6,816,339
1875.....	513,530	76,592	22,433	11,268	1,294,277	92,372	2,931,113	295,795	125,590	590,064	81,808	7,724,820
1876.....	406,751	64,149	13,770	8,967	1,108,026	82,889	2,234,800	228,115	61,432	449,865	38,993	5,709,367
1877.....	381,698	87,141	22,973	11,886	1,297,662	86,573	3,239,450	282,545	99,042	779,081	55,345	6,094,463
1878.....	780,390	128,391	21,547	10,420	772,261	49,966	3,538,070	228,936	89,459	383,745	37,622	6,269,216
1879.....	682,545	87,003	22,650	11,615	769,515	43,718	2,990,510	148,222	58,529	664,441	47,175	4,399,712
1880.....	536,950	61,719	29,910	8,279	794,084	45,525	3,156,660	177,029	62,734	679,015	69,403	2,555,857
1881.....	704,841	100,517	32,859	9,616	756,330	46,772	1,881,350	131,736	45,905	1,090,813	70,621	3,219,214
1882.....	1,169,647	136,864	32,265	11,492	876,400	58,987	1,979,449	161,739	53,109	150,540	11,843	3,142,156
1883.....	1,243,996	140,918	43,986	15,831	574,980	43,038	1,327,920	133,157	105,360	324,245	31,580	3,529,936
1884.....	1,365,842	143,187	46,000	14,704	817,160	55,363	1,425,100	109,248	73,064	356,938	30,036	3,366,529
1885.....	1,661,740	166,317	69,427	17,953	608,260	40,977	1,067,380	80,655	54,341	304,762	32,411	2,697,433
1886.....	1,755,523	182,462	54,424	16,466	775,400	42,033	1,411,150	86,548	53,211	485,018	38,952	2,502,011
1887.....	2,046,721	195,163	52,503	14,026	1,131,175	56,690	715,600	43,712	48,418	493,153	45,292	2,288,431
1888.....	2,042,463	191,136	73,779	17,528	1,147,971	52,908	691,000	50,286	62,406	563,028	70,511	2,909,277
1889.....	2,065,638	209,954	105,220	29,521	1,998,056	93,648	1,258,853	93,858	88,585	444,905	62,630	3,316,569
1890.....	2,198,385	222,698	163,444	33,092	4,599,285	179,435	7,234,738	405,282	213,860	738,554	75,440	4,190,520
1891.....	2,449,254	243,414	168,224	34,297	3,170,867	131,137	3,340,479	179,476	96,148	389,683	34,914	3,771,813
1892.....	2,687,881	259,363	112,457	24,217	3,653,940	172,838	2,212,140	122,310	63,992	512,785	44,120	3,387,712
1893.....	2,653,653	247,561	199,574	39,195	2,989,161	140,296	1,009,930	75,496	57,418	389,422	39,761	3,333,890
1894.....	994,911	92,592	146,468	24,612	2,697,449	122,441	1,355,400	101,636	57,939	447,738	46,861	8,756,605
1895.....	622,361	53,772	96,732	20,366	1,552,743	72,473	1,208,443	83,697	60,797	506,884	73,802	3,706,132
1896.....	1,359,418	110,440	93,508	18,721	2,262,020	113,445	3,997,545	224,973	34,835	392,931	50,488	4,065,480
1897.....	1,230,078	102,880	124,561	23,344	2,274,200	97,307	2,805,630	123,990	84,951	345,910	39,938	3,884,348
1898.....	1,307,388	104,754	105,011	21,458	1,610,185	72,636	1,275,650	63,298	74,380	246,746	33,997	4,269,437

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QUEBEC, ONTARIO, MANITOBA, AND NORTHWEST TERRITORY.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—												
	FREE OF DUTY.												
	Animals.							Articles, the growth, etc., of the United States returned.	Bark, hemlock.		Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines.	Eggs.	
	Cattle.		Horses.		Sheep.		All other, and fowls.						
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Cords.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.
1871 a.....											6,675		
1872 a.....								1,095,773		195,469	4,033	4,435,068	592,365
1873.....								1,180,515		146,113	12,466	3,799,182	513,858
1874.....								1,682,361		188,628	28,290	4,356,295	585,207
1875.....								638,840		179,962	20,731	3,321,124	460,831
1876.....								455,009		167,884	8,997	3,811,375	500,123
1877.....								412,174		280,805	15,206	3,969,302	498,825
1878.....								229,043		381,446	18,812	4,866,981	593,297
1879.....								165,047		234,336	23,146	4,742,032	516,862
1880.....								295,129		433,880	53,757	6,285,017	740,015
1881.....								227,196		396,415	27,633	7,545,548	965,570
1882.....								511,551		399,862	25,817	9,701,187	1,497,058
1883.....								390,208		262,506	39,804	12,136,281	2,172,205
1884.....	4,334	763,731	4,882	1,139,753	2,425	30,587	119,630	541,649	58,828	308,223	29,645	11,604,215	1,968,296
1885.....	2,774	536,688	3,695	945,906	1,596	25,987	104,108	645,098	51,650	249,373	47,003	11,032,794	1,687,153
1886.....	2,344	335,491	4,887	1,128,910	1,256	23,351	125,320	1,903,914	33,560	159,277	56,171	11,527,824	1,533,426
1887.....	1,433	200,456	4,467	1,094,212	2,307	29,727	96,966	666,347	34,694	165,008	69,975	10,640,911	1,569,926
1888.....	919	121,657	4,329	1,126,737	4,069	52,148	99,986	562,078	45,176	214,345	79,297	11,679,833	1,815,517
1889.....	693	93,942	5,015	1,359,274	4,089	55,120	112,299	455,157	22,510	107,892	79,770	11,731,864	1,864,020
1890.....	314	34,566	2,894	607,101	5,669	73,124	129,632	395,157	17,727	84,043	117,916	11,831,211	1,693,084
1891.....	129	22,703	2,042	473,076	3,503	48,861	33,844	477,131	29,004	145,325	198,120	6,367,193	6,835,531
1892.....	108	23,355	1,257	250,581	772	18,079	4,426	902,035	25,550	133,097	136,528		
1893.....	110	10,390	1,407	156,507	3,832	85,988	951	1,019,951	30,282	155,156	162,649		
1894.....	22	1,413	982	116,680	1,791	47,980	1,900	1,091,867	23,455	112,853	159,124		
1895.....	98	10,563	825	88,031	1,793	25,107	2,973	718,464	23,561	124,163	223,775		
1896.....	57	5,130	839	71,102	3,680	36,292	4,971	1,518,276	20,885	111,038	188,993		
1897.....	116	9,533	594	65,814	2,207	26,615	5,689	1,436,878	14,773	71,423	162,686		
1898.....	295	27,219	645	55,256	2,742	34,048	4,475	1,807,016	17,972	68,862	429,046		

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Fertilizers.	Fish.	Fruits, in- cluding nuts.	Fur skins, undressed.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Household and personal effects, etc.	Ore, silver- bearing.	Paper stock, crude.	Sugar.		Textile grasses, flax, hemp, etc.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1871 a.....	69			97,197		632,125	(b)	35,017				
1872 a.....		220,983		170,503	1,019	686,800	(b)	52,713				
1873.....		118,905		156,577	407,549	686,178	(b)	44,950				
1874.....	11	160,538		299,666	428,636	602,120	(b)	35,084				
1875.....		165,865		607,105	346,958	619,373	(b)	23,391				
1876.....		146,583		718,651	482,269	787,390	(b)	25,633				
1877.....		135,542		789,501	493,530	737,099	(b)	22,883				
1878.....		271,244		710,715	362,654	842,459	(b)	25,152				
1879.....		236,033		691,168	361,270	943,404	(b)	41,493				
1880.....		275,491		614,079	606,428	1,524,384	(b)	88,196				
1881.....		314,194		632,467	417,700	1,742,524	(b)	84,035				
1882.....		393,673		659,117	329,078	1,598,450	(b)	76,491				
1883.....		519,526		696,164	347,288	1,559,465	(b)	97,456				
1884.....	59,484	619,853	32,228	693,751	327,225	1,465,061	(b)	85,272				
1885.....	71,001	518,290	50,163	115,861	367,037	1,242,372	(b)	75,466				
1886.....	83,493	384,415	94,907	283,772	365,949	1,444,026	(b)	66,241				
1887.....	71,566	419,638	241,733	514,600	357,176	1,520,611	(b)	75,590				

a Dominion of Canada.

b See Dutiable.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Fertilizers.	Fish.	Fruits, including nuts.	Fur skins, undressed.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Household and personal effects, etc.	Ore, silver-bearing.	Paper stock, crude.	Sugar.		Textile grasses, flax, hemp, etc.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1888.....	49,193	532,501	483,621	228,770	435,635	1,661,240	244,259	94,647	.....	.....	.....	.....
1889.....	82,274	<i>a</i> 490,098	496,156	283,919	386,876	1,588,688	139,000	162,316	.....	.....	.....	.....
1890.....	46,874	531,946	365,766	195,930	407,083	1,525,044	158,139	203,491	.....	.....	.....	.....
1891.....	33,179	<i>b</i> 222,153	155,428	244,548	405,352	1,753,751	219,096	221,705	230,670	16,549	.....	235
1892.....	35,418	4,721	43,478	287,509	409,968	1,723,781	132,920	247,413	1,782,797	113,220	.....	135
1893.....	55,674	3,174	75,764	283,503	344,079	1,958,133	1,875	265,913	7,626,294	387,137	.....	17
1894.....	52,607	5,624	98,233	239,029	219,140	1,336,421	1,868	353,484	1,932,526	125,966	47	1,087
1895.....	62,939	513,549	77,276	312,524	837,092	1,105,282	.....	612,894	<i>c</i> 3,610,580	<i>c</i> 118,407	1,751	278,505
1896.....	121,415	782,617	84,028	313,109	1,015,987	1,385,698	.....	484,692	.....	.....	1,670	222,407
1897.....	54,710	816,492	97,851	171,291	1,396,022	1,027,760	.....	581,069	.....	.....	2,851	412,254
1898.....	55,467	91,042	33,946	242,231	354,688	799,267	.....	198,140	.....	.....	392	40,952

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.													
	FREE OF DUTY.							DUTIABLE.						
	Wood.			Wool, raw.	Total free of duty.	Animals.								
	Boards, planks, etc.	All other unmanufactured.	Cattle.			Horses.		Sheep.		All other, including fowls.				
	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871 <i>d</i>			122,884			2,670,752							5,518,011	
1872 <i>d</i>			279,068			4,405,718							3,211,714	
1873.....			755,056			5,207,792							3,026,499	
1874.....			833,952			5,700,054							2,387,733	
1875.....			606,872			4,342,643							1,944,054	
1876.....			455,590			4,636,027							1,570,903	
1877.....			481,214			4,634,215							1,452,467	
1878.....			465,906			4,502,709							2,465,467	
1879.....			591,574			4,744,211							2,585,893	
1880.....			800,124			6,561,838							3,394,537	
1881.....			1,006,272			6,989,610							3,480,640	
1882.....			1,564,225			8,464,902							4,136,406	
1883.....			1,512,526			9,394,975							3,115,528	
1884.....			1,220,153			9,973,771	34,960	523,071	9,395	1,128,582	266,919	749,726	6,408	
1885.....			765,946			7,877,665	65,237	993,452	9,145	1,072,703	305,088	795,418	4,846	
1886.....			962,842			9,361,506	31,930	438,169	13,942	1,585,600	342,921	897,342	8,163	
1887.....			1,219,767			9,088,100	56,847	868,049	18,319	2,075,204	411,696	1,100,299	14,656	
1888.....			1,453,936			9,816,208	43,017	563,065	20,013	2,191,327	405,182	1,179,479	7,532	
1889.....			1,883,884			10,051,215	43,283	456,229	17,470	1,748,779	359,252	1,098,313	10,789	
1890.....			1,377,799			8,944,158	8,807	59,341	16,170	1,572,846	332,401	1,047,718	3,243	
1891.....			1,840,679			8,363,159	3,072	16,879	10,255	1,052,528	293,655	987,758	19,727	
1892.....			1,640,804			7,198,077	563	9,375	9,945	1,010,118	334,796	1,221,645	33,001	
1893.....			2,642,094			8,842,847	477	6,646	11,800	1,219,036	407,094	1,467,317	236,273	
1894.....			3,415,403			8,459,304	59	1,367	4,237	437,114	219,359	683,012	37,354	
1895.....	408,734	4,981,449	4,259,216	6,455,304	1,199,942	17,619,041	1,092	13,815	8,513	572,068	269,142	615,278	25,493	
1896.....	590,860	6,670,821	5,030,027	4,473,315	920,976	20,996,394	752	12,784	6,140	394,424	296,077	764,890	32,644	
1897.....	743,314	7,700,842	5,300,458	7,501,614	1,468,100	22,788,167	49,949	690,990	4,462	324,012	326,304	872,008	39,554	
1898.....	94,996	947,387	3,502,332	1,113,623	195,971	11,139,710	115,980	1,457,605	1,756	228,952	301,082	935,823	46,311	

a After 1890, "fish unenumerated" are included.

b See Dutiable.

c Not enumerated prior to 1888.

d Dominion of Canada.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.										
	DUTIABLE.										
	Breadstuffs.							Copper ore.		Eggs.	
	Barley.		Rye.		Wheat.		All other.				
	Bushels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.
1871 <i>a</i>	4,849,054	3,660,488	115,869	83,535	688,263	894,883	456,707	1,272,329	6,877		
1872 <i>a</i>	5,559,385	3,396,008	248,449	177,096	1,532,215	2,167,384	1,359,072	556,416	1,892		
1873.....	4,233,605	2,956,757	213,598	149,148	1,453,194	2,021,200	602,850				
1874.....	3,711,037	4,324,075	163,539	126,393	1,631,385	2,095,406	777,754				
1875.....	5,586,968	5,626,657	297,026	222,424	290,617	296,588	819,505				
1876.....	10,279,173	7,881,167	241,137	160,534	1,552,664	1,606,077	227,390				
1877.....	6,693,439	5,088,577	98,739	71,812	319,945	361,691	105,493	1,232	91		
1878.....	6,763,179	4,104,780	430,075	271,467	1,340,497	1,534,283	84,023	876,960	84,281		
1879.....	5,343,848	5,022,980	477,688	246,211	2,003,633	1,784,140	97,016	241,024	20,639		
1880.....	7,126,434	4,527,379	532,386	373,135	451,523	515,663	210,277	4,531,096	182,387		
1881.....	9,482,990	6,640,529	473,925	415,763	191,329	190,760	82,567	9,891,952	164,623		
1882.....	12,134,393	10,849,425	654,107	889,135	844,171	1,072,593	959,251	8,072,096	148,552		
1883.....	10,021,116	7,767,915	973,667	693,294	1,073,143	1,093,422	501,452	58,989,728	129,369		
1884.....	8,593,894	5,919,661	656,111	459,014	22,549	19,266	157,613	2,234,642	223,405		
1885.....	9,984,855	6,520,813	238,976	181,872	203,984	165,959	73,818	2,943,736	294,413		
1886.....	10,193,978	7,173,313	173,787	128,175	379,529	328,466	147,174	3,318,773	332,040		
1887.....	10,351,846	6,170,636	18,468	10,718	277,495	218,539	125,985	3,836,450	188,229		
1888.....	10,445,551	7,812,714	41	20	582,224	465,483	86,391	4,156,383	269,553		
1889.....	11,361,652	7,719,103			129,713	116,559	87,288	3,936,607	310,794		
1890.....	11,390,331	5,623,074	197,598	115,657	155,259	169,131	75,468	3,834,282	272,268		
1891.....	5,073,460	3,219,887	140,687	98,297	542,081	424,237	149,954	5,166,590	382,588	6305,433	636,823
1892.....	3,142,959	1,599,655	83,249	64,682	2,453,035	1,948,021	200,053	6,949,161	570,962	2,246,755	325,864
1893.....	1,366,191	919,390	8,516	6,810	964,341	701,728	209,709	5,922,959	361,187	1,607,316	227,448
1894.....	790,784	358,553	50	37	1,180,416	767,545	261,566	4,599,505	342,749	668,647	91,953
1895.....	2,002,033	839,603	12,627	5,682	1,426,791	864,572	190,693	826,875	56,190	1,781,939	239,781
1896.....	836,587	316,644	37	20	2,107,733	1,383,306	61,775			213,655	24,538
1897.....	1,271,654	394,661	12	7	1,593,087	1,175,581	48,348			60,287	8,014
1898.....	124,539	43,678	32,615	12,262	2,045,723	1,946,464	104,937	795,200	49,199	5,223	703

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	DUTIABLE.												
	Fish.		Flax, hemp, jute, etc., unmanufactured.		Furs, and manufac- tures of.	Hay.		Iron and steel, and manufactures of.					
	Fresh.	Cured or preserved.						Iron ore.		Tin plates, terneplates, etc.		All other.	
			Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.		Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....		c 994, 137	1, 117	160, 436	22, 205	(d)		(d)			21, 728	1, 840	1, 256, 062
1872.....		679, 825	639	152, 976	20, 823	(d)		(d)			45, 024	2, 590	2, 142, 585
1873.....		48, 738	558	120, 266	27, 146	(d)		(d)			604, 352	30, 776	2, 557, 538
1874.....		14, 228	856	151, 760	31, 742	(d)		(d)			14, 784	1, 670	1, 001, 203
1875.....		7, 543	1, 407	195, 652	22, 660	(d)		(d)			317, 296	22, 022	660, 923
1876.....		4, 156	1, 540	272, 628	76, 330	(d)		(d)			32, 256	1, 536	509, 767
1877.....		19, 775	1, 635	238, 908	76, 694	(d)		(d)			850, 640	43, 259	334, 604
1878.....		14, 614	1, 276	175, 240	103, 734	(d)		(d)			8, 290, 890	367, 413	305, 541
1879.....		19, 218	458	81, 585	70, 214	(d)		(d)			353, 808	14, 284	222, 893
1880.....		7, 390	1, 023	156, 958	25, 433	(d)		(d)			8, 035, 868	352, 227	1, 348, 503
1881.....		20, 770	769	131, 916	8, 035	(d)		(d)			4, 152, 400	22, 619	1, 060, 081
1882.....		35, 262	748	159, 123	19, 110	(d)		(d)			11, 180, 512	441, 679	819, 591
1883.....		61, 568	1, 052	210, 287	20, 796	(d)		(d)			6, 077, 232	240, 294	343, 261
1884.....		46, 81	967	176, 058	13, 502	114, 348	962, 004	27, 033	67, 716	1, 529, 662	62, 032	288, 744	
1885.....		61, 729	663	117, 053	13, 154	157, 736	1, 484, 583	47, 860	170, 278	916, 909	32, 671	120, 814	
1886.....		123, 871	1, 255	215, 871	8, 890	85, 319	962, 668	7, 906	25, 327	1, 861, 606	63, 048	118, 939	
1887.....		147, 568	1, 682	298, 088	10, 164	77, 137	777, 754	18, 430	55, 267	6, 137, 599	221, 736	248, 079	

a Dominion of Canada.

b See Free of duty.

c Includes fresh.

d Not enumerated prior to 1884.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	DUTIABLE.											
	Fish.		Flax, hemp, jute, etc., unmanufactured.		Furs, and manufac- tures of.	Hay.		Iron and steel, and manufactures of.				
	Fresh.	Cured or preserved.						Iron ore.		Tin plates, terneplates, etc.		All other.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1888.....		175,255	1,067	184,802	10,293	97,212	950,834	13,380	40,528	2,298,455	79,443	238,243
1889.....		153,341	2,180	341,219	12,074	97,753	1,001,743	9,284	27,754	1,513,617	45,770	166,663
1890.....		156,049	1,868	329,950	44,794	122,232	1,116,504	8,764	18,395	1,094,836	36,077	113,981
1891.....	a 92,152	74,820	1,872	320,032	133,783	57,461	437,040	13,458	31,455	2,839,033	96,833	117,481
1892.....	186,227	36,302	1,795	287,397	85,661	79,489	712,620	4,697	9,371	331,807	11,066	70,759
1893.....	186,821	23,742	1,767	276,261	77,565	102,059	943,669	4,517	9,035	196,194	6,238	61,972
1894.....	153,155	14,327	1,127	212,632	22,922	86,517	759,266	269	756	274,933	7,834	65,473
1895.....	92,678	13,544	230	41,604	36,245	198,432	1,409,263	298	4,346	939,037	24,158	74,521
1896.....	60,921	18,623	12	2,253	31,729	289,155	2,646,834	35	142	526,137	15,494	141,183
1897.....	85,934	10,358		28	17,428	119,369	1,024,926	1,137	2,007	120,988	3,118	117,342
1898.....	640,722	16,522	448	63,690	14,801	3,555	30,274	253	379	19,651	1,145	110,271

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.										
	DUTIABLE.										
	Provisions.	Tobacco, unmanufactured.		Sugar.			Vegetables.				
							Beans and pease.		Potatoes.		All other.
Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....	b 2,345,338	32,078	5,932	3,919,696	257,989	(c)	(c)	376,452	162,704	(d)	
1872.....	1,875,580	1,221	565	7,187,107	419,159	358,142	313,133	35,160	14,540	(d)	
1873.....	1,200,927	4,555	1,865	231,297	19,161	311,945	289,073	97,773	35,406	(d)	
1874.....	941,156	30,781	12,037	24,410	2,270	601,576	513,725	252,657	136,493	(d)	
1875.....	477,677	56,704	27,423	575,136	25,677	707,160	655,702	14,445	6,961	(d)	
1876.....	237,898	7,653	1,574	87,655	6,342	865,000	616,065	1,172	389	(d)	
1877.....	105,887	26,358	11,727	764,420	41,836	634,407	561,268	988,609	468,958	(d)	
1878.....	319,700	19,923	8,163	74,987	6,332	750,745	601,744	52,372	14,319	(d)	
1879.....	150,497	43,295	10,691	149,693	5,347	358,099	278,217	244,002	120,077	(d)	
1880.....	526,531	59,010	24,184	31,824	2,121	327,266	272,081	19,220	5,118	(d)	
1881.....	232,910	109,494	46,229	132,996	10,840	349,585	313,205	715,703	290,696	(d)	
1882.....	735,071	172,386	82,809	153,316	13,220	611,873	715,184	2,377,553	1,450,801	(d)	
1883.....	378,936	153,771	63,013	817	75	471,191	582,023	394,097	176,326	(d)	
1884.....	189,139	220,455	92,765	790,058	68,547	310,981	310,928	5,138	2,003	71,166	
1885.....	139,226	461,620	232,136	745,135	62,443	275,505	235,697	390,205	91,954	49,788	
1886.....	122,792	416,449	184,104	920,640	47,166	608,283	524,739	134,826	36,987	30,478	
1887.....	109,425	418,720	222,210	226,976	16,430	597,697	556,372	19,543	9,473	67,857	
1888.....	103,949	622,415	313,553	246,857	21,714	533,191	511,937	631,269	296,765	63,279	
1889.....	122,440	809,319	418,814	685,654	44,490	647,300	662,969	48,472	10,788	38,699	
1890.....	108,464	721,646	430,465	718,342	48,431	624,799	628,822	76,659	27,684	84,757	
1891.....	106,849	137,931	93,442	980,409	65,597	727,013	905,095	2,350,559	1,136,793	83,875	
1892.....	77,318	55,867	24,071	a 116,679	b 4,564	664,112	713,697	4,505	1,378	52,537	
1893.....	76,483	179,676	72,724	a 1,740,659	75,774	569,277	659,758	19,837	7,886	104,441	
1894.....	51,620	220,192	111,942	a 99,286	5,866	554,074	603,137	188,020	63,353	90,385	
1895.....	82,978	440,751	265,836	a 478,238	26,568	668,716	785,449	492,340	168,692	110,566	
1896.....	102,966	1,166,992	879,588	1,281,595	92,018	518,669	566,604	3,066	990	96,841	
1897.....	167,462	671,977	554,800	1,092,415	73,945	462,404	468,367	13,583	2,715	104,986	
1898.....	66,710	401,519	262,789	767,953	31,791	78,609	76,419	638,028	216,712	86,374	

a See Free of duty.

b Includes pease, beans, and vegetables.

c Included in Provisions.

d Not enumerated prior to 1884.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.									
	DUTIABLE.								Total im- ports of mer- chandise.	
	Wood, and manufactures of.						Wool.	Raw.		Total dutiable.
	Boards, planks, deals, joists, and scantlings.		Shingles.		All other, unmanu- factured.	Manufac- tures of.				
	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>M.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....	725,746	6,859,424	.....	225,131	1,037,002	259,715	2,978,198	883,969	28,986,093	31,056,845
1872.....	714,397	7,127,225	102,902	209,500	784,047	258,255	4,680,471	1,715,512	30,718,135	35,123,853
1873.....	753,208	8,954,312	86,218	192,419	361,616	153,949	3,995,477	1,834,799	27,300,807	32,508,599
1874.....	527,376	6,495,080	93,243	238,475	576,929	156,969	2,809,788	1,027,615	23,280,251	28,980,305
1875.....	375,694	4,423,192	69,393	171,297	247,436	200,913	2,733,776	1,021,868	18,912,252	23,254,835
1876.....	326,271	3,617,578	34,611	79,028	162,624	142,717	3,009,553	1,043,042	20,282,263	24,018,290
1877.....	308,107	3,092,563	29,309	59,764	164,339	117,004	2,265,631	668,139	15,094,437	19,728,652
1878.....	324,609	3,151,752	42,064	86,291	153,464	138,431	2,417,903	734,595	16,153,221	20,655,930
1879.....	349,297	3,255,579	39,927	75,869	129,082	151,142	2,510,240	567,610	16,206,176	20,950,387
1880.....	497,567	4,963,467	49,642	98,126	246,374	209,708	3,866,966	1,005,840	21,344,850	27,006,688
1881.....	545,882	6,046,633	78,235	171,888	379,366	218,632	1,535,427	471,134	24,665,416	31,655,026
1882.....	586,681	7,192,400	94,777	234,764	589,770	154,054	1,062,284	261,738	34,775,712	43,240,614
1883.....	555,871	7,456,538	96,625	263,373	612,845	207,593	1,298,838	274,933	27,599,937	36,994,912
1884.....	585,129	7,634,062	78,847	199,271	730,989	156,087	1,510,169	310,096	21,598,832	31,572,603
1885.....	534,519	6,649,631	57,478	132,480	636,611	112,154	984,422	199,414	21,795,793	29,673,458
1886.....	525,996	6,218,855	57,909	126,269	692,632	133,566	1,513,019	320,600	21,901,963	31,263,469
1887.....	523,506	6,567,480	64,805	134,660	671,327	128,865	1,397,484	312,198	22,118,078	31,206,178
1888.....	557,703	7,078,874	131,814	265,355	893,185	111,521	941,550	226,638	24,891,144	34,707,352
1889.....	616,664	7,560,553	161,492	348,527	1,120,228	94,319	1,033,453	204,263	24,652,719	34,703,934
1890.....	634,598	7,531,831	140,768	305,366	915,557	226,224	1,136,508	251,938	22,166,435	31,110,593
1891.....	716,917	8,074,971	201,961	430,335	907,519	432,070	1,150,772	251,131	21,317,592	29,680,751
1892.....	627,011	7,238,833	285,035	569,266	1,204,116	418,415	1,000,248	219,713	19,801,289	26,999,366
1893.....	703,043	7,880,122	379,970	746,358	1,347,804	400,438	1,271,531	250,871	20,343,392	29,183,239
1894.....	486,976	5,912,191	320,415	616,101	1,207,564	360,123	526,986	78,497	14,462,726	22,922,030
1895.....	56,249	647,293	41,873	79,616	223,869	341,735	19,875	3,977	9,300,372	26,919,413
1896.....	3	77	.....	.....	19,892	473,716	.....	.....	9,684,993	30,681,387
1897.....	38	1,147	.....	.....	13,555	501,550	.....	.....	8,131,233	30,919,400
1898.....	217,902	2,222,569	357,443	613,046	635,705	409,029	15,918	3,631	12,003,701	23,143,411

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—											
	ANIMALS.			BREADSTUFFS.								
	Horses.		All other.	Corn.		Rye.		Wheat.		Wheat flour.		All other.
	<i>Number.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....	113	19,329	49,976	2,945,456	1,833,764	12,262	10,562	9,252,149	10,961,886	445,509	2,707,705	267,724
1872.....	175	55,800	557,205	7,318,500	3,763,043	31,570	20,812	3,709,065	4,444,166	338,032	2,303,838	587,626
1873.....	240	33,686	814,855	7,418,711	3,200,963	63,558	46,416	6,304,042	7,933,768	70,966	497,867	273,733
1874.....	337	58,467	1,718,003	5,179,484	2,625,812	42,755	41,829	8,717,903	10,591,987	93,116	626,884	273,598
1875.....	370	77,931	857,015	3,146,902	2,168,709	8,054	7,728	5,018,894	5,297,656	133,924	793,588	135,687
1876.....	416	56,740	952,431	3,902,506	2,256,465	32,585	24,762	5,520,304	6,297,422	159,991	939,496	431,066
1877.....	391	69,586	1,069,459	8,936,130	4,613,750	118,029	75,293	4,121,102	4,714,819	257,319	1,731,751	1,013,878
1878.....	359	57,980	638,649	7,503,824	3,350,000	144,831	82,138	5,666,201	6,929,886	122,840	789,058	1,060,946
1879.....	224	42,290	968,742	7,180,256	2,765,344	71,602	34,832	5,187,373	4,759,018	136,882	678,291	709,130
1880.....	283	47,601	363,716	7,048,307	2,926,567	18,584	12,057	7,918,457	8,143,785	56,138	295,275	200,922
1881.....	353	68,287	523,054	7,753,102	3,428,053	482	293	8,369,515	8,427,899	230,627	1,188,008	175,487
1882.....	491	91,661	620,687	3,519,083	2,197,578	1,349	1,380	2,887,900	3,671,018	136,084	870,500	104,478
1883.....	976	142,695	491,444	2,978,691	1,880,197	45,333	28,176	5,110,974	5,626,995	252,198	1,635,126	133,700
1884.....	267	86,041	723,926	6,160,950	3,290,077	30,569	18,830	4,370,400	4,567,954	495,367	3,043,669	251,008
1885.....	535	121,913	600,638	3,404,672	1,745,049	17,006	11,000	3,142,118	2,732,145	511,724	2,496,366	311,764
1886.....	429	77,267	623,981	5,374,277	2,202,244			2,487,572	2,053,051	312,449	1,411,672	346,588
1887.....	365	94,138	506,132	4,072,741	1,640,493			4,668,282	3,753,987	378,046	1,451,787	224,695
1888.....	570	100,009	134,934	4,021,874	1,993,104	70,415	45,221	4,517,858	3,434,869	339,040	1,409,052	121,994
1889.....	1,005	162,708	263,971	8,042,668	3,382,431	101,809	54,319	1,843,073	1,666,613	741,279	3,411,385	249,268
1890.....	1,025	161,677	401,434	9,365,811	3,396,511	108,499	49,185	2,270,769	1,897,436	581,383	2,697,568	513,552
1891.....	992	170,270	274,928	4,657,739	2,466,941	9,827	8,750	2,548,211	2,549,834	280,150	1,594,939	180,255
1892.....	1,380	233,671	164,279	3,206,683	1,724,454	2,491,949	2,236,743	5,193,881	4,916,495	332,996	1,606,749	202,952
1893.....	1,168	252,266	37,346	6,409,668	2,933,407	222,828	154,656	5,529,705	4,071,953	418,120	1,711,748	154,434
1894.....	2,377	461,565	77,029	10,053,663	4,280,312	116,362	60,135	4,193,058	2,713,167	408,772	1,472,504	328,359
1895.....	4,143	680,378	120,007	2,749,797	1,418,747	576	259	3,910,712	2,516,609	689,840	2,515,919	149,162
1896.....	5,305	672,066	57,552	5,319,673	1,844,551	34,927	15,152	3,395,611	2,350,606	760,263	3,065,011	239,384
1897.....	3,229	448,848	431,818	8,916,760	2,346,898	269,729	102,071	5,481,735	3,909,902	612,332	2,396,480	285,881
1898.....	7,906	821,019	928,747	22,583,120	7,520,649	490,905	261,875	5,080,218	5,078,721	464,298	2,380,119	660,063

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medi- cines.	COAL.					COTTON.			Fruits, including nuts. <i>a</i>	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rub- ber and gutta- percha, manufac- tures of.
		Anthracite.		Bituminous.			Unmanufactured.		Manufac- tures of.			
		Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.				
1871.....	191,620	101,355	622,664	115,378	476,407	2,393,083	457,474	360,097	163,407	442,438	14,375	
1872.....	141,992	170,644	962,819	120,403	488,291	1,896,077	334,039	349,926	151,404	500,136	22,960	
1873.....	105,083	240,169	1,357,912	163,379	704,528	887,967	204,373	133,969	269,750	107,568	6,608	
1874.....	102,668	324,777	1,841,078	256,863	1,070,974	2,968,220	470,741	160,074	143,837	251,624	11,047	
1875.....	112,514	245,726	1,405,047	137,653	506,168	2,519,075	384,728	152,075	377,696	299,349	13,189	
1876.....	93,091	279,772	1,574,696	165,580	593,415	4,378,916	634,055	245,773	188,628	129,925	13,602	
1877.....	125,273	352,768	1,637,666	242,338	718,894	4,694,304	699,151	405,834	268,550	365,693	25,456	
1878.....	126,556	268,378	1,097,229	214,982	650,655	6,316,485	707,602	370,760	329,414	293,319	42,810	
1879.....	109,044	295,712	1,117,154	161,291	470,271	7,288,138	736,998	312,776	210,316	376,308	40,348	
1880.....	152,141	320,726	1,119,648	129,217	350,373	9,809,633	1,154,978	210,056	149,085	210,157	36,048	
1881.....	121,582	362,447	1,670,847	108,057	887,382	12,978,813	1,503,337	227,562	189,510	474,099	36,815	
1882.....	213,057	456,046	2,168,021	199,145	642,501	17,397,064	1,949,480	262,331	199,978	717,691	52,233	
1883.....	270,419	446,600	2,158,957	346,082	1,122,878	16,268,321	1,713,473	259,653	425,839	407,014	82,234	
1884.....	311,643	526,425	2,512,675	501,174	1,440,638	7,895,824	952,752	305,412	309,976	292,167	54,596	
1885.....	205,952	499,581	2,229,158	509,025	1,404,967	11,648,882	1,230,024	366,467	211,595	325,529	73,681	
1886.....	188,186	574,165	2,317,577	298,404	749,256	16,021,879	1,019,549	472,764	214,015	345,332	68,510	
1887.....	293,139	591,646	2,494,235	423,282	1,043,913	21,400,513	2,160,347	412,303	278,367	332,403	96,145	
1888.....	232,070	842,967	3,066,806	469,442	1,323,443	21,427,401	2,159,695	207,089	222,877	320,365	73,486	
1889.....	177,975	826,671	3,731,724	462,602	1,286,856	25,018,875	2,454,858	206,116	355,332	445,131	91,843	
1890.....	246,748	675,992	2,847,678	540,150	1,575,953	23,566,626	2,405,749	204,475	669,187	607,878	222,106	
1891.....	337,143	801,869	3,330,077	695,388	1,979,622	27,789,080	2,586,722	377,130	374,031	428,555	270,187	
1892.....	449,241	699,532	3,000,078	822,845	2,352,542	33,372,953	2,766,370	765,206	594,228	358,133	264,465	
1893.....	566,887	919,118	4,172,988	988,605	2,478,487	23,419,755	2,087,131	1,791,593	520,715	523,715	402,610	
1894.....	925,695	1,262,993	5,900,592	1,441,569	3,030,958	24,997,079	2,000,869	2,059,304	627,933	999,372	197,586	
1895.....	1,123,768	1,227,144	5,244,251	1,679,754	3,247,701	43,622,059	2,840,932	1,921,839	596,294	1,019,364	177,686	
1896.....	997,977	1,272,712	5,302,430	1,671,302	3,305,202	26,741,364	2,247,682	2,740,110	814,335	933,074	264,676	
1897.....	910,361	1,136,273	5,167,073	1,733,856	3,496,054	31,284,642	2,423,042	2,876,676	541,931	907,423	347,248	
1898.....	1,104,952	1,196,205	5,398,618	1,873,072	3,646,227	51,047,411	3,394,875	2,247,773	857,401	440,146	296,498	

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	Pig iron.		Builders' hardware, saws, and tools. <i>b</i>	Machinery, n. c. s.	Railroad bars or rails.		All other.	Unmanu- factured.	Manufac- tures of.	Unmanu- factured.	Manufac- tures of.	
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871 <i>c</i>	3, 486	109, 498	9, 722	179, 094	24	683	621, 671	8, 616	57, 257	81, 146	78, 276	170, 932
1872 <i>c</i>	2, 021	69, 061	10, 545	315, 553	.....	.....	796, 174	46, 488	67, 328	66, 704	78, 280	181, 280
1873.....	2, 432	123, 274	3, 516	106, 340	326	23, 450	662, 637	6, 606	49, 079	61, 070	55, 141	106, 341
1874.....	9, 030	387, 532	27, 927	117, 138	157	9, 846	1, 106, 993	6, 229	29, 739	85, 465	55, 843	145, 712
1875.....	13, 589	407, 501	25, 994	197, 248	705	40, 467	1, 372, 105	9, 238	60, 355	79, 083	74, 092	156, 042
1876.....	6, 257	167, 490	11, 496	114, 792	117	9, 491	1, 417, 474	11, 056	40, 124	53, 422	68, 595	155, 494
1877.....	2, 791	80, 204	6, 486	124, 417	422	17, 627	1, 230, 490	26, 531	61, 421	70, 426	55, 890	214, 384
1878.....	5, 102	121, 756	9, 490	174, 009	246	9, 855	1, 071, 926	78, 268	45, 373	72, 251	22, 800	140, 979
1879.....	2, 533	74, 783	2, 450	107, 995	800	14, 400	715, 163	58, 574	35, 548	84, 095	24, 927	113, 260
1880.....	1, 222	50, 087	1, 392	169, 660	.....	.....	716, 945	57, 114	51, 733	136, 507	56, 126	100, 345
1881.....	3, 137	100, 814	4, 837	202, 679	.....	.....	935, 277	92, 350	51, 817	194, 061	59, 942	164, 975
1882.....	5, 578	172, 487	5, 779	313, 625	1, 806	109, 185	1, 472, 083	161, 421	85, 711	145, 606	49, 555	256, 035
1883.....	3, 169	106, 326	45, 096	412, 592	.....	.....	1, 664, 531	30, 202	135, 265	136, 102	57, 032	160, 028
1884.....	2, 773	72, 908	105, 512	354, 371	.....	.....	1, 276, 403	12, 792	84, 487	172, 655	110, 197	122, 107
1885.....	4, 110	91, 900	127, 877	340, 394	5, 955	168, 832	893, 395	26, 154	99, 241	168, 007	24, 277	145, 831
1886.....	5, 707	105, 981	268, 183	296, 916	189	5, 475	616, 874	59, 284	111, 215	138, 178	67, 392	142, 792
1887.....	6, 296	110, 627	238, 517	285, 234	8	203	701, 731	39, 805	138, 626	155, 214	70, 229	135, 930
1888.....	8, 252	150, 299	235, 763	363, 899	42	1, 652	721, 485	62, 505	137, 420	113, 555	56, 932	86, 258
1889.....	11, 539	202, 977	176, 769	545, 859	6, 070	180, 254	692, 164	46, 432	137, 705	104, 275	72, 624	99, 437

a Nuts not enumerated prior to 1888.

b Files, saws, and edge tools only prior to 1884.

c Dominion of Canada.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.							LEATHER, AND MANU- FACTURES OF.		MARBLE AND STONE, AND MANUFACTURES OF.		Musical in- struments.
	Pig iron.		Builders' hardware, saws, and tools.	Machinery, n. e. s.	Railroad bars or rails.		All other.	Unmanu- factured.	Manufac- tures of.	Unmanu- factured.	Manufac- tures of.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1890.....	16,711	268,490	193,622	574,535	5,900	190,916	959,468	43,330	113,121	189,166	241,057	70,925
1891.....	12,354	200,755	226,610	673,129	11,686	383,344	870,634	53,475	155,899	132,637	99,966	115,712
1892.....	14,271	257,483	295,748	706,998	5,814	174,030	913,372	48,056	427,586	107,334	27,780	190,060
1893.....	18,939	316,497	405,832	844,549	3,887	116,766	1,488,664	153,236	237,252	72,751	46,160	942,834
1894.....	24,737	346,876	483,903	1,158,720	3,328	90,979	2,243,207	274,373	342,515	57,044	82,890	158,945
1895.....	20,235	248,204	348,589	1,292,327	910	18,973	2,727,700	269,759	516,610	38,519	72,996	209,744
1896.....	19,169	268,020	383,745	1,136,338	13,160	315,760	3,692,259	431,565	481,647	32,713	102,383	214,673
1897.....	17,224	214,514	358,336	1,199,585	35,248	806,475	4,376,050	668,597	452,309	32,929	67,896	155,843
1898.....	20,509	230,190	478,234	3,089,195	77,481	1,411,656	7,301,887	783,918	607,025	51,914	83,739	214,227

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	OILS, MINERAL, REFINED.				PROVISIONS.							
	Illuminating.		Other, including residuum.		Beef, canned.		Beef, fresh, salted, and cured.		Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.	
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	100,971	50,755	7,408	1,931			382,076	26,061	4,627,143	541,093	442,270	53,960
1872.....	177,006	57,826	104,897	16,321			1,005,206	59,685	13,740,343	996,565	846,145	85,926
1873.....	38,543	12,029	37,071	9,178			286,431	25,424	13,975,671	1,067,117	2,157,173	213,025
1874.....	74,979	16,769	128,918	14,333			2,058,070	169,331	18,234,686	1,530,005	5,667,653	566,644
1875.....	104,456	16,948	50,998	6,740			120,268	9,203	14,978,950	1,525,377	3,979,764	524,817
1876.....	138,845	18,440	30,315	8,931			129,588	9,560	12,025,334	1,366,822	6,115,075	808,075
1877.....	125,838	29,346	55,150	20,175			260,863	21,021	12,690,532	1,239,536	5,639,183	680,989
1878.....	177,320	27,513	78,960	16,262			442,755	26,510	15,876,621	1,171,561	2,550,135	210,318
1879.....	140,265	19,237	53,239	7,711			1,101,377	54,827	12,922,542	692,083	2,599,082	174,009
1880.....	124,690	16,396	88,619	10,415			831,766	41,193	19,434,535	1,231,296	8,976,276	597,170
1881.....	447,446	63,091	59,969	7,992			3,385,443	246,369	27,411,230	2,252,333	6,423,949	618,779
1882.....	1,559,224	171,181	114,327	25,521			4,859,883	479,995	29,203,073	2,641,165	5,198,689	609,305
1883.....	1,554,760	178,623	224,621	55,070			4,040,030	300,997	25,530,927	2,836,062	11,280,652	1,363,825
1884.....	1,256,469	142,913	158,653	37,194		236,326	7,398,089	607,488	49,342,954	4,746,066	16,694,948	1,543,343
1885.....	1,575,933	159,569	142,360	29,200		198,138	12,947,350	902,768	41,646,263	3,764,822	6,485,983	503,467
1886.....	1,165,996	129,323	512,052	108,392		92,273	26,395,039	1,624,633	32,101,734	1,997,454	7,051,426	436,776
1887.....	2,074,351	204,750	181,303	32,176	2,643,236	199,926	3,410,723	200,887	50,656,742	3,587,932	10,187,062	657,539
1888.....	2,399,687	226,962	131,027	36,560	7,476,908	562,068	3,644,151	158,302	43,340,713	3,428,866	11,553,943	847,711
1889.....	2,470,421	212,105	184,224	50,268	5,939,965	445,533	3,344,821	167,134	46,871,622	3,502,904	12,903,391	1,078,941
1890.....	2,128,453	197,229	112,433	27,334	1,391,719	115,413	4,257,349	212,013	29,076,977	1,646,902	4,134,832	262,173
1891.....	1,911,667	189,032	161,069	29,652	1,997,084	164,175	3,399,551	170,596	30,479,237	1,843,628	4,948,767	314,755
1892.....	2,159,331	181,795	140,732	21,979	1,276,907	162,803	5,102,821	282,128	27,247,672	1,838,219	5,700,359	392,800
1893.....	2,586,671	213,894	262,672	41,739	1,155,177	97,503	1,628,933	88,926	8,498,764	663,731	1,923,092	155,267
1894.....	6,070,979	332,142	910,683	128,793	744,917	60,027	1,172,735	51,457	17,291,599	1,374,600	2,326,769	178,797
1895.....	6,006,369	308,907	728,752	99,372	763,103	65,232	1,704,667	80,711	11,328,976	885,794	2,038,989	154,028
1896.....	6,630,733	417,234	892,968	97,295	994,271	84,277	1,070,646	50,275	16,028,143	1,034,322	6,562,502	439,442
1897.....	6,547,984	386,593	704,241	83,218	868,138	72,636	751,194	36,866	18,314,682	970,066	3,722,119	170,308
1898.....	7,337,152	405,731	926,705	98,146	235,375	19,610	463,921	26,093	32,353,107	2,056,153	5,198,201	271,745

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.														
	PROVISIONS.					SEEDS.								Sugar, refined.	
	Dairy products.				All other.	Clover. <i>a</i>		Flaxseed.		Timothy. <i>a</i>		All other.			
	Butter.		Cheese.												
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....	43,508	7,685	56,652	6,349	63,418							5,545	72,007	9,264	
1872.....	270,854	44,280	34,334	3,618	86,216							10,468	265,602	32,903	
1873.....	54,833	7,585	24,109	3,124	110,972							68,706	23,547	2,893	
1874.....	95,840	17,099	255,766	30,317	169,146							121,174	748,353	86,226	
1875.....	201,812	44,794	1,203,288	153,356	58,228							31,172	522,585	56,756	
1876.....	67,021	14,010	3,178,612	375,829	35,373							55,569	1,080,097	111,558	
1877.....	906,893	186,231	1,198,810	123,442	115,558							120,996	1,076,000	110,593	
1878.....	703,039	140,263	1,598,426	172,170	60,898			207	318			291,868	6,479,919	604,841	
1879.....	117,567	18,459	2,811,427	224,164	118,849			29	29			290,038	12,052,628	1,072,520	
1880.....	289,691	50,551	2,931,394	200,553	389,854							161,199	99,146	8,009	
1881.....	130,257	25,790	5,196,977	552,129	264,127							161,238			
1882.....	65,183	15,542	4,353,688	461,700	286,022							121,283	43,871	3,937	
1883.....	162,810	28,663	5,724,733	654,446	507,694							175,122	467	50	
1884.....	1,134,330	227,018	8,208,842	882,654	254,743	955,851	93,006			536,890	18,314	56,025	191,208	14,586	
1885.....	1,787,460	266,225	9,508,766	867,716	54,016	226,374	19,572			1,250,810	40,792	131,296	360,031	20,412	
1886.....	1,842,224	271,324	8,337,759	651,435	26,082	1,422,495	140,173			2,603,219	107,548	90,498	1,411,909	81,237	
1887.....	581,359	100,205	6,602,151	585,433	72,683	1,630,037	112,940			2,922,949	115,415	101,436	1,608,267	87,748	
1888.....	415,262	88,343	8,322,114	855,688	69,972	2,748,012	180,231	37,240	41,119	988,836	56,874	37,324	1,054,023	58,196	
1889.....	974,895	162,501	10,829,027	1,025,882	46,443	4,332,692	351,303			3,687,552	123,603	32,036	518,950	29,870	
1890.....	1,394,108	219,572	11,430,889	1,006,002	65,121	2,699,670	149,441	14,646	19,724	4,096,023	123,316	20,308	311,550	14,394	
1891.....	558,179	85,638	8,638,037	767,155	148,612	672,106	44,113	136,953	174,664	2,946,184	88,675	21,052	427,261	34,775	
1892.....	1,888,919	306,240	9,540,920	894,959	115,274	1,524,265	127,467	246,501	252,683	5,969,456	181,497	21,901	2,721,964	98,704	
1893.....	271,923	50,783	8,942,213	824,600	109,604	500,466	58,262	157,556	178,141	5,203,515	417,433	21,205	8,953,147	372,134	
1894.....	231,803	40,698	10,047,742	958,069	139,928	1,558,205	145,287	175,783	189,432	3,605,781	166,322	41,246	71,237	3,570	
1895.....	102,507	18,836	10,271,523	911,370	95,923	3,216,523	296,855	463	503	1,137,023	61,020	39,436	7,833	385	
1896.....	441,082	76,058	5,239,707	400,925	140,870	2,806,925	222,945	27,707	30,152	6,714,421	286,473	43,226	18,723	980	
1897.....	1,464,753	220,719	8,432,783	710,434	63,203	3,413,191	260,811	69,503	54,619	9,584,541	306,779	44,554	9,618	407	
1898.....	3,378,093	508,259	13,124,741	1,070,332	141,337	2,918,340	177,510	33,688	32,343	6,345,988	195,946	40,778	2,868	156	

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	Tobacco, leaf.		Turpentine, spirits of.		WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.					Wool, raw.		Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
					Lumber.			Timber and unman- ufactured wood.	Manufac- tures of.			
					Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantlings.		All other.					
					M feet.	Dollars.						
Pounds.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	5,865,125	663,899	176,724	79,062	2,703	65,379	107,414	341,839	491,977	23,595	8,662	24,383,634
1872.....	4,805,494	555,060	87,884	54,538	3,947	127,419	154,191	329,689	541,801	4,118	1,361	21,457,908
1873.....	2,859,602	305,632	111,081	65,554	6,694	189,350	377,407	572,404	394,109	.....	.....	22,094,276
1874.....	6,414,595	792,942	190,532	93,360	5,721	137,306	340,171	807,315	549,762	29,094	6,307	29,504,192
1875.....	5,820,605	707,994	197,067	71,089	10,277	171,145	184,070	535,596	519,462	6,100	2,860	21,838,407
1876.....	4,742,609	539,113	111,342	41,499	12,454	173,466	121,441	568,598	495,824	1,000	400	23,117,560
1877.....	7,572,543	961,629	128,910	50,700	24,391	456,606	309,353	840,429	517,635	66,894	21,063	27,592,987
1878.....	6,319,645	828,681	105,608	36,977	13,013	198,844	277,184	680,565	500,787	175,361	54,172	26,238,315
1879.....	7,430,920	985,221	98,696	34,433	11,794	166,463	110,320	417,411	459,913	57,365	17,098	21,570,358
1880.....	7,102,319	893,967	111,316	38,089	17,164	221,415	44,426	213,803	396,299	179,728	70,572	23,224,824
1881.....	7,396,985	957,221	117,577	43,292	32,086	431,492	116,980	512,659	539,334	49,775	14,992	29,760,556
1882.....	8,618,786	1,114,720	260,684	107,158	50,916	797,545	161,313	765,717	781,161	88,182	24,860	28,649,108
1883.....	5,204,416	688,198	231,917	88,614	100,866	1,592,871	288,453	1,066,583	908,130	52,043	19,592	35,193,636
1884.....	5,653,540	657,493	61,087	26,127	28,959	425,816	127,476	750,660	694,595	5,310	1,453	35,174,214
1885.....	5,465,811	1,153,671	95,582	29,369	21,693	356,879	120,692	1,022,674	662,732	44,178	10,951	29,194,222
1886.....	7,287,746	1,021,072	71,874	25,931	23,570	497,075	65,096	604,487	533,059	34,389	8,130	26,301,962
1887.....	5,380,330	1,198,334	121,033	44,083	20,923	420,806	53,106	530,903	500,285	85,830	24,106	28,510,766

a Included in "All other" prior to 1884.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	Tobacco, leaf.		Turpentine, spirits of.		WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.					Wool, raw.		Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
					Lumber.		Timber and unman- ufactured wood.	Manufac- tures of.				
									Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantlings.				All other.
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1888.....	1,640,784	387,651	131,324	52,335	12,052	212,610	175,129	538,843	430,030	22,164	5,272	28,539,386
1889.....	3,373,956	664,071	87,833	38,728	20,922	334,525	344,911	970,482	693,891	3,859	978	33,322,037
1890.....	6,130,401	1,012,945	45,682	22,703	23,088	345,199	437,802	983,013	690,859	34,940	8,399	31,454,337
1891.....	6,418,247	1,129,424	36,892	16,183	22,140	362,175	158,671	1,181,670	535,327	5,705	1,308	30,402,648
1892.....	6,344,151	1,252,594	35,727	14,308	25,316	489,162	27,466	615,976	615,620			35,827,559
1893.....	10,174,812	1,505,933	224,334	68,391	21,501	435,038	37,353	819,622	702,119	29,081	7,852	38,048,422
1894.....	11,625,300	1,057,781	308,472	92,834	22,517	480,503	46,744	956,203	1,264,100	463,675	81,545	44,636,914
1895.....	11,320,954	1,003,629	347,290	110,117	28,730	486,467	80,655	968,176	881,430	1,773,932	270,337	42,070,389
1896.....	10,074,651	1,012,167	497,937	138,815	34,130	520,966	103,858	1,112,947	987,388	2,337,234	307,531	46,617,508
1897.....	14,504,792	1,478,318	437,116	118,056	54,714	774,875	142,552	1,094,988	1,034,372	1,918,220	282,237	51,205,564
1898.....	6,501,652	631,019	612,844	188,255	74,930	1,034,024	225,031	991,401	1,025,280	103,779	16,393	69,074,339

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—						
	FREE OF DUTY.						
	Copper ore.		Furs and fur skins, undressed.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Ore, silver- bearing.	Wood, unmanu- factured.	Total free of duty.
	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....							
1872.....							
1873.....			163,336	20,210		20	203,736
1874.....			170,511	18,907			200,819
1875.....			295,167	30,448			332,336
1876.....			185,843	30,134		256	243,409
1877.....			162,558	23,288			204,098
1878.....			136,511	45,924		4,521	204,639
1879.....			151,580	32,238		15,375	214,114
1880.....			260,251	60,140			350,030
1881.....			368,472	50,809		111	438,056
1882.....			187,068	61,110		16,456	297,460
1883.....			223,021	88,610		9,713	359,248
1884.....			196,715	51,092			276,841
1885.....			447,407	73,092			575,370
1886.....			395,196	68,215		3,397	513,378
1887.....			314,754	61,976			473,354
1888.....			218,717	69,379	16,576	22,622	459,604
1889.....			192,164	60,101	13,342	5,395	425,664
1890.....			200,598	67,362	16,250	6,334	380,515
1891.....			97,519	79,764	35,174	4,092	313,475
1892.....			116,264	92,643	15,026	4,703	371,259
1893.....			60,363	69,117	101,237	10,023	409,542
1894.....			48,606	38,590	274,725	5,737	556,651
1895.....	467	72,635	67,906	87,254		108,179	492,359
1896.....	1,490	163,023	69,082	96,190		133,148	600,020
1897.....	2,626	483,056	56,797	101,946		32,535	822,255
1898.....	2,753	607,011	37,477	20,164		8,434	1,188,561

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BRITISH COLUMBIA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.								Total imports of mer- chandise.
	DUTIABLE.								
	Coal, bituminous.		Fish.	Lead, in pigs, bars, etc.		Rice and rice meal.		Total dutiable.	
	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....									
1872.....									
1873.....	28,314	159,032	486			9,080	372	227,568	431,304
1874.....	49,276	271,921	194			300	21	322,853	530,702
1875.....	53,828	302,254	24			4,010	220	384,034	716,370
1876.....	86,120	455,764	46			30	2	500,083	743,582
1877.....	97,846	483,646	2,439			28,400	610	530,624	734,722
1878.....	135,915	585,495	63,302					680,372	885,011
1879.....	161,756	649,298	39,605			1,400	70	706,301	920,415
1880.....	194,204	698,729	7,002					736,216	1,086,246
1881.....	207,432	735,873	19,536			750	39	778,533	1,216,589
1882.....	172,265	588,656	136,485			200	19	769,494	1,066,954
1883.....	176,446	633,709	104,752			387,050	8,766	818,592	1,207,840
1884.....	203,176	840,588	106,944			300,644	6,485	1,011,510	1,288,351
1885.....	255,764	1,012,771	3,178			635,738	13,469	1,096,287	1,671,657
1886.....	234,743	912,444	1,833			194,910	4,031	970,209	1,483,587
1887.....	280,688	1,084,097	20,560			1,298,230	24,913	1,186,814	1,660,168
1888.....	304,976	1,335,308	4,899			2,130,925	38,698	1,473,266	1,932,870
1889.....	404,518	1,816,042	8,486			2,867,579	47,962	1,973,415	2,399,079
1890.....	445,607	1,729,851	175,453			1,844,375	30,436	2,065,899	2,446,414
1891.....	552,552	2,148,247	9,534			1,348,610	22,441	2,284,921	2,598,396
1892.....	616,644	2,354,465	1,287			519,500	10,666	2,415,360	2,786,619
1893.....	591,513	2,278,361	6,641			556,438	9,962	2,474,968	2,884,510
1894.....	674,035	2,570,313	106,971			554,500	8,409	2,837,582	3,394,233
1895.....	721,174	2,634,816	255,161	12,094,603	279,146	367,201	4,481	3,310,940	3,803,299
1896.....	627,257	2,322,188	107,634	20,208,829	392,092	158,015	1,702	2,936,662	3,536,682
1897.....	607,657	2,225,710	2,609	29,532,542	476,095	100	2	2,806,414	3,638,669
1898.....	618,041	2,179,835	42,820	44,692,257	963,293	226,881	5,857	3,443,183	4,631,744

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—											
	ANIMALS.							BREADSTUFFS.			Carriages, street and railroad cars.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.
	Cattle.		Horses.		Sheep.		All other.	Wheat flour.		All other.		
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Barrels.				Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....												
1872.....												
1873.....	2,439	76,243	834	85,198	5,976	17,132	34,303	22,825	110,708	38,415	731	23,836
1874.....	3,621	68,776	343	16,083	8,427	18,402	10,639	23,292	130,287	39,839	1,827	17,746
1875.....	1,073	23,487	259	14,175	7,414	16,601	18,891	28,379	133,803	40,866	8,810	19,045
1876.....	1,240	25,150	328	17,014	8,739	17,826	12,677	28,723	142,396	69,224	6,727	19,533
1877.....	617	12,111	75	7,947	9,484	18,469	9,463	29,347	163,951	54,436	10,248	15,789
1878.....	556	10,455	71	9,195	7,310	14,675	10,205	28,707	185,238	60,444	11,510	21,977
1879.....	176	3,573	69	9,594	7,336	14,590	9,543	31,012	164,542	56,237	8,351	19,224
1880.....	57	1,434	112	9,361	5,769	11,888	4,836	26,301	140,339	40,170	12,803	15,216
1881.....	3	110	41	3,450	4,719	9,453	11,475	31,758	138,537	49,853	16,195	38,447
1882.....	23	1,618	33	4,448	5,680	11,360	8,993	38,364	182,203	63,073	29,208	42,861
1883.....	5	435	189	25,992	9,867	22,958	6,805	45,954	229,121	112,721	29,280	45,437
1884.....	254	10,998	192	25,105	14,910	36,832	12,262	46,199	221,539	132,249	19,240	37,081
1885.....	396	15,732	555	76,435	18,026	46,859	21,958	58,328	244,478	145,441	19,944	44,890
1886.....	311	11,184	207	19,318	21,121	43,148	23,252	54,532	202,416	128,838	49,475	44,960
1887.....	1,238	38,015	85	9,370	22,515	48,189	20,728	38,791	145,689	86,221	31,304	47,058
1888.....	571	19,925	94	11,140	24,725	54,344	20,332	76,405	287,162	76,170	10,642	54,862
1889.....	635	20,830	164	15,881	25,385	59,529	18,146	27,320	111,155	73,455	48,449	39,061
1890.....	343	15,009	142	32,105	29,955	69,488	16,209	36,996	138,098	121,539	4,983	44,843
1891.....	269	8,800	284	38,273	34,615	82,328	9,598	35,310	139,183	127,084	26,159	58,321
1892.....	970	24,068	202	21,767	32,754	72,526	4,968	42,842	187,938	107,650	8,498	52,651
1893.....	41	1,214	393	30,080	27,335	74,780	7,216	58,952	206,657	71,467	9,411	40,198
1894.....	295	7,646	226	10,965	35,823	81,377	7,987	30,412	89,211	181,218	3,785	39,379
1895.....	144	2,628	281	22,164	35,782	61,389	3,028	97,464	225,542	273,812	11,167	58,277
1896.....	160	3,478	338	15,593	42,464	69,592	9,200	37,079	100,384	208,740	15,920	77,378
1897.....	665	15,186	608	22,861	44,867	71,779	12,370	28,655	102,001	175,808	23,108	156,552
1898.....	948	26,874	1,427	45,305	42,705	74,417	36,812	30,198	115,247	211,858	32,838	105,886

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BRITISH COLUMBIA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	Cotton manufac- tures.	Eggs.		Fruits, including nuts. <i>a</i>	Furs and fur skins.	India rub- ber and gutta-per- cha, manu- factures of.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.			Leather, and manu- factures of.	Oils, mineral, refined, including residuum.	
							Builders' hardware, saws, and tools. <i>b</i>	Machinery, n. e. s.	All other.			
	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....												
1872.....												
1873.....	22,251	7,103	2,655	14,406	11,480	8,278	4,404	8,821	66,894	52,573	24,658	10,530
1874.....	14,882	12,594	3,289	14,180	29,418	13,417	6,662	15,794	72,237	58,157	30,970	12,106
1875.....	26,305	15,781	5,372	22,362	42,644	16,453	9,231	10,835	109,391	64,845	25,659	10,491
1876.....	23,086	15,558	5,764	30,083	32,073	15,454	7,748	14,353	106,461	59,603	53,060	19,183
1877.....	35,265	9,536	3,455	30,335	37,617	10,179	5,656	31,105	101,032	48,482	47,942	21,030
1878.....	64,308	8,136	2,707	24,369	10,432	20,622	6,886	55,477	129,418	51,015	63,932	25,164
1879.....	57,888	4,194	1,399	18,164	10,837	17,630	6,739	44,359	117,122	48,671	78,475	25,901
1880.....	64,136	4,314	1,123	18,368	30,381	20,549	7,018	21,490	107,509	38,264	76,905	21,043
1881.....	73,080	3,729	878	26,514	95,898	26,356	4,975	43,099	144,237	40,070	74,595	19,489
1882.....	92,809	6,053	1,404	34,960	83,463	31,359	9,050	39,102	165,160	59,414	139,334	34,016
1883.....	95,085	13,346	3,721	43,939	70,425	34,508	15,856	61,343	265,867	61,930	92,893	20,732
1884.....	74,071	22,774	6,494	43,308	26,915	32,612	22,761	42,194	220,813	61,226	140,275	34,177
1885.....	57,151	74,676	19,834	51,477	72,889	39,212	22,178	24,918	197,347	56,099	191,074	43,274
1886.....	43,645	93,348	22,028	40,950	22,941	35,956	11,345	23,269	228,665	43,909	207,933	42,487
1887.....	39,501	88,216	19,880	51,519	29,022	36,182	15,115	31,905	130,263	54,778	236,011	49,200
1888.....	24,805	68,506	14,947	45,941	81,472	40,148	17,958	34,271	121,566	31,432	219,753	42,806
1889.....	30,369	141,795	27,614	48,522	38,470	36,170	27,590	55,837	171,413	39,743	317,304	61,348
1890.....	29,737	161,304	28,187	58,887	28,418	48,282	32,453	76,778	179,770	35,507	293,004	55,686
1891.....	34,142	143,010	24,698	58,368	59,036	31,047	45,831	92,369	166,086	37,322	332,510	70,903
1892.....	40,804	87,919	13,335	58,788	30,083	23,637	32,620	90,640	186,341	30,601	333,476	62,091
1893.....	44,159	43,171	8,637	49,538	63,228	18,045	25,133	49,496	154,274	27,692	325,799	62,132
1894.....	42,497	108,048	16,162	74,274	60,026	17,504	24,974	42,410	133,156	16,107	628,239	73,802
1895.....	45,046	78,974	12,129	72,459	112,668	26,701	34,749	47,256	169,123	20,955	599,144	69,308
1896.....	57,159	224,135	30,392	109,930	52,439	21,566	70,671	130,718	250,547	31,170	581,997	74,281
1897.....	89,268	240,075	36,057	131,046	24,841	25,384	90,045	165,921	351,415	42,212	650,885	63,444
1898.....	83,145	218,627	38,017	254,998	18,682	39,576	93,224	298,579	397,333	52,193	772,421	61,477

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	PROVISIONS.							WOOD, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.		Wool, manu- factures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Butter.		All other.	Household furniture and wooden ware.	All other.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....											
1872.....											
1873.....	258,512	33,695	121,440	14,886	45,442	13,968	17,869	15,095	15,194	26,557	952,108
1874.....	316,204	35,360	102,468	12,159	51,507	16,144	11,931	15,115	11,569	13,852	898,665
1875.....	184,935	24,251	57,951	8,591	60,217	20,359	10,405	29,498	17,201	19,181	1,032,833
1876.....	178,119	25,666	62,269	10,057	90,801	28,770	17,963	32,492	20,514	14,141	1,118,874
1877.....	207,909	31,196	100,542	15,254	73,255	21,995	13,038	22,699	12,081	13,897	1,054,152
1878.....	274,339	35,176	101,218	13,741	55,925	15,175	20,223	26,296	13,464	31,556	1,294,237
1879.....	181,948	21,869	93,255	11,002	86,075	19,944	18,471	30,640	13,009	29,611	1,201,986
1880.....	235,601	28,547	94,322	10,457	103,041	23,760	12,584	18,225	15,554	9,573	976,797
1881.....	178,514	24,588	96,148	12,399	113,557	32,093	16,227	14,427	13,355	20,968	1,219,924
1882.....	148,612	20,023	80,678	12,234	80,613	23,130	15,384	19,629	20,735	15,029	1,443,471
1883.....	441,769	60,934	126,636	19,000	189,705	49,041	24,179	38,973	22,869	23,481	1,992,933
1884.....	538,241	75,195	219,294	27,690	243,793	60,884	35,451	53,532	39,975	65,586	1,883,077
1885.....	849,618	102,431	239,588	26,376	374,891	82,937	29,239	57,341	41,120	100,209	2,220,599
1886.....	673,152	65,007	237,523	21,136	231,197	47,365	25,383	60,600	27,772	55,400	1,840,312
1887.....	731,754	71,202	231,078	19,017	190,023	42,232	18,865	54,008	19,714	40,069	1,528,839

a Nuts not enumerated prior to 1888.

b Files, saws, and edge tools only prior to 1884.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.										
	PROVISIONS.							WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.		Wool, manufactures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Bacon, hams, and pork.	Lard.		Butter.		All other.	Household furniture and wooden ware.	All other.			
<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1888.....	636,770	63,083	272,220	22,520	118,097	31,301	18,772	39,215	20,634	27,286	1,625,203
1889.....	624,824	65,952	343,591	28,540	171,857	35,285	35,476	51,079	28,098	30,744	1,640,438
1890.....	888,883	79,373	340,720	24,233	159,376	31,976	57,596	20,903	34,312	21,596	1,683,106
1891.....	816,560	71,686	255,729	20,581	231,294	52,715	33,844	18,009	77,577	17,509	1,878,652
1892.....	426,953	41,589	149,702	13,054	146,103	33,533	46,705	28,209	72,534	15,266	1,790,849
1893.....	399,115	41,923	82,974	3,553	176,241	36,442	69,828	66,539	33,473	19,712	1,644,524
1894.....	399,943	47,669	66,908	5,626	297,867	60,910	52,753	71,707	40,207	20,498	1,647,351
1895.....	619,319	66,032	100,751	7,675	96,431	17,740	45,983	80,128	66,295	14,785	2,010,980
1896.....	1,112,339	105,737	198,090	14,714	115,963	21,014	66,827	77,420	74,659	15,402	2,380,259
1897.....	1,235,577	114,561	448,690	24,832	205,039	37,179	178,203	169,923	201,434	25,584	3,375,136
1898.....	4,201,101	330,776	1,034,074	57,532	263,176	57,656	197,436	124,710	163,517	32,298	4,106,689

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR.^a

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—														
	FREE OF DUTY.							DUTIABLE.							Total imports of mer. chandise.
	Copper ore.		Fish.	Fur skins, un- dressed.	Hides and skins other than fur skins.	Paper stock, crude.	Total free of duty.	Copper ore.		Fish.	Oils, animal.		Total dutiable.		
Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....															
1872.....															
1873.....			20,301	3,370	303	1,966	133,320			231,862	54,007	32,764	340,958	474,288	
1874.....			18,765	1,727	120	1,176	45,250			70,417	97,108	62,767	147,125	192,375	
1875.....			254,030	816	41	558	344,417			6,854	35,406	25,261	59,894	404,311	
1876.....			167,324	56	69	1,709	193,532				2,769	1,651	10,755	204,287	
1877.....			98,462	72	2,327	1,493	110,526				450	161	2,097	112,623	
1878.....			194,191		13,419	1,893	294,165				24,192	11,300	18,826	312,991	
1879.....			201,307	113	4,952	5,252	232,033						181,750	413,783	
1880.....			143,006	15	6,267	7,878	218,201						7,575	225,776	
1881.....			153,956	72	5,140	9,385	312,239			5			45,607	357,846	
1882.....			138,589	1,101	2,168	1,223	231,282			16	75,388	30,187	106,612	337,894	
1883.....			267,941	10	752	13,201	444,634						2,084	446,718	
1884.....			394,667	12	973	8,658	612,807			34			3,198	616,005	
1885.....			163,395	15	1,328	10,893	228,766	407,665	30,583		2,000	872	36,090	264,856	
1886.....			5,810	208	666	8,824	37,094			147,844	2,635	1,593	155,208	192,302	
1887.....			22,285	36		8,901	35,204			129,642	1,888	867	133,103	168,307	
1888.....			27,589			5,421	35,768			121,377	1,034	347	123,801	159,569	
1889.....			56,647	3,143	1,394	3,209	65,845			168,953	130,367	27,212	205,554	271,399	
1890.....			100,731	971	653	12,309	119,809	39,352	1,620	178,278	16,181	4,072	234,194	354,003	
1891.....				1,386	1,081	9,386	131,178	22,400	2,400	193,263	13,027	3,767	215,575	346,753	
1892.....				286	438	8,737	138,167	268,968	34,841	194,345	23,515	7,224	242,177	380,344	
1893.....				756	353	1,974	149,301	260,938	9,708	143,349	290,878	77,883	259,578	408,879	
1894.....				371	35	734	252,656	2,028,261	113,931	118,752	55,353	14,885	283,159	535,815	
1895.....	3,164	33,785	4,378	1,477	3,635	422	325,285	167,274	7,549	57,757	920	138	106,551	431,836	
1896.....	4,832	12,830	7,307	1,177	192	305	221,509			88,948	19,177	10,787	102,866	324,435	
1897.....			4,109	736	454	365	303,262			69,361	12,587	12,718	110,219	413,421	
1898.....			11,350	2,443		206	185,975			104,222	237,334	56,261	186,140	372,115	

^a Newfoundland and Labrador were included in "British Possessions in North America" prior to year 1873.

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NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO--												
	BREADSTUFFS.			COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.		LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Oils, mineral, refined, including residuum.	
	Wheat flour.		All other.	Cloths.		All other.	Builders' hard- ware, saws, and tools. <i>a</i>	All other.	Sole. <i>b</i>		All other, and manu- factures of.		
	Barrels.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Yards.				Dollars.	Dollars.			
1871.....													
1872.....													
1873.....	161,460	1,092,563	50,943	121,671	32,888	8,644	329	75,667			67,391	257,605	60,147
1874.....	138,518	905,482	16,766	48,905	16,660	9,255		12,693			38,047	158,720	31,515
1875.....	150,072	828,200	26,389	71,446	19,546	7,058	215	16,498			34,436	264,656	38,204
1876.....	154,453	829,502	27,724	84,270	14,947	8,710	422	25,159			44,539	192,117	29,922
1877.....	167,101	957,381	36,086	239,261	39,818	17,821	449	30,732			37,082	271,823	61,317
1878.....	113,027	608,553	19,563	251,107	30,264	7,487	353	27,982			22,091	231,490	34,246
1879.....	148,945	598,746	15,300	392,406	45,476	17,222	732	33,450			37,329	384,437	38,542
1880.....	138,583	648,935	23,831	498,427	63,252	13,344	193	33,765			22,925	299,889	26,570
1881.....	174,979	759,832	46,083	305,343	45,263	9,202	346	36,382			63,576	353,305	38,988
1882.....	179,542	910,744	32,826	493,768	67,768	13,214	191	69,075			102,102	433,107	42,319
1883.....	196,772	859,515	23,443	416,751	54,111	10,111	629	69,383			81,598	367,395	31,939
1884.....	195,415	777,123	18,307	565,681	84,711	37,373	45,580	33,406	448,728	95,812	26,854	567,741	54,447
1885.....	169,590	619,894	13,151	368,766	49,498	34,947	30,087	49,368	382,306	78,072	16,988	472,450	39,524
1886.....	124,205	454,244	14,269	368,875	45,902	27,761	22,349	21,070	323,169	61,871	14,101	475,848	41,625
1887.....	113,608	381,258	6,166	372,919	45,062	28,666	20,235	17,059	447,588	82,767	7,935	614,840	48,844
1888.....	148,886	494,178	10,290	448,343	58,264	30,868	19,857	11,712	370,945	64,933	6,843	519,751	43,586
1889.....	139,114	522,853	11,842	539,797	72,245	22,007	25,612	15,597	466,179	80,930	13,345	428,315	40,003
1890.....	129,951	422,837	10,044	337,638	41,700	25,965	20,916	20,520	436,075	72,023	7,083	515,778	48,013
1891.....	117,086	486,284	23,772	257,893	32,265	16,653	34,474	28,307	321,751	53,418	5,265	595,878	50,385
1892.....	122,624	514,500	27,421	383,226	48,204	22,238	31,420	31,909	489,729	77,805	7,650	621,148	51,579
1893.....	130,804	501,415	29,406	218,168	23,257	59,727	72,451	64,498	394,456	60,382	13,066	843,035	63,839
1894.....	100,487	357,642	32,738	186,094	19,684	39,962	60,856	92,559	266,970	40,909	6,336	625,561	44,890
1895.....	115,932	376,014	16,145	168,590	14,837	24,880	40,704	21,908	103,229	15,687	3,134	456,980	35,988
1896.....	129,151	451,549	13,686	205,248	18,790	41,137	26,563	36,118	235,702	41,488	5,161	663,995	64,420
1897.....	65,646	236,877	16,897	206,274	21,506	44,179	37,201	54,425	276,355	43,847	4,394	715,747	62,805
1898.....	59,128	254,160	43,265	189,354	15,680	34,848	39,214	113,418	367,334	59,924	4,485	657,295	46,687

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.									Tobacco, leaf.		Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
	Beef, salted or pickled.		Bacon, hams, and pork.		Butter.		Oleomargarine.		All other.			
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....												
1872.....												
1873.....	437,260	21,640	4,395,307	300,409	166,432	26,140			8,531	200,236	25,506	2,011,073
1874.....	381,816	22,250	4,935,742	367,159	225,562	49,076			7,000	18,263	2,844	1,634,735
1875.....	1,242,865	40,963	4,523,135	421,238	95,594	21,382			14,839	15,030	2,263	1,642,905
1876.....	495,150	29,512	4,006,908	368,099	95,123	17,631			8,748	46,629	4,022	1,580,614
1877.....	554,178	32,798	5,389,974	420,681	532,384	88,480			5,249	61,000	4,256	1,934,558
1878.....	418,600	25,638	2,305,321	139,753	363,365	34,785			6,628	105,024	7,089	1,126,604
1879.....	328,024	17,972	4,287,364	213,394	436,302	44,581			5,352	65,275	3,492	1,209,513
1880.....	511,671	29,364	3,917,579	220,096	386,995	56,804			10,624	103,916	6,179	1,305,202
1881.....	555,810	31,690	4,141,197	275,487	452,348	70,096			9,444	173,314	12,797	1,593,337
1882.....	643,130	43,947	5,163,880	420,907	295,327	44,881			17,059	56,831	3,774	2,055,124
1883.....	791,664	59,338	4,927,262	439,973	739,377	98,307			14,155	344,477	18,686	2,114,500
1884.....	808,091	53,943	4,588,141	343,438	374,139	48,368	970,493	103,049	22,254	187,642	14,285	2,087,112
1885.....	728,833	45,487	5,639,059	366,603	239,071	31,177	666,919	78,690	39,674	1,113,457	121,672	1,864,561
1886.....	831,950	40,504	3,773,578	199,402	263,176	32,221	608,887	57,787	10,079	385,545	38,883	1,308,839
1887.....	1,057,950	48,472	2,465,350	154,836	160,906	20,016	639,592	55,364	6,840	255,050	29,238	1,167,367
1888.....	1,710,600	73,788	2,762,798	189,821	53,748	8,878	363,518	37,768	23,848	310,500	30,487	1,358,193
1889.....	2,778,036	123,054	3,108,626	216,607	310,304	50,920	352,998	38,005	29,190	358,828	34,708	1,527,638
1890.....	2,629,550	103,413	2,158,652	133,425	167,931	22,352	119,147	11,984	10,751	211,861	16,585	1,216,491
1891.....	1,760,900	76,853	3,432,401	198,451	118,014	18,409	70,205	8,221	20,423	326,759	24,248	1,292,902

a Files, saws, and edge tools only prior to 1884.

b Included in "All other" prior to 1884.

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NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.									Tobacco, leaf.		Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
	Beef, salted or pickled.		Bacon, hams, and pork.		Butter.		Oleomargarine.		All other.			
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1892.....	2, 060, 900	94, 763	2, 980, 747	170, 429	214, 441	32, 742	639, 447	71, 919	44, 032	329, 212	31, 917	1, 574, 458
1893.....	3, 076, 560	136, 133	2, 515, 872	180, 317	4, 655	766	1, 000, 417	98, 228	40, 376	206, 887	17, 890	1, 803, 357
1894.....	3, 228, 191	158, 911	2, 659, 625	198, 352	150, 894	22, 131	1, 653, 842	161, 311	55, 031	388, 331	43, 064	1, 641, 019
1895.....	2, 621, 452	122, 132	2, 223, 568	147, 848	133, 344	20, 385	700, 746	59, 021	32, 193	142, 814	15, 116	1, 121, 133
1896.....	2, 427, 512	108, 036	4, 956, 932	295, 803	98, 036	14, 992	743, 266	50, 777	26, 542	342, 686	26, 802	1, 391, 207
1897.....	2, 439, 400	95, 303	3, 398, 672	169, 873	122, 759	17, 572	792, 684	38, 104	33, 998	216, 402	18, 154	1, 090, 827
1898.....	1, 382, 790	62, 480	3, 115, 644	171, 878	153, 292	25, 508	480, 071	30, 425	16, 732	336, 206	24, 931	1, 170, 500

CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES.^a

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—													
	FREE OF DUTY.										DUTIABLE.			
	Cocoa, crude, and leaves and shells of.		Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coffee.		Fruits, includ- ing nuts.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta-percha, crude.		Total free of duty.	Sugar.		Total dutiable.	Total imports of mer- chandise.
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	b 43,084	4,364	c 43,360	b 8,630,173	1,002,643	d 14,799	b 169,558	c 198,901	58,475	84,853	2,321,503	127,775	1,306,162	1,481,016
1872.....	b 160,545	16,299	c 59,752	b 9,598,964	1,182,053	d 5,605	c 71,229	c 188,222	73,357	168,926	2,249,403	99,994	1,421,085	1,590,011
1873.....	108,777	14,051	19,789	11,225,484	1,600,459	d 44,359	c 61,492	113,667	39,854	1,787,730	3,223,700	123,773	187,238	1,974,968
1874.....	434,482	47,656	c 20,714	12,512,041	2,442,119	d 8,887	60,395	166,672	60,606	2,739,155	2,700,104	89,552	115,938	2,855,093
1875.....	102,080	11,916	14,291	11,932,157	1,885,631	d 38,409	75,307	392,603	132,287	2,220,108	4,046,997	131,415	215,043	2,436,151
1876.....	332,564	33,816	c 21,391	6,884,264	1,169,203	d 66,403	83,329	383,559	119,819	1,507,795	438,987	12,612	89,720	1,597,515
1877.....	132,023	19,335	6,478	13,446,587	2,280,562	d 65,801	43,716	220,064	74,616	2,519,496	2,222,905	82,836	159,176	2,678,672
1878.....	134,316	23,415	c 43,510	13,868,955	2,473,178	d 27,643	97,713	384,071	131,170	2,826,008	2,545,759	114,434	142,988	2,968,996
1879.....	204,955	37,894	42,641	11,463,136	1,699,231	d 45,335	80,959	314,330	106,673	2,044,790	3,640,174	155,108	206,793	2,251,589
1880.....	307,230	44,983	c 53,811	19,254,218	2,567,786	d 90,110	107,002	518,892	257,891	3,149,028	1,581,826	68,997	164,441	3,313,469
1881.....	420,269	46,163	101,151	15,858,327	1,989,958	d 89,721	249,231	986,049	467,370	2,990,209	1,786,996	71,886	169,577	3,159,786
1882.....	263,196	29,567	166,020	22,449,112	2,512,230	d 100,698	600,947	2,244,630	1,027,015	4,472,427	3,211,658	148,708	262,971	4,735,398
1883.....	39,688	7,362	c 226,218	24,715,028	2,475,942	d 120,672	597,448	2,528,961	1,376,490	4,876,506	2,724,333	120,489	244,809	5,121,315
1884.....	4,252	909	176,921	31,827,573	3,288,521	c 508,336	556,571	2,773,503	1,373,051	5,970,924	4,291,350	183,254	190,303	6,161,227
1885.....	23,125	6,508	137,878	36,811,072	3,833,372	c 721,583	509,818	2,079,278	799,089	6,149,873	6,987,514	254,094	253,142	6,409,015

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—										
	BREADSTUFFS.			Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medi- cines.	Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Fish.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Leather, and manufac- tures of.	Provisions.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
	Wheat flour.		All other.								
	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>								
1871.....	33, 611	214, 414	13, 674	9, 157	12, 007	6, 878	51, 337	16, 160	42, 858	30, 416	501, 616
1872.....	48, 702	329, 213	23, 735	13, 218	14, 196	11, 765	128, 438	26, 687	70, 870	70, 034	880, 965
1873.....	42, 329	270, 000	25, 097	15, 221	17, 772	11, 557	146, 225	34, 039	95, 033	101, 615	899, 570
1874.....	49, 072	328, 105	31, 247	6, 255	13, 451	5, 124	81, 867	21, 069	63, 354	84, 571	787, 056
1875.....	64, 137	344, 823	15, 717	12, 606	19, 749	7, 035	42, 519	16, 913	57, 295	57, 680	734, 374
1876.....	57, 125	349, 639	21, 199	15, 130	27, 758	8, 072	126, 542	19, 825	90, 435	62, 388	891, 988
1877.....	51, 811	334, 175	12, 455	19, 058	41, 561	7, 452	75, 847	26, 779	59, 062	51, 850	913, 307
1878.....	73, 949	473, 695	21, 130	18, 398	92, 184	7, 925	105, 823	21, 807	76, 032	76, 559	1, 205, 180
1879.....	81, 315	435, 652	75, 551	25, 849	45, 717	8, 633	91, 070	18, 067	73, 243	88, 545	1, 110, 603
1880.....	102, 791	602, 977	170, 296	40, 312	78, 468	16, 518	211, 609	32, 851	124, 613	132, 070	1, 729, 215
1881.....	96, 532	509, 127	62, 510	30, 267	71, 777	18, 167	188, 847	28, 506	132, 405	130, 688	1, 541, 229
1882.....	84, 416	468, 450	64, 999	40, 095	101, 614	14, 447	244, 781	25, 957	130, 471	119, 839	1, 586, 558
1883.....	94, 587	531, 054	119, 596	39, 581	124, 264	21, 634	306, 317	37, 756	135, 648	155, 980	1, 936, 813
1884.....	104, 141	555, 874	83, 241	146, 097	312, 347	29, 424	614, 705	61, 780	187, 066	200, 270	3, 064, 798
1885.....	94, 604	449, 156	63, 548	138, 875	268, 847	18, 942	564, 851	43, 428	145, 942	139, 156	2, 667, 943

^a Embracing Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Salvador prior to 1885.

^b Dutiable, including manufactures of, except chocolate.

^c Including dutiable.

^d Dutiable.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
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COSTA RICA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchan- dise.
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Coffee.		Fruits: Bananas.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Wood, unmanufac- tured.	Total free of duty.				
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		
1886.....	4,750,594	542,582	180,163	99,947	95,012	39,305	18,170	895,749	2,296	898,045		
1887.....	7,211,833	1,061,601	223,298	77,083	92,405	42,131	.....	1,408,548	963	1,409,516	
1888.....	7,928,110	1,260,301	217,542	58,101	62,455	28,431	6,271	1,608,726	253	1,608,979		
1889.....	7,596,955	1,100,751	267,407	69,164	31,400	11,489	42,259	1,441,846	519	1,442,365		
1890.....	6,896,680	1,337,279	253,258	55,338	26,621	11,047	10,170	1,675,841	870	1,676,711		
1891.....	11,129,390	2,094,178	304,136	82,142	63,124	33,465	7,108	2,530,847	1,458	2,532,305		
1892.....	8,560,428	1,652,700	290,582	66,574	62,089	22,153	22,339	2,084,955	1,091	2,086,046		
1893.....	13,310,617	2,003,681	200,173	68,200	61,587	18,282	11,770	2,308,222	1,136	2,309,358		
1894.....	12,431,806	2,006,732	213,241	42,760	25,707	7,454	5,743	2,287,336	48	2,287,384		
1895.....	17,332,632	2,876,930	362,762	39,137	30,978	8,033	3,189	3,294,874	722	3,295,596		
1896.....	17,065,026	3,157,025	574,782	67,640	50,743	17,931	10,098	3,835,727	1,460	3,835,187		
1897.....	19,900,381	2,800,652	537,331	59,923	40,048	17,206	14,286	3,439,196	178	3,439,374		
1898.....	13,748,544	1,958,257	670,797	6,686	65,314	28,572	10,743	2,679,790	52,636	2,732,426		

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—														
	BREADSTUFFS.					Car- riages, railroad cars, etc.	Chem- icals, drugs, dyes, etc.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	IRON AND STEEL AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Leather and manu- factures of.
	Wheat.		Wheat flour.		All other.			Cloth.		All other.		Build- ers' hard- ware, saws, and tools.	Ma- chinery, n. e. s.	All other.	
	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Yards.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1886.....	3,499	3,773	17,961	80,167	5,000	9,459	24,772	1,143,271	57,099	4,660	9,506	10,129	24,430	110,398	9,902
1887.....	16,394	14,382	23,517	102,100	16,913	19,068	22,771	1,782,105	85,676	7,047	11,849	13,547	19,314	82,004	6,909
1888.....	35,625	32,098	27,686	116,634	23,695	19,996	39,228	1,646,014	86,870	6,502	17,406	34,459	77,295	111,997	11,636
1889.....	21,024	22,638	32,254	153,787	9,293	24,701	38,745	1,502,864	75,889	5,790	18,783	37,199	34,689	93,827	25,161
1890.....	21,000	18,782	37,148	167,051	46,235	22,968	34,182	1,522,205	85,845	6,620	28,575	34,640	68,218	80,197	20,810
1891.....	24,602	27,850	39,131	177,681	11,240	27,233	46,180	2,077,805	111,612	9,641	27,877	50,444	75,721	109,553	28,963
1892.....	21,399	25,172	26,637	135,895	12,960	20,831	42,835	1,129,962	57,947	7,353	23,029	38,004	74,017	99,228	23,376
1893.....	26,766	25,014	37,297	164,481	50,382	14,493	37,773	1,232,352	67,129	9,087	23,177	38,297	60,186	84,530	16,933
1894.....	20,000	14,560	48,843	180,741	43,553	7,145	29,286	1,144,339	62,082	6,663	20,219	24,887	42,480	46,551	12,579
1895.....	23,665	16,563	34,937	112,189	20,071	5,686	26,306	1,795,803	89,648	9,733	24,777	31,392	35,085	57,963	29,998
1896.....	26,205	21,800	41,551	153,223	19,278	23,588	48,750	2,132,713	114,472	14,501	26,923	45,608	64,402	81,174	20,827
1897.....	32,173	29,987	41,025	178,300	25,824	16,131	47,669	2,243,649	107,967	17,573	25,471	38,933	63,580	106,876	22,298
1898.....	32,563	34,395	44,247	214,476	26,898	11,269	38,169	1,377,448	62,674	15,867	15,733	22,192	74,515	71,342	13,248

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.														
	Malt liquors, in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined.		PROVISIONS.					Sugar and mo- lasses.	Tobac- co, and manu- factures of.	Veget- ables.	Wines.	Wood and manu- factures of.	Total ex- ports of domestic merchan- dise.
					Lard.		Tallow.		All other.						
					Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.							
1886.....	4,715	9,018	36,211	5,505	253,068	19,471	188,197	11,214	11,438	4,800	19,520	3,331	3,426	17,670	548,215
1887.....	5,476	10,376	36,699	5,175	280,040	23,361	286,030	14,489	15,467	5,781	13,663	10,313	5,094	72,798	703,930
1888.....	11,016	18,720	86,737	11,920	631,644	55,572	645,561	34,799	29,401	18,642	31,620	19,441	9,533	51,211	1,064,549
1889.....	11,392	17,478	77,900	10,868	388,411	39,089	644,434	42,030	31,705	24,800	25,781	19,207	12,153	32,786	965,970
1890.....	11,372	15,723	74,388	12,010	710,773	58,568	634,037	34,492	45,706	19,900	33,630	29,594	10,701	46,282	1,098,952
1891.....	8,054	15,739	142,599	20,606	1,265,006	101,626	481,527	24,698	46,599	24,640	33,493	24,584	16,344	45,760	1,298,793
1892.....	9,809	18,139	96,513	13,907	937,533	73,272	687,226	39,012	37,912	18,406	31,860	13,954	24,494	71,006	1,122,295
1893.....	8,405	16,739	144,093	20,049	1,180,469	112,633	669,755	40,265	44,651	18,109	65,995	13,119	11,680	53,373	1,178,301
1894.....	5,777	10,450	168,209	13,767	1,188,416	102,046	706,690	42,099	35,302	7,662	41,890	18,233	8,378	38,850	961,216
1895.....	12,560	18,825	123,458	16,485	1,247,145	99,053	558,355	31,158	38,009	9,831	67,280	8,123	10,921	39,028	957,862
1896.....	9,077	15,584	119,053	16,713	873,507	54,605	521,762	26,003	43,596	15,507	59,737	9,778	15,669	44,958	1,157,840
1897.....	9,368	15,962	124,491	16,515	1,349,308	68,033	640,567	24,472	47,188	13,743	49,377	17,244	16,251	58,639	1,292,709
1898.....	8,029	14,501	138,698	15,960	1,845,883	110,767	614,857	24,921	52,957	3,099	52,787	25,475	10,863	61,821	1,259,268

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GUATEMALA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—								
	FREE OF DUTY.							TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchan- dise.
	Coffee.		Fruits, bananas.	Hides and skins, etc.	India rubber, crude.		Total free of duty.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	13,341,119	1,389,168	11,294	107,360	288,638	103,716	1,663,162	294,470	1,957,632
1887.....	15,645,848	2,035,013	40,976	110,368	274,722	129,446	2,364,825	283,888	2,648,713
1888.....	10,056,038	1,606,805	29,119	106,071	300,668	151,749	1,908,281	177,186	2,085,467
1889.....	13,360,624	2,095,729	35,143	80,022	204,904	79,018	2,297,159	49,526	2,346,685
1890.....	11,847,909	1,988,423	96,813	106,343	141,923	57,187	2,257,222	24,459	2,281,681
1891.....	13,715,289	2,275,107	145,219	99,834	169,721	80,017	2,617,988	211	2,618,199
1892.....	17,052,118	2,923,271	159,806	37,481	115,592	50,927	3,182,838	.....	3,182,838
1893.....	14,931,839	2,325,997	101,602	64,483	115,294	47,721	2,554,578	132	2,554,710
1894.....	13,829,301	2,011,188	109,697	38,265	89,826	35,649	2,225,210	376	2,225,586
1895.....	16,230,232	2,492,754	125,083	31,105	84,115	27,649	2,691,942	7,442	2,699,384
1896.....	12,252,737	1,910,528	88,268	36,571	95,215	26,710	2,079,075	552	2,080,027
1897.....	11,569,772	1,744,411	75,222	24,789	44,158	13,334	1,862,011	578	1,862,589
1898.....	12,443,464	1,493,231	56,669	1,308	72,476	24,403	1,603,101	251,202	1,854,303

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO--															
	Animals.	Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.								Car- riages, railroad cars, etc.	Chem- icals, drugs, and dyes.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Gun- powder and other explosives.
			Corn.		Wheat.		Wheat flour.		All other.	Cloths.			All other.			
			Dollars.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.		Barrels.				Dollars.	Dollars.	
1886.....	1,765	4,871	143	78	22,275	19,079	30,705	134,738	5,830	3,082	24,518	304,876	18,835	4,259	8,230	
1887.....	1,394	6,038	10,039	5,053	22,035	19,425	30,293	130,384	5,560	4,071	25,945	914,407	49,692	4,434	6,386	
1888.....	2,985	26,131	67,885	52,930	20,053	17,637	41,410	173,986	10,314	8,500	32,775	635,169	38,006	9,803	19,346	
1889.....	8,482	24,109	6,732	5,064	30,355	26,748	43,073	195,172	11,283	18,974	47,840	1,081,091	63,556	22,583	9,816	
1890.....	14,070	22,650	4,365	2,647	32,300	26,403	47,109	202,411	12,128	29,969	47,346	1,112,827	67,337	14,357	65,972	
1891.....	35,362	37,911	147,283	136,090	33,005	30,902	62,528	280,225	18,458	47,596	70,321	1,049,562	70,783	18,959	68,033	
1892.....	25,647	12,048	109,294	91,296	36,907	37,173	86,700	446,817	21,793	40,762	59,149	1,067,590	65,597	22,066	37,373	
1893.....	8,223	12,112	24,729	17,411	24,873	21,731	79,583	328,059	21,373	25,360	67,446	852,018	54,517	25,299	9,720	
1894.....	41,109	18,469	106,419	69,093	19,867	13,668	87,597	301,027	16,965	47,376	50,705	699,692	38,380	25,836	24,307	
1895.....	67,434	12,203	90,220	64,834	66,609	40,691	110,613	347,045	33,530	108,722	55,898	1,411,435	74,189	65,131	56,459	
1896.....	114,679	51,711	14,452	8,355	28,630	20,357	87,830	299,169	40,359	171,721	71,124	2,052,551	130,660	78,715	34,965	
1897.....	60,373	34,742	28,532	17,717	48,262	41,142	108,587	462,046	79,226	103,704	73,655	1,054,973	68,387	100,063	13,970	
1898.....	6,874	13,562	59,907	38,884	8,926	9,365	66,158	313,604	20,994	8,963	33,704	532,076	28,869	77,631	6,503	

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.															
	Instru- ments and apparatus for scientific purposes.	IRON AND STEEL, ETC.		Leather, and manufac- tures of.	Malt liquors, in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined.		Provi- sions.	WINES.				Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total ex- ports of domestic merchan- dise.	
		Machin- ery, n. e. s.	All other.							In bottles.		Not in bottles.				
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dozens.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dozens.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>		
1886.....	6,342	26,246	53,643	7,035	10,655	17,289	103,041	15,345	13,794	465	1,833	5,141	3,719	22,983	523,640	
1887.....	8,518	32,338	60,703	4,637	13,786	18,903	81,925	10,990	14,321	661	2,598	5,237	3,574	33,710	553,179	
1888.....	7,886	43,784	153,584	9,774	12,654	17,413	112,688	14,470	17,023	865	3,345	5,243	4,095	64,202	887,771	
1889.....	23,418	61,628	117,210	15,620	11,219	13,558	101,608	16,507	21,880	1,573	6,557	6,998	5,010	64,986	969,871	
1890.....	15,625	80,199	266,193	13,323	12,447	15,381	143,524	20,434	25,578	1,952	7,269	11,833	7,598	114,825	1,326,388	
1891.....	70,835	115,862	380,493	25,318	21,742	28,150	217,353	29,783	55,245	3,282	11,892	12,980	8,630	155,748	1,971,001	
1892.....	20,877	90,814	175,430	27,075	24,340	29,569	203,625	29,279	125,727	4,431	17,593	17,734	11,825	154,860	1,809,577	
1893.....	20,206	90,492	227,594	22,229	28,553	33,670	243,766	34,641	121,866	3,636	14,770	20,405	11,902	191,423	1,713,142	
1894.....	11,856	102,560	186,143	14,993	20,162	21,309	253,108	36,019	90,656	4,740	19,035	22,164	13,078	118,415	1,610,509	
1895.....	31,854	186,371	467,501	24,915	50,062	41,719	373,891	44,632	169,621	5,747	20,426	31,674	16,672	248,129	2,596,032	
1896.....	34,808	218,704	500,549	37,768	48,757	45,119	394,834	61,514	208,851	6,668	25,601	61,150	30,169	375,815	3,092,323	
1897.....	43,703	328,634	369,904	34,806	93,270	83,789	189,256	30,846	139,286	6,670	24,714	125,944	52,121	324,911	2,992,118	
1898.....	20,049	59,458	75,992	10,005	12,170	11,362	208,909	31,598	94,592	1,471	5,779	40,395	16,983	73,354	1,162,572	

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HONDURAS.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—												
	FREE OF DUTY.										DUTIABLE.		Total im- ports of mer- chandise.
	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	Coffee.		Fruits, including nuts.			Hides and skins, etc.	India rubber.		Total free of duty.	Fruits: Cocoanuts.	Total dutiable.	
				Bananas.	Cocoa- nuts.	All other.							
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	59,801	16,319	1,934	448,429	72,409	10,145	80,415	60,097	26,295	728,162	.....	2,397	730,559
1887.....	49,324	66,087	9,762	505,034	72,147	12,572	99,909	148,221	79,465	854,801	.....	3,118	857,919
1888.....	46,877	57,981	10,419	533,240	94,027	7,117	111,238	221,963	120,854	956,381	.....	2,950	959,331
1889.....	24,181	3,322,502	418,690	447,101	90,031	7,951	86,308	284,188	129,264	210,607	.....	4,954	1,215,561
1890.....	50,706	202,641	39,456	621,925	94,246	12,974	53,211	211,612	100,529	980,681	.....	3,723	984,404
1891.....	45,641	53,507	9,845	806,418	110,993	14,613	41,153	273,505	117,170	1,152,993	.....	6,598	1,159,591
1892.....	38,011	93,926	18,757	648,544	113,955	6,178	59,116	159,523	64,973	959,989	.....	2,340	962,329
1893.....	48,231	96,664	16,907	420,256	98,412	9,270	32,707	126,216	49,175	683,424	.....	1,488	684,912
1894.....	60,017	393,707	56,090	429,424	86,559	4,083	34,686	174,429	82,585	761,500	.....	3,638	765,138
1895.....	90,473	583,619	114,989	483,883	a 8,312	8,741	28,976	256,955	78,949	825,974	b 43,831	46,338	872,312
1896.....	51,810	197,804	36,637	479,588	.....	6,859	48,149	136,934	57,497	695,933	72,109	80,711	776,644
1897.....	45,200	528,551	82,874	502,694	.....	13,174	38,452	121,491	52,487	763,527	74,722	83,703	847,230
1898.....	25,262	295,931	38,248	510,508	92,107	13,545	6,400	69,614	28,978	766,904	b 3,675	17,837	784,741

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—												
	BREADSTUFFS.			Candles.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Gunpowder and other explosives.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.			
	Wheat flour.		All other.			Cloths.		All other.		Builders' hardware, saws, and tools.	Machin- ery, n. e. s.	All other.	
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	13, 205	64, 703	7, 422	37, 489	4, 567	15, 041	1, 115, 761	64, 522	2, 915	17, 065	9, 361	32, 585	58, 172
1887.....	13, 204	62, 702	4, 476	41, 728	4, 567	32, 640	1, 237, 873	74, 304	4, 298	15, 346	7, 372	42, 697	29, 094
1888.....	15, 699	69, 235	7, 485	65, 044	6, 856	32, 127	1, 263, 027	80, 793	39, 152	15, 127	19, 383	122, 575	54, 782
1889.....	13, 368	66, 032	6, 739	70, 038	7, 921	30, 041	1, 455, 803	87, 800	8, 322	32, 373	16, 220	72, 783	42, 329
1890.....	12, 120	56, 263	4, 767	46, 188	4, 626	25, 928	1, 346, 887	83, 807	22, 630	23, 809	9, 403	26, 814	43, 164
1891.....	18, 822	89, 488	6, 793	52, 127	5, 135	16, 705	1, 048, 658	64, 190	12, 512	34, 766	7, 237	67, 928	75, 015
1892.....	14, 440	74, 700	5, 735	57, 270	5, 417	26, 647	1, 478, 789	81, 071	10, 243	15, 724	12, 645	39, 267	33, 245
1893.....	14, 529	62, 090	6, 400	83, 584	8, 273	31, 276	1, 139, 987	63, 694	4, 039	15, 141	7, 756	25, 473	37, 264
1894.....	13, 287	48, 526	5, 982	73, 737	7, 326	37, 909	2, 437, 699	130, 386	8, 567	13, 962	6, 797	23, 403	38, 814
1895.....	15, 618	51, 596	5, 921	97, 917	9, 069	27, 714	3, 677, 282	181, 269	24, 363	29, 304	12, 321	17, 422	57, 369
1896.....	15, 545	56, 995	7, 207	96, 083	8, 690	28, 201	2, 502, 757	127, 792	11, 473	23, 221	11, 457	20, 822	40, 192
1897.....	13, 942	57, 987	5, 734	116, 206	9, 995	31, 523	3, 402, 022	165, 971	23, 536	19, 150	13, 559	30, 992	67, 163
1898.....	14, 530	71, 890	8, 489	109, 653	8, 232	38, 017	2, 702, 311	124, 453	28, 191	7, 509	17, 069	37, 693	51, 086

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	Leather, and manu- factures of.	Malt liquors,in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined.		Provi- sions.	Sugar and molasses.	WINES.				Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
								In bottles.		Not in bottles.			
		Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	6,417	5,456	6,780	31,115	3,923	22,540	7,457	271	738	3,410	2,587	17,919	428,104
1887.....	6,836	7,008	10,769	31,361	4,262	28,802	12,557	53	262	8,981	5,917	19,802	425,741
1888.....	9,919	8,069	13,043	44,816	6,141	37,315	13,246	96	438	11,812	6,857	29,513	672,796
1889.....	10,491	9,659	14,488	57,748	8,505	36,290	13,807	270	1,094	12,401	8,599	21,860	618,973
1890.....	10,485	11,476	16,389	58,333	7,917	27,548	17,170	228	1,061	13,877	8,111	21,075	522,631
1891.....	6,049	5,320	8,460	57,413	7,691	31,078	16,251	203	882	12,315	7,513	22,738	583,114
1892.....	10,859	3,351	5,961	60,981	6,770	34,236	9,871	196	941	4,231	2,550	29,323	478,947
1893.....	7,836	2,691	4,199	90,485	9,255	35,859	14,581	191	964	8,694	4,518	25,524	442,907
1894.....	10,842	3,055	4,934	56,907	6,308	31,438	13,868	166	747	5,734	3,052	25,339	537,463
1895.....	17,020	3,531	5,703	68,501	8,909	27,053	12,616	408	1,171	7,117	3,598	17,984	615,009
1896.....	10,958	3,250	4,763	95,455	10,682	27,053	18,457	399	1,768	12,388	6,846	17,341	556,893
1897.....	8,185	3,347	5,873	85,096	11,095	20,758	19,954	389	1,735	16,804	8,647	20,357	669,682
1898.....	16,137	4,751	7,341	72,345	18,136	32,526	16,051	537	2,579	18,501	8,274	22,892	706,793

a See Dutiable.

b See Free of duty.

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NICARAGUA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.								TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of mer- chandise.
	Coffee.		Fruits: Bananas.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Wood, un- manufac- tured.	Total free of duty.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	1,298,331	134,199	30,996	223,503	1,552,574	658,837	40	1,067,014	888	1,067,902
1887.....	2,996,760	354,495	139,018	249,141	1,575,837	836,004	7,600	1,660,342	1,820	1,662,162
1888.....	2,788,781	402,550	133,794	152,022	1,545,121	768,743	4,043	1,495,775	396	1,496,171
1889.....	3,743,372	633,216	203,304	178,204	1,578,331	683,116	12,664	1,746,996	250	1,747,246
1890.....	3,735,196	642,467	251,063	154,817	1,209,730	502,271	52,060	1,655,372	318	1,655,690
1891.....	1,490,682	235,354	602,644	131,668	1,146,727	559,977	128,575	1,704,506	1,455	1,705,961
1892.....	2,862,634	426,637	413,712	169,361	1,027,232	398,538	222,315	1,656,708	1,165	1,657,873
1893.....	940,003	155,183	470,250	121,264	958,703	409,808	238,735	1,398,867	1,369	1,400,236
1894.....	2,005,636	395,919	578,544	65,297	892,908	316,883	189,218	1,560,741	3,731	1,564,472
1895.....	3,131,539	487,022	617,961	48,302	907,243	342,631	5,813	1,513,172	25,020	1,538,792
1896.....	1,652,937	286,749	399,938	79,800	850,204	355,845	80,923	1,263,666	5,256	1,268,922
1897.....	2,432,472	337,918	354,262	101,835	855,613	356,208	96,443	1,254,806	7,895	1,262,701
1898.....	1,815,716	196,836	350,406	25,019	748,926	347,294	121,455	1,047,504	48,361	1,095,865

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—									
	BREADSTUFFS.			Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medi- cines.	Coal.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.
	Wheat.	Flour.	All other.		Tons.	Dollars.	Cloths.		All other.	
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	13,750	88,125	8,575	34,449	1	3	695,506	42,798	4,280	4,498
1887.....	13,898	87,471	15,892	47,431	261	213	1,036,505	61,474	8,888	9,314
1888.....	22,120	100,851	18,208	71,298	449	1,898	1,291,465	82,430	7,797	11,933
1889.....	24,150	119,919	16,611	51,761	813	3,429	1,473,933	91,398	13,941	16,511
1890.....	24,841	115,154	18,069	69,500	4,532	14,582	1,121,265	72,673	24,238	16,642
1891.....	32,507	153,244	26,632	92,843	8,359	31,477	1,175,221	74,036	32,488	24,952
1892.....	31,607	160,268	17,588	78,101	13,199	54,335	805,079	47,434	33,743	13,823
1893.....	23,905	103,010	18,299	38,098	3,646	12,909	662,940	40,169	21,400	9,914
1894.....	30,922	113,034	16,511	57,428	4,865	15,137	947,789	52,894	21,239	9,043
1895.....	36,066	116,485	17,437	63,415	5,436	15,854	1,811,883	93,245	34,814	9,294
1896.....	38,544	136,075	23,291	51,661	2,043	6,246	952,983	57,642	44,506	8,290
1897.....	36,630	156,284	20,269	60,330	2,149	6,489	1,016,589	56,181	38,149	9,146
1898.....	31,915	156,354	29,325	41,925	1,928	4,800	630,019	34,141	43,993	9,655

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	Flax, hemp, and jute, man- ufactures of.	Gunpowder and other explosives.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Leather, and manufactures of.	Malt liquors, in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined.	
			Builders' hardware, saws, and tools.	Machinery, n. e. s.	All other.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1886.....	8,272	4,582	12,734	5,093	43,717	17,794	9,040	9,805	132,755	16,348
1887.....	9,939	25,348	14,499	9,705	100,784	25,192	8,254	12,557	253,988	29,559
1888.....	15,755	8,424	22,750	21,686	92,785	28,179	11,772	18,570	163,407	19,127
1889.....	13,903	23,694	27,999	39,710	76,254	32,864	13,417	17,847	167,589	22,523
1890.....	24,955	16,696	28,028	61,372	203,348	36,613	12,265	18,250	266,583	33,281
1891.....	30,095	53,849	34,713	38,103	223,402	50,122	23,490	35,375	398,598	48,795
1892.....	16,558	13,964	20,840	43,193	136,254	47,965	11,545	18,473	328,485	35,550
1893.....	10,647	18,407	22,412	34,727	77,266	33,602	9,113	17,277	291,397	26,751
1894.....	7,537	3,978	12,993	8,481	56,927	41,252	11,797	18,762	440,974	37,120
1895.....	11,121	5,136	16,360	28,540	95,426	44,340	21,532	26,272	377,788	34,134
1896.....	13,035	10,692	21,954	43,449	151,834	52,254	25,318	31,103	471,865	44,926
1897.....	12,660	8,219	22,598	43,758	121,170	46,998	20,998	22,759	427,469	40,820
1898.....	12,450	13,013	14,024	66,758	61,124	37,506	10,510	13,574	406,406	30,858

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	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Provisions.	Sugar and molasses.	Tobacco, and manufactures of.	Vegetables.	WINES.				Wood, and manufactures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
					In bottles.		Not in bottles.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dozens.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	40,272	9,620	6,944	9,303	271	1,194	4,292	3,742	21,185	471,671
1887.....	48,950	11,097	9,756	14,088	374	1,788	7,659	5,537	26,588	701,151
1888.....	75,841	16,776	11,644	20,957	939	4,208	7,046	5,259	37,652	861,156
1889.....	87,561	19,951	10,761	23,391	973	4,172	18,142	13,412	41,389	900,813
1890.....	104,489	25,767	16,994	34,934	316	1,458	15,106	11,330	105,783	1,270,073
1891.....	114,059	28,069	20,045	37,402	1,225	6,226	28,112	20,009	148,161	1,592,013
1892.....	97,828	25,832	18,508	27,361	979	4,548	17,477	13,241	48,230	1,187,189
1893.....	85,560	19,030	25,986	20,080	330	1,393	6,461	4,755	37,117	812,654
1894.....	95,319	21,441	23,753	28,515	665	3,031	9,977	6,655	44,112	814,012
1895.....	80,072	19,801	18,853	25,113	891	4,045	24,334	14,761	29,897	967,329
1896.....	108,013	29,757	13,819	31,674	635	2,955	33,312	19,348	29,048	1,089,320
1897.....	85,010	20,219	11,149	29,434	1,399	6,018	49,700	26,134	34,116	1,038,664
1898.....	103,713	23,530	5,928	36,411	624	2,412	15,773	7,505	22,067	910,200

SALVADOR.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										
	FREE OF DUTY.									TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total im- ports of mer- chandise.
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.			Coffee.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Total free of duty.		
	Indigo.		All other.								
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1886.....	33,703	26,407	6,372	10,361,373	1,023,927	38,116	47,926	15,534	1,113,043	148,232	1,261,275
1887.....	36,389	35,170	6,721	6,813,774	809,096	33,810	58,748	17,844	907,189	152,152	1,059,341
1888.....	58,910	47,504	2,442	10,155,921	1,287,090	26,638	62,001	22,688	1,387,692	85,738	1,473,430
1889.....	77,236	63,350	7,161	11,306,097	1,510,628	25,882	46,148	16,980	1,635,466	26,696	1,662,162
1890.....	46,416	36,112	5,491	8,096,372	1,305,894	17,631	37,535	12,343	1,384,112	69,846	1,453,958
1891.....	31,990	25,104	3,644	10,498,931	1,670,869	13,988	39,979	14,149	1,733,222	49,844	1,783,066
1892.....	9,703	6,867	10,044	14,898,127	2,272,251	16,883	35,932	10,043	2,330,697	5	2,330,702
1893.....	37,202	27,554	9,075	7,880,932	1,282,999	18,159	40,205	12,918	1,355,674	56	1,355,730
1894.....	53,238	50,451	12,392	18,148,884	2,835,314	14,564	34,359	9,354	2,925,720	749	2,926,469
1895.....	18,263	12,942	8,200	21,597,325	3,136,647	9,666	21,511	5,588	3,174,588	89	3,174,677
1896.....	17,319	12,443	13,410	7,462,637	1,126,895	6,357	16,861	5,030	1,166,970	.....	1,166,970
1897.....	7,916	5,518	12,155	7,147,369	1,072,489	13,430	17,637	6,979	1,112,175	359	1,112,534
1898.....	17,592	12,918	23,939	7,559,110	722,611	4,624	65,614	20,366	785,402	13,743	799,14

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—											
	Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.			Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Gunpowder and other explosives.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.		
		Wheat flour.		All other.		Cloths.		All other.		Firearms.	Machinery, n. e. s.	All other.
		Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.		Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1886.....	2,343	33,882	146,453	2,369	25,811	1,574,909	84,954	3,192	9,016	1,621	15,525	45,190
1887.....	2,872	36,870	155,538	1,818	34,019	1,430,845	77,621	4,778	6,327	3,701	21,557	42,646
1888.....	2,018	46,134	193,124	5,119	41,707	1,590,361	90,406	5,041	18,008	32,915	25,060	66,676
1889.....	3,154	37,294	169,359	4,323	46,827	2,086,304	116,338	6,882	12,062	27,801	30,195	76,802
1890.....	10,610	47,875	208,312	7,717	46,021	2,144,106	115,592	4,889	41,052	95,858	29,909	100,432
1891.....	14,599	59,784	273,162	25,071	56,850	3,742,780	216,669	5,051	45,424	46,451	37,433	114,599
1892.....	11,132	65,160	331,784	14,340	63,098	3,065,506	163,944	4,863	49,715	35,809	38,179	149,353
1893.....	8,437	59,756	250,272	37,996	63,239	1,843,224	98,444	7,803	7,700	40,642	53,249	147,342
1894.....	7,233	68,755	241,162	120,026	53,954	2,262,071	114,354	6,744	14,987	3,605	52,701	96,662
1895.....	6,223	73,385	230,274	25,351	56,088	3,895,439	176,427	29,426	22,171	12,599	63,431	168,654
1896.....	15,782	70,499	247,792	10,941	65,552	3,259,297	157,010	32,008	15,940	8,620	119,039	267,826
1897.....	13,723	66,624	277,846	23,202	66,192	2,729,533	140,456	42,975	16,505	8,093	111,836	294,849
1898.....	6,510	76,981	348,399	11,499	39,458	2,070,931	87,531	30,282	5,692	318	32,171	34,935

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.										
	Malt liquors, in bottles.		Oils, mineral, refined.		Provi- sions.	WINES.				Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
						In bottles.		Not in bottles.			
<i>Dozens.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dozens.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1886.....	8, 827	9, 784	52, 943	9, 505	17, 751	279	1, 066	5, 492	4, 163	22, 570	470, 541
1887.....	10, 683	11, 760	85, 223	14, 009	14, 158	596	2, 454	8, 858	6, 727	10, 992	477, 125
1888.....	12, 505	14, 343	114, 599	18, 333	15, 921	949	4, 101	10, 415	8, 734	22, 607	645, 302
1889.....	16, 037	17, 806	132, 306	23, 553	11, 816	577	2, 371	10, 815	8, 541	37, 879	690, 884
1890.....	17, 638	19, 946	97, 747	17, 127	11, 089	623	2, 574	14, 597	10, 857	46, 925	886, 231
1891.....	26, 021	28, 639	168, 469	25, 083	3, 502	1, 161	4, 902	32, 121	22, 675	48, 792	1, 134, 995
1892.....	25, 248	27, 620	164, 886	23, 115	12, 005	3, 917	17, 154	48, 275	36, 847	74, 039	1, 274, 021
1893.....	37, 335	36, 951	183, 793	27, 239	29, 079	2, 562	11, 706	57, 897	39, 576	74, 973	1, 118, 054
1894.....	27, 838	24, 154	223, 168	31, 681	20, 731	2, 417	11, 744	30, 584	18, 297	62, 234	1, 059, 292
1895.....	68, 802	54, 200	139, 508	21, 737	10, 998	2, 718	11, 002	89, 288	48, 554	81, 894	1, 236, 595
1896.....	78, 960	65, 704	168, 150	24, 723	14, 340	3, 823	17, 429	124, 692	65, 227	158, 730	1, 582, 217
1897.....	45, 515	38, 669	211, 118	26, 510	18, 129	3, 730	15, 523	149, 689	76, 571	125, 424	1, 596, 861
1898.....	14, 804	11, 323	64, 667	11, 185	4, 822	1, 019	3, 974	49, 748	22, 860	38, 850	780, 634

MEXICO.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—											
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Animals.	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.					Coffee.		Copper.			
		Dyewoods.	Gums.	Vanilla beans.		All other.			Oro.		Pigs, bars, etc.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....		36,698	15			162,950						
1872.....		39,660	46,134			192,869						
1873.....		27,752	1,059			179,363	2,035,540	314,347				
1874.....		65,662	521			131,380	2,930,285	624,611				
1875.....		63,958	6,053			206,513	2,691,889	485,489				
1876.....		150,413	2,730			284,372	3,941,229	713,833				
1877.....		72,402	16,707			314,109	6,789,693	1,265,970				
1878.....		112,482	1,273			225,601	6,337,063	1,082,272				
1879.....		96,877	16,415			265,072	8,307,040	1,371,979				
1880.....		149,651	25,448			148,913	9,818,525	1,523,658				
1881.....		160,070	46,355			237,096	13,911,910	1,730,838				
1882.....		128,734	18,711			185,092	17,020,669	1,817,584				
1883.....		211,714	67,479			52,100	8,578,532	899,757				
1884.....	513,042	158,523	96,062	69,581	341,676	57,669	9,975,466	1,114,594				
1885.....	370,363	126,851	61,178	87,418	392,262	59,521	10,041,421	979,538				
1886.....	342,678	196,790	148,846	85,045	403,488	196,776	15,764,902	1,380,756				
1887.....	204,005	162,101	347,127	101,431	660,877	94,634	14,567,005	1,837,450				
1888.....	66,018	160,397	235,539	94,699	727,892	84,180	14,125,523	2,112,130				
1889.....	35,878	187,862	444,257	140,380	642,674	55,443	18,243,317	2,895,862				
1890.....	69,309	194,532	585,471	118,206	515,629	53,525	20,666,975	3,542,951				
1891.....	44,954	162,445	1,279,373	126,149	512,710	105,432	28,489,632	5,094,839				
1892.....	4,982	119,457	592,338	183,729	708,217	98,610	21,921,549	4,037,592				
1893.....	8,398	145,725	604,815	170,620	635,350	137,724	25,417,152	4,297,880				
1894.....	9,270	88,390	583,492	101,111	586,798	74,837	38,160,641	6,964,034				
1895.....	78,625	102,160	471,971	90,753	394,337	86,356	35,262,229	5,971,432	a 1,144	a 125,617	a 2,213,101	a 155,645
1896.....	21,633	125,774	1,104,901	167,425	876,368	65,534	23,975,477	4,040,443	1,227	129,136	5,544,429	452,712
1897.....	8,363	124,066	957,171	65,378	491,081	88,086	28,833,870	4,591,909	391	40,365	7,072,378	580,241
1898.....	8,743	73,880	4,253	22,824	163,100	39,981	34,721,168	3,590,392	1,506	86,002	33,578,684	2,295,901

a See Dutiable.

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	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Ores.		Textile grasses, etc.							Wood, un- manufac- tured.	Total free of duty.
		Gold bear- ing.	Silver bear- ing.	Hemp, and tow of.		Istle, or Tampico fiber.		Sisal grass.		All other.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....											176,405	976,117
1872.....	<i>a</i> 467,040										278,950	1,156,257
1873.....	<i>a</i> 1,847,176										171,554	3,065,140
1874.....	1,561,830										321,520	3,026,661
1875.....	2,077,156										346,923	3,863,302
1876.....	1,812,567										247,833	3,920,633
1877.....	1,529,702										133,690	3,756,101
1878.....	1,565,546										257,853	3,723,281
1879.....	1,675,777										224,925	3,981,402
1880.....	1,951,918										408,754	4,852,659
1881.....	2,111,750										329,295	5,643,176
1882.....	1,525,107										499,776	5,310,796
1883.....	1,568,645										441,083	4,211,328
1884.....	1,662,357										742,450	5,334,689
1885.....	1,670,125										459,702	5,173,441
1886.....	1,853,578										315,929	6,808,757
1887.....	1,873,834										438,153	9,928,122
1888.....	1,562,008	145	4,803,667							<i>c</i> 229,399	537,600	11,042,772
1889.....	1,526,915	36,296	6,779,160							<i>c</i> 387,417	301,142	13,825,542
1890.....	1,579,250	68,475	7,515,262							<i>c</i> 585,759	405,322	15,536,100
1891.....	1,646,369	204,356	8,679,845			<i>b</i> 3,825	<i>b</i> 347,946	<i>b</i> 37,607	<i>b</i> 4,302,329	186,851	436,456	23,364,519
1892.....	1,704,872	246,849	9,508,321			4,728	324,812	46,337	5,019,193	198,980	698,666	23,702,496
1893.....	1,653,775	886,284	10,997,348			4,986	321,736	53,063	5,904,117	462,094	626,359	27,145,469
1894.....	1,438,277	502,023	6,398,968			4,788	256,923	47,925	3,691,178	118,935	360,490	21,560,011
1895.....	1,433,945			1,495	64,243	9,822	457,380	47,483	2,734,909	119,466	230,423	12,903,789
1896.....	1,519,301			1,853	144,708	12,206	717,512	51,167	3,339,180	38,078	618,408	13,819,698
1897.....	1,778,225			166	16,191	6,312	335,749	62,839	3,809,415	74,269	535,499	13,990,017
1898.....	1,157,358					2,559	130,055	68,432	5,104,228	165,776	803,298	14,108,733

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	DUTIABLE.											
	Animals. <i>b</i>					Coal, bituminous.		Copper.				
	Cattle.		Horses.		All other.			Ore.		Pigs, bars, old, etc.		
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....					234,240							18,608
1872.....					188,558	100	579	36,064	2,774	2,468		218
1873.....					147,512			18,032	1,248			
1874.....					134,701			17,360	1,348	14,028		2,161
1875.....					81,439	3	23	450,576	15,550	4,611		620
1876.....					108,050	317	1,666			23,050		2,490
1877.....					129,897			2,688	346	67,793		7,917
1878.....					132,971	12	30			68,556		7,082
1879.....					132,873					18,443		3,302
1880.....					175,305	9	35			226		19
1881.....					314,272	34	170			55,740		6,825
1882.....					455,917	16	35	247,632	7,360	3,502		494
1883.....					661,245	53	125	70,336	1,701	124		8
1884.....	22,940	251,583	15,672	170,119	24,723	359	1,376	10,928	1,075	22,904		2,169
1885.....	13,349	140,455	10,569	111,272	14,594	18,009	65,555	3,831	300			
1886.....	19,157	151,684	21,908	205,907	49,927	61,670	208,347	243,604	4,473	63,449		4,098
1887.....	14,568	95,794	17,728	151,400	17,784	1,517	4,897	69,724	5,640	5,825		228
1888.....	13,422	91,828	29,010	229,308	19,107	364	1,209	135,830	10,929	66,425		4,023

a A portion dutiable.

b Not separately stated prior to 1884.

c Fibers, kind not specified

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.										
	DUTIABLE.										
	Animals.					Coal, bituminous.		Copper.			
	Cattle.		Horses.		All other.			Ore.		Pigs, bars, old, etc.	
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1889.....	13,451	84,526	29,590	261,847	17,242	88,071	267,836	1,122,832	89,708	50,221	3,955
1890.....	16,968	100,486	20,471	202,310	44,920	44,852	139,835	1,907,242	123,921	39,607	2,948
1891.....	6,413	34,385	4,750	49,400	11,903	39,310	129,970	2,351,917	115,421	283,744	23,560
1892.....	1,438	7,740	21	1,028	6,507	56,611	176,549	2,176,708	93,198	1,106,222	84,175
1893.....	2,597	16,376	22	1,245	10,372	9,795	26,672	759,869	47,298	1,521,762	134,997
1894.....	1,189	9,898	18	883	4,564	49,949	117,120	303,782	18,356	1,821,163	213,377
1895.....	133,687	651,764	2,778	17,835	11,796	54,419	109,674	b 147,660	b 6,341	b 478,025	b 33,025
1896.....	210,275	1,477,431	2,339	15,533	5,447	72,056	146,813	.....	.....	.....	.....
1897.....	278,800	1,873,052	1,485	11,964	61,404	98,356	210,293	.....	.....	.....	.....
1898.....	173,921	1,361,371	219	1,467	75,341	108,103	201,428	.....	.....	.....	.....

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.									
	DUTIABLE.									
	Flax, hemp, etc., and manufactures of.		Fruits, including nuts.	Lead, and manufactures of. b	Marble and stone, and manufactures of.	Tobacco leaf.		Vegetables.	Total dutia- ble.	Total im- ports of mer- chandise.
	Hemp, jute, sisal grass, etc.	Manufac- tures of.								
	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	3,458	648,620	10,930	20,907	23,271	.....	7,553	2,184	1,367	2,233,571
1872.....	4,244	784,809	11,119	37,708	14,653	34	4,963	599	8,164	2,846,663
1873.....	3,614	538,858	9,897	21,252	19,304	95	4,597	1,337	14,801	1,211,025
1874.....	4,907	700,738	13,100	18,925	41,978	105	28,611	8,151	12,319	1,319,703
1875.....	6,261	621,461	25,841	38,807	16,689	421	7,754	1,718	8,404	1,311,292
1876.....	6,855	543,486	6,994	48,836	42,253	3,875	10,083	2,862	13,139	1,229,939
1877.....	7,553	680,767	18,861	43,171	63,737	4,354	3,638	649	12,223	1,448,073
1878.....	9,242	897,931	27,206	48,043	58,245	846	21,893	4,209	12,401	1,528,221
1879.....	10,692	975,047	27,959	51,149	20,839	517	20,510	4,046	26,348	1,511,819
1880.....	14,607	1,391,071	64,784	56,995	.....	657	60,245	15,219	21,900	2,356,934
1881.....	17,454	1,666,259	74,552	53,954	27,661	1,603	54,563	22,314	22,196	2,674,626
1882.....	19,284	2,067,676	76,059	53,161	44,369	8,055	52,820	31,150	31,073	3,151,103
1883.....	25,067	2,712,198	132,329	86,191	26,938	2,342	31,309	20,651	41,563	3,965,795
1884.....	32,015	2,790,578	84,261	69,637	17,235	3,592	15,309	6,000	27,805	3,681,797
1885.....	36,425	2,565,086	28,493	68,078	333,164	25,825	35,010	9,506	17,284	4,098,580
1886.....	35,049	2,268,697	26,082	63,299	515,764	8,202	9,163	3,674	30,072	3,879,215
1887.....	36,078	3,697,156	66,881	68,494	371,305	13,470	33,634	12,179	15,955	4,791,718
1888.....	35,267	5,239,432	27,835	92,109	348,620	39,020	28,891	7,278	28,516	6,287,117
1889.....	37,289	5,871,874	13,082	106,012	410,995	38,470	80,063	28,475	31,075	7,428,359
1890.....	36,578	5,266,063	6,548	117,756	607,112	108,075	151,176	75,727	64,906	7,154,815
1891.....	13,133	1,210,467	5,377	145,257	1,847,969	57,528	154,426	68,083	53,124	3,931,473
1892.....	.....	.....	6,131	152,502	3,596,728	64,848	90,388	37,742	23,773	4,405,029
1893.....	.....	.....	3,864	117,794	5,646,481	186,343	48,451	19,147	26,980	6,409,630
1894.....	10	1,300	3,952	107,591	6,463,346	39,195	44,101	11,125	18,664	7,166,995
1895.....	.....	.....	4,471	113,506	1,423,150	99,898	57,853	13,514	38,606	2,731,999
1896.....	1	53	10,844	216,959	1,350,713	121,286	93,297	28,043	18,633	3,630,479
1897.....	.....	.....	20,860	286,498	1,415,495	112,162	749,560	297,252	15,019	4,521,555
1898.....	.....	.....	27,457	167,118	1,571,909	33,656	633,669	204,069	65,087	4,896,130

a See Free of duty.

b Since 1894 the values of silver in lead ores and base bullion are returned with silver and gold.

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	ANIMALS.							BREADSTUFFS.				
	Cattle.		Hogs.		Horses and mules.		All other.	Corn.		Wheat flour.		All other.
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	10,811	85,611	39	141	370	21,793	45,247	173,585	169,350	28,501	218,326	13,346
1872.....	6,121	53,085	51	127	487	17,026	33,293	21,039	27,233	28,764	218,279	35,166
1873.....	7,187	69,021	550	2,377	357	17,961	63,235	104,146	99,166	14,715	110,520	22,315
1874.....	11,515	95,514	714	2,308	310	8,247	116,288	55,881	40,049	6,028	54,204	67,911
1875.....	12,018	111,930	1,233	5,795	1,990	25,309	164,226	9,862	9,092	13,668	102,173	21,532
1876.....	6,345	56,733	910	3,632	680	8,933	168,151	93,487	75,945	15,048	108,952	26,580
1877.....	2,809	27,953	348	1,998	737	16,693	153,994	64,776	55,658	11,188	88,897	23,772
1878.....	964	8,196	260	1,103	302	5,823	181,199	288,109	267,623	21,381	152,925	70,410
1879.....	2,145	20,325	838	2,321	534	17,950	109,231	126,613	95,802	19,967	124,787	55,185
1880.....	992	10,633	544	1,689	765	12,912	126,678	85,702	68,743	9,299	68,872	44,326
1881.....	1,254	13,742	751	3,017	728	17,475	129,418	352,510	240,182	11,657	93,675	60,280
1882.....	793	18,602	112	605	647	37,766	125,460	419,263	332,642	11,938	96,859	98,144
1883.....	1,812	47,492	171	1,661	1,388	116,092	401,826	476,453	391,751	21,513	176,560	120,592
1884.....	8,093	128,630	339	2,907	1,278	64,366	388,587	1,994,776	1,403,213	21,672	174,027	102,421
1885.....	3,159	41,798	1,083	12,803	447	24,609	309,055	2,058,937	1,371,318	18,165	120,535	69,525
1886.....	1,369	29,500	2,769	26,183	421	26,030	192,229	1,263,953	728,630	18,780	123,049	52,932
1887.....	5,374	54,008	2,031	24,552	516	38,709	147,953	894,496	488,423	23,218	142,378	72,675
1888.....	12,394	109,482	1,539	15,238	1,586	117,274	185,302	216,468	121,313	24,282	133,785	89,950
1889.....	9,122	115,873	9,257	88,860	2,122	121,732	187,238	434,997	194,778	32,114	183,318	87,986
1890.....	19,605	309,028	37,468	476,674	1,571	105,919	115,664	961,458	481,052	31,101	164,490	103,276
1891.....	7,563	174,062	57,723	846,246	724	85,384	25,296	615,332	389,619	37,584	203,792	135,225
1892.....	3,823	82,234	12,541	195,202	466	40,631	6,250	754,548	489,702	34,602	183,026	128,716
1893.....	800	41,619	22,932	353,345	511	69,935	12,915	6,960,356	4,343,777	51,032	230,708	152,899
1894.....	654	31,505	334	2,724	547	158,531	11,883	431,516	220,362	51,700	192,712	105,048
1895.....	2,071	31,900	4,388	56,112	915	63,785	7,744	173,611	108,272	52,065	171,129	85,157
1896.....	1,112	39,509	17,540	206,807	1,365	80,809	13,739	1,676,758	672,093	46,819	166,953	86,269
1897.....	690	29,186	22,164	263,083	2,411	110,911	20,506	8,825,800	3,233,781	24,659	96,762	129,660
1898.....	1,953	78,400	4,097	44,487	1,987	113,210	28,261	125,310	43,557	19,240	86,848	112,314

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Carriages, horse cars, railroad cars, etc.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	COAL AND COKE.						Cotton, unmanufac- tured.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
			Coal.				Coke.				Cloths.		All other.
			Anthracite.		Bituminous.								
			Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	25,701	96,248	1	22	100	1,342			11,309,498	1,586,517	2,210,065	265,188	94,366
1872.....	30,081	93,734	1,579	6,757	46	806			957,209	128,186	1,915,047	240,924	38,368
1873.....	133,452	107,436	5,337	22,483	2,399	11,818			550,639	74,352	1,759,077	221,842	73,244
1874.....	64,713	126,437	3,343	16,220	2,112	10,362			2,289,561	322,507	1,363,915	158,366	50,337
1875.....	56,732	112,877	4,118	23,856	3,124	17,326			1,305,276	184,186	1,589,852	167,332	64,189
1876.....	29,282	111,348	706	3,741	1,884	10,044			6,972,575	890,574	3,354,261	312,864	60,595
1877.....	21,564	79,799	663	2,977	641	4,769			3,969,812	462,902	12,132,306	999,647	64,450
1878.....	34,469	123,069	756	3,937	3,144	11,761			3,422,162	357,210	15,830,204	1,215,018	87,278
1879.....	22,299	127,756	3,113	12,029	4,555	15,903			9,898,129	912,583	11,549,749	795,460	69,852
1880.....	67,465	145,331	1,664	7,695	8,083	28,395			9,881,543	1,176,067	9,210,398	725,829	106,406
1881.....	201,875	212,477	1,926	9,105	1,396	7,326			13,386,186	1,494,101	10,531,983	825,019	193,630
1882.....	752,436	288,824	9,545	45,470	7,028	30,552			12,537,650	1,447,522	10,584,486	823,136	296,132
1883.....	839,386	265,220	6,165	28,960	11,422	52,463			20,577,771	2,217,259	9,638,414	733,261	185,329
1884.....	226,337	202,119	10,689	49,155	6,932	33,243			11,184,207	1,195,396	9,527,885	657,949	136,325
1885.....	32,377	202,799	1,528	5,944	4,504	19,234			5,877,000	613,251	9,501,340	585,369	114,421
1886.....	33,587	176,091	1,498	5,304	7,879	37,792			10,517,415	1,015,759	15,408,324	908,502	90,427
1887.....	131,718	197,540	3,266	11,029	9,837	42,779			5,975,330	573,288	12,346,038	709,891	119,605
1888.....	339,483	264,987	1,877	7,281	30,261	142,354			5,707,174	566,191	16,096,775	891,929	144,533
1889.....	345,285	329,487	2,762	12,229	24,262	153,497			16,901,267	1,607,395	9,580,659	600,579	218,293
1890.....	622,836	362,323	4,178	17,767	84,997	380,971			13,047,474	1,217,805	7,483,012	468,757	179,402
1891.....	771,625	377,586	3,683	13,766	122,865	600,477			12,811,122	1,281,972	7,157,052	444,329	158,053
1892.....	205,272	440,297	3,631	10,501	114,979	542,694			22,117,381	1,844,500	8,319,481	492,079	155,362
1893.....	291,563	418,452	28,089	172,833	158,139	730,396			20,905,980	1,890,461	4,245,904	291,893	140,323
1894.....	131,839	341,989	44,263	242,829	122,506	430,486		146,701	17,582,418	1,391,836	4,552,868	309,091	151,575
1895.....	170,540	408,755	24,962	152,651	100,711	272,601	59,023	247,493	37,976,422	2,352,299	6,437,568	389,544	151,924
1896.....	687,425	469,193	1,909	7,789	119,360	369,680	78,141	346,674	19,408,420	1,643,183	7,889,198	494,365	322,729
1897.....	615,468	499,965	4,025	10,285	217,006	639,670	93,640	373,414	15,103,628	1,236,447	5,577,807	366,753	346,139
1898.....	508,678	517,999	1,182	4,191	330,244	969,849	110,221	383,020	21,216,287	1,321,473	6,679,429	415,910	334,651

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	Glass and glassware.	Grease, etc., and all soap stock.	Gunpow- der and all other explosives.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.					Malt liquors.	OILS.	
				Builders' hardware, saws, and tools. a	Ma- hinery, n. e. s.	Sewing machines, and parts of.	Steam engines, and parts of.	All other.		Animal.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....	18,905		53,178	64,894	202,288	38,950	12,794	379,370	2,234	3,117	4,330
1872.....	26,419		96,343	43,527	177,926	60,339	19,096	502,780	3,036	5,380	6,544
1873.....	26,752		117,103	98,230	259,863	110,786	112,315	460,877	3,587	7,307	8,707
1874.....	20,007		71,710	116,599	383,606	121,530	72,747	379,718	4,850	5,662	3,636
1875.....	37,561		97,451	50,552	284,096	114,436	28,102	477,775	4,540	5,310	4,805
1876.....	20,743		171,646	56,002	280,167	75,577	25,699	625,242	8,698	10,474	11,905
1877.....	24,763		84,552	68,194	201,215	115,970	23,249	377,737	20,831	3,269	2,867
1878.....	56,898		153,660	83,266	406,527	153,574	44,644	513,563	49,216	6,151	3,781
1879.....	47,831		118,797	78,797	254,382	158,124	35,269	469,568	62,524	4,112	2,627
1880.....	54,781		129,966	99,268	327,783	135,823	38,687	656,170	88,901	3,413	2,058
1881.....	87,313		240,627	144,454	722,617	179,555	239,989	1,295,731	112,651	6,790	5,145
1882.....	111,542		324,428	185,618	1,185,607	305,595	708,190	1,854,702	148,799	11,708	10,514
1883.....	159,099		423,274	155,811	1,171,809	312,854	664,361	1,467,452	149,163	12,684	11,105
1884.....	100,428	48,406	331,522	156,169	757,558	207,018	408,581	872,698	112,561	20,484	13,355
1885.....	46,198	30,268	235,821	111,608	414,850	198,634	36,220	447,667	88,426	30,582	17,231
1886.....	39,826	22,058	137,749	121,617	336,260	68,570	42,746	335,361	62,543	39,584	21,061
1887.....	50,826	38,781	177,802	156,267	426,027	125,699	140,429	514,956	120,652	45,864	25,044
1888.....	72,872	50,104	264,875	218,720	596,688	146,398	270,804	716,338	144,774	54,060	29,841
1889.....	76,838	103,623	294,021	233,240	787,065	160,723	333,158	771,571	182,058	72,788	44,417
1890.....	94,697	87,463	364,568	312,311	845,589	231,245	283,005	1,022,829	240,349	61,422	33,383
1891.....	126,688	74,726	393,400	351,583	917,037	174,546	431,551	1,539,710	226,541	70,562	37,495
1892.....	123,546	108,265	368,214	403,413	1,485,237	165,122	167,754	1,612,817	216,037	73,466	35,620
1893.....	117,979	87,962	419,300	392,559	1,273,125	142,764	480,087	1,518,861	226,767	56,141	33,612
1894.....	112,972	86,705	461,040	300,023	1,468,785	151,239	127,774	1,150,234	124,658	44,324	29,695
1895.....	121,488	61,661	615,059	343,294	1,672,685	132,841	163,713	1,390,983	110,807	41,879	15,182
1896.....	162,628	55,749	662,511	546,948	2,107,371	215,359	348,029	2,126,529	124,085	44,723	17,661
1897.....	168,437	73,113	746,696	622,488	1,891,321	199,016	924,887	2,787,723	104,051	52,807	21,096
1898.....	174,602	45,313	756,404	461,532	2,579,107	197,692	559,401	3,430,161	59,391	56,457	22,689

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	OILS.					PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.							
	Mineral.				Vegetable.	Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Tallow.		All other.	
	Crude.		Refined, including residuum.										
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.									
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	47	24	456,976	153,613	5,589	224,421	31,207	761,704	93,708	13,697	1,325	30,834	
1872.....	3,070	1,070	544,937	173,489	3,396	309,647	32,504	1,079,754	121,082	84,676	8,716	43,947	
1873.....	804	352	432,014	143,609	4,247	301,086	35,976	808,445	83,081	110,905	11,184	33,120	
1874.....			624,816	164,396	3,721	311,112	31,143	364,646	36,628	6,167	400	29,176	
1875.....			470,746	109,111	2,532	126,011	16,519	388,420	52,243	30,453	2,448	25,380	
1876.....			765,099	173,319	6,783	136,133	20,074	311,862	41,762	59,883	5,120	35,138	
1877.....	6	7	787,213	223,152	2,867	64,530	9,114	550,718	63,491	24,126	2,065	27,448	
1878.....			805,915	174,057	2,538	158,445	17,692	1,255,063	137,119	24,740	1,990	36,018	
1879.....			946,762	154,709	3,319	124,345	11,787	1,204,422	102,052	63,116	4,714	35,746	
1880.....	233	16	1,140,711	157,257	4,264	110,596	12,716	1,508,525	126,319	283,501	20,405	39,721	
1881.....	429	54	1,141,972	177,697	6,016	173,780	20,109	1,313,086	132,597	316,398	23,897	41,509	
1882.....	38,556	3,705	1,570,096	252,870	5,699	273,175	36,685	1,183,647	145,293	543,909	43,768	52,582	
1883.....	11,100	1,040	1,843,334	269,908	3,846	267,867	40,866	1,392,134	163,797	439,282	40,515	61,111	
1884.....	15,790	1,940	1,501,015	210,378	6,417	186,425	27,059	1,726,520	184,043	443,718	38,006	48,190	
1885.....	550	50	1,664,594	237,278	3,891	260,948	29,032	2,232,130	197,567	514,411	37,406	34,957	
1886.....	2,214	341	1,297,697	185,821	9,276	148,121	18,227	2,838,313	209,522	954,529	62,491	30,688	
1887.....	3,556	384	2,212,888	268,286	15,257	129,403	17,089	2,295,093	174,341	1,158,674	68,746	38,799	
1888.....	1,000,459	92,216	1,220,130	175,537	25,699	273,667	37,300	1,825,244	148,751	2,394,232	139,020	65,354	

a Files, saws, and edge tools only prior to 1884.

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MEXICO--Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	OILS—continued.					PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.						
	Mineral.				Vegetable.	Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Tallow.		All other.
	Crude.		Refined, including residuum.									
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1889.....	1,881,398	160,028	2,209,045	248,381	76,884	300,380	41,644	1,363,539	128,169	5,002,415	319,670	66,092
1890.....	2,217,846	193,320	1,892,061	234,435	98,103	333,903	35,318	1,639,255	119,976	5,025,258	246,818	65,871
1891.....	3,854,176	344,411	2,275,108	302,547	84,063	345,403	39,356	1,611,313	109,816	2,744,183	148,760	79,128
1892.....	3,499,514	238,173	1,260,422	238,952	151,066	437,092	48,308	2,050,997	142,253	1,910,949	106,194	87,192
1893.....	5,508,769	320,473	1,237,013	198,740	276,157	423,800	53,113	3,863,457	308,449	2,306,145	130,806	102,506
1894.....	8,026,189	337,902	710,347	146,626	323,795	278,995	35,674	1,414,292	116,198	1,847,390	99,468	73,132
1895.....	5,229,983	283,233	723,636	181,092	427,956	299,802	33,912	1,908,076	128,779	1,743,999	84,308	80,398
1896.....	6,779,059	392,510	631,693	142,819	365,289	341,003	38,142	3,440,157	209,727	1,783,788	77,050	90,762
1897.....	7,090,853	340,021	842,004	174,635	343,571	366,584	38,473	7,195,747	332,235	997,216	36,561	123,870
1898.....	7,713,859	317,514	1,125,879	185,967	348,593	321,250	34,420	3,602,758	177,525	636,742	24,364	188,036

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	Quicksilver.		Tobacco, unmanufactured.		WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.					Total exports of domestic merchandise.
					Lumber.		Timber.	Manufac- tures of.		
					Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantlings.	Other lumber.				
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	454,459	325,980	776,537	117,729	10,687	69,402	7,630	1,687	65,568	5,044,033
1872.....	210,490	177,316	427,689	66,105	3,415	90,744	5,767	7,205	74,920	3,420,658
1873.....	298,809	263,370	845,159	132,739	3,046	74,999	9,241	729	71,089	3,941,019
1874.....	352,194	405,048	499,935	84,797	5,851	109,536	24,287	4,446	113,682	4,016,148
1875.....	393,843	471,808	484,648	96,277	6,407	123,033	30,331	2,963	96,922	3,872,004
1876.....	544,602	365,097	492,807	106,715	5,766	110,341	26,857	7,211	82,407	4,700,978
1877.....	776,753	352,606	691,828	143,087	3,214	57,741	23,689	4,483	75,100	4,503,802
1878.....	632,846	290,249	640,080	119,462	8,183	133,477	24,274	1,681	92,620	5,811,429
1879.....	865,021	344,006	1,049,020	159,483	6,192	117,034	23,913	890	98,452	5,400,380
1880.....	991,510	377,825	1,014,558	140,996	7,859	130,506	32,773	2,752	108,501	6,065,974
1881.....	1,196,821	462,159	963,545	123,998	10,344	183,436	140,430	23,163	197,167	9,198,077
1882.....	821,759	316,714	1,094,018	126,624	25,315	437,789	465,535	155,939	367,048	13,324,505
1883.....	1,043,635	391,572	1,091,034	127,522	26,211	545,061	223,844	232,942	382,593	14,370,992
1884.....	571,767	193,259	1,112,867	131,956	13,788	398,062	57,075	244,047	266,290	11,080,603
1885.....	420,706	166,912	1,217,262	142,954	7,577	138,297	19,882	18,844	140,444	7,370,599
1886.....	472,110	192,111	1,933,462	173,654	8,106	125,919	49,016	39,184	95,787	6,856,077
1887.....	472,480	220,167	1,364,984	139,602	12,965	206,298	51,626	353,112	137,727	7,237,129
1888.....	537,396	256,357	854,295	92,581	21,301	339,937	431,248	256,440	202,501	9,242,188
1889.....	285,611	144,734	1,195,061	122,608	22,942	401,598	231,097	122,809	261,756	10,886,288
1890.....	295,236	169,341	1,349,203	118,351	26,299	439,590	174,936	360,265	328,707	12,666,108
1891.....	119,438	68,112	664,991	67,003	57,959	941,152	90,329	161,681	290,741	14,199,080
1892.....	229,864	111,349	725,919	82,090	41,717	599,579	235,201	90,546	281,346	13,696,531
1893.....	303,373	143,381	846,114	116,119	44,512	572,904	239,227	109,684	276,565	18,891,714
1894.....	945,173	361,782	1,334,152	114,225	29,945	385,001	280,253	111,534	221,966	12,441,805
1895.....	993,844	381,621	1,970,297	156,847	33,441	354,875	338,596	78,900	277,373	14,582,484
1896.....	1,161,566	466,259	2,195,111	160,685	55,783	742,482	339,496	146,105	383,394	18,686,797
1897.....	942,016	368,473	1,458,871	109,152	76,627	1,158,754	401,574	276,440	354,689	22,726,596
1898.....	772,896	329,453	1,814,085	135,636	65,215	843,300	325,403	296,589	515,676	20,405,952

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FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898—Cont'd.

MIQUELON, LANGLEY, AND ST. PIERRE ISLANDS.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—					EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			
	TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.	DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchandise.	BREADSTUFFS.			Cotton manu- factures.
		Fish: Cod, haddock, hake, and pollock, dried, smoked, or pickled.	Total dutiable.			Wheat flour.	All other.		
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....									
1872.....									
1873.....			5,715	13,282	13,282	7,472	58,937	1,952	37,402
1874.....	106		3,700	3,700	3,806	7,380	52,848	3,868	33,566
1875.....				7,842	7,842	9,173	57,065	4,882	37,799
1876.....						9,409	62,567	4,208	30,521
1877.....	90				90	11,244	80,489	4,321	48,421
1878.....				64	64	13,300	82,965	7,325	48,674
1879.....	97			45	142	17,864	89,344	7,207	42,925
1880.....	375		a 3,490	3,526	3,901	10,761	62,626	9,827	43,877
1881.....	82		a 16,866	16,877	16,959	15,091	90,155	9,758	45,639
1882.....	438		a 17,859	17,887	18,325	12,119	73,848	14,183	45,081
1883.....			a 17,376	17,376	17,376	20,937	116,802	21,883	58,343
1884.....	463			102	565	19,561	96,800	14,889	69,730
1885.....			a 18,638	18,686	18,686	18,494	79,138	15,239	67,686
1886.....		207,938	8,082	8,284	8,284	16,548	73,203	15,962	64,256
1887.....	509	2,187,989	70,036	70,415	70,924	15,725	64,931	14,622	56,641
1888.....	70	823,855	31,453	32,157	32,227	16,014	69,044	17,060	46,318
1889.....	992	1,155,342	28,717	28,934	29,926	13,296	68,270	22,858	30,458
1890.....	824	1,741,451	36,471	36,471	37,295	16,564	73,177	22,471	23,244
1891.....	190	326,722	15,445	15,445	15,635	10,657	53,021	20,286	20,112
1892.....				176	176	11,723	57,696	22,667	23,804
1893.....	270	1,954,950	67,421	67,421	67,691	11,824	48,942	20,020	12,267
1894.....		3,105,371	110,936	117,255	117,255	12,994	46,813	9,437	10,178
1895.....	899	3,964,776	183,313	184,403	185,302	12,322	43,370	8,867	13,915
1896.....	923	4,019,538	163,347	163,443	164,366	8,771	30,990	5,452	9,922
1897.....	1,724	4,979,581	137,214	138,079	139,803	12,154	48,106	5,993	16,137
1898.....	817	4,934,357	160,130	160,213	161,030	10,694	52,578	9,916	11,844

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Flax, hemp, and jute, manufac- tures of.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Oils, mineral, refined.		Provisions.	Sugar and molasses.	Tobacco, and manufactures of.	Wood, and man- ufactures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....									
1872.....									
1873.....	12,762	13,888	12,585	3,235	19,743	252	9,571	16,182	204,447
1874.....	13,662	11,254	15,171	3,481	30,579	853	11,350	20,169	213,213
1875.....	7,886	8,955	13,239	2,681	51,138	2,416	12,525	26,938	245,067
1876.....	7,242	6,295	11,668	2,121	41,913	2,037	11,382	19,673	222,132
1877.....	12,582	11,566	14,344	3,569	52,610	2,255	13,074	30,187	292,129
1878.....	15,243	11,064	20,550	3,373	37,044	10,262	8,448	26,703	283,277
1879.....	13,988	9,793	23,101	3,080	36,266	15,047	7,024	35,075	305,867
1880.....	13,678	11,030	21,100	2,041	45,909	20,799	1,346	28,261	287,307
1881.....	13,239	9,924	27,012	2,843	45,663	23,275	2,221	22,840	309,889
1882.....	18,504	7,924	18,833	1,636	50,349	32,774	2,026	25,615	315,425
1883.....	29,352	10,320	33,048	3,275	62,153	34,326	3,689	39,754	434,405
1884.....	29,976	12,049	37,668	3,693	60,028	42,294	2,760	51,414	435,879
1885.....	25,113	17,717	51,601	4,680	62,334	15,105	3,867	38,776	394,864
1886.....	20,033	13,515	37,451	3,694	50,190	26,511	2,530	42,738	374,237
1887.....	13,518	9,257	41,956	3,978	39,024	29,839	6,492	20,490	299,763
1888.....	32,641	11,473	43,373	3,888	41,144	29,081	10,502	32,623	371,887
1889.....	50,548	10,260	44,488	4,205	37,715	40,126	12,432	20,927	368,364
1890.....	52,655	10,736	51,635	4,238	33,891	31,104	8,443	26,073	416,844
1891.....	39,623	9,547	60,520	5,263	22,198	30,965	6,541	23,282	390,014
1892.....	31,146	8,120	46,836	3,618	23,776	17,153	8,590	20,734	357,751
1893.....	19,990	5,389	59,092	4,361	19,338	9,904	4,976	11,362	185,226
1894.....	17,950	3,308	50,653	3,664	15,255	3,330	3,498	12,234	149,902
1895.....	27,798	2,835	43,619	3,545	17,047	3,770	948	13,938	167,496
1896.....	24,781	12,495	60,864	5,623	14,837	2,011	1,566	10,391	141,916
1897.....	19,575	5,277	63,548	5,277	13,484	1,903	869	16,985	161,525
1898.....	19,099	27,791	42,020	3,458	22,318	2,333	3,690	10,360	195,764

a Total fish, dutiable.

WEST INDIES.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

BRITISH WEST INDIES. (a)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—											
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Asphaltum.		Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.		Cocoa, crude, and shells of.		Coffee.		Fertilizers.	Fruits and nuts.		
			Dyewoods.	All other.						Bananas.	Cocoanuts.	All other.
	Pounds. ^b	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....			175,583	86,829	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	53,570			
1872.....			254,194	59,595	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	24,473			
1873.....			382,404	122,673	949,103	109,211	1,057,683	131,993	11,116			
1874.....			88,227	62,242	645,394	62,050	3,157,548	646,145	43,965			
1875.....			232,640	74,456	984,156	85,311	3,433,250	528,517	27,690			
1876.....			461,628	87,396	965,433	101,676	845,930	143,676	7,187			
1877.....			232,162	37,727	282,581	36,832	3,502,418	606,789	7,123			
1878.....			226,187	31,567	1,022,345	130,996	2,340,187	364,579	9,405			
1879.....			344,521	27,191	586,546	97,631	1,944,285	235,369	18,179			
1880.....			271,342	32,329	1,348,054	225,195	1,569,828	211,813	26,951			
1881.....			121,154	44,872	1,396,490	187,655	1,594,981	194,039	26,866			
1882.....			131,332	41,038	1,839,339	281,523	2,888,508	286,865	43,875			
1883.....			56,119	59,227	1,258,761	198,884	6,167,730	428,203	92,287			
1884.....	52,934,500	42,034	41,208	69,043	2,479,668	381,201	5,205,957	385,184	137,972	814,948	167,787	141,071
1885.....	29,886,270	24,793	33,240	109,654	3,497,059	512,398	3,896,698	318,114	85,027	715,595	111,661	192,595
1886.....	38,788,564	26,598	102,459	113,117	3,011,023	476,126	2,917,248	231,514	69,167	835,976	90,170	164,562
1887.....	42,941,119	32,312	102,219	143,644	3,019,944	459,125	4,551,959	492,586	39,829	707,559	114,250	177,741
1888.....	69,504,557	56,981	361,138	68,120	3,980,312	591,739	7,441,221	953,593	60,481	1,118,315	110,821	216,916
1889.....	77,049,710	43,769	465,422	70,520	4,582,679	611,795	14,083,710	1,689,217	41,973	1,318,819	103,239	195,437
1890.....	132,211,773	84,639	370,499	89,476	5,382,498	674,165	4,872,736	803,281	58,207	1,801,349	127,496	243,580
1891.....	136,926,038	151,875	577,639	287,865	6,920,351	858,579	5,073,444	817,833	65,309	2,305,622	167,760	251,209
1892.....	86,512	262,143	338,306	96,481	7,478,458	939,182	7,039,421	1,064,100	46,291	1,326,856	170,146	287,071
1893.....	77,265	149,929	500,683	198,539	7,502,672	1,017,034	6,927,964	1,154,846	15,512	1,824,968	183,236	198,841
1894.....	50,378	101,725	382,511	94,555	7,241,208	976,663	8,265,211	1,343,814	50,693	1,801,581	212,503	228,414
1895.....	58,261	113,023	379,030	292,289	10,517,246	1,262,191	6,138,900	973,986	74,095	1,381,341	9,805	34,010
1896.....	78,681	162,710	578,248	484,428	7,514,394	763,290	4,052,602	643,261	39,837	1,224,783	(c)	42,459
1897.....	85,034	198,786	151,082	534,339	11,468,956	1,077,278	3,132,771	411,035	33,069	1,568,481	(c)	64,158
1898.....	10,442	22,626	290,440	85,671	9,425,596	1,370,274	2,815,071	258,008	5,407	1,853,816	209,681	5,086

IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	FREE OF DUTY—continued.											
	FREE OF DUTY—continued.											
	Hides and skins, other than for skins.		India rubber and gutta-percha, crude.		Salt.		Spices, unground.		Sugar and molasses.		Wood, unmanufactured.	Total free of duty.
									Molasses.	Sugar.		
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	(c)											
1872.....	4,226	78,280	31,036									18,654 386,092
1873.....	85,620	157,149	68,254									31,195 453,884
1874.....	35,283	367,693	127,651									17,723 1,027,071
1875.....	93,075	126,477	49,671									35,609 1,390,896
1876.....	42,242	157,720	55,858									12,629 1,229,759
1877.....	17,577	106,351	37,481									29,179 1,039,526
1878.....	17,920	132,735	44,504									8,153 1,084,066
1879.....	12,212	11,759	3,019									9,117 939,142
1880.....	13,835	11,679	3,835									10,426 912,166
1881.....	13,897	41,671	17,283									17,788 992,799
1882.....	30,493	10,023	3,010									16,932 916,597
1883.....	72,488	30,615	16,905									41,845 1,152,502
1884.....	36,182	23,611	10,642				254,214					20,502 1,495,329
1885.....	42,165	92,219	36,064				107,710					24,789 2,600,181
1886.....	59,126	102,261	43,193				147,778					23,725 2,426,932
1887.....	52,958	49,194	25,686				102,668					21,596 2,668,580
1888.....												23,042 2,776,573

^a Includes British Honduras to 1878 and Bermuda to 1891.

^b Tons after 1891.

^c See Dutiable.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	FREE OF DUTY—continued.											
	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta- percha, crude.	Salt.			Spices, un- ground.	Sugar and molasses.				Wood, unmanu- factured.	Total free of duty.
							Molasses.		Sugar.			
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1888.....	46,388	14,865	7,659			90,283					24,185	4,285,755
1889.....	49,646	14,572	7,237			147,275					30,425	5,106,066
1890.....	45,234	800	330			167,820					20,665	4,729,458
1891.....	71,013	82	17			168,571	432,093	82,742	129,301,277	3,658,020	26,408	9,781,685
1892.....	35,791	8,716	4,682			167,103	833,960	146,072	259,249,502	6,891,156	13,695	11,897,999
1893.....	30,092	35,233	14,335			277,905	837,631	147,841	332,967,481	9,487,434	10,151	15,360,315
1894.....	24,257	29,695	8,544			294,904	954,865	152,856	256,784,785	6,889,657	12,500	12,625,808
1895.....	27,132	28,806	11,257	56,993,688	55,788	270,515	a 96,893	12,375	77,495,400	1,821,105	8,334	6,827,458
1896.....	24,539	20,669	8,714	115,477,302	110,092	274,075					5,633	4,616,995
1897.....	18,428	47,116	15,162	170,629,494	156,703	189,269	79,995	8,105			13,332	4,801,711
1898.....	17,733	10,006	2,322	8,732,849	7,948	166,372					3,460	4,498,327

IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	DUTIABLE.							
	Fruits, including nuts.			Salt. <i>a</i>		Spices.	Spirits, distilled.	
	Cocoanuts.	Oranges.	All other.					
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Proof gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....			311, 233	106, 046, 381	125, 513	64, 937	14, 582	17, 307
1872.....			300, 145	137, 010, 546	145, 783	56, 562	22, 863	19, 804
1873.....			301, 191	151, 226, 186	168, 495	89, 924	39, 136	67, 007
1874.....			122, 560	144, 441, 742	137, 505	76, 635	24, 794	50, 267
1875.....			329, 931	136, 327, 415	124, 658	77, 216	18, 168	27, 898
1876.....			264, 044	134, 864, 208	117, 792	57, 718	13, 116	21, 489
1877.....			325, 843	146, 811, 598	151, 884	91, 753	29, 244	36, 819
1878.....			391, 834	78, 311, 562	109, 448	103, 555	26, 706	50, 105
1879.....			416, 492	56, 934, 451	79, 522	77, 116	39, 093	61, 129
1880.....			541, 866	33, 387, 586	50, 116	197, 643	58, 281	61, 514
1881.....			471, 085	75, 131, 355	96, 103	114, 577	59, 817	91, 623
1882.....			925, 131	92, 558, 336	91, 080	133, 253	39, 257	76, 647
1883.....			856, 188	127, 088, 187	112, 665	100, 253	36, 386	70, 957
1884.....		234, 503	25, 486	114, 136, 182	98, 828	.....	35, 252	86, 690
1885.....		145, 293	44, 943	103, 300, 850	90, 756	.....	40, 239	84, 178
1886.....		217, 323	34, 812	133, 139, 092	116, 655	.....	39, 013	82, 958
1887.....		321, 279	28, 594	66, 856, 721	84, 586	.....	37, 179	89, 787
1888.....		293, 056	27, 140	94, 984, 022	106, 537	.....	33, 614	84, 864
1889.....		242, 033	28, 064	121, 310, 798	113, 365	.....	67, 925	108, 434
1890.....		216, 686	26, 826	129, 568, 204	119, 631	.....	31, 299	76, 781
1891.....		336, 684	39, 416	107, 755, 894	95, 414	.....	39, 606	102, 746
1892.....		112, 644	39, 311	106, 795, 553	94, 279	.....	27, 621	83, 424
1893.....		172, 153	32, 155	113, 447, 228	95, 247	.....	22, 519	75, 494
1894.....		51, 788	24, 525	93, 549, 034	72, 023	.....	20, 643	72, 991
1895.....	103, 288	173, 396	114, 908	50, 978, 337	40, 101	.....	18, 409	65, 754
1896.....	102, 365	695, 998	217, 009	.....	.....	.....	22, 452	80, 753
1897.....	149, 959	731, 806	228, 358	22, 264	78, 192
1898.....	8, 158	506, 462	265, 018	71, 243, 371	61, 749	12, 426	42, 881

a See Free of duty.

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.							
	DUTIABLE—continued.							Total imports of merchandise.
	Sponges. (a)	Sugar and molasses.				Vegetables.	Total dutiable.	
		Molasses.		Sugar.				
	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....		2,557,664	606,870	86,267,349	4,973,696	51,853	6,907,477	7,293,567
1872.....		3,495,056	773,037	110,132,530	6,733,624	68,122	9,011,246	9,465,130
1873.....		1,657,707	387,866	16,853,391	927,770	95,350	2,616,098	3,643,169
1874.....		2,513,622	542,555	20,515,559	790,616	90,477	2,243,107	3,634,003
1875.....		3,642,739	868,821	37,200,312	1,434,737	116,546	3,303,374	4,533,113
1876.....		2,700,821	592,554	23,255,288	845,112	120,421	2,323,284	3,362,810
1877.....		4,088,704	1,008,979	65,564,912	3,088,496	148,352	5,139,702	6,224,368
1878.....		3,106,301	802,401	64,723,855	2,875,648	94,248	4,708,566	5,647,708
1879.....		2,021,746	406,110	34,125,053	1,204,410	117,063	2,647,829	3,559,995
1880.....		3,059,351	633,629	64,294,413	2,453,386	94,312	4,489,203	5,482,002
1881.....		2,719,846	678,304	82,673,035	3,377,390	104,894	5,377,449	6,294,046
1882.....		1,996,757	550,335	70,044,291	2,902,845	175,273	5,491,885	6,644,387
1883.....		1,902,948	520,830	132,847,803	4,938,289	126,169	7,240,783	8,736,112
1884.....	165,851	1,346,071	265,055	180,951,818	5,900,079	388,221	7,191,435	9,791,616
1885.....	130,035	997,394	150,245	282,270,638	6,896,699	370,919	7,936,449	10,363,381
1886.....	189,511	1,120,503	166,384	219,620,732	6,028,361	328,248	7,185,100	9,853,680
1887.....	151,512	1,954,541	211,113	327,913,725	7,512,368	355,839	8,793,206	11,569,779
1888.....	169,591	2,000,112	211,628	302,596,909	6,937,001	404,582	8,265,185	12,550,940
1889.....	162,688	3,175,896	452,865	340,363,305	9,507,614	225,400	10,879,496	15,985,562
1890.....	214,883	2,119,049	320,430	291,307,237	8,589,700	533,480	10,135,560	14,865,013
1891.....	190,943	633,311	657,583	619,983,976	65,073,003	547,740	6,511,499	16,293,184
1892.....	170,722			200	7	10,531	542,133	12,440,132
1893.....	216,298			1,274	45	3,806	668,277	16,028,592
1894.....	140,149			36,967	1,292	2,205	391,370	13,017,178
1895.....	172,305	159,061	23,472	116,002,837	2,168,509	8,096	2,949,986	9,777,444
1896.....	231,162	399,217	58,042	217,421,118	4,700,527	4,366	6,183,623	10,800,618
1897.....	246,994	502,330	63,241	322,103,866	5,893,877	7,504	7,484,174	12,285,885
1898.....	244,973	751,735	86,782	231,401,746	4,552,454	1,578	6,133,860	10,632,187

a Not enumerated prior to 1884.

b See Free of duty.

[Includes British Honduras to 1878 and Bermuda to 1891.]

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	ANIMALS.									Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS..		
	Cattle.		Horses.		Mules.		Sheep.		All other.		Bread and biscuit.		Corn.
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.
1871.....	1,515	134,446	453	86,111	1,446	214,600	4,542	36,218	105	2,371	7,273,114	377,942	233,602
1872.....	1,144	99,320	286	67,425	1,725	246,739	3,857	32,213	425	2,293	7,545,595	421,705	190,695
1873.....	1,608	110,432	848	55,816	683	95,800	1,804	16,029	232	7,669	6,379,502	350,308	213,458
1874.....	1,306	107,466	266	40,571	734	105,575	1,720	16,246	380	2,191	5,479,214	301,672	204,995
1875.....	1,828	151,942	278	39,707	1,828	262,750	2,018	20,205	.....	2,551	6,187,657	280,568	199,169
1876.....	1,580	142,268	321	49,520	1,120	150,375	3,135	31,271	170	9,307	6,547,614	292,351	195,590
1877.....	1,741	147,632	232	33,730	1,541	227,900	2,299	22,061	2,969	7,638	5,807,137	264,401	229,702
1878.....	1,574	119,734	250	32,675	1,693	228,215	2,155	19,278	60	5,092	6,619,896	280,038	265,946
1879.....	1,531	104,224	381	53,860	1,940	249,944	2,538	20,390	711	4,055	5,794,259	195,537	275,245
1880.....	2,409	152,270	288	36,975	1,312	155,070	1,549	12,727	1,670	3,985	5,686,659	207,536	317,185
1881.....	1,978	133,494	291	38,836	1,183	154,195	1,496	12,605	405	3,901	6,707,943	247,051	380,157
1882.....	1,529	115,459	92	16,399	1,148	144,885	2,382	20,299	296	5,326	7,077,624	279,421	249,753
1883.....	1,174	95,714	116	21,415	867	107,975	2,370	20,928	1,500	15,976	6,791,848	248,266	218,841
1884.....	1,135	98,968	165	37,035	1,423	186,126	3,040	25,638	908	9,965	7,368,410	247,266	183,956
1885.....	1,259	104,927	44	7,840	204	23,185	4,116	32,782	882	8,748	7,372,638	231,591	339,042
1886.....	1,258	90,570	76	14,148	413	53,384	2,946	22,984	1,604	8,843	8,108,403	278,780	282,365
1887.....	1,529	103,579	59	10,660	663	86,820	2,388	18,572	825	10,082	6,453,183	228,877	275,876

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BRITISH WEST INDIES.—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	ANIMALS.									Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.			
	Cattle.		Horses.		Mules.		Sheep.		All other.		Bread and biscuit.		Corn.	
	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Number.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.
1888.....	1,664	107,160	158	26,472	1,047	134,428	3,451	28,621	715	9,993	5,436,122	235,860	289,739	184,885
1889.....	1,730	125,250	164	28,324	981	124,160	3,466	28,295	1,021	12,662	6,200,880	297,480	326,734	188,879
1890.....	1,761	137,920	208	35,365	1,397	178,447	2,695	23,607	839	18,247	6,470,844	298,274	428,636	213,896
1891.....	1,767	144,730	140	25,343	1,221	153,416	2,840	24,922	1,171	21,922	6,864,159	344,704	507,852	330,683
1892.....	161	10,306	172	30,730	955	123,275	1,365	12,116	436	22,386	5,996,772	301,397	388,523	265,318
1893.....	189	11,071	105	18,558	898	113,599	1,264	10,444	553	16,681	6,196,311	269,909	414,382	264,786
1894.....	207	13,606	80	12,396	680	79,110	1,196	8,158	427	25,246	8,234,805	326,814	487,455	266,001
1895.....	102	8,032	121	16,609	509	51,550	1,626	11,116	983	58,285	7,260,315	290,274	480,164	275,551
1896.....	106	6,073	263	26,959	730	72,794	2,581	16,936	1,568	56,298	8,772,677	349,215	521,018	244,826
1897.....	206	14,404	241	21,928	655	56,729	3,277	25,007	1,831	22,034	7,486,634	305,226	547,365	206,018
1898.....	270	21,899	350	40,072	817	69,760	2,853	21,267	2,200	19,076	7,496,182	359,514	563,541	239,861

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	BREADSTUFFS—continued.							Car- riages, street and railroad cars, etc.	Chem- icals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coal.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
	Corn meal.		Oats.		Wheat flour.		All other.					Cloths.		All other.
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	96,356	448,763	22,718	14,603	400,938	2,720,953	160,945	39,698	55,791	1,397	9,440	60,509	10,968	20,678
1872.....	108,529	434,869	52,748	34,807	421,963	2,993,546	178,113	44,796	70,815	370	1,869	379,286	56,197	32,935
1873.....	129,694	488,516	26,452	15,275	353,253	2,701,378	155,514	34,521	32,440	5,519	26,708	157,782	32,891	18,488
1874.....	117,752	478,341	105,703	67,633	343,052	2,456,953	133,194	54,349	44,026	8,338	41,444	103,229	20,116	21,862
1875.....	92,433	432,816	124,839	86,347	382,329	2,300,885	112,200	55,628	51,648	3,355	17,576	358,605	49,994	10,319
1876.....	126,132	492,585	171,018	102,230	444,155	2,665,101	169,920	72,667	53,199	636	2,799	1,282,537	125,008	14,547
1877.....	92,533	316,519	119,447	68,131	344,053	2,323,674	113,484	61,349	47,228	2,690	8,874	1,608,792	145,678	25,032
1878.....	117,855	385,961	175,390	81,951	340,372	2,152,480	128,849	75,873	50,776	2,693	9,364	2,394,151	185,208	17,773
1879.....	108,127	312,187	173,298	69,133	361,411	1,799,891	151,920	55,996	88,489	3,156	10,081	1,948,985	150,135	25,150
1880.....	96,568	302,910	162,884	81,527	333,950	2,062,225	169,542	71,339	99,265	2,811	9,517	1,119,558	100,853	30,881
1881.....	163,448	529,035	148,891	72,545	446,922	2,563,776	176,779	46,263	69,659	1,759	7,166	1,001,490	91,070	17,059
1882.....	94,844	357,655	114,578	62,707	361,630	2,390,158	141,480	60,876	54,899	6,524	26,102	832,819	79,684	7,855
1883.....	80,336	323,678	94,081	53,004	374,038	2,100,852	128,023	67,140	63,468	6,157	28,636	1,041,119	89,288	6,508
1884.....	81,072	278,713	126,372	59,704	408,117	2,105,233	67,520	75,056	73,854	5,968	23,852	1,202,912	98,716	19,093
1885.....	89,541	298,817	113,845	51,394	414,782	1,865,216	58,853	52,729	71,448	5,278	18,520	1,282,797	99,329	16,785
1886.....	108,266	333,413	149,836	64,918	443,583	2,030,491	61,293	45,401	67,221	9,485	32,158	2,089,258	139,254	22,418
1887.....	77,766	217,087	123,545	59,009	399,196	1,702,990	62,292	51,729	69,723	9,212	27,161	2,065,442	135,045	17,627
1888.....	76,846	233,906	118,108	50,876	452,893	1,939,989	71,268	53,069	82,430	6,126	19,321	1,838,376	141,153	19,489
1889.....	97,313	300,833	130,848	54,526	444,317	2,083,433	76,008	79,510	82,763	3,987	14,073	1,772,758	159,070	19,322
1890.....	91,584	245,830	253,210	100,335	456,438	1,945,265	68,100	91,291	99,556	5,310	17,553	2,027,783	161,280	20,074
1891.....	116,583	387,168	191,430	103,350	523,216	2,496,241	225,029	185,484	111,051	20,584	61,870	2,120,313	162,295	26,590
1892.....	87,511	305,503	151,664	68,314	475,855	2,302,342	195,492	89,821	101,735	22,781	68,696	1,856,840	131,876	31,609
1893.....	85,459	257,853	134,792	59,653	511,552	2,047,175	86,620	79,747	90,776	14,399	44,559	2,051,780	158,418	29,553
1894.....	89,490	253,984	113,946	47,481	549,824	1,984,489	76,538	136,755	105,744	23,443	68,968	3,564,641	234,611	32,166
1895.....	76,920	225,819	78,160	31,319	520,963	1,803,256	74,155	91,520	97,753	22,499	58,540	4,041,089	227,999	41,353
1896.....	86,115	211,155	277,424	84,817	572,842	2,100,393	68,900	122,561	101,553	24,589	64,829	4,684,239	286,407	49,445
1897.....	101,970	201,230	256,801	67,050	524,043	2,068,890	81,148	58,691	103,944	38,191	99,079	4,295,120	244,112	41,846
1898.....	120,258	242,800	407,824	128,916	477,352	2,293,602	98,035	108,368	90,613	62,767	133,285	4,409,886	246,489	58,991

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	FISH.					FLAX, HEMP, ETC., MANU- FACTURES OF.			Fruits, includ- ing nuts.	Glass and glass- ware.	Gun- powder and other ex- plosives.	Hay.		Instru- ments and sci- entific ap- paratus, etc.
	Codfish, haddock, hake, etc.		Salmon, canned. &c.		All other.	Cordage.		All other.						
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.				Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	949,200	43,251			31,643	63,118	11,209	3,439	13,069	11,593	4,092	1,191	30,012	.....
1872.....	553,616	21,674			46,440	75,917	13,585	1,905	10,832	14,993	1,574	1,192	34,886	115
1873.....	381,024	17,971			18,399	135,980	22,090	2,123	11,406	11,179	17,793	744	22,936	109
1874.....	246,960	11,516			16,866	133,119	21,066	2,953	13,504	15,654	694	628	17,882	354
1875.....	220,864	11,453			32,462	147,255	20,573	3,687	17,309	10,870	728	1,154	18,875	1,238
1876.....	413,278	20,923			37,777	120,595	12,479	6,041	19,217	12,691	1,907	1,283	23,914	190
1877.....	569,408	27,769			59,932	145,436	18,688	5,254	26,225	17,122	1,216	1,323	21,785	303
1878.....	1,375,808	47,637			47,806	158,379	18,625	3,642	14,549	26,869	2,470	1,761	26,889	3,604
1879.....	605,696	20,898			40,068	216,519	22,330	7,253	12,425	22,994	626	1,041	15,405	.....
1880.....	560,896	20,656			44,937	226,248	27,598	3,684	14,087	28,600	1,893	1,454	22,183	377
1881.....	450,128	15,675			43,194	234,203	26,391	6,567	19,983	20,439	792	1,440	26,909	405
1882.....	670,320	30,796			54,630	252,704	31,242	4,828	24,038	16,372	968	1,322	23,028	2,069
1883.....	1,734,432	88,361			78,733	318,852	37,916	2,971	20,812	21,542	2,922	1,098	19,939	4,361
1884.....	1,654,376	76,110		5,996	67,963	314,647	32,661	5,976	21,400	23,073	4,199	1,744	28,457	7,211
1885.....	1,438,958	51,985		4,775	75,002	311,798	27,656	7,858	24,199	26,319	5,513	983	18,098	10,787
1886.....	693,618	25,010		5,400	64,081	278,271	25,780	7,934	26,670	18,269	20,379	1,330	24,160	8,035
1887.....	433,577	13,610	83,925	10,653	39,912	289,000	28,311	7,824	33,333	17,072	7,047	1,285	19,778	8,656
1888.....	580,463	27,460	65,750	9,078	25,866	389,296	40,845	9,569	46,759	18,525	5,580	1,731	30,043	12,448
1889.....	847,635	40,485	88,592	13,053	42,526	344,267	39,061	8,974	41,461	21,805	24,225	1,560	29,625	9,683
1890.....	363,107	15,842	77,792	10,223	39,367	348,291	42,333	9,260	46,473	17,504	22,141	1,549	28,709	20,506
1891.....	541,374	23,932	112,521	13,669	35,095	373,933	40,266	14,109	45,761	26,541	44,527	1,776	30,501	36,136
1892.....	420,294	17,368	79,791	9,251	22,426	317,978	30,461	13,816	26,621	16,896	54,205	747	13,205	26,589
1893.....	435,214	20,250	113,456	12,380	27,176	322,137	30,427	12,237	23,566	16,237	64,936	980	16,537	23,137
1894.....	735,635	36,006	185,459	19,199	45,637	408,152	28,798	12,463	25,787	14,514	34,711	1,030	17,946	19,514
1895.....	609,155	26,554	145,994	14,862	31,660	393,187	24,666	13,011	25,635	16,199	48,253	859	14,434	48,741
1896.....	1,065,355	42,200	191,722	18,083	50,244	459,124	28,434	17,088	25,355	16,068	36,823	957	17,837	30,358
1897.....	624,967	24,369	231,675	21,234	42,627	475,673	25,366	18,279	27,746	18,805	23,057	1,345	20,328	26,586
1898.....	482,761	17,773	273,735	24,753	23,665	562,194	33,716	14,539	24,236	15,792	17,540	1,167	16,917	37,944

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.										LEATHER, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.			Musical instru- ments.
	Firearms.	Builders' hardware, locks, hinges, etc.	Machin- ery, n.e.s.	Nails and spikes.		Saws and tools.	Sewing machines, etc.	Wire.		All other.	Boots and shoes.		All other.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pairs.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....	3,971		40,115	130,850	6,991	5,582	3,845			44,503	21,302	37,443	10,918	2,515
1872.....	1,300		22,317	119,614	7,356	10,689	5,620			29,585	39,921	55,013	10,740	2,378
1873.....	32,708		65,091	107,775	6,676	12,640	7,500			23,545	40,385	61,438	10,295	3,296
1874.....	1,057		21,669	254,869	14,046	11,556	8,617			45,585	41,346	60,625	12,256	2,097
1875.....	1,796		30,448	361,770	15,450	15,848	7,414			40,926	52,059	70,584	13,604	1,225
1876.....	1,092		11,986	427,799	16,109	16,383	9,507			58,536	61,786	80,824	17,614	3,140
1877.....	1,997		14,590	352,091	12,057	13,707	5,393			38,014	56,093	66,633	18,497	6,156
1878.....	910		25,393	360,356	11,622	4,852	3,084			59,978	59,915	63,750	18,255	4,402
1879.....	2,403		15,915	248,740	10,010	4,960	4,231			67,279	46,001	50,071	12,467	5,573
1880.....	2,291		18,247	323,852	13,146	8,098	6,688			77,278	61,707	64,871	22,279	10,796
1881.....	3,267		29,255	406,597	15,506	14,148	9,064			77,226	49,524	52,608	15,738	3,691
1882.....	3,779		41,658	429,717	17,424	4,734	6,922			71,009	60,062	63,519	14,682	8,930
1883.....	3,550		28,208	337,696	13,591	10,528	8,301			87,397	73,134	75,998	14,947	11,299
1884.....	4,299	9,248	30,212	554,078	19,865	13,435	9,126	48,722	3,174	78,049	77,696	75,450	14,547	9,281
1885.....	6,321	13,671	25,055	541,747	16,736	11,842	7,366	70,270	3,346	52,672	89,742	83,827	10,302	13,614
1886.....	19,996	9,974	37,014	429,938	13,053	9,977	7,575	98,527	4,194	45,987	92,243	91,064	11,275	11,735
1887.....	31,754	13,064	17,656	389,106	11,045	14,907	7,375	83,022	3,258	35,616	81,044	80,435	12,365	13,033
1888.....	3,385	15,604	15,440	560,720	19,280	17,109	13,729	169,778	6,147	40,665	80,327	80,482	14,259	11,133

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.										LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Musical instruments.
	Firearms.	Builders' hardware, locks, hinges, etc.	Machinery, n.e.s.	Nails and spikes.		Saws and tools.	Sewing machines, etc.	Wire.		All other.	Boots and shoes.		All other.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pairs.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1889.....	18,007	21,052	62,643	563,435	20,538	15,511	12,105	166,063	5,755	40,985	100,226	100,638	20,402	15,882
1890.....	6,125	22,543	42,576	575,594	19,131	18,286	12,940	427,060	16,113	72,377	127,559	130,296	16,368	10,519
1891.....	7,699	39,156	87,122	933,561	24,675	20,154	15,101	779,331	27,844	100,728	104,507	105,027	17,777	18,429
1892.....	17,607	23,112	83,469	527,732	14,983	19,195	16,983	626,705	21,026	99,960	80,033	77,858	12,179	9,804
1893.....	33,752	29,553	60,162	573,158	16,036	17,187	10,249	1,004,428	28,135	157,618	67,692	63,340	13,917	6,397
1894.....	4,464	34,071	84,779	820,010	20,018	17,794	13,853	1,022,832	25,681	125,820	115,083	109,109	22,683	9,738
1895.....	3,962	31,926	100,731	993,232	21,993	20,766	13,628	1,629,654	32,846	110,756	189,805	222,259	22,800	9,094
1896.....	8,593	27,660	95,490	1,343,477	30,658	23,771	12,058	1,424,778	30,612	201,558	161,853	207,224	23,932	12,896
1897.....	8,559	27,917	116,276	1,115,945	23,960	18,454	10,215	1,294,683	26,661	82,663	159,839	177,081	19,276	22,206
1898.....	6,613	22,344	72,885	1,183,900	22,935	19,087	12,355	1,254,925	23,397	139,771	184,964	196,783	20,500	9,501

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	Oil cake and oil-cake meal.		OILS.						Paper, and man- ufactures of.	Perfum- ery and cosmetics.	PROVISIONS, INCLUDING MEATS AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
			Animal.		Mineral, illuminat- ing.		Vegetable, cotton seed.				Beef, canned.		Beef, salted or pickled.	
Pounds.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....	7,166,525	159,042	24,577	26,116	611,130	175,566			31,619	34,804			3,170,893	231,308
1872.....	6,761,253	154,487	22,612	17,967	645,416	183,705	44	29	33,722	28,890			2,861,169	217,982
1873.....	5,283,751	116,371	3,141	2,473	953,669	261,904	45	27	30,528	22,553			1,920,855	154,183
1874.....	3,531,735	78,491	7,418	5,101	1,167,191	236,943	91	62	20,436	30,284			2,270,872	182,625
1875.....	4,464,162	112,817	4,547	4,513	1,032,698	195,696	43	32	16,271	18,692			2,233,815	163,292
1876.....	5,387,750	133,900	7,866	6,240	807,438	151,990	315	162	20,578	29,825			2,380,139	221,500
1877.....	4,295,977	90,033	9,780	7,847	922,785	221,043	42	28	16,930	22,361			2,774,804	214,848
1878.....	8,442,360	170,908	8,536	6,594	1,029,584	175,575			21,929	13,651			2,296,869	173,546
1879.....	7,563,648	133,362	14,676	8,778	1,587,054	196,834			19,281	20,620			2,737,517	189,457
1880.....	6,550,214	122,514	6,933	3,958	955,200	108,930	950	400	25,738	12,855			2,722,512	182,514
1881.....	9,803,530	186,210	12,471	9,432	1,737,303	209,659	3,491	1,748	37,649	14,567			2,343,075	164,062
1882.....	9,624,324	184,963	11,843	9,646	1,158,680	132,915	12,398	6,113	46,203	11,035			1,990,732	169,033
1883.....	9,993,461	182,151	17,660	14,020	1,358,655	161,258	11,402	6,402	41,705	15,604			1,878,980	181,362
1884.....	10,831,813	205,672	9,344	6,700	1,347,144	154,583	7,018	4,001	30,611	16,930		8,703	2,231,018	177,194
1885.....	8,438,867	153,059	9,190	5,752	1,525,850	159,593	36,042	16,352	24,215	15,057		7,964	2,083,794	153,617
1886.....	9,575,980	160,815	13,372	6,693	1,567,906	161,364	21,946	9,897	26,616	15,329		7,599	2,385,669	152,124
1887.....	8,021,391	130,451	15,615	9,024	1,610,210	157,212	62,728	28,543	14,144	13,654	61,543	6,362	2,289,175	126,017
1888.....	8,588,775	139,701	13,083	7,235	1,866,747	193,060	25,799	12,624	25,443	15,145	127,228	11,102	3,319,590	185,066
1889.....	10,953,947	176,425	10,795	6,342	1,598,950	165,946	60,743	34,261	31,184	14,308	138,770	12,758	3,244,794	200,964
1890.....	11,105,277	170,228	11,305	6,040	1,933,096	204,508	122,507	50,576	31,222	13,144	201,520	16,455	4,069,802	215,687
1891.....	15,017,650	222,449	9,634	5,069	2,056,168	216,112	89,671	35,554	36,263	20,963	281,859	23,802	4,049,862	220,092
1892.....	10,495,281	152,713	9,977	5,635	2,001,008	176,055	110,317	41,510	29,395	15,403	257,547	21,795	3,985,928	241,747
1893.....	11,759,089	175,852	7,919	5,656	2,260,913	177,436	130,731	60,244	29,551	16,301	351,884	30,890	4,185,262	241,042
1894.....	13,116,409	193,339	12,819	8,098	2,238,248	171,574	163,685	63,810	30,485	18,859	464,228	39,273	5,198,550	315,471
1895.....	11,925,587	152,124	10,690	5,573	2,235,050	192,844	156,986	50,945	34,076	20,930	465,931	38,202	3,838,889	226,092
1896.....	11,631,436	122,497	4,517	2,362	2,499,857	245,942	204,387	59,914	50,877	19,502	339,619	31,635	4,207,262	230,017
1897.....	11,918,833	124,006	6,283	2,654	2,432,097	199,566	316,397	84,505	51,919	19,901	257,696	22,437	3,686,316	173,291
1898.....	11,660,713	149,022	6,597	2,938	2,425,180	191,335	307,996	83,612	52,989	18,402	298,132	28,414	3,571,472	195,667

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BRITISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

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	PROVISIONS, INCLUDING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS—continued.														
	Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Oleomargarine.		All other meat prod- ucts.	Dairy products.			Soap.	Sugar, refined.			
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.		Butter.	Cheese.	Milk.		Pounds.	Dollars.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....	8,322,897	983,919	3,293,121	459,112	.....	.....	23,103	579,119	134,145	567,643	80,723	4,427	70,018	54,496	7,183
1872.....	9,213,670	694,984	2,582,739	270,915	.....	.....	36,964	879,613	176,074	592,800	86,630	5,397	35,654	71,151	8,409
1873.....	6,253,916	517,278	2,299,510	235,279	.....	.....	40,787	646,301	121,500	533,662	77,753	6,150	55,620	131,028	14,474
1874.....	7,543,101	665,769	2,017,531	207,088	.....	.....	50,619	636,283	160,630	599,318	77,724	7,352	41,438	194,154	20,912
1875.....	6,632,023	725,200	2,034,681	294,667	.....	.....	54,413	680,201	167,215	373,675	55,137	8,461	37,835	292,126	31,824
1876.....	6,374,729	731,149	2,041,502	284,458	.....	.....	76,317	678,851	157,822	387,933	52,550	11,393	28,073	684,852	74,297
1877.....	8,006,374	789,203	2,232,281	252,793	.....	.....	47,471	1,277,945	250,134	404,411	57,345	8,592	23,978	671,259	79,178
1878.....	8,574,235	630,076	1,987,435	181,814	.....	.....	84,496	1,250,613	202,126	439,717	53,373	9,539	28,914	1,022,595	104,957
1879.....	8,457,467	591,329	2,394,452	179,993	.....	.....	69,048	1,346,279	184,731	591,063	58,776	7,042	31,277	901,913	79,927
1880.....	8,524,092	545,714	2,185,354	169,331	.....	.....	77,525	1,359,944	236,306	588,116	67,898	9,011	33,680	1,349,823	122,803
1881.....	8,465,874	687,072	2,690,366	248,144	.....	.....	62,093	1,661,399	308,653	495,086	67,653	10,740	34,891	1,391,880	127,827
1882.....	7,386,741	709,907	2,589,700	268,363	.....	.....	46,804	1,512,393	286,043	548,912	70,486	10,843	18,899	1,485,930	133,028
1883.....	7,110,546	755,535	2,260,602	248,161	.....	.....	50,144	1,927,893	343,417	545,975	74,555	11,963	19,914	1,516,075	140,000
1884.....	7,587,900	660,572	2,674,264	219,284	39,761	6,029	48,474	1,800,034	308,147	631,108	84,316	10,755	27,401	2,079,859	160,622
1885.....	8,144,894	607,511	2,739,918	195,655	8,262	1,063	62,589	1,956,746	324,213	625,682	83,752	7,397	19,791	1,650,360	105,507
1886.....	8,058,706	502,275	2,814,737	187,668	9,216	929	65,261	1,864,860	294,473	622,393	69,223	9,390	20,216	1,820,938	120,248
1887.....	7,261,993	528,141	2,911,611	204,706	161,693	23,763	61,195	1,665,975	264,307	607,099	75,722	5,889	24,871	2,208,841	144,639
1888.....	7,640,177	608,915	2,811,816	211,478	768,030	95,317	91,113	1,815,287	308,273	682,054	87,839	4,715	23,591	2,038,213	139,480
1889.....	8,816,283	699,436	2,544,514	231,012	750,708	86,460	86,941	1,590,952	272,620	676,092	85,011	4,587	33,387	1,790,469	141,464
1890.....	8,524,412	563,213	2,429,297	182,904	724,020	82,272	104,508	1,518,291	229,687	707,634	83,231	6,196	23,658	1,713,090	136,417
1891.....	9,239,091	593,160	2,333,143	178,123	395,518	44,291	104,126	1,583,183	243,636	816,369	102,755	6,502	28,734	2,067,927	123,238
1892.....	10,102,641	626,141	2,461,895	186,773	697,137	85,607	75,819	1,215,329	191,552	670,520	77,717	4,224	25,100	1,314,449	61,910
1893.....	8,319,831	687,645	2,460,110	230,536	1,494,195	175,029	56,619	733,677	146,667	724,783	91,289	5,111	24,717	2,062,034	107,636
1894.....	9,387,445	778,506	2,621,647	240,049	1,629,224	194,276	77,354	756,967	143,768	722,717	96,913	5,319	31,126	1,625,844	81,173
1895.....	8,065,428	597,228	2,430,443	188,263	1,259,090	147,493	83,928	726,953	123,028	693,381	78,519	7,692	23,164	1,610,459	72,907
1896.....	12,556,676	729,586	2,786,019	199,784	1,386,563	146,660	81,420	786,405	128,379	675,320	75,265	10,860	35,641	1,393,115	70,115
1897.....	9,339,331	462,157	2,448,882	134,893	1,332,133	132,672	114,758	755,598	117,775	607,226	75,616	8,900	42,984	826,982	43,457
1898.....	10,391,107	591,634	2,381,571	159,346	1,167,295	113,402	106,121	639,195	109,540	563,550	68,525	26,692	33,768	775,028	41,727

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30 -	EXPORTS FROM UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	TOBACCO, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			VEGETABLES.			WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.							Total exports of domestic merchan- dise.
	Leaf.	Manufac- tures of.	Dollars.	Beans and pease.	All other.	Lumber.				All other unmanufac- tured.	Manufac- tures of.			
						Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantlings.		Shingles.	Shooks, staves, and headings.					
<i>Pounds.</i>						<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>					<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	1,608,112	220,215	90,516	.....	.....	59,896	10,574	210,490	20,657	373,280	6,949	97,106	8,804,926
1872.....	1,725,858	217,230	59,300	.....	.....	71,671	10,002	198,713	40,788	411,333	22,289	82,417	8,614,923
1873.....	1,102,613	152,131	71,881	.....	.....	49,762	10,875	210,376	38,037	239,865	5,608	75,880	7,457,823
1874.....	1,089,194	144,029	87,898	.....	.....	47,587	15,854	350,845	23,799	281,745	11,587	82,285	7,467,897
1875.....	1,091,294	175,021	101,737	.....	.....	49,015	13,243	228,961	38,313	370,519	12,667	75,104	7,553,668
1876.....	1,217,931	185,180	92,686	.....	.....	48,776	15,477	243,037	42,622	349,141	23,122	80,496	8,196,842
1877.....	1,071,929	152,271	77,419	.....	.....	37,300	12,734	184,722	29,555	237,771	30,566	60,973	7,519,908
1878.....	829,239	102,598	145,266	.....	.....	43,554	16,227	240,429	51,406	302,230	18,555	83,591	7,392,679
1879.....	681,424	63,733	95,956	.....	.....	32,676	20,865	288,113	51,009	206,313	22,022	79,730	6,485,391
1880.....	1,011,547	102,494	56,532	.....	.....	43,643	16,450	245,404	31,995	181,900	46,265	93,883	6,849,878
1881.....	1,196,560	123,318	63,409	.....	.....	30,030	22,072	367,066	42,148	139,315	40,046	78,511	8,138,565
1882.....	1,002,874	118,505	52,355	.....	.....	26,671	21,480	370,969	44,060	262,720	6,731	93,931	7,824,293
1883.....	1,062,195	131,595	82,112	.....	.....	23,671	27,874	458,514	43,392	308,107	7,978	103,345	8,241,622
1884.....	1,341,900	138,243	68,476	31,024	45,968	27,133	21,818	354,736	39,926	344,436	15,284	103,074	8,553,244	
1885.....	1,136,679	125,362	89,605	39,011	57,343	28,817	16,040	246,395	37,685	250,165	6,444	115,322	6,963,219	
1886.....	912,151	99,757	88,807	49,943	71,983	30,171	18,417	304,755	28,300	193,051	4,954	90,562	7,113,699	
1887.....	1,118,614	101,721	73,218	58,408	76,960	33,426	18,381	294,182	31,208	199,612	14,821	87,926	6,465,030	
1888.....	1,018,568	93,960	105,421	49,257	72,654	49,813	18,416	286,242	37,684	281,937	57,305	90,162	7,450,018	

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898—Cont'd.

DANISH WEST INDIES.

(Includes Dutch Guiana to 1873.)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									EXPORTS TO—	
	FREE OF DUTY.			DUTIABLE.					Total imports of merchan- dise.	BREADSTUFFS.	
	Sugar.		Total free of duty.	Spirits, distilled.		Sugar.		Total dutiable.		Corn meal.	
	Pounds.	Dollars.		Pf. galls.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.			Barrels.	Dollars.
1871.....			50,605	106,263	52,761	6,849,895	323,867	619,578	670,183	28,768	136,775
1872.....			17,194	64,719	27,421	8,284,665	422,080	739,268	756,462	27,097	106,640
1873.....			19,177	94,948	69,986	3,718,138	198,408	425,542	444,719	30,661	118,490
1874.....			15,968	63,249	31,585	1,665,584	70,858	211,660	227,637	36,360	156,484
1875.....			28,655	82,720	55,532	5,517,637	216,781	486,993	515,048	25,825	121,488
1876.....			65,869	62,638	32,111	4,181,144	152,240	298,122	363,991	27,811	111,369
1877.....			8,058	47,777	26,135	3,558,726	162,362	276,422	284,480	29,411	102,049
1878.....			40,010	30,194	14,248	3,879,935	186,090	295,531	335,541	28,845	94,207
1879.....			128,140	31,380	13,240	4,932,761	186,832	314,687	442,827	24,617	73,240
1880.....			97,034	59,502	23,260	6,324,387	249,986	364,463	461,497	22,427	71,287
1881.....			34,429	38,145	16,814	4,975,738	213,674	325,471	359,900	23,160	78,046
1882.....			95,440	51,294	20,037	6,179,680	279,149	443,584	539,024	22,621	92,469
1883.....			6,603	49,342	28,680	5,679,119	231,098	377,400	384,003	20,016	81,245
1884.....			14,827	56,009	27,441	6,946,086	249,673	373,036	387,863	20,268	70,068
1885.....			14,493	36,458	16,643	10,048,008	250,862	321,810	336,303	19,702	67,588
1886.....			11,961	24,371	17,027	6,552,931	188,879	233,960	245,921	19,340	61,756
1887.....			33,058	45,273	25,571	15,043,972	385,930	467,617	500,075	19,115	56,370
1888.....			39,489	35,002	19,887	11,103,826	295,312	359,731	399,220	19,751	62,347
1889.....			50,304	31,573	14,332	13,844,351	475,848	557,627	607,931	17,274	55,159
1890.....			55,429	23,738	9,470	13,754,707	478,893	533,310	588,739	18,137	50,422
1891.....	385,528	11,023	48,720	20,413	11,673	a 6,684,359	b 209,507	239,661	288,381	19,675	63,458
1892.....	9,941,406	262,593	329,950	37,164	17,330	.....	.....	32,128	362,078	17,114	58,303
1893.....	13,894,070	431,217	527,661	25,592	10,573	.....	.....	19,965	547,626	18,151	53,123
1894.....	15,558,546	473,153	496,647	17,677	8,829	.....	.....	15,323	511,970	18,731	52,942
1895.....	a 5,161,215	a 134,295	150,340	18,673	8,412	3,970,374	71,128	89,435	239,775	15,476	44,969
1896.....			19,594	16,800	7,905	12,202,619	261,728	230,745	310,339	16,000	39,516
1897.....			26,634	23,148	8,725	16,999,347	316,781	340,655	367,289	17,912	35,680
1898.....			10,515	2,138	811	14,832,991	312,446	317,244	327,759	17,025	33,786

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	BREADSTUFFS—continued.			Coal.		Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Leather, and man- ufactures of.	PROVISIONS.					
	Wheat flour.		All other.						Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Oleomargarine.	
	Barrels.	Dollars.		Tons.	Dollars.				Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	38,369	268,073	36,216	150	536	14,341	16,165	14,259	370,941	41,615	206,762	31,780		
1872.....	32,379	254,954	34,226	3,600	16,511	13,458	59,198	13,331	577,876	44,047	229,480	25,390		
1873.....	34,061	286,264	48,735	26,121	123,201	12,755	65,587	11,064	623,266	49,271	271,815	29,258		
1874.....	35,657	273,635	67,230	8,764	42,885	9,160	14,808	14,057	723,394	63,158	324,156	34,266		
1875.....	31,088	179,866	48,647	4,804	23,185	12,266	19,521	12,193	520,466	54,572	236,851	34,194		
1876.....	39,677	247,206	42,067	4,784	19,723	10,857	22,148	12,528	439,299	47,534	230,686	31,740		
1877.....	23,768	228,205	41,170	4,226	15,369	27,741	19,751	15,338	478,810	45,878	225,712	26,249		
1878.....	26,690	173,299	36,575	12,857	40,893	52,019	13,014	13,958	641,299	44,155	194,003	18,168		
1879.....	34,548	174,896	32,230	13,261	39,836	139,653	29,095	10,151	737,568	45,089	261,436	19,387		
1880.....	30,794	194,380	35,100	4,209	15,384	32,322	17,014	11,402	685,609	45,180	286,827	22,547		
1881.....	32,614	185,870	46,943	9,244	35,687	18,656	24,985	15,635	622,158	51,401	293,088	28,445		
1882.....	25,600	173,440	32,895	8,719	34,700	22,435	26,297	15,215	450,687	43,559	225,817	25,671		
1883.....	30,307	171,159	35,804	2,408	8,801	21,969	34,951	15,692	353,480	37,621	226,574	26,332		
1884.....	28,273	152,544	20,642		995	3,584	13,709	23,374	375,601	32,690	161,139	15,264	6,104	776
1885.....	30,312	139,632	18,064	8,567	25,627	15,089	9,577	21,807	560,713	39,270	196,741	15,948	281	44
1886.....	29,154	143,894	16,065	8,083	23,122	22,860	11,052	18,630	466,524	29,969	175,280	11,451	1,233	157
1887.....	30,818	136,600	19,438	17,454	51,281	21,253	18,703	14,854	483,053	36,757	184,551	13,671	13,227	1,919
1888.....	30,276	132,617	14,970	26,621	72,438	15,458	13,299	17,264	374,207	31,326	184,266	14,569	72,788	8,943
1889.....	27,087	131,910	16,178	53,700	145,220	9,666	18,867	13,023	390,144	32,230	177,135	16,585	96,200	10,906
1890.....	31,377	137,128	18,124	56,093	156,038	14,893	43,527	15,522	460,679	33,035	161,990	12,598	57,220	6,620
1891.....	24,772	124,231	21,413	61,868	165,489	7,704	15,342	9,128	427,629	28,154	140,475	10,254	29,075	2,880
1892.....	26,928	130,435	18,112	56,998	150,450	9,172	10,242	8,421	522,971	34,320	173,944	13,025	6,170	787
1893.....	28,064	117,984	17,288	37,006	99,572	8,893	51,741	8,454	361,464	31,697	173,498	18,285	73,480	9,371
1894.....	27,281	98,750	14,844	41,461	110,676	14,147	30,736	13,001	413,860	36,595	189,255	17,969	108,620	14,193
1895.....	25,457	83,216	21,536	39,420	104,290	8,672	11,378	16,030	396,215	31,003	163,858	13,216	97,550	11,386
1896.....	26,423	98,633	19,236	56,355	146,557	12,001	12,271	15,724	439,830	27,851	162,889	10,565	102,890	11,131
1897.....	25,205	106,519	16,005	44,419	115,601	11,299	11,318	20,526	486,517	25,986	181,066	9,102	125,000	11,603
1898.....	31,085	178,730	24,980	64,770	150,001	21,004	17,881	25,554	693,916	42,099	501,454	31,848	108,975	9,711

a See Dutiable.

b See Free of duty.

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898—Cont'd.

DANISH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	PROVISIONS—continued.			Spirits, distilled.		Starch.		Sugar, refined.		Tobacco leaf.		Vege- tables.	Wood, and man- ufactures of.	Total ex- ports of domestic merchan- dise.
	Butter.	All other.												
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pf. galls.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	80,829	18,815	20,079			57,250	5,324	2,565	385	136,701	18,455	1,639	119,658	901,182
1872.....	121,341	24,195	24,392	123	270	97,423	6,956	2,001	254	84,889	10,665	1,658	112,030	911,452
1873.....	96,921	18,732	17,963			143,054	9,862	4,700	694	106,757	12,709	2,170	99,110	1,022,126
1874.....	107,171	26,450	19,165			113,593	8,096	7,278	832	101,855	13,414	2,609	54,217	905,629
1875.....	98,921	22,115	22,133			98,995	6,715	9,662	1,108	74,541	10,625	2,493	93,369	759,976
1876.....	96,700	20,592	29,760	48	149	124,330	7,804	25,917	2,799	334,285	35,088	2,219	48,519	767,309
1877.....	129,411	26,989	17,655	5	18	176,424	9,403	30,039	3,135	100,974	12,577	1,841	53,755	741,664
1878.....	162,278	25,297	18,550	22	15	219,489	11,005	77,676	7,921	171,003	19,237	2,154	63,583	738,696
1879.....	179,710	24,094	16,256	5	17	211,610	8,882	95,648	8,394	156,121	14,090	1,941	114,246	886,857
1880.....	175,945	30,323	15,092	6,886	3,653	219,779	9,150	114,887	10,607	158,039	14,263	1,484	59,398	689,104
1881.....	134,508	23,888	10,843	7,667	2,032	270,520	11,748	158,784	15,742	132,120	12,734	1,969	67,334	721,128
1882.....	145,252	26,101	13,216	27,490	5,843	201,035	9,560	96,998	9,850	89,868	9,528	1,436	74,769	716,591
1883.....	152,938	25,877	13,645	24,597	8,821	201,832	9,131	163,301	15,517	115,686	11,109	870	80,124	694,565
1884.....	161,744	25,110	12,196	20,989	7,066	140,120	6,473	181,709	15,438	137,330	14,332	6,293	59,277	578,967
1885.....	171,734	26,280	13,500	20,360	15,301	223,603	9,259	160,862	10,569	108,829	11,521	6,681	55,024	571,103
1886.....	147,400	20,710	9,991	73,050	47,690	162,029	6,008	186,288	12,832	101,201	10,887	8,348	52,846	587,572
1887.....	156,866	23,305	12,306	31,045	24,503	155,562	5,803	248,621	15,891	155,878	14,608	7,993	51,577	694,844
1888.....	143,823	23,915	14,065	44,244	30,087	205,497	6,929	109,711	7,716	110,731	10,312	10,431	44,943	603,140
1889.....	141,820	21,779	9,763	40,973	36,339	168,381	5,810	108,644	8,373	126,681	9,749	8,765	43,544	673,942
1890.....	184,320	22,677	14,320	51,867	48,915	183,233	6,361	305,854	22,501	143,060	9,507	10,352	46,266	785,395
1891.....	145,116	19,218	10,505	9,946	9,425	137,074	5,645	106,931	6,985	90,639	6,549	9,163	44,144	625,609
1892.....	185,266	27,536	10,632	11,846	3,722	174,344	7,072	232,633	10,143	103,888	7,362	9,615	31,179	619,843
1893.....	131,105	22,672	12,325	10,297	4,364	156,409	5,936	194,420	9,937	123,824	9,717	7,577	44,550	690,804
1894.....	89,948	17,275	14,779	8,023	3,020	185,912	7,231	192,430	9,609	150,239	12,898	6,484	34,222	579,977
1895.....	69,022	9,736	14,891	1,882	927	137,163	5,736	195,290	9,680	88,478	7,332	7,014	35,498	493,570
1896.....	62,263	8,071	12,730	2,683	1,974	160,695	5,918	95,140	4,767	122,749	9,764	8,643	32,648	535,974
1897.....	51,625	6,318	11,961	899	727	142,083	4,426	118,913	6,136	118,915	9,083	7,555	40,323	519,448
1898.....	72,289	8,771	16,647	187	416	153,982	4,785	114,525	6,039	188,422	14,661	10,723	25,412	704,034

DUTCH WEST INDIES.

(Includes Dutch Guiana to 1873.)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										Total imports of merchan- dise.
	FREE OF DUTY.						DUTIABLE.				
	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Salt.		Wood, unmanufac- tured.	Total free of duty.	Salt.	Total duti- able.			
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	25,634	147,681			31,508	264,366	19,893,248	20,556	755,856	1,020,222	
1872.....	105,934	385,442			23,600	518,810	27,403,600	29,303	545,691	1,064,501	
1873.....	71,600	435,283			44,445	782,069	29,319,482	34,429	400,925	1,182,994	
1874.....	44,065	569,726			46,270	1,236,265	45,876,341	54,812	344,471	1,580,736	
1875.....	44,978	336,065			53,658	1,187,752	44,000,714	48,819	298,825	1,486,577	
1876.....	51,349	171,863			3,222	387,107	39,259,731	47,071	284,619	671,726	
1877.....	25,860	93,778			432	283,485	26,682,875	30,373	497,209	690,694	
1878.....	31,375	172,681			9,928	318,424	37,277,946	45,178	306,510	624,934	
1879.....	33,944	453,075			2,412	580,652	25,937,484	36,461	66,750	647,402	
1880.....	43,865	893,308			2,605	1,161,906	9,626,197	15,154	193,611	1,355,517	
1881.....	54,582	755,856			2,055	2,500,796	23,102,880	34,132	93,580	2,594,376	
1882.....	48,472	791,675			4,489	1,425,359	14,149,175	20,041	156,774	1,582,133	
1883.....	47,593	592,494			9,892	777,690	49,162,023	55,910	104,368	882,058	
1884.....	38,892	376,909			17,252	594,101	37,235,087	41,490	53,491	647,592	
1885.....	35,625	210,415			1,470	340,197	37,289,635	39,272	46,471	386,668	
1886.....	37,921	224,611			4,098	405,772	29,973,217	29,595	47,975	453,747	
1887.....	36,417	91,557			9,188	226,939	18,672,470	19,755	29,756	256,695	

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DUTCH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.									
	FREE OF DUTY.						DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.
	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Salt.		Wood, unmanufac- tured.	Total free of duty.	Salt.		Total duti- able.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1888.....	27,066	96,014			24,652	363,288	16,570,189	19,237	25,546	388,834
1889.....	21,917	59,591			14,854	174,629	11,398,912	12,535	19,458	194,087
1890.....	20,283	34,408			25,777	125,056	15,819,609	19,645	68,980	194,036
1891.....	24,089	36,768			34,444	102,780	16,442,056	19,851	21,571	124,351
1892.....	8,743	34,363			11,444	64,217	28,792,112	30,321	33,895	98,112
1893.....	9,508	39,295			17,433	249,721	14,959,989	16,958	21,873	271,594
1894.....	7,981	24,869			4,767	51,905	4,726,544	5,201	11,782	62,687
1895.....	12,345	41,834	21,726,311	26,073	13,747	171,828	a 1,851,386	a 2,075	4,580	176,408
1896.....	13,162	35,184	19,309,198	22,357	20,415	107,156			55,978	163,134
1897.....	21,389	24,889	16,693,636	15,539	17,990	93,136			3,207	96,343
1898.....	30,369	35,530	896,000	965	27,758	160,915	7,051,220	7,421	13,328	174,243

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—										
	BREADSTUFFS.									Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Clocks and watches, etc.
	Bread and biscuit.		Corn.		Corn meal.		Wheat flour.		All other.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....	273,962	13,152	1,530	1,389	2,447	11,425	34,907	240,448	9,773	9,204	1,315
1872.....	256,406	14,570	9,100	7,702	5,256	25,253	32,842	250,996	12,154	9,815	417
1873.....	337,534	18,727	28,826	23,046	8,807	32,761	32,584	280,539	22,806	10,980	597
1874.....	315,705	18,162	39,850	34,664	12,519	54,097	35,445	275,391	21,884	12,641	1,163
1875.....	262,411	14,072	9,060	9,106	9,282	41,449	33,257	210,051	18,941	10,613	651
1876.....	218,410	12,085	27,979	22,646	12,049	51,170	33,169	217,278	22,191	7,296	521
1877.....	250,015	15,055	50,909	34,997	16,642	58,226	31,960	232,203	21,788	5,832	799
1878.....	234,047	15,467	60,527	41,126	19,600	63,836	24,527	165,764	17,080	7,351	1,010
1879.....	247,733	16,065	27,236	14,869	18,986	55,517	25,366	134,009	17,471	25,519	827
1880.....	277,510	15,528	25,667	16,037	11,314	36,951	33,591	216,852	28,964	38,656	1,222
1881.....	345,060	19,651	188,774	122,206	15,706	52,399	30,016	176,269	27,301	19,439	1,881
1882.....	467,727	23,661	100,003	73,901	20,841	79,501	25,823	176,594	18,624	11,478	1,474
1883.....	536,636	21,349	39,922	30,976	17,949	69,754	21,955	124,365	15,339	7,365	307
1884.....	505,776	19,139	27,090	19,392	17,277	61,531	24,237	131,911	6,383	6,372	996
1885.....	434,161	16,010	107,705	75,301	21,122	72,706	25,063	126,200	8,121	10,996	1,895
1886.....	456,973	16,189	20,382	32,139	22,753	73,539	24,668	119,769	6,370	6,944	1,111
1887.....	335,271	13,769	16,463	9,035	16,726	48,901	20,489	95,460	3,898	11,172	1,925
1888.....	344,280	13,026	15,631	9,840	15,678	48,740	23,086	104,003	3,419	7,492	2,562
1889.....	437,946	21,931	64,790	36,303	19,925	63,693	27,426	136,529	4,258	6,317	3,918
1890.....	460,508	18,725	77,110	40,335	18,555	50,038	21,529	99,212	3,527	14,751	4,780
1891.....	472,603	21,582	32,246	25,674	13,544	45,923	21,497	111,173	3,463	11,311	8,105
1892.....	423,407	19,271	26,536	20,176	15,502	55,910	21,916	111,024	5,063	9,837	10,184
1893.....	390,347	16,447	19,263	11,709	18,661	56,271	26,993	115,136	3,930	13,000	4,468
1894.....	316,296	12,933	23,725	13,519	18,681	52,351	22,475	84,978	4,786	13,378	4,569
1895.....	313,302	12,973	20,673	11,914	17,493	51,766	23,003	82,695	2,920	9,014	6,325
1896.....	405,838	15,639	29,794	14,975	20,734	52,191	22,976	89,836	2,939	11,177	3,189
1897.....	420,832	17,829	35,474	13,886	23,001	46,887	22,664	92,407	2,583	10,820	1,402
1898.....	377,303	18,803	31,699	13,545	28,558	57,380	22,574	112,441	2,868	9,025	1,170

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DUTCH WEST INDIES—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Iron and steel, manu- factures of.	Oils, mineral, refined, illuminating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
	Cloths.		All other.				Beef, salted or pickled.		Lard.	
	Yards.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	151,532	19,197	11,081	32,698	67,862	20,302	879,301	52,629	170,440	25,524
1872.....	63,341	13,102	7,477	19,814	82,738	23,077	722,630	36,861	219,910	23,606
1873.....	76,628	12,468	9,970	27,094	108,984	29,087	695,263	36,680	223,294	23,021
1874.....	44,887	6,436	5,892	29,163	135,186	25,089	697,016	37,060	441,934	43,567
1875.....	131,613	18,048	1,528	17,300	104,728	17,804	532,427	32,021	171,150	25,700
1876.....	52,650	8,156	6,343	14,358	139,851	24,195	751,859	52,179	185,440	28,380
1877.....	312,323	26,408	10,848	8,771	156,836	38,054	829,115	49,381	156,897	19,317
1878.....	208,170	19,346	4,311	10,730	114,536	19,972	610,058	33,820	118,279	12,335
1879.....	551,179	45,747	2,168	21,813	104,949	12,882	363,703	17,081	229,186	20,926
1880.....	573,726	54,610	4,346	34,900	122,755	13,171	319,974	16,210	486,213	43,450
1881.....	546,884	55,803	3,807	35,148	136,031	17,722	327,921	16,331	453,320	45,743
1882.....	465,233	47,053	2,545	17,046	94,720	10,864	290,682	17,946	281,480	34,686
1883.....	451,140	39,232	2,020	10,691	95,505	10,676	219,703	14,556	232,917	30,010
1884.....	593,939	47,784	2,037	13,649	97,490	10,827	367,305	22,364	223,009	23,572
1885.....	636,857	51,891	2,687	16,853	96,988	9,850	366,516	18,169	243,695	21,215
1886.....	939,846	51,096	3,428	8,350	100,193	10,854	267,027	12,528	240,450	19,657
1887.....	1,076,277	93,230	3,495	10,698	106,410	10,488	318,510	12,720	184,347	14,867
1888.....	1,095,261	66,915	3,465	18,869	100,357	11,481	374,896	16,005	170,816	15,351
1889.....	683,509	47,607	4,354	13,061	121,959	13,171	231,304	12,726	210,762	19,137
1890.....	1,068,083	68,623	3,744	18,436	133,104	14,678	421,165	15,310	168,694	13,274
1891.....	1,798,517	113,879	6,743	32,531	186,044	19,905	397,896	15,523	235,695	18,244
1892.....	1,196,438	70,779	7,619	21,286	179,226	16,863	331,482	14,912	189,114	15,457
1893.....	1,489,799	95,345	7,527	24,232	186,936	15,141	339,470	13,374	166,160	17,063
1894.....	1,008,188	61,472	5,108	28,763	143,542	11,925	334,329	14,678	184,540	16,483
1895.....	1,103,486	57,476	4,011	21,565	155,293	13,777	325,171	15,209	197,175	14,807
1896.....	1,180,017	71,374	4,139	42,954	164,070	18,904	353,700	15,234	218,456	13,193
1897.....	1,869,286	92,459	5,452	30,892	183,280	17,295	385,360	14,673	238,784	12,578
1898.....	996,871	42,281	3,394	19,561	175,271	14,582	400,569	17,009	241,783	13,183

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.										
	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS—continued.				TOBACCO, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				Vegetables.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Butter.		All other.	Sugar, refined.		Leaf.		Manufac- tures of.			
	Pounds.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.		Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	70,871	17,283	99,840	24,939	3,286	128,635	19,532	32,451	7,172	44,901	824,120
1872.....	101,401	21,474	72,327	17,275	2,106	133,856	21,703	38,078	5,767	35,817	767,344
1873.....	131,585	27,390	115,980	12,612	1,697	151,299	21,519	35,644	6,497	80,218	954,852
1874.....	101,234	26,704	102,243	45,357	5,140	168,137	24,381	54,574	6,789	65,117	979,001
1875.....	127,549	31,033	114,944	27,960	3,040	63,634	11,386	39,346	5,804	50,259	818,424
1876.....	119,716	28,286	115,042	48,237	5,068	133,766	22,200	39,232	5,099	38,501	857,546
1877.....	179,220	38,056	132,752	77,646	9,143	153,231	23,212	23,436	7,199	53,566	966,322
1878.....	135,710	25,125	63,617	65,893	6,977	89,425	12,138	22,674	6,180	49,166	685,789
1879.....	101,572	16,786	22,549	106,875	10,358	27,310	3,546	62,574	2,372	42,608	622,171
1880.....	119,097	22,681	33,943	195,601	19,451	103,356	14,156	37,755	5,572	53,802	837,288
1881.....	152,490	32,238	31,966	207,198	20,458	37,257	4,657	57,234	8,748	43,012	921,475
1882.....	107,652	21,465	21,515	168,690	18,178	29,354	4,350	18,263	10,175	42,031	743,304
1883.....	103,826	22,311	16,288	44,200	4,320	51,534	6,876	39,770	8,258	35,242	579,690
1884.....	102,393	18,594	15,178	107,987	9,259	47,998	6,607	49,354	14,342	27,127	580,115
1885.....	162,801	18,454	12,219	102,775	7,252	39,901	5,074	27,338	20,638	31,997	653,853
1886.....	119,163	18,216	13,205	151,209	10,051	286,894	25,331	13,450	17,109	27,689	570,159
1887.....	105,178	18,316	14,261	145,835	9,575	23,753	2,927	19,063	13,848	39,476	536,300
1888.....	129,681	24,720	15,681	121,303	8,860	54,566	6,432	58,133	16,077	43,371	581,055
1889.....	105,054	18,598	17,594	115,094	9,376	47,760	6,268	33,065	18,411	33,921	619,011
1890.....	121,973	21,997	17,700	145,343	11,317	42,866	6,089	38,807	17,244	30,310	609,693
1891.....	148,846	26,621	17,718	305,870	18,930	90,211	15,522	66,477	18,177	34,508	771,600
1892.....	129,696	24,913	20,665	177,366	8,782	49,434	7,408	57,624	15,869	45,727	665,617
1893.....	110,061	22,513	24,361	332,582	17,507	48,592	7,652	123,135	18,909	33,782	747,589
1894.....	112,765	19,162	21,035	276,238	13,580	54,608	8,154	59,873	14,194	39,485	595,596
1895.....	97,229	14,755	24,451	117,476	6,835	35,985	4,732	78,247	12,984	25,891	550,615
1896.....	118,537	15,169	19,650	144,508	7,356	179,010	23,408	61,495	14,236	27,629	619,118
1897.....	127,497	15,703	18,121	77,037	3,802	53,292	7,904	74,641	18,721	47,792	649,971
1898.....	129,822	16,428	17,441	35,375	1,777	78,804	12,148	45,871	20,613	19,358	541,295

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FRENCH WEST INDIES.

(Years 1871 and 1872 include all French America; 1873 to 1878 include French Guiana.)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—							
	FREE OF DUTY.	DUTIABLE.	Total imports of mer- chandise.	ANIMALS.			BREADSTUFFS.				
				Mules.		All other.	Bread and biscuit.		Corn.		
				Number.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.
1871.....	Dollars. 6,368	Dollars. 1,679,741	Dollars. 1,686,109	133	18,617	2,990	114,840	6,605	17,472	15,098	
1872.....	12,732	2,270,559	2,283,291	70	9,180	26,319	107,357	6,492	15,874	13,506	
1873.....	8,156	1,186,584	1,194,740	70	10,705	2,474	191,649	10,121	24,415	18,381	
1874.....	15,063	1,426,071	1,441,134	170	21,670	10,785	184,184	8,944	21,714	17,365	
1875.....	9,297	2,026,142	2,035,439	409	45,153	19,900	132,769	7,161	28,205	27,010	
1876.....	52,902	1,804,766	1,857,668	345	45,150	16,932	365,048	16,015	35,321	28,714	
1877.....	7,722	2,314,931	2,322,653	252	31,285	20,662	217,343	9,955	28,488	20,043	
1878.....	19,644	2,857,259	2,876,903	672	82,670	23,468	447,219	20,029	48,946	34,144	
1879.....	4,456	2,618,845	2,618,301	923	105,660	16,960	685,872	23,504	48,810	28,385	
1880.....	7,012	2,709,992	2,717,004	1,294	147,495	23,064	961,060	36,436	66,843	42,831	
1881.....	11,748	2,452,829	2,464,577	782	89,240	7,750	1,233,209	42,858	65,149	42,038	
1882.....	1,591	2,423,164	2,424,755	739	85,060	9,330	1,079,412	43,713	38,940	31,671	
1883.....	4,120	2,891,728	2,895,857	854	112,250	9,601	1,267,871	45,317	52,858	45,737	
1884.....	17,486	3,118,916	3,136,402	1,052	127,887	9,842	1,305,051	43,606	48,496	36,252	
1885.....	36,073	1,111,442	1,147,515	160	17,510	5,364	1,733,492	63,354	65,177	44,084	
1886.....	14,336	520,015	534,351	169	20,260	1,938	1,704,909	64,369	44,962	27,568	
1887.....	24,741	881,884	406,025	534	52,498	1,054	1,509,442	45,089	55,744	31,883	
1888.....	6,865	110,025	116,890	935	113,980	4,445	1,565,573	52,804	52,380	34,232	
1889.....	10,641	99,412	110,053	1,016	123,285	4,920	1,257,024	48,423	63,668	35,712	
1890.....	4,447	124,550	128,997	943	114,038	5,287	1,118,763	48,172	65,328	33,551	
1891.....	19,176	4,294	23,470	259	31,645	9,793	1,059,314	53,228	64,931	43,515	
1892.....	20,441	387	29,828	460	47,150	360	932,495	49,525	54,912	37,749	
1893.....	7,902	438	8,340	230	32,624	1,615	661,000	37,364	57,850	36,950	
1894.....	17,095	1,241	18,336	485	53,096	7,826	633,329	34,416	72,208	41,638	
1895.....	25,786	1,846	27,632	109	11,100	5,900	625,066	33,898	65,672	41,570	
1896.....	6,905	5,881	12,786	318	32,980	6,900	497,300	25,237	68,716	34,265	
1897.....	8,580	1,364	9,944	352	38,736	4,265	612,910	29,854	76,560	32,050	
1898.....	17,134	13,754	30,888	147	15,316	3,589	579,380	25,099	90,970	37,669	

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	BREADSTUFFS—continued.					Coal.		OILS.			
	Wheat.		Wheat flour.		All other.			Mineral, illuminating.		Cotton seed.	
	Bushels.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....			60,691	423,313	33,920	74	679	136,515	40,994		
1872.....			62,753	473,055	23,619	2,083	10,131	57,385	17,205		
1873.....			55,340	445,165	16,592	13,757	66,221	45,464	14,110		
1874.....	3,000	5,200	53,869	400,547	16,228	10,240	50,920	69,750	15,724		
1875.....	22,996	29,976	60,173	360,723	19,553	3,133	14,350	124,846	25,026		
1876.....	20,327	28,988	80,662	523,471	36,448			181,150	34,121		
1877.....	35,886	59,608	65,155	447,129	17,577	3,599	13,159	134,025	33,280		
1878.....	25,346	37,823	72,339	462,770	39,883	855	2,709	235,592	39,942		
1879.....	5,000	6,250	80,150	419,607	31,481	5,273	15,807	191,036	24,561		
1880.....	26,500	36,987	94,531	576,989	45,170	3,575	11,406	200,661	23,322	1,041	510
1881.....	20,992	26,899	94,741	540,275	33,361	2,089	7,977	233,720	31,532	6,797	3,095
1882.....	23,095	32,798	82,608	560,118	20,534	7,991	28,379	246,762	31,124	81,052	40,521
1883.....	37,197	45,642	91,976	531,618	17,309			233,702	25,571	136,123	71,153
1884.....	38,698	43,194	85,297	462,482	5,005	50	250	246,414	26,442	88,020	39,349
1885.....			101,589	478,412	9,705	1,485	4,675	351,500	34,953	120,643	49,612
1886.....	27	31	98,022	483,488	7,503	2,238	6,730	371,320	35,889	98,952	35,563
1887.....	1,996	1,840	89,657	411,322	7,505	8,882	23,947	329,946	31,599	80,752	31,391
1888.....	26,381	24,137	94,696	425,655	4,703	16,076	43,358	304,580	31,431	2,395	1,107
1889.....	22,981	21,752	107,070	536,012	5,930	20,269	83,243	405,140	41,137	50	30
1890.....	32,868	31,887	110,313	495,421	13,192	20,148	84,111	437,849	44,080	145,921	54,987
1891.....	9,978	11,366	111,549	556,807	8,907	35,733	94,076	381,512	37,685	56,779	21,049
1892.....	8,494	9,455	130,196	645,401	9,857	43,212	113,372	396,460	33,741	85,894	29,387
1893.....	11,203	9,288	124,969	524,122	8,124	33,017	87,995	451,867	32,668	124,890	55,612
1894.....	12,969	9,507	124,820	472,921	7,586	38,861	102,643	436,923	32,178	180,829	69,663
1895.....	8,418	5,800	132,784	438,013	11,008	43,158	113,812	389,301	31,998	190,817	61,326
1896.....	9,356	6,750	109,198	418,685	4,695	34,006	89,191	651,393	62,495	249,043	72,685
1897.....	10	11	117,237	514,822	6,261	31,709	83,020	460,580	39,722	406,332	104,953
1898.....			115,230	606,658	8,267	33,841	84,005	413,876	28,608	431,703	108,693

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.							
	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.							
	Beef, salted and pickled.		Bacon, hams, and pork.		Lard.		Oleomargarine.	
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	468,104	45,501	909,254	114,522	244,787	37,662		
1872.....	618,688	46,896	1,179,944	108,071	270,286	33,642		
1873.....	503,525	44,716	830,958	82,182	307,832	37,447		
1874.....	485,150	41,680	758,894	75,188	209,615	24,121		
1875.....	560,050	52,212	793,067	95,368	346,524	56,836		
1876.....	855,420	81,872	1,001,587	123,091	435,704	66,272		
1877.....	495,928	35,395	1,085,545	107,780	457,722	57,783		
1878.....	849,387	62,045	1,431,708	106,935	582,120	56,818		
1879.....	868,849	60,753	1,476,691	93,392	577,475	47,259		
1880.....	1,250,772	83,972	1,800,352	116,990	730,351	59,931		
1881.....	912,659	58,292	1,212,269	98,475	836,666	77,803		
1882.....	750,575	64,723	495,410	50,925	757,238	78,458		
1883.....	689,100	67,618	631,474	70,856	786,335	88,354		
1884.....	879,200	65,284	937,763	78,715	838,255	72,603		
1885.....	385,375	29,580	823,582	64,492	929,056	65,320		
1886.....	445,605	28,802	928,818	60,060	822,066	50,725		
1887.....	624,575	34,590	860,345	63,900	1,019,808	66,085	38,575	6,151
1888.....	1,406,250	65,929	844,941	69,126	914,785	66,719	103,837	13,849
1889.....	1,597,691	84,391	1,051,300	87,765	1,175,729	103,584	241,494	27,663
1890.....	1,770,800	81,844	1,047,060	74,603	1,047,540	80,035	249,908	28,652
1891.....	1,820,650	83,669	1,795,168	109,406	1,214,926	91,712	222,598	23,542
1892.....	1,500,200	77,051	1,677,073	102,954	1,176,748	88,132	192,345	20,730
1893.....	1,476,050	76,841	1,048,846	82,252	1,062,376	108,026	691,448	82,998
1894.....	1,558,350	86,912	1,371,510	116,053	1,132,077	104,565	834,458	106,507
1895.....	1,039,200	53,413	1,039,836	80,948	1,052,846	82,052	997,276	121,505
1896.....	944,100	44,194	1,462,853	87,625	1,204,242	75,520	887,870	98,708
1897.....	966,300	42,805	1,594,437	82,924	1,274,052	64,257	1,048,355	109,467
1898.....	1,165,800	56,777	1,014,993	55,889	1,032,403	57,995	403,380	39,451

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS—continued.				WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.						Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Butter.		All other.	Tobacco, leaf.		Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.		Shooks. <i>a</i>	All other.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	63,491	12,661	3,065	850,636	84,678	3,118	60,741	126,357	14,131	1,256,791	
1872.....	43,275	8,462	3,235	1,106,052	99,084	4,326	88,021	182,615	24,073	1,411,746	
1873.....	23,560	4,122	849	918,393	114,663	5,706	118,315	65,825	14,277	1,134,795	
1874.....	24,485	3,877	1,495	1,304,674	147,518	6,112	132,786	88,294	11,090	1,172,143	
1875.....	8,288	1,820	1,229	472,376	63,342	2,838	49,559	149,254	18,836	1,167,276	
1876.....	18,375	3,348	4,513	700,781	100,127	3,605	64,134	126,162	12,881	1,486,925	
1877.....	17,427	3,935	3,726	823,448	109,318	5,154	83,123	129,166	13,689	1,368,074	
1878.....	31,519	5,422	4,521	1,011,712	102,464	5,244	83,847	138,588	24,387	1,569,880	
1879.....	48,348	7,629	10,350	574,171	47,425	6,446	94,030	174,843	37,057	1,465,881	
1880.....	103,009	16,545	8,563	954,896	71,287	7,553	114,065	160,525	37,382	1,799,972	
1881.....	82,957	14,448	4,294	453,960	38,666	7,160	122,469	127,459	19,526	1,520,651	
1882.....	163,382	28,804	1,496	375,570	39,861	5,650	98,281	181,323	21,254	1,556,393	
1883.....	207,451	30,989	3,577	729,377	84,496	8,992	154,106	230,167	17,407	1,783,332	
1884.....	462,291	61,875	10,336	698,854	72,873	7,319	123,489	244,691	88,900	1,790,584	
1885.....	477,404	63,543	14,088	683,380	76,743	5,973	89,573	140,839	59,584	1,394,101	
1886.....	763,286	97,773	12,478	734,981	72,566	4,995	81,442	184,502	49,902	1,426,683	
1887.....	641,743	74,294	13,836	738,939	64,780	4,714	78,108	164,519	40,980	1,334,344	
1888.....	890,219	120,341	14,349	529,543	44,067	6,963	110,377	165,133	77,042	1,574,728	
1889.....	973,845	133,538	19,545	903,343	71,147	7,605	122,370	167,427	44,098	1,852,111	
1890.....	730,652	91,922	17,868	531,138	36,655	7,366	116,827	168,355	51,341	1,768,826	
1891.....	669,822	73,579	7,039	838,702	60,207	12,015	211,497	87,131	103,949	1,854,968	
1892.....	795,719	106,468	8,202	653,714	53,098	13,703	221,344	92,133	81,102	1,950,403	
1893.....	400,882	62,797	3,024	706,310	56,394	9,163	155,173	151,448	93,293	1,799,097	
1894.....	260,104	34,797	9,667	447,685	38,399	11,428	181,621	153,126	88,337	1,822,020	
1895.....	120,219	19,052	8,539	476,229	37,996	7,811	126,079	148,792	62,932	1,581,451	
1896.....	141,814	18,849	11,128	528,460	43,580	4,514	73,734	156,661	71,979	1,518,544	
1897.....	97,137	11,983	9,732	487,917	37,193	7,915	117,434	119,318	52,471	1,665,461	
1898.....	307,824	32,666	22,430	452,500	35,482	6,669	96,527	119,369	44,343	1,605,044	

a Prior to 1884 includes staves and headings.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.								TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchan- dise.
	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes: Dyewoods—logwood.		Cocoa, crude.		Coffee.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Total free of duty.		
	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds. (a)	Dollars. (a)	Pounds. (a)	Dollars. (a)	Dollars. (a)	Dollars. 497,300	Dollars. 510,454	Dollars. 1,007,844
1871.....	31,271	361,340								
1872.....	26,353	382,226								
1873.....	21,441	317,525	558,786	43,394	6,187,560	903,189	1,599	1,607,637	41,961	1,649,598
1874.....	21,247	304,623	306,605	23,385	4,752,330	898,700	3,953	1,347,518	20,075	1,367,593
1875.....	26,436	441,799	77,550	5,474	9,545,410	1,584,484	4,695	2,691,568	50,479	2,142,047
1876.....	31,160	615,011	108,707	8,128	11,837,568	2,070,618	4,674	2,773,760	55,508	2,829,358
1877.....	32,630	603,610	323,066	30,261	12,269,344	2,097,406	7,219	2,759,033	20,377	2,779,410
1878.....	43,369	795,005	161,086	17,249	12,813,113	1,891,207	2,183	2,793,184	33,879	2,827,063
1879.....	37,073	670,258	320,287	72,232	16,660,030	1,946,706	7,156	2,780,523	9,953	2,790,476
1880.....	57,810	1,096,307	1,214,269	188,093	22,659,285	2,026,544	16,467	4,319,966	19,220	4,339,186
1881.....	58,579	1,093,566	1,820,513	142,879	31,908,074	3,352,971	29,131	4,689,095	28,174	4,717,269
1882.....	63,309	1,162,676	1,509,854	141,124	22,527,950	2,106,874	41,417	3,501,235	36,702	3,537,937
1883.....	70,856	1,207,455	2,246,649	153,453	17,944,600	1,384,915	71,527	2,892,097	78,518	2,971,515
1884.....	49,555	762,810	1,656,164	122,053	16,285,183	1,292,491	71,249	2,338,907	50,266	2,389,173
1885.....	51,566	827,094	1,460,767	113,179	19,034,988	1,390,731	66,379	2,433,019	38,417	2,471,436
1886.....	64,536	1,119,098	1,961,454	195,437	16,023,221	1,115,145	61,147	2,591,485	12,597	2,603,992
1887.....	47,377	859,362	768,369	79,904	5,745,198	709,976	67,849	1,740,106	12,431	1,752,537
1888.....	51,663	1,043,241	805,099	63,415	14,896,487	1,711,529	55,524	2,837,532	21,288	2,918,820
1889.....	34,417	754,749	1,507,570	130,945	19,974,636	2,796,194	41,215	3,751,609	5,774	3,757,443
1890.....	39,717	993,110	1,303,114	101,396	6,701,650	1,270,247	30,391	2,419,402	1,810	2,421,221
1891.....	47,693	1,098,414	984,371	68,235	12,642,544	1,988,943	24,029	3,209,026	34,428	3,243,454
1892.....	34,932	766,569	2,237,035	179,843	14,943,913	2,191,744	18,155	3,191,806	10,923	3,202,729
1893.....	28,993	623,287	899,438	78,386			82	715,082	20,939	736,021
1894.....	32,174	759,333	247,605	24,632	9,728	1,524	816	821,431	18,615	840,046
1895.....	36,197	887,905	363,349	27,433	12,575,538	1,806,304	12,866	2,742,978	3,561	2,746,539
1896.....	33,215	744,233	467,375	27,733	6,036,606	882,988	27,741	1,693,976	3,642	1,697,618
1897.....	22,534	397,336	660,900	63,793	7,299,778	940,700	33,082	1,456,853	3,367	1,460,220
1898.....	26,609	412,396	732,233	98,781	2,786,961	276,584	37,271	858,181	18,401	876,582

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—									
	BREADSTUFFS.		Carriages and street cars, and parts of.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			FISH.			
	Wheat flour.	All other.		Cloths.	All other.		Codfish, haddock, hake, and pollock, dried, smoked, and cured.	Herring, dried, etc. b		
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.
1871.....	67,677	492,986	12,749	1,191	509,470	93,544	33,185	4,162,600	224,288	7,849
1872.....	55,863	425,682	10,665	1,962	510,356	117,221	1,208	5,893,800	306,120	34,167
1873.....	82,164	667,039	19,088	3,763	557,274	118,923	2,203	6,331,900	356,632	16,992
1874.....	141,466	1,058,254	42,710	7,677	1,125,477	229,353	3,026	6,884,500	374,382	16,791
1875.....	178,470	1,092,958	27,580	11,403	1,099,579	185,940	2,636	7,148,900	450,655	30,032
1876.....	161,987	1,105,620	46,391	14,414	1,242,925	201,117	2,395	7,993,600	467,486	30,521
1877.....	109,652	752,320	42,774	4,967	1,481,543	182,903	5,354	6,238,700	372,025	31,344
1878.....	106,283	674,053	45,060	17,605	2,551,825	300,389	4,425	9,281,900	450,458	70,791
1879.....	121,493	628,414	40,844	7,745	2,989,784	289,362	5,800	7,383,400	331,762	20,272
1880.....	85,356	526,487	35,891	7,451	4,194,864	441,555	9,201	8,238,800	369,124	26,952
1881.....	174,932	1,020,357	43,922	7,629	3,983,575	388,272	5,825	9,818,200	422,485	25,132
1882.....	91,664	626,880	34,322	10,258	2,590,850	270,431	3,270	6,923,500	290,704	22,179
1883.....	96,203	547,770	20,563	9,968	3,215,157	365,536	4,832	4,516,000	269,772	23,934
1884.....	72,884	403,208	12,381	6,403	4,668,420	458,843	2,834	3,889,650	205,406	595,545
1885.....	88,600	448,703	13,948	17,867	5,439,122	435,968	4,230	6,506,931	250,416	1,081,136
1886.....	97,976	485,156	17,722	11,166	5,483,223	448,702	5,392	6,591,186	241,899	1,133,425
1887.....	82,137	374,893	13,113	13,781	7,374,644	563,858	4,545	7,465,058	240,391	1,251,340
1888.....	134,095	615,435	19,604	18,909	10,157,751	861,320	7,629	8,986,578	422,839	1,832,143
1889.....	154,636	787,019	30,975	25,456	6,118,964	531,759	4,952	6,931,362	337,854	1,237,419
1890.....	167,740	777,974	42,257	26,539	8,844,515	737,258	11,696	10,009,937	505,010	2,391,372
1891.....	224,938	1,180,871	42,800	37,770	8,410,726	665,536	11,130	10,931,449	574,879	2,401,496
1892.....	201,813	1,023,596	32,245	29,241	6,961,807	537,738	6,836	8,846,336	498,842	2,006,370
1893.....	204,095	874,011	36,536	48,657	9,162,840	710,620	12,027	8,524,820	434,996	2,564,410
1894.....	196,035	732,078	29,543	40,311	7,972,796	563,865	14,741	8,922,079	432,673	3,133,453
1895.....	231,817	818,157	31,350	46,348	8,247,453	529,479	16,816	6,459,000	300,864	2,756,404
1896.....	197,749	785,154	29,140	48,212	6,537,575	409,892	20,363	5,630,129	232,100	3,357,796
1897.....	159,916	739,377	21,653	17,899	6,869,942	428,222	24,539	4,968,554	181,510	3,934,679
1898.....	99,528	542,096	15,103	10,134	7,587,419	467,374	17,344	1,866,342	78,138	2,173,071

a Dutiable.

b Prior to 1888, cured fish, kind not specified.

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	FISH--continued.		IRON AND STEEL MANUFACTURES OF.		LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Oils, mineral, illuminating.	
	Pickled fish.		Machinery, n. c. s.	All other.	Boots and shoes.		All other.		
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pairs.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....	7, 611	59, 627	3, 907	56, 604	15, 122	21, 851	10, 070	65, 964	21, 388
1872.....	8, 043	51, 001	2, 807	50, 043	20, 754	32, 628	2, 995	40, 598	13, 557
1873.....	4, 679	28, 706	6, 756	40, 518	40, 098	53, 610	1, 129	60, 608	22, 356
1874.....	18, 023	146, 308	6, 655	48, 210	53, 819	69, 169	1, 760	87, 138	21, 275
1875.....	22, 010	222, 848	5, 436	163, 861	40, 668	53, 849	3, 226	112, 311	26, 189
1876.....	30, 652	246, 647	7, 612	113, 879	24, 141	30, 387	967	112, 696	24, 461
1877.....	29, 737	225, 949	3, 246	46, 897	12, 165	13, 670	2, 305	134, 731	38, 081
1878.....	34, 450	269, 343	11, 916	90, 342	13, 651	17, 810	5, 452	466, 426	80, 723
1879.....	25, 684	152, 311	5, 321	31, 033	10, 688	12, 055	5, 488	297, 954	39, 992
1880.....	32, 469	168, 435	14, 033	60, 560	27, 065	30, 522	7, 086	262, 844	30, 221
1881.....	31, 219	163, 046	6, 512	66, 813	14, 385	15, 047	3, 906	366, 390	46, 611
1882.....	22, 052	127, 210	4, 686	52, 810	9, 780	11, 769	6, 607	253, 379	29, 394
1883.....	22, 587	158, 954	25, 224	103, 623	13, 269	12, 353	3, 440	316, 653	35, 392
1884.....	19, 339	128, 855	4, 690	93, 989	22, 848	21, 312	3, 413	182, 277	20, 128
1885.....	21, 581	154, 666	10, 002	142, 350	37, 038	35, 054	4, 107	231, 190	23, 972
1886.....	31, 196	133, 613	16, 700	43, 284	20, 052	17, 438	3, 208	240, 813	24, 855
1887.....	22, 671	127, 416	11, 166	31, 552	37, 562	37, 580	4, 230	192, 393	27, 519
1888.....	13, 296	101, 636	8, 368	58, 825	32, 612	23, 895	5, 134	198, 032	28, 841
1889.....	12, 371	78, 006	9, 038	204, 206	26, 490	26, 394	7, 879	212, 201	23, 844
1890.....	21, 840	105, 674	13, 229	184, 819	57, 393	57, 391	19, 524	202, 616	30, 659
1891.....	28, 391	149, 297	12, 784	80, 012	43, 062	39, 950	10, 153	289, 790	40, 283
1892.....	29, 146	165, 462	15, 607	96, 820	23, 084	23, 058	6, 531	296, 906	35, 885
1893.....	22, 246	142, 132	34, 294	99, 329	56, 038	44, 539	6, 802	324, 481	35, 426
1894.....	27, 487	141, 600	42, 409	146, 477	47, 492	41, 396	7, 272	484, 964	46, 116
1895.....	20, 445	97, 295	23, 737	85, 714	50, 489	40, 117	9, 081	542, 665	48, 257
1896.....	16, 229	70, 654	42, 240	184, 177	46, 707	38, 108	9, 272	646, 032	62, 040
1897.....	17, 406	64, 369	40, 736	92, 172	23, 361	22, 922	9, 133	677, 481	60, 348
1898.....	14, 654	53, 996	13, 359	27, 608	28, 552	25, 970	7, 595	638, 766	48, 417

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.										
	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.				Lard.		Butter.		Cheese.		All other.
	Beef, salted or pickled.		Bacon, hams, and pork.								
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....	211,469	17,368	3,842,800	432,254	756,611	114,395	197,318	54,769	84,907	14,761	2,734
1872.....	298,072	22,822	8,776,611	631,147	632,854	81,950	189,977	44,792	72,035	12,299	2,582
1873.....	356,678	29,590	11,079,892	927,336	949,547	116,807	273,649	62,800	101,119	17,364	4,659
1874.....	351,663	25,360	11,235,492	949,531	1,032,942	124,203	260,371	75,794	108,600	18,808	10,195
1875.....	287,548	21,210	9,968,102	1,082,057	1,118,167	179,232	269,601	71,385	68,515	13,091	12,798
1876.....	301,360	18,185	10,052,678	1,113,202	1,227,869	182,660	272,342	68,460	47,970	8,703	15,682
1877.....	423,397	36,664	10,470,607	903,142	1,105,527	135,073	306,348	72,652	52,901	8,844	12,891
1878.....	604,278	49,412	14,541,162	943,970	1,133,968	117,302	289,673	56,594	92,637	15,487	6,153
1879.....	346,925	21,662	14,419,275	749,500	1,053,757	92,237	323,677	49,993	91,502	12,135	3,725
1880.....	367,265	25,876	14,183,464	805,327	1,132,802	105,306	344,663	71,835	114,100	16,273	6,484
1881.....	392,156	27,483	13,388,068	1,009,615	1,534,316	170,014	426,595	86,782	129,055	19,824	6,109
1882.....	404,253	35,649	7,641,532	729,005	1,197,953	151,338	378,658	75,326	68,464	10,168	7,345
1883.....	211,862	20,039	5,605,827	592,956	1,315,410	181,399	411,163	79,963	65,370	10,616	12,851
1884.....	222,410	19,004	6,041,423	513,278	1,047,035	115,196	348,816	63,665	43,591	6,616	11,423
1885.....	279,076	22,881	7,558,303	581,757	1,559,457	155,187	459,066	82,765	59,448	8,198	18,399
1886.....	272,722	18,026	8,810,737	499,001	1,581,525	140,568	439,585	71,497	61,160	7,078	16,260
1887.....	341,550	20,290	8,529,170	583,508	1,887,235	165,221	421,551	71,078	40,222	5,254	9,184
1888.....	543,395	12,759	10,064,890	798,325	2,401,971	238,252	730,964	131,002	63,229	8,671	56,112
1889.....	623,115	41,676	8,364,413	636,419	2,159,269	227,647	510,831	91,955	80,476	10,557	13,192
1890.....	1,489,475	89,468	12,739,907	831,568	2,164,764	199,791	704,741	112,276	154,535	21,156	19,521
1891.....	1,462,170	81,365	15,344,502	1,020,088	2,557,708	235,782	693,185	114,586	169,557	21,124	16,220
1892.....	1,507,634	94,290	15,471,450	929,638	2,551,776	232,183	677,652	129,469	134,699	17,838	25,693
1893.....	1,405,700	80,657	11,679,987	991,284	2,431,425	287,712	652,067	135,139	123,242	16,649	53,743
1894.....	2,013,525	128,864	13,317,669	1,066,903	3,005,571	326,570	772,194	145,718	109,672	15,208	93,553
1895.....	1,813,585	107,373	13,839,582	1,011,565	3,267,090	288,688	757,190	120,440	106,668	12,093	114,715
1896.....	1,479,450	87,666	12,973,806	718,942	2,694,459	212,568	669,049	98,789	80,896	9,900	100,108
1897.....	1,219,400	62,611	11,714,164	545,032	2,760,179	182,222	648,417	87,623	78,957	9,910	125,788
1898.....	474,460	26,193	8,682,764	435,373	2,239,832	157,452	428,400	61,950	40,010	4,914	109,244

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	Soap.	Sugar, refined.		Tobacco, leaf.		Vegetables.	WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Total exports of domestic merchandise.
							Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.		All other.	
							M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	Dollars. 212, 013	Pounds. 192, 788	Dollars. 24, 315	Pounds. 466, 719	Dollars. 67, 013	Dollars. 7, 948	5, 013	101, 597	95, 453	2, 398, 440
1872.....	262, 128	280, 100	33, 905	592, 240	86, 539	5, 201	3, 596	76, 621	67, 766	2, 487, 210
1873.....	300, 720	426, 043	54, 016	911, 426	146, 251	5, 505	4, 779	114, 919	75, 645	3, 308, 757
1874.....	292, 696	684, 924	77, 285	590, 526	89, 332	4, 401	7, 263	158, 619	82, 712	4, 089, 764
1875.....	308, 434	714, 149	82, 009	560, 310	103, 134	4, 407	8, 133	158, 512	103, 354	4, 038, 312
1876.....	287, 685	765, 571	84, 992	402, 882	78, 818	4, 434	9, 465	185, 171	99, 206	4, 685, 875
1877.....	299, 779	821, 544	94, 833	789, 850	135, 114	3, 400	8, 661	154, 338	79, 532	3, 814, 566
1878.....	268, 726	627, 005	71, 064	248, 003	37, 322	4, 569	6, 741	123, 996	84, 456	4, 105, 823
1879.....	252, 517	579, 495	52, 255	397, 236	41, 935	3, 490	5, 894	97, 092	62, 178	3, 148, 757
1880.....	267, 506	596, 816	51, 592	764, 328	78, 448	3, 132	7, 350	121, 309	105, 126	3, 591, 150
1881.....	224, 712	709, 021	65, 144	926, 540	99, 294	2, 117	10, 380	191, 068	94, 355	4, 372, 321
1882.....	222, 367	794, 470	73, 724	759, 885	82, 274	2, 434	6, 981	131, 894	56, 966	3, 195, 931
1883.....	241, 361	746, 265	69, 618	781, 611	85, 126	2, 893	4, 533	79, 477	76, 241	3, 162, 738
1884.....	224, 231	571, 766	47, 136	586, 072	70, 093	2, 456	4, 539	79, 214	53, 514	2, 735, 150
1885.....	196, 465	821, 645	51, 026	793, 752	101, 390	4, 658	11, 115	181, 419	73, 870	3, 227, 050
1886.....	231, 172	1, 015, 010	69, 802	659, 852	82, 257	7, 900	7, 970	134, 612	63, 483	2, 963, 147
1887.....	228, 405	1, 036, 439	68, 232	776, 757	92, 573	5, 019	6, 470	105, 120	64, 561	3, 059, 318
1888.....	214, 489	1, 252, 743	83, 519	799, 812	97, 292	8, 202	9, 164	152, 493	77, 418	4, 322, 653
1889.....	184, 326	1, 421, 029	114, 790	674, 521	78, 767	18, 061	5, 230	96, 941	55, 361	3, 975, 461
1890.....	284, 124	1, 665, 188	129, 714	837, 649	98, 433	20, 482	14, 408	259, 203	105, 764	5, 101, 464
1891.....	278, 338	1, 907, 402	117, 674	931, 368	107, 245	25, 243	14, 862	270, 766	110, 675	5, 589, 178
1892.....	283, 597	1, 588, 047	78, 972	897, 519	99, 988	24, 672	10, 750	191, 712	105, 318	4, 963, 430
1893.....	305, 688	1, 679, 161	88, 558	969, 089	110, 381	22, 140	13, 187	231, 356	97, 166	5, 170, 634
1894.....	284, 131	1, 872, 965	95, 425	1, 005, 507	112, 774	21, 663	13, 115	232, 894	110, 402	5, 342, 630
1895.....	174, 469	1, 800, 910	85, 179	946, 909	105, 542	21, 244	14, 255	224, 061	105, 363	4, 759, 244
1896.....	168, 865	1, 590, 122	82, 128	797, 212	92, 101	15, 053	11, 278	163, 312	100, 116	4, 104, 161
1897.....	148, 067	1, 109, 128	55, 144	749, 991	83, 693	18, 811	11, 504	172, 145	68, 720	3, 554, 433
1898.....	102, 871	816, 240	44, 727	1, 039, 307	116, 732	15, 962	5, 570	81, 376	39, 747	2, 691, 550

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—											
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Chemicals, drugs, etc.			Cocoa, crude, etc.		Coffee.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Sugar.		Wood, un- manufac- tured.	Total free of duty.
	Dyewoods, in sticks. <i>a</i>		All other.									
	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1872.....	5, 131	84, 045	5, 255	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64, 769	158, 583
1873.....	3, 731	58, 761	4, 963	.....	.....	70	10	23, 086	.....	.....	127, 112	220, 070
1874.....	3, 994	60, 335	3, 924	1, 375	85	31, 864	6, 357	17, 676	.....	.....	61, 723	152, 607
1875.....	3, 100	46, 638	2, 416	.....	.....	13, 713	2, 186	10, 003	.....	.....	37, 873	101, 263
1876.....	5, 733	104, 023	1, 834	3, 795	276	42, 932	7, 848	2, 140	.....	.....	37, 875	159, 759
1877.....	4, 238	77, 227	7, 351	3, 385	278	189, 712	32, 958	19, 977	.....	.....	47, 054	260, 736
1878.....	2, 565	42, 414	2, 628	8, 682	732	.....	.....	28, 507	.....	.....	74, 886	151, 582
1879.....	1, 437	25, 798	1, 404	16, 338	2, 526	94, 040	14, 265	29, 591	.....	.....	38, 372	112, 985
1880.....	1, 398	26, 139	3, 519	68, 433	10, 241	150, 709	24, 073	55, 707	.....	.....	36, 827	164, 979
1881.....	1, 402	25, 474	5, 726	17, 594	1, 937	237, 306	26, 734	66, 288	.....	.....	59, 998	204, 205
1882.....	3, 295	54, 660	16, 545	20, 465	2, 625	13, 266	1, 634	43, 203	.....	.....	45, 472	166, 329
1883.....	1, 056	15, 856	9, 653	9, 075	1, 287	674	60	48, 700	.....	.....	77, 006	157, 412
1884.....	125	1, 108	1, 999	109, 842	13, 923	.....	.....	27, 294	.....	.....	42, 991	93, 775
1885.....	224	3, 708	1, 723	51, 393	7, 171	44, 387	3, 891	56, 932	.....	.....	16, 688	96, 217
1886.....	2, 361	41, 047	7, 615	33, 531	4, 781	155, 255	13, 929	105, 377	.....	.....	84, 327	261, 862
1887.....	710	12, 407	3, 385	19, 696	2, 612	84, 612	77, 215	189, 100

a Logwood only, from 1884 to 1898.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	FREE OF DUTY.											
	Chemicals, drugs, etc.		Cocoa, crude, etc.	Coffee.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Sugar.		Wood, un- manufac- tured.	Total free of duty.		
	Dyewoods, in sticks.	All other.										
	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1883.....	1,654	32,166	2,119	42,602	6,133	133,530	25,412	72,492	.....	.....	55,927	200,702
1889.....	5,202	122,490	5,597	8,653	649	823,920	100,868	61,497	.....	.....	4,070	303,757
1890.....	2,526	60,275	13,343	54,276	6,202	242,954	49,443	77,279	.....	.....	15,120	230,841
1891.....	2,595	62,841	23,172	14,987	2,002	263,683	51,972	95,503	a 21,635,400	a 689,463	66,345	1,009,690
1892.....	519	8,807	23,906	32,104	4,150	200,147	38,041	81,647	62,615,068	2,017,739	91,951	2,279,267
1893.....	753	15,616	11,610	133,456	22,141	553,584	111,823	81,071	64,035,840	2,054,201	57,965	2,368,620
1894.....	1,896	54,991	19,398	48,262	8,115	283,920	71,357	60,082	89,421,821	2,875,810	55,591	3,164,662
1895.....	3,572	101,770	6,313	51,014	5,917	332,592	55,090	55,475	a 6,224,234	a 154,512	56,018	477,707
1896.....	5,003	129,607	7,071	217,050	30,503	241,116	40,785	69,807	.....	.....	40,414	426,756
1897.....	1,257	26,111	1,496	130,414	11,436	48,571	7,454	46,484	.....	.....	65,565	293,865
1898.....	2,474	43,253	12,624	130,131	14,035	44,405	5,403	30,096	.....	.....	73,319	310,567

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.				EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—					
	DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.	BREADSTUFFS.			COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
	Sugar.		Total dutable.		Wheat flour.		All other.	Cloths.		All other.
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1872.....	4,091,334	184,939	273,762	432,345	16,982	146,042	4,141	127,408	26,765	496
1873.....	2,930,278	128,708	189,780	409,850	27,865	248,482	10,667	115,301	25,658	1,809
1874.....	2,662,693	103,818	129,581	282,188	18,782	156,814	4,289	93,782	21,425	3,547
1875.....	4,183,230	153,183	191,124	292,387	15,997	107,587	4,526	192,191	32,706	1,606
1876.....	4,677,279	172,449	206,915	366,674	24,286	178,232	8,973	461,214	52,930	419
1877.....	5,621,227	234,205	258,420	519,106	25,620	200,472	7,865	1,039,706	97,099	812
1878.....	5,269,837	218,537	234,653	386,235	16,531	120,098	9,333	1,752,958	124,729	5,331
1879.....	7,922,211	291,886	321,748	434,733	18,760	107,842	11,665	2,832,817	177,888	2,694
1880.....	10,180,946	424,581	495,514	660,493	21,364	139,472	16,577	1,881,716	158,811	6,594
1881.....	15,037,883	601,274	720,576	924,781	20,793	132,085	11,898	2,094,819	156,704	1,167
1882.....	16,417,338	691,287	741,731	908,060	18,432	135,013	12,962	2,592,868	194,346	2,617
1883.....	27,281,049	1,149,577	1,260,107	1,417,519	25,020	155,763	18,686	2,848,615	206,601	3,927
1884.....	32,000,573	1,292,965	1,346,078	1,439,853	30,641	177,414	15,873	2,084,158	145,764	3,446
1885.....	42,523,746	1,332,684	1,365,202	1,461,419	29,014	148,069	12,748	2,550,037	156,658	5,045
1886.....	39,018,824	1,334,305	1,394,269	1,656,131	37,021	193,543	10,532	3,788,765	219,042	6,652
1887.....	42,054,795	1,180,901	1,191,026	1,380,126	29,649	143,689	9,241	4,228,762	245,623	16,810
1888.....	44,793,992	1,248,544	1,258,690	1,459,392	28,295	135,285	8,348	1,874,755	116,278	2,218
1889.....	36,905,443	1,142,841	1,150,504	1,454,261	37,646	202,678	9,504	1,760,817	119,416	6,910
1890.....	47,033,940	1,715,364	1,720,172	1,951,013	31,675	149,260	13,721	1,048,066	63,890	2,625
1891.....	b 19,853,724	b 593,168	600,670	1,610,360	38,431	206,239	15,762	710,195	45,268	7,649
1892.....	.....	.....	14,481	2,293,748	20,231	151,942	19,646	950,831	56,853	5,748
1893.....	.....	.....	27,695	2,396,315	24,935	110,001	31,667	1,618,085	95,478	5,858
1894.....	.....	.....	36,790	3,200,852	44,173	167,988	25,469	1,171,125	289,135	11,355
1895.....	b 60,267,935	b 1,034,439	1,036,876	1,514,583	41,836	144,649	31,736	1,439,434	78,793	6,661
1896.....	116,972,841	2,459,302	2,468,313	2,895,069	35,207	135,899	20,331	2,166,010	114,749	10,119
1897.....	131,279,582	2,059,169	2,075,559	2,360,424	35,968	163,078	16,094	1,837,647	92,831	31,012
1898.....	94,336,444	2,030,239	2,071,572	2,382,139	35,689	197,338	12,089	2,642,038	120,167	18,491

a See Dutiable.

b See Free of duty.

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	Fish.	Flax, hemp, and jute, manufac- tures of.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANU- FACTURES OF.		Oils, mineral, illumi- nating.		PROVISIONS.				
			Machinery, n. e. s.	All other.			Tallow.		Lard.		All other.
					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	
1872.....	39, 042	1, 269	10, 464	50, 776	45, 718	14, 775	1, 000	175	67, 761	8, 451	49, 233
1873.....	25, 665	1, 258	1, 011	36, 547	52, 946	16, 857	257	32	171, 698	20, 950	57, 973
1874.....	34, 560	2, 692	1, 557	12, 691	61, 752	15, 026	.....	.....	221, 582	26, 038	55, 785
1875.....	43, 815	2, 611	12, 897	30, 383	69, 701	12, 893	.....	.....	120, 622	18, 606	40, 656
1876.....	59, 853	2, 244	15, 938	38, 320	103, 526	19, 387	226	26	144, 189	22, 529	74, 300
1877.....	42, 808	1, 727	11, 321	26, 771	88, 296	22, 113	242	25	134, 999	17, 440	51, 304
1878.....	36, 696	3, 392	24, 520	47, 769	99, 180	14, 916	44, 890	3, 486	225, 038	23, 707	39, 034
1879.....	40, 785	2, 559	25, 668	40, 083	94, 169	12, 468	131, 537	9, 486	315, 138	25, 692	43, 206
1880.....	46, 945	4, 161	142, 882	78, 269	175, 615	19, 253	219, 311	13, 994	435, 975	37, 144	51, 983
1881.....	32, 166	2, 211	59, 744	46, 517	91, 400	11, 907	184, 191	13, 024	279, 023	29, 189	41, 402
1882.....	42, 647	3, 834	89, 601	49, 288	150, 972	19, 536	438, 270	38, 680	244, 349	31, 034	53, 272
1883.....	49, 734	8, 699	186, 754	123, 445	134, 830	17, 330	229, 305	19, 674	246, 848	33, 178	51, 384
1884.....	45, 582	11, 392	232, 766	146, 058	183, 228	22, 970	391, 577	31, 854	384, 684	37, 252	49, 778
1885.....	51, 199	9, 790	47, 763	74, 020	188, 640	22, 175	461, 958	31, 753	488, 542	46, 347	55, 774
1886.....	59, 418	11, 384	27, 063	59, 414	216, 000	23, 704	514, 191	28, 265	676, 580	57, 469	57, 379
1887.....	47, 996	12, 181	28, 092	50, 544	310, 297	33, 239	270, 394	13, 684	575, 410	51, 789	47, 140
1888.....	45, 093	16, 755	35, 517	51, 292	168, 508	20, 623	484, 153	22, 626	471, 274	43, 557	47, 871
1889.....	73, 430	15, 819	30, 258	161, 733	347, 250	38, 417	734, 538	39, 904	539, 784	55, 326	68, 218
1890.....	48, 884	21, 056	87, 771	81, 767	264, 365	30, 702	579, 827	29, 517	586, 647	49, 235	44, 743
1891.....	60, 858	9, 008	128, 308	76, 803	210, 739	23, 915	811, 054	41, 756	612, 562	53, 879	51, 825
1892.....	51, 636	13, 792	208, 242	85, 238	369, 742	34, 024	199, 241	10, 671	568, 943	45, 031	56, 285
1893.....	58, 570	41, 583	146, 853	138, 796	290, 359	23, 707	639, 480	35, 852	323, 127	32, 559	75, 518
1894.....	82, 599	51, 489	271, 938	164, 356	441, 942	32, 203	644, 934	35, 335	574, 914	51, 115	114, 112
1895.....	62, 812	27, 314	212, 572	158, 440	333, 637	29, 080	669, 829	33, 839	459, 460	35, 522	90, 473
1896.....	42, 158	30, 496	109, 344	108, 997	361, 433	34, 537	698, 813	32, 590	557, 472	37, 247	32, 894
1897.....	54, 419	39, 823	95, 877	92, 690	499, 313	44, 573	538, 562	21, 037	420, 634	23, 077	34, 886
1898.....	60, 608	13, 283	129, 292	124, 378	166, 598	15, 063	786, 553	30, 338	489, 767	29, 682	35, 189

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.							
	Sugar, refined.		Vegetables.	WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				Total exports of domestic mer- chandise.
				Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.		All other unman- ufactured.			Manufactures of.
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1872.....	74, 750	9, 932	4, 275	767	19, 434	7, 592	20, 375	541, 439
1873.....	85, 061	11, 529	5, 402	588	13, 327	2, 723	18, 599	602, 373
1874.....	94, 816	10, 790	5, 258	799	17, 602	2, 334	12, 463	498, 860
1875.....	79, 216	9, 021	4, 220	567	14, 762	3, 495	24, 304	479, 425
1876.....	159, 223	17, 196	3, 798	522	11, 535	5, 006	21, 614	674, 360
1877.....	163, 727	20, 027	4, 515	507	10, 697	7, 571	10, 344	644, 324
1878.....	144, 613	14, 856	3, 067	736	12, 557	8, 528	9, 704	624, 221
1879.....	187, 257	16, 031	4, 714	594	9, 674	1 ⁶ 395	15, 135	728, 738
1880.....	171, 257	16, 313	6, 054	1, 250	24, 235	2 ² 237	18, 333	939, 501
1881.....	181, 937	18, 521	4, 549	2, 467	47, 592	1 ⁹ 895	21, 506	757, 590
1882.....	298, 865	30, 190	6, 158	913	20, 433	1 ⁹ 985	21, 742	904, 149
1883.....	230, 579	22, 004	5, 946	1, 964	45, 504	3 ⁴ 045	23, 589	1, 179, 200
1884.....	283, 300	24, 171	9, 196	3, 193	70, 210	1 ⁹ 519	33, 327	1, 257, 969
1885.....	199, 365	12, 026	8, 942	3, 344	66, 206	27, 114	26, 012	962, 428
1886.....	323, 168	22, 845	12, 399	2, 445	40, 811	22, 534	22, 018	1, 017, 285
1887.....	222, 447	14, 352	8, 821	2, 491	44, 143	38, 026	20, 024	1, 014, 414
1888.....	235, 209	18, 603	8, 846	2, 187	43, 167	14, 732	18, 694	792, 560
1889.....	291, 474	23, 520	8, 061	3, 302	54, 013	17, 087	23, 093	1, 150, 651
1890.....	251, 655	19, 058	10, 730	4, 449	71, 947	11, 124	34, 316	926, 651
1891.....	181, 353	10, 996	11, 081	4, 605	72, 578	15, 310	15, 858	986, 826
1892.....	205, 085	9, 966	8, 201	4, 386	76, 467	5, 576	27, 674	984, 188
1893.....	229, 246	11, 960	6, 359	2, 765	49, 688	23, 068	31, 711	1, 108, 733
1894.....	190, 746	9, 925	9, 066	7, 318	113, 607	26, 819	32, 189	1, 715, 782
1895.....	167, 911	5, 650	13, 168	6, 920	101, 798	23, 780	24, 967	1, 318, 919
1896.....	59, 289	2, 885	9, 470	5, 029	69, 099	10, 646	15, 166	1, 019, 242
1897.....	49, 179	2, 332	11, 852	4, 025	65, 512	21, 450	20, 692	1, 045, 037
1898.....	30, 280	1, 618	14, 526	2, 696	38, 090	20, 157	18, 153	1, 087, 179

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—													
	FREE OF DUTY.													
	Articles, the growth, etc., of the United States, re- turned.	Asphaltum or bitumen, crude. <i>a</i>	Chem- icals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Fruits, including nuts.			Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Sugar and molasses.				Wood, un- manu- fac- tured.	Total free of duty.	
				Bananas.	Cocoa- nuts.	All other.		Molasses.		Sugar.				
	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....				3,964									54,017	211,638
1872.....	52,759			4,834				75					46,217	251,623
1873.....	29,660			4,456				17,877					39,053	409,614
1874.....	20,803			2,598				35,362					61,725	721,854
1875.....	34,930			2,977				18,572					19,408	322,778
1876.....	16,594			1,543				28,600					4,190	295,861
1877.....	23,908			1,147				65,783					4,077	265,682
1878.....	25,941			2,224				5,195					5,009	193,163
1879.....	32,068			11,574				46,595					42,263	294,933
1880.....	32,585			12,008				74,006					242,296	555,627
1881.....	29,143			6,451				21,062					233,701	519,390
1882.....	45,807			8,016				15,556					332,162	656,042
1883.....	49,006			10,260				43,671					419,722	785,829
1884.....	27,499	2,856	15,831	3,523	467,739	164,956	129,809	89,815					509,291	1,481,638
1885.....	43,996	1,260	31,578	1,531	610,699	134,249	177,092	142,162					544,574	1,786,049
1886.....	30,973	1,504	21,711	4,071	604,199	126,662	183,059	150,657					539,301	1,765,751
1887.....	44,225	1,500	24,306	3,935	652,677	245,429	267,352	264,401					435,341	2,033,205
1888.....	32,170	3,647	31,284	6,850	799,346	200,304	348,857	185,452					383,491	2,066,379
1889.....	55,403	1,238	21,460	35,242	1,026,778	194,562	201,552	244,256					419,426	2,405,425
1890.....	43,122	2,413	27,492	45,177	1,223,478	206,855	319,292	283,627					515,020	2,761,711
1891.....	36,071	1,815	34,065	369,617	1,070,764	226,912	321,791	354,683	b 13,920,205	b 1,428,970	b 658,502,905	b 21,453,546	576,953	26,044,502
1892.....	42,746	4,510	29,208	272,529	1,535,951	98,464	487,616	274,510	17,955,363	1,803,847	1,983,534,689	60,838,552	525,169	66,140,836
1893.....	83,523	2,761	25,992	377,269	1,641,387	147,394	559,019	279,153	11,861,618	1,081,034	1,843,651,095	60,637,631	1,071,123	66,049,369
1894.....	69,339	1,923	10,724	135,920	1,277,406	91,459	533,571	132,221	15,893,579	1,148,412	2,127,497,454	63,147,485	681,270	67,418,289
1895.....	113,770	712	15,440	81,426	826,615	b 2,428	35,009	77,484	b 2,326,923	b 136,636	b 563,170,762	b 15,572,450	640,774	17,684,765
1896.....	50,897	425	7,628	32,312	929,865		11,568	184,281	182,126	15,365			531,349	2,074,763
1897.....	34,983	223	4,180	5,273	147,133		7,289	692,122	167	11			63,670	1,270,059
1898.....	26,764			2,004		163	3,530	38,147					17,576	276,000

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30 -	DUTIABLE.											
	Fruits, including nuts.				Iron ore.		Sugar and molasses.				Tobacco, leaf.	
	Oranges.	Pre- served fruits.	Cocoa- nuts.	All other.			Molasses.		Sugar.			
					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....				442,494			33,117,858	7,006,217	846,628,943	43,680,224	7,815,071	3,314,421
1872.....				502,542			32,106,440	7,184,306	925,482,514	51,831,904	9,193,448	4,255,247
1873.....				431,049			34,164,235	7,420,660	1,048,272,849	58,649,707	10,567,605	6,436,659
1874.....				116,376			36,671,790	8,380,988	1,328,175,444	67,347,460	9,365,775	5,415,373
1875.....				481,384			36,467,907	8,012,831	1,186,332,784	48,958,757	6,261,856	3,510,359
1876.....				394,628			29,717,526	5,737,321	1,087,797,619	43,445,890	7,209,218	3,641,102
1877.....				182,663			21,012,302	5,302,975	965,355,453	54,347,372	7,319,106	3,640,521
1878.....				266,066			18,452,619	4,265,196	936,173,300	45,822,348	7,769,955	4,020,981
1879.....				224,011			29,941,203	5,349,122	1,325,275,306	52,134,671	6,101,593	3,288,596
1880.....				236,539			28,606,577	6,435,786	1,122,341,888	50,734,489	9,299,637	4,742,701
1881.....				288,996			21,283,055	4,609,102	1,067,920,557	51,625,019	6,895,505	3,596,511
1882.....				443,234			28,398,320	7,132,044	1,117,755,617	53,637,383	10,377,360	5,415,121
1883.....				545,807			24,391,926	4,991,638	1,143,433,678	50,933,054	10,017,635	5,012,178
1884.....	30,995	9,433		411			25,388,734	3,498,902	1,191,234,239	43,650,549	11,703,393	5,238,234

a Not enumerated prior to 1884.*b* See Dutiable.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.											
	DUTIABLE.											
	Fruits, including nuts.				Iron ore.		Sugar and molasses.				Tobacco, leaf.	
	Oranges.	Pre-served fruits.	Cocoa-nuts.	All other.			Molasses.		Sugar.			
					Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1885.....	76,008	8,029	.....	1,694	28,209	40,948	23,660,978	2,726,710	1,115,046,270	30,442,240	9,754,099	3,930,580
1886.....	82,242	7,379	.....	522	51,268	76,670	33,155,574	4,411,148	1,210,503,913	37,297,601	10,883,666	4,074,299
1887.....	97,078	11,476	.....	718	169,928	200,723	30,059,310	3,827,970	1,394,716,316	35,397,345	11,830,898	4,372,944
1888.....	99,723	13,108	.....	1,120	117,504	258,728	28,137,227	4,135,228	1,209,174,819	34,545,593	11,501,749	4,607,705
1889.....	40,311	12,943	.....	605	225,525	537,478	20,312,677	3,416,754	1,032,085,602	36,227,608	13,447,789	5,676,540
1890.....	32,194	12,102	.....	1,965	287,322	566,417	24,918,292	3,679,076	1,041,075,621	35,420,726	16,916,695	7,106,233
1891.....	64,859	13,949	.....	1,491	326,043	847,250	a 3,051,623	a 361,294	a 772,063,570	a 23,586,237	16,061,597	7,112,959
1892.....	49,215	10,967	.....	799	265,993	679,626	.....	.....	5,333	287	18,432,323	7,997,015
1893.....	29,100	10,177	.....	2,446	413,999	641,943	.....	.....	1,159	57	21,694,891	8,940,058
1894.....	9,875	8,303	.....	526	150,964	199,818	.....	.....	4,865	369	14,578,248	5,828,964
1895.....	31,923	10,173	a 37,155	164,520	235,629	294,908	a 10,029,816	a 635,681	a 1,282,592,636	a 24,527,826	20,175,620	7,271,794
1896.....	58,612	12,369	17,811	148,769	427,987	521,310	1,528,035	113,109	1,093,171,312	24,103,041	26,771,317	10,613,468
1897.....	8,780	9,164	9,727	143,765	392,048	475,281	79,054	5,437	577,790,173	11,982,595	4,410,073	2,306,067
1898.....	1,991	6,902	.....	32,740	287,280	325,818	945,161	85,941	440,225,111	9,828,607	4,401,796	2,883,260

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.			Total im-ports of mer-chandise.	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—							
	DUTIABLE—continued.		Tobacco, manufac-tures of.		Total dutiable.	Agricultural implements.	Books, maps, en-gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.				Carriages, cars, etc.
	Corn.	Wheat flour.						All other.				
		Dollars.							Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Bushels.
1871.....	2,525,213	57,323,287	57,534,925	45,662	27,388	295,257	254,449	189,027	1,278,219	238,882	55,504	
1872.....	2,817,693	67,012,792	67,264,415	54,538	34,807	107,602	79,046	164,145	1,180,436	257,714	35,814	
1873.....	3,330,967	76,668,111	77,077,725	68,855	328,663	437,162	294,902	92,532	708,249	294,602	72,344	
1874.....	3,083,634	84,709,243	85,428,097	40,407	23,779	661,159	504,131	199,427	1,413,181	494,941	36,056	
1875.....	3,062,610	64,264,939	64,587,717	35,506	11,629	278,870	248,958	127,247	695,263	350,389	56,940	
1876.....	2,339,302	55,712,002	56,007,866	22,482	9,124	539,264	368,902	91,050	559,410	392,107	28,643	
1877.....	1,973,636	65,562,713	65,828,395	34,499	121,599	284,859	178,145	91,122	628,842	444,583	66,673	
1878.....	2,242,653	56,708,229	56,901,332	23,864	2,811	301,115	168,782	21,022	150,261	425,627	78,044	
1879.....	2,240,176	63,354,723	63,640,656	19,710	6,469	934,516	468,555	121,272	631,377	381,417	93,173	
1880.....	2,354,229	64,867,391	65,423,018	29,328	7,301	524,791	284,369	101,326	604,311	298,473	72,784	
1881.....	2,172,868	62,484,014	63,063,404	47,730	6,499	219,012	116,562	80,679	461,912	244,957	25,834	
1882.....	2,940,565	69,794,610	70,450,652	64,577	8,060	426,137	336,220	56,955	376,747	316,686	147,438	
1883.....	3,075,239	64,758,705	65,544,534	60,981	34,687	257,791	207,843	237,915	1,318,301	421,523	155,379	
1884.....	3,146,937	55,696,859	57,181,497	27,625	89,023	176,942	116,686	152,351	835,018	72,494	160,902	
1885.....	3,048,822	40,520,044	42,306,093	14,173	28,563	108,565	69,314	194,250	945,092	63,213	98,171	
1886.....	3,191,280	49,345,029	51,110,780	39,054	50,074	203,959	100,820	198,464	988,625	72,980	128,785	
1887.....	3,318,170	47,482,229	49,515,434	35,341	25,384	344,815	190,984	217,160	961,552	83,002	81,288	
1888.....	3,333,811	47,252,708	49,319,087	42,205	60,196	151,669	91,014	282,548	1,238,067	58,671	81,937	
1889.....	3,584,901	49,725,198	52,130,623	74,135	46,617	145,525	81,180	243,153	1,190,454	64,373	194,815	
1890.....	3,982,007	51,039,880	53,801,591	126,492	115,810	594,542	258,775	255,820	1,164,538	97,304	262,829	
1891.....	3,343,139	35,669,893	61,714,395	55,618	51,308	367,324	220,187	114,447	591,886	62,906	504,037	
1892.....	2,805,675	11,790,836	77,931,671	84,412	52,385	627,177	369,131	366,175	1,826,348	109,552	447,881	
1893.....	2,787,030	12,657,137	78,706,506	130,341	39,075	1,041,474	582,050	616,406	2,821,557	108,600	587,616	
1894.....	2,052,504	8,259,972	75,678,261	118,269	39,626	1,136,657	571,326	662,248	2,473,805	119,410	458,738	
1895.....	2,040,186	35,186,494	52,871,259	38,461	33,851	392,204	216,602	379,856	1,301,079	51,329	420,840	
1896.....	2,093,884	37,942,967	40,017,730	36,826	19,595	199,193	93,201	176,724	647,057	34,534	46,874	
1897.....	1,971,214	17,136,756	18,406,815	3,624	221,251	681,815	247,905	132,738	564,638	75,580	12,957	
1898.....	1,450,818	14,956,477	15,232,477	7,817	22,506	1,055,512	415,803	245,293	1,160,736	104,744	31,408	

a See Free of duty.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines.	Coal.		Copper, and manu- factures of.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	Flax, hemp, and jute, manu- factures of.	Fruits, in- cluding nuts.	Glass and glass- ware.	Instru- ments and sci- entific ap- paratus etc.
					Cloths.		All other.					
	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	127,782	11,932	62,945	14,772	187,423	41,925	55,347	144,363	267,070	23,114	58,316	1,600
1872.....	153,458	37,819	179,469	12,721	229,219	51,020	26,110	194,056	221,689	19,685	53,072	2,392
1873.....	204,740	54,518	261,214	18,171	127,120	42,838	15,135	160,734	325,407	24,736	77,925	6,414
1874.....	145,639	84,586	427,049	18,761	116,965	41,717	21,201	196,833	159,346	11,794	46,107	6,810
1875.....	175,418	54,318	282,098	20,674	91,270	24,252	20,321	161,375	169,395	22,343	41,971	2,188
1876.....	158,529	44,965	201,724	16,874	428,596	41,314	18,812	218,436	120,254	18,438	36,704	4,680
1877.....	179,053	68,778	251,556	7,282	3,359,498	243,562	28,695	222,429	121,446	34,369	58,619	3,778
1878.....	143,796	80,596	277,704	6,874	745,537	56,448	18,492	284,965	161,918	47,216	55,854	652
1879.....	209,542	101,578	376,702	8,036	628,482	49,589	13,261	287,098	111,260	44,343	48,783	2,264
1880.....	200,269	68,402	245,323	15,195	853,942	72,950	17,743	283,317	92,374	29,370	45,680	30
1881.....	164,877	88,101	372,563	4,728	1,512,364	134,006	25,121	303,282	107,585	46,779	63,166	5,693
1882.....	205,440	100,319	409,970	15,121	362,544	61,121	30,781	199,790	213,022	39,201	97,526	16,824
1883.....	190,092	112,401	451,925	24,374	470,980	57,987	37,544	254,093	230,171	58,473	103,878	12,435
1884.....	178,422	101,561	372,977	22,379	381,851	37,901	29,932	210,246	131,199	38,780	44,445	24,032
1885.....	161,580	110,333	385,922	14,762	2,604,448	179,649	27,229	107,010	152,297	20,887	57,010	7,264
1886.....	193,829	135,711	409,158	17,036	5,067,975	313,609	28,300	79,926	247,964	35,210	71,257	10,724
1887.....	197,692	129,238	373,886	14,223	2,936,341	193,701	40,907	91,084	237,727	35,927	74,437	18,062
1888.....	194,876	158,331	460,584	12,559	724,800	68,204	44,077	76,802	227,013	21,928	54,812	20,562
1889.....	223,784	198,688	581,094	13,692	436,400	70,123	56,057	110,291	301,290	30,981	55,178	21,058
1890.....	246,333	217,140	722,856	23,386	607,642	85,481	54,837	55,445	460,918	33,800	77,129	44,225
1891.....	258,863	272,514	776,526	29,779	310,086	55,911	45,888	64,146	279,190	22,143	67,174	43,935
1892.....	367,104	373,110	1,041,751	14,916	451,086	48,873	65,239	107,534	235,660	102,468	80,351	72,166
1893.....	286,562	333,914	931,571	48,656	708,667	75,359	72,819	170,832	86,478	126,954	117,870	114,485
1894.....	291,636	331,902	915,800	35,621	561,257	57,422	62,761	115,972	66,321	106,965	87,007	143,501
1895.....	272,269	415,301	1,091,812	14,481	235,828	24,394	43,047	60,162	30,494	70,111	77,690	94,140
1896.....	197,054	246,358	613,411	5,805	210,113	23,552	40,282	37,470	19,831	54,479	45,130	54,238
1897.....	195,950	254,244	632,896	2,182	291,263	25,008	42,444	44,156	15,364	47,519	47,603	30,375
1898.....	170,673	210,079	464,888	138,662	12,163	11,715	72,274	9,922	38,175	38,277	20,810

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	Machinery, n. e. s.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.										LEATHER, AND MANUFAC- TURES OF.		
		Nails and spikes.	Railroad bars of iron and steel.		Builders' hard- ware, saws, and tools.	Sewing machines.	Steam en- gines, and parts of.	Wire.		All other.	Boots and shoes.	All other.		
			Dollars.	Pounds.				Dollars.	Tons.				Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	358,243	868,875	42,920	50	3,750	43,071	66,969	176,388	.....	.....	719,193	33,091	47,933	81,513
1872.....	502,555	667,472	36,857	.....	.....	30,054	71,224	257,235	.....	.....	591,855	21,729	24,602	48,530
1873.....	843,582	622,463	36,398	591	50,147	48,720	128,046	283,468	.....	.....	575,916	10,812	13,078	46,687
1874.....	559,670	1,409,953	68,649	142	11,878	20,917	68,610	218,248	.....	.....	950,600	2,035	3,599	47,583
1875.....	565,405	1,227,662	48,191	616	35,944	22,438	58,979	94,492	.....	.....	1,167,065	3,531	4,525	26,239
1876.....	395,521	921,416	32,591	138	8,899	25,342	87,074	217,538	.....	.....	598,095	750	875	17,412
1877.....	361,102	1,248,006	43,934	2,500	104,907	18,221	63,471	103,969	.....	.....	482,241	3,958	4,785	25,758
1878.....	514,926	745,638	21,392	4,928	190,506	30,606	66,631	195,658	.....	.....	606,136	2,033	3,533	19,933
1879.....	506,588	1,249,519	32,535	3,540	127,240	32,097	48,289	175,662	.....	.....	851,835	4,264	4,813	26,344
1880.....	564,723	1,174,758	47,767	621	28,630	27,669	70,434	85,158	.....	.....	571,907	3,976	4,262	35,217
1881.....	414,660	1,269,120	44,407	536	24,992	26,848	73,256	63,372	.....	.....	536,977	5,842	5,365	29,404
1882.....	766,648	1,363,482	46,722	351	19,918	12,631	72,014	61,099	.....	.....	680,645	2,287	2,842	36,502
1883.....	1,167,516	1,174,453	41,837	450	44,910	39,303	55,216	261,227	.....	.....	713,532	5,465	5,557	40,886
1884.....	1,217,196	1,349,576	41,256	1,623	61,409	72,615	60,443	200,036	762,319	44,382	459,139	22,486	24,384	42,201
1885.....	350,242	1,410,897	36,839	561	23,799	70,091	29,275	94,804	748,135	33,106	199,186	24,125	26,727	27,364
1886.....	544,440	2,050,274	57,599	654	21,759	111,174	68,261	201,707	2,198,808	81,295	292,588	92,606	86,112	51,583
1887.....	619,765	1,871,431	46,990	491	16,897	127,733	53,965	207,901	2,999,103	106,098	307,180	109,231	120,257	62,506
1888.....	480,416	2,021,070	56,997	351	12,697	139,592	29,222	102,554	3,063,511	124,944	311,001	111,865	114,139	70,457
1890.....	965,212	2,219,315	58,112	615	20,240	195,517	42,571	253,371	3,515,351	118,214	335,751	80,116	74,542	91,792

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	Machinery, n. o. s.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.										LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.		
		Nails and spikes.		Railroad bars of iron and steel.		Builders' hard- ware, saws, and tools.	Sewing machines.	Steam en- gines, and parts of.	Wire.		All other.	Boots and shoes.		All other.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pairs.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1890.....	1, 154, 090	2, 778, 148	69, 849	1, 209	44, 267	297, 768	60, 741	435, 152	4, 847, 225	170, 333	477, 704	117, 447	114, 676	79, 654
1891.....	1, 317, 256	1, 499, 309	40, 069	934	32, 249	281, 911	112, 319	467, 839	3, 342, 466	112, 357	759, 276	98, 860	100, 733	72, 060
1892.....	1, 952, 740	2, 079, 275	48, 716	1, 067	35, 167	424, 883	246, 218	807, 435	3, 695, 446	115, 583	780, 056	209, 169	193, 776	83, 610
1893.....	2, 792, 050	5, 723, 462	127, 583	10, 544	327, 411	639, 508	95, 630	871, 712	12, 052, 015	321, 120	1, 516, 915	93, 750	114, 943	66, 533
1894.....	1, 587, 706	5, 938, 447	129, 370	11, 717	340, 457	438, 720	212, 696	506, 802	10, 917, 995	248, 027	1, 232, 549	66, 732	82, 554	61, 913
1895.....	1, 286, 475	2, 158, 316	40, 829	4, 633	121, 662	257, 992	16, 114	358, 568	3, 130, 290	65, 992	569, 782	47, 040	53, 606	45, 992
1896.....	236, 854	1, 324, 466	33, 524	1, 137	29, 787	103, 313	14, 426	74, 270	587, 144	11, 542	215, 640	25, 498	34, 992	40, 489
1897.....	55, 060	1, 713, 501	43, 472	683	14, 650	84, 072	3, 199	57, 405	1, 829, 406	35, 905	132, 401	11, 385	15, 195	24, 568
1898.....	113, 514	1, 298, 271	27, 179	2, 778	60, 746	56, 961	2, 785	103, 114	402, 310	7, 587	132, 463	8, 285	9, 934	19, 382

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.													
	Malt liquors.	Marble and stone, and man- ufactures of.	OILS, MINERAL.				Paper, and man- ufactures of.	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.						
			Crude.		Refined.			Beef prod- ucts.	Bacon.		Hams.		Pork.	
			Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.			Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	22,814	89,607	306,799	55,845	1,696,114	445,920	167,969	185,532	a 5,035,978	661,236			714,356	83,707
1872.....	21,440	131,991	328,695	53,493	1,495,494	425,045	220,932	80,509	7,615,856	732,713			641,209	48,078
1873.....	28,290	79,085	734,283	156,243	1,272,156	350,117	242,349	154,232	7,682,593	817,850			438,880	31,856
1874.....	23,304	67,152	885,537	131,291	1,548,741	328,163	146,509	101,669	8,896,886	915,022			396,626	33,873
1875.....	2,485	40,915	1,172,768	141,859	1,405,787	223,697	179,248	59,411	7,777,961	956,153			335,666	37,764
1876.....	2,215	16,231	624,539	90,067	2,091,335	341,854	148,852	62,319	8,770,514	1,086,898			316,912	35,489
1877.....	4,444	17,600	408,819	73,659	2,338,165	527,807	218,409	70,826	10,813,912	1,089,809			431,662	40,764
1878.....	7,138	68,023	1,205,984	158,533	1,362,512	233,320	162,842	40,480	10,800,984	938,492			390,405	26,750
1879.....	14,585	13,783	1,805,491	201,770	724,802	100,928	147,606	44,040	7,886,332	624,422			666,300	40,732
1880.....	15,401	13,558	1,662,173	152,868	888,530	97,938	153,639	34,105	8,442,505	669,329			670,847	45,261
1881.....	23,574	14,354	1,358,995	132,709	866,449	113,012	213,477	22,018	4,075,913	342,113	2,251,336	251,486	959,837	90,967
1882.....	51,481	22,121	2,053,792	191,906	2,147,369	223,248	223,814	12,037	2,350,028	240,745	1,720,467	227,933	852,637	89,668
1883.....	89,096	24,152	2,763,844	238,731	509,318	78,148	192,030	37,155	2,277,923	284,202	2,155,191	319,053	915,584	113,268
1884.....	32,867	18,343	3,054,681	288,587	333,200	74,569	91,765	14,225	1,891,415	175,727	1,945,485	263,904	503,653	42,957
1885.....	19,609	6,970	2,991,202	223,362	624,085	90,680	170,274	10,551	2,219,675	183,634	1,845,135	242,168	458,318	37,045
1886.....	22,319	22,987	4,091,056	335,307	560,110	95,856	236,545	21,354	2,719,561	180,412	2,382,844	273,358	431,544	27,081
1887.....	18,588	13,528	3,901,600	260,965	1,334,480	154,618	191,043	15,061	3,300,180	249,813	2,345,153	294,623	386,654	27,915
1888.....	14,687	11,303	4,039,633	289,513	1,218,626	138,965	166,404	6,601	3,218,083	273,292	1,895,408	257,509	524,600	40,483
1889.....	19,312	14,243	3,643,233	296,804	1,335,749	107,552	198,461	8,402	3,319,956	278,842	2,185,389	295,148	713,200	54,943
1890.....	23,674	15,327	4,913,330	446,618	2,057,541	149,096	205,779	7,435	4,381,370	290,209	2,027,956	260,592	570,600	34,300
1891.....	25,514	15,830	3,300,455	280,144	1,328,760	96,131	150,816	11,760	5,423,621	351,955	2,141,208	234,458	547,169	33,315
1892.....	39,871	31,708	6,316,406	378,216	609,808	101,126	158,124	71,939	6,612,210	453,624	4,766,133	529,328	696,800	43,911
1893.....	45,961	77,003	6,955,315	403,310	606,015	111,498	159,895	89,460	6,977,298	556,747	5,834,286	761,082	685,810	59,276
1894.....	56,348	103,175	6,865,549	413,140	511,771	111,877	152,877	75,529	6,154,077	532,035	5,272,640	668,959	626,033	52,333
1895.....	30,225	83,022	6,980,372	451,443	202,744	44,856	113,580	43,069	5,137,535	390,454	3,929,994	420,215	462,640	32,586
1896.....	27,755	15,531	4,838,657	330,598	66,088	18,147	69,314	32,982	6,168,201	386,475	3,408,718	348,065	195,600	10,286
1897.....	27,549	5,866	4,772,589	296,849	68,747	10,067	51,300	28,360	10,581,819	574,402	4,012,433	374,185	222,660	10,005
1898.....	9,911	8,058	3,829,463	207,649	243,202	31,358	40,006	33,697	10,736,382	672,008	3,532,940	365,243	267,600	14,103

a Bacon and hams prior to 1831.

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	PROVISIONS, ETC.—continued.									VEGETABLES.				
	Lard.		All other meat prod- ucts.	Butter.		Cheese.		Milk.	Tobacco, manufac- tures of.	Beans and pease.		Potatoes.		All other.
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	16,600,130	2,264,804	10,592	215,362	86,503	152,512	19,601	6,525	133,104			380,066	287,597	61,306
1872.....	18,676,287	1,848,271	2,946	461,637	91,261	92,533	11,131	8,404	47,183			413,487	332,391	51,983
1873.....	22,088,076	2,055,267	4,726	338,914	72,838	81,626	11,437	6,459	66,737			344,068	340,225	39,086
1874.....	22,186,472	2,072,873	12,006	271,891	75,697	39,496	6,427	9,593	83,374			325,427	324,644	25,647
1875.....	14,062,001	1,937,474	12,293	325,472	83,428	86,464	13,007	8,049	73,482			440,028	385,235	33,976
1876.....	12,924,557	1,654,846	11,361	221,194	56,146	106,385	15,206	4,176	60,328			451,722	235,008	32,613
1877.....	21,665,467	2,202,214	21,179	428,659	93,267	106,567	14,338	4,746	75,640			356,522	399,022	27,406
1878.....	23,153,687	1,850,211	33,867	339,710	56,111	42,450	5,735	6,867	39,441			570,427	408,476	26,654
1879.....	25,110,186	1,756,894	39,239	453,735	62,166	128,761	16,011	13,816	59,690			492,489	431,950	35,381
1880.....	22,624,896	1,637,375	17,306	283,779	54,394	140,022	21,226	13,778	43,989			455,962	365,786	21,066
1881.....	26,174,291	2,449,865	5,903	306,950	54,515	71,555	12,113	14,797	100,658			458,403	340,225	21,311
1882.....	15,270,152	1,673,650	11,167	186,781	40,876	64,012	13,697	13,100	70,181			257,422	286,764	37,150
1883.....	21,405,390	2,471,774	4,579	196,839	44,329	72,008	15,580	11,967	51,255			261,928	290,282	28,674
1884.....	18,499,591	1,704,837	4,647	134,956	32,418	59,461	13,853	7,894	45,521	62,659	190,638	287,469	213,482	28,018
1885.....	21,388,616	1,737,922	5,156	190,806	36,453	62,617	14,938	11,887	49,315	66,416	168,528	173,344	130,719	17,923
1886.....	22,191,556	1,563,617	7,011	264,770	45,202	89,737	16,120	14,144	55,563	97,284	174,159	285,367	216,563	16,560
1887.....	25,720,583	1,834,776	11,876	212,970	41,105	83,976	14,817	9,993	57,660	118,217	219,331	221,499	158,981	16,478
1888.....	26,501,166	1,993,990	19,621	168,536	30,266	81,148	14,135	13,013	35,410	98,687	269,819	218,416	170,818	9,686
1889.....	30,056,838	2,541,038	32,338	112,209	21,771	55,695	10,010	15,401	59,658	91,333	182,756	272,829	191,597	6,459
1890.....	33,142,436	2,233,821	28,347	143,493	21,219	62,708	9,686	22,193	43,258	82,613	200,595	147,932	108,153	13,107
1891.....	32,054,107	2,079,534	28,331	101,130	18,119	90,275	12,910	17,226	39,154	50,466	115,930	175,891	168,354	10,137
1892.....	43,829,187	2,974,545	52,788	165,833	33,570	202,611	27,478	27,298	57,018	145,162	282,391	337,928	228,079	29,859
1893.....	42,683,652	4,023,917	81,956	234,156	49,257	225,421	32,491	46,347	61,491	183,977	392,162	636,618	551,153	31,146
1894.....	42,340,578	3,625,545	86,209	121,179	27,038	215,021	30,835	41,732	38,233	120,738	268,265	573,069	496,875	32,321
1895.....	30,672,512	2,209,067	90,720	53,305	11,598	52,680	8,368	39,777	47,996	101,833	203,979	355,526	274,853	22,832
1896.....	26,218,802	1,551,185	56,244	49,982	10,080	42,896	7,568	63,872	36,630	107,405	148,579	398,491	217,315	20,898
1897.....	25,717,489	1,255,183	87,336	58,120	10,475	64,869	11,284	70,485	116,679	212,381	276,635	580,923	331,553	18,766
1898.....	20,139,515	1,027,657	111,374	42,715	8,087	219,531	25,888	114,230	146,292	275,223	380,199	327,779	285,082	19,725

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	WOOD AND MANUFACTURES OF.									Total export of domestic merchandise.
	Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.	Shooks.	Staves and headings. <i>a</i>	All other lumber.	Timber.	Hogsheds and barrels empty.	Household furniture.	All other manu- factures.		
<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	35,715	661,581	2,177,745	10,789	635,652	244,096	46,733	132,921	13,768,060	
1872.....	27,055	515,969	2,055,122	29,214	463,572	214,938	52,855	85,045	12,960,831	
1873.....	53,666	824,928	2,239,099	31,854	628,181	223,259	73,285	115,546	15,117,767	
1874.....	27,624	496,702	2,430,270	36,017	997,576	304,358	25,914	15,191	15,677,716	
1875.....	39,487	514,858	2,560,073	9,979	526,295	388,755	70,910	75,375	14,185,956	
1876.....	31,312	468,911	1,777,970	22,257	463,314	309,433	66,266	69,481	12,083,303	
1877.....	33,689	488,190	1,454,355	18,561	380,837	196,717	73,137	49,246	12,709,003	
1878.....	18,319	411,189	1,258,975	50,236	336,418	143,986	79,627	52,728	11,365,013	
1879.....	36,181	412,271	1,470,706	92,865	413,130	219,640	67,802	69,265	12,201,691	
1880.....	22,369	323,521	1,410,221	117,091	417,259	227,326	47,311	46,266	10,924,633	
1881.....	34,221	564,056	1,073,635	213,759	100,891	126,258	63,852	73,469	10,999,276	
1882.....	38,451	605,608	1,413,591	337,907	69,273	258,038	80,494	143,160	11,775,073	
1883.....	42,965	637,737	1,576,992	367,902	104,198	253,128	105,166	168,837	14,567,918	
1884.....	25,956	317,972	759,577	174,724	338,791	7,553	262,527	60,902	10,562,880	
1885.....	17,452	211,155	837,307	83,006	296,231	263,265	38,985	37,009	8,719,195	
1886.....	28,480	376,265	596,477	66,036	202,750	6,708	437,638	63,646	10,020,879	
1887.....	23,150	433,622	323,454	84,212	295,900	888	383,527	86,234	10,138,930	
1888.....	21,982	287,971	294,554	101,111	139,841	6,830	432,242	59,182	88,805	
1889.....	27,896	366,259	267,891	50,841	63,087	7,652	220,366	83,928	71,551	

a Combined with "shooks" previous to 1884.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	WOOD AND MANUFACTURES OF.									Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.		Shooks.	Staves and headings.	All other lumber.	Timber.	Hogsheds and barrels, empty.	Household furniture.	All other manu- factures.	
	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1890.....	35,068	453,539	136,555	25,403	42,644	16,483	316,186	148,163	69,503	12,689,509
1891.....	46,305	620,689	102,647	35,492	63,771	38,174	140,023	108,988	80,772	11,929,605
1892.....	57,763	763,255	166,462	61,205	80,334	8,090	173,983	167,656	104,968	17,622,411
1893.....	113,140	1,095,128	152,657	66,630	89,480	30,938	74,202	217,126	154,134	23,604,094
1894.....	65,291	917,921	101,485	40,674	53,134	62,292	79,486	180,104	131,201	19,855,237
1895.....	34,344	397,524	55,947	22,929	31,135	45,983	36,232	103,283	77,031	12,533,260
1896.....	28,548	320,614	34,222	19,690	17,658	10,328	9,585	48,542	29,757	7,312,348
1897.....	27,451	286,387	27,454	8,872	7,519	18,637	4,542	34,288	24,052	7,599,757
1898.....	23,897	258,076	25,250	8,726	13,164	14,463	786	24,910	18,889	9,233,894

PORTO RICO.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—							
	FREE OF DUTY.							
	Coffee.		Fruits, includ- ing nuts.	Sugar and molasses.				Total free of duty.
				Molasses.		Sugar, brown.		
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....								11,976
1872.....								26,336
1873.....	2,257,254	394,371						448,355
1874.....	6,433,044	1,372,960						1,416,442
1875.....	1,167,336	210,569						243,357
1876.....	724,243	138,952						160,279
1877.....	311,446	60,183						83,796
1878.....	105,856	13,083						24,061
1879.....	120,309	19,701						64,621
1880.....	2,937,083	502,090						539,793
1881.....	3,465,572	482,574						516,302
1882.....	2,187,716	248,006						284,042
1883.....	80,286	5,451						34,605
1884.....	217,827	20,467	15,909					67,488
1885.....	4,864,188	603,564	19,044					656,992
1886.....	2,929,175	356,106	27,541					431,757
1887.....	81,292	11,590	37,610					74,367
1888.....	1,309,659	224,374	40,810					293,450
1889.....	300,065	48,290	33,104					103,720
1890.....	635,841	140,435	27,551					176,394
1891.....	174,174	39,686	32,985	a 1,626,924	a 425,930	a 42,928,398	a 1,349,247	1,856,955
1892.....	141,150	26,891	31,528	3,312,448	861,079	80,474,547	2,308,657	3,236,337
1893.....	91,906	23,814	26,628	2,502,666	708,905	99,578,182	3,227,522	3,994,673
1894.....	372,427	81,226	15,177	2,554,265	630,370	75,484,143	2,392,514	3,126,895
1895.....	66,782	11,724	397	a 239,225	a 41,484	a 16,065,702	a 311,704	375,364
1896.....	159,649	24,101	63					48,608
1897.....	133,083	22,489	61					101,711
1898.....	180,834	24,217	11,532					50,667

α See Dutiable.

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PORTO RICO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.							EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—		
	DUTIABLE.						Total imports of merchan- dise.	BREADSTUFFS.		
	Fruits, in- cluding nuts.	Sugar and molasses.				Total dutiable.		Wheat flour.		All other.
		Molasses.		Sugar, brown.						
	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	76,311	7,389,583	2,195,100	149,219,683	7,109,592	9,440,469	9,452,445	65,824	469,835	78,606
1872.....	46,530	7,867,535	2,207,834	167,582,316	8,716,828	11,301,430	11,327,766	65,706	502,218	92,929
1873.....	42,213	6,160,454	1,719,049	122,657,581	5,734,982	7,530,676	7,979,031	41,407	351,370	100,661
1874.....	7,304	5,276,173	1,584,134	98,871,248	3,861,282	5,468,277	6,684,719	46,233	358,632	82,208
1875.....	34,238	6,013,947	1,962,110	114,583,612	4,655,259	6,670,325	6,913,682	60,097	368,698	55,389
1876.....	26,437	4,782,937	1,362,856	70,289,275	2,614,906	4,013,515	4,173,794	46,510	363,953	80,938
1877.....	23,040	3,495,400	1,100,862	62,784,202	3,184,401	4,321,956	4,405,752	42,655	299,403	93,344
1878.....	18,626	4,656,967	1,396,744	73,978,123	3,246,909	4,776,756	4,800,817	20,396	132,973	75,149
1879.....	18,679	5,052,010	1,159,869	84,706,761	3,121,028	4,320,333	4,384,954	47,434	249,252	86,051
1880.....	28,447	4,798,715	1,342,269	84,070,596	3,509,421	4,904,033	5,443,886	56,520	351,728	176,321
1881.....	25,079	3,419,023	1,166,011	50,533,363	2,138,115	3,243,897	3,860,199	46,261	271,574	83,873
1882.....	6,066	5,426,794	2,010,280	78,788,027	3,393,593	5,432,832	5,716,874	40,038	277,846	72,234
1883.....	17,961	5,448,321	1,841,466	83,940,870	3,559,343	5,442,888	5,477,493	75,327	427,059	67,093
1884.....	3,542	6,325,088	1,634,782	138,382,724	5,162,287	6,822,968	6,890,456	76,017	410,324	47,135
1885.....	11,303	6,039,923	1,213,709	159,799,898	4,200,888	5,447,271	6,104,263	78,534	364,272	29,893
1886.....	12,729	3,945,952	881,187	93,002,688	3,244,023	4,162,787	4,594,544	96,833	479,463	39,060
1887.....	16,061	5,313,611	1,213,102	131,443,622	3,343,747	4,587,323	4,661,690	108,503	508,133	35,771
1888.....	19,983	4,995,306	1,085,554	115,654,059	2,997,721	4,119,033	4,412,483	134,549	608,352	31,838
1889.....	17,635	3,050,708	804,391	81,340,747	2,766,232	3,603,653	3,707,373	129,946	638,210	35,572
1890.....	5,345	4,106,368	1,110,473	76,926,934	2,750,774	3,877,232	4,053,626	151,996	699,516	72,241
1891.....	4,270	a 837,390	a 218,991	a 37,085,254	a 1,067,156	1,307,155	3,164,110	127,983	668,828	80,047
1892.....	802					11,670	3,248,007	162,147	826,561	126,204
1893.....	1,586					13,950	4,008,623	167,053	733,308	103,743
1894.....	658			61,887	1,537	8,739	3,135,634	200,813	734,443	136,731
1895.....	15,513	a 2,038,121	a 418,645	a 40,286,820	a 682,369	1,131,148	1,506,512	118,617	382,676	28,128
1896.....	10,389	2,256,073	520,275	81,582,810	1,707,318	2,248,045	2,296,653	129,021	486,482	34,875
1897.....	20,735	2,639,134	470,532	86,607,317	1,577,911	2,079,313	2,181,024	126,933	516,188	45,310
1898.....	1,136	1,830,472	364,781	98,417,540	1,912,965	2,368,689	2,414,356	90,578	450,493	51,018

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.											Oils, mineral, illum- inating.	Paper, and manufac- tures of.
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coal.		Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Flax, hemp, etc., manufac- tures of.	Builders' hardware, saws, and tools. <i>b</i>	Machin- ery, n.e.s.	Wire.		All other manufac- tures.			
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....	22,883	53	421	3,826	4,987	3,344	22,608			54,218	101,139	29,993	23,229
1872.....	26,530	108	715	4,613	12,767	3,383	43,501			69,854	209,947	63,153	40,082
1873.....	24,378	121	1,014	3,244	14,877	2,456	38,373			62,661	200,885	59,621	21,147
1874.....	15,796	282	1,745	1,887	7,643	1,226	11,734			82,232	270,327	57,328	26,577
1875.....	29,657	176	1,020	5,263	12,917	2,642	33,660			74,179	256,319	45,448	32,359
1876.....	21,443	61	446	7,771	7,410	2,811	12,993			52,581	234,121	41,576	25,183
1877.....	35,317	430	1,662	10,161	17,044	3,896	16,093			71,928	278,243	64,431	35,004
1878.....	23,109	75	322	20,306	15,498	3,528	11,170			53,291	291,843	48,674	34,212
1879.....	39,691	264	1,227	27,388	6,566	9,309	101,593			50,000	265,570	32,667	39,223
1880.....	46,143	122	459	19,290	8,627	4,227	45,754			77,950	333,545	34,925	33,810
1881.....	27,101	166	890	9,693	8,376	2,388	19,114			88,787	271,928	36,481	65,316
1882.....	27,375	608	2,743	15,517	14,261	2,140	22,755			59,143	555,460	64,119	54,703
1883.....	46,123	442	2,483	20,682	25,012	3,153	32,810			90,680	291,834	36,310	45,030
1884.....	53,592	153	721	35,974	21,755	4,837	39,222	103,151	5,981	65,031	501,638	59,052	36,419
1885.....	35,460	918	3,631	14,796	14,276	4,353	11,123	60,816	2,656	30,837	466,699	49,738	23,702
1886.....	46,280	2,573	7,298	9,947	18,700	5,349	11,320	77,507	2,915	23,713	513,800	54,787	46,234
1887.....	43,625	1,504	6,125	9,059	14,781	4,873	16,729	118,464	4,417	24,647	598,190	62,679	25,618
1888.....	46,845	1,943	6,739	23,333	14,551	11,623	20,960	189,622	6,650	36,366	567,365	72,948	39,566

a See Free of duty.

b Edge tools, files, and saws prior to 1881.

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PORTO RICO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Coal.		Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Flax, hemp, etc., manufac- tures of.	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.					Oils, mineral, illum- inating.		Paper, and manufac- tures of.
						Builders' hardware, saws, and tools.	Machin- ery, n.e.s.	Wire.		All other manufac- tures.			
	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1889.....	53,323	1,964	6,890	18,727	17,795	17,152	25,983	218,092	7,209	46,534	816,458	96,763	49,387
1890.....	56,383	4,526	13,425	30,144	19,117	18,247	25,007	418,162	15,057	36,428	123,251	131,433	44,691
1891.....	53,984	18,282	48,300	22,529	16,199	22,511	18,987	842,471	29,139	52,961	64,269	8,966	29,741
1892.....	68,392	18,279	49,423	34,048	23,105	21,906	23,023	601,538	19,736	36,567	708,488	64,219	44,473
1893.....	53,571	18,309	49,429	15,744	13,817	22,254	56,389	1,073,142	28,891	51,768	480,390	40,927	20,707
1894.....	55,270	15,301	41,762	21,284	18,048	30,093	31,373	1,401,182	31,607	57,117	171,446	16,565	18,351
1895.....	41,697	30,252	77,182	15,280	12,241	15,372	56,642	677,000	13,476	50,016	323,700	32,605	12,511
1896.....	56,184	30,851	78,625	26,543	18,497	21,421	44,524	1,077,900	21,251	46,437	241,692	30,732	15,423
1897.....	48,440	22,785	58,977	12,002	9,582	15,299	69,462	813,485	15,719	80,006	268,020	30,713	13,841
1898.....	32,800	9,766	21,014	3,884	5,522	9,439	52,669	498,125	9,107	13,584	198,390	22,122	5,560

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.												
	Bacon.		Hams.		Pork, pickled.		Lard.		Oleomargarine.		Butter.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	
1871.....			428,561	73,441	1,382,898	146,382	1,443,882	219,479			215,891	49,744	
1872.....			762,093	97,391	1,813,250	131,635	1,462,571	162,250			380,480	73,964	
1873.....			612,024	85,799	1,943,908	154,160	1,780,562	186,150			269,938	38,013	
1874.....			566,069	71,343	2,476,262	201,550	1,750,184	187,137			164,455	39,600	
1875.....			660,302	89,933	1,924,526	203,049	1,490,147	230,405			270,864	62,057	
1876.....			535,364	80,307	2,043,493	224,899	1,643,867	245,127			168,884	34,924	
1877.....			610,341	81,502	2,923,975	261,495	2,030,257	244,633			411,533	71,277	
1878.....			680,883	75,761	2,527,965	159,737	2,598,759	245,150			169,620	23,546	
1879.....			783,138	78,429	2,560,090	133,634	2,048,244	161,314			185,893	21,870	
1880.....			794,506	84,905	3,407,211	187,209	2,459,902	200,766			119,416	19,472	
1881.....	59,093	5,549	485,104	58,355	2,559,907	197,224	2,470,911	250,496			245,646	39,296	
1882.....	88,786	9,841	462,551	65,128	2,037,920	211,460	2,353,592	280,925			151,450	26,371	
1883.....	67,835	7,922	576,663	83,241	1,828,603	206,522	2,340,899	298,977			199,449	32,583	
1884.....	56,489	4,709	621,362	81,915	2,253,944	187,261	2,625,131	266,880			306,332	42,939	
1885.....	89,197	6,014	599,500	69,129	1,967,846	147,111	2,785,040	230,011			160,535	22,305	
1886.....	117,065	7,578	598,989	61,427	2,311,634	148,439	2,907,573	222,011	189	20	154,072	19,967	
1887.....	282,610	22,368	319,858	36,725	2,042,100	150,165	2,935,401	226,350	50	6	160,346	26,059	
1888.....	453,785	39,206	231,842	27,594	2,392,136	185,200	2,923,878	231,522	12,600	1,627	191,038	26,514	
1889.....	540,186	47,728	215,588	24,396	2,871,400	217,549	3,101,652	296,642	82,429	8,800	68,425	10,204	
1890.....	917,615	64,646	126,644	14,543	2,812,900	173,739	3,531,225	270,988	68,010	8,092	108,557	13,711	
1891.....	1,066,038	78,584	258,725	27,617	3,546,000	226,311	3,075,060	237,692	59,100	6,648	109,210	12,642	
1892.....	919,281	64,266	582,662	60,164	4,762,800	301,731	4,397,820	324,976	20,700	2,448	103,417	13,533	
1893.....	183,341	14,090	801,868	99,754	3,318,600	282,980	3,239,094	306,809	43,670	5,458	63,835	9,780	
1894.....	230,976	19,038	799,812	98,695	4,480,400	360,684	3,979,784	343,573	76,534	10,182	139,744	21,456	
1895.....	399,222	29,001	680,411	70,967	3,285,200	221,848	3,414,798	243,148	110,515	13,540	102,914	12,448	
1896.....	295,396	19,186	985,718	92,549	4,495,550	243,311	4,027,501	244,467	18,440	1,738	20,655	2,754	
1897.....	618,015	33,233	888,945	79,369	3,450,200	152,411	4,572,985	228,051			33,525	4,009	
1898.....	496,391	33,013	602,415	50,941	3,556,700	176,219	3,609,131	190,630			18,900	2,407	

α Bacon and hams combined prior to 1881.

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PORTO RICO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	PROVISIONS, ETC.—continued.			VEGETABLES.		WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.							
	Cheese.		All other.	Beans and peas. <i>a</i>		Boards, cleats, planks, joists, and scantling.		Shooks.	Staves and heading. <i>b</i>	Household furniture.	All other.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Bushels.	Dollars.	<i>M</i> feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....	171,902	24,000	3,043			7,534	150,475	597,407		30,420	122,105	2,511,305	
1872.....	218,871	27,584	9,108			9,119	191,351	374,759		35,586	92,381	2,406,252	
1873.....	193,014	27,911	11,796			6,322	133,582	281,153		23,280	61,292	1,913,333	
1874.....	210,813	29,642	9,410			4,609	93,277	263,651		12,014	75,106	1,857,060	
1875.....	202,859	30,191	5,381			8,354	151,839	353,755		19,850	70,027	2,113,638	
1876.....	163,019	21,516	3,338			5,696	91,654	199,033		14,714	49,059	1,750,162	
1877.....	119,505	17,149	5,656			8,012	123,975	163,805		23,581	49,496	1,980,265	
1878.....	87,851	12,558	10,086			6,122	94,182	168,933		18,152	63,163	1,594,431	
1879.....	216,330	23,678	18,954			7,528	108,332	175,892		20,127	94,221	1,771,483	
1880.....	333,591	41,187	20,571			7,519	100,528	160,772		29,321	84,810	1,969,284	
1881.....	247,035	30,811	10,784			6,137	97,241	158,253		23,713	39,400	1,712,732	
1882.....	211,997	28,855	14,022			7,582	121,939	195,966		19,511	44,565	1,838,214	
1883.....	236,090	30,967	3,204			6,642	110,324	250,419		16,987	55,331	2,116,499	
1884.....	235,799	31,865	6,255	1,538	5,461	10,595	185,693	215,922	56,450	28,146	53,645	2,188,609	
1885.....	204,264	23,885	2,979	5,721	11,709	2,976	45,423	157,740	29,693	9,833	39,801	1,533,177	
1886.....	165,867	15,710	6,089	8,598	17,013	4,759	70,724	149,288	20,733	14,274	39,241	1,676,029	
1887.....	105,898	14,335	6,615	8,588	13,793	4,230	70,489	156,330	15,301	12,684	32,357	1,707,241	
1888.....	133,498	16,957	9,131	6,397	12,028	6,511	99,077	133,816	14,757	19,186	26,235	1,920,358	
1889.....	118,361	14,231	11,982	7,409	14,660	5,374	85,732	145,737	13,752	27,397	39,186	2,175,458	
1890.....	186,624	22,448	23,712	7,595	15,198	4,809	76,133	129,406	11,663	24,192	26,574	2,217,700	
1891.....	275,967	32,631	14,546	7,616	12,357	7,247	105,839	74,383	6,114	25,046	19,538	2,112,334	
1892.....	247,532	31,368	22,109	43,625	80,343	8,523	124,449	135,239	19,809	20,952	24,663	2,808,631	
1893.....	214,884	28,721	16,465	16,691	24,685	9,494	149,072	76,731	28,311	25,624	22,809	2,502,788	
1894.....	130,545	16,568	23,167	30,976	44,105	11,179	172,802	107,160	18,516	22,521	26,227	2,705,646	
1895.....	27,319	3,038	14,820	5,289	7,338	9,746	142,037	112,742	11,855	18,120	13,486	1,820,203	
1896.....	25,404	2,946	20,009	36,522	44,244	8,842	121,949	113,565	14,127	16,518	11,472	2,080,460	
1897.....	26,478	3,022	27,611	44,849	57,550	9,586	124,510	75,907	9,360	15,700	8,560	1,964,850	
1898.....	12,167	1,535	12,353	18,707	27,283	4,050	51,129	91,388	2,731	6,041	12,397	1,481,629	

a Included in "pulse" prior to 1831.

b Included in "shooks" prior to 1884.

SOUTH AMERICA.

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ARGENTINA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.									
	Furs and fur skins, undressed.	Hair, un- manufac- tured.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Wool, unmanufactured.						Total free of duty.
				Class 1.		Class 2.		Class 3.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	4,269	442,348	(a)							602,286
1872.....	85,594	486,424	6338,804							964,831
1873.....	4,526	470,511	3,242,775							3,737,051
1874.....	837	309,258	2,095,118							3,091,999
1875.....	41,293	278,879	4,126,039							4,468,969
1876.....	105,618	308,441	1,969,923							2,465,758
1877.....	38,026	130,620	2,071,161							2,326,642
1878.....	59,859	163,964	3,380,747							3,667,814
1879.....	59,138	196,181	2,377,385							2,662,360
1880.....	250,342	314,221	3,805,168							4,457,940
1881.....	33,174	277,202	4,261,833							4,591,078
1882.....	74,536	352,326	2,993,807							3,733,481
1883.....	152,205	469,261*	4,047,892							4,885,249
1884.....	164,738	287,071	2,664,037							3,286,803
1885.....	101,736	253,240	2,697,610							3,154,337
1886.....	96,069	361,086	2,746,771							3,506,963
1887.....	224,484	230,616	2,588,517							3,347,936
1888.....	239,410	237,393	3,969,203							4,560,071
1889.....	48,973	171,166	3,749,170							4,134,406
1890.....	95,513	184,916	3,441,202							3,888,381
1891.....	145,179	245,315	3,912,565							4,505,828
1892.....	63,853	223,114	3,465,731							3,921,623
1893.....	138,396	283,920	3,172,826							3,843,843
1894.....	50,583	141,785	2,281,554							2,687,999
1895.....	25,333	214,820	4,182,004	6,578,644	760,091	221,819	23,544	15,825,135	1,386,453	6,835,982
1896.....	2,110	223,646	5,903,424	6,128,552	871,305	3,273,075	463,875	13,335,224	1,283,077	8,934,244
1897.....	896	130,506	4,277,447	19,891,243	2,869,395	8,339,497	1,173,810	14,374,841	1,248,618	9,845,917
1898.....	25,627	214,828	821,767	446,568	62,102	80,564	9,391	635,347	58,382	1,443,916

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.						EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			
	DUTIABLE.					Total im- ports of mer- chandise.	Agricultural implements.	Books, maps, engrav- ings, etc.	Carriages, horse and railroad cars.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.
	Seeds, linseed or flaxseed.		Wool, unmanufactured.		Total dutia- ble.					
		Bushels.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....			23,333,237	2,605,956	6,438,289	7,040,575	64,605	18,893	93,685	40,631
1872.....			24,731,834	3,608,147	8,205,151	9,169,982	103,680	10,542	74,631	63,628
1873.....			17,449,563	3,407,187	3,850,792	7,587,843	227,107	25,991	172,016	77,252
1874.....			8,502,627	1,276,456	1,445,671	4,537,670	112,899	23,821	128,576	65,641
1875.....			8,999,093	1,241,916	1,365,720	5,834,709	73,933	7,560	26,755	55,858
1876.....			7,376,219	1,030,278	1,136,978	3,602,736	53,757	7,525	4,989	62,463
1877.....			8,166,025	1,056,262	1,122,667	3,449,309	78,772	6,878	3,763	16,440
1878.....			9,489,121	1,191,429	1,280,202	4,948,016	99,137	20,733	11,906	39,620
1879.....			6,929,514	791,883	855,805	3,518,105	203,078	15,903	5,417	49,705
1880.....			12,278,776	1,625,378	1,756,635	6,214,575	105,516	9,462	24,078	61,687
1881.....	50	65	6,163,223	1,015,685	1,078,162	5,669,240	221,052	4,821	10,890	56,170
1882.....			9,821,231	1,431,772	1,501,433	5,234,914	497,178	30,930	37,054	66,323
1883.....			8,691,873	1,132,895	1,306,862	6,192,111	658,115	16,584	65,912	73,988
1884.....	51,790	56,333	5,316,983	623,371	823,235	4,110,038	439,290	92,775	101,443	112,038
1885.....	139,693	157,445	10,222,817	999,291	1,174,173	4,328,510	320,912	147,010	164,356	101,269
1886.....	229,050	265,965	12,109,844	1,183,727	1,515,383	5,022,346	591,588	67,008	54,681	83,567

a Dutiable.

b Goatskins only free.

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ARGENTINA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.						EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—			
	DUTIABLE.					Total im- ports of mer- chandise.	Agricultural implements.	Books, maps, engrav- ings, etc.	Carriages, horse and railroad cars.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.
	Seeds, linseed or flaxseed.		Wool, unmanufactured.		Total dutia- ble.					
	Bushels.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.						
1887.....			6,286,982	695,075	752,256	4,100,192	538,814	198,329	446,001	94,699
1888.....	83,504	87,860	11,900,584	1,178,003	1,342,088	5,902,159	877,519	90,561	489,213	115,836
1889.....	303,602	362,722	8,632,788	908,969	1,320,212	5,454,618	1,069,320	92,038	719,887	151,771
1890.....	28,745	31,599	13,583,448	1,400,563	1,513,316	5,401,697	1,065,445	157,819	1,321,256	122,611
1891.....	25,469	26,895	13,794,483	1,378,116	1,470,716	5,976,544	200,048	19,139	505,867	64,182
1892.....			14,127,791	1,377,442	1,422,175	5,343,798	781,940	21,395	2,457	40,932
1893.....			13,842,868	1,339,287	1,395,252	5,239,095	1,359,334	38,161	9,800	133,952
1894.....			8,983,667	779,471	809,031	3,497,030	1,514,194	43,328	19,570	112,383
1895.....	644,341	589,887	3,120,256	242,801	839,288	7,675,270	1,004,551	35,766	84,270	131,368
1896.....	179,417	215,235			379,141	9,313,385	854,067	28,769	48,668	153,267
1897.....					926,710	10,772,627	415,312	25,313	149,766	186,905
1898.....			12,807,182	1,243,960	4,471,963	5,915,879	225,317	26,614	327,735	239,141

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.				Flax, hemp, and jute, manu- factures of.	IRON AND STEEL, MANUFACTURES OF.				NAVAL STORES.			
	Cloths.		All other.	Machinery, including steam engines, etc.		Builders' hardware, saws, and tools.	Sewing machines.	All other.	Rosin.		Turpentine, spirits of.		
	Yards.	Dollars.							Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	13,103	3,930	43,350	7,987	11,833	25,125	37,530	47,204	2,168	5,136	24,335	11,688	
1872.....	24,090	6,958	31,722	3,464	11,788	30,311	28,718	79,974	3,430	15,315	54,482	34,719	
1873.....	201,884	58,774	40,391	30,980	17,053	49,065	66,486	329,123	7,375	34,903	56,575	37,835	
1874.....	136,039	35,646	38,988	1,345	117,956	31,370	33,244	377,008	6,231	25,545	69,550	35,296	
1875.....	197,293	38,886	23,375	3,778	44,684	40,325	11,937	98,273	4,979	17,168	26,168	11,836	
1876.....	155,249	32,519	4,974	1,539	14,078	24,856	14,771	120,154	4,230	14,053	19,200	7,670	
1877.....	554,744	63,544	14,007	420	8,874	9,058	10,081	40,114	7,167	26,877	35,820	15,613	
1878.....	1,832,437	170,510	32,538	4,086	14,087	23,900	18,341	110,029	9,348	27,523	60,940	23,007	
1879.....	1,476,910	132,271	25,601	18,722	11,663	24,491	28,700	89,018	a 2,120	a 6,698	36,050	12,128	
1880.....	929,927	105,281	28,456	3,158	19,535	29,358	23,611	95,914	a 8,441	a 33,071	61,730	21,752	
1881.....	1,752,112	162,536	22,039	10,890	35,821	59,441	29,216	147,697	a 9,895	a 32,128	47,540	19,657	
1882.....	2,894,441	270,741	61,914	34,782	33,863	47,236	42,654	316,448	a 8,997	a 32,964	53,875	29,565	
1883.....	4,661,559	492,315	116,792	49,270	167,530	57,408	50,921	219,158	a 14,695	a 47,336	105,040	54,533	
1884.....	7,169,578	567,329	31,510	50,695	964,906	83,692	43,081	510,192	11,582	33,467	122,620	50,504	
1885.....	4,894,344	396,518	14,396	88,287	377,899	88,879	73,763	304,877	15,203	49,273	81,600	30,362	
1886.....	5,450,512	466,402	28,084	110,575	82,770	102,642	63,276	287,610	20,479	66,017	104,450	42,033	
1887.....	12,419,869	780,720	16,517	62,827	151,943	127,253	83,832	254,553	24,239	62,572	191,130	77,066	
1888.....	5,808,479	464,499	21,529	133,664	213,401	168,846	100,625	248,808	21,616	43,083	243,570	94,716	
1889.....	4,114,517	463,185	34,709	179,257	560,022	262,573	109,862	253,384	12,169	25,947	110,300	48,953	
1890.....	3,713,806	449,353	26,726	316,986	780,663	202,502	66,243	374,317	34,079	67,311	189,100	86,591	
1891.....	1,100,003	86,660	6,729	106,193	76,980	80,873	24,420	68,916	27,244	72,049	162,150	73,532	
1892.....	2,479,169	160,173	15,740	241,633	88,003	83,479	22,892	52,081	36,558	90,315	127,000	52,164	
1893.....	4,354,157	331,485	56,877	433,347	124,529	215,481	67,886	95,947	43,967	97,549	201,920	75,919	
1894.....	3,975,813	317,883	32,461	354,036	229,771	127,220	71,513	117,690	32,567	83,061	95,650	33,922	
1895.....	2,332,871	188,247	18,209	309,723	161,479	141,354	53,504	104,034	48,742	112,969	221,270	75,958	
1896.....	3,631,699	274,963	41,933	295,129	262,902	192,393	103,171	189,355	63,067	139,309	250,660	81,214	
1897.....	3,262,983	270,844	66,845	394,541	511,962	228,344	101,628	321,497	34,199	75,830	168,350	50,264	
1898.....	2,673,651	181,868	34,726	325,219	437,911	147,958	77,188	489,342	53,782	95,161	335,677	129,503	

a Rosin and turpentine.

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ARGENTINA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											Total ex- ports of domestic merchan- dise.
	OILS, MINERAL.				Provisions.	Tobacco, and manu- factures of.	Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.		All other lumber.	Timber.	Wood, man- ufactures of.	
	Illuminating.		Lubricating.									
	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>M feet.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1871.....	572,704	161,575			44,234	58,675	2,737	63,827	11,764	4,307	104,162	1,203,366
1872.....	470,323	139,136	100	70	34,530	97,846	5,730	142,102	50,380	1,546	88,342	1,324,282
1873.....	964,159	288,240			55,404	166,659	12,683	301,190	92,800	12,620	330,082	2,895,661
1874.....	657,500	139,550	180	139	34,047	108,698	9,622	219,016	7,206	10,623	340,054	2,478,513
1875.....	278,975	52,060	300	120	27,621	80,569	7,447	158,012	12,539	8,590	97,689	1,301,294
1876.....	766,500	144,197	50	30	43,949	118,427	5,068	88,115	38,589	8,471	90,746	1,519,190
1877.....	850,972	228,374	10	20	26,448	116,190	4,733	70,300	8,678	432	23,122	1,129,168
1878.....	1,656,889	282,720	40	59	30,138	157,398	5,965	90,993	18,692	231	87,870	2,013,587
1879.....	943,470	117,192	350	136	18,888	80,804	11,925	177,960	26,810	580	89,383	2,023,401
1880.....	1,432,777	158,956	200	70	38,587	198,040	6,287	106,515	64,078	3,220	92,182	1,779,501
1881.....	1,158,400	146,510	5,094	2,819	20,456	132,201	8,855	162,562	54,990	2,085	100,969	2,258,183
1882.....	1,257,648	146,112	9,128	5,343	42,602	97,638	15,291	282,229	35,611	930	162,727	2,727,917
1883.....	1,815,526	188,782	17,677	10,720	34,715	107,962	18,888	325,263	31,866	1,817	171,075	3,357,670
1884.....	2,111,620	240,315	24,539	13,410	53,907	151,128	30,711	508,673	33,982	4,552	238,074	4,825,813
1885.....	3,638,710	366,085	51,626	26,569	38,425	100,193	54,790	829,137	111,644	11,065	160,815	4,327,026
1886.....	2,398,656	240,618	80,512	33,346	40,132	131,347	58,778	889,665	194,955	33,483	214,514	4,331,770
1887.....	4,140,630	333,022	191,296	60,010	32,567	152,950	58,279	965,759	260,923	16,695	252,621	5,671,729
1888.....	3,177,465	334,839	307,302	87,655	49,431	47,096	86,707	1,362,762	89,253	62,978	324,019	6,099,411
1889.....	5,952,415	619,877	431,292	99,645	97,207	100,960	129,204	2,055,029	114,845	67,369	328,425	8,376,077
1890.....	3,113,750	339,070	300,490	93,252	65,286	92,752	86,233	1,340,439	39,981	118,917	325,692	8,322,627
1891.....	3,476,192	353,788	354,667	80,681	40,206	67,166	28,241	440,949	33,765	47,045	65,062	2,718,075
1892.....	4,825,196	403,619	238,419	53,001	3,722	23,925	20,984	343,883	32,004	500	32,461	2,643,325
1893.....	4,070,719	321,098	566,851	105,414	22,465	22,032	55,549	759,317	133,985	9,483	76,350	4,786,567
1894.....	3,162,846	247,844	504,068	94,999	8,831	15,161	49,033	713,308	61,391	8,754	84,685	4,593,418
1895.....	5,876,742	697,296	1,140,443	205,058	3,710	5,606	46,525	665,591	100,728	35,092	71,997	4,399,216
1896.....	7,893,218	906,873	667,345	119,803	9,670	46,264	72,199	955,951	193,167	19,836	82,417	5,491,216
1897.....	9,703,792	948,353	654,633	105,664	9,473	55,487	81,186	999,491	193,781	33,799	130,523	5,945,202
1898.....	10,648,733	934,093	409,916	67,402	16,021	15,346	75,096	876,362	97,543	11,728	96,444	5,948,846

BOLIVIA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—		
	TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.	TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of mer- chandise.	Cotton, manufactures of.	Iron and steel, and manufactures of.	Total exports of do- mestic merchandise.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1887.....				1,304		1,304
1888.....				1,373	7,766	21,893
1889.....	2,103	23	2,126	749	1,278	6,838
1890.....	30		30	3,125	2,279	11,002
1891.....	3,734		3,734	2,296	169	6,380
1892.....				3,045	5,677	17,036
1893.....	5,328	148	5,476	5,459	8,908	24,849
1894.....				1,233	1,293	10,071
1895.....				886	2,167	10,888
1896.....				15,463	3,445	21,839
1897.....				2,000	1,011	5,155
1898.....				5,176	6,982	20,451

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BRAZIL.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										
	FREE OF DUTY.										
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cocoa, crude, etc.		Coffee.		Diamonds, rough or uncut.	Fruits, including nuts.	Hair, unmanu- factured.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta- percha, crude.	
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	50,605	a 1,295	79	a 257,472,708	24,339,488			258,391	a 1,529,998	a 5,792,195	2,630,266
1872.....	62,980			a 194,218,511	23,970,822			220,580	a 1,491,486	4,766,387	2,105,377
1873.....	72,894	1,600	193	a 206,213,596	30,861,906			147,154	1,182,337	5,983,545	3,115,036
1874.....	57,583	17,600	1,773	196,358,671	37,342,692			156,421	1,107,944	6,880,185	3,254,548
1875.....	71,238			229,701,637	35,099,274			178,461	1,045,404	6,031,951	2,519,437
1876.....	126,883			252,532,667	40,516,609			103,044	735,729	5,204,914	2,141,562
1877.....	77,196			227,306,877	36,022,525			105,348	1,138,819	6,305,482	2,598,347
1878.....	276,220	9,999	1,358	211,654,160	35,367,992			51,196	1,288,085	5,876,112	2,457,298
1879.....	103,106	561,970	108,270	273,837,142	31,795,101			67,534	1,442,756	7,007,751	3,296,766
1880.....	186,202	456,122	82,367	296,731,718	37,855,578			96,160	2,255,640	7,772,814	4,874,234
1881.....	187,123	917,014	117,573	289,268,855	35,608,186			147,398	1,875,008	9,988,600	5,949,752
1882.....	171,709	1,456,665	190,201	315,465,986	29,520,151			146,465	1,445,541	11,348,618	8,103,878
1883.....	138,661	1,152,566	158,286	372,860,370	27,797,748			161,262	1,397,876	10,360,204	8,662,961
1884.....	109,725	1,837,637	224,977	347,373,001	30,021,573	1,837	160,039	172,769	1,034,029	11,950,643	7,216,828
1885.....	59,556	1,459,853	161,616	406,714,346	30,346,792	12,558	203,748	156,502	1,692,437	14,395,413	5,387,663
1886.....	53,642	1,540,583	214,231	392,058,002	26,384,150	24,120	139,824	107,110	2,283,001	17,462,699	6,834,689
1887.....	43,255	1,322,454	148,060	362,928,304	36,401,864	16,479	214,002	152,679	1,683,707	16,882,333	8,279,194
1888.....	52,160	2,674,903	297,853	240,179,011	33,460,595	34,302	318,749	146,617	1,650,286	24,464,294	10,811,052
1889.....	34,119	3,044,548	320,956	373,920,849	44,891,799	31,591	182,741	112,283	2,232,091	19,502,897	7,569,005
1890.....	42,884	2,125,614	192,866	310,005,021	45,664,127	3,833	62,303	139,773	2,177,882	20,819,950	9,157,246
1891.....	67,329	3,025,788	502,547	327,403,880	62,022,022	62,412	282,847	178,544	2,515,344	21,340,787	12,304,233
1892.....	117,873	3,067,242	608,057	453,010,956	95,751,724	157,452	450,568	208,849	2,774,946	25,506,516	12,723,671
1893.....	56,025	3,799,413	939,101	429,423,627	57,136,680	162,435	405,841	268,693	2,199,059	21,749,659	11,691,956
1894.....	83,268	1,014,012	122,885	377,825,962	60,377,765	57,178	296,124	92,716	1,441,102	13,386,132	11,058,408
1895.....	92,503	4,264,701	374,186	435,871,706	60,316,677	11,367	181,777	101,009	1,617,205	26,489,207	13,195,255
1896.....	155,713	3,068,758	291,269	395,106,568	54,019,900		173,870	92,742	2,167,016	22,035,563	10,205,341
1897.....	80,615	4,330,178	332,629	542,857,265	52,792,937	2,318	197,261	73,290	1,744,310	21,858,028	11,401,031
1898.....	97,036	1,376,810	173,576	661,009,272	41,119,902	1,283	176,858	109,587	1,831,601	25,862,647	14,977,886

IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	FREE OF DUTY—continued.					DUTIABLE.				Total imports of merchan- dise.
	Sugar.		Wool, unmanufactured.		Total free of duty.	Sugar.		Total dutiable.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....					2,137,601	21,553,500	924,629	b 28,413,614	30,551,215	
1872.....					2,731,223	28,378,952	1,208,697	b 27,391,161	30,122,384	
1873.....					35,784,473	55,669,036	2,263,405	2,756,303	38,540,776	
1874.....					42,315,962	36,894,454	1,312,547	1,572,685	43,888,647	
1875.....					39,255,527	70,878,273	2,602,015	2,772,336	42,027,863	
1876.....					43,965,664	40,010,416	1,329,938	1,480,717	45,446,381	
1877.....					40,205,874	74,327,436	3,155,078	3,292,167	43,498,041	
1878.....					39,685,239	78,076,553	3,165,384	3,283,734	42,968,973	
1879.....					37,038,691	63,380,355	2,274,450	2,346,750	39,375,441	
1880.....					45,777,595	152,811,613	5,397,102	6,192,495	51,970,090	
1881.....					44,457,608	231,453,343	8,143,959	8,324,928	52,782,536	
1882.....					40,230,017	223,681,338	8,446,779	8,571,861	48,801,878	
1883.....					38,902,469	160,422,404	5,418,534	5,583,990	44,488,459	
1884.....					39,186,135	363,385,001	10,986,870	11,079,754	50,265,889	
1885.....					38,136,191	329,294,506	6,834,096	7,127,469	45,263,660	
1886.....					36,196,362	223,962,642	5,506,507	5,711,170	41,907,532	
1887.....					47,076,473	324,321,769	5,787,513	5,876,703	52,953,176	
1888.....					46,873,824	305,866,337	6,752,555	6,836,410	53,710,234	
1889.....					55,468,476	223,925,970	4,838,121	4,935,328	60,403,804	
1890.....					57,604,846	73,830,979	1,659,251	1,713,910	59,318,756	

a See Dutiable.

b See Cocoon, coffee, and hides, under "free."

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BRAZIL—Continued.

	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.									
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	FREE OF DUTY.					DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.	
	Sugar.		Wool, unmanufactured.		Total free of duty.	Sugar.		Total dutiable.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.		Dollars.
1891.....	100,120,330	2,860,204			80,887,444	103,701,359	2,280,919	2,343,151	83,230,595	
1892.....	177,520,579	4,468,145			118,428,153	883,493	41,136	205,446	118,633,604	
1893.....	114,598,997	2,921,946			76,008,364			213,774	76,222,138	
1894.....	258,447,122	5,688,714			79,295,660			64,499	79,360,159	
1895.....	51,842,205	980,399	306,672	28,252	77,080,854	128,419,834	1,720,888	1,750,622	78,831,476	
1896.....			239,348	16,882	67,277,998	191,457,878	3,776,486	3,782,048	71,060,046	
1897.....			604,847	37,197	66,883,467	140,773,692	2,136,989	2,155,922	69,039,389	
1898.....					58,709,543	139,426,285	2,317,990	3,040,826	61,750,369	

	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—												
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.				Carriages, street cars, and cars for steam railroads.	Chemicals, drugs, and dyes.	Clocks and watches, etc.	Coal, bituminous.		COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.		
		Wheat flour.		All other.	Cloths.						All other.		
		Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.						Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.
1871.....	12,921	455,673	3,497,052	42,383	38,070	115,124	14,126			1,346,767	203,988	53,306	
1872.....	77,957	382,216	3,166,235	40,782	64,926	114,328	24,589			1,444,731	239,509	19,457	
1873.....	119,799	408,648	3,869,135	68,677	79,457	122,721	25,085	1,735	8,048	2,719,526	452,047	8,327	
1874.....	87,222	531,379	4,577,126	56,166	33,138	117,862	30,343	1,075	8,141	2,236,950	291,674	8,030	
1875.....	41,557	599,832	4,191,124	47,543	25,282	127,117	32,673	1,189	5,375	3,567,488	430,666	6,144	
1876.....	58,845	536,180	3,871,189	69,269	26,096	152,847	28,752		2	5,170,299	571,527	13,772	
1877.....	11,971	482,209	3,781,008	36,004	57,316	120,463	19,001			5,608,715	554,820	10,811	
1878.....	8,265	616,132	4,436,006	258,656	355,668	105,204	31,337	533	1,722	5,366,785	510,511	12,811	
1879.....	166,782	717,377	4,218,845	112,591	72,279	117,026	40,572	971	3,519	6,777,615	606,817	30,094	
1880.....	17,683	537,914	3,730,111	109,120	295,280	162,482	52,441	817	2,596	6,713,697	662,873	24,650	
1881.....	6,443	677,702	4,392,900	61,223	178,263	145,558	47,701	250	1,024	6,391,954	647,165	13,581	
1882.....	29,045	618,908	4,546,224	44,156	132,838	154,553	59,473	1,654	6,394	6,993,979	709,756	6,929	
1883.....	24,697	739,441	4,517,030	103,566	80,438	138,959	58,993	695	2,754	5,962,019	604,235	8,593	
1884.....	18,437	649,017	3,845,224	46,406	301,983	133,923	70,563	13,076	49,724	6,206,923	607,894	42,674	
1885.....	13,005	674,230	3,369,074	50,374	37,095	133,849	33,528	14,396	51,460	5,605,867	495,769	21,058	
1886.....	99,924	542,499	2,674,327	33,621	87,489	132,443	46,120	13,123	44,000	6,974,504	575,012	29,879	
1887.....	50,477	748,937	3,596,204	81,939	79,015	167,455	63,473			8,125,067	683,598	22,040	
1888.....	107,223	584,670	2,778,353	33,923	78,925	159,592	54,632			7,184,374	640,946	25,040	
1889.....	130,587	678,972	3,651,908	451,143	308,240	193,386	60,506	215	847	6,912,913	602,858	28,226	
1890.....	136,610	687,342	3,304,990	1,668,666	370,541	165,657	67,124	5,858	46,662	10,192,777	782,071	31,629	
1891.....	225,530	722,369	3,838,919	547,202	682,723	247,061	79,528	9,037	79,764	6,151,456	531,509	50,465	
1892.....	330,093	918,547	4,972,539	227,333	941,061	213,278	59,429	9,435	105,698	10,324,021	673,725	75,645	
1893.....	212,187	837,039	3,647,251	114,235	328,742	256,966	71,215	8,741	96,622	19,488,281	1,325,787	76,782	
1894.....	347,859	920,869	3,538,871	45,869	1,279,578	246,122	64,676	7,435	31,457	19,387,655	1,435,546	103,143	
1895.....	170,688	775,425	2,683,948	61,153	291,250	280,956	94,046	12,411	78,869	22,533,321	1,594,726	107,752	
1896.....	48,935	871,473	3,450,129	49,397	261,918	297,560	72,328	12,982	70,615	12,526,551	919,185	73,767	
1897.....	128,214	786,378	3,541,579	59,147	119,334	237,857	59,520	16,075	86,965	8,331,326	607,019	67,975	
1898.....	153,770	637,592	3,240,362	1,000,633	663,255	277,865	40,898	17,570	93,778	8,666,686	565,921	50,828	

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
	Flax, hemp, and jute, manufac- tures of.	Glass and glass- ware.	Gun- powder and other explosives.	Instru- ments and apparatus for scien- tific pur- poses.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Jewelry and manu- factures of gold and silver.	NAVAL STORES.				OILS.		
							Rosin. <i>a</i>		Turpentine, spirits of.		Animal.		All other.
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	4,977	9,355	2,225	1,760	507,102	1,022	15,968	41,960	54,774	28,751	903	752	33
1872.....	9,073	8,897	7,694	7,415	548,245	3,310	17,044	71,939	49,175	18,815	1,164	961	1,018
1873.....	7,875	8,975	13,462	5,761	558,524	1,934	21,711	89,114	43,396	26,910	1,489	1,139	1,793
1874.....	2,777	10,043	9,758	8,667	580,548	2,997	24,608	75,480	79,400	41,387	.....	.....	702
1875.....	12,617	9,669	27,299	9,676	626,187	777	23,463	59,508	45,969	20,827	.....	.....	1,485
1876.....	9,132	6,107	1,500	8,287	500,143	733	15,974	33,001	44,113	18,560	99	108	552
1877.....	8,635	7,599	2,362	9,060	764,657	533	21,928	51,508	72,752	30,189	291	260	288
1878.....	14,254	42,008	4,937	2,946	840,379	11,026	22,994	49,972	42,371	16,881	1,206	826	664
1879.....	24,265	35,925	4,088	9,517	598,730	23,556	31,755	59,499	46,287	15,872	6,946	3,947	379
1880.....	40,909	41,440	13,526	4,371	884,655	8,900	20,183	41,883	77,275	30,653	50,291	29,364	1,045
1881.....	47,023	48,841	43,331	11,884	861,329	15,367	32,398	71,802	69,311	31,819	31,708	24,635	2,467
1882.....	41,490	27,448	9,242	39,471	772,372	35,776	29,307	81,843	79,802	47,752	17,772	15,865	10,258
1883.....	49,019	41,930	9,164	73,149	1,034,648	40,346	36,019	82,771	97,140	51,998	10,082	9,572	17,580
1884.....	31,282	33,806	8,386	56,369	932,673	54,305	40,401	79,692	86,823	38,548	11,475	7,828	4,646
1885.....	37,174	38,217	5,960	19,676	607,110	30,461	33,361	61,030	78,696	29,421	35,436	22,435	1,333
1886.....	34,188	28,017	8,146	19,257	629,750	26,136	41,154	65,242	78,782	33,166	31,637	17,791	3,123
1887.....	38,494	24,592	24,649	20,528	709,686	51,779	40,237	65,921	112,087	47,736	56,177	31,658	3,874
1888.....	38,030	31,005	17,585	29,140	679,263	58,131	33,120	58,003	94,808	40,165	43,695	28,098	3,811
1889.....	28,488	23,930	11,606	55,487	915,752	61,020	40,243	66,221	79,986	38,948	55,200	35,131	4,091
1890.....	33,312	24,613	12,023	85,453	938,659	54,565	50,938	91,738	118,225	58,287	70,108	39,601	6,262
1891.....	23,785	38,452	18,324	268,850	2,243,686	70,539	70,837	158,011	126,410	60,908	107,201	54,757	10,012
1892.....	20,946	38,320	8,942	162,998	2,179,158	72,992	75,192	166,766	148,307	64,309	97,268	51,633	26,605
1893.....	43,189	35,621	7,546	140,913	1,817,816	85,498	71,163	153,601	157,964	60,284	122,957	95,875	13,093
1894.....	40,827	26,576	155,643	100,857	1,317,266	96,593	78,536	154,341	125,753	43,308	111,954	74,086	1,304
1895.....	51,332	34,756	37,838	165,551	2,917,025	101,056	107,150	205,431	163,314	56,328	57,044	30,293	3,793
1896.....	80,068	44,240	44,617	282,798	2,088,708	69,464	123,234	233,393	207,147	65,043	87,646	42,816	1,615
1897.....	83,231	44,786	50,838	110,468	1,075,721	33,687	124,331	234,525	152,401	46,722	53,944	22,098	5,072
1898.....	71,637	36,595	56,641	88,233	1,773,532	19,249	112,787	193,834	202,207	74,148	61,325	26,620	4,371

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	OILS—continued.						PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.					
	Mineral, refined.			Vegetable.			Bacon and hams.		Pork, pickled.		Lard.	
	Illuminating.		Lubricating.		Cotton-seed.							
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	1,256,990	353,028					31,840.	5,543	70,225	7,991	1,428,268	227,895
1872.....	1,475,780	417,764		8,804		2,699	33,380	4,357	30,480	2,902	1,591,742	198,560
1873.....	2,083,411	701,198		9,146		2,957	3,200	589	29,000	2,040	1,795,189	208,852
1874.....	2,075,894	467,943		1,077		1,307	47,982	5,559	51,400	4,085	3,195,502	377,596
1875.....	2,699,652	574,307		970		755	9,742	1,292	26,700	2,811	3,607,958	591,708
1876.....	2,680,805	498,294		3,922		1,539	22,531	3,586	47,800	5,100	4,486,402	743,073
1877.....	3,529,733	960,025		1,542		538	2,382	341	25,000	2,396	4,267,310	567,221
1878.....	3,802,594	655,797		4,628		1,787	37,503	3,255	50,900	3,643	5,715,720	604,999
1879.....	4,222,110	558,524		24,969		9,585	40,114	4,442	219,549	12,278	6,073,240	507,984
1880.....	3,909,097	438,327		27,669		14,884	163,699	15,334	293,162	20,959	7,542,559	669,059
1881.....	5,556,728	753,362		34,062		24,656	92,387	9,328	129,288	9,035	4,875,308	547,679
1882.....	5,473,525	663,575		13,911		7,058	94,338	11,501	52,020	5,640	3,698,462	491,252
1883.....	6,065,728	667,444		31,958		15,737	129,805	17,768	20,340	2,193	3,426,275	468,874
1884.....	5,034,114	532,782		38,194		11,845	254,749	27,023	20,475	1,919	3,524,636	386,192
1885.....	8,163,077	814,497		37,830		16,751	311,512	30,116	52,870	5,278	4,052,128	388,214
1886.....	6,037,565	607,312		24,082		11,017	388,369	32,331	42,940	3,267	3,956,697	341,282
1887.....	7,651,290	741,230		76,983		25,140	448,680	42,422	46,240	2,898	4,286,778	379,021
1892.....	7,901,463	779,824		97,712		38,314	420,670	42,928	25,920	2,437	3,909,821	369,067

^a Includes rosin and turpentine from 1871 to 1883, inclusive.

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BRAZIL.—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	OILS.						PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.					
	Mineral, refined.				Vegetable.		Bacon and hams.		Pork, pickled.		Lard.	
	Illuminating.		Lubricating.		Cotton-seed.							
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1889.....	8,834,260	890,012	113,882	45,444	13,454	7,237	1,071,255	104,161	14,800	1,289	4,782,254	484,799
1890.....	8,695,291	876,641	128,301	49,031	18,933	8,794	4,984,088	388,716	927,490	69,835	17,920,500	1,509,255
1891.....	10,470,656	1,047,612	218,171	73,726	48,494	20,102	10,609,199	893,342	71,525	4,559	15,511,709	1,304,970
1892.....	14,028,476	1,195,215	268,289	81,877	251,905	90,665	6,402,787	578,970	37,960	2,529	6,517,350	549,921
1893.....	15,556,685	1,166,199	341,968	87,660	304,135	127,529	2,998,042	323,797	14,454	1,348	4,534,668	514,470
1894.....	12,154,703	839,663	432,458	98,471	593,804	221,807	12,956,420	1,223,402	109,150	9,614	11,886,364	1,149,285
1895.....	15,315,196	1,155,803	466,234	101,690	593,295	223,115	22,582,582	2,000,647	1,123,292	97,559	12,556,491	1,140,128
1896.....	18,490,043	1,557,201	833,810	153,265	552,523	173,925	19,026,686	1,485,518	554,870	36,031	13,131,371	928,585
1897.....	19,819,941	1,510,018	720,658	128,997	656,555	172,833	16,789,178	1,104,915	515,400	17,684	12,358,589	714,828
1898.....	19,569,447	1,370,425	962,438	156,935	876,307	237,065	7,890,270	511,433	32,300	2,045	15,362,399	973,990

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.									
	PROVISIONS, ETC.—continued.				WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				Total exports of domestic merchandise.	
	Butter.		All other.		Boards, deals, planks, joists, and scantling.		All other lumber and timber.		Manufactures of.	
									Household furniture.	All other.
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	70,387	17,204	21,604	4,020	89,586	101,290	55,710	27,190	5,942,416	
1872.....	47,966	10,959	13,058	7,826	177,421	75,567	47,391	22,865	5,852,191	
1873.....	29,598	6,610	14,812	9,112	212,262	72,048	28,511	23,845	7,090,987	
1874.....	21,670	5,303	6,101	9,402	210,076	36,252	27,296	17,812	7,560,502	
1875.....	13,573	2,767	7,386	15,097	283,787	18,713	28,197	24,510	7,631,865	
1876.....	7,713	1,617	8,732	12,162	212,597	18,386	17,123	34,721	7,252,218	
1877.....	3,470	852	4,170	15,440	238,920	4,523	32,132	14,004	7,490,118	
1878.....	33,840	6,658	11,620	11,693	174,507	22,059	54,631	28,343	8,610,646	
1879.....	174,101	38,815	9,270	14,911	224,269	24,702	55,053	13,269	8,106,928	
1880.....	517,589	124,727	17,048	20,460	289,095	16,732	68,805	33,564	8,496,696	
1881.....	425,176	109,073	17,059	13,567	227,951	21,244	73,388	40,775	9,138,637	
1882.....	260,916	56,647	21,801	14,406	253,370	14,384	53,822	34,052	9,035,452	
1883.....	198,770	38,902	19,924	16,446	281,665	10,620	50,250	40,177	9,159,330	
1884.....	299,253	56,960	24,924	20,597	324,715	8,348	40,682	20,364	8,645,261	
1885.....	89,718	16,209	5,992	11,254	182,633	4,057	24,491	14,542	7,258,035	
1886.....	185,228	29,555	7,609	17,294	259,859	5,123	25,682	15,278	6,480,738	
1887.....	132,720	19,590	12,178	22,619	318,770	12,862	21,276	19,445	8,071,653	
1888.....	74,850	12,838	11,117	19,194	293,814	17,774	54,375	18,532	7,063,892	
1889.....	29,954	5,332	13,825	21,562	341,428	30,251	50,816	21,011	9,276,511	
1890.....	140,930	19,653	4,967	25,106	389,250	42,367	50,905	21,208	11,902,496	
1891.....	128,517	20,841	12,744	46,298	683,753	29,958	125,788	34,132	14,049,273	
1892.....	80,583	14,913	23,621	38,473	548,036	50,898	118,725	29,948	14,240,009	
1893.....	121,837	25,675	35,371	42,906	618,155	32,885	65,592	89,401	12,339,584	
1894.....	87,278	16,134	56,616	27,168	423,302	23,257	70,306	19,048	13,827,914	
1895.....	354,388	67,568	68,038	38,663	536,173	23,950	79,867	32,002	15,135,125	
1896.....	257,490	36,530	43,414	62,162	823,722	14,105	72,936	35,712	14,222,934	
1897.....	318,787	40,303	38,019	53,877	709,007	35,906	51,537	27,761	12,406,785	
1898.....	749,653	92,191	50,034	48,705	629,796	30,756	36,010	22,942	13,262,951	

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CHILE.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										
	FREE OF DUTY.							DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Wool, unmanufactured.	Total free of duty.	Wool, unmanufactured.	Total dutiabie.				
	Soda, nitrate of.	All other.									
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	4,808,335	93,946					131,939	2,986,030	267,297	584,605	716,544
1872.....	5,534,696	136,350	457	17,564			159,472	3,849,473	397,829	562,327	721,799
1873.....	15,891,648	460,461	133	8,961			434,226	3,150,831	407,946	635,781	1,070,097
1874.....	6,956,604	155,332	150	36,917			195,822	2,310,511	290,168	470,738	696,569
1875.....	5,454,456	95,058	1,710	12,613			115,872	3,616,290	433,591	673,370	789,242
1876.....	12,601,699	243,839	10	7,151			257,353	3,217,536	391,310	497,869	755,222
1877.....	11,729,466	251,603	441	19,921			347,762	2,600,643	294,586	341,606	689,368
1878.....	11,014,121	261,525	1,327	10,977			300,316	2,856,771	314,712	370,150	670,466
1879.....	6,976,690	177,945	2,965	19,028			209,061	3,773,604	395,645	433,654	642,715
1880.....	36,674,467	975,590	1,758	7,216			980,419	3,329,156	245,095	265,317	1,254,736
1881.....	51,387,290	1,228,624	354	9,928			1,245,529	1,852,721	175,522	193,441	1,435,970
1882.....	67,018,988	1,505,433	2,676	18,116			1,563,085	2,534,219	223,523	247,402	1,810,487
1883.....	11,476,229	228,025		6,573			258,485	1,090,260	110,879	177,099	435,584
1884.....	15,310,001	279,812		31,448			319,242	1,241,003	114,849	218,694	537,936
1885.....	25,238,151	368,834		22,893			339,464	1,740,605	170,542	205,061	601,525
1886.....	55,291,963	952,022	20,952	21,410			1,004,990	1,946,105	136,441	177,855	1,182,245
1887.....	155,582,924	2,372,237	64,771	37,604			2,634,336	2,528,676	217,588	228,897	2,863,233
1888.....	174,488,636	2,391,265	158,722	84,437			2,638,240	2,132,757	230,055	256,280	2,894,520
1889.....	151,147,023	2,274,997	140,247	25,567			2,543,761	754,702	71,153	78,864	2,622,625
1890.....	204,052,368	2,708,583	261,469	6,639			2,987,183	2,289,661	181,229	196,066	3,183,249
1891.....	218,294,129	2,807,935	386,920	60,681			3,261,734	1,250,485	129,812	186,556	3,448,290
1892.....	245,931,840	2,972,073	193,259	5,140			3,179,638	2,374,910	237,184	307,521	3,487,159
1893.....	295,782,089	2,938,787	821,360	78,031			3,847,588	1,644,889	133,902	147,853	3,995,441
1894.....	195,887,840	2,763,666	606,231	23,307			3,420,985	1,418,219	109,620	115,212	3,536,197
1895.....	a 124,333	4,107,811	64,670	15,109	1,949,266	164,050	4,421,848	b 200,483	b 14,224	43,713	4,465,561
1896.....	a 121,725	3,704,295	569,379	26,889	3,438,140	260,385	4,676,781			32,236	4,709,017
1897.....	a 75,374	2,385,991	904,460	18,131	4,100,761	334,406	3,791,686			748	3,792,434
1898.....	a 109,028	2,293,191	811,495	17,861	502,676	37,624	3,594,628	1,800,087	133,411	141,679	3,736,307

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—										
	Agricultural implements.	Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	Chemicals, drugs, etc.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	Instruments and apparat- us, etc.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Naval stores—turpen- tine, spirits of.	
				Cloths.	All other.	Gallons.				Dollars.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....	46,273	2,795	43,296	2,128,596	201,482	2,058	7,860		314,669	10,625	5,591
1872.....	86,219	1,701	67,499	653,819	80,491	1,500	16,460	650	429,018	22,703	17,007
1873.....	75,713	415	57,286	2,087,096	276,309	4,679	22,304	1,118	498,836	59,800	40,295
1874.....	145,879	109	46,282	1,680,960	210,970	8,955	8,258	730	677,115	41,840	22,480
1875.....	81,306	4,625	32,397	3,538,380	312,685	1,037	8,636	1,396	294,665	9,950	4,468
1876.....	83,075	1,593	44,883	6,241,194	488,236	2,094	4,672		293,775	12,750	5,393
1877.....	59,190	1,522	26,578	11,302,641	758,194	1,417	5,984		234,901	35,720	17,500
1878.....	24,393	255	26,472	9,445,166	568,841	5,287	5,027		149,879	19,040	7,711
1879.....	21,749	1,355	21,089	4,531,592	286,138	4,732	7,455		175,319	28,709	10,047
1880.....	37,798	2,571	16,665	2,434,433	212,550	5,319	1,440		166,728	20,010	8,293
1881.....	32,253	2,029	35,269	7,534,272	495,990	9,792	18,581	72	219,595	23,148	10,618
1882.....	54,121	4,545	59,759	5,259,858	344,057	13,460	11,612	750	331,648	41,500	24,248
1883.....	97,462	1,458	51,392	6,869,057	529,773	8,506	9,811	20,156	499,798	92,238	44,792
1884.....	81,195	15,722	52,363	8,024,967	528,547	12,746	16,655	21,282	674,191	62,800	27,957
1885.....	71,965	12,749	69,847	10,733,633	598,779	14,350	18,392	33,827	378,097	19,922	8,453
1886.....	81,666	23,034	62,346	6,618,713	353,638	9,189	18,643	20,855	368,409	43,860	19,173
1887.....	63,934	9,913	40,455	7,559,652	399,942	8,492	16,174	22,984	516,421	62,350	26,039
1888.....	65,891	14,306	61,329	10,405,342	606,731	6,550	22,732	19,079	492,586	69,328	27,742
1889.....	115,187	19,069	61,491	9,112,504	568,226	8,084	32,288	12,896	595,785	42,638	20,152
1890.....	95,298	27,001	84,955	8,357,419	495,255	6,578	33,274	19,581	787,510	82,410	40,188

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Agricultural implements.	Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	Chemicals, drugs, etc.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	Instruments and appara- tus, etc.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Naval stores—turpen- tine, spirits of.	
				Cloths.		All other.				Gallons.	Dollars.
				Dollars.	Dollars.						
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1871.....	46,273	2,795	43,296	2,128,596	201,482	2,058	7,860	.....	314,669	10,625	5,591
1872.....	86,219	1,701	67,490	653,819	80,491	1,500	16,460	650	429,018	22,703	17,067
1873.....	75,713	415	57,286	2,687,096	276,309	4,679	22,304	1,118	498,836	59,800	40,295
1874.....	145,879	109	46,282	1,680,960	210,970	8,955	8,258	730	677,115	41,840	22,480
1875.....	84,306	4,625	32,397	3,538,380	312,685	1,037	8,636	1,396	294,665	9,950	4,468
1876.....	83,075	1,593	44,883	6,241,194	488,236	2,094	4,672	.....	239,775	12,750	5,393
1877.....	59,130	1,522	26,578	11,302,041	758,194	1,417	5,984	.....	234,901	35,720	17,500
1878.....	22,398	255	26,472	9,445,166	568,841	5,287	5,027	.....	149,879	19,040	7,711
1879.....	23,749	1,355	21,681	4,531,502	286,138	4,732	7,455	.....	175,319	28,700	10,017
1880.....	27,798	2,571	16,665	2,434,433	212,550	5,319	1,440	.....	166,728	20,010	8,293
1881.....	22,253	2,029	35,269	7,524,272	495,990	9,792	18,581	72	219,595	23,148	10,618
1882.....	54,121	4,515	59,759	5,250,858	344,057	13,460	11,612	750	331,648	41,500	24,248
1883.....	97,462	1,458	51,392	6,809,057	529,773	8,506	9,811	20,156	490,798	92,238	44,792
1884.....	81,135	17,722	52,363	8,024,967	528,547	12,746	16,655	21,282	674,191	62,800	27,957
1885.....	71,965	12,749	60,847	10,733,633	598,779	14,350	18,392	33,827	378,097	21,922	8,453
1886.....	81,666	23,034	62,346	6,618,713	353,638	9,189	18,643	20,855	368,400	43,860	19,173
1887.....	69,994	9,913	40,455	7,539,552	399,942	8,492	16,174	22,984	516,421	62,350	26,039
1888.....	65,891	14,306	61,329	10,405,342	606,731	6,550	22,732	19,079	492,586	69,328	27,742
1889.....	115,187	19,069	61,491	9,112,504	568,226	8,084	32,288	12,896	595,785	42,638	20,152
1890.....	95,298	27,001	84,955	8,357,419	495,255	6,578	33,274	19,581	787,510	82,410	40,187

a Tons.

b See Free of duty.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.										
	Agricultural implements.	Books, maps, en- gravings, etc.	Chemicals, drugs, etc.	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			Fish.	Instruments and appa- ratus, etc.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Naval stores—turpen- tine, spirits of.	
				Cloths.		All other.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.
1891.....	184,915	17,081	75,513	7,255,603	428,180	4,157	34,042	17,123	852,080	54,775	25,589
1892.....	78,641	21,603	68,289	16,071,927	833,142	17,393	54,983	21,317	429,360	80,801	33,643
1893.....	138,822	32,525	109,836	9,242,409	468,566	11,254	41,597	61,639	723,269	71,015	27,165
1894.....	154,037	31,644	63,748	8,793,521	453,975	8,381	15,762	23,303	690,147	66,850	23,583
1895.....	134,331	27,330	96,555	14,018,439	670,042	12,500	52,435	53,835	530,754	88,300	30,558
1896.....	94,652	41,668	141,155	12,304,802	624,130	13,101	46,287	27,550	1,035,552	87,360	28,418
1897.....	74,315	28,442	106,130	13,419,230	646,271	7,732	33,793	32,359	391,193	47,413	14,981
1898.....	79,608	14,043	83,388	12,251,946	516,185	5,363	50,403	25,504	341,875	74,220	26,016

	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.												
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	OILS, MINERAL, REFINED.				PROVISIONS.			WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				Total exports of domestic merchan- dise.	
	Illuminating.		Other.		Lard.	All other	Boards, deals, and planks.		Other lum- ber and timber.	Manufac- tures of.			
	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....	525,405	164,290	.....	.....	257,193	36,646	15,621	4,171	67,396	11,366	121,107	1,548,511
1872.....	309,080	90,974	3,125	493	317,650	39,378	27,116	7,637	136,694	15,073	114,125	1,725,697	
1873.....	427,300	126,939	16,500	8,220	421,150	48,608	14,860	12,611	252,824	25,528	198,274	2,273,957	
1874.....	733,100	168,745	7,000	4,991	577,117	63,044	9,184	10,284	133,255	27,876	197,852	2,730,617	
1875.....	641,820	119,871	400	144	486,500	71,598	16,587	7,859	127,399	35,982	171,566	2,061,920	
1876.....	441,910	84,413	3,860	1,515	702,200	105,728	21,151	4,917	82,026	7,518	91,878	2,157,652	
1877.....	591,150	132,962	13,460	4,165	487,371	54,997	15,255	9,077	133,066	16,492	106,410	2,175,467	
1878.....	650,920	111,891	1,220	506	1,390,850	127,160	12,570	11,883	165,411	7,901	68,593	1,977,450	
1879.....	832,500	107,052	5,575	1,755	787,667	65,401	19,776	2,820	39,882	5,564	40,653	1,253,555	
1880.....	927,750	99,002	2,630	473	81,000	5,778	2,768	3,635	46,743	7,737	21,114	967,551	
1881.....	645,970	87,421	16,164	4,443	434,955	46,281	8,432	4,397	54,016	17,303	53,043	1,598,270	
1882.....	1,888,700	138,987	14,820	7,179	567,560	73,278	11,125	8,067	115,541	33,071	115,075	1,756,645	
1883.....	2,025,100	219,859	11,156	4,746	347,765	47,433	20,537	22,851	360,341	48,033	197,248	2,837,551	
1884.....	953,073	104,747	9,798	4,051	330,830	32,643	15,725	12,256	212,738	47,753	168,302	3,236,945	
1885.....	1,437,792	142,825	26,203	11,981	221,511	20,181	11,536	13,118	184,569	39,710	129,206	2,192,672	
1886.....	2,178,696	221,589	43,336	15,554	206,155	17,206	6,691	15,934	200,562	38,718	63,771	1,973,548	
1887.....	2,040,637	192,497	95,991	34,777	236,920	20,578	7,469	19,927	231,951	37,575	49,364	2,062,507	
1888.....	1,751,295	168,776	33,935	14,613	377,888	32,882	10,469	12,537	182,424	31,911	65,160	2,423,303	
1889.....	2,035,946	208,974	69,827	26,835	668,737	66,646	5,876	26,158	389,114	34,106	128,929	2,967,254	
1890.....	2,979,924	306,945	188,049	73,686	656,024	56,093	13,816	23,320	306,557	29,160	165,840	3,219,465	
1891.....	1,606,135	162,315	190,176	57,227	636,960	52,442	25,413	17,019	248,323	62,772	91,732	3,133,991	
1892.....	3,662,758	296,061	201,947	54,529	987,203	84,022	10,148	25,331	273,064	74,742	87,223	3,533,342	
1893.....	2,417,300	175,053	222,302	48,358	254,643	27,075	15,296	28,820	339,057	66,050	95,400	2,971,341	
1894.....	1,919,860	133,568	435,846	90,372	209,990	21,220	9,247	12,806	127,940	28,618	51,008	2,262,011	
1895.....	3,922,510	296,510	447,720	103,300	142,450	13,177	6,724	34,055	324,266	38,181	56,814	2,789,286	
1896.....	4,325,915	374,882	485,311	102,284	586,555	41,408	16,383	21,810	203,156	47,411	91,260	3,424,912	
1897.....	3,622,300	299,075	318,716	68,237	398,345	23,308	8,442	14,786	142,306	28,448	60,689	2,587,168	
1898.....	3,923,448	282,692	420,437	72,908	404,900	28,662	16,925	7,215	60,102	43,684	35,779	2,349,955	

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COLOMBIA.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—													
	FREE OF DUTY.													
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cocoa, crude, and leaves and shells of.		Coffee.		Fruits, including nuts.			Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber and gutta-percha, crude.		Ivory, vegetable.		Wood, unman- ufactured.
						Bananas.	Cocoa- nuts.	All other.						
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	1,072,523									1,654,436	544,695			8,892
1872.....	626,578									141,761	5,363,625	2,042,359		39,965
1873.....	1,323,232	1,433,362	186,830	4,235,037	642,376					785,714	5,738,529	2,698,139		29,583
1874.....	1,451,558	827,800	93,778	5,901,238	1,168,673					1,127,372	4,526,848	1,978,450		79,217
1875.....	1,699,893	1,269,749	150,717	5,446,992	950,976					1,323,689	3,799,070	1,450,562		35,150
1876.....	1,323,401	729,198	84,273	3,809,251	673,380					1,118,333	3,354,438	1,253,243		28,154
1877.....	731,957	1,004,362	129,481	5,665,818	948,063					1,033,079	3,948,690	1,570,511		7,007
1878.....	1,472,189	874,062	116,972	5,931,709	1,022,216					1,401,347	2,921,467	1,006,521		23,806
1879.....	1,519,123	1,105,660	205,627	8,938,044	1,354,938					1,293,353	3,298,533	1,047,266		16,786
1880.....	1,327,257	1,947,972	375,031	12,687,423	2,018,471					1,775,206	3,871,665	1,909,851		60,133
1881.....	503,501	956,104	132,406	7,958,171	1,200,358					1,512,293	3,714,115	1,893,744		99,036
1882.....	1,103,200	1,087,589	220,221	6,966,008	857,612					1,321,816	1,472,388	767,426		23,786
1883.....	678,599	548,111	91,672	12,801,726	1,245,434					1,414,683	1,744,823	1,048,603		35,823
1884.....	300,263	90,588	14,902	8,817,733	887,519	116,866	160,034	6	1,285,322	1,711,918	853,545	4,582,715	116,483	69,820
1885.....	162,315	130,207	27,770	4,608,889	482,539	94,872	196,951	1,969	793,710	869,974	360,116	5,715,925	113,751	41,822
1886.....	78,832	501,313	98,775	6,374,667	659,501	108,893	195,192	1,858	1,230,048	822,906	349,981	6,599,769	126,563	85,326
1887.....	94,699	376,072	75,835	13,595,678	1,437,177	184,730	172,955	2,610	1,355,770	898,110	420,929	4,656,633	97,718	36,079
1888.....	80,745	198,564	45,676	10,893,354	1,749,862	143,494	256,759	756	1,293,158	919,408	388,691	4,959,647	93,118	47,562
1889.....	54,699	590,074	128,024	16,036,761	2,170,963	96,900	229,248	1,142	927,866	888,949	294,606	5,190,453	82,305	136,791
1890.....	66,879	401,759	83,294	11,974,579	1,849,441	167,968	225,364	132	630,099	679,933	256,427	4,485,366	50,578	129,237
1891.....	62,779	307,776	52,358	14,549,168	2,491,811	336,713	280,592	182	767,743	1,096,788	489,514	6,778,023	66,043	145,996
1892.....	58,862	657,080	136,778	9,741,768	1,620,965	341,542	273,743	4,976	500,575	792,715	284,259	7,801,146	95,805	249,583
1893.....	50,292	249,710	38,965	3,664	451	467,993	222,727	8,996	1,419	719,626	296,895	12,402,290	215,698	118,752
1894.....	19,560	246,804	48,056	2,030	227	559,512	308,805	2,177	451	594,191	213,871	5,226,255	67,728	54,735
1895.....	27,604	587,742	82,748	9,776,972	1,532,739	657,187	16,071	2,868	395,750	645,065	214,677	6,655,132	63,859	252,063
1896.....	15,986	127,335	14,773	19,228,311	3,029,947	600,614		2,590	735,165	525,199	189,807	6,126,796	51,520	48,225
1897.....	26,978	110,314	9,912	20,939,628	2,834,631	716,535		772	595,038	357,417	127,465	3,289,868	20,061	106,918
1898.....	39,159	207,511	25,425	26,866,104	3,082,202	561,968	208,967	2,833	144,652	518,787	196,050	9,200,070	84,844	162,266

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—										
	Total free of duty.	TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total im-ports of merchan-dise.	Books, maps, engrav-ings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.		Car-riages, cars, etc.	Chem-icals, drugs, dyes, and medi-cines.	Coal.		COTTON MANUFACTURES.			
					Wheat flour.	All other.			Cloth.	All other.				
<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Yards.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	2,291,777	3,278,275	5,570,052	18,347	27,750	196,146	18,218	7,344	402,091	31,383	157,755	917,423	145,560	120,508
1872.....	4,266,901	1,864,471	6,131,372	7,770	30,710	243,182	17,245	13,794	279,646	37,071	168,229	530,496	84,508	4,759
1873.....	5,835,618	313,222	6,148,840	22,901	38,833	302,253	41,339	14,654	413,755	32,369	143,628	135,476	23,515	4,710
1874.....	7,297,029	66,728	7,363,757	77,809	40,318	317,373	51,746	20,473	257,787	25,550	124,443	256,642	45,046	5,427
1875.....	11,925,229	358,834	12,284,063	53,409	33,822	202,691	46,993	26,325	271,287	25,285	120,094	546,007	78,529	23,330
1876.....	5,868,759	165,512	5,034,271	43,727	44,275	282,529	30,154	36,712	279,000	23,679	104,292	909,935	92,392	10,955
1877.....	4,720,465	302,861	5,023,326	32,374	25,432	174,587	20,385	15,318	266,231	10,166	35,210	4,425,364	458,527	7,582
1878.....	5,609,126	238,917	5,848,043	25,568	30,806	220,175	26,521	63,631	362,365	20,804	66,073	6,001,930	499,031	45,986
1879.....	6,148,003	182,943	6,330,946	46,707	32,278	179,720	42,840	20,562	290,841	16,542	48,980	10,563,678	632,348	31,919
1880.....	8,145,054	296,418	8,441,972	40,885	34,503	224,561	68,365	25,850	311,733	18,810	61,107	7,593,645	552,788	33,904
1881.....	5,715,024	276,866	5,991,890	38,752	39,006	223,368	103,996	57,896	289,649	7,086	27,902	12,206,464	796,336	41,802
1882.....	4,618,668	342,802	4,961,470	40,104	58,050	372,099	257,283	104,557	301,411	11,834	41,914	8,251,252	582,385	44,998
1883.....	4,878,285	293,170	5,171,455	49,144	51,430	366,740	107,594	280,344	333,213	14,072	55,336	7,862,513	524,032	25,401
1884.....	3,861,390	30,453	3,891,843	31,779	64,438	364,142	113,592	294,615	199,299	8,509	30,025	4,915,848	309,277	78,285
1885.....	2,335,083	6,994	2,342,077	26,579	61,360	294,806	106,791	165,677	134,915	6,649	18,818	2,904,044	182,704	86,811
1886.....	2,979,382	20,539	3,008,921	48,942	64,714	310,567	97,749	200,319	206,886	27,866	79,802	4,873,693	263,085	76,535
1887.....	3,934,359	16,594	3,950,953	62,431	74,875	353,171	107,468	116,101	184,008	34,153	97,790	5,797,192	321,308	121,804
1888.....	4,244,398	148,890	4,393,288	41,575	73,632	342,982	97,816	37,454	169,913	52,416	154,194	4,836,585	290,395	86,134
1889.....	4,225,919	37,600	4,263,519	56,137	61,603	326,688	63,012	30,982	168,118	44,169	134,830	3,135,631	203,973	50,434

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—										
	Total free of duty.	TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchandise.	Books, maps, engravings, etc.	BREADSTUFFS.		Carriages, cars, etc.	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines.	Coal.		COTTON MANUFACTURES.			
					Wheat flour.	All other.					Cloth.	All other.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1890.....	3,570,594	4,659	3,575,253	45,826	51,420	248,086	31,259	22,278	160,301	34,365	105,027	2,441,157	144,154	27,124
1891.....	4,747,686	17,668	4,765,354	86,818	56,696	296,238	40,697	15,577	164,694	38,242	119,172	3,931,051	239,152	51,215
1892.....	3,641,957	474,929	4,116,886	87,626	69,830	372,285	38,997	20,805	100,121	25,952	79,085	4,847,193	257,331	38,867
1893.....	1,499,527	2,073,291	3,572,818	87,610	75,575	338,024	39,202	60,939	175,916	30,203	95,147	2,910,898	181,478	38,511
1894.....	1,338,283	896,604	2,234,887	125,525	108,465	406,030	36,569	50,100	124,446	25,833	77,547	2,937,783	160,351	40,052
1895.....	3,363,692	349,999	3,713,682	79,289	113,020	378,183	38,396	8,022	120,599	23,659	65,984	5,522,253	298,332	33,953
1896.....	4,843,256	126,836	4,970,092	106,796	133,406	523,849	42,114	14,320	196,810	26,644	76,142	7,256,321	401,690	32,772
1897.....	4,597,317	133,615	4,730,933	72,389	133,254	580,237	59,349	55,718	107,635	11,690	25,175	6,736,924	382,546	54,832
1898.....	4,666,452	517,152	5,183,604	17,484	115,256	541,147	49,802	42,029	171,160	16,109	38,284	5,857,768	281,803	45,364

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
	Fish.	Flax, hemp, and jute, manufactures of.	Glass and glassware.	Gunpowder and other explosives.	Instruments and apparatus, etc.	IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.						
						Machinery.	Saws and tools.	Sewing machines.	Steam engines.	Wire.		All other.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	20,780	13,694	6,691	63,916	539	168,471	72,530	55,623	3,794	.....	.....	586,540
1872.....	27,495	21,008	46,371	191,064	107	351,369	182,210	137,135	495	.....	.....	438,981
1873.....	41,339	54,002	82,588	214,717	5,382	351,900	242,598	209,291	11,452	.....	.....	659,290
1874.....	33,152	27,260	61,832	202,100	4,619	208,669	324,339	174,289	17,950	.....	.....	609,495
1875.....	49,292	24,281	42,450	114,246	2,107	280,896	118,412	115,734	.....	.....	.....	359,161
1876.....	27,528	20,874	35,839	203,392	3,280	216,468	113,120	90,227	2,069	.....	.....	357,004
1877.....	31,573	16,943	48,558	124,891	113	316,839	121,061	80,734	1,811	.....	.....	502,720
1878.....	23,585	31,249	79,509	73,906	483	354,210	172,294	93,800	19,657	.....	.....	405,070
1879.....	35,619	36,429	46,562	144,370	6,906	274,171	159,516	103,879	17,222	.....	.....	673,080
1880.....	32,632	63,182	39,620	218,513	8,170	300,163	170,084	115,152	32,281	.....	.....	820,068
1881.....	34,152	59,913	38,680	178,419	7,896	219,307	162,632	158,105	65,790	.....	.....	583,254
1882.....	46,681	50,599	45,855	40,349	24,151	293,357	118,877	128,415	80,697	.....	.....	662,896
1883.....	89,307	67,875	41,677	107,034	32,658	444,727	107,258	139,857	245,068	.....	.....	700,085
1884.....	135,275	60,136	34,321	74,939	14,480	190,804	104,829	83,841	434,902	494,552	31,479	463,028
1885.....	188,344	73,369	29,094	128,203	20,294	104,697	59,330	41,453	43,716	579,712	28,051	449,541
1886.....	187,969	81,578	34,227	67,666	10,625	132,604	61,342	55,916	74,670	648,150	26,036	441,805
1887.....	201,202	119,456	40,700	72,873	21,429	225,849	77,158	41,503	56,632	655,642	24,689	672,218
1888.....	170,845	102,392	39,356	47,874	19,800	188,634	62,554	47,101	63,032	680,043	24,371	324,800
1889.....	125,186	82,515	35,389	36,036	14,008	201,995	70,611	82,598	19,137	932,362	32,479	222,420
1890.....	47,133	49,945	22,807	49,743	10,895	136,117	67,882	95,136	10,980	961,741	34,583	161,494
1891.....	56,153	64,252	28,912	21,489	34,611	131,395	69,550	120,248	16,746	1,431,987	48,656	208,473
1892.....	56,755	58,062	24,890	22,901	24,891	95,130	82,756	90,790	41,595	2,341,050	74,310	164,656
1893.....	32,050	50,889	23,007	31,692	30,790	73,984	83,620	65,204	63,805	3,071,383	102,803	188,255
1894.....	25,629	38,108	23,092	33,179	27,623	93,682	39,723	49,674	26,613	3,245,499	74,548	200,864
1895.....	21,691	28,627	17,143	41,088	20,927	85,547	35,095	39,924	14,647	3,855,264	76,791	140,646
1896.....	30,115	44,027	23,545	25,030	19,140	128,174	62,035	71,862	46,109	5,742,993	116,548	178,265
1897.....	23,890	43,295	29,839	50,345	66,084	109,715	75,060	113,043	43,679	7,555,751	146,936	202,794
1898.....	21,076	38,350	29,496	19,834	19,166	194,771	60,469	82,359	53,553	5,808,065	110,402	191,653

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	LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Malt liquors.	Oils, mineral, illum- inating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.				
	Boots and shoes.		All other.				Lard.		Butter.		All other.
	Pairs.	Dollars.					Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	
1871.....	6,239	10,206	3,421	159	219,501	61,380	2,708,536	416,122	287,684	81,314	138,778
1872.....	7,080	10,603	12,573	216	147,991	48,874	5,582,119	665,528	459,854	142,495	94,800
1873.....	8,355	14,557	54,902	338	167,827	51,761	5,390,373	569,231	464,042	140,559	99,715
1874.....	13,015	15,662	59,831	389	186,587	42,446	7,710,534	783,523	297,796	92,887	89,271
1875.....	11,000	19,450	19,010	1,780	193,699	38,529	7,453,181	936,833	185,501	57,952	74,408
1876.....	8,008	11,254	13,477	69	177,285	36,178	4,682,355	610,243	206,692	63,075	125,130
1877.....	15,625	24,914	12,354	6,945	172,512	43,936	4,549,995	505,477	142,477	41,957	93,661
1878.....	18,810	28,698	14,968	10,452	465,460	78,894	5,708,423	534,471	147,843	35,906	110,242
1879.....	35,269	40,642	42,041	15,492	192,358	27,619	7,386,946	566,595	269,686	53,114	101,157
1880.....	63,171	60,884	54,726	30,368	458,342	51,108	5,174,948	416,177	252,135	54,127	88,814
1881.....	25,411	30,064	43,659	36,818	429,897	61,196	3,963,113	408,867	269,883	65,105	99,717
1882.....	34,013	41,509	45,591	42,696	233,747	31,793	6,786,427	852,083	279,753	62,194	125,225
1883.....	52,715	57,177	54,821	56,381	272,054	36,314	5,859,185	729,537	343,896	72,804	190,371
1884.....	80,001	88,614	33,896	61,528	402,676	50,469	2,822,707	289,801	377,483	71,497	265,886
1885.....	101,645	117,909	22,753	53,293	383,372	41,954	2,869,300	246,413	467,662	82,231	325,587
1886.....	102,091	116,807	26,945	53,841	482,477	55,388	2,495,929	188,222	460,271	74,469	278,176
1887.....	123,072	134,035	19,988	58,407	658,443	63,805	2,319,445	186,954	500,765	81,229	324,759
1888.....	84,811	85,205	17,889	50,872	636,724	72,380	2,278,128	156,831	459,406	83,513	337,130
1889.....	39,813	46,379	18,803	36,159	573,307	72,624	1,589,796	147,223	279,943	51,151	198,541
1890.....	12,859	12,474	13,649	22,147	554,483	70,694	1,236,458	87,506	153,477	23,577	76,267
1891.....	37,929	34,613	14,835	37,543	712,532	85,380	1,208,546	85,365	211,619	30,524	79,826
1892.....	41,962	40,960	13,893	35,710	709,884	70,605	1,274,637	92,773	159,837	20,154	77,757
1893.....	32,467	33,044	14,007	45,193	852,158	73,417	1,180,798	118,701	118,403	23,580	72,706
1894.....	27,780	26,489	12,626	34,928	735,171	61,316	1,760,795	161,251	98,793	20,117	65,177
1895.....	32,697	29,489	7,150	57,330	836,174	74,727	1,928,235	142,186	143,162	25,339	63,519
1896.....	35,690	34,469	9,322	54,136	1,030,235	107,639	1,920,675	126,886	109,449	16,212	76,711
1897.....	43,794	42,719	12,618	54,009	1,183,607	109,458	2,917,290	152,501	132,947	17,833	89,775
1898.....	44,852	41,430	19,706	40,046	1,007,278	87,073	2,057,865	120,436	134,644	19,672	35,768

EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.									Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Soap.	Sugar, refined.		Tobacco, and manufactures of.	Vegetables.	Boards, deals, planks, etc.		Other lumber and timber.	Manufac- tures of.	
						M feet.	Dollars.			
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	M feet.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	139,988	855,545	106,961	237,916	57,190	1,763	41,217	8,003	36,141	3,836,837
1872.....	75,279	1,166,489	148,600	128,018	23,233	1,649	46,249	20,602	114,068	4,259,398
1873.....	100,009	1,120,487	136,148	166,226	28,965	1,869	56,580	30,638	139,188	5,106,703
1874.....	112,754	1,496,017	174,870	219,886	33,946	3,249	79,716	10,892	122,316	5,043,146
1875.....	110,931	1,012,432	108,866	86,829	32,288	2,460	54,626	13,149	129,278	4,206,618
1876.....	139,393	1,099,861	118,063	128,306	21,679	1,874	41,876	11,340	94,742	3,887,210
1877.....	121,595	657,452	75,836	117,028	10,524	2,121	48,562	13,003	82,190	3,942,742
1878.....	113,397	1,207,531	126,633	112,334	14,572	2,090	41,430	21,552	101,650	4,371,198
1879.....	76,292	1,307,968	114,867	103,503	21,921	2,398	44,030	16,141	93,151	5,199,618
1880.....	75,999	1,128,115	105,696	74,714	23,467	2,828	52,982	15,500	97,200	5,228,836
1881.....	81,501	1,316,688	126,174	91,945	28,583	4,056	80,941	15,250	116,316	5,179,366
1882.....	64,761	1,725,364	176,115	97,269	35,513	12,953	259,217	40,278	229,801	6,230,916
1883.....	80,126	2,084,359	199,311	111,699	35,309	13,465	242,645	40,436	187,131	6,719,787
1884.....	91,531	2,618,988	215,746	100,051	54,791	20,802	379,931	85,177	421,964	6,174,574
1885.....	89,766	2,616,841	173,280	99,674	92,420	40,319	646,929	111,514	264,388	5,397,412
1886.....	105,319	3,267,370	229,323	143,611	109,569	18,831	320,715	63,342	249,396	5,294,798
1887.....	101,603	3,556,113	226,498	146,668	109,345	26,256	399,706	70,652	223,759	5,973,965
1888.....	94,105	3,178,283	227,324	120,913	109,200	15,135	236,264	62,729	158,526	4,923,259
1889.....	63,407	2,554,716	205,306	106,808	78,673	8,145	112,835	26,193	87,135	3,728,961
1890.....	62,289	1,816,928	141,929	95,938	38,936	1,117	22,474	12,502	45,142	2,522,351
1891.....	53,112	1,875,887	117,534	102,387	42,065	3,252	62,731	11,451	107,000	3,108,989
1892.....	54,151	2,024,424	97,042	114,747	35,542	3,617	75,740	28,626	66,827	3,065,466
1893.....	49,724	2,018,217	102,431	79,915	33,646	6,755	128,087	75,233	52,827	3,047,620
1894.....	50,660	2,119,966	108,194	2,032	37,036	2,822	47,683	85,383	53,893	2,702,106
1895.....	46,448	1,243,588	60,730	3,034	25,372	4,829	80,662	30,419	41,576	2,498,856
1896.....	65,994	1,677,182	83,889	6,198	26,859	3,717	48,066	30,122	47,629	3,310,167
1897.....	79,972	926,066	41,386	3,664	34,054	4,363	58,211	36,868	54,570	3,711,399
1898.....	82,320	525,688	26,815	11,805	31,918	4,355	56,838	36,712	53,976	3,204,440

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898—Cont'd.

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(Prior to 1876 included in "All other countries in South America.")

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.									
	Cocoa, and leaves and shells of.		Coffee.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Total free of duty.	TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchandise.
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1887.....	2,728,070	311,423	484,613	55,757	277,969	1,074,081	476,949	1,130,934	235	1,131,169
1888.....	4,072,134	530,634	342,022	58,799	140,002	856,933	327,477	1,115,552	3,075	1,118,627
1889.....	2,046,079	234,365	936,035	124,378	120,893	696,185	212,220	694,088	917	695,005
1890.....	1,260,191	150,156	514,011	81,863	136,498	508,410	160,096	533,994	1,066	535,060
1891.....	2,233,166	272,209	982,651	159,085	122,322	715,430	267,177	836,078	359	836,437
1892.....	1,806,193	261,336	818,910	127,089	98,493	887,642	310,820	807,187	2,644	809,831
1893.....	2,751,101	404,235	782,296	124,126	107,590	828,865	281,790	958,216	2,012	960,228
1894.....	2,143,190	273,066	1,163,375	182,314	81,961	782,593	247,299	816,012	472	816,484
1895.....	3,886,585	352,060	1,070,208	148,528	60,709	938,379	249,933	814,733	6,933	821,666
1896.....	1,922,081	183,448	1,371,993	209,671	103,434	736,176	240,919	763,633	10	763,643
1897.....	3,315,206	289,682	193,431	22,265	72,846	545,551	166,151	566,307	219	566,526
1898.....	2,506,134	270,328	156,563	12,715	11,472	808,745	334,313	679,329	86,261	765,590

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—									
	Breadstuffs: Wheat flour.		Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cotton, manufactures of.	Iron and steel, manufactures of.	Oils, mineral, illuminating.		Provisions, etc.: Lard.		Wood, and manufactures of.
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1887.....	5,535	21,743	22,477	254,097	165,023	251,560	28,436	2,889,024	219,506	28,918
1888.....	7,192	28,604	33,298	169,027	155,469	95,450	10,356	2,028,791	162,099	48,451
1889.....	13,936	63,578	38,322	104,322	143,765	67,620	8,321	2,173,962	200,017	17,326
1890.....	31,036	130,573	24,700	48,767	116,313	183,285	22,746	2,785,131	201,062	21,596
1891.....	35,101	157,092	33,708	97,074	124,104	284,177	31,152	2,769,505	192,927	64,314
1892.....	25,501	126,358	31,771	134,692	117,083	126,122	10,066	2,892,470	211,282	30,441
1893.....	32,999	134,648	29,777	56,973	144,907	272,745	22,107	2,454,781	241,340	29,984
1894.....	24,653	88,799	25,034	51,992	140,453	259,680	20,187	2,655,607	254,335	33,611
1895.....	18,801	58,330	33,876	31,102	125,663	133,050	13,240	2,953,906	248,625	57,091
1896.....	20,974	68,837	41,641	53,000	136,710	354,700	39,638	2,485,286	170,171	34,109
1897.....	9,319	39,736	44,794	64,721	166,187	314,550	27,194	3,574,357	187,928	47,335
1898.....	22,779	113,850	32,250	53,250	191,047	270,610	23,534	2,612,058	142,077	116,067

QUANTITIES AND VALUS OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.

BRITISH GUIANA.

(Prior to 1873 included in "British West Indies.")

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	IMPORTS FROM--							EXPORTS TO--			
	FREE OF DUTY.			DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.	Animals.	BREADSTUFFS.		
	Sugar.		Total free of duty.	Sugar.		Total dutiabale.			Wheat flour.		All other.
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....			27, 117	51, 352, 331	2, 969, 992	3, 187, 156	3, 214, 273	59, 409	80, 049	602, 627	192, 377
1874.....			21, 838	21, 100, 043	1, 063, 208	1, 257, 917	1, 279, 805	51, 788	79, 146	570, 222	225, 034
1875.....			42, 576	40, 205, 397	2, 000, 935	2, 456, 669	2, 499, 245	68, 846	96, 824	557, 003	201, 593
1876.....			94, 856	21, 865, 631	912, 101	1, 077, 263	1, 172, 119	49, 498	91, 648	546, 149	160, 643
1877.....			45, 313	61, 657, 498	3, 340, 446	3, 460, 306	3, 505, 619	55, 963	85, 145	543, 105	166, 773
1878.....			4, 989	37, 435, 270	2, 044, 305	2, 136, 296	2, 141, 285	79, 498	104, 897	604, 487	266, 875
1879.....			58, 661	13, 074, 378	480, 782	515, 464	574, 125	55, 592	134, 872	585, 254	171, 455
1880.....			11, 008	34, 073, 241	1, 795, 117	1, 898, 986	1, 909, 994	74, 796	112, 514	599, 018	193, 597
1881.....			22, 087	47, 821, 676	2, 376, 180	2, 401, 987	2, 424, 074	41, 178	126, 593	619, 852	185, 356
1882.....			7, 527	64, 457, 685	3, 192, 659	3, 220, 915	3, 228, 442	35, 272	101, 782	601, 756	167, 897
1883.....			9, 892	123, 331, 060	5, 893, 880	5, 936, 537	5, 946, 429	55, 586	114, 460	564, 487	162, 721
1884.....			4, 360	91, 954, 917	4, 060, 776	4, 091, 176	4, 095, 536	62, 035	121, 959	569, 665	151, 210
1885.....			10, 401	31, 118, 761	909, 923	910, 953	921, 354	34, 147	135, 538	551, 055	96, 692
1886.....			6, 902	58, 319, 322	1, 847, 382	1, 857, 694	1, 861, 596	50, 500	129, 915	554, 430	71, 711
1887.....			15, 212	107, 729, 106	2, 704, 942	2, 724, 661	2, 739, 873	29, 741	112, 954	466, 957	60, 282
1888.....			5, 755	94, 914, 020	2, 813, 992	2, 816, 627	2, 822, 382	40, 076	157, 323	609, 487	81, 536
1889.....			14, 135	132, 559, 310	4, 507, 201	4, 512, 046	4, 526, 181	28, 709	119, 012	540, 132	54, 119
1890.....			1, 659	133, 971, 235	4, 323, 711	4, 325, 316	4, 326, 975	45, 952	171, 012	673, 949	60, 123
1891.....	a 30, 560, 641	a 973, 470	977, 659	b 129, 960, 491	b 3, 892, 602	3, 905, 547	4, 833, 206	36, 791	147, 002	704, 264	80, 475
1892.....	139, 570, 615	4, 269, 662	4, 362, 994	b 239	b 8	210	4, 363, 204	40, 206	157, 639	733, 767	80, 013
1893.....	159, 061, 559	5, 017, 661	5, 028, 848	(b)	(b)	330	5, 029, 178	34, 561	181, 860	695, 641	76, 413
1894.....	134, 455, 359	4, 216, 414	4, 223, 887	(b)	(b)	83	4, 223, 970	63, 606	218, 847	784, 399	74, 673
1895.....	a 17, 618, 530	a 482, 418	486, 375	b 93, 230, 430	b 2, 035, 308	2, 033, 329	2, 521, 794	40, 222	195, 323	610, 267	76, 672
1896.....			3, 891	146, 433, 256	3, 414, 368	3, 414, 687	3, 418, 578	20, 891	167, 034	596, 401	44, 968
1897.....			4, 024	175, 639, 179	3, 657, 025	3, 657, 932	3, 661, 956	25, 210	156, 575	592, 075	41, 023
1898.....			15, 261	139, 145, 529	3, 045, 666	3, 045, 707	3, 060, 968	32, 732	149, 638	600, 858	79, 633

a Dutiable.

b See Free of duty.

**QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, ETC.—Continued.**

BRITISH GUIANA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS TO—Continued.												
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Oils, mineral, illu- minating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.					Tobacco, and manufac- tures of.	Vege- tables.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
					Beef, salted, etc.		Pork, pickled.		All other.				
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....	6,816	2,522	104,287	29,449	690,480	58,587	2,113,800	151,123	132,840	74,820	21,945	148,348	1,638,115
1874.....	12,948	2,740	171,331	36,416	773,290	63,534	2,729,400	211,169	128,140	80,089	21,952	157,553	1,712,369
1875.....	20,057	540	236,144	42,208	785,305	72,081	2,576,610	252,889	152,437	97,417	13,029	232,188	1,830,807
1876.....	17,230	14,884	211,025	38,406	962,419	90,251	2,608,200	266,861	152,865	108,350	20,519	163,141	1,750,452
1877.....	24,131	32,925	281,951	65,252	1,042,150	77,570	3,102,600	271,191	136,357	71,148	14,191	210,159	1,854,548
1878.....	24,361	32,972	550,220	86,870	645,350	52,133	2,812,628	184,632	146,679	75,130	15,124	211,972	1,924,922
1879.....	20,250	61,079	716,570	89,111	1,058,000	70,574	2,843,250	159,584	130,310	68,321	8,018	165,130	1,719,827
1880.....	32,132	12,888	361,770	37,110	1,069,400	72,483	3,261,740	130,749	130,258	62,130	16,656	143,134	1,723,166
1881.....	21,351	18,686	390,554	49,519	992,300	64,773	2,114,314	161,765	129,466	51,644	4,676	130,075	1,682,373
1882.....	18,491	27,203	477,730	60,446	644,809	56,123	3,055,500	289,661	156,055	79,186	6,126	309,837	1,976,586
1883.....	31,449	20,553	505,240	61,003	921,925	89,174	2,458,950	247,381	150,526	76,450	10,355	326,180	1,973,422
1884.....	26,122	22,320	384,036	43,350	888,095	72,343	2,794,250	221,854	150,406	66,440	14,722	255,174	1,833,148
1885.....	43,779	8,172	449,561	46,445	1,030,150	80,237	3,003,900	213,830	139,736	65,714	17,722	189,269	1,631,608
1886.....	33,072	19,794	464,110	46,967	1,357,500	85,672	4,182,862	235,515	101,550	68,843	10,510	160,851	1,554,726
1887.....	36,781	21,408	522,448	47,194	1,329,266	76,723	2,720,282	169,011	130,424	51,499	15,341	167,798	1,423,211
1888.....	35,429	19,021	497,393	48,075	1,343,983	71,915	3,023,309	229,349	138,076	59,906	18,369	192,210	1,651,711
1889.....	26,940	25,699	484,545	49,484	1,795,834	103,407	3,258,470	251,263	159,100	45,537	15,417	203,477	1,643,249
1890.....	30,437	20,491	1,134,212	112,096	1,974,100	106,254	4,532,872	281,833	157,715	49,303	16,433	224,288	2,011,122
1891.....	31,031	22,368	511,047	50,692	1,222,729	67,282	2,615,948	157,857	134,930	46,556	27,930	214,181	1,701,350
1892.....	38,752	33,761	638,262	53,363	1,867,132	120,210	2,951,500	180,323	125,925	55,614	16,674	186,337	1,835,542
1893.....	32,472	24,421	592,455	42,511	1,910,818	107,838	3,042,510	261,177	162,791	49,763	13,636	251,303	1,953,612
1894.....	33,316	35,397	697,300	47,965	2,159,110	137,248	4,199,859	353,993	192,050	63,367	15,985	263,450	2,360,938
1895.....	29,260	21,731	528,450	42,070	1,985,090	116,357	2,885,190	201,954	129,522	47,316	14,003	167,389	1,684,830
1896.....	21,864	28,504	550,650	47,989	2,222,044	130,109	5,010,181	292,105	122,379	51,236	18,052	134,554	1,719,705
1897.....	14,542	24,037	654,124	53,698	1,931,641	88,101	2,753,700	121,616	120,825	35,401	13,739	187,069	1,532,115
1898.....	19,145	45,467	551,364	39,012	1,868,400	102,843	3,145,900	160,297	112,943	48,702	13,000	160,127	1,703,071

DUTCH GUIANA.

(Prior to 1879 included in Dutch West Indies.)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—		
	FREE OF DUTY.					DUTIABLE.			Total imports of merchan- dise.	BREADSTUFFS.		
	Cocoa, and leaves and shells of.		Sugar, cane and other.		Total free of duty.	Sugar.		Total dutiable.		Wheat flour.	All other.	
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.		Dollars.	Pounds.					Dollars.
1879.....	567,438	88,377	.....	.....	103,496	3,469,151	106,235	121,324	224,820	4,829	24,743	2,079
1880.....	433,261	67,161	.....	.....	74,091	5,540,245	182,846	207,779	281,780	7,825	50,676	3,319
1881.....	847,372	105,281	.....	.....	106,386	6,602,500	268,551	296,133	402,519	8,631	51,480	3,972
1882.....	1,246,670	166,945	.....	.....	167,851	6,401,010	257,663	296,299	464,150	14,128	96,149	4,174
1883.....	1,855,444	247,517	.....	.....	249,043	4,758,044	186,362	224,090	473,043	12,727	76,039	4,190
1884.....	2,448,576	369,922	.....	.....	377,667	6,694,585	227,092	245,451	623,118	11,892	66,292	4,047
1885.....	1,636,825	217,795	.....	.....	223,552	2,238,797	36,019	41,787	265,339	11,003	57,390	3,228
1886.....	1,563,940	226,832	.....	.....	227,105	1,976,587	40,837	46,846	273,951	12,403	63,634	2,033
1887.....	2,775,284	377,526	.....	.....	394,995	4,103,561	81,846	87,429	482,424	10,565	48,315	2,395
1888.....	2,675,854	360,997	.....	.....	362,291	2,194,889	62,771	63,692	430,983	13,853	62,821	4,077
1889.....	2,837,920	372,006	.....	.....	375,285	2,889,164	81,254	84,958	460,243	11,212	55,666	2,457
1890.....	4,128,374	460,282	.....	.....	462,104	3,422,571	103,694	112,010	574,114	12,505	56,394	2,370
1891.....	4,534,190	521,220	2,086,277	265,871	589,853	4,525,850	129,458	134,331	724,190	13,803	71,749	4,179
1892.....	2,770,536	361,249	7,132,576	205,887	570,135	(b)	.....	58	570,193	18,437	91,233	3,333
1893.....	4,958,129	665,389	14,798,065	397,068	1,073,667	(b)	.....	43	1,079,710	18,372	75,922	3,824
1894.....	4,790,124	610,588	12,787,452	426,541	1,078,514	(b)	.....	27	1,078,541	23,275	84,628	4,255
1895.....	5,923,634	609,831	2,128,100	263,346	723,246	6,666,444	132,243	132,262	855,568	24,149	76,465	4,016
1896.....	6,056,832	587,235	.....	.....	607,719	12,293,609	289,243	289,528	957,247	23,904	90,112	5,020
1897.....	6,240,637	573,547	.....	.....	655,264	18,043,833	380,959	381,424	1,036,688	22,700	94,197	5,417
1898.....	6,599,752	818,032	871,612	25,636,341	585,326	585,523	1,457,135	22,728	115,008	14,314

a See Dutiable.

b See Free of duty.

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DUTCH GUIANA—Continued.

(Prior to 1879 included in Dutch West Indies.)

	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.											
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	Fish.	Oils, mineral, illuminating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.					Tobacco, leaf.		Wood, and manufactures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
				Beef, salted, etc.		Pork, pickled.		All other.				
	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1879.....	35,933	50,093	6,782	299,400	18,978	477,853	28,681	20,381	63,290	7,586	10,037	167,130
1880.....	48,207	67,565	7,926	402,500	25,607	737,283	48,831	26,211	65,245	7,526	17,734	253,678
1881.....	41,553	71,822	9,748	327,450	21,918	723,800	62,154	26,977	74,993	8,398	8,958	247,609
1882.....	61,962	94,896	11,542	416,950	33,199	846,191	84,126	32,522	98,079	10,760	24,188	382,639
1883.....	96,109	128,150	14,732	431,000	39,835	1,058,838	117,870	32,603	96,566	9,180	28,090	447,778
1884.....	66,460	91,000	10,588	288,400	21,882	797,137	68,024	23,150	109,251	11,728	27,411	316,613
1885.....	59,314	127,100	13,928	333,600	24,756	842,485	64,766	21,745	124,745	14,127	21,961	296,667
1886.....	48,550	131,120	14,105	522,250	30,388	1,153,839	66,374	17,583	173,748	19,201	12,780	293,071
1887.....	30,137	138,450	14,376	364,500	20,866	863,295	61,025	23,082	137,604	14,144	4,347	236,105
1888.....	38,508	126,150	13,563	356,100	21,297	639,147	55,901	22,590	97,186	10,337	9,909	264,096
1889.....	38,561	133,864	14,470	440,382	28,588	713,634	55,141	22,522	59,455	5,604	6,229	254,626
1890.....	39,704	163,890	16,873	674,000	35,118	956,508	61,458	14,408	120,832	10,286	13,952	273,203
1891.....	30,139	143,750	14,896	478,967	27,628	694,962	43,945	15,738	77,885	6,721	10,753	249,704
1892.....	38,937	199,360	18,444	723,400	46,736	795,699	48,958	27,192	114,134	9,255	7,516	328,007
1893.....	34,011	250,756	18,784	661,300	40,115	936,800	85,436	28,940	156,999	13,753	10,331	364,725
1894.....	29,499	185,250	13,374	974,700	60,083	1,025,300	85,441	29,173	132,670	10,975	22,783	381,641
1895.....	38,050	216,490	16,827	844,350	50,167	766,270	54,331	32,605	112,498	9,355	18,062	338,687
1896.....	33,759	274,800	23,592	1,073,000	61,921	844,720	47,333	25,918	125,830	9,167	21,098	360,282
1897.....	39,918	247,732	20,280	1,038,420	50,424	941,000	43,101	30,452	118,171	8,315	21,363	383,439
1898.....	43,695	280,800	19,683	864,200	50,264	868,300	45,436	36,847	146,893	11,358	22,749	406,030

FRENCH GUIANA.

(Prior to 1879 included in French West Indies.)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—						
	TOTAL FREE OF DUTY.	TOTAL DUTY-ABLE.	Total im-ports of mer- chandise.	Breadstuffs.	Fish.	Provisions.	Tobacco, leaf.		Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....										
1872.....										
1873.....										
1874.....										
1875.....										
1876.....										
1877.....										
1878.....										
1879.....	3,915	11,874	15,789	13,636	26,765	9,039	45,820	5,917	6,090	69,887
1880.....	2,802	470	3,272	19,270	27,315	13,263	43,297	5,301	5,163	75,645
1881.....	803	2,300	3,103	16,450	24,257	7,851	31,156	3,820	5,215	65,762
1882.....	2,003	16,450	18,453	20,785	31,029	16,756	28,028	3,520	10,411	95,785
1883.....	2,457	15,980	18,437	15,464	46,499	17,103	27,683	3,224	8,078	101,013
1884.....	1,376	945	2,321	12,398	35,883	15,642	37,890	4,605	8,258	102,072
1885.....	1,073	730	1,803	13,760	30,461	27,083	47,976	6,215	9,515	107,492
1886.....	647	355	1,002	19,426	28,833	24,533	39,106	4,881	8,779	105,719
1887.....	433	1,015	1,448	21,060	24,534	36,120	51,160	5,797	7,889	137,724
1888.....	6,772	5,652	12,424	31,155	31,391	37,913	37,077	4,139	7,476	140,086
1889.....	13,366		13,366	27,939	28,450	44,655	58,451	6,145	9,765	140,768
1890.....	17,647		17,647	30,182	33,695	49,175	39,498	4,120	11,782	154,859
1891.....	46,520		46,520	29,066	31,462	46,517	50,795	5,262	13,499	150,710
1892.....	5,850		5,850	30,347	26,046	51,531	57,063	6,411	15,333	149,777
1893.....	35,965		35,965	17,775	14,302	40,960	42,067	4,383	9,897	108,004
1894.....	23,400		23,400	14,864	8,460	46,198	46,545	4,768	10,263	98,837
1895.....	25,065		25,065	9,095	7,836	33,549	18,360	1,885	16,825	83,017
1896.....	31,419		31,419	15,554	10,025	32,768	42,010	3,998	19,779	100,697
1897.....	8,100	37	8,137	18,767	8,478	32,448	38,070	3,250	30,560	110,907
1898.....	12,551		12,551	35,897	6,846	46,619	49,367	4,520	22,411	149,023

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—									
	FREE OF DUTY.								TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchan- dise.
	Cotton, unmanufactured.		Guano.		Soda, nitrate of.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Total free of duty.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.		
1871.....			97,336	3,124,706	34,999,332	862,337		3,707,967	1,023,463	4,731,430
1872.....			11,654	385,063	27,133,564	734,517	2,400	1,133,349	535,634	1,668,983
1873.....			2,722	96,678	44,153,631	1,009,520	1,180	1,130,984	55,177	1,186,161
1874.....			5,482	187,453	44,393,855	940,559		1,133,836	122,450	1,256,286
1875.....			17,045	468,951	41,044,264	764,736		1,234,708	56,527	1,291,235
1876.....			17,364	692,146	35,488,433	723,238		1,421,068	4,975	1,426,043
1877.....			18,481	741,124	29,221,104	723,030		1,468,776	10,735	1,479,511
1878.....			20,982	820,093	30,452,962	693,316	314	1,516,811	14,740	1,531,551
1879.....			15,087	606,466	68,932,980	1,161,127	451	1,770,809	87,050	1,857,859
1880.....			400	6,150	14,973,850	245,043	250	272,008	89,300	361,308
1881.....					24,676,514	612,736	84,330	760,355	201	760,556
1882.....			20,522	319,486	114,176,044	2,320,215	286,310	3,007,228	22,448	3,029,676
1883.....			129	7,674	102,394,360	2,036,317	339,203	2,499,237	27,681	2,526,918
1884.....	446	42	2,052	53,005	106,891,698	1,703,464	232,743	2,070,834	6,811	2,077,645
1885.....			1,178	68,519	86,557,479	1,326,680	137,000	1,749,632	15,258	1,764,890
1886.....	5,135	770			42,367,498	650,886	150,695	942,426	21,054	963,480
1887.....	33,466	4,014			15,724,976	224,751	177,116	450,147	11,579	461,726
1888.....	28,252	3,088			4,465,918	58,373	169,641	308,113	927	309,040
1889.....	2,773	310	1,153	17,367			187,262	307,761	6,271	314,032
1890.....	301,623	50,390					238,519	325,853	25,842	351,695
1891.....	341,181	54,754			1,766,956	16,722	233,635	369,405	17,113	386,518
1892.....	1,844,999	267,518	1,241	21,572			231,723	555,959	35,341	591,300
1893.....	3,411,619	422,992					280,637	811,872	7,296	819,168
1894.....	1,171,515	166,046	1,000	21,672			221,325	485,319	6,065	491,384
1895.....	1,197,272	128,959			a 431	15,688	232,519	441,885	31,430	473,315
1896.....	1,661,333	299,319			a 3,303	87,834	267,355	697,951	14,745	712,696
1897.....	880,154	96,582			a 7,957	254,398	202,283	644,441	77,648	722,089
1898.....	1,296,236	123,525			a 9,308	194,592	145,432	541,993	172,254	714,247

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—									
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Iron and steel, and manu- factures of.	OILS, MINERAL, REFINED.				Provisions, compris- ing meat and dairy prod- ucts.	Wood, and manufactures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.	
			Illuminating.		Lubricating.					
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	
1871.....	91,203	561,099	359,846	104,923			144,007	506,726	2,279,773	
1872.....	40,897	1,374,407	303,389	89,162	4,254	1,574	361,676	1,033,203	4,439,995	
1873.....	57,113	491,783	208,110	63,563	5,168	3,989	381,676	623,028	2,671,534	
1874.....	60,506	417,789	257,230	55,074	2,293	1,335	241,923	337,550	1,811,369	
1875.....	27,851	1,105,357	515,331	102,263	2,700	1,730	169,260	411,962	2,443,657	
1876.....	13,468	102,112	242,807	45,482	2,382	1,008	100,285	215,276	1,001,722	
1877.....	34,393	175,160	316,635	72,252	753	423	95,649	291,892	1,239,006	
1878.....	23,463	118,985	513,534	86,417	2,290	1,635	104,758	211,144	975,507	
1879.....	23,161	275,959	561,115	76,589	2,720	945	141,091	218,590	1,293,091	
1880.....	16,725	103,786	145,682	12,933	5,639	2,251	73,899	71,127	907,603	
1881.....	2,671	2,712	113,000	13,805	503	125	22,178	13,534	93,785	
1882.....	16,339	49,347	287,500	33,131	7,958	2,586	144,162	76,163	533,823	
1883.....	11,841	73,134	421,300	45,266	1,949	806	80,541	113,659	487,360	
1884.....	28,140	100,989	235,999	30,210	8,705	3,480	208,063	194,811	1,043,602	
1885.....	30,899	92,604	337,455	31,490	7,603	2,883	155,379	96,994	735,979	
1886.....	29,350	114,666	602,618	56,084	13,590	3,945	155,297	103,325	798,577	
1887.....	32,887	169,438	195,290	19,436	5,189	2,086	56,044	94,730	717,968	
1888.....	30,370	120,849	441,621	43,965	9,672	3,796	114,873	108,560	865,160	
1889.....	31,188	140,497	425,035	46,927	21,524	10,238	101,553	114,728	773,244	
1890.....	37,982	408,215	201,980	24,105	39,998	14,368	293,660	204,711	1,418,561	

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.								
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	OILS, MINERAL, REFINED.				Provisions, compris- ing meat and dairy prod- ucts.	Wood, and manufactures of.	Total exports of domestic merchandise.
			Illuminating.		Lubricating.				
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1891.....	52, 598	376, 539	319, 574	37, 713	39, 107	15, 250	130, 211	225, 659	1, 396, 207
1892.....	44, 388	198, 155	279, 435	26, 685	32, 437	12, 160	107, 510	211, 468	1, 002, 977
1893.....	39, 775	151, 388	292, 765	26, 008	22, 359	6, 661	65, 992	127, 611	635, 135
1894.....	33, 741	134, 535	387, 620	32, 832	44, 239	13, 713	18, 285	99, 165	586, 761
1895.....	51, 020	96, 597	269, 020	27, 048	34, 191	10, 900	21, 154	100, 215	626, 897
1896.....	71, 874	201, 013	503, 510	57, 384	65, 868	16, 778	23, 689	178, 113	995, 617
1897.....	52, 518	244, 687	580, 850	61, 045	63, 736	15, 786	38, 271	218, 498	1, 105, 381
1898.....	58, 663	319, 025	590, 460	53, 524	65, 342	18, 484	47, 580	196, 128	1, 298, 570

URUGUAY.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30--	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM--									Total imports of merchan- dise.
	FREE OF DUTY.					DUTIABLE.				
	Hair, unmanu- factured.	Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	Wool, unmanufactured.		Total free of duty.	Wool, unmanufactured.		Total dutiable.		
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	82,272				122,797	4,594,238	537,308	2,448,088	2,570,885	
1872.....	139,348	17,489			203,104	7,110,871	1,134,759	3,194,407	3,397,511	
1873.....	100,781	1,937,366			2,099,709	6,110,911	1,137,560	1,471,667	3,571,376	
1874.....	78,235	1,681,980			1,814,327	4,094,275	660,136	701,237	2,515,563	
1875.....	34,724	2,641,685			2,776,178	863,440	129,876	158,861	2,935,039	
1876.....	105,022	1,543,614			1,689,352	750,219	105,888	115,200	1,804,572	
1877.....	49,112	1,790,057			1,874,941	2,185,884	298,765	320,337	2,195,278	
1878.....	32,901	1,571,729			1,666,936	5,273,092	753,212	770,166	2,437,192	
1879.....	66,146	1,532,455			1,653,820	1,113,231	108,673	126,320	1,780,140	
1880.....	78,075	3,575,785			3,787,307	9,577,309	1,733,001	1,754,728	5,542,035	
1881.....	118,444	2,960,259			3,262,311	4,823,562	882,609	902,352	4,164,663	
1882.....	140,966	5,088,253			5,581,482	6,894,885	1,221,800	1,256,254	6,837,736	
1883.....	171,859	2,716,240			3,093,012	5,920,713	868,403	887,098	3,980,110	
1884.....	58,099	1,615,205			1,784,693	2,599,301	334,140	344,288	2,128,981	
1885.....	77,986	2,121,518			2,317,139	3,511,445	411,138	417,472	2,734,617	
1886.....	209,029	3,094,945			3,577,376	12,955,287	1,336,870	1,348,472	4,925,818	
1887.....	106,794	2,118,189			2,381,111	2,891,481	428,319	437,650	2,818,761	
1888.....	91,655	2,116,142			2,318,017	3,421,495	385,703	393,504	2,711,521	
1889.....	106,897	1,908,012			2,150,870	5,823,291	832,907	836,094	2,986,964	
1890.....	118,825	1,472,993			1,723,357	228,808	30,034	31,546	1,754,903	
1891.....	154,999	1,921,673			2,193,745	1,042,102	156,748	162,994	2,356,739	
1892.....	136,493	1,611,547			1,833,927	4,832,563	587,782	596,669	2,480,596	
1893.....	175,591	1,183,973			1,535,880	652,030	85,622	87,500	1,623,380	
1894.....	66,439	1,162,539			1,385,818	247,797	30,736	33,755	1,419,573	
1895.....	121,511	1,378,723	7,633,881	809,665	2,409,349	a 2,663,992	a 290,230	290,299	2,699,618	
1896.....	80,275	2,139,896	8,114,961	937,589	3,236,255			6,173	3,242,428	
1897.....	123,231	1,659,954	13,382,288	1,583,738	3,514,841			213	3,515,054	
1898.....	119,141	40,822			296,980			1,475,600	1,772,480	

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—												
	Agricultural im- plements.	Chemical- drugs, dyes, etc.	Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Naval stores, rosin, tar, and spirits of turpen- tine.	Oils, mineral, illuminat- ing, and other.		Provisions, comprising meat and dairy prod- ucts.	Starch.	Sugar, refined.	Tobacco, and manufac- tures of.	Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total ex- ports of do- mestic mer- chandise.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	14,859	16,185	48,679	18,944	12,629	552,946	164,032	47,183	38,980	65,250	16,785	353,939	1,026,554
1872.....	31,232	50,058	33,819	81,739	38,541	786,052	230,238	43,368	37,166	39,553	63,682	531,097	1,620,744
1873.....	62,799	42,903	63,530	102,435	48,905	567,740	162,102	41,984	35,990	202,860	33,008	886,451	1,836,421
1874.....	19,310	19,215	52,436	40,752	26,572	326,770	60,505	48,846	23,278	20,901	26,992	559,833	1,115,042
1875.....	13,672	30,397	42,182	46,732	22,980	454,650	83,869	65,184	51,186	83,538	26,103	294,915	1,440,685
1876.....	32,796	19,925	29,227	41,473	20,478	379,775	73,818	70,481	68,160	490,434	33,590	75,139	1,126,123
1877.....	50,998	22,679	90,873	29,896	29,560	697,100	154,249	50,935	32,016	242,003	46,141	222,675	1,077,434
1878.....	42,805	10,844	67,410	20,755	35,313	551,646	95,897	38,207	32,451	317,950	36,230	203,306	1,031,417
1879.....	48,572	14,101	94,651	46,429	13,505	616,629	82,927	23,539	27,008	67,846	48,156	274,368	877,615
1880.....	54,847	18,424	50,995	64,122	22,147	792,520	91,369	54,744	27,265	40,461	52,992	231,486	880,371
1881.....	75,421	27,556	112,592	111,568	21,062	1,297,930	158,722	35,014	35,580	224,740	72,065	396,775	1,536,326
1882.....	92,298	14,830	82,503	105,167	46,630	1,388,856	158,174	78,583	34,008	13,745	55,207	521,448	1,457,978
1883.....	184,908	22,312	105,666	83,567	47,800	1,504,673	168,556	30,814	29,042	14,374	51,569	357,241	1,385,755
1884.....	120,625	27,105	93,834	61,155	42,657	1,521,208	167,181	37,594	28,397	23,646	25,525	367,151	1,239,923
1885.....	157,327	26,967	150,300	77,611	49,149	2,466,599	250,113	43,002	20,113	35,941	73,193	560,741	1,601,759
1886.....	51,652	20,833	77,968	85,110	35,335	1,834,333	189,886	54,227	15,357	76,492	29,824	302,163	1,110,545
1887.....	45,171	25,653	183,358	151,161	49,108	2,586,996	256,089	26,290	14,564	7,810	37,150	428,420	1,393,725
1888.....	66,788	40,832	112,932	143,898	40,211	2,273,343	241,276	42,060	5,424	1,175	13,421	412,382	1,337,430
1889.....	125,382	52,284	113,046	187,889	47,006	2,544,619	273,425	42,521	12,783	13,075	30,781	589,778	2,027,383
1890.....	230,280	42,835	137,585	294,712	76,431	3,515,426	395,108	61,806	5,892	450	28,000	833,652	3,210,112
1891.....	97,704	35,641	53,399	98,402	78,141	3,210,882	332,366	35,782	1,836	420	4,366	165,890	1,032,937
1892.....	126,797	29,633	66,323	25,406	71,822	4,302,536	372,040	9,836	3,465	.....	15,846	89,268	907,067
1893.....	109,862	32,586	120,121	69,751	57,848	2,916,476	232,090	23,032	4,614	379	9,464	123,985	932,144
1894.....	109,667	37,004	129,469	79,406	54,205	2,549,635	263,193	24,404	.....	670	13,883	156,736	971,547
1895.....	119,567	41,298	122,092	81,702	48,083	3,922,885	383,074	17,276	371	1,341	39,642	226,293	1,240,025
1896.....	158,295	38,881	119,315	90,057	80,654	3,646,639	413,548	11,001	350	1,163	29,510	263,528	1,401,073
1897.....	50,149	42,666	95,616	61,287	31,087	2,835,973	289,904	5,614	430	878	18,479	257,306	1,045,266
1898.....	103,366	38,865	94,485	66,174	52,183	3,614,910	332,682	4,929	516	500	15,975	169,817	1,130,239

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										
	FREE OF DUTY.										
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cocoa, and leaves and shells of.		Coffee.		Fertilizers: Guano.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Total free of duty.
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	102,343					150	8,200		2,502	1,563	146,109
1872.....	41,419					812	12,602	27,336	12,826	4,815	171,047
1873.....	62,832	293,249	39,107	30,526,723	4,828,117	1,781	27,732	342,157	3,725	1,725	5,400,234
1874.....	55,267	427,288	77,140	23,860,428	4,708,309	400	6,159	453,931	4,846	1,953	5,331,311
1875.....	51,866	316,297	70,221	25,781,256	4,498,140			465,129	4,003	1,741	5,171,794
1876.....	100,625	262,338	53,741	25,187,462	4,581,745	350	5,381	668,531	15,909	5,790	5,484,314
1877.....	116,553	191,600	37,011	35,714,191	5,962,367	4,463	65,276	703,694	29,929	13,423	6,935,266
1878.....	171,183	590,217	122,094	38,623,291	6,228,297	1,221	18,773	703,363	24,219	8,844	7,235,628
1879.....	180,974	464,275	97,633	21,138,035	4,059,213	552	8,555	437,227	54,983	21,601	4,850,953
1880.....	200,377	379,128	94,668	35,518,910	4,956,068	1,318	20,905	558,957	26,571	12,868	5,992,000
1881.....	205,571	761,811	150,988	42,245,176	5,166,316	8,144	122,198	834,441	10,011	5,461	6,563,043
1882.....	101,588	426,572	82,444	43,369,170	4,593,023	8,200	119,702	686,171	91,482	51,106	5,742,342
1883.....	78,576	424,140	92,634	47,742,466	4,498,207	8,994	135,648	910,622	29,453	20,941	5,889,985
1884.....	152,918	692,800	115,376	53,363,495	5,125,144	9,625	137,233	1,032,978	38,404	25,837	6,668,048
1885.....	72,526	744,463	118,316	53,506,120	4,670,888	8,625	112,568	1,191,190	41,331	18,450	6,267,887
1886.....	53,169	518,054	102,515	54,260,497	4,208,480	2,648	32,661	1,292,794	43,035	21,011	5,754,151
1887.....	82,201	460,203	79,110	59,463,487	6,770,168	3,568	56,395	1,151,937	34,322	15,645	8,248,450
1888.....	27,815	559,623	109,089	60,543,164	8,863,599	4,115	63,975	907,235	42,825	22,688	10,042,905

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VENEZUELA—Continued.

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.										
	FREE OF DUTY.										
	Chemicals, drugs, dyes, etc.	Cocoa, and leaves and shells of.		Coffee.		Fertilizers: Guano.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Total free of duty.
	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Tons.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1880.....	94,177	848,153	138,753	63,114,529	9,138,591	5,135	71,690	861,882	77,842	38,157	10,385,769
1890.....	122,015	1,277,547	191,550	57,420,471	9,662,207	4,538	65,470	812,347	143,930	47,132	10,960,770
1891.....	82,733	563,387	88,090	60,217,980	10,814,874	3,159	53,385	898,492	68,117	47,657	12,053,639
1892.....	38,557	1,085,972	165,028	48,268,633	8,229,872	2,012	24,516	640,021	50,078	28,339	9,174,816
1893.....	151,629	809,163	120,399	351,308	61,537	1,563	23,264	972	85,209	42,382	454,122
1894.....	13,730	544,926	91,188	.....	.....	392	7,840	.....	72,960	38,023	189,483
1895.....	80,368	614,639	86,736	47,329,498	7,995,777	.....	.....	791,832	41,325	19,764	9,117,079
1896.....	69,174	1,005,095	125,478	52,019,994	8,123,254	611	9,165	1,107,411	141,627	72,644	9,644,399
1897.....	39,565	1,017,968	111,016	58,913,154	8,300,672	1,675	23,025	808,509	155,872	86,692	9,540,050
1898.....	35,922	953,711	141,269	62,983,327	6,171,043	.....	.....	448,200	129,961	49,263	6,898,592

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—Continued.						EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—						
	DUTIABLE.					Total im- ports of mer- chandise.	BREADSTUFFS.					Chemical- als, drugs, dyes, etc.	
	Coffee. <i>a</i>		Copper, and manufac- tures of.	Hides and skins, etc. <i>a</i>	Total dutiabale.		Corn.		Wheat flour.		All other		
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Barrels.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	
1871.....	20,137,988	2,052,336	1,320	477,799	2,755,982	2,902,091	118	123	42,532	298,363	42,270	42,919	
1872.....	28,183,607	3,604,496	1,881	317,579	4,284,099	4,455,146	11,855	9,777	38,422	236,763	52,625	40,187	
1873.....			1,125	15,863	112,676	5,512,910	10,180	8,056	55,412	458,516	78,933	66,447	
1874.....			660		38,475	5,399,786	34,334	27,407	81,630	625,272	123,651	57,826	
1875.....			618		55,781	5,227,575	646	570	81,356	496,213	33,061	64,614	
1876.....			545		32,475	5,516,789	46,377	36,344	107,818	702,555	49,797	111,465	
1877.....			404		5,535	7,000,801	116,087	79,478	105,310	767,006	42,144	103,712	
1878.....			244		14,669	7,310,297	152,880	101,203	112,996	754,363	59,146	197,300	
1879.....			278		4,081	4,855,034	148,147	85,528	95,684	507,626	67,776	108,565	
1880.....			773		47,032	6,039,092	75,969	49,515	93,363	586,763	115,851	88,555	
1881.....			733		38,774	6,601,817	285,660	180,757	96,805	530,019	133,338	103,213	
1882.....			352		3,958	5,746,300	26,894	21,585	101,027	673,045	63,294	71,023	
1883.....			389		11,739	5,901,724	15,828	12,341	106,152	589,007	58,316	107,571	
1884.....			25		5,993	6,674,041	1,266	928	103,388	518,054	56,699	98,556	
1885.....			33,014		41,693	6,309,580	416,295	286,948	143,064	616,348	61,685	93,068	
1886.....			180		37,470	5,791,621	214,537	146,242	127,085	602,567	71,090	83,524	
1887.....			62		12,786	8,261,236	9,896	5,800	126,052	573,219	81,979	118,553	
1888.....			232		8,345	10,051,250	7,259	4,762	134,318	599,221	57,524	114,005	
1889.....			89		6,800	10,392,569	232,647	118,724	155,857	791,007	79,858	137,267	
1890.....			116		5,995	10,966,765	240,498	129,132	173,759	807,642	90,454	154,757	
1891.....			18,395		21,842	12,078,541	169,734	140,985	194,015	1,066,605	116,183	189,134	
1892.....	<i>a</i> 5,171,152	865,170	184,118	<i>b</i> 90,680	1,150,522	10,325,338	154,151	118,572	194,631	962,390	99,381	133,016	
1893.....	<i>a</i> 14,810,250	2,410,806	100,492	<i>b</i> 637,569	3,170,996	3,625,118	440,602	276,413	210,098	891,033	123,937	159,329	
1894.....	<i>a</i> 16,515,888	2,689,479	57,802	<i>b</i> 492,586	3,274,998	3,464,481	75,105	43,218	215,412	800,328	100,680	179,323	
1895.....	<i>a</i> 5,380,964	876,402	4	<i>b</i> 72,933	956,872	10,073,951	47,515	27,085	204,178	740,817	85,859	161,394	
1896.....					5,512	9,649,911	83,162	41,257	218,224	812,192	73,742	153,356	
1897.....					3,522	9,543,572	2,850	1,115	183,166	744,164	67,360	149,101	
1898.....				<i>b</i> 746,225	823,972	7,722,564	9,780	3,790	158,586	759,701	48,266	105,115	

^a Tariff act October 1, 1890.

^b Of cattle.

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.										
	COTTON, MANUFACTURES OF.			FLAX, HEMP, AND JUTE, MANUFACTURES OF.			IRON AND STEEL, AND MANUFACTURES OF.				
	Cloths, colored and uncolored.		All other.	Cordage.		All other.	Machinery, n. e. s.	Sewing machines.	Steam engines, etc.	Wire.	All other.
	Yards.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1871.....	68,439	10,317	6,506	245,871	39,104	1,158	16,961	7,194	.....	.....	17,109
1872.....	77,808	12,691	4,581	252,677	42,957	1,124	22,263	11,820	2,051	.....	52,815
1873.....	116,906	18,348	13,704	342,058	57,925	8,049	19,094	22,528	14,436	.....	88,305
1874.....	144,686	20,998	7,782	309,270	46,991	4,348	56,172	29,614	815	.....	83,493
1875.....	209,113	28,744	3,585	519,677	59,591	15,206	44,340	30,958	1,109	.....	121,315
1876.....	1,131,686	119,103	7,847	577,551	65,846	5,047	89,505	58,208	6,910	.....	181,552
1877.....	1,378,330	118,935	4,374	427,989	46,176	7,527	69,743	38,668	15,546	.....	141,834
1878.....	2,133,114	174,559	10,293	540,410	55,441	9,297	116,975	30,174	7,580	.....	130,992
1879.....	1,242,026	86,197	5,644	421,220	36,973	8,258	71,880	21,493	.....	.....	62,828
1880.....	1,735,365	142,214	7,088	615,588	60,000	7,187	50,822	26,928	4,967	.....	81,225
1881.....	1,410,889	128,144	7,648	561,450	54,050	1,692	137,987	27,330	10,550	.....	103,129
1882.....	1,386,398	142,710	7,981	618,229	60,828	610	79,101	25,185	5,683	.....	86,653
1883.....	2,230,005	203,602	11,263	878,789	82,738	616	111,359	37,533	5,360	.....	124,260
1884.....	4,253,331	329,974	8,655	950,302	77,231	42	82,043	30,014	21,971	9,188	170,127
1885.....	4,319,038	304,381	10,962	743,914	61,376	1,052	56,965	36,786	21,437	21,717	140,203
1886.....	6,097,606	364,250	6,748	486,078	38,552	2,496	82,030	23,814	17,498	28,479	138,958
1887.....	9,960,816	593,388	8,743	947,615	82,513	6,467	62,943	26,821	35,186	24,039	110,872
1888.....	7,497,168	482,818	15,792	807,086	82,400	12,695	101,128	40,681	31,295	40,109	182,589
1889.....	6,217,639	419,520	17,621	933,072	104,186	14,066	60,954	59,949	26,927	61,066	233,554
1890.....	5,672,706	410,045	19,049	1,105,327	124,199	14,636	95,269	62,828	21,666	68,483	312,771
1891.....	7,227,456	545,184	20,058	1,011,390	92,904	13,935	163,450	76,631	26,849	96,984	330,869
1892.....	6,385,968	410,496	16,110	897,631	69,156	16,255	133,577	70,744	22,278	78,642	234,795
1893.....	5,736,076	406,248	21,290	787,444	65,775	15,462	78,285	52,673	17,810	66,151	162,404
1894.....	7,844,210	521,576	22,560	1,200,479	75,762	15,940	155,427	45,366	57,854	79,822	198,854
1895.....	6,997,500	488,088	20,631	1,121,107	58,250	18,625	114,965	46,248	40,469	111,841	202,548
1896.....	11,268,474	646,308	21,998	1,039,284	55,235	18,013	86,976	47,672	33,255	77,488	226,046
1897.....	8,688,451	441,530	16,687	1,166,907	56,859	16,292	77,999	36,720	27,929	85,744	212,918
1898.....	6,512,874	304,666	14,776	928,179	49,327	7,748	85,447	17,525	12,491	46,657	79,370

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	Jewelry and manufactures of gold and silver.	Naval stores.	Oils, mineral, illuminating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
					Bacon and hams.		Lard.	
					Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1871.....	1,374	5,345	84,907	25,431	58,590	11,540	290,984	45,718
1872.....	309	7,893	113,029	33,318	67,604	9,118	446,457	46,627
1873.....	.....	8,872	164,908	45,406	137,061	21,614	1,486,994	151,149
1874.....	68	11,034	194,689	41,677	200,527	25,839	2,671,445	266,724
1875.....	259	10,292	250,333	44,200	289,770	40,592	1,745,766	258,025
1876.....	5,803	14,446	293,123	52,008	323,960	50,170	2,198,246	314,909
1877.....	4,829	11,961	330,669	78,048	271,606	39,462	2,147,628	258,037
1878.....	5,275	11,523	341,385	60,375	311,192	39,228	2,872,837	279,710
1879.....	2,847	8,936	360,605	45,269	246,491	27,321	3,478,691	272,714
1880.....	2,031	16,220	412,858	45,980	337,572	38,044	3,451,499	292,748
1881.....	3,175	14,878	462,924	59,548	271,148	35,738	3,720,905	405,476
1882.....	6,757	13,456	395,364	47,945	131,095	19,140	3,359,979	416,562
1883.....	4,316	18,517	643,028	75,818	175,251	28,477	2,484,228	322,532
1884.....	11,239	17,264	721,311	77,597	185,633	31,391	3,074,699	312,192
1885.....	6,342	18,023	702,279	74,544	290,809	41,046	4,799,181	420,353
1886.....	9,489	12,630	613,171	60,762	275,508	35,460	5,178,258	385,343
1887.....	10,268	19,712	773,736	78,353	312,275	42,721	5,341,472	422,991
1888.....	16,300	20,434	792,131	82,533	372,784	52,190	4,856,278	407,830
1889.....	19,883	22,855	1,036,272	113,363	487,680	70,393	5,101,490	477,036
1890.....	43,499	26,581	973,130	109,261	547,244	76,016	5,797,620	447,540
1891.....	56,584	33,073	1,165,142	128,036	744,469	93,909	6,163,012	452,085
1892.....	40,720	30,951	1,155,539	112,322	693,087	85,058	6,714,106	483,688

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YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.							
	Jewelry and manufactures of gold and silver.	Naval stores.	Oils, mineral, illuminating.		PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
					Bacon and hams.		Lard.	
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.
1892.....	20,795	30,150	1,296,237	164,346	763,974	106,282	7,076,981	674,684
1894.....	21,672	36,229	1,262,299	96,799	756,391	100,157	7,909,830	694,552
1895.....	22,482	35,944	1,297,979	124,519	680,551	78,502	6,754,790	547,910
1896.....	19,116	36,446	1,483,127	142,053	610,427	68,591	7,062,629	452,870
1897.....	12,641	37,287	1,456,472	131,759	589,470	66,249	6,648,066	376,051
1898.....	8,061	23,502	1,417,804	108,367	512,431	55,526	6,728,583	437,155

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—Continued.								
	PROVISIONS, COMPRISING MEAT AND DAIRY PRODUCTS—continued.			Tobacco, and manufac- tures of.	Vegetables.	WOOD, AND MANUFACTURES OF.			Total exports of domestic merchandise.
	Butter.		All other.			Boards, deals, and planks.		All other.	
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.			Dollars.	Dollars.	M feet.	
1871.....	51,770	14,520	110,567	17,268	8,479	87	2,893	11,434	819,743
1872.....	40,194	9,627	118,355	13,420	4,060	99	2,910	13,944	905,260
1873.....	174,112	43,323	185,898	22,929	9,291	142	5,292	26,906	1,526,312
1874.....	99,236	29,128	155,110	22,304	10,237	213	8,445	34,388	1,860,229
1875.....	85,138	25,163	200,914	52,654	8,677	569	15,173	49,093	1,879,654
1876.....	123,066	35,218	254,250	82,822	14,102	949	20,000	89,598	2,813,694
1877.....	137,294	32,756	211,056	47,825	15,769	2,867	52,595	72,623	2,775,149
1878.....	246,208	54,744	189,023	49,599	13,976	1,581	26,771	56,718	2,751,795
1879.....	209,152	38,599	137,195	54,695	16,512	1,156	22,948	39,727	1,926,923
1880.....	311,477	67,477	162,904	61,920	12,671	1,961	34,053	41,107	2,268,705
1881.....	338,841	78,986	178,707	101,580	12,171	3,015	70,162	41,801	2,704,063
1882.....	275,476	59,837	29,963	28,439	8,520	585	10,899	32,577	2,137,100
1883.....	385,679	80,896	34,445	61,440	10,173	1,665	32,728	43,267	2,363,211
1884.....	368,057	70,858	26,997	57,211	11,770	1,248	31,537	49,143	2,368,945
1885.....	462,255	60,599	25,681	49,980	129,646	2,158	41,076	55,798	2,992,968
1886.....	426,605	64,616	15,209	85,167	68,742	1,111	25,461	54,366	2,695,488
1887.....	456,426	70,539	16,824	60,896	28,549	863	16,848	48,604	2,827,010
1888.....	403,151	74,285	20,348	78,413	16,631	513	13,631	59,129	3,008,336
1889.....	654,916	109,440	17,162	89,825	72,847	1,543	30,698	60,633	3,703,705
1890.....	658,597	94,642	21,646	73,275	53,280	3,399	60,187	78,332	3,984,280
1891.....	879,213	123,866	34,197	43,577	87,710	3,119	56,443	88,981	4,716,047
1892.....	462,472	78,554	30,008	31,683	45,956	3,184	60,113	80,552	3,991,908
1893.....	912,078	175,400	43,152	49,153	78,381	2,494	40,177	50,801	4,142,051
1894.....	737,825	125,712	41,674	52,364	32,585	2,190	37,367	49,543	4,089,732
1895.....	529,732	89,091	35,310	63,546	22,504	1,914	31,882	48,739	3,706,978
1896.....	556,298	72,713	30,699	56,408	22,944	1,690	33,094	44,461	3,780,715
1897.....	563,061	72,348	26,411	77,080	31,315	3,058	43,786	54,262	3,376,184
1898.....	533,729	73,930	18,360	87,486	23,301	1,526	19,465	22,810	2,704,908

QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MERCHANDISE IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES
FROM AND TO AMERICAN COUNTRIES DURING THE YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1871 TO 1898—Cont'd.

ALL OTHER SOUTH AMERICA.

(Includes Ecuador, Bolivia, and Paraguay; and prior to 1873, included in "All other countries, ports, and seas.")

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	IMPORTS INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM—										
	FREE OF DUTY.									TOTAL DUTIABLE.	Total imports of merchandise.
	Cocoa, and leaves and shells of.		Coffee.		Hides and skins, other than fur skins.	India rubber, crude.		Soda, nitrate of.	Total free of duty.		
	Pounds.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....	403,914	60,548	3,716	589	635	42,487	17,569		79,625	9	79,634
1874.....								147,927	147,927		147,927
1875.....	286,092	31,631			3,998			94,398	179,226		179,226
1876.....	184,682	20,778	18,981	4,678	15,408	15,909	5,790	64,348	123,384		123,384
1877.....								46,518	46,530		46,530
1878.....											
1879.....											
1880.....	202,883	33,508			1,265				93,309	14,669	107,978
1881.....	242,954	26,478	18,353	2,993	136,625	329,961	161,187	40,845	390,918	22	390,940
1882.....	1,337,048	164,462	16,766	2,234	224,530	1,357,619	688,963	31,301	1,158,153	277	1,158,430
1883.....	1,081,615	119,385	42,885	4,659	242,652	1,702,068	1,100,682	73,960	1,600,736	1,977	1,602,713
1884.....	1,497,848	193,403	409,361	31,536	288,424	1,590,884	705,552		1,346,123	489	1,346,612
1885.....	810,341	102,818	245,218	22,472	247,000	849,881	304,966		753,321	280	753,601
1886.....	2,873,539	310,410	109,575	9,516	270,878	947,123	333,246		933,162	121	933,283

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30—	EXPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO—												
	Breadstuffs: Wheat flour.		Chemicals, drugs, dyes, and medicines.	Cotton, manufac- tures of.	Flax, hemp, and jute, man- ufactures of.	Iron and steel, and manufac- tures of.	Leather, and manu- factures of.	Oils, mineral, illumi- nating.		Provisions: Lard.		Wood, and manufac- tures of.	Total exports of domestic merchan- dise.
	Barrels.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Gallons.	Dollars.	Pounds.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
1873.....	3,513	18,407										5,258	23,850
1874.....						70		26,000	4,940			4,728	33,627
1875.....	2,513	12,563											12,563
1876.....													
1877.....													
1878.....	4,250	26,265	360	1,320	2,777	637	593	13,580	2,117	35,151	3,315	3,385	55,297
1879.....	3,238	17,884		10,426	4,619	6,082	1,280	26,500	3,240	23,407	1,877	11,534	91,686
1880.....	10	65	7,080	2,670	3,228	5,983	665	19,147	2,265	130,953	10,536	22,201	103,851
1881.....	1,225	5,945	441	3,197		4,603	305	21,000	2,497	8,515	982	30,434	103,905
1882.....	553	2,857	2,086	2,883	791	57,346	2,116	85,450	9,691	32,802	3,540	14,795	134,979
1883.....	130	656	250	597	3,293	2,585		120,011	14,360	44,821	5,251	20,335	94,220
1884.....	446	2,478	26,281	116,663	11,334	115,861	4,415	50,690	5,680	1,737,454	174,764	27,151	622,958
1885.....	200	829	17,476	36,940	448	50,560	3,336	8,340	848	2,097,513	178,474	44,099	425,563
1886.....	1,591	6,997	30,881	163,402	19,091	73,513	10,642	179,210	20,894	2,524,841	187,109	7,994	638,343

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE IN THE COMMERCE OF THE UNITED STATES
WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898—Continued.**

BRITISH WEST INDIES.

[See page 3286 for years after 1850.]

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS INTO UNITED STATES FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1821	956	125,251	126,207	264,632	470	265,102	— 138,895
1822	4,555	156,120	160,675	449,601	340	449,941	— 289,266
1823	68,284	1,255,917	1,324,201	1,617,845	2,803	1,620,648	— 296,447
1824	105,359	1,824,509	1,929,868	1,750,703	8,155	1,758,858	+ 171,010
1825	94,250	1,704,662	1,798,912	1,635,574	10,992	1,646,566	+ 152,346
1826	83,696	1,502,157	1,585,853	2,074,753	28,201	2,102,954	— 517,101
1827	35,661	546,160	581,821	683,105	7,470	690,575	— 108,754
1828	2,117	86,323	88,440	25,324	826	26,150	+ 62,290
1829	3,120	157,614	160,734	1,463	180	1,643	+ 159,091
1830	4,867	96,976	101,843	140	.....	140	+ 101,703
Total, 10 years	402,865	7,455,689	7,858,554	8,503,140	59,437	8,562,577	— 704,023
1831	136,933	736,922	873,855	1,417,291	22,302	1,439,593	— 565,738
1832	174,546	835,867	1,010,413	1,655,048	22,949	1,677,997	— 667,584
1833	352,682	625,066	977,748	1,754,305	55,545	1,809,850	— 832,102
1834	299,118	432,007	731,125	1,532,100	61,133	1,593,233	— 862,108
1835	418,963	329,412	748,375	1,753,937	76,650	1,830,587	— 1,082,212
1836	484,787	600,274	1,085,061	1,737,392	85,569	1,822,961	— 737,900
1837	441,116	349,141	790,257	2,074,598	38,016	2,112,614	— 1,322,357
1838	193,721	185,332	379,053	2,071,740	47,161	2,118,901	— 1,739,848
1839	422,895	245,509	668,404	2,443,099	39,045	2,482,744	— 1,814,340
1840	297,584	198,580	496,164	2,005,934	54,300	2,060,234	— 2,464,070
Total, 10 years	3,222,345	4,538,110	7,760,455	19,346,044	502,670	19,848,714	— 12,088,259
1841	347,489	236,327	583,816	3,191,233	35,580	3,226,813	— 2,642,997
1842	105,654	326,437	432,091	3,203,746	21,151	3,224,897	— 2,792,806
June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	52,224	138,205	190,429	2,330,529	25,671	2,356,200	— 2,165,771
1844	92,928	249,684	342,612	4,108,118	20,416	4,128,534	— 3,785,922
1845	119,979	382,861	502,840	4,070,900	30,975	4,101,875	— 3,599,035
1846	138,838	361,959	500,797	4,915,083	28,474	4,943,557	— 4,442,760
1847	56,209	417,556	473,765	3,973,252	20,140	3,993,392	— 3,519,627
1848	56,286	694,023	750,309	4,270,786	35,464	4,306,250	— 3,555,941
1849	110,180	658,481	768,661	3,898,034	28,013	3,926,047	— 3,157,386
1850	166,252	671,534	837,786	3,588,484	83,051	3,671,535	— 2,833,749
Total, 10 years	1,246,039	4,137,067	5,383,106	37,550,165	328,935	37,879,100	— 32,495,994

BRITISH GUIANA.

[See page 3307 for years after 1850.]

YEAR ENDING—	IMPORTS FROM—			EXPORTS TO—			Excess of exports (—) or imports (+).
	Free.	Dutiable.	Total.	Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1833	964	5,647	6,611	4,752	.....	4,752	+ 1,859
1834	3,009	27,955	30,964	105,214	.....	105,214	— 74,250
1835	2,236	3,166	5,402	64,243	.....	64,243	— 58,841
1836	7,335	83,574	90,909	105,075	.....	105,075	— 14,166
1837	1,041	170	1,211	42,885	.....	42,885	— 41,674
1838	1,956	12,887	14,843	145,532	522	146,054	— 131,211
1839	1,450	9,050	10,500	34,906	218	35,124	— 24,624
1840	382	491	873	118,896	538	119,434	— 118,561
Total, 8 years	18,373	142,940	161,313	621,503	1,278	622,781	— 461,463
1841	2,778	4,683	7,461	381,332	1,269	382,601	— 375,140
1842	1,543	1,256	2,799	115,991	2,462	118,453	— 115,654
June 30—							
1843 (9 months)	1,726	.....	1,726	116,145	695	116,840	— 115,116
1844	1,178	704	1,882	307,052	2,184	309,236	— 307,354
1845	2,522	535	3,057	416,867	1,881	418,748	— 415,691
1846	8,630	2,456	11,086	551,068	1,634	553,302	— 542,216
1847	3,844	2,256	6,100	621,903	1,816	623,719	— 617,619
1848	369	11,677	12,046	595,114	1,365	596,479	— 584,433
1849	935	19,906	20,841	662,315	3,759	666,074	— 645,233
1850	1,903	12,188	14,091	502,776	22,663	525,439	— 491,348
Total, 10 years	25,428	55,661	81,089	4,271,163	39,728	4,310,891	— 4,229,802

**TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF GOLD AND SILVER COIN AND BULLION IN THE COMMERCE OF
THE UNITED STATES WITH BRITISH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES, 1821-1898.**

BRITISH GUIANA.

YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).	YEAR END- ING—	IMPORTS FROM—	EXPORTS TO—			Excess of imports (+) or exports (—).
		Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.				Domestic.	Foreign.	Total.	
September 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	June 30—	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>
1833.....	837				+ 837	1868.....	820				+ 820
1834.....	460				+ 460	1867.....		2,466		2,466	— 2,466
1835.....	193				+ 193	1868.....					
1836.....	1,110				+ 1,110	1869.....					
1837.....	5,033				+ 5,033	1870.....					
1838.....	21,200				+ 21,200	Total 10 years.	19,350	2,466		2,466	+ 16,884
1839.....	3,715				+ 3,715	1871.....					
1840.....	10,100				+ 10,100	1872.....					
1841.....	10,767				+ 10,767	1873.....					
1842.....	12,205				+ 12,205	1874.....					
June 30—						1875.....					
1843.....	41,316				+ 41,316	1876.....					
1844.....	7,503				+ 7,503	1877.....					
1845.....	4,900				+ 4,900	1878.....					
1846.....	1,475				+ 1,475	1879.....		2,900		2,900	— 2,900
1847.....	13,025				+ 13,025	1880.....					
1848.....	12,208				+ 12,208	Total 10 years.		2,900		2,900	— 2,900
1849.....	4,679				+ 4,679	1881.....					
1850.....	500		20,000	20,000	— 19,500	1882.....					
Total 10 years.	108,578		20,000	20,000	+ 88,578	1883.....		100		100	— 100
1851.....	24,324				+ 24,324	1884.....					
1852.....	25,000	45,000	9,770	54,770	— 29,770	1885.....					
1853.....	22,337		32,500	32,500	— 10,163	1886.....					
1854.....	1,974				+ 1,974	1887.....					
1855.....	58,447				+ 58,447	1888.....					
1856.....	2,000				+ 2,000	1889.....					
1857.....	1,000	25,000		25,000	— 24,000	1890.....		220		220	— 220
1858.....	23,000				+ 23,000	Total 10 years.		320		320	— 320
1859.....	10,000				+ 10,000	1891.....					
1860.....		25,000		25,000	— 25,000	1892.....					
Total 10 years.	168,082	95,000	42,270	137,270	+ 30,812	1893.....	15,000				+ 15,000
1861.....	18,530				+ 18,530	1894.....		500		500	— 500
1862.....						1895.....	10,850				+ 10,850
1863 <i>a</i>						1896.....					
1864 <i>a</i>						1897.....					
1865.....						1898.....	9,113				+ 9,113

a Included in British West Indies.

NUMBER AND TONNAGE OF VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES.

[United States, fiscal year 1897-98; United Kingdom, 1898; Germany, year ending March 31, 1897; France, 1897; Spain, 1896.]

COUNTRIES.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	National.		Foreign.		Total.		National.		Foreign.		Total.	
MEXICO.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
United States:												
Sailing	257	58,785	43	36,222	300	95,007	219	49,863	29	7,881	248	57,744
Steam	33	25,745	241	246,024	274	271,759	27	20,867	253	240,735	280	261,602
Total	290	84,530	284	282,246	574	366,776	246	70,730	282	248,616	528	319,346
United Kingdom:												
Sailing	5	1,715	26	9,099	31	10,814	10	17,526	12	5,933	12	23,459
Steam	37	74,751			37	74,751	41	68,196	3	2,244	44	70,440
Total	42	76,466	26	9,099	68	85,565	51	85,722	15	8,177	66	93,899
Germany:												
Sailing	32	39,784	36	12,031	45	15,085	39	56,098	4	3,821	19	20,206
Steam					23	36,730					24	39,713
Total	32	39,784	36	12,031	68	51,815	39	56,098	4	3,821	43	59,919
France:												
Sailing			43	20,490	43	20,490	1	368	9	3,177	10	3,545
Steam	12	23,242	28	34,502	40	57,744	12	22,642	22	34,538	34	57,180
Total	12	23,242	71	54,992	83	78,234	13	23,010	31	37,715	44	60,725
Spain:												
Sailing	3	692	2	582	5	1,274			1	466	1	466
Steam			11	21,153	11	21,153	17	26,557	26	45,558	43	72,115
Total	3	692	13	21,735	16	22,427	17	26,557	27	46,024	44	72,581
WEST INDIES.												
United States:												
Sailing	610	241,957	519	154,782	1,129	396,739	456	159,195	302	61,333	758	220,528
Steam	443	513,309	999	1,035,452	1,442	1,548,761	422	476,315	800	821,186	1,312	1,297,501
Total	1,053	755,266	1,518	1,190,234	2,571	1,945,500	878	635,510	1,102	882,519	2,070	1,518,029
United Kingdom:												
Sailing	20	10,774	92	36,509	122	47,283	14	5,123	93	40,800	107	45,923
Steam	34	50,666			34	50,666	123	189,663	80	129,512	213	319,175
Total	64	61,440	92	36,509	156	97,949	147	194,786	173	170,312	320	365,098
Germany:												
Sailing	61	76,700	27	10,344	39	15,837	74	111,544	5	3,984	4	1,982
Steam					49	71,207					75	113,546
Total	61	76,700	27	10,344	88	87,044	74	111,544	5	3,984	79	115,528
France:												
Sailing	73	28,152	158	65,663	231	93,815	52	19,950	60	27,483	112	47,433
Steam	34	28,111	87	85,927	121	114,038	16	22,393	19	18,957	35	41,350
Total	107	56,263	245	151,590	352	207,853	68	42,343	79	46,440	147	88,783
Spain:												
Sailing	46	11,337	16	3,684	62	15,021	70	32,092			70	30,092
Steam	175	504,745	16	33,447	191	538,193	623	1,302,721	12	21,808	635	1,324,529
Total	221	516,083	32	37,131	253	553,214	693	1,334,813	12	21,808	705	1,354,621
CENTRAL AMERICA.												
United States:												
Sailing	60	9,667	62	5,804	122	15,471	52	6,341	51	5,265	103	11,606
Steam	115	65,618	336	222,501	451	288,119	114	65,537	299	163,685	413	229,222
Total	175	75,285	398	228,305	573	303,590	166	71,878	350	168,950	516	240,828
United Kingdom:												
Sailing	6	2,183	28	10,937	34	13,120			3	1,542	3	1,542
Steam	13	15,024	1	779	14	15,803	9	15,322	1	1,984	10	17,306
Total	19	17,207	29	11,716	48	28,923	9	15,322	4	3,526	13	18,488
Germany:												
Sailing	16	15,166	16	10,230	29	21,154	5	3,719	2	1,240	7	4,959
Steam					3	4,242						
Total	16	15,166	16	10,230	32	25,396	5	3,719	2	1,240	7	4,959

NUMBER AND TONNAGE OF VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED IN THE COMMERCE OF THE PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES WITH AMERICAN COUNTRIES SOUTH OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

COUNTRIES.	ENTERED.						CLEARED.					
	National.		Foreign.		Total.		National.		Foreign.		Total.	
CENTRAL AMERICA—Continued.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
France:												
Sailing	1	627	5	2,588	6	3,215						
Steam			1	3,380	4	3,380						
Total	1	627	9	5,968	10	6,595						
Spain:												
Sailing							1	287			1	287
Steam												
Total							1	287			1	287
SOUTH AMERICA.												
United States:												
Sailing	198	103,753	594	514,746	792	618,499	229	122,001	325	261,167	554	383,168
Steam	117	209,238	591	762,946	708	972,184	113	201,223	318	342,151	431	543,374
Total	315	312,991	1,185	1,277,692	1,500	1,590,683	342	323,224	643	603,318	985	926,542
United Kingdom:												
Sailing	109	108,381	103	57,395	212	165,776	218	225,417	505	377,323	723	602,740
Steam	711	1,324,536	100	161,175	811	1,486,711	1,064	1,898,060	109	146,915	1,173	2,044,975
Total	820	1,432,917	203	218,570	1,023	1,651,487	1,282	2,123,477	614	524,238	1,896	2,647,715
Germany:												
Sailing	327	586,140	161	144,434	214	212,343	309	538,157	128	87,054	147	87,168
Steam					274	518,231					200	538,103
Total	327	586,140	161	144,434	488	730,574	309	538,157	128	87,054	437	625,211
France:												
Sailing	54	79,206	71	50,389	125	138,595	47	28,061	58	33,425	105	61,486
Steam	192	360,670	281	524,175	473	884,845	202	381,168	206	422,572	408	803,740
Total	246	439,876	352	583,564	598	1,023,440	249	409,229	264	455,997	513	865,226
Spain:												
Sailing	17	4,811	13	6,524	30	11,335	31	11,876	118	68,367	149	80,243
Steam	6	13,839	118	297,962	124	311,801	22	48,340	408	912,405	430	960,745
Total	23	18,650	131	304,486	154	323,136	53	60,216	526	980,772	579	1,040,988
TOTAL.												
United States:												
Sailing	1,125	414,162	1,218	711,554	2,343	1,125,716	956	337,400	707	335,646	1,663	673,046
Steam	708	813,910	2,167	2,266,923	2,875	3,080,833	676	763,942	1,760	1,567,757	2,436	2,331,699
Total	1,833	1,228,072	3,385	2,978,477	5,218	4,206,549	1,632	1,101,342	2,467	1,903,403	4,099	3,004,745
United Kingdom:												
Sailing	150	123,053	249	113,940	409	236,993	242	218,066	613	425,598	855	673,664
Steam	795	1,464,977	101	161,954	895	1,626,931	1,247	2,171,241	193	289,655	1,440	2,451,896
Total	945	1,588,030	350	275,894	1,295	1,863,924	1,489	2,419,307	806	706,253	2,295	3,125,560
Germany:												
Sailing	436	717,790	240	177,039	327	264,419	427	709,518	139	96,099	177	114,255
Steam					349	630,410					389	691,362
Total	436	717,790	240	177,039	676	894,829	427	709,518	139	96,099	566	805,617
France:												
Sailing	128	107,985	277	148,130	405	256,115	100	48,379	127	64,085	227	112,464
Steam	238	412,023	400	647,984	638	1,060,007	230	426,203	247	476,067	477	902,270
Total	366	520,008	677	796,114	1,043	1,316,122	330	474,582	374	540,152	704	1,014,734
Spain:												
Sailins	66	16,840	31	10,790	97	27,630	102	44,255	119	68,833	221	113,088
Steam	181	518,585	145	352,562	326	871,147	662	1,377,618	446	979,771	1,108	2,357,389
Total	247	535,425	176	363,352	423	898,777	764	1,421,873	565	1,048,604	1,329	2,470,477

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BALTIMORE, MD.										
BUCKMAN FRUIT CO.:		Tons.								
Brookline.....	British.....	851	Propeller...	Steel.....	Port Antonio, Jamaica.....			Yes...	Yes...	2
Ethelred.....	do.....	574	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	2
Banes.....	Norwegian.....	454	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	No...	2
Jamaica.....	do.....	497	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	No...	2
Leon.....	do.....	490	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	No...	2
MONUMENTAL TRADING CO.:										
America.....	do.....	528	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	2
WEST INDIA TRADING CO.:										
Bermuda.....	British.....	823	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	Yes...	2
Oxus.....	do.....	569	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	2
EARN LINE:										
Sutherland.....	do.....	1,463	do.....	do.....	Santiago de Cuba.....			No...	No...	1
Cresyl.....	do.....	1,498	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	1
H. M. Pollock.....	do.....	1,623	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	1
Frey.....	Norwegian.....	1,948	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	1
Cromorthy.....	British.....	1,756	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	1
BOSTON AND CHARLES-TOWN, MASS.										
BOSTON FRUIT CO.:										
Admiral Dewey.....	American.....	1,335	Propeller...	Steel.....	Ports in Jamaica.....			Yes...	Yes...	2
Admiral Schley.....	do.....	1,335	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	2
Admiral Sampson.....	do.....	1,335	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	2
Admiral Farragut.....	do.....	1,335	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	3
Alfred Dumois.....	Norwegian.....	440	do.....	Iron.....	Porto Plata, San Domingo.			No...	No...	1
Simon Dumois.....	do.....	428	do.....	do.....	do.....			No...	No...	1
GALVESTON, TEX.										
Winpa Line.....	Norwegian.....	395	Propeller...	Iron.....	St. Lucia.....	Cuba and Porto Rican.....		Yes...	No...	1
ATLANTIC AND MEXICAN GULF LINE:										
Helios.....	do.....	833	do.....	Steel.....	regreso.....	Tampico, Vera Cruz, Coatzacoalcas.	} Mobile..	No...	No...	1
Ella.....	do.....	916	do.....	do.....	do.....					
Uto.....	do.....	899	do.....	do.....	do.....					
Amrum.....	German.....	558	do.....	do.....	do.....					
MUNSON STEAMSHIP LINE:										
Folsjo.....	Norwegian.....	1,040	do.....	do.....	Havana.....	Progreso, Mexico, Cardenas, Matanzas, and other Cuban ports.	} None...	No...	No...	2 to 3
Truma.....	do.....	979	do.....	do.....	do.....					
Uto.....	do.....	899	do.....	do.....	do.....					
Helios.....	do.....	830	do.....	do.....	do.....					
KEY WEST, FLA.										
PLANT STEAMSHIP LINE:										
New Olivette.....	American.....	1,026	Propeller...	Iron.....	Havana, Cuba.....	Progreso, Mexico, Cardenas, Matanzas, and other Cuban ports.	None...	Yes...	Yes...	(a)
Mascotte.....	do.....	520	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...	(a)
FLORIDA EAST COAST STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Miami.....	do.....	1,311	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...	(b)
MOBILE, ALA.										
MOBILE STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Widdrington.....	British.....	954	Propeller...	Iron.....	Havana.....	None.....	None...	No...	Yes...	3
Hermann.....	German.....	768	do.....	Steel.....	Cardenas.....	Matanzas.....	do.....	No...	Yes...	2
Flandria.....	Danish.....	721	do.....	do.....	Cienfuegos.....	Santiago.....	do.....	No...	Yes...	2
Arecuna.....	British.....	1,079	do.....	Iron.....	Tampico.....	Vera Cruz.....	New Orleans.	No...	Yes...	2

a Semiweekly.

b Triweekly.

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MOBILE, ALA.—Continued.										
UNITED FRUIT CO.:		Tons.								
Kitty.....	Norwegian	654	Propeller	Iron	Bocas del Toro.....	None	None	Yes...	No....	2
John Wilson.....	do	507	do	do	do	do	do	Yes...	Yes...	2
Colombia.....	do	511	do	do	do	do	do	Yes...	Yes...	2
Yumuri.....	do	474	do	do	do	do	do	Yes...	Yes...	2
S. Oteri.....	American	580	do	do	Puerto Cortes.....	Cuba	do	No...	Yes...	2
Foxhall.....	do	538	do	do	do	do	do	No...	Yes...	2
CAMORS, McCONNELL & Co.:										
Utstein.....	Norwegian	469	do	Steel	Bocas del Toro.....	None	do	Yes...	No....	2
Baracca.....	do	484	do	do	do	do	do	No...	No....	3
Espana.....	do	320	do	do	do	do	do	No...	Yes...	2
ALABAMA FRUIT CO.:										
Dudley.....	do	375	do	Iron	Bocas del Toro.....	None	None	Yes...	Yes...	2
Habil.....	do	375	do	do	do	do	do	Yes...	Yes...	2
MOBILE STEAMSHIP LINE:										
Managua.....	do	427	do	Steel	Livingston.....	Belize	do	Yes...	Yes...	2
Transit.....	do	1,050	do	do	Havana.....	None	do	No...	Yes...	3
BLUEFIELDS STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Breifond.....	do	291	do	Iron	Bluefields.....	do	None	Yes...	Yes...	2
ATLANTIC AND MEXICAN GULF STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Normandie.....	do	620	do	Steel	Progreso.....	do	do	Yes...	Yes...	2
Ella.....	do	901	do	do	do	do	Galveston.	Yes...	Yes...	2
NEW ORLEANS, LA.										
UNITED FRUIT CO.:										
Breakwater.....	American	793	Propeller	Iron	Port Cortez, Honduras	Livingston, Guatemala, and Belize.		Yes...		2
Stillwater.....	do	510	do	do	do	do		Yes...		2
Foxhall.....	do	538	do	do	do	do		Yes...		2
Wanderer.....	do	265	do	Wood	do	do		Yes...		2
Anselm.....	British	998	do	do	do	do		Yes...		2
S. Oteri.....	American	580	do	do	Ceiba, Honduras.....	do		No...		2
S. Pizzati.....	do	659	do	do	do	do		No...		2
Rover.....	do	538	Side-wheel	Iron	do	do		No...		2
Olympia.....	British	1,070	Propeller	do	do	do		No...		2
Bergensen.....	Norwegian	410	do	do	Port Limon, Costa Rica	do		No...		2
Alabama.....	do	577	do	do	do	do		No...		2
Holstein.....	German	1,087	do	do	do	British Honduras, Ceiba, and Truxillo.		No...		2
Fulton.....	Norwegian	298	do	do	Bluefields.....	do		No...		2
Hispania.....	Swedish	683	do	do	Port Limon, Costa Rica	do		No...		2
Iberia.....	Norwegian	302	do	do	Bocas del Toro, Colombia.	do		No...		2
Henry Dumois.....	do	662	do	do	Port Limon.....	do		No...		2
CENTRAL AMERICAN AND COMMERCIAL STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Phoenix.....	British	325	do	do	Bocas del Toro, Colombia.	None	None	No...		2
Espana.....	Norwegian	323	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Franklin.....	do	364	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Jos. Oteri, jr.....	American	241	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
BLUEFIELDS STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Soldal.....	Norwegian	265	do	do	Bluefields, Nicaragua.	do	do	No...		2
Hiram.....	do	406	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Jarl.....	do	275	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Sunnica.....	do	369	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Alliance.....	do	333	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Condor.....	do	394	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2
Breifond.....	do	291	do	do	do	do	do	No...		2

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Cont'd.										
MEXICAN GULF STEAMSHIP CO.: Arecuna	British	Tons. 1,079	Propeller ..	Iron	Mobile, Ala.	No.....	2	
SOUTHERN PACIFIC CO.: Aransas	American	678	do	do	Havana, Cuba .....	.....	Key W., Fla.	No.....	3	
Whitney	do	767	do	do	do .....	.....	do	No.....	3	
Clinton	do	717	Side-wheel ..	do	do .....	.....	do	No.....	3	
Gussie	do	575	do	do	do	None	do	No.....	3	
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.										
Jos. Oteri, jr.	American	211	Propeller ..	Iron	Port Maria, Jamaica ..	None	None	No.....	2	
Bratten	Norwegian	432	do	do	do	do	do	No.....	2	
NEW YORK, N. Y.										
ATLAS STEAMSHIP CO. (Pim, Forwood & Kellock, 22 and 24 State street, agents):										
Altai	British	1,584	Propeller ..	Steel	Kingston, Jamaica	Savanilla, Cartagena, .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Allegheny	do	1,966	do	do	do	Grovetown, Port .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Adirondack	do	1,415	do	do	do	Limon, Cape Haiti, .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Alene	do	1,482	do	Iron	do	Port au Prince, .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Athos	do	1,256	do	do	do	Petit Goave, Aux .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Alps	do	1,117	do	do	do	Cayes, Jacmel, Sa. .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Andes	do	1,197	do	do	do	Martha .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
MUNSON STEAMSHIP LINE (W. D. Munson, 27 William street, agent):										
Lauenburg	German	1,368	do	do	Caibarien	Matanzas, Cardenas, .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Ella	do	1,210	do	do	Baracao	Nuevitas, Gibara .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Olindo	do	1,492	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Curityba	do	1,475	do	do	Caibarien	Matanzas, Cardenas, .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Sagua.										
BOOTH STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. (Booth & Co., 88 and 90 Gold street, agents): (a)										
Hildebrand	British	1,224	do	Steel	Manaos	Para, Maranham, Ceara .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	(b)
Hilary	do	1,276	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	(b)
Hubart	do	1,211	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	(b)
Basil	do	2,092	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
Benedict	do	2,180	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
Bernard	do	2,116	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
Dominie	do	1,893	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
Dunstan	do	1,893	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
Horatio	do	2,078	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
Polycarp	do	1,893	do	do	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	No.....	(b)
TRINIDAD SHIPPING AND TRADING CO., LTD. (Hugh Butler, 29 Broadway, agent): (c)										
Irrawaddy	American	1,608	do	Iron	Trinidad, British West Indies.	St. Georges and Grenada, British West Indies.	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1
Grenada	British	1,394	do	Steel	do	do .....	.....	Yes.....	Yes.....	1

a These vessels make regular trips between New York and Brazil and New York via Europe. In conjunction with the Red Cross Line we furnish a regular round service between Para and New York every ten days.

b About eighteen trips to New York a year.

c Our regular steamers are the two given herein, and these are supplemented by chartered steamers whenever the requirements of the trade demand. Our regular route is from New York to Trinidad, with a short stop at St. Georges, Grenada, en route each way. The round trip takes about a month, each steamer making eleven trips per year. The ports in Trinidad called at, as the requirements of the trade demand, are Port of Spain, San Fernando, and Brighton.

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NEW YORK, N. Y.—Cont'd.										
ROYAL DUTCH WEST INDIES MAIL SERVICE (Kunhard & Co., 32 Beaver street, agents): <i>a</i>										
Prins Willem I.....	Dutch.....	<i>Tons.</i> 1,087	Propeller...	Steel....	Amsterdam.....	HAITI—Port au Prince, Petit Goave, Aux Cayes, Aquin, Jacmel, VENEZUELA—Curaçao, Puerto Cabello, La Guaira, Guanta, Cumana, Carupano, Trinidad, Demerara, Surinam, Paramaribo, Havre.	.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
Prins Willem II.....	do.....	1,242	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
Prins Willem III.....	do.....	1,249	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
Prins Willem IV.....	do.....	1,114	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
Prins Willem V.....	do.....	1,155	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
Prins Frederik Hendrik.....	do.....	1,075	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
Oranje Nassau.....	do.....	865	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	Yes...	Yes...	.....
NORTON LINE (Norton & Son, Produce Exchange, agents): <i>b</i>										
Etona.....	British.....	1,613	do.....	do.....	Buenos Ayres and Rosario.	Southward.—Direct New York and Montevideo. Northward.—Montevideo, Santos, and Rio de Janeiro, or other Brazilian ports.	.....	Yes...	No...	.....
Manica.....	do.....	1,779	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Merida.....	do.....	1,487	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Parana.....	do.....	1,781	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Newlyn.....	do.....	1,848	do.....	do.....	do.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
E. C. GEDNEY (82 West Broadway, New York, N. Y.):										
Adria.....	Norwegian.....	402	do.....	do.....	Samana, Santo Domingo.	.....	.....	No...	No...	2
Agnes.....	do.....	300	do.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	No...	No...	2
PANAMA R. R. STEAMSHIP LINE (R. L. Walker, 29 Broadway, traffic manager): <i>d</i>										
Allianca.....	American.....	2,205	do.....	Iron....	Colon, Republic of Colombia.	.....	.....	Yes...	Yes...	1
Finance.....	do.....	1,902	do.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	Yes...	Yes...	1
Advance.....	do.....	1,920	do.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	Yes...	Yes...	1
WEST COAST LINE (Flint, Eddy & Co., 30 Broad street, agents):										
Lancelote.....	British.....	1,564	do.....	Steel....	All principal ports in Chile, Peru, and Ecuador via Straits of Magellan.	.....	.....	No...	No...	.....
Kentigern.....	do.....	1,585	do.....	do.....		.....	.....	No...	No...	.....
Queen Margaret.....	do.....	1,732	do.....	do.....		.....	.....	No...	No...	.....
NEW YORK AND DEMERARA STEAMSHIP LINE (L. & W. Armstrong, 106 Wall street, agents): <i>f</i>										
Uller.....	Norwegian.....	1,164	do.....	do.....	Demerara.....	St. Kitts, Guadeloupe,	.....	Yes...	Yes...	1
Talisman.....	do.....	1,178	do.....	do.....	do.....	Martinique, and Barbados.	.....	Yes...	Yes...	1
Tjomo.....	do.....	1,030	do.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	Yes...	Yes...	1

a Two sailings per month. Round trip New York to Haiti, Venezuela, Brazil, Havre and Amsterdam, and return, about four months. Steamship *Maurits* now building, will be ready about February, 1900.

b Round trip New York and River Plate ports and return via Brazil, coaling when necessary at St. Lucia, West Indies, occupies about three months.

c When necessary other steamers are from time to time engaged; for instance, the steamship *Newlyn* is at present running as an extra boat.

d The regular service is trimonthly, but occasionally because of press of traffic an extra steamer is chartered and a weekly service inaugurated, as at the present time. This line is the direct connection for Pacific coast ports of North and South America.

e One round trip occupies about five months.

f The steamers make a round trip in a month, stopping at the various islands as the market demands.

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NEW YORK, N. Y.—Cont'd.									
RED CROSS LINE (Edmund Reeks & Co., 113-117 Pearl street, agents): a									
Amazonense.....	British.....	Tons. 61,700	Screw.....	Steel.....	Liverpool.....	Para, Ceara, Maranh, Manaos, Lisbon, Oporto, Havre, Hamburg, Barbados, New York.	Yes...	Yes...	
Cametense.....	do.....	1,248	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Carense.....	do.....	1,745	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Fluminense.....	do.....	1,275	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Grangense.....	do.....	1,250	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Lisbonense.....	do.....	1,035	do.....	Iron.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Maranhense.....	do.....	1,672	do.....	Steel.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Madeirense.....	do.....	1,773	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Obidense.....	do.....	1,511	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Paraense.....	do.....	1,094	do.....	Iron.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Sobralense.....	do.....	1,232	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...		
MUTUAL STEAMSHIP LINE (Wm. Rockstroh & Co., 52 Exchange place, agents):									
Ilsestein.....	German.....	962	do.....	do.....	Santiago de Cuba.....	Cienfuegos, Casilda, Manzanillo, Guantanamo, Santa Cruz del Sur.	Yes...	No....	1
BAHAMAS STEAMSHIP LINE (F. T. Montell & Son, 63 Pine street, agents):									
Antilia.....	British.....	588	do.....	do.....	Nassau, New Providence.		Yes...	Yes...	1
PRINCE LINE (John C. Seager Co., Produce Exchange Annex, agents): c									
Scottish Prince.....	do.....	1,235	Propeller.....	Iron.....	Santos.....	Pernambuco, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia.	Yes...	No....	
Roman Prince.....	do.....	1,221	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No....	
Cyprian Prince.....	do.....	1,193	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No....	
Grecian Prince.....	do.....	1,405	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No....	
Kaffir Prince.....	do.....	1,402	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No....	
Asiatic Prince.....	do.....	1,416	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No....	
British Prince.....	do.....	1,402	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No....	
Ivydene.....	do.....	1,797	do.....	do.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....	Yes...	No....	1
Myrtledene.....	do.....	1,665	do.....	do.....	do.....	Rosario.....	Yes...	No....	1
CLYDE'S WEST INDIES STEAMSHIP LINE (Wm. P. Clyde & Co., agents):									
Carib.....	American.....	1,280	do.....	do.....	Santo Domingo.....	Macoris, Sanchez, Porto Plata, Monte Christi, Turks Island.	Yes...	Yes...	(d)
CAMERON STEAMSHIP CO. (John S. Cameron, agent):									
Erna.....	German.....	1,085	do.....	do.....	Port au Prince.....	Cape Haitien, Petit Goave, Aux Cayes, Jacmel, etc.	No....	No....	(e)
Daggry.....	Norwegian.....	766	do.....	do.....	do.....				

a From New York every ten days for North Brazil, and thence to Liverpool, England, returning to New York via continental and North Brazil ports.

b About.

c Two sailings per month.

d One every five weeks.

e Every two months.

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					Terminus in foreign countries.	Intermediate ports at which touched.			
						Foreign.			
NEW YORK, N. Y.—Cont'd.									
TWEEDIE TRADING CO. (Bowring and Archibald, Produce Exchange Annex, agents):									
Ardanrose.....	British.....	Tons. 1,360	Propeller...	Iron....	Livingston, Guatemala.	Kingston, St. Anna Bay, Port Maria, Montego Bay, Puerto Barrios, Cape Gracias, Belize, Puerto Cortez.	Yes...	Yes...	1
Ardandhu.....	do.....	1,401	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	1
Themis.....	Norwegian.....	1,208	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No...	1
Jason.....	British.....	777	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No...	1
AMERICAN FRUIT CO. (pier 14, East River):									
City of Kingston.....	do.....	1,410	do.....	do.....	Port Antonio.....		Up...	Yes...	2
Beverly.....	do.....	873	do.....	do.....	do.....		Up...	Yes...	2
Belvernon.....	Norwegian.....	687	do.....	do.....	do.....		Up...	Yes...	2
Harald.....	do.....	831	do.....	do.....	do.....		Up...	Yes...	2
ROBERT M. SLOMAN'S U. S. AND BRAZIL LINE (Funch, Edye & Co., Produce Exchange Annex, agents): (a)									
Asti.....	German.....	1,096	do.....	do.....	Santos.....	Pernambuco, Rio de Janeiro.	Yes...	Yes...	
Dalecarlia.....	do.....	1,251	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Livorno.....	do.....	1,292	do.....	Steel....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Capri.....	do.....	1,299	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Taormina.....	do.....	1,564	do.....	Iron....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Barcelona.....	do.....	920	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Capua.....	do.....	1,282	do.....	Steel....	do.....		Yes...	No...	
Flotow.....	do.....	1,789	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No...	
Frascati.....	do.....	984	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Genoa.....	do.....	882	do.....	Iron....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Girgenti.....	do.....	981	do.....	Steel....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Licata.....	do.....	899	do.....	Iron....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Lissabon.....	do.....	950	do.....	Steel....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Malaga.....	do.....	903	do.....	Iron....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Marseilles.....	do.....	844	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Neapel.....	do.....	1,140	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Palermo.....	do.....	686	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Salerno.....	do.....	1,314	do.....	Steel....	do.....		Yes...	No...	
Spezia.....	do.....	1,090	do.....	Iron....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Trapani.....	do.....	1,029	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Albano.....	do.....	2,433	do.....	Steel....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...		
Amalfi.....	do.....	1,792	do.....	Iron....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...		
Marsala.....	do.....	1,530	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...		
Pisa.....	do.....	2,895	do.....	Steel....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...		
Procida.....	do.....	1,436	do.....	Iron....	do.....	Yes...	No...		
Sorrento.....	do.....	1,540	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	Yes...		
LAMPORT & HOLT'S LINE (Busk & Jevons, 301 Produce Exchange, agents): (b)									
Bellagio.....	British.....	2,531	do.....	Steel....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellaisa.....	do.....	2,459	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellanoeh.....	do.....	1,678	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellarden.....	do.....	1,770	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellasco.....	do.....	2,460	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellaura.....	do.....	1,734	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellena.....	do.....	1,720	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellenden.....	do.....	1,732	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellevue.....	do.....	2,459	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	
Bellucia.....	do.....	1,735	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Yes...	No...	

a Each steamer makes about one round trip every two months. Occasionally touch at St. Lucia for coal.

b These vessels also run to Continental ports, making six arrivals in New York from South American ports and two sailings thence to South American ports.

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					Terminus in foreign countries.	Intermediate ports at which touched.				
						Foreign.	Domestic.			
NEW YORK, N. Y.—Cont'd.										
LAMPORT & HOLT'S LINE (Busk & Jevons, 301 Produce Exchange, agents): (a)—Cont'd.										
		Tons.								
Biela.....	British.....	1,374	Propeller...	Iron.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Buñon.....	do.....	1,459	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Canning.....	do.....	3,459	do.....	Steel.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Canova.....	do.....	3,009	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Cavour.....	do.....	3,149	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Cervantes.....	do.....	2,983	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Chaucer.....	do.....	1,737	do.....	Iron.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Coleridge.....	do.....	1,644	do.....	do.....	Rio de Janeiro.....	Pernambuco and Bahia.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Cuvier.....	do.....	1,452	do.....	do.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Flaxman.....	do.....	1,356	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Galileo.....	Belgian.....	1,678	do.....	do.....	Rio de Janeiro.....	Pernambuco and Bahia.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Garrick.....	British.....	1,598	do.....	do.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Handel.....	do.....	1,209	do.....	do.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Herschel.....	do.....	1,201	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Hevelius.....	Belgian.....	1,930	do.....	do.....	Rio de Janeiro.....	Pernambuco and Bahia.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Hogarth.....	British.....	1,290	do.....	do.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Holbein.....	do.....	1,260	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Homer.....	do.....	1,641	do.....	Steel.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Horace.....	do.....	2,133	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Horrox.....	do.....	1,043	do.....	Iron.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Lassell.....	do.....	1,173	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Maskelyne.....	Belgian.....	1,944	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Milton.....	British.....	1,676	do.....	Steel.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Mozart.....	do.....	1,220	do.....	Iron.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Nasmyth.....	do.....	1,229	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Newton.....	do.....	1,583	do.....	Steel.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Olbers.....	Belgian.....	1,677	do.....	Iron.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	Yes...	
Phidias.....	British.....	1,786	do.....	Steel.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Raphael.....	do.....	2,899	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Rembrandt (new).....	do.....	2,900	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Romney (new).....	do.....	2,791	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Rosse.....	do.....	1,023	do.....	Iron.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Reubens.....	do.....	1,291	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Sallust.....	do.....	2,308	do.....	Steel.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Sirius.....	do.....	1,372	do.....	Iron.....	Brazil.....	Various.....		Yes...	No.....	
Strabo.....	do.....	1,223	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....		Yes...	No.....	
Virgil.....	do.....	2,141	do.....	Steel.....	Buenos Ayres.....	Montevideo.....		Yes...	No.....	
Wordsworth.....	Belgian.....	2,571	do.....	Iron.....	Rio de Janeiro.....	Pernambuco and Bahia.....		Yes...	Yes...	
COMPANIA TRANSATLANTICA (J. M. Ceballos & Co., 27 William street, agents):										
San Augustin.....	Spanish.....	1,570	do.....	do.....	Vera Cruz.....	Havana and Progreso.....		No.....	Yes...	1
M. L. Villaverde.....	do.....	951	do.....	do.....	Colon.....	La Guaira, Porto Cabello, Savanilla, Cartagena, Santiago de Cuba.....		No.....	Yes...	1
Rabat.....	do.....	514	do.....	do.....	do.....			No.....	Yes...	1
Mexico.....	do.....	1,392	do.....	do.....	do.....			No.....	Yes...	1
N. Y. AND CUBA MAIL STEAMSHIP Co. (James E. Ward & Co., 113 Wall street, agents):										
Seguranga.....	American.....	2,933	do.....	Steel.....	Vera Cruz.....			Yes...	Yes...	1
Vigilancia.....	do.....	2,934	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	1
Seneca.....	do.....	1,912	do.....	Iron.....	do.....	Havana, Progreso, Campeche.....		Yes...	Yes...	1
Yucatan.....	do.....	2,317	do.....	Steel.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	1
Orizaba.....	do.....	2,334	do.....	do.....	do.....			Yes...	Yes...	1

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NEW YORK, N. Y.—Cont'd.										
N. Y. AND CUBA MAIL STEAMSHIP Co. (James E. Ward & Co., 113 Wall street, agents)—Continued.										
City of Washington	American	<i>Tons.</i> 1,744	Propeller ..	Iron	Tampico	Havana		Yes...	Yes...	1
Mexico	do	4,192	do	Steel...	Havana	None		Yes...	Yes...	3
Havana	do	4,192	do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	3
Saratoga	do	1,973	do	Iron	Cienfuegos	Nassau, Santiago de Cuba.		Yes...	Yes...	1
Santiago	do	1,696	do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
Matanzas	do	2,104	do	Steel...	Tampico	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
N. Y. AND PORTO RICO STEAMSHIP Co. (Miller, Bull & Knowlton, 32 Broadway, agents):										
Arcadia	do	1,543	do	do	San Juan	Ponce and other Porto Rican ports.		Yes...	Yes...	1
Evelyn	do	1,185	do	Iron	do	do		Yes...	No...	1
Mae (new)	do	1,497	do	Steel...	do	do		Yes...	No...	1
Ponce	do		do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
San Juan	do		do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
RED "D" LINE (Boulton, Bliss & Dallett, 135 Front street, agents):										
Caracas	do	1,820	do	Iron	Puerto Cabello, Venezuela.	St. Juan, Ponce, Curaçao, La Guayra.		Yes...	Yes...	1
Philadelphia	do	1,900	do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
Hildur	Norwegian	594	do	Steel...	Maracaibo, Venezuela.	Curaçao		Yes...	No...	2
A. R. Thorp	do	650	do	do	do	do		Yes...	No...	2
QUEBEC STEAMSHIP Co. (A. E. Outerbridge & Co., 39 Broadway, agents):										
Orinoco	British	1,200	do	Iron	Bermuda			Yes...	Yes...	2
Trinidad	do	1,354	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes...	2
Caribbee	do	1,247	do	do	Demerara	Windward Island ..		Yes...	Yes...	1
Fontabelle	do	1,717	do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
Madiana	do	1,983	do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
Pretoria	do	1,915	do	do	do	do		Yes...	Yes...	1
BENNER LINE (N. A. Benner & Co., 77 Water street, agents). c										
Schooner Isaiah Hart	American	853	Sail vessel ..	Wood...	Havana			No...	No...	
Schooner Henry Crosby	do	347	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Schooner Mary E. Morse	do	612	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Schooner John Paul	do	352	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Bark Olive Thurlow	do	627	do	do	do			No...	No...	
N. Y. AND PACIFIC STEAMSHIP Co. (W. R. Grace & Co., 1 and 2 Hanover square, agents): i										
Capac	British	1,951	Propeller ..	Steel...	Guyaquil, Ecuador ..			No...	No...	
Cacique	do	1,951	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Condor	do	1,958	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Coya	do	1,945	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Cuzco	do	3,400	do	do	do			No...	No...	
Cumbal	do	3,200	do	do	do			No...	No...	

a Now building at Wilmington, Del.

b These are chartered steamers employed pending the completion of American ships now building.

c Agents state: You will note that all are sailing vessels, but that they have been dispatched with some regularity, and should, we think, be entitled to consideration in the compilation of South American shipping statistics.

d Sailed from New York April 20, 1899.

e Sailed from New York May 3, 1899.

f Sailed from New York May 8, 1899.

g Sailed from New York July 20, 1899.

h To sail about August 1, 1899.

i Each trip consumes about 4 to 4½ months. Steamers stop at St. Lucia and Montevideo for coal.

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					Terminus in foreign countries.	Intermediate ports at which touched.				
						Foreign.				Domestic.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.										
QUAKER CITY FRUIT CO.:		Tons.								
Ethelwold	British	611	Propeller ..	Steel	Jamaica			Yes...	Yes... 2	
Barnstable	do	850	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes... 2	
Jamaica	Norwegian ..	497	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
Kong Frode	do	580	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
Nicaragua	do	366	do	do	Banes, Cuba ..			No...	No... 2	
Premier	British	188	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
Taff	do	542	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
Tyr	Danish	315	do	do	Jamaica			No...	No... 2	
Usk	British	545	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
WEST INDIA FRUIT CO.:										
Banan	Norwegian ..	594	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
Go. Dumois	do		do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
HART STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Ask	Danish	532	do	do	do			No...	No... 2	
EARN LINE STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Tuskar	British	1,969	do	do	West Indian and Mexican ports.			Yes...	No... 1	
North Anglia	do	1,359	do	Iron				Yes...	No... 1	
H. M. Pollock	do	1,623	do	Steel				Yes...	No... 1	
Cresyl	do	1,498	do	do				Yes...	No... 1	
Sutherland	do	1,463	do	do				Yes...	No... 1	
Cromarty	do	1,756	do	do				Yes...	No... 1	
Frey	Norwegian ..	1,948	do	do				Yes...	No... 1	
Highfield	British	1,642	do	Iron				Yes...	No... 1	
MUNSON LINE a										
SAN DIEGO, CAL.										
LOWER CALIFORNIA DEVELOP- MENT CO.:										
St. Denis	British	302	Propeller ..	Steel	Ensenada, Mexico ..			Yes...	Yes... 6	
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.										
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Acapulco	American	1,759	Propeller ..	Iron	Panama	Mazatlan, San Blas, Manzanillo, Acapul- co, Port Angel, Sa- lina Cruz, Tonala, San Benito, Mexico; Ocos, Champerico, San Jose, Guatema- la; Acajutta, La Li- bertad, El Triunfo, La Union, Salvador; Amapala, Honda- ras; Corinto, San Juan del Sur, Nica- ragua; Punta Are- nas, Costa Rica.		Yes...	Yes... (b)	
City of Para	do	2,504	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes...	
Colon	do	1,843	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes...	
City of Sydney	do	1,965	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes...	
Peru	do	2,539	do	Steel	do			Yes...	Yes...	
San Blas	do	1,496	do	Iron	do			Yes...	Yes...	
San Jose	do	1,538	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes...	
San Juan	do	1,496	do	do	do			Yes...	Yes...	
PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP CO.:										
Curaçao	American	895	Propeller ..	Iron	Guaymas, Mexico ..	Ensenada, La Paz, Mazatlan, Altata, Santa Rosalia, Guay- mas, Mexico.		Yes...	Yes... 1	

a This line runs "tramp" steamers to Cuban ports weekly.

b This line clears three steamers per month.

O. P. Austin

Chief of Bureau.

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